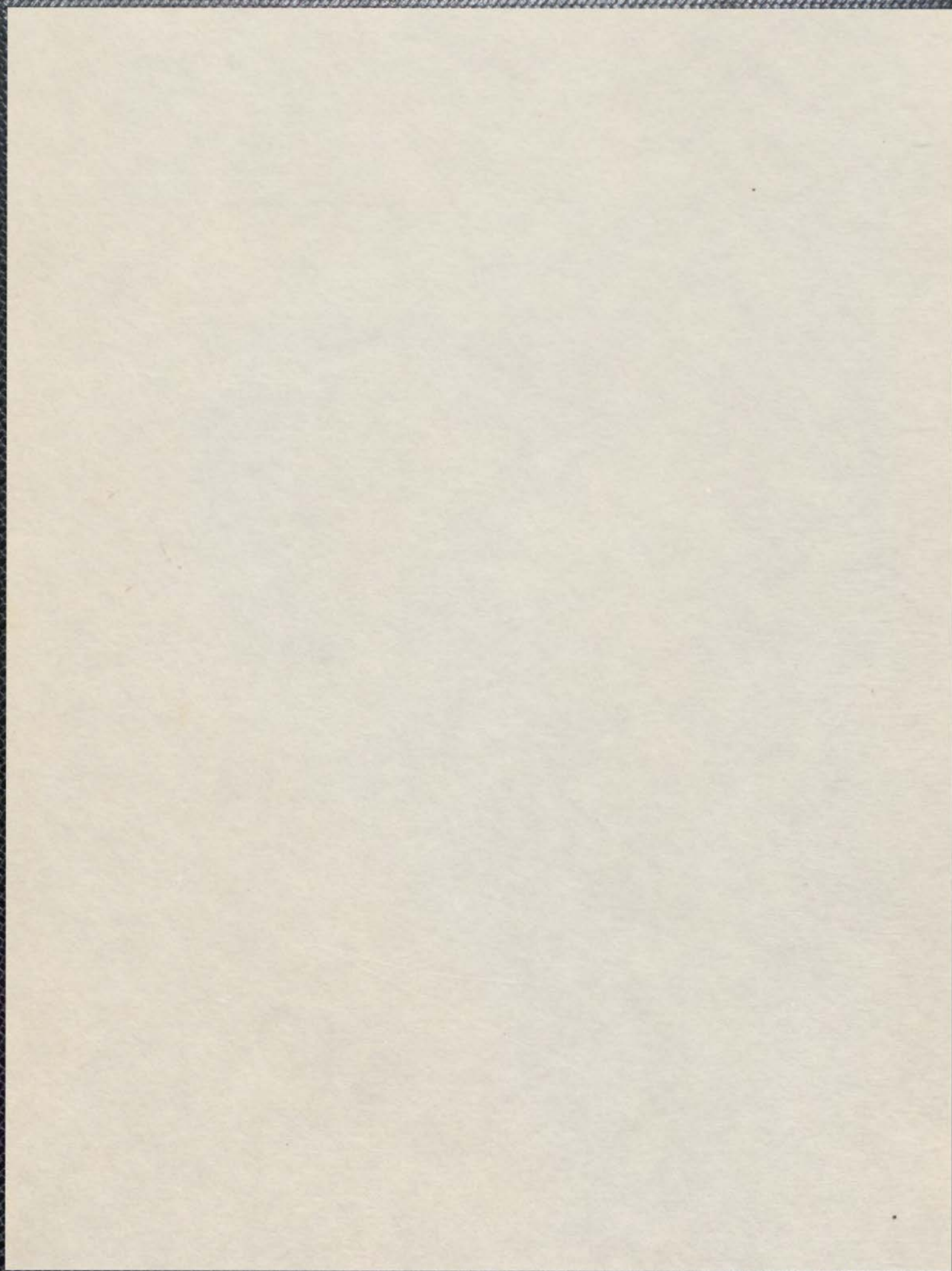
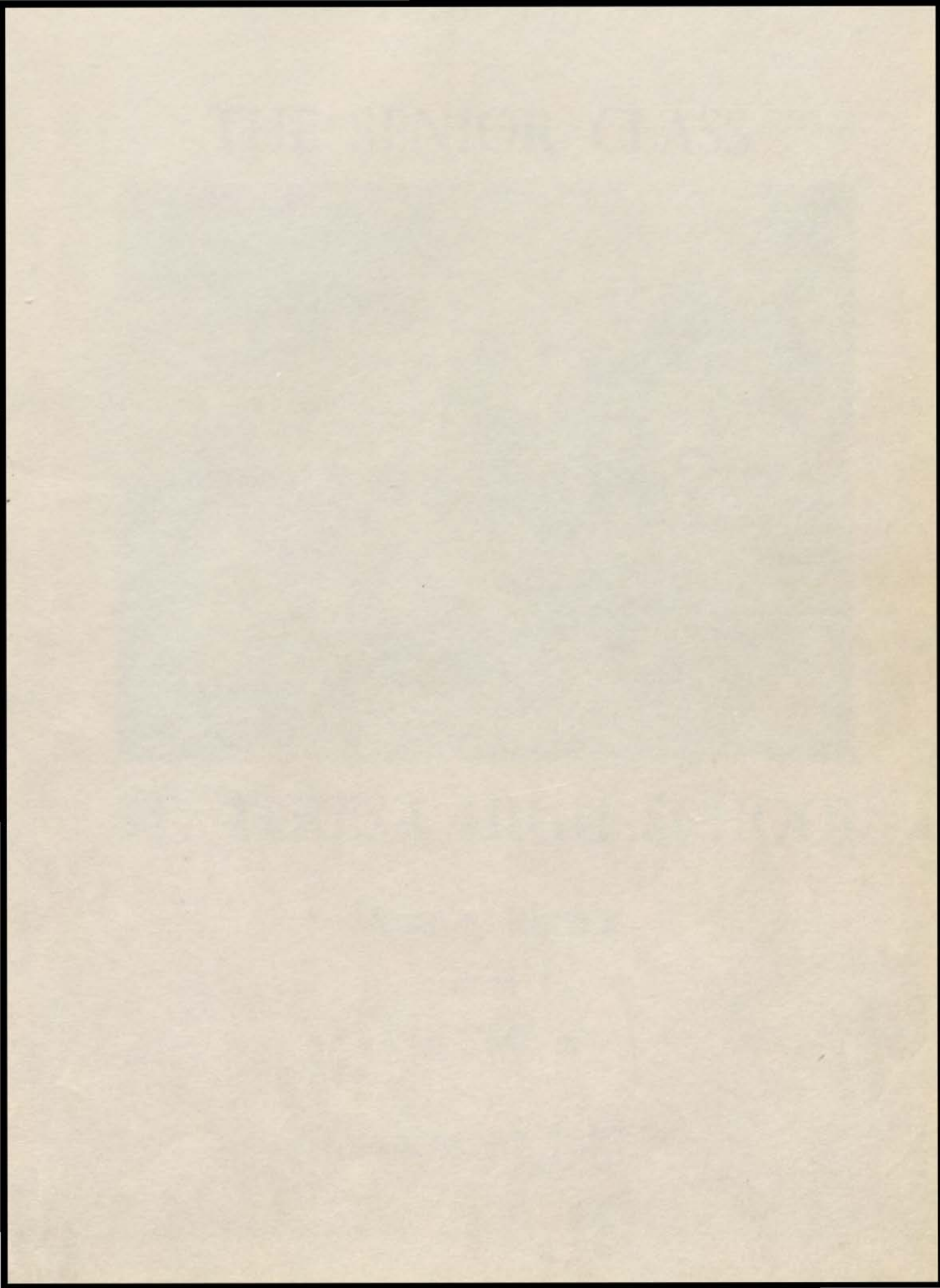


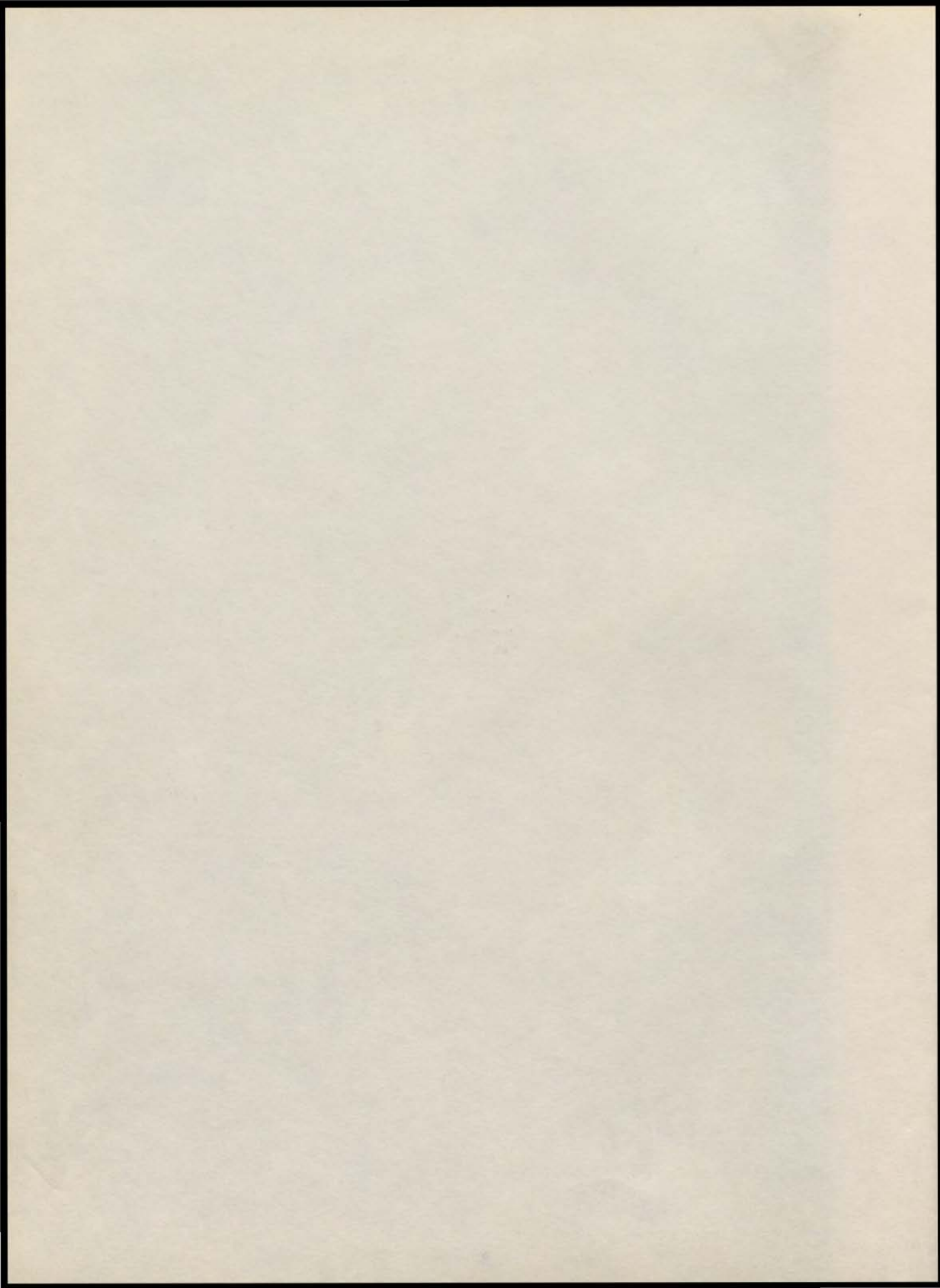


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FOREWORD

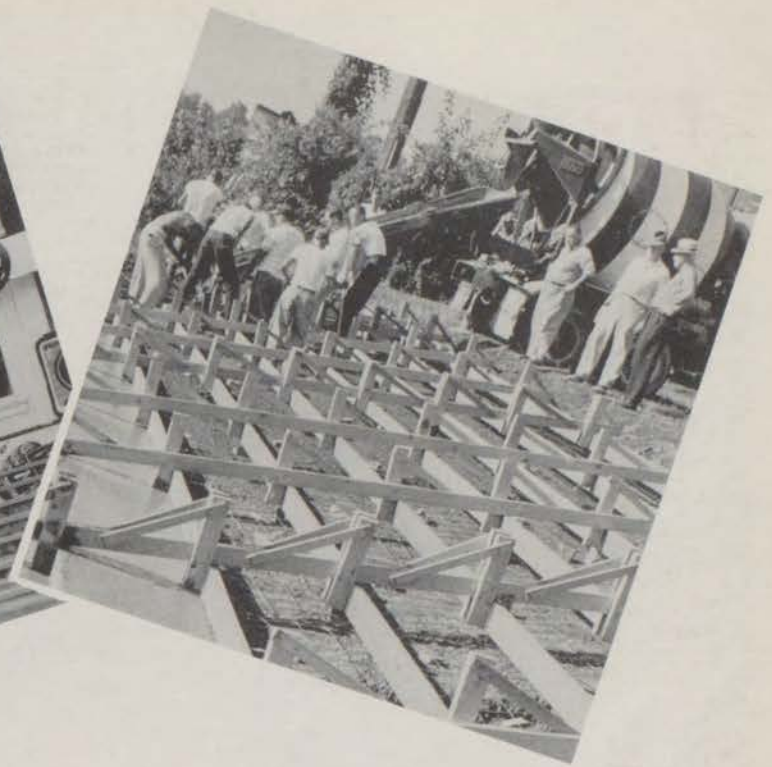


The above is an aerial view of the business district of the city of Decatur.

ST. TERESA IS PART OF DECATUR

St. Teresa's part in the development of Decatur is something which is intangible; something which cannot be measured by the rule of statistics or numbers. Who can judge with precision the number of today's citizens whose lives are exemplary because of the qualities and habits which they acquired while at St. Teresa? Who can speculate as to how many of the citizens of the future will be influenced in all of their affairs by the virtues impressed upon them while they were students at St. Teresa?

We, as future citizens, must meet the challenge as well as those before us have. As they were successful in conquering the inevitable obstacles in life, so we must be. We must follow them by acquiring the wisdom to judge our actions with reason and principles, not with prejudices and emotions. From them we learn to apply a sense of humor to enable us to laugh about and forget the small slights and disappointments of life. We must learn, as our elders learned, to gain the courage to do always what we firmly believe in and are confident is right. As they learned, we will learn to live our lives in faith—faith in our contemporaries; faith in ourselves; faith in our community and our country; faith in our future and faith in God.



Dear Boosters:

We are dedicating the '58 Teresian to you because you have helped make our four years of high school experiences enjoyable and pleasant ones. We know that we have constantly had your enthusiastic support in all our undertakings.

We shall long remember and appreciate the bleachers you constructed, the band uniforms you purchased, and the concession stand you operate.

We want you to know you have our sincere respect, admiration, and gratitude.

In dedicating our yearbook to you we want to say, "Thank you, Boosters!"

THE 1958 TERESIAN STAFF





Bishop William A. O'Connor presides over our Diocese of Springfield, of which Decatur is an important part.

It is largely through the efforts of Bishop O'Connor that we enjoy the facilities of the gym and new classrooms, which he also dedicated for us.

Every year his presence lends dignity to our graduation exercises.

Because of the Bishop's great interest in youth we are privileged to hear inspiring vocational talks by Father O'Brien, who also advises all those who wish to consult with him on his monthly visits.

We shall ever be grateful to Bishop O'Connor for the help and advice he has given to us and to our school.

OUR WELFARE IS IN COMPETENT HANDS



Mother Alice, principal, and Reverend Mother Celeste pause before a bulletin board in the front corridor to discuss school activities.

FATHER LEBRETON
Religion III, IV

MOTHER ALICE
Principal
Latin I

MOTHER ALBEUS
Religion I
English II
Band
Glee Club
Junior Homeroom 211

MOTHER ALOYSIA
Librarian

MOTHER CELESTE
Latin II, III
Freshman Homeroom 302

MOTHER CLARE
Study Hall

MOTHER CLOTILDE
Religion I, II
Algebra
Chemistry
Psychology
Senior Homeroom 208

MOTHER EDMUND
Religion to non-Catholics

MOTHER HILDEGARDE
Mechanical Drawing

MOTHER IGNATIUS
Religion IV
English III, IV
Spanish I
Senior Homeroom 209

MOTHER JANE FRANCES
Religion I
Algebra
American History
Solid Geometry-Trigonometry
Freshman Homeroom 306

MOTHER MARIE THERESE
Bookkeeping
Logic
Office Practice
Shorthand I, II
Sociology
World History
Sophomore Homeroom 206

MOTHER MARY ELLEN
Religion II
English I
Sophomore Homeroom 202

MOTHER MATTHIAS
Religion III
Biology
General Science
Junior Homeroom 210

MOTHER TIMOTHY
Religion II
General Science
Girls' P. E.
Freshman Homeroom 301

MOTHER URSULA
Spanish II
Typing

MRS. LEO COLBERT
General Language
French
Latin

MR. JOHN ROCHE
General Mathematics
Geometry

MR. SIDNEY TUCKER
Assistant Coach
Boys' P. E.
Driver Training
World History
Sophomore Homeroom 105

MR. JOSEPH VENTURI
Coach
Boys' P. E.

OUR FACULTY



Mother Alice pauses during her busy day to converse with Franz Grossman, Frances Kedelis, and Mary Mizeur.



Mark Barmann takes time out to deliver a package for Mother Ursula.



Mother Clare, study hall supervisor, chats with Louise DeGennaro, Mary Roche, and Jim Blakeman.

HELPS TO CULTIVATE OUR MINDS



Mother Mary Ellen and Mary Ann Murphy visit the grotto.



Coach Tucker demonstrates driving techniques to Ted Spanbauer and Don Ruffus.



Mother Ignatius, English teacher, discusses Cuban life with Mike Lents.

DIRECTS OUR ACTIVITIES



Mother Matthias explains the leaf structure of a fir tree to Larry Barrett and Sue McHenry.



Sam Suter waits to take Mother Hildegard back to the convent after her afternoon class.



Mother Celeste and Jerry Stanley look over the freshman Latin schedule.



Mother Jane Frances, with Mary Lou Huhne and Loretta Henderson, discuss homeroom activities by the Sacred Heart statue in front of school.

PROMOTES OUR TALENTS



Mother Marie Terese demonstrates an intricate crocheting stitch to Joan Donahue and Karen Jennings.



Mother Aloysia, librarian, waters one of her plants as Dave Rupert looks on.



Band director Mother Albeus, along with Mark McEvoy and Mary Ellen Simonin, study a musical score for an assembly.



Carol Frein purchases paper from Mother Marietta while Sandra Neff looks on.

PREPARES US

Mother Timothy points out a cheering trophy won at the Paris Holiday Tournament to Lorraine Hanzi and Rosemary Bushu.



Richard Niehardt explains the structure of a sentence to a Sophomore English class while Sandy Miller and Karen Kovach look on.



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Coach Venturi demonstrates his golfing form to Ronald Devereaux and Jeff Northam.

FOR THE FUTURE



Mother Clotilde demonstrates proper laboratory procedures to Mary Speasl, Ray Oliver, and David LeHew.



Mr. Roche explains the mechanics of a tractor

to Jim Burtschi and Barbara Mathias.

The girls' physical education class limbers up with calisthenics at the beginning of class, under the direction of Mother Timothy.



GUIDED US IN VIRTUE



Tom McNamara, Father LeBreton, and Bob Lents have a friendly chat before Religion class.



Mother Edmund looks over articles in selling case.



Mrs. Colbert glances over a musical score during one of her rare spare moments.



Miss Clark, school secretary, performs one of her duties by answering the telephone.

OUR CLASSES



Margaret Kunz explains the structure of the neurone to Mary Mizeur in the senior girls' Psychology class.

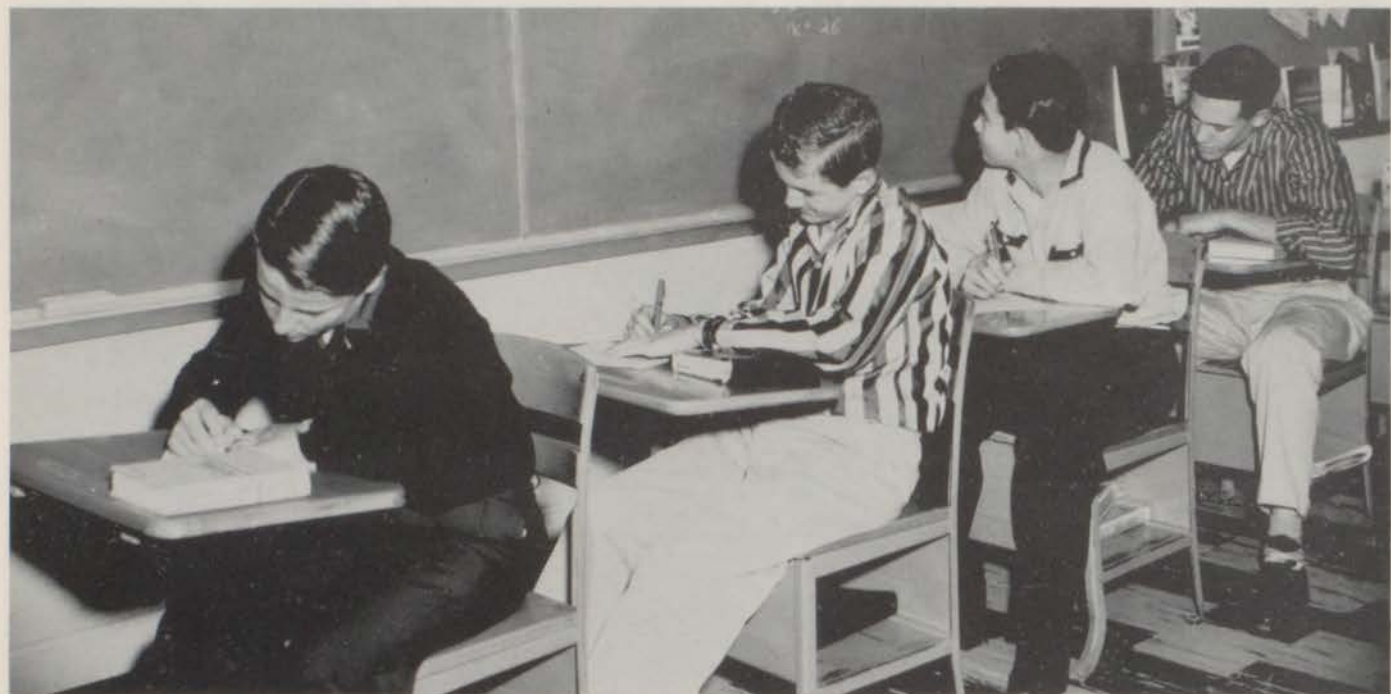


Mary Lee Pfile points out the Louisiana Purchase to Mary Carol Niesman and Sam Suter.



Tom Fickas and Jim Moore watch as Ray Olives works out a design in the Mechanical Drawing class.

TEACH US TO THINK



Ed Sinnott, Jim Sutherland, Michael Hunter and Ron Hogan copy an algebra problem from the board in the freshman Algebra class.



Steve Rhodes, Ken Tokarz, and Lois Speaks conduct an experiment in General Science class.



Nonajo Bodine, Lois Cheviron, and Nancy Seman prepare to cut a stencil in Office Practice class.

BUILD OUR CHARACTERS



The senior boys' religion class listens attentively to a panel discussion.



Catherine Kunz, Beverly Wainscott and Kathleen Doyle heat a leaf in alcohol in Biology class.



Kathy McDonald, Gayle DeHaven and Ann Smethers translate the Salute to the Flag in French class.

ROLF IS A REAL PART OF OUR SCHOOL

ROLF PFLUGI

Through the courtesy of the American Field Service Rolf Pflugi has come to St. Teresa from Beasel, Switzerland to benefit from a year of study in the United States.

Rolf is an exceptionally talented linguist, speaking English, Spanish, German, and French, his native tongue.

Since joining the student body of St. Teresa, he has wholeheartedly participated in many activities. His most notable appearances have been made with the school band.

While living in the United States, Rolf is residing with the Pete Cooley family. They have given Rolf much assistance in learning the mannerisms and customs of the country.

For three years St. Teresa has been a part of the American Field Service. This year is the first year that St. Teresa will be able to send a student to a foreign country for the summer. A member of the junior class will represent the school in a European country.

St. Teresa High School is very proud to be a part of the vast organization of the American Field Service.



Reverend Mother Celeste, in behalf of the students, presents the Ursuline ring to Rolf as a gesture of sincere welcome.



Maureen Higdon, Rolf, and Gay Oliver compare school life in the United States to that in Switzerland.



Rolf has become an active member of the band. Here he is shown with his saxophone.



Rolf is an avid fan of young Americans' interest in dancing. Above he tries a new step with Martha Jordan.

ACTIVITIES LEND ZEST TO SCHOOL



Yearbook, newspaper, basketball, football, dance programs, Friendship Day autograph book, Ursuline ring, beanie—all symbols of activities at St. Teresa, lie on a table.

Activities . . . a breathless whirl of excitement for nine months . . . Friendship Week . . . tiny pigtales . . . earrings (on boys!!!) . . . Homecoming . . . victory . . . "Autumn Swirl" . . . Queen Suellen . . . Ring Ceremony . . . Pomp and Circumstance . . . Open House . . . Christmas programs featuring the Band and Glee Club . . . Student Council Christmas float . . . basketball games . . . exams . . . Retreats . . . solitude . . . a time for thinking . . . Winter Festival . . . "Fantasy in Frost" . . . Mission Week . . . a penny for a vote . . . the "jail" . . . Speech Contest . . . monologues . . . practice . . . National Honor Society Induction . . . College and Faculty Days . . . Student Council Elections . . . posters . . . Inaugural Ball . . . Glee Club and Band Musical . . . Senior Class Play . . . lines to memorize . . . Athletic Banquet . . . May Crowning . . . pastel flowers . . . queen and escort . . . the beauty of the Living Rosary . . . Prom . . . hours of labor . . . bouffant dresses . . . enchantment . . . Class Day . . . awards . . . speeches . . . valedictorian and salutatorian . . . finals . . . the climax . . . Graduation . . . caps and gowns . . . tears and joy . . . the beginning and the end.

WE ARE ENTERTAINED BY ASSEMBLIES



Mr. Edward Brigham presented the students with an inspiring program of the qualities of Shakespeare and excerpts from some of his works.

HONOR ASSEMBLIES

Assemblies are held quarterly to honor students who have excelled in scholarship and character. A successful local businessman addresses the students at this time stressing the importance of leadership and high personal ideals and principles.

Those students who have won honors outside of school are also acknowledged at this time.



Mr. O'Neal of the Herald and Review with the help of Rev. Mother Celeste presents a book and certificate to Carol Schnepf for honorable mention in the story contest.

AUDIO-VISUAL CLUB

The behind-the-scenes workers at all the school programs and assemblies are the members of the Audio-Visual Club. Under the direction of Mother Alice, the members of this club have learned to operate and manipulate all the equipment necessary to present successful programs.

In this way, the boys have learned how to run the movie and slide projectors, the lighting system of the stage, and the correct operation of the tape recorder.

Without these boys, some of the assemblies would be impossible.



Members of the Audio-Visual Club examine a slide projector before learning how to operate it.

WE HOLD TRADITION HIGH

"Lowly freshman" Larry McNamara brushes a shoe for "noble senior" Janet Hertel.



Sonny Rowan "proposes" to Nancy Durbin at the command of a senior.

Ann Rapier, Mary Ann Suter, and Cecilia Ryan retrieve their odds and ends that some kind senior has dumped from their purses.



FRIENDSHIP DAY

Friendship Day is an annual event at St. Teresa, occurring at the end of September. Looked forward to by all the students, it is a day on which the freshmen arrive at school ridiculously attired and prepared to pay "homage" to the seniors. All day long they run errands, count bricks, carry trays and books, shine shoes, and provide impromptu entertainment.

This year activities included a talent show of freshman talent. The Junior class distributed autograph books to the students as a remembrance of the day. The day was climaxed by a dance sponsored by the Student Council.



Tom Covert and Roy Enloe await the assignment of their next "duty."



A few of the freshmen take time out to pose for a senior photography fan.



Some freshman boys demonstrate their ability to do push-ups.

OUR HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES



The Homecoming Queen candidates Martha Huhne, Pattie Stack, Pat Noonan, Suellen Platzbecker, Mary Jane Callahan, and Carol Schnepf, wait in anxiety for the announcement of the 1957-58 Homecoming Queen.



The pastel colors of this float captivated everyone.



Sophomores' float gives away the Bulldogs' secret—breakfast of Champions.



As the Homecoming bonfire burns, the students in the background sing school songs and chant cheers.

HIGHLIGHT OUR FALL SEASON



The Homecoming queen, Suellen Platzbecker, is surrounded by her court and their escorts immediately after her coronation. They are, *left to right*: Ron Lunn, Mary Jane Callahan, Jerry Long, Pattie Stack, Dick Crouch, Mary Luster, retiring queen; Suellen Platzbecker, John Sheehy, Carol Schnepf, Brent Collins, Pat Noonan, Tom Campbell, Martha Huhne and Mike McNamara.



Students, friends, and alumnae dance to "Autumn Swirl," which was sponsored by the junior class.



Football co-captains Ron Lunn and John Sheehy escort Queen Suellen to her throne at intermission time.

OUR RELIGIOUS LIFE IS STRESSED



Reverend Raymond Walters conducted the senior girls' closed retreat. Here he goes over some of their queries before a question box session.

Father Raymond Walters, retreat master, opened the senior girls' retreat with Benediction on Sunday night. For the next three days the girls kept silence while following the spiritual program laid out for them. After the talks given by Father Walters, there were prayers and time to think about the things that he had said. The reading of religious books and private talks with Father Walters were an inspirational part of the retreat. Special graces, time to think of God, and a change in our outlook on life are a few of the many benefits derived from this annual closed retreat.

The senior boys' annual closed retreat was held at Saint Joseph's Hall this year from January 21-23. The boys spent three days of complete silence, praying, receiving the sacraments, and listening to the sermons of the retreat master, Father Edward McGuire. Group prayers, question boxes, and spiritual reading were also part of the daily program.

From these spiritual exercises, the boys received many graces, a strengthening of their faith, increased knowledge of religious matters and the solution to many of their problems.



Senior boys' retreat master Reverend McGuire discusses the progress of the retreat with Bernard Weber and Larry Hunt.

WE REALIZE OUR ULTIMATE GOAL



A group of underclassman boys listen attentively to Reverend C. D. Clark in the gym, which was transformed to a chapel for retreat purposes.

Spiritual exercises for the freshman, sophomore, and junior boys were led by Father Charles Clark. The boys profited greatly from the talks given by Father, and from the other religious activities in which they participated each day. This year a Holy Hour was held in the gym during the evening and was attended by the underclassmen.

The boys obtained many new ideas concerning religion and their duties as good Catholics.

Retreat for the freshmen, sophomore, and junior girls was held at the school at the end of January. Father Arthur LeBreton was retreat master and directed the spiritual activities of the group. Conferences, spiritual reading, group prayer, meditation, and question box comprised the daily routine.

The retreat gave the girls a chance to consider seriously the spiritual side of their lives and to make spiritual resolutions to become better Catholic girls.



Reverend A. D. Le Breton, who led retreat exercises for the freshman, sophomore and junior girls, poses before a conference.

WE RECEIVED OUR COVETED RINGS



Father Masterson blesses Dave Kloud's ring.

T H E U R S U L I N E R I N G



Judy Heffernan kneels to have her ring blessed.

Ring Ceremony will always hold a very special place in the memories of the seniors. Their Ursuline rings set them apart from the crowd as students whose lives are dedicated to loyalty, courtesy, and courage.

The evening of October 13 began with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the Academy Chapel. Afterwards they went to the gymnasium where they received their rings in the beautiful and traditional ceremony, and took the Ursuline Ring Pledge in which they promised to live up to the standards set before them.

Father LeBreton spoke of the real significance of the insignia on the ring. The lily symbolizes purity, which should characterize Christian youth. The palm exemplifies leadership; the shield and sword, strength. The flaming torch and cross outline their Catholic faith; the links and the helmet, loyalty and courage. Lastly, the book represents knowledge.

The seniors treasure their rings because they signify both the symbol of our Ursuline education and the mutual bond that will always exist among the class of 1958.



Reverend Mother Celeste places a ring on Martha Jordan's finger.



The Senior Class of 1958 sing a hymn to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

CLUBS DEVELOP SOCIAL QUALITIES



Slide projector, band baton, student council gavel, Quill and Scroll pin, Sodality medal, cheerleader's megaphone, National Honor Society pin, Mission mite box, Commercial Club's shorthand notebook, and G.A.A. letter—all symbols of S.T.H.S. organizations, lie on the table.

Clubs . . . minutes . . . dues . . . meetings . . . Spectator . . . originating art designs . . . work counts . . . Glee Club . . . Band . . . Spring concerts . . . missing song pages . . . Teresian . . . deadlines which loom so near when so much is to be done . . . hard work and the joy of accomplishment . . . Student Council . . . discussion of problems . . . cloak room duties during the basketball games . . . Commercial Club . . . choosing a speaker . . . Mother-Daughter Banquet . . . Mission Club . . . plans for Mission Day . . . CSMC convention at Notre Dame University . . . Sodality . . . peace and contentment of the day of recollection . . . adoration in honor of Our Lady of Lourdes . . . Cafeteria Squad . . . "quiet, please" . . . last in line for lunch . . . Hall Guards . . . code of behavior . . . order during assemblies . . . National Honor Society . . . the thrill of induction . . . Faculty Day . . . Clubs . . . training the students for future responsibilities.

WHO'S WHO-STUDENTS LEAD



The Who's Who of St. Teresa is composed of those students prominent in the different phases of high school life.

These students have proved their capabilities by their leadership in organizations, interest in student government, participation in outside competition, and ingenuity in school publications.

The 1958 TERESIAN salutes these leaders!



President of the Student Council Ron Lunn excels in all S.T.H.S. sports.



Editor of the yearbook, Mary Jo Vail is an active participant in numerous organizations and activities.



Captain of the cheerleading squad and president of the Glee Club, Pattie Stack is a prominent member of the Student Council.



President of the Mission Club, Homemaker of Tomorrow Contest winner, and Cafeteria Squad captain, Sue Suter has interests in many S.T.H.S. activities.



Co-Editor of the yearbook, John Schudel has maintained an exceedingly high scholastic average in high school.

President of National Honor Society, Jean Mickelson has shown exceptional ability in the St. Teresa publications.

Senior Class president Brent Collins has proved his true worth scholastically and socially.

CLASSMATES IN SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



Foreign Exchange Student Rolf Pflugli has become a vital part of life at St. Teresa.



Winner of the *Herald and Review* story contest, Sue Paschal is a conscientious worker on any job.



Captain of the Hall Guards, Dick Crouch has shown great ability on the gridiron.



President of the commercial Club, Martha Jordan is a willing member of many committees.



Student Director of the band, Vernon Tatham has won awards in many contests.



Prefect of the Girls' Sodality Maryanne Wayne is a four year member of the band.



Drum major of the band, Pat Quigley is noted for his ability on the drums.



Editor - in - Chief of the school paper, Denise Reinhardt possesses valuable qualities of leadership and responsibility.



Prefect of the Boys' Sodality, Joe Maurer is interested in speech and football.



President of the G.A.A. Norma Heger is an outstanding member of the cheerleading squad.

OUR YEARBOOK IS A LASTING RECORD



Business managers of the Teresian, Janet Hertel, Virginia Elder, and Mary Jane Callahan, pause while working on subscriptions.



Co-editors of the Teresian, Mary Jo Vail and John Schudel, enter the post office to send the final copy of the Teresian to the yearbook company.



Lay-out and photography editors, Sue Pascal and Pattie Stack, check a picture that is to be laid out.



The write-up staff, composed of Martha Huhne, Susie Suter, and Jean Mickelson, do the writing necessary in the Teresian.



Ray Oliver and Tom Noonan plan the sport pages for the Teresian.



Write-up and lay-up staffs work endlessly on '58 edition of Teresian.

OUR PAPER REFLECTS OUR LIFE



The Spectator editors study the mechanics of the printing press at the printers. They are from left to right: Pat Nolan, Denise Rhienhart, Roberta Alfery, and Linda Robinson.

Six times a year the populace of Saint Teresa High School looks forward to the new edition of the "Spectator." Coming events, news, sports, editorials, features, and letters to the editor are always pleasant reading for the student body.

To those seeking news of this school, the paper is their source of information. Full details of school happenings, both extracurricular and otherwise, will be found.

Thanks to the editors throughout the past years, the "Spectator" has won many fine awards. A commendable tribute to all the Spectator staffs!

Carol Munn and Larry White verify names in the office files.

Joe Maurer points out copy change to typist, Mary Kay Durbin.



Bill Elden, Rosemary Skelley, Patty Burns, and Mary Speasl study a completed Spectator.

STUDENTS SHARE IN GOVERNMENT



Student Council officers Ron Lunn president, Sue Platzbecker secretary-treasurer, and Pattie Stack vice president, visit the administration building of Macon County.



Members of the Student Council pose during a meeting. They are, from left to right: Steve Lents, Nancy Grossman, Toni Oyler, Joe Vigneri, Roberta Alfrey, Sue Suter, Sue Platzbecker, Ron Lunn, Pattie Stack, Brent Collins, Dick Crouch, Tom Noonan, Mike McNamara, Vic Lanzotti, Becky Boyde, and Mary Ann Suter.



The Student Council welcomes the transfer students at coke party. They are, from left to right: Sue Platzbecker, Don Mattingly, Pattie Stack, Roberta Alfrey, Sharon Simmons, Mary Blake, Nancy Grossman, and Ron Lunn.



Toni Oyler, Nancy Grossman, Pattie Stack, Brent Collins, Ron Lunn, and Vic Lanzotti adjust the letters on the Christmas float, which participated in the Decatur Chamber of Commerce Parade.

WE ARE PART OF NATIONAL SOCIETIES



Officers of National Honor Society, Jean Mickelson, President; Mary Jo Vail, Secretary, prepare for Faculty day.



Members of the N.H.S. posing with the symbol of the organization are J. Schudel, J. Mickelson, M. Huhne, P. Stack, S. Suter, M. J. Callahan, and R. Lunn. Mary Jo Vail is absent from the picture.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society is an organization for students excelling in religion, character, scholarship, leadership, and service.

Annually, the St. Teresa chapter sponsors National Honor Society Induction, faculty day, and career day.

During faculty day the members of the society assume the positions of the faculty members to be relieved of their obligations.

In the spring of the year, a specific day is set aside as career day. The juniors and seniors assemble and confer with representatives of various Catholic colleges. Brochures and circulars are distributed to encourage students to enter colleges suitable to their particular needs.

This is a commendable organization for students exceeding in manifold areas of high school life.

QUILL AND SCROLL

Quill and Scroll is the international honorary society for high school journalists organized to encourage and reward individual achievement in journalism.

To be enrolled in the association one must be at least in the junior class, scholastically in the upper third of his class, have excelled in some phase of journalistic endeavor, and be approved by the Executive Secretary.

Students working on the *Spectator*, the school paper, and the *Teresian*, the school yearbook, are eligible to become members of Quill and Scroll.



Susie Suter, Martha Huhne, Jean Mickelson, and Suellen Platzbecker are the members of the St. Teresa chapter of Quill and Scroll who were inducted in 1957. Terry Nelson and Mary Jo Vail were not present when the picture was taken.

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SCHOLASTIC ENDEAVORS ARE RECOGNIZED



Reverend Mother Celeste presents Honor Roll cards to students during a quarterly honors assembly. Those receiving the cards are Carol Winchester, Ray Oliver and Rolf Pflugi.

St. Teresa students are encouraged to strive toward higher goals in many fields of self-expression and scholarship.

At quarterly honor assemblies, students carrying high scholastic averages are recognized by the entire student body.

Inter-school contests and programs are held for students excelling in dramatics, oratory, and spelling.

Students also enter competition in contests outside of school. St. Teresa is represented annually in the Decatur Optimist Club's "I Speak for Democracy" contest. A St. Teresa senior girl participates in the district "Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow" contest. *The Herald and Review*, a local newspaper, sponsors a story contest every year in which our students are now eligible. This contest is held to encourage journalistic endeavor among high school students.



Student directed one-act dramatic plays were presented by the three under classes. Best actor and actress awards were presented to the outstanding player in each of the three plays. Shown above they are Sue McHenry, junior division; Bill Elden, sophomore division; Sharon Quintenz, freshman division.



Mr. Don Jones is shown addressing the student body at a quarterly honors assembly. He particularly stressed the value and profitable results of a good education.

AND TALENTS ARE ENCOURAGED

Jean Mickelson, who won third place in the story contest, reads the winning St. Teresa entries which appeared in a Sunday edition of the *Herald and Review*.



Sue Paschal reads the check which was part of her prize for winning first place in the *Herald and Review* Story contest for St. Teresa High School students.



Susie Suter is awarded a pin and certificate by Reverend Mother Celeste for placing first in the St. Teresa division of the Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow contest.

Joe Vigneri is shown giving the speech with which he won the Decatur Voice of Democracy contest. Joe has been successful in many different oratorical contests.



OUR STUDENTS' HONOR

THE GIRLS' SODALITY

The Sodality of Our Lady, organized to promote Catholic Action and to pay homage to the Blessed Virgin, is a flourishing organization at St. Teresa. This society originated in 1954 with twenty girls. Its enrollment now is fourteen girls and twenty boys.

Among their Catholic Action projects are: the publication of the "Soda-Hi-Lites," teaching of catechism to Catholic children attending public schools, organizing projects for Catholic Youth Week, and urging the increased use of Advent wreaths in Catholic homes during that season.

They sponsor money-raising projects in order that they may attend the Summer School of Catholic Action which is held annually in Chicago, Illinois.

The Sodality is a means of every Catholic youth to honor Our Blessed Lady and to practice Catholic Action.



Members of the Girls' Sodality listen attentively to the speaker during their day of recollection, which was held in the convent chapel.

AND FOLLOW OUR LADY



The members of the Boys' Sodality discuss plans for future activities.

BOYS' SODALITY

The Boys' Sodality, under the guidance of Mother Mary Ellen, strives for the spiritual betterment of its members. They hold weekly meetings where they plan various activities. This year the members attended a day of recollection, held on December 8. In connection with their program of observing the real spirit of Advent, the members constructed a Nativity scene in front of the Sacred Heart statue.



This scene depicting the First Christmas decorated the campus during the Christmas season.

S.T.H.S. STUDENTS AIDED MISSIONS



These members of the Mission Club participate in the many worthwhile activities it sponsors throughout the year.

MISSION CLUB

The St. Teresa Mission Club under the direction of Mother Timothy is a small unit of the Catholic Students Mission Crusade. The purpose is prayer, study, and sacrifice for the missions.

The members sponsor first Friday devotions by distributing Sacred Heart leaflets, encouraging the reception of Holy Communion among the students, and leading prayers over the public address system. The main fund-raising activity of the year sponsored by the Mission Club is Mission Day. This year for the first time the booths and other projects were held in the gymnasium. Zest was added to the day by the various unusual activities engineered by the classes.



Mission Club officers, Susie Suter, Beverly Wainscott, Roberta Alfrey, and Mary Jane Callahan, wrap Christmas gifts for orphan children.

STUDENTS GAIN EXPERIENCE FOR FUTURE



Mr. Robert Hayt shows a finished product to Sandy Jackson of Lakeview High School and Don Mattingly.

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT

Junior Achievement is a teenage organization founded to give high school students practical experience in the field of business. The company has everything from production to sales. A Junior Achievement company is started with the sale of stocks. The money raised is used to purchase supplies for the products. When the product is complete, it is sold either door to door or through a local business. The money from the sale is used to pay wages and commissions and at the end of the year, if the company is a success, a dividend is paid to the stockholders.

In the local chapter of this organization St. Teresa students work, learn, and form lasting friendships with students from other Decatur high schools.



Kathy MacDonald, Dennis Hertle, and a student from another school take inventory of their bottled dressing.



Sandy Brillely and Kathy MacDonald sell their product at a local grocery store.

OUR VOICES ECHOED IN SONG



Mother Albeus directs Junior and Senior girls in the presentation of their Christmas program.



Glee Club officers look over musical score. They are Pattie Stack, president, and Martha Huhne, vice president.

GLEE CLUB

The Junior-Senior and Freshman-Sophomore Glee Clubs enjoyed a very successful year in their 1957-58 choral work.

The groups began work early in September to prepare their selections for the Christmas program. The girls were invited to sing for a local hospital employees' dinner and the members of the Booster Club at their December meeting. The chorus presented a Christmas medley composed of such numbers as "Jingle Bells," "White Christmas," and the immortal "Silent Night." By their songs and true spirit, the girls did much to give the audiences a deeper appreciation of the real meaning of Christmas.

In the Spring the group also participated in a Spring Music Festival, which was held in Springfield, Illinois.

Mother Albeus can feel justly proud of her girls and the fine standard of performance maintained at their appearances.



Freshman and Sophomore Glee Club members assemble to add finishing touches to Christmas presentation.

OUR BAND GAVE MANY PERFORMANCES



Members of the St. Teresa High School band await direction to begin a performance for the student body.

A very important organ in the St. Teresa school system is the band. Composed of boys and girls from all four classes, the band performs for many functions.

The band plays for all home football and basketball games.



Majorette Judy Heffernan

Intricate marching formations are presented by the marching band as half time entertainment during the football season.

Members of the band also perform for many programs and special assemblies during the year.



Majorette Marcia Jones



Dennis McCall holds the American flag while Rolf Pflugi holds the Papal flag during the flag ceremony preceding a basketball game.



Majorette Kathy MacDonald

WE BENEFIT FROM OTHERS' KNOWLEDGE



Members of the Commercial Club pose for the camera.

The Commercial Club is composed of girls who are taking commercial subjects. Meetings are held once a month and at each a guest speaker discusses some phase of business.

This year a Mother-Daughter Banquet was held at which Kib Wilson, a local television personality, entertained those present. The members enjoyed a Christmas party with a gift exchange and entertainment by the seniors. Election of officers takes place in April and in May the new officers conduct the meeting.



Officers of the Commercial Club, Linda Ryan, Martha Huhne, Susie Suter, and Carol Schuman, listen attentively as president Martha Jordan introduces Mrs. Anne Martin, guest speaker.



Lois Cheviron, Janet Crowe, Agnes Seman, Carol Winchester, Linda Bastob and Janet Hertel enjoy refreshments after a monthly meeting of the Commercial Club.

OUR GIRLS ARE INTERESTED IN SPORTS

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

A thriving organization at S.T.H.S. is the Girls' Athletic Association. Only a year old, it boasts a membership of 110 girls.

Competition is carried on among classes in five tournaments. These include archery, baseball, basketball, bowling, and volleyball. All-star teams are chosen from the players of each of the sports.

At the completion of the school term, G.A.A. awards are given to the outstanding athletes. Members receive pins, letters, and trophies for the accumulation of points or outstanding achievement in sports.

All competition is not intramural. In basketball, the girls played Marquette High School of Alton, Illinois. An "A" team and a "B" team had a chance to play against their rivals.



Officers of the Girls' Athletic Association gather around president Norma Heger with the official rule book. The officers are Sandy Mickelson, Judy Wiggins, Marsha Jones, and Judy Quintenz.



Members of the St. Teresa G.A.A. pose for the photographer before a meeting in the gymnasium.

OUR STUDENTS KEEP ORDER



Susie Suter, captain of the cafeteria squad, represents its members at Student Council meetings.

The cafeteria squad, composed of junior and senior girls, call the various classes to lunch during fifth and sixth lunch periods. They are, *from top to bottom*: Mary Blake, Kay Hertel, Linda Ryan, Virginia Elder, Jean Mickelson, Lois Cheviron, Mary Jo Vail, Sue Platzbecker, Catherine Kunz, Martha Huhne, Margaret Kunz, Carol Schuman, Mary Jane Callahan, and Janet Hertel.



The senior boys comprising the hall guards work to preserve order in the halls between classes. They are, *from bottom to top*: Lynn Brinkman, Don Mattingly, Tom Noonan, John Sheehy, Dennis McNamara, Charles Durbin, Mike McNamara, Ron Lunn, Bert Sturgis, Bill Wrigley, and Brent Collins.

Freeze?



Dick Crouch, Captain of the hall guards, takes time out of his busy schedule to pose for the photographer.

WE ARE INDEBTED TO MANY



Mr. Thompson prepares to pull out the gymnasium bleachers for a basketball game.

Every school day throughout the year finds Mother Gertrude, O.S.U., and the cafeteria ladies preparing a hot and nourishing lunch for the student body and lay faculty. On holidays and other special occasions these women please everyone with interesting desserts. They also serve the occasional banquets and breakfasts.

A force composed of three janitors keep the classrooms, corridors, grounds, and other parts of the school spotless and shining. The responsibility of these men is great and during bad weather their jobs are exceedingly difficult and trying.

To these two groups of people the students of St. Teresa are especially indebted.



Mrs. T. J. Daley, Mrs. W. Fleming, Mrs. D. Brilley, and Mrs. H. A. Keyes fix a special dessert for the students' lunch.

OUR STUDENTS' NEVER LEAVE



Officers of the S.T.H.S. Alumni Association and their families make plans for the annual kiddie party. Seated in back are *from left*: Mrs. William Garver and Bill Jr.; Mrs. Lawrence Hays and Francine; Dr. Hays, who is vice president; President Garver; at desk, Debbie G., Kathy H., Phyllis H., and Gayle H. *Front row*: Beth G., Kevin H., Cindy H., Diane G., Mary Chris G., and Kathy G.

The Alumni Association has a twofold object: The encouragement of the interests of St. Teresa and the moral betterment of the members. It is composed of more than 1,200 graduates of St. Teresa High School, including 100 who attended the Ursuline Academy before the establishment of the co-educational school in 1930.

Canal conferences, retreats, and days of recollection contribute to the spiritual welfare of the members. The day of recollection was conducted on December first by Reverend Edward Justin, S.J. from St. Louis University.

On October 13 the Alumni sponsored a kiddie party for all their children. Among the money raising activities are featured bakery sales, card parties and a horse show. The horse show presented annually is one of the biggest and most successful of the Alums' projects.

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OUR PLAYERS WON HONORS



Halfback Dick Crouch tries for pass on cold night.



Fullback Tom Figura plows through the line.



Bulldog defense holds the opposition.

OUR BASKETBALL TEAM



LYNN BRINKMAN



MIKE McNAMARA



MIKE COPELAND



MIKE LENTS



The 1957-58 varsity basketball squad poses during a practice session. They are, from left to right: Pat Nolan, Ron Lunn, Lynn Brinkman, Mike Lents, Bob Arthur,



The 1957-58 "B" squad is, front row, left to right: Coach Sid Tucker, Jim Barry, Mike Nolan, Steve Lents, Rich Funk, Jim Crowe, Bob Arthur. Back row:

SPORTSMANSHIP PREVAILED

Despite a tremendous effort led by Lynn Brinkman's 27 points, St. Teresa lost a 62-61 contest to an undefeated Lanphier squad. The following night the Bulldogs turned in an impressive performance in downing Shelbyville, 77-61, as Bill Wrigley netted 29 points.

St. Teresa was beaten three nights later by Stephen Decatur, 70-54. After a cold first quarter, in which they were outscored, 19-3, the Bulldogs played the Reds on even terms but couldn't overcome Decatur's early lead. They then lost again to Jacksonville and were nipped by Clinton on a desperate last-second basket from near mid-court.

St. Teresa was upset by Feitshans, 67-62, but bounced back to win a hard-fought game with Warrensburg. After losses to St. Anthony and Mt. Zion, the team completed its Central Conference schedule by defeating Beardstown to finish with a 3-3 mark in conference play.

The Bulldogs surprised many people with their fine showing during the 1957-58 season. Their wonderful effort and spirited play was appreciated by all their loyal followers.



Guard Lynn Brinkman lets go with a reverse lay-up against St. Anthony.



A tall Clinton player grabs a rebound from Ron Lunn while Mike Copeland and Mike McNamara look on.

ROAD GAMES

S.T.H.S.	64	Argenta	50
S.T.H.S.	35	Taylorville	56
S.T.H.S.	58	Jacksonville	65
S.T.H.S.	47	Mount Olive	43
S.T.H.S.	40	Springfield	41
S.T.H.S.	56	Feitshans	42
S.T.H.S.	59	Taylorville	55
S.T.H.S.	71	Lakeview	60
S.T.H.S.	61	Lanphier	62
S.T.H.S.	54	Stephen Decatur	70
S.T.H.S.	62	Feitshans	67
S.T.H.S.	54	Mt. Zion	59



Bill Wrigley reaches for a loose basketball during the Warrensburg game.

OUR SPIRIT IS SHOWN IN SPORTS



Captain Pat Stack



Bulldog. Sandy Brilley



Carol Schnepf



The "A" squad cheerleaders pose in one of their formations.



The "B" cheerleaders demonstrate new cheer.



Mary Jane Callahan



Norma Heger



Sue Platzbecker




Judy Stauder

S.T.H.S. STUDENTS ARE INDIVIDUALS

SENIOR CLASS

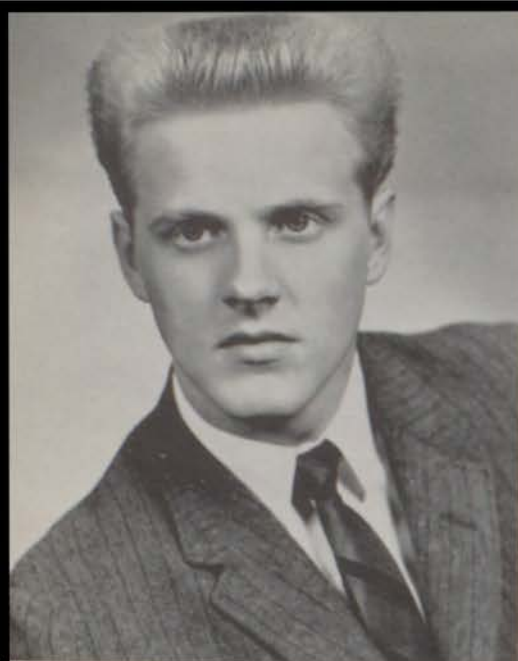
Senior year . . . at last . . . Friendship Day . . . noble seniors . . . Ring Ceremony . . . Ursuline rings . . . our symbols for life . . . Homecoming . . . Queen Suellen's float . . . football victory . . . Teresian . . . deadlines . . . Clubs . . . elections . . . meetings . . . basketball season . . . Semesters . . . Closed retreats . . . self evaluation and resolutions . . . National Honor Society . . . Faculty Day . . . Mission Day . . . senior slaves . . . Play . . . "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" . . . Class Day . . . awards . . . Graduation . . . tears . . . our foundation has been laid . . . it's now up to us.



Senior class president Brent Collins holds the front door of the high school open for Pat Noonan who is vice president. Martha Huhne, secretary, was not present when the picture was taken.



Homeroom officers of the Senior class read the donation plaque in the gym lobby. *Left to right* they are Lynn Brinkman, Mike McNamara, Rolf Pflugli, Tom Noonan, Tom Campbell, and Dick Crouch.



NONA JO BODINE

An imp in many ways . . . hair as soft as a cloud . . . Nona.

Band 4; Glee Club 4.



LEONARD ALBAUGH

Full time sense of humor . . . spreads friendship in his own way . . . Leonard.

Football 1; Hall Guard.



LYNN BRINKMAN

Capable handling of basketball plus studies . . . life moves quickly when he's around . . . Lynn.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Baseball 1; Student Council 1; Homeroom Secretary 4; Hall Guard 4.



MARY JANE CALLAHAN

Smoky gray eyes . . . all-American girl . . . efficiency . . . Mary Jane.

National Honor Society 3, 4, Vice President 4; Yearbook Business Manager 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Homeroom Representative 1, 2; Mission Club 3, 4, Vice President 4, Representative 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; GAA 3, 4; Living Rosary 3, 4; Transportation Queen 3.



Nona Jo, Mary Jane, Brent, Lois, Lynn, Dick, Leonard, and Tom



TOM CAMPBELL

Boy with an aim . . . unobtrusively accomplishes a great deal . . . Tom.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Mission Club Representative 3; Spectator 1, 2, 3; Server 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 4.

LOIS CHEVIRON

Neat dresser . . . fun to have around . . . "heard the funniest joke" . . . Lois.

Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; GAA 3; Cafeteria Squad 4; Yearbook 4.



BRENT COLLINS

Good natured . . . never out of sorts . . . whatever he does is accomplished with ease . . . Brent.

Transfer Student 2, 3; Football 2, 3, 4; Senior Class President 4; Student Council 4; Hall Guards 4, Co-Captain and Secretary.



DICK CROUCH

Always around in time for fun . . . a little nonsense now and then . . . Dick.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Hall Guard Captain 4; Student Council 4; Homeroom Secretary-Treasurer 4; Master of Ceremonies of Friendship Dance and Mission Dance 4.



sit in the lobby of St. Mary's Hospital.



KATHLEEN DOYLE

Fun-loving . . . capable sales girl . . . gleaming auburn hair . . . Kathy.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; GAA 3.



RON DEVEREAUX

Free from care . . . quiet determination . . . Ron.

Server 1, 2, 3.



CHARLES DURBIN

Earnest worker . . . true friend to all . . . obliging ways . . . Chuck.

Band 1, 2; Hall Guard 4.



VIRGINIA ELDER

Exquisite eyes in a golden tanned face . . . happy hearted . . . lends a helping hand to all . . . Virginia.

Transfer student 3, Glee Club 3, 4; Pep Club 3; GAA 3.



Tony, Norma, Virginia, and Judy leave St. Patrick's Church. Grad-



FRANZ GROSSMAN

*Radiating sense of humor . . .
MR. DEPENDABILITY . . .
unusual sincerity . . . Franz.*

Student Council 2; Band 1.



ANTHONY F. FULD

Bashful at times . . . pleasant fellow . . . nice to know . . . Tony.

Transfer 2; Spectator 3; Western Catholic Correspondent 3; Glee Club 2; Baseball 2.



JUDY HEFFERNAN

Impish face . . . soft, dark hair . . . piquant personality . . . Judy.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Major-ette 1, 2, 3; Drum Majorette 4; Christmas Play 3.



NORMA JEAN HEGER

Frankness and high spirits . . . a little sugar and not too much spice . . . Norma.

Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Commercial Club 4; Mission Club 4; GAA 3, and President 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 4; Yearbook 4; Prom and Homecoming Committee 3.



uation exercises are held here every year.



MAUREEN HIGDON

Sincerity is the greatest of her many charms . . . gentle gestures and a soft smile . . . Maureen.

Mission Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, Glee Club 3; Spectator 3; Yearbook 4; Commercial Club 4; Cafeteria Squad 4; GAA 3.



JANET LOUISE HERTEL

Velvety voice . . . unexpected humor at unexpected times . . . Dresden hands . . . Janet.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Representative 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; GAA 3; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Subscription Editor 4; Christmas Program 3; Cafeteria Squad 4; Prom Committee 4.



MARTHA HUHNE

Merry as tiny bells . . . perfect poise . . . Martha.

Homeroom President 1, Secretary 2, Vice President 3, 4; Mission Club 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Junior Representative 3, Vice President 4; Commercial Club 3, 4, Secretary 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Christmas Play 3; Spectator 3; Yearbook 4; Sodality 1, 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; Class Vice President 4.



LARRY HUNT

Car fiend . . . quiet only when devising another prank . . . Larry.

Living Rosary 4; Basketball 1.



Maureen, Martha, and Catherine stand by the Lincoln statue on



FRANCES KEDELIS

Curly locks in a feather cut . . . elusive charm . . . Fran.

Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Christmas Play 1, 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Mission Club 1; Yearbook 4; Living Rosary 2.



MARTHA JORDAN

Cameo face . . . laughing eyes . . . a small or large job done to perfection . . . Martha.

Commercial Club 3, 4, President 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Majorette 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 4; GAA 3, 4; Christmas Play 3.



DAVID KLOUD

Distinctive wit . . . spontaneous entertainer . . . magnetic conversationalist . . . Dave.



the Millikin University campus.

CATHERINE KUNZ

Artistry and friendliness blended to perfection . . . loyalty always . . . Cathy.

Junior National Honor Society 2; Glee Club 1; Commercial Club 3, 4; Cafeteria Squad 4; Living Rosary 4.





DAVID LEHEW

First-rate class member ; practices all-round good fellowship . . . Sleepy.

Transfer Student 2; Baseball 4.



MARGARET KUNZ

Gentle and unaffected . . . diligent student . . . of true charity . . . Margaret.

Glee Club 1; Commercial Club 3, 4; Cafeteria Squad 4; Living Rosary 4.



JERRY LONG

Gridiron hero . . . boyish grin . . . liked by all . . . Jerry.

Transfer Student 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4.



RON R. LUNN

Future president . . . first in every social group . . . Ron.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council President 4; Homeroom Representative 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Minstrel Show 1.



Jerry, Ron, Dave, Dennis, Margaret, and Marilyn admire the statue in front of St. Joseph's



MARILYN ANN
MARKWELL

*Unfathomable dark eyes . . .
unexpected depths behind a
quiet front . . . Marilyn.*

Glee Club 3; Commercial
Club 3, 4; GAA 3; Pep Club
2, 3.

DON MATTINGLY

*Independent . . . perpetual
wit . . . surprising experien-
ces . . . Don.*

Transfer Student 4; Football
4; Baseball 4; Junior Achieve-
ment President 4.



Hall where the boys made their
retreat.



DENNIS J. McCALL

*Never at a loss for words . . .
likeable personality . . . Den-
nis.*

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Cho-
rus 4.

PATRICK McKEE

*Aims to please . . . ability
with a quiet manner . . . Pat.*

Living Rosary 2.





MIKE McNAMARA

Avid baseball fan . . . everybody's pal . . . true Irish loyalty . . . Mike.

Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Representative 1, 2; CSMC Representative 2; Homeroom Representative 3, 4; Junior Honor Society 2.



DENNIS McNAMARA

Agreeableness that goes with every occasion . . . ironic wit . . . Dennie.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4; Server 1, 2; Hall Guard 4.



JEAN MICKELSON

Sports lover . . . active participant in all activities . . . animated gestures . . . Jeanie.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Representative 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Spectator 2, 3; Assistant Editor 3; Yearbook 4; Commercial Club 4; GAA 3, 4; Assistant Homeroom Representative 3; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; President 4; Sodality 1, 2.



MARY P. MIZEUR

Zany good humor . . . avid worker . . . friendliness towards all . . . Mary.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; GAA 3; Pep Club 2.



John, Jean, Terry, Rose Marie, Jim, and Mary overlook the rock



ROSE MARIE MORAN

IRISH! . . . laughter in her eyes and ways . . . faith in everything . . . Rosie.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Librarian 3; Commercial Club 3; 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4, Prefect 1, Secretary 2, Vice Prefect 4; Pep Club 3; Yearbook 4.



JIM MOORE

Well liked part of the class . . . serious determination . . . Jim.

Living Rosary 4.



JOHN E. MORFORD

First rate class member . . . universal friendship . . . artistic . . . John.

Homeroom Secretary-Treasurer 1; Little Spec 1; Spectator 1.



TERRY NELSON

Shutterbug . . . quiet capability . . . drummer par excellence . . . Terry.

Transfer Student 2; Band 2, 3, 4; Spectator Photographer 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Homeroom Secretary 3; Honor Band 4.



garden at Nelson Park from the bridge.



TOM NOONAN

Devilish twinkle in his eyes . . . ardent supporter of anything connected with baseball . . . Tom.

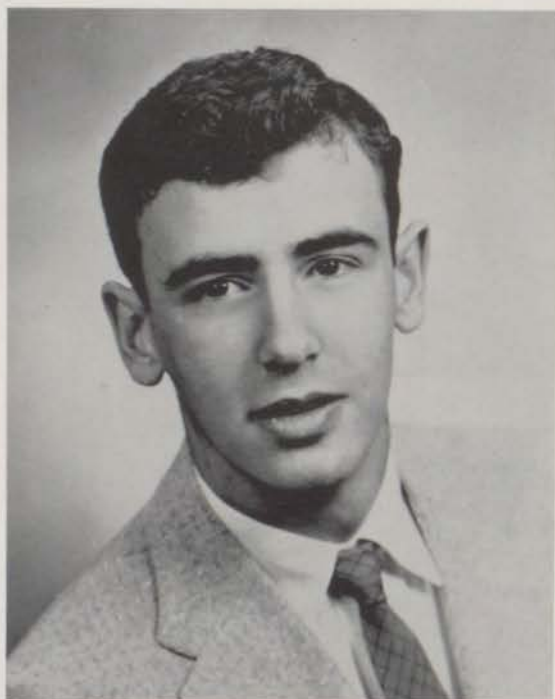
Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Handbook 2; Yearbook 2; Homeroom Representative 4; Server 1, 2, 3, 4; Hall Guard 4.



PATRICIA NOONAN

Sweet in appearance and deeds . . . sunny disposition . . . Pat.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Pep Club 3; GAA 3; Class Secretary 4; Christmas Play 2; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4.



JEFF NORTHAM

Clever quips . . . tireless worker . . . unique personality . . . Jeff.

Transfer Student 4; Living Rosary 4.



DOLORES O'BRIEN

Activity of a three-ring circus . . . perpetual motion . . . Do-Do.

Glee Club 3, 4; Majorette 1, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; GAA 3; Pep Club 3, 4.



Sue, Dolores, Pat and Bard talk in



RAY OLIVER

Perfect blend of intellect and humor . . . easy-going ways . . . Ray.

Yearbook 4; Living Rosary 4.

SUE PASCHAL

A treasure chest of fun . . . girl with the Buick . . . Sue.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Yearbook 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Club 1, 2, 3; Living Rosary 2; Christmas Program 2; Prom Committee 3.



BARBARA JO PETERS

Pert and sweet . . . eyes that sparkle with mischief . . . Barb.

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; GAA 3; Pep Club 2.



ROLF PFLUGI

Mr. Switzerland . . . forceful personality . . . possessor of countless friends . . . Rolf.

Foreign Exchange Student from Switzerland; Band, Homeroom Secretary.



front of the fountain in Central Park.



PATRICK M. QUIGLEY

Keeps life lively . . . band enthusiast . . . obliging ways . . . Pat.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Drum Major 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Speech Contest 3, 4; Server 1.



SUELLEN PLATZBECKER

Effervescent friendliness . . . always accompanied by a song . . . everybody's favorite . . . SuelLEN.

Homecoming Queen 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Homeroom Vice President 1; Secretary 3; Student Council Secretary-Treasurer 4; Speech Contest 1; Little Spec 1; Spectator 2, 3; Yearbook 4; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; Junior National Honor Society 2.



KENNETH RAY

Placid manner . . . helping hand . . . Ken.

Living Rosary 4.



LINDA RYAN

An open heart with room for everybody . . . eyes that crinkle with delight . . . Linda.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Club 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Vice President 1; Secretary-Treasurer 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Treasurer 4; GAA 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Spectator 3; Little Spec 1; Yearbook 4; Living Rosary 2; Christmas Play 1, 2, 3; Cafeteria Squad 4.



John, Linda, Jane, Carol Schuman, Carol Schnepf, SuelLEN, and Pat sit around the Transfer



CAROL ANN SCHNEPP

Delicate beauty . . . bubbling gaiety . . . exuberant . . . Carol.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Representative 3; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary; Commercial Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 4; Christmas Play 1; Junior Honor Society 2; Handbook Secretary 2; Prom Decoration Chairman 3.

JOHN SCHUDEL

Behind the scenes worker . . . will be the man with the name . . . John.

National Honor Society 3, 4; Student Council 2; Co-Editor of Yearbook 4; Server 1, 2, 3, 4.



CAROL LYNN SCHUMAN

Sweet understanding . . . plus charm . . . contagious good humor . . . Carol.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Vice President 4; GAA 3; Christmas Program 1, 2, 3.



House, the most familiar spot for awaiting a bus.

JANE SEE

A melody of shimmering hair . . . undiscovered depths of character . . . Jane.

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; GAA 3; Living Rosary 3; Christmas Play Chorus 2.





NANCY SEMAN

Casual manner . . . quiet gentleness . . . Nancy.

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 1.

JOHN SHEEHY

Hearty smile . . . inspiring optimism . . . knows the joy of living . . . John.

Football 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Baseball 3; Hall Guard 4.



PATRICIA STACK

Enthusiasm of a firecracker . . . eyes that glisten with humor . . . completely versatile . . . Pattie.

National Honor Society; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Mission Club 1, 2, 3, Representative 1; CSMC Delegate 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Christmas Play; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; GAA 3, 4, Secretary 3; Homeroom Representative 3; Student Council Vice President 4; Spectator 2; Yearbook 4; Junior National Honor Society 2.



BERT STURGIS

Friendly manner that's hard to beat . . . invincible ball guard . . . Bert.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 4; Hall Guard 4.



Mary Jo, Pattie, and Vern pause for re



SUE SUTER

Delightful chatterbox . . . recognized leader . . . our queen of happy hearts . . . Susie.

Mission Club 2, 3, 4, President 4, Representative 2; CSMC Delegate 2; Commercial Club 3, 4, Historian 4; Little Spec Editor 1; National Honor Society 3, 4; Junior National Honor Society 2; Quill and Scroll; Homeroom Vice President 1, 3; Spectator 2, 3, Associate Editor 3; Yearbook 4; Student Council 4; Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow Contest Winner.



VERNON TATHAM

Irrepressible personality . . . ready to help whenever called . . . Vern.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Contest 2, 3, 4; Honor Band 2, 3, 4; Server 1, 2, 3, 4.



THOMAS TREECE

Makes the burden of life worthwhile . . . jolly lad . . . full of fun . . . Tom.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Hall Guard 4; Server 2.



MARY JO VAIL

Irrepressible sense of humor . . . the eyes of an angel . . . a rare combination of intelligence, charm, and grace . . . Mary Jo.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; GAA 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; National Honor Society 3, 4, Secretary 4; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; Spectator 2, 3, Editor-in-Chief 3; Yearbook Editor 4; Junior National Honor Society 2; Homeroom Secretary, 1, Vice President 2.



freshment at the end of a school day.



BERNIE WEBER

Being his friend is quite a treat . . . bappy-go-lucky . . . Bernie.

Living Rosary 4.



MARIANNE WAYNE

Golden crown of hair . . . simplicity that speaks in eloquent tones . . . Nan.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Prefect 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Spectator 1; Pep Club 2.



CAROL WINCHESTER

Beauty in her smile . . . pert sense of humor combined with delightful charm . . . Carol.

Glee Club 1, 3, 4; GAA 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 4; Homeroom Secretary 1; Yearbook 4; Living Rosary 2; Christmas Program 1, 3; Prom Committee 3.



BILL WRIGLEY

All around athlete . . . worthwhile friendship . . . Bill.

Football 1, 4; Basketball 4; Track 2; Hall Guard 4; Magazine Drive Chairman 1.



Bill and Carol pause at the candy counter of a local theater.

JUNIOR CLASS



Junior homeroom officers are Carol Munn, Roberta Alfrey, Joe Vigneri, Judy Stauder, and Mark Barmann, shown here performing the familiar fall occupation of raking leaves. Not present when the picture was taken is Larry Barrett.

Junior year begins . . . upperclassmen at last . . . new responsibilities . . .
Homecoming Dance . . . "Autumn Swirl" . . . hands that refuse to write more
than 50 words a minute in shorthand . . . Spectator . . . deadlines . . . induction
in Honor Society . . . Quill and Scroll . . . Logic . . . Syllogisms . . . plans for
Prom . . . dates?? . . . frilly formals . . . Inaugural Ball . . . new officers . . .
prepared to take over Senior role . . . good luck.



Roberta Alfrey
Mark Barmann
Larry Barrett



Linda Bastob
Louise Bauer



Delores Marshall, Tom Rossiter, and
Judy Brand board a bus at Central
Park.

Mary Frances Blake
John Bohn



Ann Boyer
Judy Brand
Sandy Brilley



Patty Byrne
Pat Chalmers
Mike Copeland



Phil Crouch
Janet Crowe



Patrick Cooley
Larry Crotser

Patty Byrne and Ruth Ann Niemann
examine an airplane at a local airport.



Joe Despres
Mary Kay Durbin
Jean Ewald



Mary Ann Freehill
 Mary Ellen Freehill
 Carol Frein



Mary Margaret Hoehn, Carol Munn
 and Pat Cooley have a friendly chat in
 front of the boathouse.

Thomas Fickas
 James Heatherton

Carolyn Hertel
 Dale Hinton



Mary Margaret Hoehn
 William Howard
 Marcia Jones



Bill Lashinski
Mike Lents
Robert Lents



Kathy McDonald
Mark McEvoy



Delores Marshall
Dave Mattingly

Mary Kay Durbin, Ronnie Waite, and
Bill Howard visit a local radio station.



Sue McHenry
Bob McMahan
Tom McNamara



Ruth Ann Niemann
Richard Nelson
Carol Munn



Pat Nolan
John Peters



Bill Lashinski and John Bohn look through the airport window while awaiting the arrival of a plane.

Ruth Rader
Josephine Quigley



Denise Reinhart
Tom Rossiter
Linda Robinson



Judy Rupert
Kenneth Schuerman
Agnes Seman



Mary Ellen Simonin
Rosemary Skelley



Virginia Still hopes to make a strike
while Ruth Rader and Marcia Jones
keep score.

Frank Seman
Lucy Sheehy



Anne Smethers
Mary Speasl
Judy Stauder



Sam Suter
Marian Sullivan
Virginia Still



Carol Sutton
Margaret Thull



Joe Vigneri



Ronald Waite
Caleb Wayne



Melinda Wheeler
Judy Wiggins
Michael Wrigley

SOPHOMORE OFFICERS



Sophomore officers examining ferns at Oakland Nursery. *Left to right* they are Nancy Grossman, Antoinette Oyler, Sheila Downing, Shirley Jahoda, Diana Dial, Steve Lents, Irene Kramer, and Larry Noonan.

Sophomore year begins . . . Geometry class . . . proving triangles congruent . . . compasses and protractors . . . Latin II . . . conjugations of verbs . . . Caesar erat magnus dux . . . World History . . . Coach Tucker . . . places . . . dates . . . facts . . . Driver's Training . . . "Rules of the Road" . . . Friendship Dance . . . decorations . . . records . . . records . . . records . . . Homecoming . . . clean-up . . . after bonfire . . . many late nights working on float . . . "Breakfast of Champions" . . . second place . . . Mission Day . . . games and more games . . . final exams . . . report cards . . . school ends . . . final goal achieved . . . passed to Junior Class.



Mary Kay Aherin
John Alsup
Robert Arthur
Mary Agnes Barrett



James Barry
Dolores Berry
James Blakeman



Paul Devereaux and Steve Fuld are inspecting the fire



Nancy Booth
James Burtschi



Kay Callahan



Karen Cashen



Carolyn Chasco
Jana Cleary

Michael Cooney
James Crowe
Louise DeGennaro



Joanne DiGiovanna
James Delahunty
Paul Devereaux
Diana Dial



Joan Donahue
 Martin Dougherty
 Sheila Downing
 Phyllis Durbin



truck on which Steve is standing.

Bill Elden
 Brenda Fickas
 Pam Filiski

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Ronald Flesch
 Ronald Friend



Richard Funk

Steve Fuld



Nancy Grossman
 James Hall



June Harpstrite
 Nancy Heneghan
 Dennis Hertel



Picture
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Shirley Jahoda
 Karen Jennings
 Ralph Jobe
 Emil Kleiner



Karen Kovach
Irene Kramer
Mike Kullik
Patty Lake



Steve Lents
Donald Link
Janet Long



Dorothy Lunn
Phil Madell



Jane Harpstrite, Patti Swanson, and Ron Flesch study the



Barbara Mathias



Joe Maurer



Eileen McCarthy
Emily McCauley



Mary Kay McElhone
David McNamara
Sandra Mickelson

Sandra Miller
Richard Mochel
Sue Moore
Sandra Moran



Janiece Morrison



train schedule at the Wabash station.

Mary Ann Murphy
Richard Neihardt



Frances Naughton
Mary Carol Niesman
Larry Noonan



David Peel



Sandra Neff
Mike Nolan
Toni Oyler
Mary Ann Paczak



Lynne Pellegrini
Jerome Pfile



Mary Lee Pfile
Darlene Platzbecker
Frances Quigley



Mary Agnes Roche
Donald Rufus
Elaine Schliesmann
Careen Schmidt





James Seman
Geraldine Sheay
Jim Sheehy
Sharon Simmons



Judy Simon
Marilyn Sisul
Jim Skelley



Ted Spanbauer
John Sutton



Patty Swanson
Richard Swearingen



John Swift



Shirley Swim
Connie Swinnen

Joe Tucker
Elaine Turner
Beverly Wainscott
Mary Walker



Robert Welch
Larry White
Janis Wrigley
Linda Young



FRESHMAN OFFICERS



Freshman homeroom officers are Mary Ann Suter, Pam Treece, Gay Oliver, Catherine Fischer, Rebecca Boyd, Victor Lanzotti, and Richard Munn who are admiring recently hatched baby chickens. Not present are Larry Byrkit and A. J. Unser.

Freshman year begins . . . new faces . . . new friends . . . Algebra class . . . equations . . . factoring . . . General Science . . . a bit of astronomy . . . a snatch of Biology . . . Latin I . . . the five declensions . . . vocabulary study . . . sentences with too many subjects . . . Friendship Day . . . "Viva la Seniors" . . . silly clothes . . . enormous shopping bag . . . jeers from upperclassmen . . . Freshman Initiation . . . solemn ceremony . . . now fully accepted into the school . . . Homecoming . . . "We'll spill 'em" . . . first prize . . . many new and happy experiences in the different clubs.

Susan Alsup
Joseph Armon
Larry Baird
Margaret Barrett



Nancy Baurer
Jerome Bell
Michael Bowman
Rebecca Boyd



Mary Jo Boyer
Nancy Bridge
William Brown



Rosemary Bushu
Phyllis Bukowski
Larry Byrkit



Mary Jo Boyer and
Joan Rezek perform an

James Carter
James Comerford
David Coventry



Thomas Covert
Karen Crotser
Jeanne Despres
Mary Lou Devereaux





George Dirksen
Kevin Donahue
Diane Donet
Nancy Durbin



Dennis Ebers
Roy Enloe
Thomas Figura
Catherine Fischer



energetic tap dance for
the student body.

Dennis Fitzgerald
Jerome Frein
Michael Fuld



Janet Garfoot
Mary Greene
David Greider



Steve Grimm
Gretchen Grossman
Sharon Hantle



Lorraine Hanzi
Loretta Henderson
James Hertel

Judith Hill
 Daryce Hiser
 Ronald Hogan
 Mary Lou Huhne



Michael Hunter
 David Jestis
 William Johnston
 Yvonne Keck



Bonita Kellar
 Ralph Kline
 Thomas Kullik



Victor Lanzotti
 Morris Larry
 Barbara Larus



Tom Covert and Roy
 Enloe display their

Mary Lavery
 Lucinda Lee
 Donna LeVeck
 Ronald Lucas



Larry McNamara
 Carol Meyer
 Sheila Monahan
 Judith Ann Moore
 Sally Morford



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