



THE 1953 RAM



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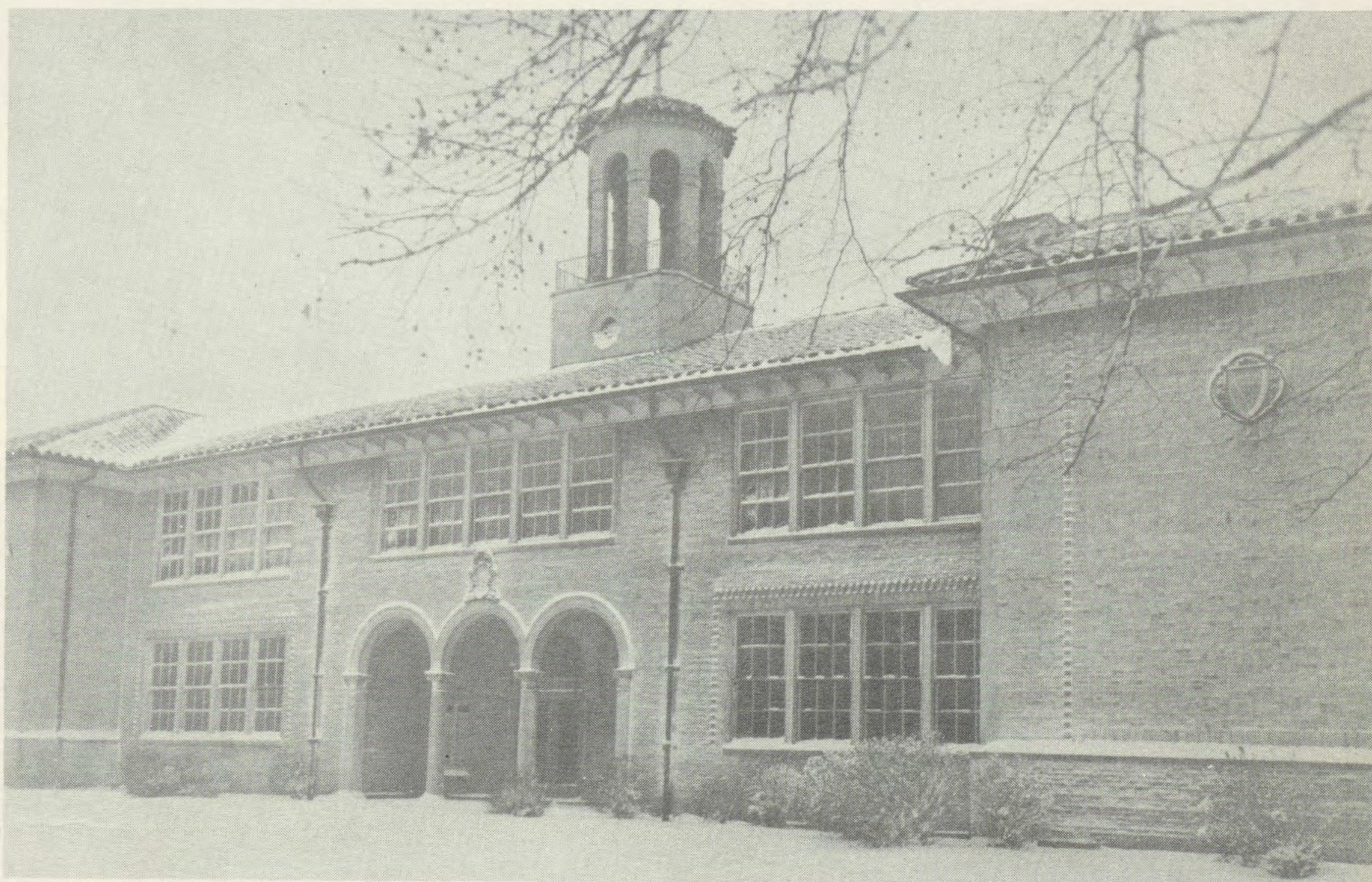


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THE
HAMILTON CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
SENIORS PRESENT



“THE 1953 RAM”

HISTORY OF 1953 CLASS

On September 7, 1949, the doors of C.H.S. were opened for the first time to the 90 freshmen. During the first year these new school members were given the usual rough time by the seniors. After the first month of school, Class Officers were chosen for each of the two classes. Class names were selected by both classes, the A class choosing 'Ramsters' and the B Class choosing 'Bombers'. Claude Chaney was chosen President, Harry Fehring, Vice President; Marc Hetterich, Secretary, and Walter Gross, Treasurer, of the A Class. For the B Class Richard Renners was President; Dave Noland, Vice President, Don O'Dell, Secretary, and George Weickert, Treasurer. School drives, like always, were the freshmen's specialities in which they always excelled.

Fall of 1950 found those freshmen of yesterday back as the Sophomore A and Sophomore B Classes, respectively. Class meetings started becoming more orderly and purposeful with the election of Class Officers. Edgar Heichelbech was President; Robert Kaup, Vice President; Jim Geyer, Secretary, and Jack Engler, Treasurer, for Sophomore A. Sophomore B also made some changes, electing John Kreke, President; Dave Noland, Vice President; George Weickert, Secretary, and Ronald Miller, Treasurer.

And '51' was still more fun as the class was now referred to as upperclassmen with some new officers in each homeroom. Marc Hetterich was made Junior A President, with Jack Engler, Jim Geyer, and Jim Becker serving under him respectively as Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Brother Charles Landin spurred them on to win many drives, Junior B's officers consisted of John Kreke, President; Ronald Miller, Vice President; George Weickert, Secretary, and Joe Schwartz, Treasurer. Brother John Keegan enthusiastically led Junior B through the year.

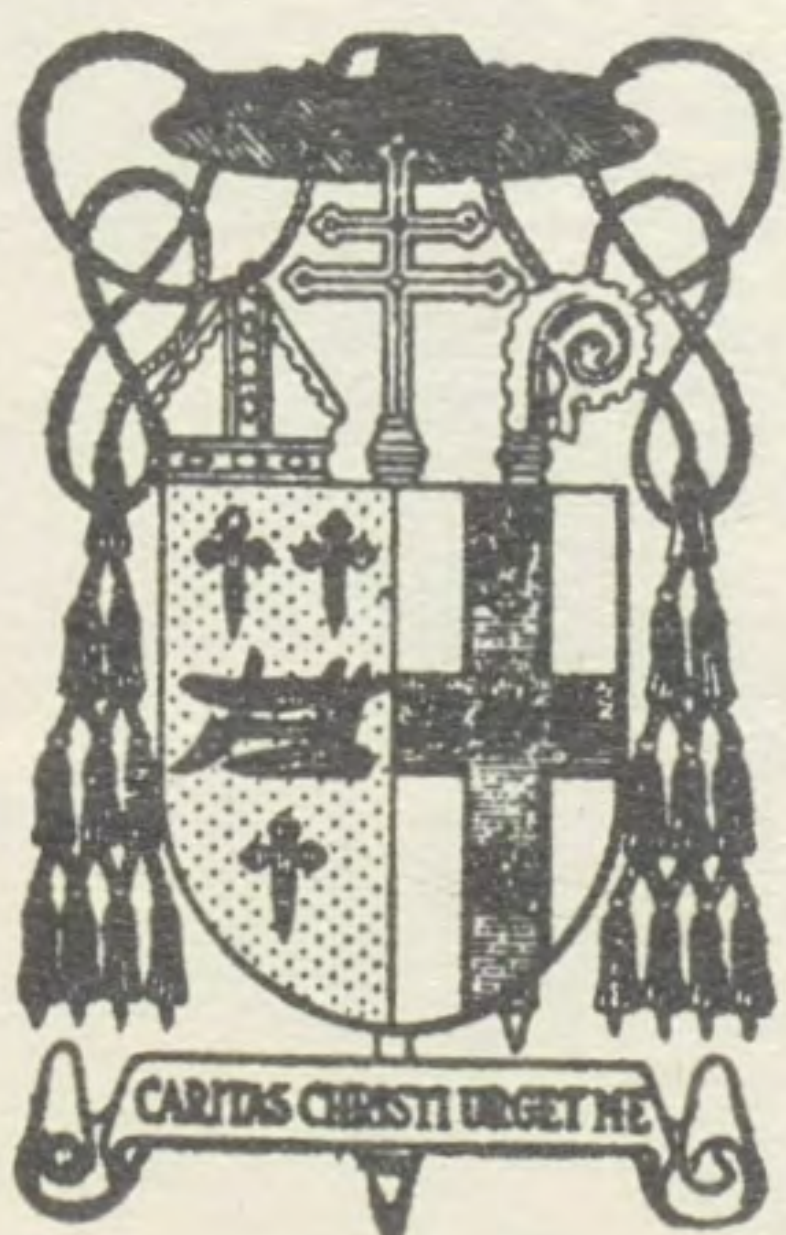
Finally reaching the height of their ambition, the fifty-nine remaining seniors were very glad to reside in Rooms One and Fourteen, respectively. Senior A chose Jack Engler as their very able President with Frank Fritsch, Vice President; Jim Geyer, Secretary; and Marc Hetterich, Treasurer, serving under him. Father J. Kenney, our new School Chaplain, was Senior A's inspiration, providing them with new and unique ideas. Senior B chose as their very capable President, John Kreke; and George Weickert, as Vice President; Don O'Dell, Secretary, and Dave Noland, Treasurer, served under him. Brother Frank Perko, Catholic High's able and well-liked Athletic Director, led Senior B through the trials and tribulations of the fourth and final year. As the tempo of studies increased social functions also livened up. Formal and semi-formal dances, appreciated more fully by the Seniors, were featured. Thus, with the rounding out of their education, the Senior Class of '53' passed through the doors of C.H.S. for the last time as students.



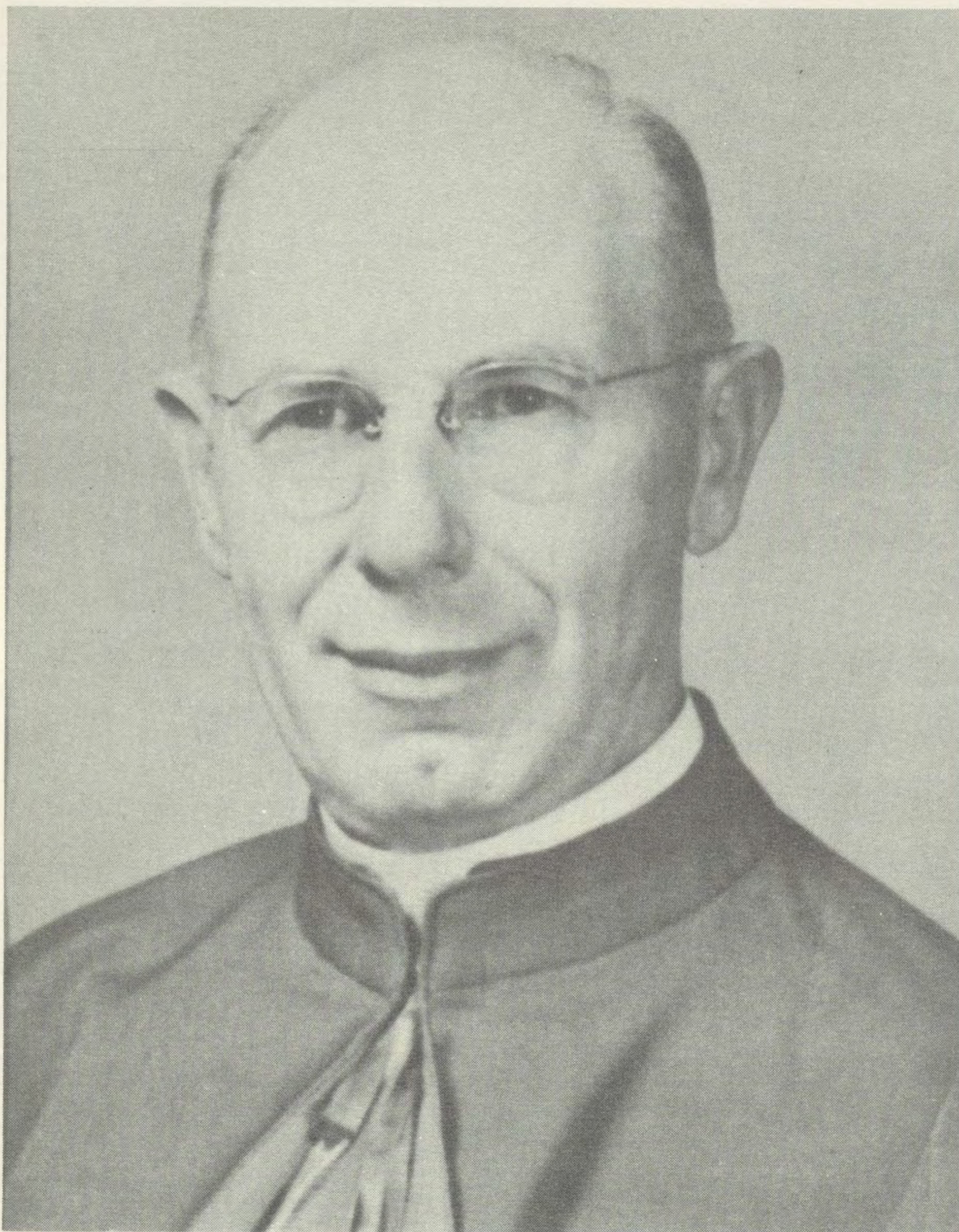
Our Archbishop



† THE MOST REVEREND KARL J. ALTER
Archbishop of Cincinnati



SUPERINTENDENT OF ARCHDIOCESAN SCHOOLS



MONSIGNOR RYAN

Dedication



DEDICATION



We, the seniors of the class of "1953" dedicate this THE 1953 RAM, to our beloved principal Brother John Strickroth, who through our four years has guided us with his educative abilities, has given us an excellent preparation with which we will be duly able to face our future life and its many problems.

SCHOOL BOARD



Father Riegert Pres. of School Board

Pastor of St. Joseph

School Board: Rt. Rev. Msgr. William C. Welch -- Pastor of St. Ann's Parish.

Rev. John B. Reichert -- Pastor of St. Joseph's Parish.

Rev. L. L. Denning -- Pastor of St. Mary's Parish.

Rev. Joseph Michalowski - Pastor of St. Peter's Parish.

Rev. Conradin Burtschy -- Pastor of St. Stephen's Parish.

Rev. James Haley -- Pastor of St. Veronica's Parish.

Bro. John Strickroth S. M. Principal of C. H. S.

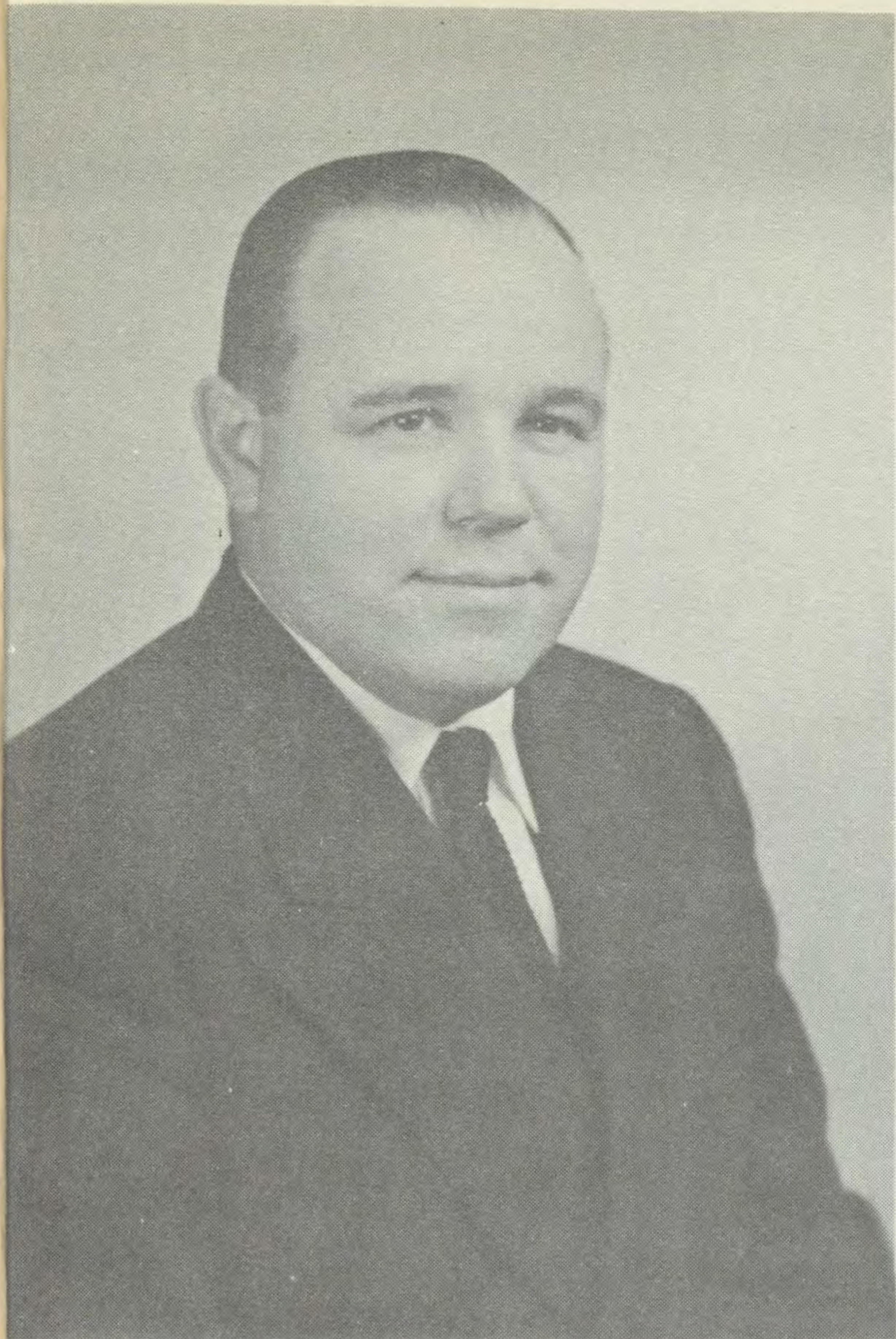
Sister Theresa S. N. D. -- Principal of Notre Dame.

Faculty



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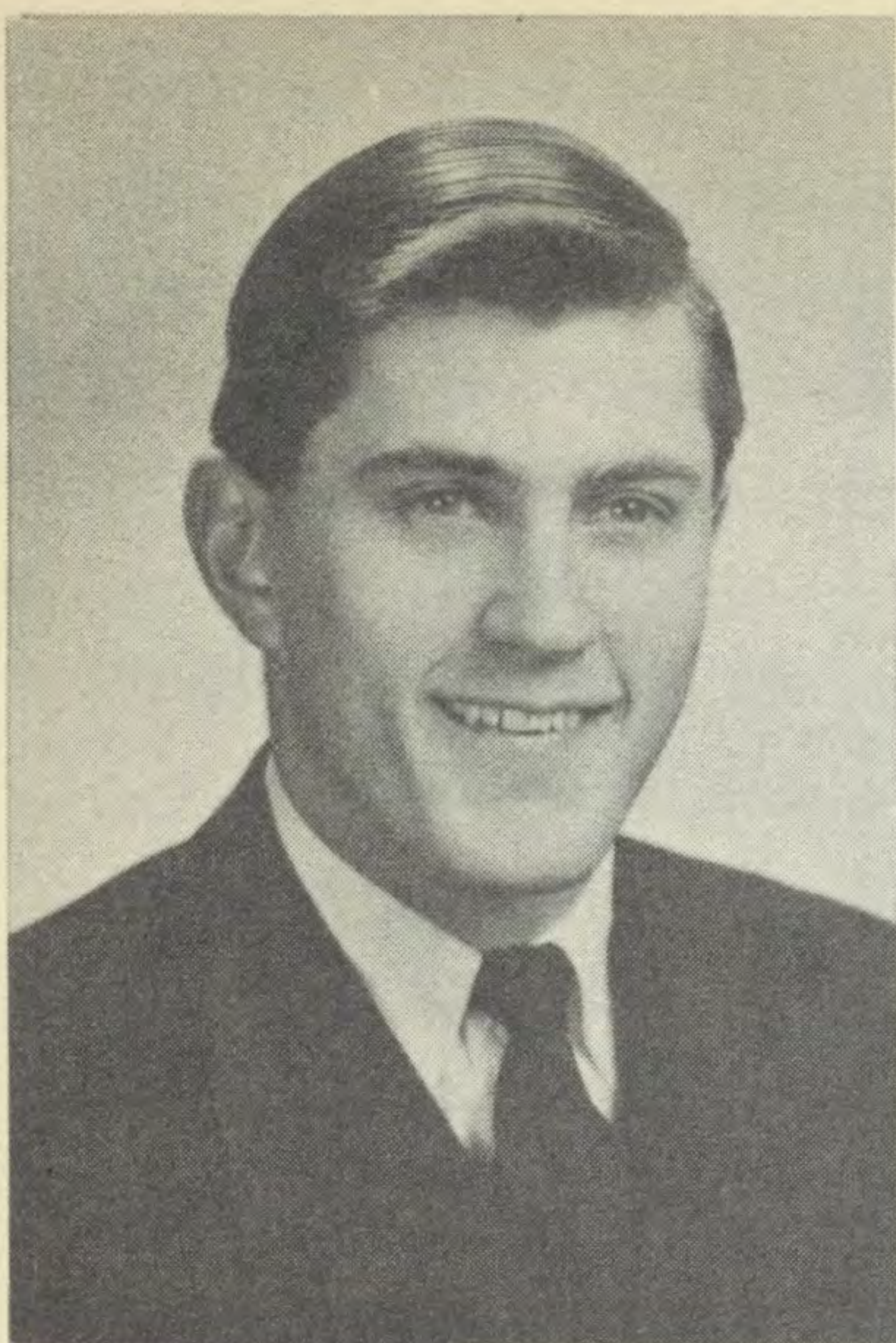
BROTHER JOHN STRICKROTH, S.M.

Our beloved principal has won a lasting place in our affections. We were fascinated by his sincerity and kindness as we met him in the corridors. We admire him for his simplicity, good-naturedness and understanding in both spiritual and temporal matters, and we sincerely appreciate the personal guidance and assistance he gives each one of us.

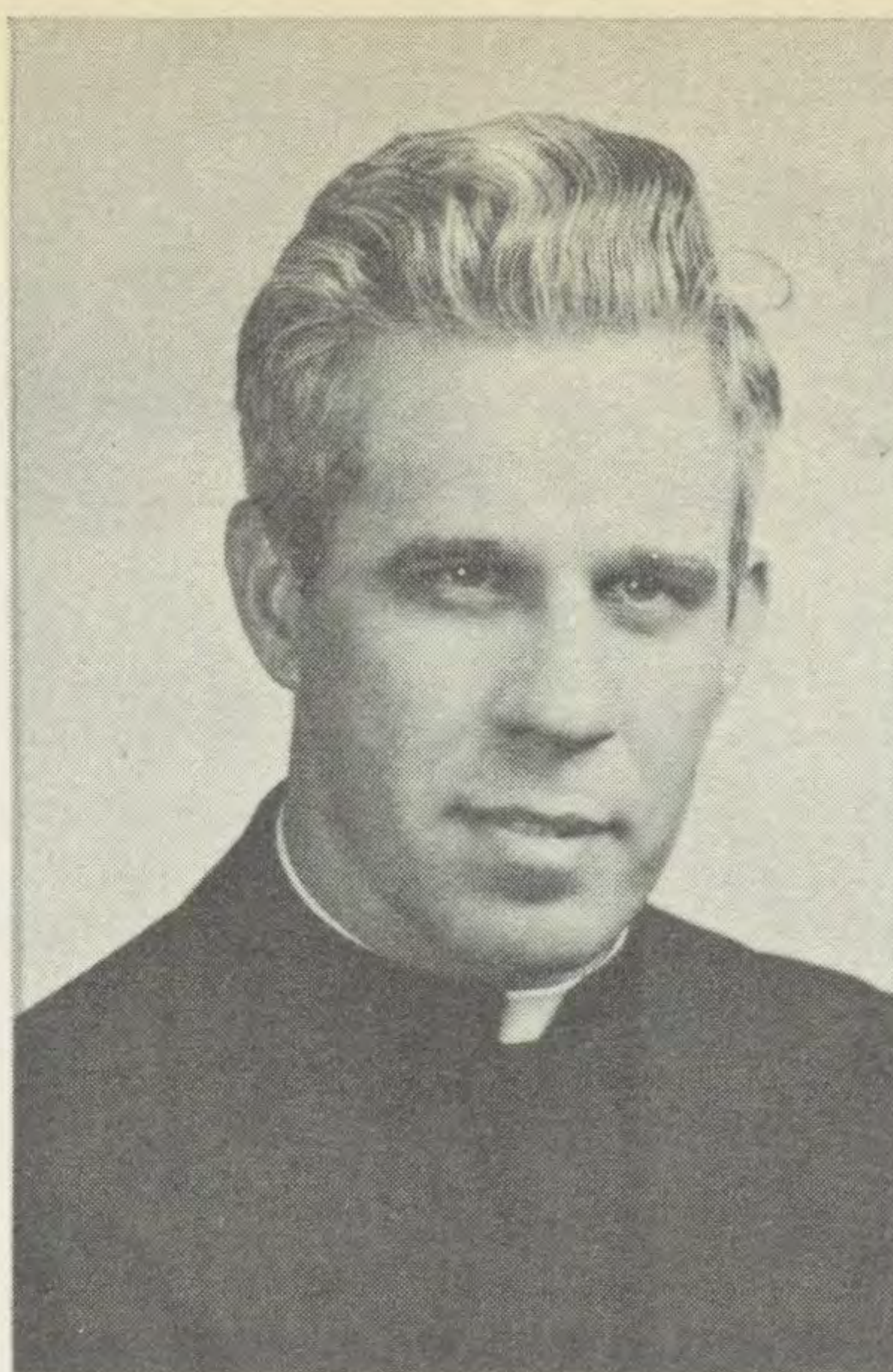
BROTHER FRANCIS PERKO, S.M.

Through his positions as a assistant principal and athletic director he has become well known and liked by all of us. During his fourteen years at Hamilton Catholic High School he has applied his many qualifications and interests to the betterment of the school both scholastically and athleticly, and to assisting the students both materially and spiritually.

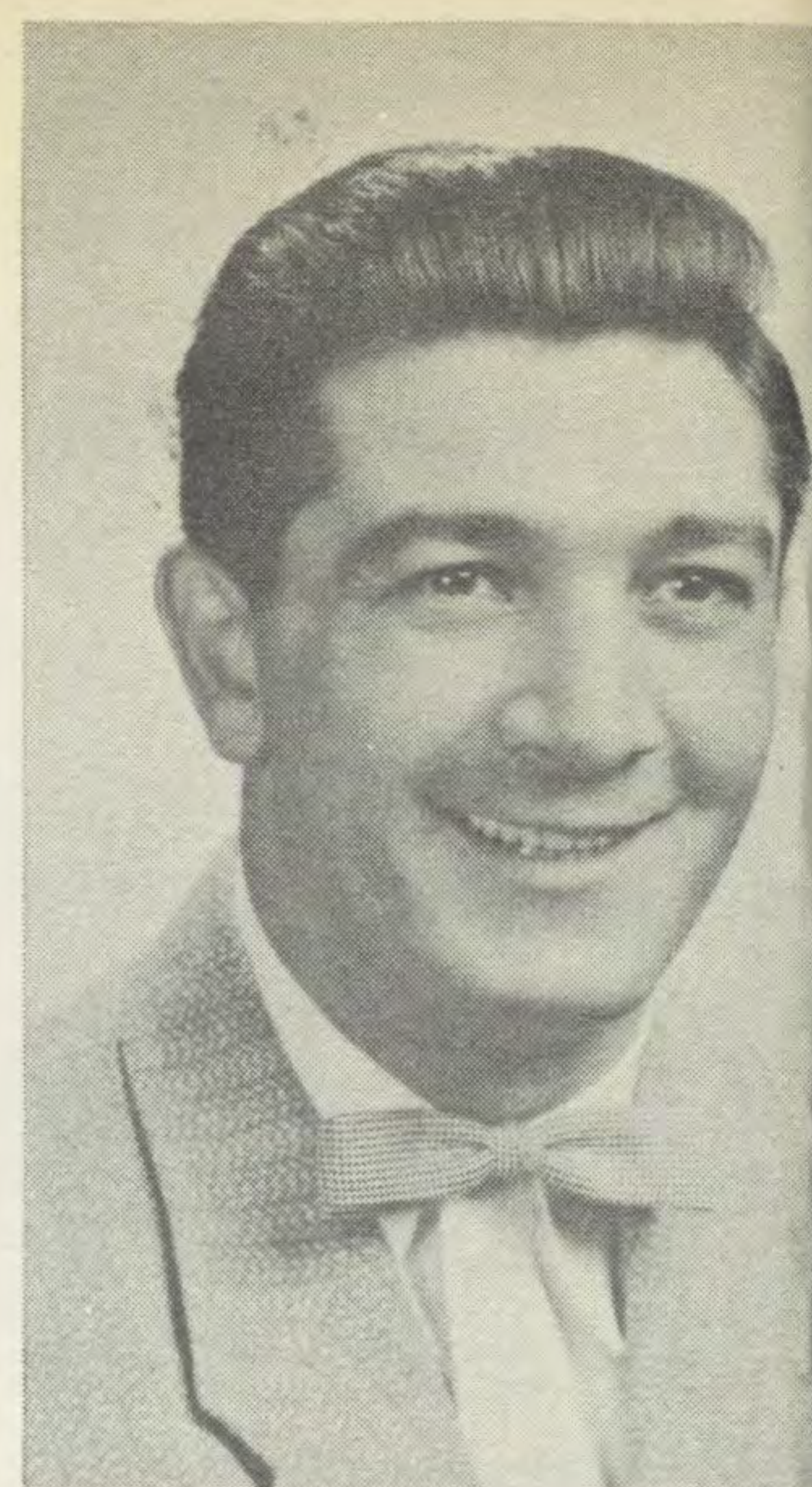




Brother Fredrick Bahr S.M.
Religion I, II
English I, II
Algebra I



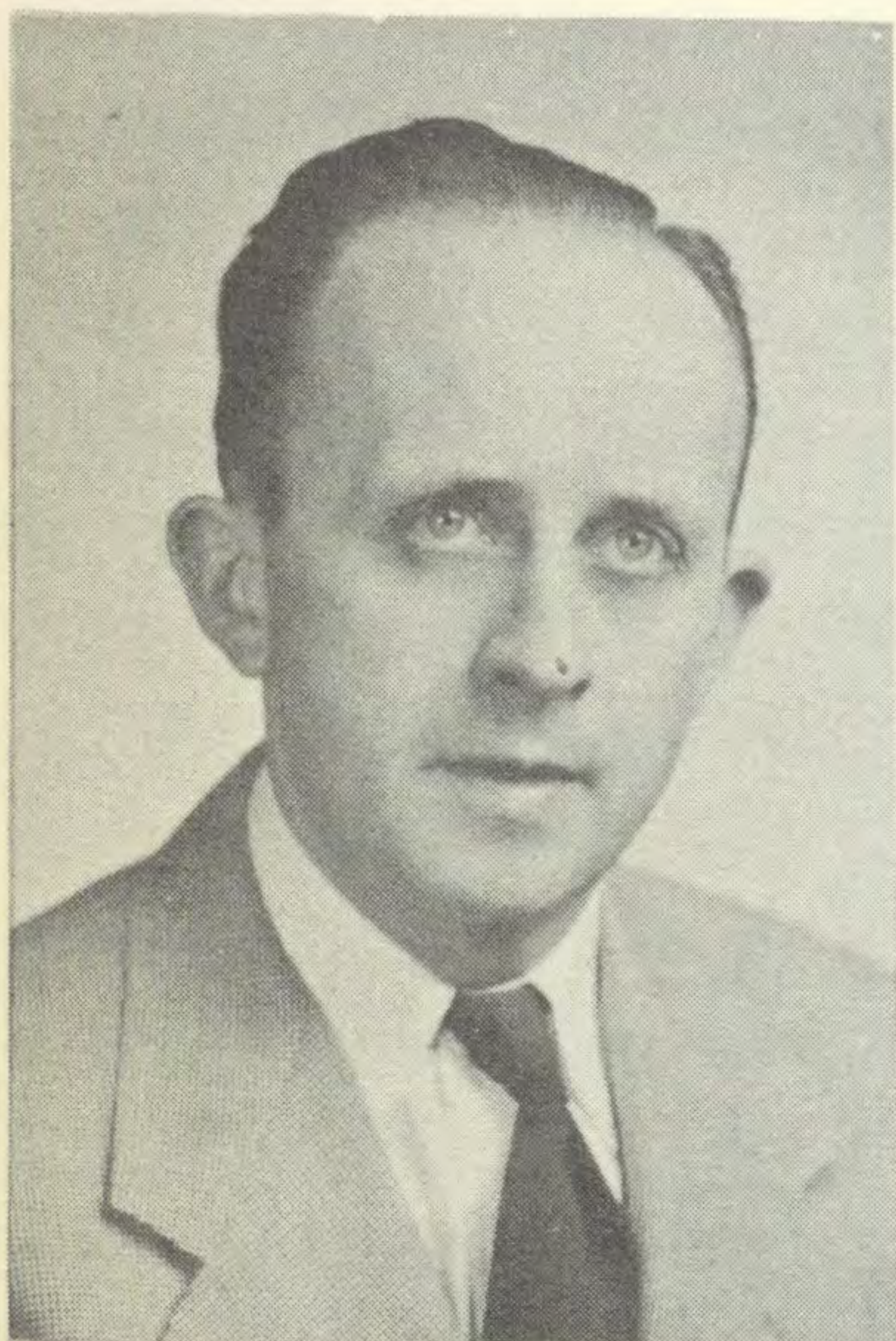
Father Robert Bastian
Religion I, II, III



Coach John Castignola
World History
Physical Education
Head Basketball Coach
Assistant Football Coach



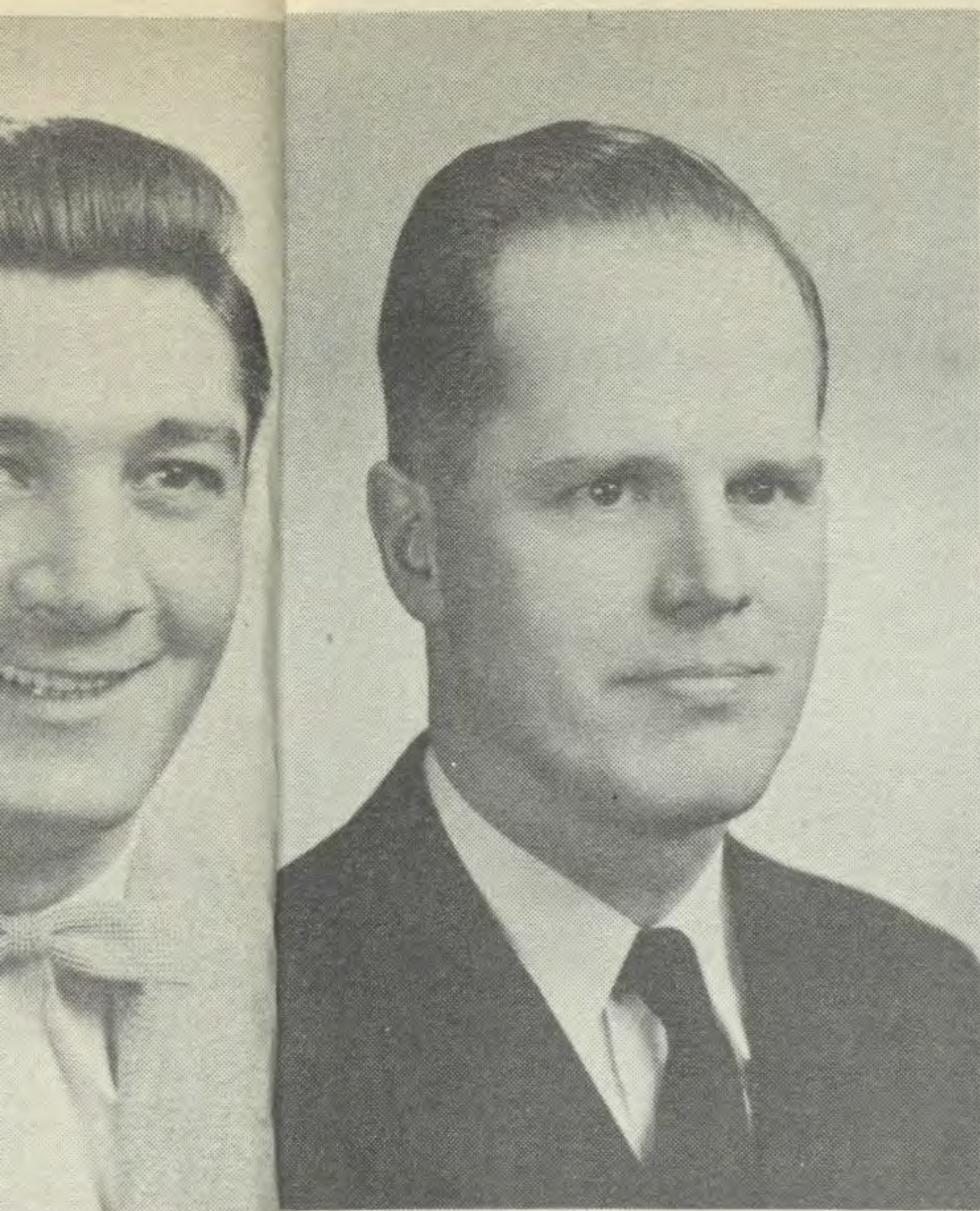
Brother Raymond C.
English III, IV
Spanish I, II



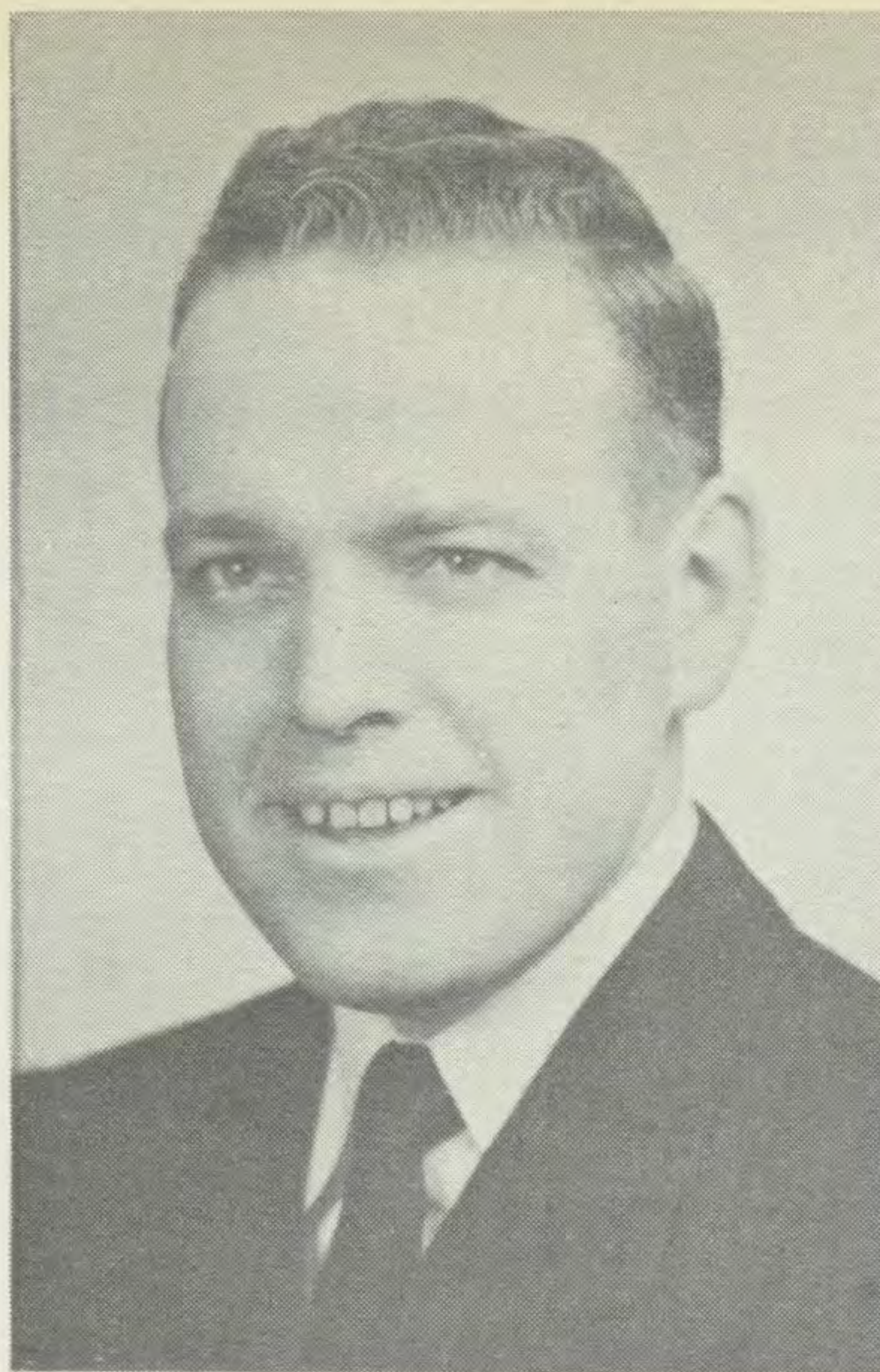
Coach Robert Adams
General Mathematics
General Science
General Business
Health
Head Football Coach
Assistant Basketball Coach



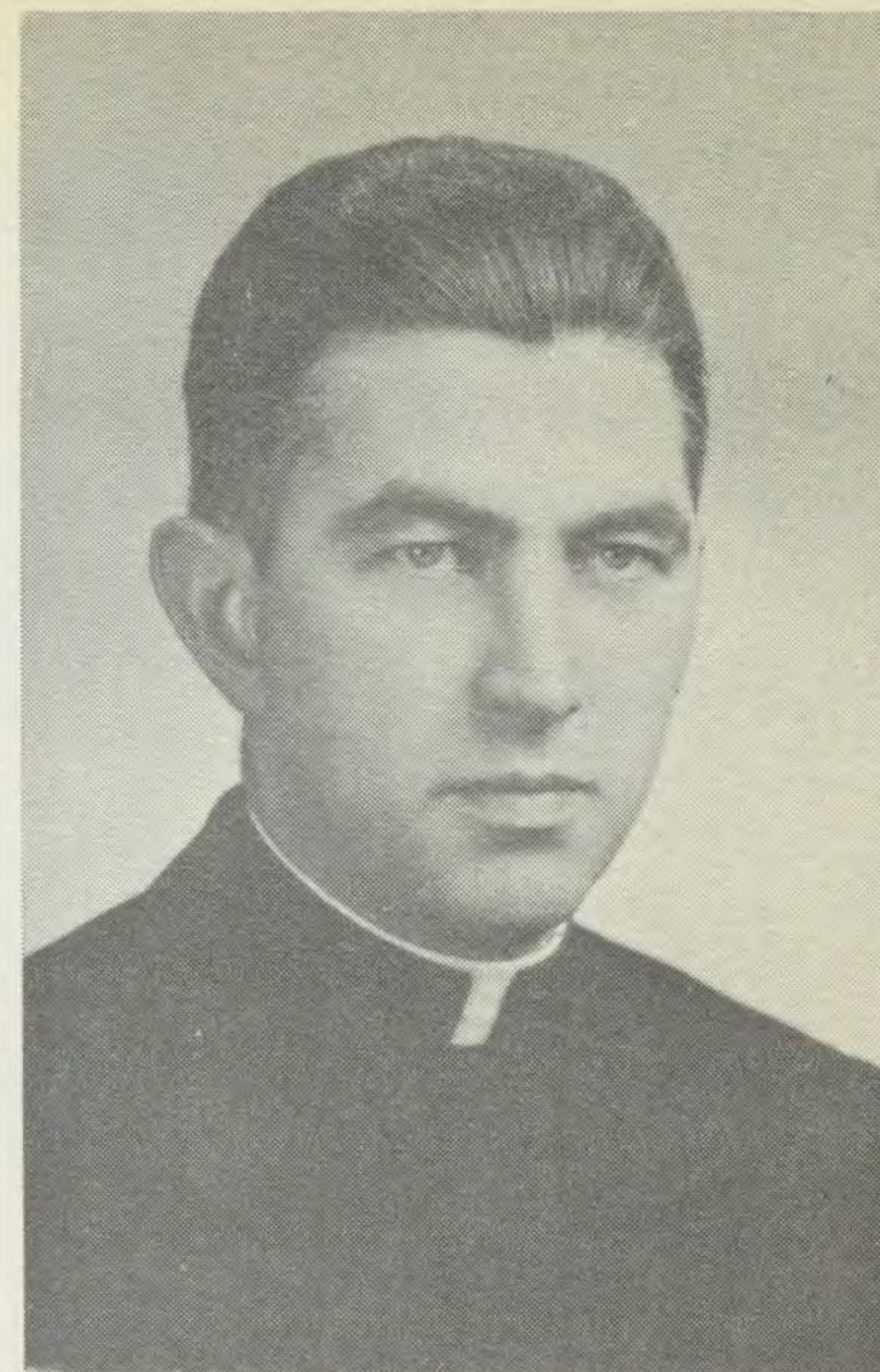
LEFT TO RIGHT: Bro. Andrew Hawke, Bro. Ralph Mravintz, Father F.
Kenney, Bro. John Strickroth, Father Sylvester Juergens, Bro.
Perko, Bro. Raymond Glemet, and Bro. John Neuherz.



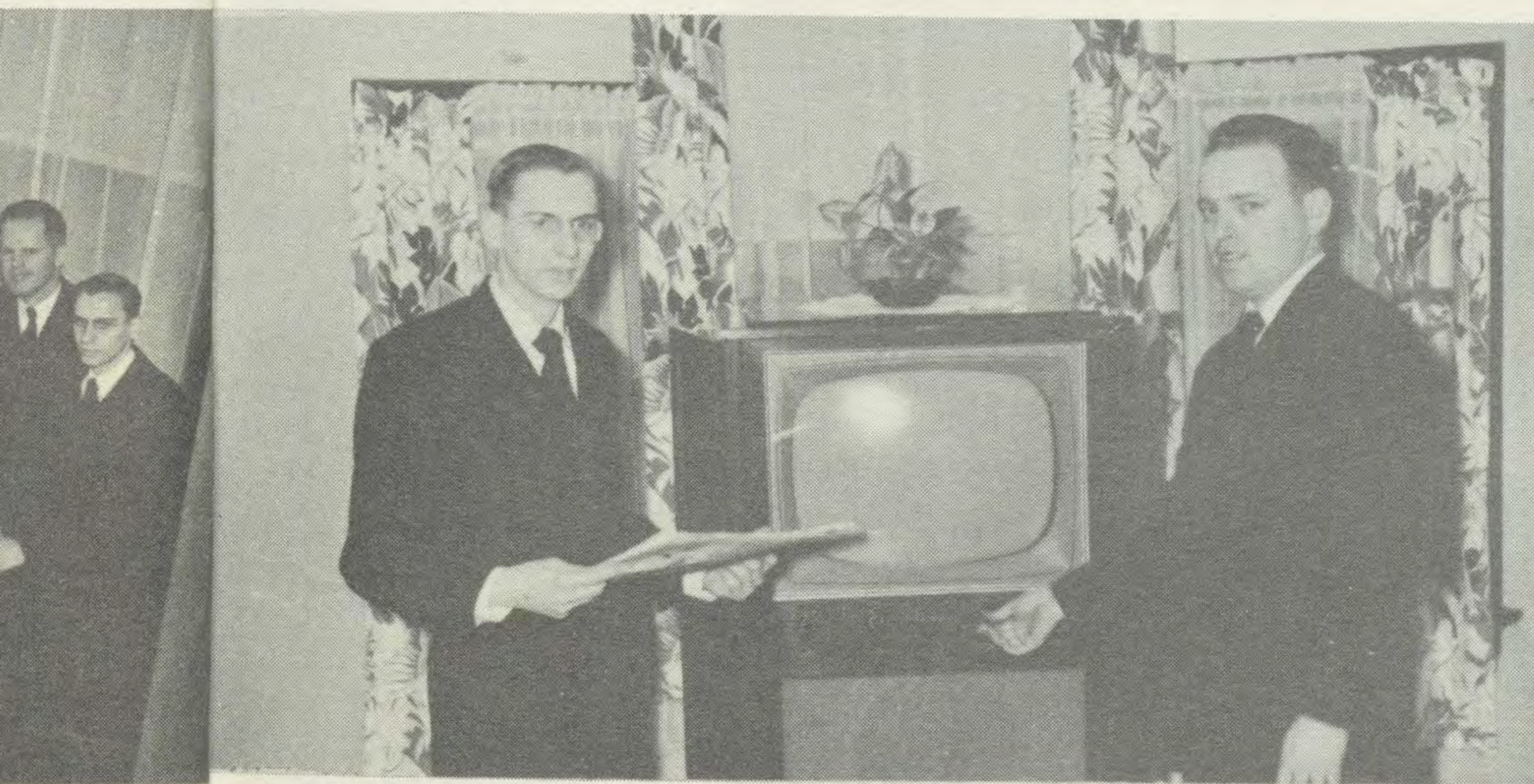
Castignola Brother Raymond Glement S.M.
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Brother Andrew Hawke S.M.
Latin II
Religion II
English II
Reading Improvement
Twirllers



Father Francis Kenney, S.M.
American History
Religion IV
English IV
Senior Sodality Moderator
Annual

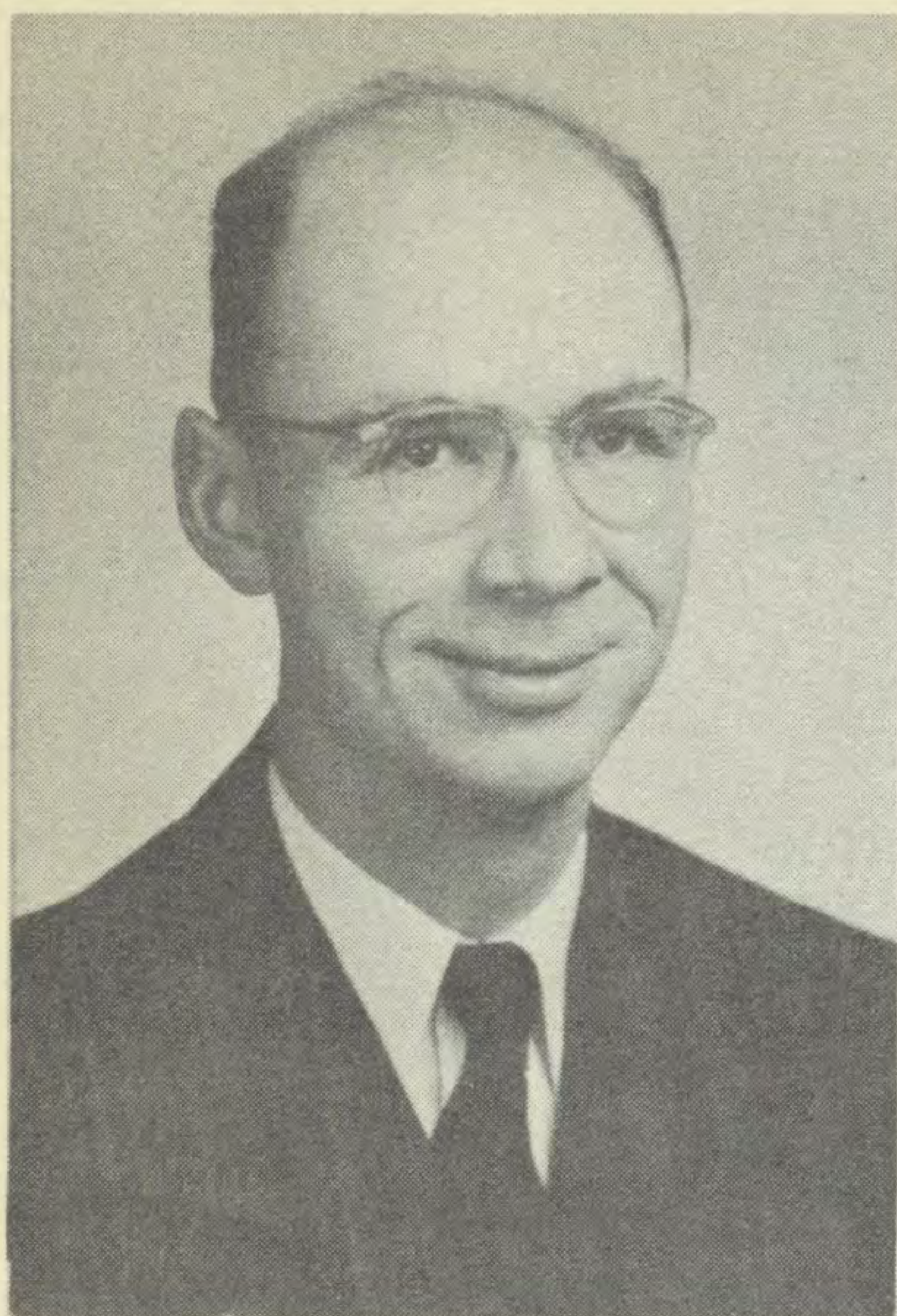


"What's your choice, Brother's?"

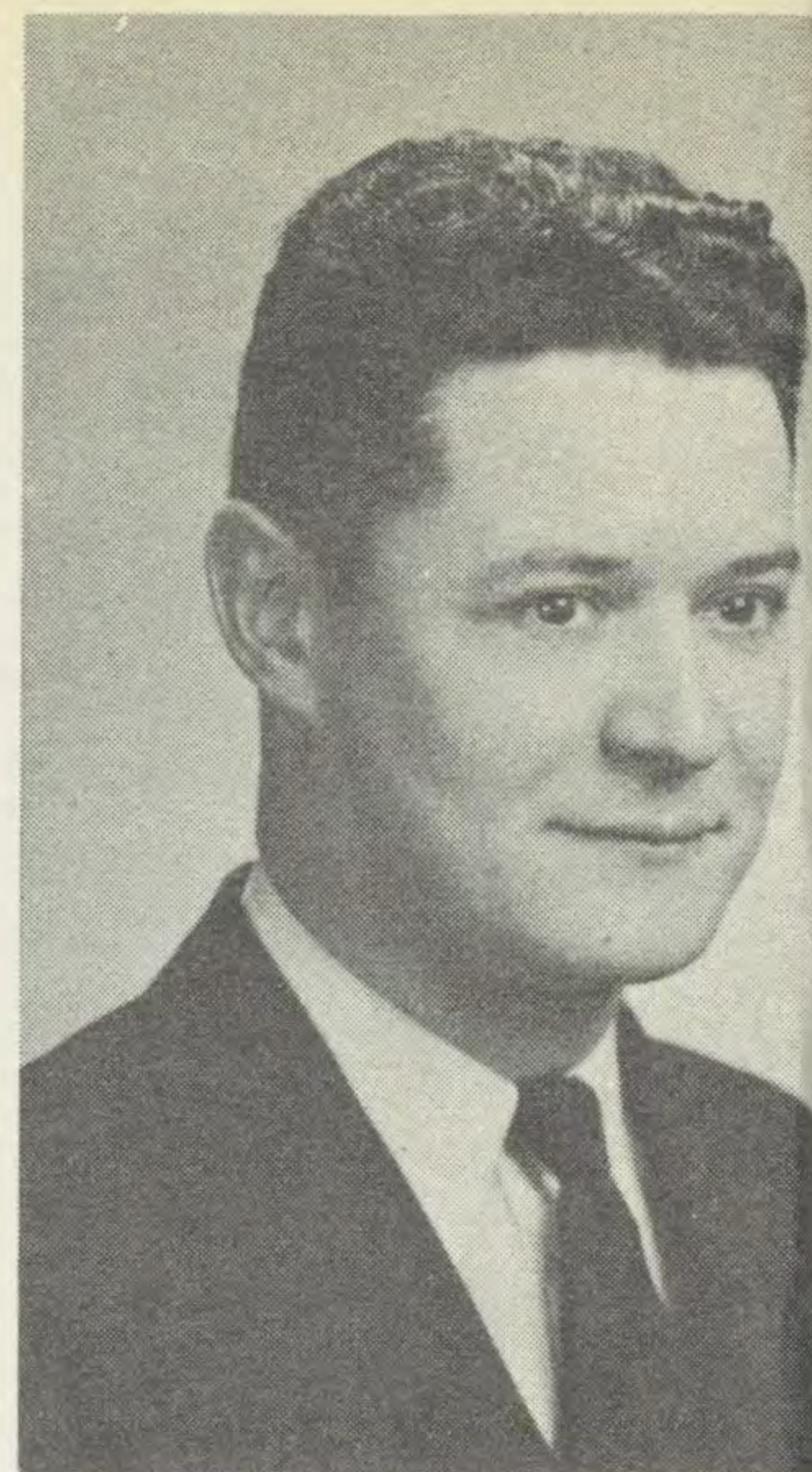


Father Victor Koegel
Religion III, IV
Latin III, IV
English I

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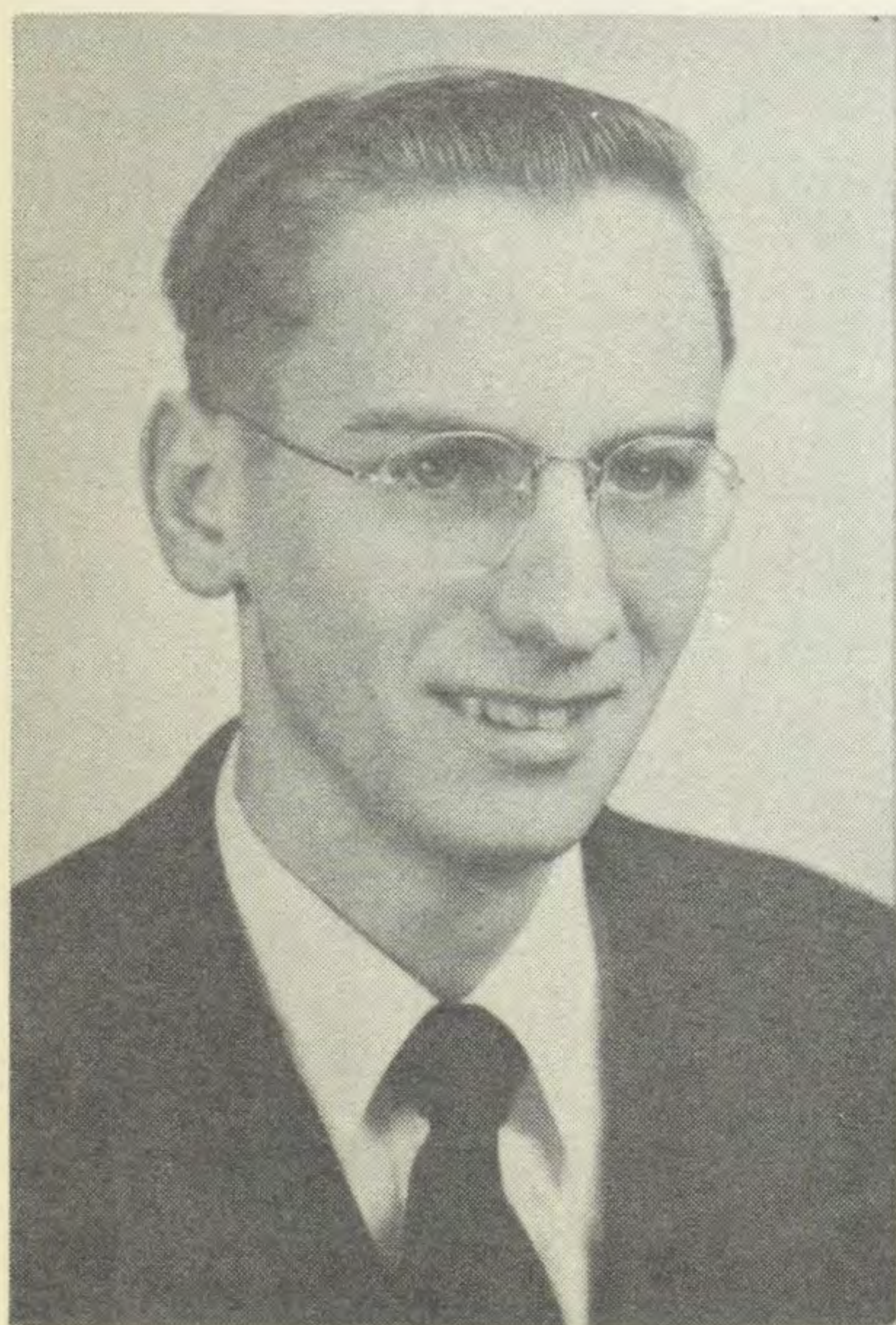
Brother Charles Landin S.M.
 Plane Geometry
 Solid Geometry
 Practical Chemistry
 Mechanical Drawing
 Trigonometry
 Freshmen basketball coach
 Junior Sodality Moderator
 Photography (Annual)



Brother Ralph Mravintz S.M.
 Chemistry
 Algebra II
 Practical Geometry
 Sophomore Sodality Moderator
 Annual Moderator
 Cheerleaders



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Brother John Neuherz S.M.
 Latin I
 Orientation
 Religion I
 English I
 Freshman Sodality Moderator

Mary Jane Seifert
 Secretary to the principal



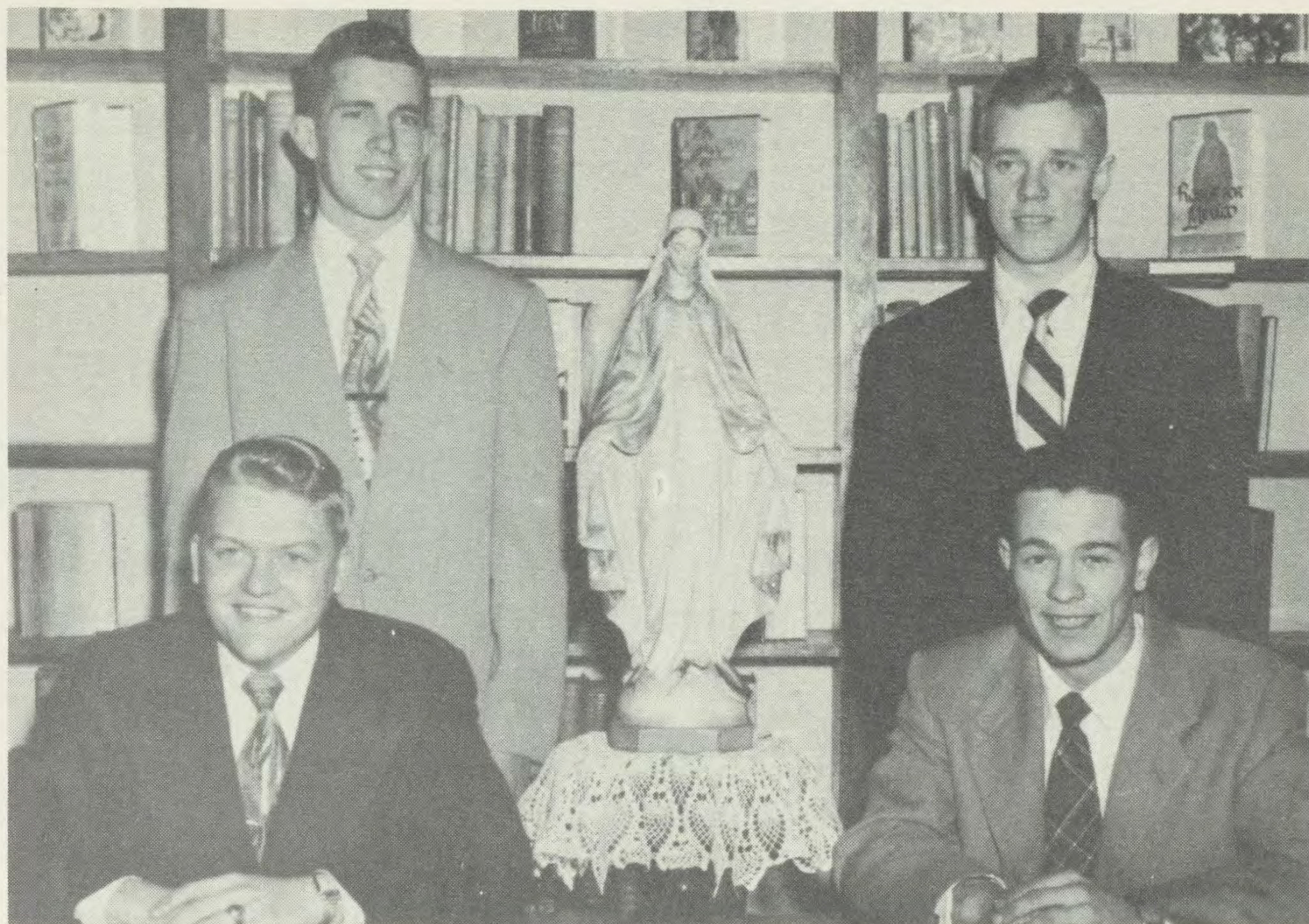


Seniors



OF SONS BOLDLY STRIVING; ATTAINING THE HEIGHTS

Senior A Class Officers



J. Geyer, Secretary; J. Engler, President;
F. Fritsch, Vice President; M. Hetterich, Treasurer

Senior B Class Officers



D. O'Dell, Secretary; J. Kreke, President;
G. Weickert, Vice President; D. Noland, Treasurer

School Emblem



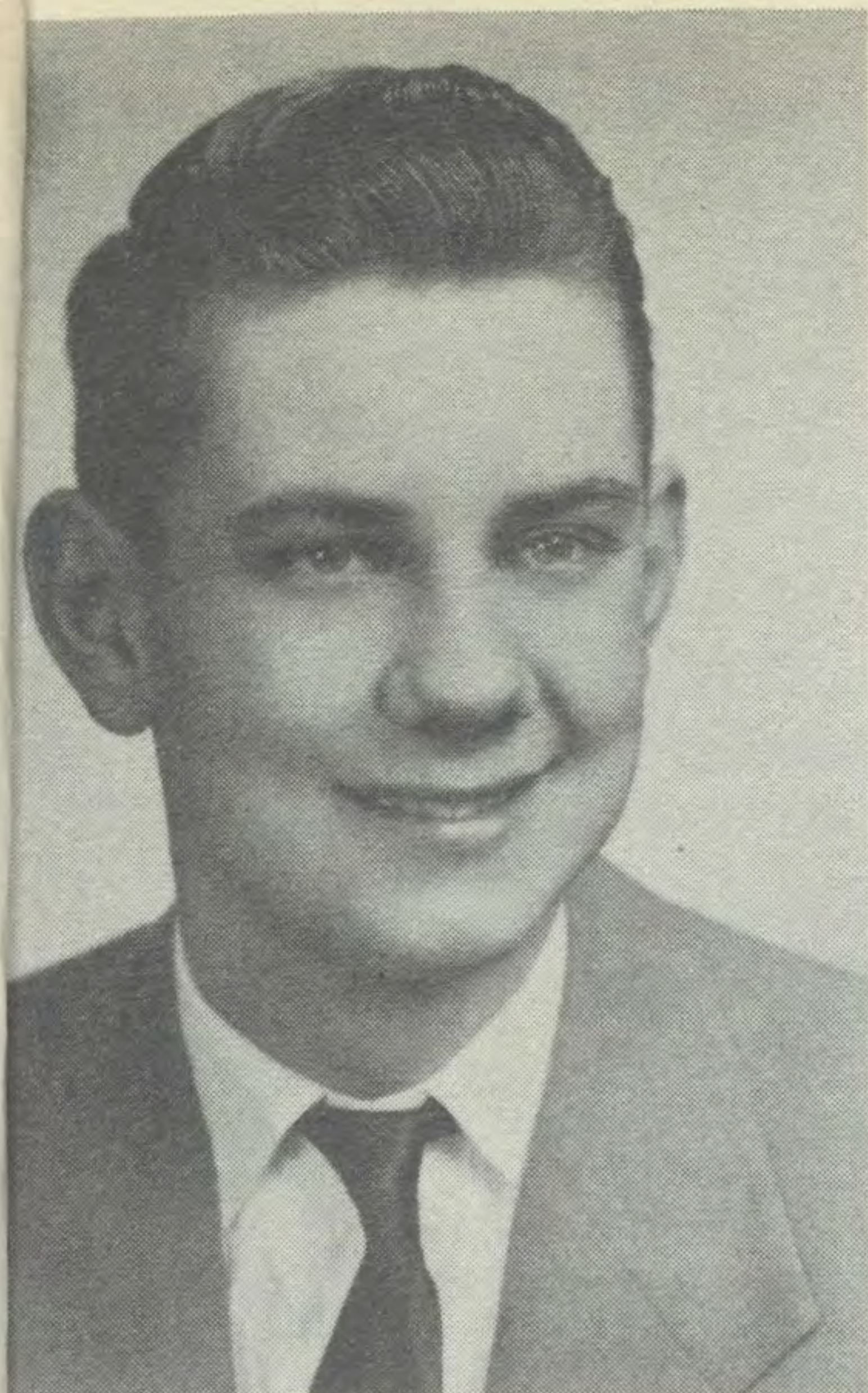
In Memoriam



JACK AUSTING

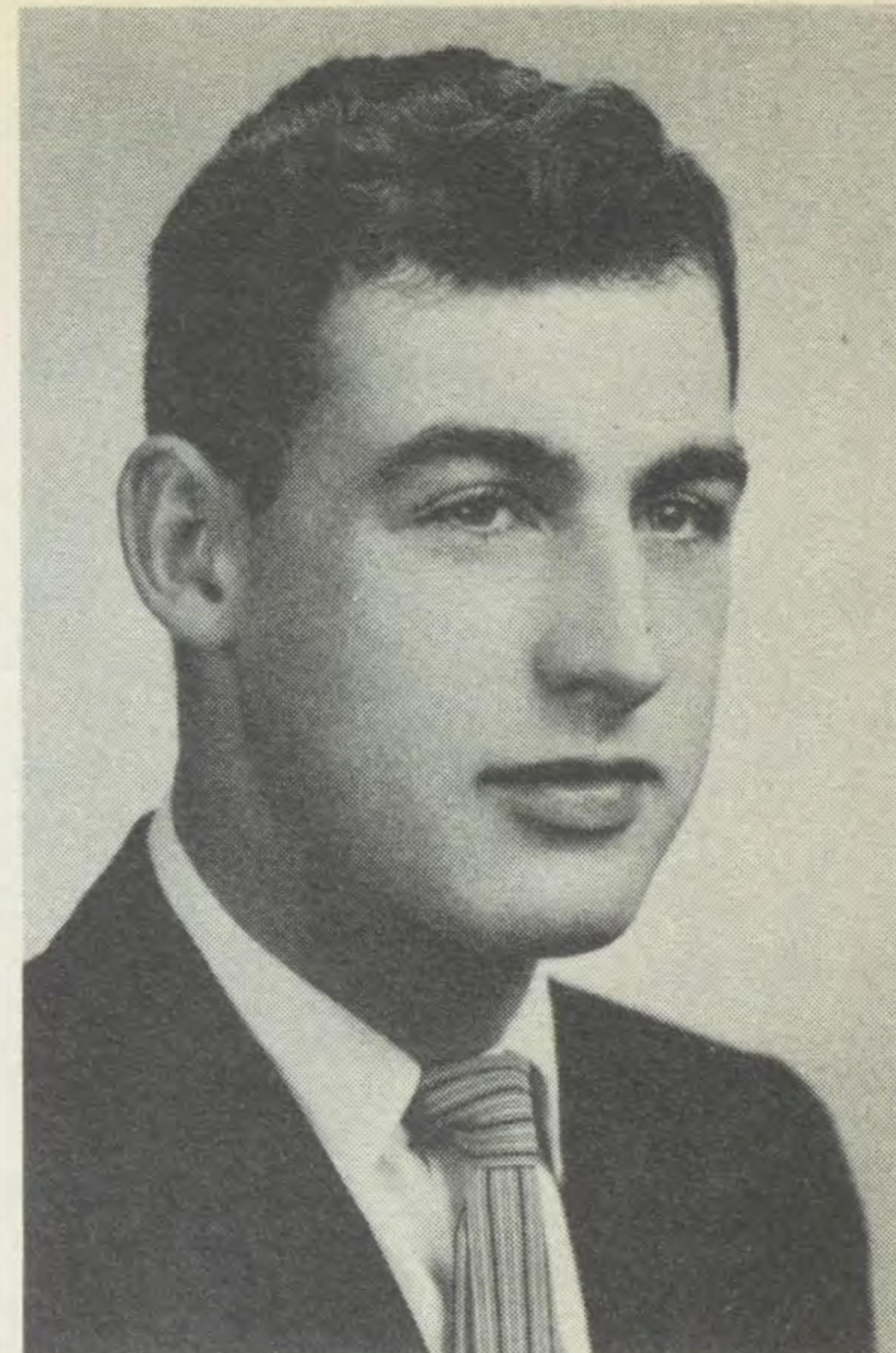
We, the graduating class of 1953, regret the loss of one of our fellow classmates, Jack Austing, who died in an automobile accident on Sunday, October 19, 1952. He was popular with the faculty, as well as his classmates and other students who knew him personally.





ALLEN, ROBERT
"Booby"

Band 1



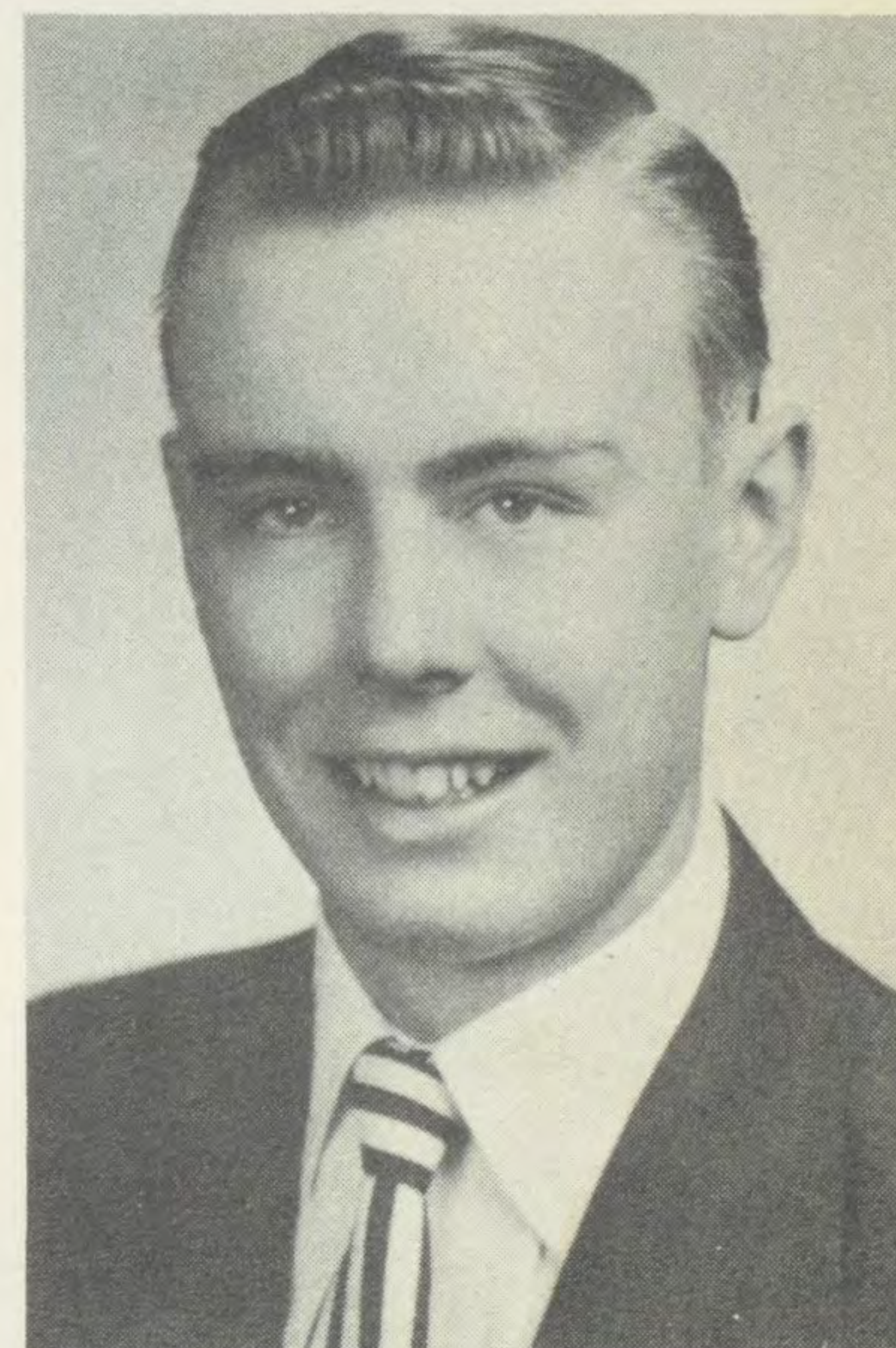
ANDRES, LOUIS
"Lou"

Football 4
Band 2
Sodality 1
Vice-President 1
Intermurals 1, 2, 3, 4



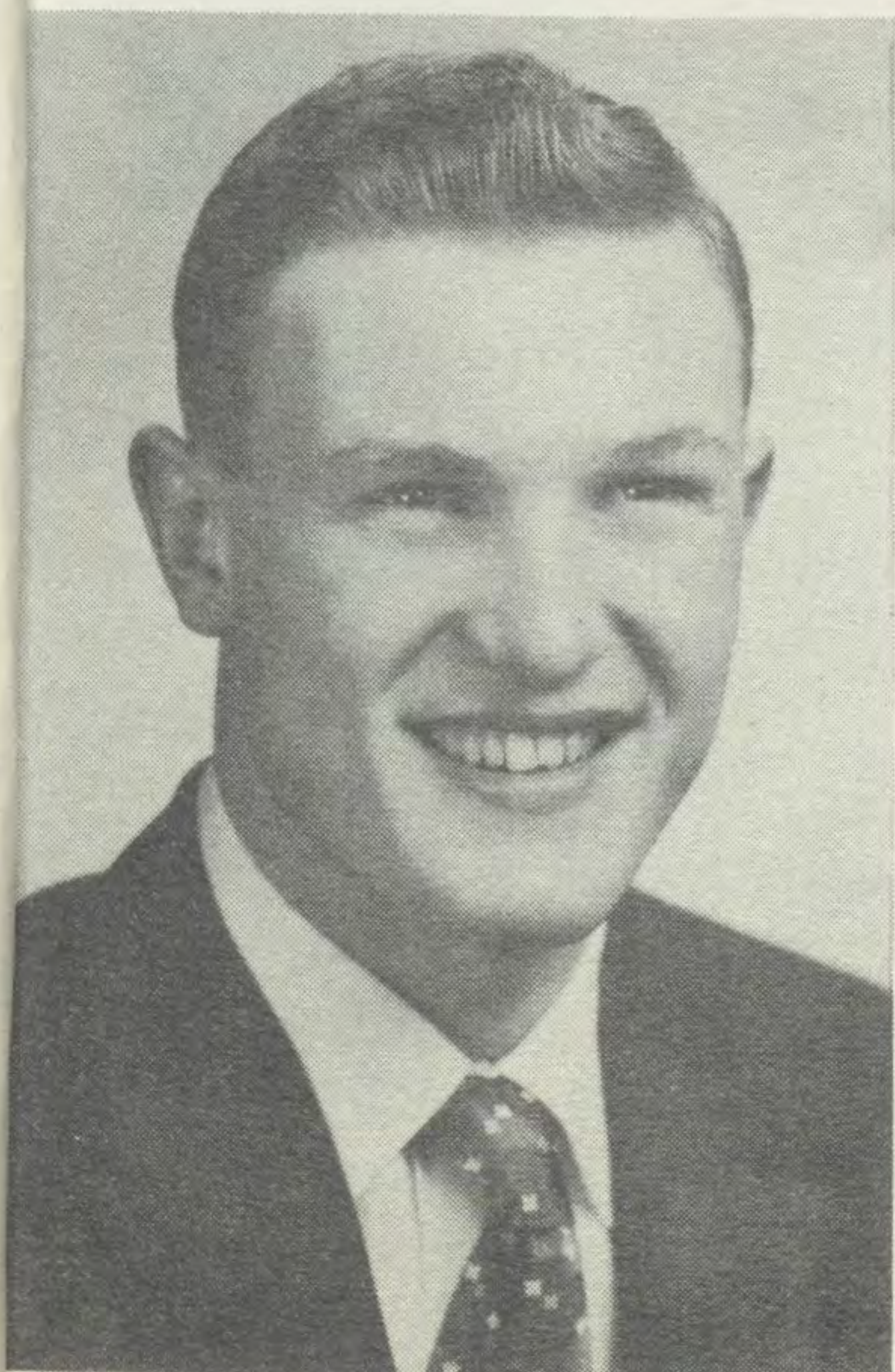
ARZMAN, DONALD
"Butch"

Football 3
Golf 3



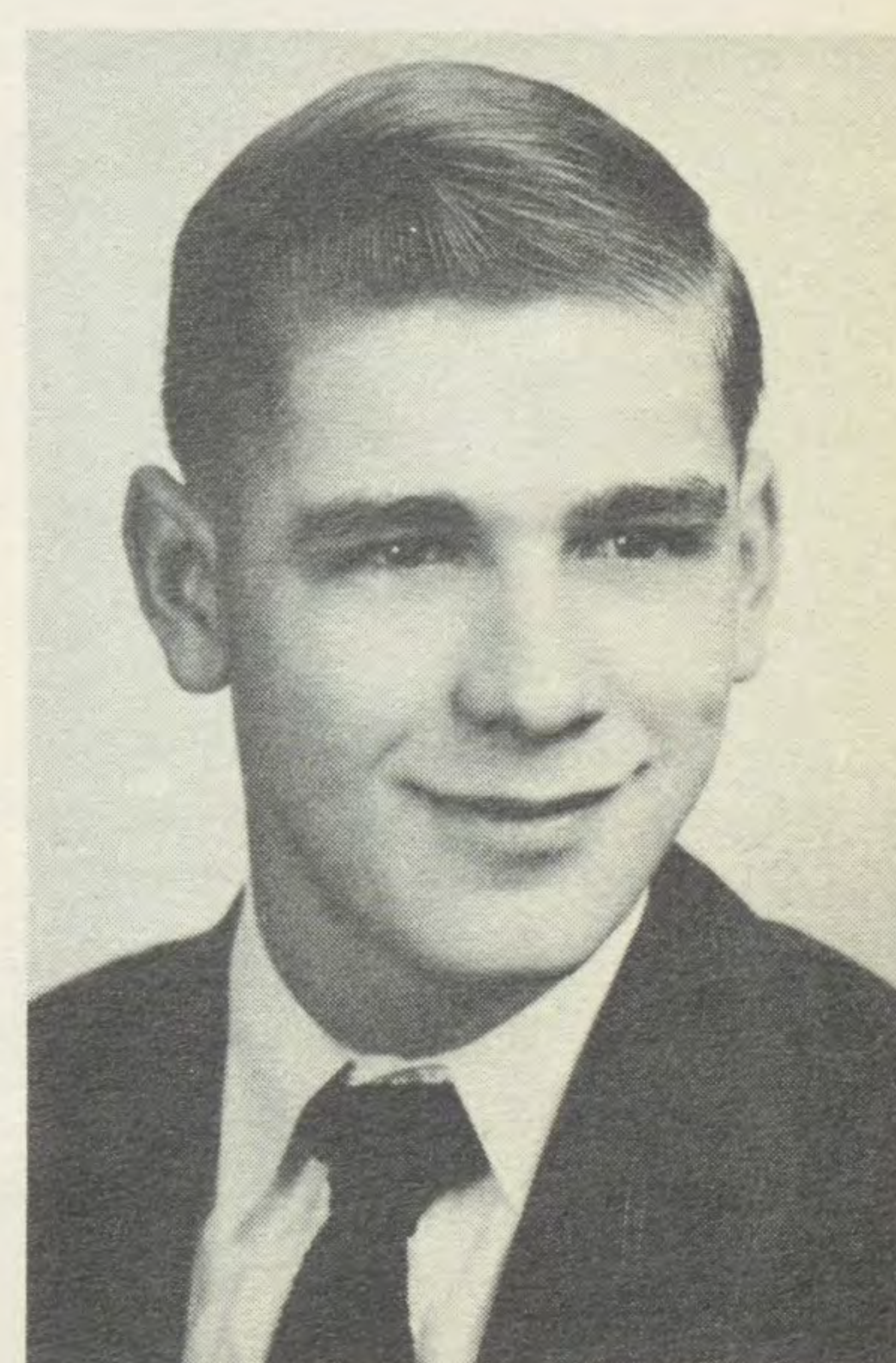
BAKER, ROBERT
"Bob"

Basketball 1, 2, 3
Intermurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4



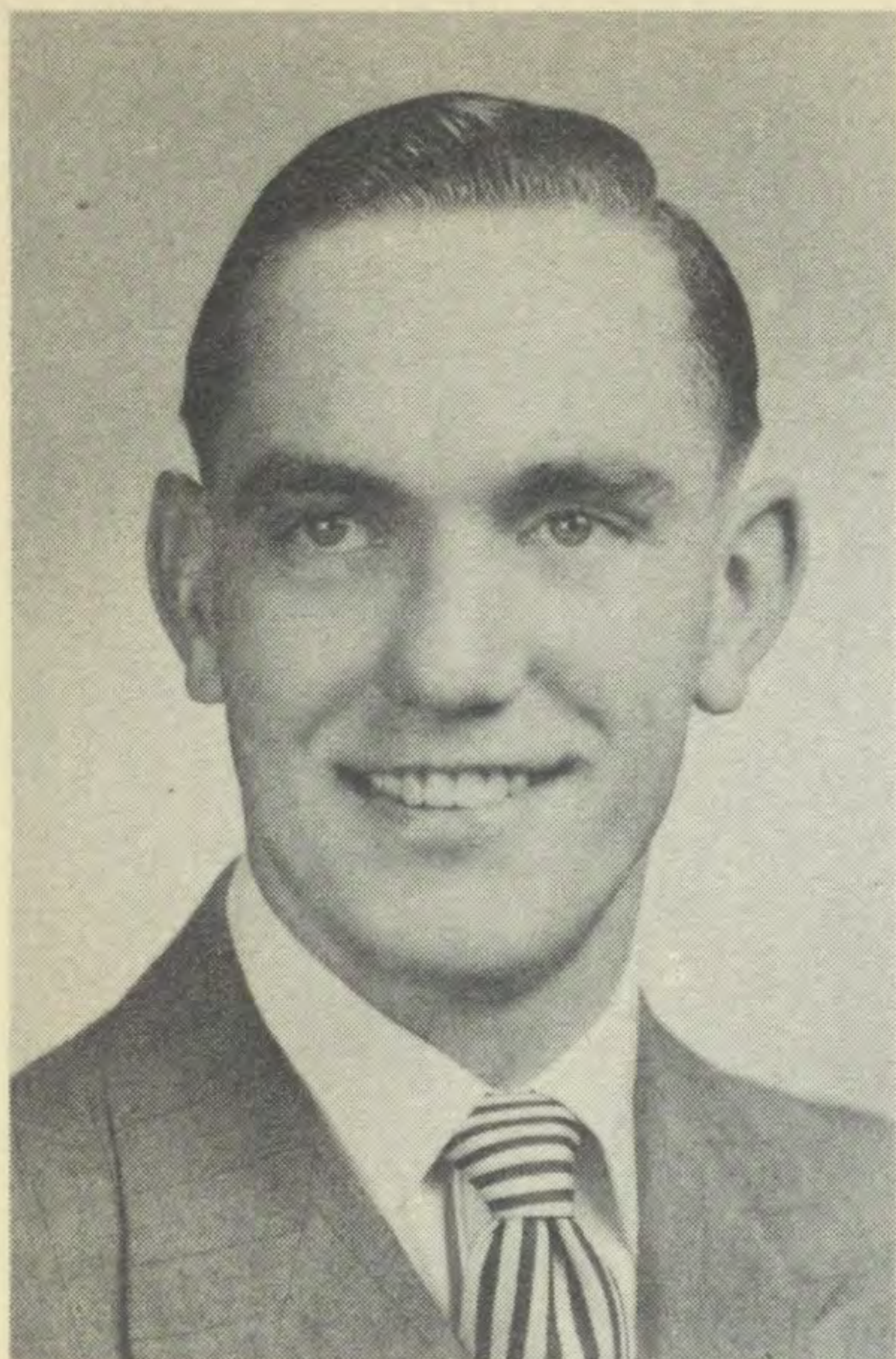
BAUMAN, RICHARD
"Dick"

Football 1
Cheerleader 2
Intermurals 3
Manager 1
Minstrel 2



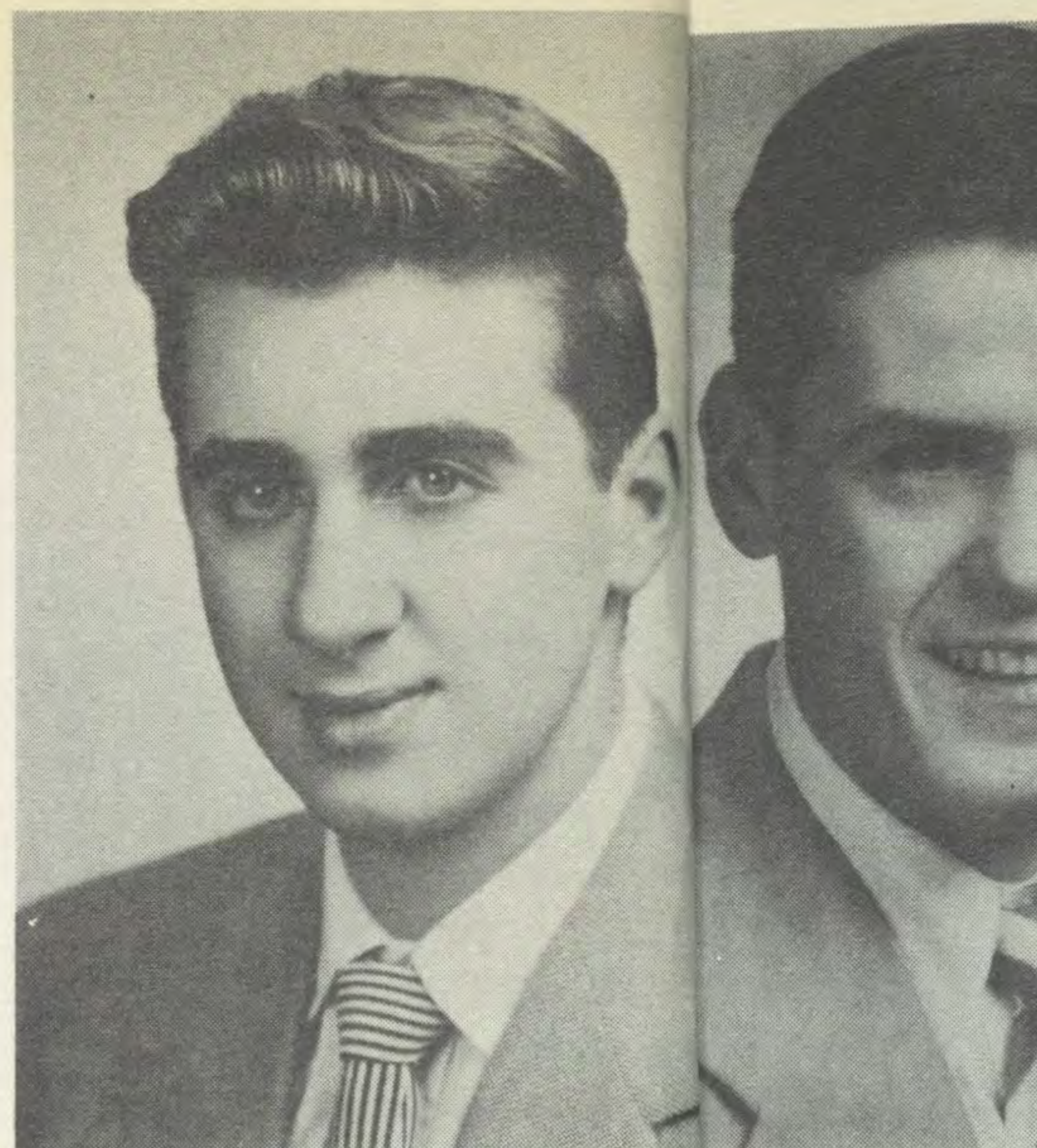
BECKER, JAMES
"Jim"

Prom Committee 4
Band 1
Cheerleader 2, 3, 4
Sodality 4
Treasurer 3
Bookstore 3, 4
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4

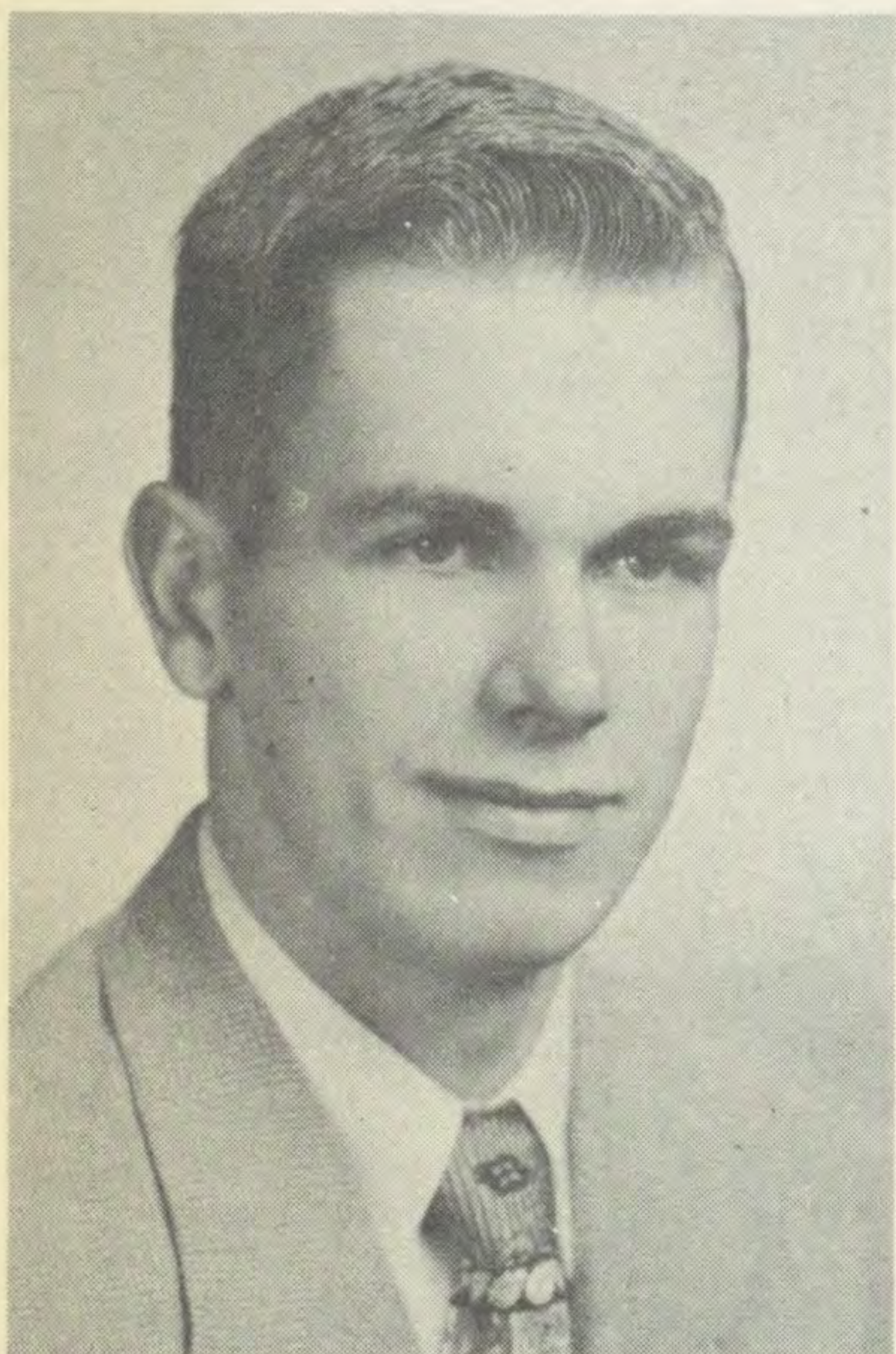


BITEL, RALPH
"Bit"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4

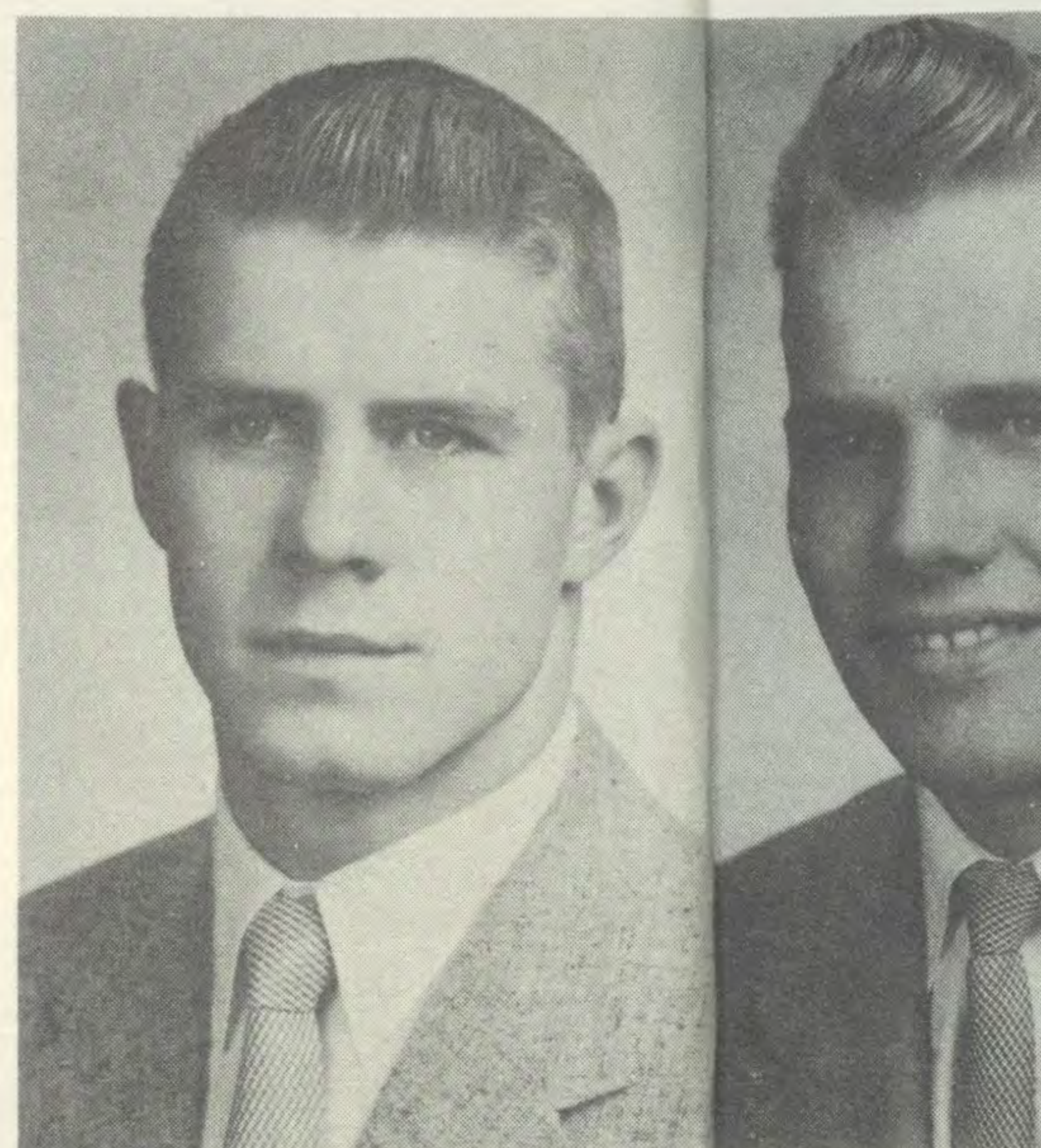


BOKENE, ROBERT
"Boke"



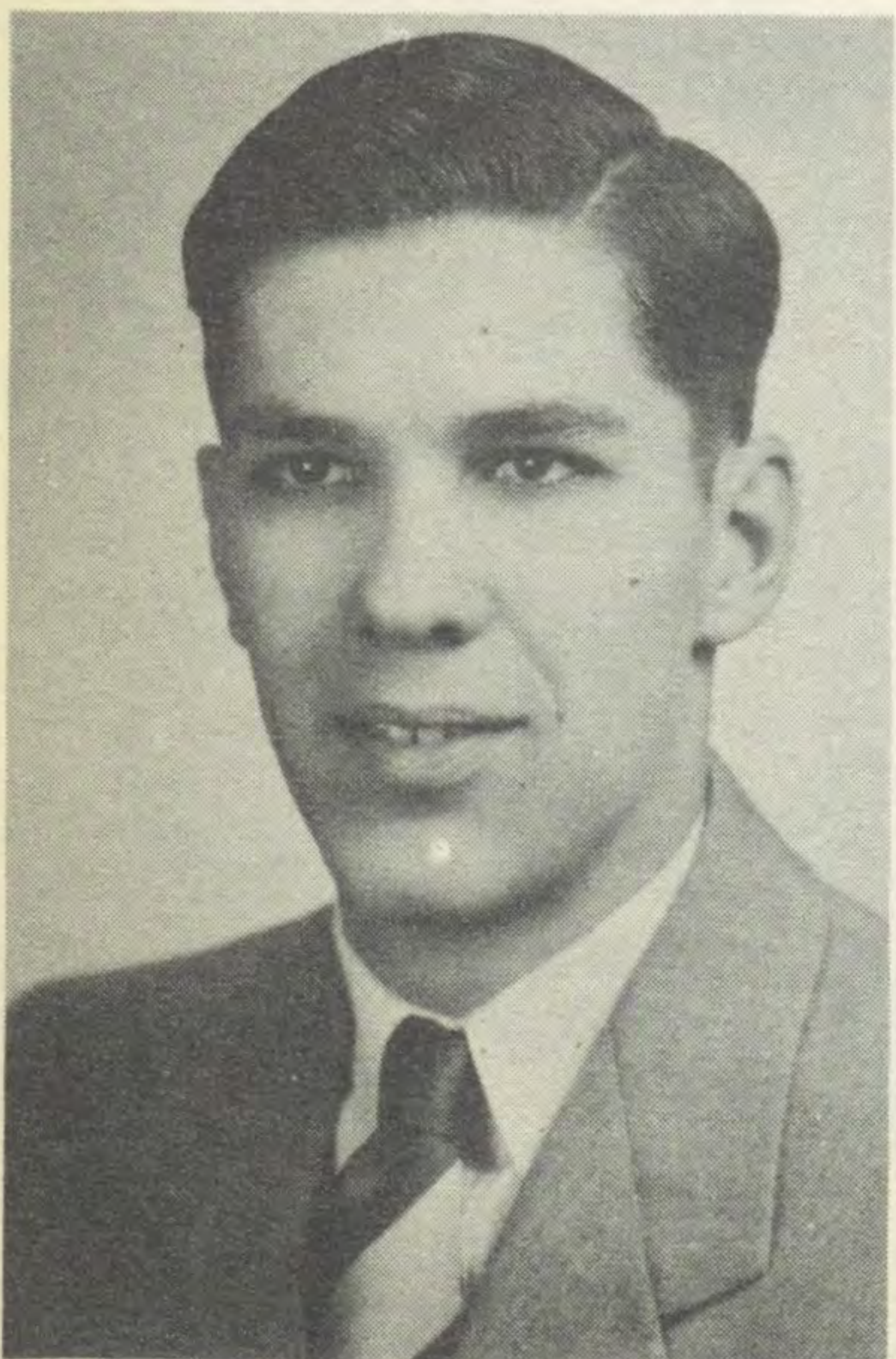
BRUEWER, PHILIP
"Turf"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Sodality 1, 2
Variety Show 3, 4
Minstrel 2
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4



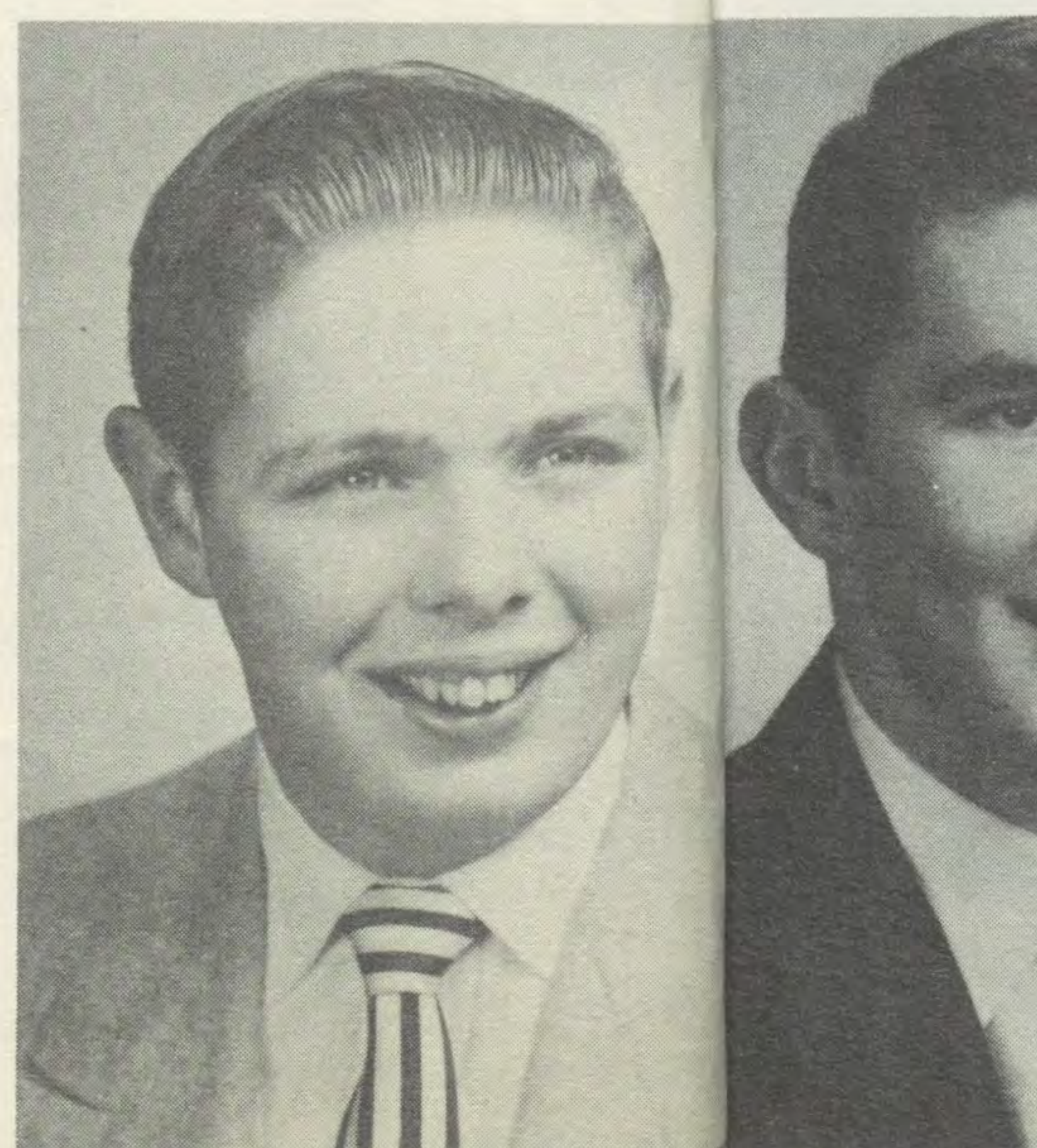
CHANEY, CLAUDE
"Crash"

Prom Committee 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2
Sodality 1
President 1
Intermurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4
Student Council 4



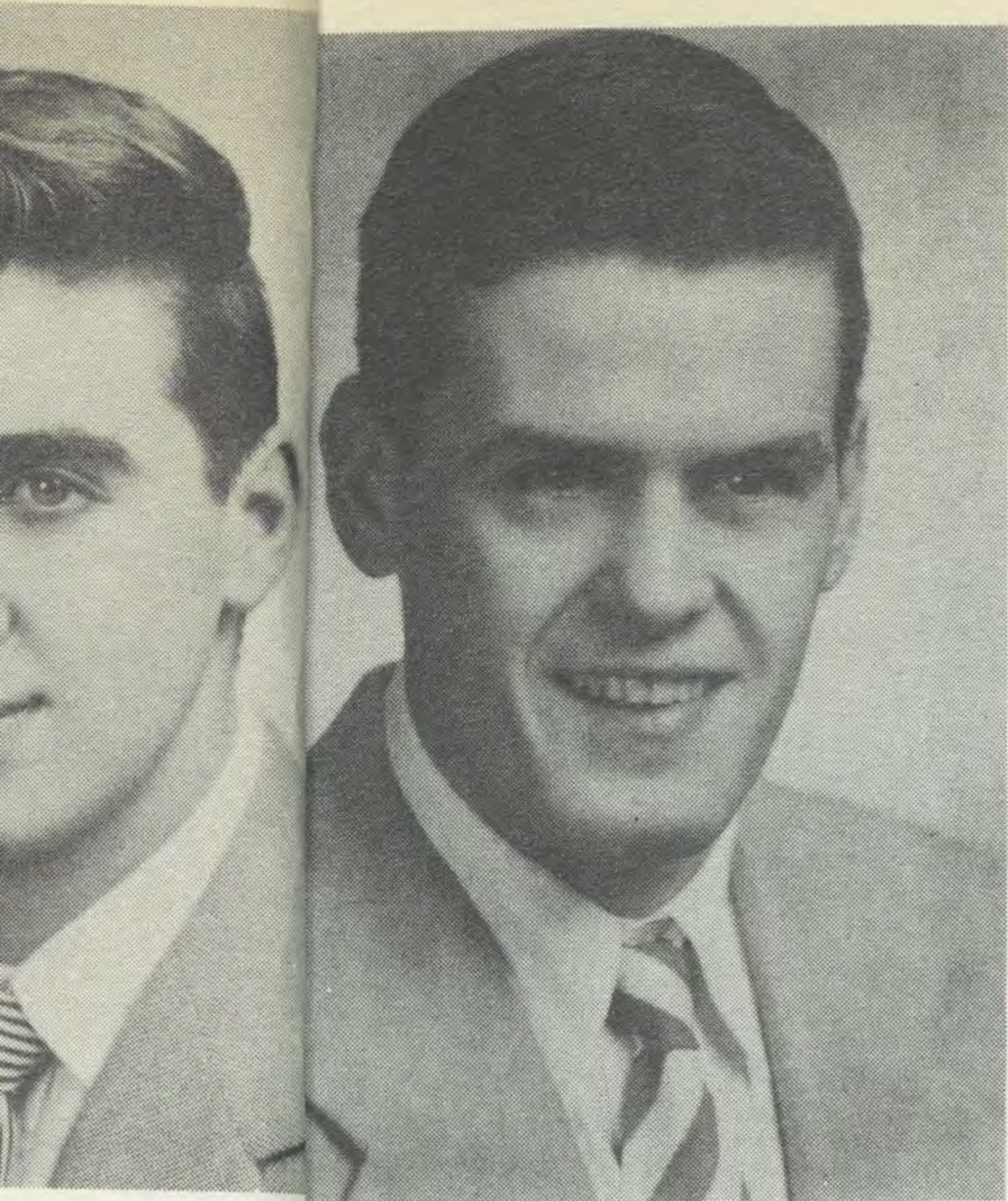
DeMONGE, DONALD
"Dee"

Basketball 1
Sodality 1, 2



DONOVAN, PHILIP
"Stoke"

Sodality 3, 4
Honor Roll, 2nd. 2, 4
Prom Committee 3
Recorder Staff 4
Annual Staff 4
Minstel 2
Variety Show 3, 4
Intermurals 1, 2, 3, 4

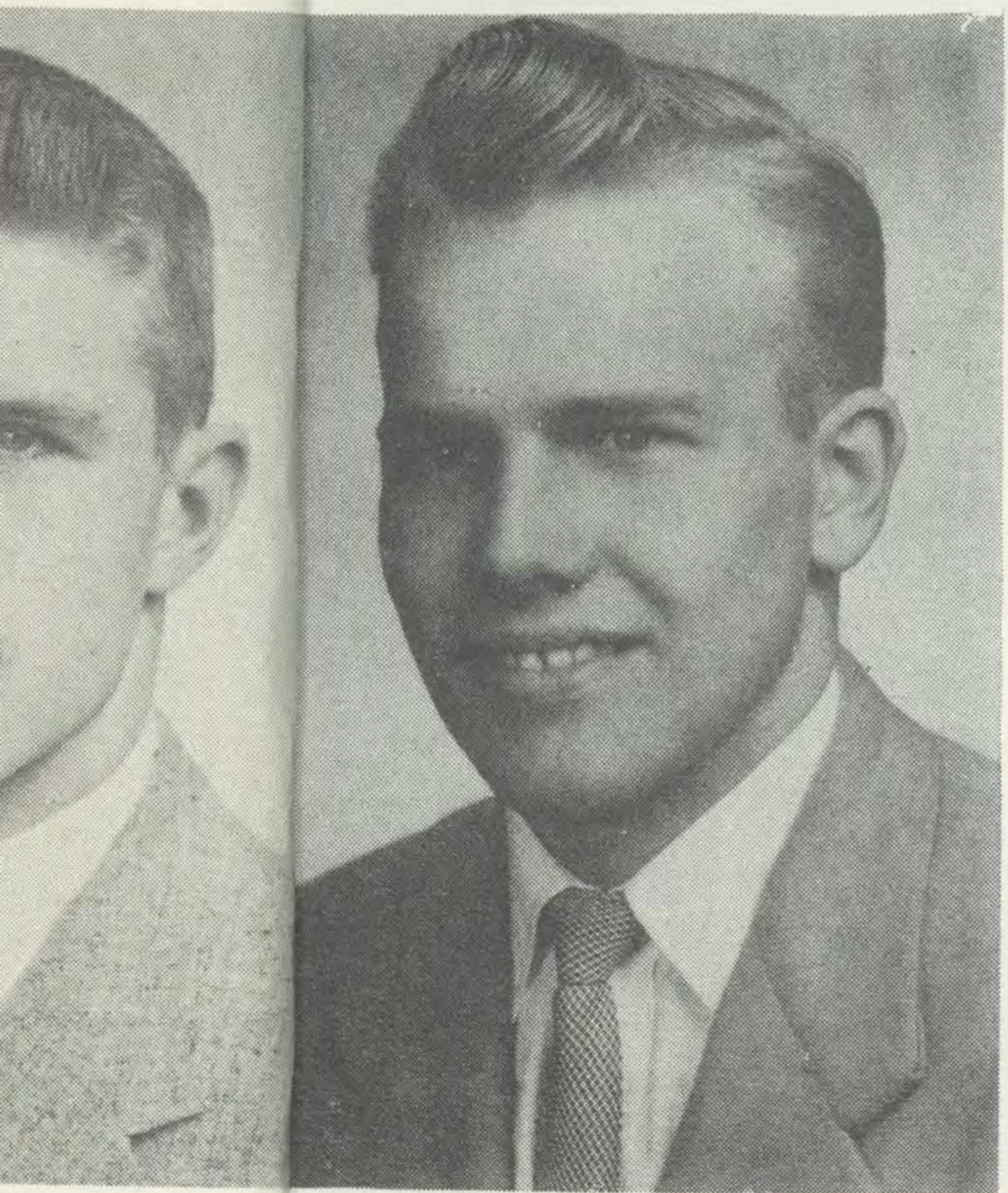
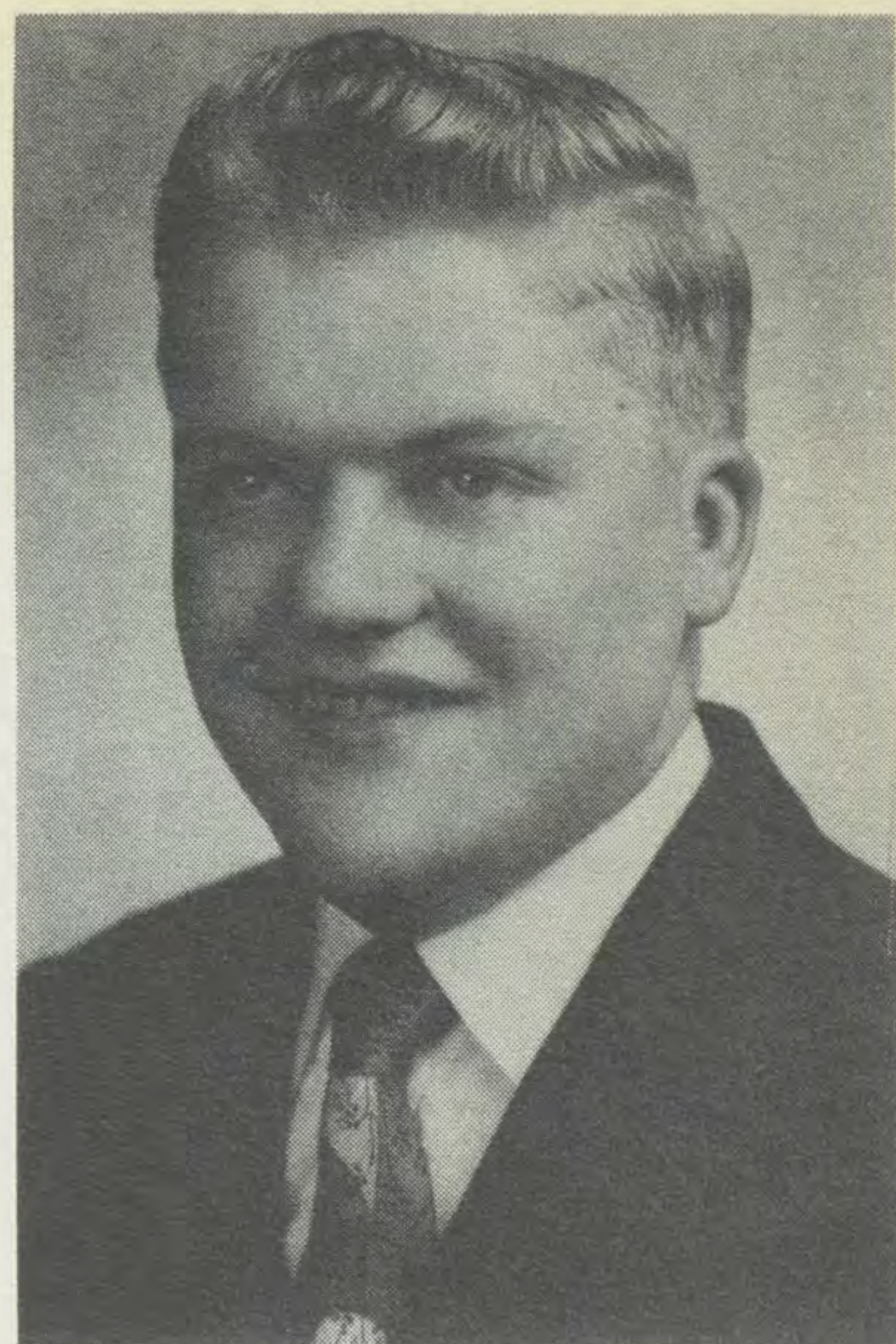


DURBIN, MERLE
"Chips"

Football 1, 2, 3
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4

ENGLER, JACK
"Engel"

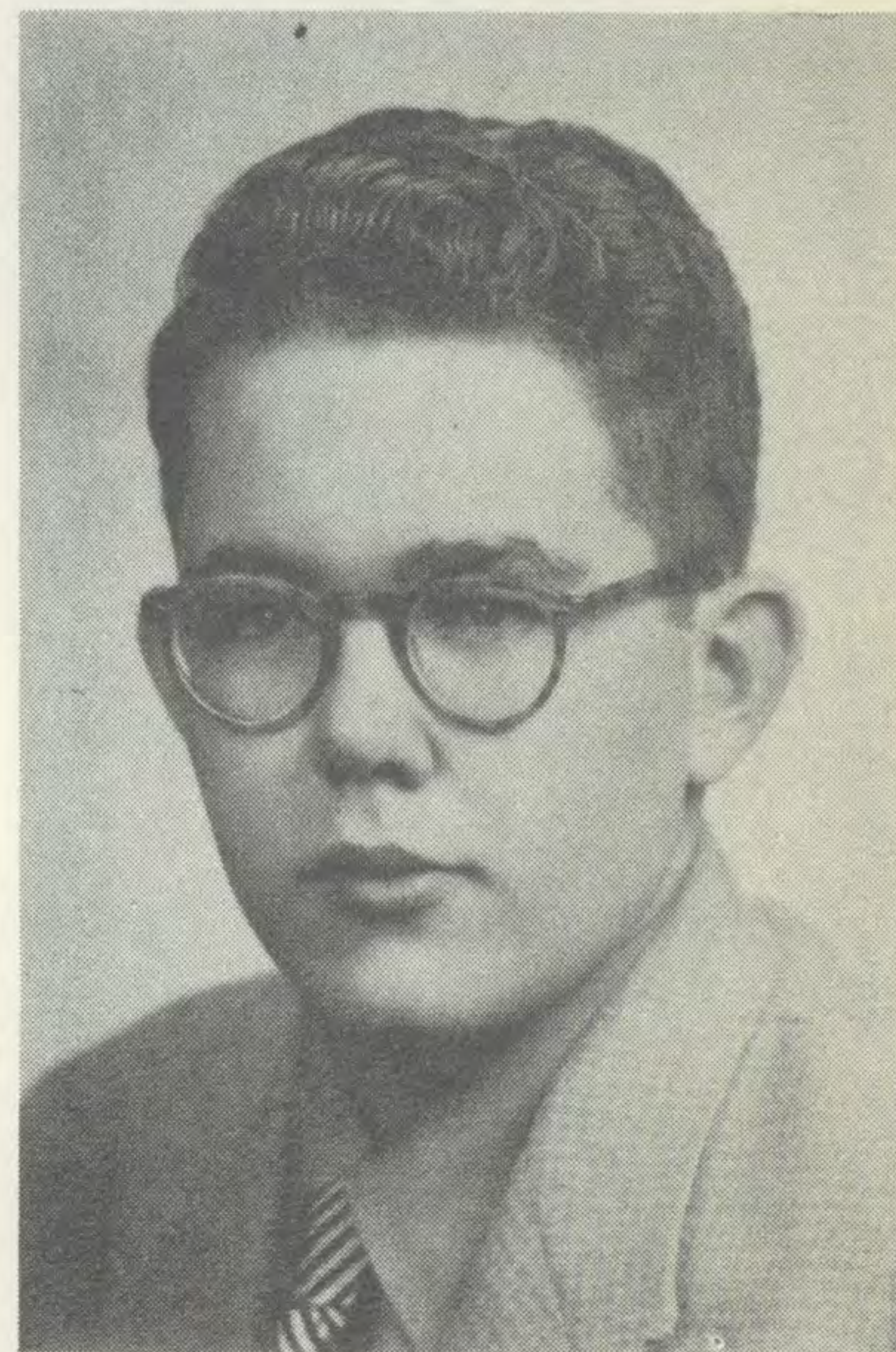
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Sodality 1, 2, 4
Honor Roll, 1st. 1, 2, 3, 4
President 4
Vice President 3
Treasurer 2
Prom Committee 3, 4
Recorder Staff 4
Annual Staff 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4
Spelling Bee 1, 2, 3



FEHRING, HARRY
"Harry"

Football 1
Vice-President 1

FINAN, CHARLES
"Socks"

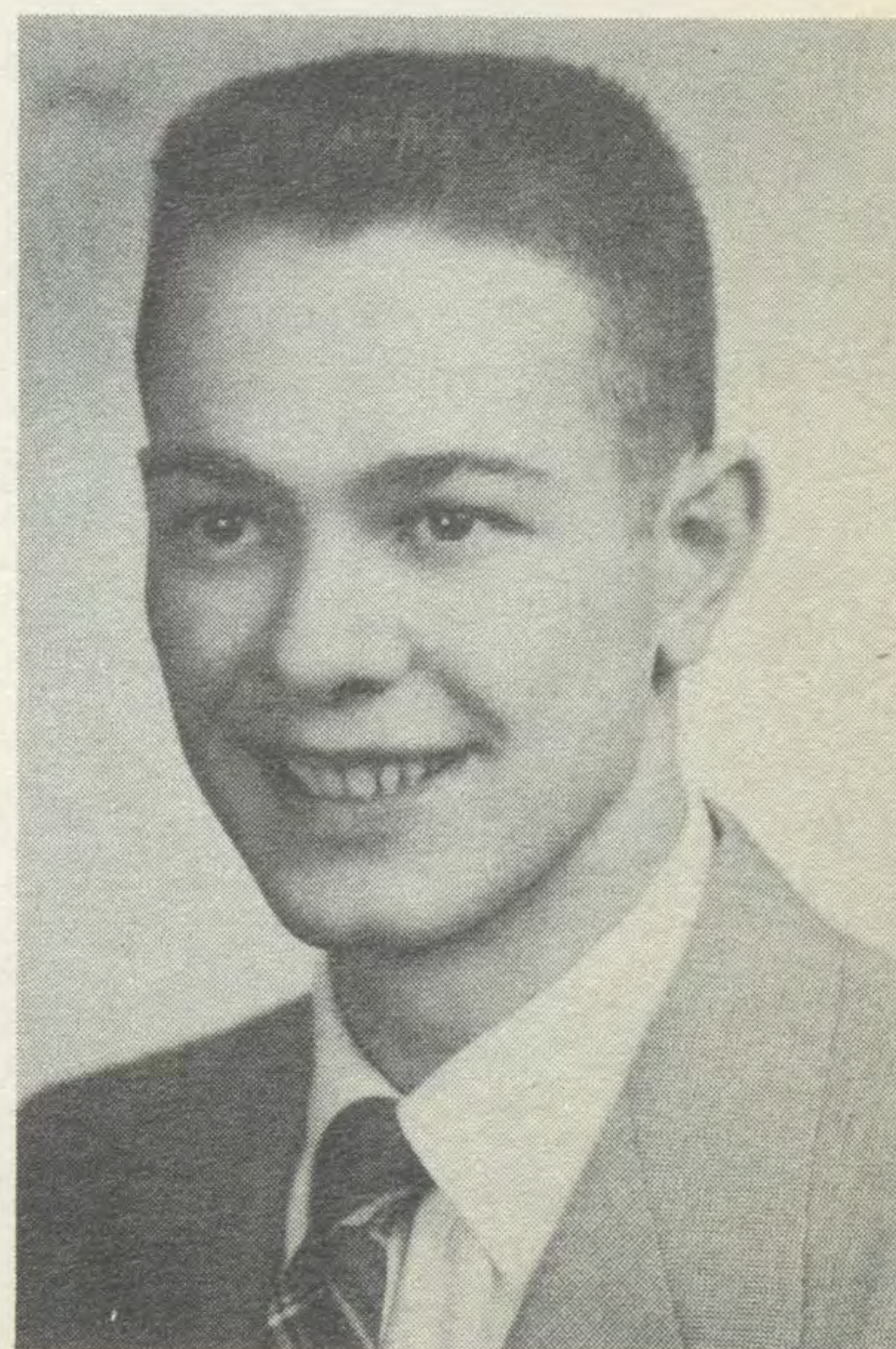


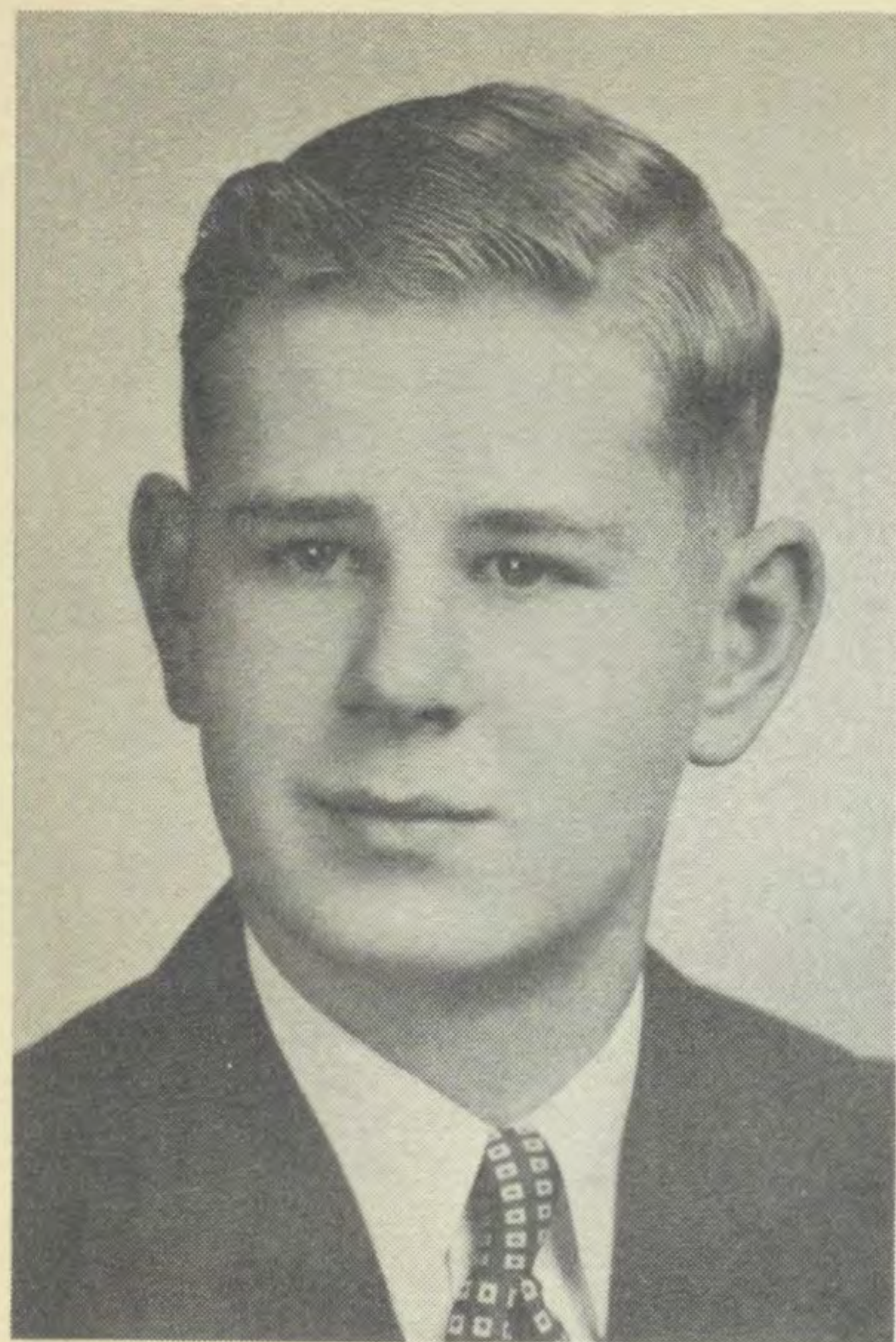
FISCHER, DANIEL
"Danny"

Football 1, 2, 3
Sodality 3
Golf 1, 2
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3

FRITSCH, FRANCIS
"Frank"

Football 1
Band 1
Sodality 4
Honor Roll, 2nd. 1
Vice President 1, 4
Prom Committee 3, 4
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4

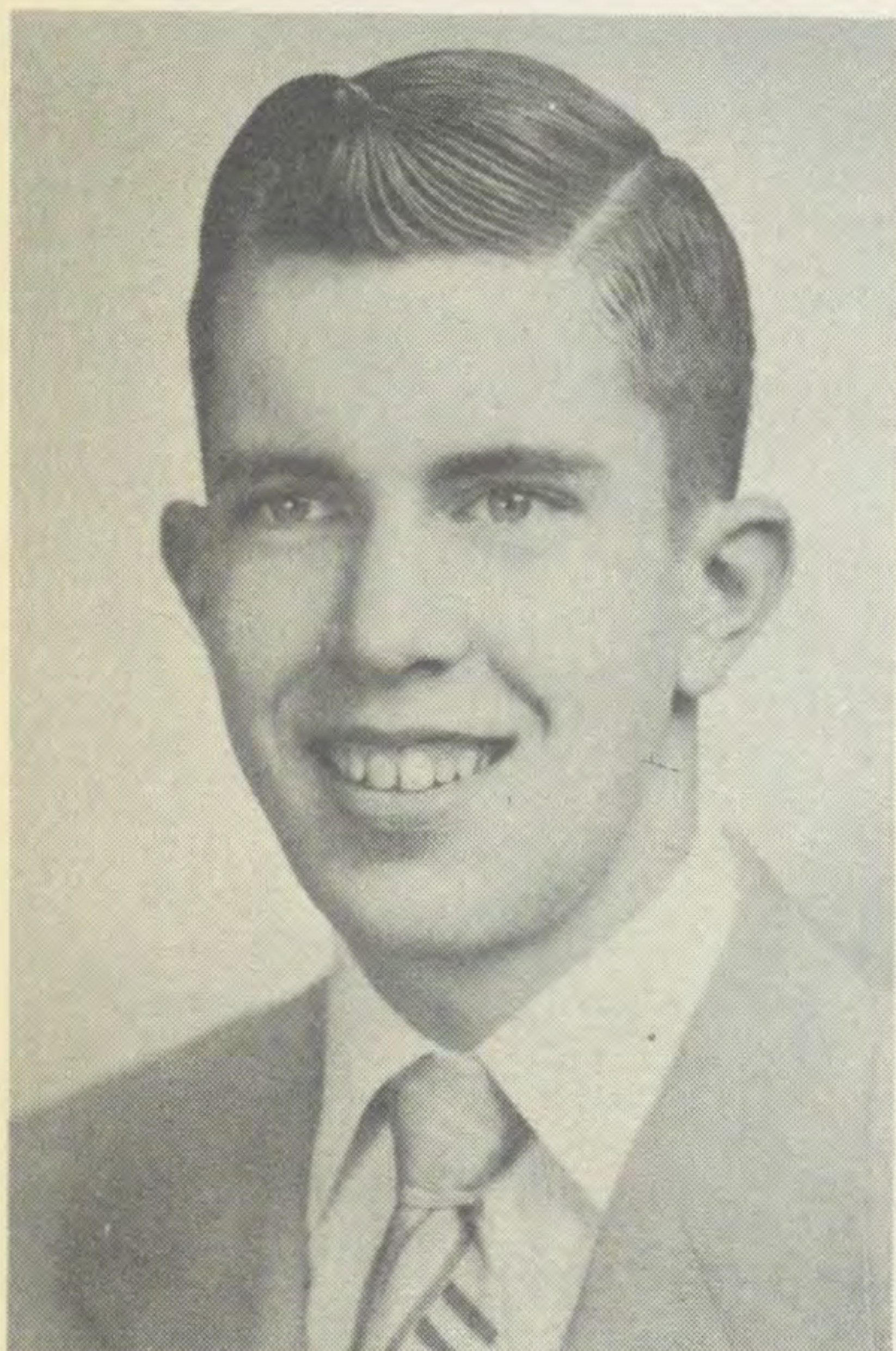
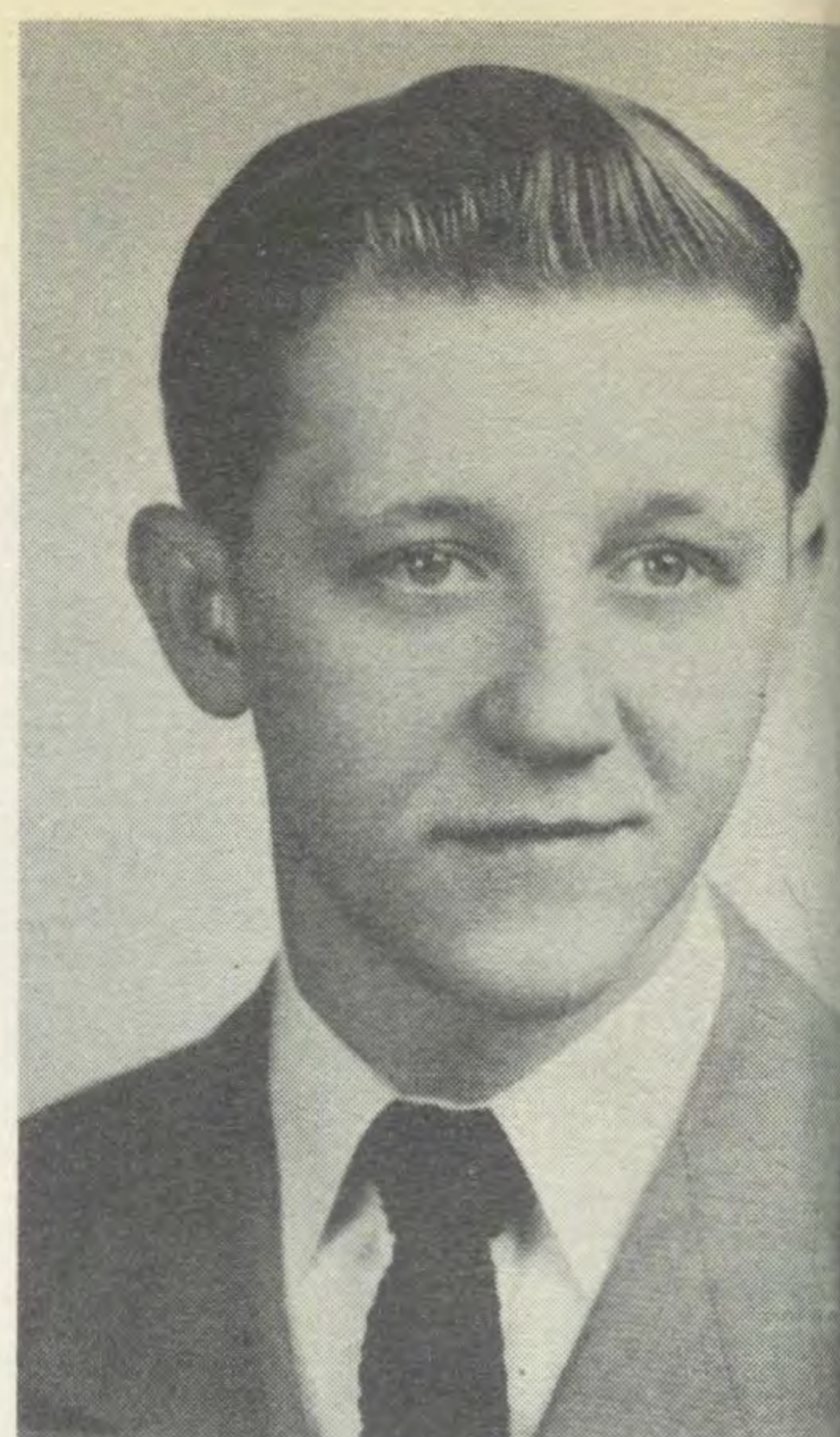




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"Dick"

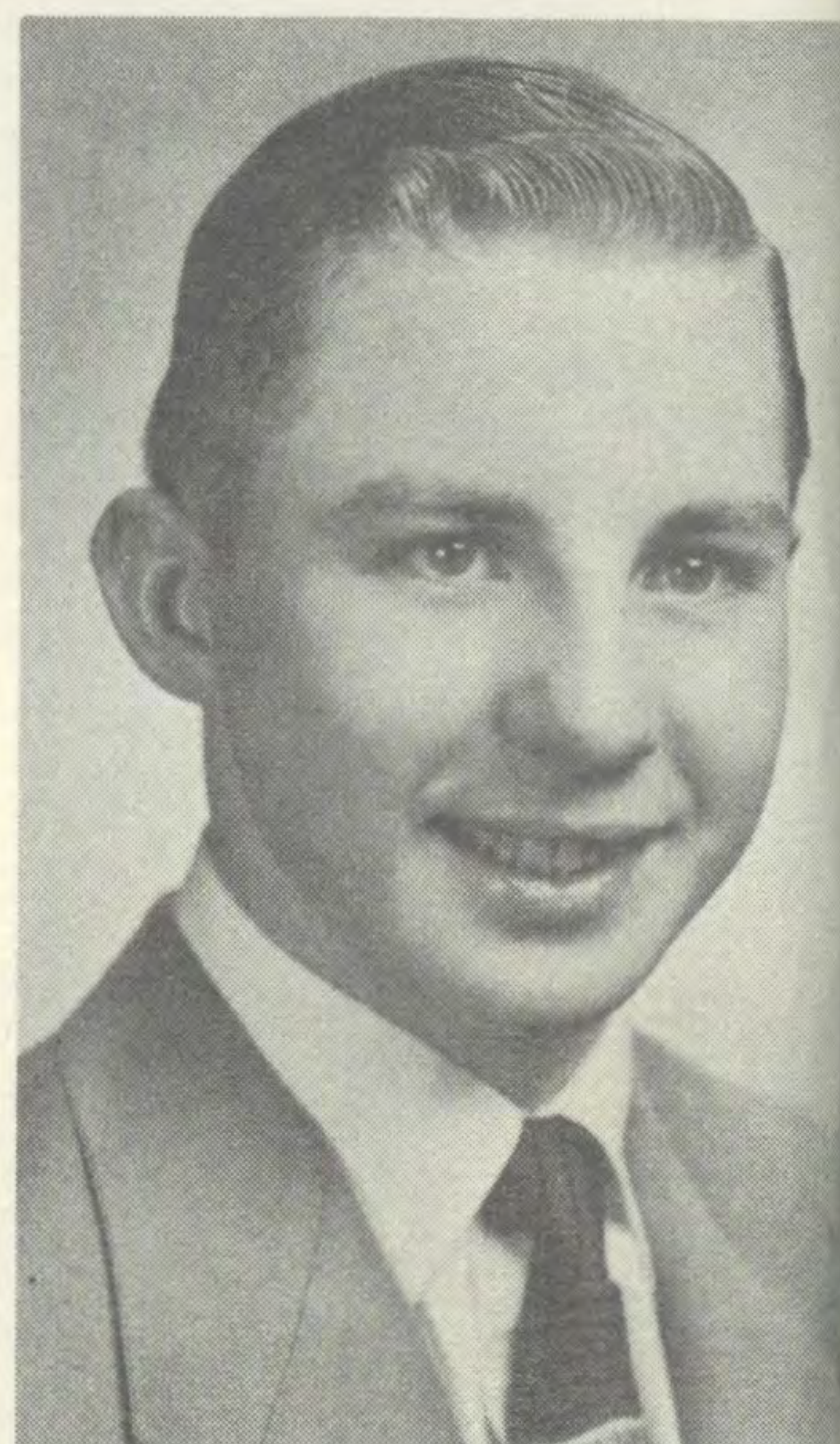
GATTERMEYER, RICHARD
"Gas"

Football 1
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4

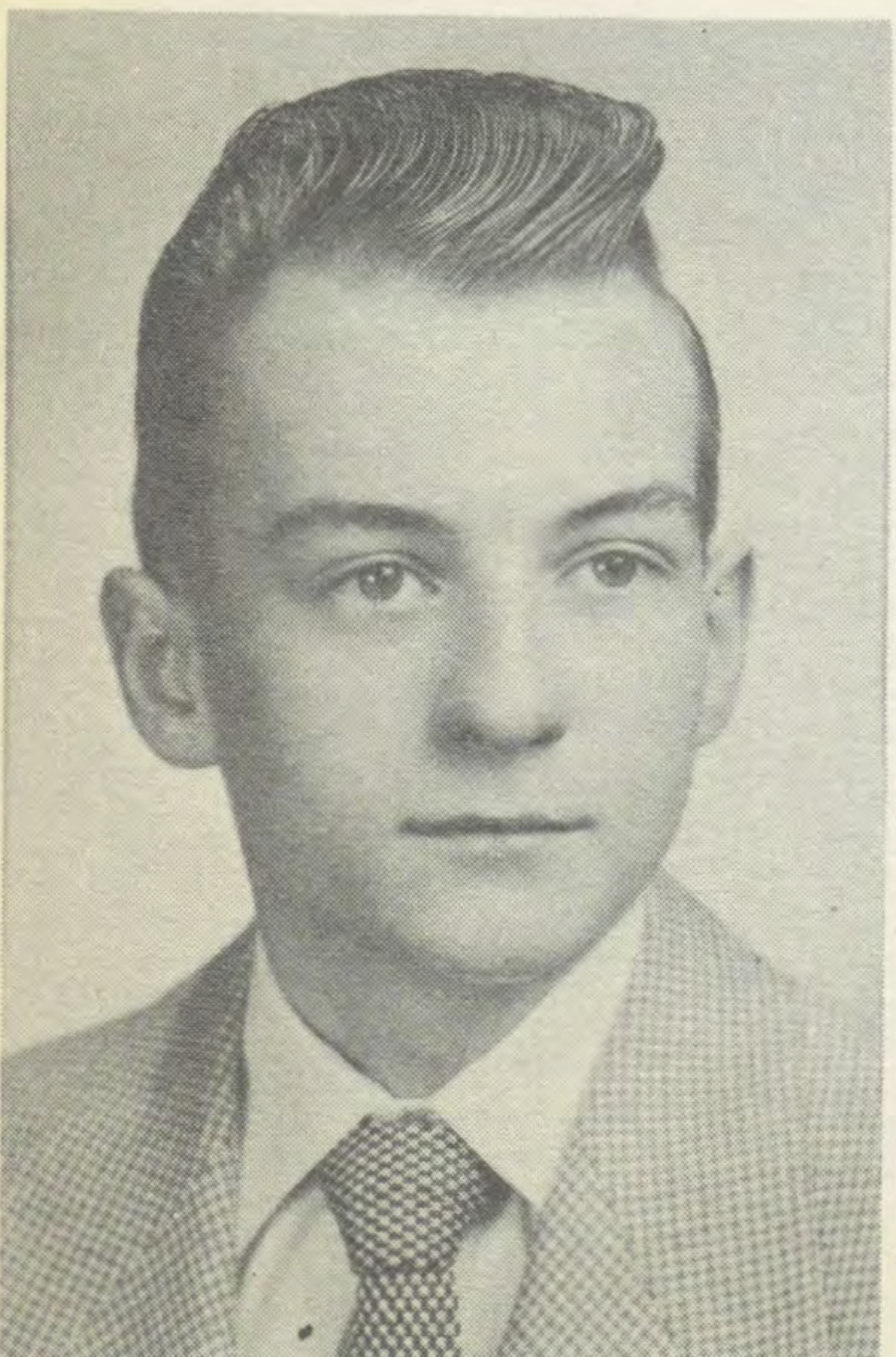


GEYER, JAMES
"Jim"

Student Council 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4
Honor Roll, 1st. 1, 2, 3, 4
Secretary 3, 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4
Annual Staff 4



GLASMIER, RICHARD
"Dick"

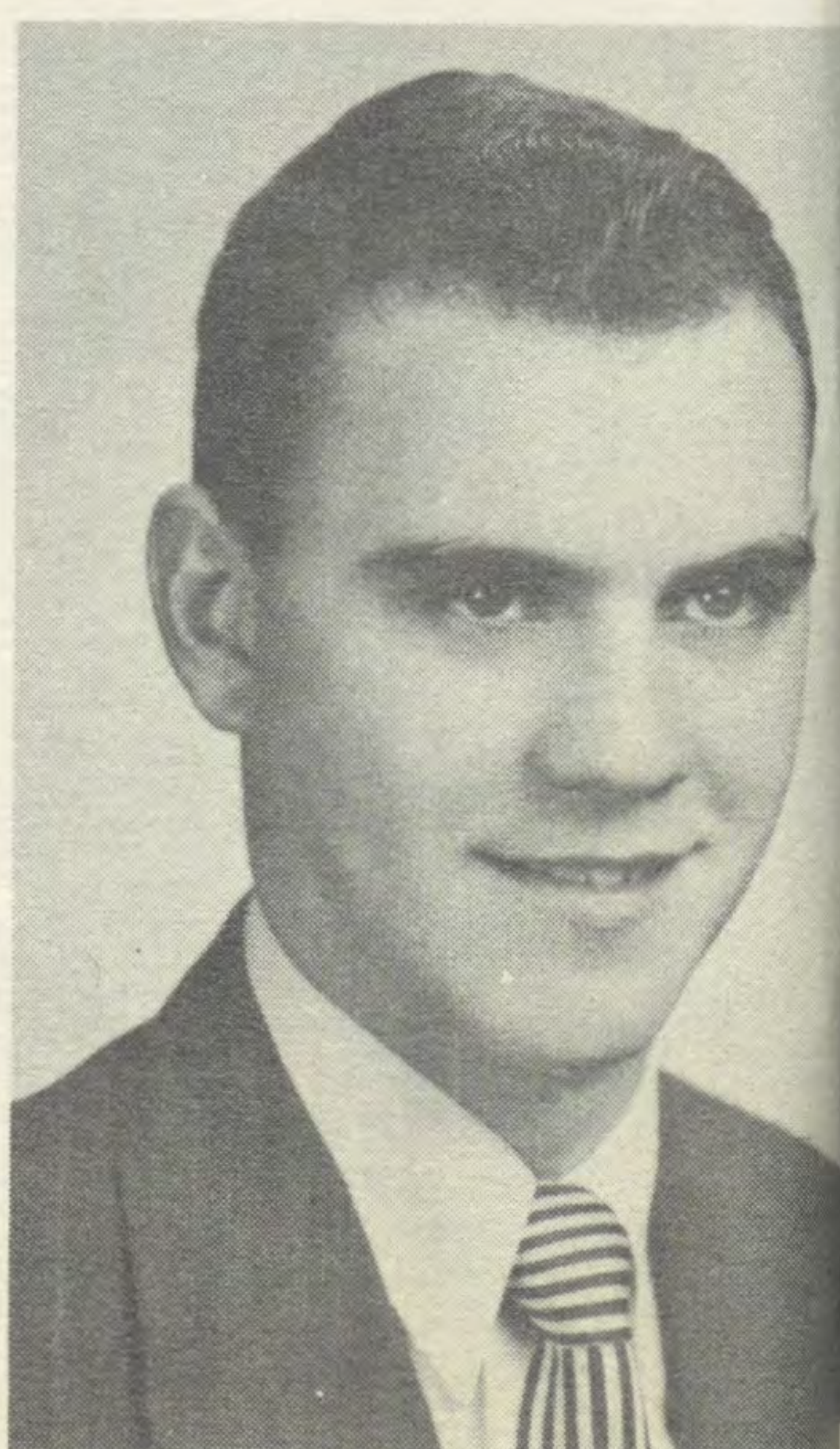


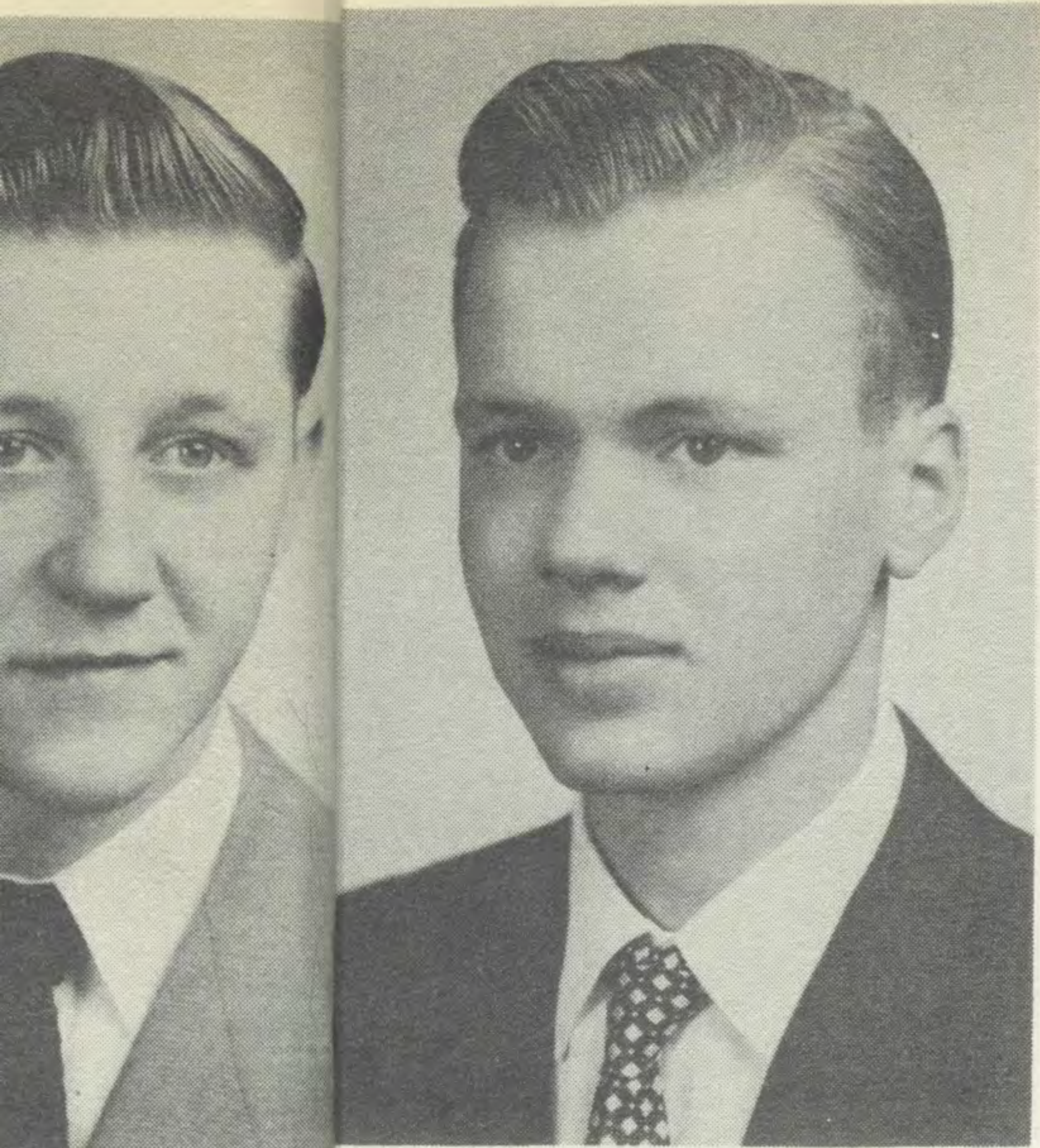
GROSS, WALTER
"Walt"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Sodality 1, 2, 4
Honor Roll, 1st. 1
Honor Roll, 2nd. 2, 3, 4
Treasurer 1
Annual Staff 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4

HEICHELBECH, EDGAR
"Eddie"

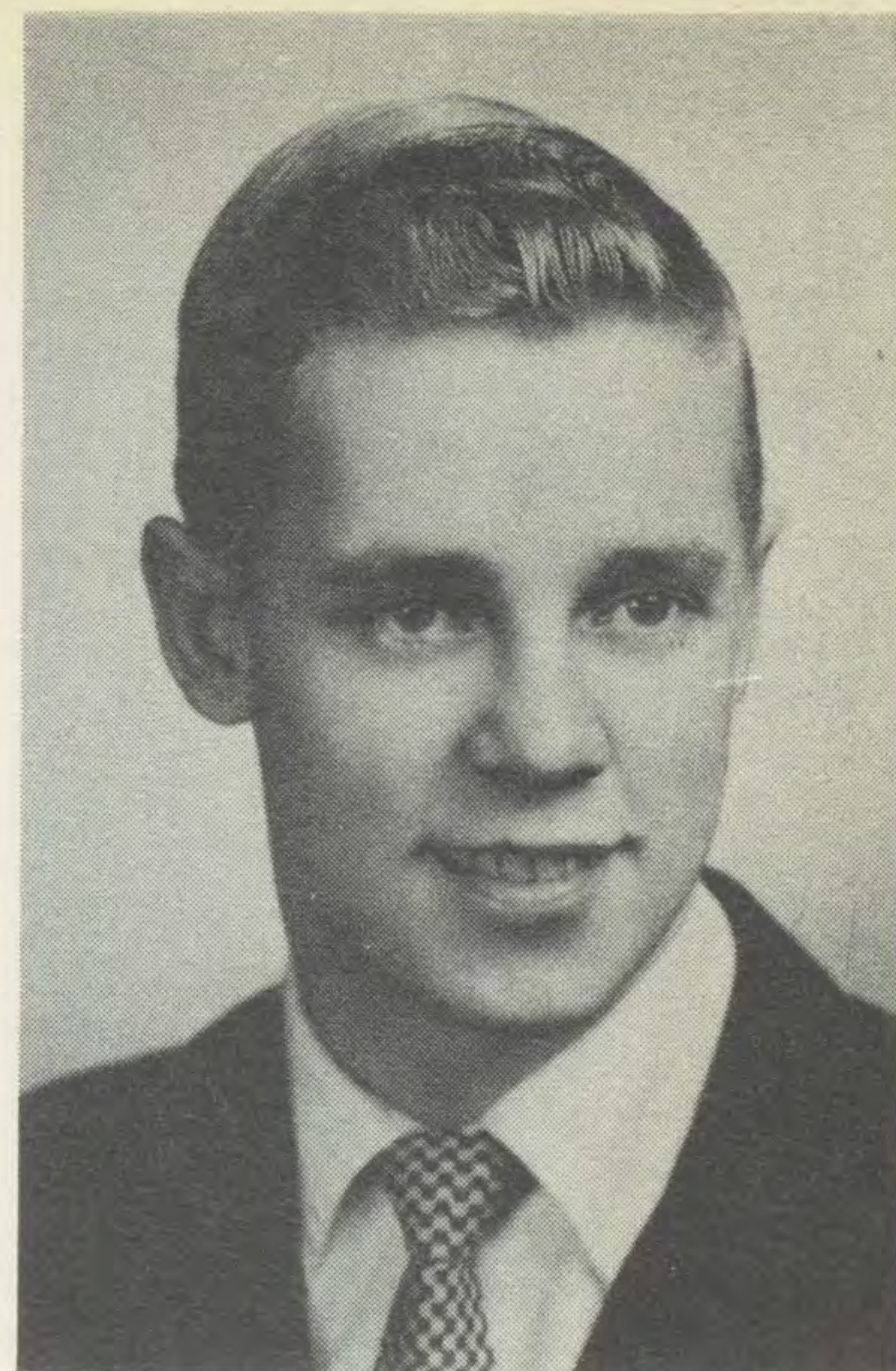
Football 1
Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4
President 2
Honor Roll, 2nd. 1
Intramurals 1, 2, 3
Student Council 4





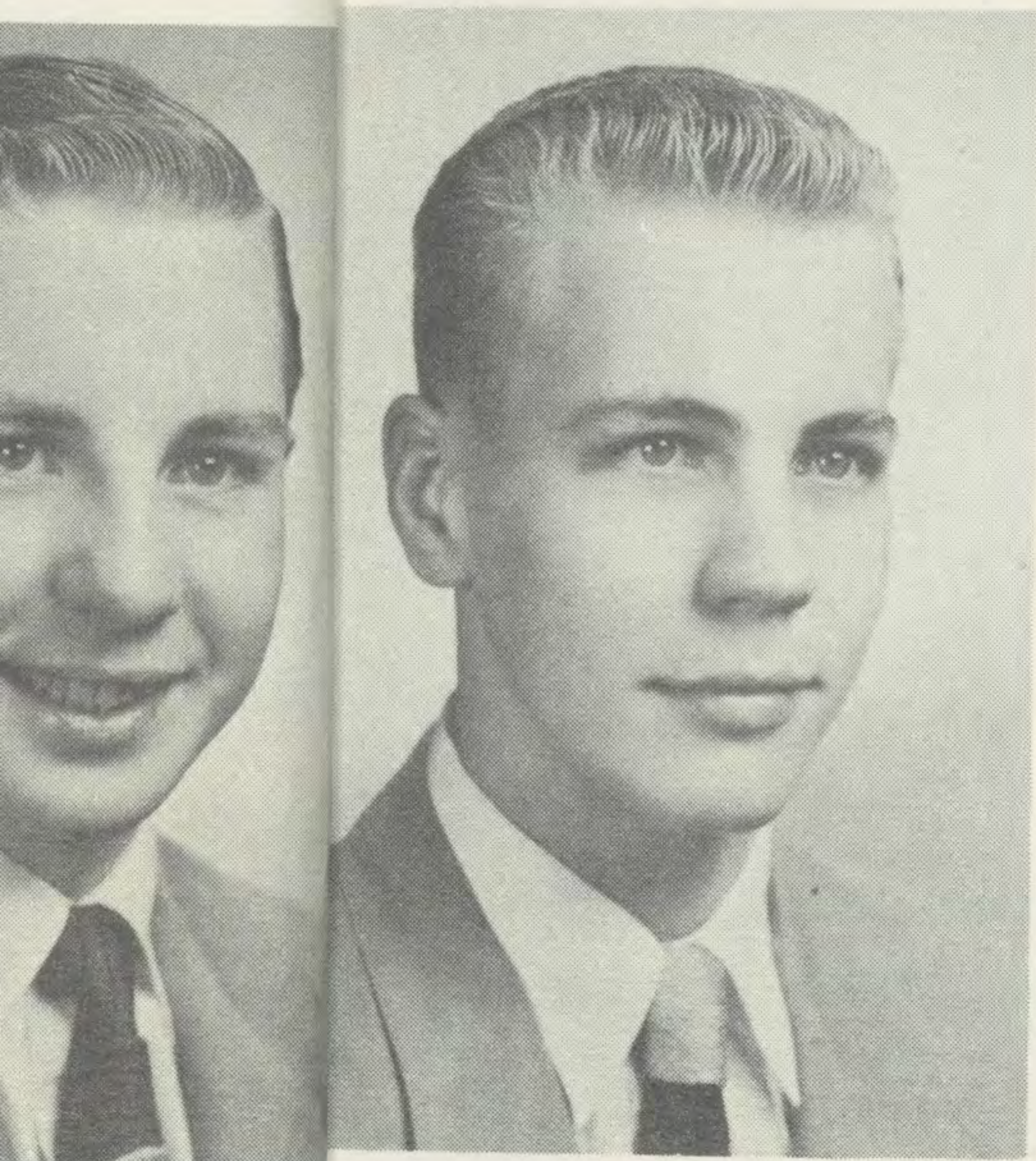
HENNEKE, MARTIN
"Marty"

Sodality 1, 2
Annual Staff 4



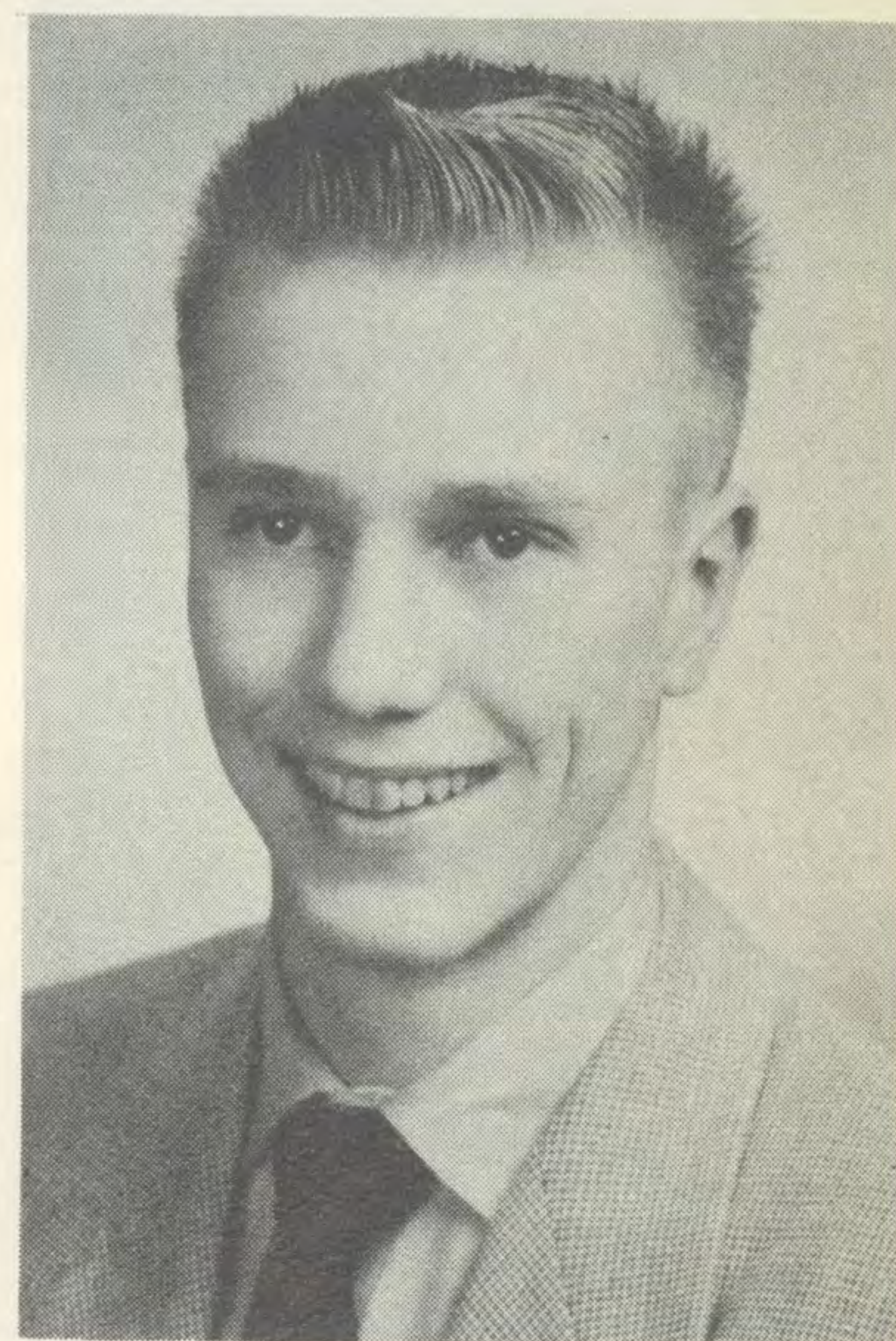
HETTERICH, MARC
"Marc"

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Sodality 4
President 3
Treasurer 4
Secretary 1
Prom Committee 3
Recorder Staff 4
Bookstore 3
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Variety Show 3, 4
Student Council 4

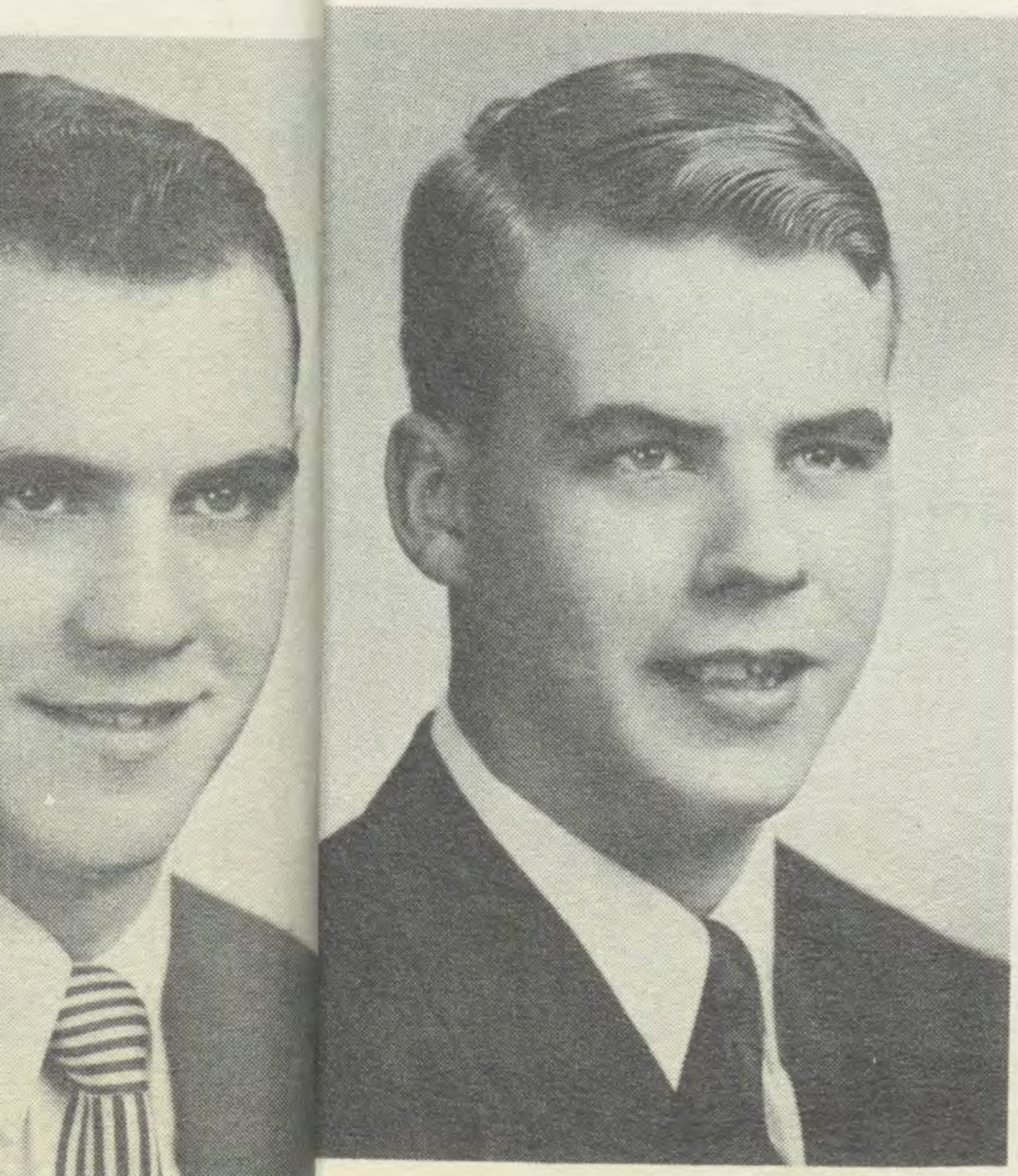


HOLSTEIN, RICHARD
"Dick"

Football 1, 2
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Sodality 1, 2
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4

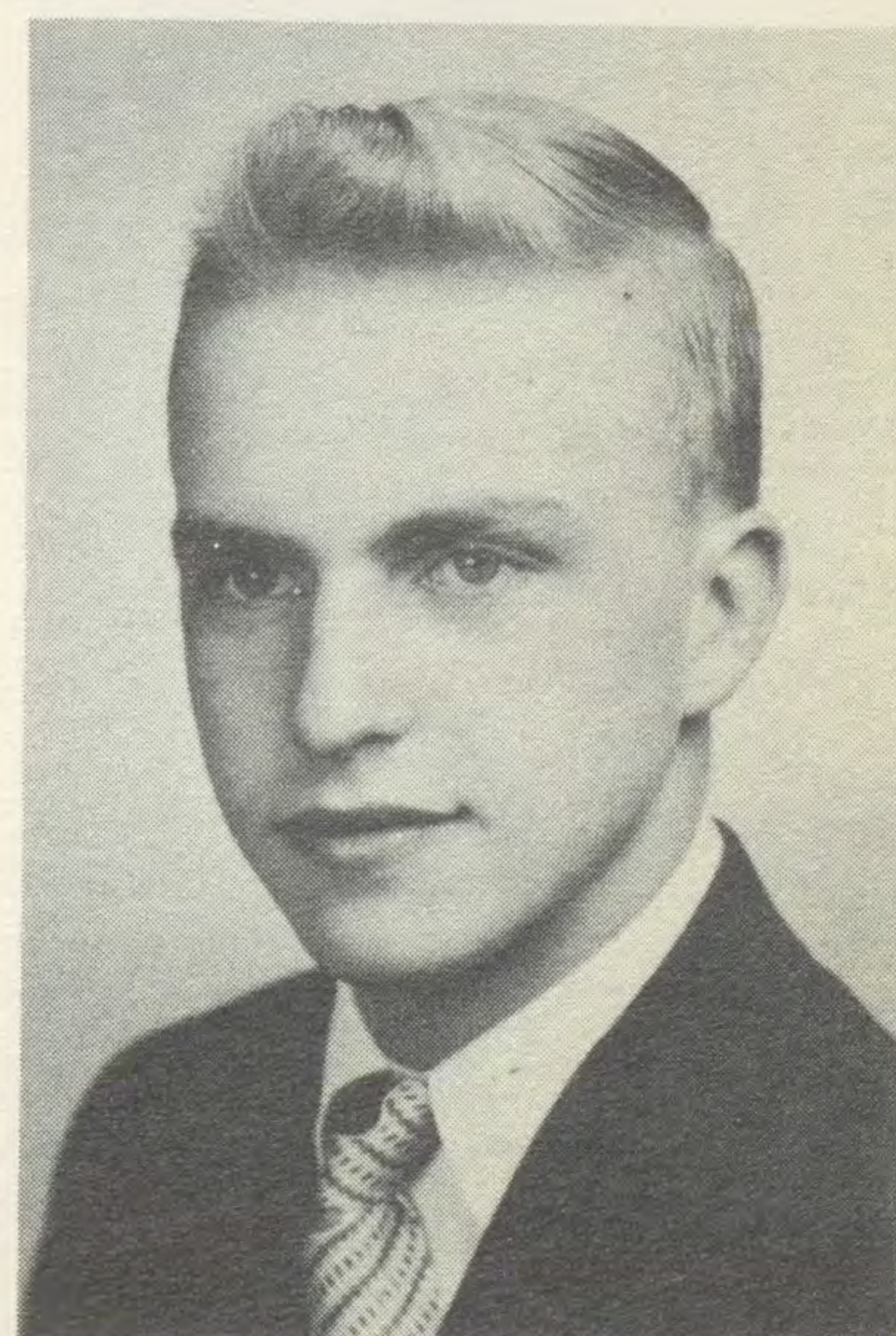


HOSLER, ROBERT
"Hoss"



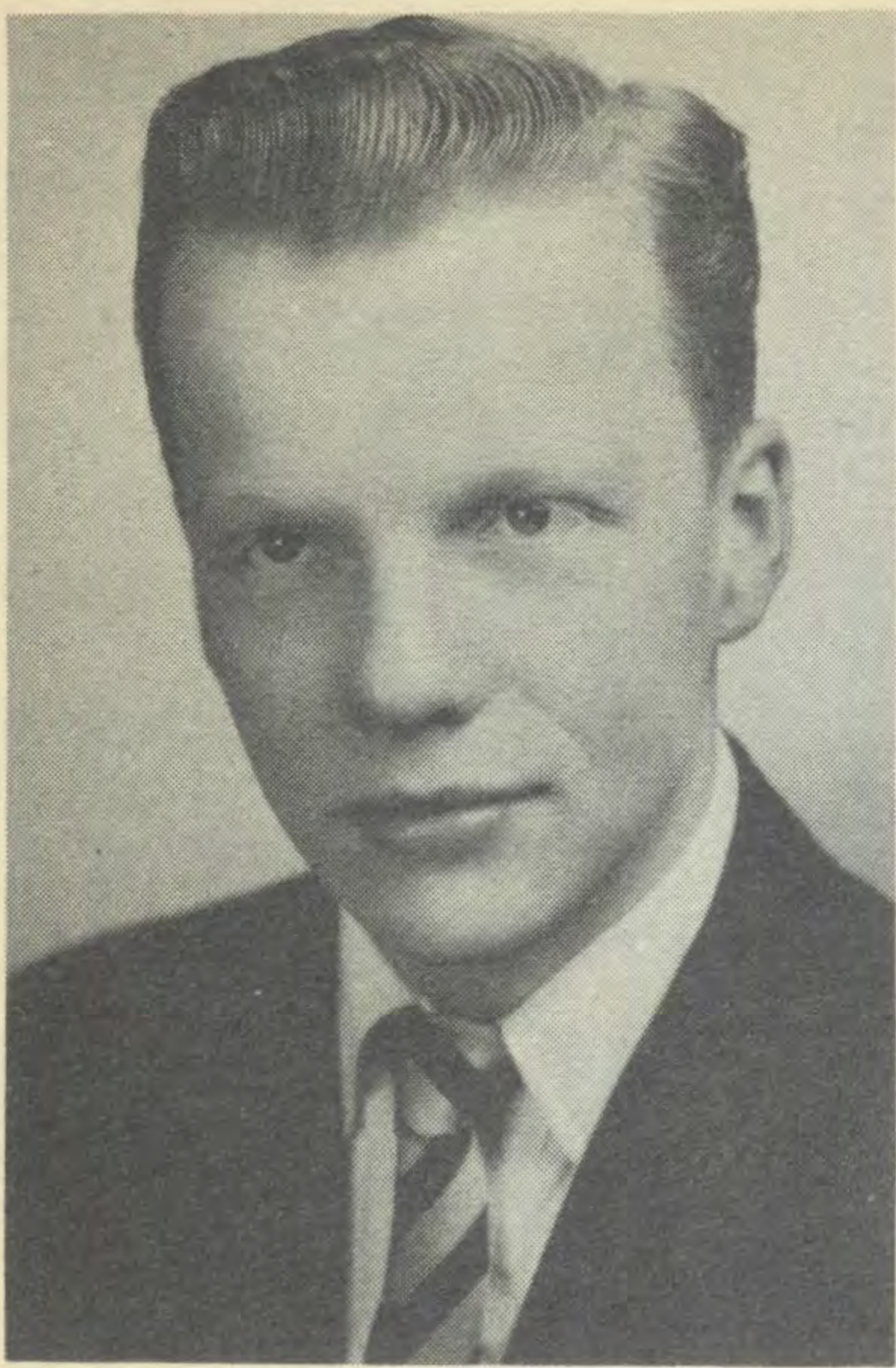
KAUP, ROBERT
"Bob"

Football 2
Vice-President 2
Spelling Bee 2
Honor Roll, 1st. 2



KEESE, HAROLD
"Harry"

Golf 1

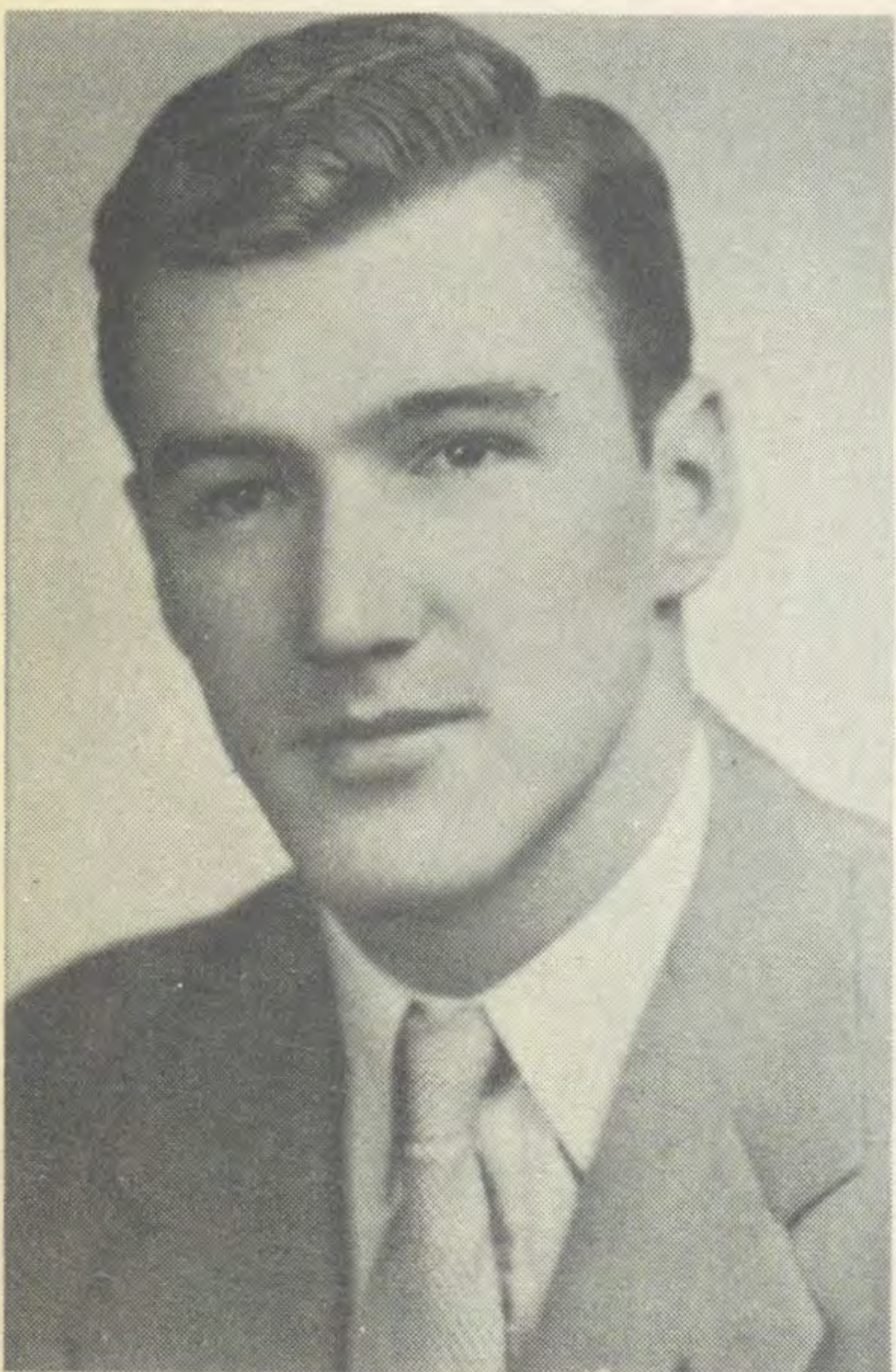
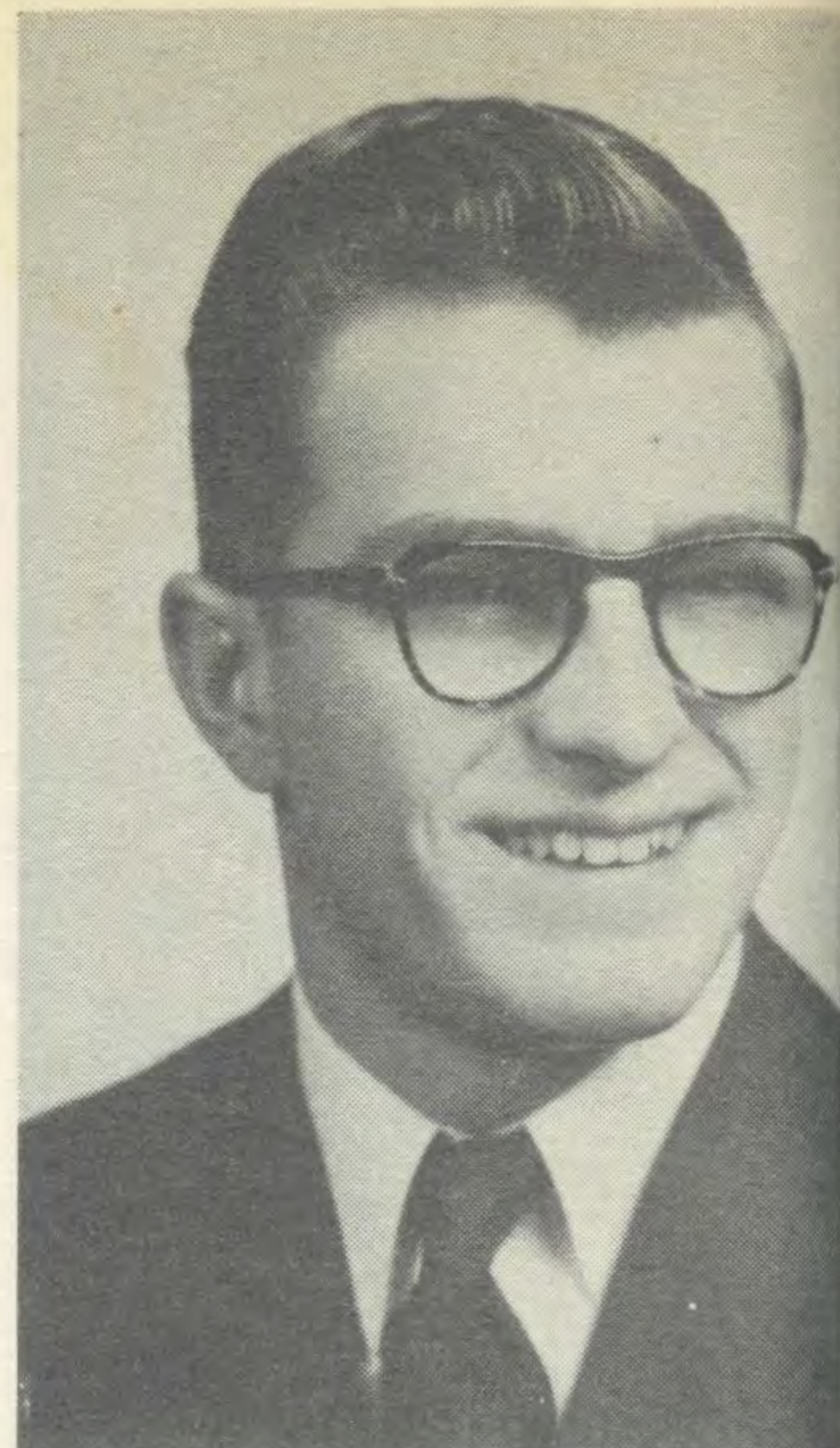


KETTMAN, DONALD
"Red"

Prom Committee 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Sodality 3, 4
Recorder Staff 4
Intermurals 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Variety Show 3, 4
Minstrel 2
Student Council 4

KREKE, JOHN
"Dash"

Variety Show 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2
Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4
Honor Roll, 1st. 1, 2, 3, 4
President 2, 3, 4
Prom Committee 3
Intermurals 2, 3, 4

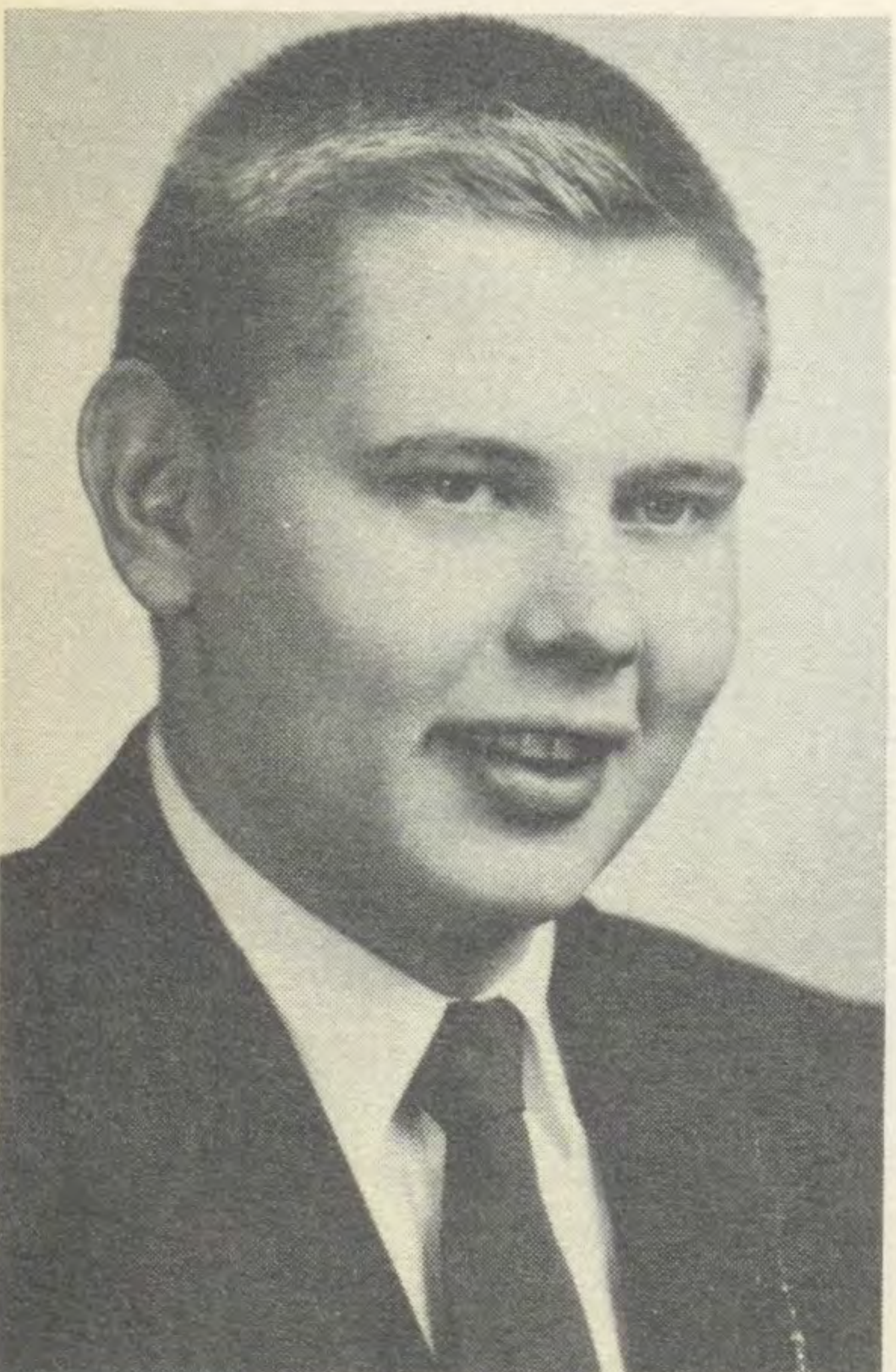
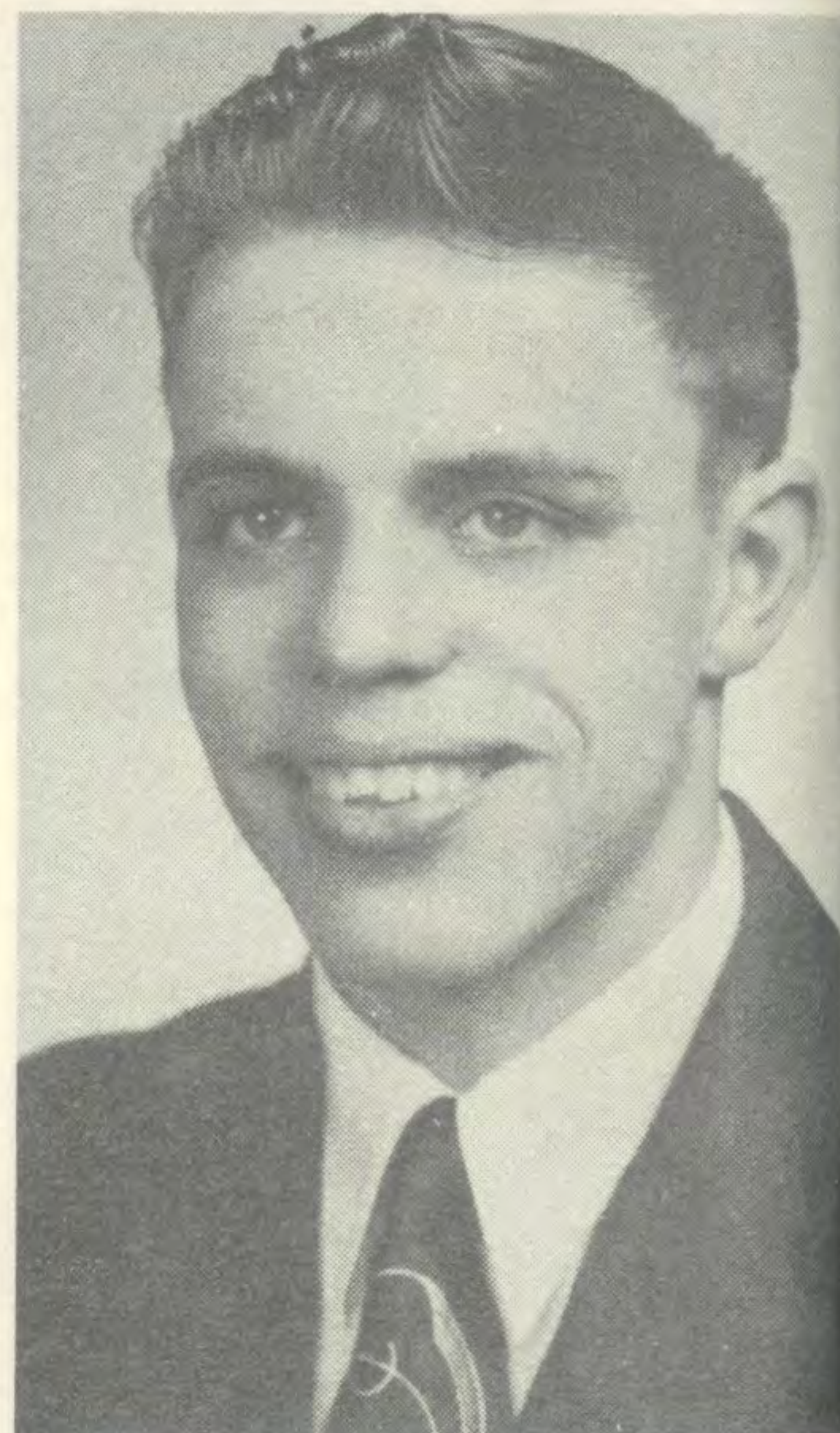


KUPPER, RICHARD
"Klu"

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Variety Show 3, 4

LANDER, DAVID
"Dave"

Football 1, 4
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Honor Roll, 2nd. 1, 4

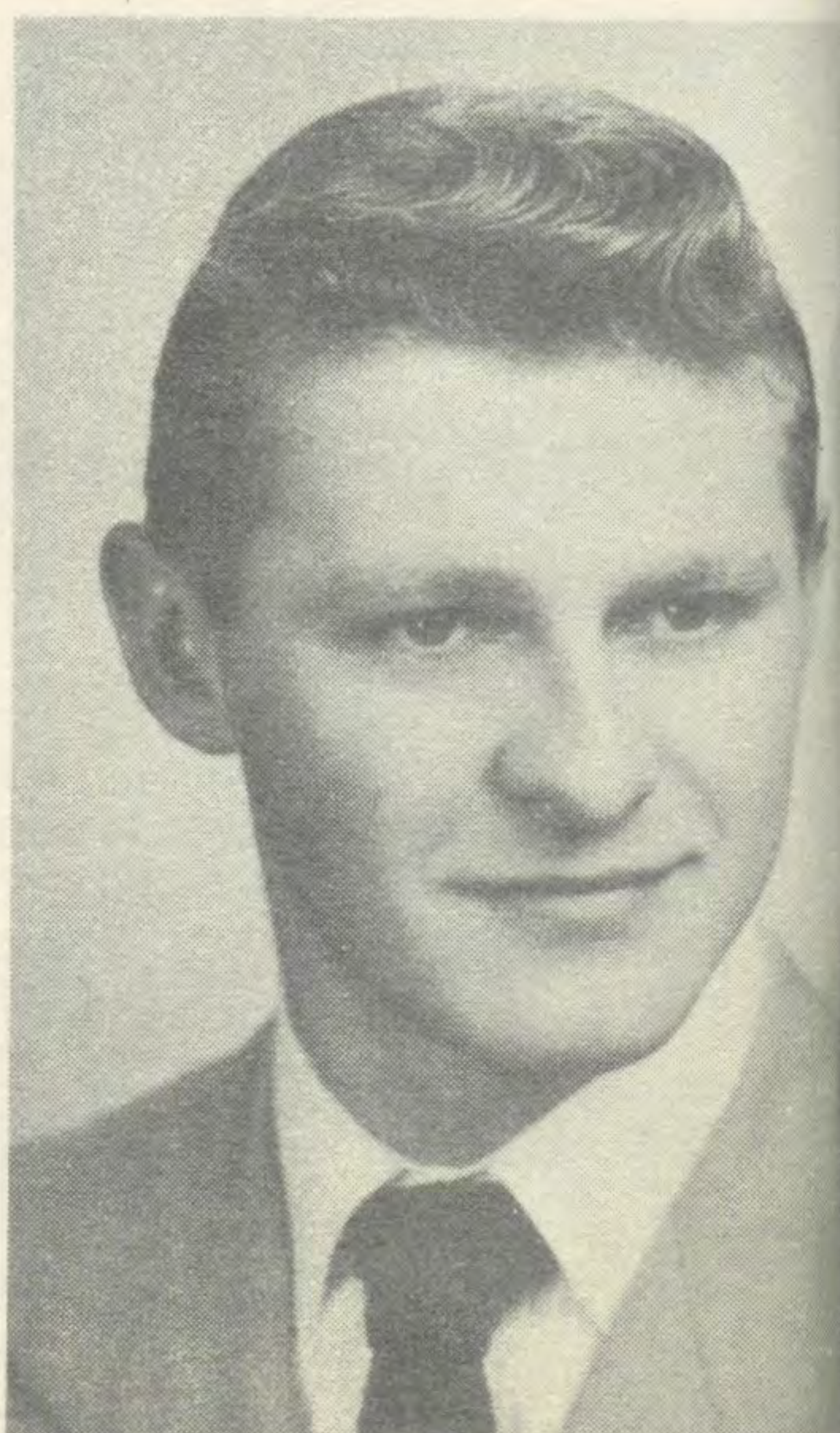


MILLER, RONALD
"Mill"

Basketball 1
Treasurer 2

MOSER, JAMES
"Mose"

Band 1
Recorder Staff 1
Variety Show 3, 4



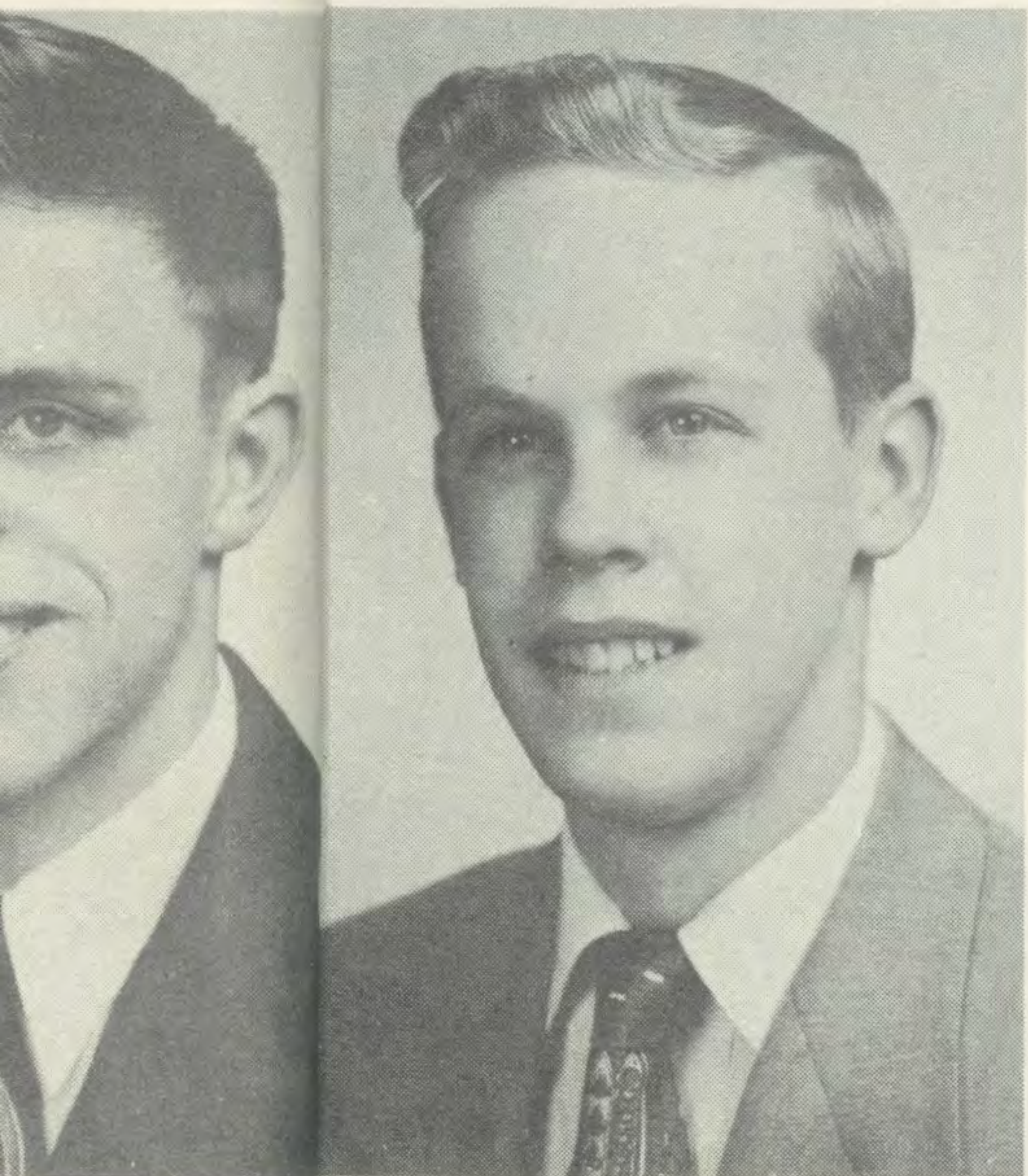
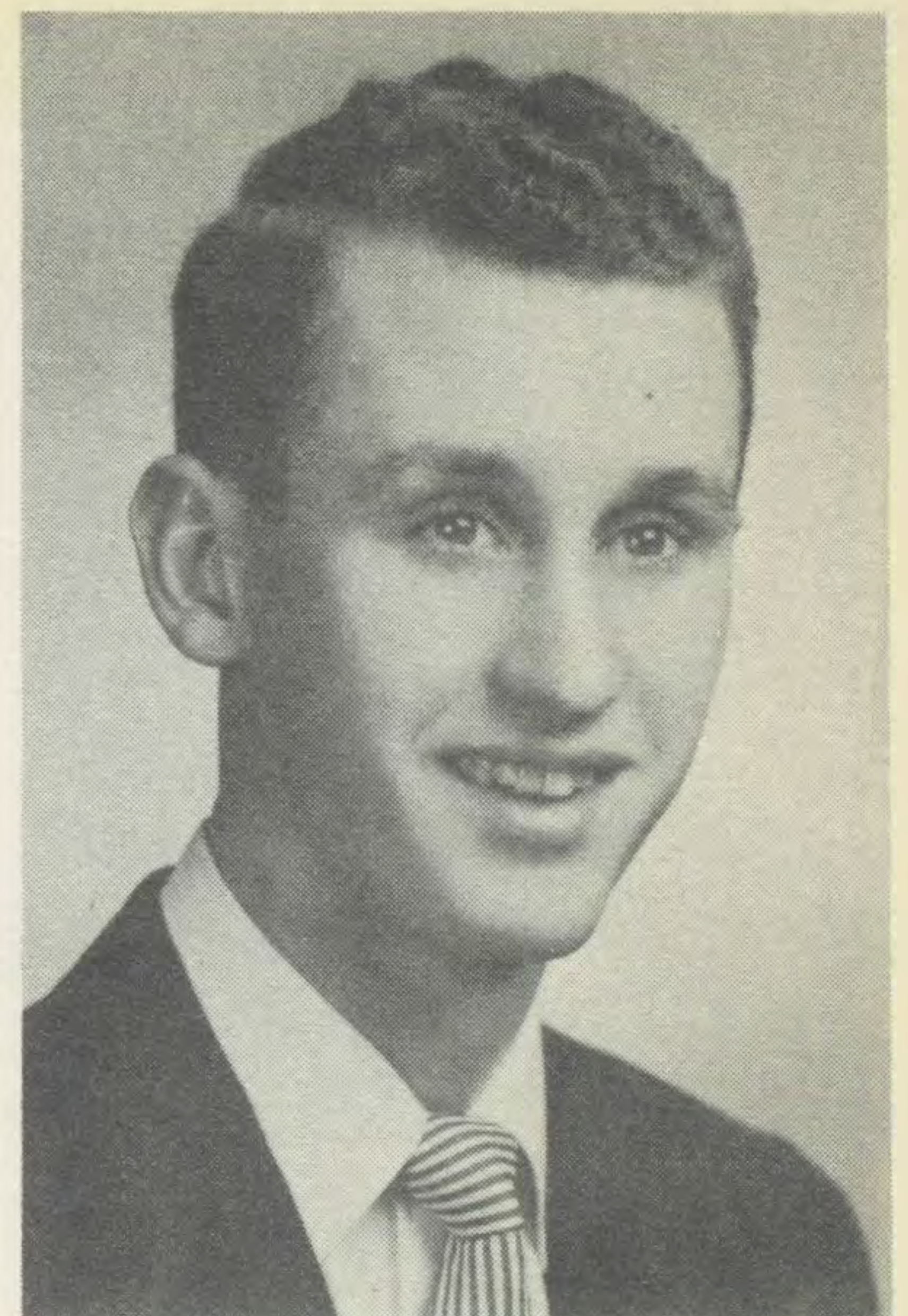


NOLAND, DAVID
"Dave"

Football 1
Basketball 2
Band 1
Vice-President 2
Treasurer 4
Prom-Committee 3, 4
Recorder Staff 3, 4
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Manager 3
Student Council 4

O'DELL, DONALD
"Ode"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Honor Roll, 2nd. 4
Secretary 1, 4
Annual Staff 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4
Spelling Bee 2, 3

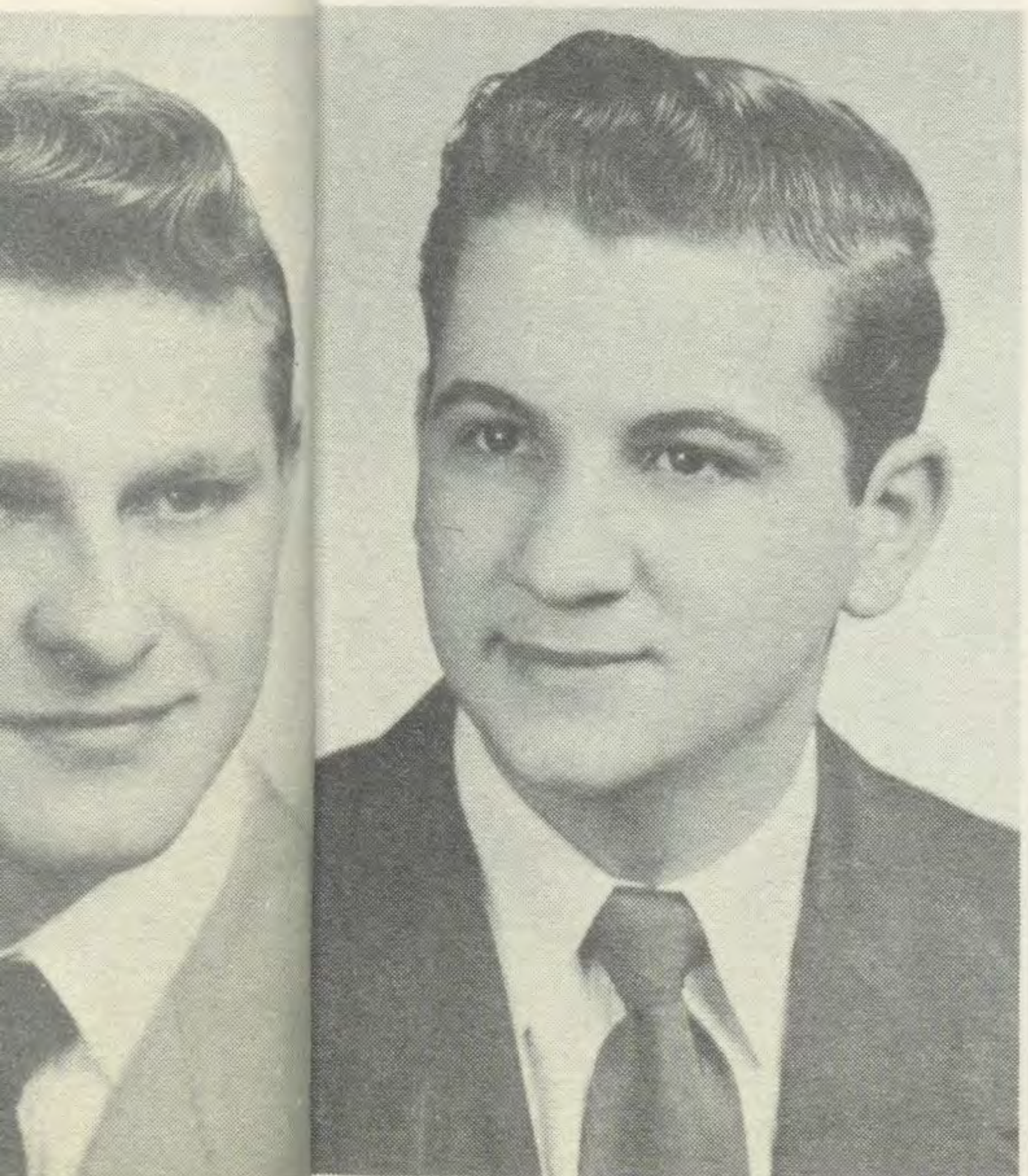
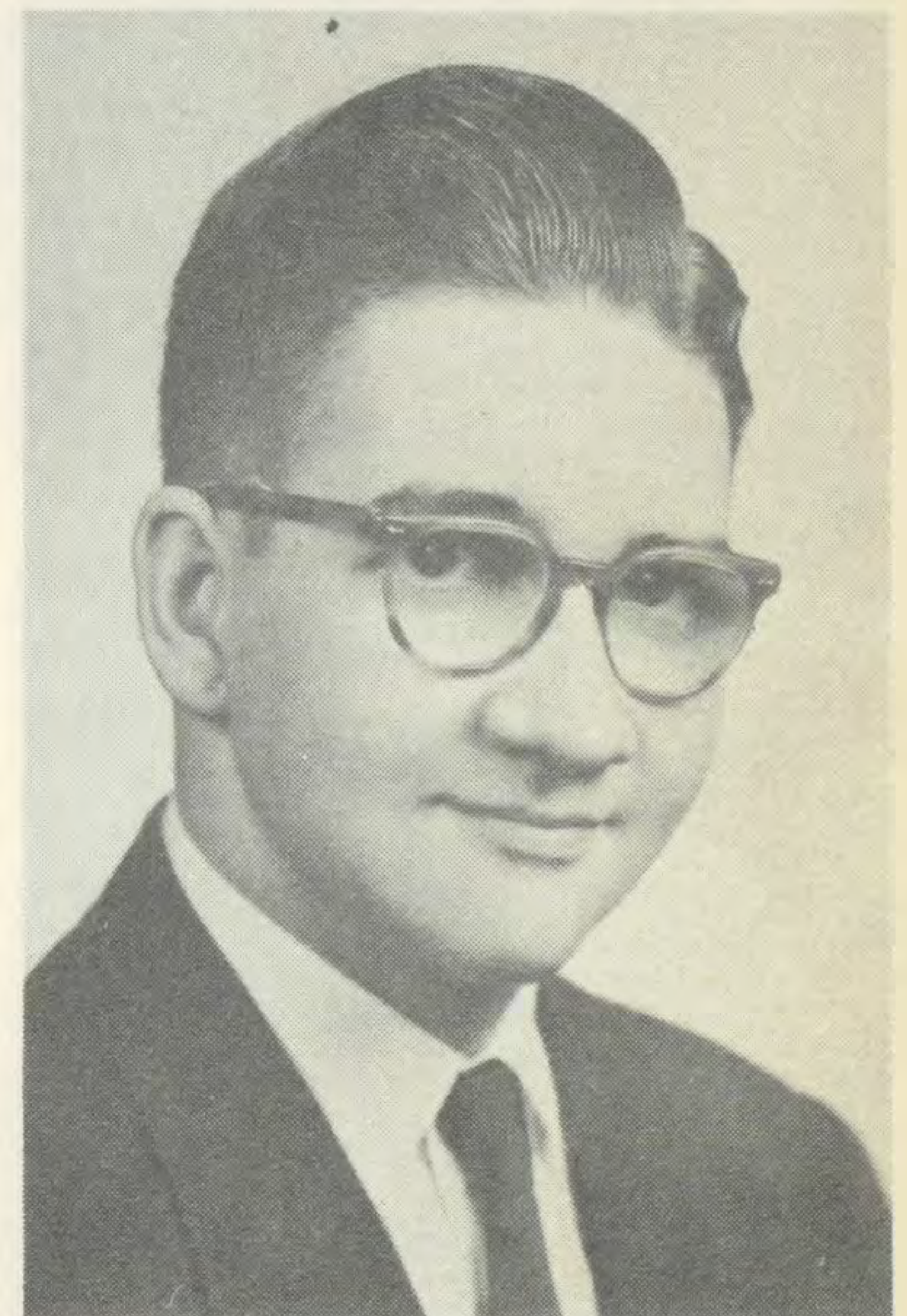


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"Sod"

Prom Committee 4
Sodality 4
Honor Roll, 2nd. 1, 4
Recorder Staff 3, 4
Intermurals 2, 3, 4
Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4

ORLANDI, JAMES
"Tiny"

Band 1, 2
Recorder Staff 1, 2
Sodality 2

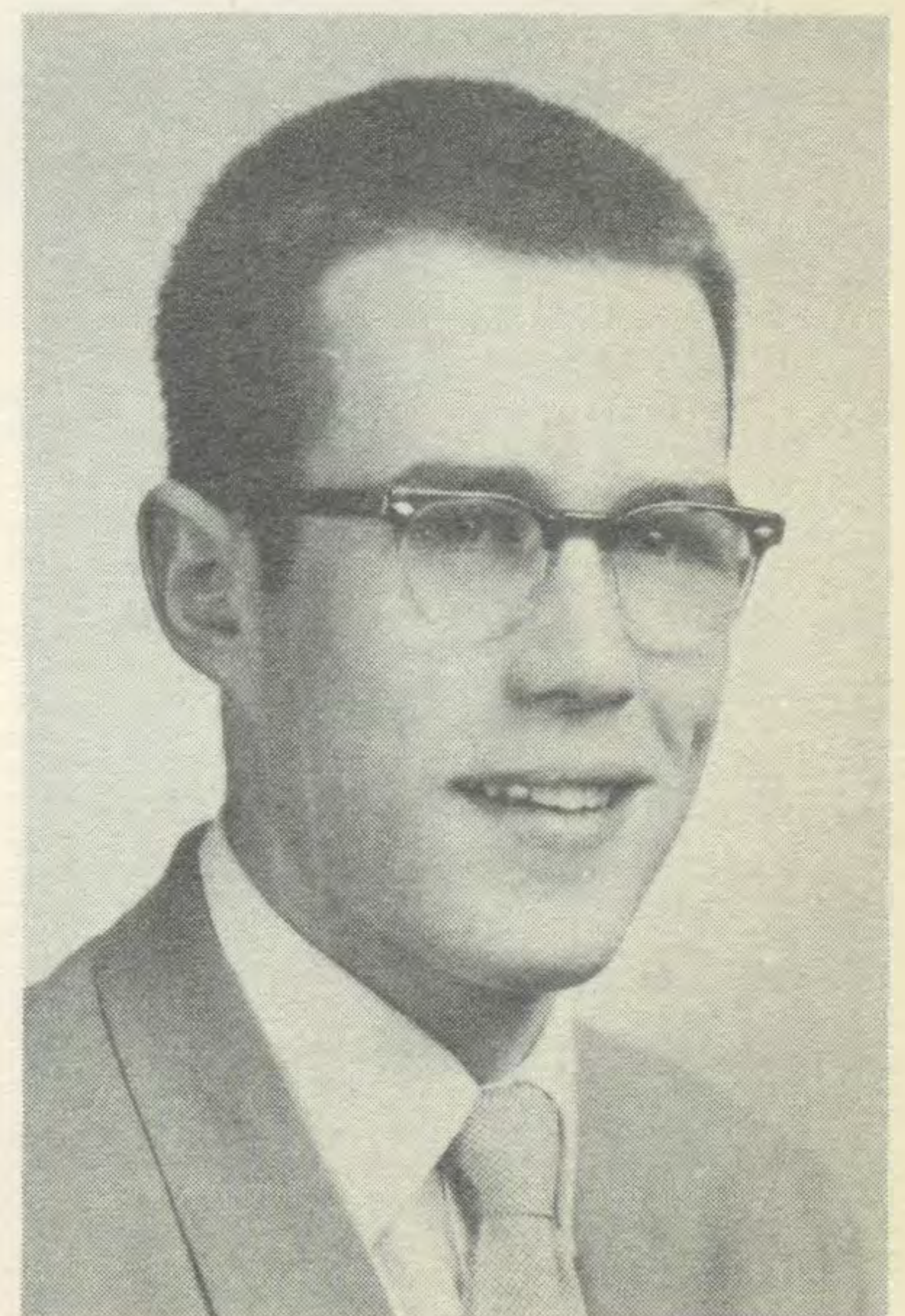


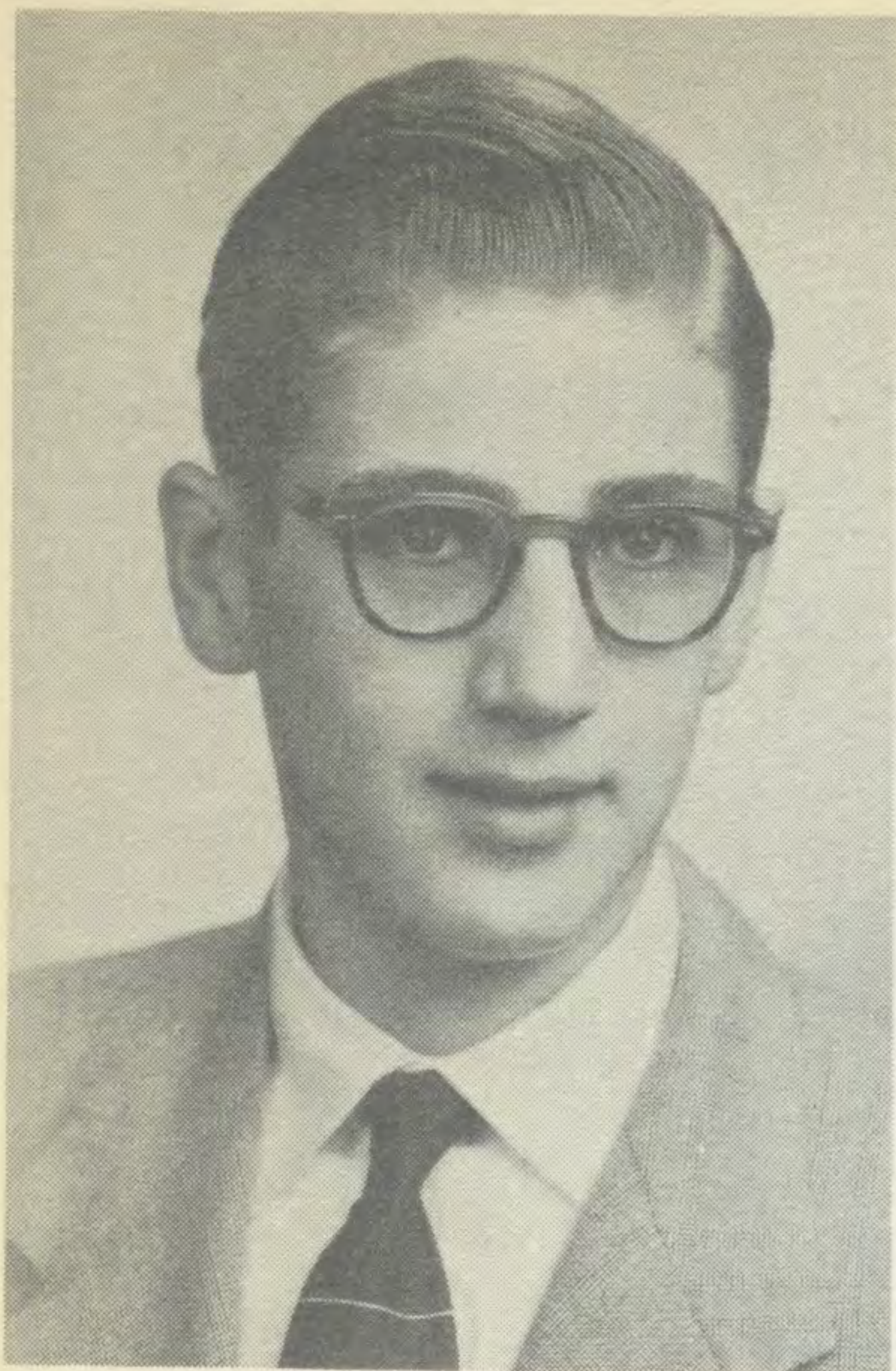
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"Tony"

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PENDERGAST, JACK
"Jack"

Sodality 1, 2
Intermurals 4
Prom Committee 4



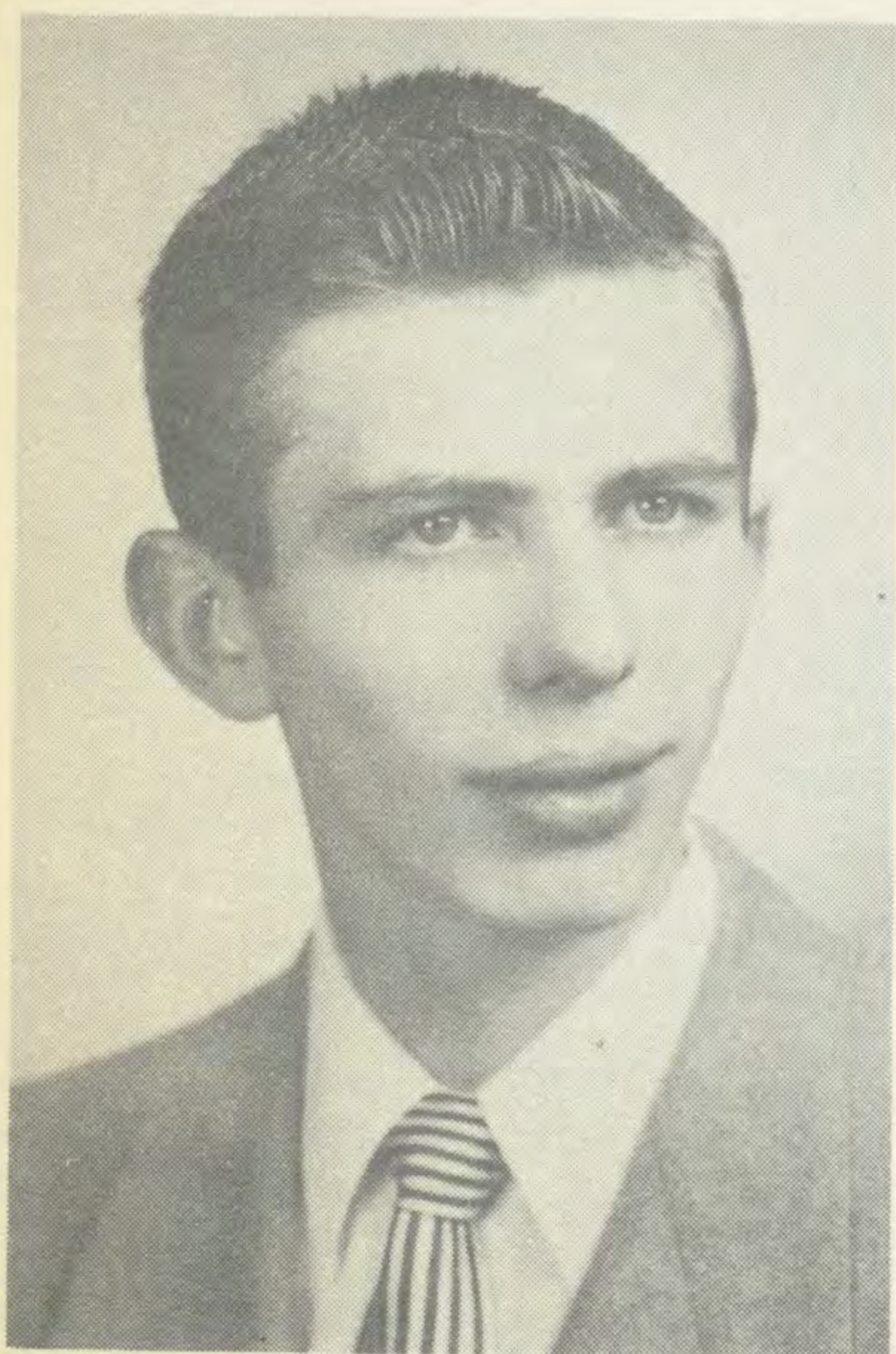
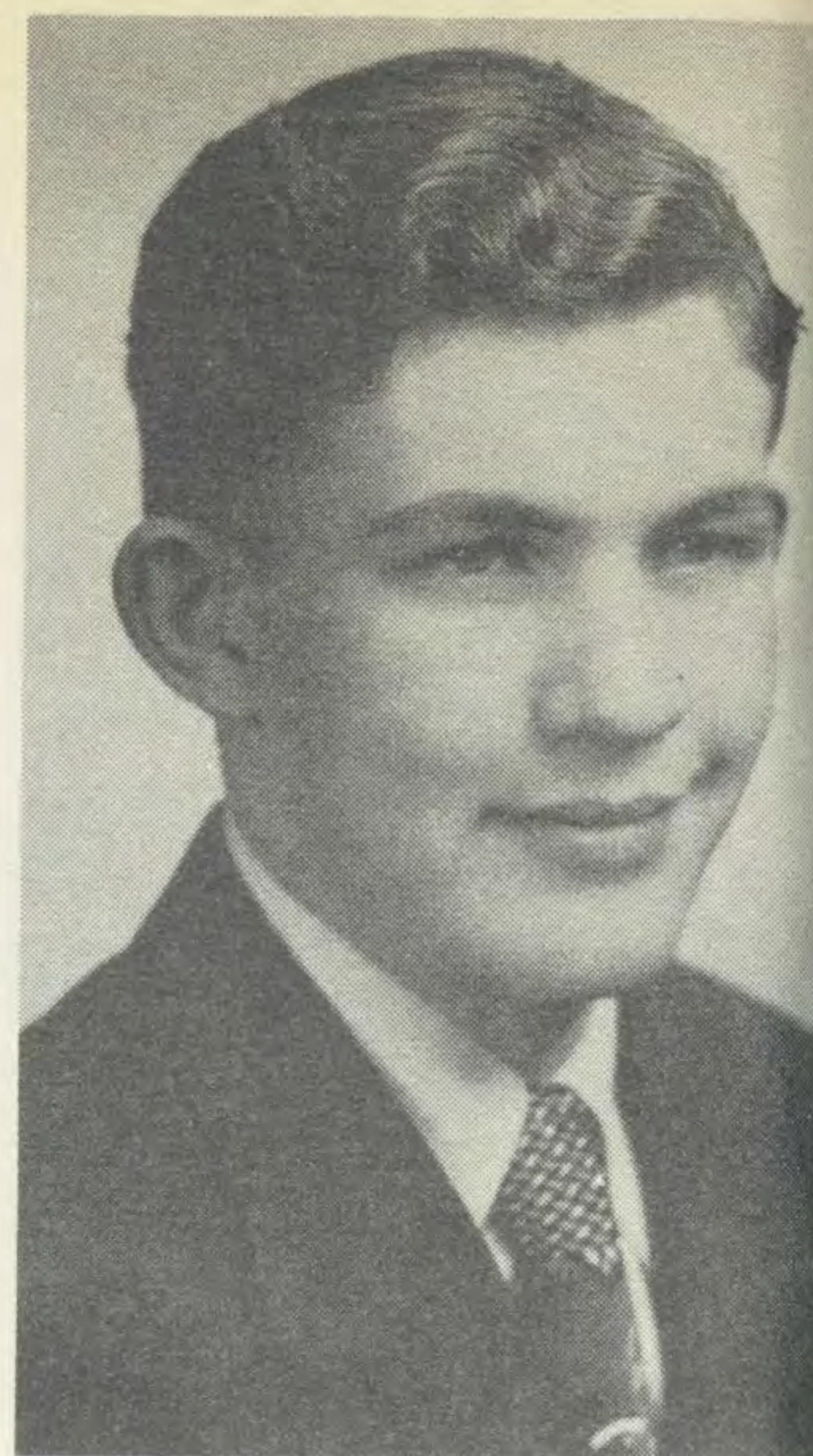


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"Pete"

Honor Roll, 2nd. 1, 3

RAAB, PAUL
"Rabbi"

Band 1
Honor Roll, 2nd. 3, 4
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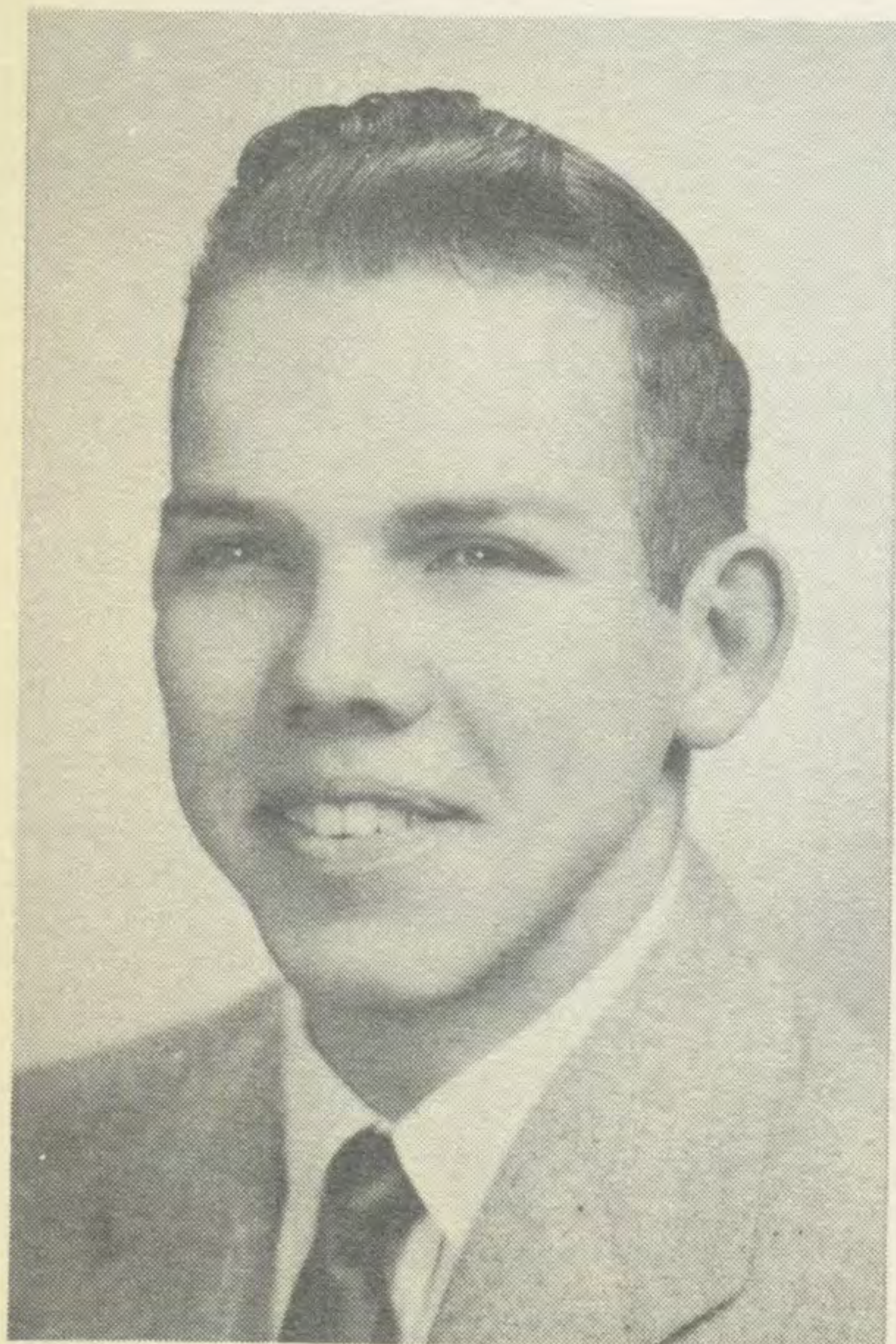
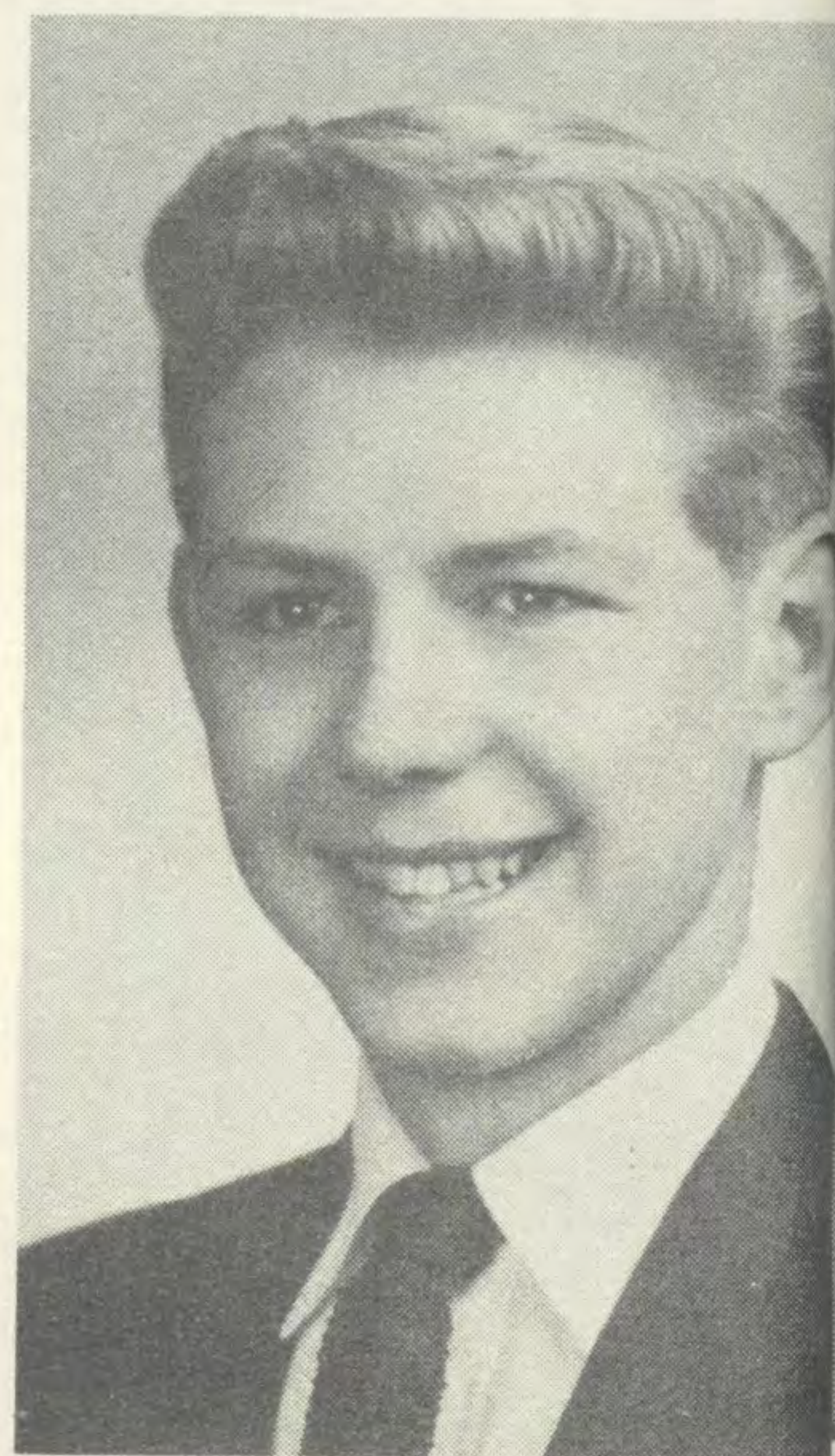


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"Bruno"

Sodality 3
President 1
Recorder Staff 1
Intermurals 3

RITZI, PAUL
"Rizz"

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Minstrel 2
Variety Show 3, 4
Prom Committee 4

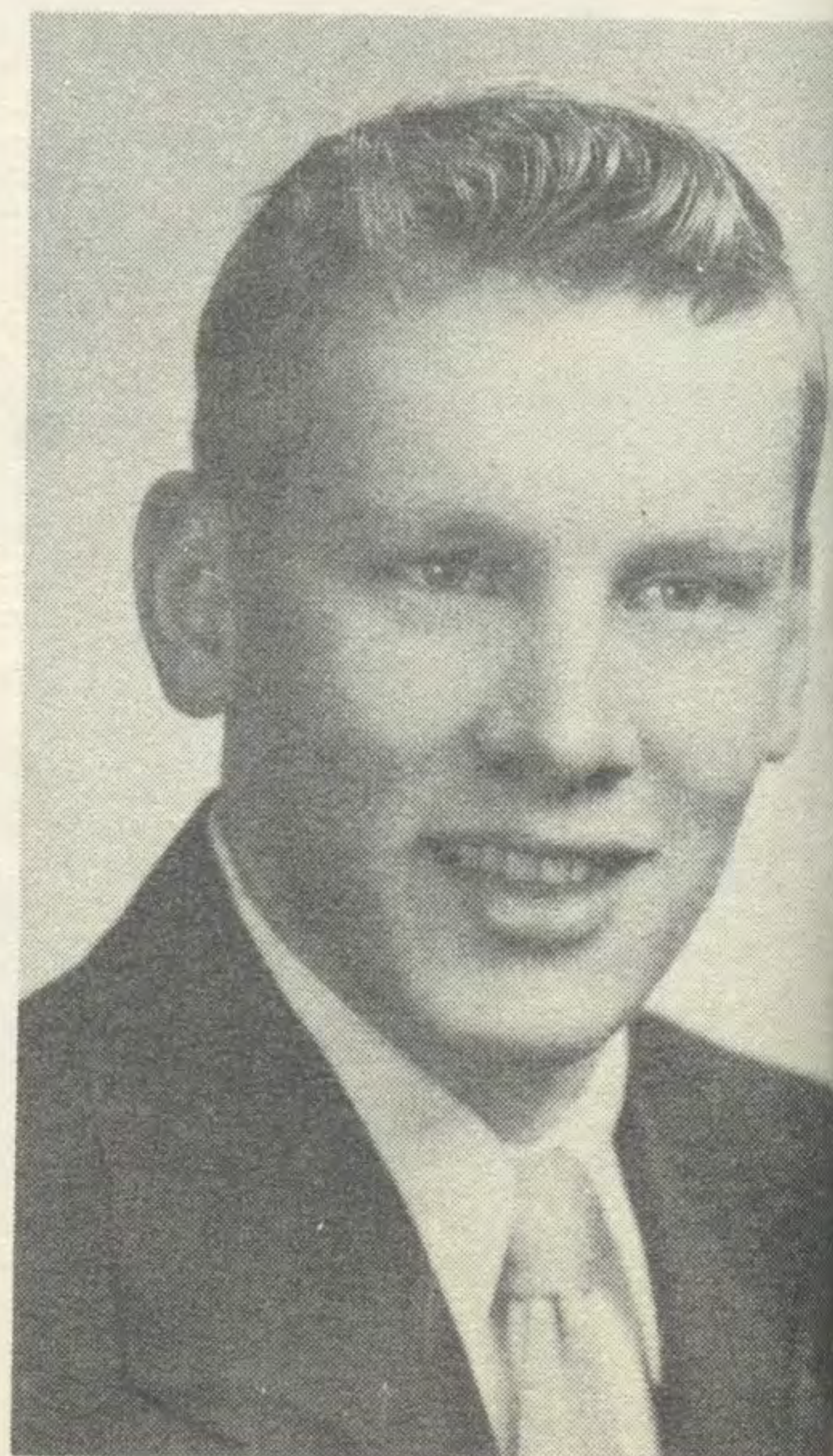


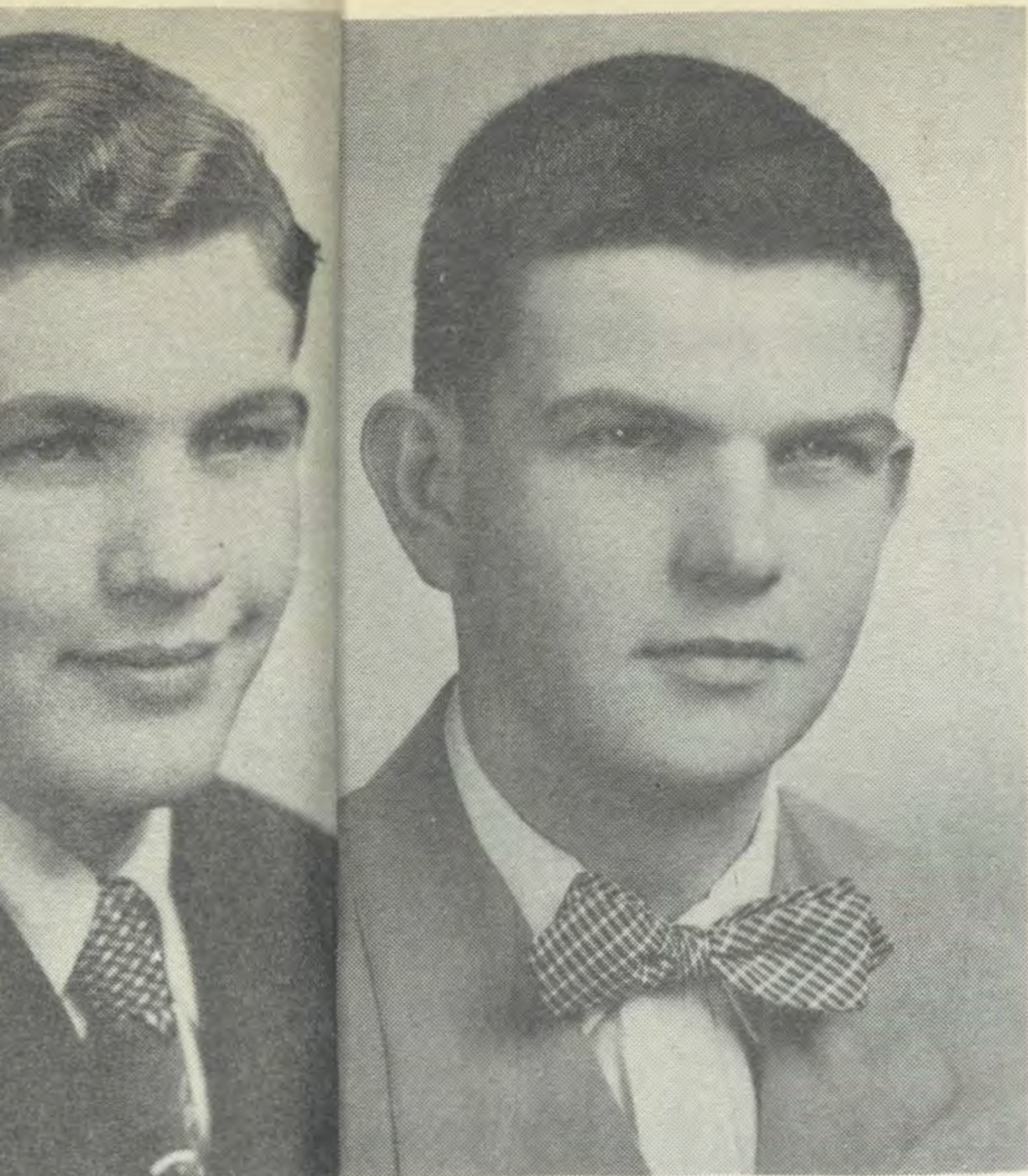
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"Jim"

Intermurals 2, 3

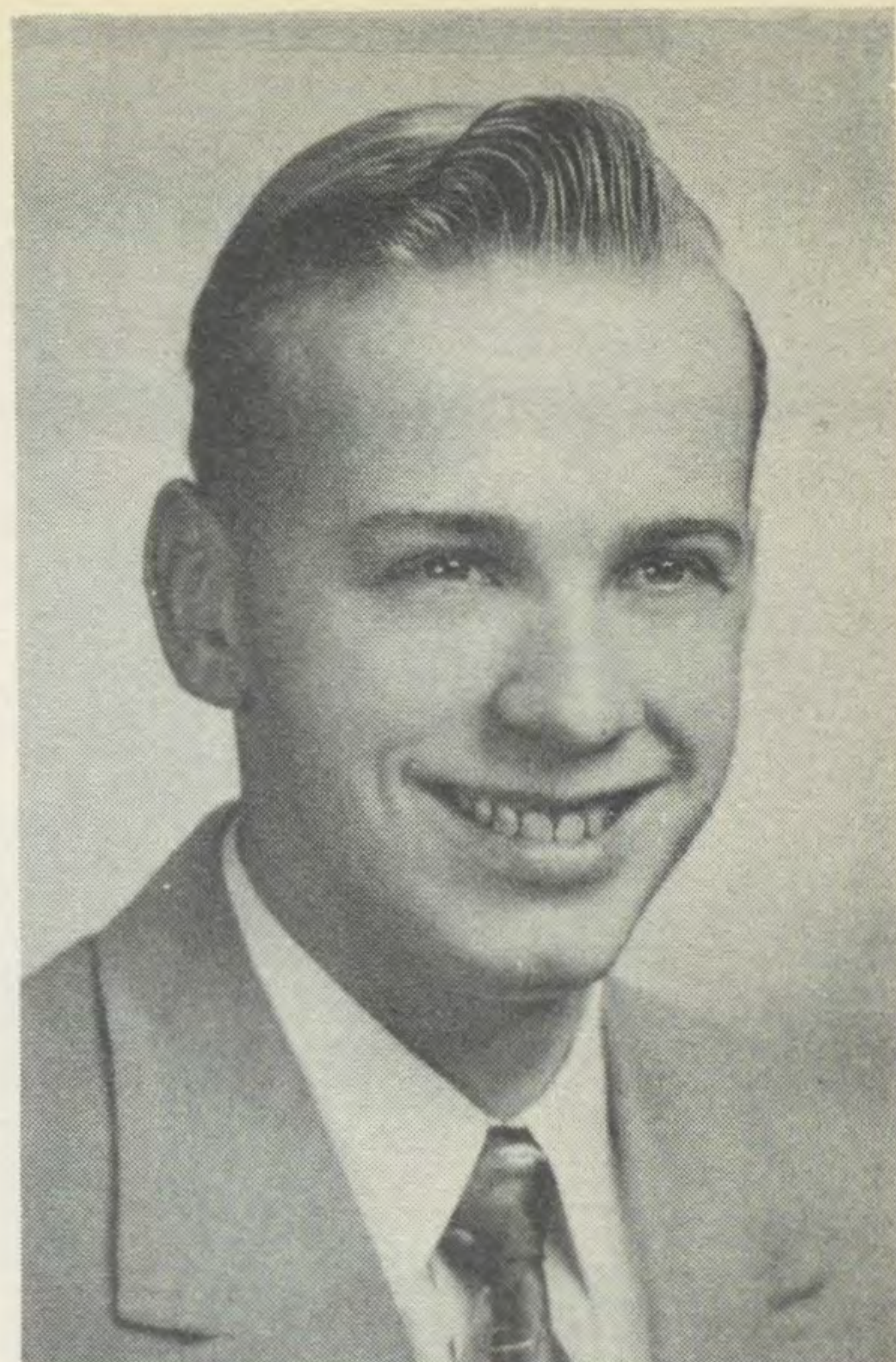
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Sodality 1, 2



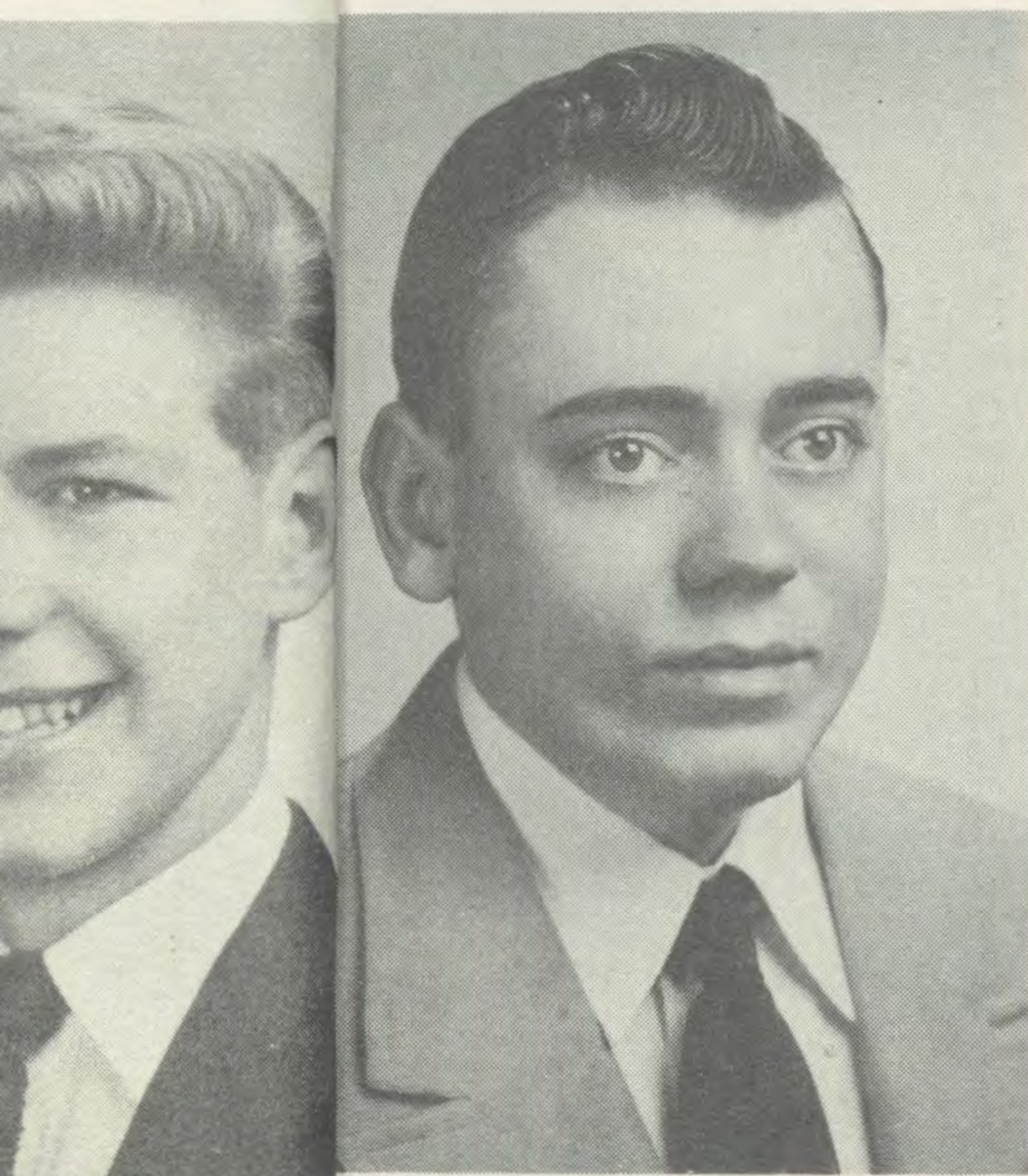


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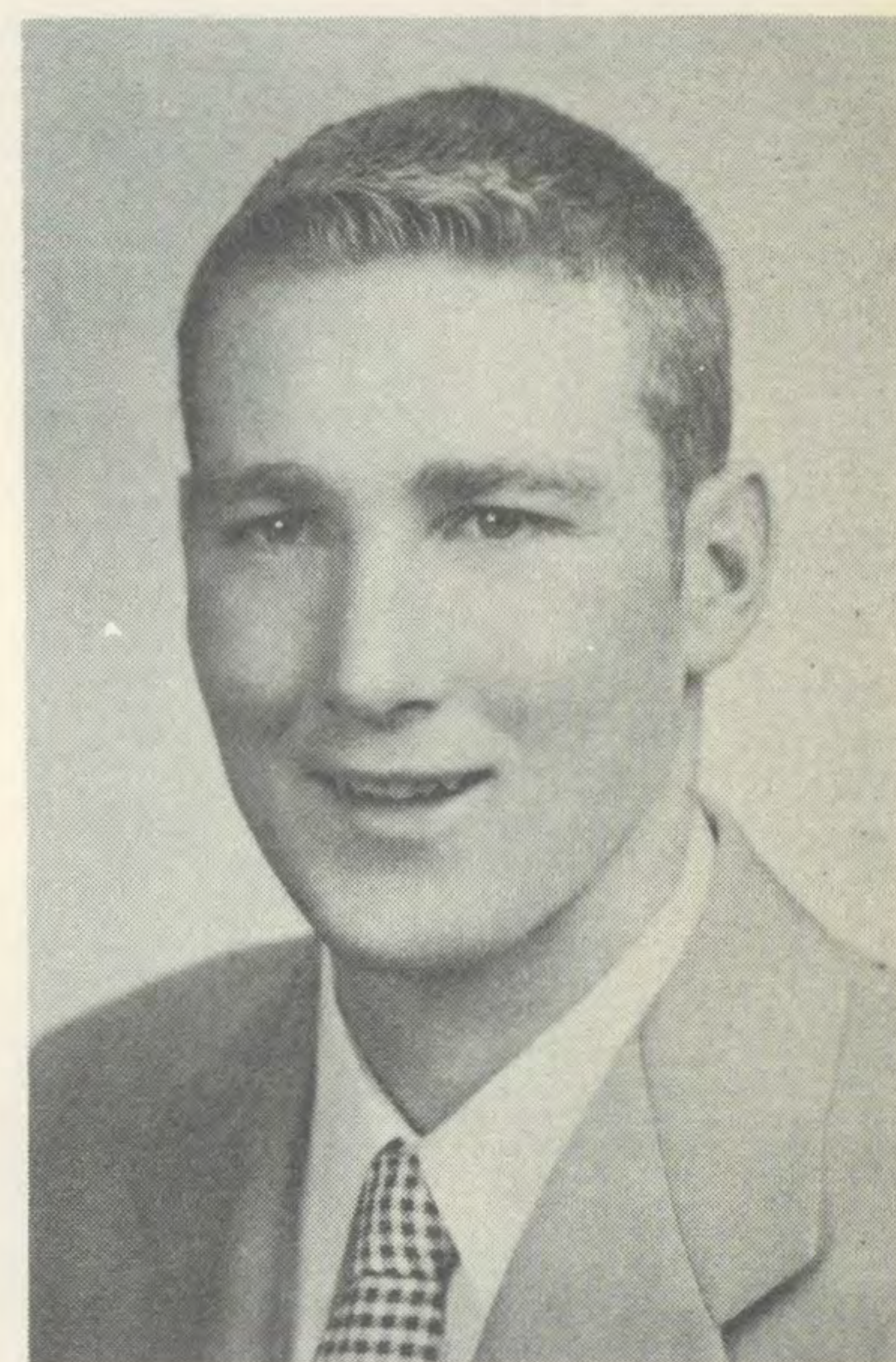


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"Ken"

Band 1, 2

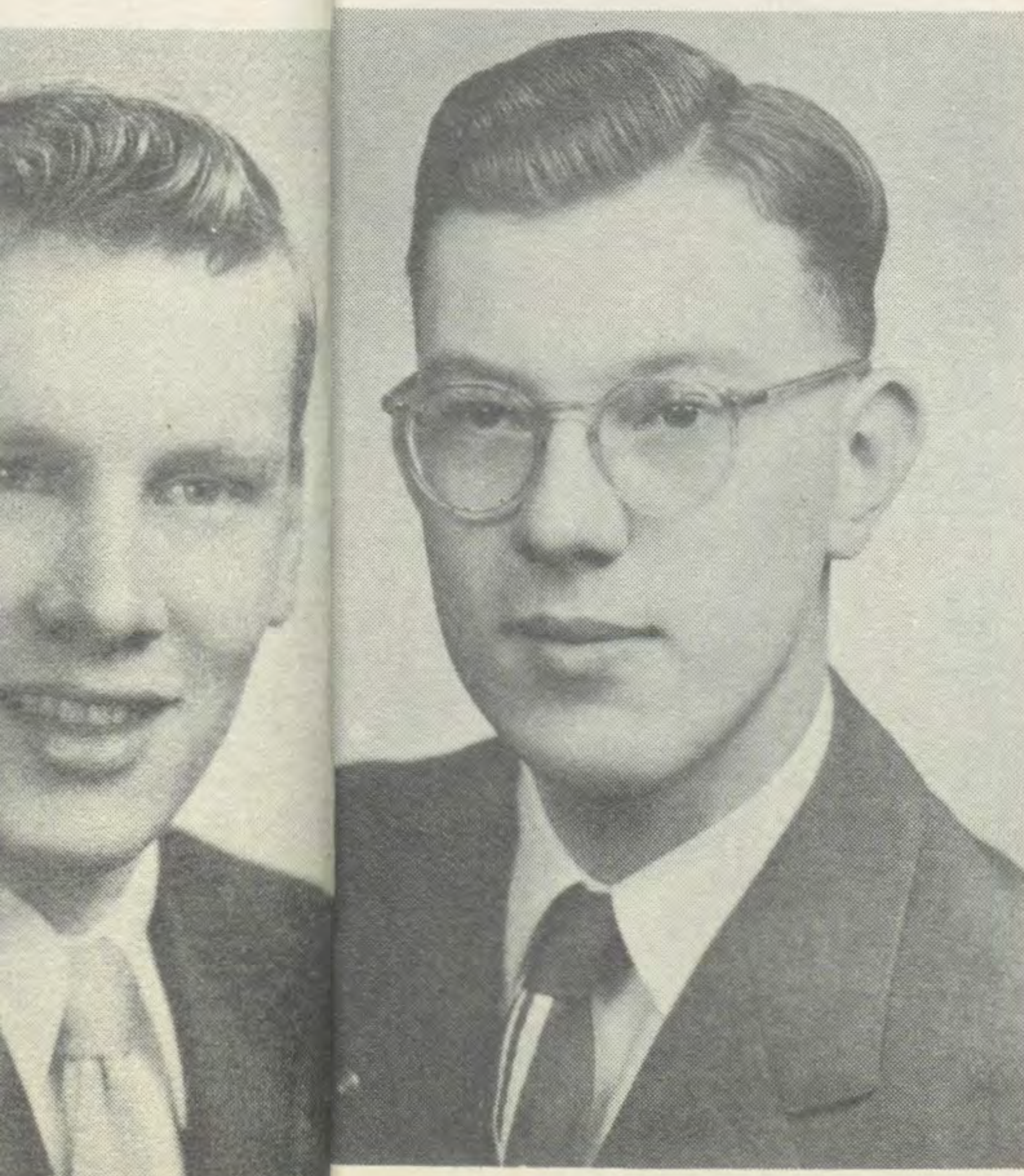


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"Freddie"



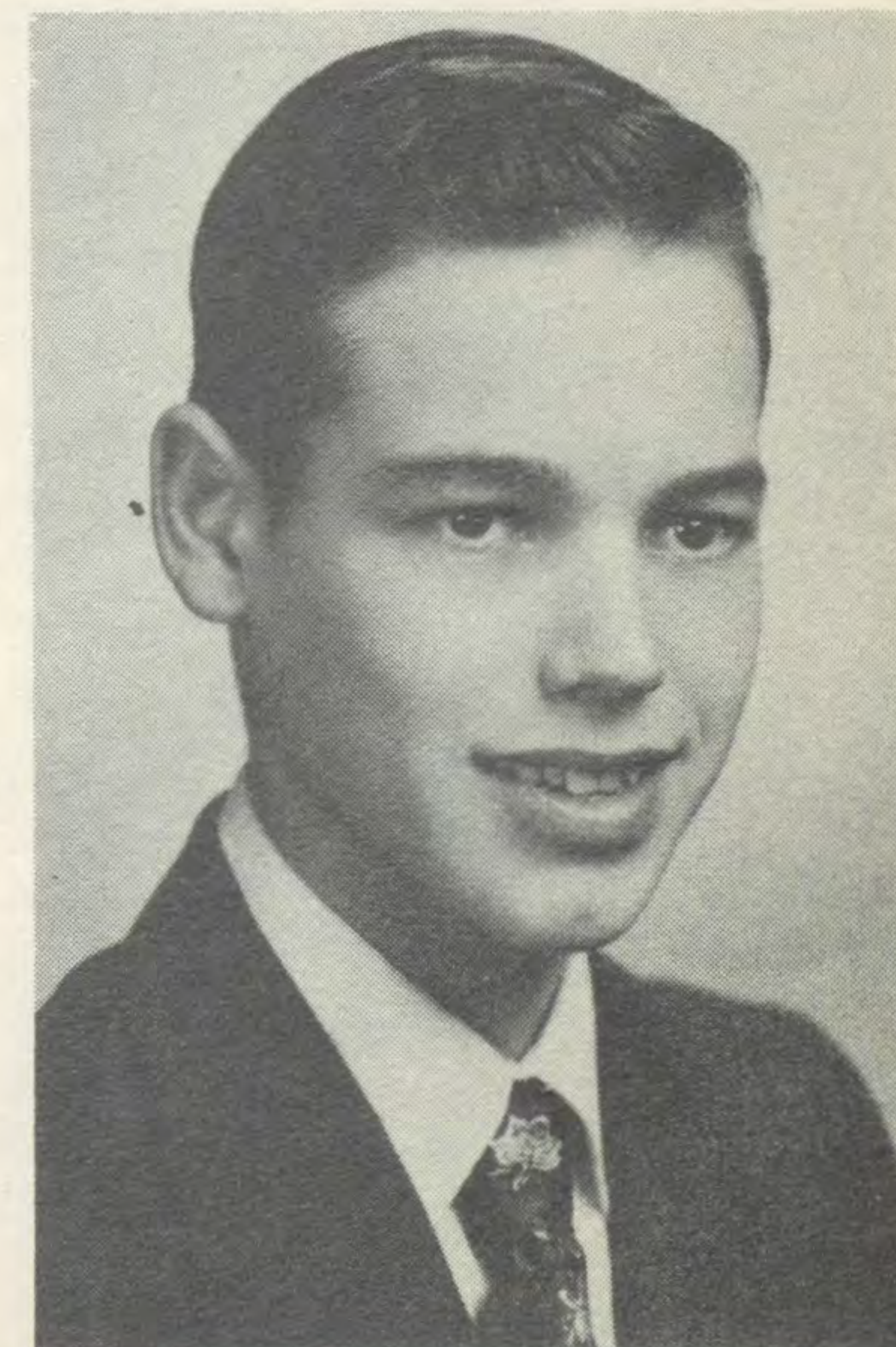
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Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4



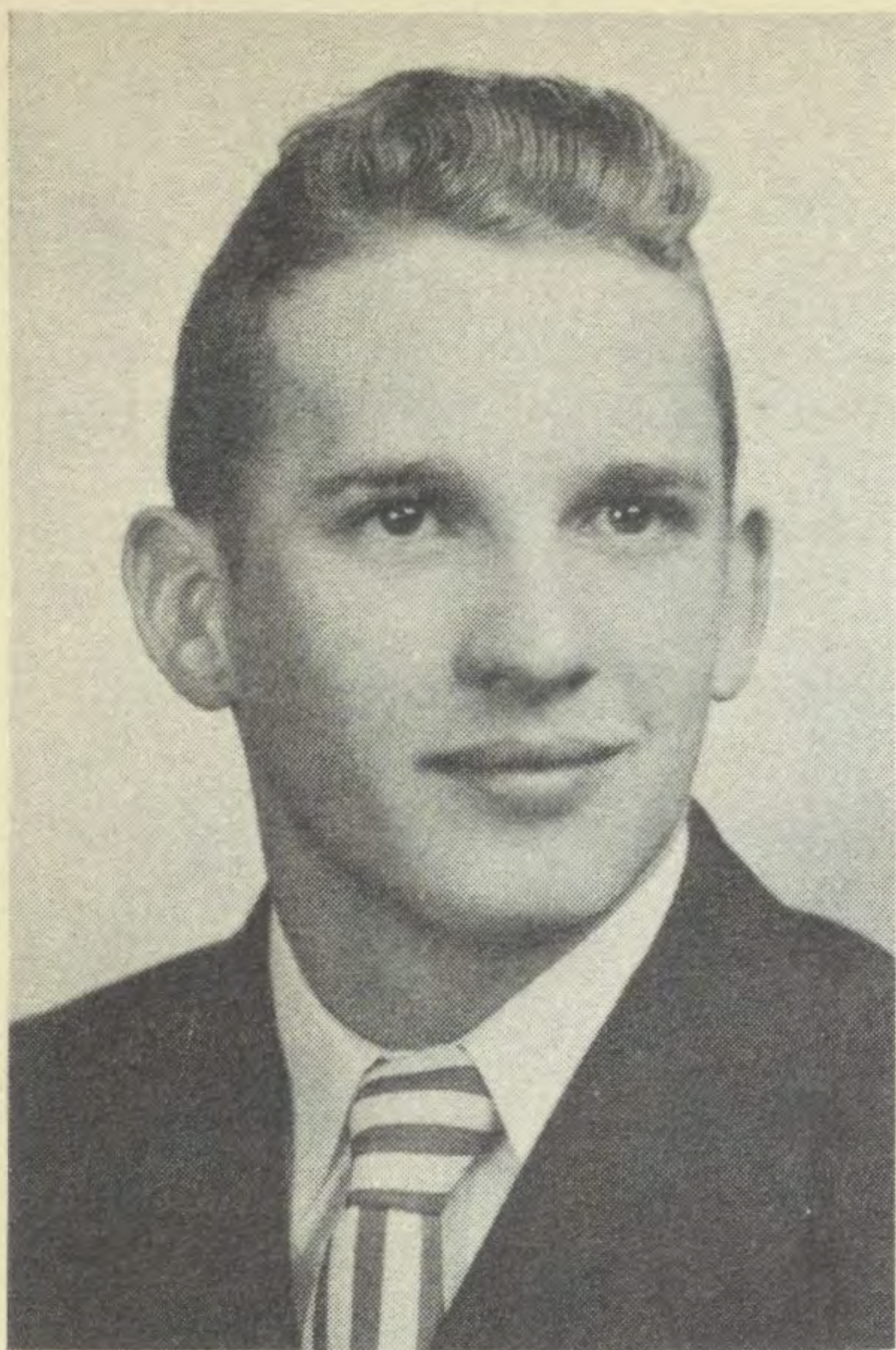
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Sodality 2
Honor Roll, 2nd. 2

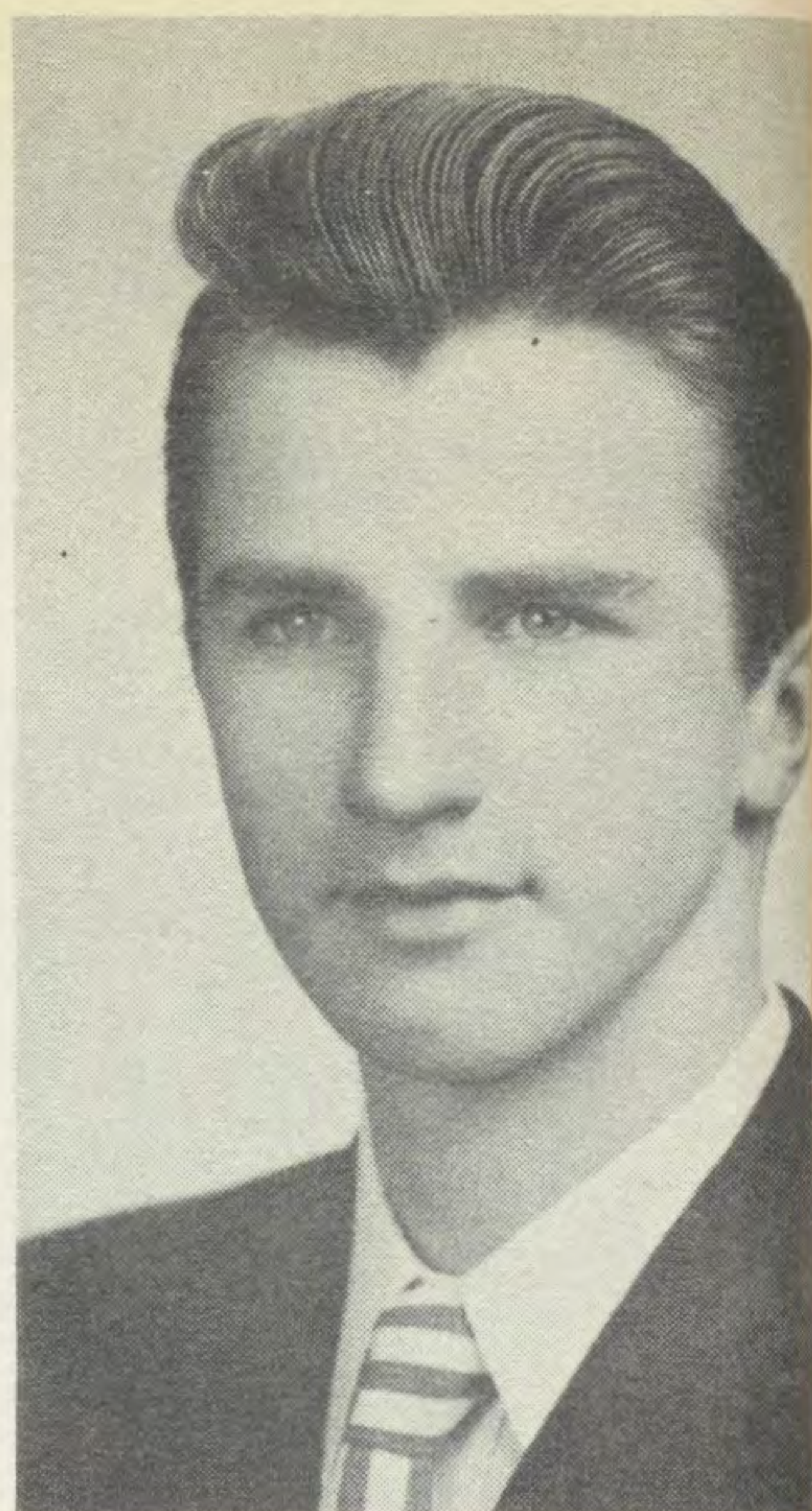


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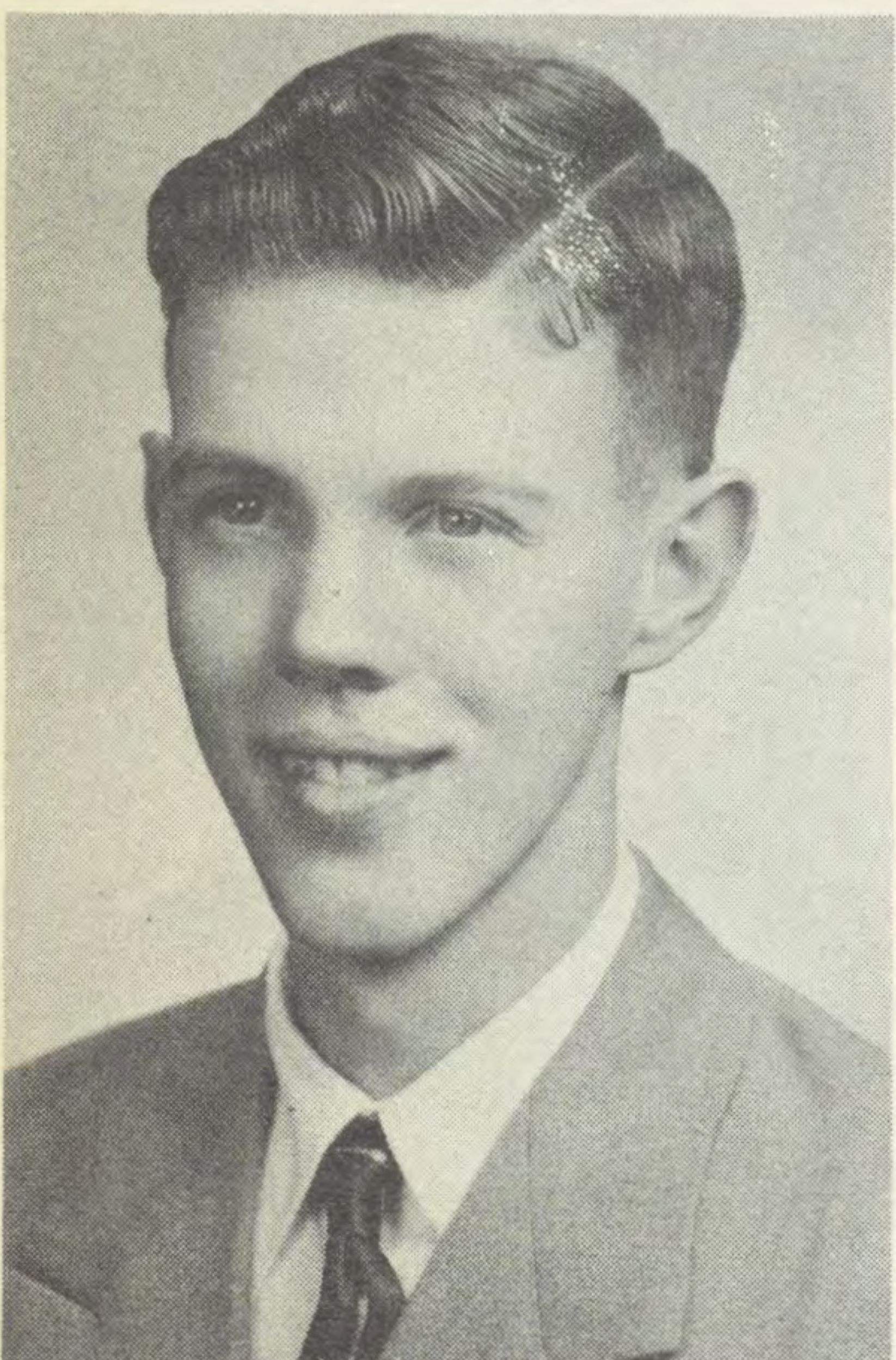
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"Hare"

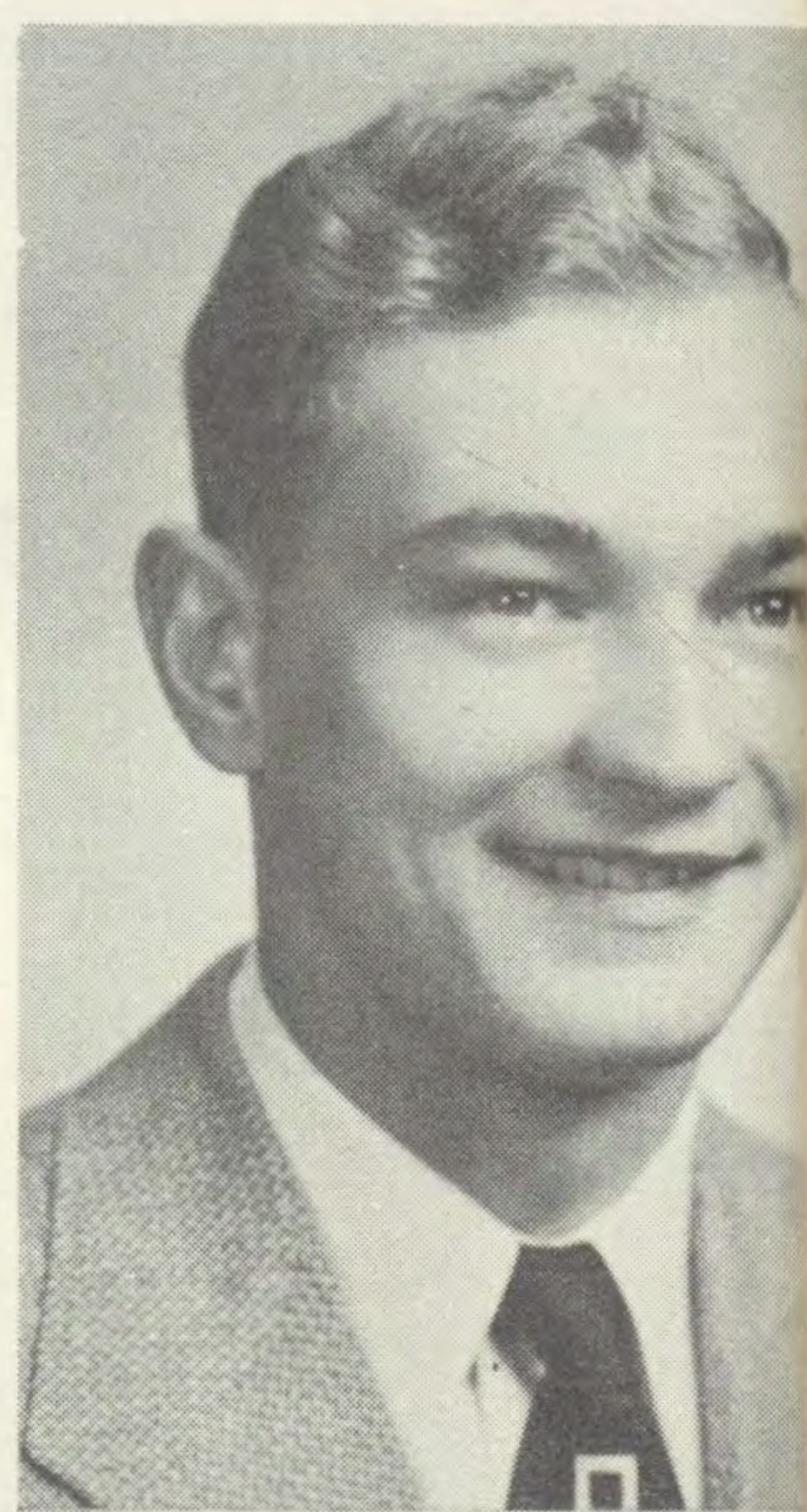


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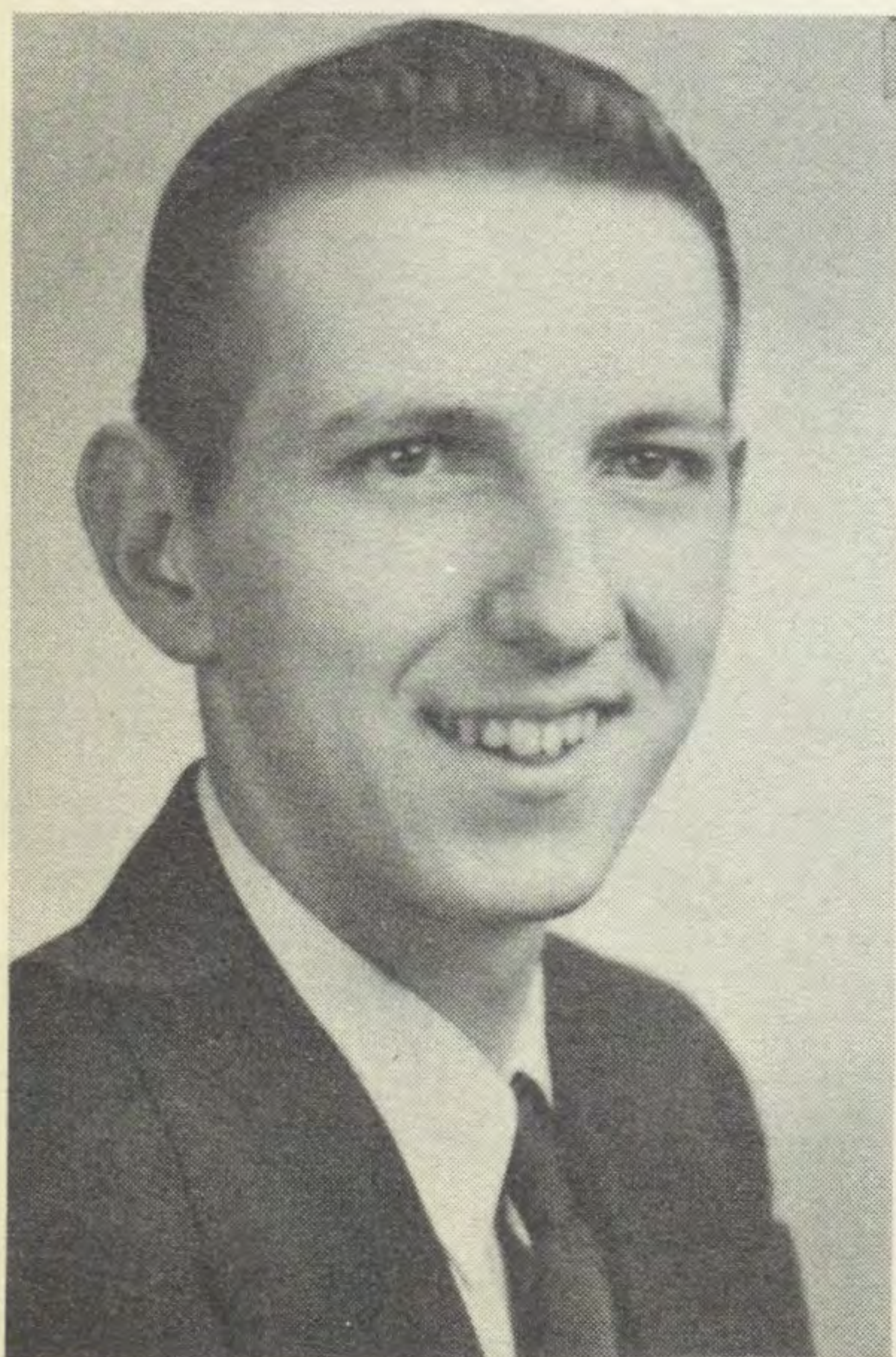


WEICKERT, GEORGE
"George"

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Student Council 4
Sodality 3, 4
Honor Roll, 1st. 1, 4
Honor Roll, 2nd. 2, 3
Vice-President 4
Treasurer 1
Secretary 2, 3
Recorder Staff 3
Intramurals 2
Annual Staff 4
Variety Show 3, 4

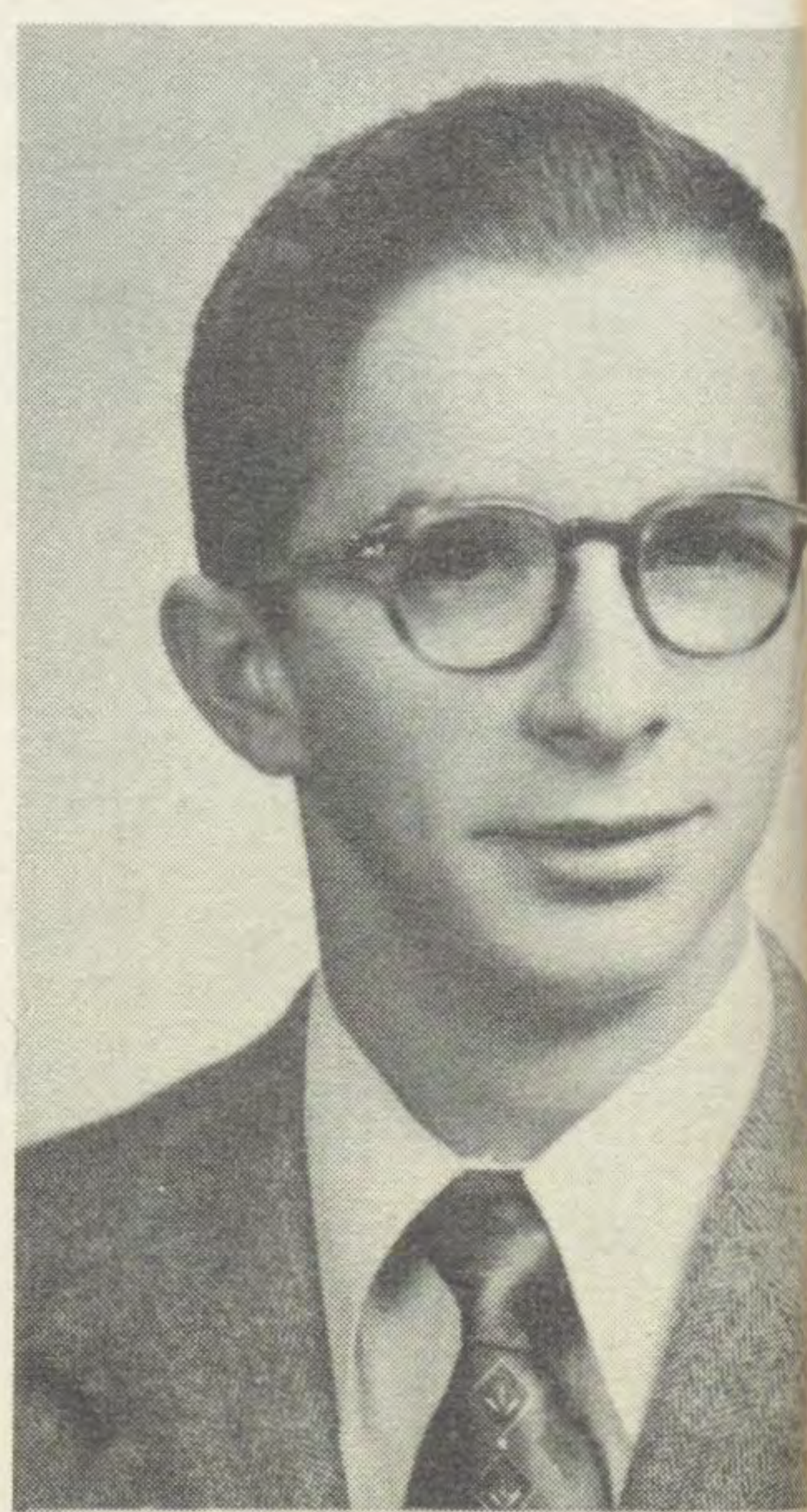


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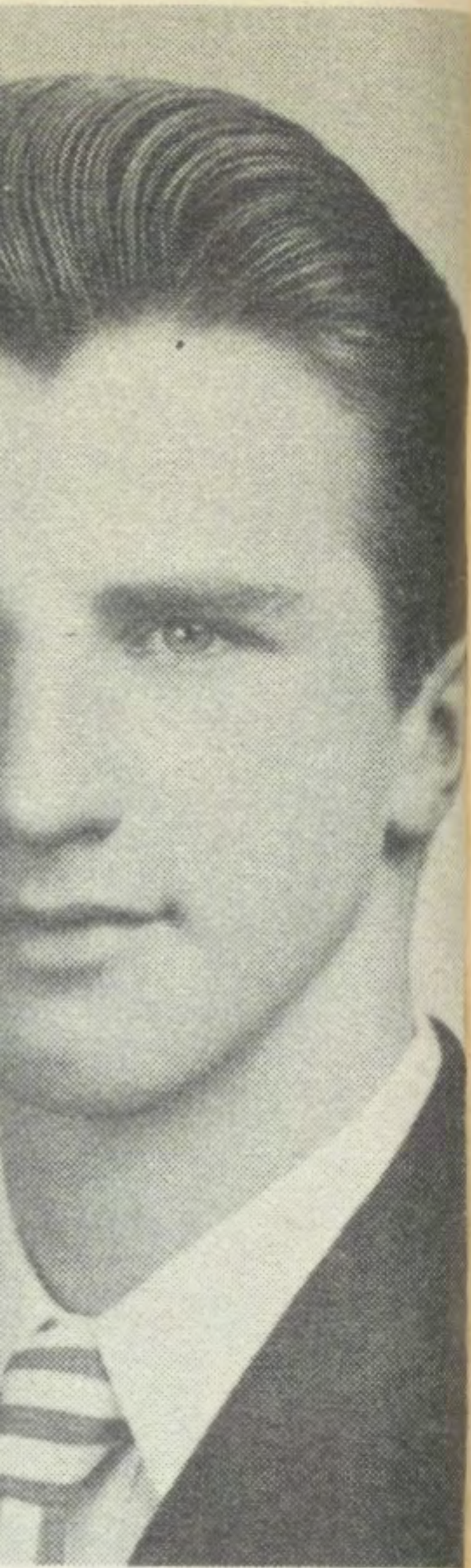
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"Jim"

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Sodality 2, 4
Intramurals 2, 3, 4



WILLENBRINK, JAMES
"Willie"

Intramurals 2, 3
Honor Roll, 2nd, 1, 4



Underclassmen





JUNIOR
CLASS OF



Richard F

JUNIOR A GREENSPARKS



JUNIOR A CLASS OFFICERS

FRONT ROW: D. Dickman; J. Fischer; W. Dornberger; W. Finan; R. Baker; J. Callopy; G. Burbrink; R. Armentrout.
L to R

MIDDLE ROW: N. Bonekowski, R. Hingsbergen; R. Baerman; R. Heit; S. Arminio; R. Dasch; J. Adelsperger; T. Conese; T. Geisler; J. Finlay; D. Conrad; F. Foley; R. Fischer.

BACK ROW: D. Beer; D. Biltz; W. Bell; D. Hake; J. Farquis; G. Molinsky; V. Haight; J. Cox; H. Besanceney.



Richard Fischer; Ronald Armentrout: Don Beer; Fischer.

The 3 A Juniors have already proved that they have the qualities of becoming the leaders of the school. Inspired by Bro. Charles Landin they have gone ahead scholastically. Keep it up. You are the Seniors of tomorrow.

SOPHMORE B GREEN DEVILS

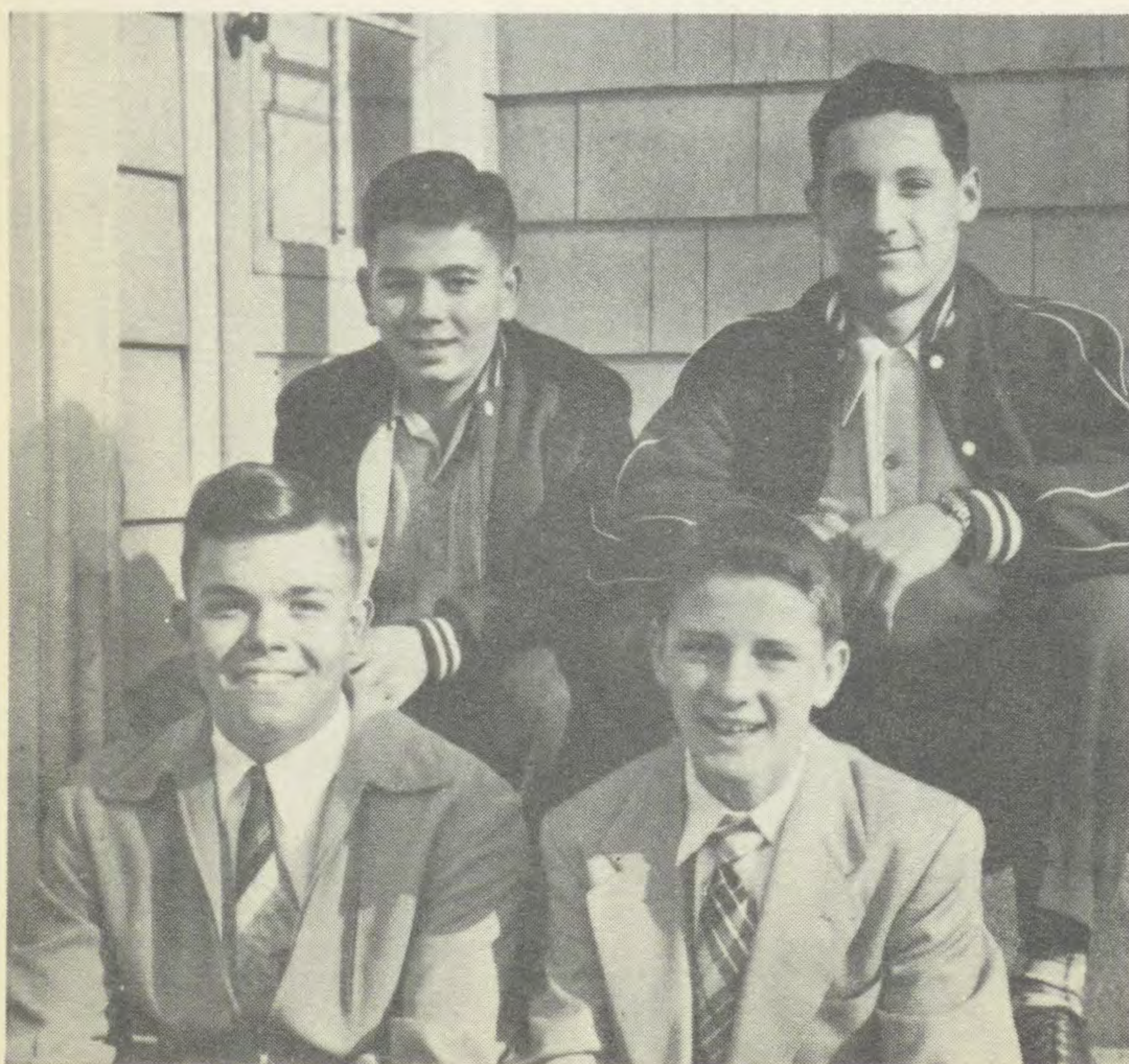


FRONT ROW: B. Rains, J. Madaffari, W. Sheyer, L. Meinking, T. Trauthwein, J. Rosmarin, W. Mick, R. Weber, J. Miller, E. Tipton, J. Suedkan, I. Wilhem, J. Marr.

CENTER ROW: L. VonHagen, W. Saur, R. Wilmer, F. Partee, C. Ostendorf, Meinking, M. Sheard, G. Menchen, R. Senger, T. Shannon, Westrich, L. Westrich, J. Seither, R. Weil, C. McIntyre, L. Zettl

BACK ROW: W. Taylor, R. Natali, G. Marischen, D. Urmstom, L. Pratt, Mick, D. Sander, J. Rathburn, J. Niehaus, E. Rust, G. Nuckols, White.

SOPHOMORE B CLASS OFFICERS

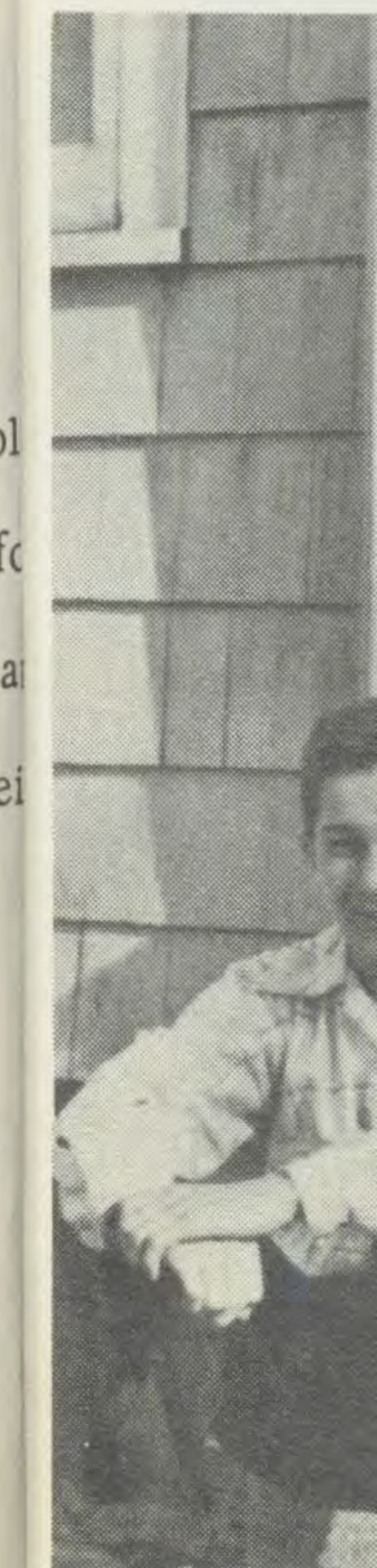


(l to r) Thomas Mich, John Westrick, Louis VonHagen, and John Seither.

Under the guidance of Coach Jack Castignol the 2 B Green Devils have set a fine example for the freshman to follow and we hope they can continue to do so in the coming years of their high school career.



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS



Class Officers:
L to R

FRESHMAN A GREEN HORNETS

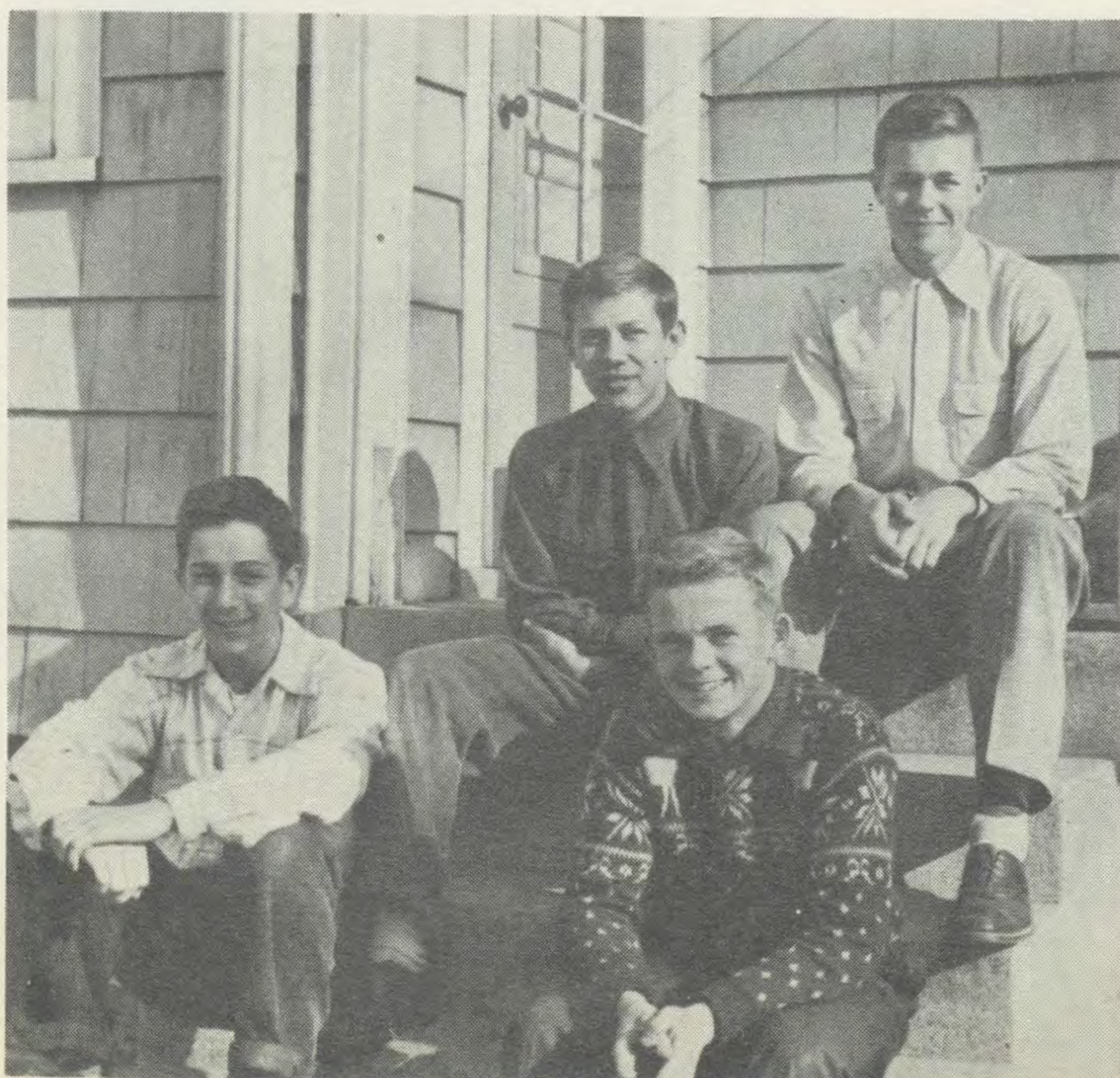


FRESHMAN A CLASS OFFICERS

FRONT ROW: L to R R. Antes; G. McFarland; R. Marschen; C. Fike; G. McGrath; T. Connoughton; W. Herzog; D. Baynes; W. Fox; R. Gardner; D. Biondo; L. Hoff; G. Meece.

MIDDLE ROW: J. Huasfeld; M. Hiltz; R. Burns; W. Fritsch; W. Irwin; T. Fredick; R. Holstein; R. Glomb; H. Becker; D. Fritsch; K. Christ; D. Fulmer; L. Burke; T. Donges; W. Droppleman.

BACK ROW: W. Lenihan; M. Brinner; J. Becker; P. Griselhuber; R. McElfresh; G. Froelke; T. Amiot; D. Hingesbergen



Class Officers: Daniel Hingesbergen; George Meece; Richard Glomb; Duglass Beckman.
L to R

The wide eyed freshmen of 1 A spurred on by Bro. John Nueherz have jumped right into the spirit of things. We hope that when they enter their sophomore year that they will continue to maintain their spirit and drive.

FRESHMEN B GREEN SABRE JETS



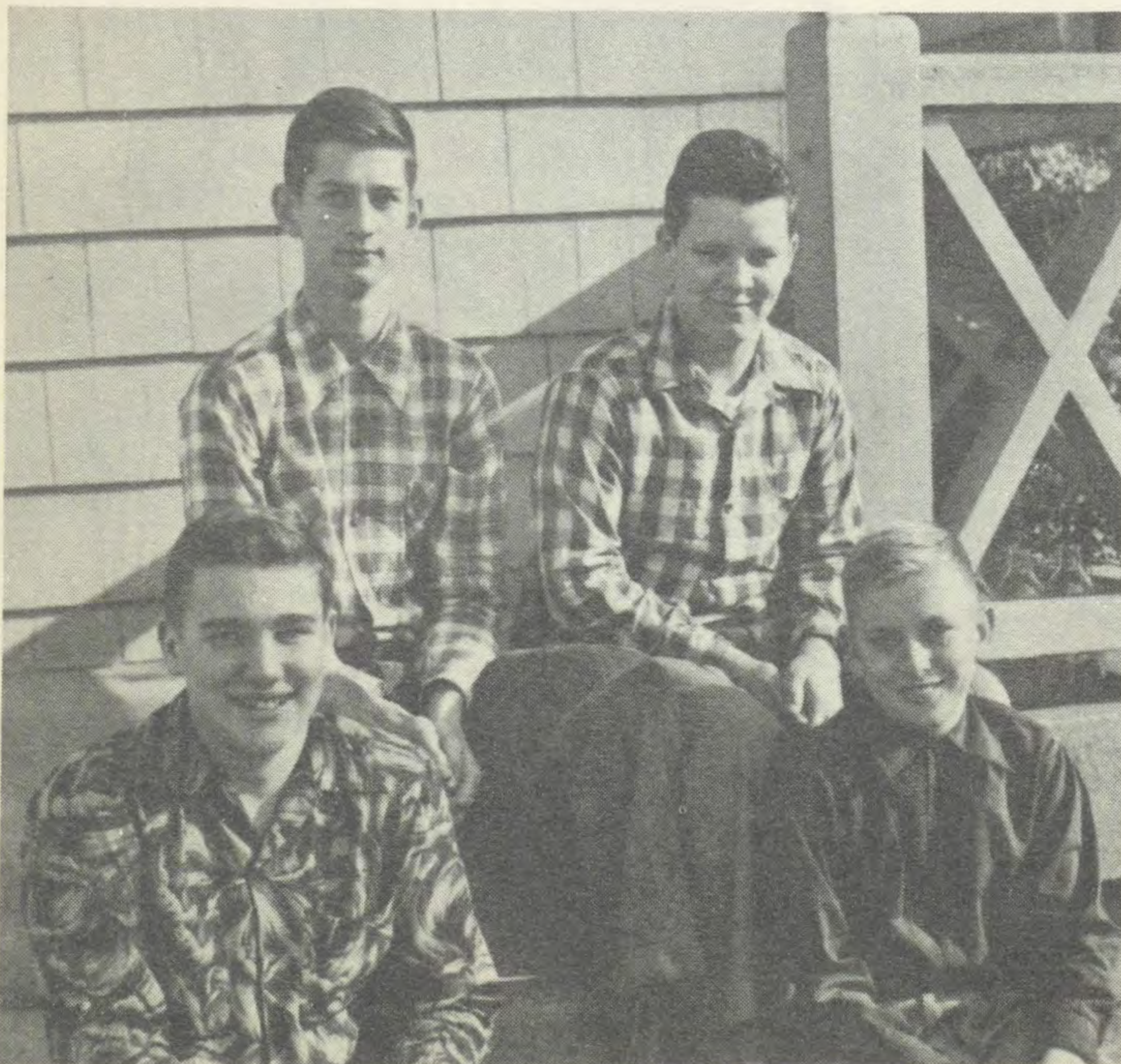
FRONT ROW: A. Schnapp; W. Secrest; T. Sparacio; S. Torello; M. Smith; J. Th
L to R T. Pacuicrk; P. O'Donnel; D. Ondreyko; F. Wilke; R. Rosch
Weber; E. Wagner.

MIDDLE ROW: D. Morningstar; J. Pfirman; B. Sehlhorst; D. Schimdt; W. Sch
M. Zeek; E. Robb; J. Menninger; R. Steiver; G. Steiger; H. W

BACK ROW: J. Stephen; J. Vidourek; D. Schauerte; D. Nichting; P. Osterberg
C. Stitzel; J. Morgan; R. Tann; W. Rosendahl; D. Scheid; R. Stehlin; R. Ve

FRESHMEN B

CLASS OFFICERS



CLASS OFFICERS (L to R) Robert Tann; Mark Smith; David Nichting; Charles Stitzel.

The freshmen of 1B, entered Hamilton Catholic a little green, but as all freshmen do they soon found themselves. To prove this, they have won every drive except one. It looks as if Bro. Andrew Hawke has done a marvelous job in instilling school spirit into the boys.



Sports



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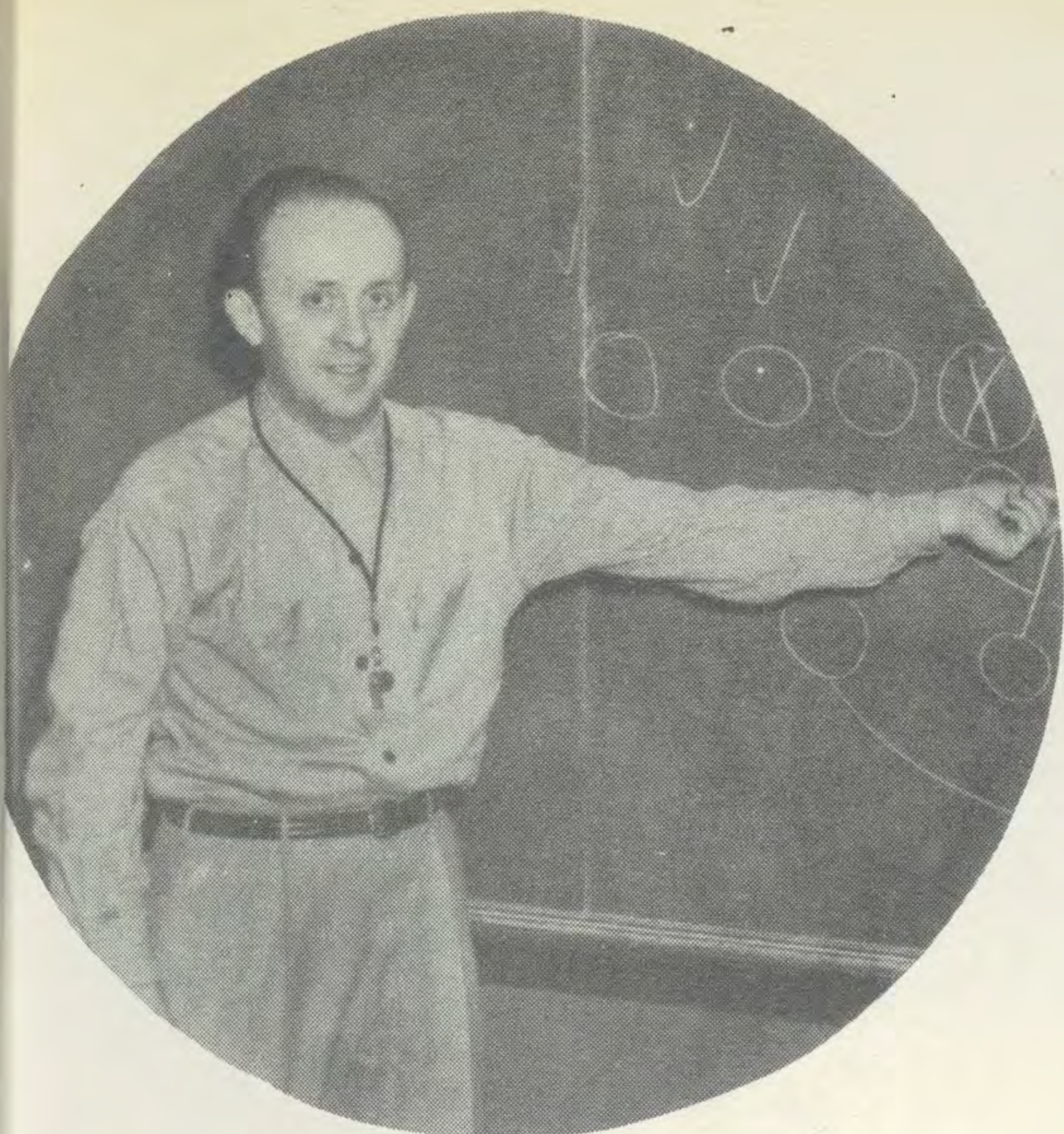


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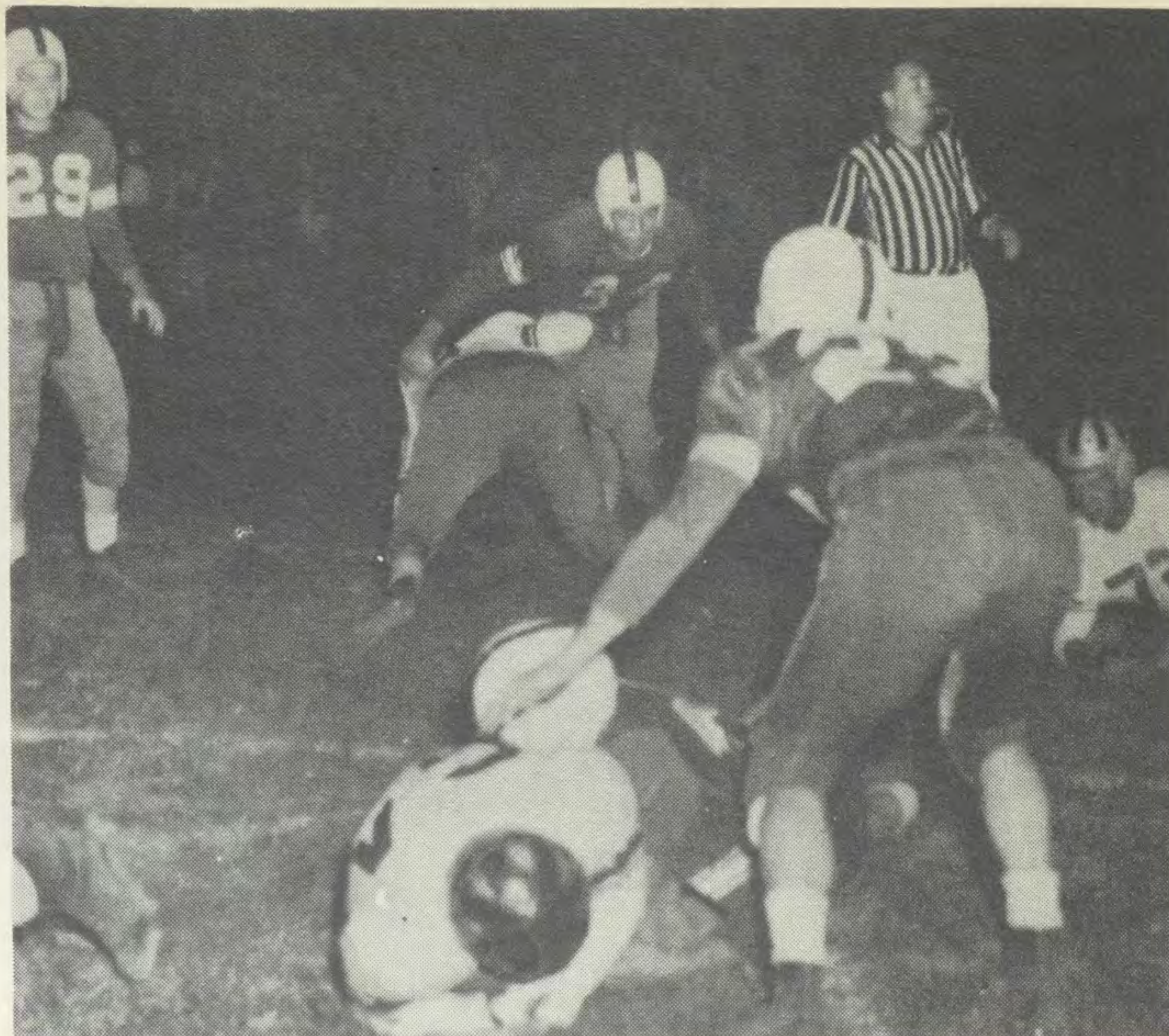


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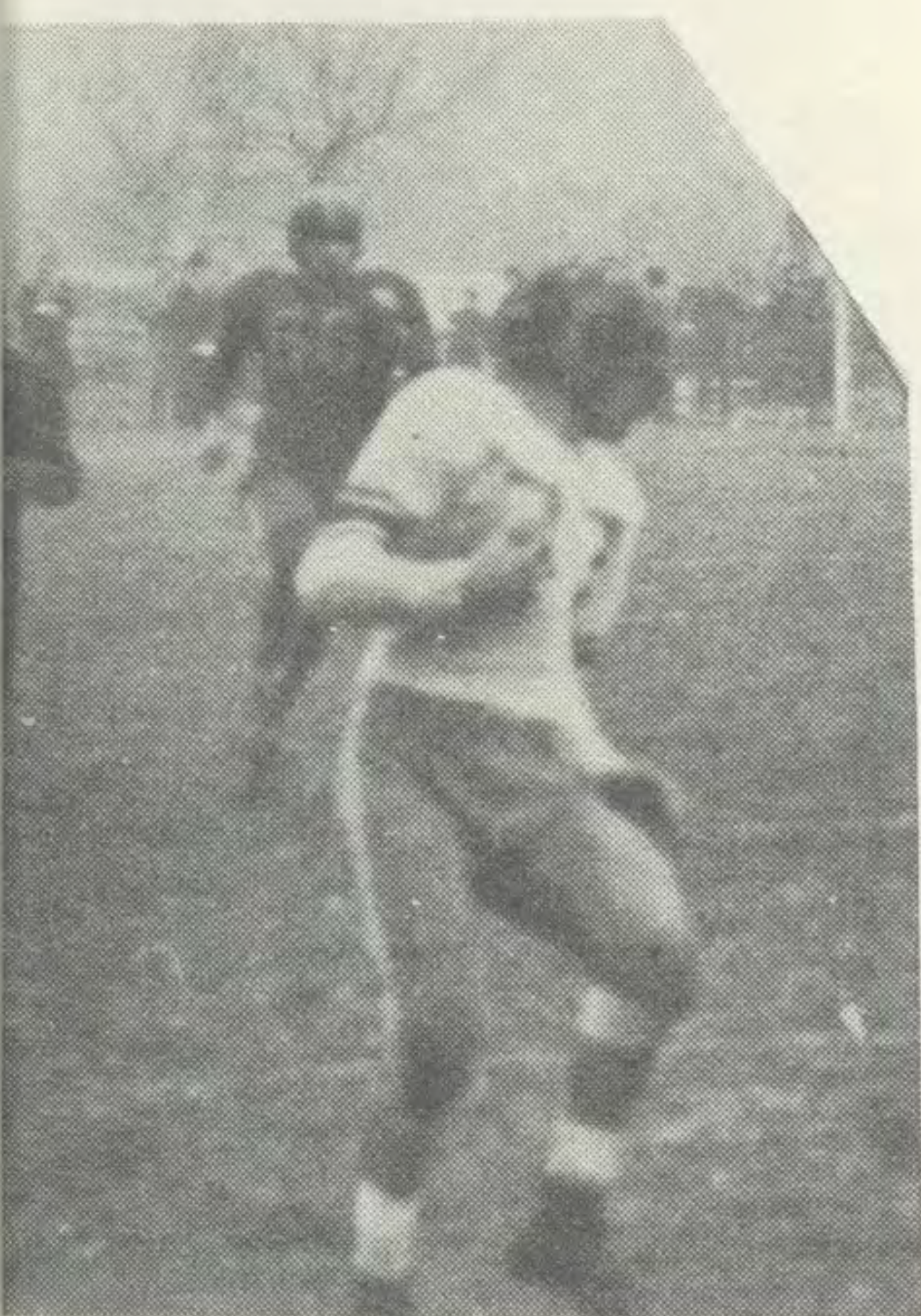




Bob Adams
Head Football Coach
Asst. Basketball Coach



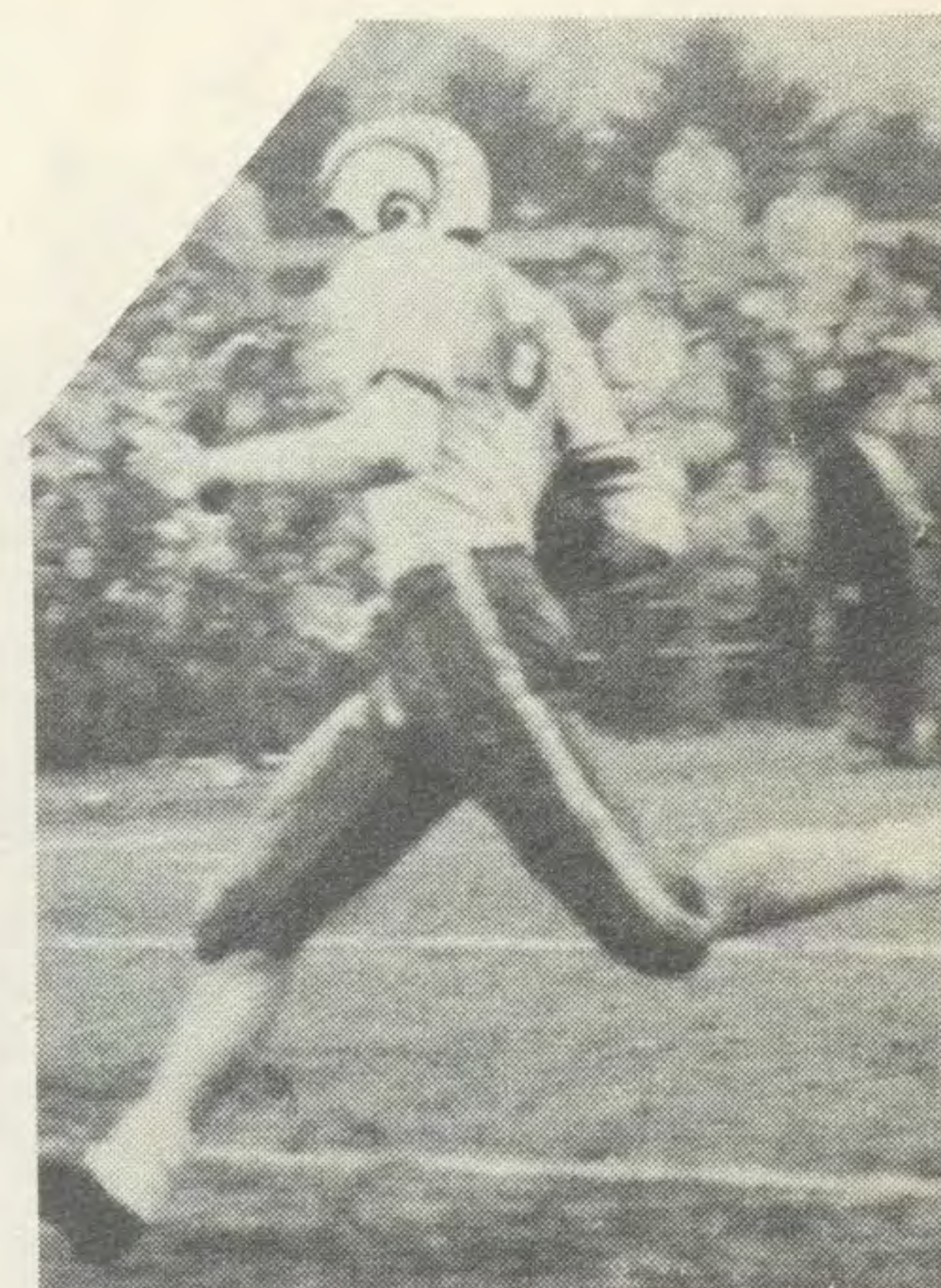
Bob Singhoffer Scores!



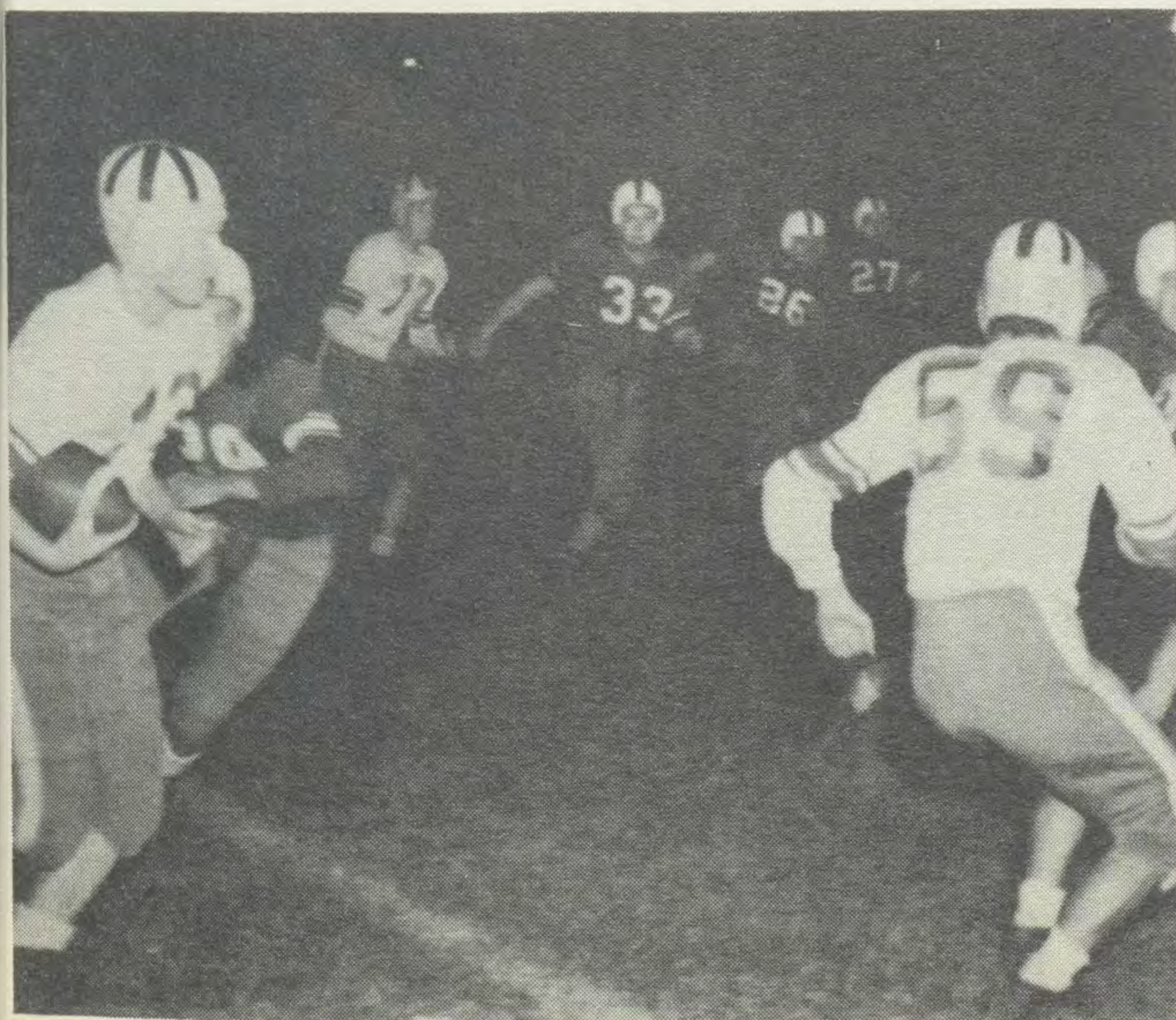
Claude Chaney



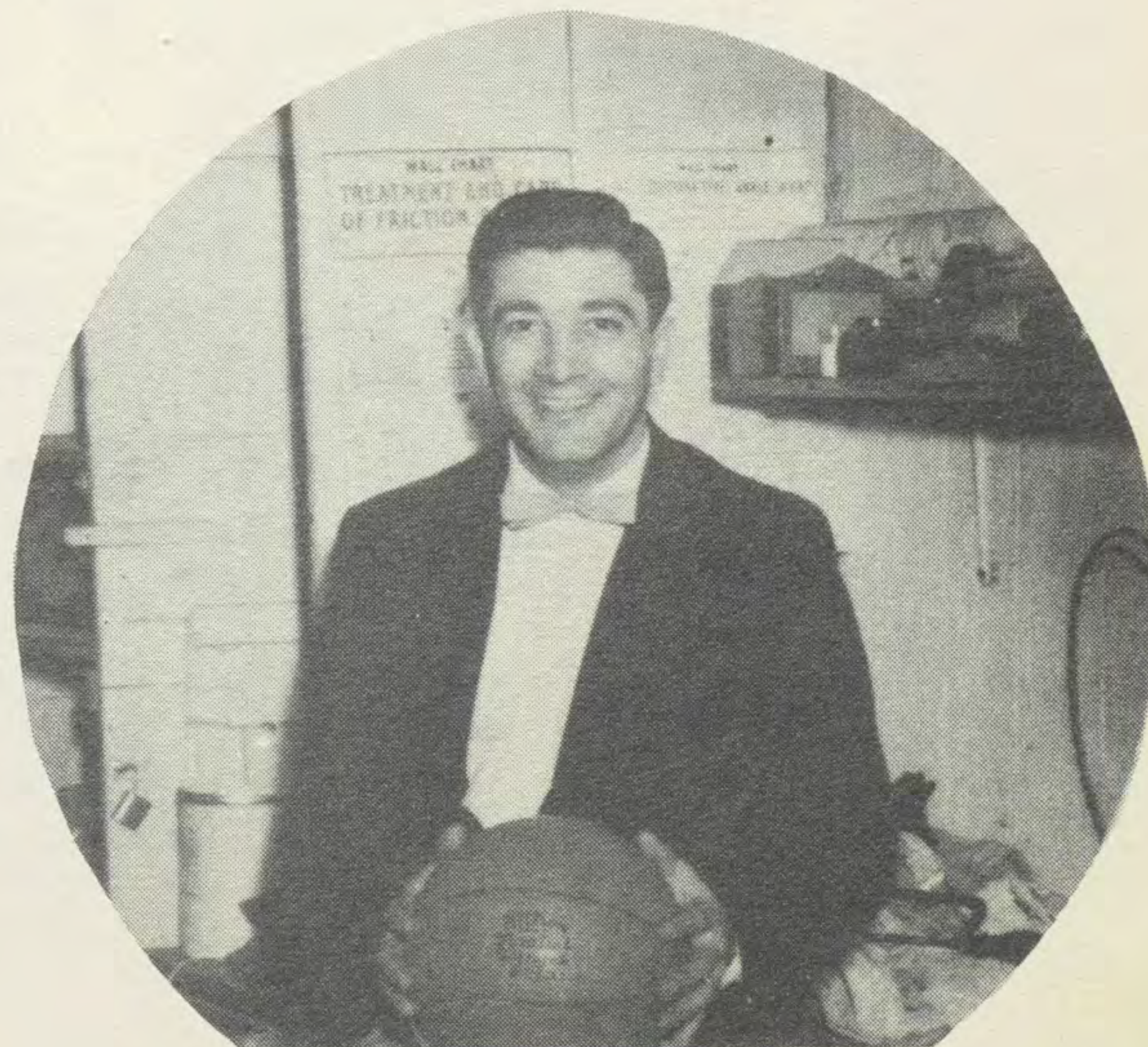
Bro. Frank Perko, S.M.
Athletic Director



Boyd Stevenson

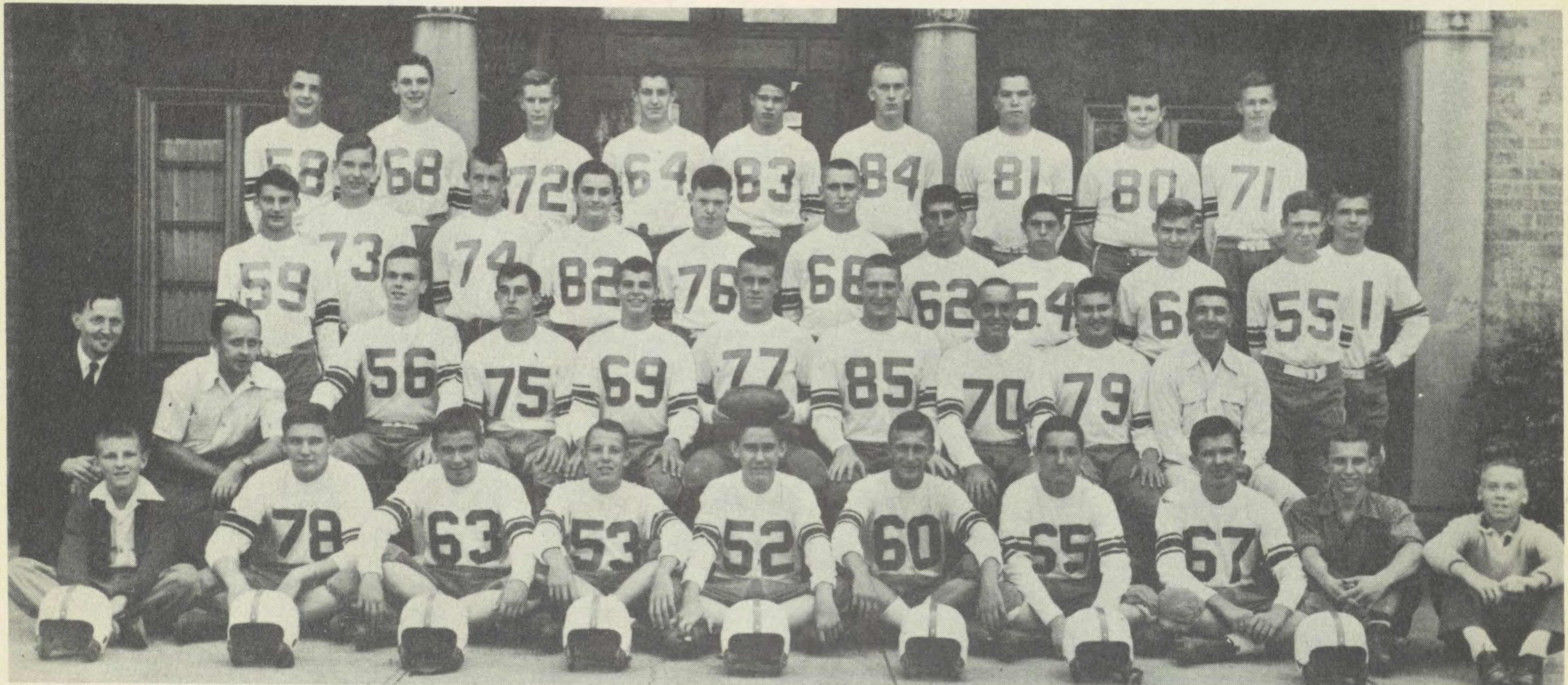


Baerman intercepts - Pfirman leads way.



Jack Castignola
Head Basketball Coach
Asst. Football Coach

THE 1952 RAM FOOTBALL TEAM



From left to right: FIRST ROW: A. Lamke, R. Tann, J. Vidourek, B. Rains, W. Rosendahl, M. Sheard, J. Seither, F. Meinking, E. Antes, H. Bannon.

SECOND ROW: Bro. F. Perko, Coach Bob Adams, P. Bruewer, L. Andres, J. Boudinet, C. Chaney (Capt.), B. Stevenson, R. Bitel, Coach Jack Castignola.

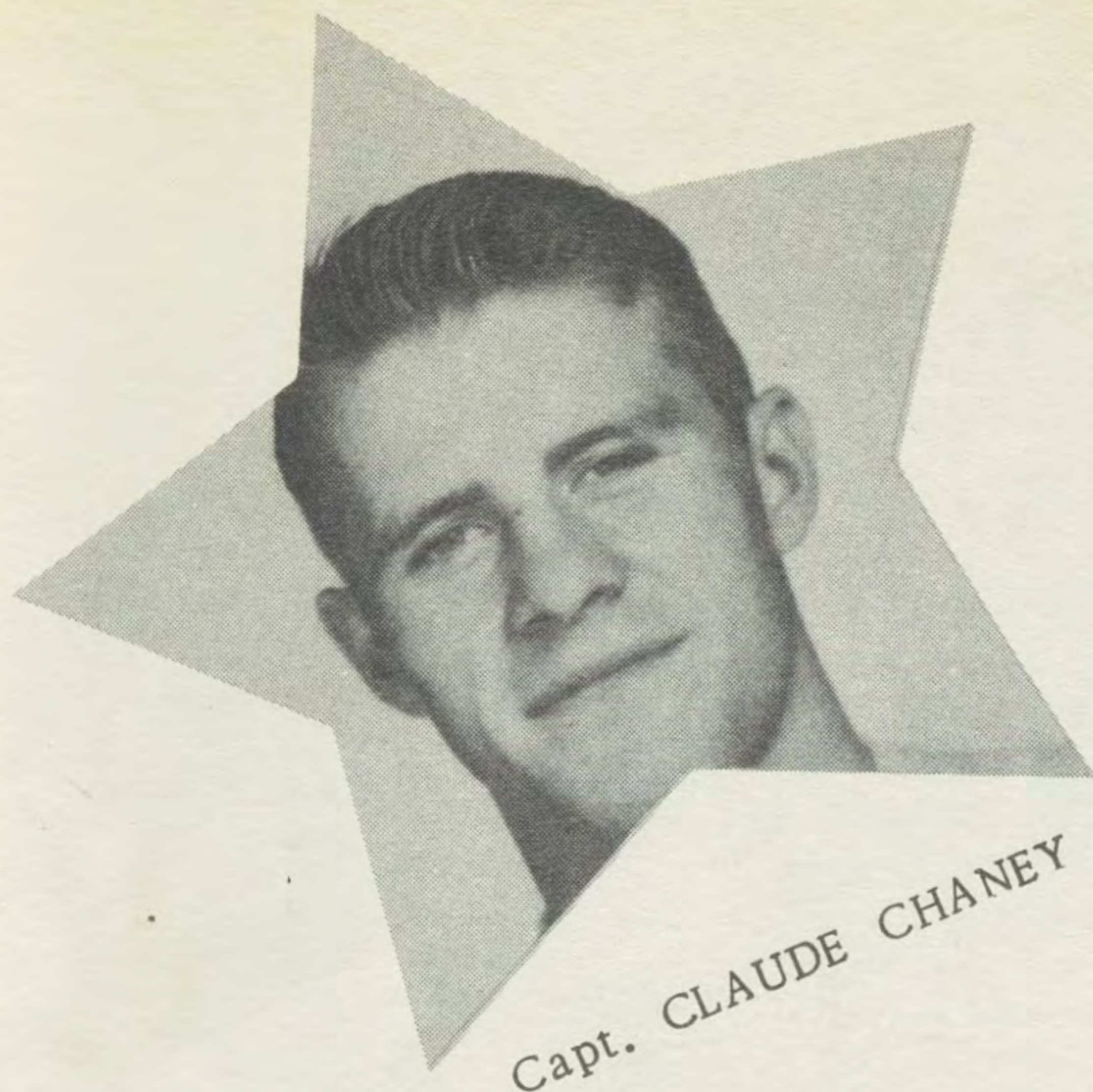
THIRD ROW: J. Pfirman, N. Hensler, P. Chaney, R. Wilmer, G. Hardewig, G. Molinsky, T. Conese, R. Armentrout, G. Menchen, R. Antes, T. Cox.

FOURTH ROW: J. Cox, G. Marischen, R. Baerman, R. Singhoffer, R. Young, N. Maus, J. Farquie, L. Pratt.

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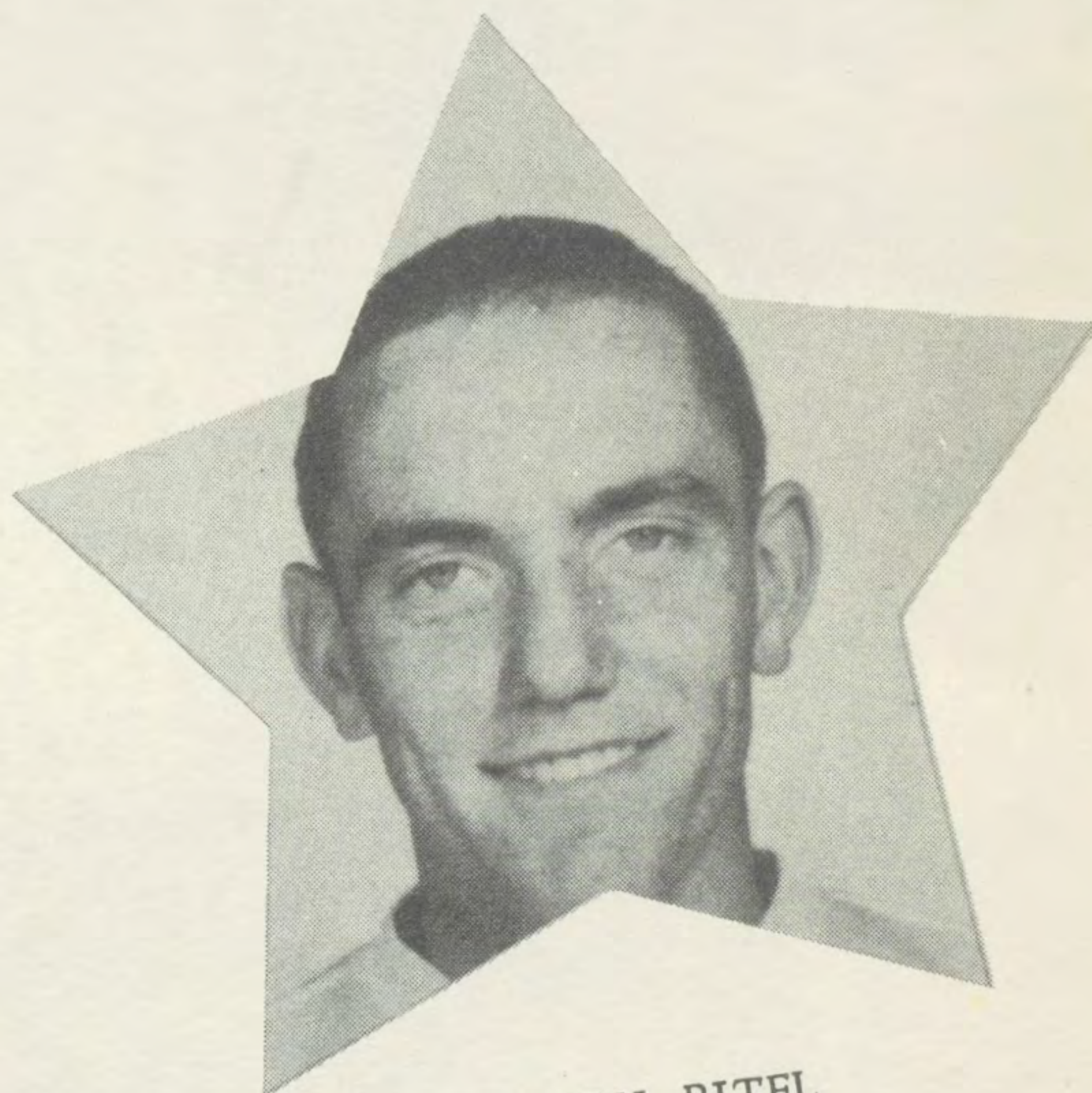
Capt. CLAUDE CHANEY



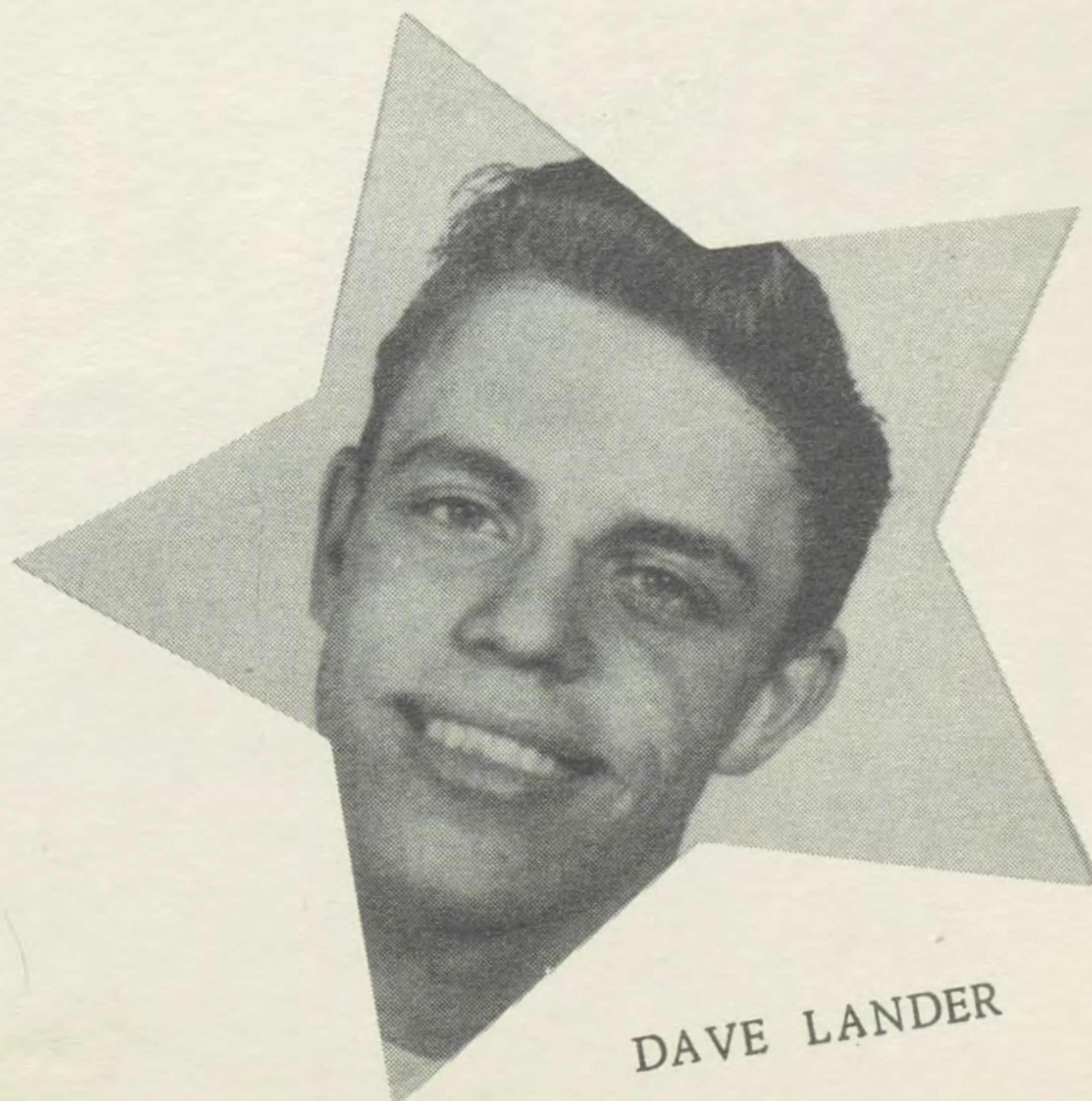
BOYD STEVENSON



JIM BOUDINET



RALPH BITEL



DAVE LANDER

FIVE SENIORS PLAY
STELLAR ROLE
IN
RAMS'
OUTSTANDING SEASON

RAMS FOOTBALL SEASON IN REVIEW

Rams 13 St. Xavier 6 Muddy field... Bitel and Stevenson score.

Rams 14 Newport 6 Chaney and Stevenson score for second victory.

Rams 37 Holy Rosary 6 Easy win. Entire squad gets in fracas

Fairfield 18 Rams 7 Homecoming spoiled by Indians. Enough said.

Rams 14 Roger Bacon 14 Game sparkled by Chaney's ninety-three yard run.

Rams 28 Franklin 13 Three touchdowns for Chaney. First TD for Pfirman.

Rams 39 Columbus St. Charles 34 Winning touchdown scored on Chaney's spectacular, last minute, twenty-two yard run.

Rams 21 Harrison 12 Rams come from behind to win.

Rams 40 Springfield Catholic 12 In impressive victory, five Seniors bow out.

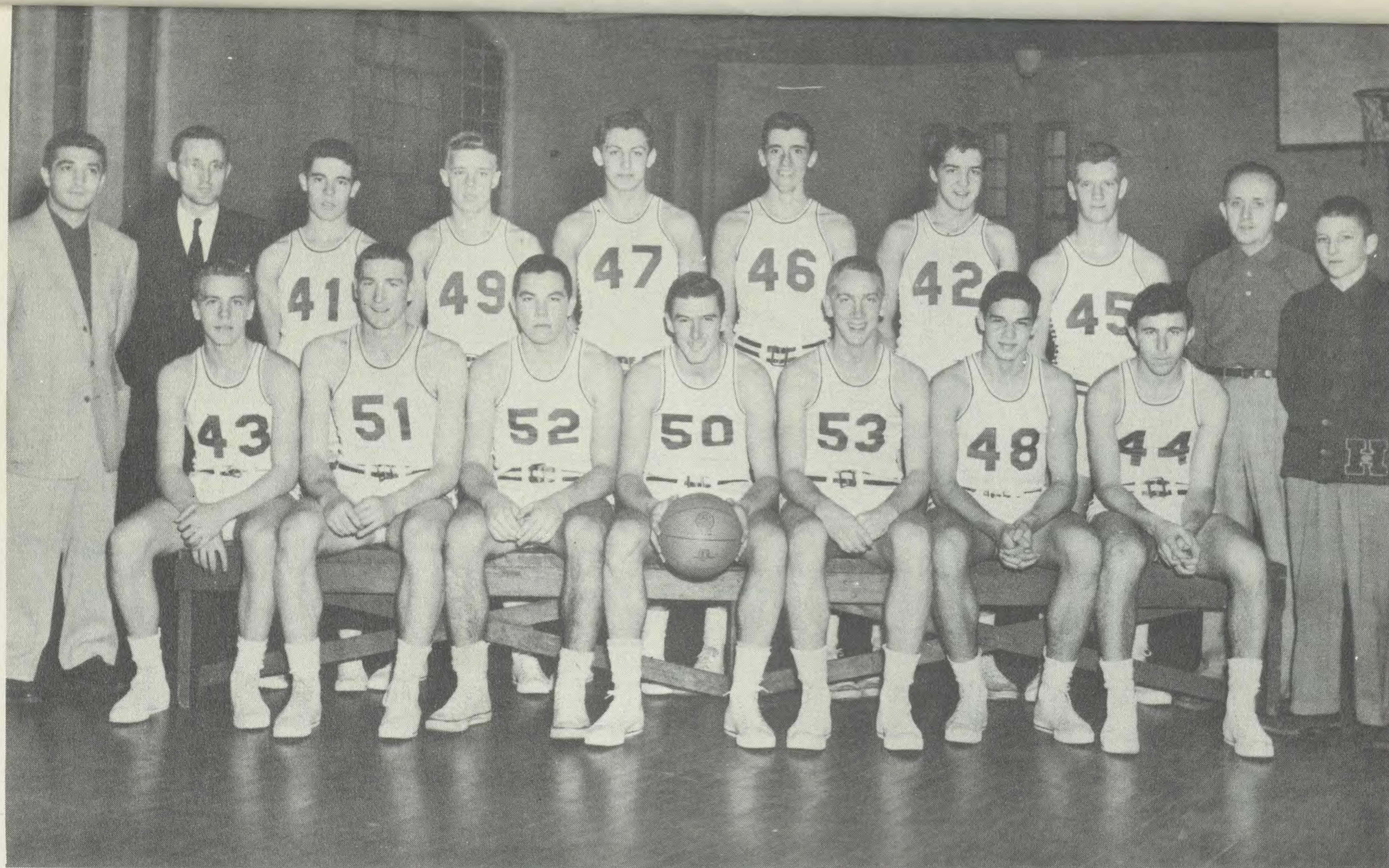
FRESHMEN FOOTBALL TEAM



FRONT ROW: P. O'Donnell, R. Marischen, L. Huff, G. Meece, R. Gardner, D. Fritsch, M. Briner, W. Reumann, D. Schmidt.

BACK ROW: R. Glomb, D. Morningstar, G. Froelke, H. Becker, R. McMullen, R. Scheid, D. Nichting, D. Schauerte, H. Wilke, T. Amiot.

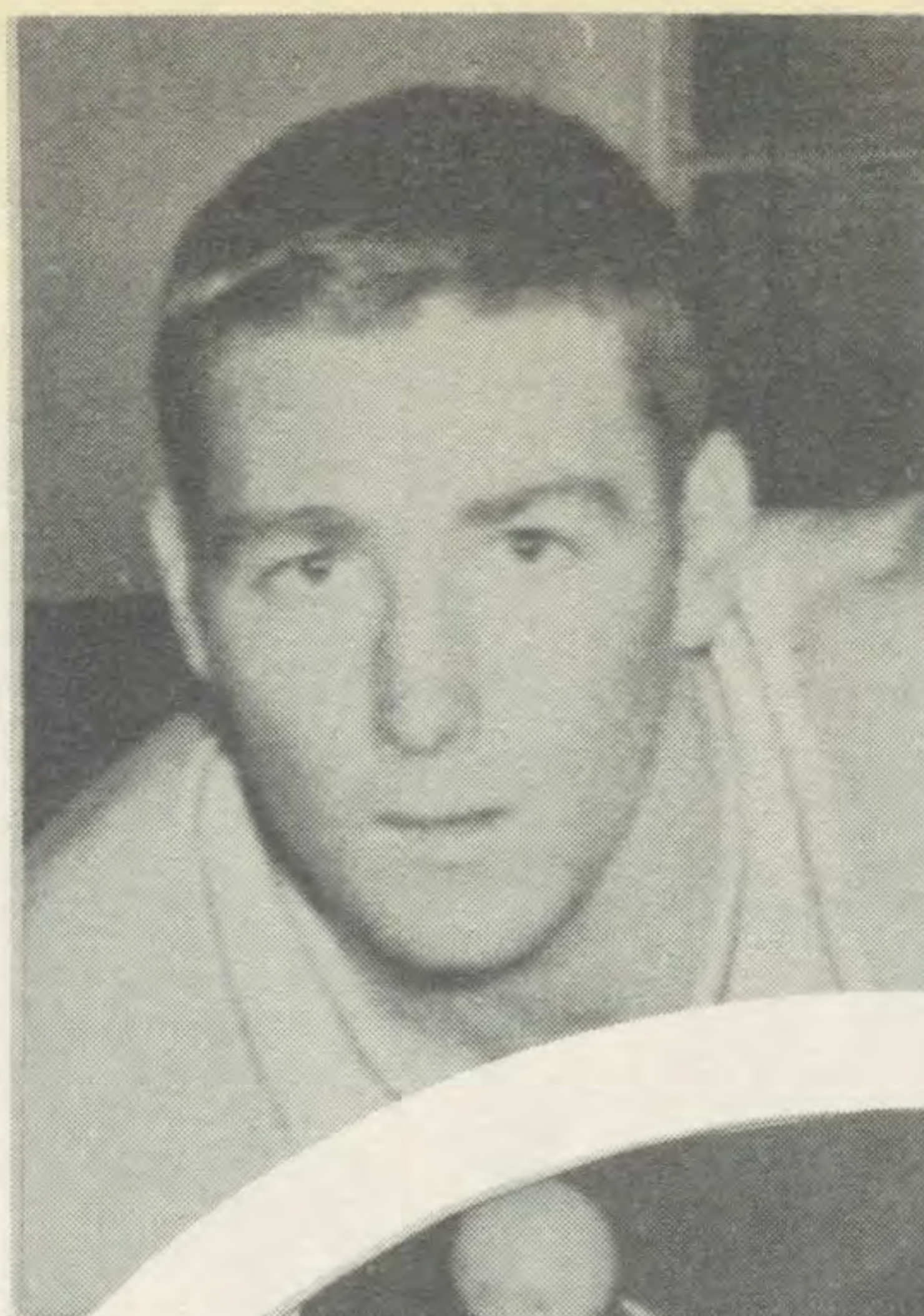
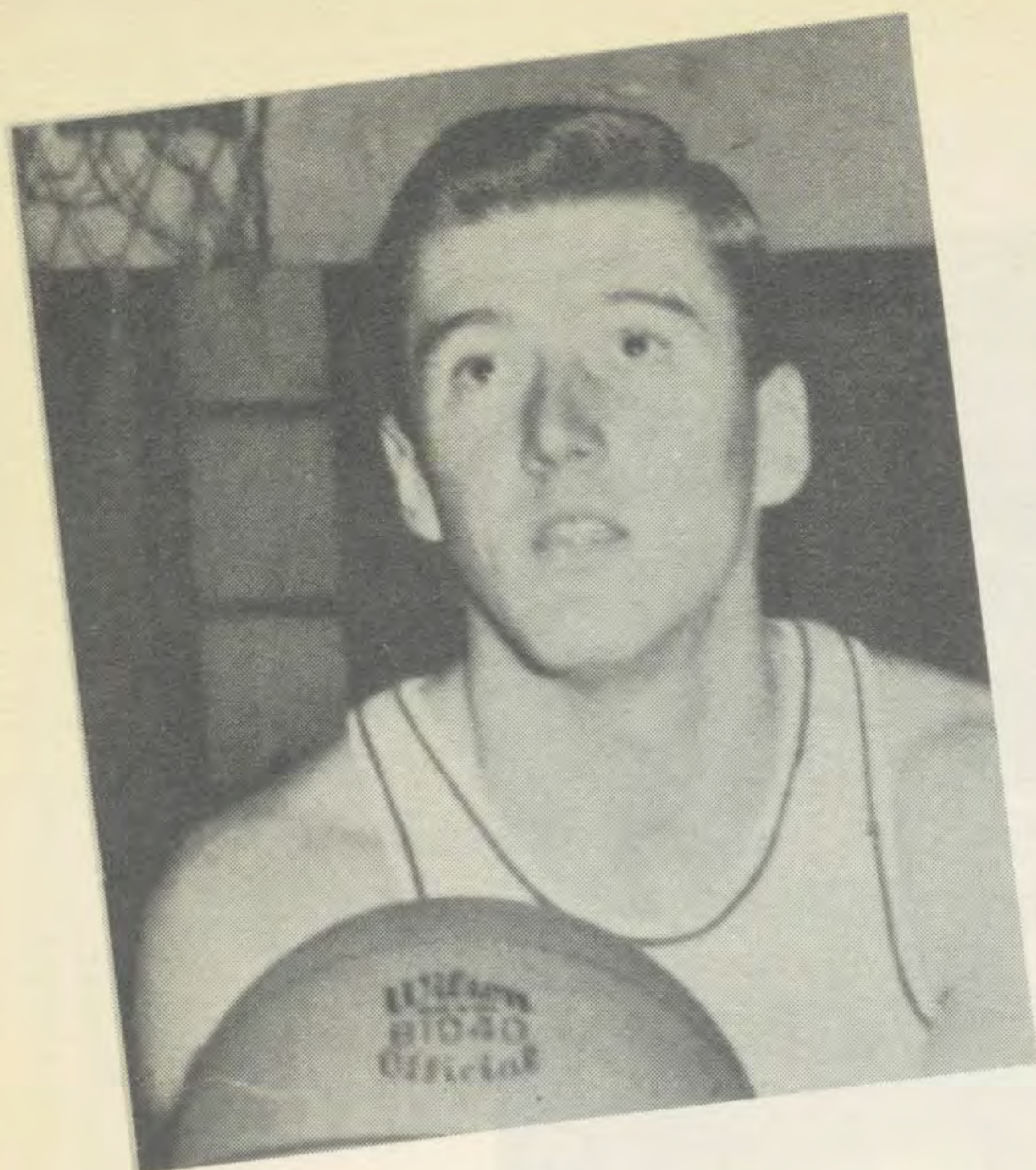
The only mar on the 1952 Freshman team's record was a tie with Roosevelt due to a mid-season letdown. The record reads as follows: Monroe defeated in a hard fought game, 13-6; next came the Wilson Knights who were handled 36-6; then the 14-14 tie with Roosevelt; St. Rita's school for the deaf was defeated 33-27 in a free scoring ball game; the Freshmen beat Fairfield 6-0; the final game was with the Parochial league all-stars who put up a good defensive battle in the first half but wilted in the second half to lose to our Freshies 24-7.



RAMS BASKETBALL TEAM *1952-53

FRONT ROW: Dick Holstein, Boyd Stevenson, Jim Farquis, Dick Kupper, Nich Maus, Bob Young, Sam Arminio.

BACK ROW: Head Coach Jack Castignola, Athletic Director Brother Frank Perko, Tom Fisher, Marc Hetterich, Bob Singhoffer, Tom Walsh, Tom Cox, Dick Baerman, Assistant Coach Bob Adams, Manager Tony Lamke.

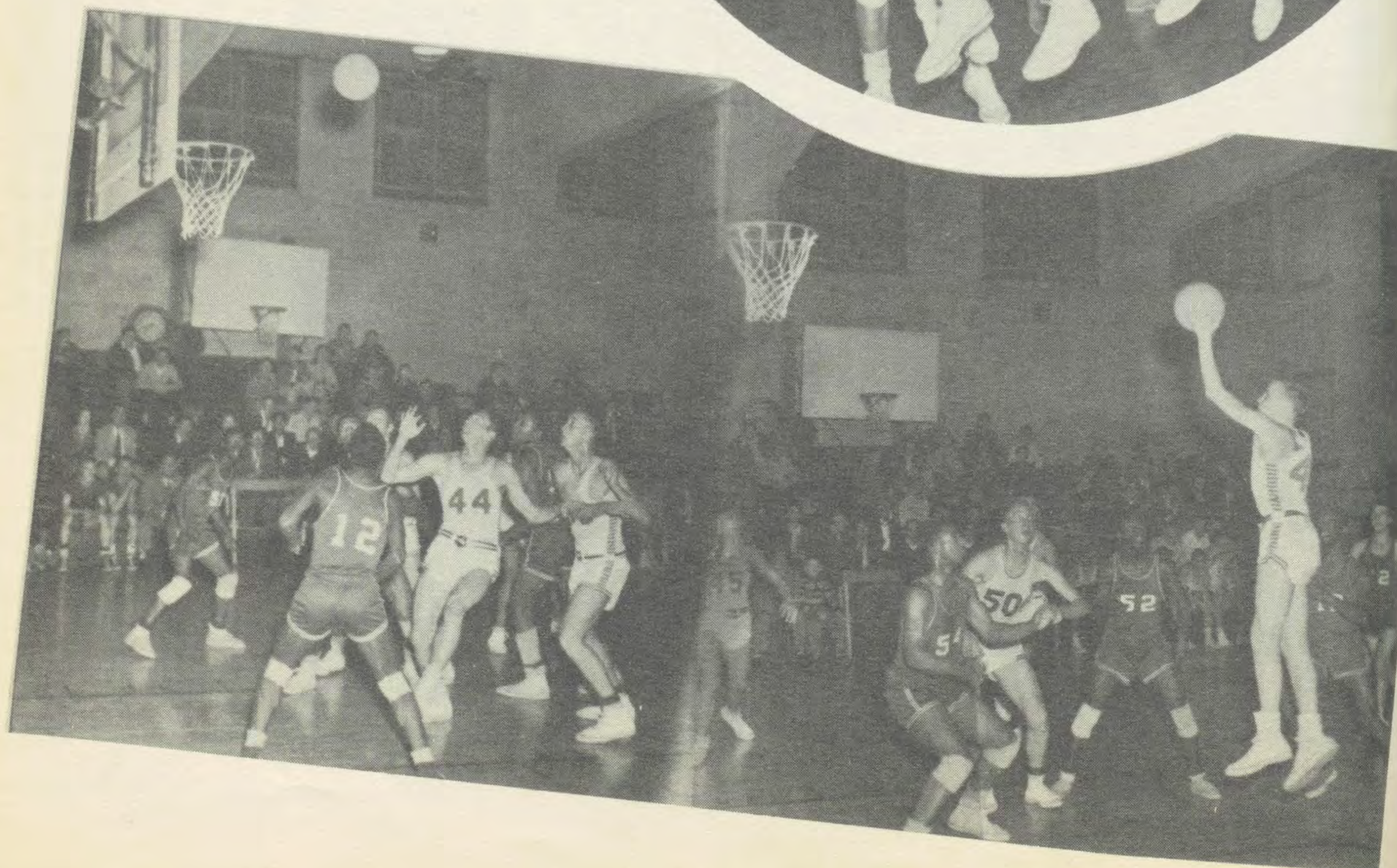
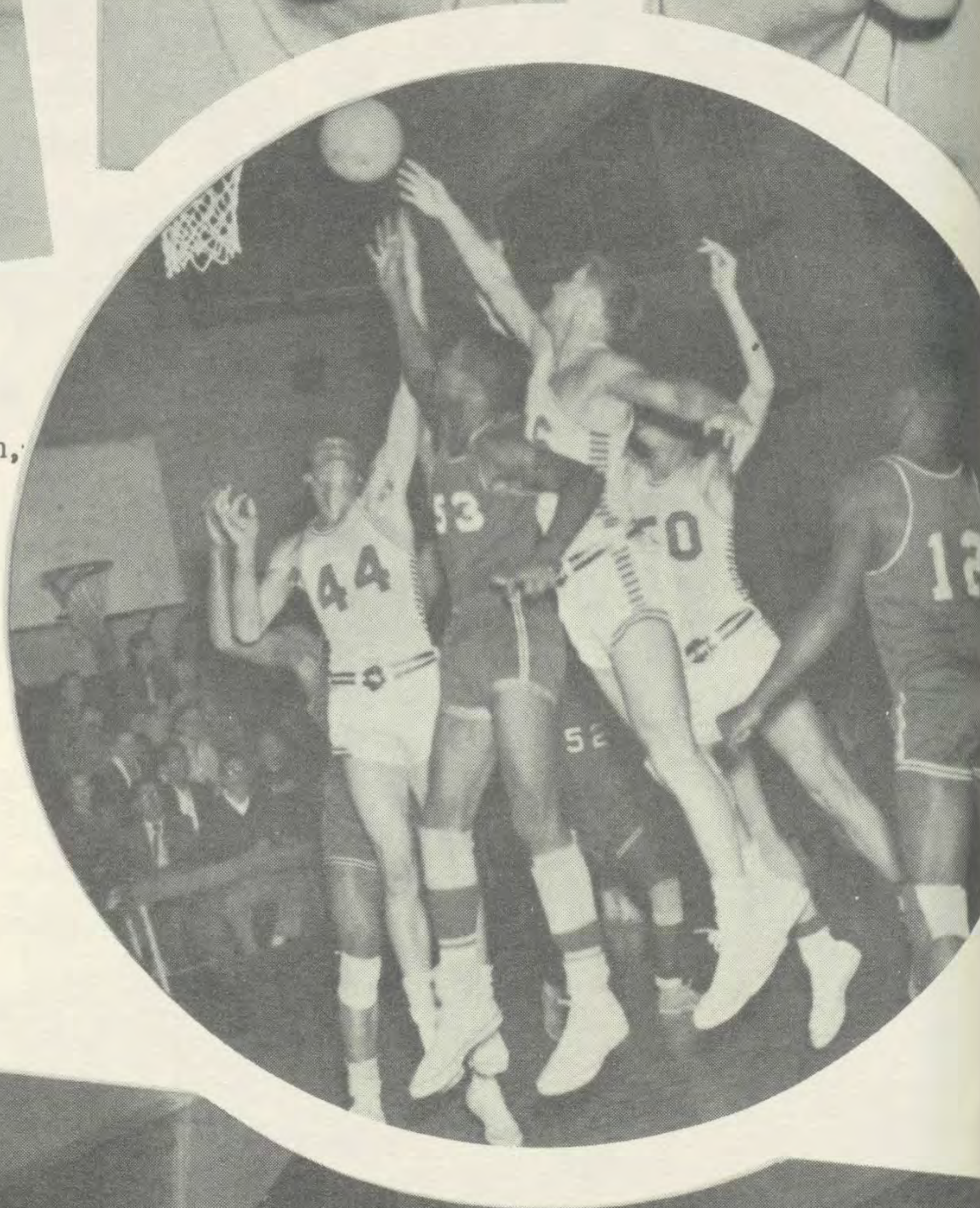


Top, LEFT to RIGHT:
Capt. Dick Kupper, Boyd Stevenson,
Dick Holstein, all Seniors.

To RIGHT: Stevenson and Kupper up high.

BELOW:

Stevenson (44) and Maus set for rebound.
Holstein's jump shot.





Varsity Football

Record-----Highlights

Rams. 13-St. Xavier 6
Rams. 14-Newport Catholic 6
Rams. 36-Columbus Holy Rosary 6
Rams. 7-Fairfield 18
Rams. 14-Roger Bacon 14
Rams. 28-Franklin 13
Rams. 39-Columbus St. Charles 34
Rams. 21-Harrison 12
Rams. 40-Springfield 12
Rams. 212-Opponents 121

Varsity Basketball

Record-----Highlights

Rams. 64-Fairfield 78	Rams. 73-Lebanon 55
Rams. 56-Piqua 43	Rams. 54-St. Xavier 64
Rams. 61-Wilbur Wright 45	Rams. 72-Woodward 53
Rams. 57-Chaminade 52	Rams. 68-Monroe 46
Rams. 53-Roger Bacon 65	Rams. 68-Canton 79
Rams. 56-Dunbar 57	Rams. 57-Akron 51
Rams. 60-Purcell 68	Rams. 51-Roger Bacon 64
Rams. 56-Franklin 74	Rams. 55-Newport Cath. 48
Rams. 60-Fairfield 74	Rams. 1065-Opponents 1034
Rams. 41-Newport Cath. 60	

Reserve Record

Reserves-41-Fairfield 25
Reserves-45-Piqua 33
Reserves-50-Chaminade 47
Reserves-43-Roger Bacon 36
Reserves-45-Dunbar 42
Reserves-40-Purcell 42
Reserves-41-Franklin 44
Reserves-45-Fairfield 51
Reserves-29-Newport Cath. 51
Reserves-43-Lebanon 27
Reserves-51-Woodward 46
Reserves-38-Monroe 42
Reserves-38-Seven Mile 45
Reserves-49-Roger Bacon 36
Reserves-34-Newport Cath. 26
Reserves-632-Opponents 583

Freshmen Record

Freshmen-23-Community Center 43
Freshmen-48-Monroe 39
Freshmen-15-Purcell 22
Freshmen-62-Roosevelt 46
Freshmen-36-Roger Bacon 38
Freshmen-27-Community Center 41
Freshmen-45-Oxford McGuffy 44
Freshmen-42-Oxford McGuffy 47
Freshmen-35-St. Veronica 50
Freshmen-32-St. Francis 52
Freshmen-365-Opponents 422

RESERVES



FRONT ROW: Wilke H., Pfirman J., Miller J., Sheard M., Rosendahl W.

BACK ROW: Miller J., (Mgr.) Urmston D., McMullen R., Beckman D., Marischen G., Niehaus

FRESHMEN



FRONT ROW: Scheid D., Glomb D., Scramizzi J., Hingsbergen D., Fox B., Morningstar D., Froelke G., Nichting D.

BACK ROW: Becker H., Mgr., O'Donnell P., Selhorst B., Schmidt D., Vidorek J., Hilty M., Holstein R.

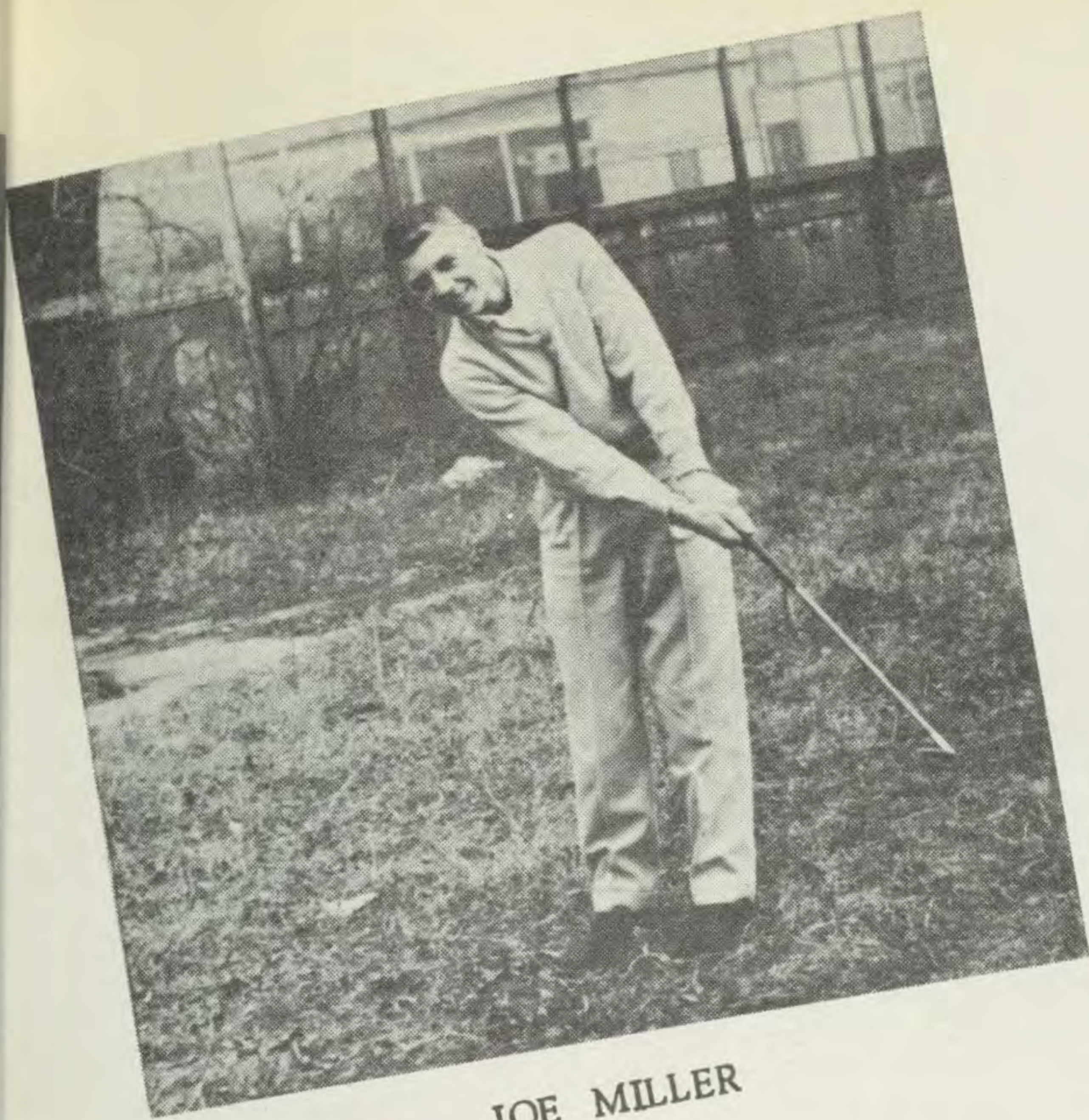


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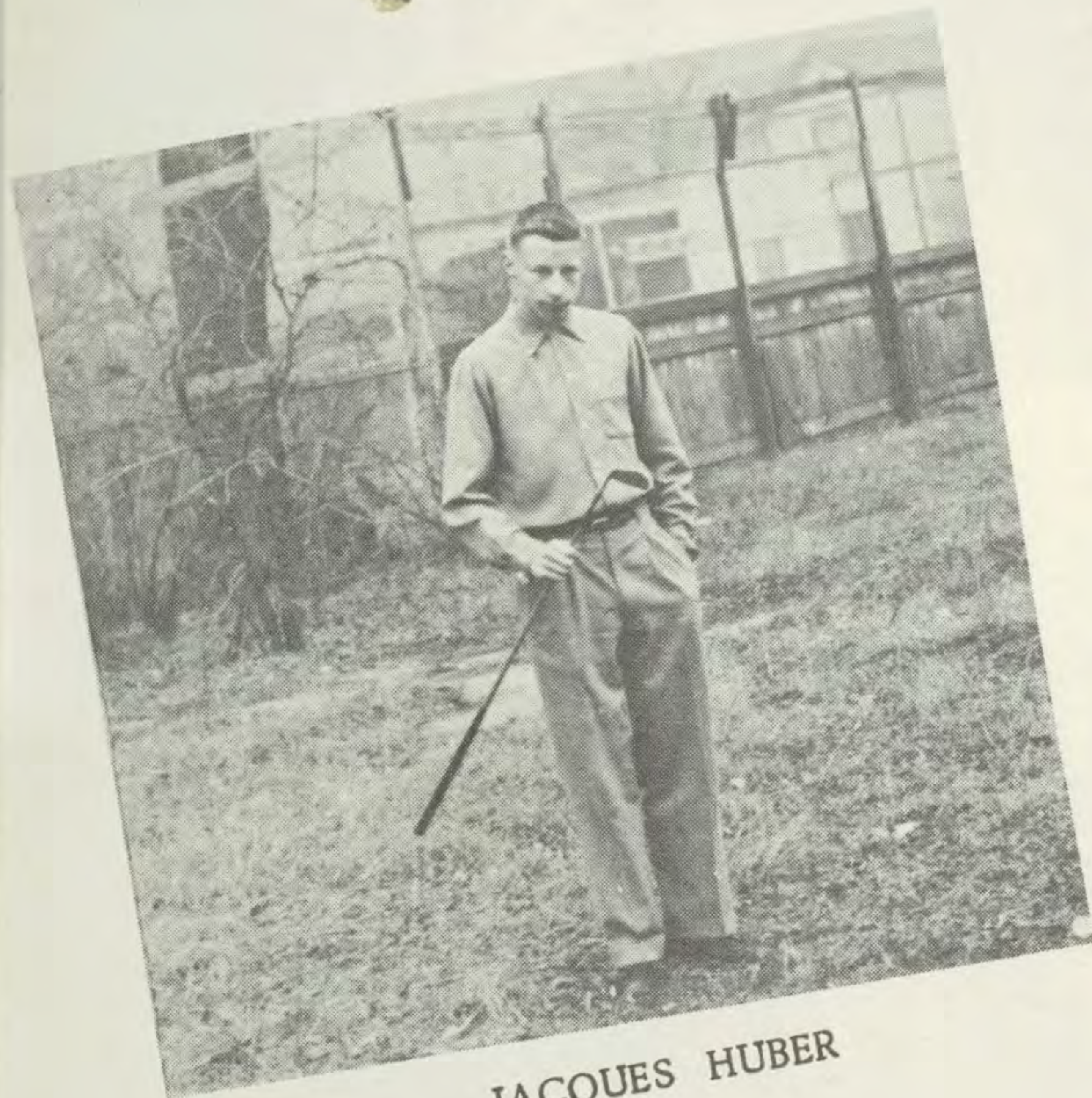


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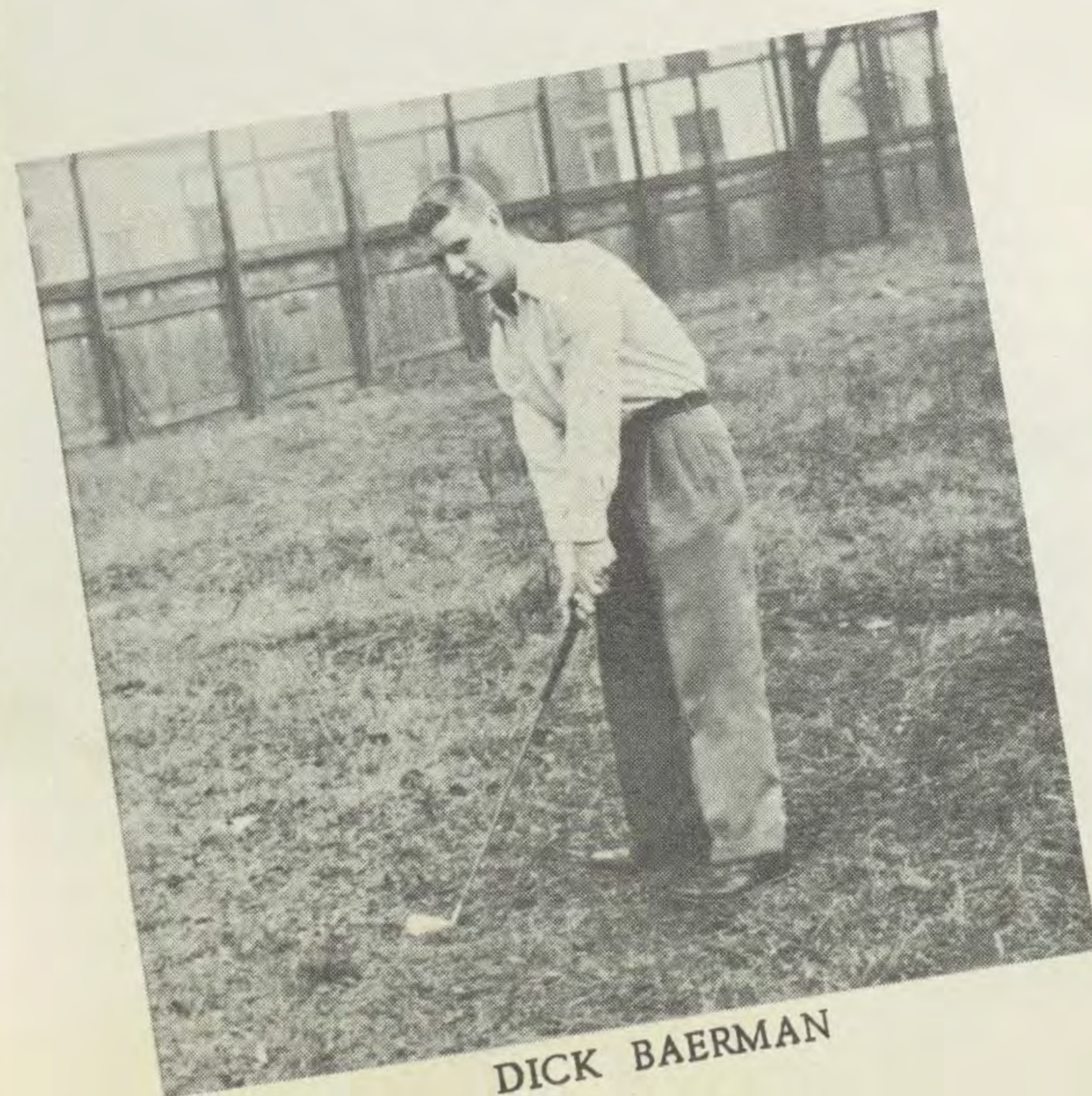
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JOE MILLER



JACQUES HUBER



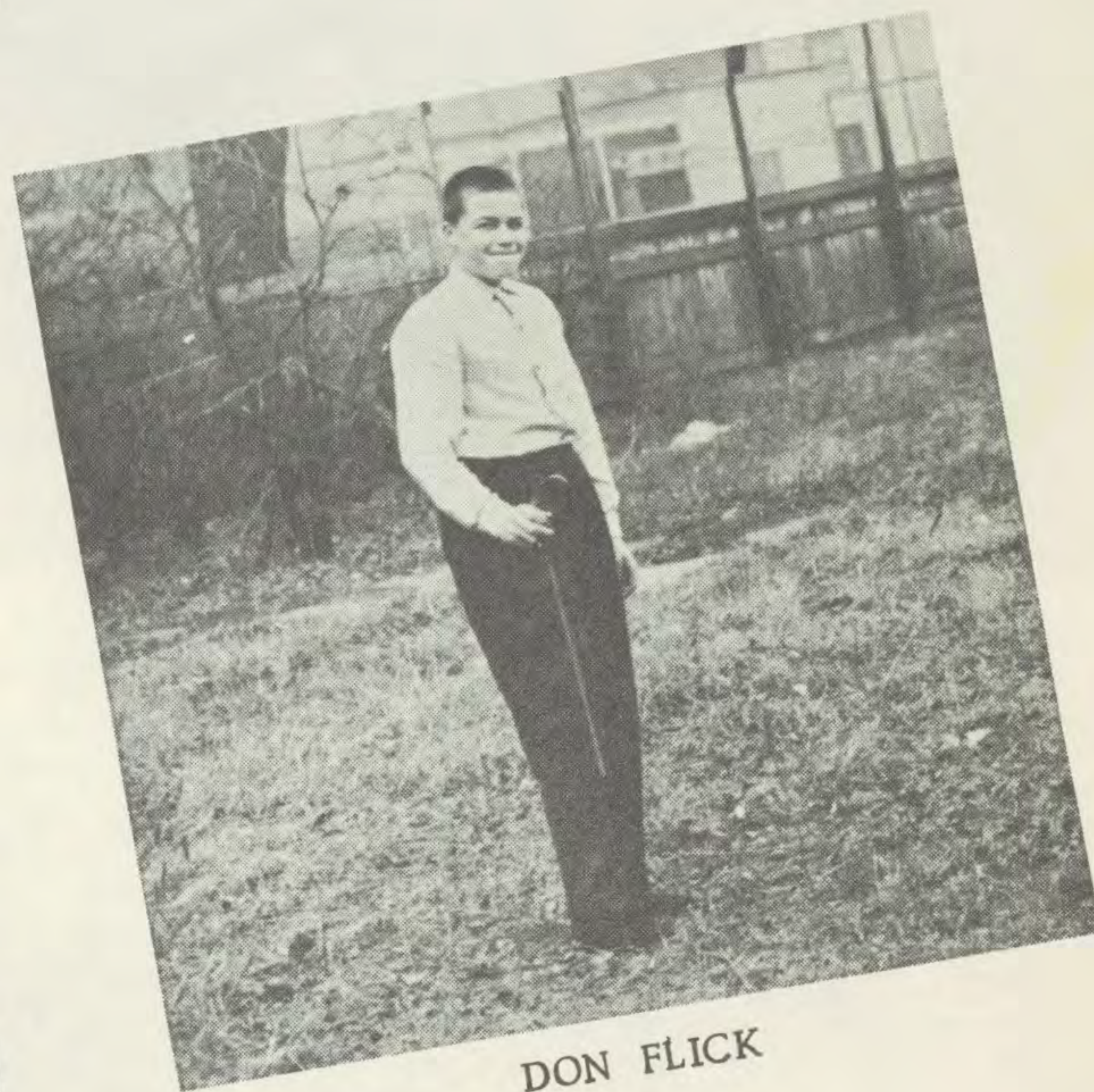
DICK BAERMAN

Top Candidates

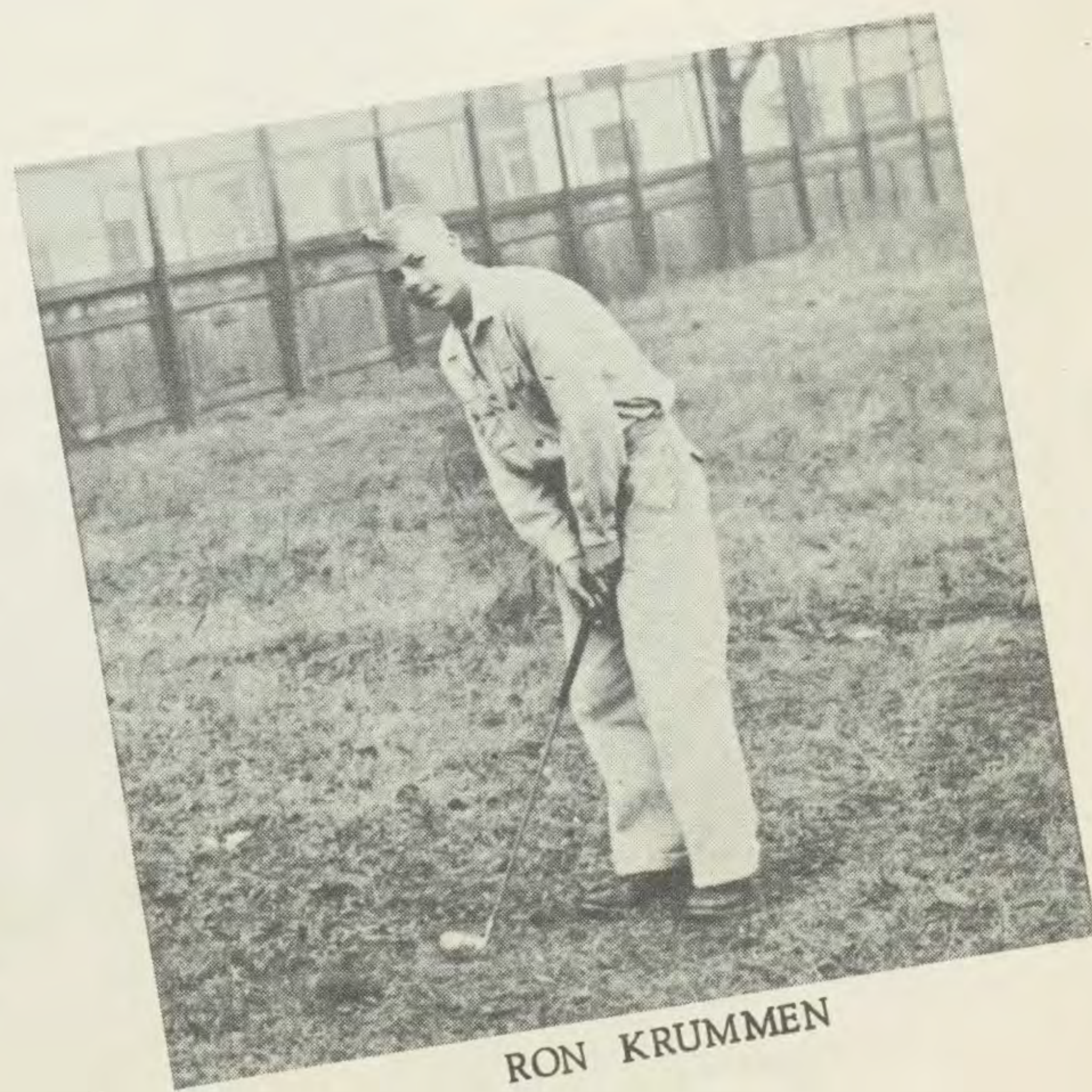
For

Golf Team

Of 1953



DON FLICK



RON KRUMMEN

Volleyball Champions



4A Ramsters, Volleyball champions are: LEFT TO RIGHT: Dick Holstein, Claude Chaney, Merle Durbin, Ralph Bitel, Jim Becker and Phil Bruewer.

Basketball Champions



4A Tigers, Basketball Champions are: LEFT TO RIGHT: Philip Donovan Fehring, Marc Hetterich, Louis Andres, and Frank Fritsch.

Activities



Philip Donovan



DONALD



JAMIE



DONALD

Band



DONALD KETTMAN



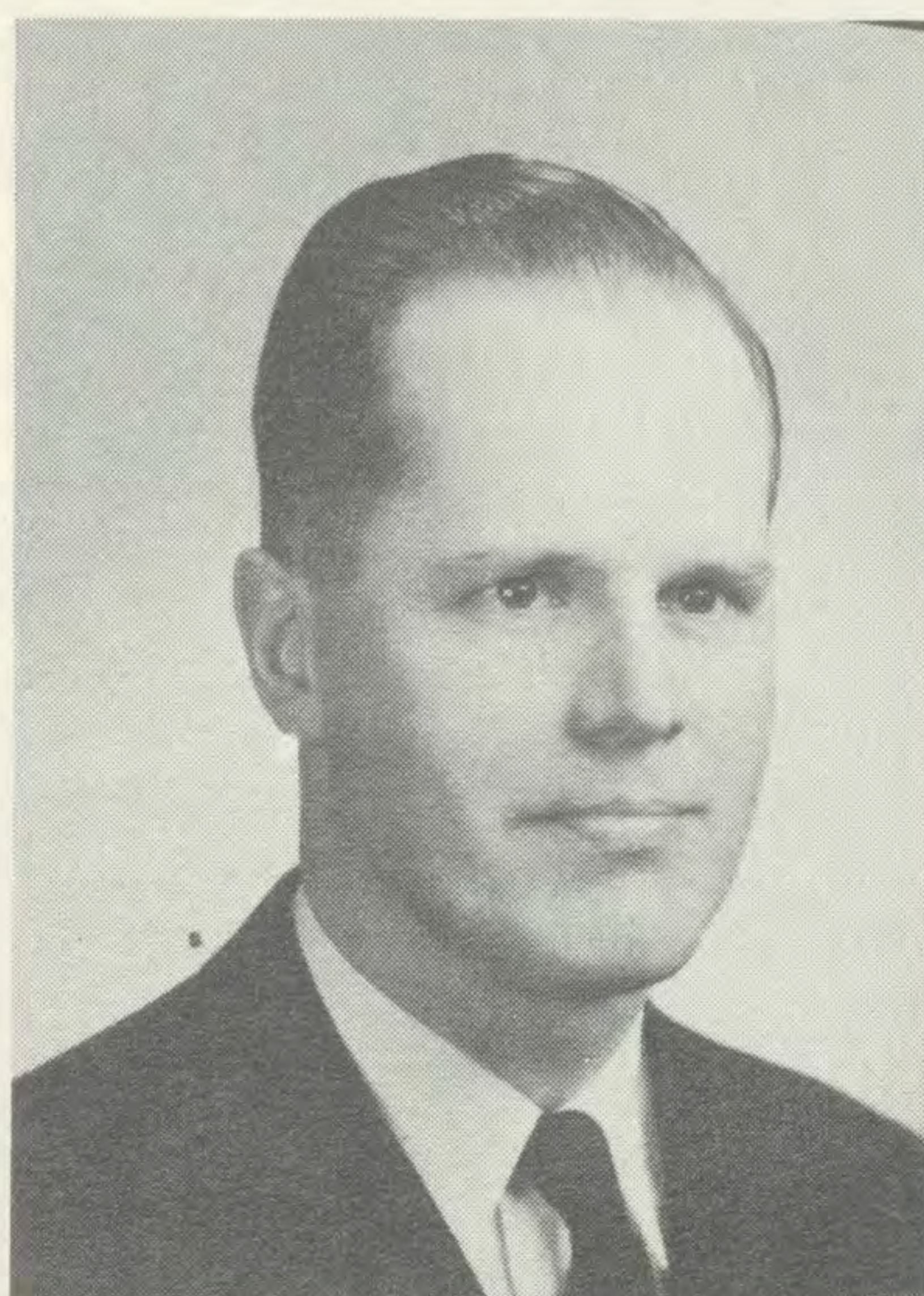
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FRONT ROW (L to R): C. Fike; P. Ribar; T. Frederick; P. Groh; E. Wagner; L. Burke;
 MIDDLE ROW (L to R): F. Davis; B. Schultz; W. Secrest; J. McGrath; D. Kettman; T. White; J. Engler; D. VanWormer; W. Ludeke;
 BACK ROW (L to R): F. Foley; R. McElfresh; J. Rathburn; V. Haight; J. Geyer; F. Partee.

The roll of the drums, the clang of the cymbols and the sounding of the trumpets and the Hamilton Catholic High School Band has started another performance. The green and white of Hamilton Catholic has been displayed in civic and religious parades throughout the years.

The school can be justly proud of it's band reputation and has been referred to as one of the best little bands in the state.



C.H.S. Band
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 Holy Name Parade

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MIDDLE ROW (L. to R.): J. Kreke; G. Steriger; J. Lenihan; E. Rust; W. Gross; C. Ostendorf; P. Wsterberger.
BACK ROW (L. to R.): D. O'Dell; D. Schauerte; D. Beer; W. Bell; D. Stock; J. Westrick.

To Mr. Clarence Wehr and the Fathers Club, our generous benefactors, the band is greatly indebted. To Bro. Raymond Glemet goes credit of such success. It is through his unceasing efforts that the band has reached its peak this year. Deserving great credit are the student members who give much time, both school and private for rehearsals, concerts and other performances. The Spring Concert, the climax of the band's season is always as enjoyable as the past one.



TOP ROW (L. to R.)
A. Bezold;
M. Kollstedt;
R. Menche;
SECOND ROW (L. to R.)
R. Schwarz;
G. Winkler;
E. Colvin.



Homecoming



MARY PATER



PHYLLIS TEGGE

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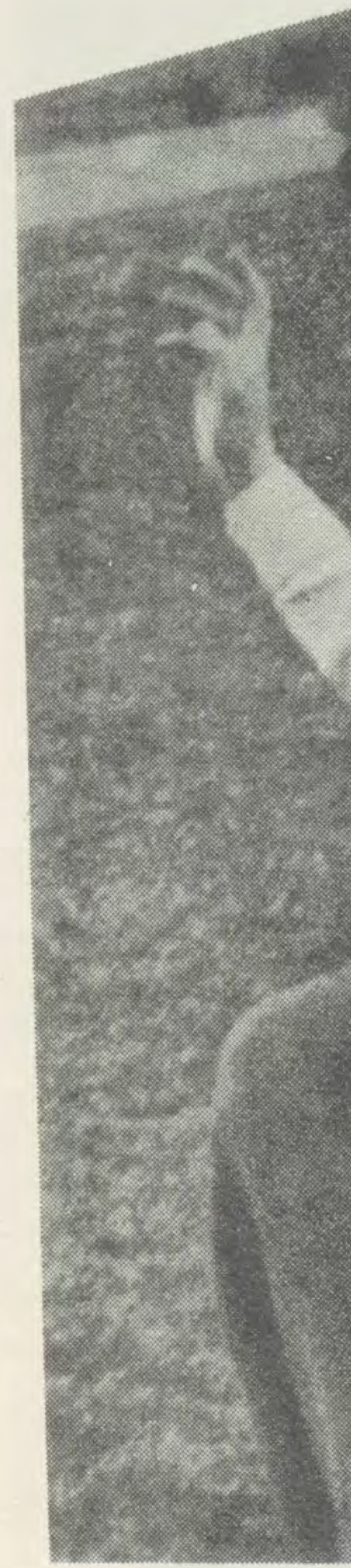
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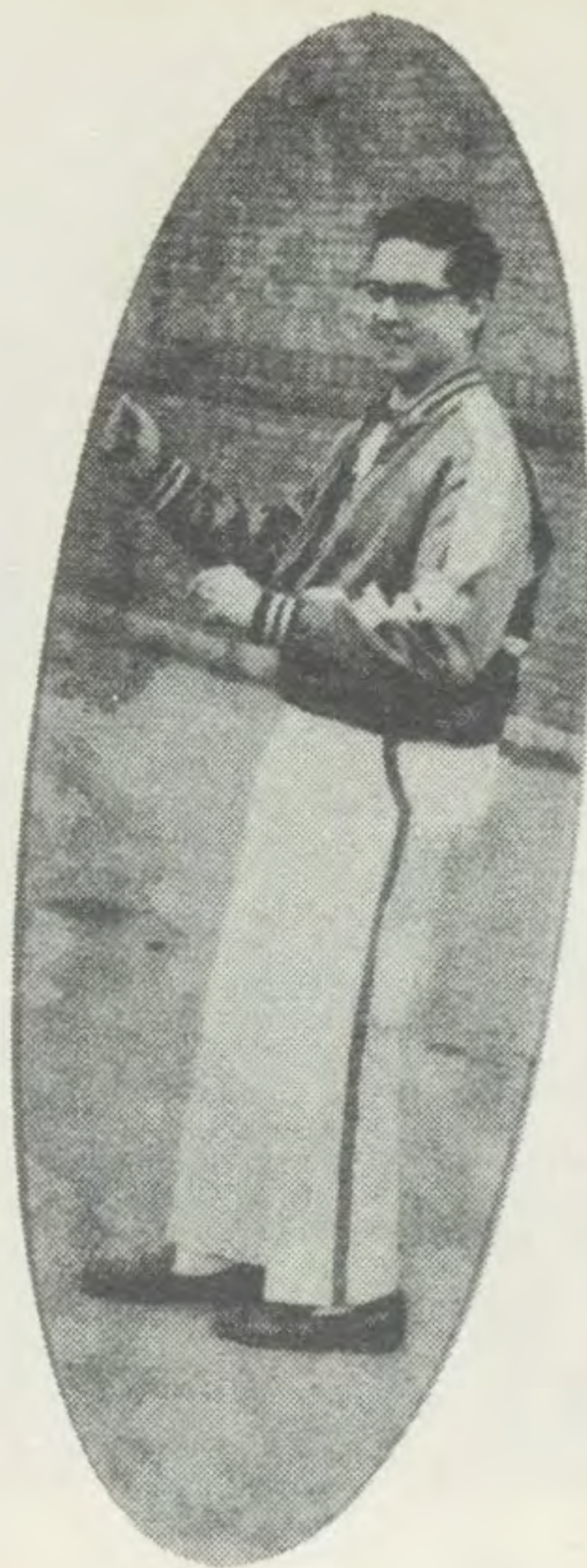
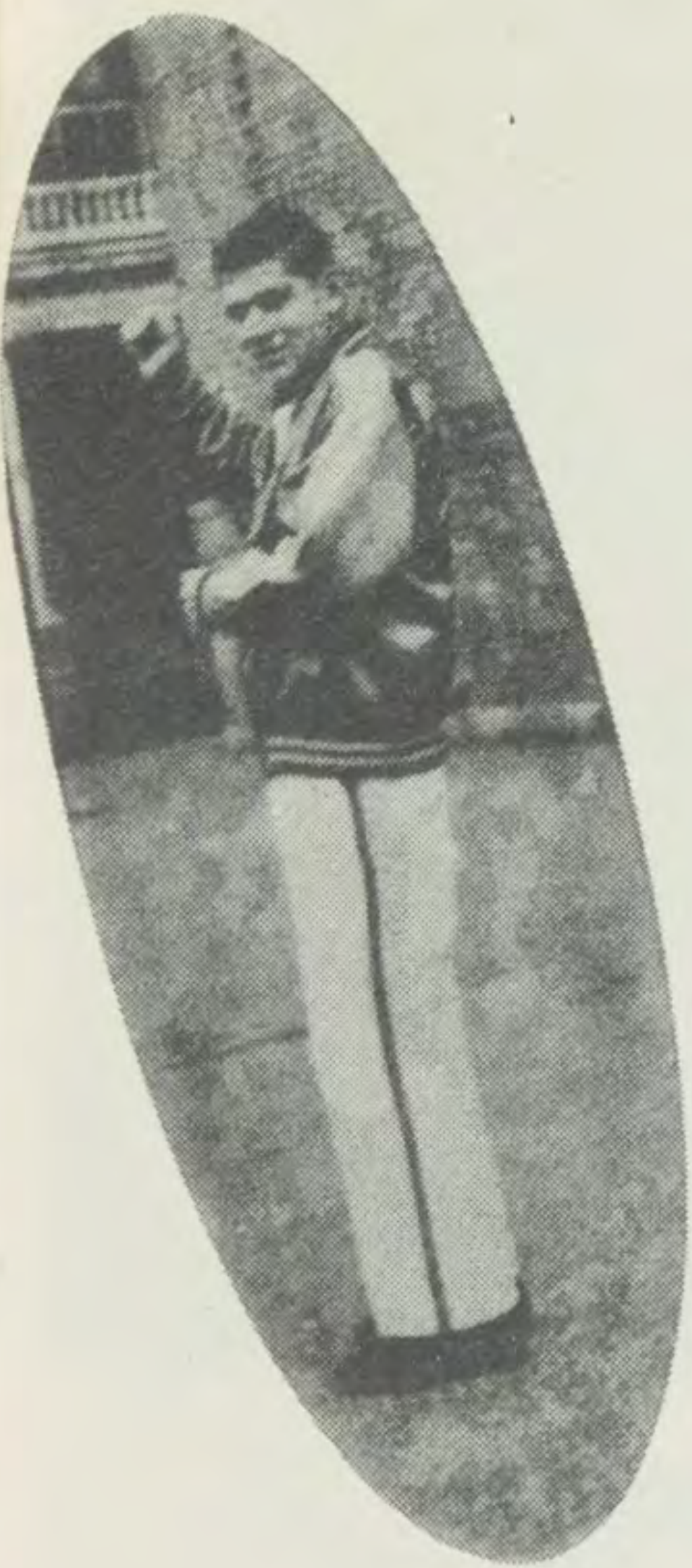
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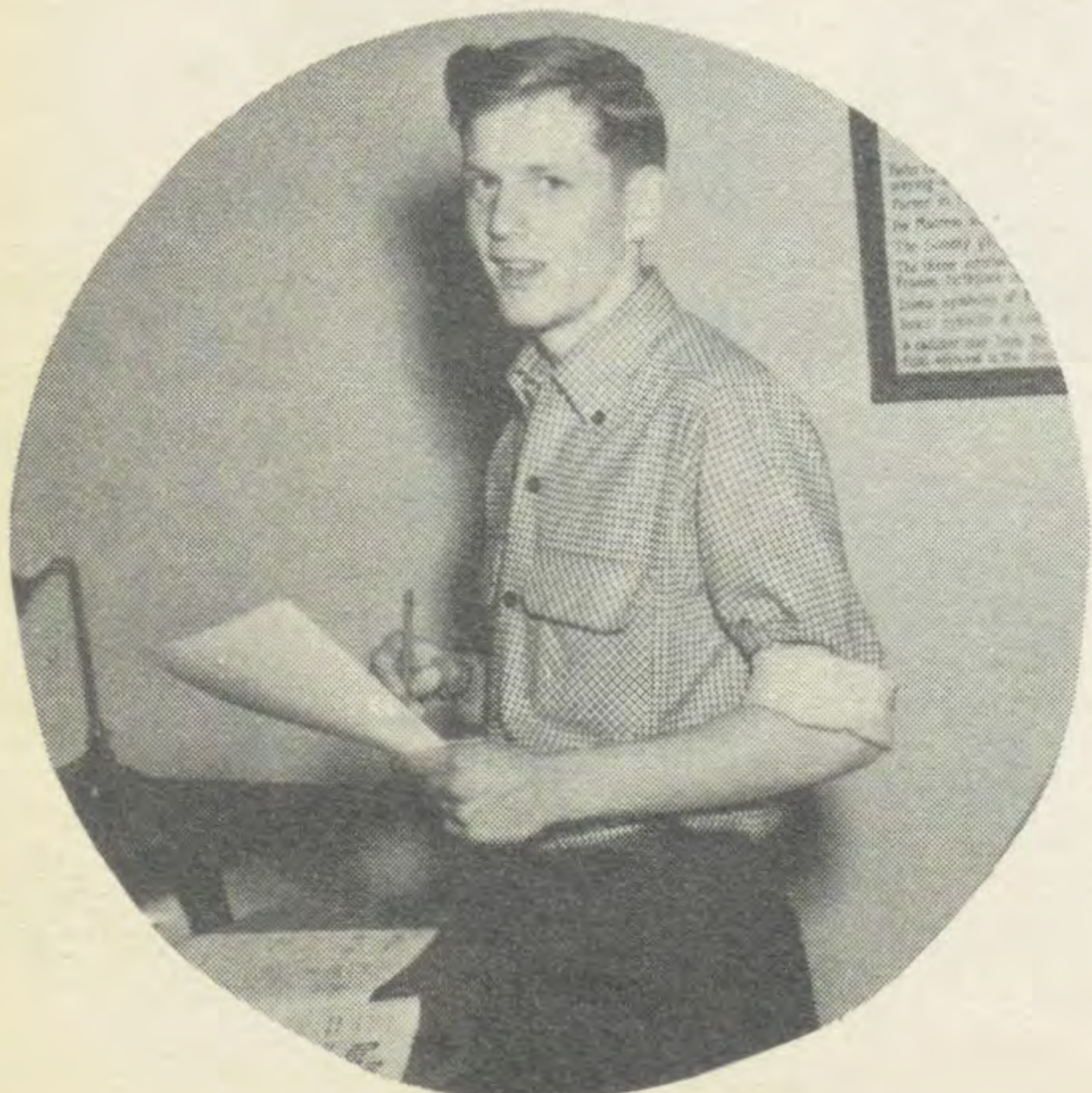
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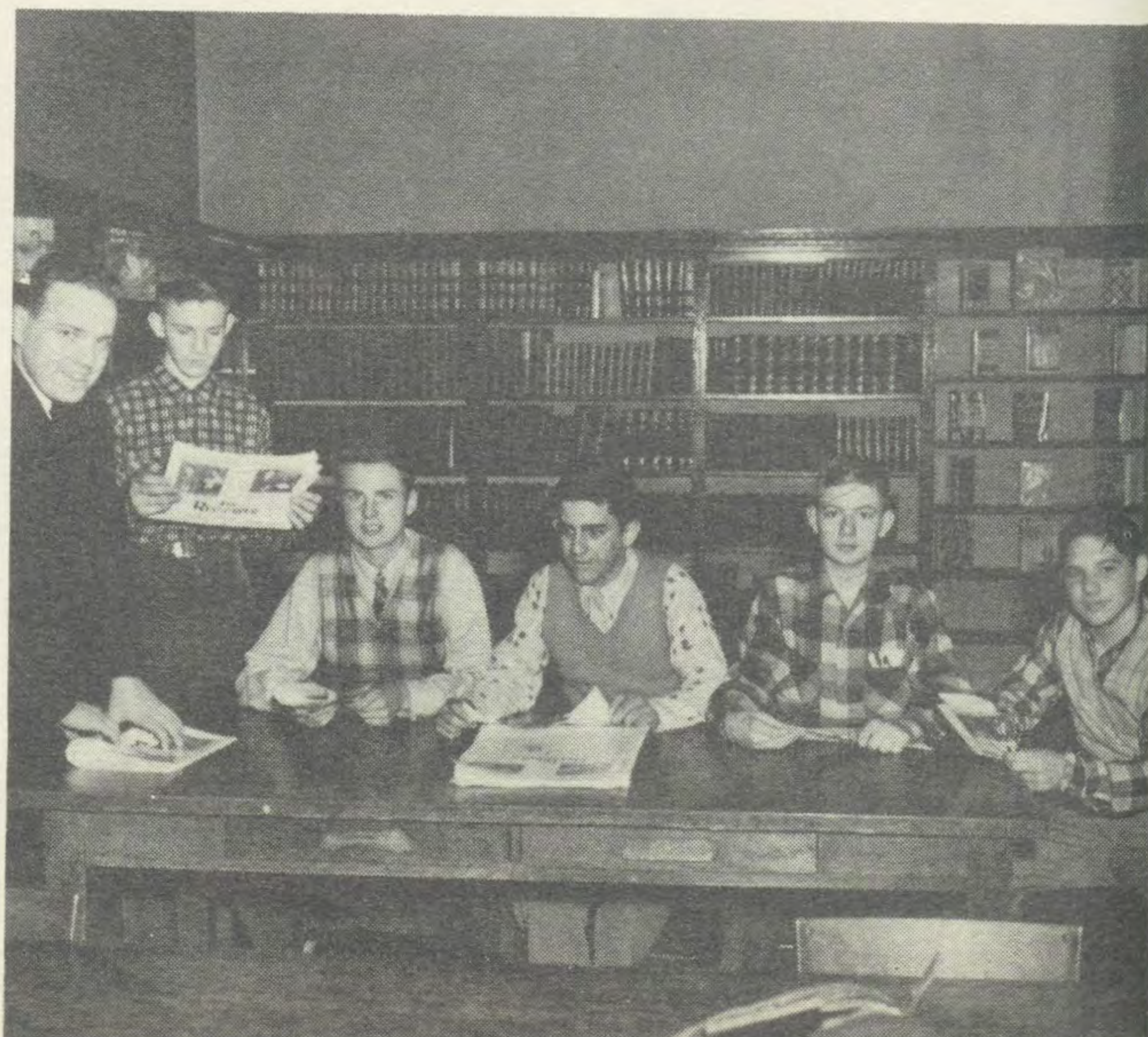
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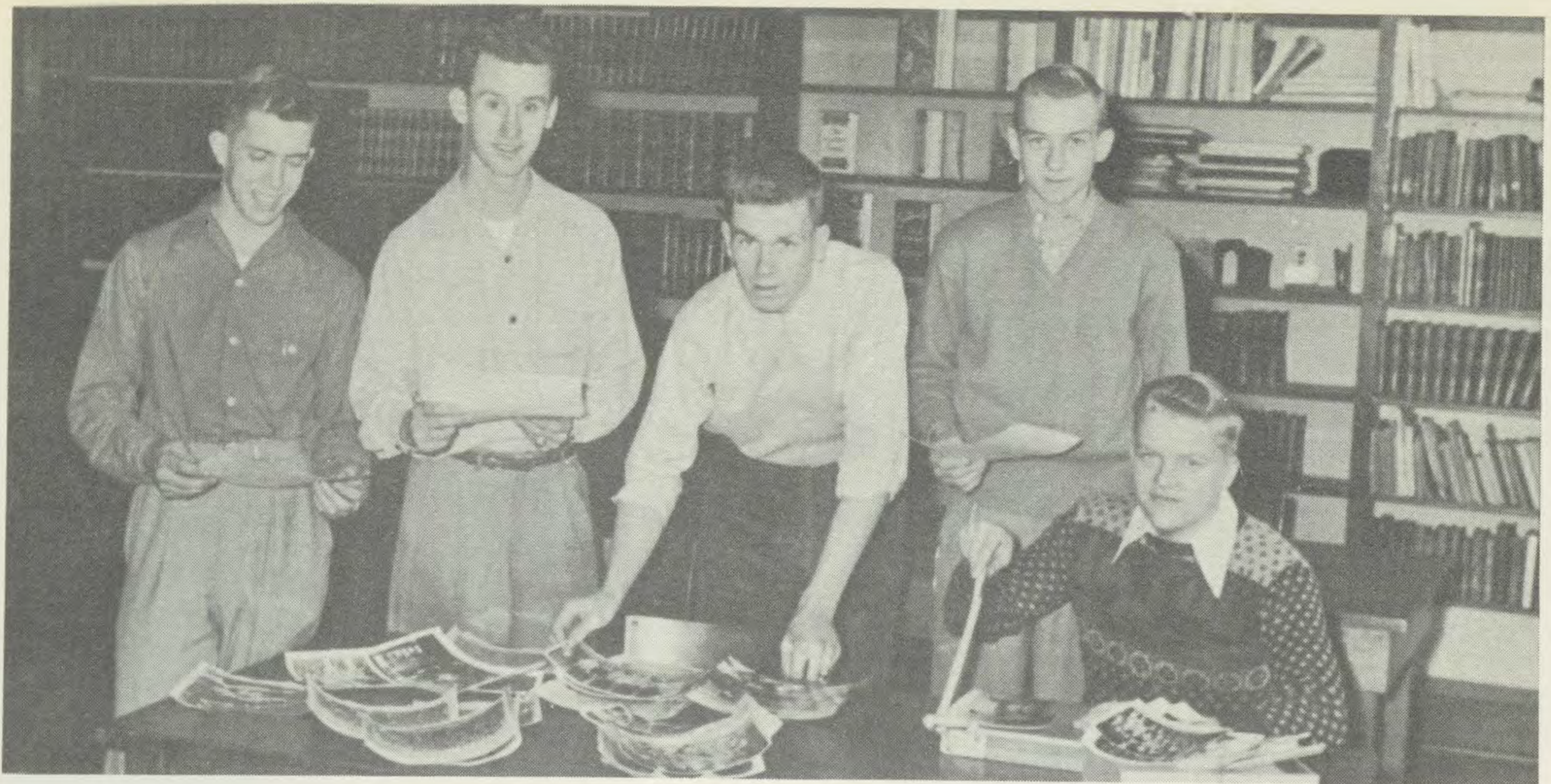


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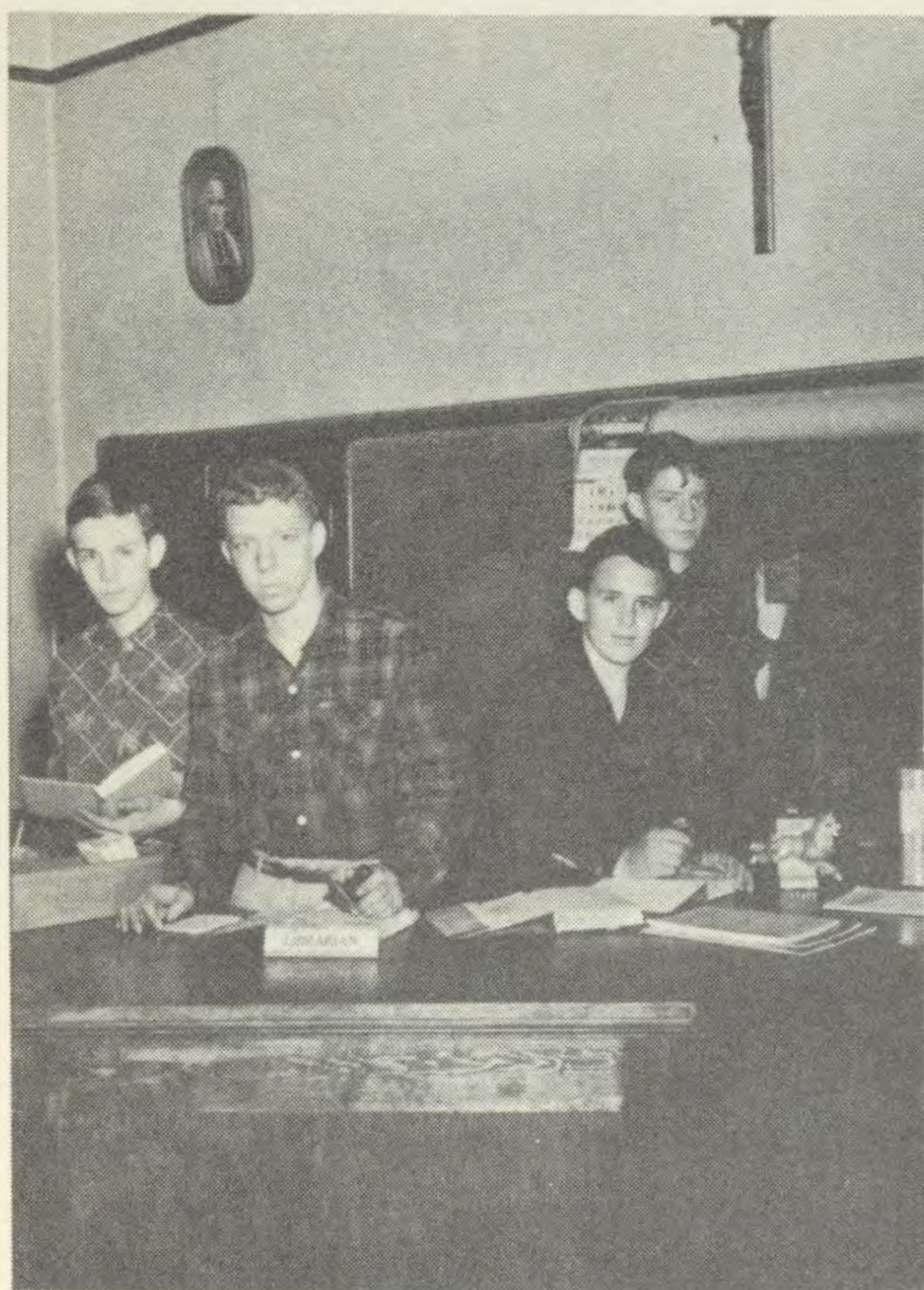
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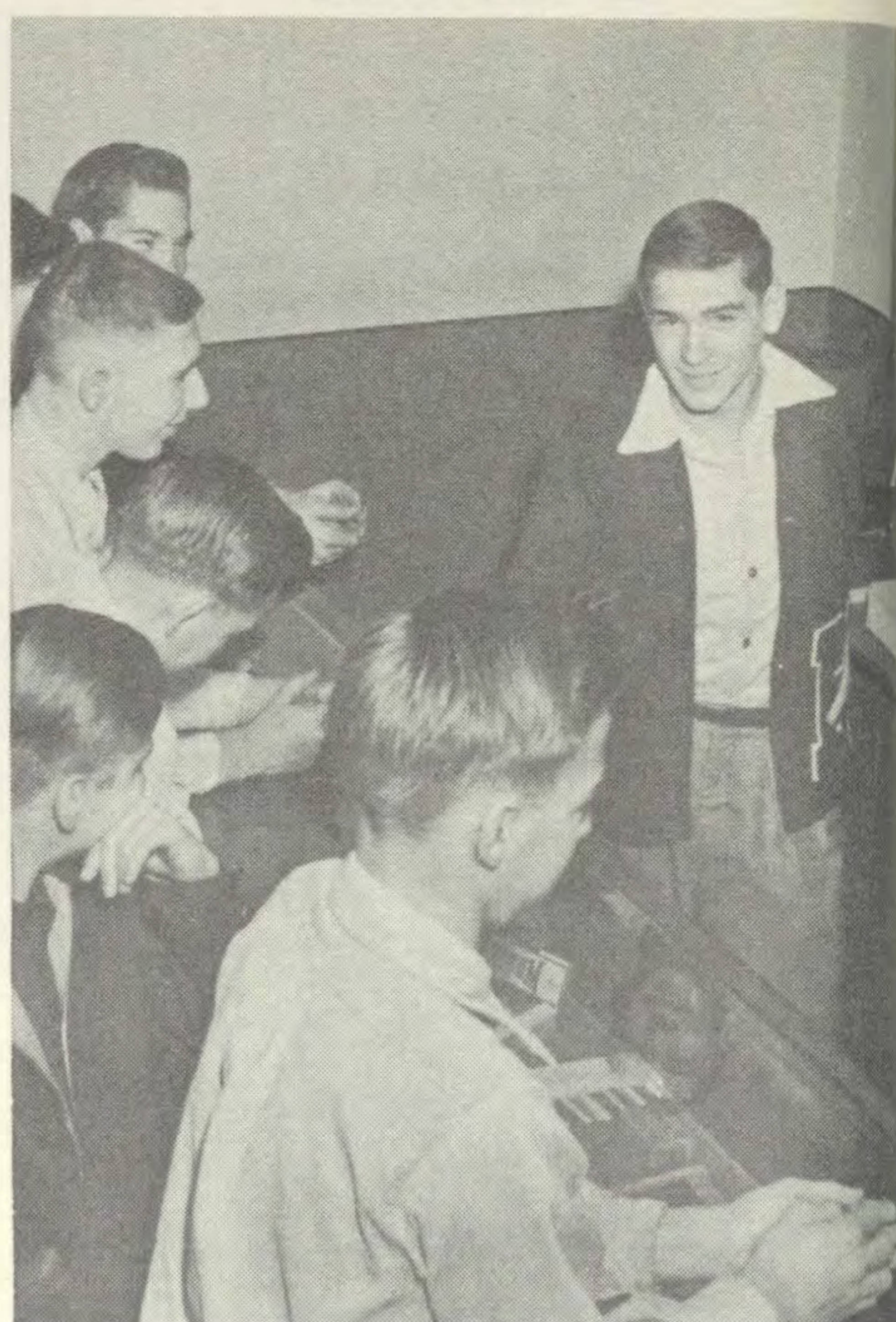
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New Look in the Library

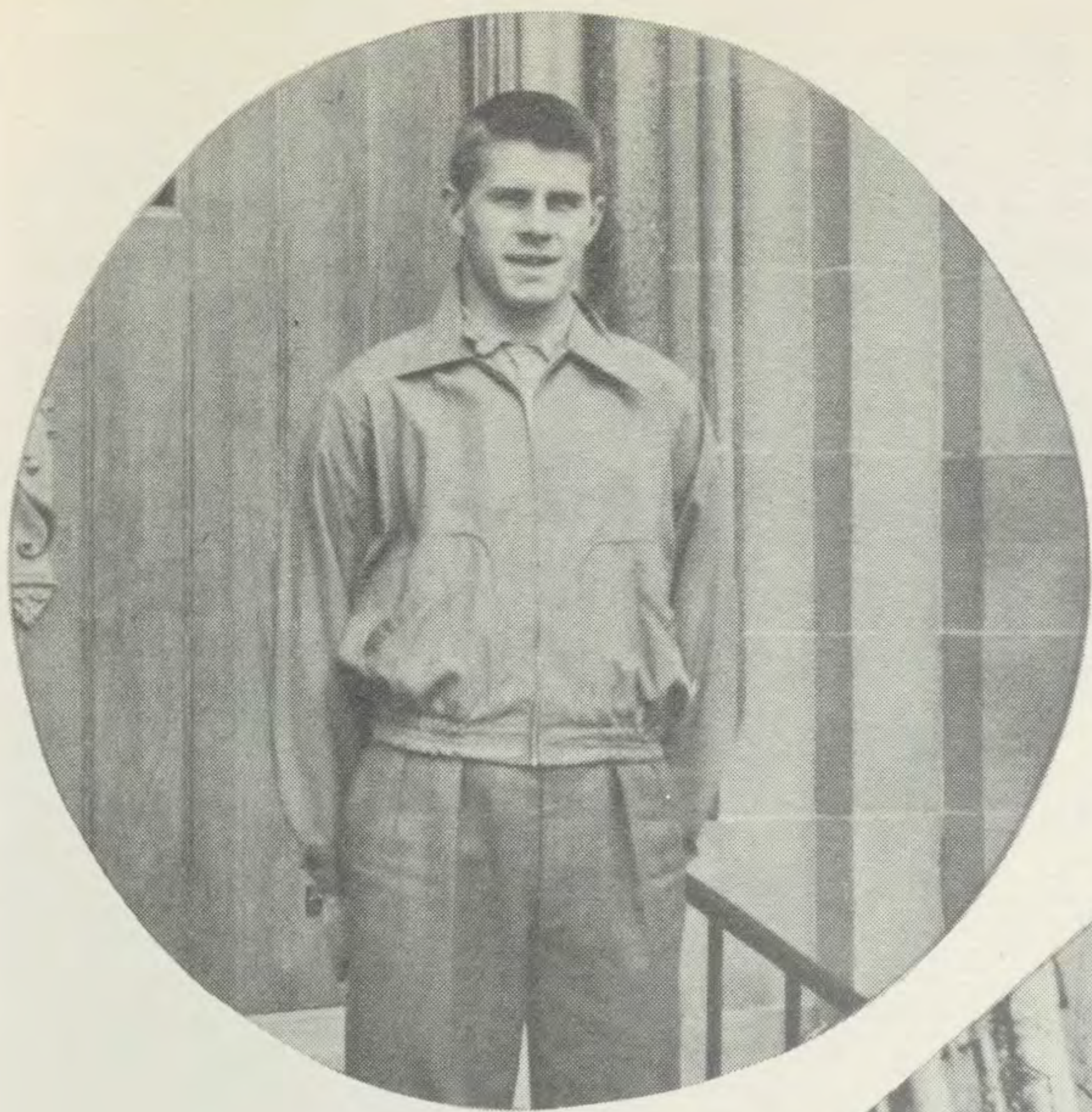


The boys really look interested. The new books and book jackets seem to have attracted the boys.

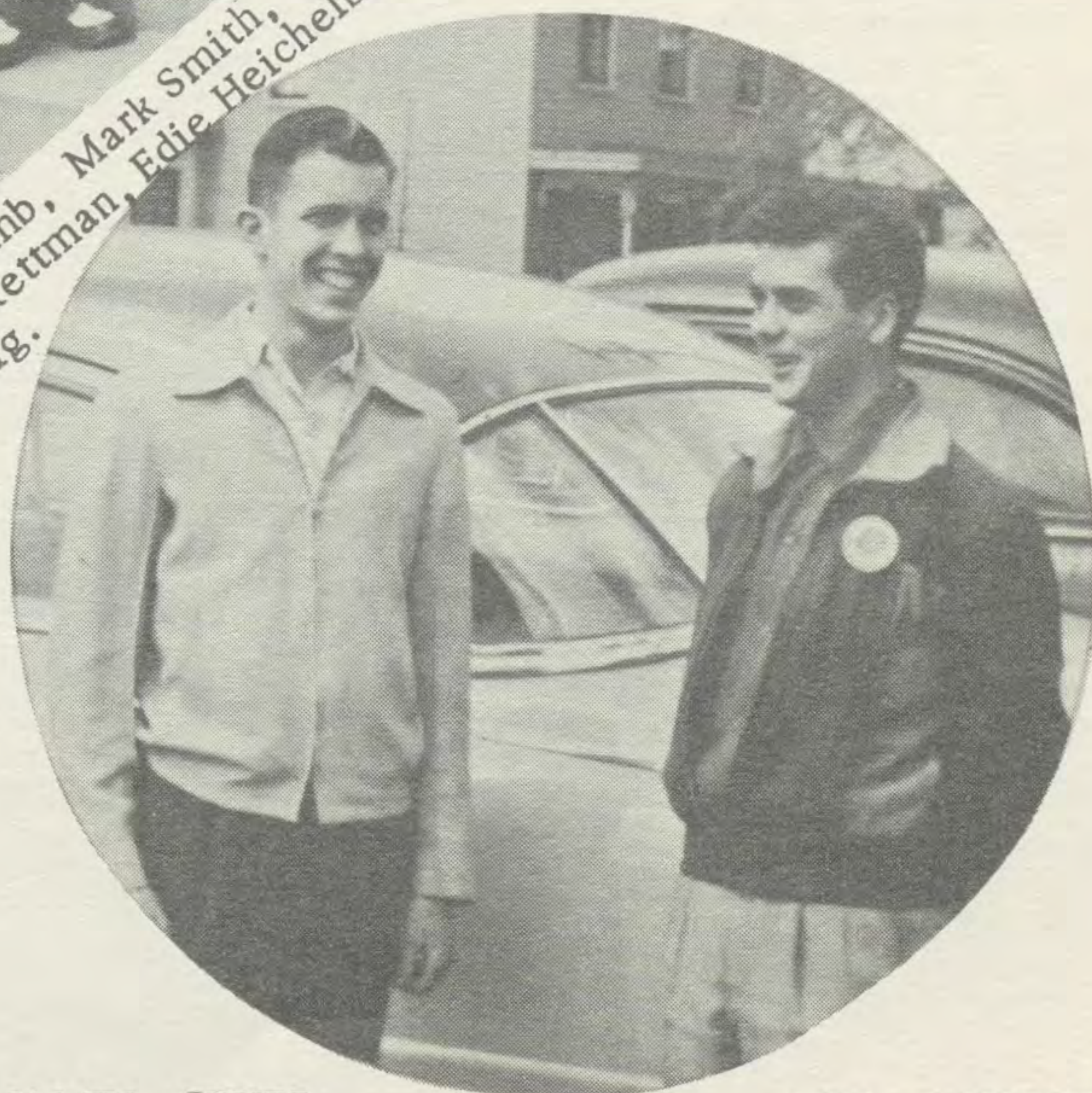
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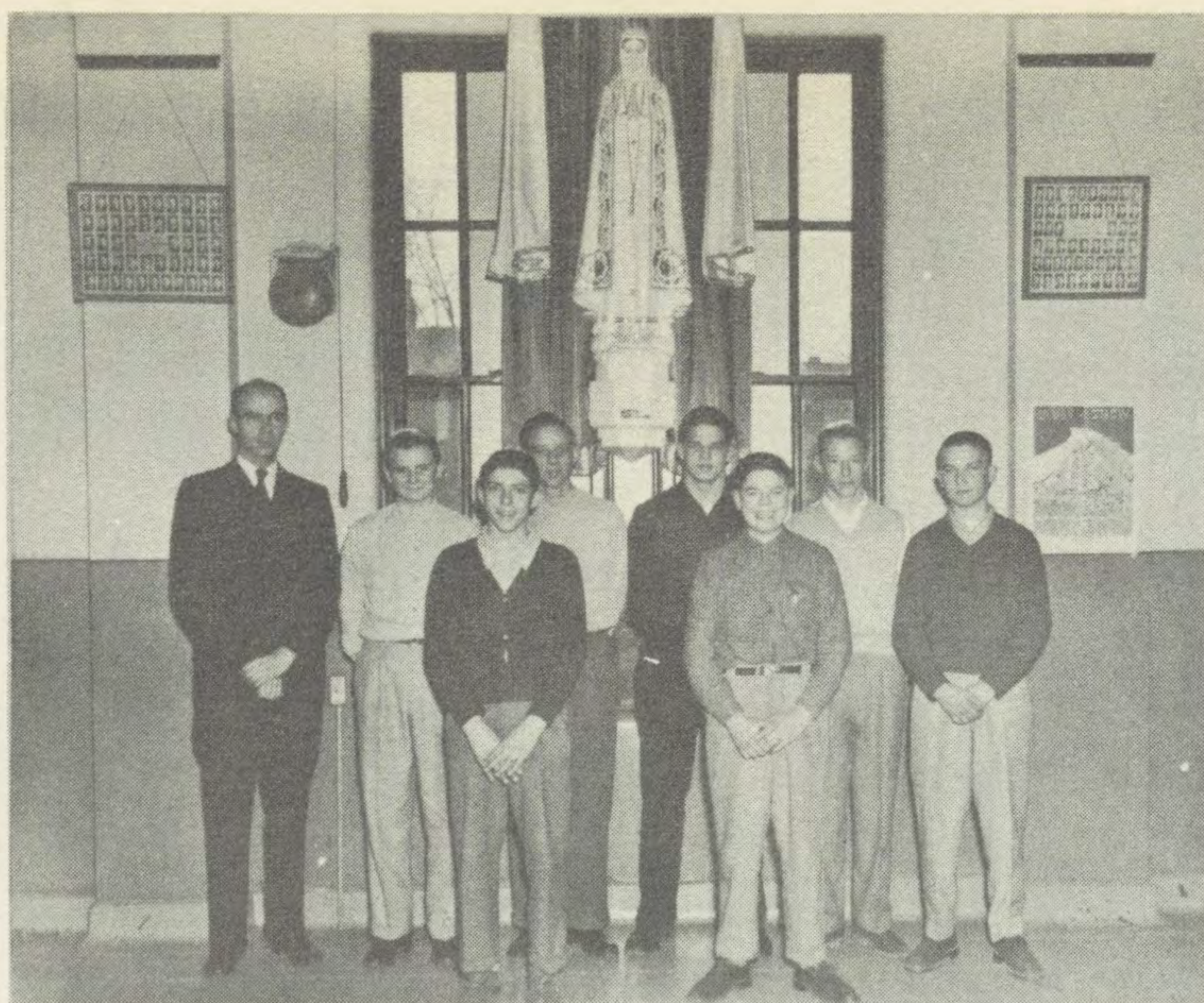
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The Student Council under the moderation of Brother John Strickroth, although not inaugurated until the latter part of this year, has done much and promises to do more for the betterment of Hamilton Catholic High School in the future.



Junior Sodality

BACK ROW: Bro. Charles Landin; Jack Larkin; Victor Haight; Robert Young; Jacque Huber; Ronald Knapp.
FRONT ROW: Ronald Armentrout; James Imfeld.

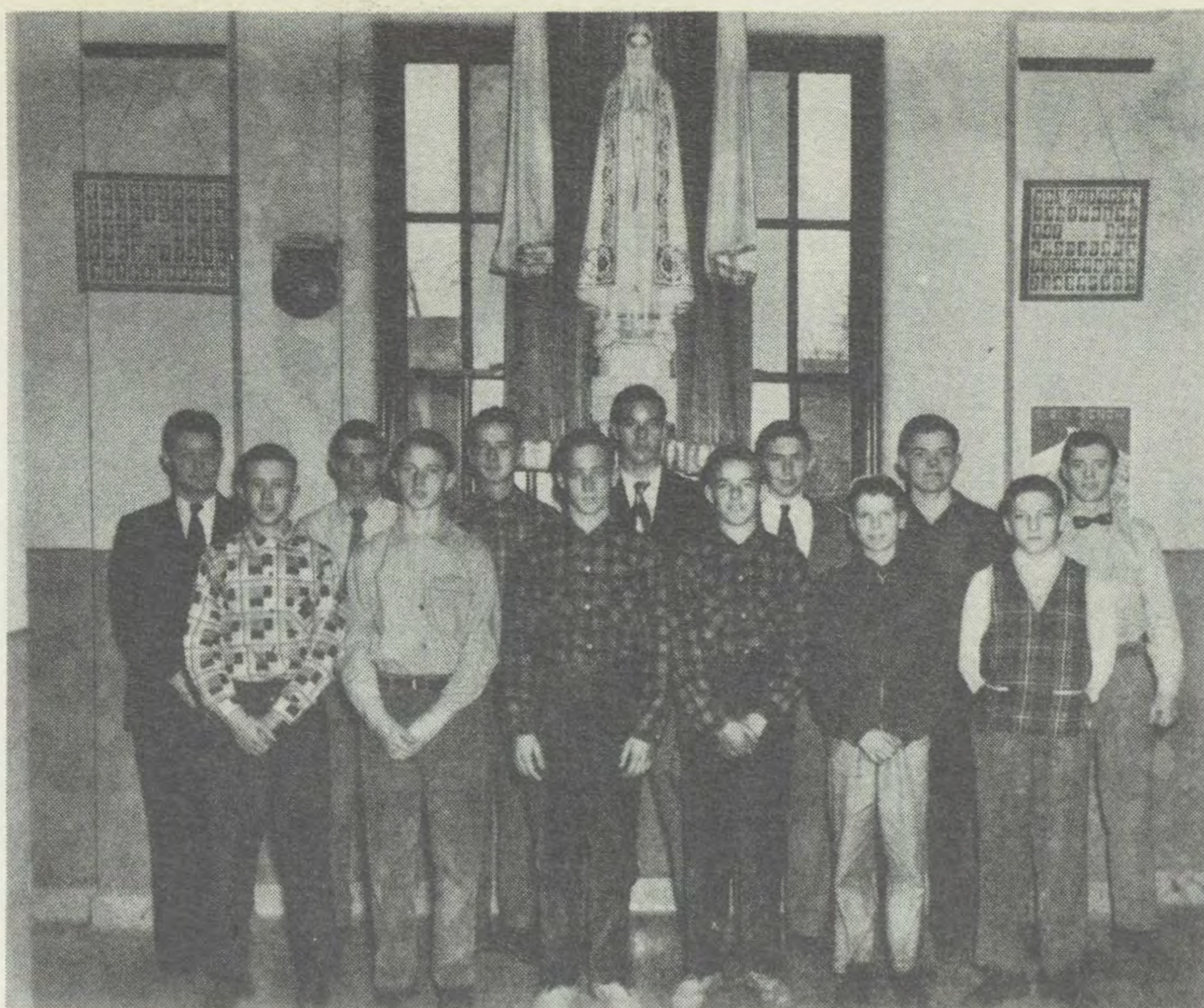
Religious standards have been established to raise the Sodality. On Dec. 8, 1952 the ceremony of becoming an aspirand in the Sodality, took place in the Brother's House. The Faculty is expecting great things from the Sodality in the future and the Sodality are hoping to live up to the faculties expectations.



Senior Sodality

BACK ROW: Phil Donovan; Jim Westrick; Joe Schwartz; Don Van Wormer; John Kreke; Walter Gross; George Weickert; Marc Hetterich; Father Frank J. Kenny.
FRONT ROW: Frank Fritsch; Steve O'Donnell; Jim Geyer; Jim Becker; Jack Engler; Edgar Heichelbeck.

BACK ROW:
Bro. John M.
dahl; Geor



Sophomore Sodality

BACK ROW: Bro. Ralph Mravintz; Ronald Baker; Frank Partee; Nick Hensler; John Lenihan; Thomas Mick; James Lightfield; FRONT ROW: Frank Davis; Louis VonHagen; Walter Leugers; Thomas Leugers; Donald Becker; Tony Lamke.



Freshman Sodality

BACK ROW: David Nichting Richard Scheid; Douglas Beckman; Bro. John Neuherz; FRONT ROW: Edward Robb; Warren Rosen-dahl; George Meece.

HISTORY OF SODALITY

Founded in the school year of 1951-52, for Seniors and Juniors only, the Sodality has expanded to all four divisions this year.

The purpose of this organization is to unite the entire student body, both spiritually and materially for the good of the school and self. Drives for tax stamps and canned foods are sponsored by this organization. Devotions to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, to the rosary, and to parish services are encouraged.

Schwartz; Don
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Variety S



Formal Dance



Orchestra



Orchestra

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Upper right - John and the

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Extreme right - Two Dons set a beat

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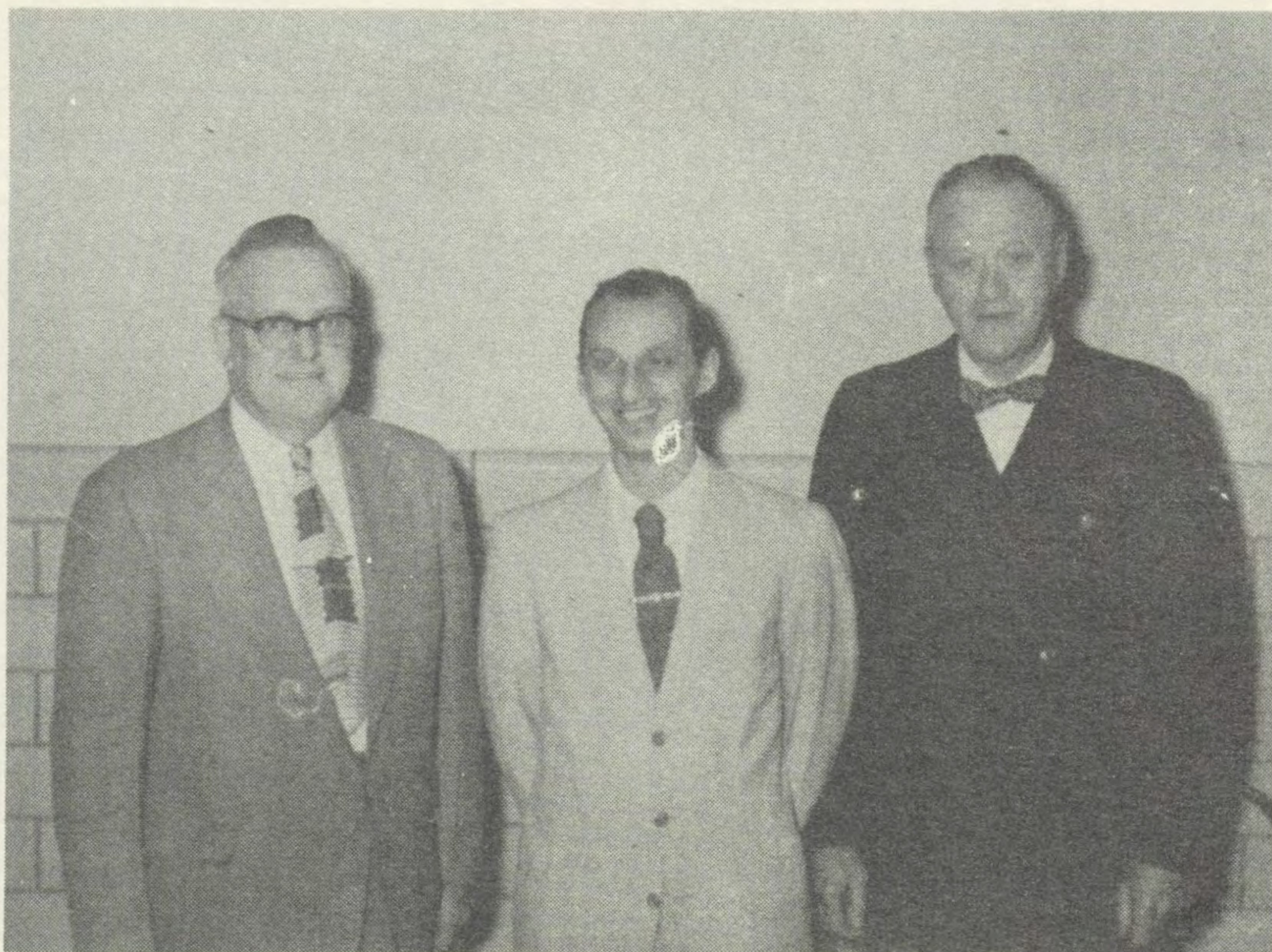


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L to R, Mr. Joseph Bitel, Mr. William Pater, Mr. Vincent Butz, Mr. Ernest Compton

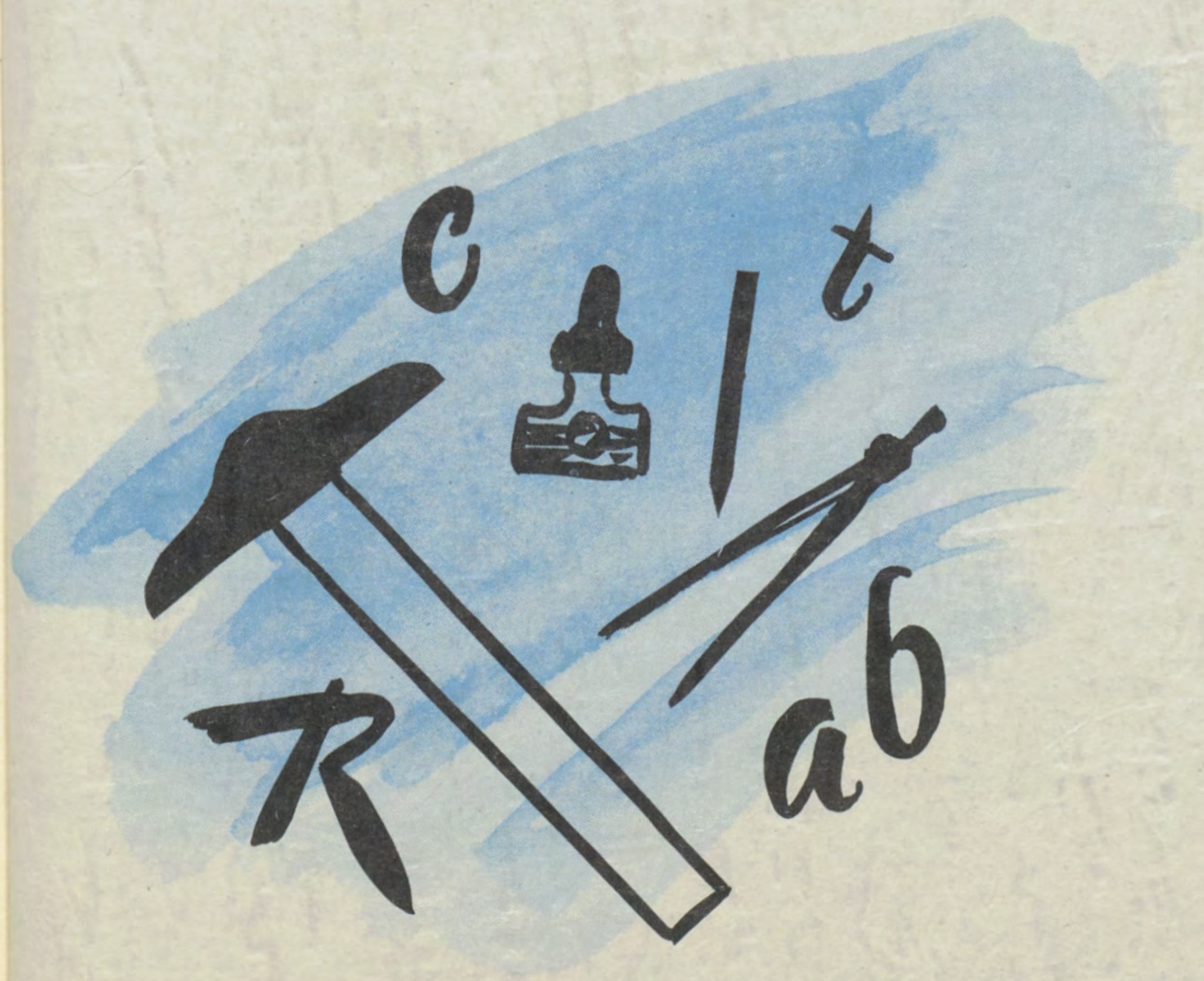
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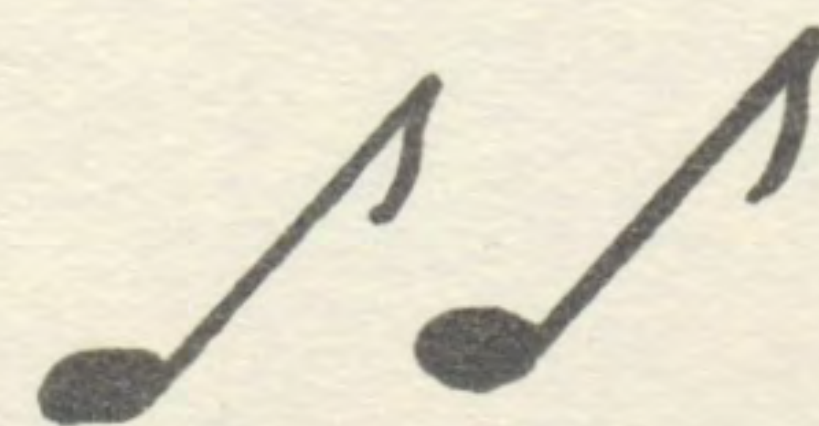
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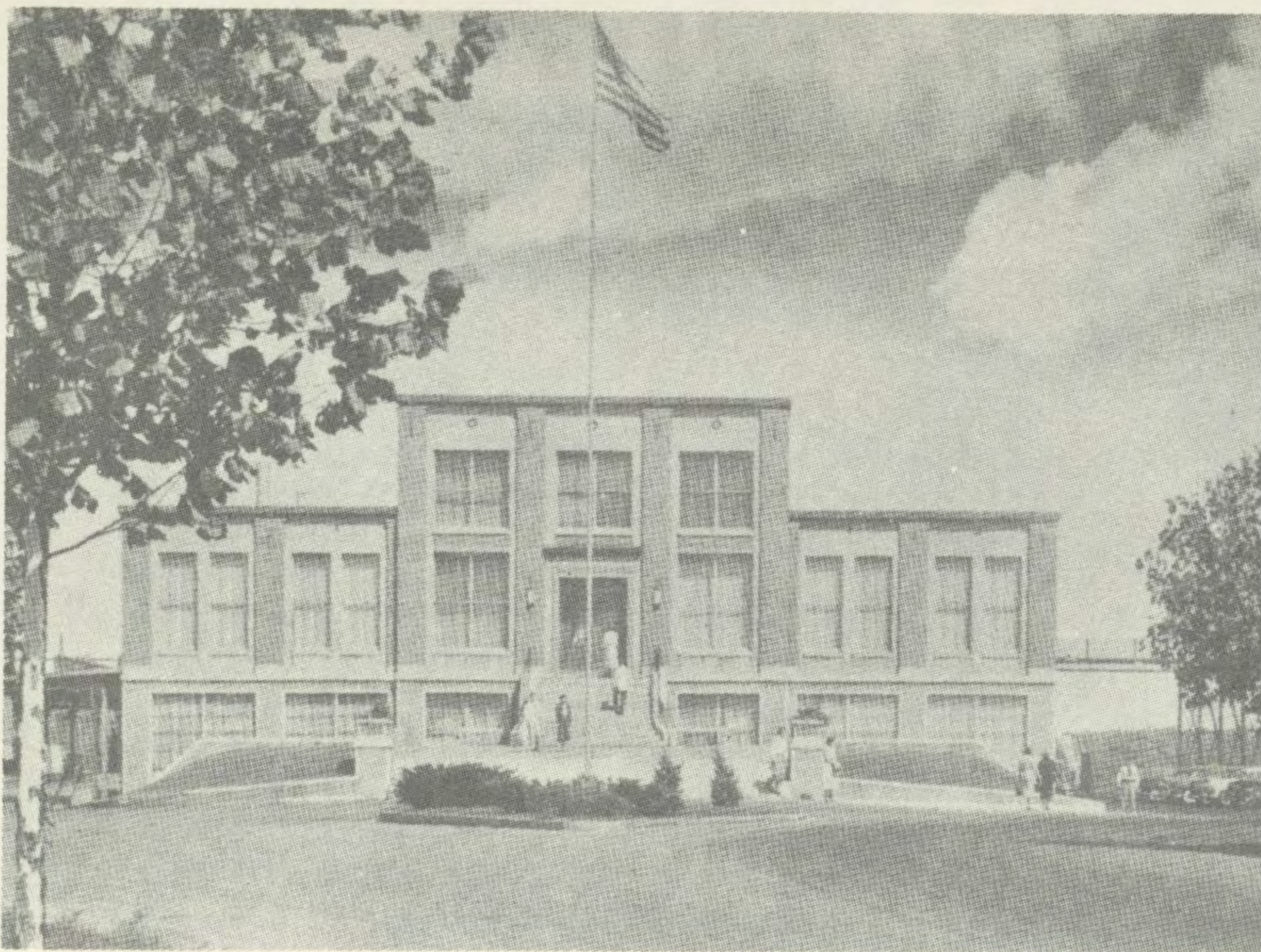
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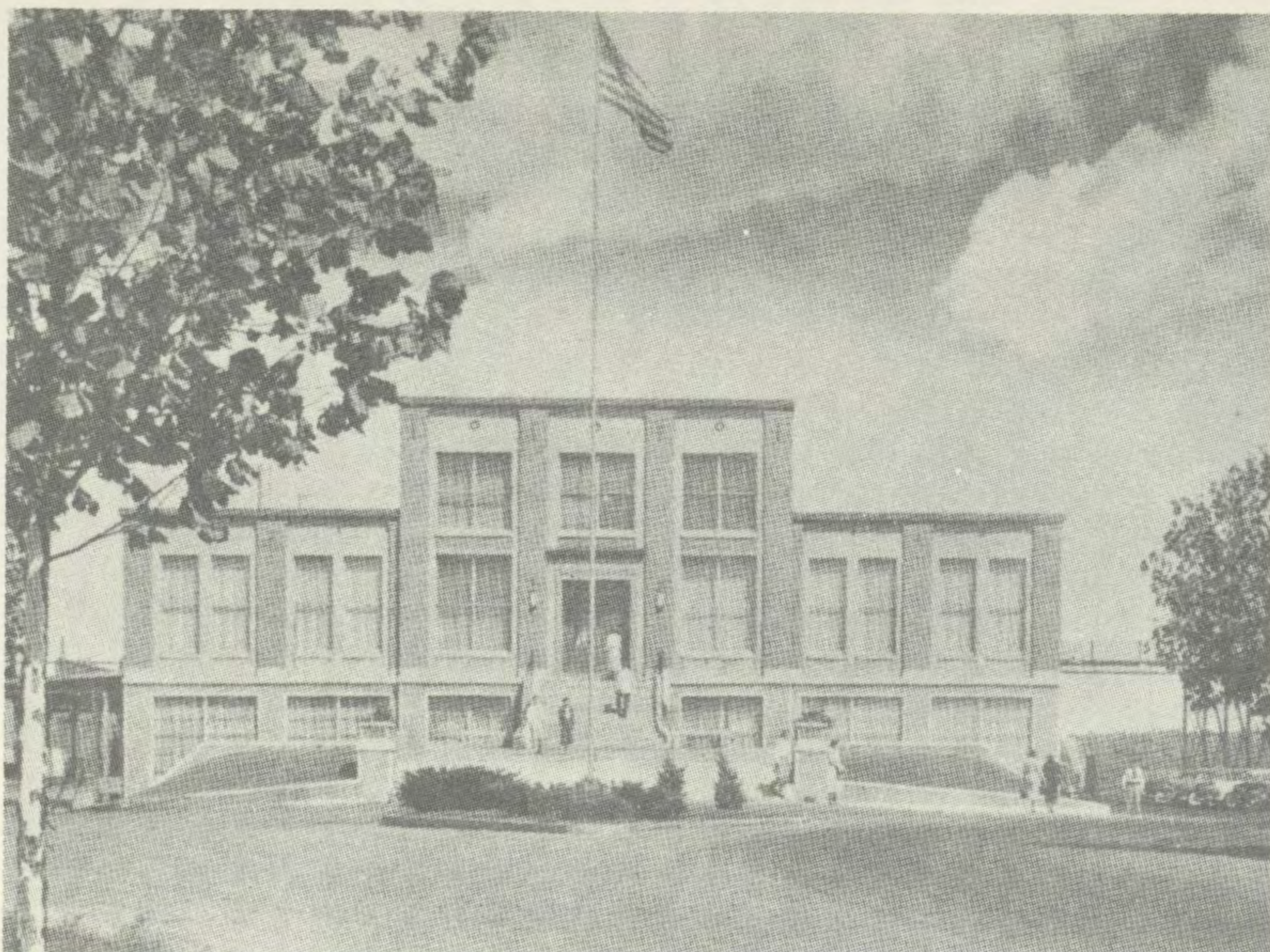
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