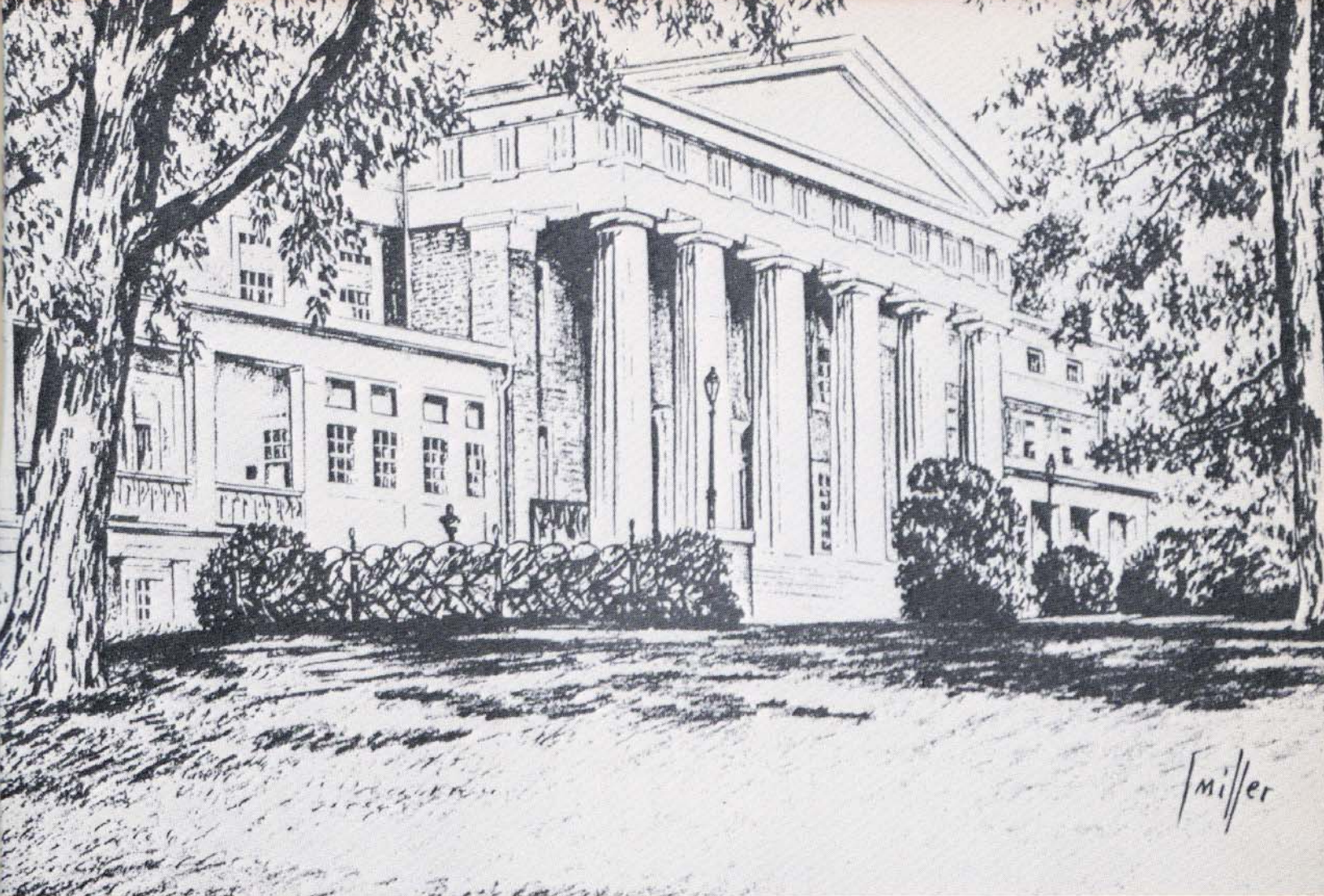


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**White Columns**



# *The 1968 White Columns*

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# *Foreword*

*Autumn to winter, winter into spring,  
Spring into summer, summer into fall,  
So rolls the changing year, and so we change;  
Motion so swift, we know not that we move.*

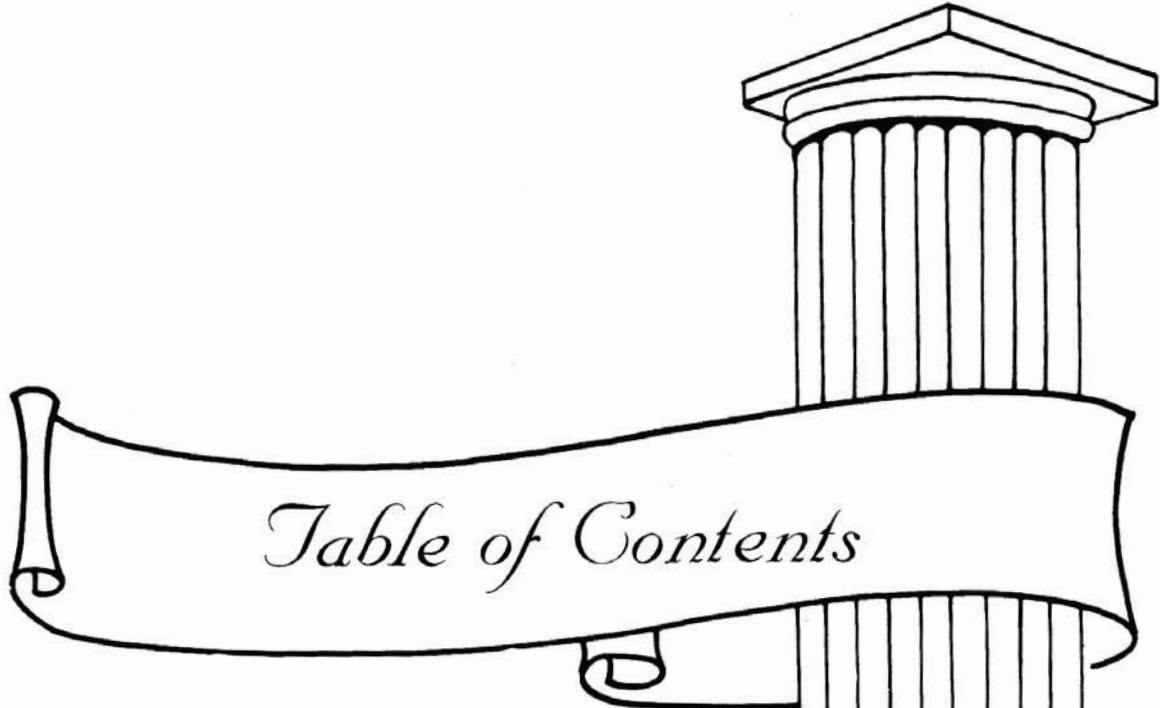
*D.M. Mulock  
Immutable*

We know we cannot stop time. Time makes it possible for change. It is a challenge to accept change—in the world, in business, in our friends, in life—but the greatest challenge is to change ourselves. Without change there will be no progress; without progress we will become dull and lifeless.

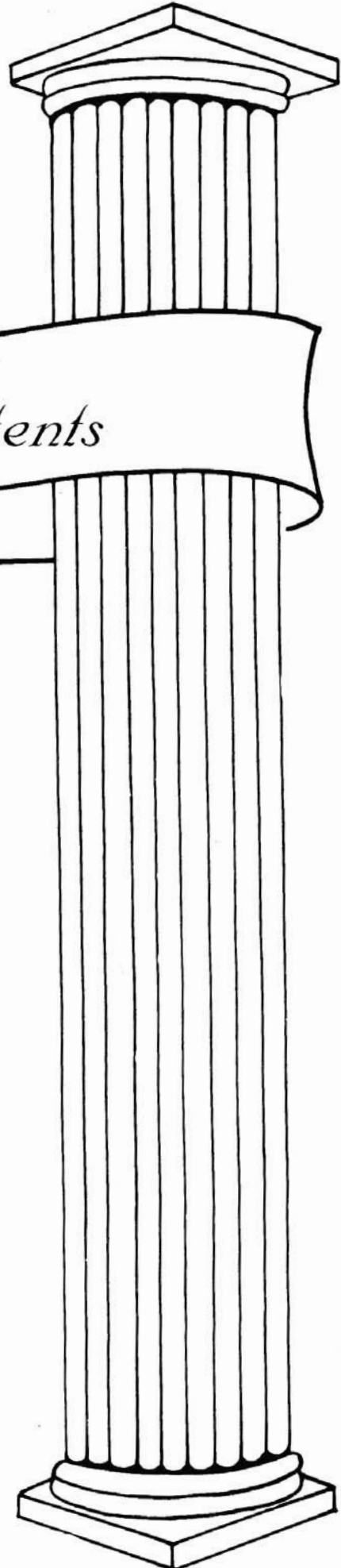
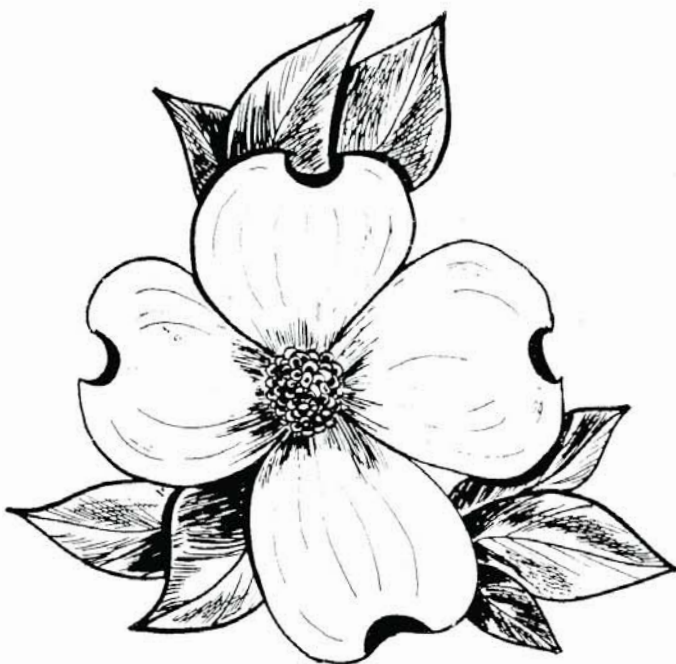
Thus ends our years at VSD. Perhaps, when we look at our White Columns many years from now, we shall see the importance of time, change and progress.

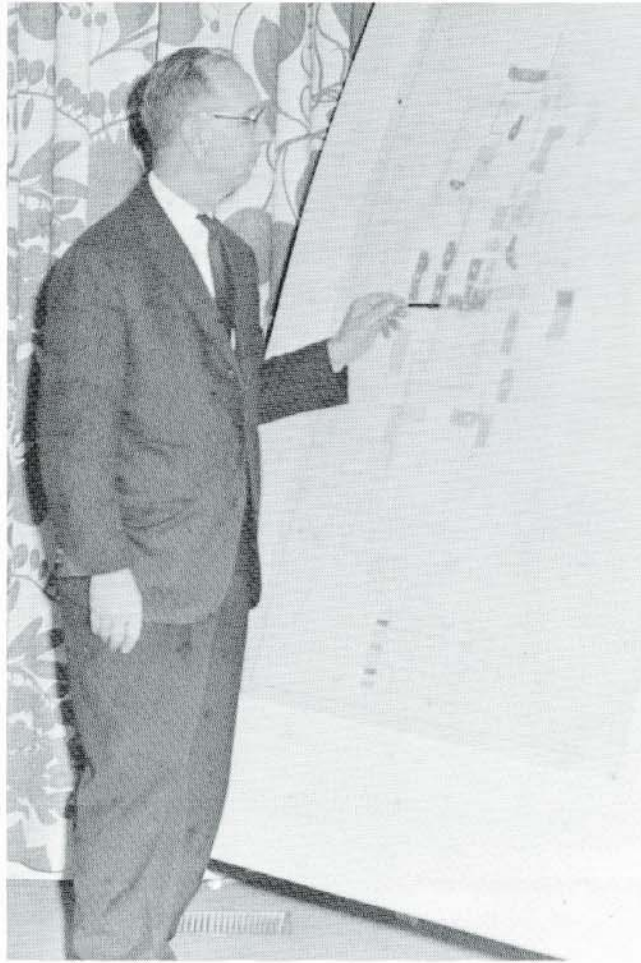
We, the Senior Class, challenge you to know, enjoy and use every moment of time.





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# DEDICATION

The Senior Class of 1968 dedicates this yearbook to:

JOE R. SHINPAUGH

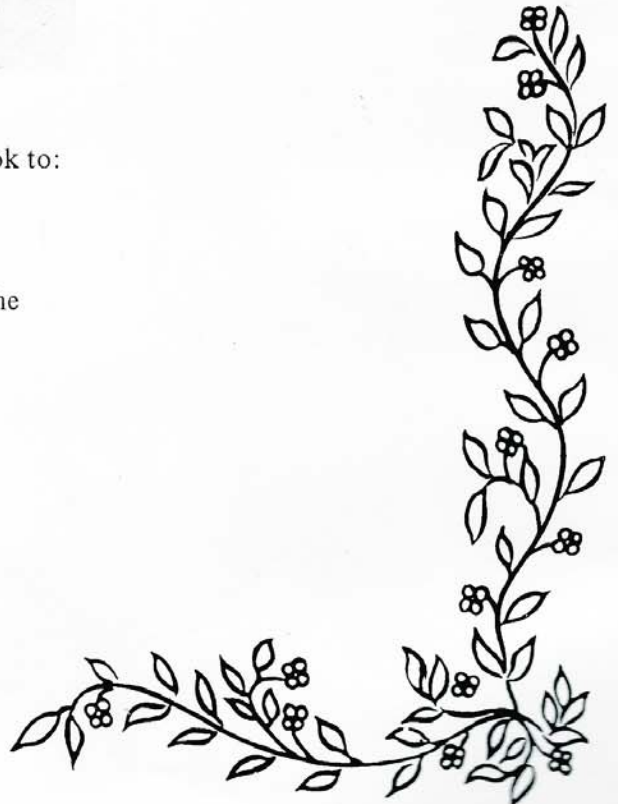
Superintendent of the Virginia School for the

Deaf and Blind

who, as an educator, administrator,

advisor, and friend, has earned

our respect and admiration.





*Administration*



MR. JOE R. SHINPAUGH  
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Secretary to Business  
Manager



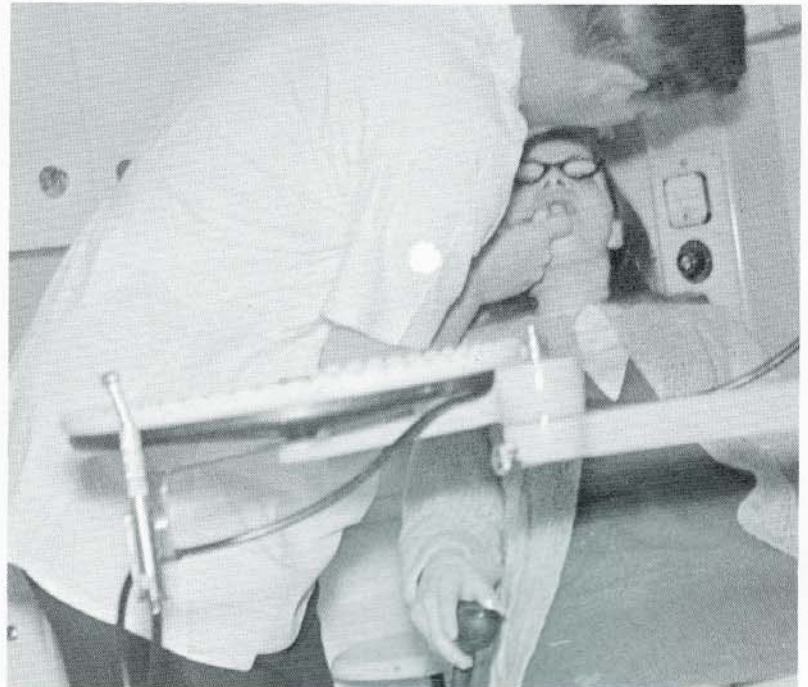
# Health Department



DR. Q. CARR  
Physician



MRS. BENNETT  
Head Nurse



DR. A. ANDERSON  
Dentist



An explorer = a man who goes to places about

Legend = pictures in

dam = wall built to hold back

*Faculty*

# Elementary Teachers



Mrs. Black  
Miss Belchee  
Mrs. Croft  
Mrs. Greever  
Mrs. Love



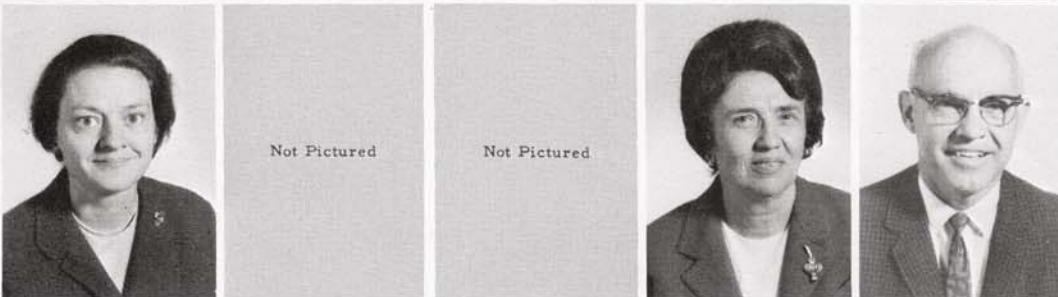
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Mrs. Rosen  
Miss Roy  
Mrs. Sheehan  
Mrs. Woodrum



Mrs. Wright  
Mrs. Blackburn  
Mrs. Clark  
Mrs. Hinnant  
Mrs. Lynch



Miss Paxton  
Mrs. Raymond  
Mrs. Weaver  
Miss Yancey  
Mrs. Brown



Miss Davis  
Mrs. Frick  
Mrs. Graham  
Mrs. Hurowitz  
Mr. Jones



Mr. Melton  
 Mr. Owens  
 Mr. Woebke  
 Mrs. Jones  
 Mrs. Yates  
 (Librarian)

## *Academic Teachers*



Mrs. Cook  
 Mr. DeVito  
 Mr. Dingleline  
 Mr. Drake  
 Mrs. Haislip



Mrs. Harden  
 Mr. Holt  
 Mr. Linzey  
 Mr. Nelson  
 Mr. Painter



Mr. Pedersen  
 Mr. Werner  
 Miss Westfall  
 Mr. McLelland  
 (Audio-Visual Specialist)

## *Vocational Teachers*



Mr. Calton

Mrs. Crosby

Miss Gordon

Mr. Guffey

Mr. Hess

Mr. Hinnant



Mrs. Kessler



Miss Mills



Mr. Pilsum



Mrs. Sebrell



Mr. Rosen



Mrs. Rosen

## *Dormitory Supervisors*



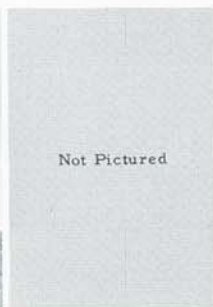
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Mrs. Burgandine



Mrs. Duffer

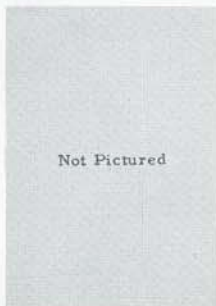


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Mrs. Howdyshell

Mr. Kiser



Not Pictured



Mrs. Knight



Mr. Lockbridge



Mr. Patterson



Miss Pike

Mrs. Pooley



Mrs. Porter



Mrs. Ramsey



Mrs. Robinson



Miss Smiley



Miss Stansberry



Mrs. Stinespring



Miss Surgenor



Mr. Thompson



Miss Trinkle



Mrs. Via



God is good.  
 I love God.  
 I want to be good  
 Amen



A little kitty  
 is so warm.  
 I don't hurt her  
 do me no harm.

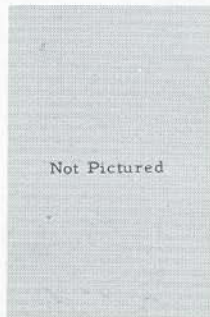


*Classes*

# Preparatory



Mrs. Love makes her student pronounce a word correctly.



Craig, Wilson  
Crouch, Rebecca



Daniels, Stephen  
Feggans, Sammy



Markham, Jamie  
Newman, Nala  
Satterfield, E.  
Stevens, Marks  
Yates, David

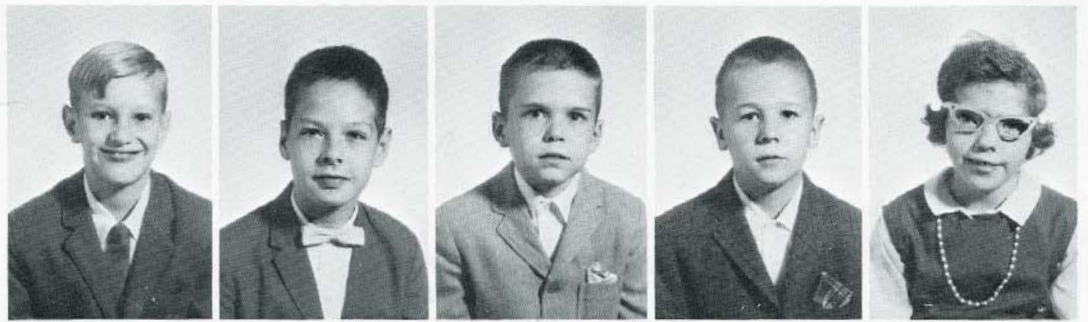


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Craig, Edward  
Harper, Jeffrey  
Hodgind, Teddie  
McLawnhorn, Kim

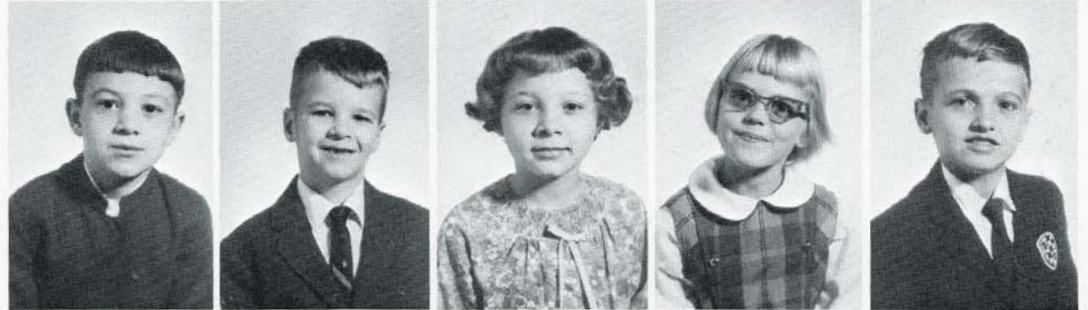


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Shifflett, V.  
Shipe, Michael  
Stickley, M.  
Amiss, Jaunita

Ayers, Randy  
 Colvard, Randy  
 Jennings, Troy  
 Proffill, Michael  
 Puckett, Sanda



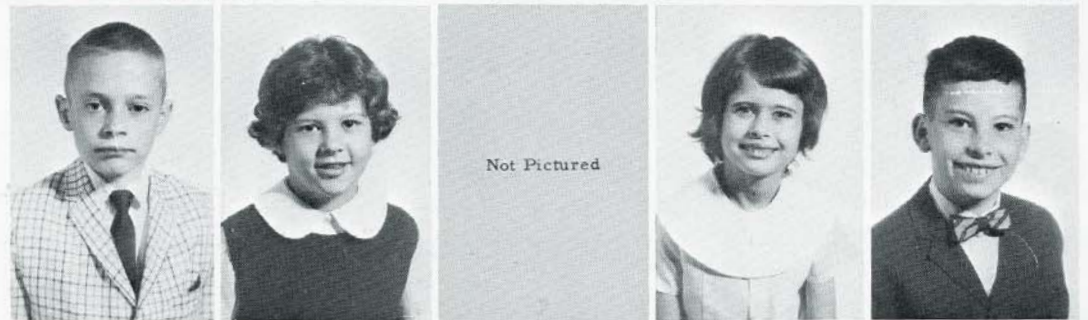
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 Uphold, Debbie  
 Andrews, Harry



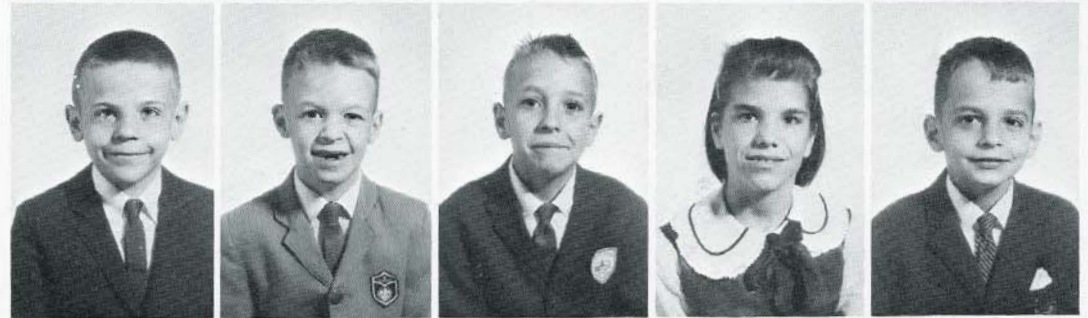
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 Crummett, Lillie  
 Eversole, Anita  
 Garrison, Ronnie  
 Lyerly, Carol



O'Brien, Michael  
 Stevens, Darlene  
 Wenger, Martha  
 Wilkins, Janet  
 Elliott, Mike



Foglesong, Jimmy  
 Fulcher, Johnny  
 Gordon, Robby  
 Montgomery, Karen  
 Richards, David



Robinson, Tammy  
 Tester, Dave  
 Tuck, Valarie  
 Dail, Franklin  
 Dykes, Diane

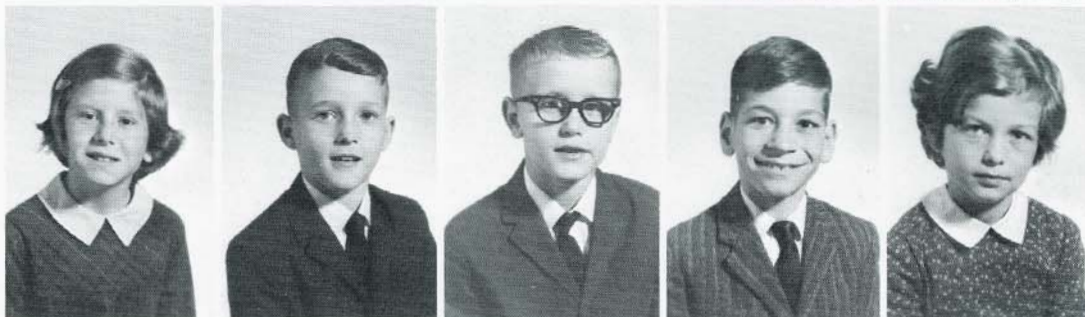




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 Harris, Timmy  
 McLawhorn, V.  
 Norton, Bobby  
 Satterfield, C.



Tanner, Sally  
 Weaver, Alan  
 Beach, Jimmy  
 Bower, Greg  
 Carwile, Mary



Craft, Timmy  
 Frank, David  
 Powell, Mike  
 Sawyer, Merrill  
 Cox, Daphne



Dowdy, Jay  
 Elkner, Holly  
 Forinash, John  
 Myers, William  
 Paravati, Frances



Pence, Sandra  
 Pike, William  
 Bazemore, Robert  
 Crawford, Judy  
 Juhasy, Mike



May, Cassandra  
 Nessar, Pamela  
 Overby, Diane  
 Settle, Cheryl  
 Trivette, Kevin



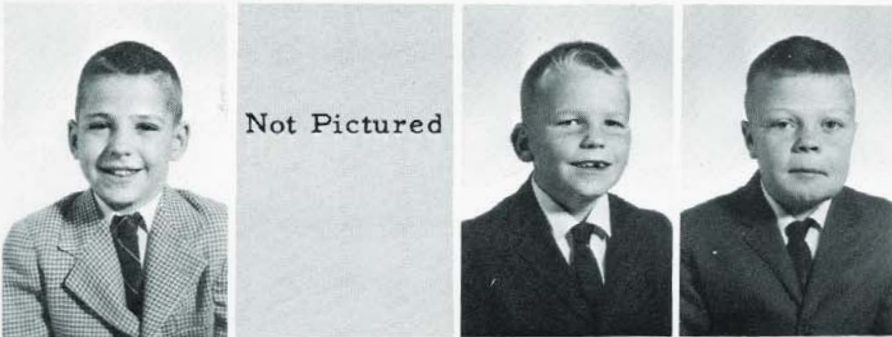


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Fortune, Wanda  
Hackett, Nancy  
Jefferson, Jeff



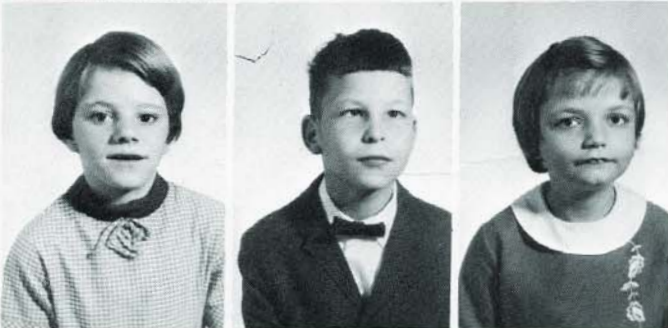
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Megginson, Becky  
Smith, Terry  
Snider, Donald  
Truesdale, Kathy

## Adjustment—A



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Gutshell, Twila  
Houson, Terry  
Hurst, Rusty



Monk, Diane  
Padgett, Joel  
Shifflett, Roxanne

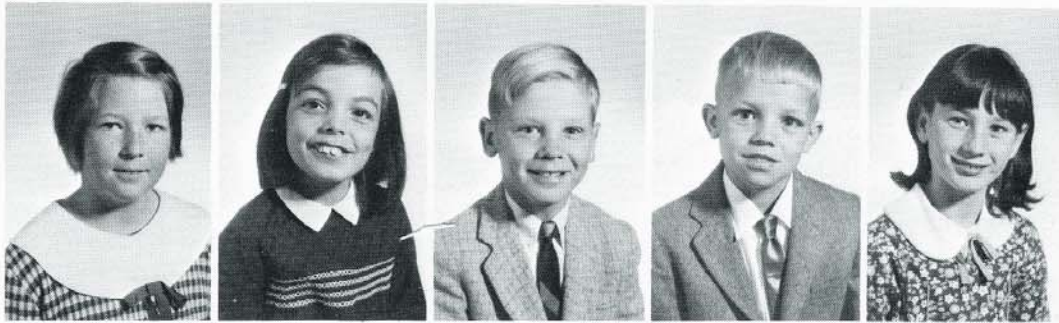


Mrs. Woodrum's pointer is showing the word truck, as one of her students points to the picture of a truck.



*Features*

# Primary



Hughes, Betty  
Lowe, Debbie  
McNeely, Lynn  
Meade, Randy  
Osborne, Mary Ann



Ramey, Bruce  
Ramey, Richard  
Riggs, Vicky  
Weaver, Faye  
Wilmore, Miles



Hall, Brenda  
Jones, Mike  
King, Mary Beth  
Lawson, Keith  
Parker, David



Parker, Linda  
Runion, Patty  
Winchester, John  
Buel, Kaye  
Dillon, Darlene



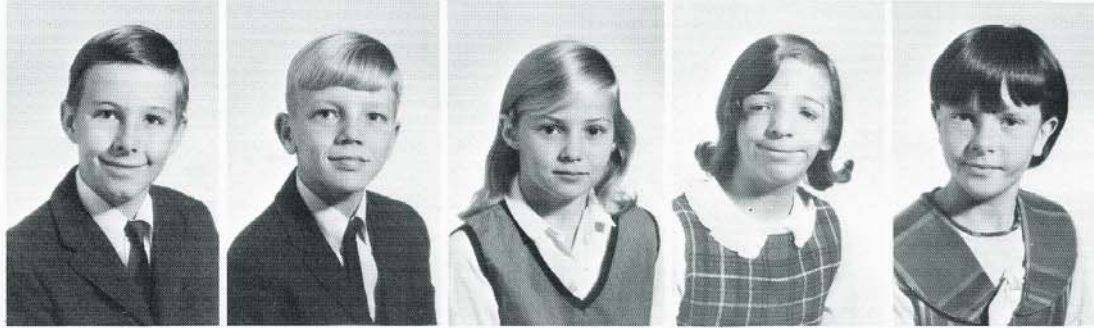
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Henderson, Lesa  
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Lowe, Billy



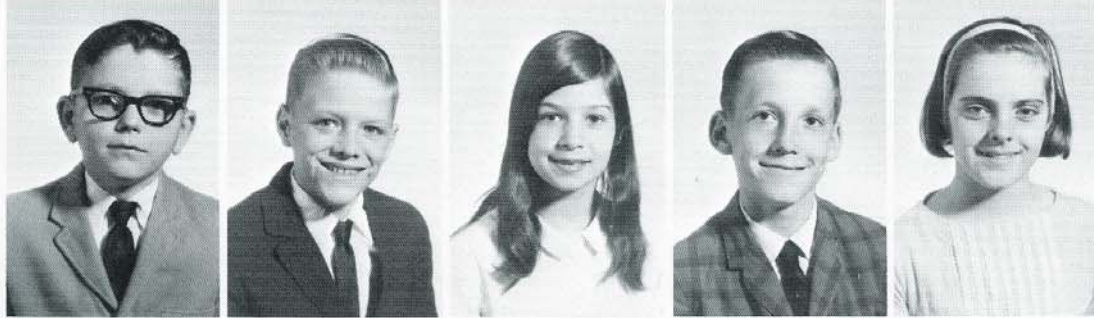
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 Mountjoy, Kathy  
 Murphy, David  
 Phillips, Harold  
 Allen, Barry



Ballard, Camella  
 Perkins, Debbie  
 Reid, Nancy  
 Spielberg, Jeffrey  
 Simon, Ray



Thompson, Lester  
 Webb, Bill  
 Wright, Paula  
 Berry, Sandra  
 Cunningham, Mary



McLawnhorn, Gary  
 Owens, Danny  
 Rader, Tracey  
 Walters, David  
 Workman, Debra



Culbert, Mike  
 Groves, Randy  
 Jonas, Lynn  
 Ridgway, Jimmy  
 Riggs, Darol



Sanford, Ricky  
 Sexton, Nellie  
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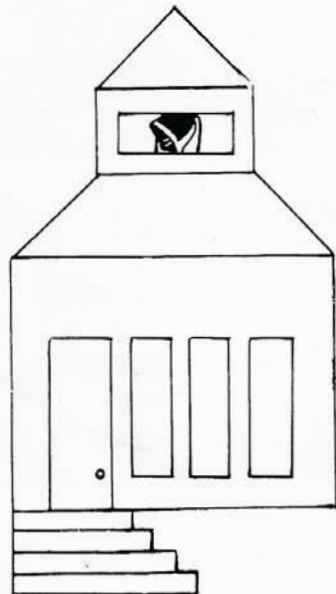
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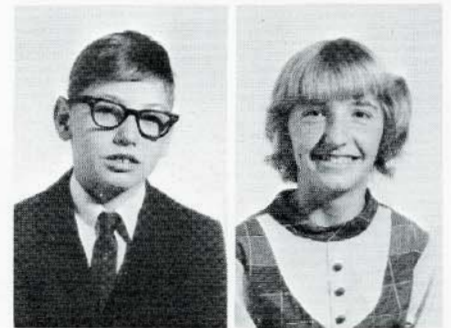
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Snider, Roy  
Toney, Gerald



## Adjustment—B



Austin, Barry  
Brogan, Debra



Frantz, Denise  
Goad, Margaret  
Pruett, Jackie



Riley, Junior  
Saunders, Donald  
Stanley, Joe



# Elementary

Addair, Donald  
Blankenship, D.  
Brewster, Robert  
Burke, Patricia  
Byrd, Gloria



Carwile, William  
Kingery, Kenneth  
Kirkpatrick, P.  
Rexrode, Jeff  
Stubbs, Robert



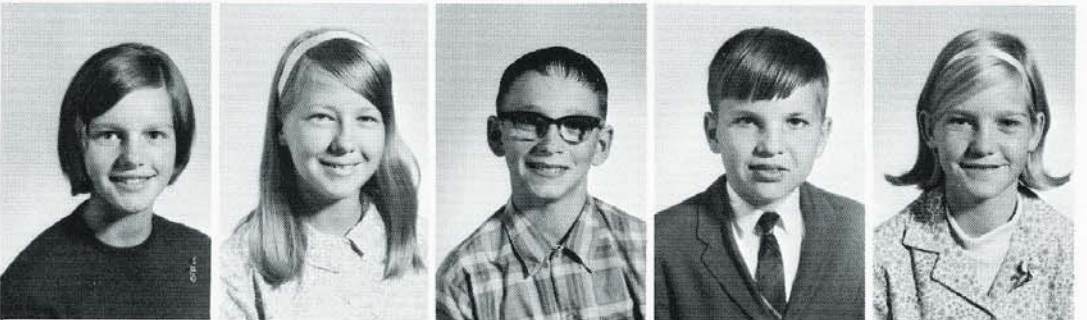
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Camden, Carol  
Clements, Connie  
Fortune, Larry  
Hughes, Debbie



Mercier, Shanna  
Pruett, Keith  
Ratcliffe, Kathy  
Roach, Teresa  
Wood, Linda



Barker, Mary  
Doyle, Iris  
Guertler, Edward  
Hucul, Wally  
Inabinett, Darlene





Lewis, Shirley  
Short, Audrey  
Vess, David  
Warden, Benny  
Wright, Mike



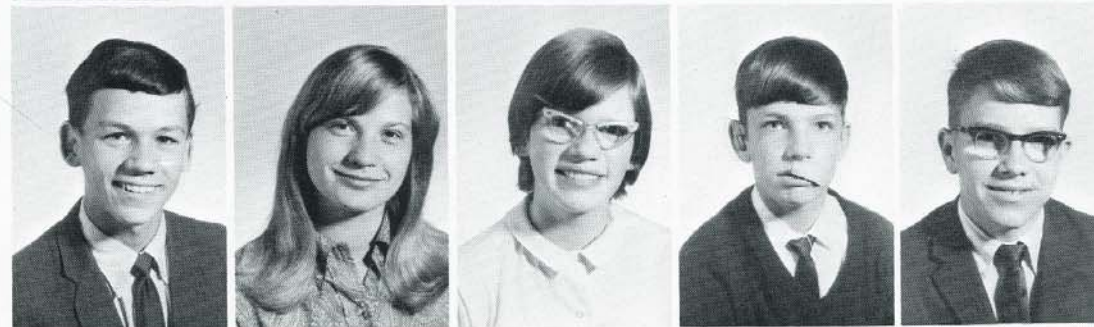
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Jones, Betty  
Lyles, Connie



Pike, Debbie  
Riggs, Carol  
Reid, James  
Rexrode, Pamela  
Simons, Debra



Watts, Garrett  
Arnold, Edward  
Bache, Cheryl  
Crisman, Terry  
Inabinett, David



Petty, Roger  
Shortt, Betty  
Sine, Jackie  
Tussing, Jerry  
Albis, Michael



Cox, Susan  
Craft, Ronald  
Fulk, Bonnie  
Hypes, Linda  
Justus, Louellen



Nastelli, Cindy  
 Plymel, Howard  
 Sirk, Leta  
 Taylor, John  
 Whiteside, Wm.



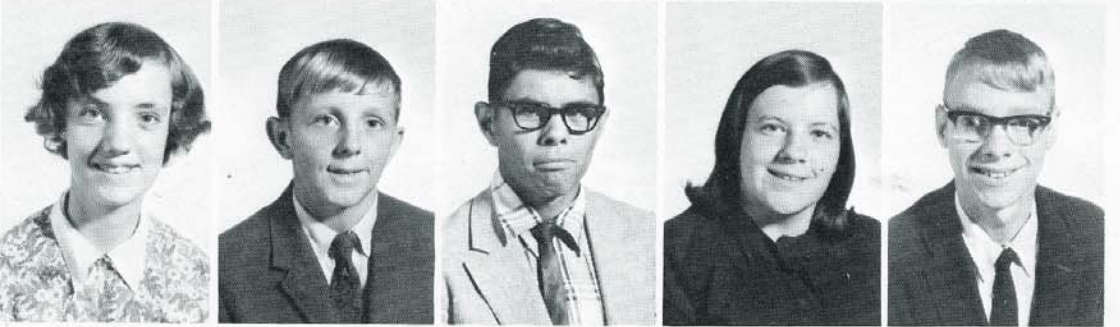
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 Dunkley, Jimmy  
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 Loving, Findlay



Mills, Jon  
 Morrow, Deborah  
 Snellings, Karen  
 Stanley, James  
 Baker, Judy



Dunn, Bobby  
 Elliott, Keith  
 Gilbert, Ralph  
 Howland, Mildred  
 Justice, Jerry



Lewis,  
 Joseph

Neely,  
 Patricia

Thomas,  
 Greg



# Adjustment—C



Bennett, Mary  
Deavers, Steve  
Frye, Connie  
Glass, Alene  
Hare, Bonnie

Mathis, Foy  
Moore, Gail  
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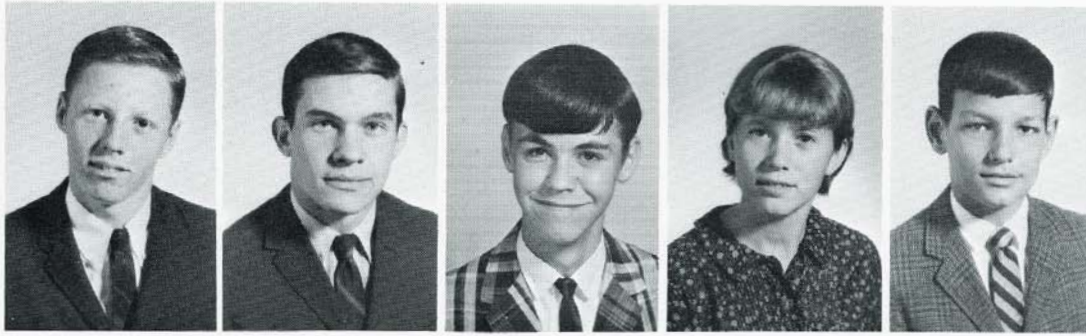
# Freshmen



Abshire, David  
Cawley, Jeffrey  
Cole, Jerry  
Hawks, Eddie  
Lipes, Warren

Long, Goldie  
Morton, Tom  
See, Clyde  
Taylor, Eugene  
White, Duney

Not Pictured



Wright, Earl  
Clapp, Neal  
Crockett, Kenneth  
Freeman, Kerry  
McGee, Bryan



Mitchell, Kenneth  
Morris, Marsha  
Sexton, Barbara  
Smith, Cindy  
Swiney, Mike

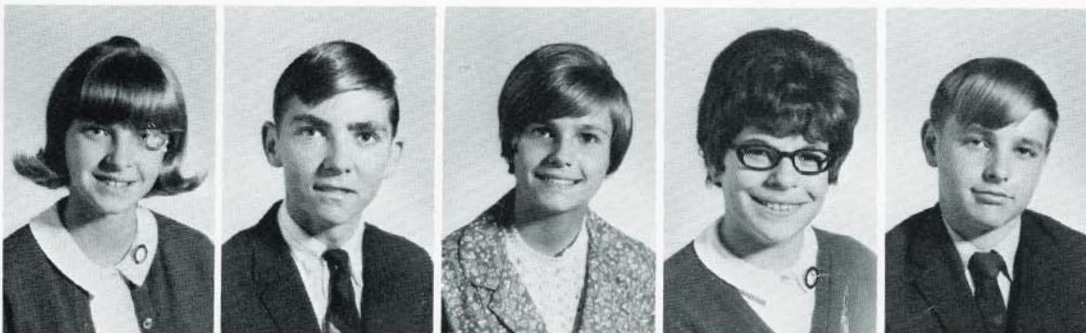


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Cross, Gary  
Flehood, Martha  
Gunter, Sandra  
Haynes, Victor



Lewis, Carolyn  
Phillips, Rebecca  
Potter, Kenneth  
Shortt, Kelly

## *Sophomores*



Barbour, Peggy  
Burton, Steve  
Cecil, Penny  
Collins, Linda  
Dickens, Jimmy



Freeman, Ruth  
Haynes, Diane  
Hirst, Beth  
Hughes, Patsy  
Jarrell, Linda



Kivlighan, Kathy  
Shrum, Steve  
Carroll, Linda  
Craft, Russell  
Davis, Thelma



Keen, Charles  
Lacks, Bennie  
Mawyer, Robert  
Noel, Sterling  
Shifflett, Nancy



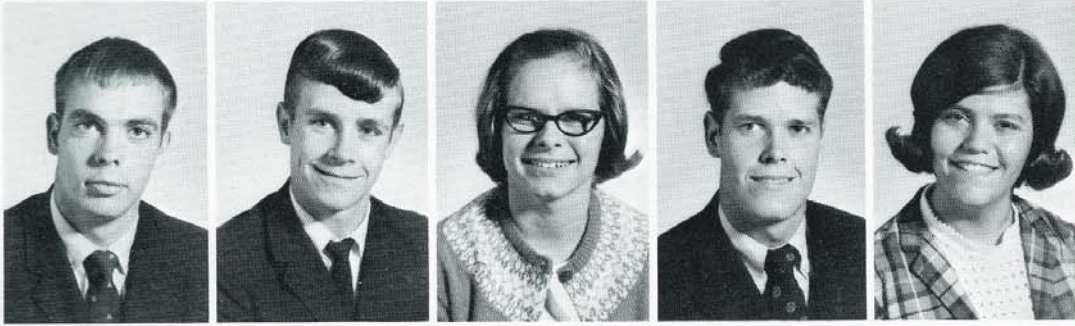
Trainum, David  
Tyndall, Brenda



Steven Burton tries to identify a country, as Peggy Barbour is pointing to it.



# Juniors



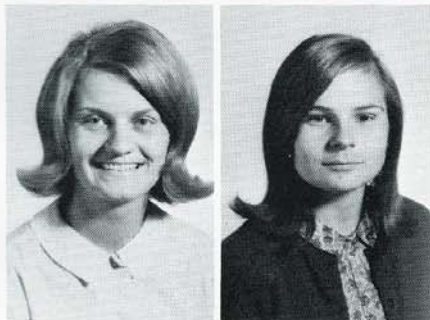
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 Harper, Sherman  
 Hiller, Christine



Hite, Gloria  
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 Searls, Matthew  
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 Winesburg, Durston



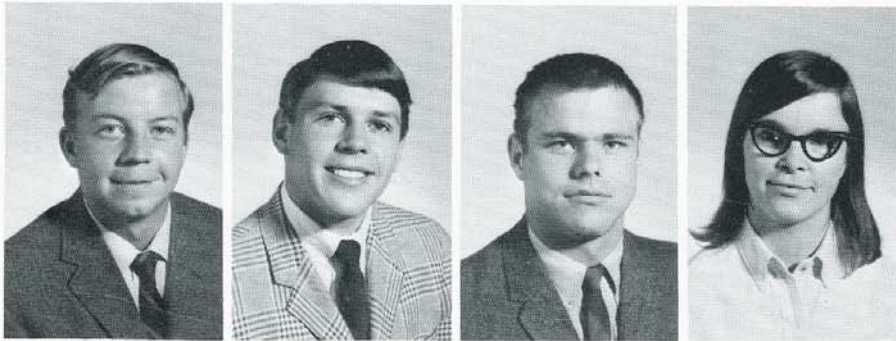
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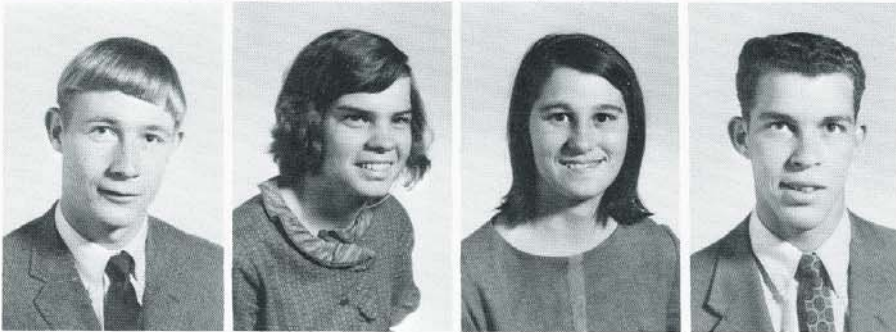
Ross, Joyce  
 Wood, Frances



A brawny junior takes a nap in his class.



Conley, Bobby  
Daily, Dennis  
Fitzgerald, Elmer  
Fouts, Elizabeth

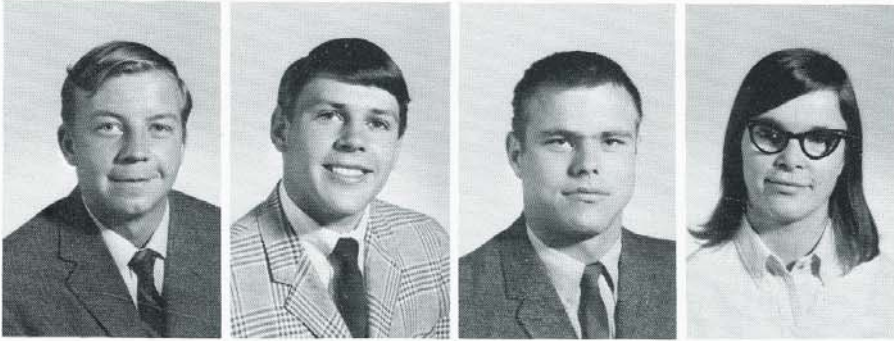


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Wenzel, Sandra  
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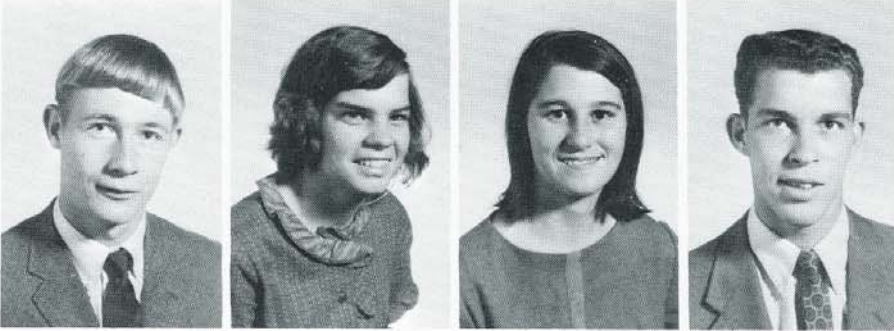


Bobby Conley is trying to finish his homework.





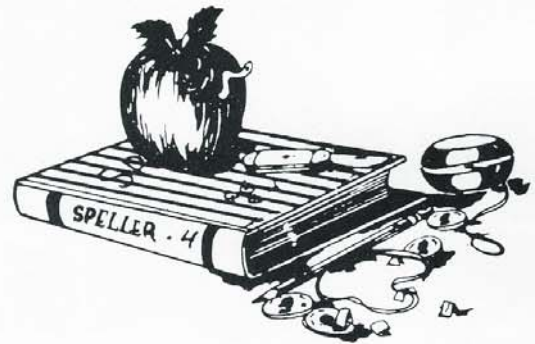
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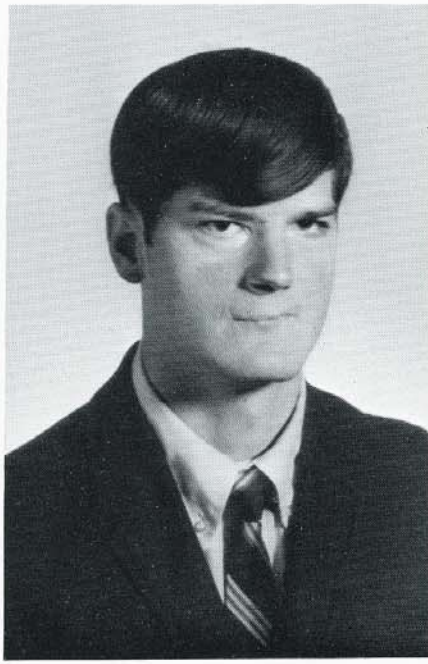
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*Seniors*



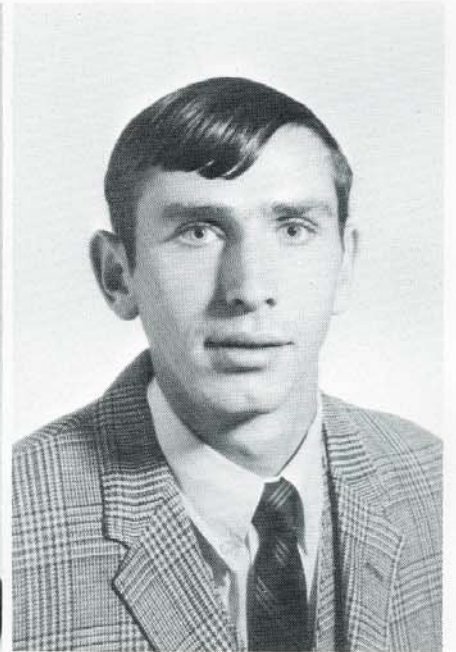


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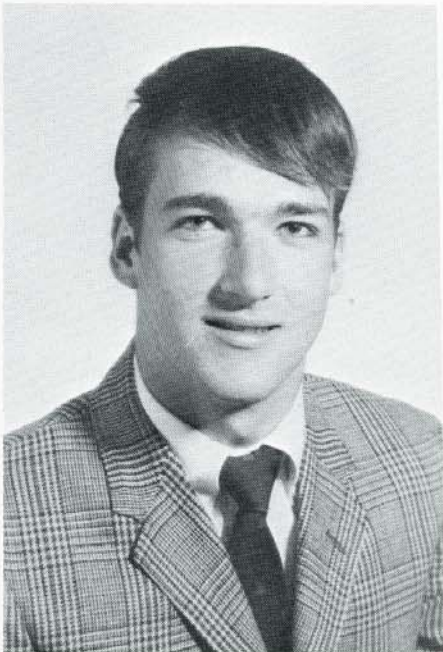
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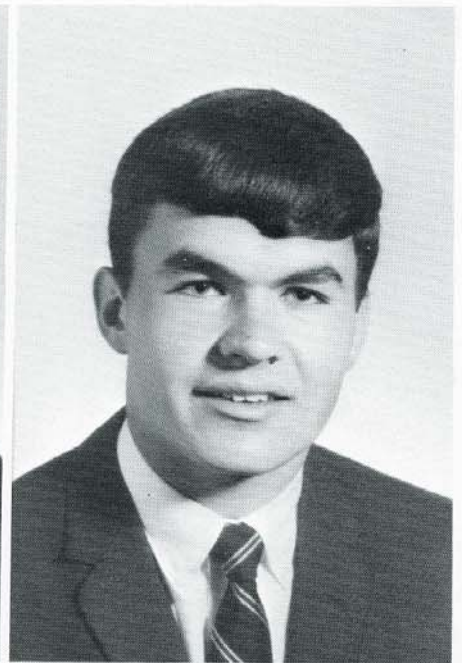
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WILLIAMSON, LINDA KAY  
Alexandria, Virginia



CLAPP, HAROLD McHYNE  
Richmond, Virginia



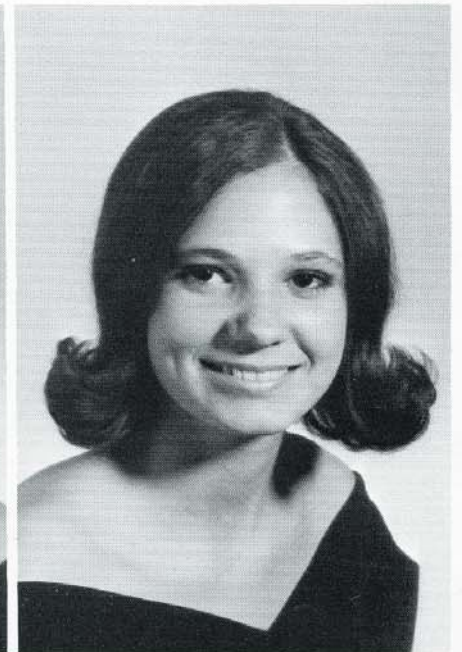
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Salem, Virginia

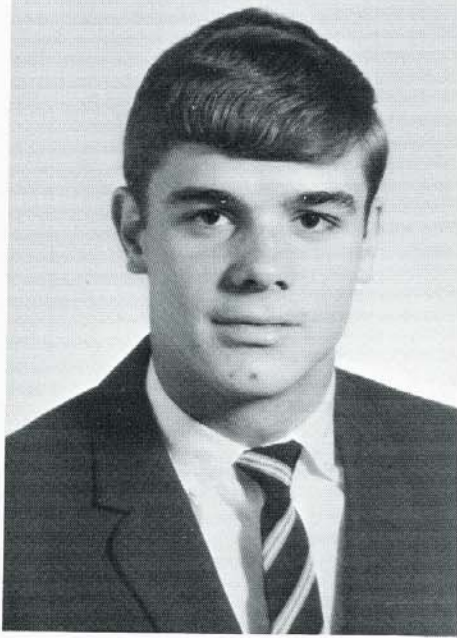
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Staunton, Virginia

HEADRICK, PHYLLIS ANN  
Staunton, Virginia



HUTCHINSON, ELIZABETH DIANE  
Beaver Dam, Virginia





MASON, RONALD LEWIS  
Richmond, Virginia

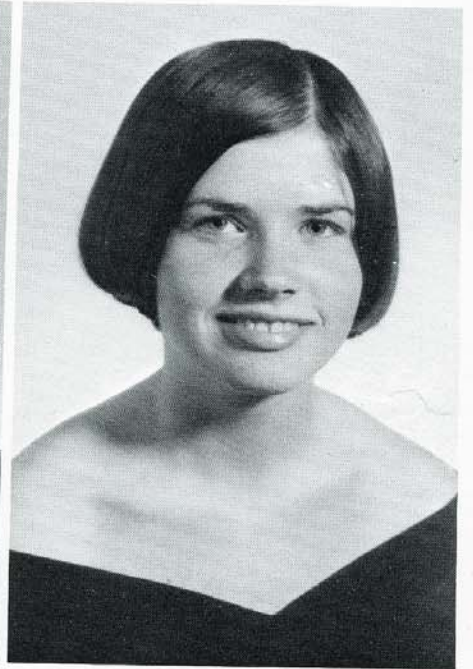


MURPHY, LINDA  
Norfolk, Virginia

QUESENBERRY, CHARLOTTE MARIE  
Hiwassee, Virginia



WHITE, KATHLEEN MELODY  
Centreville, Virginia



MRS. ELIZABETH HARDEN

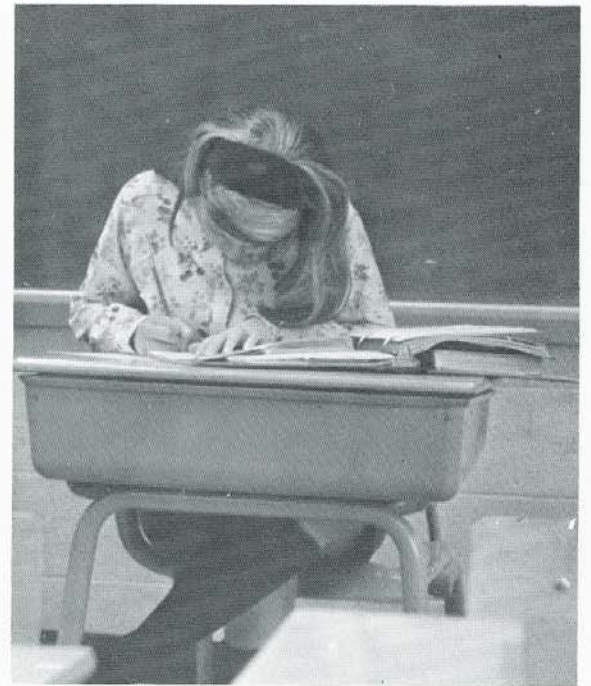


MR. DaWAYNE WERNER

Sponsors



The senior students are in laboratory learning how to dissect frogs.

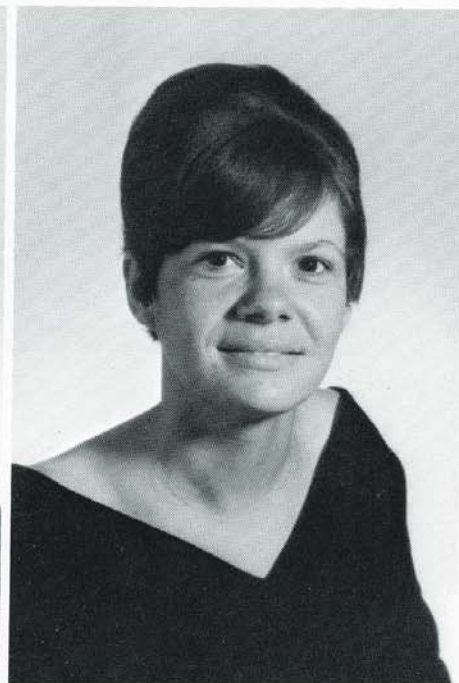


Linda Williamson is working very hard on her assignment.

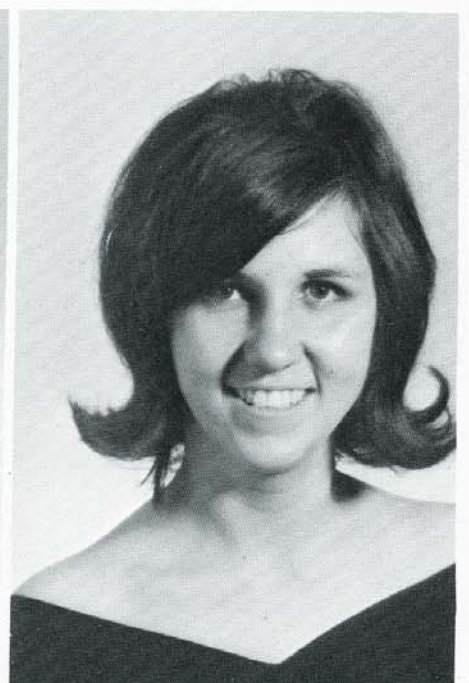
## *Terminal Students*



GRADY, RUTH ELLEN  
Fredericksburg



HANCOCK, DIANE ELAINE  
New Castle

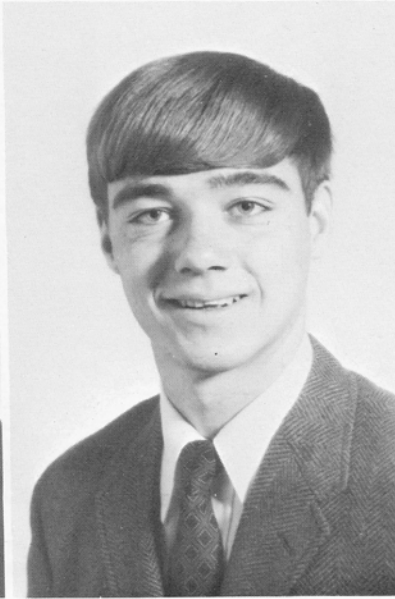


VEST, RITA CAROLYN  
Charlottesville

# Post Graduates



BARKER, JANICE



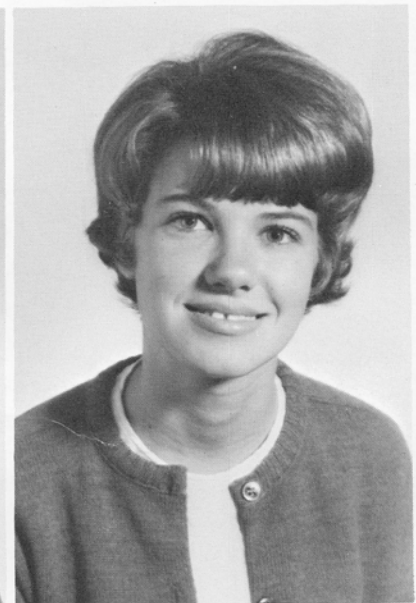
FLAVIN, PAUL



Janice Barker always sits in the corner of the classroom either busily reading a book or dreamily gazing out the window.



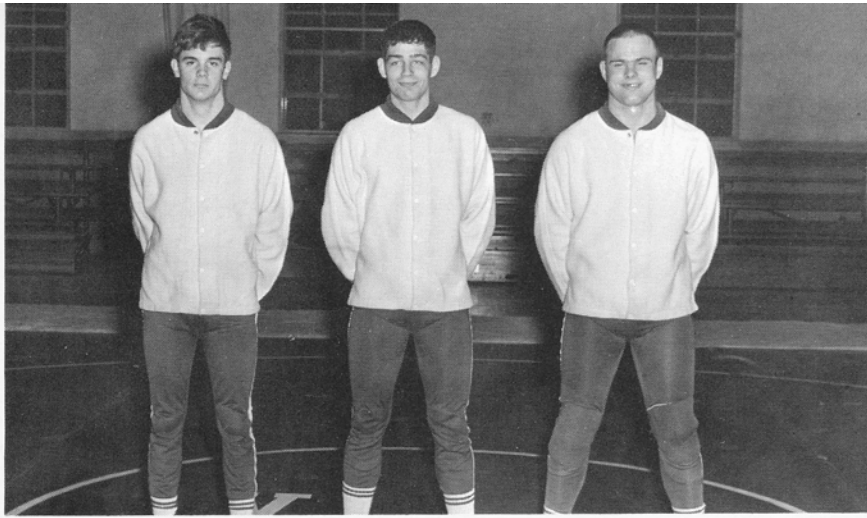
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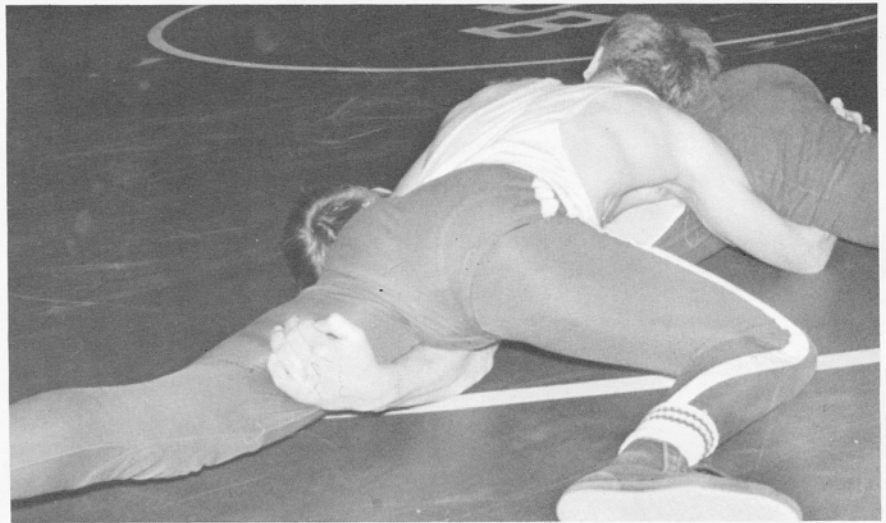


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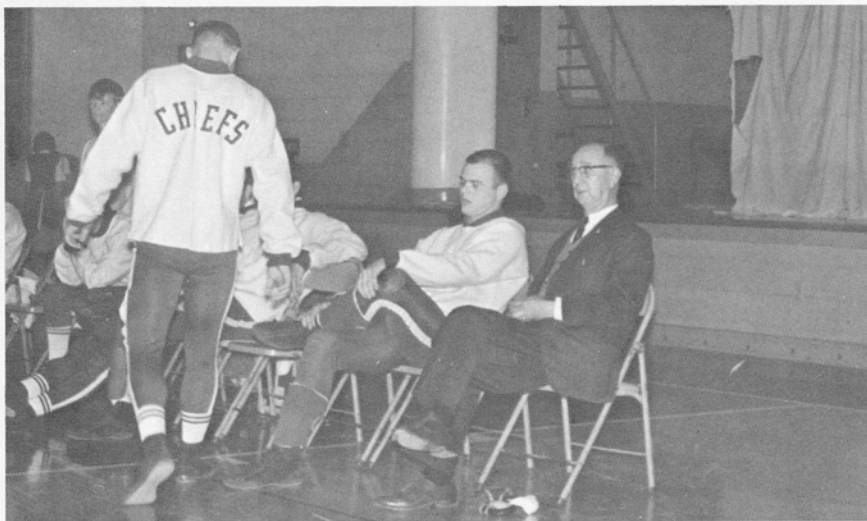


L TO R; R. Mason, L. Headrick and E. Fitzgerald

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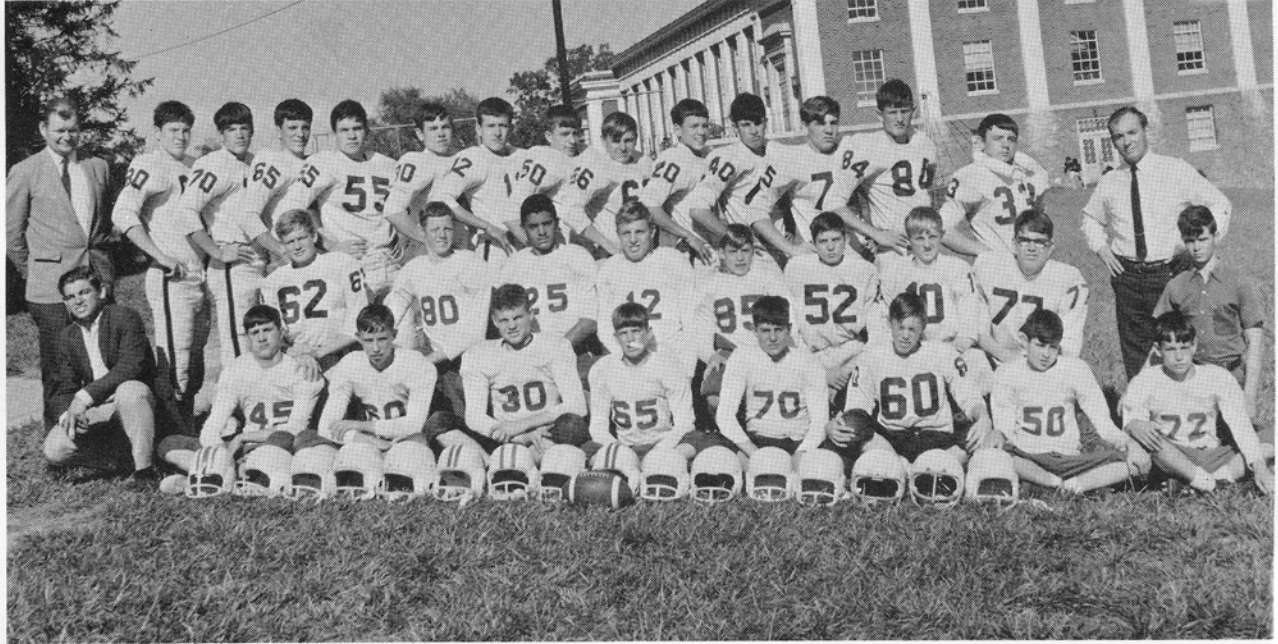


Ronnie is making a good effort to pin his opponent.



Leslie walks back and forth, pondering a plan of winning an important match, as Mr. Shinpaugh watches one of the matches.

# Junior Varsity Football



FRONT ROW: Thomas, Harris, Warden, Tussing, Vess, Deaver, Byers, McGee. 2ND ROW: Stanley, (mgr.) Inabinett, Wright, Whiteside, Taylor, Cross, Dunkley, Elliott, Albis, Craft (mgr.). 3RD ROW: Coach Kiser, Lacks, Loving, Trainum, Clapp, Shortt, Searls, Potter, Dickens, Petty, Crisman, Shifflett, Arnold, Keen, Coach Drake.



## Scores

John Lewis, Jr.	12	V.S.D.B.	7
F.M.S.	13	V.S.D.B.	12
Rockbridge	13	V.S.D.B.	0
West Virginia	7	V.S.D.B.	28

RECORD: 1 WIN 3 LOSSES



# Junior Varsity Basketball



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: B. Elliott, K. Potter, R. Petty, N. Clapp, J. Cornette, S. Burton, E. Arnold, W. Whiteside, J. Dickens, G. Cross, Coach Pedersen.

## Scores

V.S.D.	OPPONENTS	SCORE
24	Millboro	37
30	Maryland	25
24	New Castle	29
27	John Lewis	26
18	Highland	38
36	Valley	37
19	Millboro	30
41	W. Va.	28
42	Valley	32
46	New Castle	25
42	Highland	30
41	Maryland	19
37	John Lewis	40



No one is getting the ball in the Millboro-Cardinals game.



# Junior Varsity Cheerleaders



VERTICAL ROW: Glass, Fulk, Fleshood, and Captain Collins. HORIZONTAL ROW: Shortt, Tyndall, Barbour and Cecil.



Mrs. Barbara Lynch, J.V. cheerleaders' sponsor.



The J.V. cheerleaders enthusiastically yell "Is Everybody Happy?"

# Varsity Football



FRONT ROW: LEFT TO RIGHT: Manager Hoosier, Craft, Crisman, Potter, Burton, Shiffett, Petty, Loving, Fitzgerald, Mitcha  
2ND ROW: Lawson, Manager Conley, Hudson, Keen, N. Clapp, Mawyer, Corenette, Dickens, Lacks, Searls, Dailey. 3RD ROW: A:  
Coach Patterson, Harper, H. Clapp, Belew, Arnold, Mason, Flavin, S. Noel, Pullen, Winesburg, Olinger, R. Noel, Dupree, Shr  
Ass't Coach Pederson, Coach DeVito.



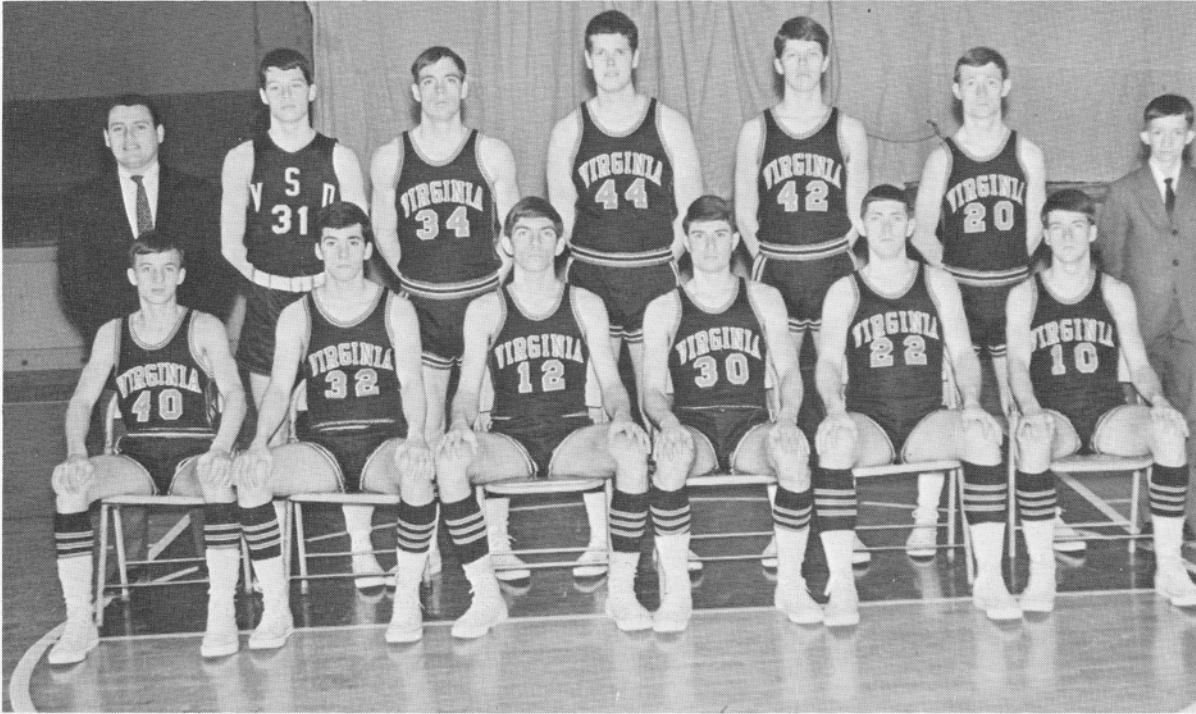
Right-end Ronnie Noel is having trouble evading these Buffalo Gap tacklers.



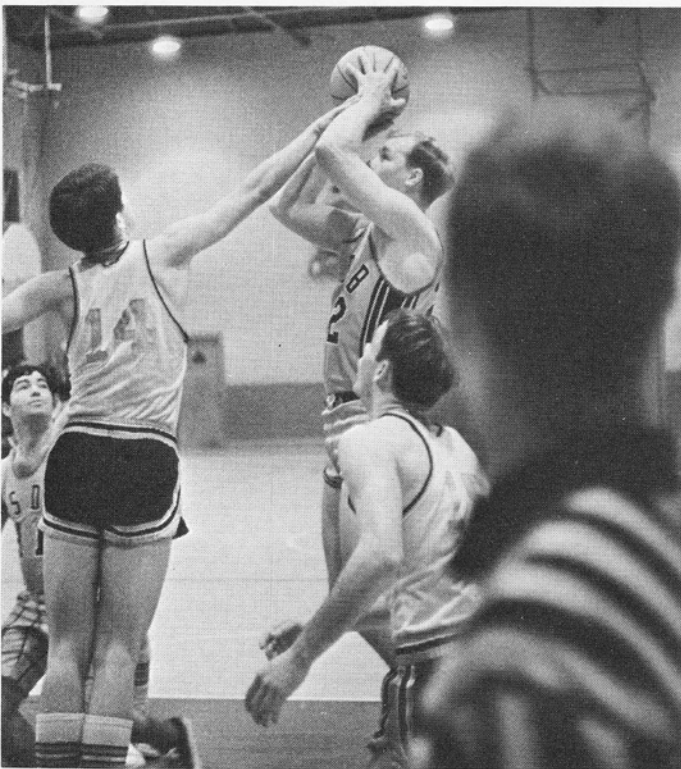
V.S.D.	OPPONENTS	
6	Riverheads	7
25	W. Va. School	7
0	Tenn. School	47
0	Valley High School	24
7	Buffalo Gap	13
6	Stonewall Jackson	21
13	Alabama School	31



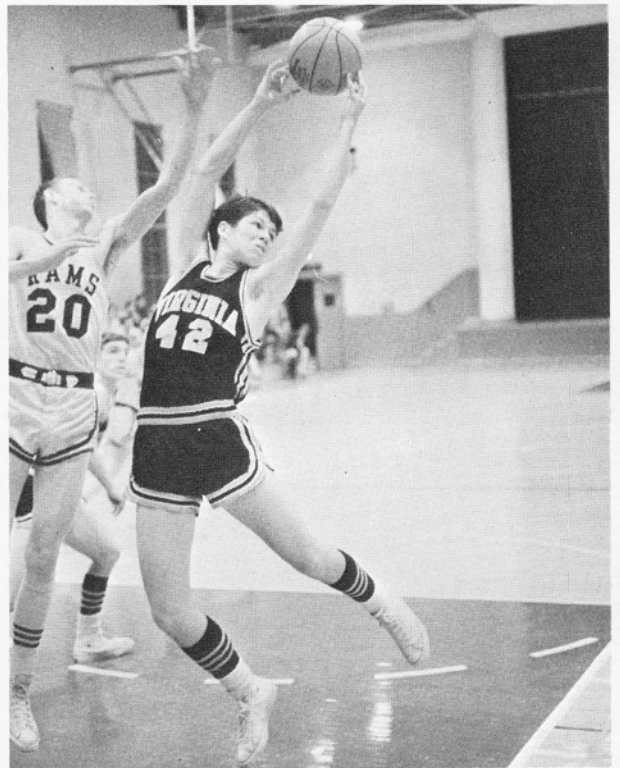
# Varsity Basketball



FRONT L TO R: Coach DeVito, R. Noel, Belew, Harper, Winesburg, Lawson, Mgr. Yancey. BACK L TO R: Mawyer, S. Noel, Olinger, Shrum, Pullen and Hudson.



Watch out Durston! You're getting another foul against John Caudle.



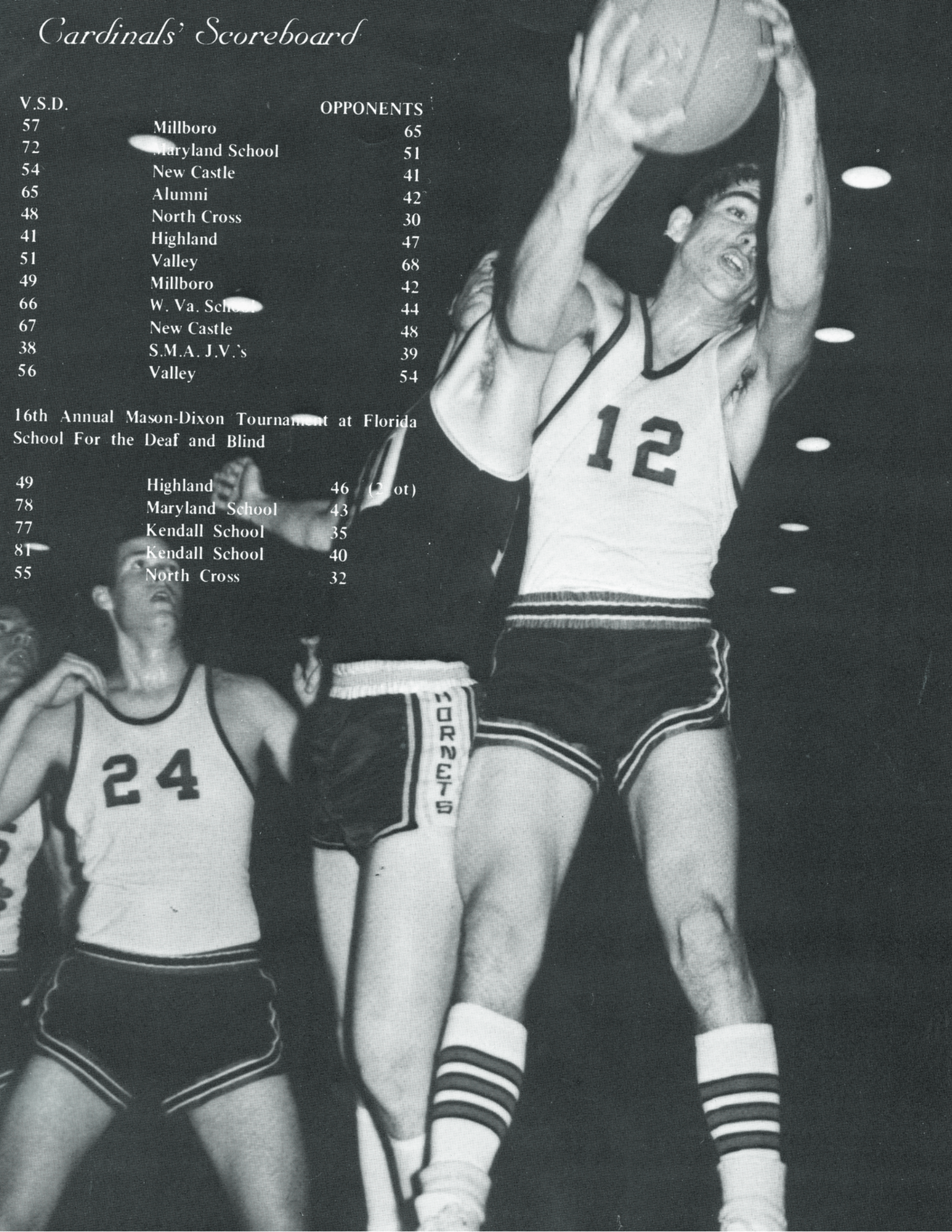
Durston shows his usual ballet form in rebounding the ball.

# Cardinals' Scoreboard

V.S.D.	OPPONENTS	
57	Millboro	65
72	Maryland School	51
54	New Castle	41
65	Alumni	42
48	North Cross	30
41	Highland	47
51	Valley	68
49	Millboro	42
66	W. Va. Sch.	44
67	New Castle	48
38	S.M.A. J.V.'s	39
56	Valley	54

## 16th Annual Mason-Dixon Tournament at Florida School For the Deaf and Blind

49	Highland	46 (Foot)
78	Maryland School	43
77	Kendall School	35
81	Kendall School	40
55	North Cross	32



# Varsity Baseball

V.S.D.	OPPONENTS	
0	Rockbridge	19
0	Ft. Defiance	11
0	Buffalo Gap	15
1	Wilson Memorial	15
0	Riverheads	8
0	Wilson Memorial	27
3	Ft. Defiance	18
4	Millboro	8
5	Alumni	4
3	Buffalo Gap	7
0	Alleghany	6
0	Clifton Forge	8
10	Millboro	15



FRONT ROW: L TO R: Cornette, R. Noel, Mawyer, Dupree, Lawson, Arnold, Pullen. 2ND ROW: Shortt, Searls, Dickens, Keen, Lacks, N. Clapp. 3RD ROW: Head coach DeVito, manager Conley and Abshire, and Assistant coach Kiser.

# Varsity Cheerleaders



LEFT VERTICAL ROW: Pullen, Freeman, Hite, and Headrick. CENTER: Carroll (the drummer). RIGHT VERTICAL ROW: Grisso, Hiller, Quesenberry, and Hutchinson (captain).



The Cardinal cheerleaders are displaying a "Cha-Cha" theme.



Sponsor Mrs. Werner is showing the Varsity cheerleaders how to yell.





These are the Girl Scouts who took the swimming course at Woodrow Wilson Rehabilitation Center for a badge. Aren't they a lovely bunch?

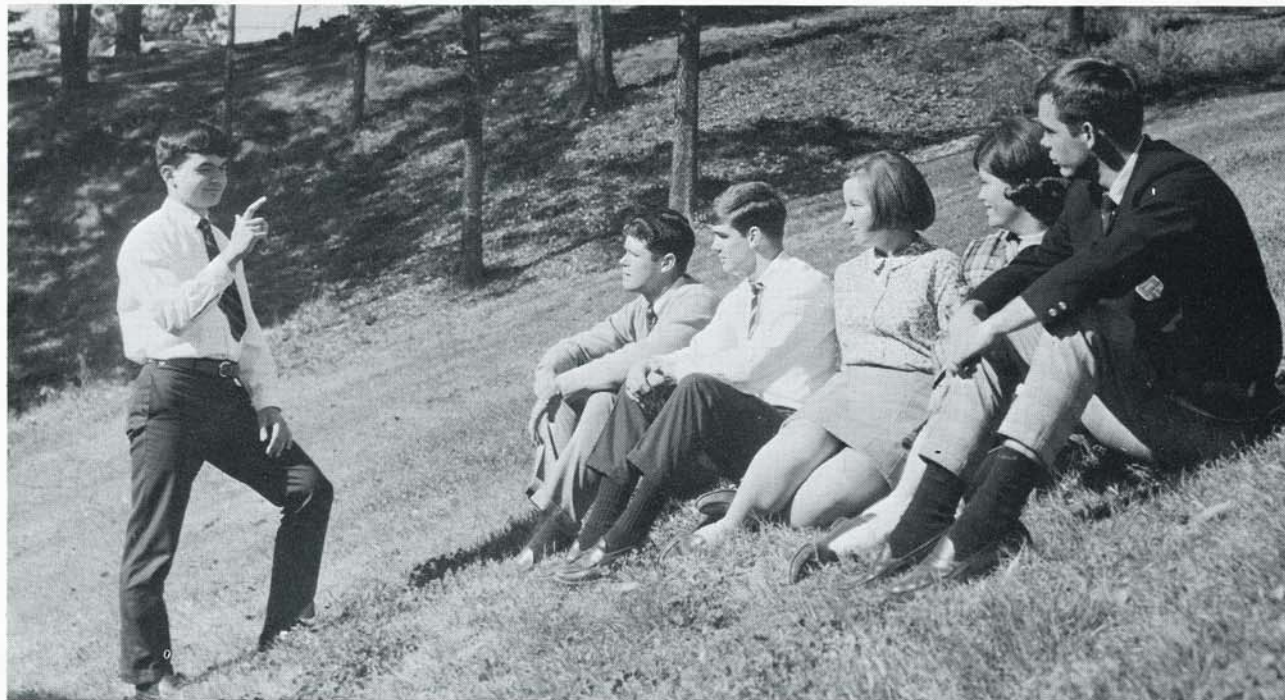


Girl Scout candidates for swimming badges show their skill at treading water.



*Activities*

# *Literary Society*

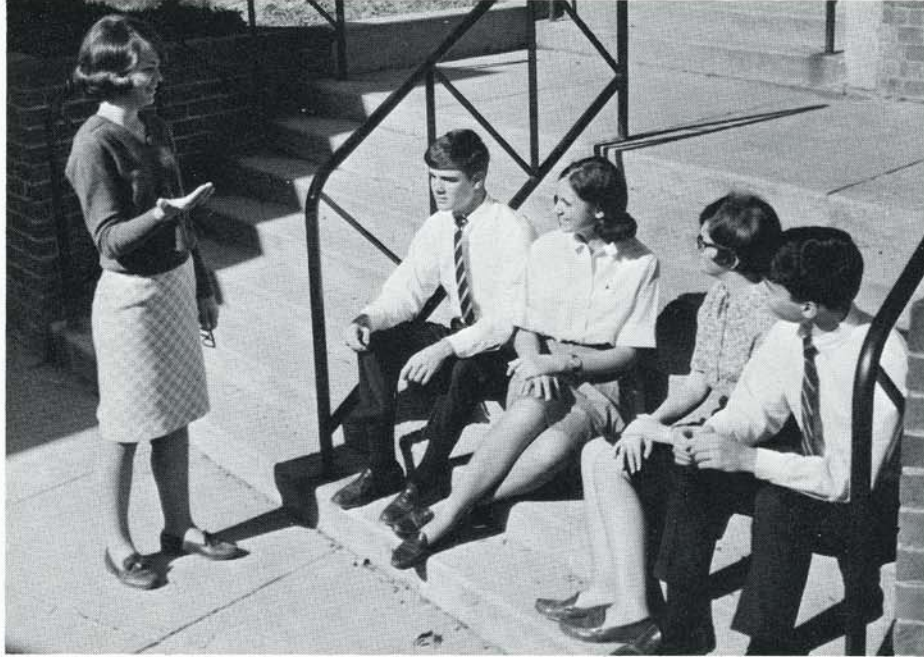


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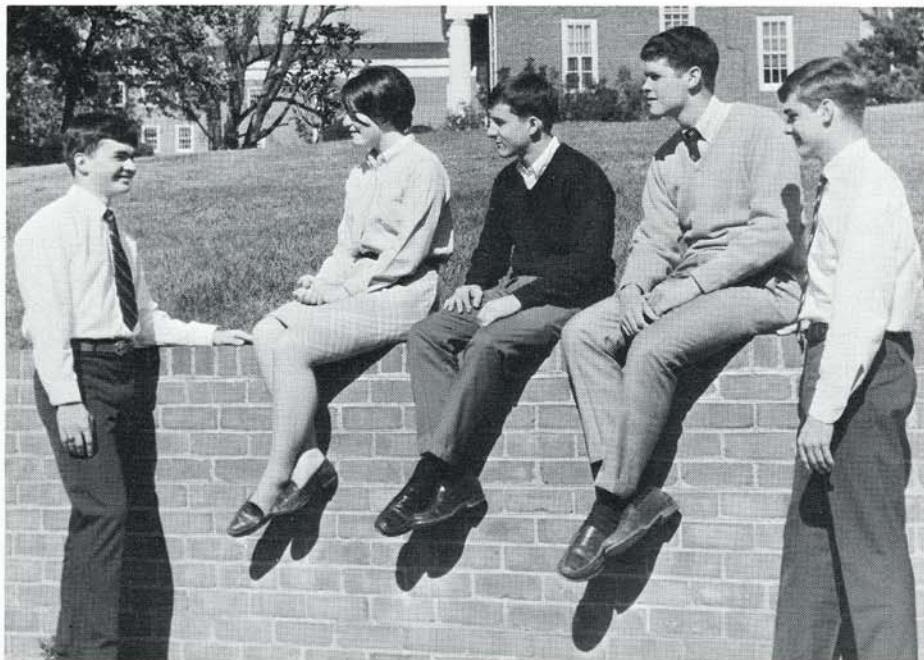
The 1967-68 Literary Society Members

# *White Columns Staff*



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# *Twin Fountains Staff*



LEFT TO RIGHT: Editor: H. Clapp; Assistant Editor: K. Grisso; Sports Editor: M. Searls, S. Harper and Artist: R. Mason.

# *Boy Scouts Troop 76*



# *Explorers Post 76*



# *Junior Girl Scouts*

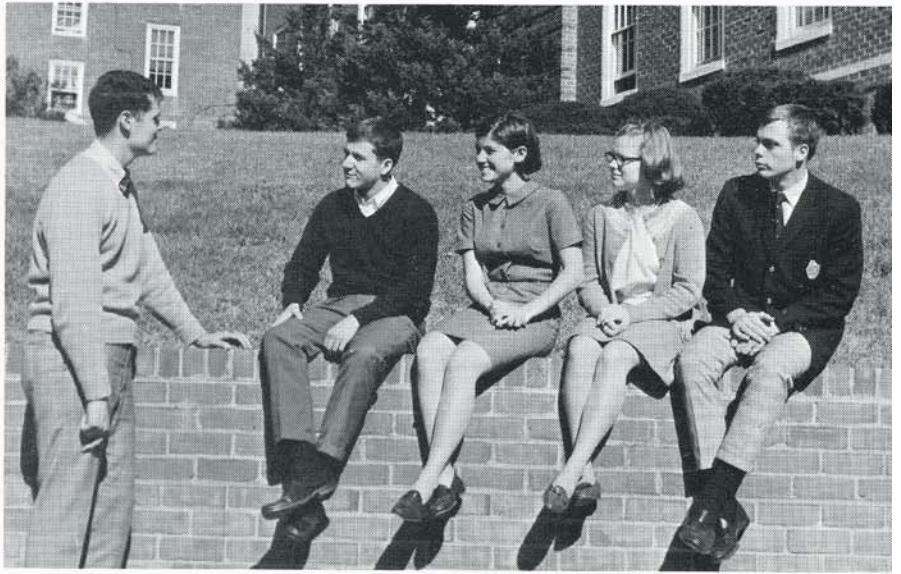


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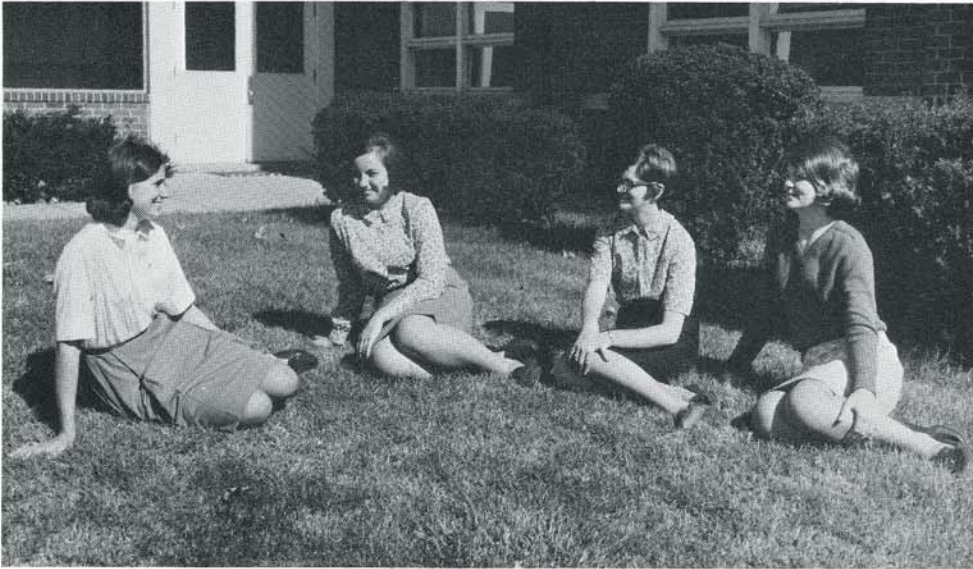


# Class Officers

## Juniors



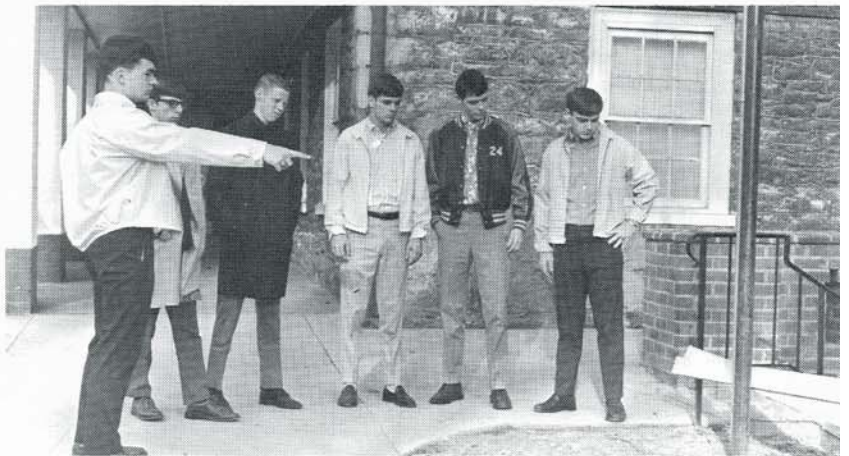
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Treas.: J. Gibson and M. Belew.



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L. Murphy, Treas.: L. Headrick.

## Seniors

## Student Council



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: H. Clapp, W. Sumner, E. Wright, R. Mason, R.  
Noel, and P. Flavin.



*Features*



# "Little Women"

by  
Louisa May Alcott

Presented by the Literary Society in March 1967

## CAST

JO..... Chanda Winesburg  
MEG..... Diane Hutchinson  
AMY..... Linda Headrick  
BETH..... Nancy Wagoner  
MARMEE..... Brenda Honaker  
DADDY..... Danny Neighbors  
AUNT MARCH..... Reba Jo Poole  
JOHN..... Paul Flavin  
LAURIE..... Tippy Markham  
PROFESSOR BHAER..... Harold Clapp



The arrival of the father (Danny Neighbors) brings a joyful family reunion.

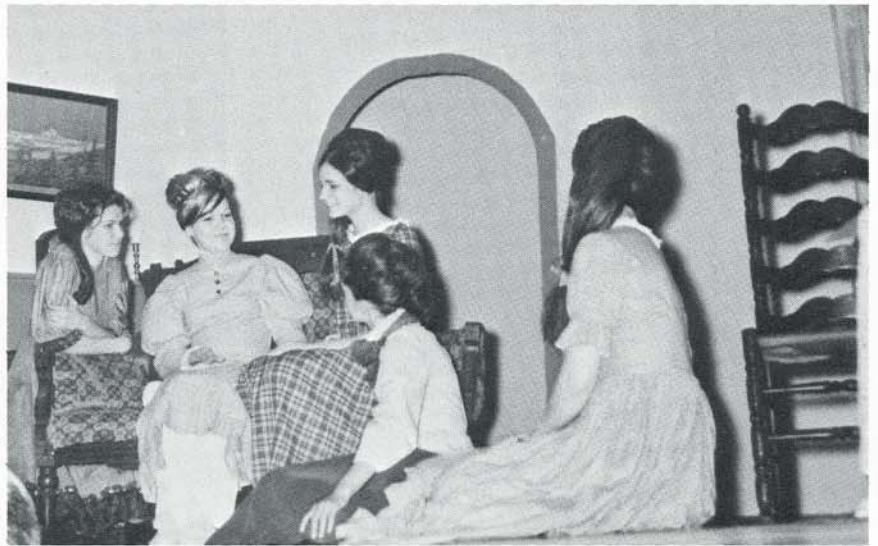


Aunt March (Reba Jo Poole) is trying to dominate everything because of her wealth.



Jo, Meg and Amy listen to Beth as she is about to tell a story about a funny incident in a fish market.

Marmee (Brenda Honaker) is giving motherly advice to all of her girls.



The shy Professor Bhaer (Harold Clapp) is trying to find right and romantic words to express his love to Jo.





The old Queen Mary and old King Edward are waiting to hear if there is a winner of the contest, so they can turn over their thrones to the new royal couple.

# May Day



M. Belew, R. Kiser, and S. Shrum, three lads vying for the Princess's hand, study the statues of boys who failed to find the 1,000 pearls.



With the help of a duck, ants, the queen bee and the silkworms, Steve Shrum was able to find the pearls and win Princess Mattie Thompson's hand.



These country folks decide to join the celebration honoring the new king and queen by dancing in native costumes.

# Homecoming



Mr. Shinpaugh crowns Phyllis Headrick as the Homecoming Queen.



D. Hutchinson, L. Long, C. Quesenberry and L. Headrick are her princesses.



The homecoming royalty clap for our football boys on making one of the first downs.



During homecoming many students come to the bonfire to display their school spirit.

# Homecoming Half-time Ceremonies



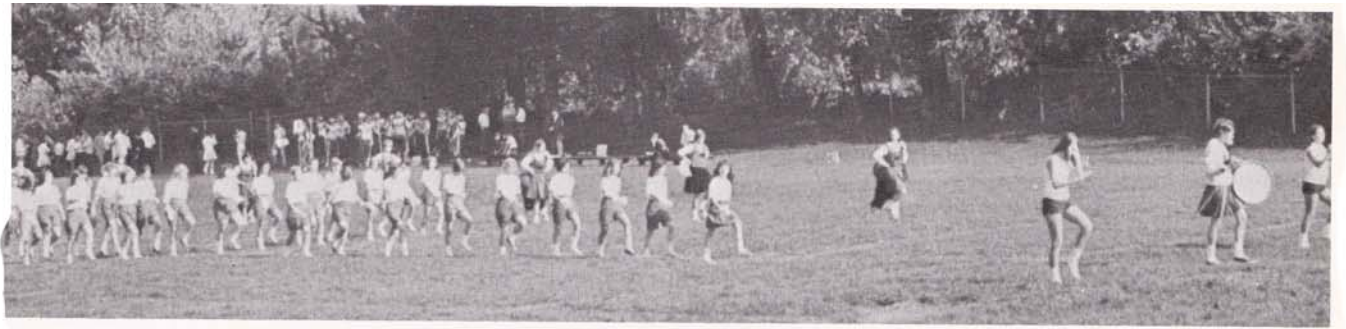
Passing many enthusiastic football spectators the Queen and her court ride on the horse-drawn wagon.



The costumed Cardinal (Chanda Winesburg) sings the "Red-Red Cardinal" during the half-time.



Mr. DeVito is irritated by a wrong play, as Mr. Patterson is looking for some one who makes a big mistake in the play.



The pep squad shows the skill of the marching drill.



The pep squad displays the Virginian Wheel.



The J.V. and V. cheerleaders yell "Cardinal" for the boys.



Seeing that the Pep squad has performed very well, Mrs. Werner shows her elation.

*Gallaudet  
Day  
Program*



After spelling H-A-T, Mr. Galludet (Harold Clapp) shows Alice (Debbie Finter) a hat.



Dr. Cogswell (Sherman Harper) calls the educated men and Mr. Galludet to a meeting to discuss the idea of sending someone to Europe to learn how to teach the deaf.



Dr. Braidwood (David Trainum) talks with Mr. Gallaudet about learning how to teach the deaf.

Abbe Sicard (Roy Hoosier), a priest, and his friends, Laurent Clerc (Ronnie Mason) and Albe del 'Eppe (Dick Craft) welcome Mr. Gallaudet to the Institute for the Deaf in Paris.





# Christmas Program



These Primary boys and girls act as the toys in the toy shop.

This dancing doll puts on a show for the audience.



Linda Murphy tells the story about Jesus' birth to some neighborhood children.





After the party the children decorate the Christmas tree with many tiny ornaments.



As an angel (Pam Kirkpatrick) and Mary (Diane Hutchinson) silently watch the baby, the shepherds and wise men come to see Jesus.

# Flag Ceremony



The Pledge of Allegiance

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.



Mr. Thompson, Scout Master of Boy Scout Troop 76, gladly accepts the flag donated by Wilton Brown, commander of Augusta-Staunton Post 2216 VFW.



Harold Clapp is raising the flag which has flown above the nation's capitol, as other Boy Scout members salute.

# Explorer Party



They have a minute rest after a thinking game.



Patsy passes a life-saver to Sherman's toothpick.



Gloria and Ronnie dance on each other's feet.

# Football Dance



Coach Mathews Searls carries a bag of emotional devices.



Fearsome-foursome players pose with a derby-minded coach.



Mr. Werner explains the balloon game to Connie Frye.



The football players are dancing with their dates.



# Modern Dance



Here is part of the modern dance group doing an exercise to tone the abdominal muscles.



Girls, did you have any aching muscles after this?



It seems that these girls are practicing on invisible harps in this dance.



These four girls are doing a warming-up exercise which strengthens the muscles in the legs.

# Our Antics



The girls tightly hold on to the lamppost so the boys can't push them in snow.



Smile! You're on the camera.



The Advanced Department students always have a ball roller skating.



Lester Thompson doesn't seem impressed with what his three friends are trying to tell him.



In front of Healy Hall is where the boys and girls go for a breath of fresh air during recess.



This is a typical after-school scene where students mob around the shelves to get books for their evening homework.



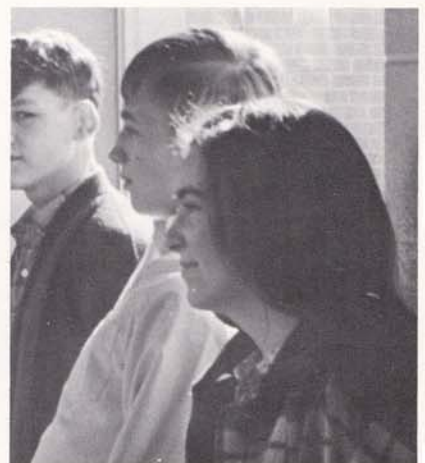
These are some of the interested spectators who watch the wrestling matches at V.S.D.B.



These boys and girls are having a regular meal in the new dining room in Bass Hall.



These elementary students are reading their books in the library.



Bobby Mawyer and Carolyn Lewis:  
Mental Telepathy





This is what it looks like every morning at Bass Hall.

## *Our Campus*



The older girls are reluctantly going to Healy Hall for classes during exam week.



It seems that Jeffrey Spielberg is more anxious to get to class than the older boys.



The girls are entering Lewellyn gym to go to P.E. class.



Linda and Phyllis Headrick, under the instruction of Mr. Holt, are the first members of the driver education course.



Mr. Holt explains to Brenda Tyndall the rules of yielding the right of way.



Mr. Holt is telling Linda how she can take a jack out of a trunk.



*1968 White Columns Belle*



DIANE HUTCHINSON



GLORIA HITE  
Junior Representative



PATSY HUGHES  
Sophomore Representative



CAROLYN LEWIS  
Freshman Representative



*Challenges of the Future*



What is Charlotte dreaming about?  
Food?

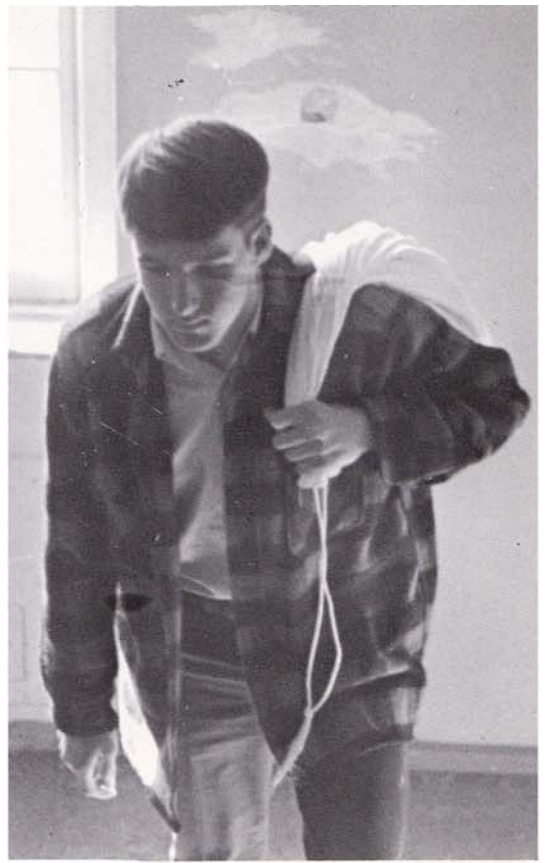
Harold Clapp is doing his assignments.



Bonnie Honaker is sorting her clothes in her  
drawer.



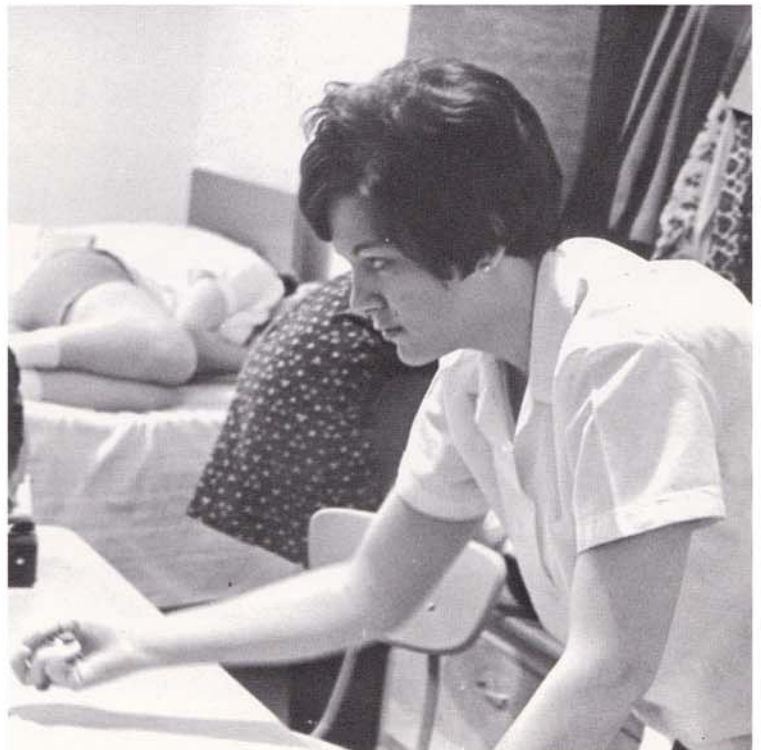
Linda Long is using her hair dryer.



George Hudson is thinking of establishing a new laundromat in Darden Hall.



Linda Williamson is thinking of her new boyfriend.



Phyllis Headrick is playing with jacks to kill time.



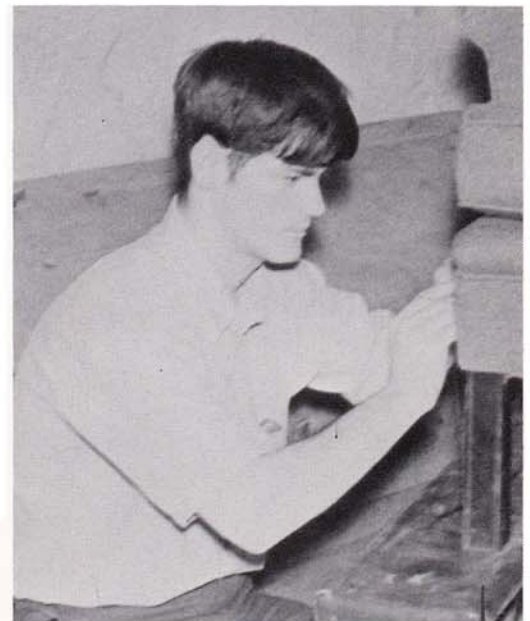
Roy Hoosier is sanding a small drawer that he made himself.



Kathleen White is folding a plastic bag.



Diane Hutchinson must use an adding machine to keep up with the number of love letters she has.



Douglas Casey upholsters a chair in his vocational class.

# *Class Prophecy*

It is now 1978: Charlotte Quesenberry goes on a trip all around the United States. She travels to New York City and meets Kathy Grisso who is working as a typist. Kathy asks her manager to excuse her from her job for a vacation so that she can go on a trip with Charlotte.

Kathy and Charlotte travel through Maine and meet their old, hilarious classmate, Ronnie Mason. He is working as manager and owner of a fashion model company.

After Ronnie shows the girls around his model company, they board a plane to Canada. There they meet Diane Hutchinson who is working as an airline stewardess and lives in Canada. Diane gives them a free ride on a jet to Alaska. After they arrive in Alaska, they go to one of the finest restaurants. The waitress comes to them and gives them the menu. They are very surprised to meet Bonnie Honaker working as a waitress. Bonnie joins them for dinner.

After they have dinner, Bonnie shows them some interesting places in Alaska. Having enjoyed their sightseeing tour to the famous historical places, they are tired and decide to spend the night in the largest hotel in Juneau, Alaska. They are glad to find Roy Hoosier working as a janitor at the hotel. He isn't married yet, but is still flirting with all the pretty girls.

The next morning, they decide to take the bus to California. They ask a man to check their suitcases at the terminal and find that Douglas Casey is working as bus attendant.

After arriving in California Charlotte and Kathy decide to find a hotel. The woman who is helping them with their suitcases is Linda Williamson, working as a maid. She is married and she has five kids. Charlotte and Kathy visit the hotel's Playboy Club, where they notice a familiar lady. It is Linda Headrick who is working as a bunny girl. She has six boy friends and dates a different boy every night.

The two girls then decide to visit Texas to see the L.B. Johnson Ranch. They meet Terrie Adkins who is a police woman.

After long hours of touring, they stop at the beauty salon to have their hair fixed. Phyllis Headrick is working there. They are happy to meet their old friend. She is married to Clifton Lockridge and has four boys helping her husband on the farm.

They then travel East toward Louisiana, and stop at an Air Force Base. They enter an office where Linda Murphy is working as a secretary. She shows them many interesting places. They enjoy being with her for a short time.

After the trip with Linda Murphy, they call a taxi to take them to the airport. They are surprised to see that George Hudson is the taxi driver. They board a jet to Miami, Florida.

When they arrive in Miami, Florida, they call a hotel for reservations. They go to the beach for a sunbath and swim. Kathy almost drowns and a lifeguard jumps in after her and saves her life. They are surprised that it is Harold Clapp who is the lifeguard at Miami Beach. Harold joins them for a swim.

They leave Miami, Florida by train for South Carolina. Charlotte and Kathy go to a fair at Myrtle Beach. They meet Linda Long at the Fair. She is on vacation in South Carolina. In a night club in South Carolina they see a go-go girl who turns out to be Diane Hancock. The girls enjoy meeting Linda and Diane at the South Carolina Fair.

In the morning, they leave South Carolina by jet for Washington, D.C. They go on a sightseeing tour and visit a big church in Washington, D.C. They happened to meet Kathleen White who is a nun. She shows them every room in the church. They enjoy having her show them around.

As they leave Washington, D.C. by train to go back home from their vacation, they happen to meet Rita Vest working as a waitress on the train.

Charlotte Quesenberry goes back home to Pennsylvania to work again as a football coach. Kathy Grisso flies back home to New York City to her old job.



# *Class History*

In 1953, Charlotte Quesenberry and Kathleen White were the first students from our class to come to V.S.D.B. Charlotte's first teacher was Mrs. Black and Kathleen's first teacher was Mrs. Love.

In 1954, the next two students to come here were Linda Williamson and George Hudson. Linda's first teacher was Mrs. Black and George's first teacher was Mrs. Love.

In 1955, five more students came here. They were Linda Murphy, Diane Hutchinson, Harold Clapp, Douglas Casey, and Bonnie Honaker. Linda and Douglas were in Mrs. Black's room. Diane, Harold, and Bonnie were in Mrs. Love's room.

In 1956, the other five students came to school. They were Linda Headrick, Phyllis Headrick, Roy Hoosier, Linda Jo Long, and Kathy Grisso. Linda Jo's and Kathy's first teacher was Mrs. Black. Linda's and Roy's first teacher was Mrs. Sheehan and Phyllis's first teacher was Mrs. Houchinson.

In 1958-59, the first grade, we were separated into two classes. One class with Diane, Linda Jo, Linda M., Charlotte, Kathy, Kathleen, George, Harold, and Bonnie had Miss Belchee as their teacher. The other class with Roy, Douglas, Linda H., Phyllis, and Linda Williamson had Mrs. Houchinson as their teacher. One day, during the first grade, we went to the television station in Harrisonburg, Va. and were on a real television program.

One day in 1959-60, during the second grade, something happened that we all remember. We were working on our lesson in our classroom. Charlotte was sharpening her pencil and accidentally pushed the flower vase off the shelves with her arm. The teacher was very angry and grabbed her. She took off her skirt and whipped her very well while the boys stared on her. We were very quiet and sorry for her. We still remind her of this and she doesn't like it.

In 1961-62, we were naughty when we were in fourth grade. During this grade, we had taken exams in the spring and we had cheated on our lesson in Science. After that we felt so awful that we never cheated again. We won't forget about it.

In the sixth grade, Ronnie Mason joined us and our teachers were Mr. Melton and Mr. Woebke. During the spring, we all had a picnic at Gypsy Hill Park. We got very dirty from playing in the water and pushing each other into the mud. We had a wonderful time.

In 1965-66, we had our field trip to a paper mill in Covington, Va. This was in the spring of our sophomore year. Our teachers were Mr. Nelson and Mr. Painter. We really enjoyed going to the mill. It was interesting to know how paper was made. A photographer took a picture of us which was printed in the newspaper. He gave us the picture to remember our trip always.

Now, we are going to face the world and aim toward our future. Perhaps we shall go to the moon. We shall always remember our school days and all the good times we had here. Sometimes we laughed, were sad, fussed, and made good friends here on our campus. With our school days to support us, we face the world with confidence.

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“Thoughts Upon Leaving V.S.D.”

Should we be happy or sad when we leave school?

No matter how we feel

We should be able to go anywhere on our own.

We decide what we feel and what we will be!

By Harold Clapp '68



# *In Memoriam*



## *L'Envoi*

*When Earth's last picture is painted, and the tubes are twisted and  
dried,  
When the oldest colors have faded, and the youngest critic has died,  
We shall rest, and, faith, we shall need it – lie down for an aeon or  
two,  
Till the Master of All Good Workmen shall put us to work anew.*

*And those that were good shall be happy; they shall sit on a golden  
chair;  
They shall splash at a ten-league canvas with brushes of comet's hair.  
They shall find real saints to draw from – Magdalene, Peter and Paul;  
They shall work for an age at a sitting and never be tired at all!*

*And only the Master shall praise us, and only the Master shall blame;  
And no one shall work for money and no one shall work for fame,  
But each for the joy of the working, and each, in his separate star,  
Shall draw the Thing as he sees It for the God of Things as They are!*

*– Rudyard Kipling*