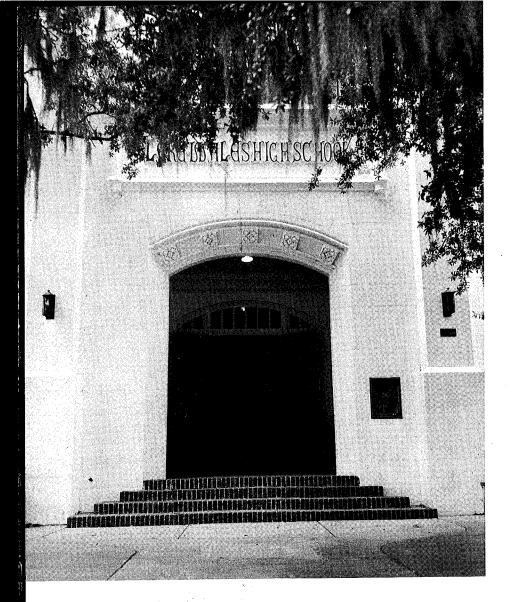


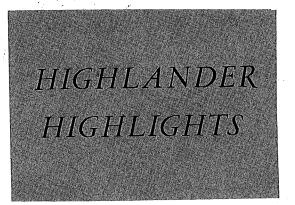


> CROWN JEWEL

LAKE WALES HIGH SCHOOL LAKE WALES, FLORIDA

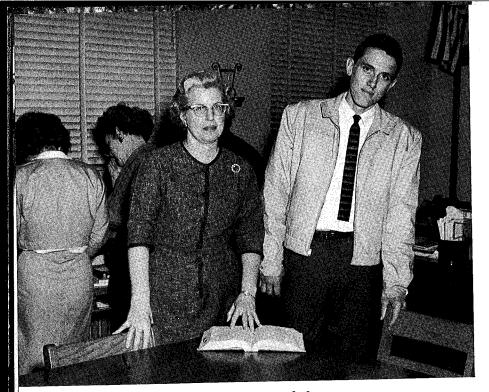
PROUDLY PRESENTS...





The building of Lake Wales High School was built one block on another, each block the strengthening support of the next. In the same manner was the atmosphere of Lake Wales High built. One tradition and then another built and strengthened the majesty of our school. Each year, as these traditions grow a little stronger, our school grows a little greater. We have always been proud of our fine traditions, which we endeavor to uphold for the glory of Lake Wales High School.

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Miss Tillman is always willing to help every student in the library.

WE HONOR

We honor Mrs. Edwards, for her untiring aid with the Crown Jewel; Mr. Brow, for his patience with our class; and Mrs. Sims, for her many years of accompanying members of both the chorus and the band.





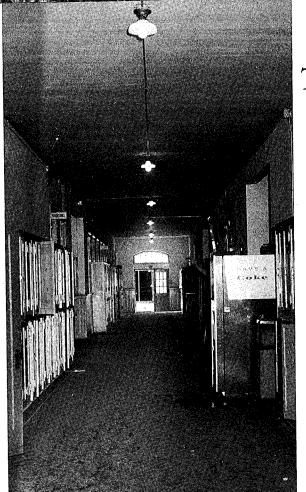
WE DEDICATE

We dedicate our 1963 Crown Jewel to Miss Ola Belle Tillman.



Dedication

MISS OLA BELLE TILLMAN



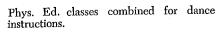
The silence before the storm.



Mrs. Futch made Solid Geometry classes more interesting by using her blocks.

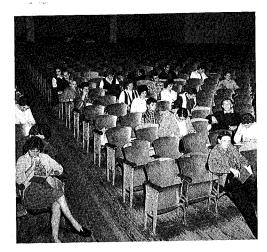


Dances are a favorite



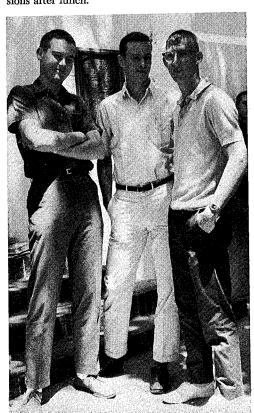


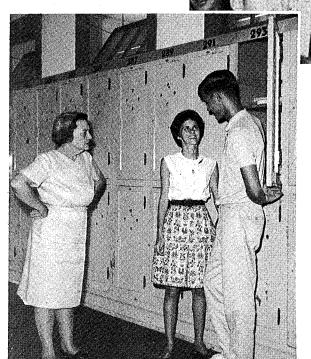
THESE HIGHLIGHT OUR EVERYDAY LIVES



This is a study hall?!?

These superior Seniors have intellectual discussions after lunch.



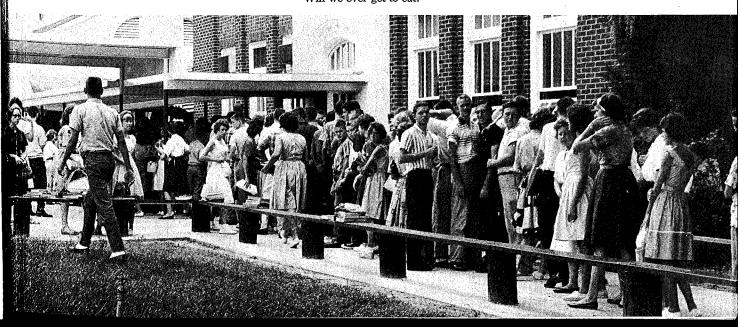


Can you imagine why anyone would be late to class?



"Good bye, I love you."

Will we ever get to eat?

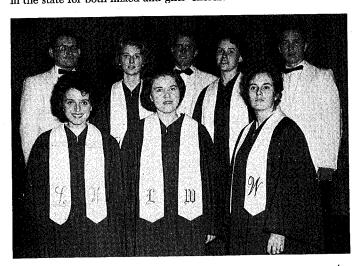


Members of the track team admire their conference and district trophies.



Senior English students competed in the DAR speech con-

Our chorus was again outstanding this year, winning superior ratings in the state for both mixed and girls' chorus.



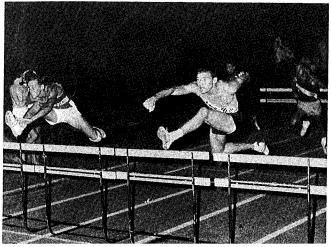


Our service organizations perform many tasks for the school and community.

OUR CHARACTER



Many track ribbons and trophies were won this year.

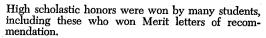


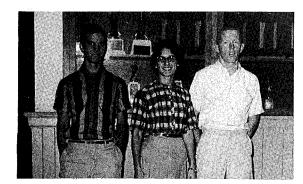
The mighty Highlander Band performed in numerous parades and festivals.





Talented performers brought honors to our school.





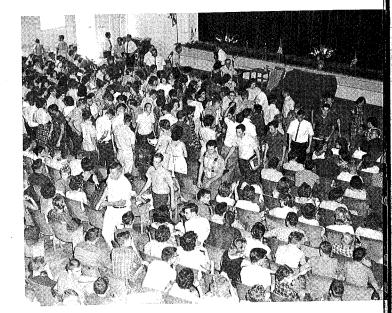
Several Business Education students received certificates for outstanding shorthand speed.





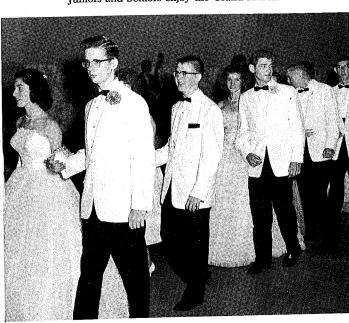
Sandra Jones was the traditional Queen of the May.

OUR SCHOOL SPIRIT IS CREATED BY OUR TRADITIONS



Assembly is dismissed. SENIORS OUT FIRST.

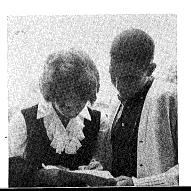






Shall we do 'baskets' next?

Don't say it out loud. Write me a note.



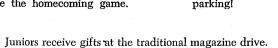


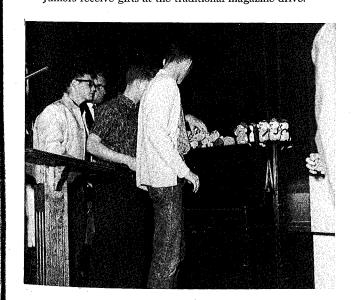


The dummy hung high before the homecoming game.



Aha! Caught you double parking!





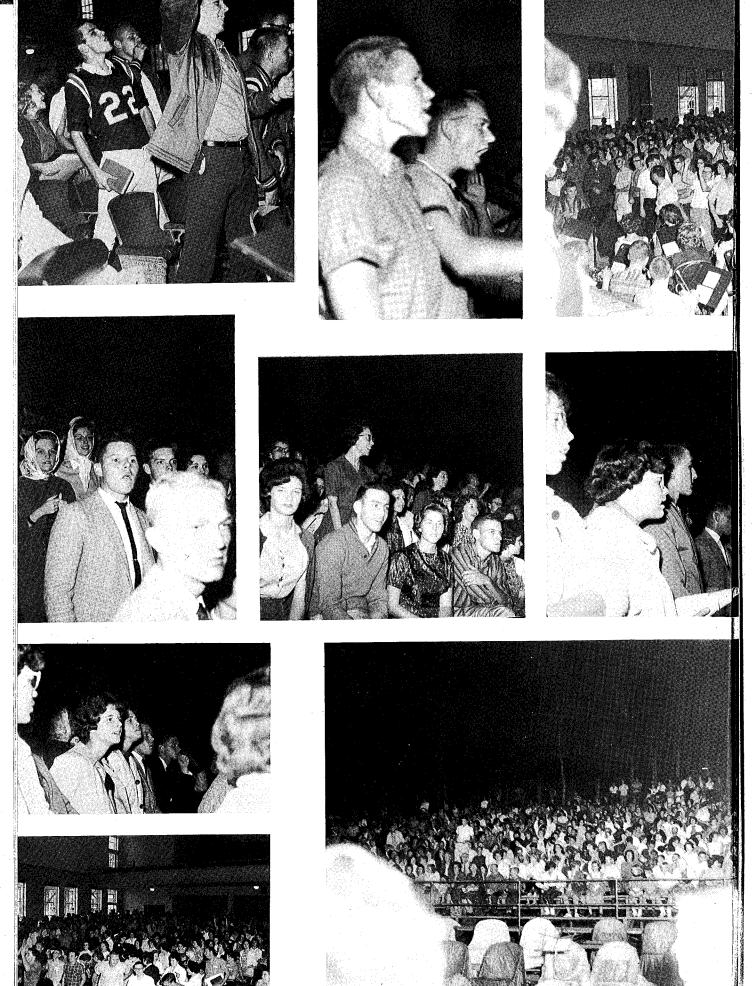


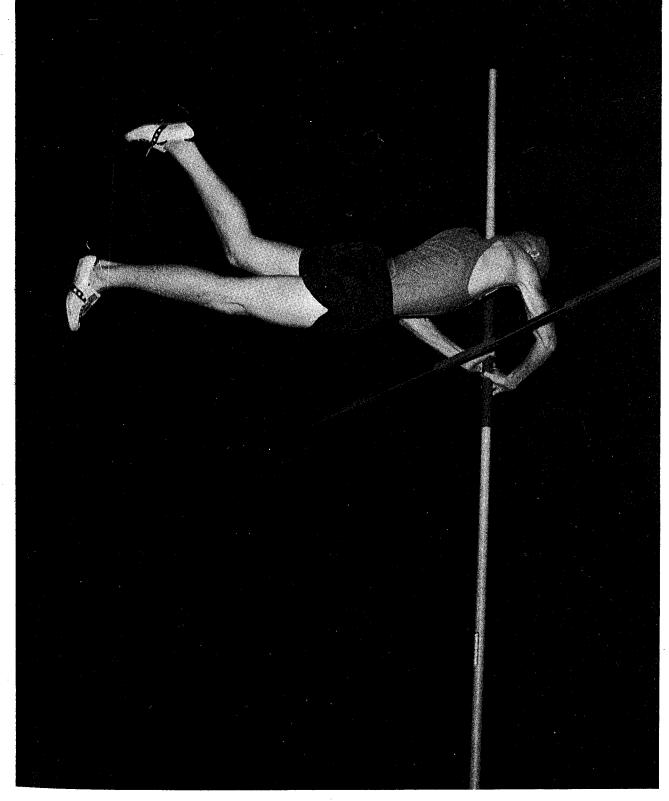
Anyone for a swim?



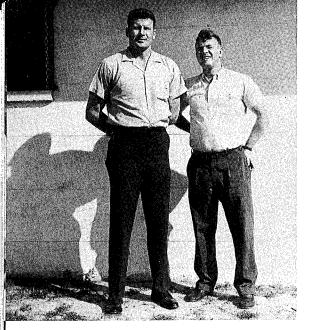


The Physics class was proud of Miss Waldrop's Christmas tree.

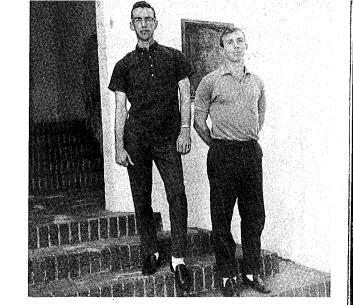




SPORTS





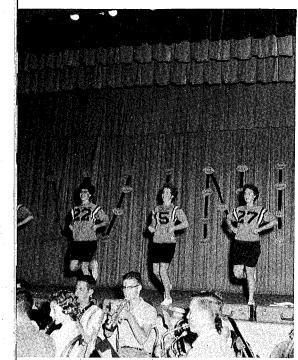


MANAGERS DERYL BULLINGTON AND DOUG BROWN

1963 HIGHLANDERS

The Highlander football squad had a successful season this year with 6 wins and 4 losses. They topped their season off with an impressive victory over Haines City, who is their arch-rival. The team was lead by all-conference players Ron Kikta, Jim Collins, and Vic Story. Others receiving honorable mention for their fine play were Doug Morrison, Bill Ward, Joe Walker, Charles Taylor, and Terry Story.

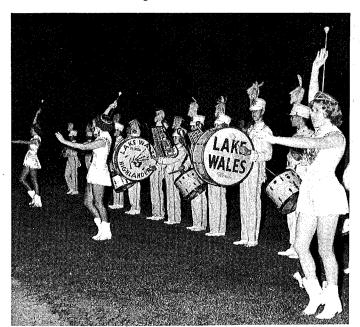
Spirit in the school

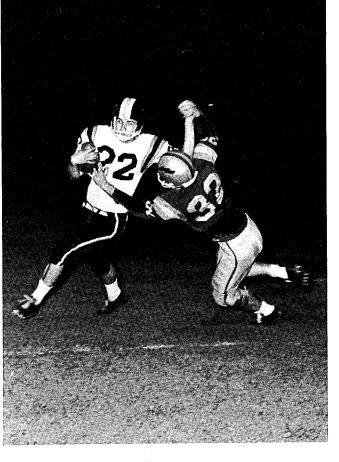


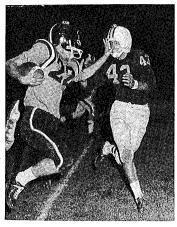
SCHEDULE

		Avon Park6
Lake Wales Lake Wales		Sebring 7 Mulberry 0
		Wauchula19
Lake Wales	0	Plant City 12
		Bartow 26
Lake Wales	12	Dade City0
Lake Wales	6	Auburndale14
		Kathleen 7
Lake Wales	19	Haines City 13

Spirit on the field



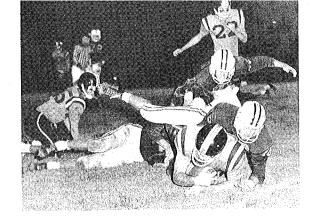


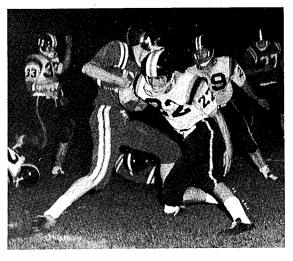






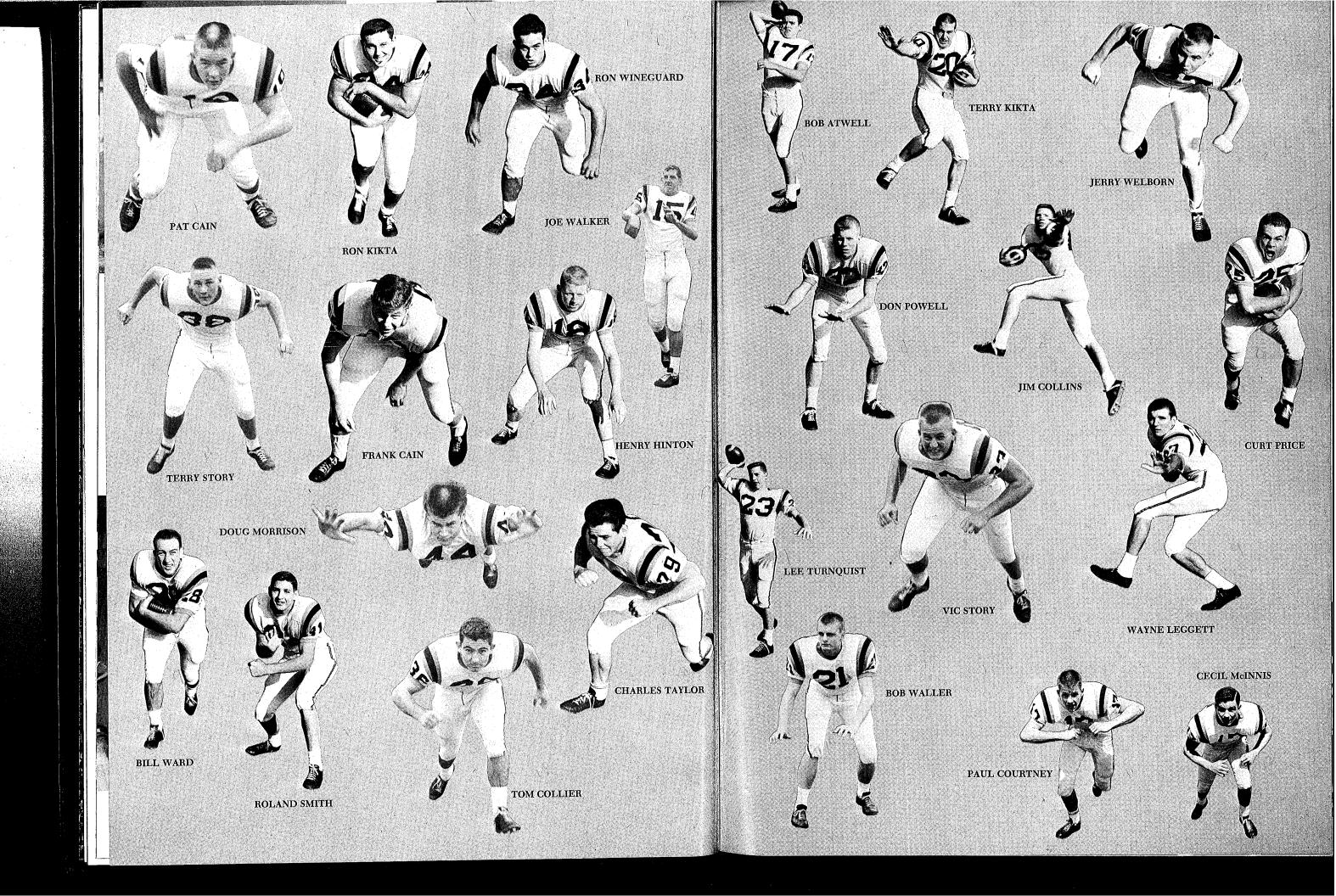








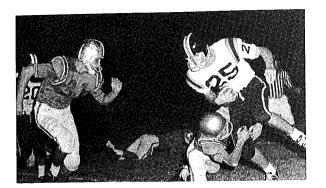


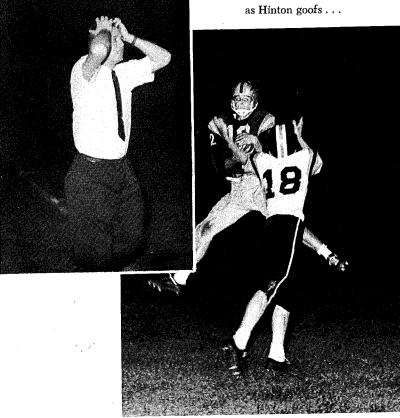


Toss of the coin

Coach watches. . . .

HIGHLIGHTS





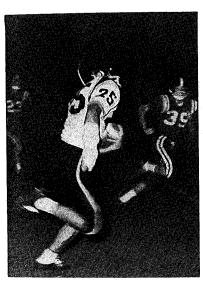
in goes another player.



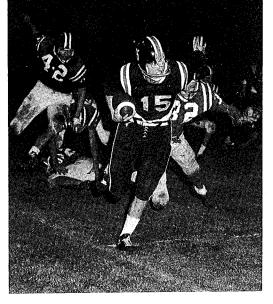
OF THE GAME



Coach shouts encouragement . . .



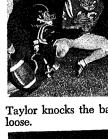
"Bull" Price plays with his hurt arm.



... as Walker carries the ball.



Coach signals another defense.





Kikta travels for a few yards.

The game ends with a final drive.



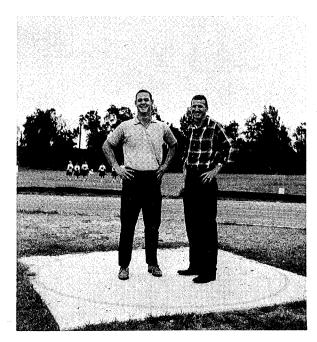


FRONT ROW: Colvin, Hancock, Armstrong, Marlowe, Jacobs, Tom Morgan, assistant manager; Waters, Buchanan, Nelms, Sullivan, M., Sullivan, B. SECOND ROW:

Marston, McEntire, Byrd, Morrison, Robertson, Clark, Bowers, Horn, Hendricks, Skipper, McLauren, manager.

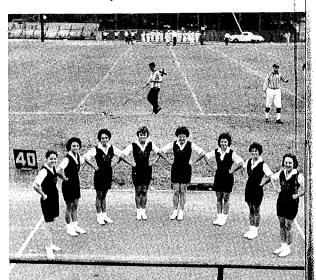
JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL





J-V COACHES, DALE FAIR & BILL REEVES.

J-V CHEERLEADERS.





NINTH GRADE COACHES, JAMES REARDON & JACK McNEIL.

Schedule

	Lake Alfred 0 Bartow (
	Auburndale 7
	Haines City 7 Winter Haven 20
	Mulberry 8

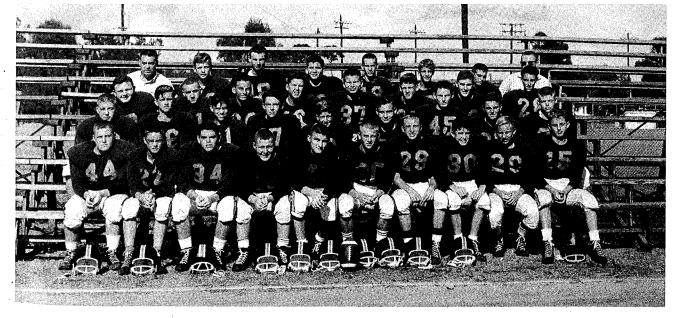
FRONT ROW: Morgan, Huband, McCann, Morgan, J., Williams, Shelton, Marrow, Heath, Pike, Bradley. SECOND ROW: Ebel, Stokes, Ciszlk, Wellman, Hudson, Pevel, Mitchell, Cash, Helm. THIRD ROW: Goodman, Sheffield,

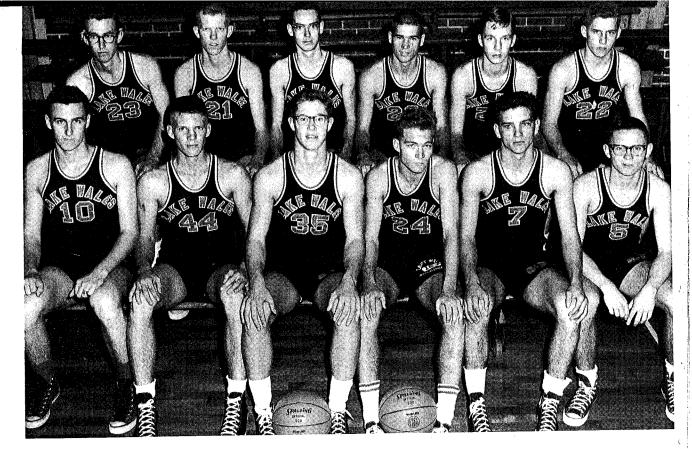
NINTH GRADE FOOTBALL

NINTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS.

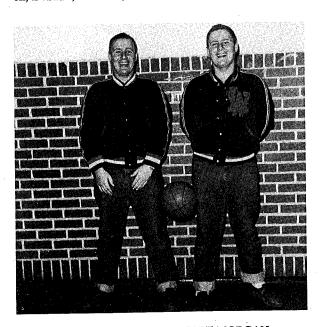


Skinner, Shaw, Walson, McCormack, Stokes. LAST ROW: Coach Reardon, Helm, Phil Harburk, Lewis, Eiford, Wellman, Baily, Coach McNeil.





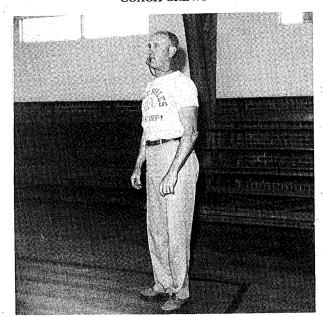
FRONT ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Sprott, Collins, Cain, Wright, McInnis, Settle. SECOND ROW: Bullington, Powell, Debault, Moriston, Dunn, Turnquist.

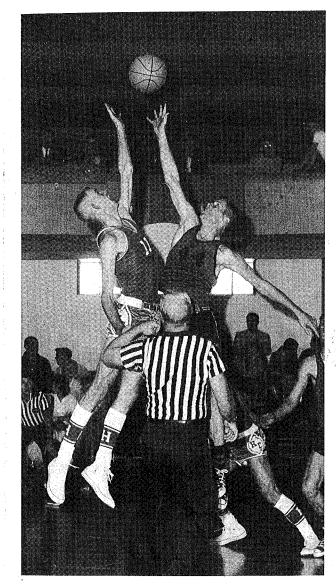


MANAGERS JERRY & TERRY MORGAN.

The Highlander Basketball team played good ball this year. Many exciting games were witnessed by the fans, especially the games with Haines City and Jefferson high schools.





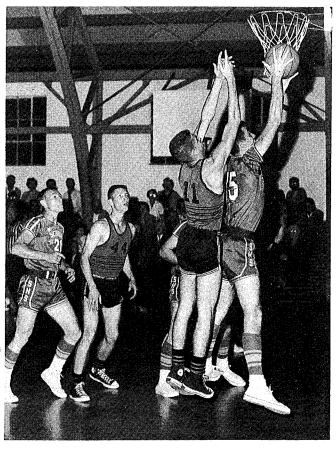


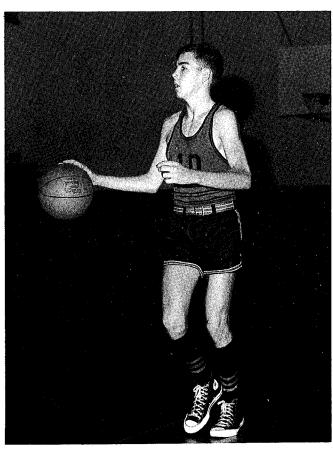
HIGHLIGHTS OF THE GAME

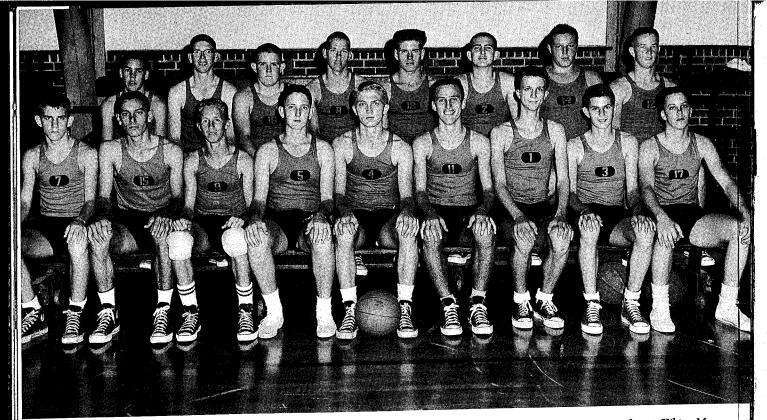
Collins gets the tip off ...

Opposing team captures rebound . . .

Then Marston dribbles to Victory.







LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT ROW: Howell, Bunner, Roberts, Rucks, Seymour, Whitaker, Harris, Gukich, Halloran.

SECOND ROW: Moriston, Marbutt, Marlowe, Kikta, Morrison, Edwards, Byrd, Cain.

B-BASKETBALL

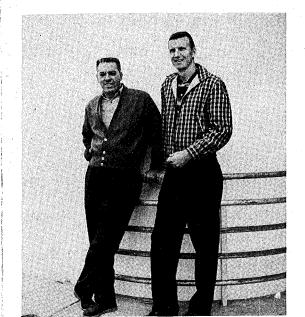
Coach Brow watches intently.





Phil Harbuck was a great help to the Coach.

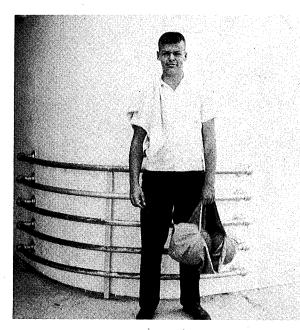




COACHES JIM REARDON AND BILL REEVES

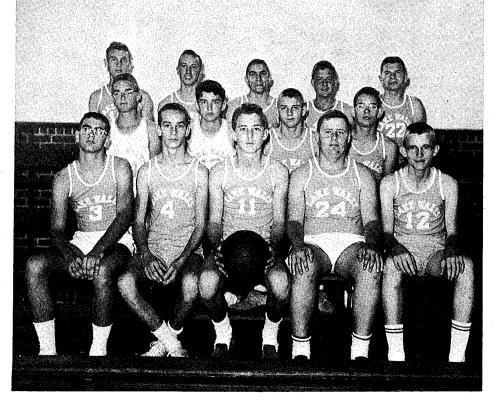
NINTH GRADE BASKETBALL

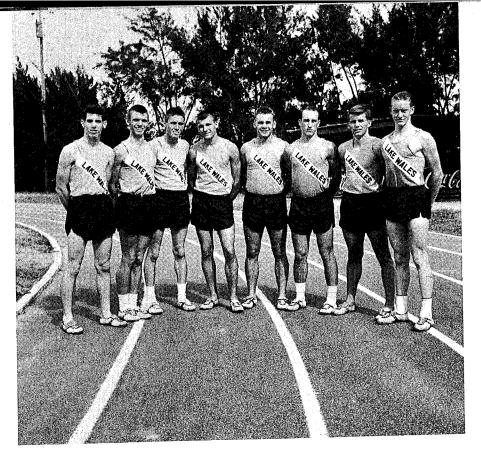




FRONT ROW: Bailey, Eiford, Bradley, Morgan, T., Linton. SECOND ROW: Tennant, Heath, Shelton, Bunner. BACK ROW: Harbuck, Marrow, Williams, Ebel, Shaw.







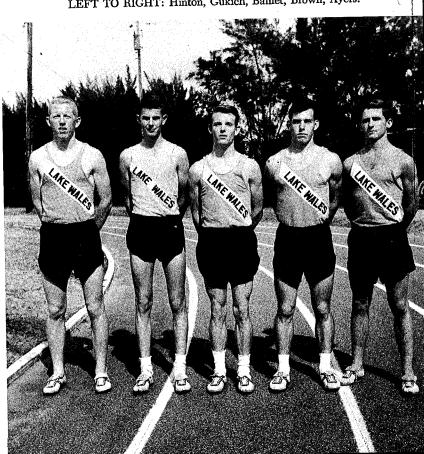
SPRINT MEN LEFT TO RIGHT: Bowers, Pitroff, Byrd, Leggett, Price, Ward, Gooch, McEntire.

TRACK

The Highlander Track team had a very successful season. They won most of the meets in which they participated, including the Conference meet and the District meet. Most of the support came from Wayne Leggett who ran the hurdles and anchored the medley relay. He also captured many firsts in the broad jump. Miler John Balliet, Curt "Bull" Price, Bob Waller and Henry Hinton were also contributing factors to the fine season. Curt ran the 100 and 220 yard dashes; Hinton ran in the 880 yard run; and Waller & Hinton pole vaulted. Helping the team out in the other field events were high jumper Terry Dunn and weight man Jerry Welborn.

DISTANCE MEN

LEFT TO RIGHT: Hinton, Gukich, Balliet, Brown, Ayers.



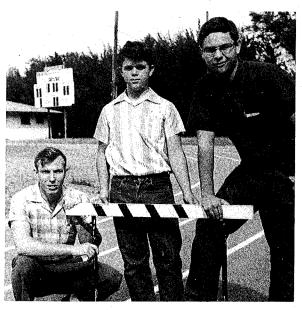


LEFT TO RIGHT: Waller, Dunn, Waters, Welborn.



COACH H. L. HIERS

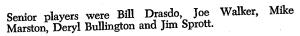
MANAGERS BROWN, NELMS, HERKO

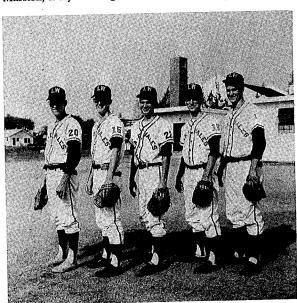




LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT ROW: Scorer John Mitchell, Kikta, Underwood, Turnquist, Padgett, Marston, Marbutt, Hurlbut, Edwards, Jacobs, Managers Dick Harrell and

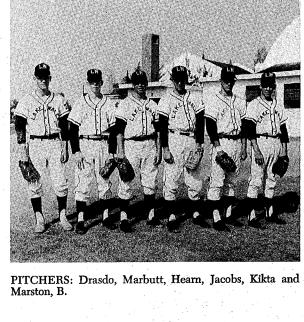
Eddie Howard. SECOND ROW: Coach Fair, Hearn, Marston, M., Clark, Walker, Sprott, Drasdo, Bullington, Whitaker, and Blackwell.





BASEBALL

The Highlander Baseball team had a good season this year with 7 wins and 7 losses. Leading the batting was Pic Hearn with a .400 average while Bill Drasdo led in pitching with a 2.53 earned run average.

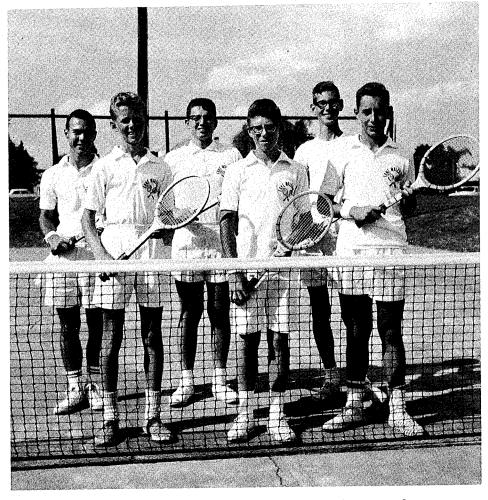




INFIELD: LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT ROW: Hurlbutt, Padgett, Turnquist and Underwood. SECOND ROW: Sprott, Marston, M., Edwards, Hearn and Walker.

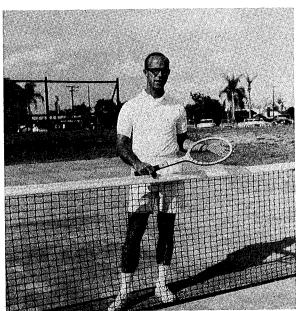
OUTFIELD: Whitaker, Bullington; Clark, Kikta and Blackwell.





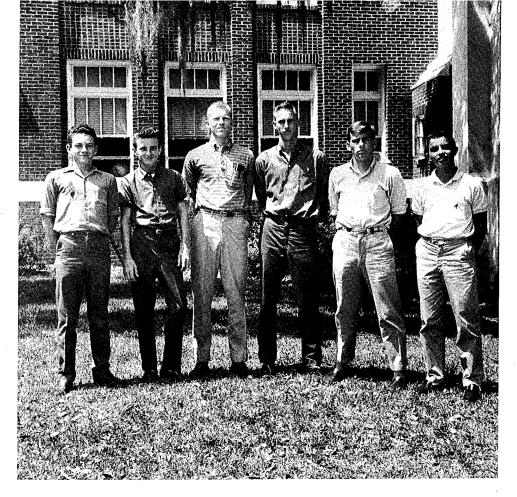
LEFT TO RIGHT: Carter, Updike, Penniman, Merchant, Blevins, Herndon.

COACH BATES



TENNIS

Coach Bates worked his boys hard this year. As a result of this, they won the S. W. F. Conference meet and the Polk County meet. Since only one senior is graduating, the team is looking forward to an even better season next year.



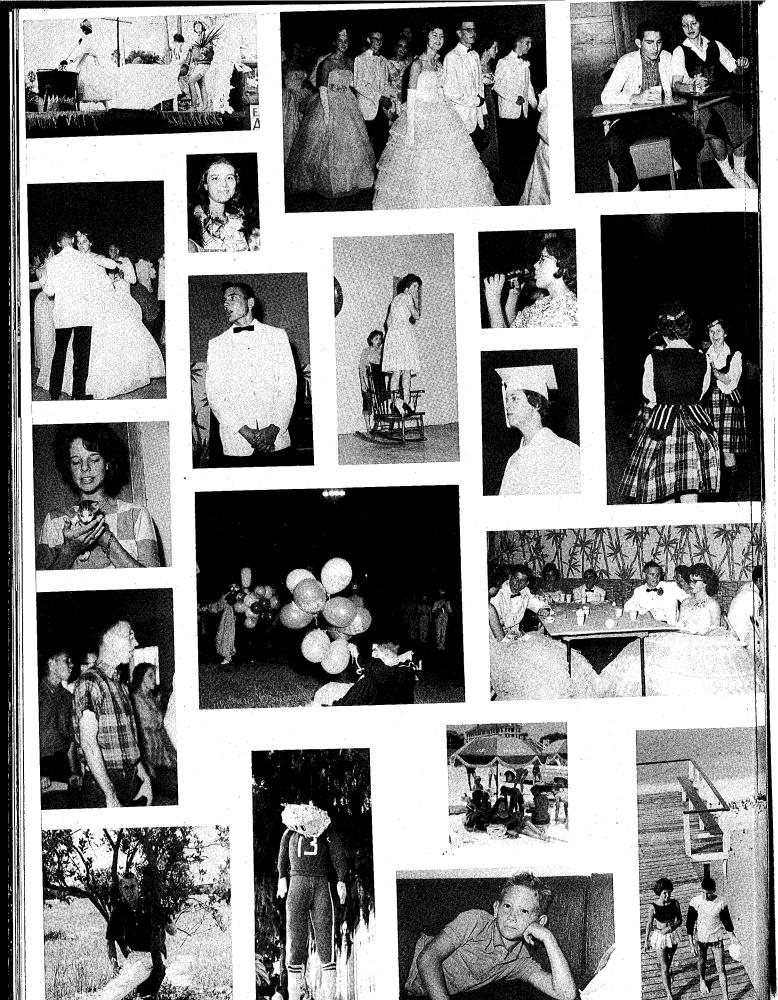
LEFT TO RIGHT: Kyser, Conner, Powell, Hickox, Gooch, Scamehorn. Missing was Steve Young.

GOLF

The golf team this year was coached by F. S. McLaughlin and headed by co-captains Kent Gooch and Don Powell. Since there are no graduates on the team, Mr. Mac is expecting an even better performance from the boys next year.

Coach Mac shows golf team his technique.







ORGANIZATIONS

LAKE WALES HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT COUNDLE PRESIDENTS THE STREET COUNTY OF THE STREET COUNTY OF

President Sharon's name was added to the new Student Council plaque.

The representative governing body of the students, the Student Council, was established to promote school citizenship and to co-ordinate activities within the school. It has charge of the Monday morning devotions, the school supplies, the chimes at lunch, the Homecoming parade, the Highlander Fling, and the Christmas Mistletoe Dance. The Student Council is affiliated with the National Association of Student Councils.

FIRST ROW: Leggett, Williamson, Stanton (Recording Secretary', Perry (Corresponding Secretary), McKeeman (President), Hood (Vice-President), Kenney (Treasurer), Mr. Wilson (Sponsor), Herndon, Underwood. SECOND ROW: Burr, Hubbard, Eiford, Gill, Brice, Gooch, Gilbreath, Coop-



STUDENT COUNCIL

The Christmas Dance was enjoyed by all.



er, Deckle, Updike. THIRD ROW: Cain, Holland, Sullivan, Hearn, Johnson, Herndon, Mann, Chellberg, Mott, Stephens. FOURTH ROW: Turnquist, Coleman, Young, Powell, Williams.



FIRST ROW: Welling, Burns, Hood, Hubbard (Secretary), Ridge (Vice President), Miss Tillman (Sponsor), Perry (President), Cooper (Treasurer), Cain, Gooch. SECOND

ROW: Combs, Stanton, Griffith, Updike, McCoy, Horton, Wolfson, Sutton, Beetle. THIRD ROW: Smith, Fann, Hinton, Morrison, Sprott, Waller, Ingley.

HONOR SOCIETY

The Honor Society, affiliated with the State and National Honor Societies, gives recognition of outstanding scholarship, leadership, service, and character. It conducted the Thanksgiving assembly, devotions during Holy Week, a week's program against cheating, and a reception for the faculty and prospective members.



The installation of new members was made impressive by a candlelight ceremony.

The Honor Society led a campaign against cheating during exam week.



New members Kathy Manry, Susan Burr, and Nancy Mahoney helped at the tea for the faculty and prospective members.





SUZY HUBBARD captain "We've got a team that's hot, by golly!"



ROBIN HOOD co-captain "Is everybody happy?"



DIANE PERKY "Go, Highlanders, go!"



SUZIE COOPER "Go, team, fight team . . ."



BUFFY COMBS "There's a reason . . ."







BARBARA BURNS
"Clap your hands, stomp your feet . . ."





CHEERLEADERS

The cheerleaders encouraged school spirit with pep rallies and lively bounce at the football and basketball games. They sponsored a clinic to im-prove their techniques and a dance to start the football season.



Manager Kathy Manry asks Sponsor Mrs. Smith, "Why can't they do 'Hip, hip'?"



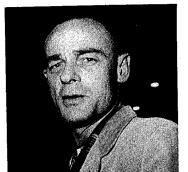
Melinda Morris, Mary Jo Holland, Darlene Cherry, Gail Gill (Captain) Vikie Lasseter (Co-Captain), Raylene Tindell, Ellen Eiford, Linda Johnsen. Patty Cheek was also a member of the regular squad and Nancy Mahoney and Charlotte Martin were substitutes.



"Hey, hey, ho,ho, come on Lake Wales, let's



FIRST ROW: Mr. Campbell (Sponsor,) Kenney, Eckels, Seymour (Secretary), Bullington (Vice President), Ingley (President), DeBault (Treasurer), Kinzie, Carter, Story. SECOND ROW: Wright, Howell, Harris, Stephenson,



Mr. Campbell directs Key Club

Lots of interesting things are found during locker clean-up.



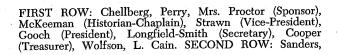
Bowers, Hearn, Powell, Merchant, Fann. THIRD ROW: Johnson, Drasdo, Glisson, Morrison, Brice, Price, Ward, Phillips.

KEY CLUB

The Key Club's motto, "We Build," forms the foundation of this service club, established to build leadership and personal character. The Key Club is affiliated with the Kiwanis Club and Key Club International. This year's major projects were raising money for the Polk County Mental Health Clinic, Career Day, and an Interclub-Faculty luncheon, in addition to the many school and community projects.

Tastes like a good meeting.





Hubbard, Hood, K. Cain, Jones, Burr, Stanton, Padgett, Ingle. THIRD ROW: Burns, Wenzel, Lasseter, Manry, Combs, Jeffrey, Ridge, Sutton, Myers, Whitlock, Griffith, Updike.

BEACON CLUB

Sponsored by the BPWC, the Beacon Club serves the school and community. Among its established services are hall duty at noon, flowers for the office and the teachers' room, educational assembly programs, and entertainment for residents of rest homes. The club also assists in such projects as the Spook Hill Halloween Carnival and Operation Bookstrap.



The BPWC presents the officers with charms at the installation.

We wrung 'em all right!







FIRST ROW: Johnson, Nelson, Underwood, Gilbreath (Advertising), Unsinger (Secretary), Thompson (President), Walker (Vice President), McGinnis, Martin, (Entertain-

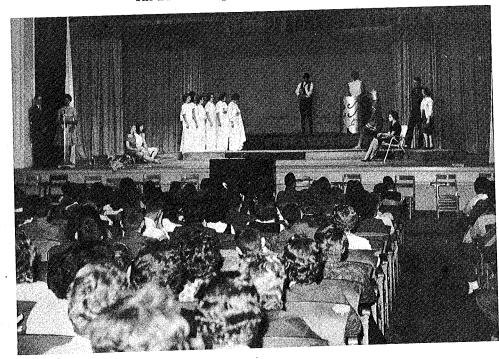
DRAMATIS

ment), Miss Baxter (Sponsor). SECOND ROW: Lewis, Sanders, Ingle, Shiver, Lasseter, Evans, Vogel, Backus, Brown, Whidden.

TIS PERSONAE

The purpose of the newly formed Dramatics 'Club is to promote entertainment and culture by the presentation of dramatic productions. It debuted with the Masquerade Ball and presented a clever assembly on the history of drama.

The Drama Club presents the history of drama.



FIRST ROW: Hinton, Marbutt, Mann, Akers (Treasurer), Williamson (Vice-President), Sprott (President), Anderson (Secretary), Baker, Walker, Waller. SECOND ROW: John-

son, Herndon, Gukich, Hurlbut, Settle, Smith, Parsons, Blevins, Cain. THIRD ROW: Allegro, Dunkelberger, Underwood, Leggett, Weeks.

INTERACT

The Interact Club was established to provide opportunity for young men to work together in a world fellowship dedicated to service and international understanding. It is affiliated with the Rotary Club. Besides sponsoring many school improvement projects, Interact has served the community in many ways, such as raising money for the March of Dimes and for Project Amigo and furnishing transportation to the Passion Play.

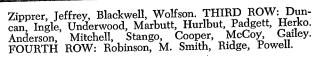


Get to work, boys!

Sponsor Hiers outlines coming program.



FIRST ROW: Kimbrel, Hood, Hubbard, Jones, Crouse, (Secretary) R. Smith (President), Walker (Vice-President), Strawn (Treasurer), Mrs. Cotter (Sponsor), Chellberg. SECOND ROW: Byron, Hudgins, Stephenson, Settle, Brice,





Spanish Club's homecoming entry proved a prophecy.

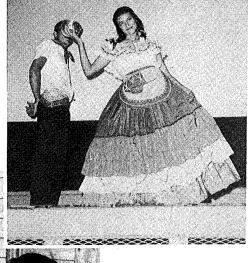
Los Picaros was formed to develop enjoyment in speaking the language and in learning more about the Latin peoples. Speakers who have visited Spanish-speaking countries frequently address the club. This year's major project, besides the annual beach trip, was a share in Operation Amigo.

LOS PICAROS

The Amigos are greeted with smiles and signs.



Tony and Stella display a Costa Rican dance.



LOS PICAROS



Amigas enjoy our customs.



FIRST ROW: Pearson, Johnson, Martin, Manry, Griffith, Davis, Balliet, Burns, Murrey, Contway. SECOND ROW: Tomko, Senterfitt, Stanton, Updike, Clark, Grant, Peterson, Conner, Arthur. THIRD ROW: Harrell, Davis,

Wetmore, Morris, Edwards, Dopler, Spielman, Jamison, Cherry, Flint, Mylan, McLaurin. FOURTH ROW: Childs, Roberts, Clemons, Cannon, Fann, Green, Nelson, Rucks, Marston, Schmitt.





FIRST ROW: Hood, Sprott, Ingley, Combs (Corresponding Secretary), Manry (President), Kinzie (Vice-President), Burns (Secretary-Treasurer), Strawn, Leckey, Mrs. Petering (Sponsor). SECOND ROW: Flagg, K. Holmen, Sanders, Carter, Perry, L. Cain, Longfield-Smith, Cooper, Myers. THIRD ROW: DeVille, Lewis, Lawson. FOURTH ROW:

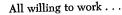
Rhoden, Eckels, Burr, Whitlock, Lasseter, Stanton, Stevenson, Holben, Updike, Horton, Heath, Mahoney, Samann, Sutton, Hubbard, Bush. FIFTH ROW: Prentice, Baker, Bullington, Issit, Ohlinger, Hagel, Weeks, Seymour, Whitaker, Dunkelberger, Johnson, Griffith, Coleman, Franklin, Beetle.



"Going, going, gone"

LATIN CLUB

The Latin Club's purpose is to develop an interest in both the Romans' language and their activities, and how their influence is felt today. It's major activities include the Latin Banquet, a trip to the Ringing Art Museum and to the beach, and the slave auction.







What am I bid for this slave?

LATIN CLUB

FIRST ROW: Gill, Sikes, Martin, Harrell, Holland, Murdoch, Baggett, Purdy. SECOND ROW: Eiford, Ezell, Weathersbee, Paradis, Commeville, Cain, Tindell, Sullivan, Hamilton, Bright. THIRD ROW: Weeks, Fejes, Lamb, Maughan, Moran, Scarborough, Brannen, Abell, Bowers.

FOURTH ROW: Owens, Stevens, Boman, Fancher, Cain, Batten, Armstrong, Ingle, Turnquist, Holman, Marlowe, Howard, Cruz, Glisson, Howell, Gukich, Akers, Kenny, DeBault. FIFTH ROW: Blevins, Rogers, Ainsley, Herndon, Parsons, Harris, Jacobs, Johnson, Merchant, Gooch, Gaston, Updike, Gravel, Elliotte.





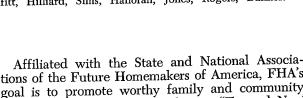
FIRST ROW: Holland (Secretary), Waller (Sweetheart), McMillan (V.P.-Public Relations). SECOND ROW: Mrs. Phillips (Co-sponsor), Tindell (Historian), Kimbrel (V. P.-Degrees), Wolfson (V.P.-Projects), Gukich, (V.P.-Program, Linton (President), Paradis (Parliamentarian), Veirs (V.P.-Recreation), Fancher (Treasurer), Miss Dixon (Co-sponsor). THIRD ROW: Shiver, Wilks, Lane, Sikes, Cooper, Moran,

Weathersbee, Balliett, Martin. FOURTH ROW: Tibado, Smell, Mills, Shiver, Messer, Simmons, Baggett, E. Smith, Chellberg, Perdue, Maughan, Boman, Beetle, Hansen, Williamson, McCoy, Gailey, Raymond. FIFTH ROW: Contway, Green Martin, Rhoden, C. Smith, Greer, Kirkland, Hudson, Griffith, Campbell, Robinson, Thornton, Senterfitt, Hilliard, Sims, Halloran, Jones, Rogers, Bunner.



Mary Jo Holland made this emblem as a project for State President Elect.

Diane presides at the annual Mother-Daughter



Affiliated with the State and National Associations of the Future Homemakers of America, FHA's goal is to promote worthy family and community living both now and in the future—"Toward New Horizons." Among its various activities are the Welcome Party, Fashion Show, Mother-Daughter Banquet, FHA Week, Tupperware Party, Daddy Date Night, Youth, CARE bake sale, and supply of the school clinic.





Sweetheart Bobby interviews his successor Wayne.



The girls treat their fathers on Daddy Date Night.

FHA

FIRST ROW: Plumb, Brown, Youmans, Thornhill, Peoples, Updike, Cruz, Gillispie, Lee, Taylor. SECOND ROW: Woods, Bracewell, Whatley, Peraza, Norem, Bishop, Stealy, Pollard, Whittle. THIRD ROW: Scholar, F. Smith, Ryman, Murrey, Waters, James, Kenney, McKeon, Copeland, Stein-

le, Ground, Thornton, Champ, Van Marsdon, Szeglowski, Kelly. FOURTH ROW: Price, S. Smith, Rogers, Anderson, Milner, Prescott, Plemens, Morris, Dekle, Dunkelberger, Perry, Senters, Furr, Fergerson, Miller, Goff, McDowell.





FIRST ROW: Skipper, King, Britt, Weeks, J. Brown (Chaplain), Kirkland, Hathcock, Lake. SECOND ROW: Alleck, Halloran, White, Denmark (Treasurer), Williams (Secretary), Mann (President), Keen (Reporter), M. Sullivan (Sentinel), Coppedge (Vice President), Ferro, White. THIRD

ROW: Hackle, Hollingsworth, Michael, Trambel, Rogers, Pitts, J. Stokes, Smith, Connelly, Averet. FOURTH ROW: McGinnis, Raulerson, Stokes, Croft, Howell, Cone, Collins, Norton, Weeks, Collier, Waters, B. Sullivan, Cash, D. Brown, McCormich, Hall, Mr. Lane (Adviser).



Awards were given to these boys for outstanding work in the local Future Farmers organization.

FFA

The Future Farmers of America is the national organization of, by, and for boys studying vocational agriculture. The foundation upon which the FFA is built includes leadership and character development, sportsmanship, cooperation, service, thrift, scholarship, improved agriculture, organized recreation, citizenship, and patriotism.



JUNIOR RED CROSS

The High School Red Cross is the youth membership of the American Red Cross. Projects in which our local chapter has participated include fund raising for local, national, and international service activities, the international gift box, and self-improvement through attendance at leadship training centers.



Thse Red Cross members were chosen to attend a Leadership Training Center during the summer.

Miss Waldrop consults with co-chairmen Donald and Ellen.

FIRST ROW: Moran, Horton, Bryan, Ingley, Ridge, Wolfson, Powell, Welling, K. Cain, Miss Waldrop. SECOND ROW: Senters, Morris, Perry, McKeeman, Chellberg, L. Cain, Longfield-Smith, Sikes, Purdy. THIRD ROW: Samaan, Thornhill, Van Marston, Wilson, Lamb, Maughan,

Davis, Updike, Heath, Martin, Weathersbee, Fancher, Hansen, Dopler, Woods, Mahogny. FOURTH ROW: Price, Hassell, Clark, Gill, Viers, Stevens. Balliett, Martin, Murdock, Hudgins, Stevenson, Holben, Perdue.



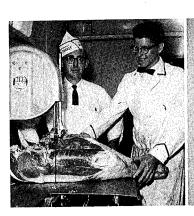
Terry presides at the Parents-Son Banquet.

DIVERSIFIED COOPERATIVE TRAINING

The DCT program is set up so that students can receive their education in the morning and work in the afternoons. The club participates in work in the afternoons. The club participates in many projects, among them the prize-winning float, the March of Dimes, and selling concessions at football games. This year's officers were Mack Platt, President; Tom Toia, 1st Vice President; James Hutchinson; 2nd Vice President; Barbara Bonneman, Secretary; Sherie Morris, Treasurer; Jackie Milner, Chaplain; Judy Branch, Historian; Bobbie Danford, Reporter; Jimmy Ayers, Sergeant-at-Arms. DCT's co-ordinator, Mr. Perry, states the guiding principles as such:

One of the cardinal principles of education from

many years ago indicated that education was inmany years ago indicated that education was intended to prepare young people for life. Today we see quite clearly that young people are living even as they go to school, and that work is a major part of every individual's life regardless of where this work is carried on. Therefore, part of the job of the school is to provide young people with those skills which will make it possible for them to carry on a productive life. DCT holds out to young people the opportunity to discover and develop to the fullest their interests, latent aptitudes, and abilities which will enable them to become more valuable citizens with a satisfying feeling of confidence and vocational security.



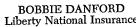
MACK PLATT Kwik Chek



CAMIE HUDSON Dr. C. P. Ezell



TOM TOIA McCrory's





JAMES HUTCHINSON Highlander Restaurant



JONNIE MOSER Nationwide Insurance





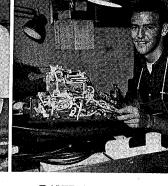
JIMMY AYERS Modern Body Shop



BARBARA BONNEMAN Townsend Lumber Co.



HARRELL HARRIS Publix Market



DAVID STEGALL Tyler Office Supply



LINDA FISHER Lake Wales Hospital



JUDY BRANCH Bradley, Johnson, Nelson, & Sprott



MARTHA ROBBINS Tower Furniture Co.



JOHN FEATHERS Morse Photo Service



JOYCE HUDSON Townsend Lumber Co.



CEREITHA McCALL Polk Engineering Co.

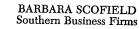


PAT BURKETT Publix Market



JACKIE MILNER First Baptist Church





GAYLIN PRESTON

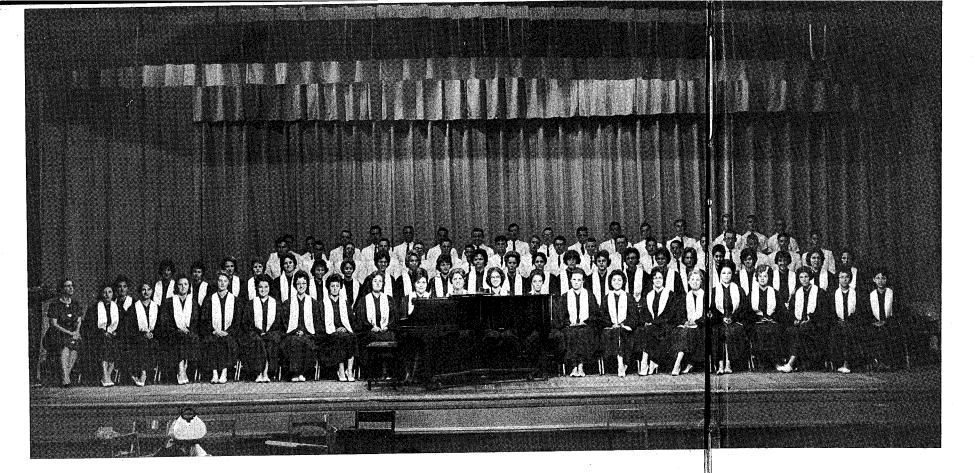
JOYCE MESSER The Gallery

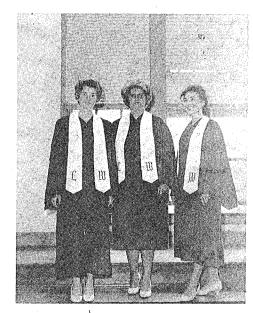












TRIO
Carolyn Welling, Iva Wright, Diane Perry.

MIXED CHORUS



Soloists Carolyn Welling, Doni Thompson, and Kathy Cain.

The Chorus has maintained a Superior rating at both District and State levels for many years. This year they sang at the Easter Sunrise Service, at the presentation of DAR speeches, at the Women's Club, and at a program for the Amigos. The Trio sang at the FFA Banuqet, and the Cain Quartet at the FHA Banquet. Receiving first place at District were soloists Terry Mann and Doug Howell. State and District winners included soloists Kathy Cain, Doni Thompson, and Carolyn Welling and a trio consisting of Iva Wright, Carolyn Welling, and Diane Perry. The officers of the chorus were Loucretia Cain, President; Pic Hearn, Vice-President; Sandra Ridge, Secretary; Kathy Cain, Treasurer. Mrs. Horne is the director and Mrs. Simms the accompanist.

GIRLS' CHORUS





HIGHLANDER BAND

The Lake Wales Highlander Band has become noted as one of the top concert and marching units in Florida. The Band in the past 20 years of competition has rated superior in every contest entered. This includes both district and state levels.

Each year the band is judged on playing, sight reading and marching. The Band participated in six football games, the Christmas and Spring Concerts, four Tourists Concerts, two local parades, and three out-of-town parades.

HIGHLANDERETTES-KNEELING: Janyce Gilbreath, Sharon McKeeman, Diane Linton. STANDING: Gail Mc-

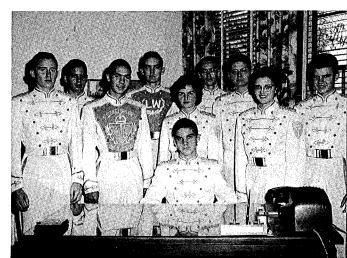
Millan, Joyce Allen, Ellen Wolfson, Carolyn Edwards, Kay Maughan, Ginger Updike, Ann Cruze, Janan Peeples.





Mr. Bishop with drum majors Jimmy Carter and Eddie Williamson.

OFFICERS—Bill Brice, captain. STANDING—Peter Armstrong, Roger Ingley, Jimmy Carter, Ed Williamson, Patty Waller, Lee DeBault, Tim Shaw, Gina Longfield-Smith, David Wine.



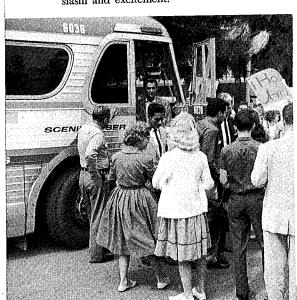


FIRST ROW: C. Smith, Story (Vice President), Jones, Chellberg (Treasurer), Mrs. Smears (Sponsor), Hubbard (President), Smith, R., Jones (Secretary), Kelly, Waller.

SECOND ROW: Holmen, Ingle, Balliett, Settle, Brown, Seymore, Herko, Hoffman, Cain, Myers.

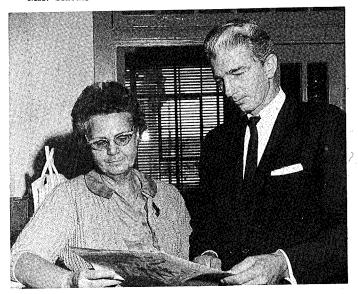
This year's Problems of Democracy Class's project was to stimulate interest in Operation Amigo. In order to obtain money for a return trip to Costa Rica, the class had several money-making projects. Some of these projects were ushering at the Passion Play, sponsoring movies at the local theatre, car washes, and bake sales.

Our Costa Rican amigos arrived amidst enthusiasm and excitement.



PROBLEMS OF **DEMOCRACY**

Mrs. Smears and Mr. Morrisson discuss Operation Amigo.



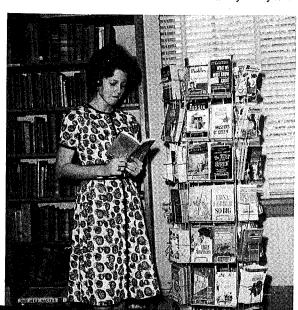


FIRST ROW: Pam Crouse, Dana Vogel (Secretary), Diane Perry, Marsha Myers, Barbara Farabee. SECOND ROW: Sandra Jones, Gloria Kelly, Doug Brown, John Balliett.

THIRD ROW: Shirley Scroggins, Nancy Jeffrey (Vice President), Jan Gilbreath, Hugh Sumrall (Treasurer), Eddie

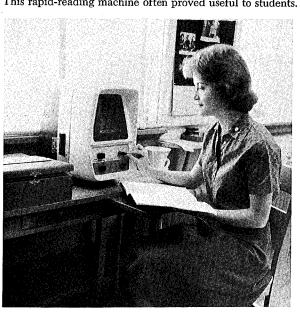
The Library Council was formed to arouse student interest in libraries and to promote better library service in our school. Its major projects were the sale of Christmas cards and paperback books and maintenance of the cold drink machine. Not shown are Miss Tillman (Sponsor), Emily Parry (President), Robin Hood, Linda Crosby, Sherie Unsinger, Pat Cash, Sandra Evans, Jonnie Murkerson and Joe Settle son, and Joe Settle.

Paperbacks were a new addition to our library this year.



LIBRARY COUNCIL

This rapid-reading machine often proved useful to students.

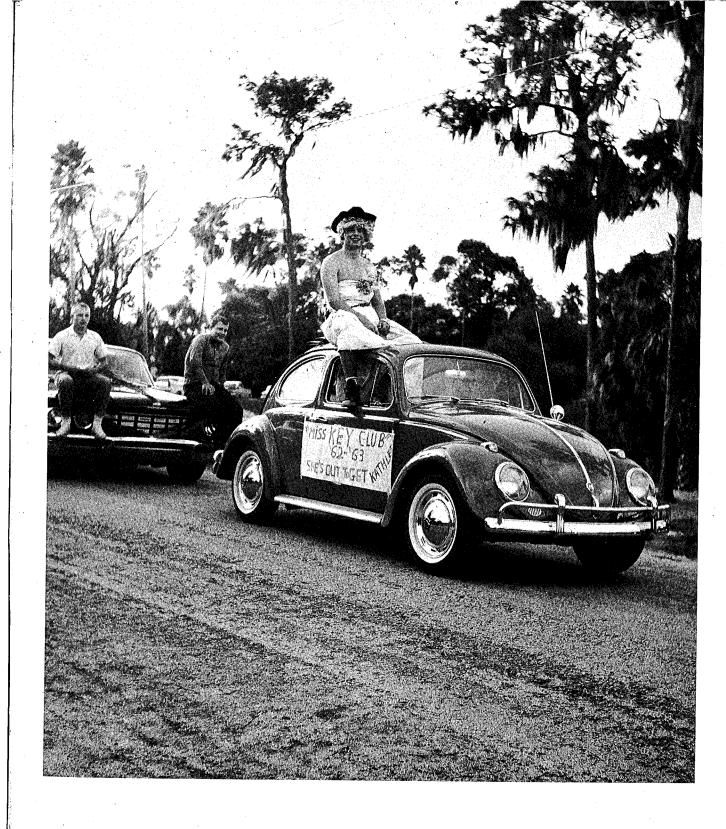




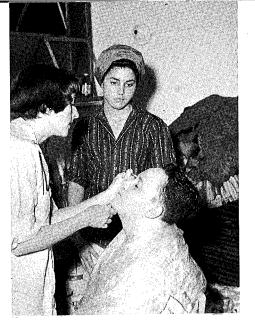
WORKING ON LAYOUTS ARE, SEATED: Marsha Myers, Robin Hood, Mary Ann Zipprer, Jan Gilbreath. STANDING: Bart Bevis, Mrs. Edwards, Bob Waller, Pam Crouse.

SORTING PICTURES ARE, SEATED: Suzie Cooper, Suzy Hubbard. STANDING: Philip Diemer, Sandra Jones, Nancy Jeffrey, Staf Brees, Gina Longfield-Smith, David Fann.

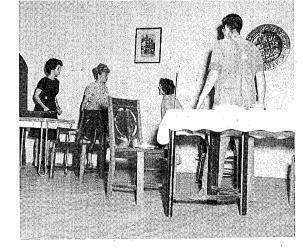




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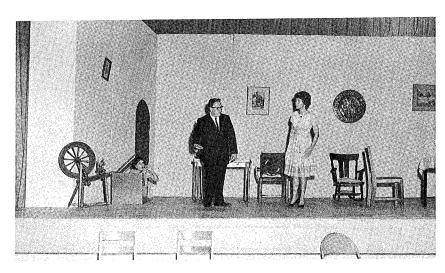


The director, Miss Ellis Baxter, doubled as a make-up artist.



"Sis Riggs, what ARE you doing?"

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY



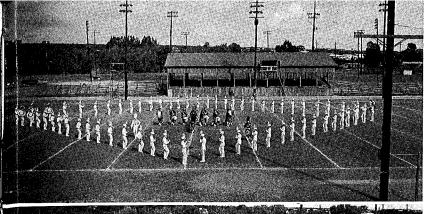
Susan Burr
Cathy Cain
Pam Coleman
Steve Eckels
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Billy Hurlbut
Barbara Jamison
Phoebe Leckey
Terry Mann
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Hank Schmitt
Dennis Stephenson
Cynthia Wenzel

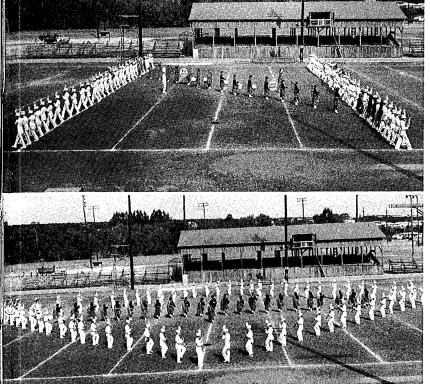
"Will we be rich, Uncle Merridew?"







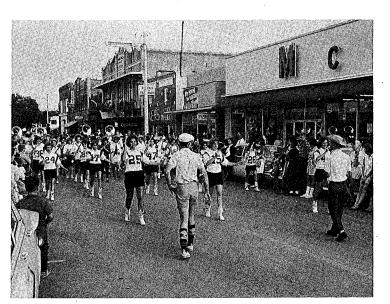




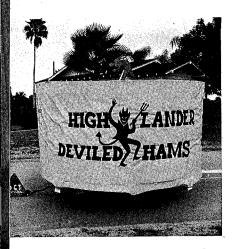








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The DCT float took first place in the Homecoming parade.

HOMECOMING

Queen candidates Bobbie Danford and Emily Parry and Queen Diane Perry.





Junior representatives MARYE JO PLYMPTON



Freshman representative ANN STEINLE



Sophomore representative CAROLYN EDWARDS

Football sponsors SALLY GOOCH, escorted by Curtis Price and ROBIN HOOD, escorted by Jerry Welborn







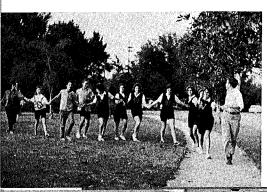




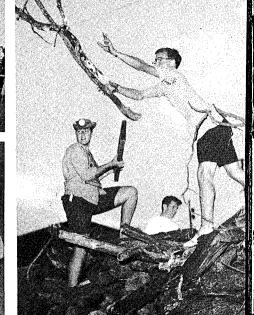


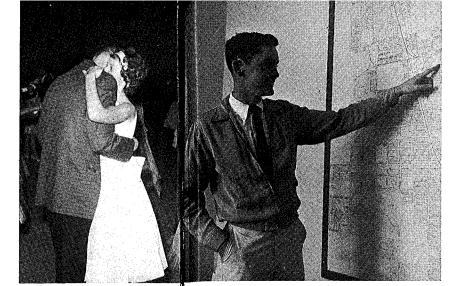






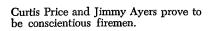






City manager Eddie Williamson points out a site on the city map.







City commissioners Suzy Hubbard, Cecil McGinnis, and Robin Hood discuss important issues with Mayor Hugh Wright. Not pctured is city commissioner Chuck Robinson.

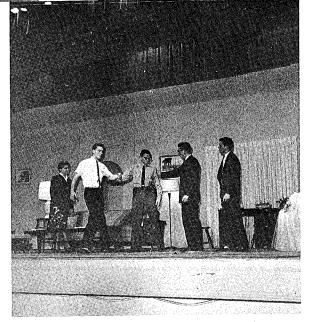
YOUTH

APPRECIATION WEEK



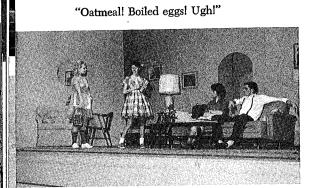


"But I didn't have a chance to kiss her last night . . ."



"Get your hands off my son!"





SENIOR CLASS



"The Garden Club! That's all we need."

PLAY

FATHER KNOWS BEST was presented by the class of '63. Mrs. Elspeth Smith directed the play.

Carol Seymour
Mary Ann Zipprer
Suzanne Cooper
Nancy Jeffrey
Kathryn Brice
Marsha Myers
Kathy Ingle
Joe Settle
Skipper Ingle
Jim Carter
Diane Perry
Martha Strawn
Karen Sanders
Hugh Wright
Jack Baker
Curtis Price



KID'S DAY



Animals can't type!

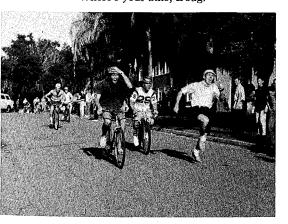


"Down in the valley \dots "



"He loves me."

"Higher, Mary Ann." "Where's your bike, Doug."





"Step on a crack, break your mother's back." Boys don't play jacks?





AN ORIENTAL JUNIOR-SENIOR







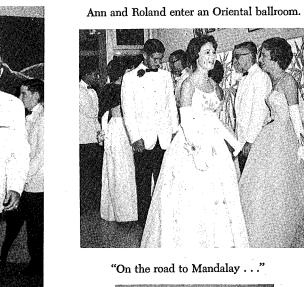
Class presidents and their dates lead the grand march.



A wonderful time was had by all.



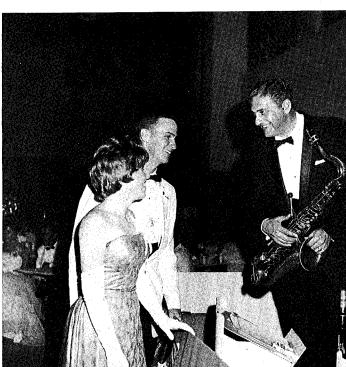
"I could have danced all night . . ."



"On the road to Mandalay . . . "



Sharon and Jimmy chat with the band leader.



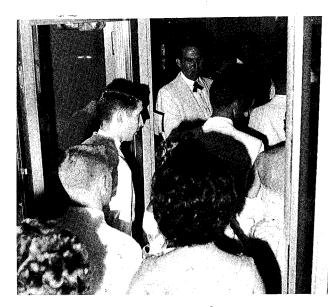


Juniors and Seniors were entertained by watching "West Side Story."

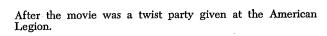
Twist, Sharon!

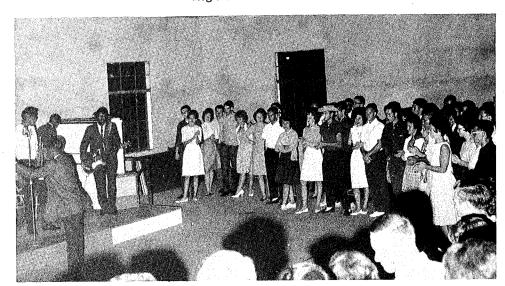


A
NIGHT
TO
REMEMBER



Excited class members enter the premiere.







Queen Sandra and King Curtis



The entire May Court was a colorful Spring pageant.

MAY DAY

Senior representatives SANDRA RIDGE and SKIPPER INGLEY.





Freshman representatives
ANN HERNDON and RONNIE SHELTON



Junior representatives FAYE SMITH and JIMMY UNDERWOOD







Anxious, eager students await the arrival of Costa Rican amigos.



The first Costa Ricans reach Lake Wales.

OPERATION AMIGO



Amigos' professor gives Mr. Wilson an oxeart from Costa Rica.



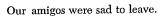
Hosts meet amigos in a special assembly.

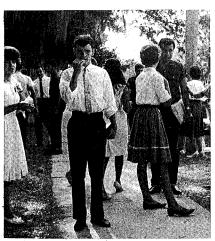


What? My Spanish is good?



This Costa Rican dance interested our students very much.







Very talented amigos performed for the student body.

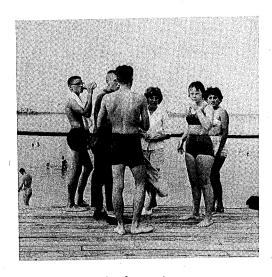


Waving a last good-bye.



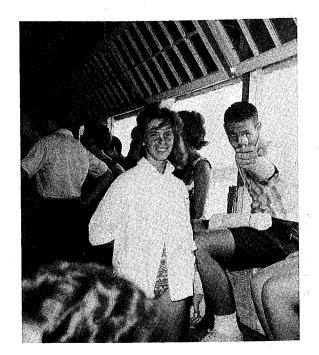
A picnic tradition—fried chicken.

PICNICS



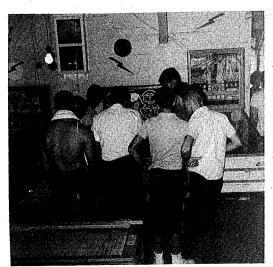
Let's take a swim.

FRESHMAN AND SOPHOMORE



Ready, aim, fire!

Another picnic tradition.





Our beachcomber chaperone arrives.



Why are you hiding under the umbrella?

SKIP

DAY



The sophisticated Seniors had a gay time on the rides.

The boys's pyramid coming . . .



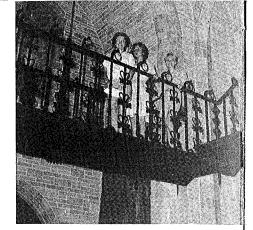
And going.





The seniors advance towards the Tower.

SENIORS ATTOWERANDTEA



The inside of the Tower is a beautiful sight.



Seniors attempt to play the bells.



Seniors and parents are greeted at the Keens' home.

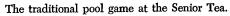


The first Senior reaches the



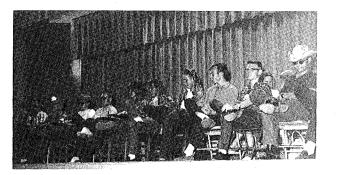


The table at the Keens' was beautifully decorated.

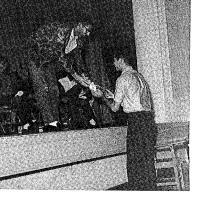




MOVING DAY



The great white hunters watch the Moving Day ceremony.

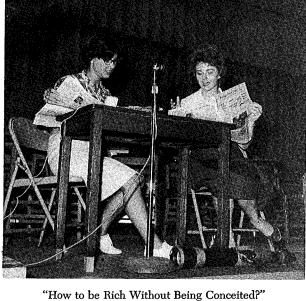


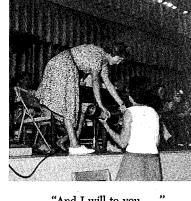
"And with this map goes hours of hard work and thinking."

No more skinny-dipping!

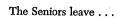








"And I will to you . . ."





"And these pills will turn you into a Senior overnight!"





SKIPPER INGLEY-State winner of VFW Auxiliary essay contest

SHARON McKEEMAN—State winner of Presudintial Re habilitation essay contest.

HONORS



INGRID CHELLBERG—Honor Scholarship to Newberry College, Florida delegate to National Youth Power Congress.

MARIAN GUKICH-State FHA degree



DONNA HUGGINS—Valdez Beauty Scholarship

RONALD BAKER-Operation Book strap Scholarship



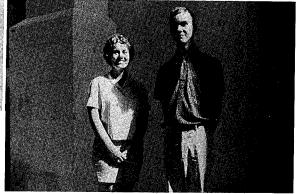
SUZY HUBBARD—Honor scholarship to Hollins College

SUZANNE COOPER-State Teacher's Scholarship, Second place district Junior Chamber of Commerce essay contest.



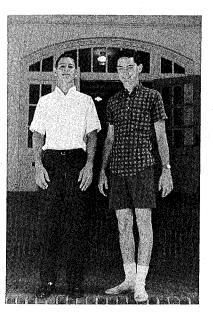
HENRY HINTON-Honor Scholarship to University of Florida, State Teacher's Scholarship.

BOBBY WALLER-Alternate NROTC Scholarship



DONI THOMPSON-Kiwanis music Scholarship

BILL BRICE-Music and Honor Scholarships to University of Miami



ROLAND SMITH-Operation Bookstrap Scholarship

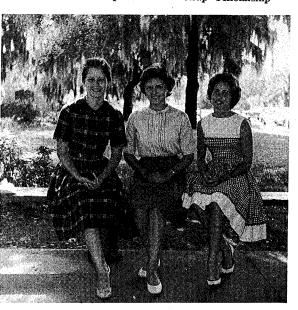
EDDIE WILLIAMSON – NROTC Scholarship

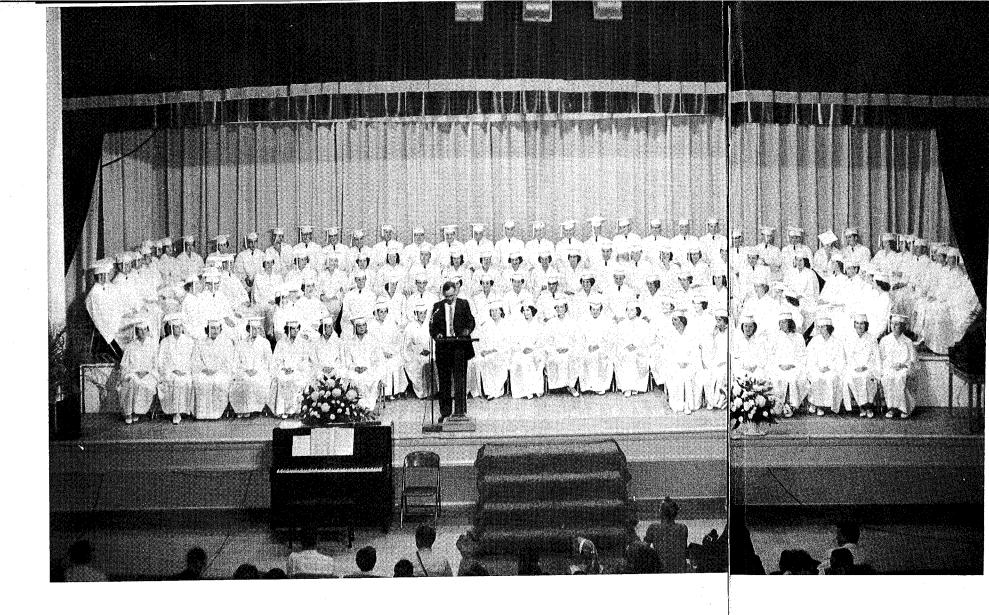
AND SCHOLARSHIPS

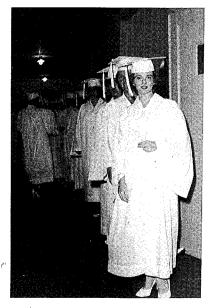
ROBIN HOOD—International Minerals and Chemicals Corporation Scholarship, State Teacher's Scholarship, Second Place District Jr. Chamber of Commerce Essay contest.

GINA LONGFIELD-SMITH — Southern Scholarship and Research Scholarship to Florida State University.

YVONNE LEWIS-Operation Bookstrap Scholarship



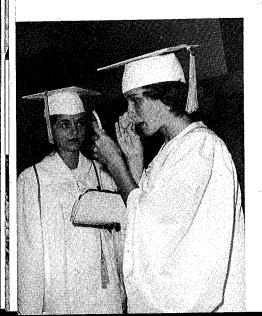


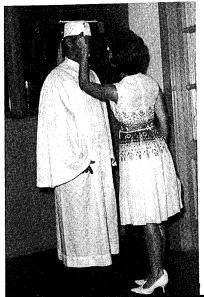


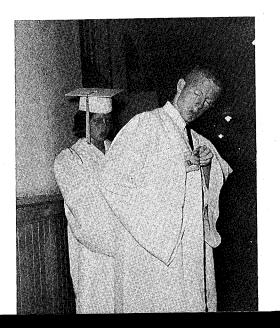
Seniors begin their inward march.

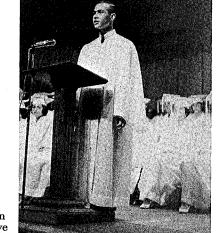
GRADUATION

Preparations for graduation are made by powdering noses, straightening tassels, and putting on braids.

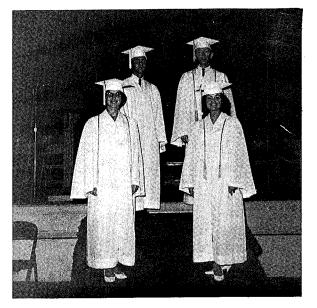








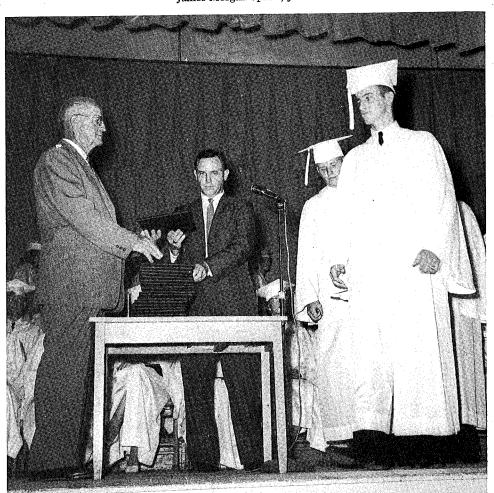
Honor speaker Carter relays theme of graduation speeches. "First let us say to ourselves what we would be, then let us do what we have to do."



Suzy Hubbard, Jimmy Carter, Henry Hinton, and Diane Perry were the honor speakers for graduation.



"James Morgan Sprott, Jr. . . ."





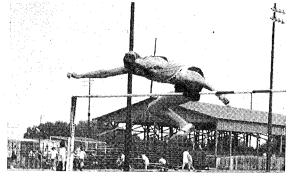


















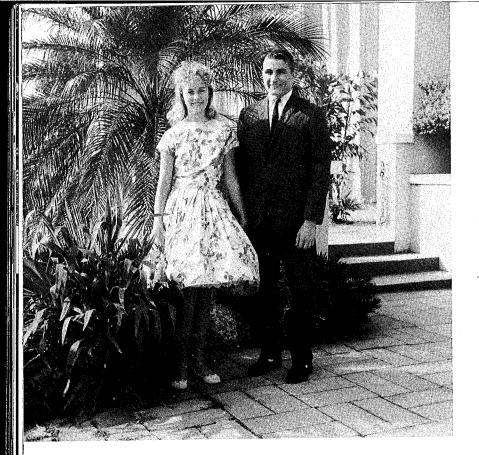












Freshman Best All-Round ANN STEINLE and LARRY WILLIAMS

BEST

Sophomore Best All-Round GAIL GILL and TIM KENNEY





Junior Best All-Round KATHY CAIN and WAYNE LEGGETT

ALL ROUND

Senior Best All-Round SALLY GOOCH and DERYL BULLINGTON

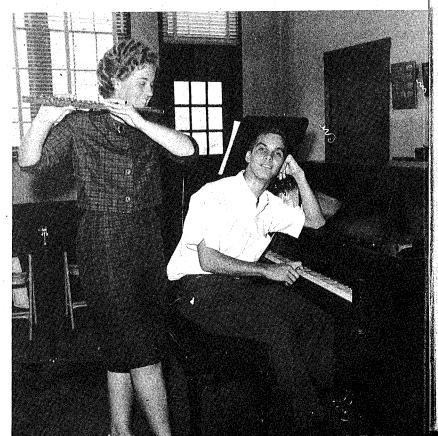




Best Dressed JOE WALKER and JANYCE GILBREATH

SENIOR

Most Talented DONI THOMPSON and BILL BRICE

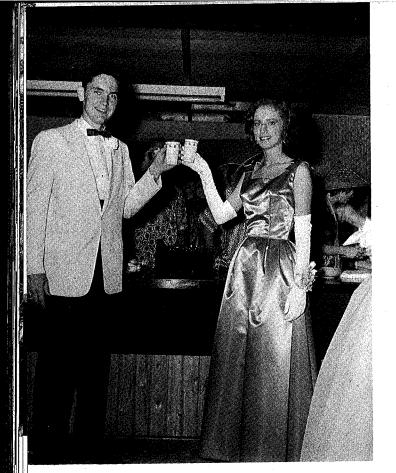


FAVORITES



Most School Spirit SUZY HUBBARD Most Athletic RONNIE KIKTA

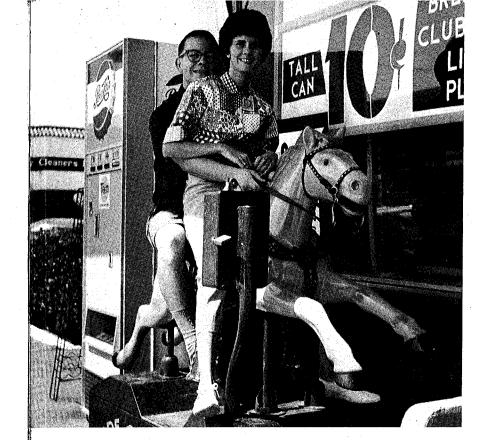




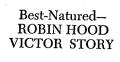
Best Looking
EDDIE WILLIAMSON and LOUCRETIA CAIN

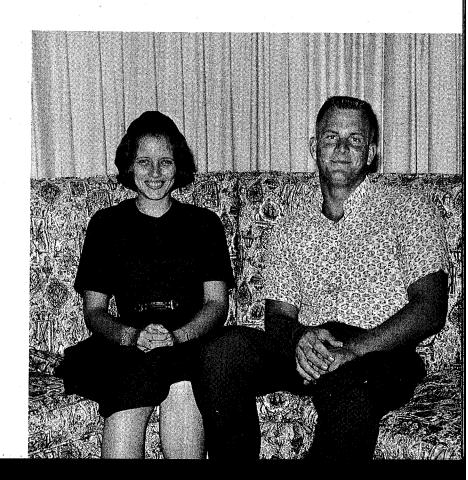


Friendliest BOBBY WALLER and EMILY PARRY



Wittiest— MARY ANN ZIPPRER BART BEVIS



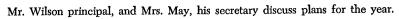




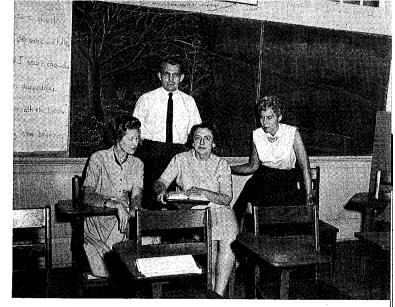
FACULTY



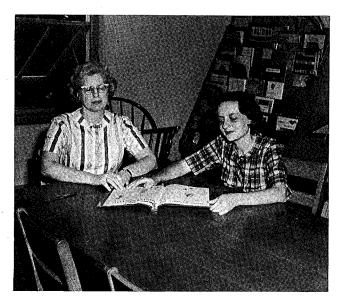
Mr. MacLaughlin, our supervising principal, talks with Mrs. Bullard, Mrs. Stewart, and Miss Breedin.







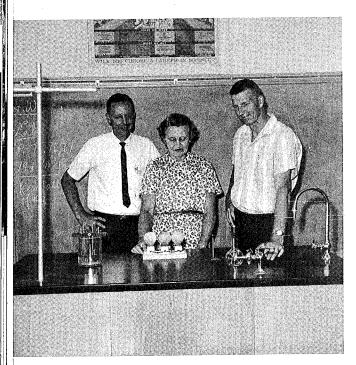
English teachers Mrs. Sullivan, Mr. Prichard, Mrs. Schmitt, and Mrs. Proctor hold a conference in front of Mrs. Schmitt's spring display.



Miss Tillman (librarian) and Miss Baxter (English and speech) discuss the newest copy of the English Journal.

Mrs. Cotter (Spanish and English) and Mrs. Petering (Latin and English) discuss the merits of teaching a foreign language.



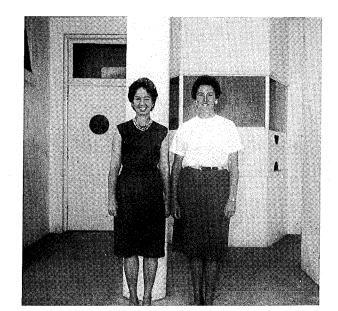


Miss Waldrop explains to Mr. Brow and Mr. Reeves, the other science teachers, how a series circuit works.



Math teachers Miss Daniells, Mrs. Futch, Mrs. Kikta, and Miss Waters discuss the formula for geometric progressions.

Social Studies teachers, Mr. Campbell, Mrs. Smears, Coach Hiers, and Miss Warren, express their views on political issues.



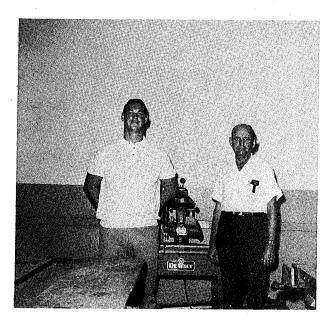
Miss Galloway took Mrs. Eiford's place in the physical education department at the middle of the year.



Mr. Perry (DCT) and Mr. Lane (Agriculture) learn how to maneuver the tractor.



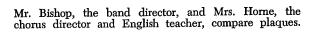
Miss Dixon and Mrs. Kenney discuss new teaching methods in home economics.



Coach Fair and Mr. Stover examine the industrial arts machinery.

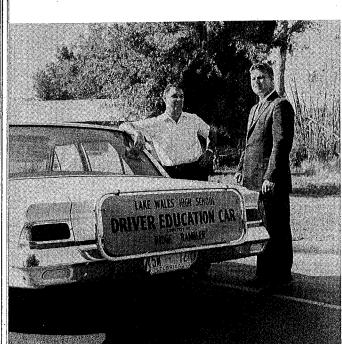


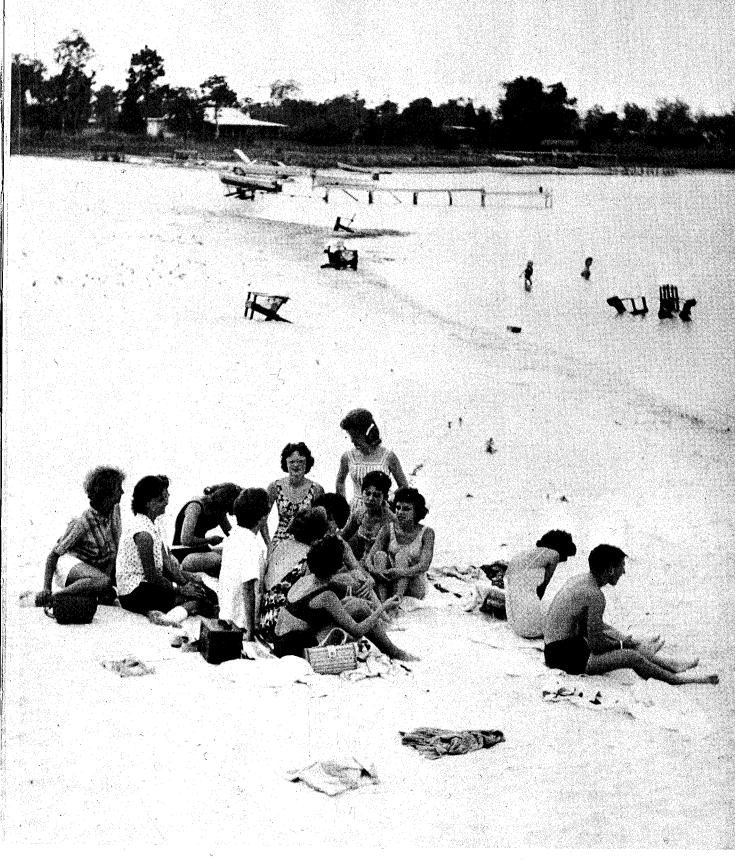
Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Edwards, and Mr. McNeil, the three business education teachers, discuss the techniques of teaching typing.





Mr. Mann, the driver education teacher asks Mr. Abrams, the head of the athletic department, "Would you like to learn to drive?"





CLASSES

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Larry Williams, the Freshman Class President, led his class as they stepped into high school. Also chosen to represent their class were Bill Heath, Vice- Presi-

dent; Ginger Updike, Treasurer; Carol Lowry, Secretary; Miss Nancy Waters was their sponsor.

Class of 1966



Kuelinda Blocker Roger Bohannon Helen Boyett Linda Bracewell Bucky Bradley Jerry Britt Sharon Brock Allen Brown David Brown Jimmie Brown Virginia Brown Ken Bunner Clyde Burns Dean Burns Linda Bynum Billy Byrd Jack Carden Linda Carden Scott Carr Janice Carter Joseph Carter Junior Cash Bernie Cavanaugh Juan Chandler Louis Ciszek Philip Coleman Buryl Cooper Benita Copeland Cynthia Cothron Sondra Crawford Don Croft Marjorie Cruze
Paula Curtis
Linda Daniels Charlene Davis Bill Dekle Patty Dekle Susan Dorman Bill Duffield Ed Duffy Linda Dunkelberger Jim Ebel Phil Eiford Charles Elliotte Charles Elmore Rhody Elofson Barbara Fejes Pat Ferguson