



BUCCANEER

1969









*COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL*

*COVINGTON, OHIO*

*THE 1969  
BUCCANEER*

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# FOREWORD

The yearbook staff has bound together, in the 1969 Buccaneer, the memorable events of the 68-69 school year. We have tried to capture the year in pictures, from our undefeated football season to graduation day for Seniors. We sincerely hope the 1969 Buccaneer will be as pleasurable to you as its production was to the staff.

Marilyn Palsgrove

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF



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# IN DEDICATION TO . . .



Never a dull moment in the office.



As a gesture of our appreciation for her helpful assistance, the Student Body presented Mrs. Sweigart with flowers.



Busy at her desk is Mrs. Sweigart!

## . . . MRS. MIRIAM SWEIGART

Mrs. Miriam Sweigart has been the secretary to the principal at Covington High School for the past twelve years. Her assistance is not only to the principal, but to the faculty and to the students as well. She keeps the office running with the utmost efficiency.

Her duties include typing stencils and letters for the faculty, keeping the books accurate and advising those who request it. In appreciation from all of us at Covington High School, we dedicate the 1969 BUCCANEER to Mrs. Sweigart!



Mrs. Sweigart is always busy, but manages to find time to give advice to faculty as well as students.

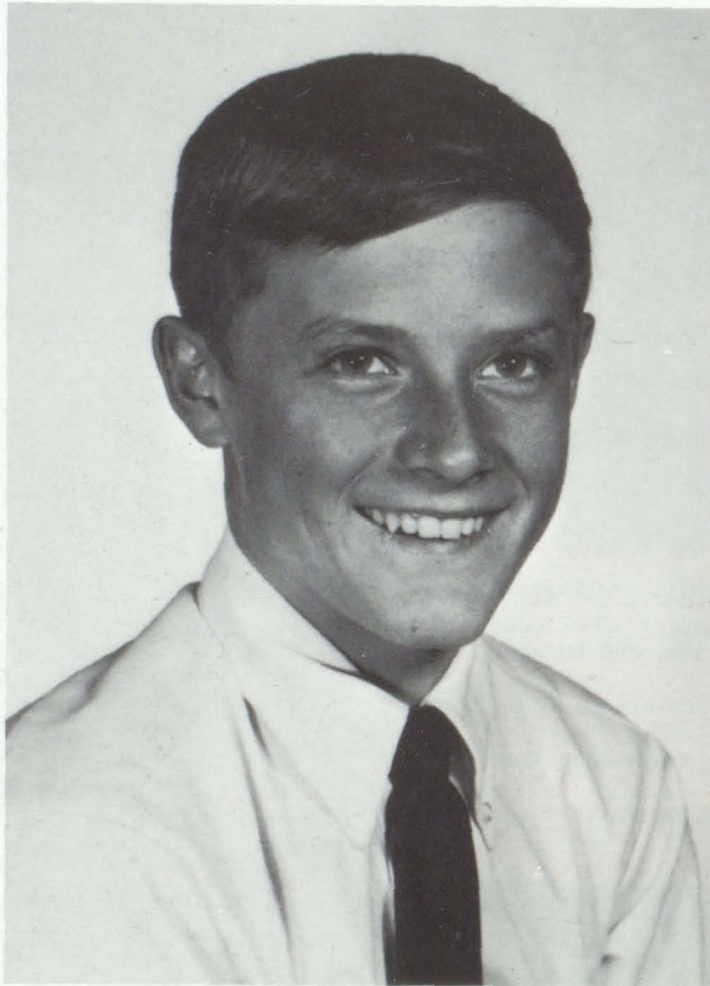


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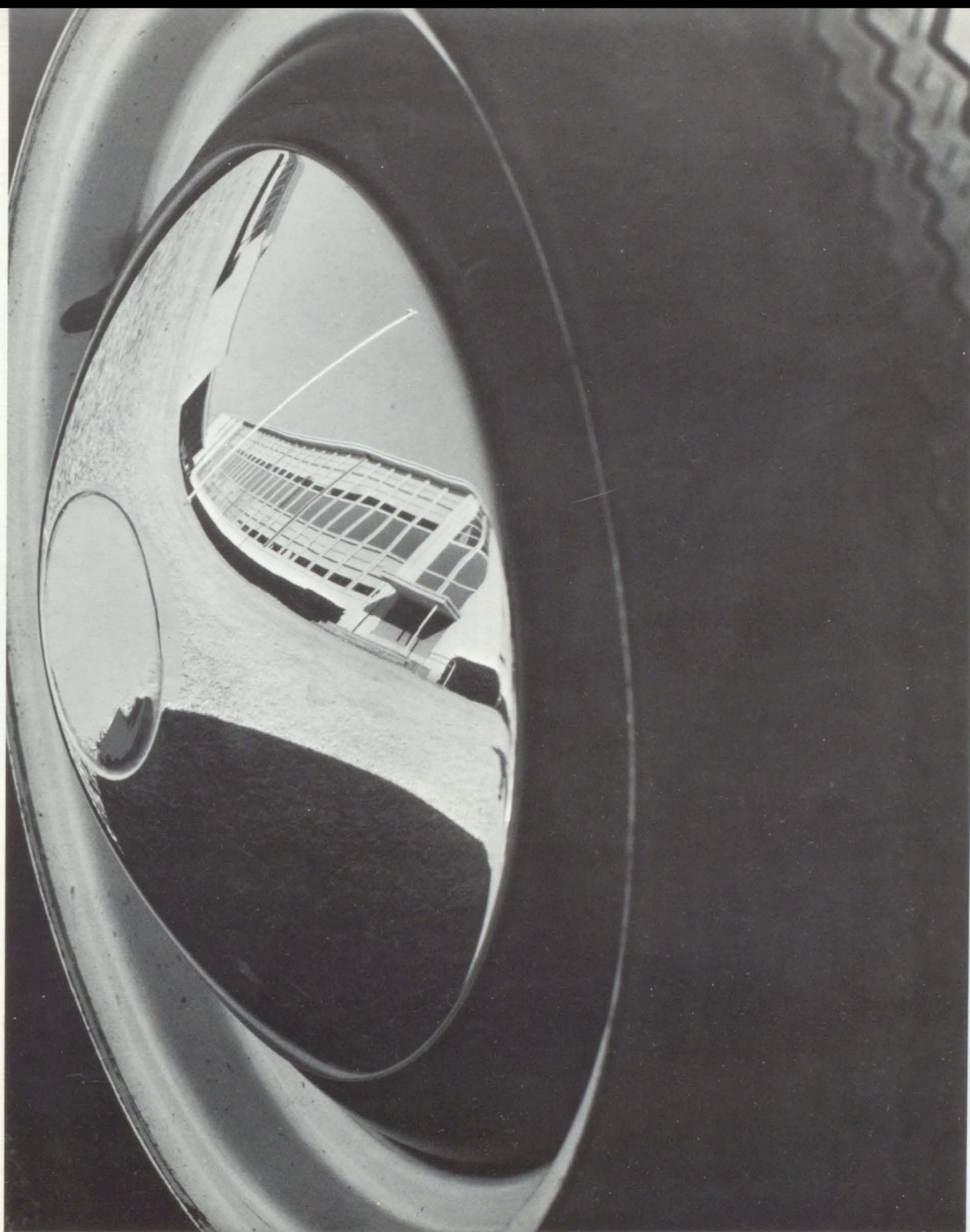


Mrs. Sweigart is surprised by the gift she received at Christmas by the Student Body.

## IN MEMORY OF



In memory of Larry Shofner, the Class of 1972 and the Student Body of Covington High School reserve this page of the 1969 Buccaneer.



# ADMINISTRATION

To publish a yearbook requires a great deal of effort on the part of a relatively small staff. But the benefits extend to all students and, in fact, to the entire community.

Those who have had a part in the 1969 BUCCANEER are richly deserving of commendation for recording the highlights of the 1968-69 school year for prosperity.

My congratulations are also extended to all members of the Class of 1969 for their sponsorship of this publication.

C. S. PHILLIPS, Superintendent

He received his B.S. degree from Ball State, Masters degree from Miami University, and has done other graduate work at Ohio State.



As years come and go, it becomes a great pleasure for those who cherish their high school days to reminisce. Your high school annual provides the means for each of you to relive those wonderful and enjoyable experiences had during the school year of 1968-69.

To the Class of 1969, it is my fervent hope that each achieves a goal equal to his or her potentialities.

BLAIR C. IRVIN, High School Principal

He received his B.S. and Masters degree in education, and completed residency requirements for his doctorate at Miami University.



MRS. MARY HAYES



MRS. PAULA BOLLENBOCHER

As secretaries for Mr. Phillips, Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Bollenbocher perform the duties of typing, filing, and bookkeeping. Mrs. Hayes also serves as clerk of the Board of Education.



MRS. MIRIAM SWEIGART

As secretary of Covington High School, Mrs. Sweigart hopes she can be of service to the teachers and students in school.

# 1969 BOARD OF EDUCATION

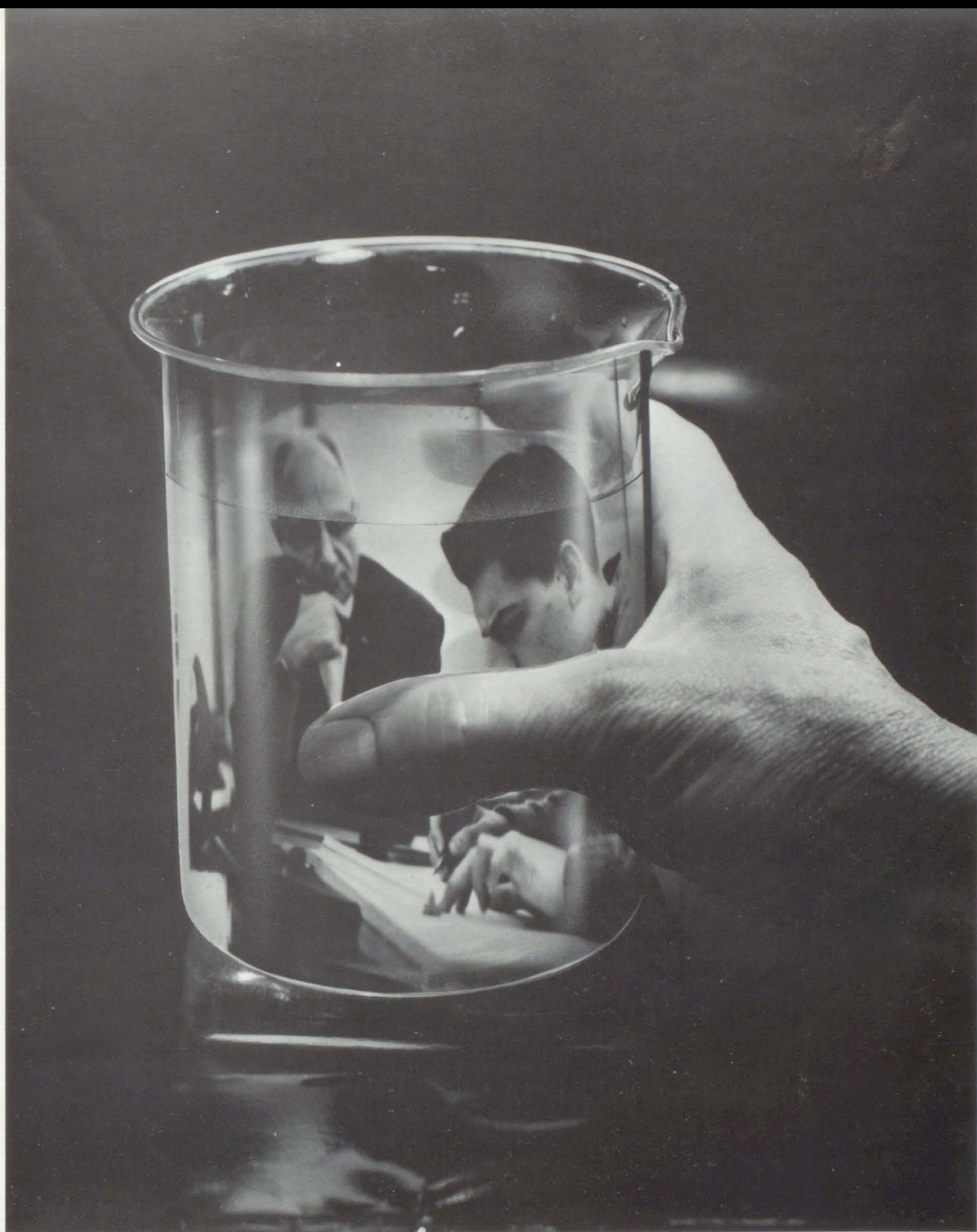
The School Board works to make our school one which we are proud to attend. They employ the best of faculty and make decisions which are beneficial to our system.



President of the Board, MR. LOWELL YINGST.



Board Members from left to right are: Mr. William Zimmerlin; Mr. Charles Phillips, Superintendent; Mr. Robert Ruby, Mr. William Roecker, Mr. Bruce Johnson, Mr. Lowell Yingst.



FACULTY



MR. DUANE BOLLENBACHER

Miami University B.S.  
Mathematics  
Head Coach Basketball  
Junior Class Advisor  
Varsity C Advisor



MRS. ANITA BROWN

Ohio State University B.S.  
English 9  
Librarian

## *FACULTY* 1969



MRS. EVELYN CANEDY

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Chorus



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Senior Advisor



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Earth Science  
General Math



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G.A.A. Advisor



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Typing  
Bookkeeping  
Sophomore Class Advisor



MR. DONALD GARMAN

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Civics  
Drivers Education  
Dean of Boys  
Athletic Director  
Head Track Coach  
Cross Country Coach  
Student Council Advisor



MISS RITA GRIFFITH

Ohio University B.S.  
English 9-10  
Newspaper Advisor



MRS. MARY HURD

Ohio State University B.S.  
B.O.E.  
Typing  
F.S.A. Advisor  
Junior Class Advisor



MR. DONALD JENKINS

Miami University B.M.  
Band Director  
Key Club Advisor



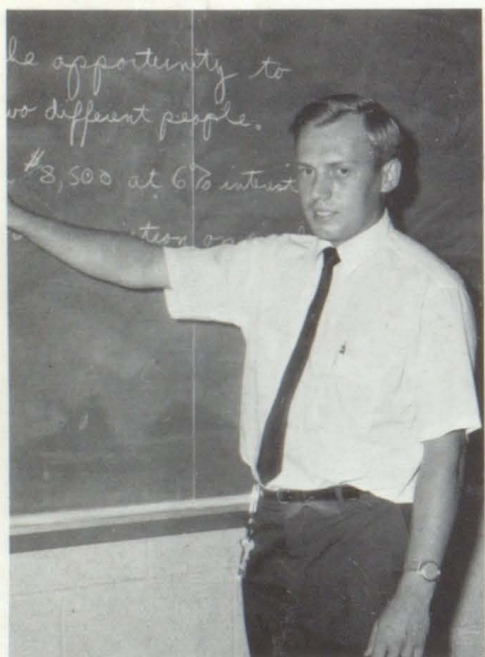
MR. ALLEN MATTSON

Ball State University B.S.  
Business Law  
B.O.E.  
Business Economics  
Yearbook Advisor



MRS. MARJORIE MUTZNER

Ohio University B.S.  
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F.H.A. Advisor  
Senior Class Advisor



MR. KENNETH O'DIAM

Ohio State University B.S.  
Vocational Agriculture  
F.F.A. Advisor  
Freshman Class Advisor



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Western Kentucky U. B.S.  
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General Science  
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Assistant Football Coach  
Assistant Track Coach



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Ohio State University B.S.  
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Mechanical Drawing  
Freshman Class Advisor



MR. ROLAND STOCKLAND

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American History  
World History  
Civics  
Assistant Football Coach  
Reserve Basketball Coach  
Hi-Y Advisor  
Sophomore Class Advisor



MR. LARRIE TISDALE

Western Kentucky U., B.S., M.A.  
Physical Education  
Health  
Head Football Coach  
Freshman Basketball Coach  
Varsity Advisor



MRS. MARJORIE TISDALE

Western Kentucky U., A.B., M.A.  
Guidance Counselor  
National Honor Society



MISS DORIS TROST

Manchester College, A.B.  
French I and II  
Speech  
Dean of Girls  
T.N.T. Advisor  
Tri-Hi-Y Advisor  
Student Council Advisor  
Director of Class Plays

We would like to recognize the substitute teachers, Mr. Deeter, Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Herman, Mrs. Wine, Miss Holfinger and Miss Rothermel, and show our appreciation for their concern in aiding the students when the regular teachers were absent.



MRS. ELOISE MONG

Miami University  
B.S. In Education  
Remedial Reading



## BUS DRIVERS

These men and women are always on the job. Not only do they make daily runs, but they are called to transport various teams and field trips. Left to right they are: Mr. Harold Hess, Mr. Clyde Shafer, Mr. Charles Reiber, Mrs. Florence Flick, Mrs. Hazel Shellabarger, Mr. William Flick, Mr. Charles Boyer. Absent is Mr. Robert Shellabarger.

## CUSTODIANS

We are especially grateful to these men and for the excellent job they do in keeping our school in perfect condition, not only during school hours but also during extracurricular activities. Our custodians are (left to right) Mr. Carl Locker, Mr. J. L. O'Roark, Mr. Wifred Rench.



## COOKS

These ladies do a tremendous task of feeding 600-700 students daily at the school cafeteria. They plan menus which are satisfying as well as nutritious. FRONT ROW left to right the cooks are: Mrs. Ruth Pearson, Mrs. Dora Hollopeter, Mrs. Alice McMaken, Mrs. Gertrude Wilk. STANDING: Mrs. Louise O'Roark, Mrs. Dorothy Warner, Mrs. Betty Franke, Mrs. Eileen Helman.



**SENIORS**

# THE CLASS OF

## 1969

MOTTO: "America is Our Future; We are the Future of America."

COLORS: Midnight Blue and Gold

FLOWER: Yellow Tea Rose

SONG: "Exodus"

ADVISORS: Mrs. Beth Culbertson, Mrs. Marjorie Mutzner

### CLASS OFFICERS

Don Fisher-	-----	President
Keith Warner-	-----	Vice President
Connie Gearhardt-	-----	Secretary
Daryl Landes-	-----	Treasurer

The one hundreth graduating class of 1969 began the school year with a spirit jeep boosting the Buccs at Homecoming. After the three busiest years CHS has ever seen, the Seniors decided to sit back and watch the underclassmen work instead of themselves. Thus, they only sponsored one dance during basketball season.

The Seniors took time out of their relaxing to produce the fabulous senior class play, revealing a lot of 'hams' but good ones. The Seniors boasted many outstanding football and track boys, and scholastic students.

Somehow they found enough energy to raise quite a ruckus at the kid party, having a ball. But the parents had the most fun watching their kids acting like dumb little brats!

With their remaining strength, individually, they proudly walked down the aisle and across the stage of CHS to receive their well deserved and long awaited diplomas. Then as they received their yellow roses, they left Covington High School to become another generation in the future of America, this world, and this universe.



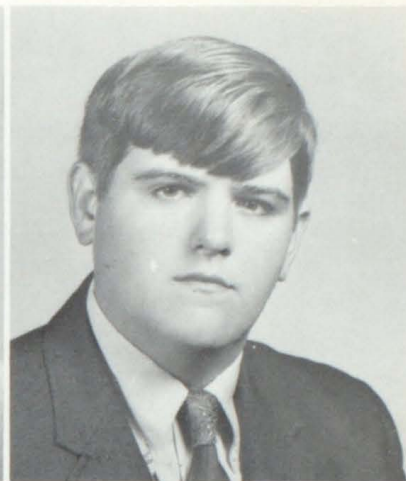
Senior Class officers are: Don Fisher, President; Connie Gearhardt, Secretary; Keith Warner, V. President; Daryl Landes, Treasurer.

JOYCE ANN ABSHIRE  
FHA 10, V. Pres. 11; Yearbook Staff 10,  
Librarian 10.

CLAUDE DAVID ADAMS  
Class play 11, 12; Basketball Manager 10.

KAY LOUISE ANGLE  
Student Council 9,10, Sec'y 11, V. Pres.  
12; Class Sec'y 9,10; Yearbook Staff 9,10,  
11,12; Newspaper Staff 10,11,12; Tri-Hi-  
Y 10; FHA 9,12; TNT 12; Office ass't. 11,  
12; Girl's Chorus 12, Homecoming Queen  
12.

DAVID LEE BADGLEY  
Class Play 11,12.



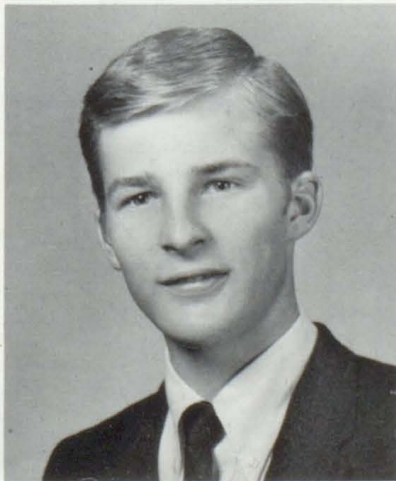
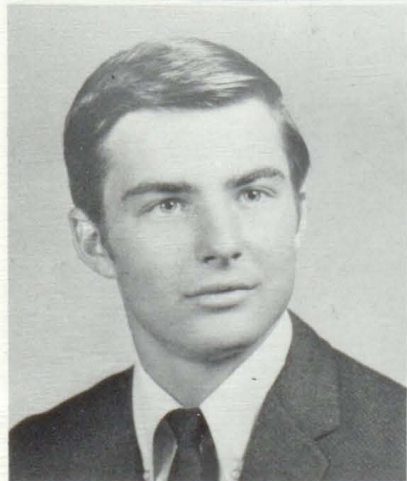
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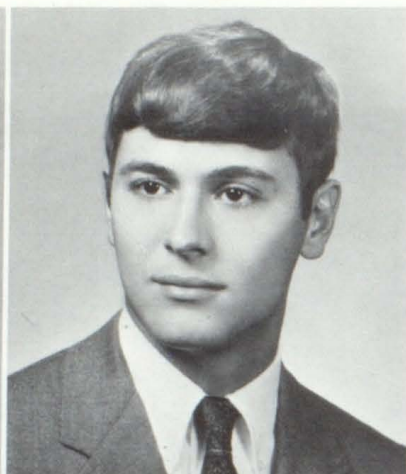
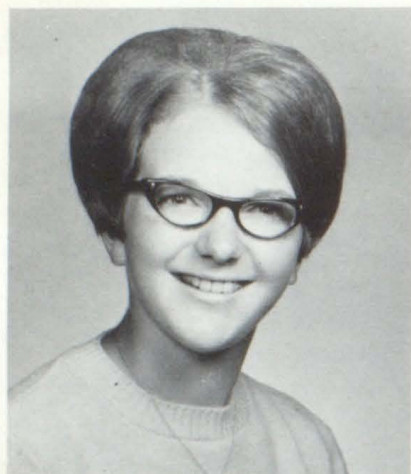
OLIVE MARIE BAGWELL  
Yearbook Staff 11,12; Newspaper Staff  
11,12; Class Play 11,12.

DENNIS ARLIN BAKER

BRADLEY SNYDER BARKER  
Class Play 11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; All  
League; All State; Defensive Back; MUSSA  
Team 1,2; Basketball 9,10,11; Track 10,  
11,12; Outstanding Track Man 12.

ERIC FRANKLIN BARKER  
Class Play 11; Football 9; Basketball 9; Ath-  
letic Manager 9.





BEVERLY DIANE BEAVER

Salutatorian 12; Nat. Honor Society 11,12; Scholarship Team 9,10,11,12; Tri-Hi-Y 10,11,12; GAA 9,10,11,12; TNT 10, V. Pres. 11, Pres. 12; Class Play 11,12; Band 9,10,11,12; Band Council 9,10,11,12; Girl's Chorus 12; VFW Speech Award 12.

MICHAEL JAMES BENEDICT

Scholarship Team 10,11,12; Hi-Y 10,11,12; Varsity C 10,11,12; Class Play 11,12; Track 10,11,12; Men's Glee Club 12.



MARNA SUE BOGGS

Nat. Honor Society 11,12; Scholarship Team 9,10,11,12; Yearbook Staff 11,12; Newspaper Staff 11,12; Science Club 9,10, Treas. 11, Sec'y 12; GAA 10,11,12; Class Play 11; Office Ass't 12.

JO ANNE BRANT

Nat. Honor Society 12; Scholarship Team 11; Yearbook Staff 11,12; Tri-Hi-Y 10; FSA 12; Class Play 11,12; Band 9,10.

KEITH ALLEN BROWN

KYSA LYNN CANEDY

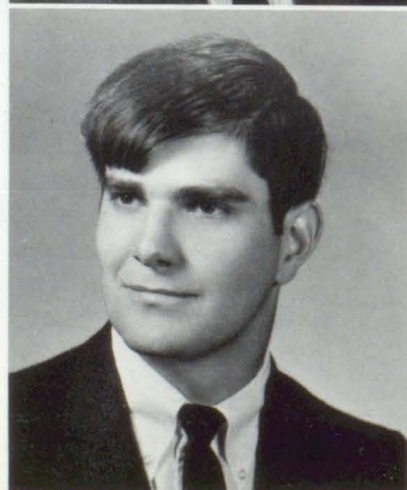
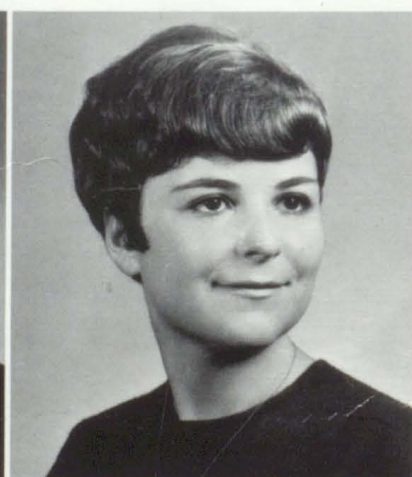
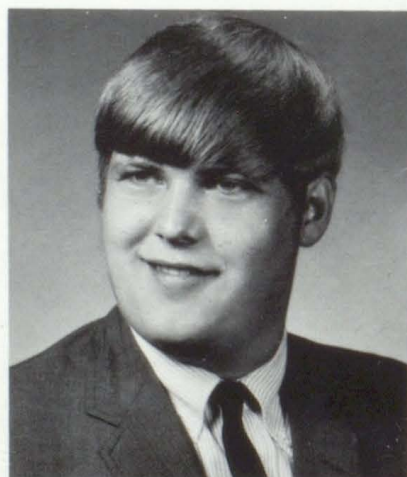
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RICHARD LEE CARNEY

Class Pres. 9; Nat. Honor Society 11,12; Scholarship Team 11,12; Science Club 10; Class Play 11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; Track 10; Basketball 9; Band 9,10,11,12.

DALE EVONNE CHRONABERY

Librarian 10,11,12; Band 9,10,11,12.

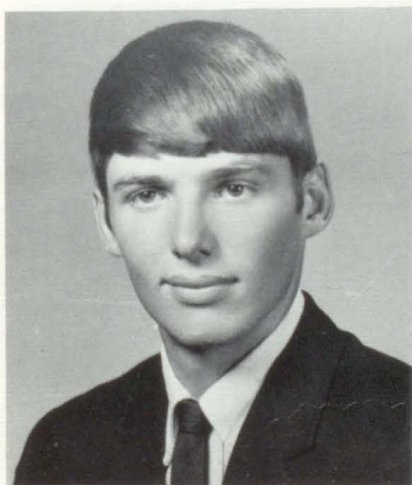
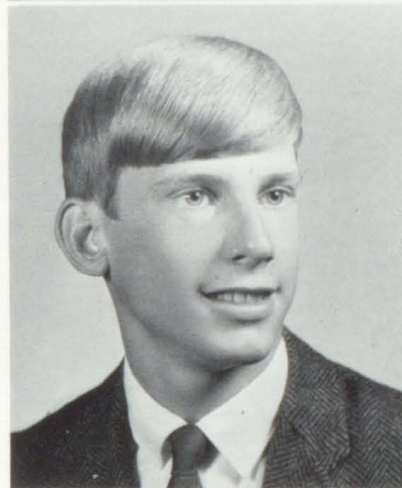
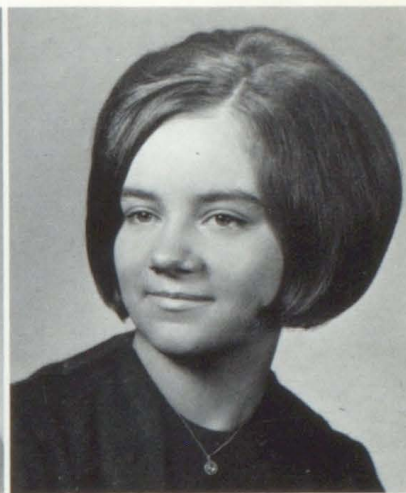


MARJORIE DENISE CORNOR  
Tri-Hi-Y 10,11, Sec'y 12; GAA 9,10,11,  
12; Class Play 11,12; Cheerleader 9,10,  
12; Band 9,10,11,12; Student director;  
Homecoming candidate 12.

LINDA JANE DEARTH  
Librarian 10.

STEVEN DOUGLAS DULL  
Hi-Y 10,11,12; Class Play 11,12; Football  
10,11; Basketball 9; Men's Glee Club 12.

JOHN LEE EARICK  
Hi-Y 10,11,12; FFA 10,11; Key Club 12;  
Class Play 11,12; Men's Glee Club 12.



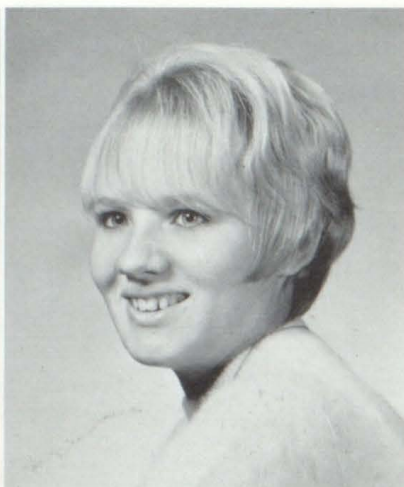
STEVEN KENT ELIFRITZ  
Hi-Y 10,11; Key Club 10; Class Play 12;  
Basketball 9,10.

NANCY BESECKER FAIR  
Yearbook Staff 11,12; Newspaper Staff 10,  
11, Editor 12; Tri-Hi-Y 10,11,12; GAA 9;  
Class Play 11,12; Band 9,10; Majorette  
11,12; Chorus 11,12.



JOHN RAY FEESER  
Hi-Y 10,11; Class Play 11,12; Football 10;  
Basketball 9,10; Athletic Manager 10.

MARY JANE FERGUS  
Class Play 11,12.

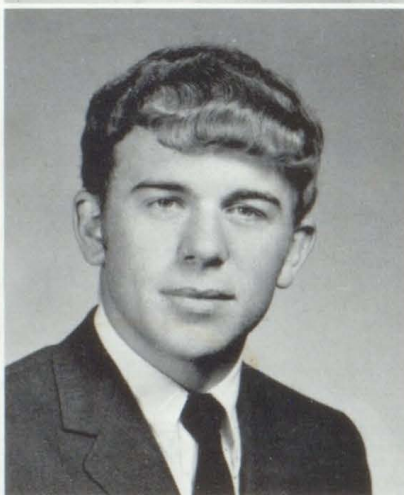


LINDA DIANE FIELDS

Tri-Hi-Y 10,11,12; GAA 9,10; Newspaper Staff 11,12; Class Play 11; Cheerleader 9; Band 9; Majorette 10; Chorus 9,10,11.

LUELLA JAYNE FISCHER

FSA 12; Yearbook Staff 11,12; Class Play 11,12.



DONALD RAY FISHER

Class Pres. 12; Nat. Honor Society 11,12; Hi-Y 10, Sec'y 12; FFA 10, Sec'y 11, V. Pres. 12; Class Play 11.

LARRY EUGENE FRENCH

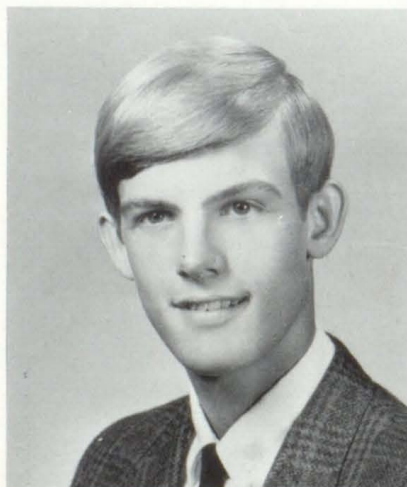
Football 9; Baseball 10.

MARK ALAN FULLERTON  
Science Club 11,12; Class Play 11; Band 10; Men's Glee Club 12.

CONNIE LOU GEARHARDT  
Class Sec'y 11,12; Student Council 9,10, 11, Sec'y 12; Nat. Honor Society 11,12; Scholarship Team 12; Tri-Hi-Y 10,11, Chaplain 12; GAA 9,11,12, Sec'y 10; FNA 10,11, Sec'y-Treas. 12; Class Play 11,12; Band 9,10,11,12; Majorette 9,10, Head 11,12; Band Council; Chorus 12; Buckeye Girl's State; Girl's Chorus 12.

DEBORAH SUE GIBBONEY

ROBERT WILLIAM GRAVES  
Hi-Y 11,12, Chaplain 10; Science Club 10; Key Club 12; Class Play 11,12; Football 9, 10; Track 10; Men's Glee Club 12.

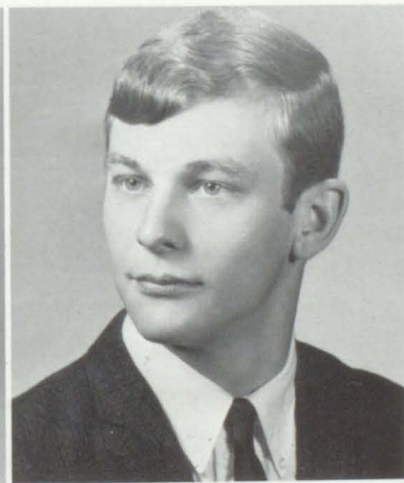
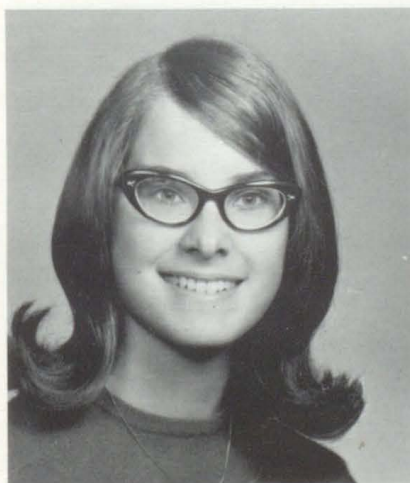
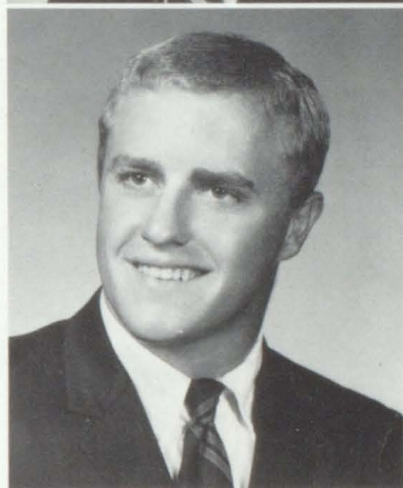
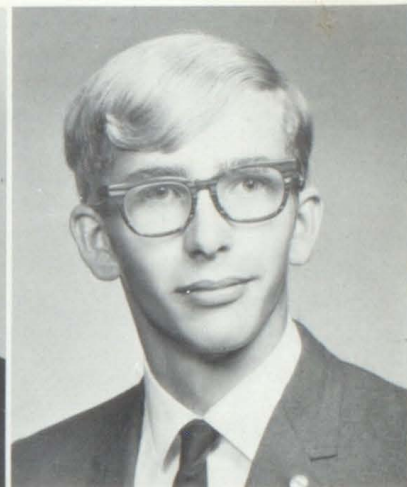
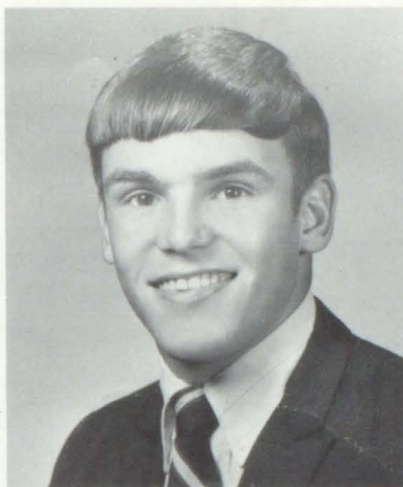


TERRY LEE HECKER  
FFA Sentinel 12; Varsity C 11; Football  
9,10,11,12; Track 11,12.

RICK ALAN HESSON  
Science Club 10, V. Pres. 11, Pres. 12;  
Yearbook 11, Business Manager 12; Class  
Play 12; Track 9,10,11.

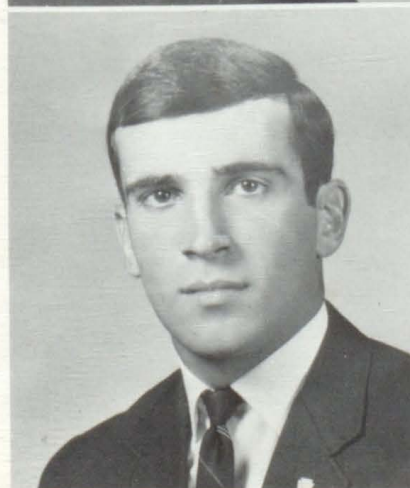
DAVID GEORGE HOOP

BRENDA CAROL HUFFMAN  
Nat. Honor Society 11,12; Tri-Hi-Y 10,  
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leader 9,10,11,12; Band 9,10,11,12; Cho-  
rus 12; FFA Queen; Homecoming Queen  
Candidate 12.



CONSTANCE MILES KAUFFMAN  
Valedictorian 12; Nat. Honor Society 11,  
12; Scholarship Team 9,10,11,12; Tri-  
Hi-Y 10,12, V. Pres. 11; FNT 10,12,  
Sec'y-Treas. 11; GAA 9,10,11,12; Year-  
book 12; Class Play 12; Band 9,10,11,12;  
Band Council 12; Buckeye - Girl's State;  
VFW Speech Award 12; O.S.U. Freshman  
Honor Scholar.

DONALD LEE KNAPP  
Basketball 10,11; Track 9,10; Outstanding  
Track Man 11.



RONALD ALLEN LAMB  
Nat. Honor Society 11,12; Scholarship  
Team 10,11,12; Key Club 10, Treas. 11,  
Pres. 12; Class Play 11,12; Football 9,10,  
11,12; Basketball 9,10,11,12; Track 12;  
Buckeye Boy's State; Men's Glee Club 12.

HELEN LAMBROFF  
Tri-Hi-Y 10; Newspaper Staff 12; Class Play  
11,12; Office ass't 12.

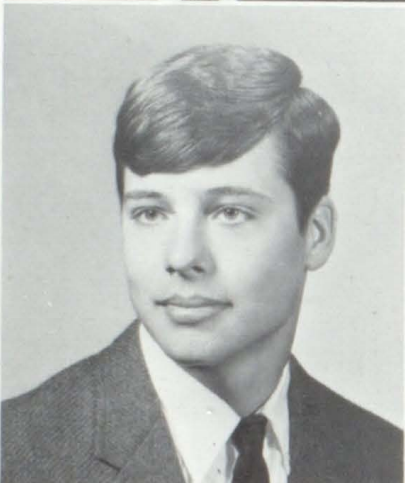
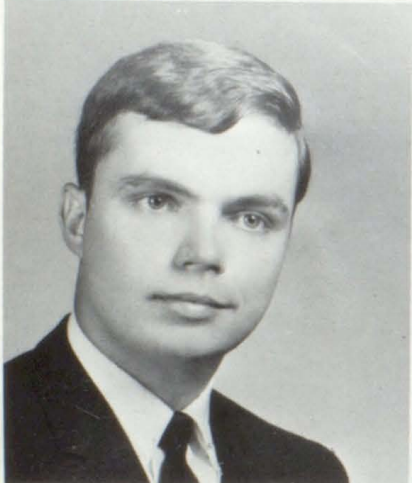


DARYL WAYNE LANDES

Class Treas. 11,12; Nat. Honor Society 11, Pres. 12; Scholarship Team 12; Hi-Y 10; FFA 9,10, V. Pres. 11, Pres. 12; Class Play 11,12; Men's Glee Club 12; State Farmer Award 11.

PAUL STEVEN LAUGHMAN

Track 10,11; VFW Speech Award 11,12.



JERRY GENE LONGENDELPER

Class Treas. 10; Hi-Y 10,11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10; Track 9; Baseball 10.

DAVID RANDALL LONGENECKER

Hi-Y 10,11,12; Class Play 11,12; Football 11,12; Track 9; Athletic Manager 9.

JOYCE ANN LONGENECKER

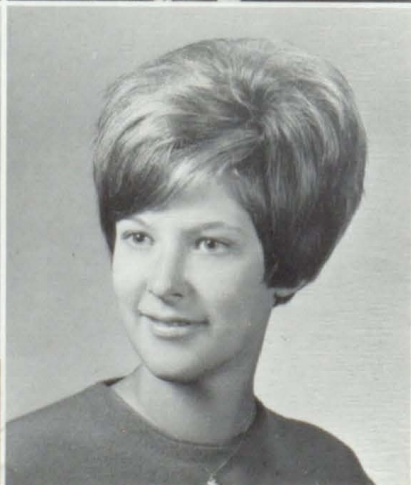
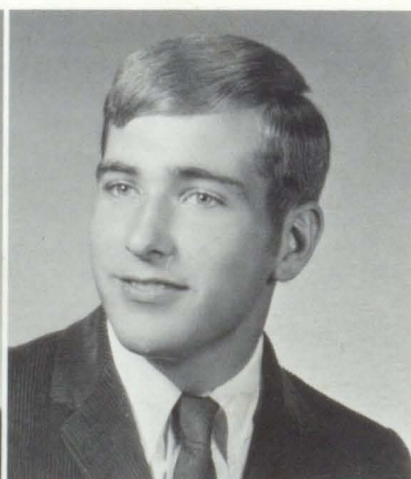
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ROBERT ALDERT McDANIEL

BENJAMIN RYAN McROY

TONYA RACHELLE MANSON

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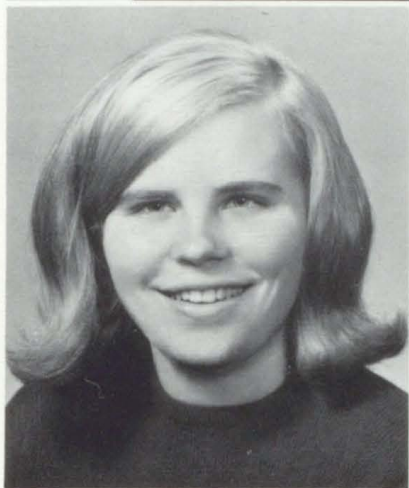




VICTORIA MARIE MOIST

Student Council 12; Tri-Hi-Y 10,11,12; GAA 9,10, V. Pres. 11, Pres. 12; Yearbook Staff 11,12; Newspaper Staff 10,11,12; Class Play 11,12; Band 9,10,12, Majorette 9,10; Girl's Chorus 12; Youth and Government 11; Chorus 12.

BARBARA JEAN OVERHOLSER



MARILYN KAY PALSGROVE

Class Treas. 9, Pres. 10; Student Council 12; Tri-Hi-Y 10,11,12; GAA 9,10,11,12; Yearbook Staff 10,11, Editor 12; Quill and Scroll 11; Class Play 11,12; Band 9, Office ass't 11,12.

ROBERT EDGAR PENNY

Hi-Y 10; Track 10,11,12.

VICKIE JO PETRY

Nat. Honor Society 12; Tri-Hi-Y 10,11; Newspaper Business Manager 12; FSA Sec'y 12; Band 9,10,11,12; Band Council Pres. 12.

ROBERT LEE PHILLIS

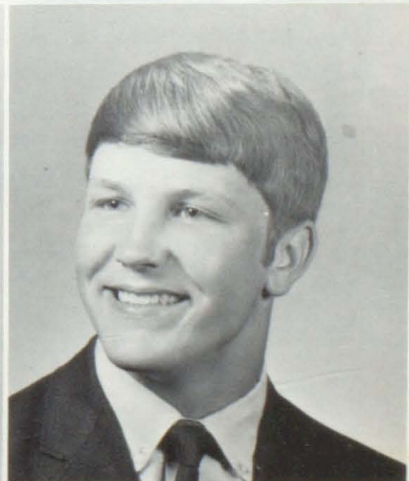
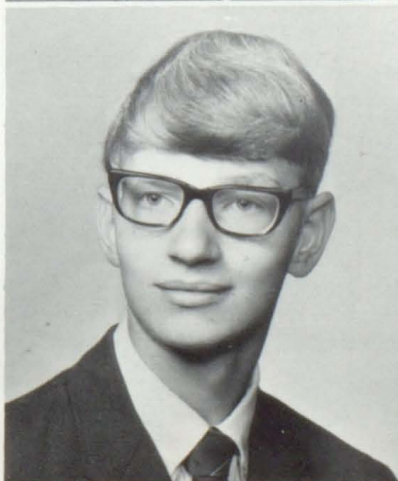
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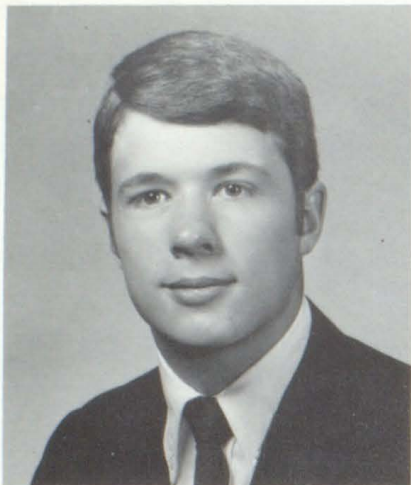
DOUGLAS CRAIG RIFFELL

Nat. Honor Society 11, V. Pres. 12; Scholarship Team 10,11; Hi-Y 10,12, Treas. 11; Key Club 11, Sec'y 12; Class Play 11,12; Band 10,11; Men's Glee Club 12; Youth and Government 11,12.

MICHAEL ALLEN ROBINETT

Nat. Honor Society 12; Scholarship Team 10,11; Hi-Y 10,11,12; Key Club 11,12; Varsity C Treas. 11,12; Class Play 11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10; Baseball 9,10,11,12; Track 9; Men's Glee Club 12.





JAMES WILLIAM RUDY

Nat. Honor Society 12; Hi-Y 10,11,12; Key Club 10, Sec'y 11, V. Pres. 12; Varsity C 10, V. Pres. 11, Sec'y 12; Class Play 11; Football 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10,11; Track 11,12; Band 9,10; Chorus 12, Men's Glee Club; Youth and Government 11.

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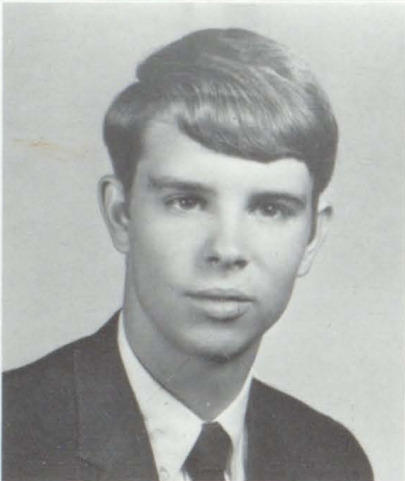
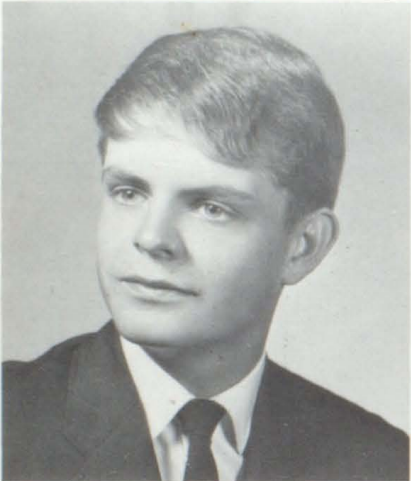
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DAVID LLOYD SINK

FFA reporter 12; Class Play 11,12; Men's Glee Club 12.

DANIEL CLAUDE SMITH

Hi-Y 10,11,12; Class Play 11,12; Basketball 9; Baseball 11; Track Manager 9.



MARK PAUL SMITH

Hi-Y 10; Key Club 11; TNT 12; Football 10,11; Track 9; Chorus 12.

RITA ANN SPEER

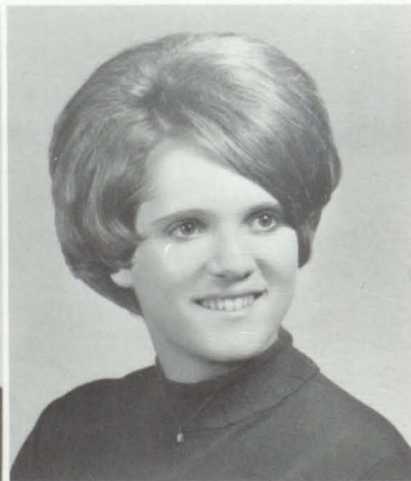
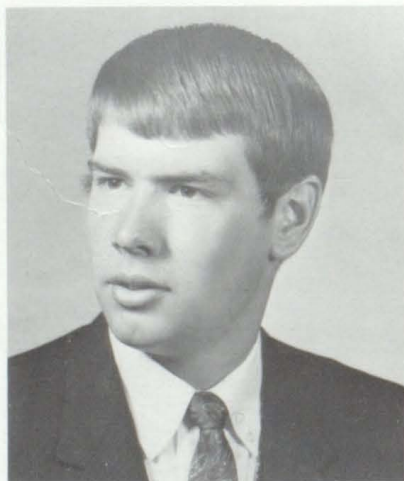
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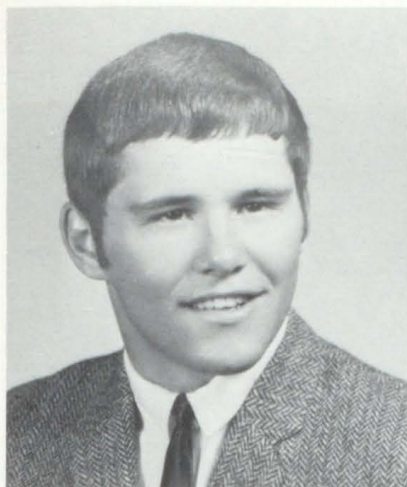
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Nat. Honor Society 11,12; Tri-Hi-Y 10,11; GAA 9,10,11,12; Yearbook Staff 10,11,12; Newspaper Staff 10,11,12; Class Play 11,12; Cheerleader 11; Band 9,10,11,12; Chorus 9,11,12; Office ass't 12.

SHERRY IRENE STACY

Tri-Hi-Y 10,11,12; GAA 9,10; Newspaper Staff 11,12; Class Play 11.



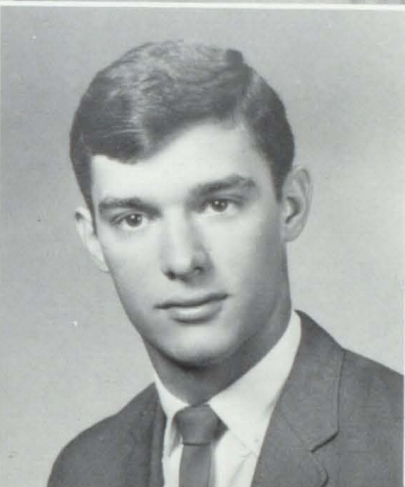


TERRENCE LEE SWALLOW

Hi-Y 10,11,12; Key Club 10,11,12; Varsity C 10, Pres. 11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10; Track 9; Baseball 10,11,12; Men's Glee Club 12.

TONDA M. THOMPSON

Tri-Hi-Y 10,11,12; Newspaper Staff 10,11; Class Play 11,12; Band 9; Homecoming Queen Candidate 12.



KEITH LEROY WARNER

Class V. Pres. 12; Hi-Y 10,11, Pres. 12; Key Club 10, Chaplain 11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10,11; Track 9,10,11,12; Basketball Manager 12; Band 9,10,11,12.

JOHN FLORY WEIKERT

Class V. Pres. 9,10, Pres. 11; Student Council 9,10, V. Pres. 11, Pres. 12; Key Club 10, V. Pres. 11, Treas. 12; Varsity C V. Pres. 11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; All League 12; Basketball 9; Track 12.

MARY ELLEN WILSON

Tri-Hi-Y 10,11,12; Newspaper Staff 10, Co-Editor 11,12; Class Play 11,12; Cheerleader 9; Drill Team 10; Office ass't 11, 12.

ALBERTA WANDA WORLEY



For thirty-one girls and thirty-nine boys, twelve years of school are completed. Long hours, hard work and much studying has been experienced in the past as well as many fun moments which will never be forgotten.

After high school, many of the seniors are planning to continue their education while others will serve their country in the armed services, begin their working career, or settle down and raise a family. Whatever the choice of the seventy graduates, America is their future and they are the future of America!

# SENIOR CLASS . . .



In tradition, Mrs. Culbertson receives the bust!



Bucc backen' Seniors.



Seniors write nasty thoughts in their daily "thought books."



Brad and John entertain at a football pep-rally!



Herrrrrrrrreeeee - THEY COME!!!



Hoop did it!!!

# ... IN ACTION



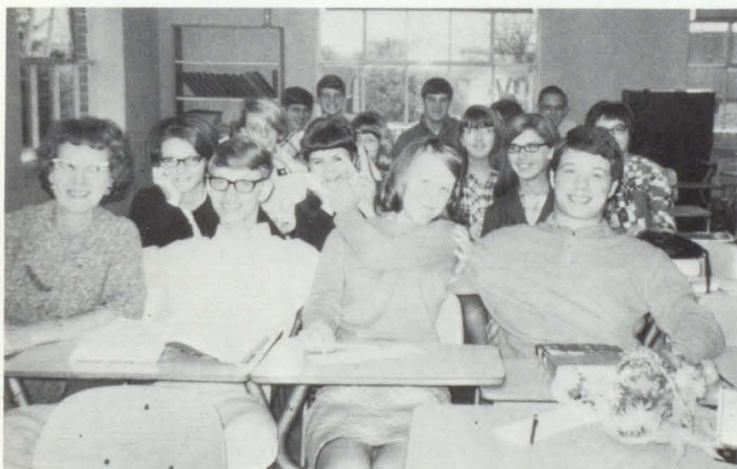
Bookkeepers???



Contentment in the shade.



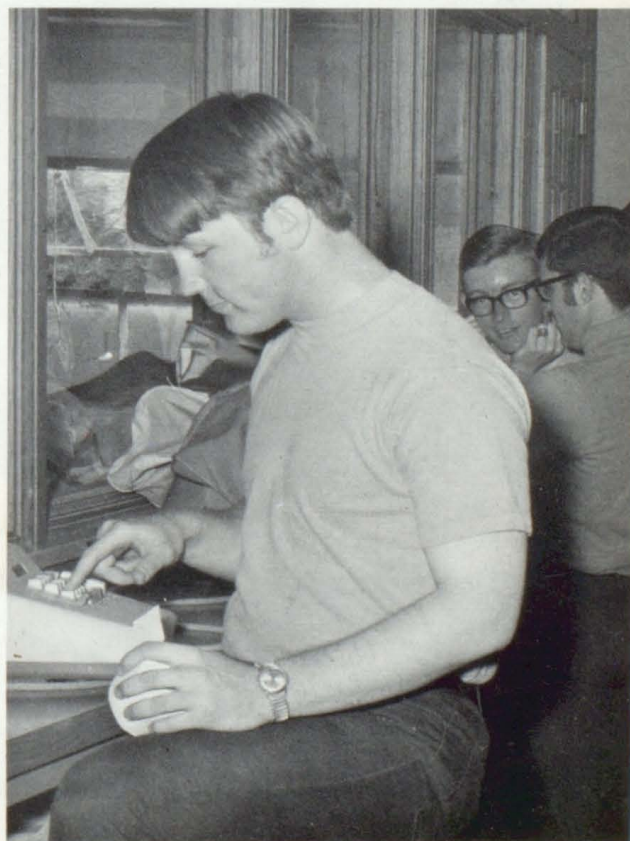
"NO COMMENT"!!!



Seniors head the speech class!



Pick of the crop!!



A bit of aid from the machine.

# TWELVE YEARS TOGETHER

The 1969 graduating class was composed of 20 girls and 17 boys who began first grade in 1956. They have worked and befriended each other for twelve years but will soon part in their separate ways. By this page we pay tribute to those who have attended 12 years of school at Covington!



Kay  
Angle



Olive  
Bagwell



Eric  
Barker



Beverly  
Beaver



Mike  
Benedict



Nancy  
Besecker



Marna  
Boggs



Jo Anne  
Brant



Leland  
Carney



Denise  
Cornor



Steve  
Elifritz



John  
Feeser



Jayne  
Fischer



Mark  
Fullerton



Connie  
Gearhardt



Bob  
Graves



Brenda  
Huffman



Connie  
Kauffman



Jerry  
Longendelpher



Joyce  
Longenecker



Tonya  
Manson



Vicky  
Moist



Marilyn  
Palsgrove



Bob  
Penny



Vickie  
Petry



Bob  
Phillis



Doug  
Riffell



Bill  
Rudy



Steve  
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Rita  
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Carol  
Spillers



Sherry  
Stacy



Terry  
Swallow



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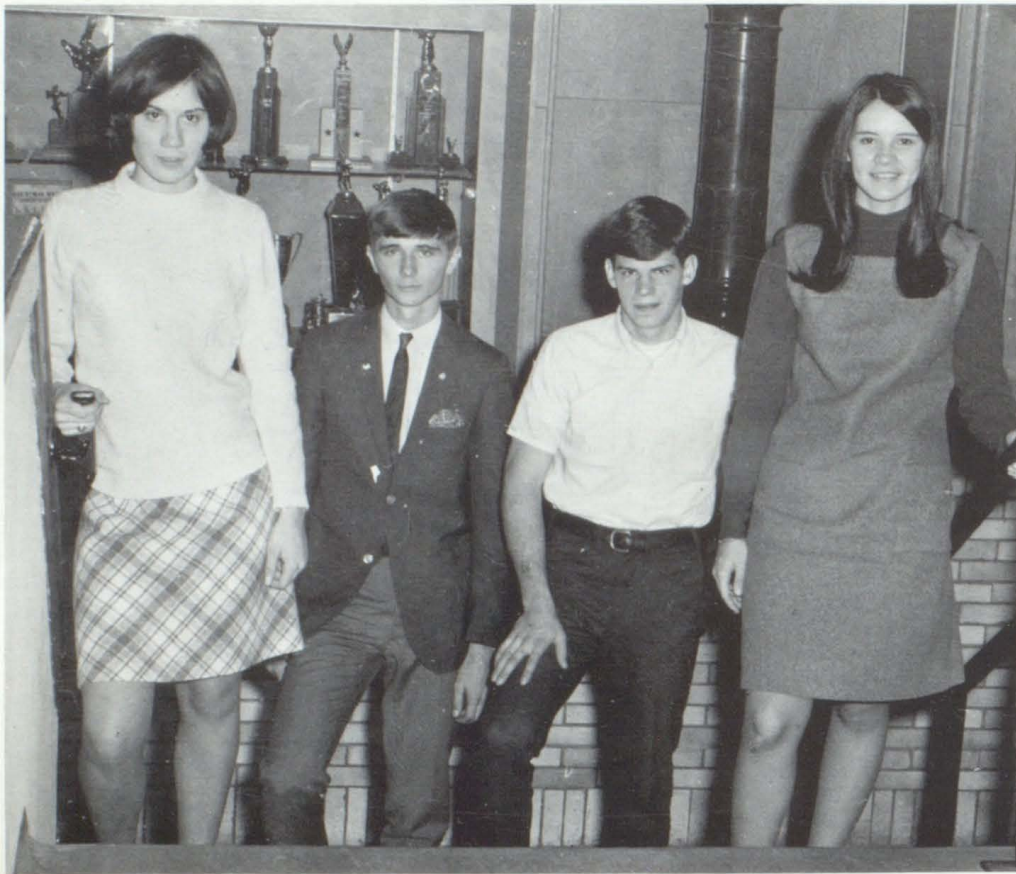


Keith  
Warner



John  
Weikert

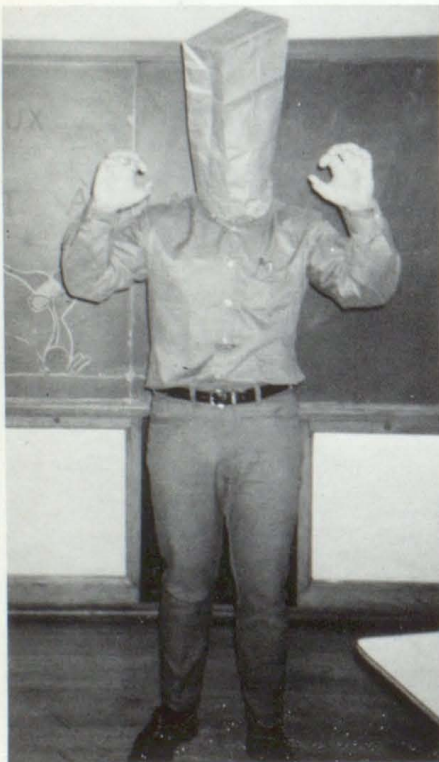




1970

This year's Junior class has been working hard preparing for the prom. They have had several dances throughout the sports season, a cookie sale and a T-shirt sale. The concession stands at the basketball games were a successful money-making project. Along with a lot of fun and hard work this group performed their first class play. The Juniors are looking forward to next year, their last year of high school.

Class officers from left to right: Bonita Landes, Secretary; Bob Wilhelm, Vice-president; Fred Kenworthy, President; Sue Leistener, Treasurer.



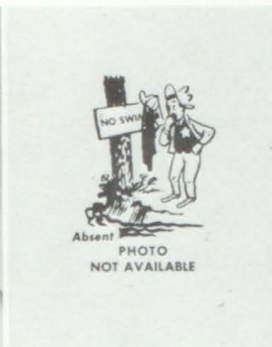
Somebody let the cat out of the bag!



Algebra II equals excitement plus?



FORD HAS A BETTER IDEA!!!



Bill Apple  
Ronald Apwish  
Charlene Batdorf  
Sherri Beaver



Charles Beeman  
Robert Benedict  
Janice Berryhill  
Bobbie Biesel



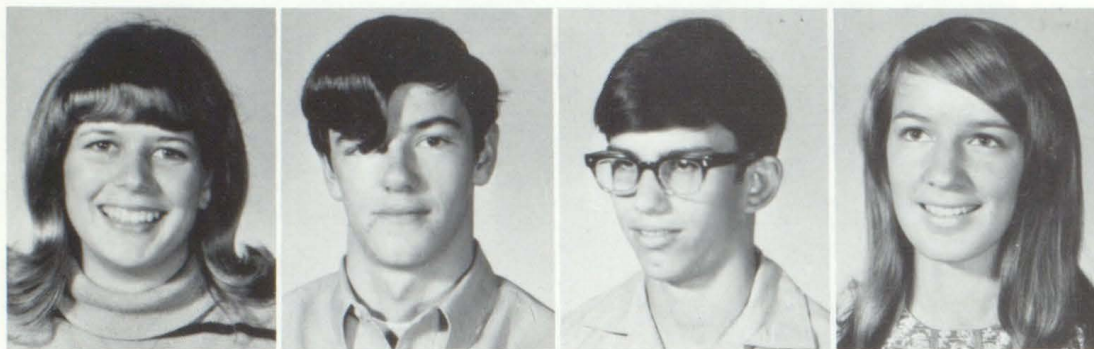
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Rosanna Brubaker  
Henry Brumbaugh  
John Bubeck



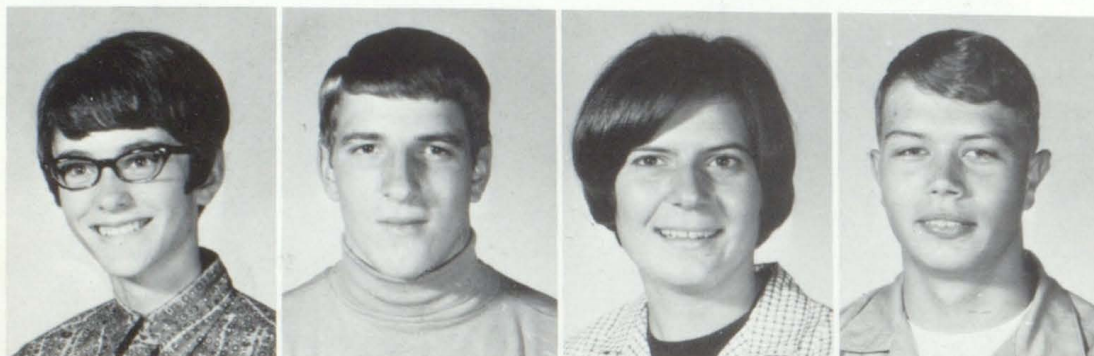
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Kathy Carine  
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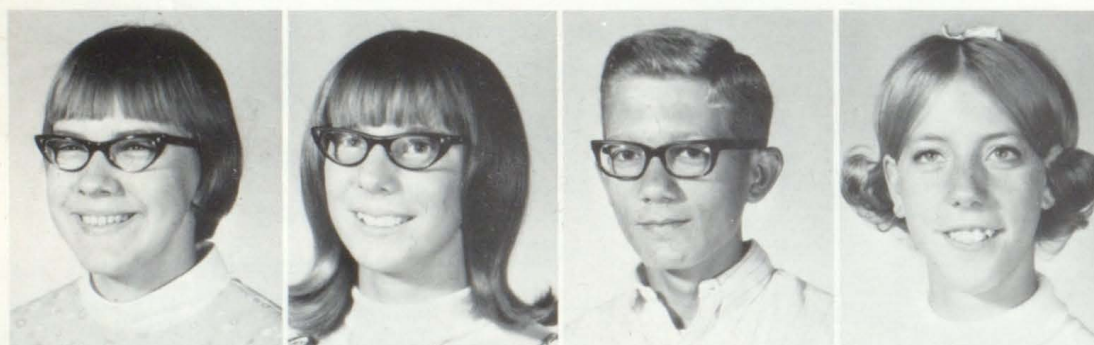
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Michael Clark  
Betsy Clippinger  
Marilyn Cornor



Pamela Dapore  
Randy Dilley  
Michael Duff  
LaDonna Filbrun



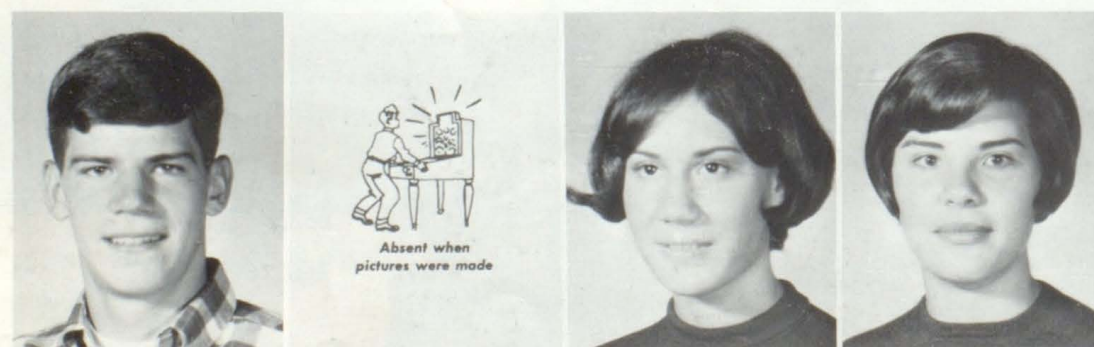
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Eric Frantz  
Diana Ganger  
James Hague



Melody Harshbarger  
Marie Heintz  
Larry Hensler  
Diana Holmes



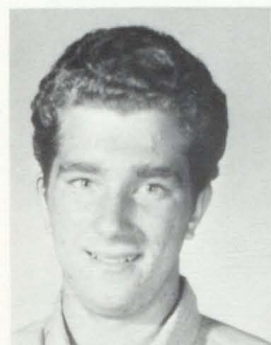
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Sally Ingle  
Stephanie Johnson  
Chris Jones



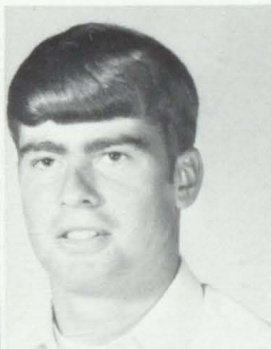
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Kristine Langston



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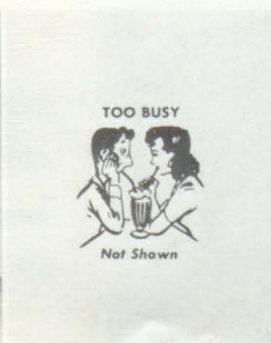
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Rebecca Minnich



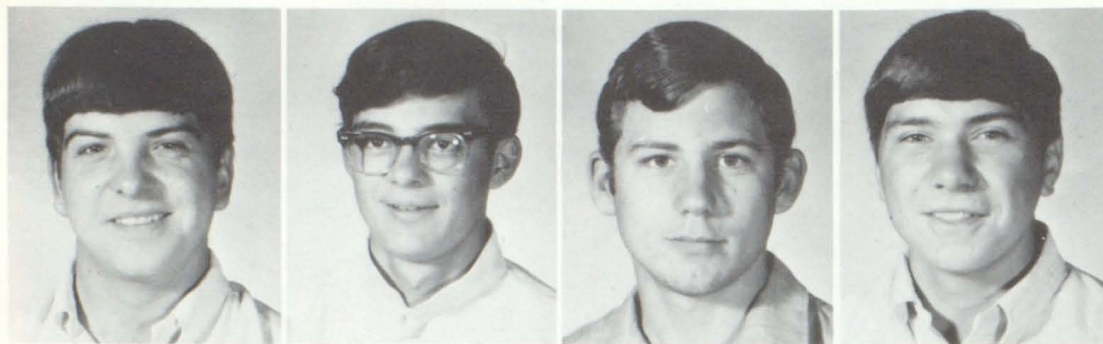
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Gloria Parker  
Timothy Powell



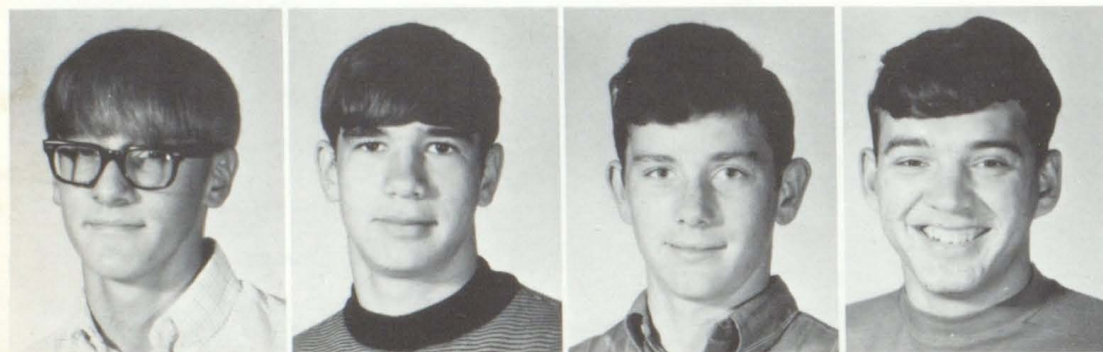
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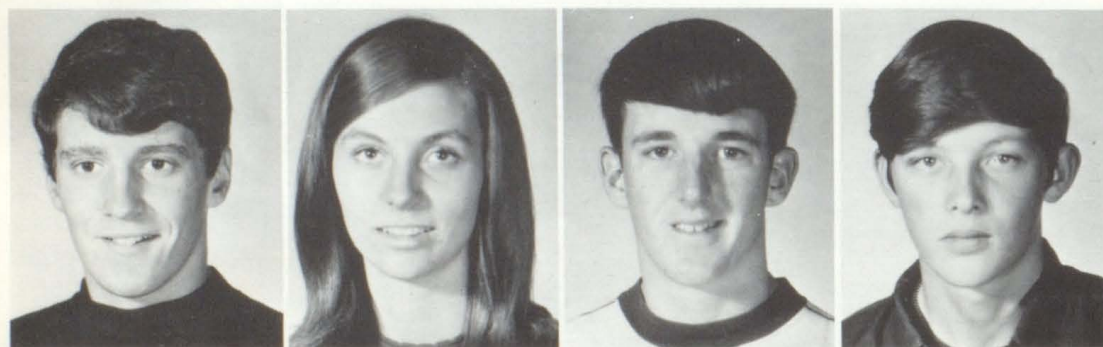
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Janet Routson  
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Randall Sherwood  
Edward Shilt  
Guy Shumaker



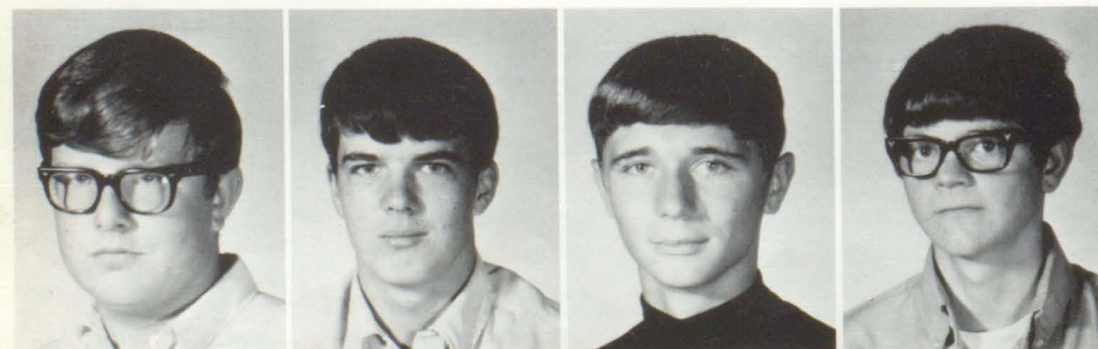
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Steven Stacy  
Tim Stambaugh



Herb Stevenson  
Anna Subler  
David Sweigart  
John Thompson



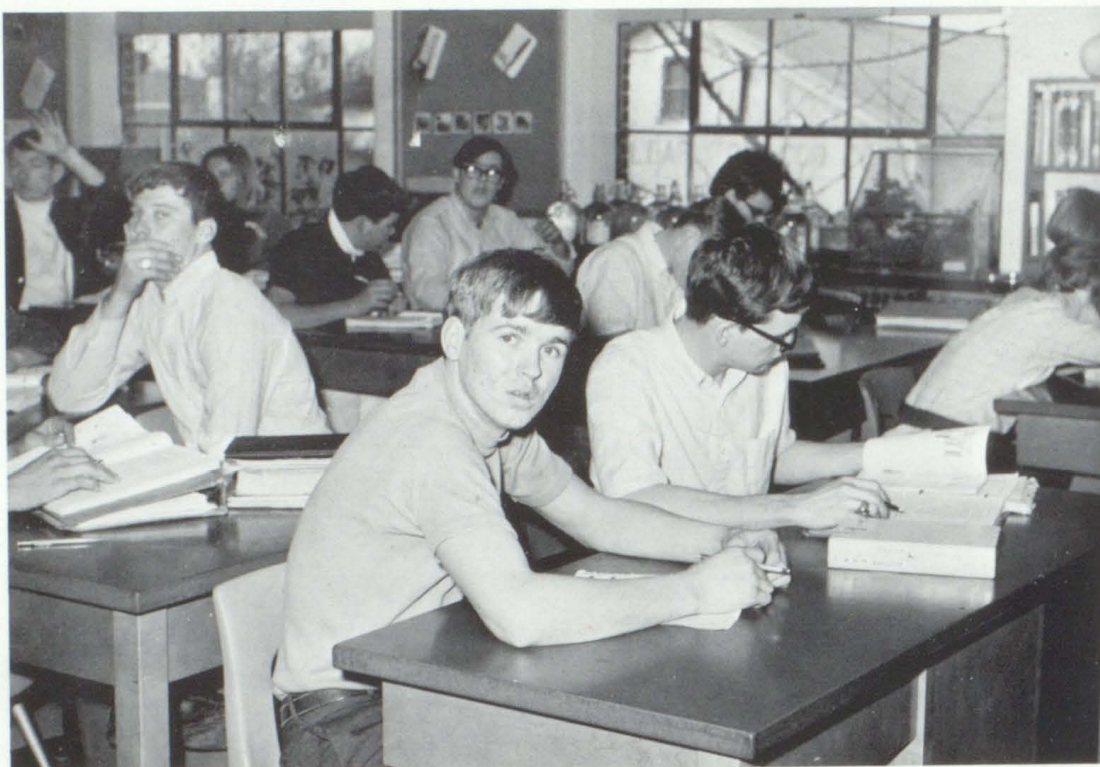
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Duaine Vogler  
Larry Weikert  
Sandra Weng



Richard White  
Rick Whitenack  
Robert Wilhelm  
Bob Wright



SOPHOMORES



life ... clear as mud!



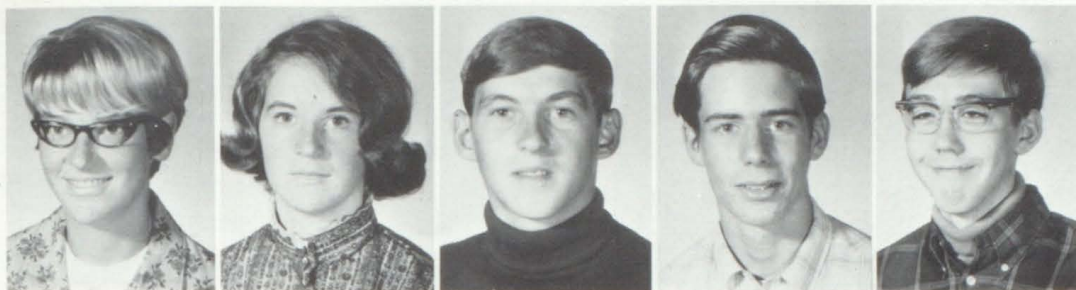
Sophomore Class officers, left to right: Jim Sink, V. Pres.; Jeff Frantz, Treas.; Rex Huffman, Pres.; Mary Rogers, Sec'y.

## 1971

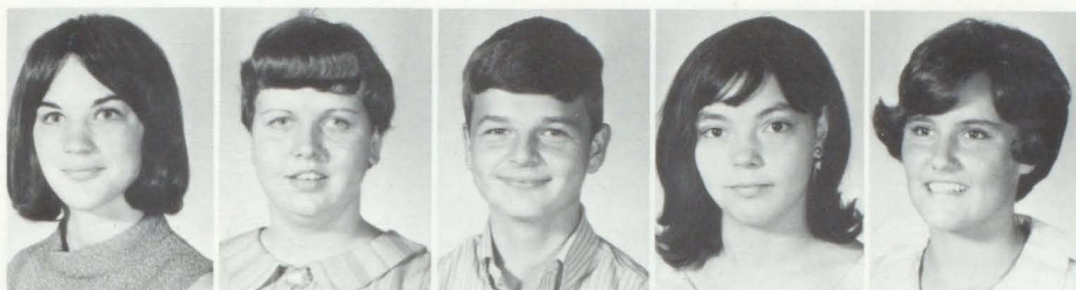
The class of 1971 adjusted well to their second year of high school! They began adding to their treasury by sponsoring dances during the basketball season. They are a hard-working class and the prom they are working for should be one which will be remembered.



Jump girls!



Nancy Abshire  
Kathryn Adams  
Keith Angle  
Scott Aukerman  
John Bagwell



Johannah Barker  
Victoria Bashore  
Douglas Blankenship  
Peggy Blankenship  
Beverly Boggs



Philip Boyd  
Cynthia Brandt  
Deborah Brant  
Deborah Brinkman  
Darrell Clark



Linda Crist  
Jerry Cundiff  
Jeffrey Davis  
Steven Dearth  
Cindy DeMoss



Cynthia Doty  
Randall Emery  
Christina Feeser  
Edith Fine  
Marlene Fisher



Alan Forsythe  
Jeffrey Frantz  
Dwight Garber  
Lois Garber  
Sandy Garman



Timothy Gibboney  
David Gragg  
Michael Gray  
Douglas Hague  
Christopher Hardenbrook



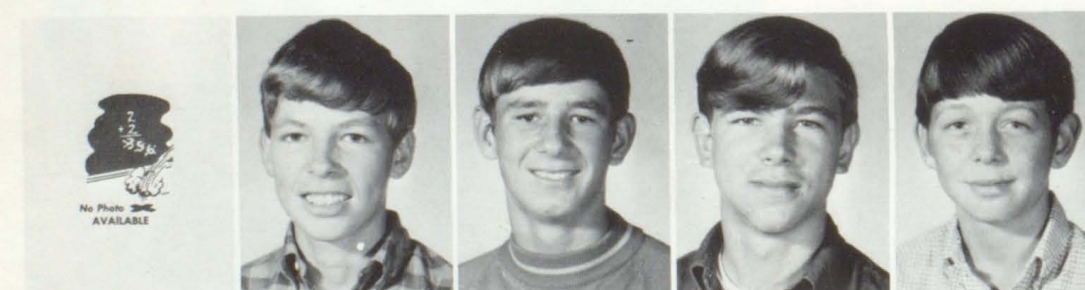
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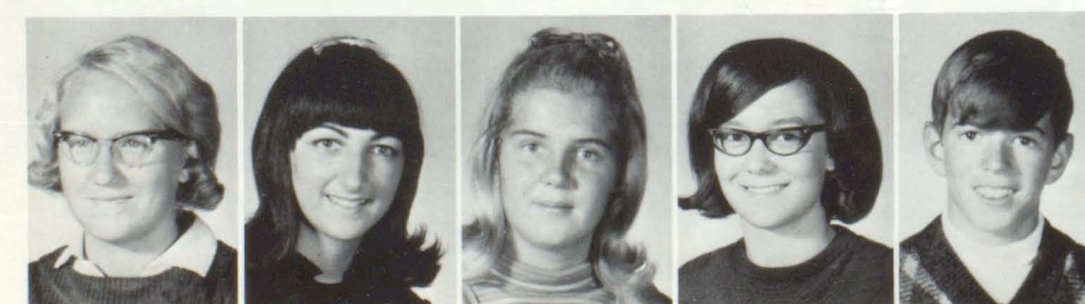
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Areda Landes  
Michael Lavey  
Raymond Lyons



Jack Maier  
Catherine Manson  
Michael Manson  
Cynthia Martin  
Darlene Mauer



Joy Mengers  
Craig Miller  
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Timothy Minton  
David Myers



Eva O'Diam  
Deborah Parks  
Darlene Pearson  
Robin Porter  
Dennis Powell



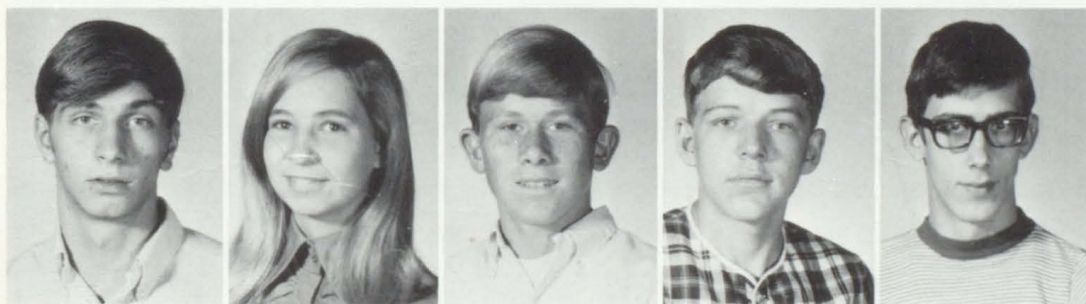
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Richard Robinson  
Mary Rogers  
James Rumble



Jane Rumble  
Steven Sampson  
Linda Schmidt  
Mary Schultz  
Sheryl Shoffner



Carol Sink  
Helen Sink  
James Sink  
Wilbur Sink  
Deborah Sirch



John Smith  
Christina Snider  
Michael Stacy  
Kenneth Stambaugh  
John Staudt



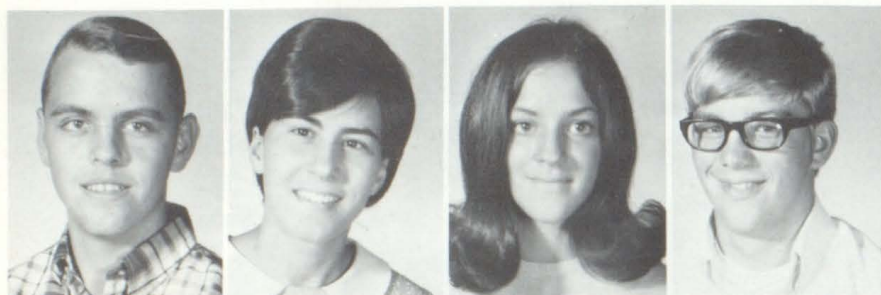
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Steve Thompson  
Melody Trostel



Robert Trostel  
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David VanTilburg  
Robin Victor



Roberta Vogler  
Arlene Wackler  
Jon Whitman  
Allan Wills  
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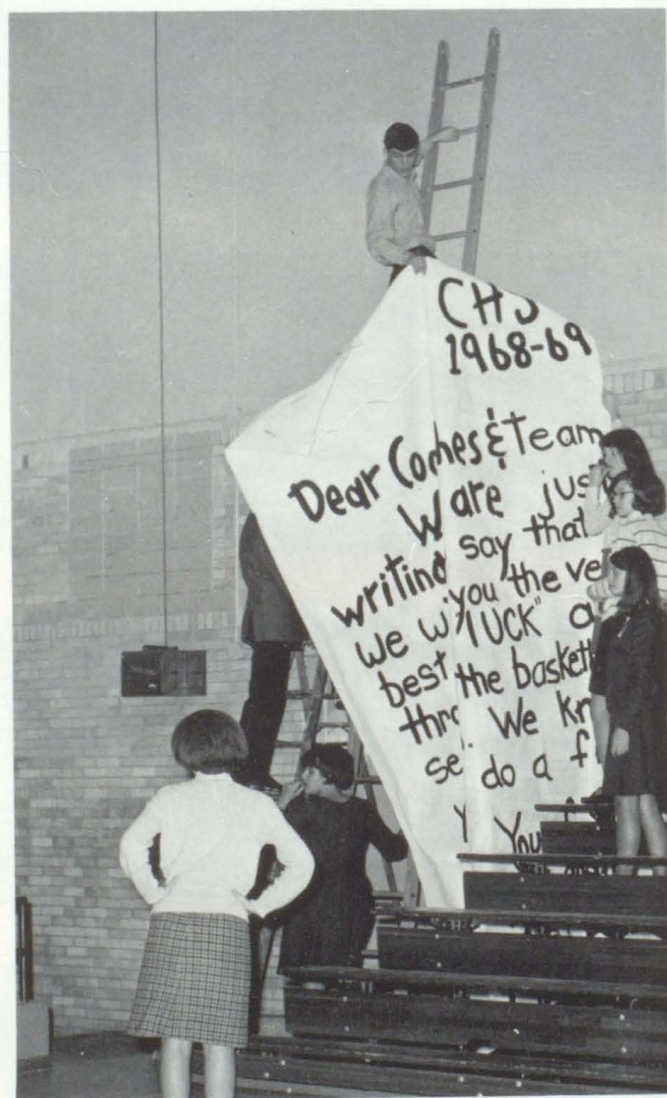
Harold Wintrow  
Rebecca Wirrig  
Cinda Yingst  
William Zimmerlin



The energetic sophomores work for spirit!



The class of '71 prepare for the big parade.



Since when does it take nine to hang a sign?



FRESHMEN

# 1972



Freshman Class officers, left to right: Leroy Brown, Treas.; Tom Dunn, V. Pres.; Steve Taylor, Pres.; Denise Petry, Sec'y.

The class of '72 began the year BIG with over a hundred students. Being their first year in high school, they had no specific jobs to perform. However, they sponsored a dance and a work-day which added to their treasury. The Freshmen adjusted well to the new pace of high school. Their three years ahead should be most prosperous for these young troopers.



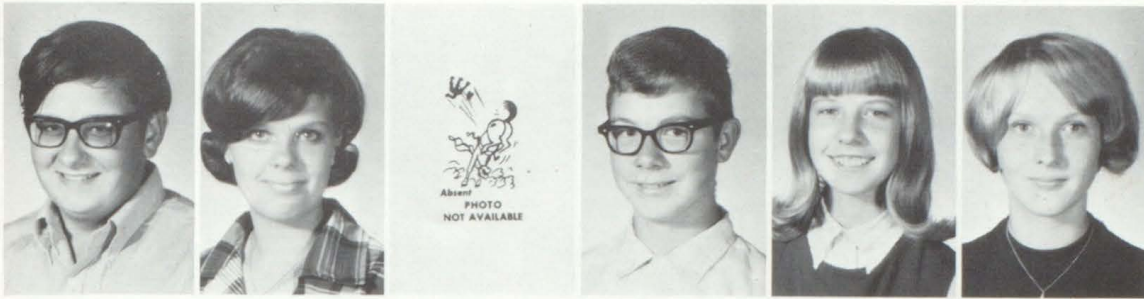
(L.) What a lively bunch!



Well ...



No wonder we are always late.



Daniel Adams  
Margaret Alcorn  
Fred Allmann  
Dale Anthony  
Christine Apwisch  
Paula Asher



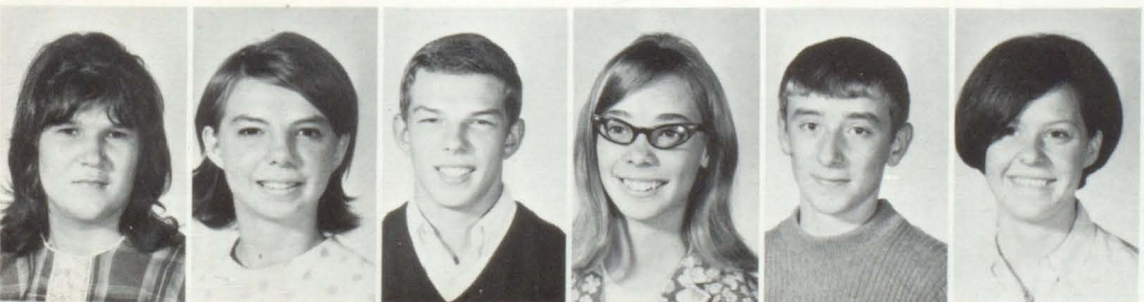
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Benjamin Bashore  
Dinah Batson  
Mark Beaver



Patrick Beireis  
Kimberly Besecker  
Cathy Boehringer  
Teresa Boggs  
Candace Bridges  
Randy Brinkman



Judy Brown  
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Linda Browning  
Dennis Burgess  
Nancy Burns  
Valeria Busby



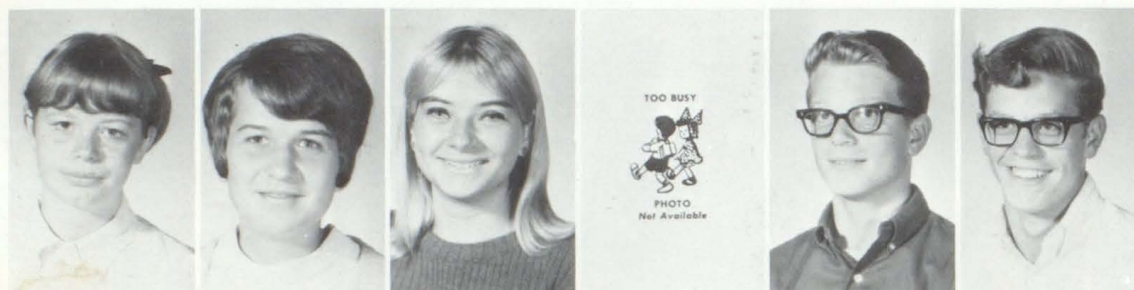
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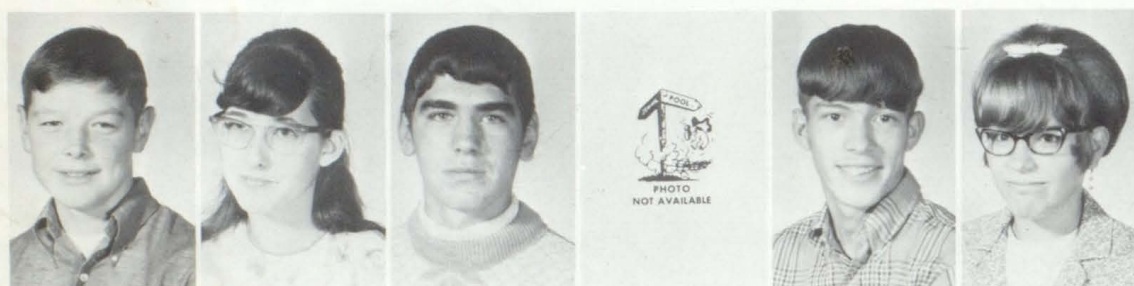
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Thomas Dunn



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Ronald Flint  
Steve Forsythe



Susan Forsythe  
Linda French  
Cynthia Frost  
Michael Fullerton  
Lynn Garber  
Wayne Garber



Larry Gearhardt  
Kathleen Gibboney  
Michael Glenn  
Thomas Graham  
William Grody  
Cynthia Hecker



Teresa Herron  
Robin Hesson  
Carolyn Holbrook  
Kathleen Holmes  
Deborah Keller  
Sandra Kellar



Manuel Kelly  
Sharon Kiser  
Marcia Klepinger  
Ralph Knapp  
Karen Kreitzner  
Michael Lacy



Sue Longenecker  
Mark McMaken  
Rodney Magee  
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Roger Meyer



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Merri Paff  
Belinda Parker  
Ronald Penny  
Denise Petry



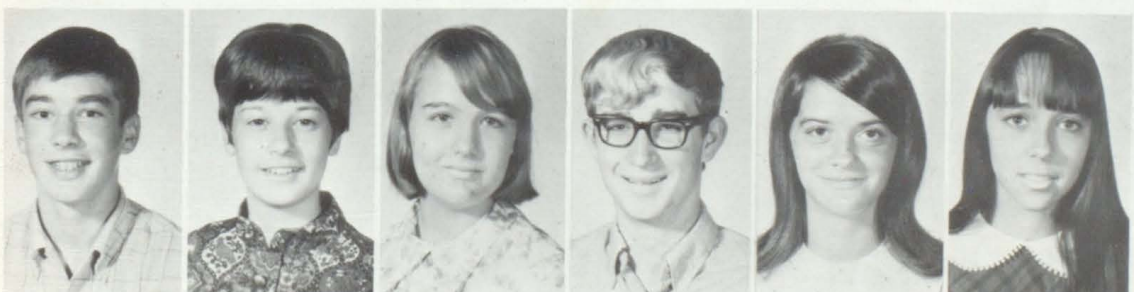
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James Schmidt  
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Lynn Sill



Lucinda Smith  
Alan Speer  
David Stacy  
Stephan Taylor  
Marvin Wackler  
Tonya Weaver



David Weidner  
Marsha Weikert  
Connie Weldy  
Jerry Whitacre  
Barbara Williams  
Debra Wise

# REMEMBER . . .



... hard hours of studying in the Library?



... the vibrant enthusiasm of weekly pep-rallies??



... how we always tried?



... Gary's educational speeches?



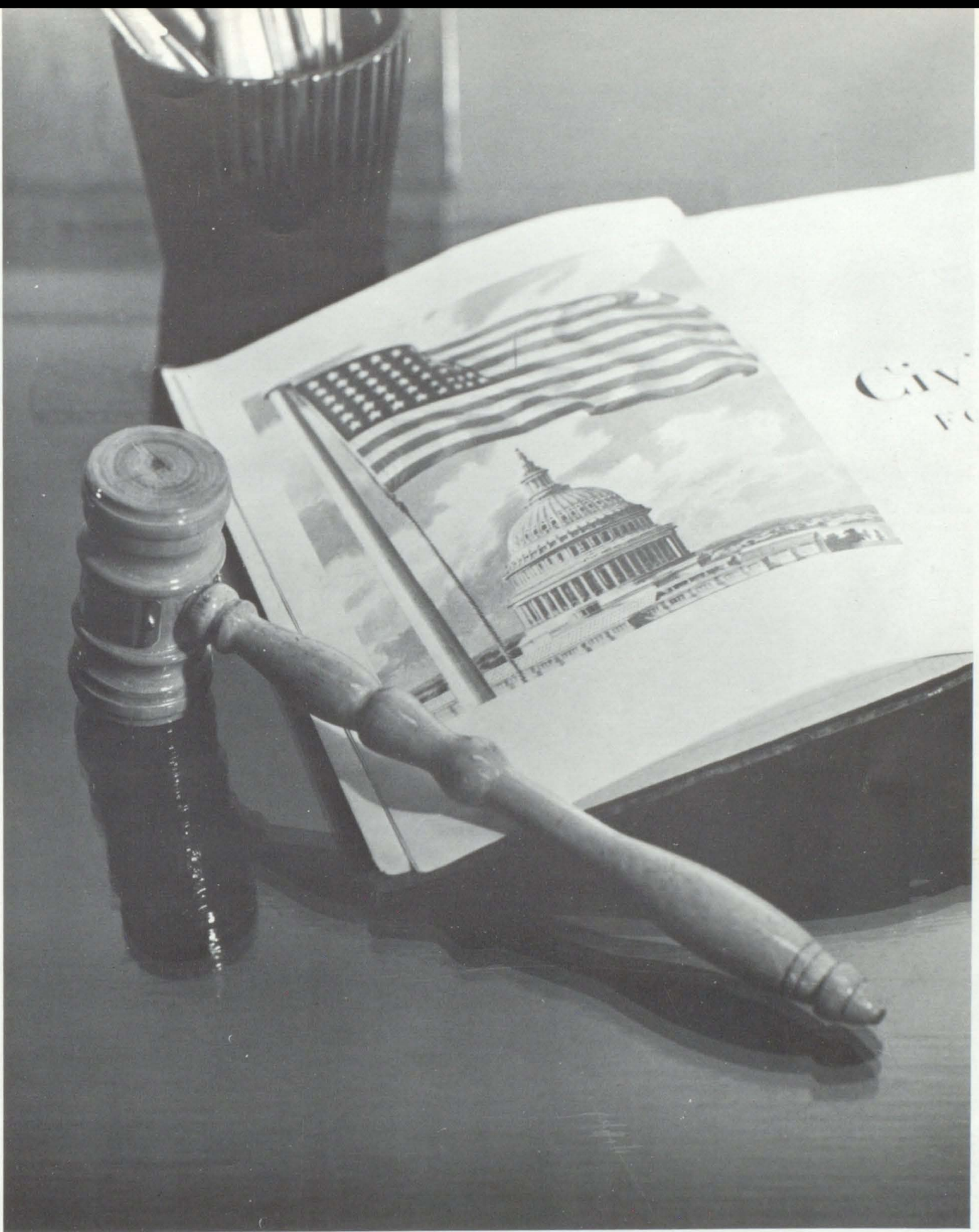
... the annual Christmas Party?.



... eating worms at GAA initiation???



... the outside pep-rally?



## ORGANIZATIONS

# MEMORABLE MOMENTS



Baseball boys and GAA girls break training!!



Those seniors just beginning to pick on freshmen.



We had the spirit ...



They played and they played and they played!!!



They worked and messed.



And she played and sung.



Bloodshot ...



Perfect examples of lips, hands, and elbows!



A good picture of two bad kids.



The Chorus sang 'HIP' carols at Christmas.



Typical picture of an intelligent audience!!



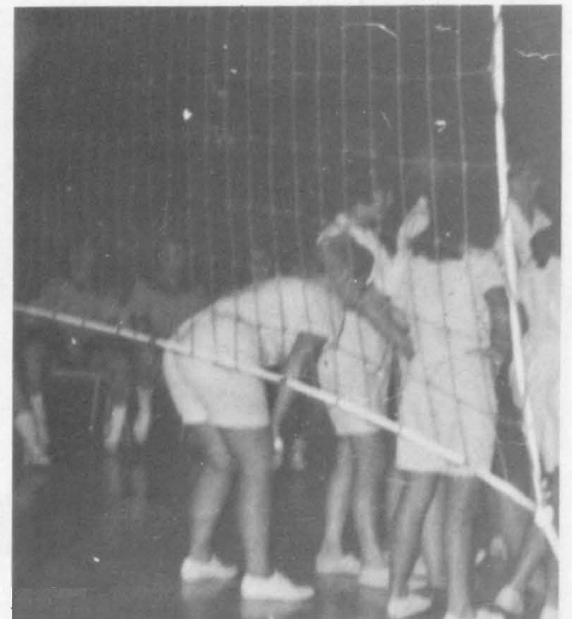
GUNNER!



A bad picture of two good kids.



Maybe they can't decorate, but they got SPIRIT



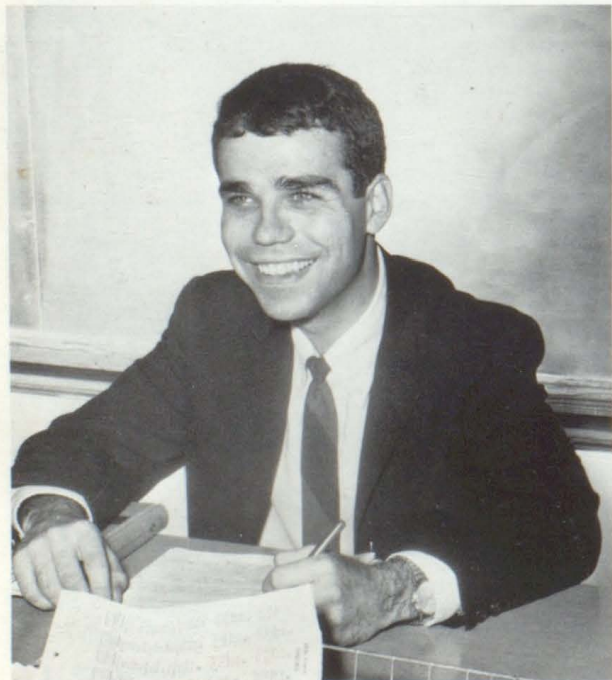
The one and only fabulous RESERVES!!



# *BUCCANEER STAFF STRIVES FOR BETTER YEARBOOK*

With the cooperation of the Buccaneer staff and their new advisor, Mr. Allen Mattson, we strived to produce the best possible yearbook for 1969. We hope you appreciate our strenuous efforts.

FIRST ROW: C. Mohler, J. Fischer, K. Angle, Mr. Mattson. SECOND ROW, top to bottom: S. Leistner, C. Kauffman, C. Langston, V. Moist, N. Besecker Fair, J. Brant, O. Bagwell. THIRD ROW: M. Palsgrove, T. Manson, C. Spillers, M. Boggs, C. Sink, J. Rumble, R. Hesson, T. Gibbony.



A happy first year as annual advisor.



TOP ROW: Mr. Mattson - advisor, C. Langston - assistant business manager, R. Hesson - business manager. FIRST ROW: M. Palsgrove - editor, T. Manson - secretary, S. Leistner - assistant editor.



Marna  
Boggs



Helen  
Lambroff



Kay Angle



Carole  
Spillers



Mary Wilson -  
Lay-out editor



Olive  
Bagwell



Sherry  
Stacy



Vicky Moist



Linda Fields



Vickie Petry -  
Business Manager

## HARD WORKING



Nancy Besecker -  
Editor

## BUCCANEERS STAFF

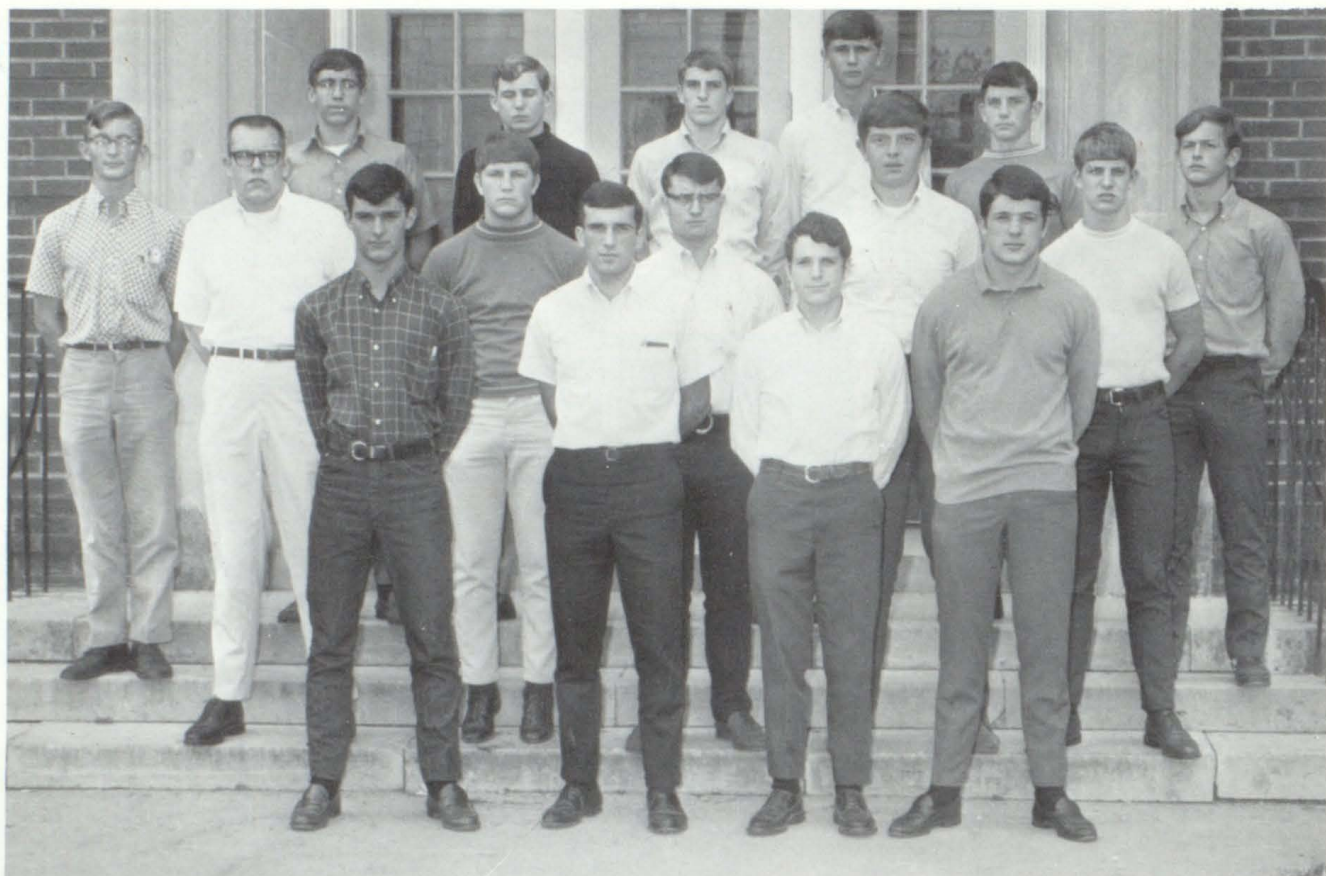
The 1969 Buccanews staff spent a large amount of time each month to produce an interesting and up-to-date Buccanews. The purpose of the newspaper is to keep the students informed. Thanks goes to the staff for working so long and hard, and especially to Nancy Besecker for all her efforts to make the Buccanews a successful paper.



FIRST ROW: H. Sink, C. Doty, D. Sirch. SECOND  
ROW: C. Adams, J. Rumble, D. Ganger, Miss Griffith.



Our new advisor - Miss Griffith



FRONT ROW: J. Weikert, R. Lamb, T. Canedy, B. Rudy. SECOND ROW: K. Warner, M. Robi-  
nett, J. Eric, B. Graves, R. Apwisch. THIRD ROW: B. Phillis, M. Clark, E. Shilt, R. Frantz, B.  
Whilhelm, S. Stacy, S. Forsythe.

## KEY CLUB WINS TROPHY

The Key Club is a service oriented organization affiliated with the Kiwanis Club. The Key Club provided a trophy for the intramural basketball tournament, of which they are the proud winners, put up flags in the uptown area on national holidays, and assisted Kiwanis on their Pancake Day.

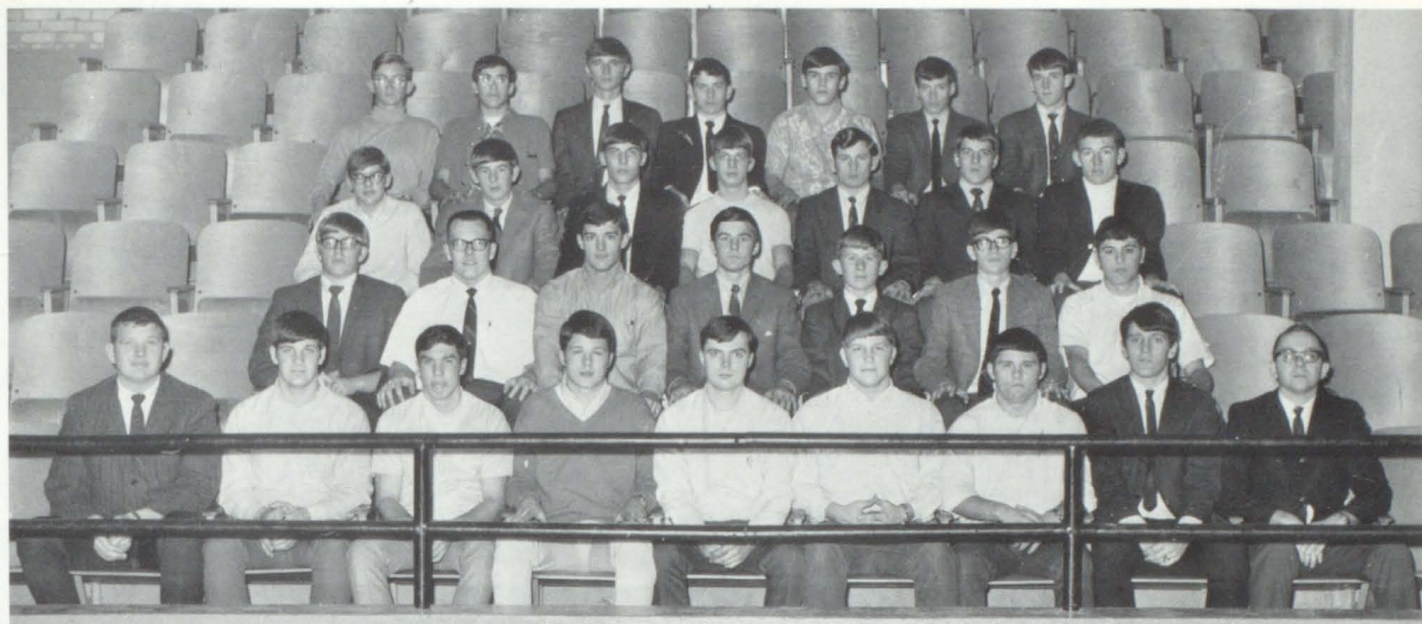


Proud Trophy Winners!!

Officers: President - Ron Lamb, Vice-President - Bill Rudy, Secretary - Doug Riffell, Treasurer - John Weikert.



Such Enthusiasm!!!



FIRST ROW: Mr. Tisdale, B. Apple, B. Clark, B. Rudy, J. Longedelpher, M. Robinett, T. Swallow, H. Stevenson, Mr. Bollenbacher. SECOND ROW: B. Zimmerlin, K. Warner, J. Weikert, B. Barker, M. Stacy, R. Huffman, M. Benedict. THIRD ROW: J. Whitman, P. Minnich, G. Meyer, R. Apwisch, E. Shilt, R. Frantz, E. Hartly. FOURTH ROW: B. Phillis, M. Clark, B. Wilhelm, S. Stacy, T. Hecker, M. Manson, D. Sweigert.

## *LETTERMEN OF VARSITY C EARN FUNDS*

The Varsity C was a busy club this 1968-69 year. The members consist of boys who have lettered in some sport and wish to join. Lucky for pledges initiation was discontinued this year. These lettermen ran a faithful coat check at home basketball games and made additional money selling concessions at the Mad River Valley track meet. Those hard earned funds were contributed to the Athletic fund, helping to purchase a projector to show films.



Advisor - Mr. Tisdale, Sergeant-at-Arms - Bill Apple, Secretary-Treasurer - Bill Rudy, Vice-president - John Weikert, President - Terry Swallow, Advisor - Mr. Bollenbacher.



They participate in everything!

# HOW THE CHORUS HAS GROWN!!



. Our Fearless Leader!!

Not only has the Covington High Chorus grown from last year's fifty-three members to this year's seventy-three, but, also, added was the Girls Chorus, and the Men's Glee Club. The Girl's chorus, received a II at District contest, while the larger chorus received a I at District. Proudly, the chorus of Covington traveled to State contest for the very first time and received a high II rating. Unfortunately, the boys couldn't attend contest for lack of time to practice, but they performed superbly on several other occasions.

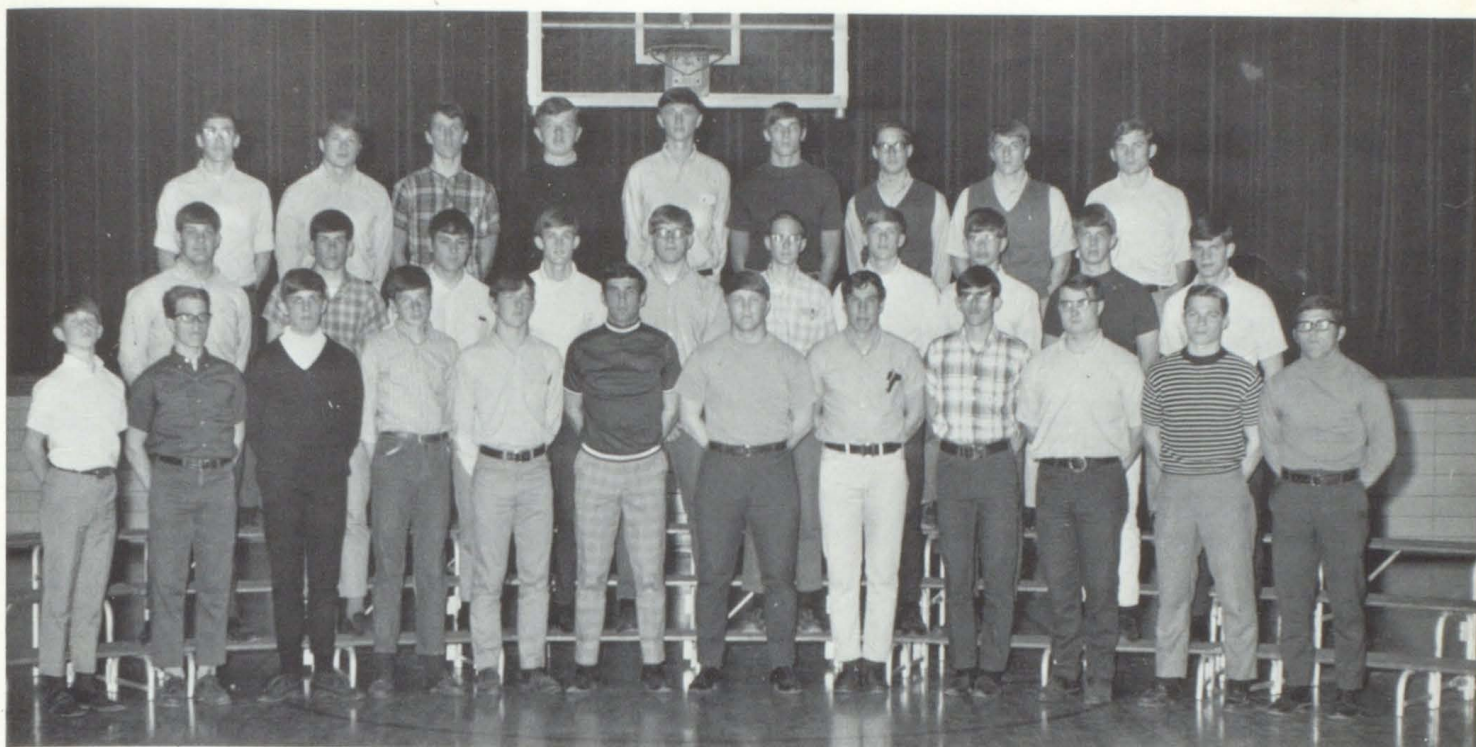
Special recognition goes to the students who attended Solo and Ensemble contest. Using the old CHS talent, they proudly proved that Covington has

number one students in Chorus. Full of pride, they brought home a large amount of highly deserved I's and II's, and a few III's. All together a most successful day.

All together the Choruses have succeeded in one of the most successful years Covington has ever seen, or heard. But as all good things must come to a delightful end, a big shing ding was thrown at the Canedy residence with plenty of food, dancing, and fun for all.



FIRST ROW: V. Busby, K. Campbell, C. Carine, H. Sink, M. Weikert, D. Wise, T. Daniel, V. Cohee, K. Phillis, B. Parker, D. Myers, B. Williams, C. Finrock, L. Catterlin, G. Parker, K. Kreitzer, S. Baker, N. Miller, Mrs. Canedy. SECOND ROW: C. Molher, D. Brant, T. Shearer, C. Gearhardt, K. Besecker, J. Roecker, M. Cook, C. DeMoss, A. Subler, C. Apwisch, P. Asher, D. Batson, S. Longenecker, B. Beaver, K. Langston, C. Holmes, D. Petry, L. Garber. THIRD ROW: D. Garber, M. Paff, S. Kellar, K. Crist, B. Clippinger, S. Johnson, D. Kellar, L. Sill, D. Anthony, W. Garber, M. Fisher, V. Moist, S. Leistner, D. Holmes, C. Bridges, B. Huffman, L. Gearhardt, T. Canedy. LAST ROW: D. Clark, B. Zimmerlin, P. Sarver, S. Shilt, T. Stanbaugh, S. Sarver, H. Stevenson, B. Graves, B. Wilhelm, L. Weikert, G. Meyer, B. Rudy, R. Frantz, M. Clark, R. Apwisch, B. Apple, F. Kenworthy.



FIRST ROW: D. Myers, L. Garber, T. Lavy, G. Manson, S. Forsythe, R. Lamb, M. Robinett, B. Clark, M. Duff, J. Earick, D. Garber, T. Swallow. SECOND ROW: B. Apple, T. Dunn, M. Benedict, M. Fullerton, B. Zimmerlin, P. Sarver, S. Dull, M. Beaver, R. Apwisch, F. Kenworthy. THIRD ROW: M. Clark, B. Rudy, H. Stevenson, B. Graves, B. Wilhelm, G. Meyer, S. Sarver, R. Frantz, E. Shilt.

## *MEN'S GLEE CLUB*



FIRST ROW: K. Angle, C. Doty, C. Shoffner, D. Brinkman, D. Parks, J. Rumble, A. Landes, R. Porter, M. Rogers, C. Snider, C. Yingst, Mrs. D. Canedy. SECOND ROW: C. Sink, T. Feeser, D. Holmes, T. Barker, A. Wackler, P. Vogler, M. Trostel, J. Powell, L. Tyler, B. Boggs, M. Schultz.

## *GIRLS CHORUS*



SEATED: K. Angle, L. Schimdt, N. Miller, C. Angle, J. Rosengarten, K. Manson, H. Sink, N. Burns.  
SECOND ROW: M. Rogers, C. Mohler, G. Parker, O. Bagwell, J. Bagwell, B. Parker, S. Kiser, K. Kreitzer, P. Richard. THIRD ROW: Mrs. Mutzner, D. Batson, B. Landes, C. Batdorf, M. Fisher, B. Beisel, J. Rumble, C. Sink, C. Richard, N. Abshire, A. Landes.



F.H.A. officers - FRONT ROW: M. Rogers, K. Angle, H. Sink, C. Sink.  
BACK ROW: Mrs. Mutzner, B. Landes, M. Fisher, A. Landes, L. Schimdt, J. Rosengarten.



*F.H.A.*

Twenty-seven F.H.A. enjoyed a rewarding year. For a good start, the chapter received high ratings at fair. They achieved first place for their booth with the title, "F.H.A. Encourages Happiness." Included in the judging was a style show. With competition of thirty-two Miami County High School girls, Marlene Fisher rated first and Jane Rumble third. This year's new addition is a banquet and a Senior King, along with the regular activities of bake sales, Christmas caroling, and writing letters to G.I's in Vietnam.



F.H.A. Backs the BUCGS!!!



Congratulations Marlene!



FIRST ROW: Mr. O'Diam, F. Kenworthy, D. Landes, D. Fisher, K. Rogers, D. Sink, T. Hecker. SECOND ROW: M. Kelly, K. Stanbaugh, T. Lavy, B. Siler, W. Sink, W. Garber, L. Garber, L. Shoffner, K. Angle, R. Brinkman, S. Taylor. THIRD ROW: J. Taylor, T. Stanbaugh, L. Fisher, J. Angle, D. White, S. Oakes, B. Apple, B. Wills, G. Mullennix. FOURTH ROW: R. Lyons, J. Taylor, H. Whintrow, P. Boyd, S. Samson, C. Rogers, D. Burgess, L. Brown, J. Rumble, D. Robinson, B. Bashore, J. Davis, D. Robinson, L. Gearhardt.

## AGGIES STRIKE AGAIN!!



BRENDA HUFFMAN -  
FFA Queen



DON FISHER  
State Farmer

The Future Farmers of America spent a lot of time farming on the FFA farm. Luckily they found time to enter many contests, such as: livestock judging, soil judging, public speaking, and tractor troubleshooting.

Naturally, such hard working boys need, deserve, and want a vacation, so one time they went camping in Michigan.



Treasurer - F. Kenworthy, President - D. Landes, Sentinel - T. Hecker, Vice-president - D. Fisher, Reporter - D. Sink, absent, Secretary - R. Rogers.



FIRST ROW: Miss Trost, M. Palsgrove, T. Manson, C. Kauffman, T. Thompson, M. Wilson, N. Besecker, S. Stacy, K. Canedy. SECOND ROW: A. Wackler, L. Smidt, M. Fisher, C. Doty, R. Porter, C. Mohler, M. Rogers, D. Pearson, C. Martin. THIRD ROW: A. Subler, D. Brinkman, S. Yingst, M. Schultz, M. Trostel, A. Landes, B. Boggs, T. Feeser, C. Snider, D. Jones. FOURTH ROW: K. Langston, S. Leistner, D. Cornor, B. Huffman, M. Fisher, C. Carine, L. Filburn, J. Routzan, J. Roecker, J. Berryhill, B. Beaver, V. Moist. FIFTH ROW: S. Johnson, C. Gearhardt, V. Petry, D. Ganger, B. Clippenger, M. Heintz, B. Landes, S. Wing, S. Engle, M. Cornor, C. Batdorf, L. Catterlin. Absent Jane Rumble.

## BUSY TRI-HI-Y GIRLS

Tri-Hi-Y began with a cheery picnic at the United Church of Christ. Powderpuff consisted of a rough and tuff struggle at which the Seniors arose the victors. At Christmas the girls merrily serenaded the shut-ins. With good spirit, they stuffed themselves and their families at the Parent's Banquet. Early in spring, they entertained their mothers with an original style show at

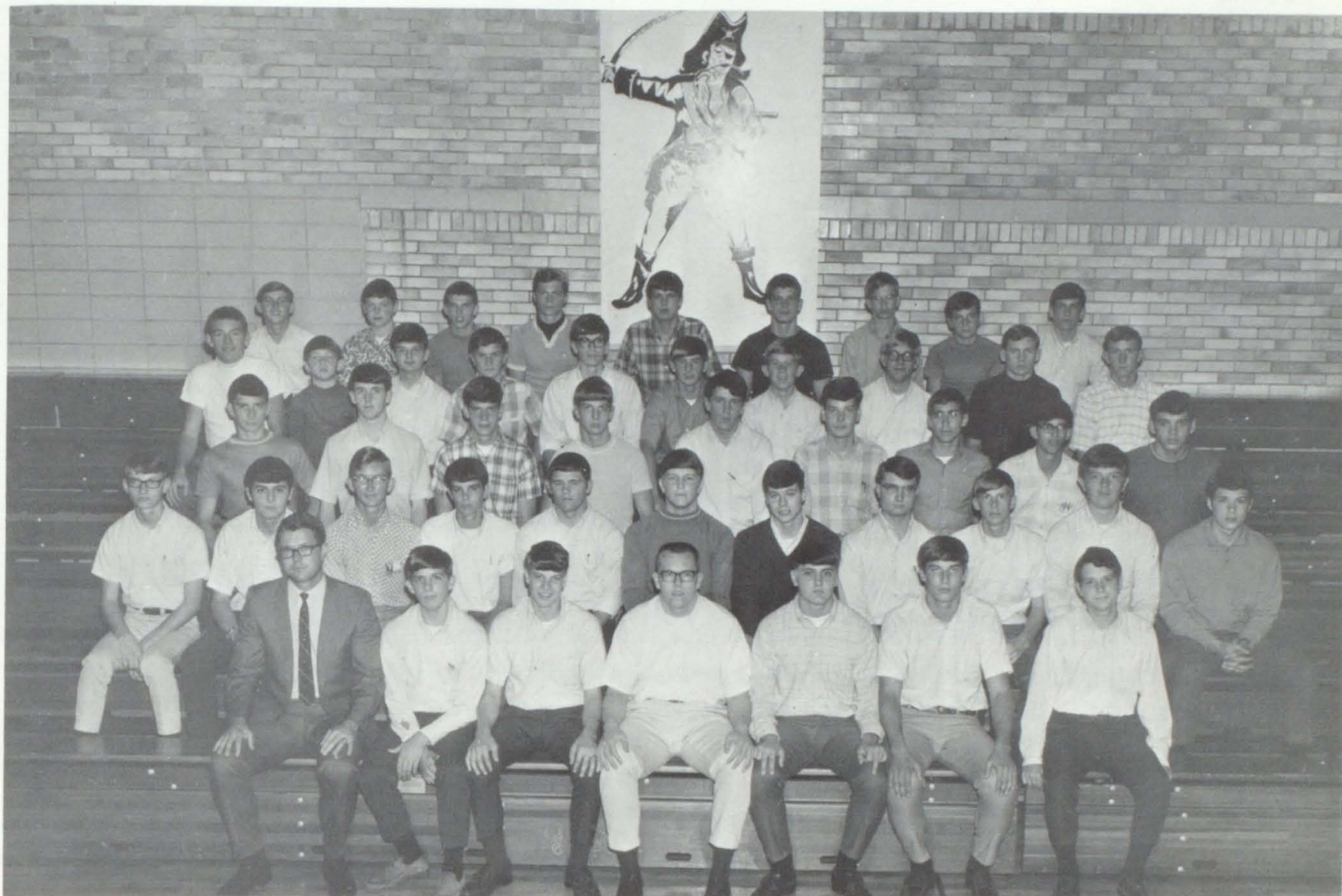


Tri-Hi-Y decorates car!!

the annual Mother's Tea. Traditionally the club closed for the year with home-made corsages and plenty of meat and drink at the Senior Farewell.

Advisor - Miss Trost, President - Kysa Canedy, Vice-president - Sue Leistner, Chaplain - Connie Gearhardt, Assistant Chaplain - Kris Langston, Secretary - Denise Cornor, Treasurer - Brenda Huffman.





FRONT ROW, left to right: Mr. Stockland, T. Lavy, D. Fisher, K. Warner, B. Benedict, G. Meyer, T. Canedy. SECOND ROW: D. Riffell, M. Benedict, B. Phillis, D. Smith, T. Swallow, M. Robinett, D. Longenecker, J. Earick, S. Dull, B. Graves, B. Rudy. THIRD ROW: S. Stacy, D. Sweigart, F. Kenworthy, R. Apwisch, H. Stevenson, L. Weikert, M. Clark, M. Duff, T. Stambaugh. FOURTH ROW: E. Hartley, D. Meyers, D. Blankenship, J. Sink, R. Huffman, L. Minnich, M. Stacy, B. Zimmerlin, E. Shilt, K. Rodgers. FIFTH ROW: K. Angle, L. Gearhardt, D. Cain, D. Garber, D. Wills, D. Stacy, M. Beaver, G. Manson, T. Dunn.

## BUSY HI-Y BOYS



Hi-Y officers: Tod Canedy, Keith Warner, Bob Benedict, Don Fisher, Terry Lavy, Gary Meyer.

The annual Bucc boosting bonfire was honored with TWO out-houses, donated along with a gigantic pile of rubbish by the Hi-Y. The spirit of CHS was kept up by an exciting dance sponsored by the Hi-Y boys. The boys, along with their inspiring advisor, Mr. Stockland, revised their constitution and made this year a lively and successful one for their organization.



Going to Homecoming that way, Bill?



FRONT ROW: K. Langston, S. Taylor, S. Garman, D. Ganger, V. Moist, M. Paff. SECOND ROW: K. Phillis, C. Fin-frock, K. Campbell, M. Schultz, A. Wackler, B. Minnich, S. Leistner, C. Gearhardt, R. Emery. THIRD ROW: T. Daniels, C. Hecker, K. Holmes, D. Wise, B. Wilhelm, D. Pearson, B. Huffman, C. Spillers, J. Davis, K. Canedy, C. Rhoades, A. Speer. BACK ROW: T. Gibboney, D. Powell, D. Hathaway.

## COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Marching band season began with a BOOM and a BANG at Sabina Band Camp. Good times continued through ten successful football games, and ten victory marches. A wonderful event took place at Fairborn, in which our talented band brought home a beautiful fourth place trophy. The 1968 season was ended with a party for marching band members. And then, everyone turned their thoughts from marching band to concert band.



Band Council, top to bottom: B. Beaver, C. Gearhardt, B. Phillis, B. Wilhelm, C. Kauffman, K. Langston, T. Canedy, R. Emery, D. Powell, S. Taylor, D. Ganger, V. Petry.



BOB WILHELM



Majorettes, left to right: N. Besecker, K. Phillis, B. Clippinger, C. Gearhardt.



FRONT ROW: C. Apwisch, B. Williams, S. Longenecker, S. Johnson, N. Besecker. SECOND ROW: M. Cook, D. Cornor, C. Kauffman, B. Boggs, D. Petry, C. Meadows, V. Earick, M. Clark, A. Subler. THIRD ROW: B. Zimmerlin, L. Carney, T. Stanbaugh, D. Holmes, K. Besecker, L. Smith, D. Anthony, J. Frantz, B. Phillis, B. Beaver. Absent K. Warner.

## BAND IN ACTION!!

After blasting their way through marching band, it was difficult to settle down to the softer music of concert band. Never fear, Mr. D. Jenkins came to the rescue. The band successfully performed before the student body for their first concert. This was followed by plenty of hard practice during fifth period, three times a week. Hard practice was necessary to prepare the concert band for a spring concert and district contest.



Majorettes  
in  
Action



Band camp in action!!!



CHS fight song in action!!!



Covington Marching Band in action!!!



FIRST ROW: S. Taylor, K. Angle, M. Stacy, M. Weikert, S. Longenecker, T. Canedy. SECOND ROW: C. Gearhardt, V. Moist, M. Cook, D. Brinkman, A. Subler, B. Clippinger. THIRD ROW: Mr. D. Garman, Miss D. Trost, J. Weikert, R. Huffman, F. Kenworthy, B. Zimmerlin, M. Palsgrove.

## *A BUSY STUDENT COUNCIL*

Student Council membership increased one member for each class for the 1968-69 year. Their important activities consisted of Homecoming, Boosting spirit for basketball and football boys, and approving student activities such as dances, bake sales, and other fund raising activities. They ended the year with plans for a folder to be given to students at the beginning of each year containing basic rules and regulations and other necessary items that students need to know at CHS.



LEFT TO RIGHT: F. Kenworthy - Treasurer, Miss Trost - Advisor, K. Angle - Vice-president, C. Gearhardt - Secretary, Mr. Garman - Advisor, J. Weikert - president.



FIRST ROW: Mrs. Tisdale, B. Beaver, P. Cronaberry, C. Langston, J. Brant. SEC-  
OND ROW: B. Huffman, M. Boggs, C. Kauffman, C. Gearhardt, C. Spillers. THIRD  
ROW: D. Landes, M. Robinett, B. Phillis, L. Carney, B. Rudy, R. Lamb, J. Weikert.  
Absent D. Fisher.

## 17 HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERS

Grade average, recommendation of teachers, participation in school and extra curricular activities, are considered in appointing students to the Honor Society of CHS. To remain a member, students must maintain their high point average and good standing as a person.



Old members start the show.



FIRST ROW: S. Leaper, D. Sirch, D. Brant, K. Kreitser, K. Besecker, R. Brubaker, P. Richards, C. Doty, T. Gibboney, D. Garber. SECOND ROW: R. Hesson, D. Kellar, M. Trostel, D. Parks, C. Richards, J. Rumble, W. Sink, C. Martin, C. Sink, L. Filburn, J. Frantz. THIRD ROW: C. DeMoss, C. Shoffner, B. Wirrig, B. Phillis, B. Clark, M. Clark, L. Crist, M. Boggs, M. Thomas. FOURTH ROW: R. Hesson, C. Hardenbrook, L. Weikert, M. Fullerton, D. VanTilberg.

## SCIENCE CLUB ORGANIZES SCIENCE FAIR



FIRST ROW: Vice-president - L. Filburn, President - R. Hesson. SECOND ROW: Treasurer - S. Leper, Representative - D. Sirch, Secretary - M. Boggs.

Who else could organize the High School Science Fair but those mad scientists of the Covington Science club? Although the Science fair took a great deal of their time, they managed many other scientific trips and listened to enjoyable speakers at their meetings. Also, the club enjoyed the company of their new advisor, Mr. Peterson.





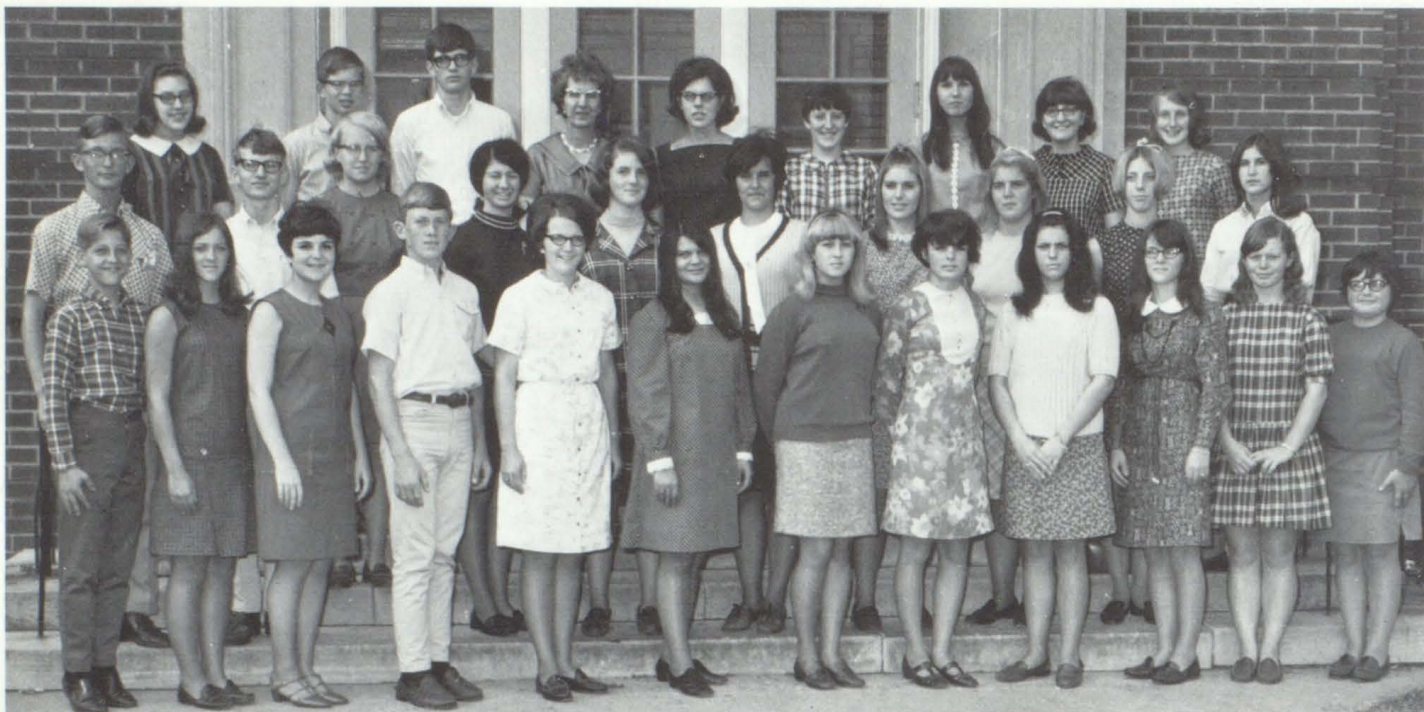
FIRST ROW: M. Stacy, L. Hensler, B. Beaver, D. Petry, S. Longenecker, C. Apwisch, K. Langston, D. Brinkman, C. Yingst, S. Leper. SECOND ROW: C. Sink, L. Crist, J. Roecker, M. Boggs, C. Gearhardt, J. Mengers, M. Thomas, D. Corner, C. Kauffman, R. Hesson, J. Frantz. THIRD ROW: E. Shilt, R. Frantz, R. Lamb, G. Meyer, M. Benedict, M. Clark, L. Carney.

## *C.H.S. STUDENTS RANK IN STATE*

Each spring, a group of students from each course take the preliminary scholarship test at school. The two top students from each subject then participate in the scholarship test at Piqua Central High School. The scores are then rated with the other top students in the state of Ohio. These students then receive certificates stating their position in the state. We have every reason to be proud of these outstanding students, not every one rated in the state, but they did their best in representing Covington High School.



Just one outstanding student!



FIRST ROW: S. Taylor, C. Yingst, K. Canedy, M. Stacy, B. Beaver, K. Angle, C. Doty, H. Sink, K. Manson, J. Berryhill, S. Forsythe, N. Miller. SECOND ROW: B. Phillis, D. Riffell, E. O'Diam, S. Johnson, C. Adams, B. Boggs, J. Rumble, D. Peason, D. Holmes, C. Molher. THIRD ROW: J. Powell, M. Beaver, R. Huffman, Miss Trost, A. Wackler, B. Minnich, B. Biesel, S. Houck, C. Gearhardt.

## *A PROMISING FUTURE*



Advisor - Miss Trost, President - Beverly Beaver, Vice-President - Steph Johnson, Secretary-Treasurer - Connie Gearhardt, Historian - Kysa Canedy.

Who's TNT?? Top Notch Teachers, who have reformed from Future Teachers of America. They are Dynamite.

This years activities included a banquet for themselves followed by Christmas caroling to shut-ins. Coffee breaks for our deserving teachers, student teaching to the delight of the junior high, and concluding this years round of activities with a Senior Farewell. A busy year for a new club with promise for many more successful years.



TNT members caught unaware!!



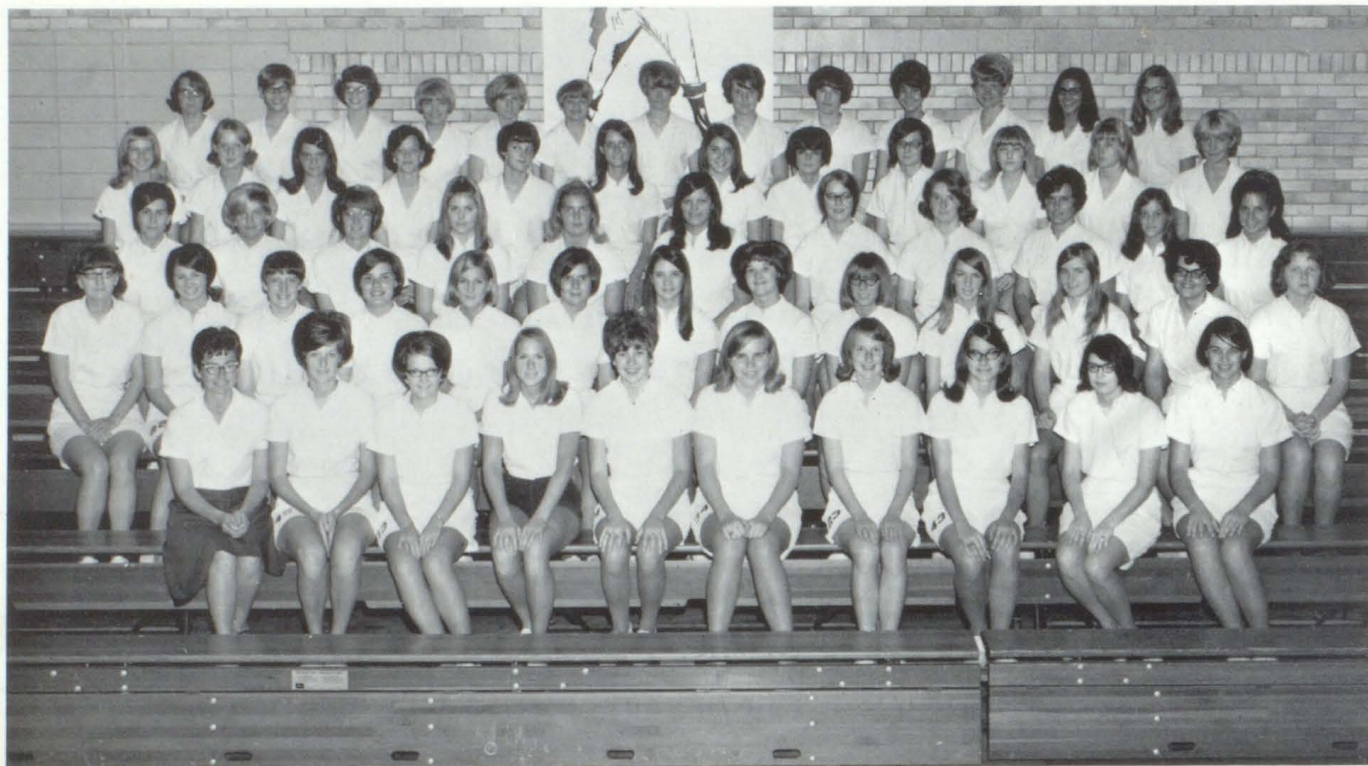
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 aberry. THIRD ROW: M. Heintz, C. Batdorf, B. Burkett, C. Jones, L. Filburn, S. Houck, Advisor -  
 Mrs. Hurd.

## OUR NEW CLUB — F.S.A.

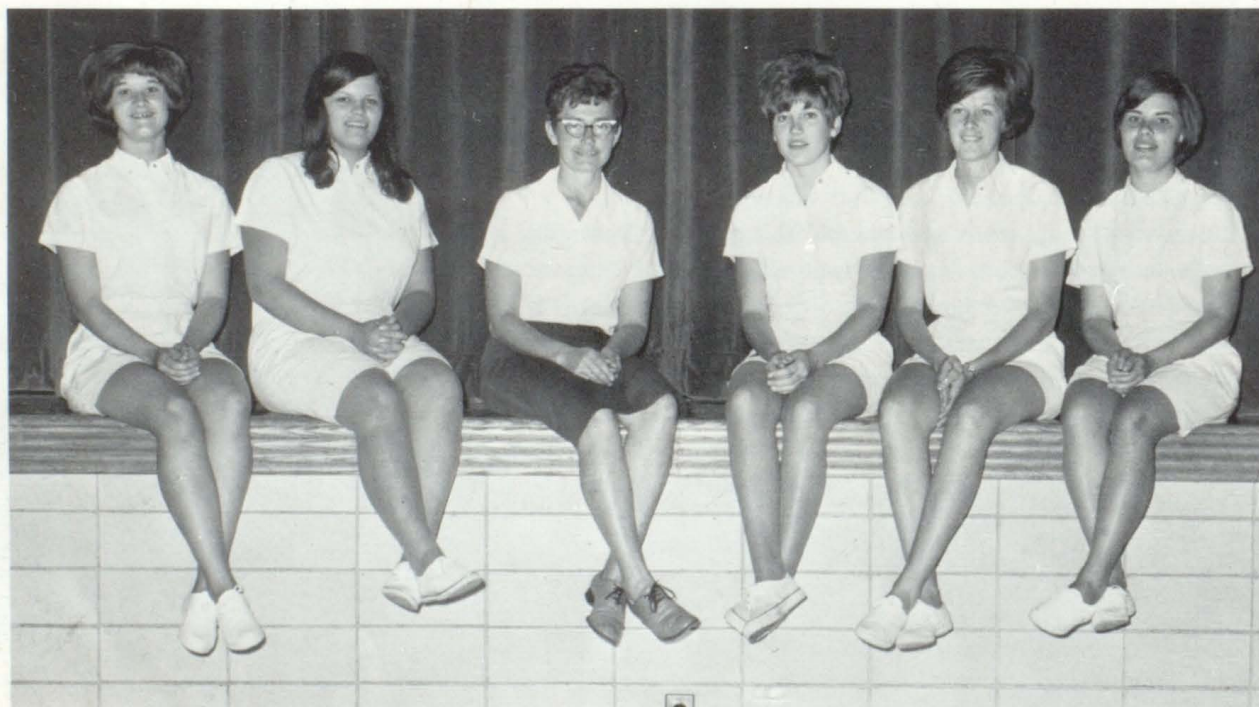
Among the many new clubs formed this year at Covington High is the Future Secretaries Association (FSA). The organization is comprised of junior and senior Business Office Education (BOE) girls, and was organized to provide an opportunity for youth leadership and help develop maturity in today's business world. The Covington Chapter is sponsored by the National Secretaries Association which is an international organization.

President - Bonita Landes, Vice-President - Paulette Chronaberry, Recording secretary - Vicki Petry, Correspondence secretary - Chris Jones, Treasurer - Sandy Weng.





FIRST ROW: Mrs. Dewey, T. Manson, B. Beaver, D. Cornor, V. Moist, M. Palsgrove, C. Gearhardt, C. Kauffman, M. Boggs, C. Spillers. SECOND ROW: S. Houck, S. Johnson, B. Minnich, K. Langston, M. Cornor, D. Ganger, S. Leistner, B. Clippinger, M. Heintz, L. Filburn, J. Roecker, B. Bogler, S. Garman. THIRD ROW: B. Wirrig, C. Shoffner, C. DeMoss, J. Rumble, D. Pearson, C. Sink, L. Crist, C. Adams, B. Boggs, C. Yingst, D. Brinkman. FOURTH ROW: C. Apwisch, P. Asher, B. Williams, K. Holmes, L. Sill, M. Schultz, M. Rogers, H. Sink, R. Porter, C. Doty, R. Hesson, J. Moist, D. Kellar, T. Shearer, M. Cook, S. Longenecker, K. Besecker.



Vice-President - Betsy Clippinger, Secretary - Carol Sink, Advisor - Mrs. Dewey, President - Vicky Moist, Treasurer - Tonya Manson, Reporter, Kris Langston.

## *G.A.A. IN ACTION*

The girls began the 1968-69 athletic season with the annual tiring hike and fatting picnic. Besides the schedule of volleyball, basketball, and track, the girls sold black and white spirit pins to back the BUCCS, and then sold delicious refreshments at the Invitational Track Meet. But of course the big events are the girls in ACTION -

# G.A.A.



Two stars in action? HA!!



Gunner Palsgrove



Faithful Gym Suit!!



We Try Harder.



Some of the Girls resting for a Game??



Go BERTIE Go!!



Well HI Cindy!



What's the attraction girls??



Still Smiling!!!

# MORE MEMORABLE MOMENTS



And they continued playing in concert!



What did I get this for???



I bet they got the strongest lips in town!



Everybody still had spirit at Homecoming.



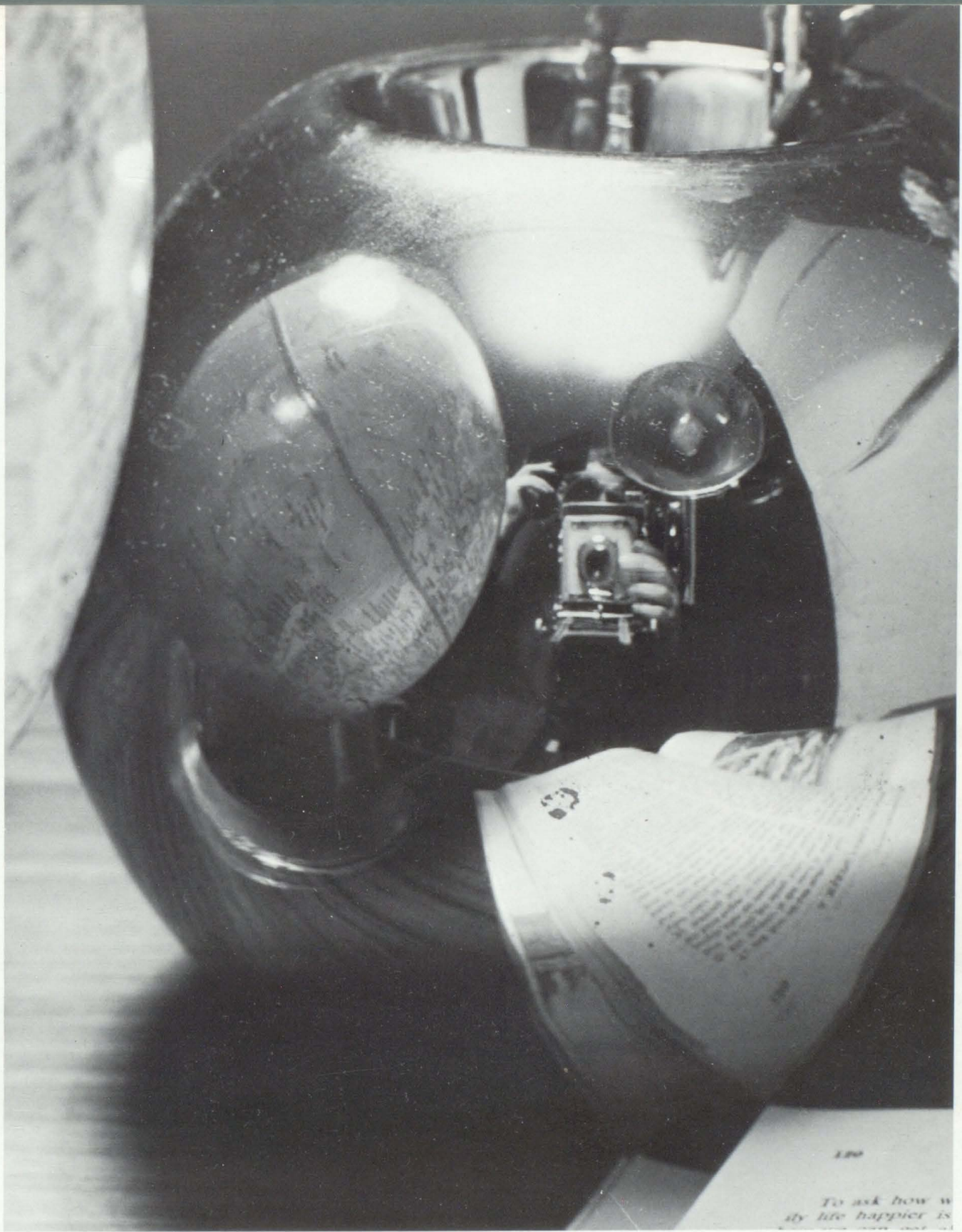
Pearson gets improved!



Don't they ever stop playing?



Two typical camera HOGS!!



## ACTIVITIES



1968 HOMECOMING QUEEN  
Miss Kay Angle

## *HOMECOMING 1968*



Miss Kay Angle



Miss Denise Cornor



Miss Brenda Huffman

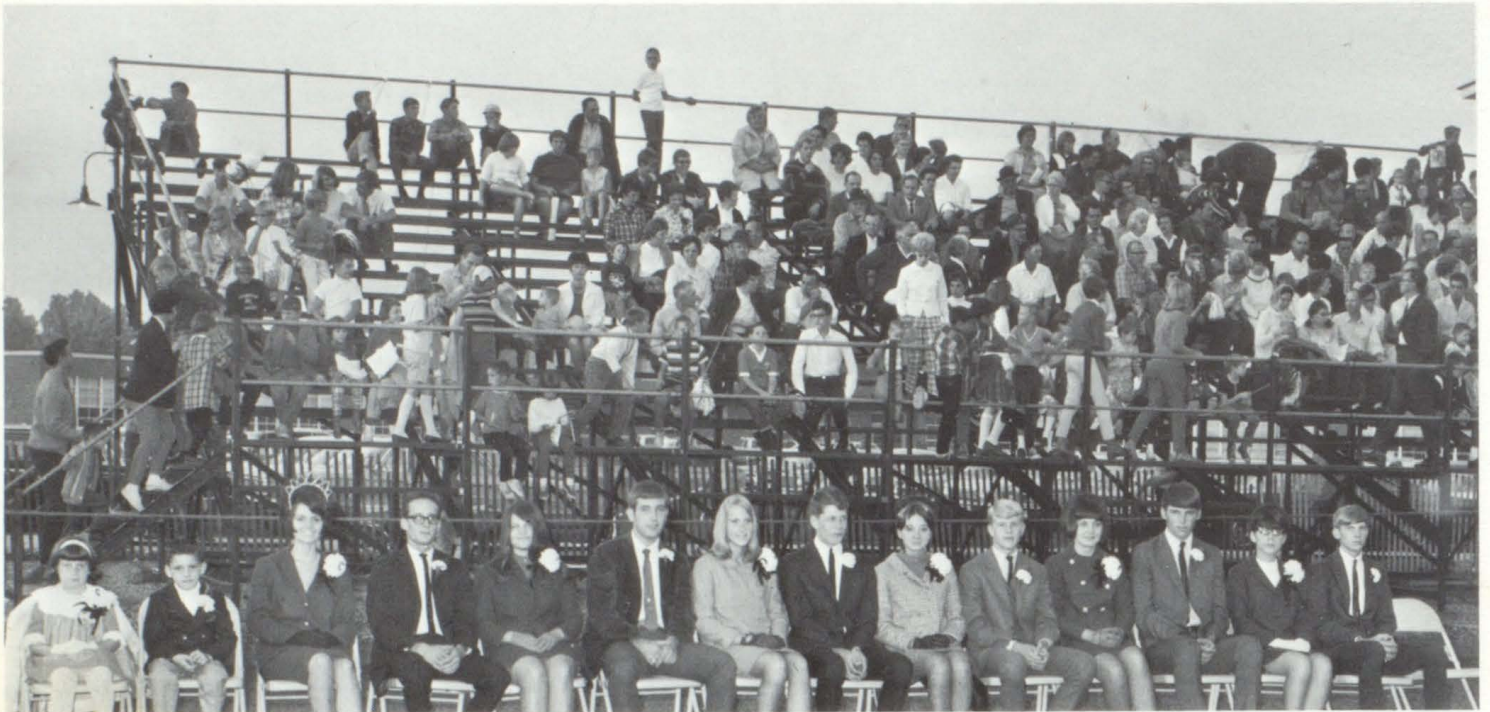
## *HOMECOMING CANDIDATES*



Miss Tonda Thompson



Miss Mary Wilson



From left to right: Bonnie Subler, Jim Rench, Shirlee Badgley, Dave Badgley, Kay Angle, Bob McDaniels, Denise Cornor, Daryl Landis, Brenda Huffman, John Feeser, Tonda Thompson, and Steve Elefritz, Mary Wilson, and Steve Dull.



Kay expresses tears of joy and happiness after being named 1968 Homecoming Queen.



Congratulations kiss!



Candidates ride in Parade.

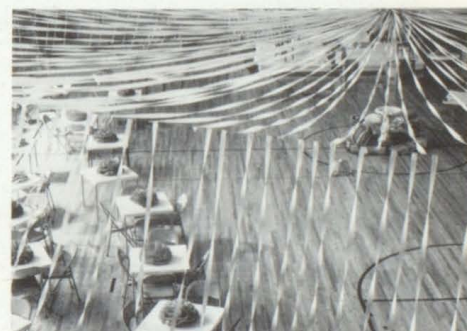


Queen Kay and escort Bob.



Queen and Court, left to right: Mary Wilson, Brenda Huffman, Queen Kay, Denise Cornor, and Tonda Thompson.

September 20, 1968, was the perfect Homecoming! The mighty Buccs tromped Northwestern 54-14, and the evening was cool and fair. Many attended the dance which featured "The Kingsmen." The theme was the "Garden of Queens" with the gym decorated in green and yellow. Those attending grabbed souvenirs before leaving the dance before 1:00. The 1968 Homecoming became history at Covington High School.



Decorations of the dance.



First graders make homecoming a success.

Queen and her court begin first dance.



# SENIOR CLASS PLAY



Bobbette! You're gorgeous!

The neighborhood tomgirl, Bobbette Braddock, is the Dirty Dozen's famed goal kicker. Her mother is very worried about her daughter because she doesn't take an interest in dating and pretty dresses. Miss Blodget, Bobbette's kind and understanding home economics teacher, talks to Bobbette and changes her attitude toward boys and other feminine interests. Bobbette changes from an unruly tomgirl to a poised young lady.



My, oh, my! MUSH!



Baby, I've got you in sight!



Don't you just love my dress?



Tomorrow is St. Valentine's Day!



Play Cast, ROW 1, l. to r: Miss Trost, John Earick, Daryl Landes, Deb Gibboney, Jo Brant, Rita Speer, Mary Fergus, Jayne Fischer, Kay Angle, Vicky Moist, Tonda Thompson, Helen Lambroff, Denise Cornor, and Ron Lamb. ROW 2, l to r: Dave Longenecker, Don Fisher, Dave Sink, Kysa Canedy, Mike Benedict, Beverly Beaver, Steve Dull, Connie Gearhardt, Connie Kauffman, Mike Robinett, Brenda Huffman, and Doug Riffel.

Robert Braddock-	-----	Mike Robinett
June Braddock-	-----	Beverly Beaver
Bobbette Braddock-	-----	Kysa Canedy
Miss Blodget-	-----	Kay Angle
Mrs. Washington-	-----	Vicky Moist
Socko-	-----	Mike Benedict
Hank-	-----	Steve Dull
Chuck-	-----	Ron Lamb
Ophelia-	-----	Connie Gearhardt
Willy-	-----	Doug Riffel
mrs. Stockdale-	-----	Tonda Thompson
Mrs. Clarence-	-----	Brenda Huffman
Mrs. Poo-	-----	Connie Kauffman
Freda Fisher-	-----	Denise Cornor
Squint-	-----	John Earick

#### CREW

ROW 1, l to r: Rick Hesson, Marilyn Palsgrove, Nancy Besecker, Marna Boggs, Olive Bagwell, Dave Adams, Bob Graves, Lee Carney.  
ROW 2, l to r: John Earick, Jayne Fischer, Tonya Manson, Mary Fergus, Mary Wilson, Vicki Petry, Jerry Longendelpher.



## "GIRL CRAZY"



Members of the cast were, left to right, ROW 1: Ann Subler, Betsy Clippinger, Kris Langston, Sue Lesitner, Steph Johnson, Sherri Beaver, Sally Ingle, Marilyn Cornor, Bonita Landes, Carolyn Richard, Cathy Carine, Charlotte Mohler. ROW 2, left to right: Todd Canedy, Rick Frantz, Ron Apwisch, Bob Wilhelm, Guy Shumaker, Mike Clark, Jim Hague, Gary Meyer, Fred Kenworthy, Bill Apple, Herb Stevenson, and Terry Lavy. The play was directed by Miss Trost.

### CHARACTERS

Sam- - - - -	- Rick Frantz
Jake- - - - -	- Guy Shumaker
Danny- - - - -	- Bob Benedict
Louie- - - - -	- Mike Clark
Cactus- - - - -	- Kenny Rogers
Lucky- - - - -	- Ron Apwisch
Pete- - - - -	- Todd Canedy
Lank- - - - -	- Terry Lavy
Molly- - - - -	- Stephanie Johnson
Rose- - - - -	- Sherri Beaver
Tess- - - - -	- Ann Subler
Betty- - - - -	- Betsy Clippinger
Janet- - - - -	- Kris Langston
Laura- - - - -	- Kathy Carine
Sally- - - - -	- Sue Leistner
Babs- - - - -	- Charlotte Mohler
Eaglerock- - - - -	- Bill Apple
Lt. Caddigan- - - - -	- Jim Hague
Extra Couples- - - - -	- Fred Kenworthy, Gary Meyer
	- Bob Wilhelm, Herb Stevenson
	- Jeanette Rosengarten, Bonita Landes
	- Marilyn Cornor, Carolyn Richard
	- Sally Ingle, Tim Stambaugh, Caller



Danny and Molly anticipate the future.

## PLAY CREW



ROW 1, 1 to r: Janet Lynn, Nancy Miller, Marilyn Fisher, Linda Catterlin, Janet Routson, Judy Roecker, La Donna Filbrun, Diane Holmes, Becky Minnich, Sandy Weng. ROW 2, 1 to r: Bobbie Beisel, Chris Jones, Charlene Batdorf, Kathy Leach, Marie Heintz, Bob Wright, Gary Root, Jim Magee, Bob Wilhelm, and Randy Sherwood.



A friendly chat before the attack.

On March 14, 1969, the Junior class presented a western play called "Girl Crazy."

Danny, a wealthy bachelor from New York, became sick of the city life and went out west to start a dude ranch. He had always thought that he could get any girl he wanted - and the ranch mail girl, Molly, seemed to catch his eye. But she also seemed to catch Sam's eye who also came to the ranch from New York. Sam had been a long time enemy of Danny's because he had stolen his girl. But Molly decides that Danny is the one for her.



Since when did cowboys take up hide 'n seek ???



Couples square dance.

# JUNIOR AND SENIOR PROM

## "AROUND THE WORLD"



President Fred Kenworthy welcomed seniors and guests and introduced the program.



Mike Clark gave the last will and testimony of the Seniors.



Marie Heintz prophesied the future years of the seniors.



The program was highlighted by a skit in which a king, Terry Lavy, saved his country when some very important paper was found.



Diane Ganger, Diane Holmes, Judy Roecker, Kris Langston, Sue Leister, Anne Subler, and Steph Johnson entertained guests with "Up, Up, and Away."

## FOOD AND FUN



Sun Yatsen and Cho Mung serve the drink.



Cho Mung brings on more drink.



Table is set - but where's all the food!



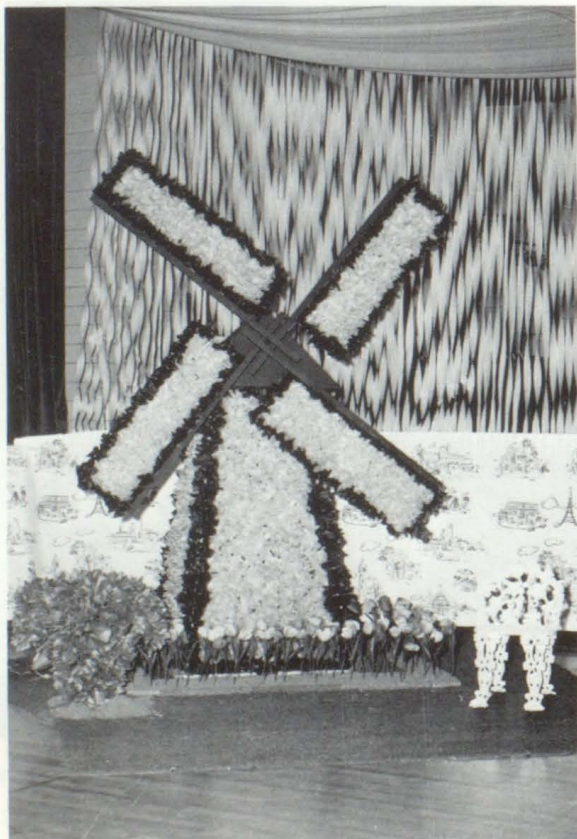
Parents and students alike work hard to get tables prepared.



One was able to visit London to see Big Ben.



Another corner took you to Paris to see the Eiffel Tower.



Couples visited Holland and picked tulips by the windmill.



Couples received refreshments at China.



Teachers as well as students were "carried away" by the gigantic balloon that landed at the entrance.



Couples thought that they could dance all night, but ...



Music was provided by the Johnny McCoy Orchestra.



Mr. and Mrs. Canedy enjoyed the dance around the world.



found they had to rest awhile.

On the evening of May 16, 1969, the Junior class presented the Junior and Senior Banquet and Prom decorated around the delightful theme "Around the World." Following the banquet which was held in the Elementary gym, couples entered the high school gym which was decorated as London, Holland, Paris, and China, and enjoyed an evening of dancing with music provided by the Johnny McCoy Orchestra. Following the dance, guests continued the evening by playing basketball, pingpong, by dancing and by partaking of the other features offered at the Piqua YMCA.

## OFFICE ASSISTANTS



LEFT TO RIGHT: Marilyn Palsgrove, Sue Leistner, Olive Bagwell, Marna Boggs, Kay Angle, Carole Spillers, Mary Wilson, and Helen Lambroff. Seated at desk is secretary, Mrs. Sweigart.

First period-	- - - - -	- Marna Boggs
Second period-	- - - - -	- Marilyn Palsgrove
Third period-	- - - - -	- Carole Spillers
Fourth period-	- - - - -	- Olive Bagwell
Fifth period-	- - - - -	- Kay Angle
Sixth period-	- - - - -	- Helen Lambroff
Seventh period-	- - - - -	- Sue Leistner
Eighth period-	- - - - -	- Mary Wilson

Office girls lend a helping hand to Mrs. Sweigart and to Mr. Irvin. Their duties extend anywhere from collecting attendance slips to stapling papers. They also run errands, gather the mail, and do any odd jobs that they are capable of doing.

## LIBRARIANS



LEFT TO RIGHT: Marilyn Fisher, Debbie Sirch, Mary Rogers, Jo Ann Powell, Cindy Martin, Evonne Chronaberry, Paulette Chronaberry, Vicki Cohee, and Mrs. Brown.

Have you ever imagined what it would be like to go into the school library and try to look for a book without the assistance of a student librarian? One really doesn't realize how important these librarians are to you until one isn't there to assist you when you need help. These librarians help you find the books and information you need to do those long term papers. They help shelve books, check out books, and give fines for those books that are overdue. These student librarians attend summer classes for instruction in library duties.

## C.H.S. STUDENTS EARN



Ron Lamb and John Weikert, delegates to Buckeye Boy's State.

Buckeye Girl's State also convened in June. Connie Gearhardt and Connie Kauffman were delegates chosen by the Covington Women's Legion Auxiliary. They learned governmental procedures and met many people.

Connie Gearhardt and Connie Kauffman, delegates to Buckeye Girl's State.

In June, Ron Lamb and John Weikert attended Boy's State for a week in a course of political government training. They were sponsored by the Covington A. B. Cole Post of the American Legion.



## SPECIAL HONORS

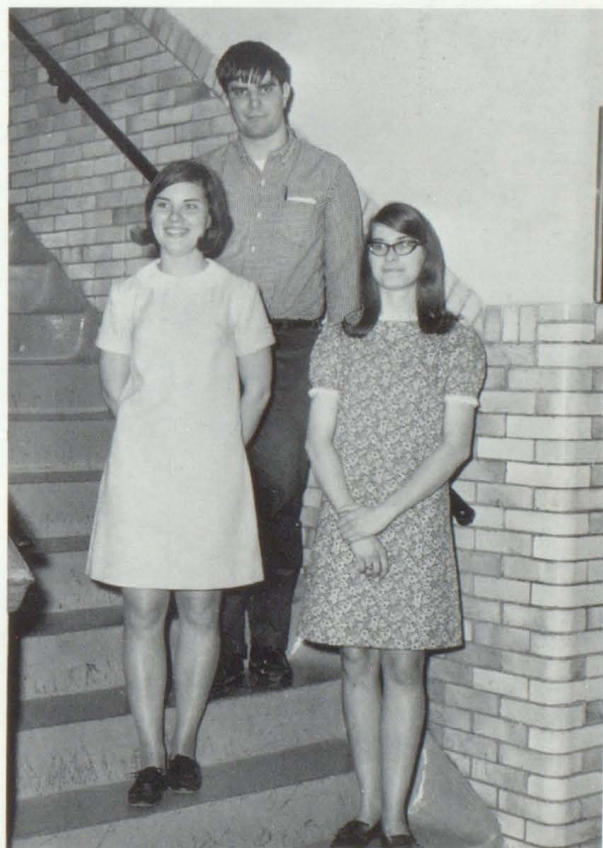


Connie Kauffman, Paul Laughman, and Beverly Beaver, were winners of the Voice of Democracy speech contest sponsored by the V.F.W.

Kris Langston, Lee Carney, and Connie Kauffman, were winners of the Americanism speech contest.



Connie Kauffman took the National Merit Scholarship test and was awarded a certificate of commendation.



Kris Langston, Lee Carney, and Connie Kauffman.

## POWDER PUFF



"Soul Stompers" left to right: Coach Bob Graves, Diane Holmes, Sally Ingle, Betsy Clippinger, Kris Langston, Sue Leistner, Judy Roecker, Marilyn Cornor, Cindy Doty, LaDonna Filburn, Chris Snyder, Charlene Batdorf, Deb Brinkman, Marie Heintz, Bev Boggs, Steph Johnson, and coach Bob Wilhelm.

On a fall evening of 1968, the Tri-Hi-Y girls combined their efforts into two so-called football teams. The "Soul Stompers" composed of junior and sophomore girls took on "Rosemary's Black and Blue Babies" composed of senior and sophomore girls. Even though the weather was cool, the girls kept warm mainly by their vigorous attempts to make a touchdown. As the last quarter ended the scoreboard showed Rosemary's Black and Blue Babies on top.



Girls sit on the sideline anxiously waiting to get in on the action.



Even while playing football girls must fix their hair!!



Girls in action! GO!

# FOOTBALL



"Rosemary's Black and Blue Babies" left to right: Marlene Fisher, Melody Trostel, Cinda Yingst, Nancy Besecker, Vicki Petry, Linda Fields, Brenda Huffman, Tonya Manson, Tina Feeser, Marilyn Palsgrove, Tonda Thompson, Connie Kauffman, Darlene Pearson, Connie Gearhardt, Sherry Stacy, Vicky Moist, and Denise Cornor. Kneeling are coaches Steve Dull and Mike Benedict.



Look Out, the Stampede's On!



The crowd was entertained with a remarkable half-time show.



What kind of football game is this???

## SENIORS RETURN TO



Kids pile  
on the  
FOOD!

On May 21, 1969, the senior parents sponsored the Kid Party at the Covington American Legion. Seniors came dressed as little kids and received favors. All the kids played games such as "Drop the Hankie" before dinner. The kids were given bibs to wear during dinner and were to wear them the rest of the evening or would be confronted with a consequence, which could be wearing a diaper and taking a bottle. After the smorgasbord dinner, relays and a game of musical chairs presented a guessing game where the seniors tried to identify baby pictures of their fellow classmates.



Kids have big appetites!!



Kids and parents enjoyed a cake  
baked by Mrs. Angle.

# CHILDHOOD DAYS



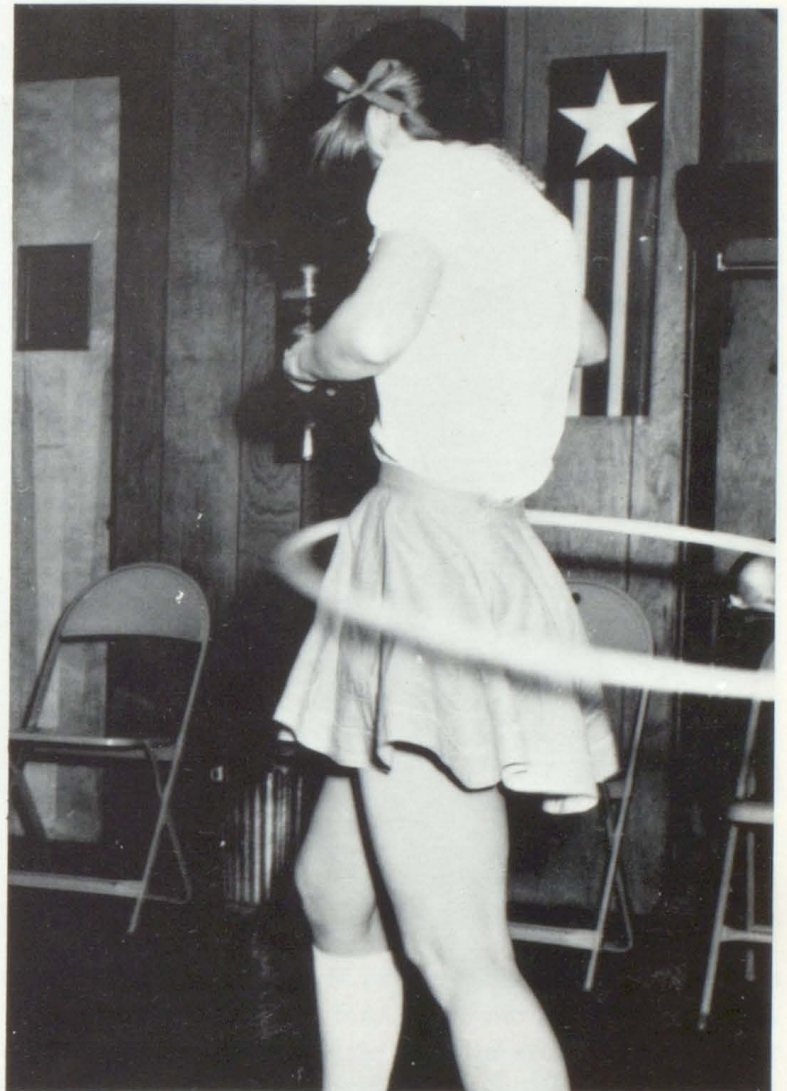
When children aren't good they must face consequences - such as diapering a baby. Here Kysa Canedy is Mommy and Mike Benedict is the baby.



The Kids.



Brad Barker and Keith struggle with a lifesaver.



Connie Gearhardt "hulas" in a hula hoop contest.



Kiddies proved to be very sloppy dressers in this relay.

## GRADUATION 1969



### CLASS OF 1969

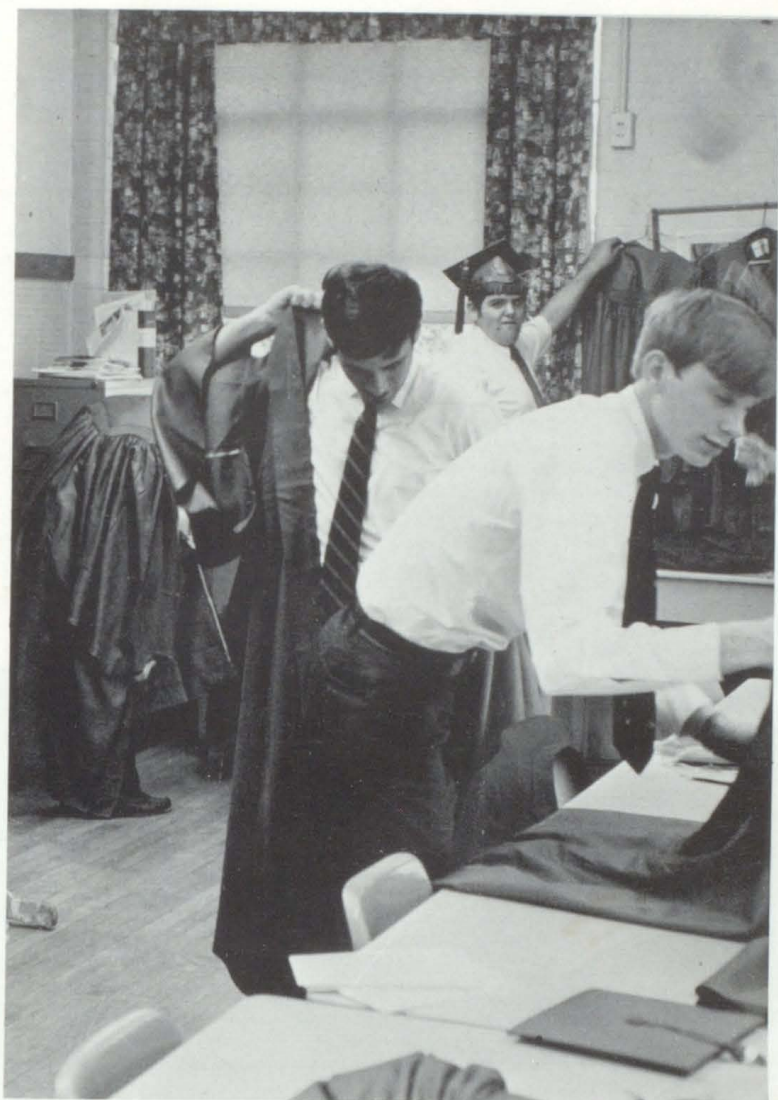
The one-hundredth annual Commencement of Covington High School was held May 25, 1969. Seventy seniors were graduated this day. After the seniors marched into "Pomp and Circumstance" played by Miss Helen Holfinger, Mr. Phillips made a few opening remarks. This was followed by Connie Kauffman's valedictory address entitled "A Time for Reflection." The girls' ensemble then sang "On a Clear Day" and "Somewhere." The program was then followed by Beverly Beaver's salutatory speech entitled "As We Leave These Halls." The Boy's ensemble sang "Comin' Through the Rye."

Don Fisher, class president, gave the class history. The class song, "The Exodus Song" was sung by the class. Diplomas were then presented by Mr. Lowell Yingst. Mr. Blair Irvin, principal, presented the class of 1969 and they sang their last song together, the "Alma Mater."

At an awards assembly, Connie Kauffman received the valedictorian trophy and a one year subscription to Reader's Digest. Beverly Beaver received the Athena Club's outstanding senior girl award.

1. Our strong band can ne'er be broken,  
Form'd at Covington High.  
Far surpassing wealth unspoken,  
Sealed by friendship's tie.

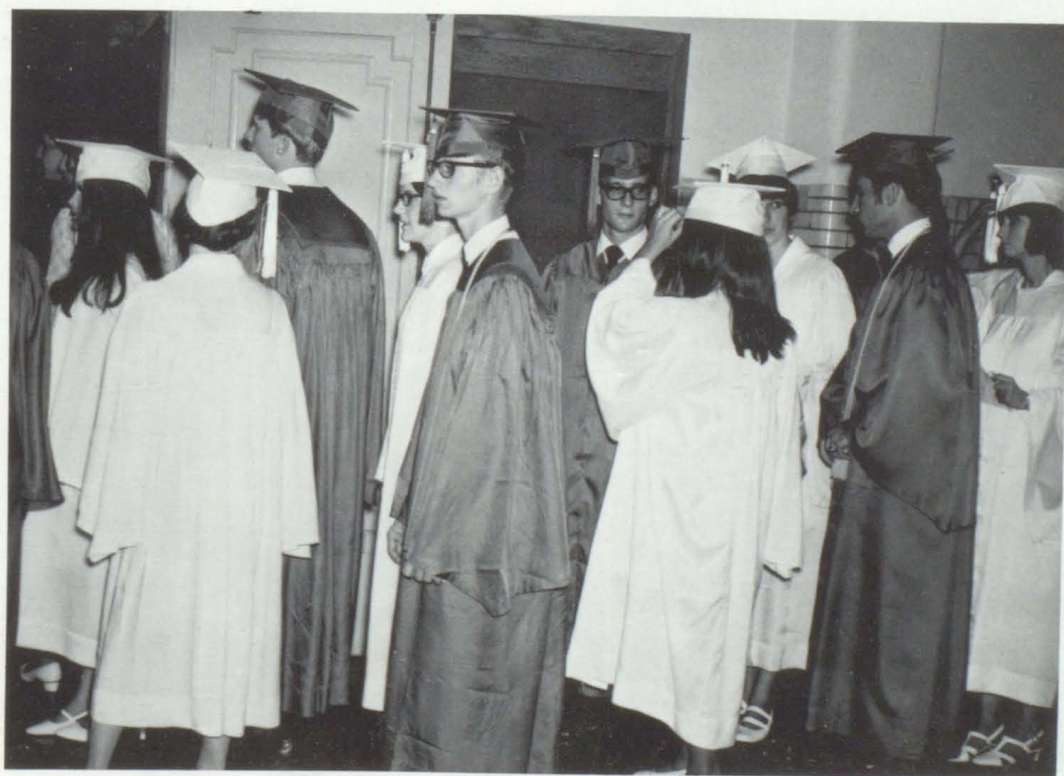
Chorus: Alma mater, alma mater,  
Deep graven on each heart  
Shall be found unwav'ring, true,  
When we from life shall part.



Hurry Ron - don't have much time left!



Jo don't go for these new dresses!



Time is about here - Doug's glad he's not at the front!



Connie Kauffman, valedictorian, gives her address, "A Time For Reflection."



Mr. Phillips opens program.



Beverly Beaver, salutatorian, gives her address "As We Leave These Halls."



Class President, Don Fisher, gives the Class History.



Is that a "You mean I made it" smile???



Who ever said graduation is supposed to be a happy occasion???

Girls' ensemble sang "On a Clear Day" and Somewhere."

Boys' ensemble sang "Comin' Through the Rye."



Girls' ensemble, l to r: Carole Spillers, Sherry Stacy, Beverly Beaver, Kysa Canedy, Kay Angle, Connie Gearhardt, Vicky Moist and Brenda Huffman.



Boys' ensemble, l to r: Doug Riffel, Mark Fullerton, Ron Lamb, Steve Dull, Bill Rudy, John Weikert, Mike Robinett, Terry Swallow, and Mike Benedict.

# SENIOR MEMORIES REMEMBER . . .



When Jerry was hall monitor??

Remember the Senior Play??



And the high society ladies???



Remember Marilyn at the Kid Party???



Remember the smart one???



And the other smart one???

## FUNNY FACES



The "ODD" COUPLE



SEXY REXIE



Beautiful Billy



Goofy GRADS!!!



Jolly ollie Dave



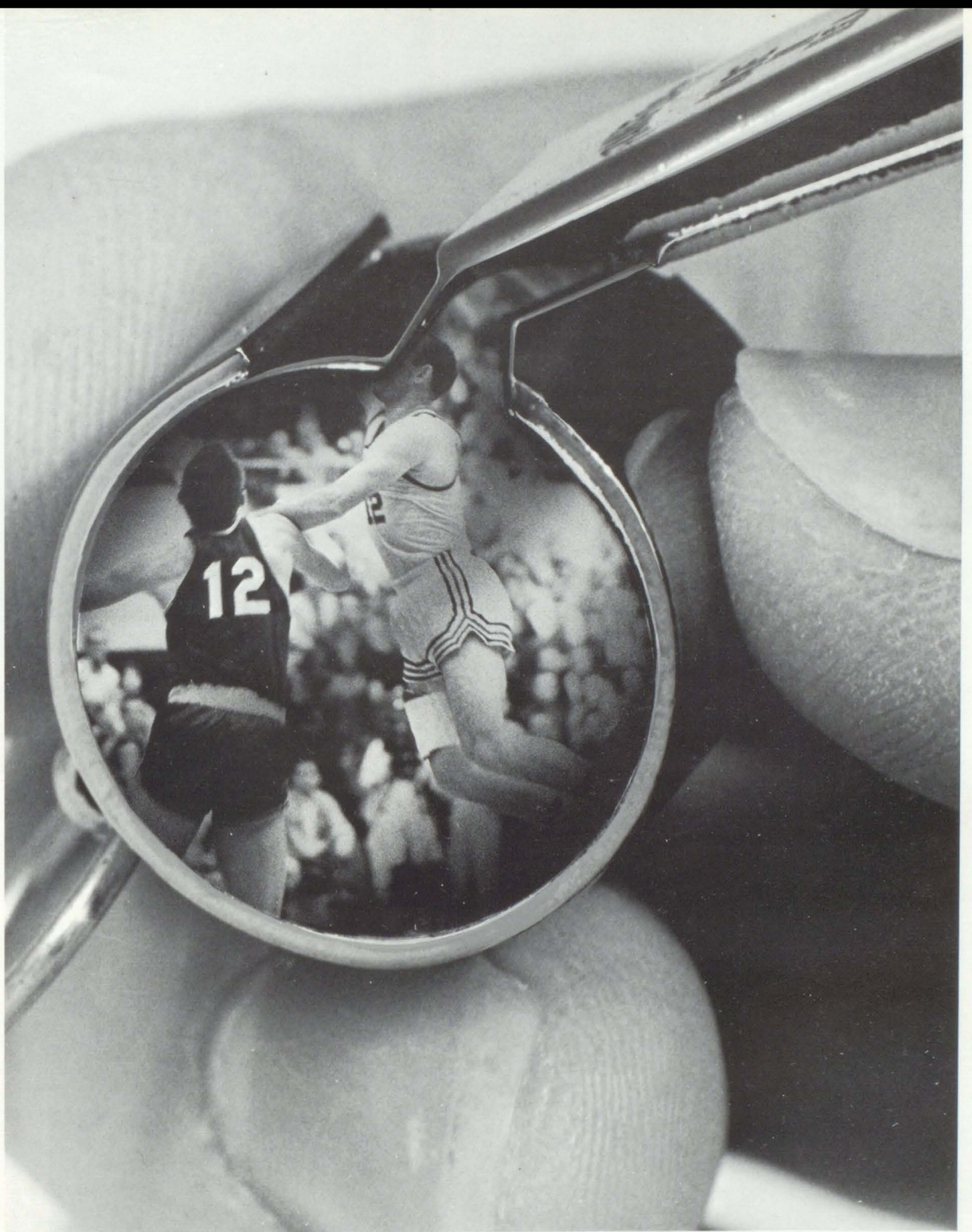
Ophelia Moore?!?



Rootin'  
Tootin' Ron



A Bag full!!!



**ATHLETICS**

Gruelling practices, the desire to win, and teamwork, played equal parts of our winning season this year. Starting in the hot days of August, the team members blocked, tackled, moaned, and groaned, - building up for an undefeated season. Jumping off with a 14-0 win over Tipp City, the Buccaneers pounded out victory after victory. The pressure was on. With tension mounting, the Buccs faced a tough Shawnee squad, knowing that their record was again on the line. Pre-game apprehensions faded, however, as the Buccs scored the first touchdown and rolled on to a 20-6 victory. The nerve-wracker was yet to come - Tecumseh. Trailing in the last quarter 8-12, with one minute and twenty seconds left in the game, Covington won possession of the ball, and scored the winning touchdown. Two more victories followed as Miami East and Northeastern couldn't curtail the Buccaneer squad. After scoring 24 points in the final quarter of Graham's game, the Buccs won 48-18, officially capturing the MRVL title.

Ending the gridiron schedule with a 6-0 win over Greenville, Covington secured the first perfect season since 1960. The cogs of "Tisdale's machine" may have strained once or twice, but teamwork and determination supplied enough fuel, to gain a final rating of eighth in the state of Class A schools.



Ron Apwisch pulls down

## BUCCANEERS WIN MR

Buccaneers plunge across the goal line for a first touchdown.





a Northwestern ball carrier.

## VL TITLE

### SCORES

	WE	THEY
Tipp City	14	0
Bradford	62	0
Northwestern	54	14
(Homecoming)		
Greenon	14	8
Springfield Shawnee	20	6
Tecumseh	14	12
Miami East	32	6
Northeastern	42	0
Graham	48	18
Greenville	6	0

Stevenson comes back from a play.





Barker leads the team through sign and on to victory.

Mike Robinett ends North

## BUCCANEERS RATED EIG

ROW 1: Dave Wills, Tim Stambaugh, Keith Warner, Lee Carney, Mike Robinett. ROW 2: Randy Cundiff, Alan Forsythe, Ron Lamb, Dennis Robinson, Larry Gearhardt, Dwight Garber. ROW 3: Coach Peterson, Brad Barker, John Weikert, Jerry Longendelpher, Dave Longenecker, Rick Frantz, Bob Trostel.





Ron Apwisch ends a Warrior's play.

western's attempt for more yardage.

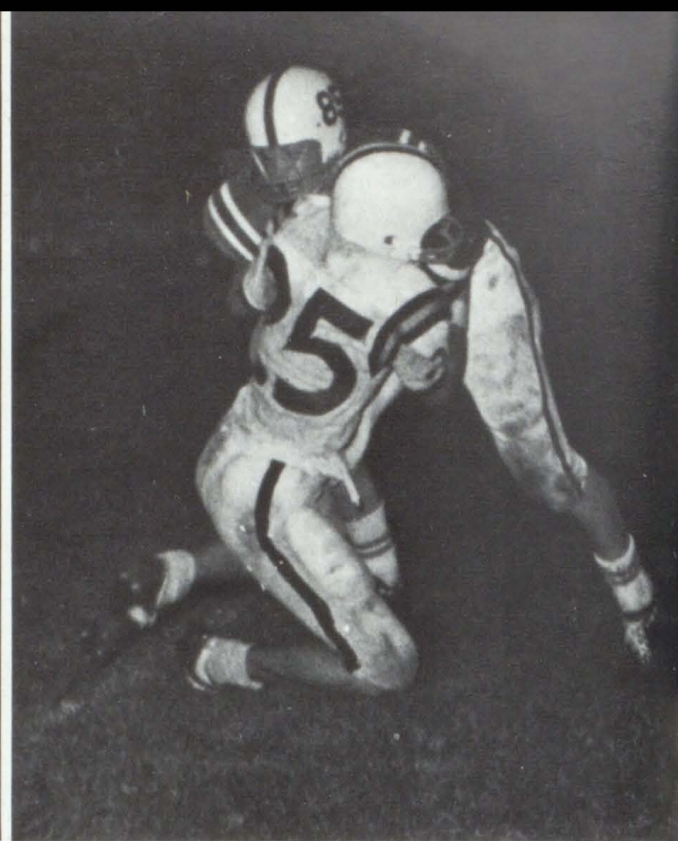
## HTH IN THE STATE

ROW 1: Mike Manson, Herb Stevenson, Gary Meyer, Dave Stacy, Dave Sweigart. ROW 2: Jack Whitman, Dennis Cain, Terry Swallow, Pood Minnich, Terry Hecker, Bill Apple, Coach Tisdale. ROW 3: Rex Huffman, Ed Shilt, Ron Apwisch, Bill Rudy, Buddy Clark, Coach Stockland.





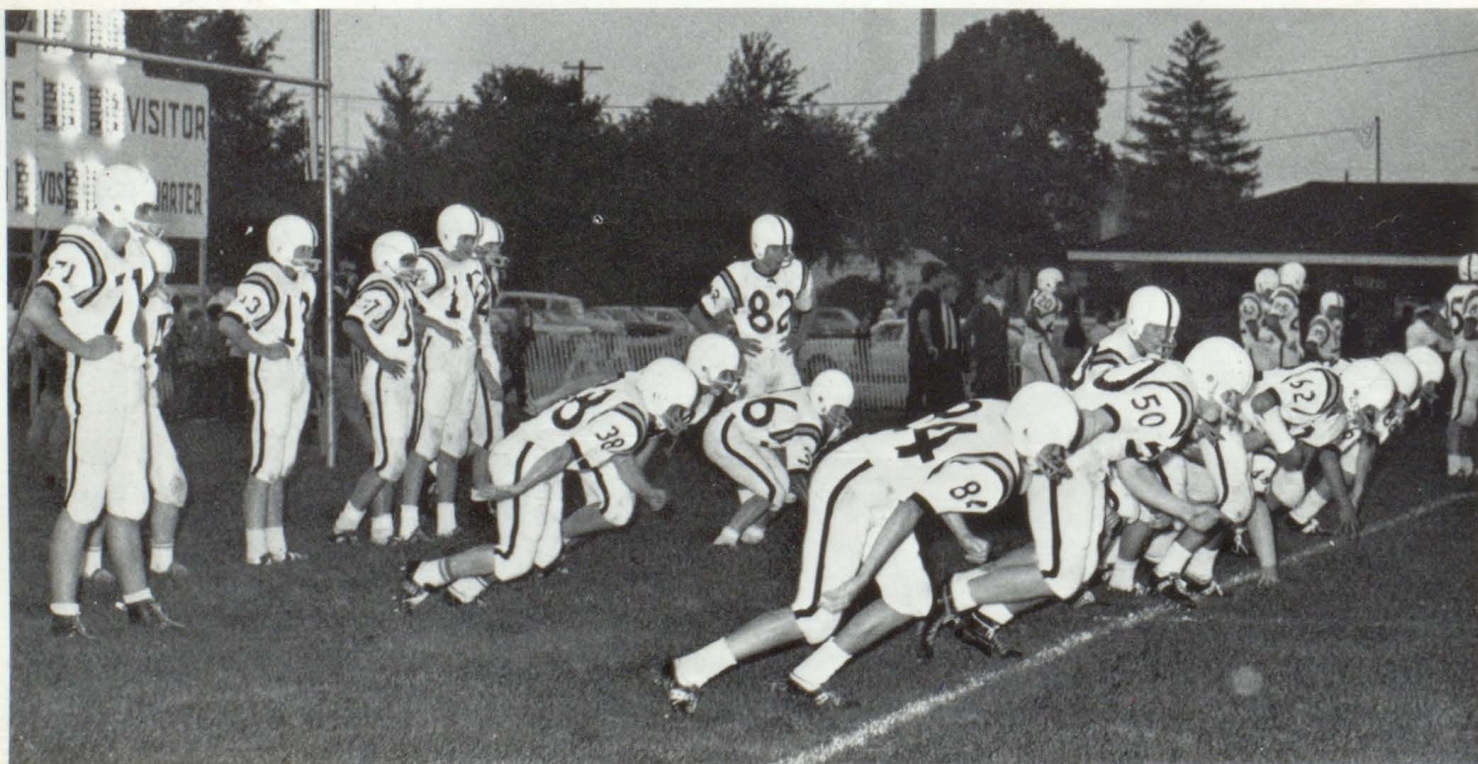
Brad Barker makes another Buccaneer tackle.



Ed Shilt holds his own against a Northwestern ball carrier.

## *BUCCS IN ACTION*

The team runs through their usual warm-ups, before the game with Northwestern.





Covington romped Northwestern 54-14.



Ron Apwisch ends another play.



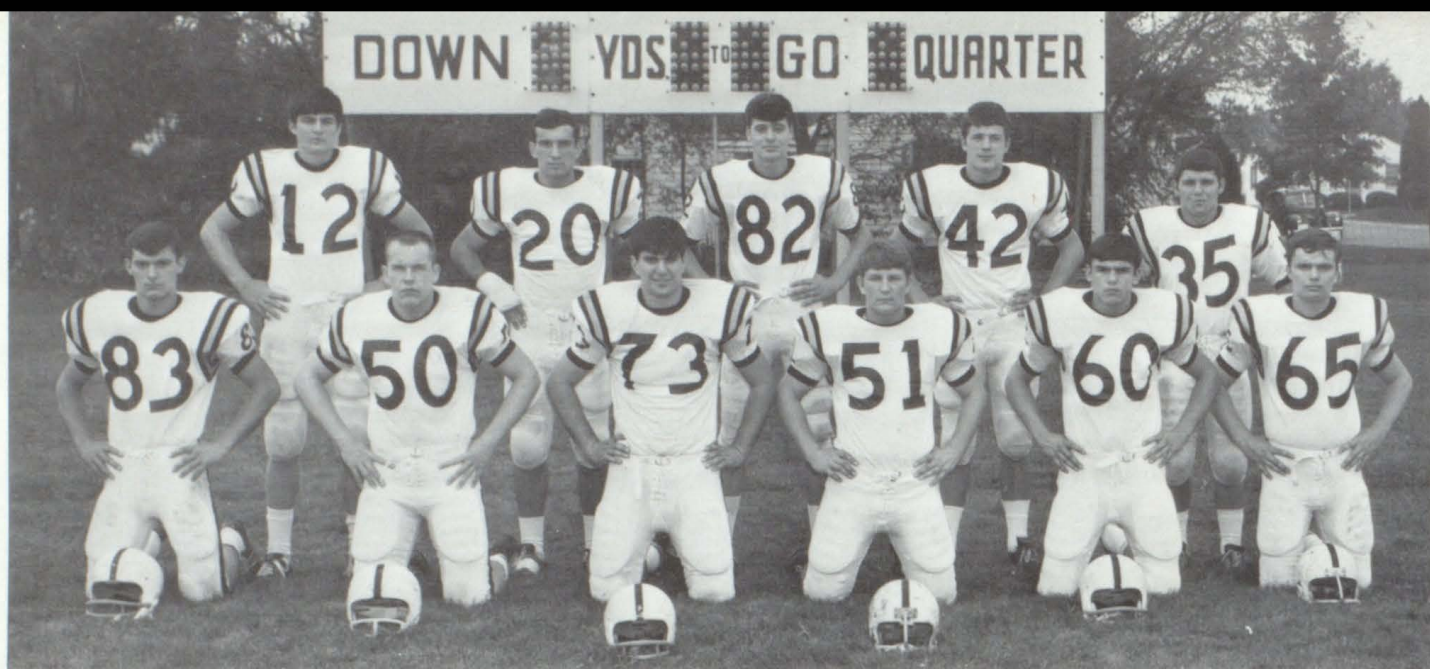
Buddy Clark can not overpower the Warrior's defense.



Swallow's not down yet!



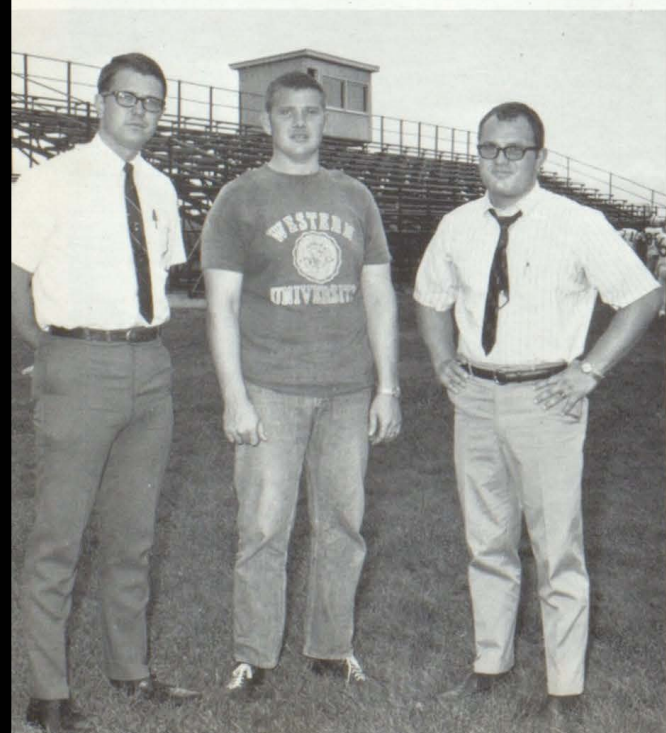
An attempt for a goal was detained by the Warriors.



Senior players, ROW 1: John Weikert, Keith Warner, Lee Carney, Mike Robinett, Terry Hecker, Jerry Longendelpher. ROW 2: Brad Barker, Ron Lamb, Dave Longenecker, Bill Rudy, Terry Swallow.

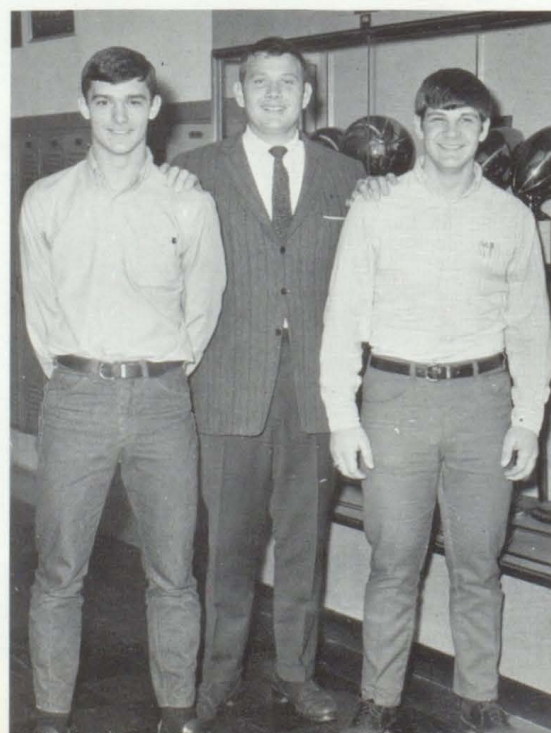


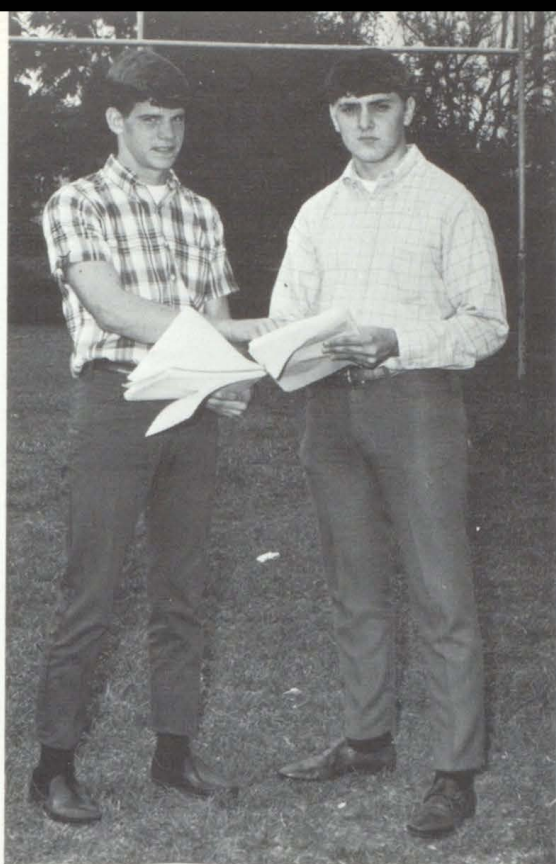
All League and Honorable Mention: Coach Tisdale, Lee Carney, Terry Swallow, Bill Apple, John Weikert, Herb Stevenson, Bill Rudy, Brad Barker, Gary Meyer, Ron Apwisch.



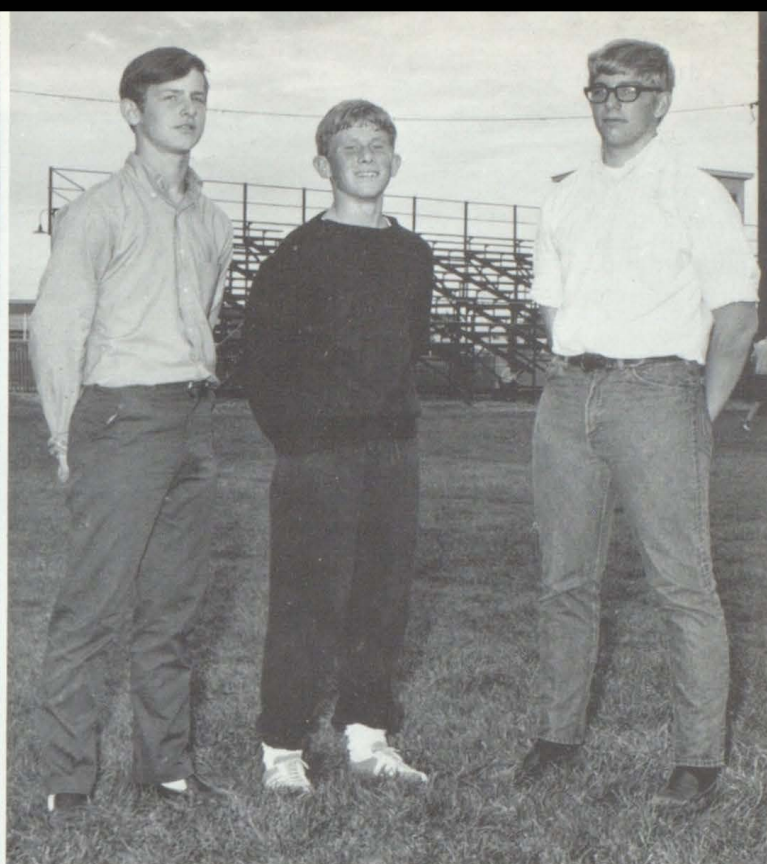
Football Coaches:  
Mr. Stockland,  
Mr. Tisdale, Mr.  
Peterson.

All State Players:  
John Weikert, and  
Bill Apple with  
Coach Tisdale.





Statisticians: Fred Kenworthy, Bob Benedict.



Managers: Steve Forsythe, Mike Stacy, Bill Zimmerlin, Not Pictured, Doug Blankenship.

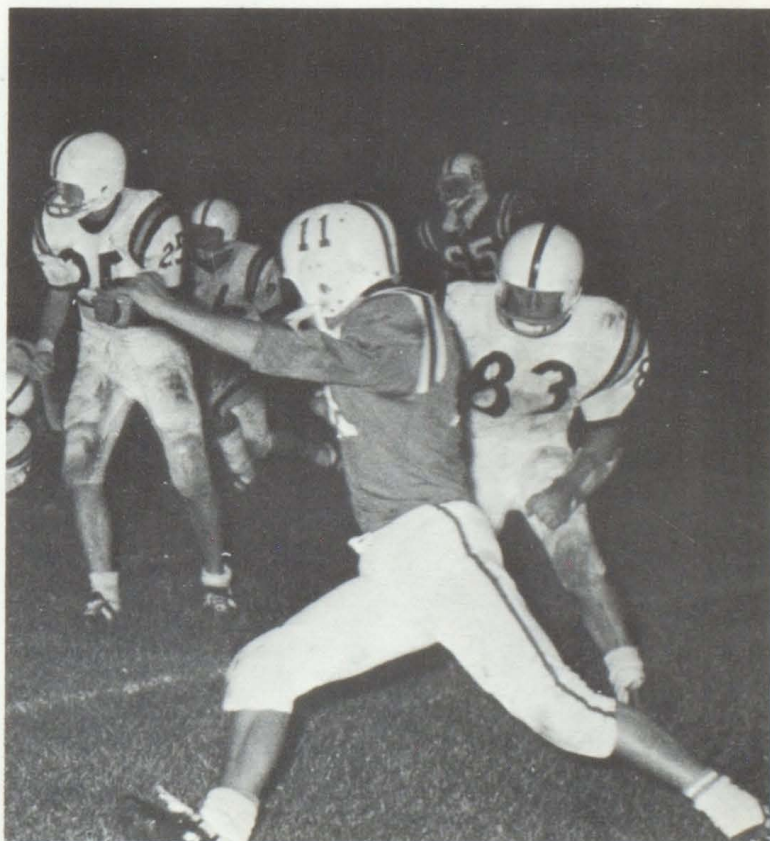
## ALL-OHIO

Two varsity football players Bill Apple, and John Weikert were named to all state teams this year. Among other accomplishments for John Weikert were: Mad River Valley League, first team, defensive end. Southwestern Ohio-Class A Player of the Year, first team, defensive end. All-Ohio (UPI) Second team, defensive end. All-Ohio (AP), first team, defensive end. Journal Herald All Stars, first team, defensive end.

Bill Apple was named to the following teams: All-Ohio, first team, offensive guard, (UPI). All-Ohio, honorable mention, guard (AP). Mad River Valley League, first team, guard. Southwestern district team, first string guard. Miami Valley Sportswriters Association, first team, guard.

Brad Barker was an honorable mention player for All-Ohio (AP) as a back.

We would like to congratulate these players, those who made the league teams and all other players of the Covington football squads for an undefeated season.



All-Ohio defensive end, John Weikert (83) in action against Northwestern.



VARSITY: Tom Dunn, Ed Shilt, Brad Barker, Herb Stevenson, Gary Meyer, Bob Wilhelm, Ed Hartley, Dave Sweigart, Rick Frantz, Steve Stacy, Ron Lamb. Coach Bollenbacher, Managers Bill Zimmerlin, Keith Warner.



Freshman Coach, Mr. Tisdale. Varsity Coach, Mr. Bollenbacher. Reserve Coach, Mr. Stockland.

## VARSITY

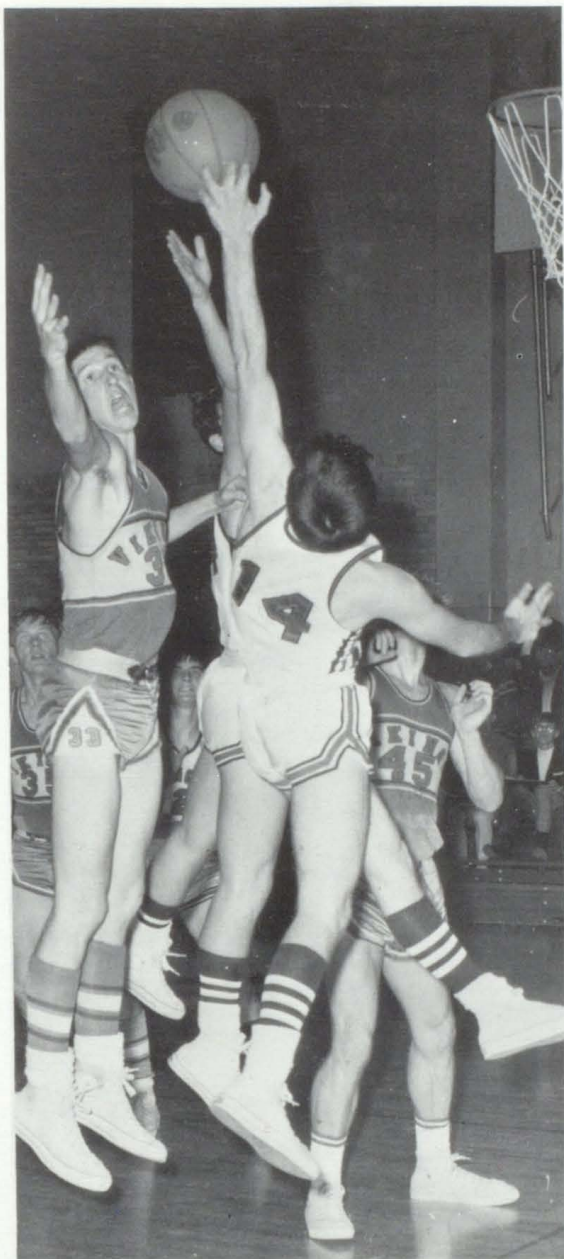
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Tipp City	32	58
Miami East	56	57
Bethel	54	56
Bradford	53	66
Piqua Catholic	73	71
Newton	49	77
New Madison	70	60
* Northwestern (ov't)	73	78
* Greenon	67	65
Franklin Monroe	58	63
* Shawnee	68	72
Bradford	59	74
* Tecumseh	61	64
Arcanum	46	78
* Miami East	69	59
* Northeastern	64	67
Newton	44	65
* Graham	88	79

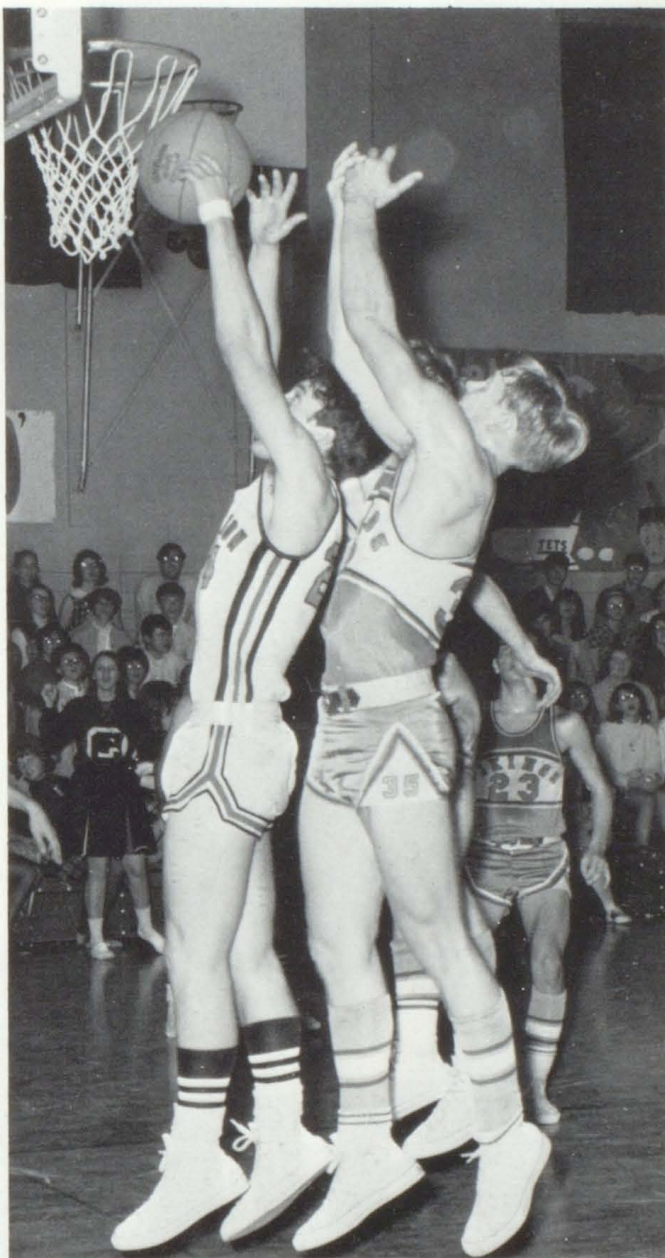
### TOURNAMENT

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\* Denotes League Games



Dunn fights for the rebound against Miami East's Vikings.



Herb Stevenson out-rebounds fellow opponent.

The Buccaneer team won six games this season, of which three were league games and three were non-league.

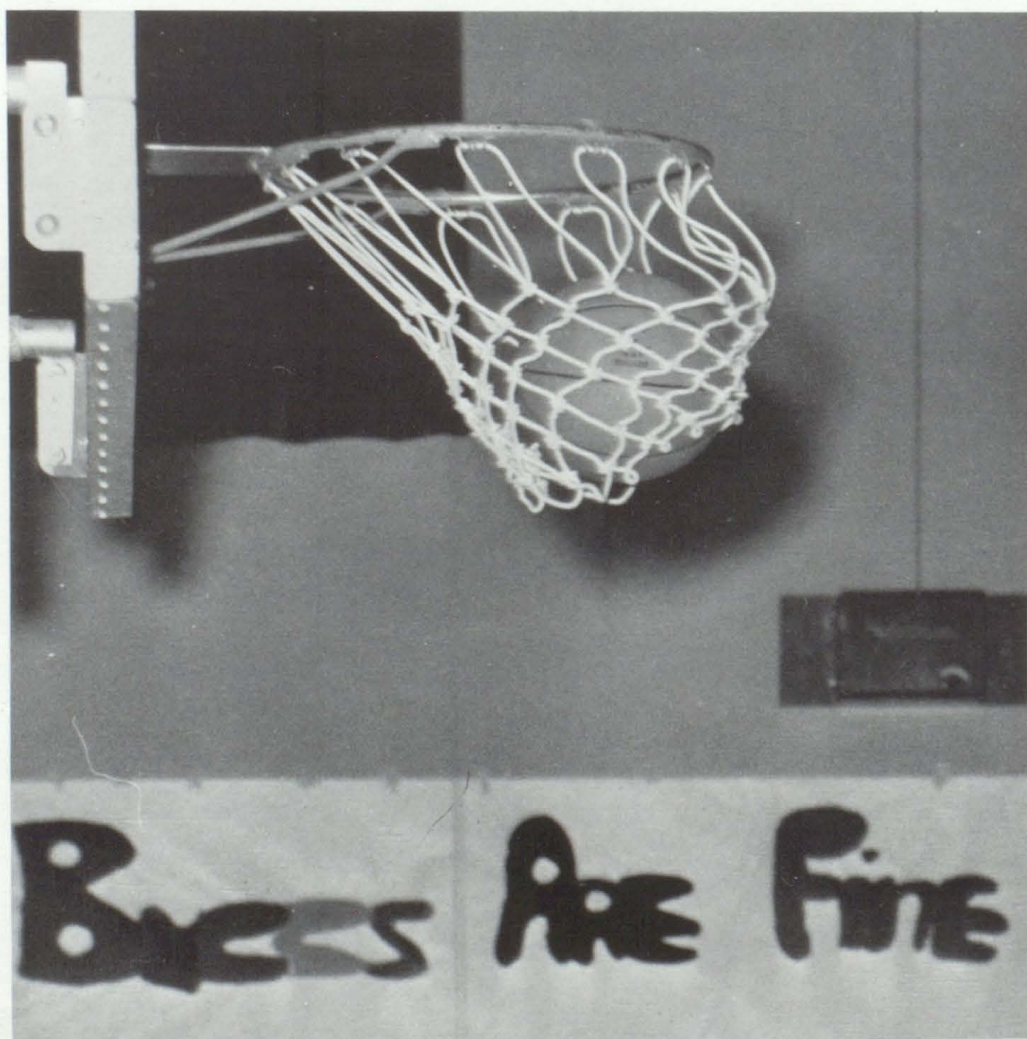
Fight contests were affected by "Fate's Fickle Finger," as the Buccaneers lost by one to five points in the last seconds of play.

Ed Hartley was named to the second team in Mad River Valley League all star selections. Freshman Tom Dunn and junior Herb Stevenson were given honorable mention. Of the Area Scorers, Ed Hartley was ranked fifth with an average of sixteen points per game; Tom Dunn, among the top twenty averaged thirteen point nine points a game.





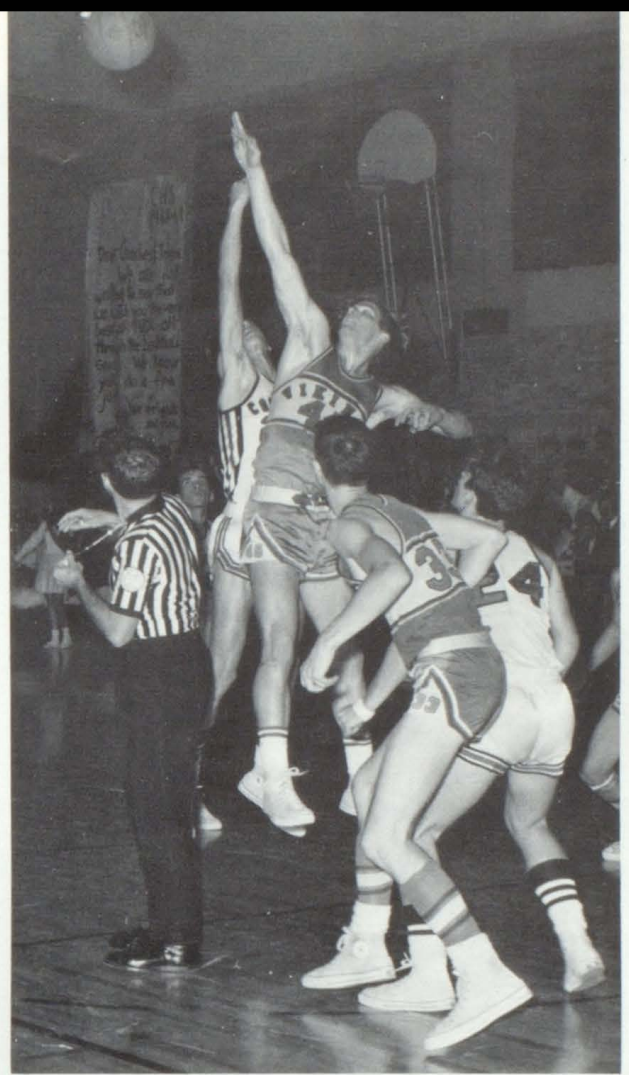
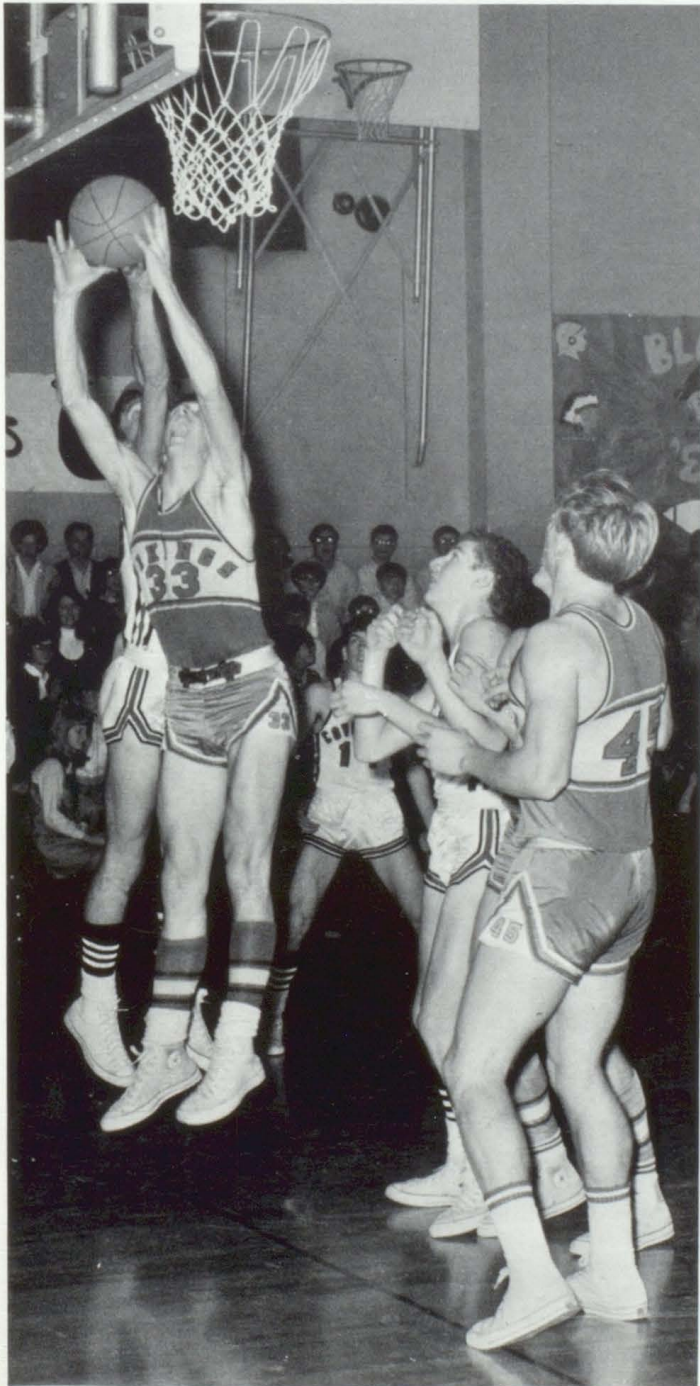
Stevenson grabs rebound as the Vikings look on.



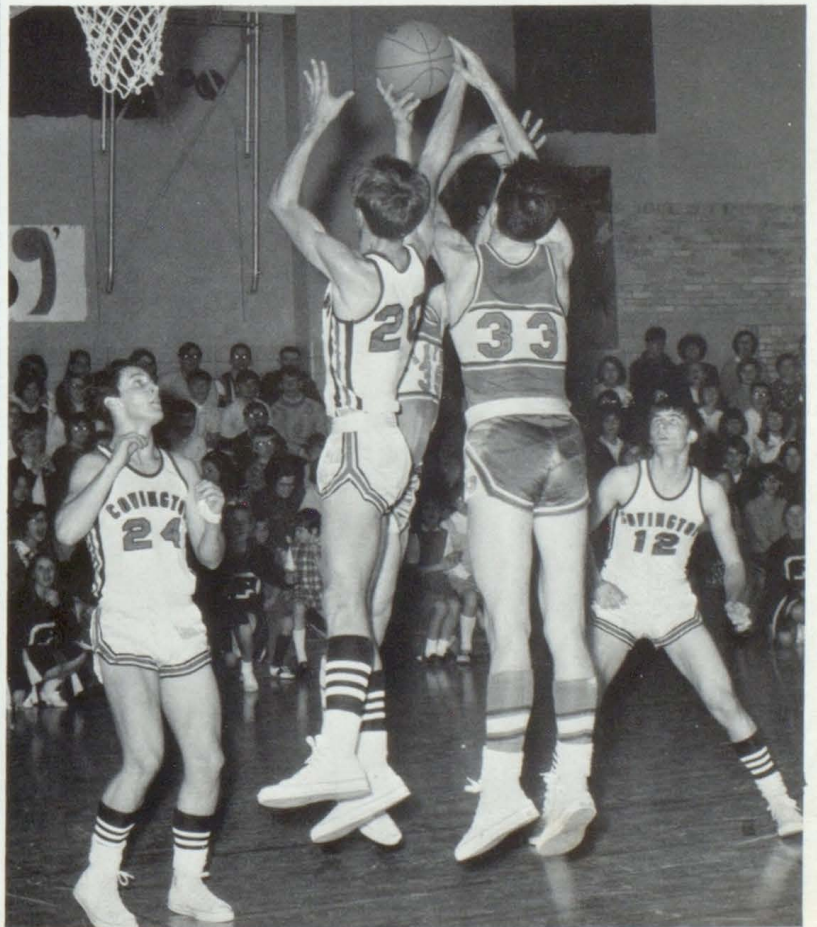
Another point is scored from the foul line. Wilhelm pulls down a rebound during the Miami East game.



Vikings gain possession of the ball.



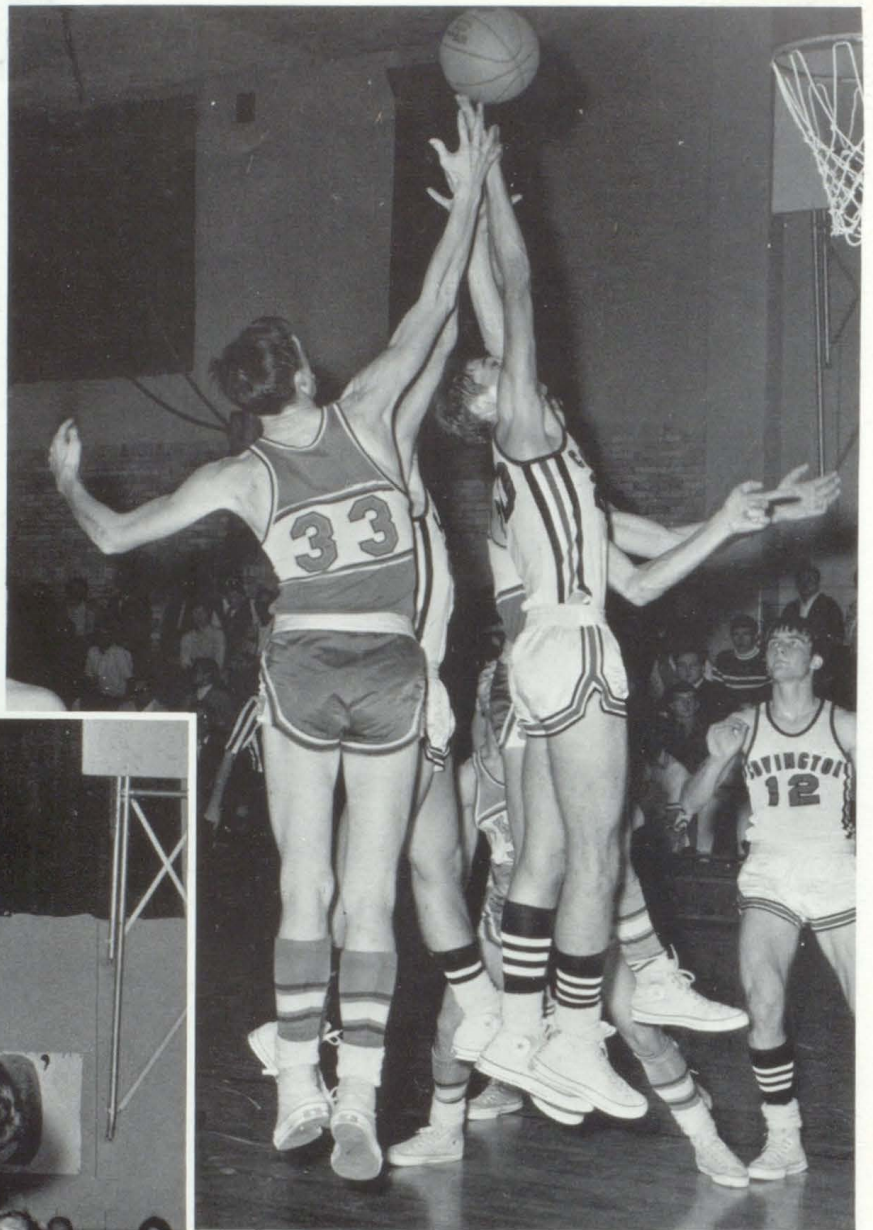
Bob Wilhelm is outjumped by Viking's no. 45 in a tip off.



Wilhelm and opponents fight for the ball.

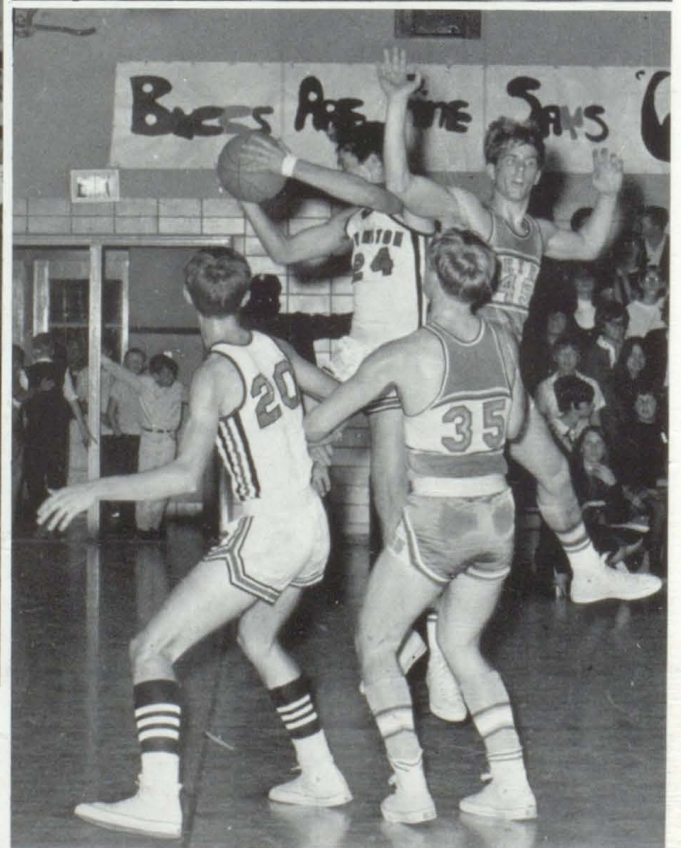


Finger tip control, but it could - be anyone's ball.



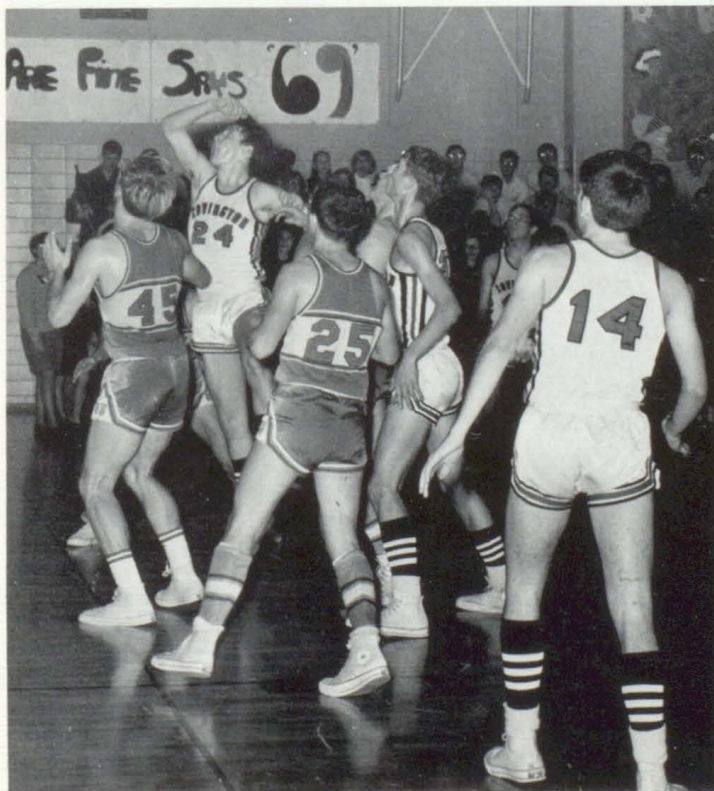
All those straining bodies for one little basketball.

Stevenson sends a Viking player "flying." -

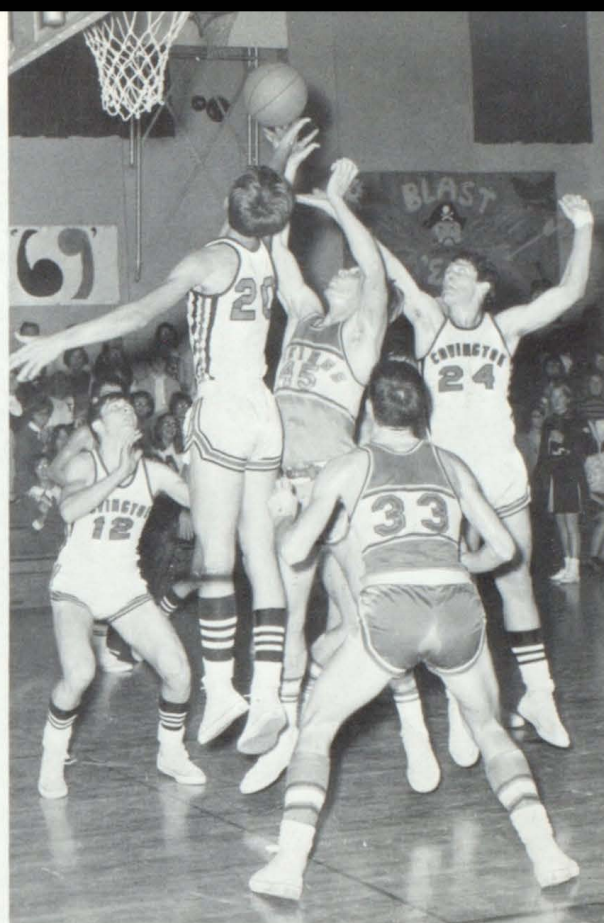




Long arms help Hartley for a rebound.



Players await that rebounding ball.



Wilhelm tips it in for another two points.



Herb Stevenson tries for a tip in.



Mike Stacy heaves the ball to a teammate for a fast break.



Rex Huffman battles Viking player for possession of the ball.

## RESERVE TEAM



Steve Stacy grabs the rebound and heads down-floor.

### SCHEDULE

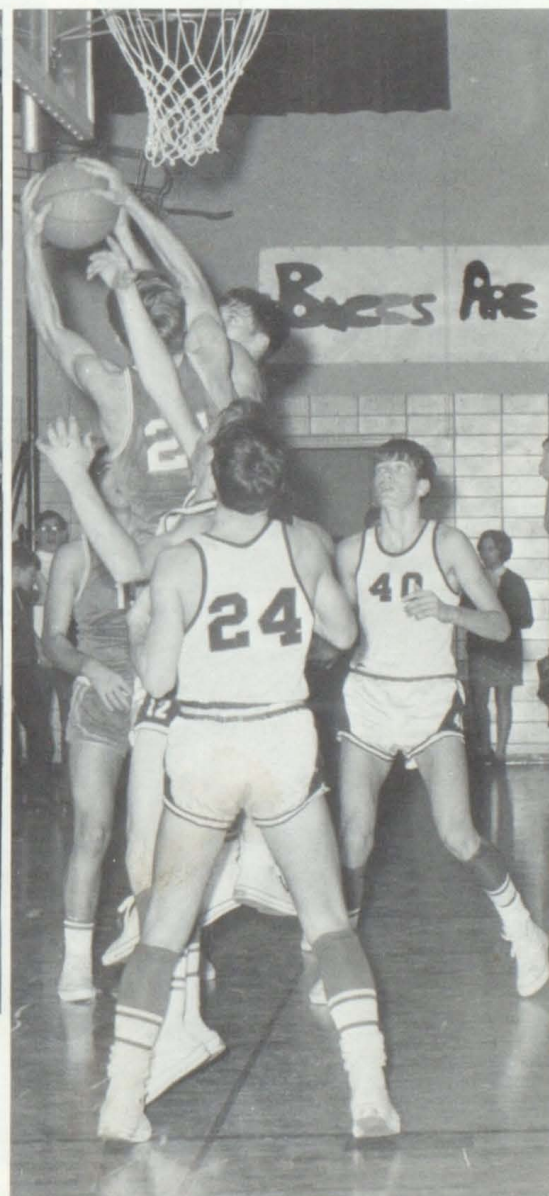
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Mike Stacy, Pood Minnich, Steve Stacy, Mike Manson, Coach Stockland, Rex Huffman, Dan Hathaway, Alan Forsythe, Randy Emery.



Mike Manson fights for the rebound against a Viking opponent.



Huffman's trying for the rebound.



BRENDA HUFFMAN - Senior



DENISE CORNOR - Senior



DEBBIE BRINKMAN - Sophomore



Varsity Cheerleaders: Cinda Yingst, Debbie Brinkman, Brenda Huffman, Denise Cornor, Marilyn Cornor, Sue Leistner.



MARILYN CORNOR - Junior



CINDA YINGST - Sophomore



SUE LEISTNER - Junior



ROW 1: Wayne Garber, Ben Bashore, Randy Shively. ROW 2: Lynn Garber, Craig Rhoades, Dennis Gain, Larry Gearhardt, Dave Weidner, Randy Magee, Garry Manson, Dennis Robinson, Dave Stacy, Mark Beaver, Mike Lacey, Coach Tisdale.

## FRESHMAN TEAM

### SCHEDULE

Piqua  
Miami East  
Greenville  
Bradford  
Bethel  
West Milton  
Miami East  
Tipp City  
Bradford  
Greenville  
Piqua  
West Milton  
Bethel



Cheerleaders: Barb Williams, Kathy Holmes, Sue Longenecker, Cindy Hecker, Terri Shearer.



ROW 1: Terry Hecker, Manny Kelly, Raymond Lyons, Mike Stacy, Joe Ellis, Tim Gibboney, Todd Canedy, Dennis Cain, Randy Brinkman. ROW 2: Jim Magee, Dave Meyer, Phil Sarver, Bob Penny, Tim Powell, Ron Lamb, Sam Sarver, Steve Shively, Bud Clark, Bill Apple, Dennis Robinson. ROW 3: John Bubeck, Ron Apwisch, Ed Shilt, Bill Zimmerlin, Mike Clark, Rick Frantz, Bill Rudy, Dave Sweigart, Rex Huffman, Gary Meyer, Herb Stevenson, Brad Barker, Keith Warner, John Weikert.

## TRACK — 1969 —



880 runner Bill Rudy shows good form.



John Weikert, pole vaulting during the invitational.



Terry Hecker, running the 220 in the Covington Invitational.



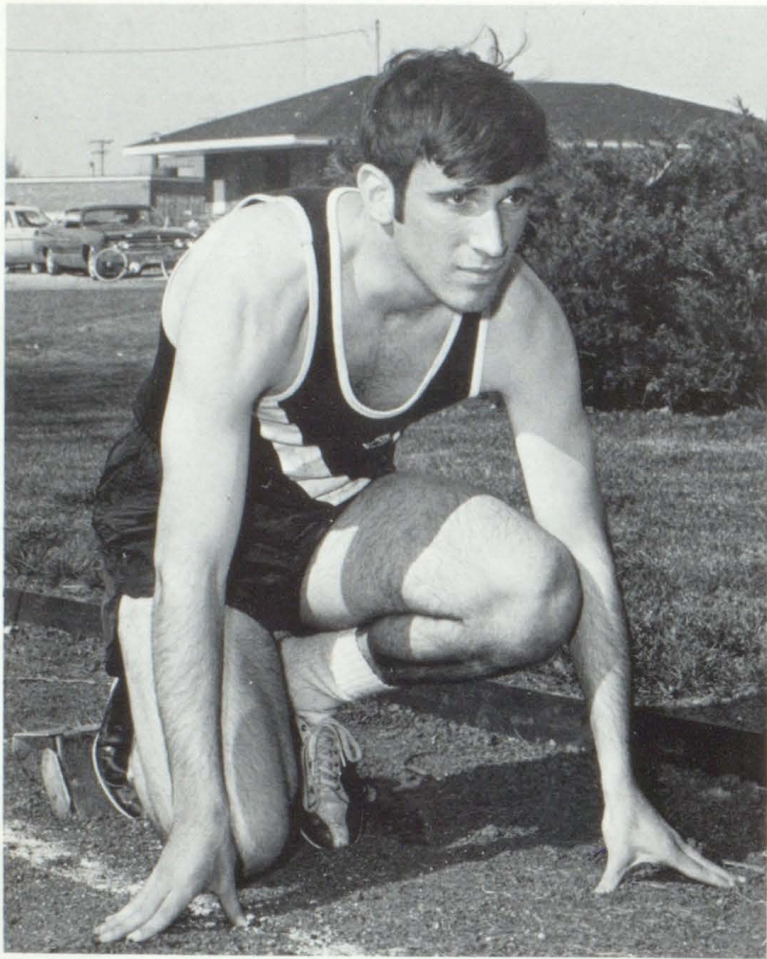
Brad Barker placed first in the pole vault, vaulting a height of 12' 3".



John Bubeck placed fourth in 100 yard dash.



Ed Shilt places second in the broad jump with 19' 10".



Ron Lamb prepares for a good start in the 220.



Rick Frantz makes a good practice jump.



Denny Cain broad jumps during the Covington Invitational.



Brad Barker shows good form as he clears the high hurdle.



Mike Stacy, Larry Hensler, Steve Stacy, Mike Clark, Phil Sarver, Bob Penny, Craig Miller, Coach Garmann. Not Pictured, Steve Dearth.

## CROSS COUNTRY

Runners await  
starting signal.



Bob  
Penny  
leads  
the pack  
as they  
end the  
second  
lap.

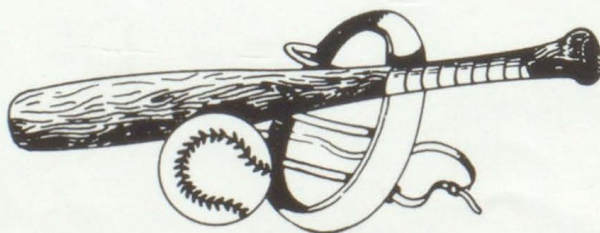


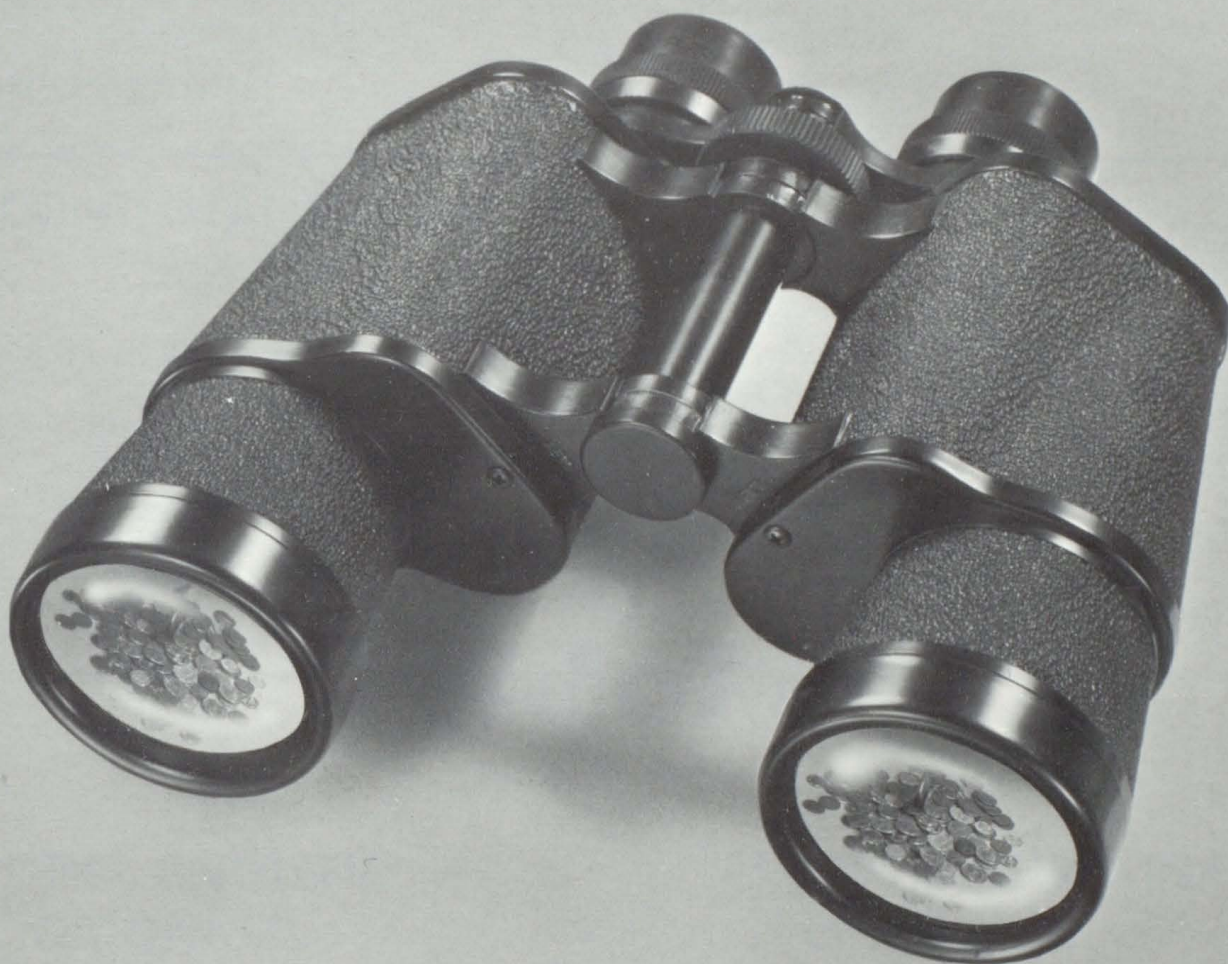
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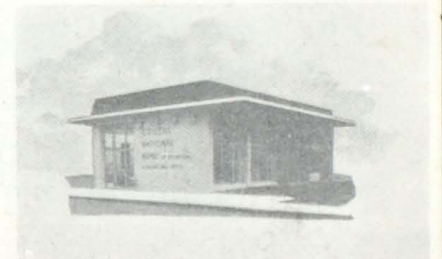


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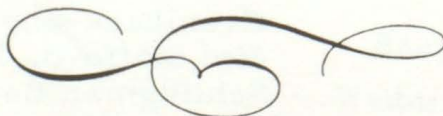
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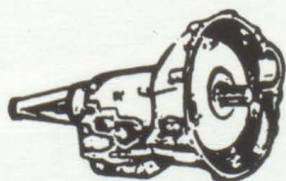
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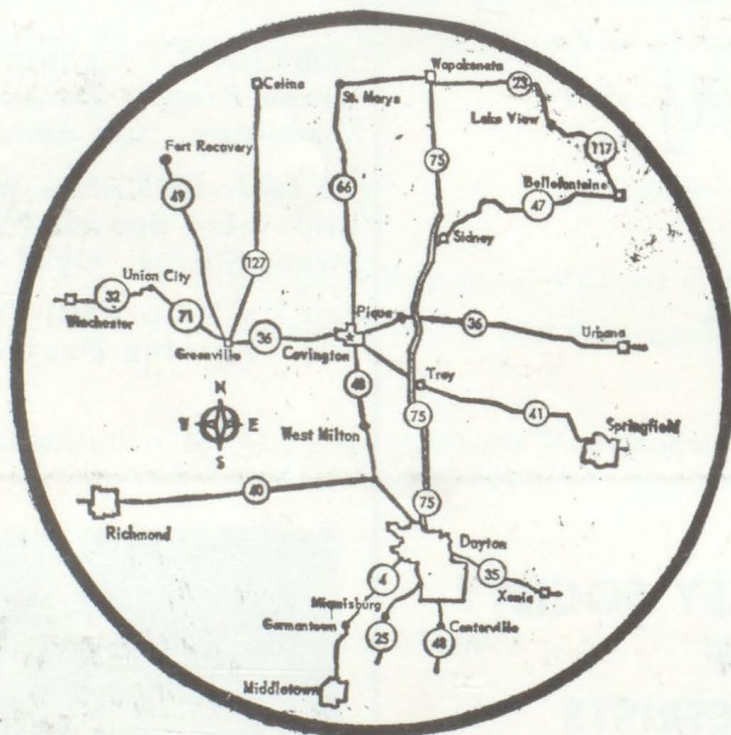


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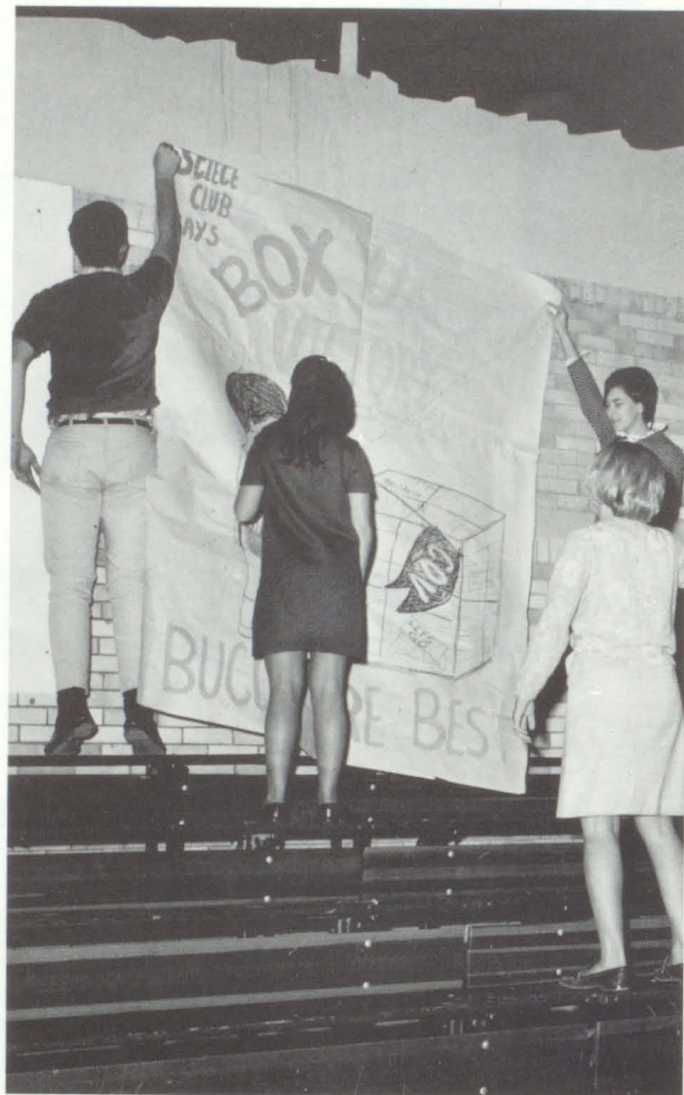
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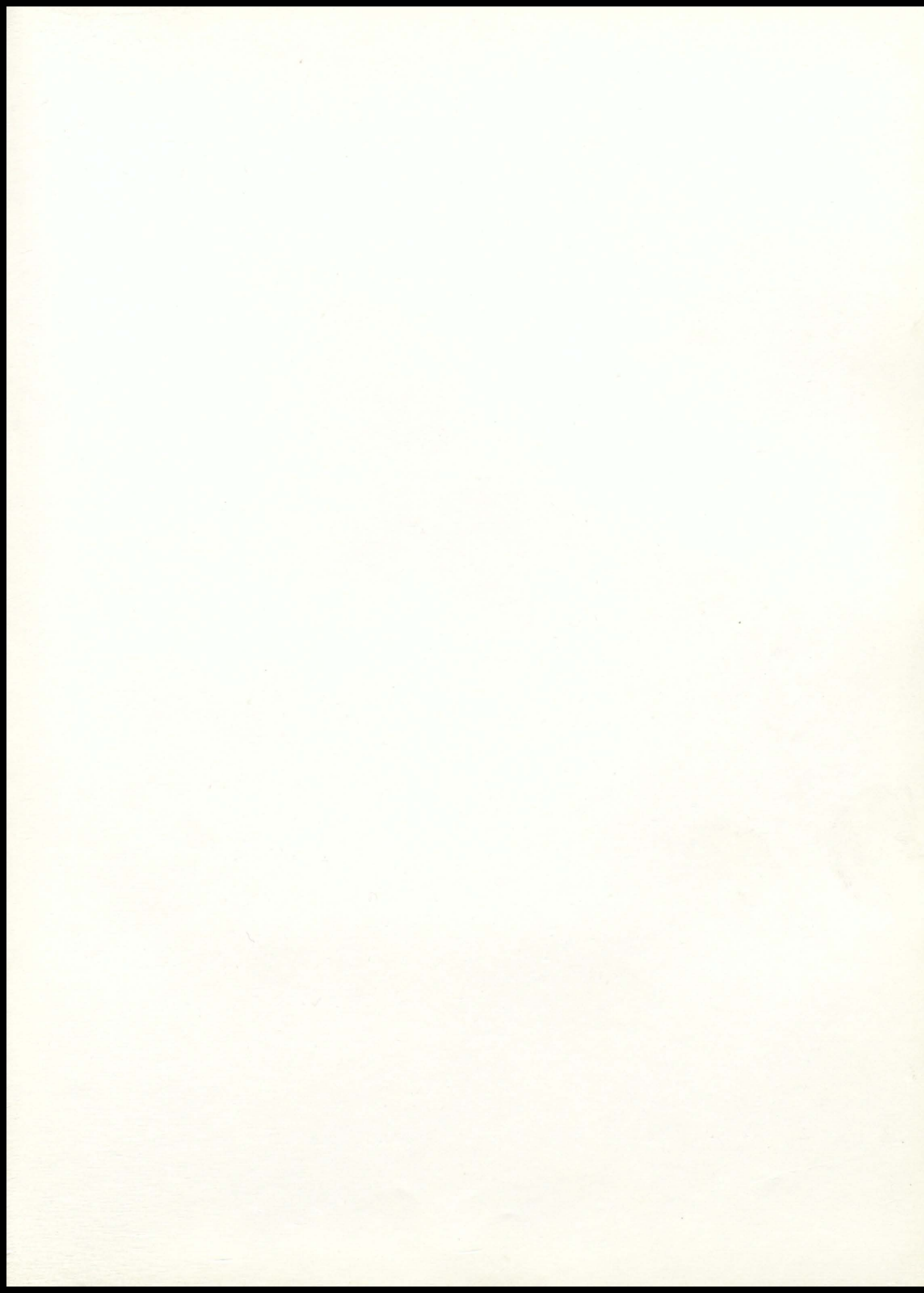
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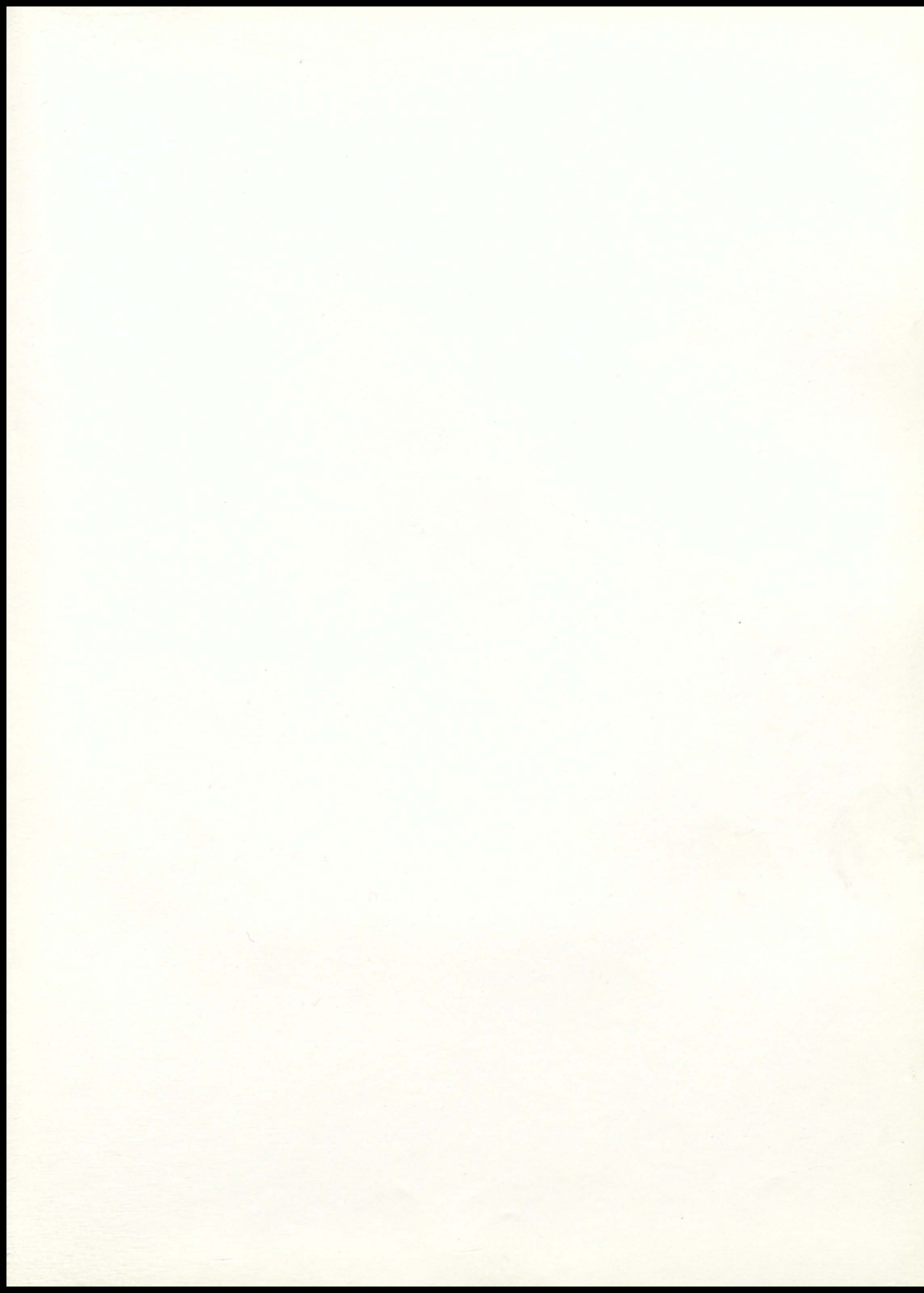
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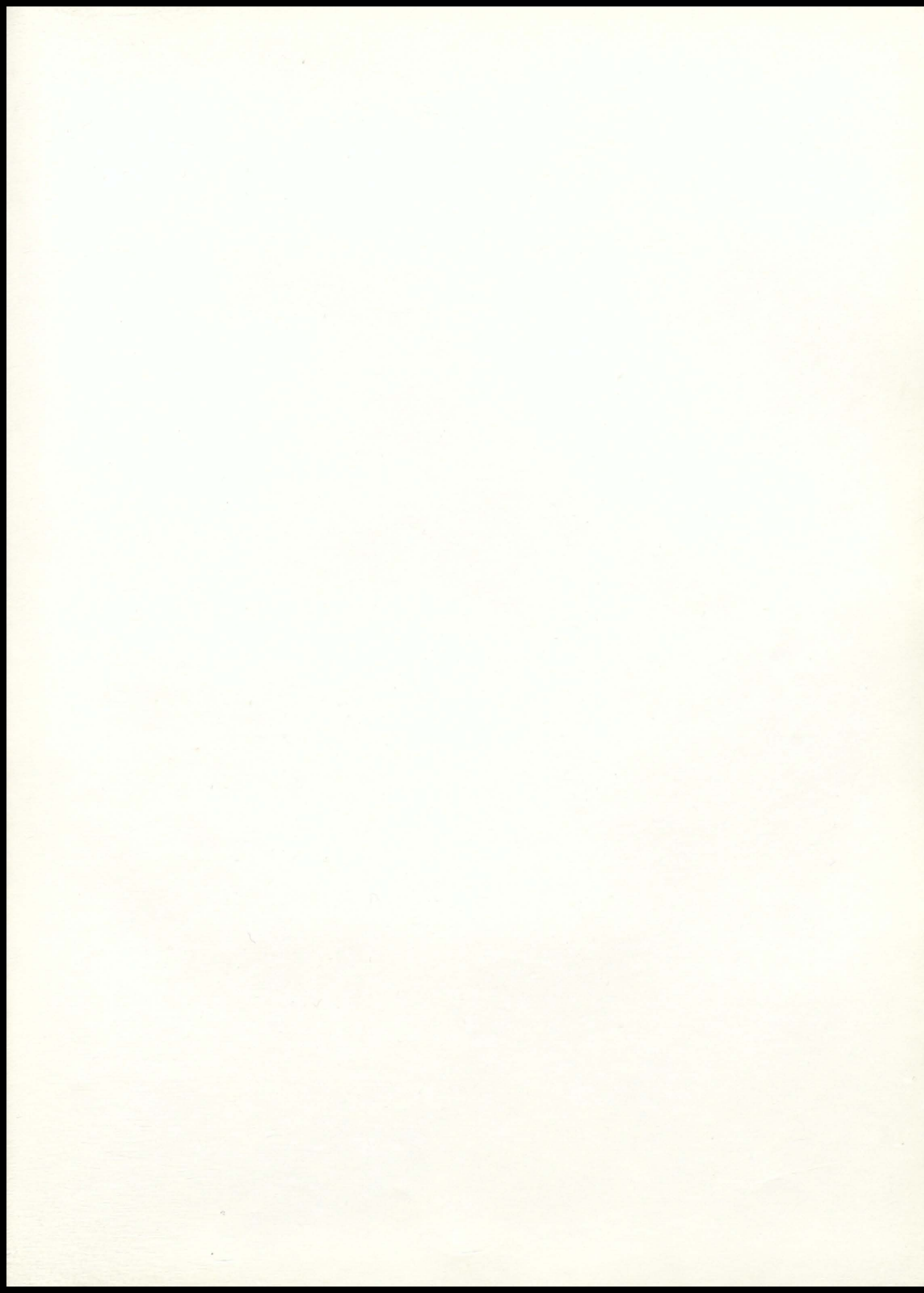
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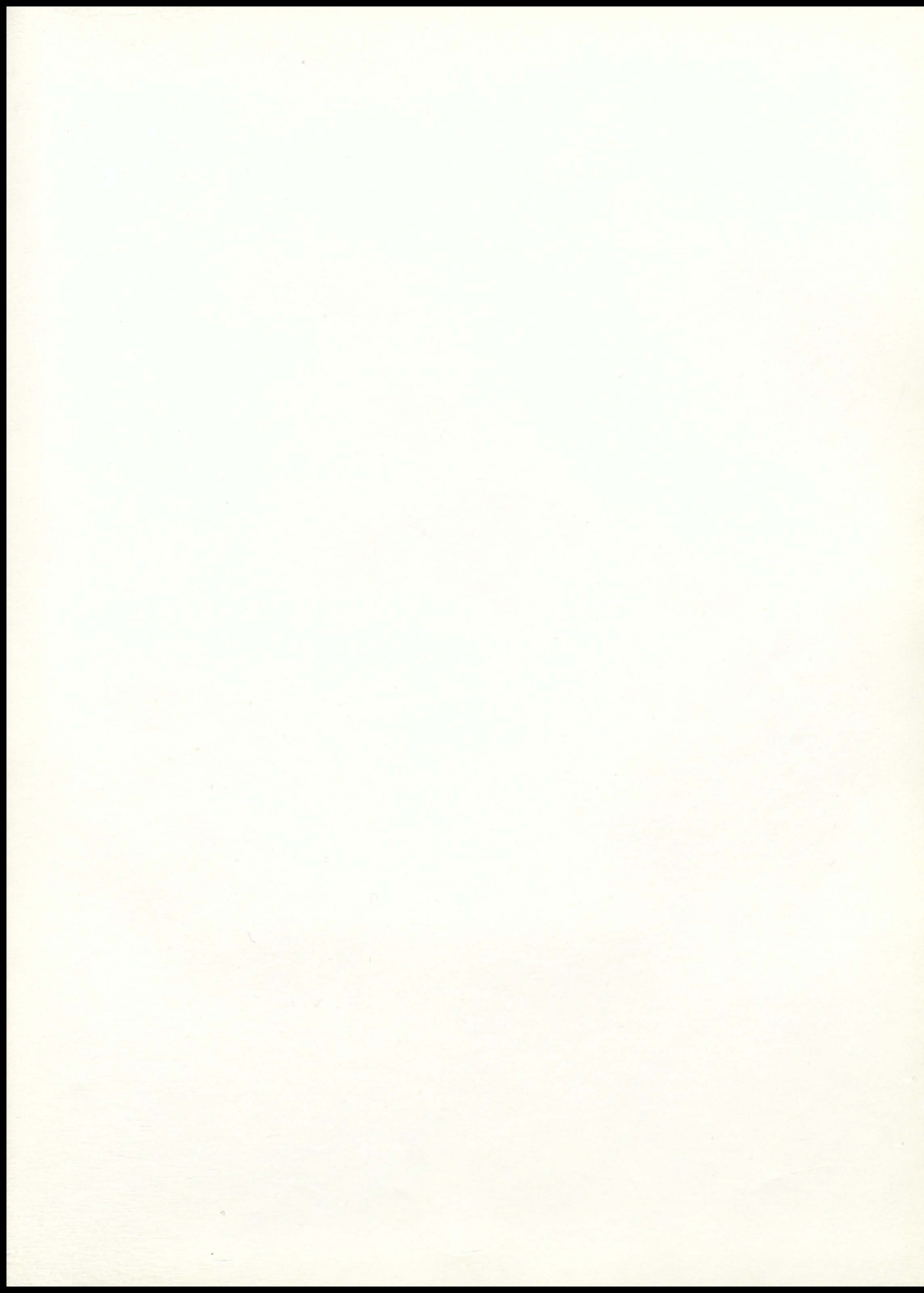
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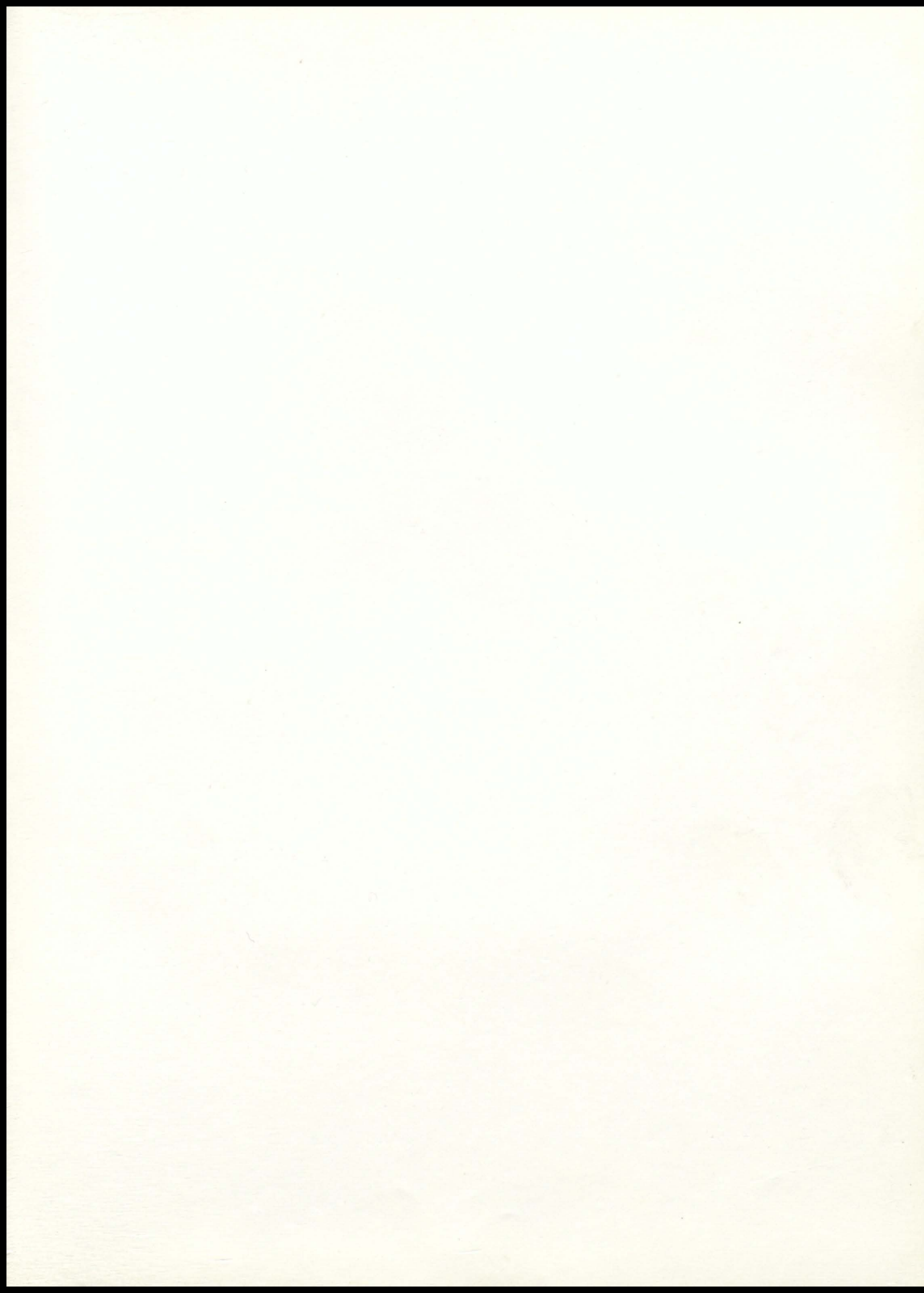
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