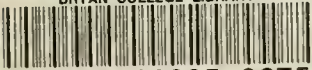


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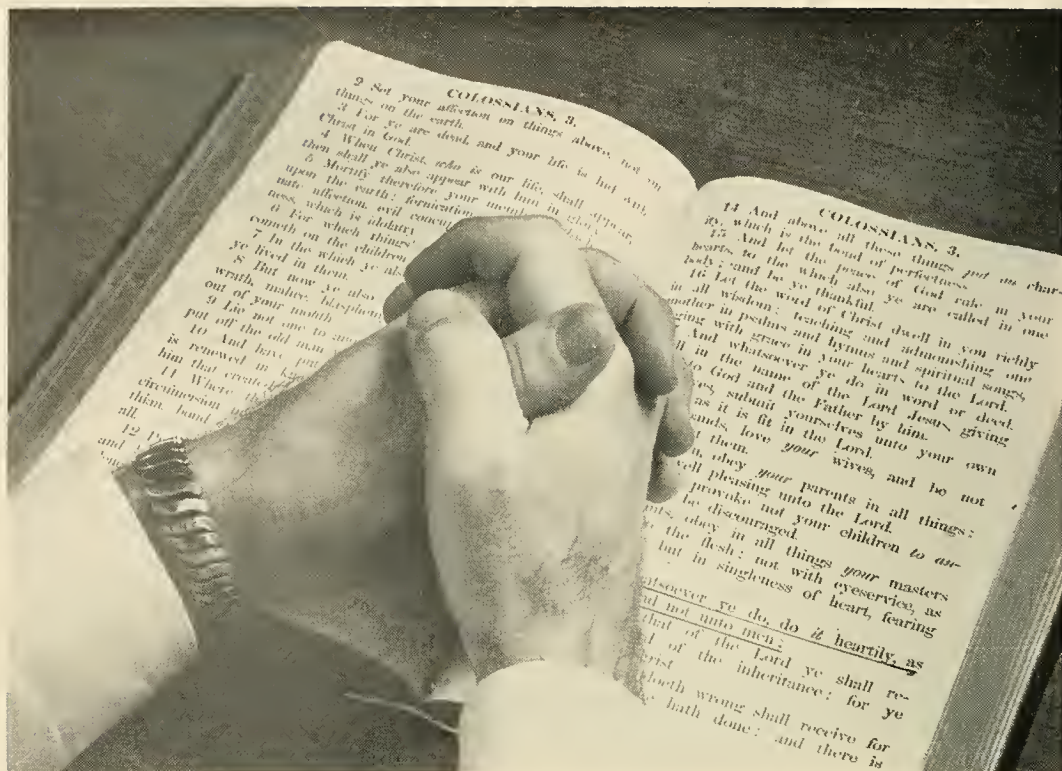
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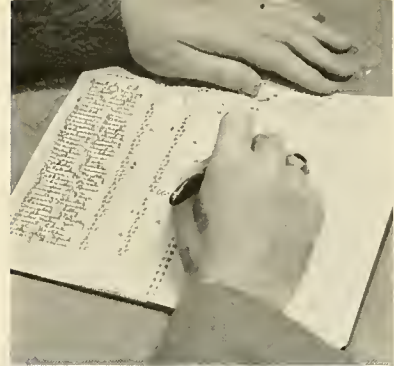
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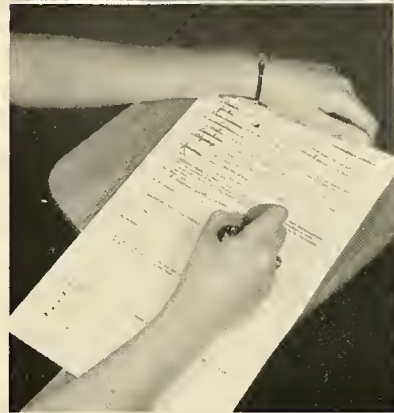
"And whatsoever ye do, do it **heartily, as to the Lord,** and not unto men";—Colossians 3:23.

Through the media of words and pictures we of the **COMMONER** staff have set down that which we feel is typical of Bryan life. We feel that Bryan's spirit is embodied in the verse which we have chosen as the theme for this yearbook. No matter how minor the task, how trivial the position, Bryanites desire to do all "heartily, as to the Lord." We have tried to emphasize the hands of your classmates as they are engaged in the various phases of college life. It is only fitting, therefore, that we start with those hands placed on God's Word in an attitude of prayer—the first step in putting **CHRIST ABOVE ALL**.

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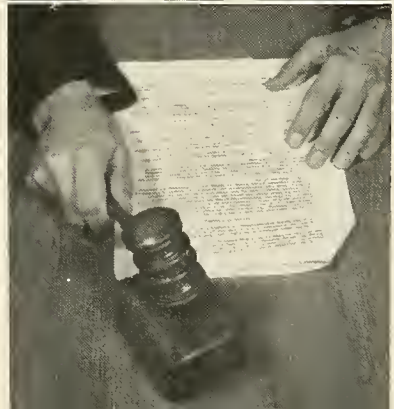
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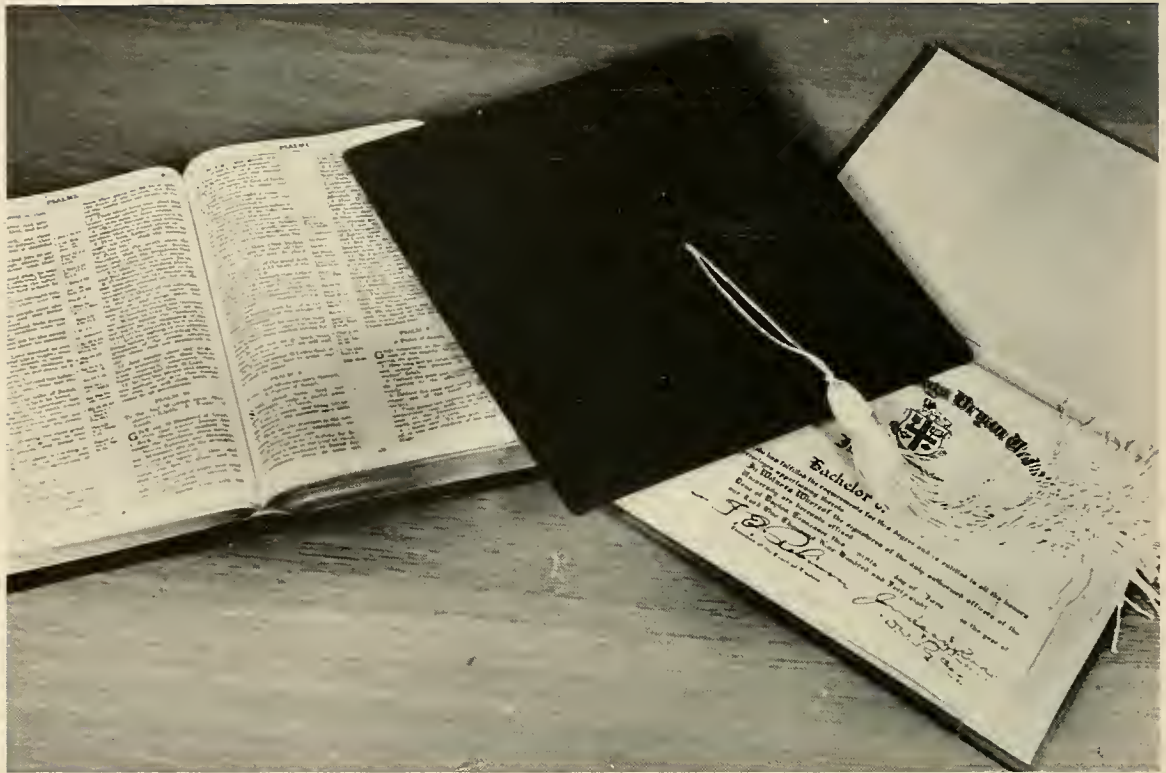


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"With all thy wisdom," writes Solomon, "get understanding." Understanding of what? Why, of God, for without understanding of Him there can be no full understanding of the world He created nor of the people with which he populated it. Man, who is physical and mental, is also, and basically, spiritual; and it is only through the **plus** of spiritual understanding that we can be educated to know others, indeed, to know ourselves.

Then, there is the **plus** of usability. It is not enough to have knowledge; one must also be usable. His knowledge, his personality, his character must all work together to make him useful to society. This is usability—this, too, is a **plus** to education.

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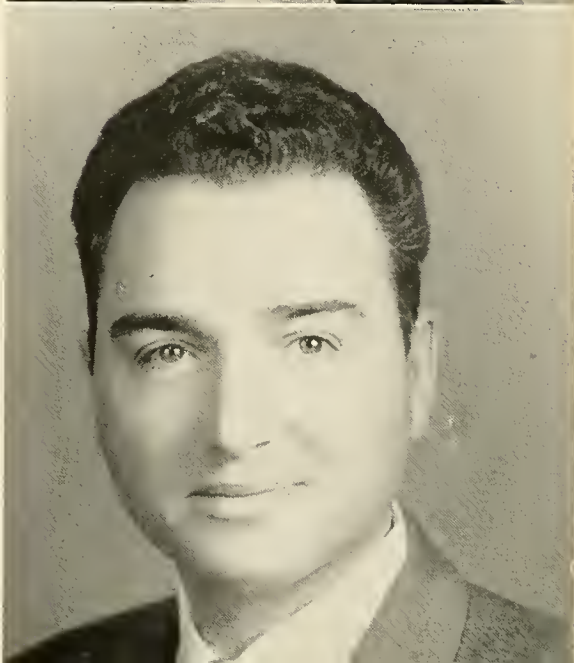
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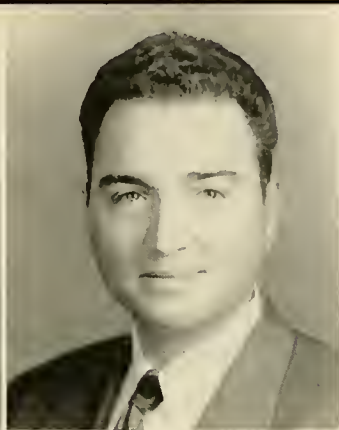
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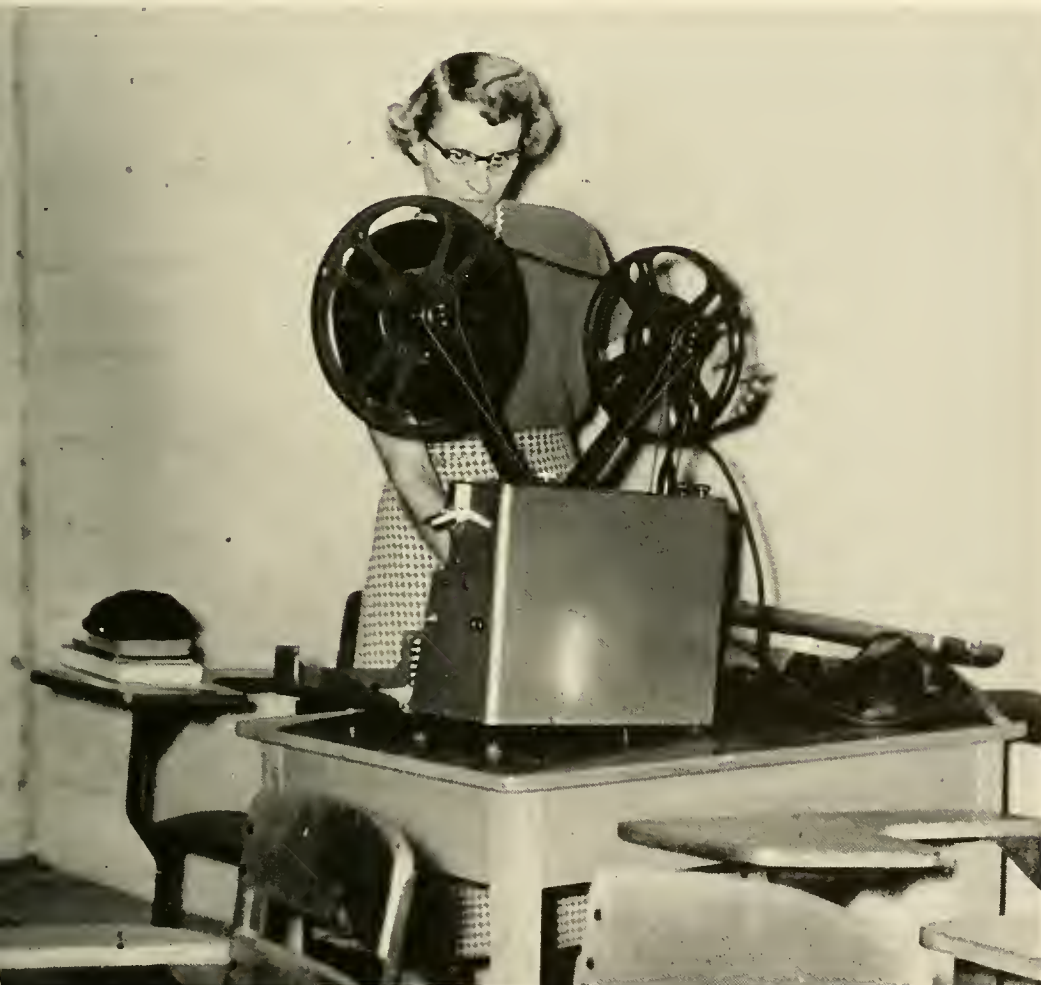
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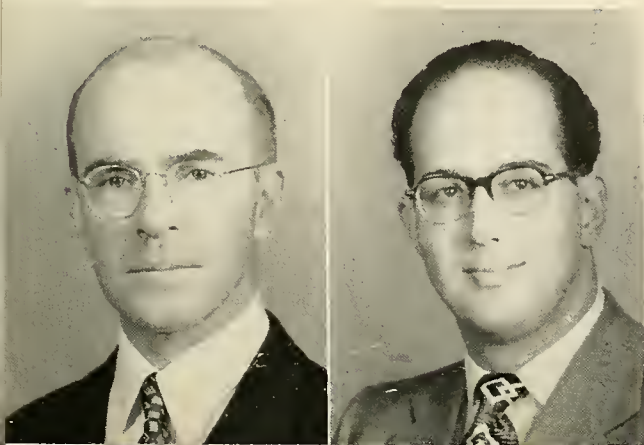


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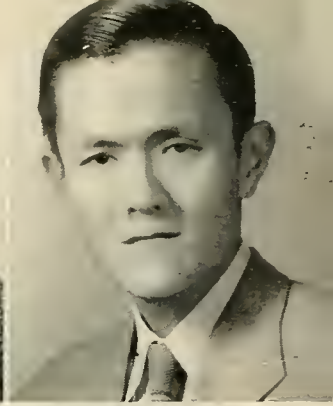
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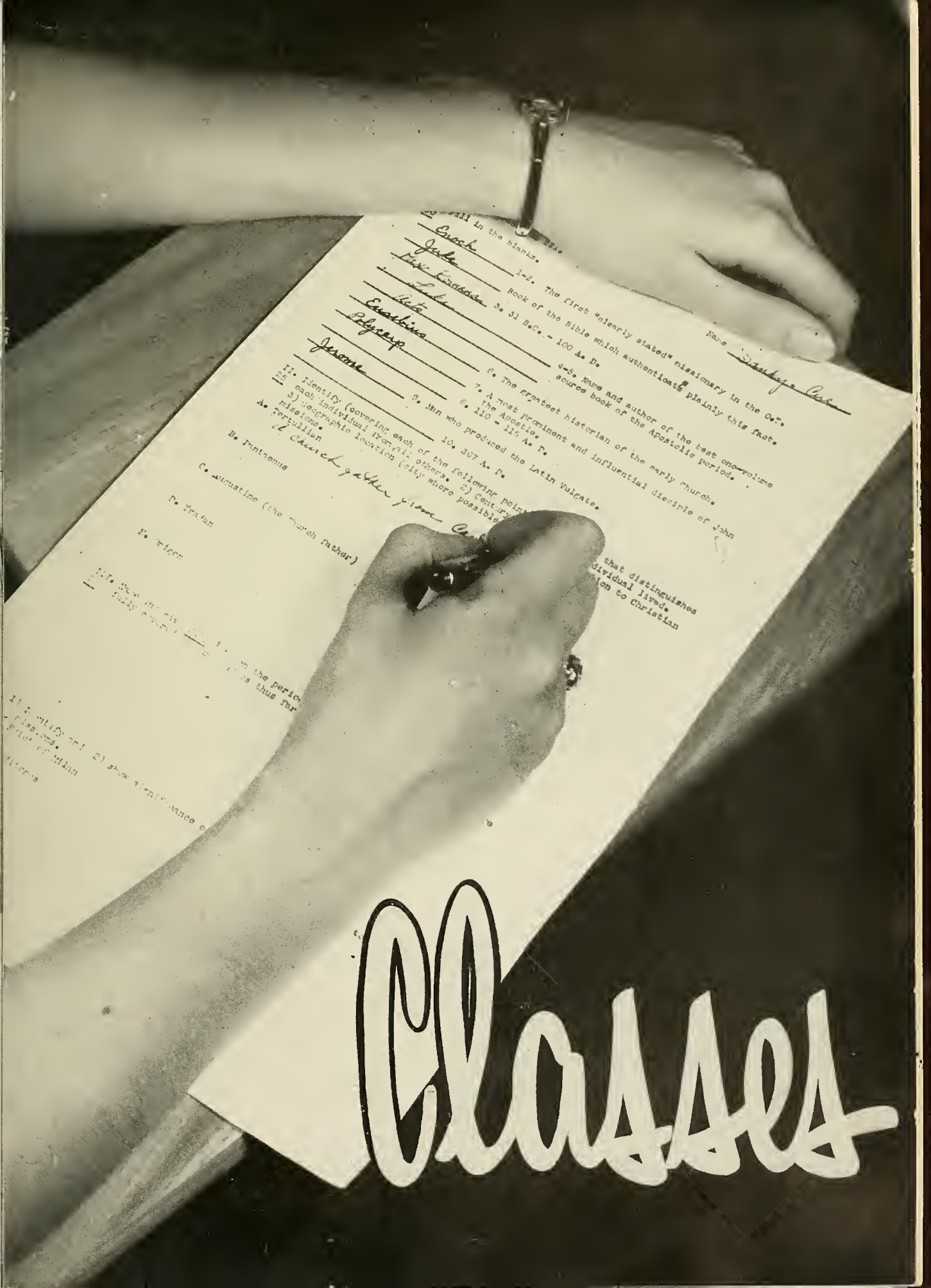
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9. Man who produced the Latin Vulgate.
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11. Identify (covering each of the following points) each individual from all others.
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B. Church father from Asia

B. Tertullian

C. Augustine (the church father)

D. Ignatius

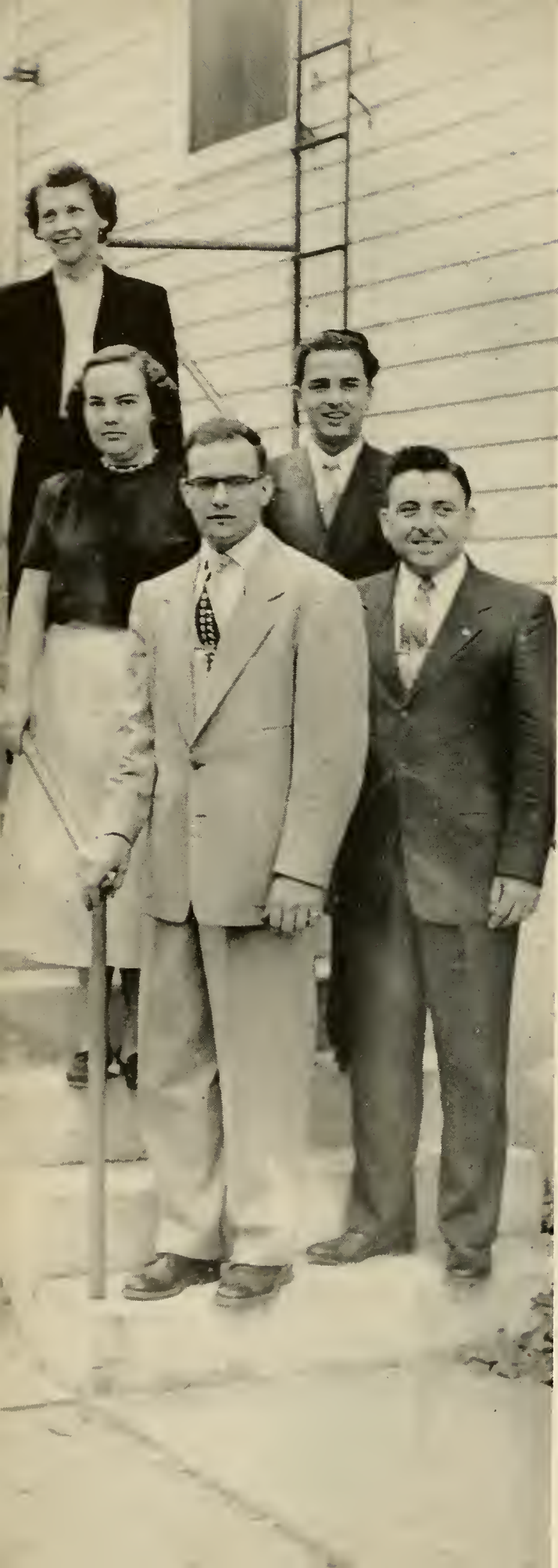
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that distinguishes individual lives.
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12. What country was the center of the period of the early church?
13. What was the name of the city that was the center of the period?

14. Identify (covering each of the following points) each individual from all others.
1) Name
2) show significance of life
3) City of Milan
4) Irenaeus

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"Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God."

—Hebrews 12:1,2.

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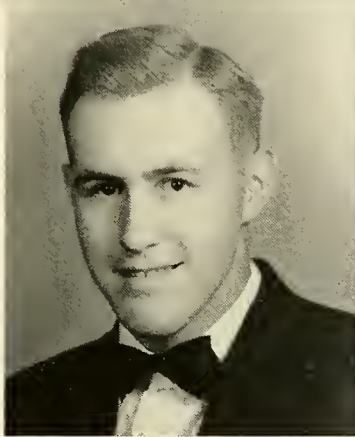
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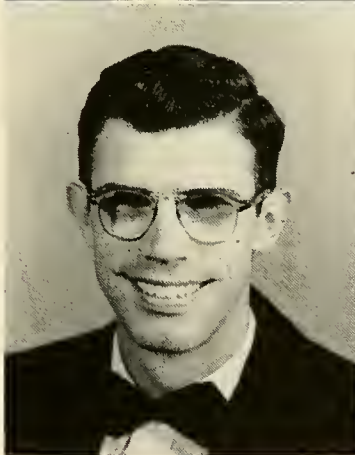
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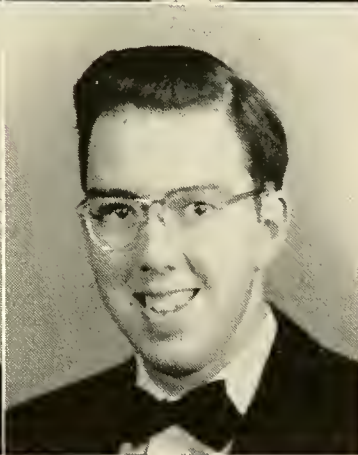
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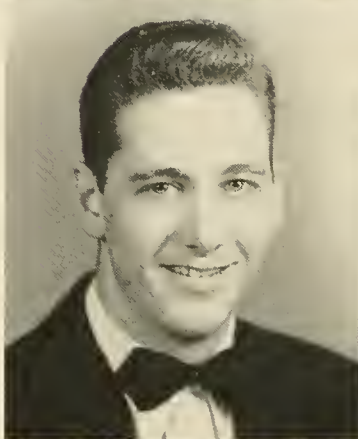
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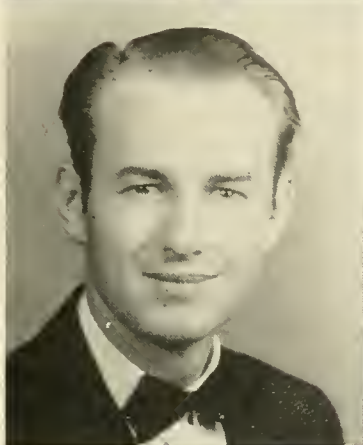
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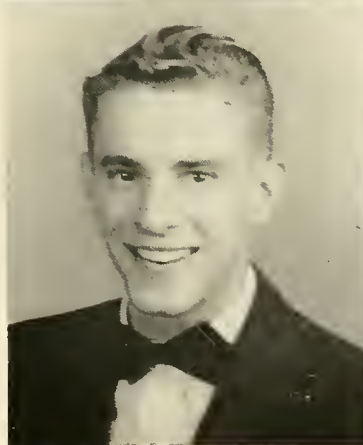
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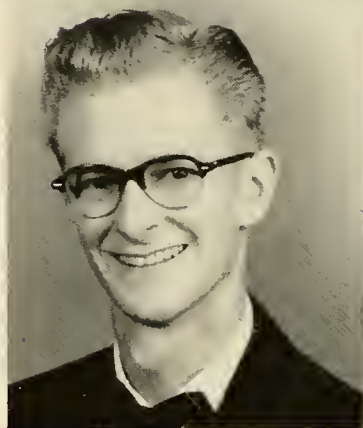
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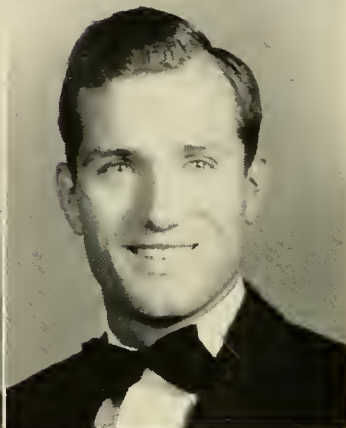
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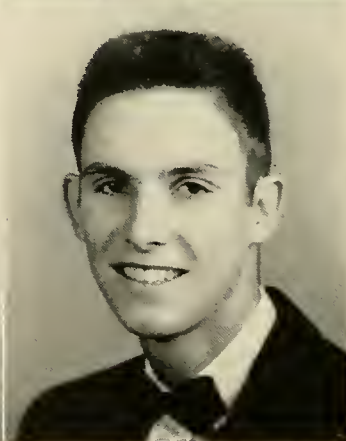
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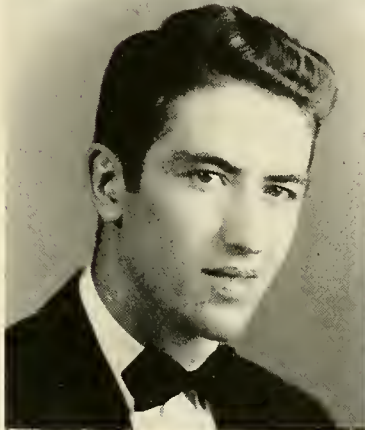
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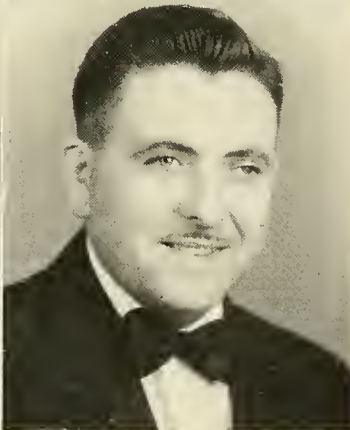
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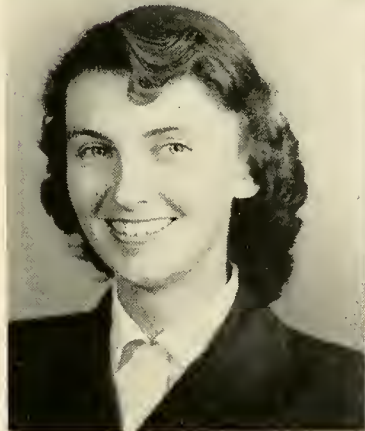
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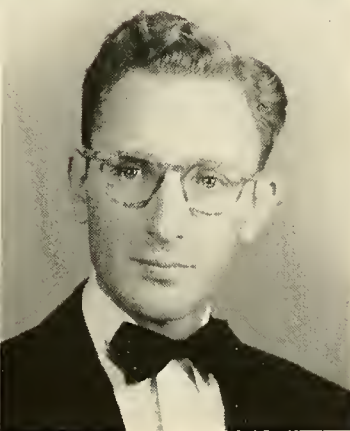
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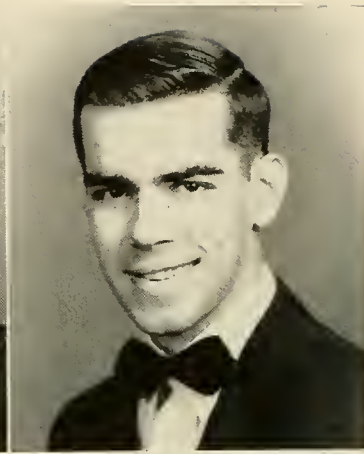


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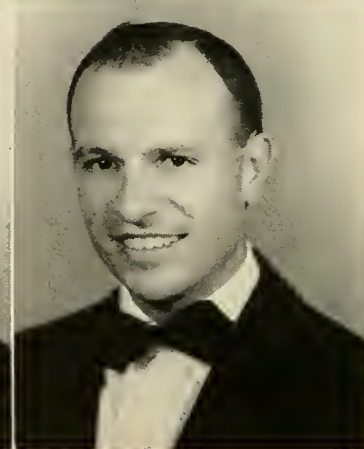


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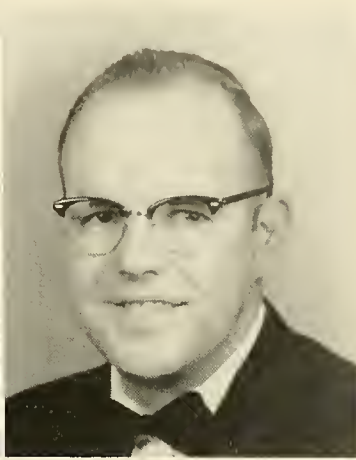
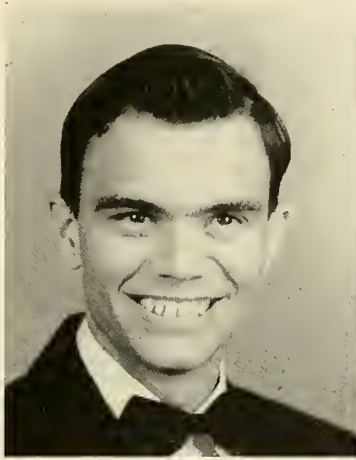
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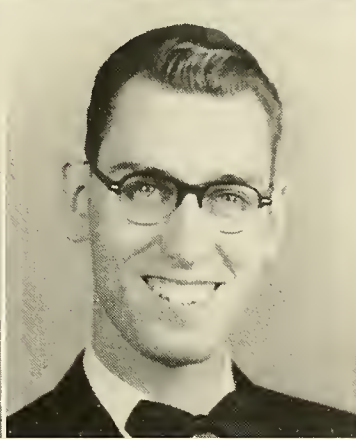
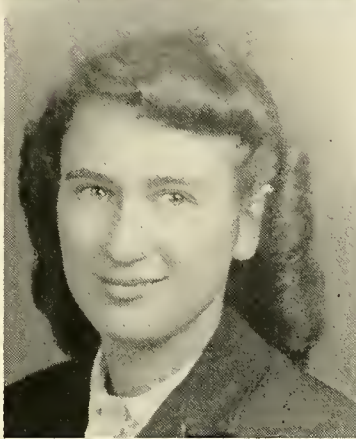


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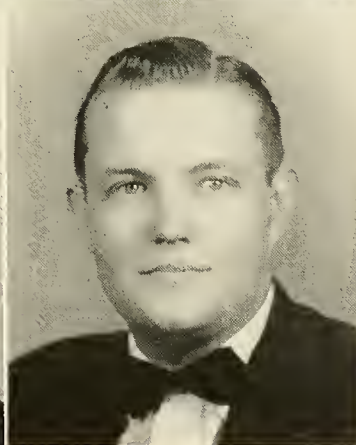
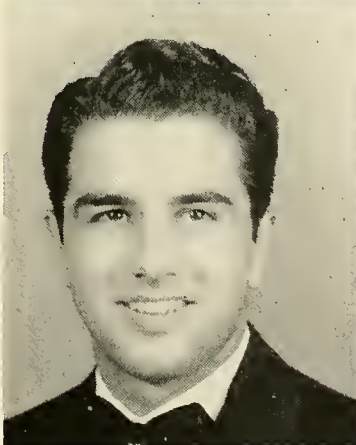


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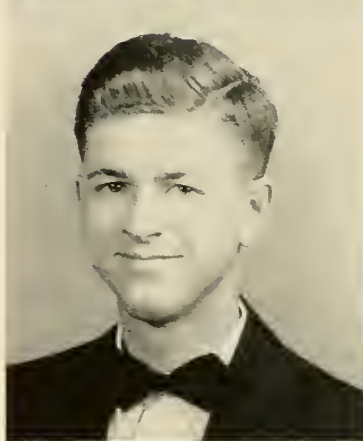
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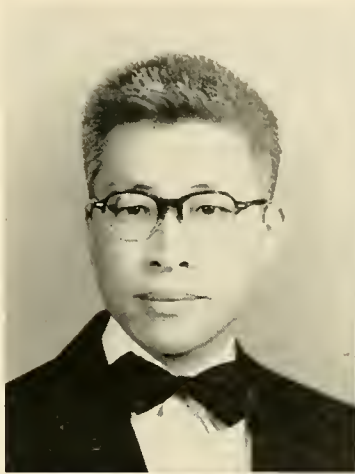


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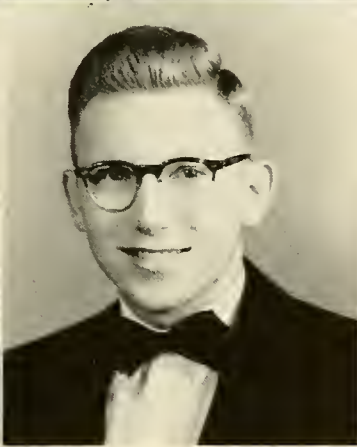


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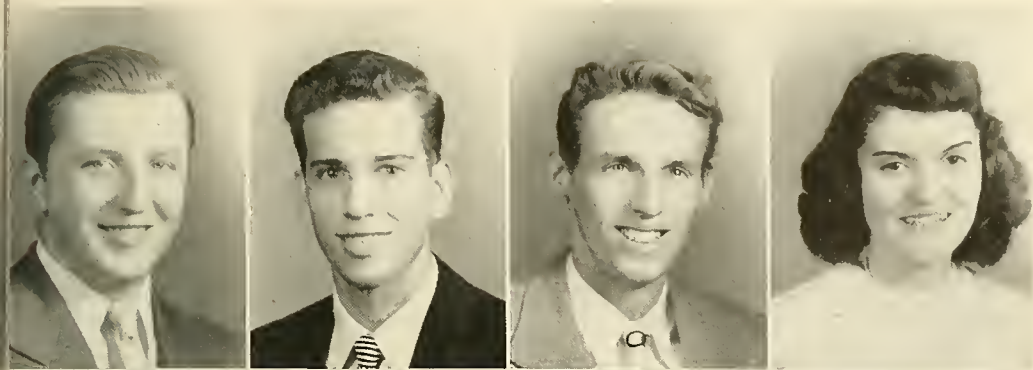
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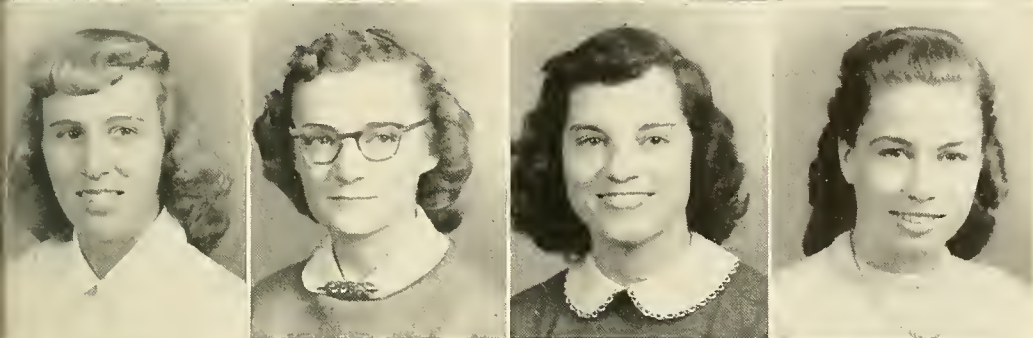
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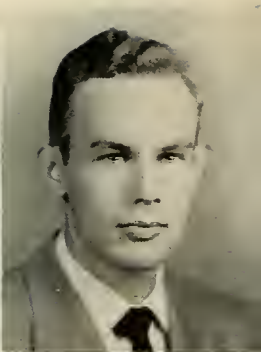


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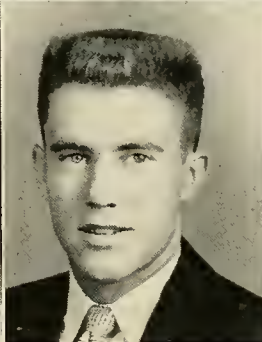
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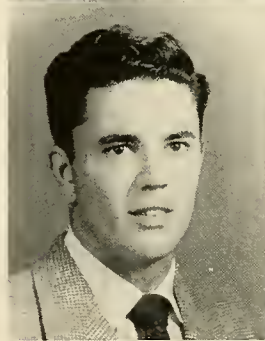
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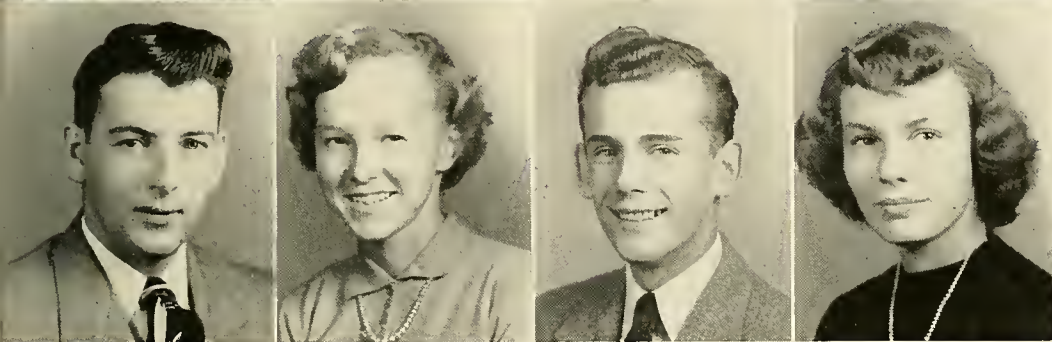


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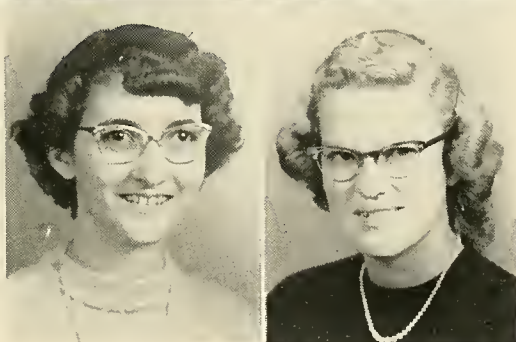
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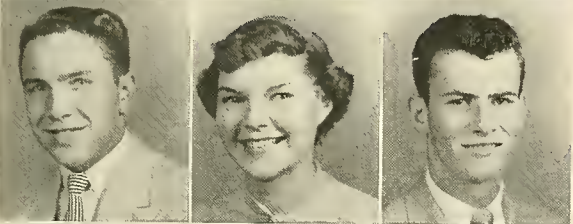
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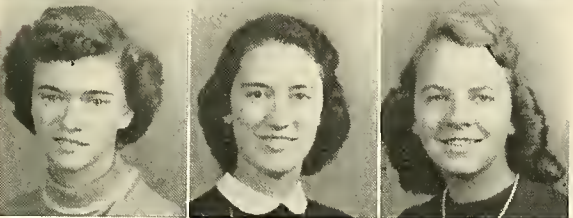
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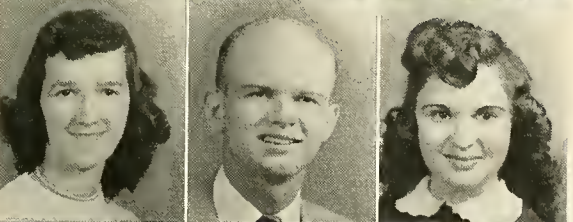
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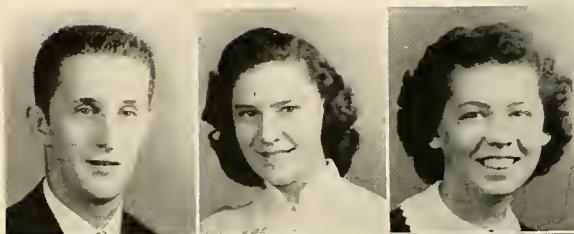
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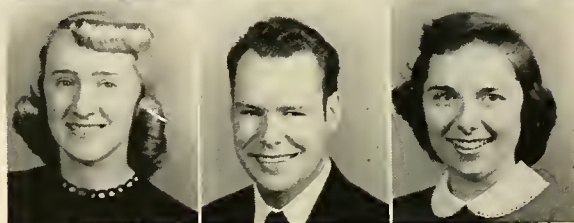
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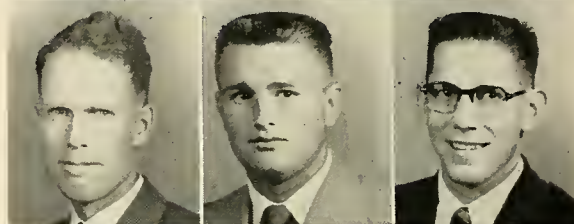
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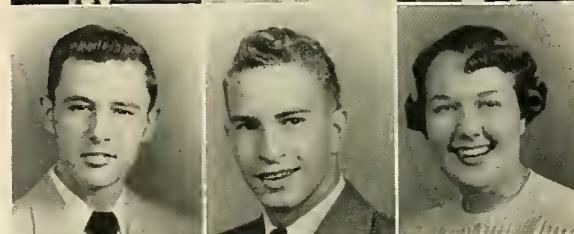
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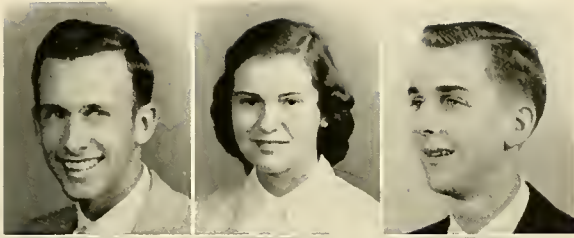
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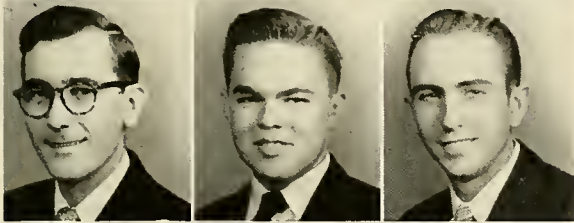
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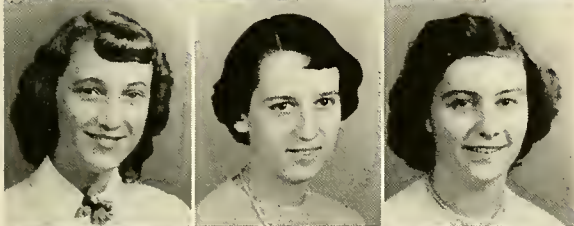
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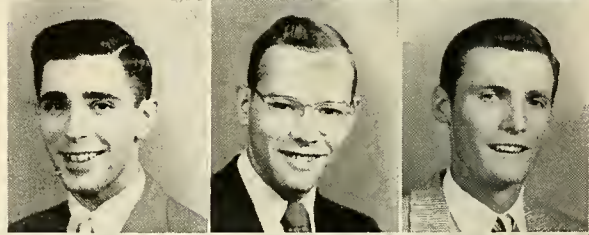
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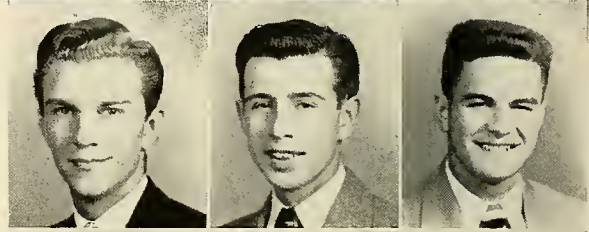
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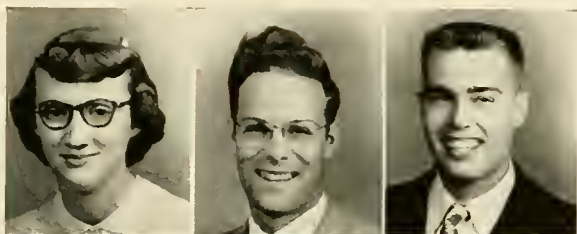
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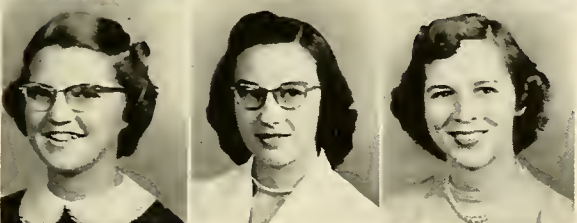
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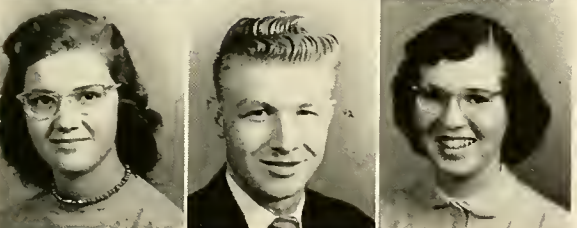
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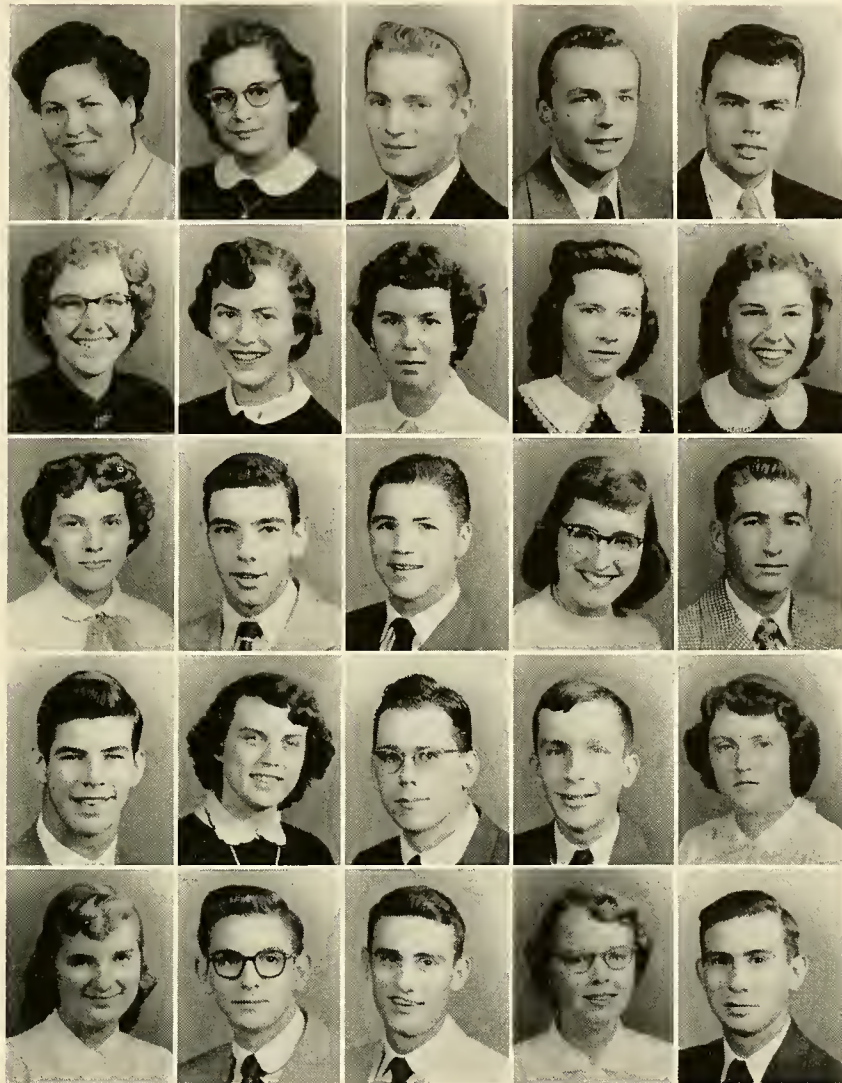
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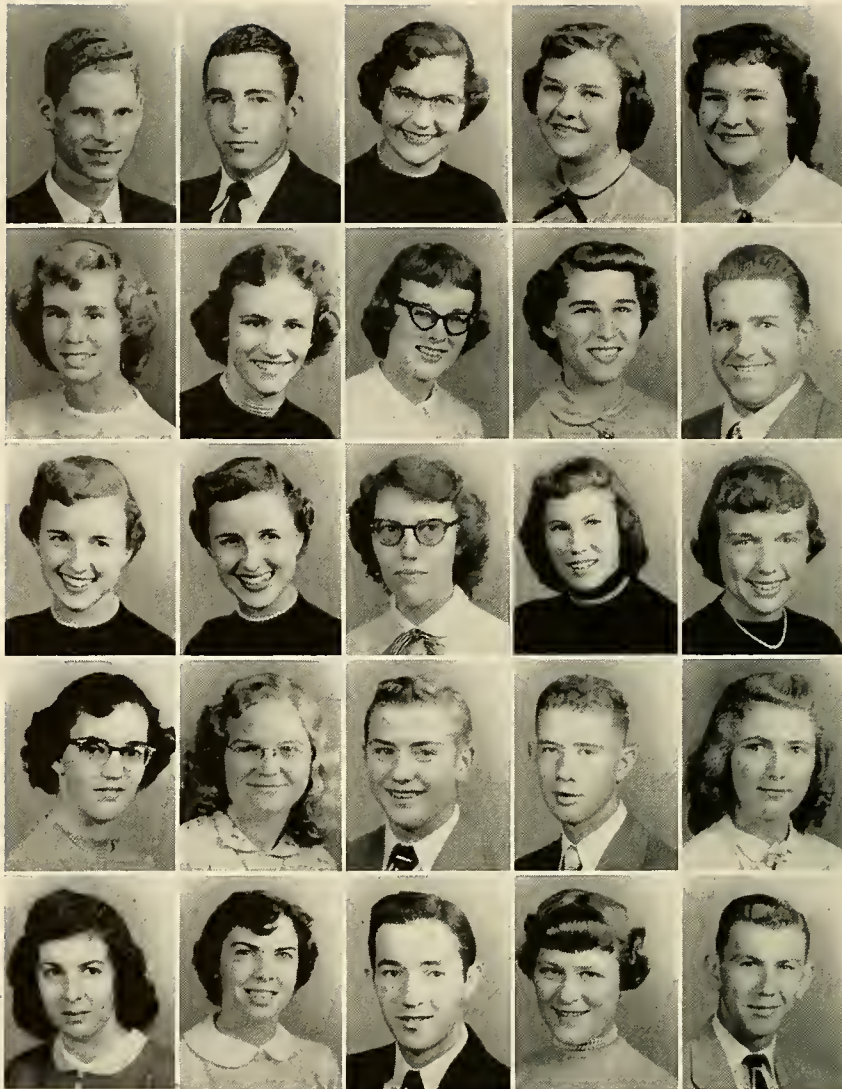
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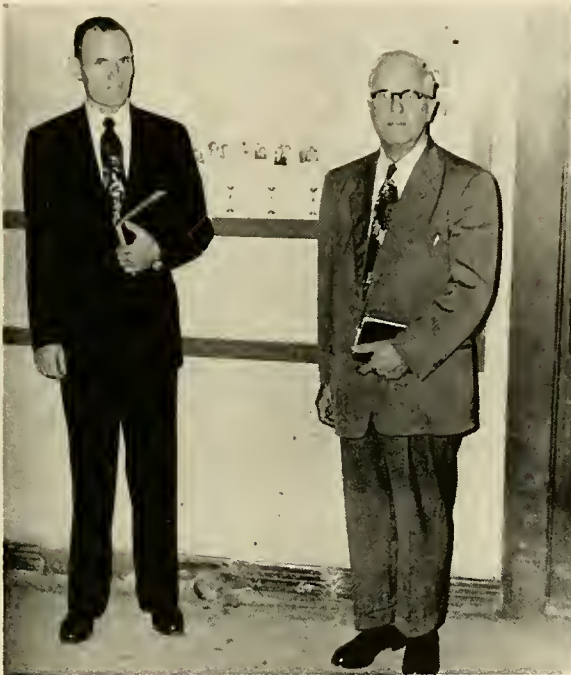
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"Christ in us, their hope of glory" was the motto of the seventh annual Bryan Missionary Conference. Students also

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Fall Conference.

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Dr. Seidenspinner speaks at Day of Prayer service.



Miss Rader presents the faculty-staff Gift for the King.

The 10:00-10:45 A.M. Chapel programs Tuesday through Saturday, and special programs at other times, are presented "that Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love, may be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, the length, and depth, and height; and to know the

love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God."—Ephesians 3:17-19.

Sophomore Vespers, Gifts for the King, the Day of Prayer, and the Monday night Family Prayer Meeting are traditional special presentations.

Reverend and Mrs. James Bell, Congo missionaries to the Pygmies.



A chalk drawing done by Judy Cox at Sophomore Vespers.



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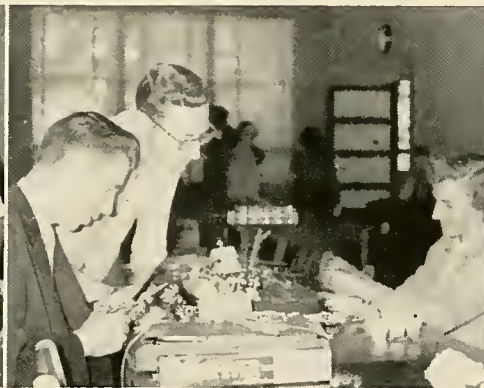
"... Singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord; giving thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ."—Ephesians 5:19, 20.

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The colorful Christmas Banquet, the year's first formal banquet, turned thoughts toward God's Unspeakable Gift. Reverend Earl Stevens of Chattanooga keyed the evening, speaking on the unique place of the Christian in God's economy.

At the annual Bryan Birthday Banquet, the last formal banquet of the year 1953, Dr. Charles Seidenspinner spoke on the necessity for a Christian's giving a reason for the hope that is within him.

Special Christmas Music by Hilary Evans.



Dr. Seidenspinner, PRESIDENT of Southeastern Bible College, speaks at Bryan Banquet.



Toastmaster at Bryan Birthday Banquet is Mr. Zopf.



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Turn About Day at the oven.

A N D P A R T I E S

"Don't let your studies interfere with your college education" is frequently quoted to put studies out of mind for an evening of relaxation. The Big Brother-Big Sister Party in September initiated the year of traditional Bryan parties.

Ron Bensinger and Mary Jean McKinley reigned as King and Queen at the '53

Valentine Party; in the spring, the young men's fancies turned about—on Turn-About Day the girls invited the fellows to enjoy watermelon and softball. A unique moonlight party in the fall offered games, a wiener roast, and singing on the athletic field.

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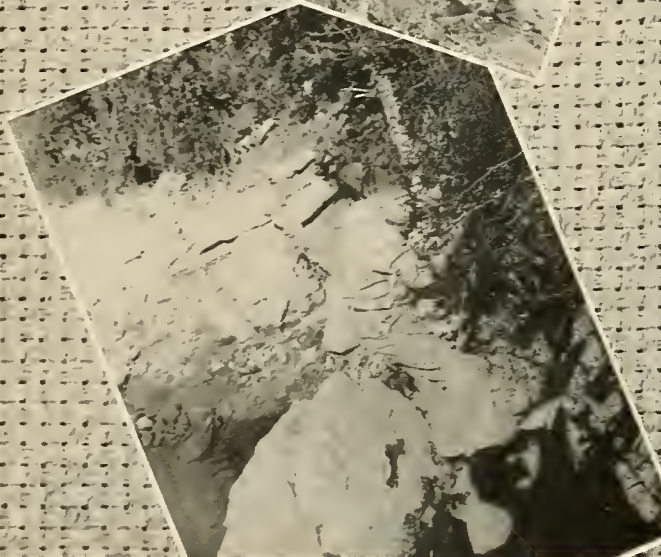
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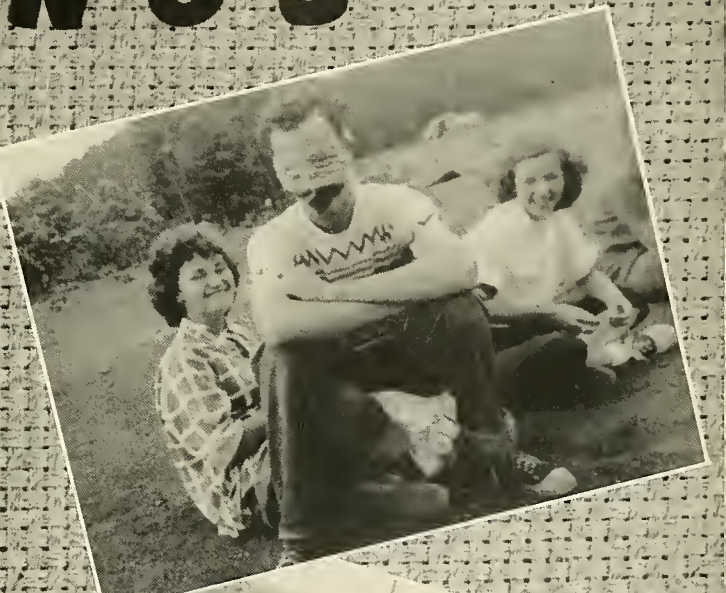
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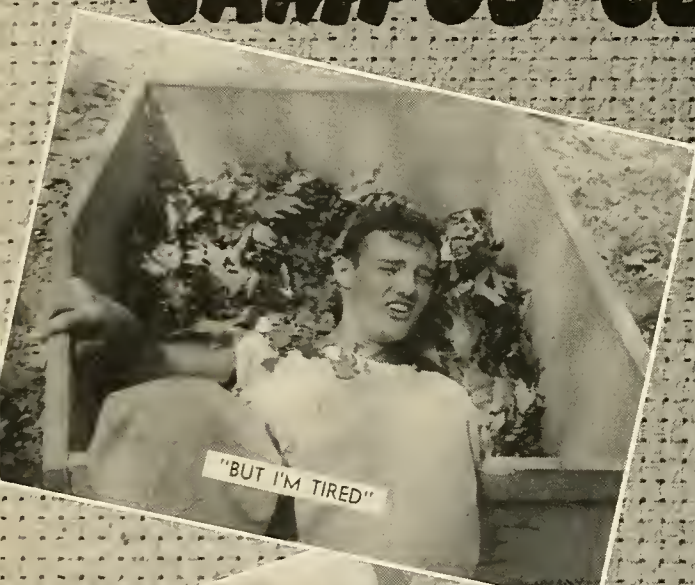


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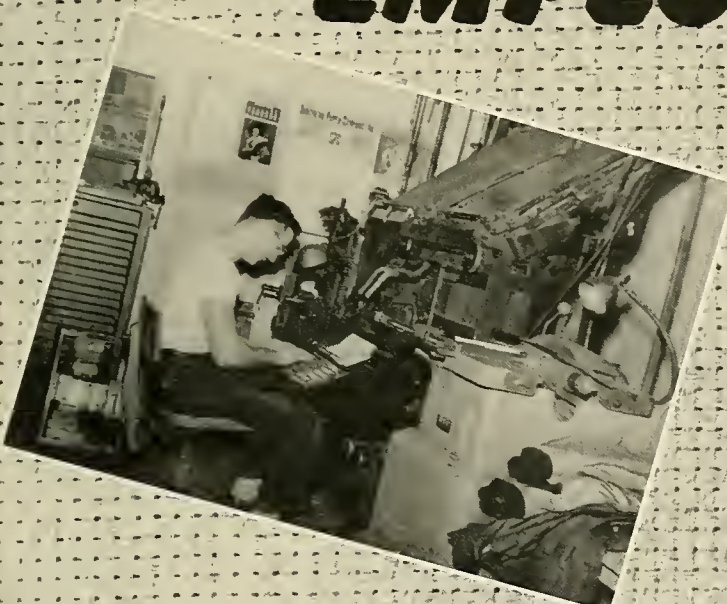
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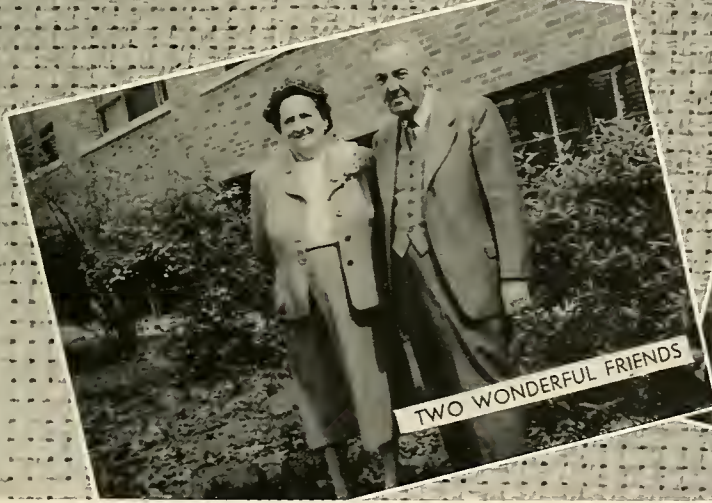
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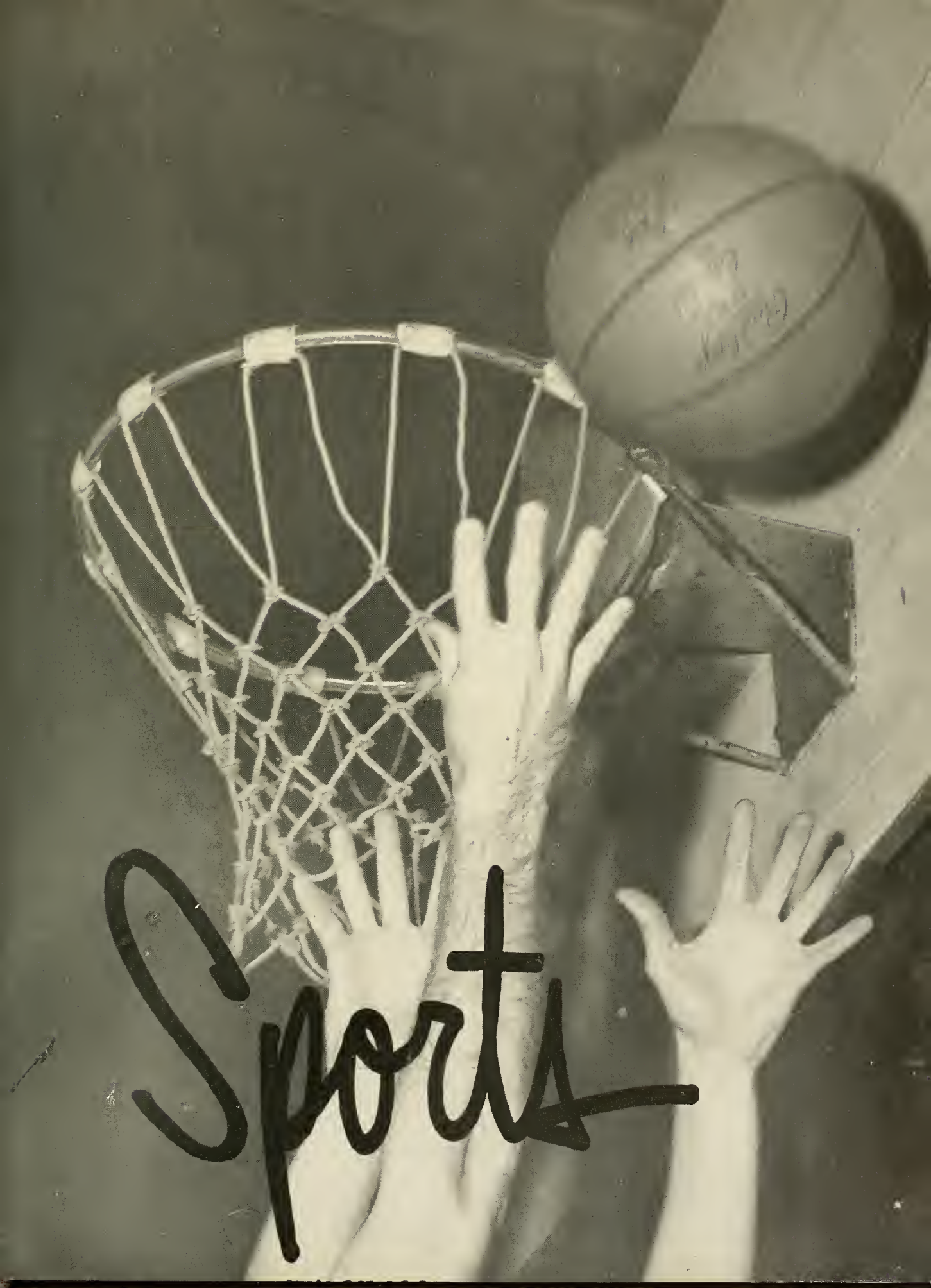


W H O ' S W H O

"... excellence and sincerity in scholarship; ... leadership and participation in extracurricular and academic activities; ... citizenship and service to the school; ... promise of future usefulness to business and society."

On the basis of the above criteria five seniors have been chosen to appear in **Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities**. At Bryan those elected to Who's Who must also exhibit a consistent Christian testimony. Chosen this year were Robert Lehnhart, Ralph Maynard, Mary Jean McKinley, Thomas Taylor, and Nathan T'ung.

First Row: R. E. Maynard, N. T'ung. Center: M. J. McKinley. Back Row: B. Lehnhart, T. Taylor.



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Fall is the football season on Bryan Hill, and this year for the first time the teams participated on the new Bryan Alumni Athletic Field. The games are played on intramural basis, and every Monday afternoon each class cheers its stalwarts on to victory at the gridiron. The Juniors dominated the gridiron this past season, posting a 4-1-1 record.

The lone defeat came at the hands of the Sophomores who trounced the Juniors 26-0 in the last game of the season. The Sophomores appear next in the scoring column with a 3-1-2 record. On down the list, the Seniors jockey for third place with a 1-3-2 position. The Freshman standing at the end of the season posted a 1-4-1 record.

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BRYAN—TEMPLE GAME



Top: Bryan All-Star Team.
Bottom: "1-2-3 Hike."

The all-star team, representing Bryan's choice intramural football talent, presented this lineup:

Freshmen—Joe Miller, Jack Romeis.
Sophomores—Don Drake, Bud Schatz.

Juniors—George Haberer, Dave Lunney, Mickey Park.

Seniors—Ralfe Kaiser, Paul Marsteller, John Miesel, Darwin Neddo.

Al Jewett coached the team.

Bryan's two-platoon system overpowered their big rival, Tennessee Temple, in two games played this football season. In the home game the offensive team sparkled as they marched down the field with the pig-skin, upsetting Temple by a score of 26-2. In the return game at Warner Park in Chattanooga, the rugged defensive team starred by intercepting and running back three Temple passes, scoring 18 points. The Bryan Lions won this game with a 25-8 victory.

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N O R T H — S O U T H G A M E

The annual North-South football game is one of the Thanksgiving Day highlights on Bryan Hill. Both teams entered the game at full strength. However, as the minutes wore on, players from each side were sidelined from time to time with the traditional charley-horses and other aches and pains. The Rebels put up a stubborn fight and held the Yankees scoreless in the second half, but an alert offense and a powerful defense fielded by the Yanks proved too much for the Rebs.

Bergman fades for a pass.



Top Left: North Team. Top Right: South Team. Bottom: Martha King, Myra Conner, Kathy Fromman, Audrey Mayer, Adrienne Kerr, Velma Nothnagel.

The two-platoon system of the North was the deciding factor in edging the Rebels 12-6. The game was played in a sea of mud, making it virtually impossible for either team to pick up any appreciable ground yardage. For the most part, both teams kept to the air—all three touchdowns were made on passes. A highlight to the game itself was the crowning of the queens—Audrey Mayer of the North and Kathy Fromman of the South.



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For the second year now, the girls participated in speedball as the first intramural sport of the season.

The Seniors took top honors, losing no games, winning four, and tying two. The Juniors were very consistent this year by winning two, tying two, and losing two. The Sophomores were next in line, winning one game, tying three games, and losing two. The Freshmen had no victories but put up a good fight by tying three games and losing three. In the Thanksgiving North-South rivalry the Northern girls kicked their way to victory.

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The second sport of the season found the girls out on the volleyball court serving, hitting, and spiking the ball back and forth over the net.

The seniors again shone as they came out in front with four wins and only one loss. The other three teams made the season close and exciting by all winning two games and losing three. Competition was keen and good sportsmanship was shown.



Action in the Volleyball Court.



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Students took a more active interest in tennis this year as many were found dusting off the old racquet to enter in the tournament play on the new blacktop courts in Dayton. Competition was keen and games were close in the singles, doubles, and mixed doubles events. George Rock emerged once again as Bryan Hill's Mr. Tennis. George was listed among the victors in all three events.



Highlights of the Fall Tennis Tournament.



Set --- spike.



The sport of "set-ups" and "spikes" provided an interesting season for the fellows on the volleyball court. All games were hard fought, but in the end the Seniors' height proved to be the deciding factor.

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Coach Johnson of Maryville starts the Bryan Invitational.

With a team composed of five freshmen and three upper classmen, the Bryan Lions set out to "run with patience the race . . . set before" them.

The team elected sophomore Ev Boyce as captain for the season.

In the first meet of the season, Larry Hess and Ev Boyce led the way as the Lions trounced the Petrels of Oglethorpe University by placing seven men in the first nine finishers.

In the Maryville meets, the Lions were trimmed by one and two points; Larry Hess again was the first finisher for the Lions.

Meeting Sewanee for the last dual meet of the season, the Lions were handed a decisive setback at the hands of a star-studded Sewanee team.

The Bryan Invitational pitted the Lions against Maryville, Berry, and Emory. Bryan's Larry Hess took an early lead which he held through the first two miles of the 3.5-mile course. Maryville's Richabaugh and McWilliams captured first and second places respectively, closely followed by Bryan's Ev Boyce. Hess held fourth place until he fell within ten yards of the finish line. He crawled across the line after eight runners had passed him, but was disqualified.

The Lions took second place in the meet, winning the handsome runner-up trophy. Ribbons

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were awarded to the first ten finishers. Bryan runners who earned ribbons were: Ev Boyce, third place; Dick Ruble, fourth place; and Jack Romeis, tenth place.

Lettermen for the season are Ev Boyce, Dick Ruble, Larry Hess, and Stuart Meissner.

SCORES

(Low score wins)

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| There—Bryan | 19 |
| Oglethorpe | 42 |
| There—Maryville | 27 |
| Bryan | 28 |
| Here —Maryville | 27 |
| Bryan | 29 |
| There—Sewanee | 20 |
| Bryan | 37 |
| Second Annual Bryan Invitation | |
| Maryville | 27 |
| Bryan | 50 |
| Emory | 54 |
| Berry | 94 |

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Front Row: D. Payne, L. Hess, R. Ruble. Second Row: J. Romeis, Q. Matthes, E. Boyce. Back: E. Amstutz, Manager.
Not Pictured: J. Demet, S. Meissner.

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The battle of the backboards is the sport of thrills and chills at Bryan. This year the Senior team stands out in scoring over their opponents, but not far behind are the up and coming Freshmen. John Rathbun of the Senior five and Mickey Park of the Juniors are the leading high scorers of the season.

The Seniors met their only defeat as they forfeited their last game to the Freshmen in a vain attempt to "sneak" from the eagle-eyed Juniors.

The standings at the end of the season are as follows:

| Team | Wins | Losses |
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| Seniors | 5 | 1 |
| Freshmen | 4 | 2 |
| Juniors | 2 | 4 |
| Sophomores | 1 | 5 |

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One of the favorite sports of the girls is that game under the baskets. This year the games proved to be faster-moving and closer in scoring because of a change in rules making the girls' game more like the fellows'.

The tables were turned as to class standings in this sport. The Freshmen and Juniors finished the season with top honors, both winning five games and losing one. The Sophomores followed with two wins and four losses, while the Seniors tailed, not having seen a single victory.

The Seniors did pull a tricky "sneak" play in their last game by retiring to Lake Ocoee via the dressing room.

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T R A C K

Although the track team had only two meets in '53, the team made a good showing considering that only twelve men came out for the spring sport.

In the triangular meet with Emory and Berry at Atlanta, Bryan placed second. Meissner captured first place in the 440-yard dash and Smals in the 220-yard dash; Wisthoff tied with two Emory men for first place in the high jump. Bryan's relay team placed second.

Below: Meissner captures the 440 in Emory meet.
Bottom: Kaiser leaps to victory at Berry.



Top: Koontz loosens up for his race.
Bottom: Big John competes in the javelin throw.

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| Emory | 101 1/6 |
| Bryan | 40 1/3 |
| Berry | 20 1/2 |

Rain hampered speeds, heights, and distances in the dual meet with Berry at Rome, Georgia.

The Bryan men took nine firsts in the fourteen events, sweeping the 100- and 220-yard dashes.

Bryan easily won the meet.

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| Bryan | 82 1/2 |
| Berry | 49 1/2 |

Members of the team were: Don Walker, Dean Koontz, Dave Wisthoff, Charles Thornton, Ralfe Kaiser, Bill Hawk, Stuart Meissner, Jim Gould, John Rathbun, Ev Boyce, Bill Smals, and Ron Bensinger.

Lettermen were: Don Walker, Dean Koontz, Ralfe Kaiser, Dave Wisthoff, Stuart Meissner, Ev Boyce, and Ed Amstutz, manager.

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Bottom: Stre-e-etch.

S O F T B A L L

Field in Chattanooga, Bryan again outplayed Temple by sending eight runs across the plate to only three by Temple.

The girls' softball season came to a close with the Freshmen and Sophomores in a tie for first place. The final standings were:

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| Freshmen . . . | 5 | 1 |
| Sophomores . . . | 5 | 1 |
| Juniors . . . | 2 | 4 |
| Seniors . . . | 0 | 6 |

Top: Knocked clear out of the picture.
Bottom: Two misses on one ball.



The freshman fellows wound up the 1953 softball season as the champs of the diamond. The standings at the end of the season were:

| | W | L |
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| Freshmen . . . | 4 | 2 |
| Seniors . . . | 3 | 3 |
| Sophomores . . . | 3 | 3 |
| Juniors . . . | 2 | 4 |

The All-star team, a group of the outstanding players from each class, walloped home three victories over Tennessee Temple this season. In the double-header played on the Dayton City School softball field, Bryan defeated Temple 6-4 and 6-5. Then in the night ball game at Lakeland



One entire day of every spring is set aside as a holiday for sports. Members from each class participate in field and track events. Points gathered on this day

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Article VI - Council

The Council shall be the governing body of the G.S.A. and shall be composed of the following members:

1. The President of the G.S.A.
2. The Vice President of the G.S.A.
3. The Secretary of the G.S.A.
4. The Treasurer of the G.S.A.
5. The Editor of the G.S.A. Journal.
6. The Editor of the G.S.A. Bulletin.
7. The Editor of the G.S.A. News.
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20. The Editor of the G.S.A. Handbook.

The Council shall meet at least once a year and may meet more often if necessary. The Council shall have the power to make and alter the bylaws of the G.S.A. and to elect and remove its officers and members.

Organizations



C. S. A. COUNCIL

Left to right, R. Bensinger, Secretary; Mr. Zopfi, Co-ordinator and Advisor; B. Lehnart, President; A. Witter, Vice-President; D. Franklin, Treasurer; A. Lacy.

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To realize this purpose this year, C. S. A. members have conducted eighteen child evangelism classes in Dayton and vicinity and ninety-five Bible classes in twenty-two public schools, held services in the Dayton hospitals and the Rhea County jail, visited one of thirteen towns each week on open-air work and house-to-house visitation, and taught and preached in six churches, two missions, and numerous Sunday Schools. The C. S. A. Council, comprised of a representative from each member group and a faculty advisor-coordinator, integrated the entire C. S. A. program.

Top: "Suffer the little children" . . . ; Bottom: . . . "not willing that any should perish . . ."



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Jesus said: "Let the little children come to me, and stop keeping them from it, for to such as these the kingdom of heaven belongs." Mark 10:14, Williams Translation. This year the Child Evangelism Fellowship held eighteen child evangelism classes in Dayton and surrounding area. Some fifty Bryan students conducted these classes among both white and colored children. Throughout the school year, the Child Evangelism Fellowship meets regularly for the sharing of experiences, plans, and ideas, and prayerful guidance of child evangelism activities.

A typical C. E. Class.



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Mrs. Evelyn McClusky addresses the student body.



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Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him that loved us.—Romans 8:37. On October 15, 1933, Mrs. Evelyn McClusky of Atlanta, Georgia, founded Miracle Book Club, an international organization for high schools and colleges. On November 13, 1953, a chapter was formed on Bryan campus with these goals: "1. To invite young people to come into Jesus CHRIST, the only safe place. . . 2. To help born-again ones realize that CHRIST lives in them. . . 3. To be more than conquerors through the Lord, CHRIST Jesus. . . 4. To become conversationalists for CHRIST."

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Student pastor Archie Mason assists in local church.



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The official verse of the Pastors' Fellowship is II Timothy 4:2: **Preach the word, be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine.**

Pastors' Fellowship was organized to associate those students who have definitely dedicated themselves to full time service to the Lord and who believe the Lord is leading them into the ministry.

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Bryan's R. E. Maynard and Joyce Johnson are respectively president and secretary of Southeastern Regional Student F. M. F. for 1953-54. This year Bryan F. M. F. (founded 1937) initiated a pledge system to raise and channel funds for former Bryan students, faculty, and staff serving as foreign missionaries.

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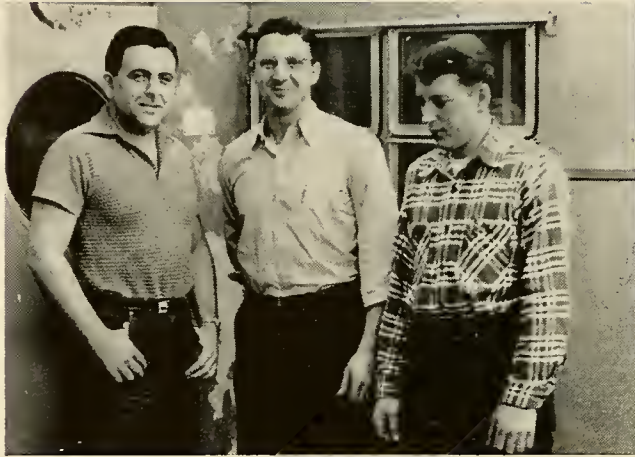
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Mayor Archie Mason talks with councilmen George Haberer and Dick Mason.



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From its beginning in 1946 with the purchase of 12 government trailers by the University, Trailerville has grown to a population of 74 people living in 26 trailers.

Trailerville is the solution to the problem which arose at the end of World War II when discharges from the

armed forces began. Although many veterans were applying for schooling, there were no living quarters on Bryan Hill suitable for housing their families. Thus "Vetsville" came into existence, and the married students were given the choice of renting a trailer from the University or living in their own.

Because the problems were somewhat different from those of dormitory students, it was decided to elect a Mayor and two councilmen as a representative committee for handling any problems that might arise. As the veterans left and other married students took their places, the name "Vetsville" was changed to "Trailerville."

STUDENT WIVES' BIBLE CLASS

Front Row: Mrs. Francis, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Neddo, Mrs. R. Mason, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Raffa, Mrs. Haberer. Back Row: Mrs. Kramer, Mrs. Pflug, Mrs. Mulvey, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Furman, Mrs. Geerie, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Miesel, Mrs. Kribbs, Mrs. Karr, Mrs. Svedberg, Mrs. Friedrich, Mrs. McCarrell.

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Often the wives of students are not themselves students, nor can they attend chapel regularly; to help meet their need for spiritual food and fellowship, the Student Wives' Bible Class meets weekly for Bible study and prayer. This year Mrs. Lucy Sullivan taught the book of Philippians. For service projects the class helps any sick persons in Trailerville, works on missionary projects, and plans Trailerville social events.

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The Student Council, in seeking to represent the student body before the administration, has as its ultimate purpose the bringing of honor and glory to the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. As student leaders, the members of the Council aim to cultivate a high standard of student morale, prayerfully consider problems, and forward to the administration or the Student Affairs Council all recommendations from the student body pertaining to student life. Although "its duties shall not be disciplinary or academic," the Council reflects student opinion and mediates student grievances.

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It also collects and presents to the administration student suggestions for changes in the yearly reprinting of the Student Handbook, takes charge of Family Prayer Meetings, handles all civic campaigns and drives among the students, and directs the yearly Campus Clean-up.

During the first quarter, Mickey Park served as president and Tom Hicks as vice-president.

COUNCIL OFFICERS

Robert Clouse, Alice McLeod, Seymour Ashley





GOSPEL TEAMS

This versatile musical group presented fourteen programs during a two-week tour of Georgia and Florida during the Christmas holidays.

Programs of unusual variety were possible because individual members of the group possessed at the same time both vocal and instrumental ability.

Seated: Pearl Rathbun. Standing, left to right: Jesse Deloe, Virginia Sequine, Gladys Mighells, Jim Reese.



The Girls' Quartet has represented Bryan University and the Lord Jesus Christ in church and high school programs during the school year and will make an eight-week summer tour through Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, and possibly West Virginia.

Top: Gladys Mighells. Middle: left, Martha King; right, Judy King. Bottom: June Hively.



"Go west, young man . . .," said Horace Greeley. Following his advice, the Bryan Brass Quartet will be traveling this summer to Alabama, Mississippi, Texas, Arizona, Colorado, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, and Michigan. The group, which is touring together for the second year, presents a lively and varied program of instrumental and vocal solos, duets, trios, and quartets.

Seated: Lyle Hillegas. Left to right: Jesse Deloe, Don Weltmer, Alva Conner, Jim Reese.

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"It is the desire of every member of the choir to exhibit through his life the person of the Lord Jesus Christ, as well as to make Him the theme of song and testimony." — from the program notes of the '52-'53 choir program. Besides the public appearances at the Bryan Bible Conference and in the Dayton area, the choir made a spring tour into Virginia, Pennsylvania, and Ohio. Director Gerald Woughter has incorporated into the choir's repertoire several arrangements and original compositions by Professor David Heydenburk.



Left to right: Gerald Woughter, director; Lyle Hillegas, assistant accompanist; David Heydenburk, accompanist.

Front Row: M. Morgan, J. Harrington, V. Nothnagel, J. Baer, N. Meyers, L. Sherwood, N. Warder, L. Ringler, V. Sequine. Second Row: P. Rathbun, M. Thornton, V. Jewett, G. Mighells, E. Lien, R. Burkett, N. Hildebrand, M. King, J. King, A. R. Hille, E. M. Davis. Third Row: D. Lunney, L. Richards, J. Gould, R. Bergman, J. Müller, T. Taylor, R. Kaiser, B. Vogt, T. Sacher. Back Row: J. Hicks, B. Hamilton, R. Bensinger, D. Bol, K. Campbell, J. Rathbun, M. Park, B. Porter, M. Hobson, J. Reese, J. Demet. Front: Mr. Woughter.



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The Forensic Society encourages the "word fitly spoken," which requires speaking ability and self-confidence. Through readings, discussions, impromptu speeches, and debates, Forensic provides its members with the opportunity to acquire a knowledge of parliamentary procedure, stimu-

lates interest in current events, and furnishes entertainment. A Forensic banquet is held each spring. Colossians 4:6 aptly describes the aims of Forensic: **Let your speech be always with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man.**

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G A M M A C H I

Chartered in 1948, Gamma Chi seeks to interpret and present the sciences with "the mind of Christ" and conducts Christ-centered science programs for the entire University. The name Gamma Chi comes from the first letters of two Greek words meaning "Knowledge for Christ." During the fall quarter of this year, Gamma Chi

sponsored a trip to Oak Ridge to attend the annual meeting of the Collegiate Division of the Tennessee Academy of Science. There Betty-Joy Rankin tied for first place with her paper on "Some Pertinent Observations of Turdus Migratorius in Tennessee and Michigan."

Front Row: K. Sewall, B. J. Rankin, D. Bean, P. Marsteller, M. Sheffield, Mr. Payne. Second Row: R. Horne, Mr. Woughter, T. Taylor, B. Porter, W. Pickering, A. R. Hille, L. Kyker. Third Row: J. Leslie, J. Barth, D. Marsteller, G. Schaefer, M. Wiggans, D. Jacobsen, M. LeJeune, A. White, J. Rankin.



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Members hold a membership card admitting them to the exclusive use of the University dark-

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Each member desires that the experience gained through Camera Club activities may be used in the service of his Lord Jesus Christ.

Seated: E. Svedberg, L. Farrell, K. Sewall, D. Weltmer. Standing: N. Tung, J. Deloe, Mr. Zopfi, J. Aschenbach, E. Frey, J. Johnson.



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The invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead.—Romans 1:20.

The Art Club, organized during the school year 1951-52 under the leadership of Mrs. Earl Wil-

liamson, this year emphasized sketching, portrait painting, flannelgraph background, and chalk drawing. Bryan University's situation in the gleaming Tennessee Valley at the western foot of the rugged Cumberlands provides an unusual variety of subjects for outdoor art.

Seated: B. Newton, G. Ledbetter, M. Taber, Mrs. Hoyt. Standing: A. Myers, N. Kier, J. Bryant, J. McKee, A. Johnson.



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"Lequel d'entre vous est sage et intelligent? Qu'il montre ses oeuvres par une bonne conduite avec la douceur de la sagesse."—James 3:13. "Le Cercle Francais," or French Club, this year has a new "accent." Monsieur Henri Bonnet, French Ambassador to the United States, has arranged for Le Cercle Francais to rent films, records, and books about France and her colonies.

Le Cercle Francais aims to create a spirit of mutual appreciation between the United States and France.

Motto: "Il y a de la grandeur a attendre, d'attendre son heure dans le silence. Mais non dans l'immobilite."

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"Y todo lo que hagais, hacerlo de animo como a! Senor, y no a los hombres."—Colossians 3:23.

The Spanish Club desires to help its members enjoy the language, and also to prepare them for serving the Lord in the Spanish-speaking countries. Its programs have featured humorous skits, Spanish songs, films on the Latin American countries, slides on Mexican migrant work, and missionary speakers.

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The Athletic Committee arranges and supervises the intramural sports program to develop good physical condition in students, to provide recreation, and to teach Christian sportsmanship. "If you can't be a winner, be a sport."



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A newcomer to Bryan's campus this year is the Tennis Club, seeking to stimulate interest in tennis with an eye to future intercollegiate competition. The club has also initiated training classes to teach the fundamentals of tennis.

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