

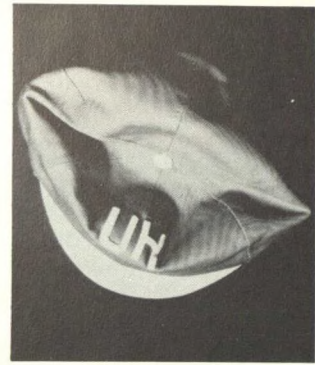


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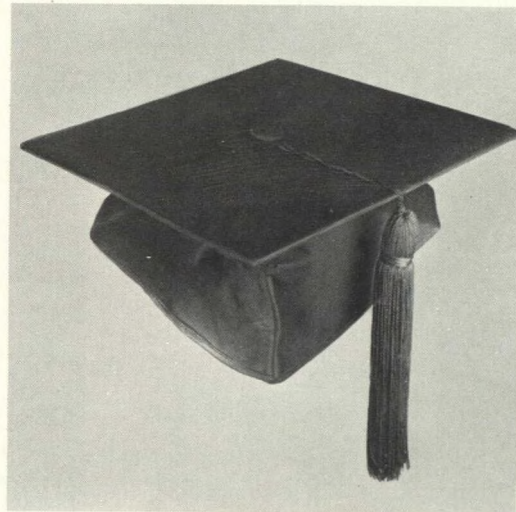






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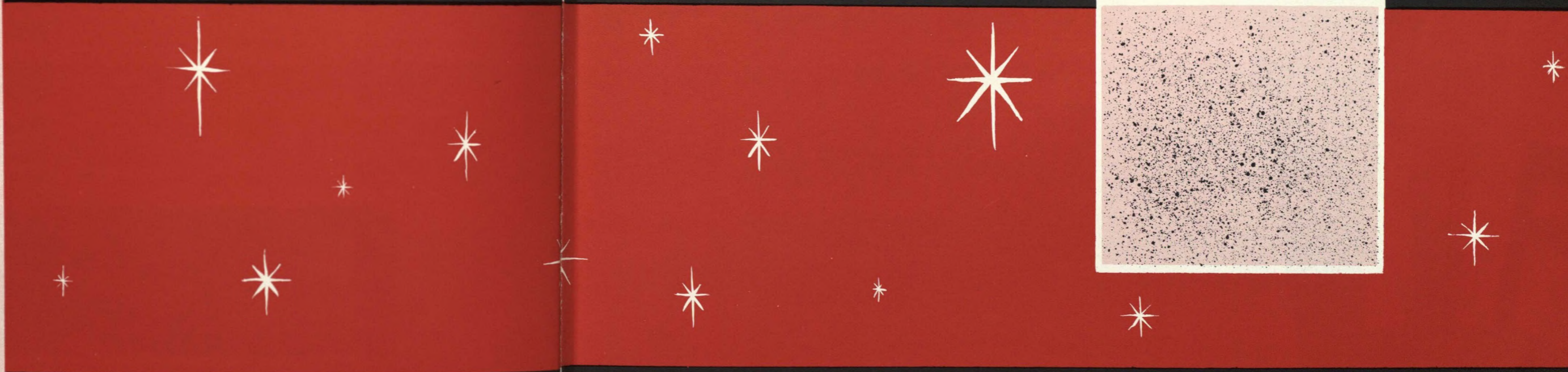
Our world is the campus . . . we live it . . . we love it. Enveloped within it is "Our World of Memories" . . . The build ups . . . the let downs . . . the crazy confusion . . . the growing pains . . . the sometimes quiet still of the campus at night . . . the murky, mist filled mornings on the way to a seven o'clock class . . . This world of memories . . . 1956

The University of Houston . . . This isn't a typical campus . . . we do things our own way . . . The sphere of our campus extends beyond the 274 acres on Cullen Boulevard and reaches out to swallow up other parts of this big city . . . at opposite ends of Main Street . . .

No, it's not typical . . . but "Out of This World of Memories" come so many things . . . among them . . . 1956.

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# Out of this world of memories comes . . .

## the dedication . . .

Dedicate . . . to inscribe by way of honor or compliment.

Yes, that is the dictionary definition of *Dedicate*, but our dedication of this Houstonian to "Chief" Mitchell covers much more than just that. It is a warmer, more personal thing than a dictionary meaning can possibly express. And it comes from the bottom of our hearts.

To us, the "Chief" is a good friend—someone we can turn to and know that whatever decision or help he may give us will be fair and square. To us he really is "Chief"—in name and deed!

If anyone at the University knows the inside story of the school's growing up, it's "Chief." When he came here in 1933, the University was still a Junior College located at San Jacinto High School. He has watched it grow from a faculty of 14 to one of more than 600 and a student body of less than 500 to one of 14,000.

And all through the years, anything the student has been interested in, "Chief" has been interested in, too. This warm philosophy is emphatically illustrated by the many groups and organizations the "Chief" deals with directly. He helped organize the University's first Fine Arts Department, and up until 1950, he taught drama. At that time he became Assistant Dean of Men and began teaching English courses.

Frontier Fiesta was started and then given a rebirth after World War II by this able organizer. He actively supports Varsity Varieties, Student Publications, the Pep Club, and he is the sponsor of the Inter-Fraternal Council. Mr. Mitchell also belongs to all regional and national Associations of Deans of Men, and to all Southern Associations.

Busy? Extremely, but he's never too busy to help his students in any way possible.

And so with hats off and hearts humble with gratitude, we of the Houstonian staff dedicate our 1956 Houstonian to you, "Chief" Mitchell.



L. S. "CHIEF" MITCHELL

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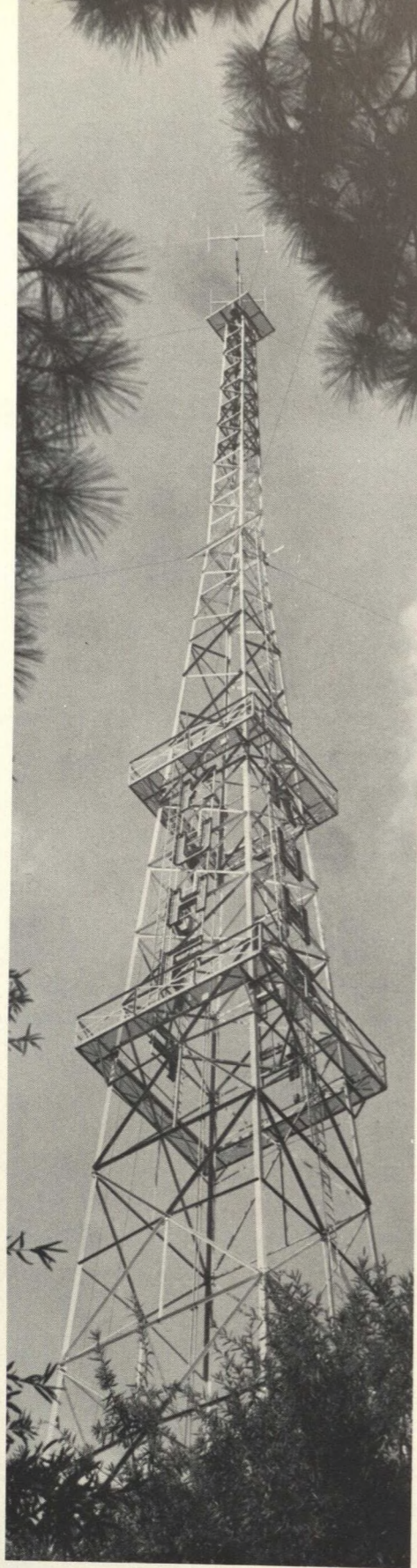
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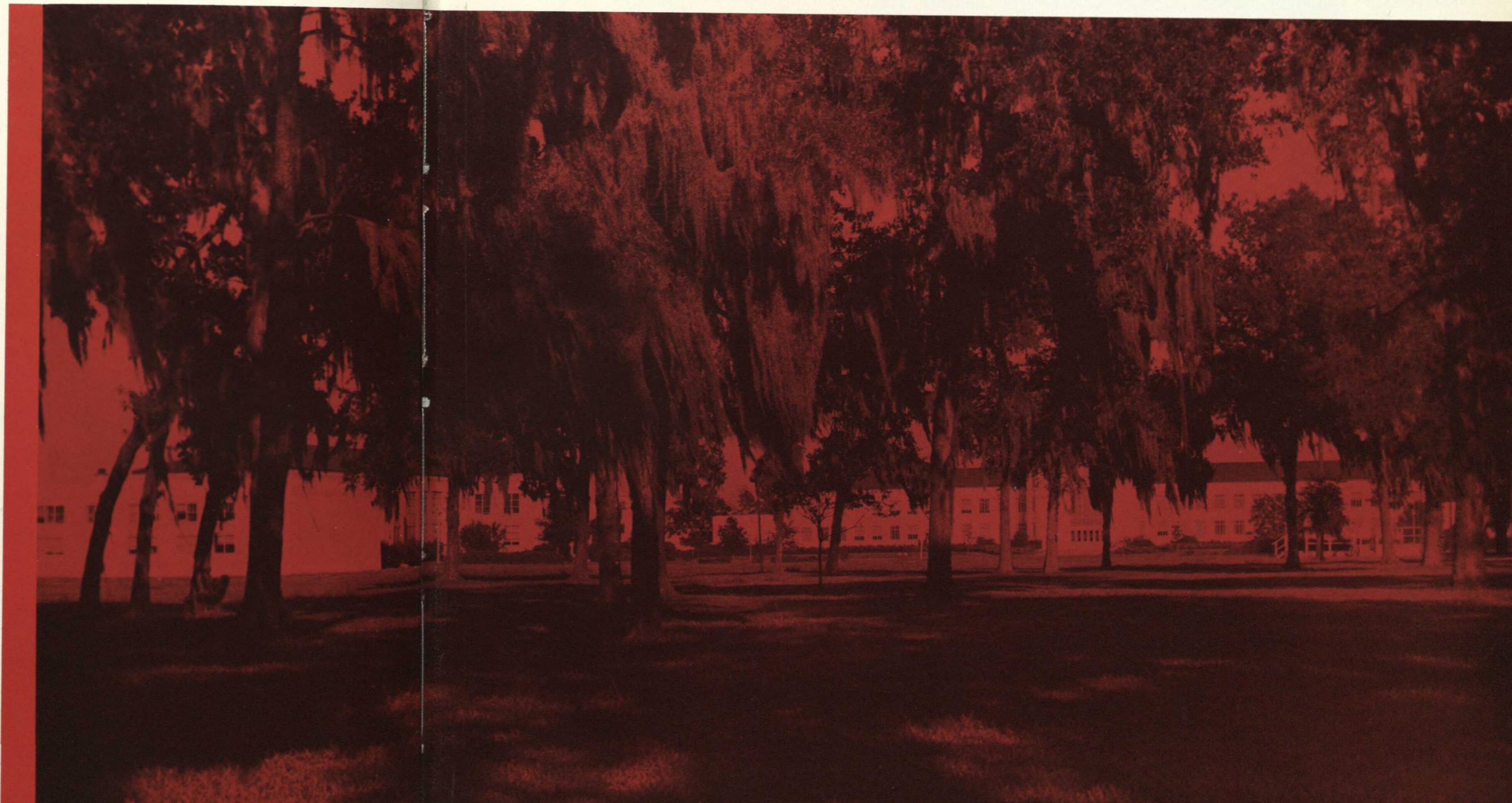
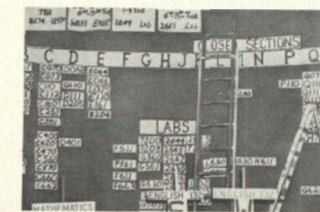
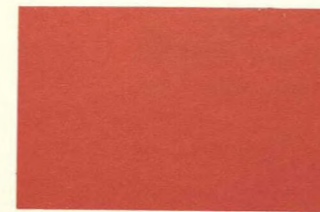
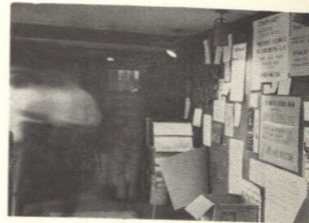
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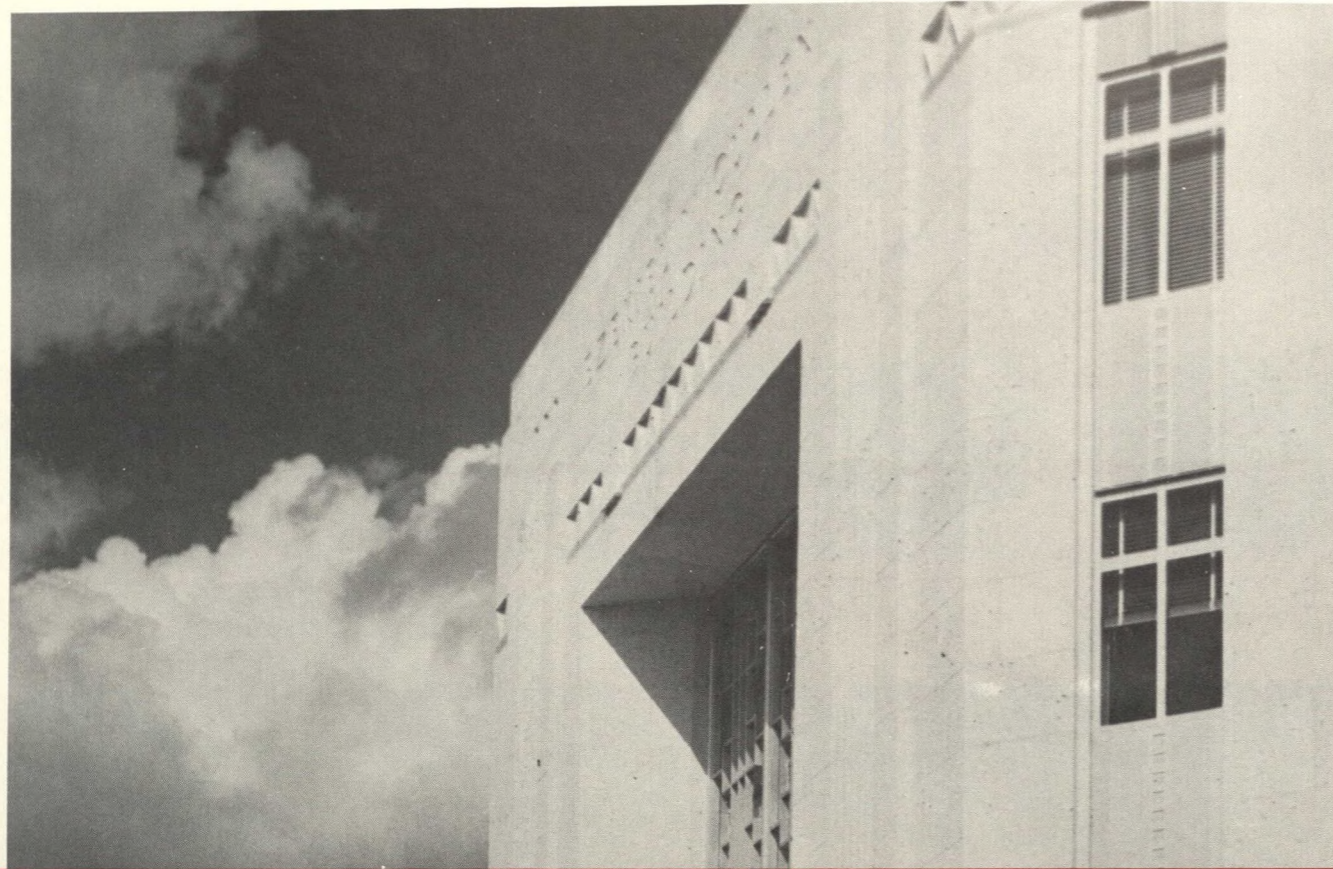
# out of this world comes FALL . . .

Summer heat begins to break . . . red and white freshman beanies dot the campus for the start of another college year. The KUHT tower looms into the sky, casting a shadow over the 274 acres. The dorms are infested with room-seeking students . . . Hopeful politicians fling handbills in hopes of getting that "one extra vote" . . .

Classes start and the "big business atmosphere" takes hold . . . It's fall, 1955 . . . The University of Houston.

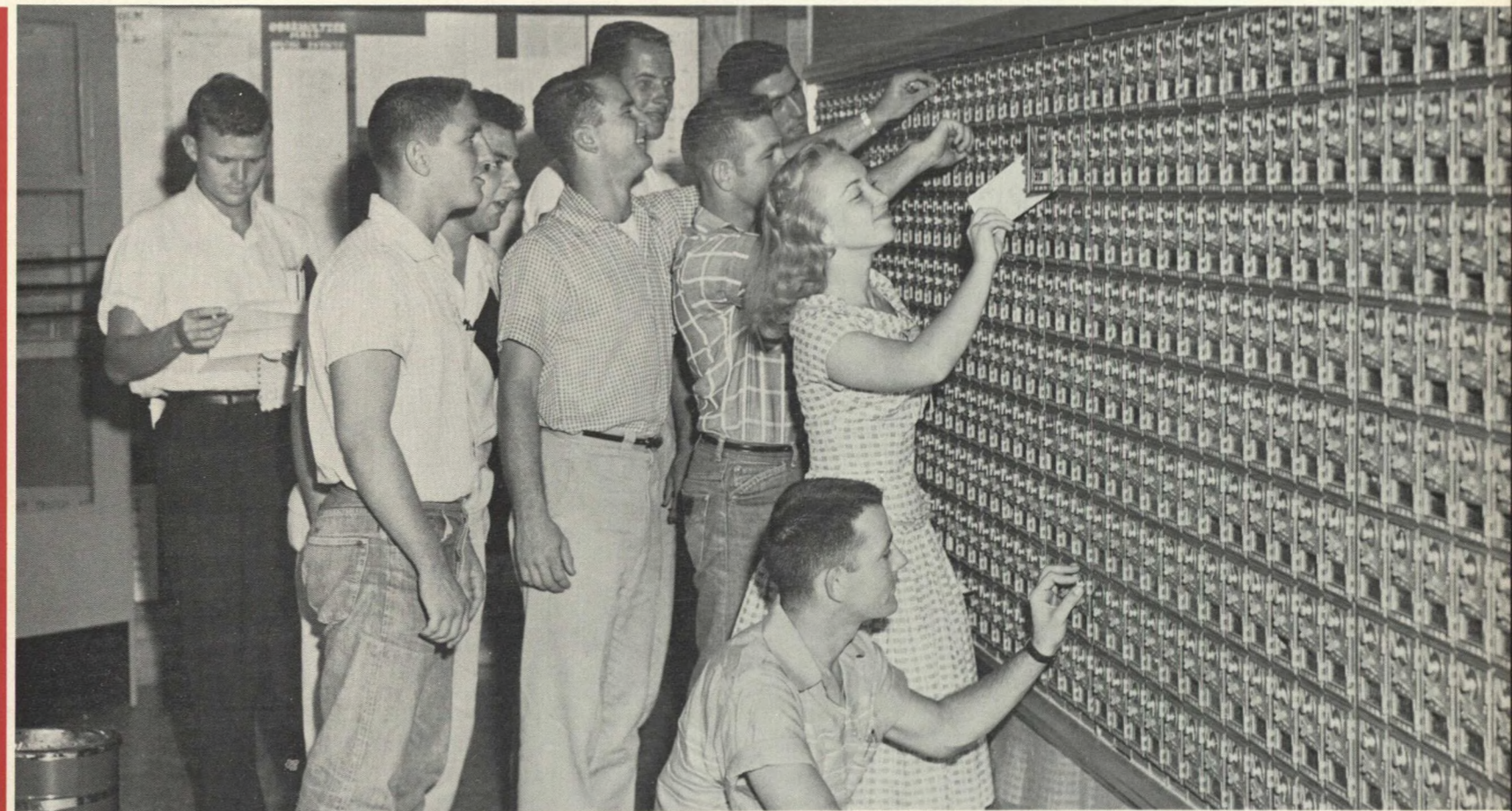


EZEKIEL W. CULLEN BUILDING



## and WINTER

Football hits with full force . . .  
Sweaters and coats come out of  
mothballs . . . the inside of buildings  
become more important as we avoid  
rain and wind . . . VV posters appear on  
bulletin boards . . . It's cold out . . .  
It's winter . . .

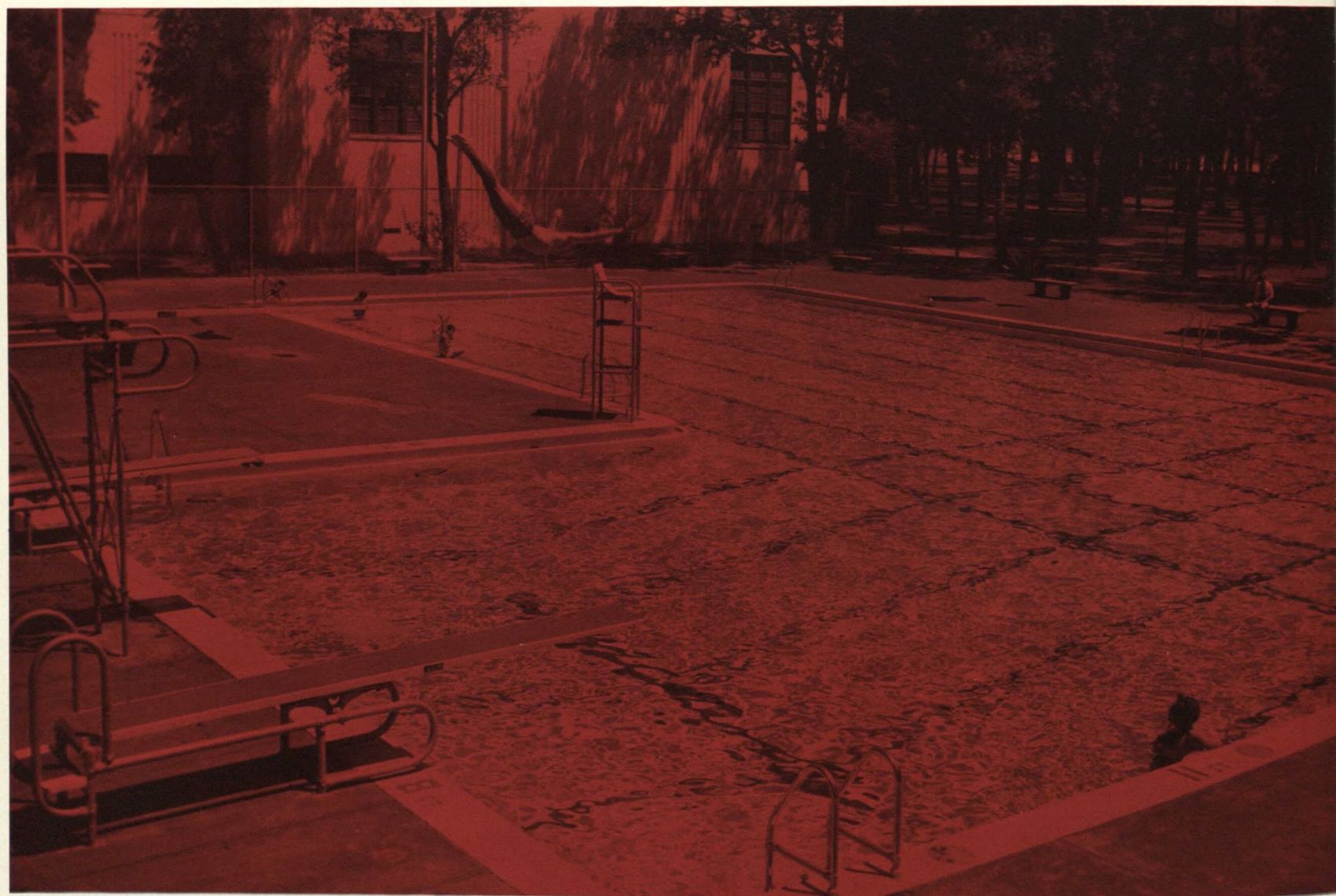


MAIL TIME . . . OBERHOLTZER HALL



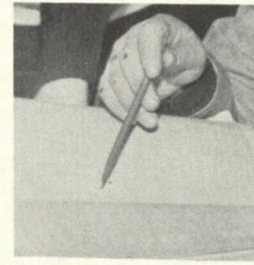
## and SPRING

The whole world turns light green . . .  
Boots and jeans command respect . . .  
Fuzzy faces sip coffee in the Den . . .  
It's spring and Fiesta time . . .  
Sunbathers drape themselves over the  
green surrounding the pool . . .  
Faces gaze through metal blinds, minds wander . . .  
Everyone becomes a poet, or nature lover,  
or just plain lover . . .  
It's our University . . .  
It's spring, 1956 . . .





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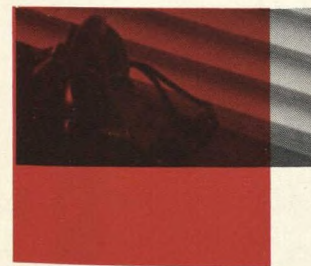


Is it possible for one person, or a small group of people to truly record the intangible world of memories that surround each individual during a year of his life . . . We don't think so . . . yet this was our job . . . Our job to bring into permanence the elements, the certain tiny elements that weave the pattern of thoughts forming the patchwork quilt of college life . . . It wasn't an easy job, or a hasty job, or even a very glamorous job . . . But we loved doing it . . . It was part of the University, part of the life . . . and thus part of us. We did it for you, and your children and your children's children . . . We tried hard, we worked long . . . we bring you the

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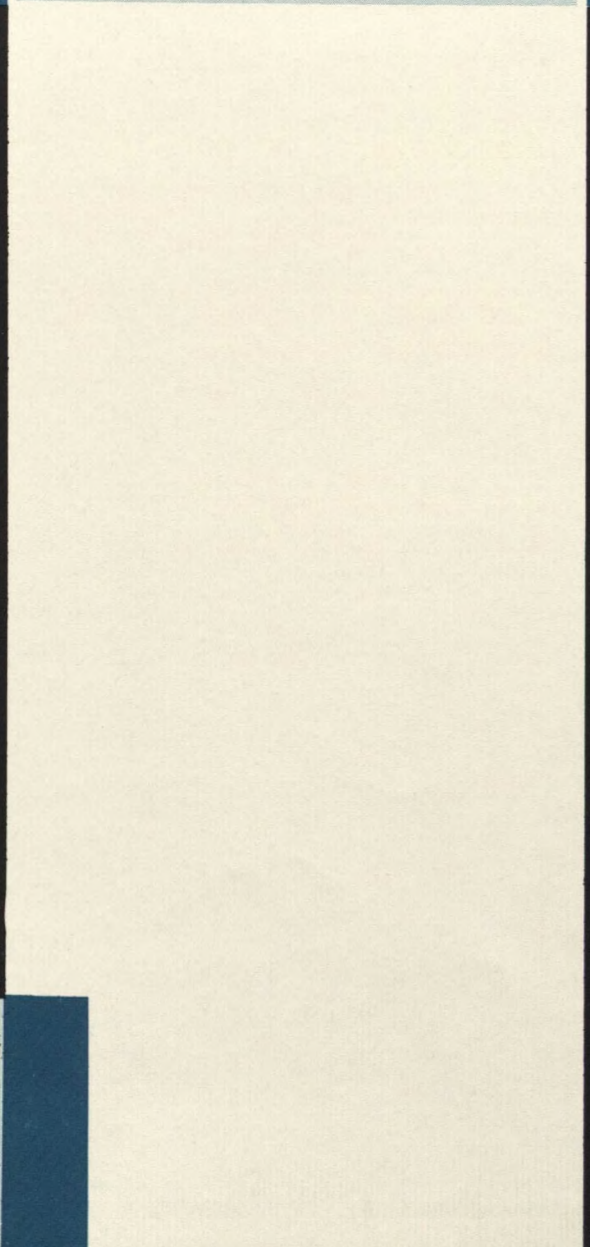
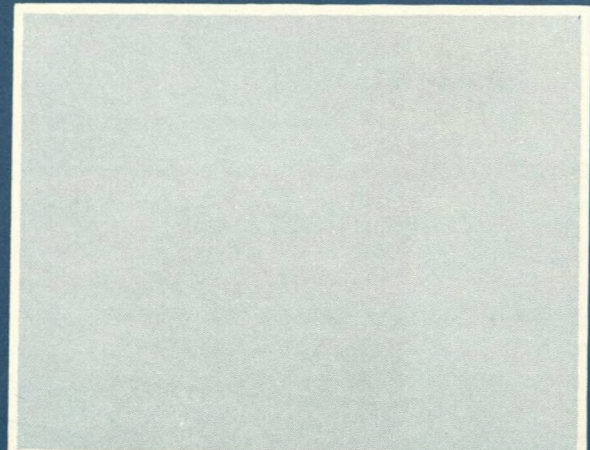
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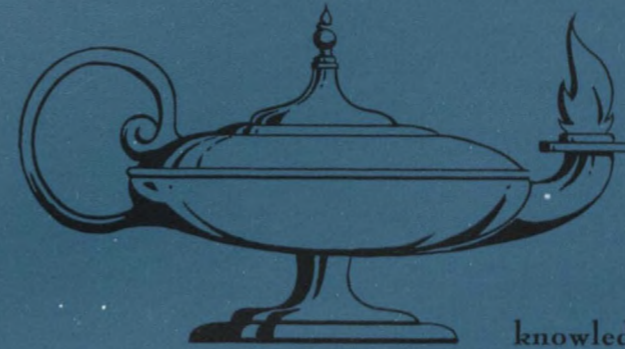
## We Remember . . .

CARL O. NERGER, JR.  
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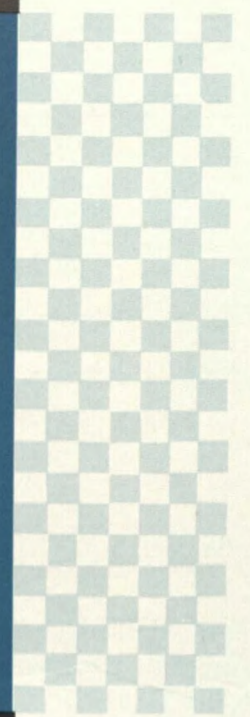
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knowledge is power . . .  
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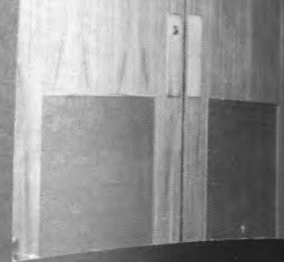
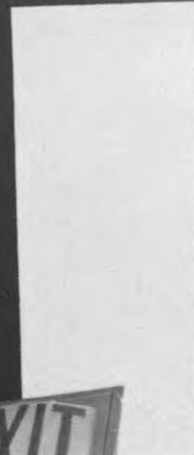


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The publication of this volume of the Houstonian marks the end of my second year as a part of this institution. It has been a full year, and, it is believed, a good one. We have made progress in a number of directions.

Today we are executing plans made yesterday, or a year ago, or ten years ago. What we accomplish tomorrow, and in the tomorrows to come, will depend on how well we plan today.

We respect the past of this institution, and honor those responsible for its building and plans. We must remember, however, that the shape of further progress will be determined by the courage and initiative we bring to our thinking today.

This is as true for the individual as it is for the institution. The progress of this University will be whatever progress you, as a member of its student body, will be able to make as a human being.

President

DOUGLAS R. MacLAURY  
*Assistant to the President*



DR. CLANTON WILLIAMS  
*Vice President of Academic Affairs*



C. F. McELHINNEY  
*Vice President and Business Manager*

## Administrators Manage U.H. Growth, Business

Setting up the University's curriculum, heading boards of growth and development, and managing the financial business of the University highlights the important functions of Dr. Clanton Williams, Douglas R. MacLaury, and C. F. McElhinney.

## Williamson Commences Fourteenth Year at U.H.

Our Dean of Men . . . for fourteen years a member of the University faculty, received his Doctorate of Education from Colorado State College of Education. He has made achievements in Who's Who in Education, Who's Who in the Southwest, Phi Delta Kappa, Kappa Delta Pi and Alpha Phi Omega. Soft-spoken, yet forceful . . . Unassuming listener, yet dynamic . . . this is our own "Dr. Will."



DR. J. E. WILLIAMSON



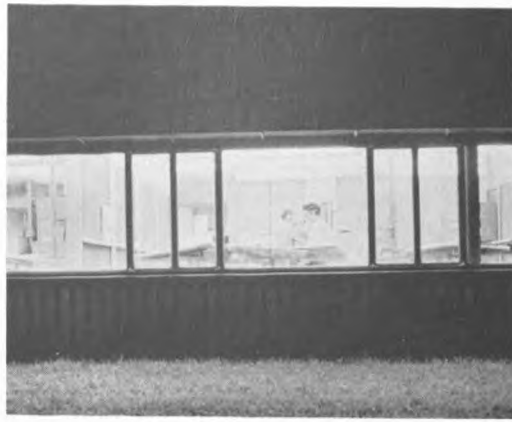
MRS. BESSIE M. EBAUGH

Enduringly a friend . . . unyielding in duty . . . interested in young people. Thus began Mrs. Bessie M. Ebaugh in her role as the fourth Dean of Women at the University of Houston.

## Ebaugh Embarks As Fourth Dean



# Architects Probe Design, Esthetics



Architects study late . . .

Drawing, experience in composition and design, knowledge of materials and construction techniques, and a basic background of culture and ethics . . . these fundamentals are part of the essential requirements for a well-rounded student architect.

In the School of Architecture, four channels of integration are included: design, construction, esthetics and graphics.

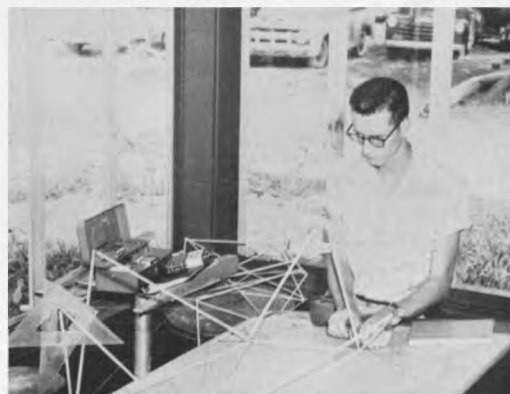


RICHARD W. LILLIOTT; *Director*



Above: Professor Erich E. Lethmayer explains Architectural Design to Alfred Bishop and Pat Bisley.

Below: Student constructs problem of balance in Architectural Design.





Mr. Shakelford discusses color value in life painting class.



Bonnie Alger and fellow students prepare tests in chemistry lab.



Control room practices are studied in fifth floor classes.



DR. R. BALFORE DANIELS  
*Dean*

## Arts, Science Encourage Broad Liberal Education

The College of Arts and Sciences emphasizes the artistic, literary, philosophic and scientific side of education . . . Their task is to prepare a student not only intellectually in his chosen profession, but also for life itself . . . They encourage students in both a broad and liberal education . . . the end result being to develop a thinking citizen for tomorrow's world.

The typist . . . the airline stewardess . . . the accountant . . . the economist . . . each receiving professional education at the university level to prepare for business and industry. By putting into practice the responsibilities of business and observing the day to day concepts of free enterprise, young people in the College of Business prepare themselves well for their careers.



DR. E. H. HUGHES, *Dean*

## Business Scholars Study Free Enterprise Concepts



Business Statistics 347 gain the attention of Gerland Swearingen and Patrick Ryan.



Associate Professor Dr. L. L. Irwin explains contracts in Business Law 331.



Mr. Stonebarger stresses a point in Personnel Management.

## Education College Offers Teachers Numerous Degrees

A vast number of teachers are needed today . . . and the University seeks to meet this need by offering a Bachelors Degree for four years of academic work with a major in education, a Masters Degree to graduate students with 36 hours of approved graduate work . . . an advanced Master of Education Degree with 36 hours above Masters Degree in specialized approved areas, and a Doctor of Education Degree in school administration, school supervision and specialized fields.



Student teaching is a daily routine for Margaret Jackman.



Nancy Skaggs practices in physical education class.



Professor Earl B. Miller instructs a class in methods of audio-visual aids.



DR. ARVIN DONNER  
*Dean*

## Nine Study Fields Open for Engineers

Roads . . . bridges . . . tools . . . the engineers of our nation build them . . . the public benefits from their work. Students at the University are taught an understanding of fundamental principles in mathematics and science which deal with the fields of chemical, civil, industrial, petroleum, mechanical and electrical engineering.



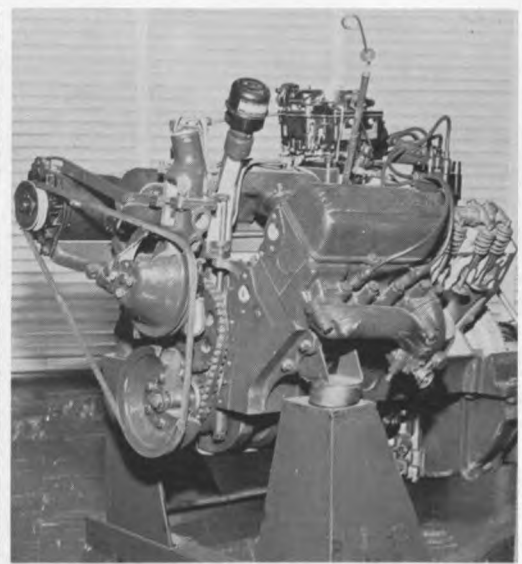
F. M. TILLER, *Dean*



Engineering professor explains slide rule procedure to two of his students.



Inspecting the motor are, left to right: A. C. Snodgrass, Austin Bland, Oscar Johnson, and Charles Richter.



Display motor decorates the foyer of the new Engineering Building.



DR. CHARLES F. HILLER  
*Dean*



Shirley McClean and Kathleen Landers keep their appointment with the Dean.



Freshman Brent Davis applies for Junior College Aid.

## Three Degrees Awarded At Junior College Level

Three diplomas may now be acquired for two years of academic work in the Junior College of the University . . . thus this extension of education beyond the high school level awards degrees in Associate of Art, Associate in Science and Associate in Business.

One division of the college offers academic and pre-professional courses in Arts and Sciences, Nursing, Engineering, and Business Administration; while the other division in the College of Technology offers courses in the technical and vocational schools.



Freshman and sophomore students learn to appreciate the opportunities afforded with Junior College Aid.

## Lawyers Mold Foundations In Ethics, High Standards

The law students study the fundamental laws and techniques of our country . . . they begin to mold their own individual foundation in ethics and high standards of the law profession . . . and finally they become better equipped to participate in local, state and national affairs.

The College of Law, which was fully approved by the American Bar Association in February, 1953, seeks to develop in a student a sense of social balance, a respect for rights and privileges, and an understanding of the obligations such rights and privileges entail.



DR. A. A. WHITE  
*Dean*



A student lawyer questions a witness in the courtroom of the Law College.



Tom Kirtley explains Torts to his fellow students in the Law School lounge.



Law students find the library a quiet and restful place to study.

## Student Nurses Train For Careers at Hermann



L. E. WILLETS  
*Dean*

Classes at the University . . . educational facilities and residence at Hermann Hospital . . . training to serve mankind . . . this is the role of a student nurse on our campus.

An expanding need for well-prepared nurses in this community and the trend toward preparing the professional nurse on a college level has resulted in setting aside a tract of land by the Texas Medical Center for the permanent home of the nursing division of the University of Houston.



Minnie Kondo proudly smiles as Mariana Flores pins her cap on her.



Student Nurse cuddles baby in clinic of Hermann Hospital.

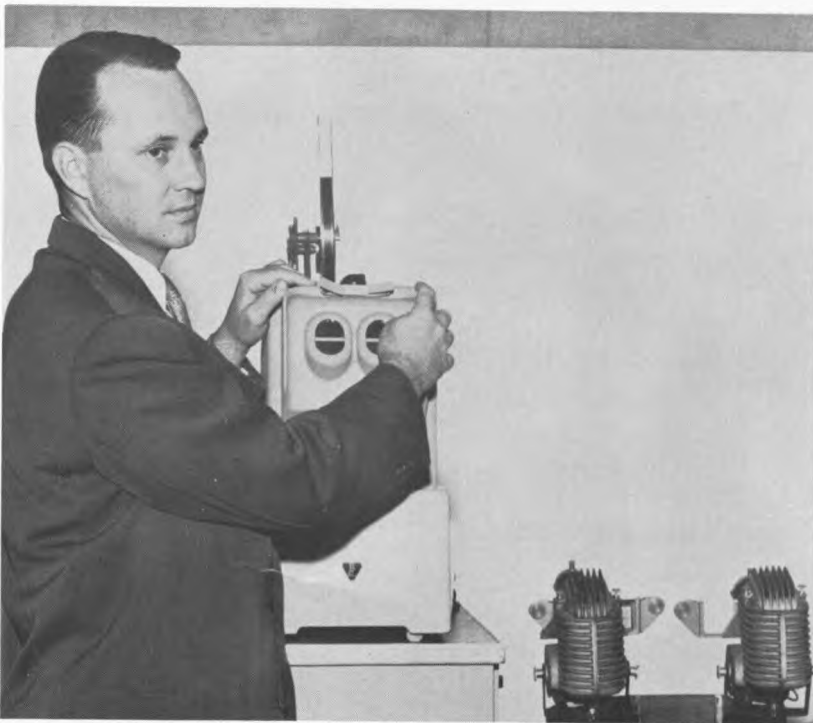


Stella Reyna helps a patient, Nan Hallenberg, to bed . . .

# Optometry College Rated First in Southwest



Optometry Students Bennett, Wry, back, and James McGinn, front, test the vision of Sherman Reed.



DR. CHARLES R. STEWART, *Dean*

A man is in need of glasses . . . the optometrist checks his eyes . . . and then prescribes the proper lenses.

Students at the University are privileged to be a part of the only College of Optometry in the Southwest. Its general facilities include: an optometry clinic of ten fully equipped refracting rooms, an optical dispensary and prescription laboratory, an orthoptics and visual training section, and facilities for studying pathological conditions of the eyes, for fitting contact lenses and subnormal vision, and for performing other services rendered by optometrists.



Grinding lenses requires many long hours of tedious work for J. C. Ashfee and Burton Diefel.



Andrew Portales, Jesse Jackson, and Carroll Thigpon carry out one of the various procedures for correcting vision for James Slider.





Joe Flores prepares to fill prescriptions in Pharmacy lab.

A knowledge of innumerable formulas in medicine . . . mixing vitally important prescriptions . . . serving the community at your drugstore . . . this is the role of a pharmacist.

The University's College of Pharmacy has many new facilities which include: completely equipped laboratories in pharmaceutical chemistry and excellent pharmacognosy and pharmacology laboratories. Individual classroom and lab instruction, an adequate library and assistance in placing students in summer jobs are only a few of its many services.

## Pharmacists 'Formulate' In Well-Equipped Labs



Pharmacy students Homer Nelson, Hugh Brothers, and Quillen McCoy study in lab.



A definite formula is the solution for John Lockhart's problem in Pharmacy.



DR. N. M. FERGUSON, *Dean*



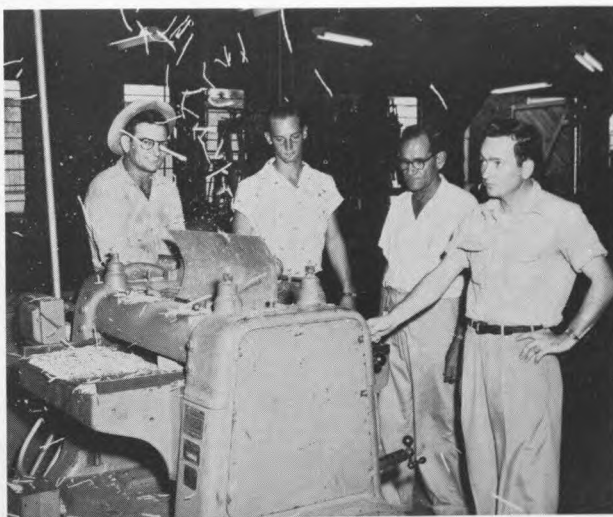
A. RAY SIMS, *Dean*

Whether the student is in wood shop, drafting, or auto mechanics . . . the College of Technology seeks to develop in its students a high degree of skill and technical knowledge that will enable them to handle the industrialization of the Southwest.

## Technology Develops Skillful Craftsmen



Drafting class requires many hours of time.



Students complete project in Work Shop lab.



Many different materials are used by D. H. Fiegel in design class.

Classes



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JIM RYAN  
*Vice President*



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*Secretary*



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*Assemblymen*



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*Chemistry*

ADAM, JERRY CHARLES  
Fairbanks, Texas

*Business*

ADAM, TERRY J.  
Fairbanks, Texas

*Business*

ALBERTSON, DON  
Houston

*Electrical Engineering*

UHSEE Secretary 54, President 55; Kappa Kappa Psi.

ALEXANDER, RONALD E.  
South Houston

*Radio TV*

Cougar Band 52-53; Gan Bey; Sigma Chi; Radio Guild.

ANDERSON, ANDY  
Carthage, Texas

*Radio TV*

Dorm Council, Vice President; Fiesta, Beard Contest; Houstonian; Student Council, Vice President 54-55. President 55-56; APO; Tau Kappa Sigma, Lambda Chi Alpha.

ANDERSON, DONALD T.  
Plattsburg, Missouri

*Drama*

Alpha Psi Omega.

APPLEBY, MARY LONNETTE  
Houston

*Radio TV*

Favorite; Kappa Sigma Nu, Vice President; Phi Beta, Vice President; Radio Guild; Woman's Editor KUHf-KUHT.



## CLASS OF '56



ASHLEY, LEROY, JR.  
Corpus Christi, Texas

*Architectural Engineering*

ATKINSON, CHARLES RAMSEY  
Abilene, Texas

*Pharmacy*

ATKINSON, MARTHA NEWCOMBE  
Abilene, Texas

*Pharmacy*

BAILEY, LEONARD  
Hindman, Kentucky

*Foreign Trade*

Foreign Relations Club; Canterbury Club; Propeller Club.

BAKER, DONALD G.  
Houston

*Geology*

Sigma Gamma Epsilon; Pick and Hammer Club, President.

BAKER, LASKEY A.  
Houston

*Civil Engineering*

Delta Theta; UHSE; Tau Sigma Man 53-54.

BAKER, MURIEL MARIE  
Houston

*Business*

BALLINGER, KELLY  
Houston

*Technology*

Student Council, Vice President 55-56; Dragon Club, President; Assembly 54; Councilman 54-55.

BARCHUS, GALE LESLIE  
Houston  
Sterling Hogan Scholarship Student.

*Architecture*

BAREFIELD, LOUISE  
Houston

*Business Education*

Pi Lambda Chi, Vice President 53, President 54; WFC 52-55; Judicial Committee 54-55; Wesley Foundation; Fiesta 52-55.

BARNETTE, WILLIAM  
Houston

*History*

BEARD, BOB J.  
San Antonio, Texas

*Petroleum Engineering*

BELL, ALFRED E.  
Houston

*Radio TV*

Red Masque Players, Vice President 53; VV Lead Role 54, Director 55; Fiesta Top Ten 54; Gan Bey, Sergeant-at-Arms.

BIEHLE, MURPHY O.  
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*Accounting*

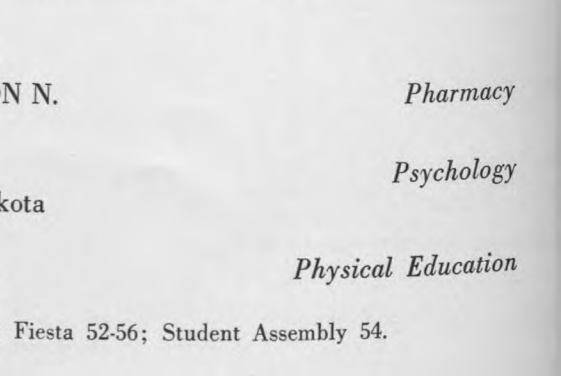
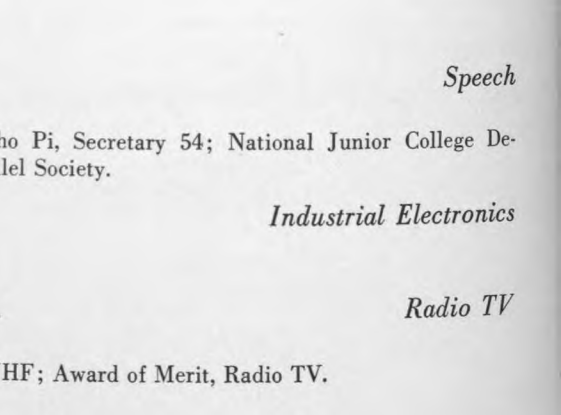
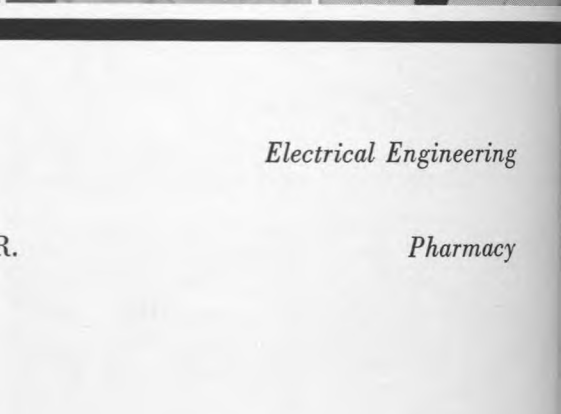
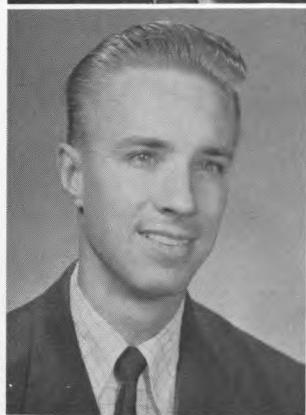
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*Home Economics*

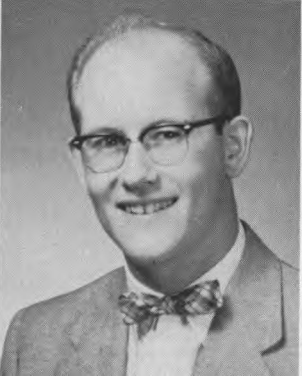
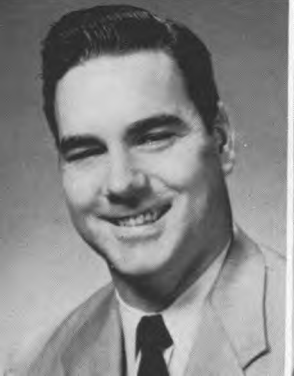
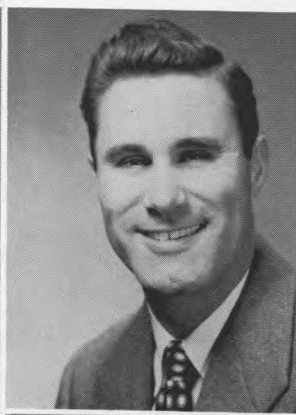
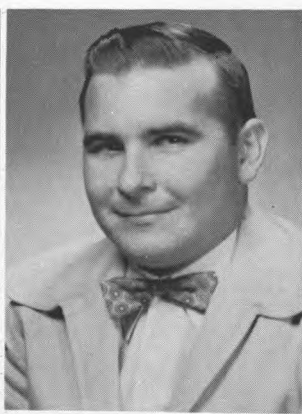
Cougar, Society Editor 54; Writers' Club, Publicity 55; Gamma Sigma Sigma, Publicity 55.

BLANCO, DAVID S.  
Houston  
Propeller Club.

*Foreign Trade*



## SENIORS



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Houston

*Electrical Engineering*

BOBALIK, FRANK R.  
Highlands, Texas

*Pharmacy*

BOBKOFF, NED  
Houston

*Speech*

Forensic Society; Phi Rho Pi, Secretary 54; National Junior College Debate Co-Champion 55; Hillel Society.

BOGS, CHARLES  
Houston

*Industrial Electronics*

BRADLEY, JOHN M.  
Houston

*Radio TV*

News Director, KUHT-KUHF; Award of Merit, Radio TV.

BRASWELL, GORDON N.  
Houston

*Pharmacy*

BRAUER, ROLAND  
Scotland, South Dakota

*Psychology*

BRENEK, JOANNE  
Houston

*Physical Education*

Lanyard Club, Secretary; Fiesta 52-56; Student Assembly 54.

BROTHERS, HUGH A., JR.  
Lufkin, Texas

*Pharmacy*

Phi Kappa Alpha; Newman Club; Phi Delta Chi, Treasurer 55-56; American Pharmaceutical Association, Secretary 55-56.

BROWN, ERNEST H.  
Arlington, Virginia  
Alpha Delta Sigma.

*Advertising*

BROWN, FRANCES  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

BROYLES, ELAINE  
Houston

*Business Education*

Delta Sigma, Recording Secretary, Vice President, President 55-56; Zeta Tau Alpha, Phi Theta Kappa; WFC; WSA; Student Assembly; Fiesta.

BRUBAKER, JAMES  
Houston

*Industrial Engineering*

BRUNSON, WILLIAM E.  
Houston

*Sociology*

BURLESON, MAX  
Uvalde, Texas

*Business*

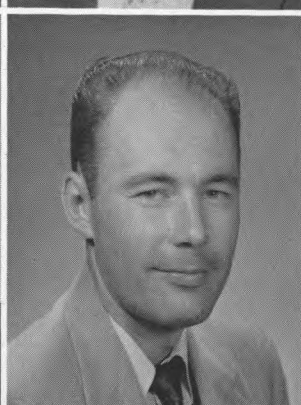
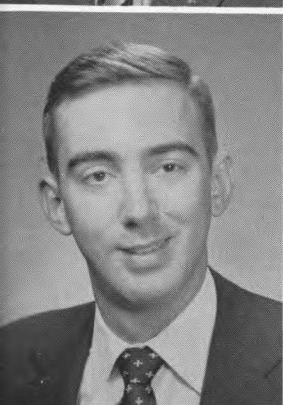
BUTLER, PATRICIA  
Houston

*Secretarial Administration*

Phi Delta Zeta, President 55-56; WFC; Phi Beta; WSA; Newman Club.



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BYRNES, RALPH W.  
Houston

*Industrial Electronics*

Alpha Phi Omega; BSU; Electro-Tech Society; Student Assembly.

CAICEDO, EDGAR

Roldanillo-Valle, Colombia, S. A.

*Mechanical Engineering*

CALDWELL, GARNETT E.  
Houston

*Law*

Canterbury Club; Barristers; Phi Theta Kappa; Student Assembly.

CASKEY, THOMAS  
Houston

*Geology*

Alpha Phi Omega; Sigma Gamma Epsilon; AIMME; Pick and Hammer Club.

CHAMBERS, JOY  
Gladewater, Texas

*Television*

CHERRY, IONA KAYE  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

CLEMENT, WILTON A.  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

*Physical Education*

Phi Delta Tau; Kappa Alpha; Varsity "H"; Track.

CLOUD, IMOGENE  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

COMPEAN, ROBERTO  
Houston  
Concert Band; Dance Band; Chamber Music Group.

*Music*

CONN, JACKIE R.  
Hemphill, Texas  
Phi Delta Tau; UHSEE; ROTC.

*Electrical Engineering*

COOK, ROBERT L.  
Houston

*Management*

CROCKER, CHARLES W.  
Houston

*Industrial Drafting*

CUMMINS, DRAYTON  
Houston  
Student Assembly; Gan Bey; Student Association, Treasurer 54-56.

*Electrical Engineering*

DAUBEN, DONALD J.  
Dallas, Texas

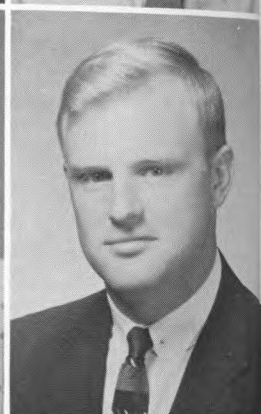
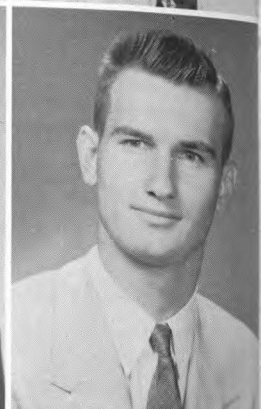
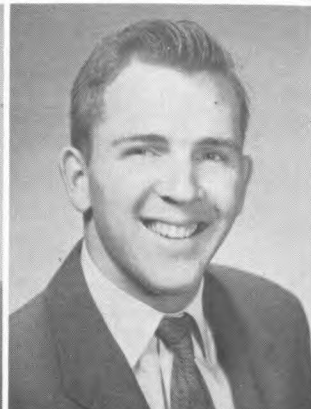
*Graphic Arts  
Management*

DAVIS, CAROLINE  
Lake Forest, Illinois

*Drama*

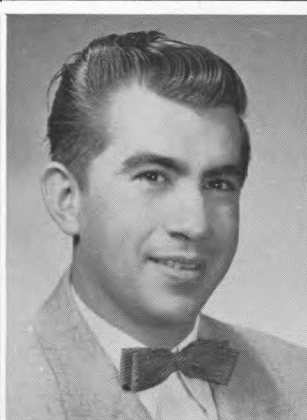
DAVIS, CHARLES C., JR.  
Palestine, Texas  
Kappa Delta Kappa; Pep Club; Fiesta.

*Business*



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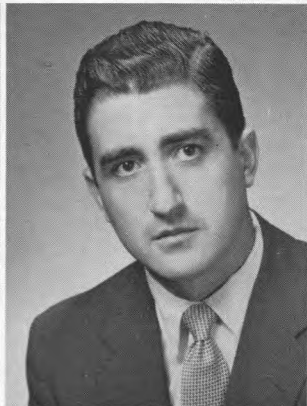


DEAN, ROBERT  
Navasota, Texas  
American Pharmaceutical Association; Phi Delta Chi.

*Pharmacy*

DEIWERT, ALBERT A.  
McDonald, Ohio

*Diesel*



DELANY, ROBERT E.  
Houston  
Phi Delta Tau; Sophomore President 54; TISA; Student Council; Samurai.

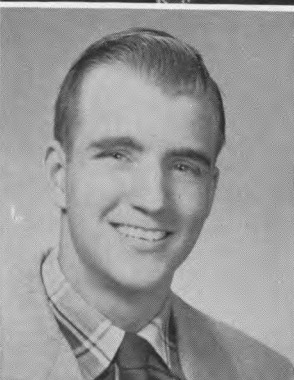
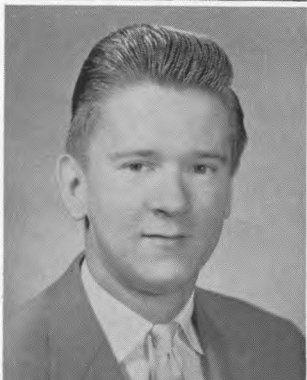
*Government*

DE TEJADA, FRANCISCO  
Madrid, Spain

*Electrical Engineering*

DITTBRENNER, J. RILEY  
Pasadena, Texas  
Usonian Fraternity.

*History*



DODD, WILBUR H.  
Pine Grove Mills, Pennsylvania  
Kappa Delta Kappa; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, House Manager; Student Council.

*Business*

DURETT, GEORGE  
Houston

*Business*

DYER, VAUGHAN  
Brownwood, Texas

*History*



ELDRIDGE, MELVIN L.  
Fairbanks, Texas

*History*

ENGELMANN, SHIRLEY JEAN  
Houston

*Music Education*

Sigma Alpha Iota, President 55-56; Phi Theta Kappa, Historian 53-54; WFC and WSA; Chorus.

ERICSON, ALLEN W.  
Branford, Connecticut

*Psychology*

Canterbury Club, Secretary; Student Assembly, Inter-Dorm Council, Men's Dorm Council, German Club, Philosophy Club.

ERICKSON, DEANN  
Houston

*Political Science*

Pi Delta; Student Assembly, Senior Assemblyman, Judicial Committee 54-55.

ERWIN, SALLY JEAN  
Marlette, Michigan

*Biology*

ESLINGER, SCOTT DAVID, JR.  
Houston

*Electronical Engineering*

UHSE, Pep Club, Vice President 55-56; Wesley Foundation, Fiesta; Cougar Band.

EUTON, ROBERT A.  
Barker, Texas

*Diesel*

EZELLE, RALPH W.  
Shreveport, Louisiana

*Civil Engineering*



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FATTA, ANTOINETTE  
Houston

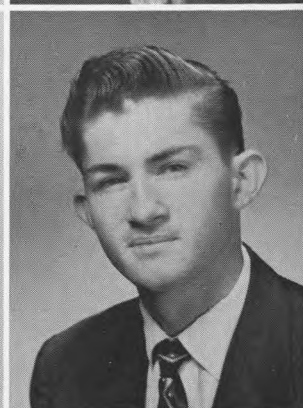
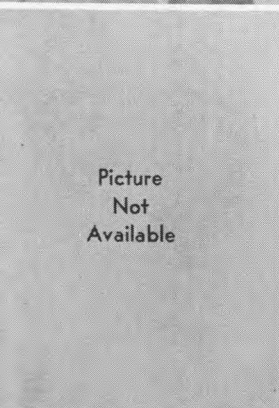
*Pharmacy*

Phi Delta Zeta, Delta Zeta; Kappa Epsilon; A. Ph. A.

FERGUSON, MICHAEL  
Houston

*Journalism*

Cougar, Editor, Managing Editor 54, Sports Editor 53-54; Outstanding Student 55; Sigma Delta Chi.



FISCHER, WOLFGANG CARL  
Houston

*Business*

FLUKINGER, FRED KENNETH  
Houston

*Diesel*

FORD, DONALD F.  
Houston

*Business*

Sigma Alpha Chi, Pi Kappa Alpha.

FRANCIS, EDDIE EUGENE  
Houston

*Chemistry*

Student Affiliates American Chemical Society, President.

FRANK, PATRICK, JR.  
Galveston, Texas

*Psychology*

FRUECHTE, DON F.  
Houston

*Drama*

Cougar, Fine Arts Editor; Alpha Psi Omega; Red Masque Players, President 55-56; Radio Guild; Student Assembly.

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GEE, WILLIAM  
San Antonio, Texas  
Phi Delta Chi, Vice President; A. Pha. A.

*Pharmacy*

GELDARD, BERT  
Houston

*Radio TV*

GLOVER, NITA  
Paris, Texas  
Phi Theta Kappa, National President 55.

*Elementary Education*

GORDON, HERMAN  
Houston  
Barristers; Bar Association, Assemblyman; Phi Beta Gamma, Associate Justice.

*Law*

GRAETER, HAROLD  
Houston  
Marketing Club; ROTC.

*Marketing*

GRAYSON, JEAN  
Gladewater, Texas  
Pi Lambda Chi; Wesley Foundation; Hallfellow, Law Hall.

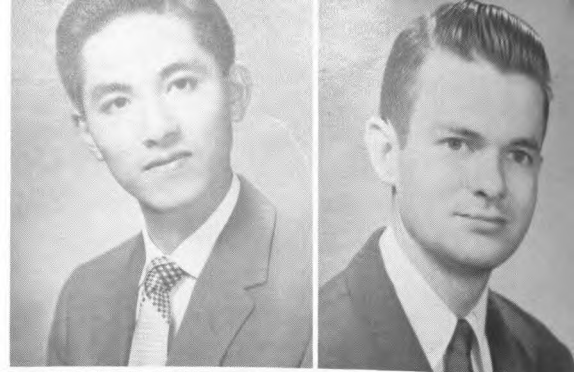
*Speech, Hearing Therapy*

GRAYSHON, JOHN E.  
Houston

*Geology*

HALL, BERGEN B.  
Houston

*Pre-Law*



## SENIORS



HARPER, JIM T.  
Houston

*Mechanical Engineering*

HARRELL, DOYLE  
Fort Worth, Texas  
APHA; Phi Delta Chi, President 55.

*Pharmacy*



HARRISON, CHARLES  
Montgomery, Texas  
Sigma Gamma Epsilon.

*Geology*

HAYES, JACQULYN L.  
Houston

*Journalism*

Cougar, Editor; Theta Sigma Phi, Vice President; Press Club; Writers' Club; Harvest; Red Masque Players; VV Co-ordinator; Assembly; French Club; Fiesta Gazette.

HAZLIP, GYENE M.  
Laird Hill, Texas

*Electrical Engineering*



HELTON, ARCH W.  
Houston

*Geology*

Usonians; Pick and Hammer Club.

HENSEL, ROY E.  
Auburn, Iowa

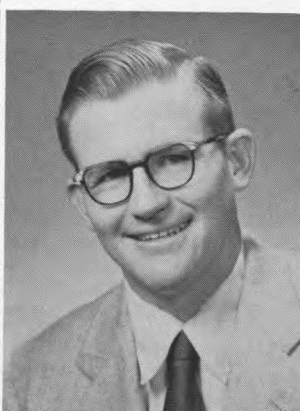
*Photography*

LSA, Vice President, President; RGC; Student Assembly; Camera Club.

HEYMAN, ALFRED N.  
Houston

*Industrial Engineering*

Society of Industrial Engineers.



HILFORD, WILLIAM  
Houston

*Law*

HINTON, JULIAN  
Cleburne, Texas

*Industrial Engineering*



HOLCOMB, HOPE  
Houston

*Physical Education*

Sigma Phi Mu, President Pledge Class, Best Pledge, Pledge Captain, Recording Secretary, Second Vice President; Gamma Alpha Chi, Vice President; Presbyterian Association.

HONSINGER, HARVEY G.  
Mont Belvieu, Texas

*Radio TV*

HORELICA, LESLIE  
Houston

*Geology*

HUBBELL, ROBERT  
Galveston, Texas  
UH AIME 53-55.

*Petroleum Engineering*

HUFFMAN, ALAN E.  
Houston

*Business*

Kappa Delta Kappa, Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

HUGHES, HAROLD E.  
Palestine, Texas

*Accounting*



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HUGHES, TOM J.  
Hamilton, Texas

*Optometry*

JACKMAN, MARGARET  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

Panhellenic Scholarship; Tau Sigma, Vice President, Secretary, President; Alpha Phi; Gamma Sigma Sigma; WFC, Recording Secretary and Vice President; Student Assembly; WSA; Honoree to Texas A&M 54-55; Princess, Junior-Senior Prom; Fiesta 53-56.



JACKSON, WALTER, JR.  
Houston

*Business*

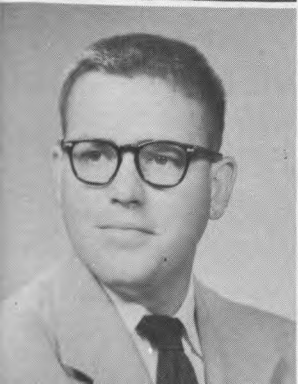
JACQUES, PATRICIA ANN  
Brownsville, Texas

*Business*

JAMES, MARALYNE RAMEY  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

WSA and Assemblyman, Alpha Delta Pi; Fiesta 54-55, Candidate Basketball Queen and Shrine Queen.



JARRELL, WILLIAM J.  
Houston

*Finance*

National Bank Scholarship.

JESTER, MAXIE ELAINE  
Lambert, Mississippi

*Secondary Education*

Wesley Foundation, President; Future Teachers of America 52-53.

JOHNSON, JOY CAROLYN  
Victoria, Texas

*Secondary Education*

JOHNSON, WILLIAM J., JR.  
Houston  
Wesley Foundation; University Chorus.

*History*

JONES, BOYCE  
Houston  
Baptist Student Union, Treasurer 52-53.

*Accounting*

JONES, C. E., JR.  
Kirbyville, Texas

*Business*

JONES, DOYLE  
Merkel, Texas  
AIME; Track; Varsity "H."

*Petroleum Engineering*

JONES, JESSE  
Houston  
Delta Theta.

*Marketing*

JONES, WALTER K., JR.  
Houston

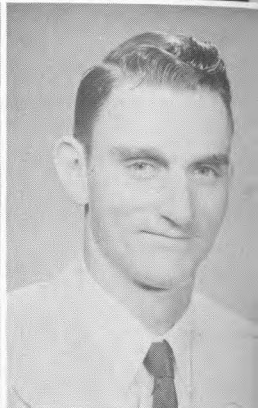
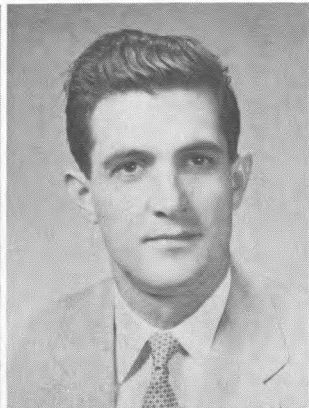
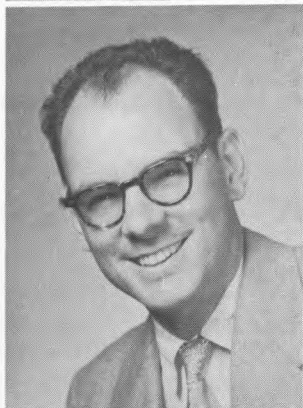
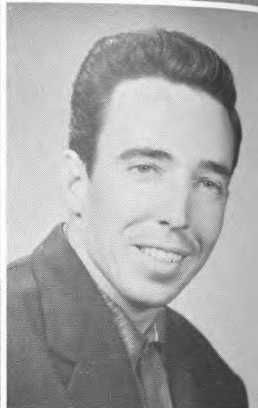
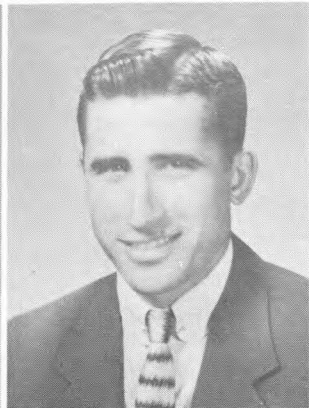
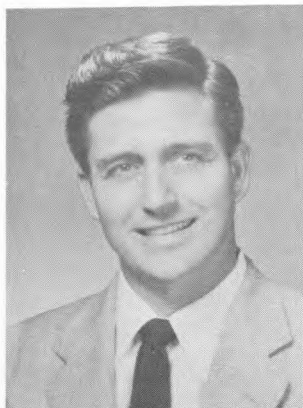
*Business*

JUDICE, CHARLES R.  
Lafayette, Louisiana

*Business*

KEITH, BENNY, JR.  
Houston

*Elementary Education*



## SENIORS



KEITH, CATHERINE E.  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

KEITH, DAVE B.  
Temple, Texas

*Advertising*

Kappa Delta Kappa; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Grand Exchequer; Student Assembly.



KELLY, ROBERT E.  
Houston

*Architectural Engineering*

UHSE, Vice President 54, President 56.

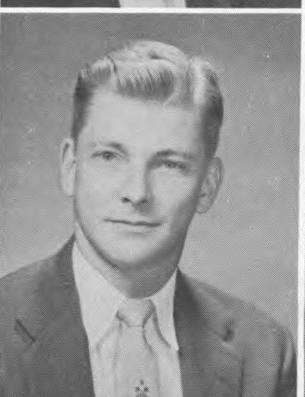
KEPPLER, CARL, III  
Houston  
UHSEE.

*Electrical Engineering*

KHALED, JO ANN  
Houston

*Home Economics*

Tau Sigma, Vice President; Alpha Phi, Vice President; Assemblyman; Newman Club, Vice President; Home Ec Club; FTA; Fiesta.



KING, WALTER I.  
Houston

*Marketing*

Fiesta Top Ten 50, 53; Alpha Delta Sigma; Marketing Club; Propeller Club.

KIRKPATRICK, EUEL G., JR.  
Lake Charles, Louisiana

*Art*

KIRTLEY, JOHN T., JR.  
Cushing, Oklahoma

*Law*

Delta Theta, President; Attorney General; Outstanding Law Student; Bar Association, President; Outstanding Student; National Chairman, Law Students Association of America; Phi Beta Gamma.

KLUG, SONJA RHETA  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

Cheerleader; Hillel; Assembly; Fiesta Association; Alpha Sigma Delta; Favorite; Kappa Delta Pi; Gamma Sigma Sigma; WFC; Senior Class Secretary; Pep Club; WSA.

KNIGHT, TOMMIE J.  
Kermit, Texas

*Physics*

KOHLI, G. A. JR.  
Houston

*Accounting*

KOLBE, EDWARD H.  
Houston

*Philosophy*

Phi Theta Kappa; Disciples Student Fellowship; Writers' Club, President; Philosophy Club.

KOLKHORST, A. W.  
Washington, Texas

*Business*

KOSORIS, SHELDON  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

*Electronics*

KRAUSE, WALTER T.  
Edinburg, Texas

*Mechanical Engineering*

KUBITZ, CAROL  
Houston

*Secretarial Administration*

Sigma Phi Mu, Secretary, Vice President; Honoree; Wesley Foundation.



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KUCERA, KATHERINE L.  
Houston

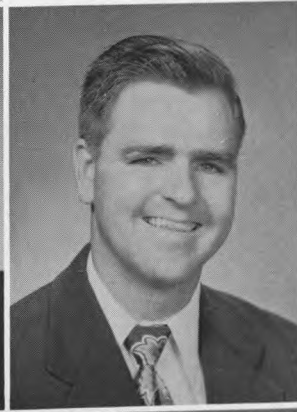
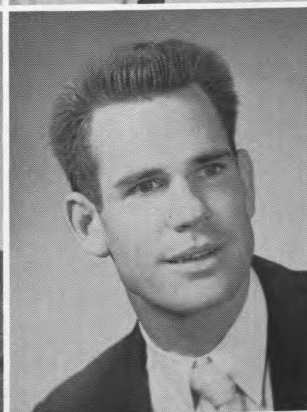
*Music Education*

Sigma Alpha Iota, Vice President; Phi Theta Kappa; U of H Chorus.

LANE, JAMES  
Houston

*General Business*

Alpha Phi Omega; Accounting Club; Baptist Student Union.



LANGFORD, KEN  
Houston

*Animal Husbandry*

"H" Association; Rodeo Team; Baseball.

LARGENT, WAYNE  
Houston

*General Business*

LEFTWICH, WILLIAM H.  
San Benito, Texas

*Accounting*

Alpha Kappa Pi; Sigma Phi Epsilon.



LEWELLYN, CANDY  
Dallas, Texas

*Art*

Art Club, Secretary 51; Gamma Alpha Chi, Social Chairman 52.

LEWIS, ANGUS E.  
Houston

*Geology*

LIRETTE, JERRY  
Houston

*Music*

LIVIAN, PARVIZ *Chemical Engineering*  
 Tehran, Iran  
 UHSE, Society Chemical Engineers; Alpha Sigma Tau; Phi Epsilon; Hillel Foundation.

LOCKHART, GLORIA *Art*  
 Houston  
 Parliamentarian and Pledge Social Chairman, Sigma Phi Mu, Phi Mu.

LOGAN, CLELAND H. *Business*  
 Houston

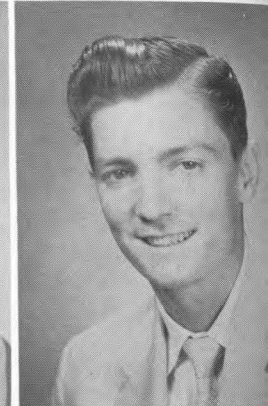
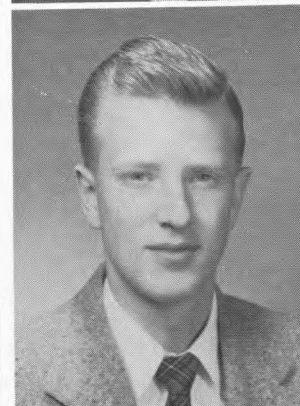
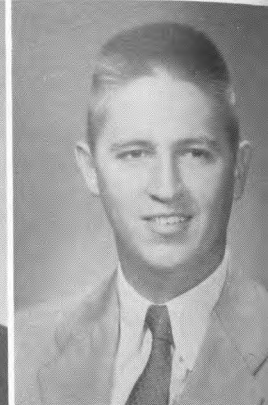
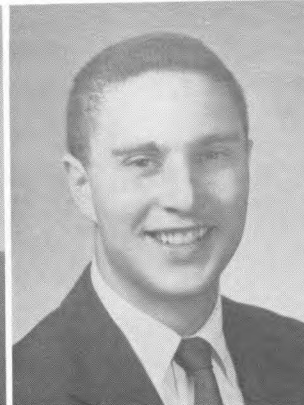
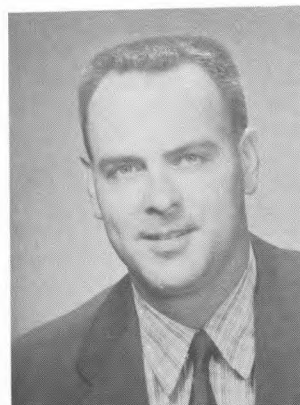
LONGO, ROBERT *Business*  
 Houston

LOVER, GEORGE LESTER, JR. *Electrical Engineering*  
 Houston  
 Society Electrical Engineers.

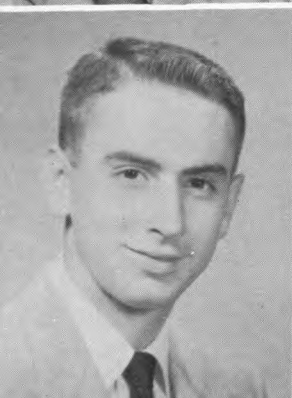
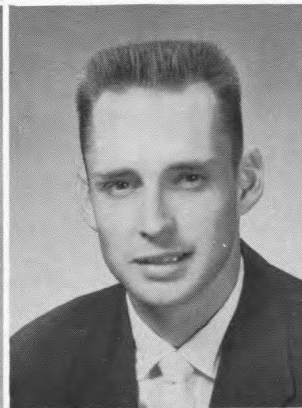
LUDWIG, WILLIAM J. *Geology*  
 Yonkers, New York

LUNA, BEATRICE *Elementary Education*  
 Houston

McCOY, QUILLEN W. *Pharmacy*  
 Port Arthur, Texas  
 Vice President AP HA; Phi Delta Chi.



## SENIORS



McCLENNY, JOHN C. *Advertising*  
 Houston  
 Tau Kappa Sigma.

McCUE, DARLENE *Physical Education*  
 Houston  
 Lanyard Club.

McKEAN, BYRON *Industrial Drafting*  
 Luling, Texas  
 Sigma Phi Epsilon.

McKENZIE, MARIE *Elementary Education*  
 Houston

McLEROY, GENE AUSTIN *Personnel Management*  
 Houston

Gan Bey, Sigma Chi; Fiesta 52-56, VV; Pep Club, BSU; Student Assembly; Student Government.

McMILLIN, DAVID W. *Electrical Engineering*  
 San Antonio, Texas

Canterbury, President; Alpha Phi Omega; Student Assembly; AIEE; Fiesta.

MACK, HERMAN H. *Chemistry*  
 La Marque, Texas

MACREADY, SYLVIA JANE *Secretarial Administration*  
 Houston  
 Sigma Phi Mu, Phi Mu.

MADEWELL, JAMES F.  
Houston

*Mechanical Engineering*

MAGEE, JAMES H.  
Houston

*Marketing*

Marketing Club; Accounting Club; Wesley Foundation, Social Action  
Chairman.

MAGNESS, ELOISE  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

Phi Delta Zeta; Delta Zeta; DSF.

MAKULU, FIRUZ T.  
Istanbul, Turkey

*Journalism*

KAM; Sigma Delta Chi; Press Club; Outstanding Student 54-55; Hous-  
tonian, Photo Editor 54-56; Cougar, Photo Editor 54-55.

MALICOAT, W. M.  
Houston

*Physics*

MARTE, NOEL  
Pasadena, Texas

*Journalism*

Press Club; Cougar, Activity Editor; Writers' Club, IRC.

MARTIN, DARLINE  
Port Bolivar, Texas  
Baptist Student Union.

*Home Economics*

MARTIN, WILLIAM  
Houston

*Physical Education*



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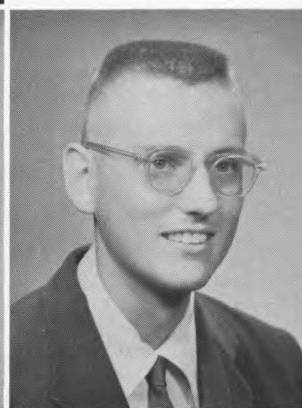
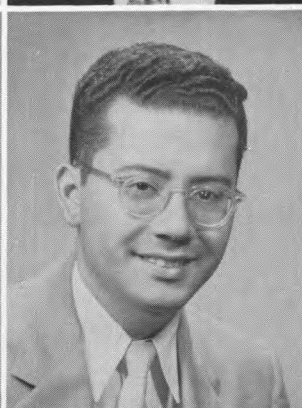
MARTA, GUADALUPE  
Donna, Texas

*Nursing*

MATSON, REDFIELD S.  
Fort Worth, Texas

*Law*

Bar Association, President; Phi Beta Gamma.



MAY, NANCY ANN  
Houston

*Home Economics*

BSU; Home Ec Club; ROTC Sponsor 55.

MAYORGA, GILBERT  
Houston

*Chemical Engineering*

MEHNERT, WALTER W.  
Houston

*Psychology*

German Club, President; Newman Club.

MERCHANT, DONALD N.  
Houston

*Radio TV*

Radio Guild; ROTC, Platoon Leader.

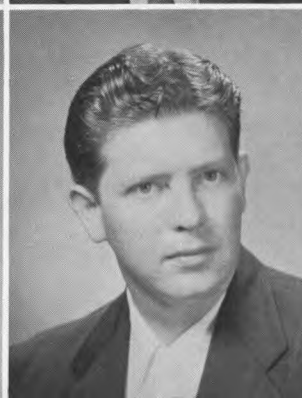
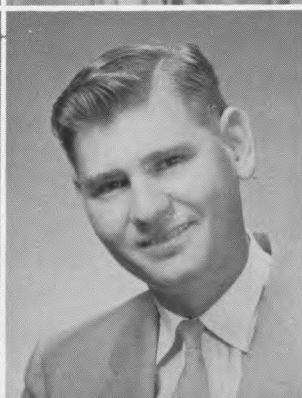
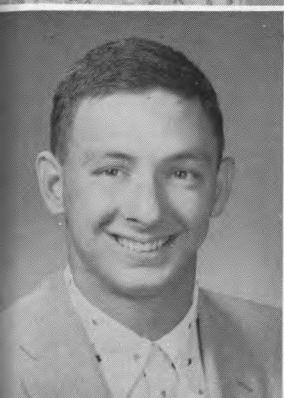
MERCK, DEAN F.  
Collegeport, Texas

*Civil Engineering*

MERZBACHER, CHARLES E.  
Dallas, Texas

*Law*

Bar Association, Vice President; Chief Justice, Phi Beta Gamma.



MILES, ESTHER SCHEFFER  
 Baytown, Texas  
 Kappa Delta Pi.

*Elementary Education*

MILES, MAVALENE GRACE  
 Bellaire, Texas

*Business*

Recording Secretary, Vice President, President, Beta Chi, Chi Omega; Student Assoc. Secretaries 54-56, State Secretary of TSA, WFC and WSA; Election Board, Assemblyman; Honoree, Outstanding Junior in Student Government; BSU; UH Chorus; Fiesta.

MILUM, CHARLES E.  
 Houston

*Electrical Engineering*

MILLER, DONALD R.  
 Pasadena, Texas

*Industrial Engineering*

MILLER, LINDA  
 Waco, Texas

*Pharmacy*

MILLSLADGLE, GERALD  
 Houston

*Pharmacy*

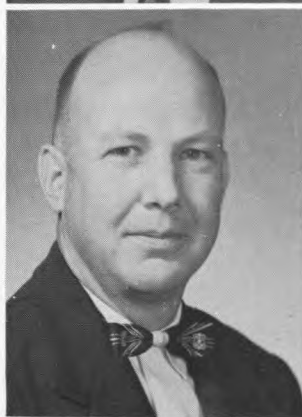
MINSKY, RITA FAYE  
 Dallas, Texas

*Radio TV*

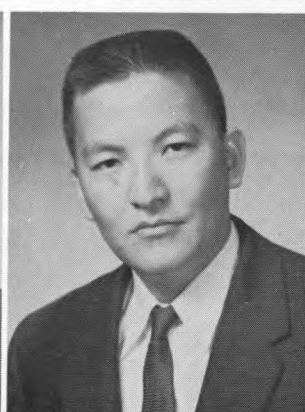
Phi Sigma Sigma; Hillel; Radio TV Guild; Student Assembly.

MITCHELL, DOROTHY  
 Houston

*Elementary Education*



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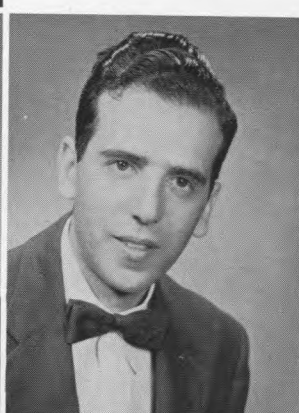
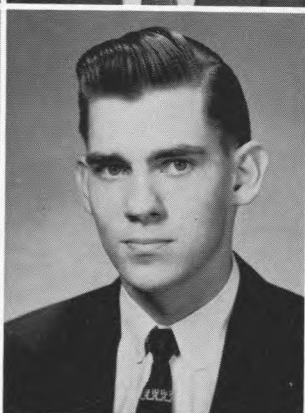
MIZE, CHARLES  
 Houston

*Pre-Law*

Vice President, Phi Rho Pi; Forensic Society, Assemblyman; Presbyterian Association.

MIZUSHIMA, MASAMI  
 Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii

*Industrial Engineering*



MOK, ELLEN YIN-TUNG  
 Hong Kong, China

*Biology*

Chinese University Club, Membership Chairman.

MORONEY, ROBERT GEORGE  
 Houston

*Chemical Engineering*

UHEC, Chemical Engineers' Club 54-56.

NAZZAL, NED  
 Jerusalem, Palestine

*Refrigeration*

NEWTON, THOMAS VEACIT, JR.  
 Houston

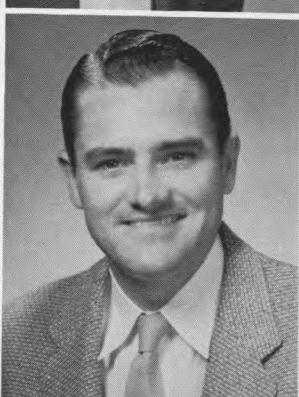
*Accounting*

NORMAN, MARY ELIZABETH  
 Houston

*Secondary Education*

OLIVER, SAM W., JR.  
 Mobile, Alabama

*Electrical Engineering*





OSBORNE, MERTON M.  
Houston

*Geology*

OVERTON, HAROLD  
Houston  
Sigma Gamma Epsilon.

*Petroleum Engineering*

PARKER, WILLIAM S.  
Pasadena, Texas  
UHSE; UHSME.

*Mechanical Engineering*

PEDERSON, RICHARD N.  
Houston

*Business*

PETERSEN, MAXINE  
Houston

*Secondary Education*

PHIPPS, RAYMOND W., JR.  
Houston

*Radio TV*

Assemblyman; Fiesta; Phi Delta Tau; Kappa Alpha; Sigma Delta Chi;  
Radio Guild; Cullen Rifles.

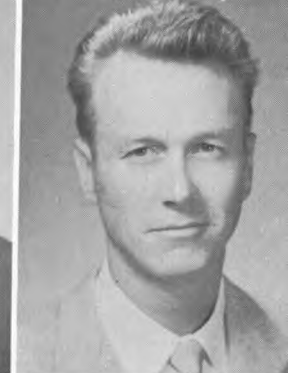
PIERSON, SAM C., JR.  
Houston  
Kappa Alpha Mu, Pledge.

*Photography*

PIPES, VIRGINIA  
Beaumont, Texas

*Elementary Education*

Beta Chi; Assembly; Wesley; Pep Club.



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PIQUE, RICHARD  
Houston

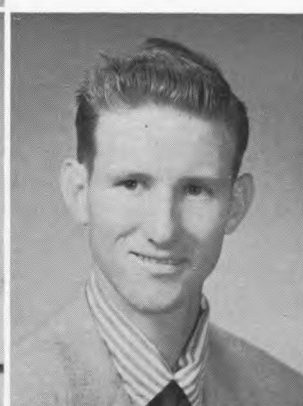
*Accounting*

Society of Accountants; Student Assembly.

PITTMAN, PEGGY  
Houston

*Journalism*

Theta Sigma Phi, President; Sigma Phi Mu, Treasurer; Cougar; Houstonian  
52-54; Press Club; Phi Theta Kappa; WSA; Can Bey Sweetheart Candi-  
date 55.



PRESSWOOD, CLYDA M.  
Houston

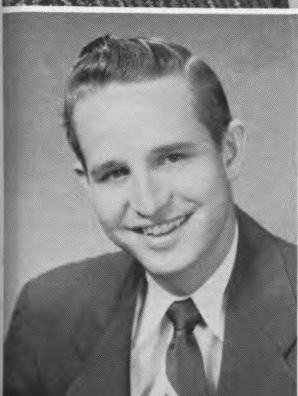
*Elementary Education*

PRINDIBLE, JACK D.  
Houston  
Kappa Alpha Mu.

*Photography*

PRUITT, RONALD F.  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
Track, Letterman; Kappa Delta Kappa.

*Health, Physical Education*



POLLARD, D'JANIN  
Bay City, Texas

*Chemical Engineering*

Chemical Engineers, Vice President; UHSE.

PORRETTO, HENRY P., JR.  
Galveston, Texas

*Geology*

POOLE, RONNIE  
Houston

*Advertising*

Alpha Delta Sigma, President.

PUETT, J. W. F.  
 Corpus Christi, Texas  
 Baptist Student Union.

*Electronics*

RAMER, FREDERICK HANS, JR.  
 Houston  
 UHSEE; German Club; Schlumberger Scholar; Franklin Scholar; Phi Kappa Phi.

*Electrical Engineering*

RAMIREZ, LUIS  
 Raymondville, Texas

*Secondary Education*

REGALADO, RUBEN G.  
 Houston  
 Spanish Club; Baptist Student Union; Veterans' Club.

*Government*

REICH, BRUNO WILLIAM  
 Houston  
 UHSE; UHSEE; Kappa Delta Kappa; Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Phi Theta Kappa.

*Electrical Engineering*

REID, ARTHUR L., JR.  
 Houston  
 Phi Theta Kappa.

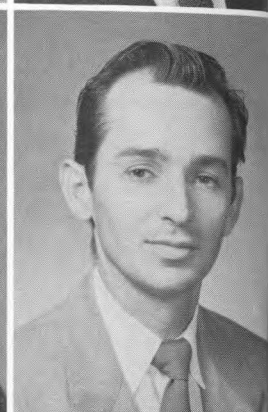
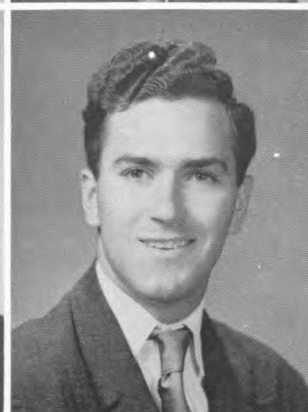
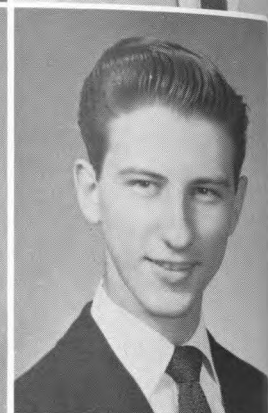
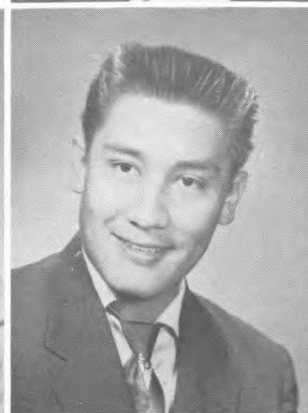
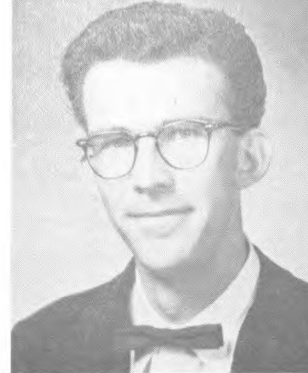
*Electrical Engineering*

REJMANIAK, RICHARD F.  
 Palisades Park, New Jersey  
 AIME.

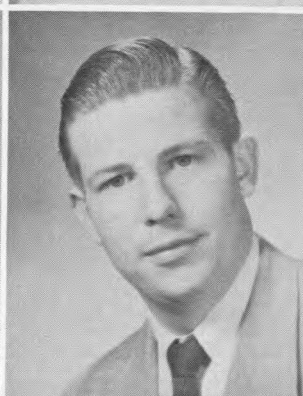
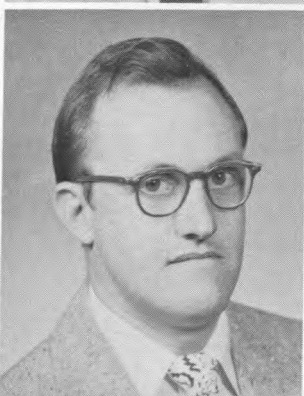
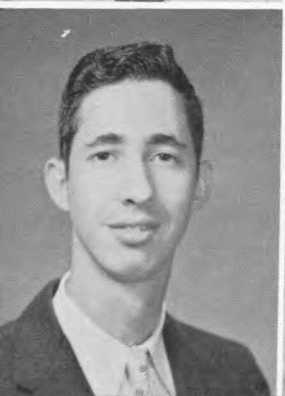
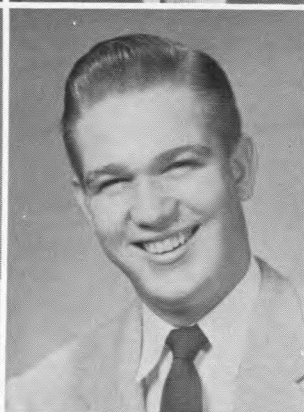
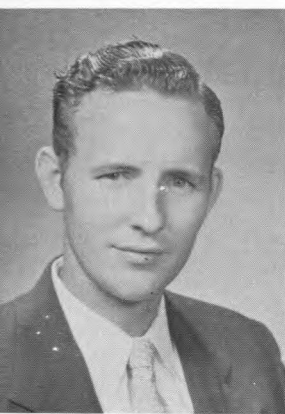
*Petroleum Engineer*

REYNOLDS, DAVID J.  
 Houston  
 Industrial Engineers' Society, President.

*Industrial Engineering*



# SENIORS



RICHARDSON, EUGENE M.  
 Houston

*Mechanical Engineering*

RISMONDO, MICHAEL A.  
 Galveston, Texas

*Chemical Engineering*

ROACH, JOSEPH E.  
 Houston

*Air Conditioning*

ROBINSON, C. M., III  
 Corpus Christi, Texas

*Accounting*

ROGERS, JOYCE  
 Niagara Falls, New York  
 Home Ec Club; Spanish Club; Wesley Foundation, Secretary 53, Vice President 54.

*English*

ROSENBAUM, RALPH  
 Dallas, Texas  
 Sigma Alpha Mu; Radio Guild.

*Radio TV*

RUSHING, GARY F.  
 Houston  
 UHSE; UHSEE; IRE.

*Electrical Engineering*

RYAN, JAMES NEAL  
 Mattoon, Illinois  
 Sigma Alpha Chi; Varsity Varieties; Veterans' Club; Fiesta; Hugh W. Temple Award.

*Sales*

SAMPSON, LEONCE L. *Foreign Trade, Transportation*  
 Bellaire, Texas

SANDERS, CLYDE, JR. *Radio TV*  
 Houston

SEIBERT, LYTLE A. *English*  
 Houston  
 BSU, Publicity Chairman; Pep Club; RGC; German Club; Lab Instructor.

SCALL, BOB C. *Accounting*  
 La Vernia, Texas  
 Accounting Society.

SCHRODER, DENNIS L. *Business*  
 Houston  
 Houstonian, Club Editor 53; Gan Bey, Vice President.

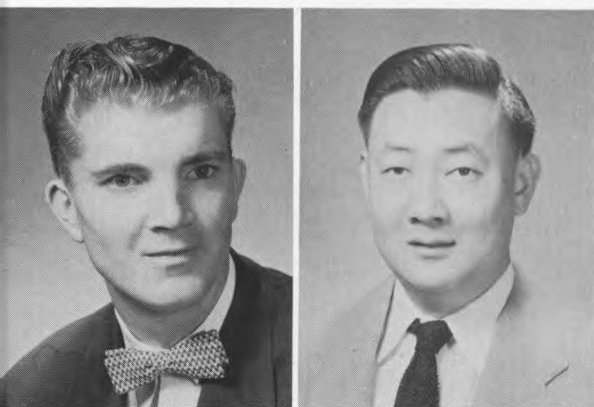
SCOTT, JAMES S., JR. *Diesel*  
 Herndon, West Virginia

SHOEMAKER, WAYNE M. *Physical Education*  
 Houston  
 Varsity "H"; Football 52-55.

SHULTZ, JANET *Elementary Education*  
 Dickinson, Texas

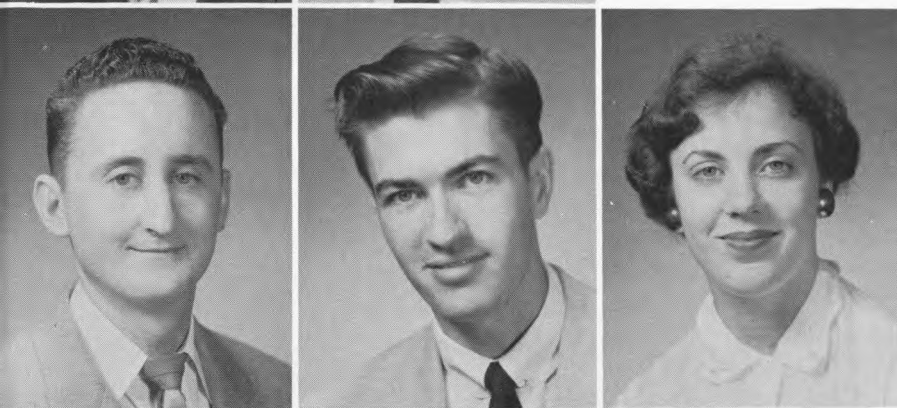


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SIMMONS, V. LOYCE *Commercial Art*  
 West Columbia, Texas

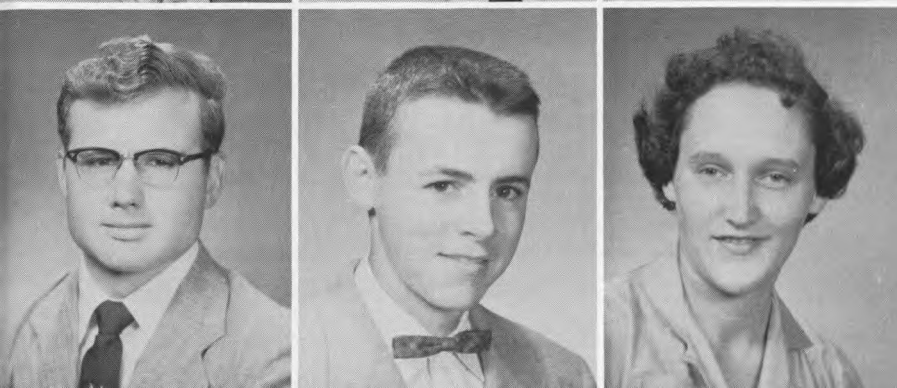
SIU, HING YUEN *Psychology*  
 Hong Kong, China



SKINNER, BILLY W. *Business*  
 Houston

SLATER, WILLIAM C. *Radio TV*  
 Victoria, Texas  
 Radio Guild; Chief Announcer 53-54; Outstanding Man in Radio 53-54; CSO.

SLOAN, SHIRLEY M. *Elementary Education*  
 Houston  
 Sigma Phi Mu, Pledge Captain 54; WFC; Assemblyman; BSU; Future Teachers.



SMITH, GENE K. *Optometry*  
 Phillips, Texas

SMITH, ROBERT M. *Chemistry*  
 Houston

SMITH, PRISCILLA L. *Psychology*  
 Greenland, New Hampshire  
 Dorm Council; Inter-Dorm Council; Freshman Vice President Dorm; Traffic Committee; President Law Hall; Fiesta.

SOLOMON, W. M., JR.  
Houston  
ACTS Treasurer.

*Refrigeration*

SQUIRES, JOY STANLEA  
East Hampton, L. I., New York

*Elementary Education*

STATHAM, DARREL LEON  
Houston  
UHSE; UHSCE.

*Civil Engineering*

STALLINGS, PAULA ELAINE  
Terrell, Texas  
Phi Theta Kappa, Historian 53-54.

*Home Economics*

STEVENSON, CAROL ANN  
Houston

*Home Economics*

Beauty 55; ROTC Sweetheart, Cadet Colonel; Fiesta; Varsity Variety;  
Home Economics Club.

STEVENSON, NORMAN R.  
Sacul, Texas  
UHSME.

*Mechanical Engineering*

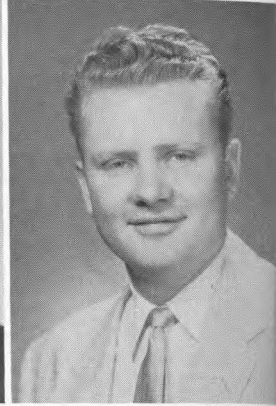
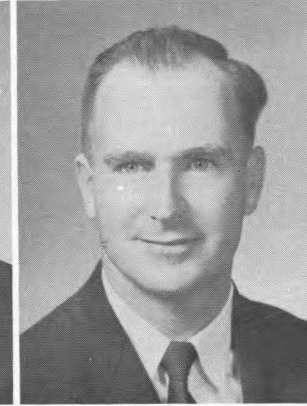
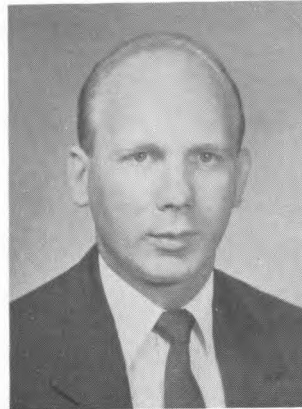
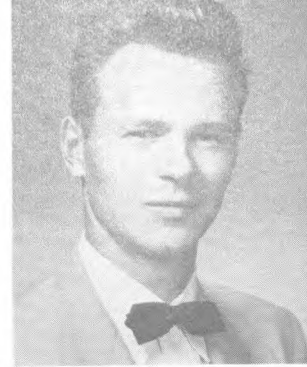
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Pawtucket, Rhode Island  
Cavalier, Treasurer.

*General Business*

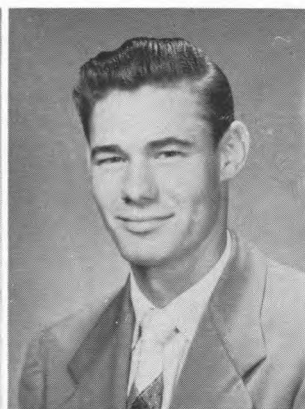
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Shiner, Texas

*Pharmacy*

Phi Delta Chi; American Pharmaceutical Association.



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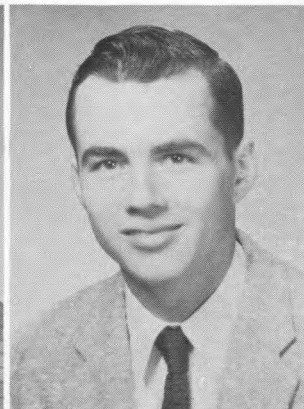
SWEETON, NANCIE  
Houston

*Commercial Art*

Tau Sigma, Vice President 53-55; Alpha Phi; Assemblyman; Student Council; Outstanding Student; Pep Club; Outstanding Tau Sigma 53-54; Houstonian, Art Editor 54, Editor 54-56; WFC; WSA; Morals and Discipline Committee; VV Art Director 55.

TAYLOR, GARY E.  
Price, Texas  
Radio Guild.

*Radio TV*



TERK, SARA  
Odessa, Texas  
Hillel; Sweetheart, Alpha Sigma Tau.

*Airline Stewardess*

TERRY, MARY N.  
Baytown, Texas  
Philosophy Club.

*Elementary Education*

THACKER, RICHARD N.  
Houston

*Chemical Engineering*

THEODORE, ROBERT J.  
Chicago, Illinois

*Electrical Engineering*

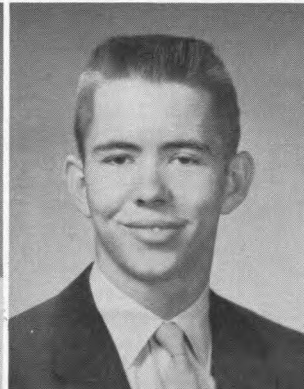
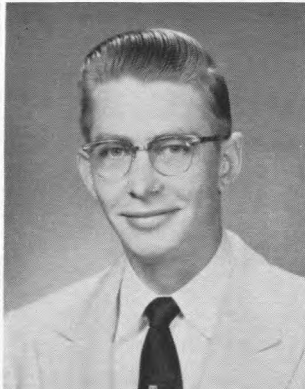
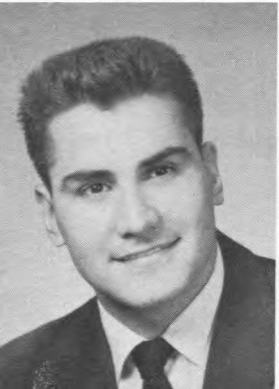
UHSEE, Vice President, President 56; Freshman Football.

THOMAS, HERBERT  
Ringgold, Louisiana

*Optometry*

THOMAS, LUTHER C., JR.  
Orlando, Florida

*Radio TV*



THIBODEAUX, EUGENE J.  
Houma, Louisiana

*Pharmacy*

TIGNER, DON, JR.  
Houston

*Sociology*

IFC, Vice President 55, President 56; Tau Kappa Sigma; Lambda Chi Alpha, President 55-56; Assembly; Canterbury Club; Fiesta, Trail Boss, Annie Oakley Chairman, Special Event Chairman.

TINKER, ROBERT JACK  
Houston

*History*

TILLMAN, DONALD B.  
Houston  
UHSE; UHSME; Student Assembly.

*Mechanical Engineering*

TOMLINSON, JESSE LEROY  
Rushville, Illinois

*Mechanical Engineering*

TORKELSON, H. ANTHONY  
Houston  
Rho Beta, Treasurer; Treasurer Propeller Club.

*Economics*

TURNER, IKE T., III  
Propeller Club.

*Business*

VALERA, DOLORES  
Houston

*Medical Technology*



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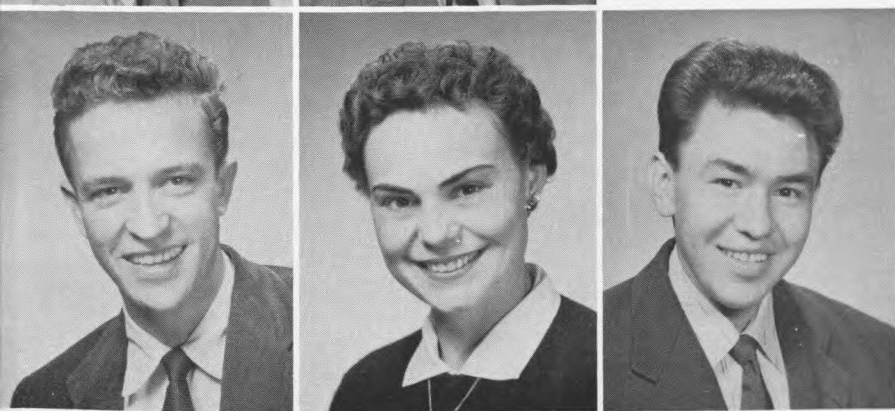


VAN EMAN, CARY JENE  
Houston  
UHSIE, Secretary-Treasurer.

*Industrial Engineering*

VANN, ROY RANDELL  
Gillham, Arkansas  
UHSEE.

*Electrical Engineering*



VANONI, RAINER  
Pasadena, Texas

*Petroleum Engineering*

VAN TIFFLIN, ROSEMARY  
Houston  
ROTC Sponsor; Canterbury Club.

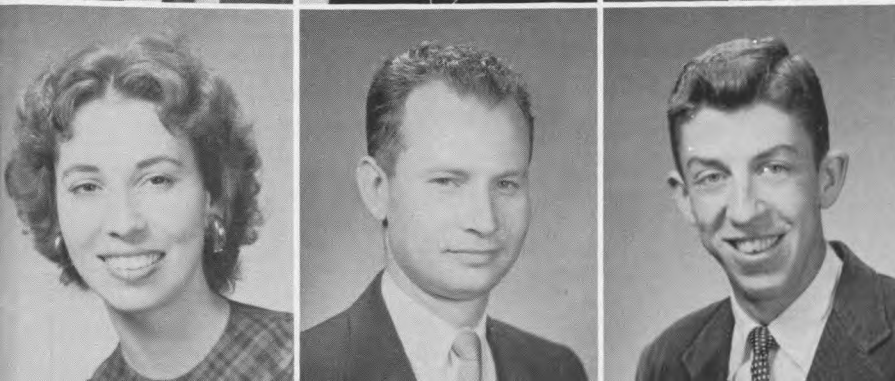
*Home Economics*

VASQUEZ, HERNANDO  
Bogata, Colombia  
Soccer Team 54-55; UHAIME.

*Petroleum Engineering*

VERNON, CAROLYN  
Gladewater, Texas

*Drama*



VOLKING, JAMES W.  
Houston  
UHSE; UHSEE.

*Electrical Engineering*

WAKEFIELD, DONALD Y.  
New Orleans, Louisiana

*Journalism*

President, Kappa Alpha Mu 55-56; President, Sigma Delta Chi 55-56; Distinguished Military Student; Press Club; Feature Editor, Cougar 54-55; Photography Editor, Cougar 55.

WALKER, ROBERT  
Woodville, Texas

*Pharmacy*

WARD, EDWARD E.  
Hondo, Texas

*History*

WATSON, BETTY LEE  
Houston

*Psychology*

Phi Kappa Phi; Pi Delta Phi, President; Phi Theta Kappa; President,  
Writers' Club 54-55.

WEBB, MORRIS  
Plainview, Texas

*Optometry*

WEBSTER, CHARLES RODNEY  
Houston  
Secretary ASCE.

*Civil Engineering*

WEEDEN, FRANK G., JR.  
Houston

*Mechanical Engineering*

Phi Theta Kappa; UHSME, Board of Directors; Chief Engineer, Society of  
Engineers.

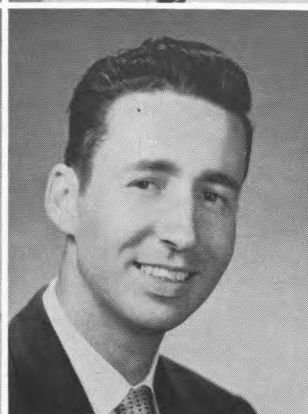
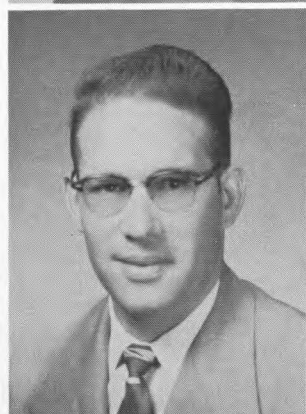
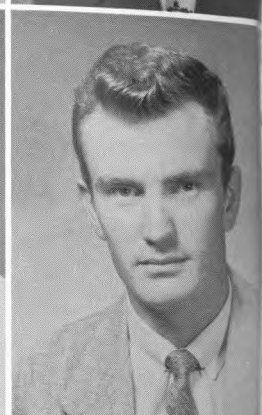
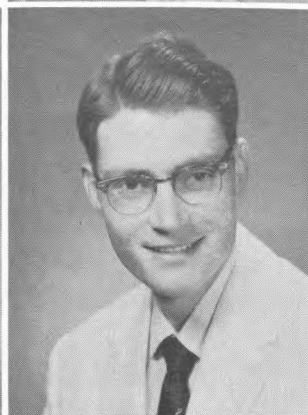
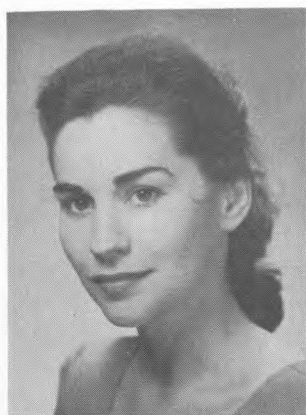
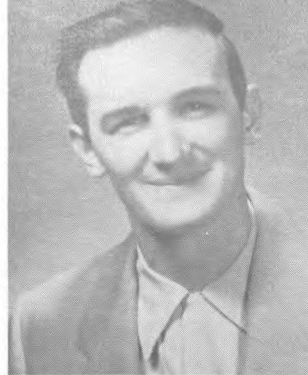
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Dallas, Texas

*Pharmacy*

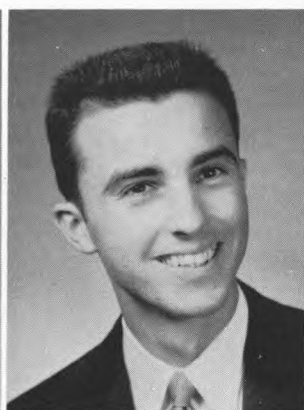
WELLS, HELEN  
Madisonville, Texas

*Elementary Education*

Baptist Student Union; Sigma Phi Mu; Phi Mu.



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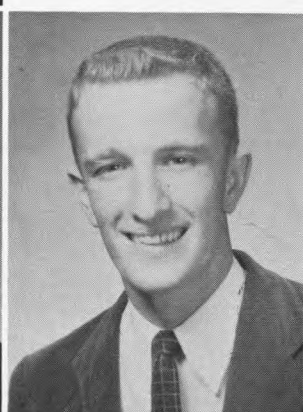
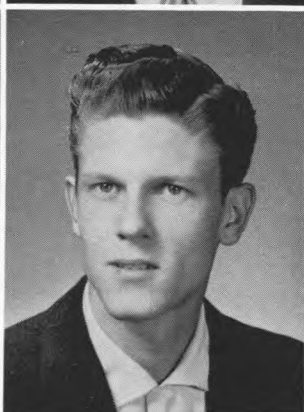
WHEATON, W. K.  
Longview, Texas

*Accounting*

WHITE, ARCHIE  
Edna, Texas

*Diesel*

Pep Club; IFC 53-55; Sigma Phi Epsilon; Society of Engineers.



WHITE, JOAN ELIZABETH  
Bellaire, Texas

*Elementary Education*

WHITEMAN, WALTER C., JR.  
Galveston, Texas

*Machine Shop*

WILKINS, RICHARD SANDEFUR  
Houston

*Architecture*

Junior Chapter, American Institute of Architects; UH Architectural Society.

WILLIAMS, BETTY LOU  
Roswell, New Mexico

*History*

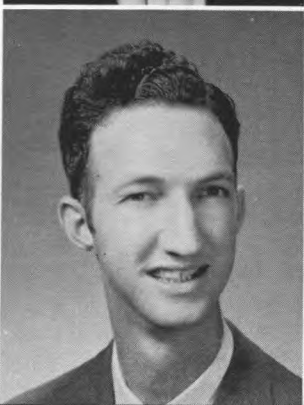
WILLIAMS, WILLIAM THOMAS, JR.  
Houston

*Industrial Arts*

WILLIS, ALAN P., JR.  
Jena, Louisiana

*Stationary Engineering*

ACTS; Industrial Engineers' Club.





WILLIS, GEORGE A.  
Houston  
UHSE; UHSME.

*Mechanical Engineering*

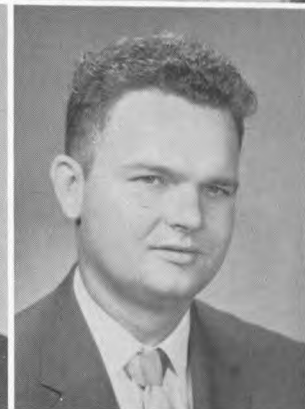
WIMMER, MARTIN J., JR.  
Houston

*Accounting*

WINKLER, ELIZABETH  
Houston

*Elementary Education*

Phi Theta Kappa; FTA, Secretary, Treasurer; Westminster Fellowship; International Relations Club.



WISENBAKER, LOYCE  
Houston

*Drama*

Phi Beta; Kappa Sigma Mu; Alpha Delta Pi; Fiesta; VV.

WOODARD, F. S.  
Lake Jackson, Texas

*Industrial Engineering*

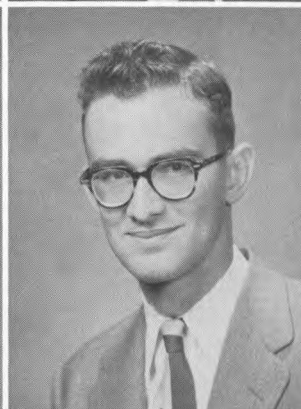
WOODS, ELGIE LAMAR  
Houston

*Architecture*

YANUSH, JOSEPH F., JR.  
Woodstown, New Jersey

*Agriculture*

Stock and Stolon Club; Cullen Rifles.



YAWN, BUFORD  
Houston

*Secondary Education*

ZAPATA, RAMIRO  
McAllen, Texas

*Secondary Education*

## CLASS OF '56



BAILEY, THEODORE, JR.  
Kemah, Texas

*Law*

ROTC; Secretary-Treasurer UH Bar Association; Phi Beta Gamma.

NICHOLSON, FRANK  
Blytheville, Arkansas

Kappa Sigma Fraternity; HOUSTONIAN, Advertising Manager.

JERRY SLAUGHTER, *President*



BARBARA HINSON  
*Vice President*



BETTY RUSSELL  
*Secretary*



MARTHA GOODRICH  
*Treasurer*

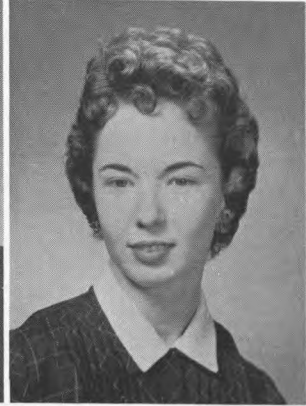
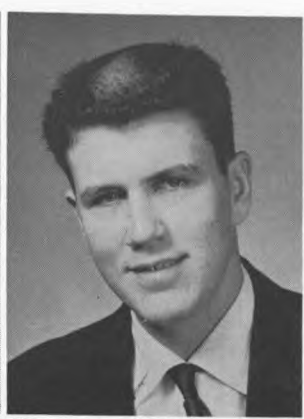
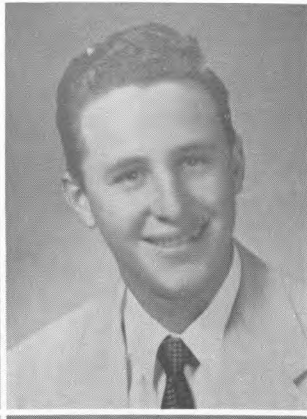


DOROTHY BOWLIN  
*Assemblyman*



## JUNIORS





ALEXANDER, JOSEPH  
Houston  
Accounting

ANDERSON, NORMAN  
Texas City, Texas  
Personnel Management

ASHWORTH, ERIC A.  
Upminster, England  
Engineering

ASIT, J. C.  
Beaumont, Texas  
Engineering

BARDWELL, MAXIE T.  
McComb, Miss.  
Business

BARTSCH, KATHARINE  
Houston  
Education

BARRETT, MARY A.  
Houston  
Education

BASS, ALBERT E.  
Houston  
Engineering

BELK, JOAN  
PARDUE  
Lancaster, S. C.  
English

BELK, JOE H.  
Lancaster, S. C.  
Electronics

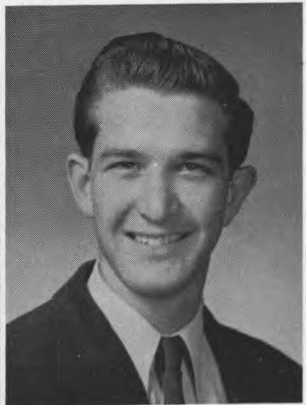
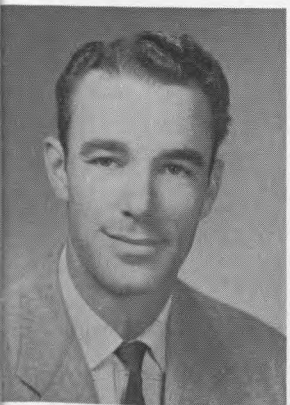
BERNSHAUSEN, WELDON  
Bellaire, Texas  
Accounting

BIRKELBACH, SHIRLEY  
Brenham, Texas  
Business



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Houston  
Pre-Law

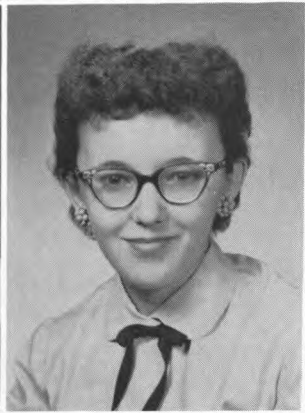
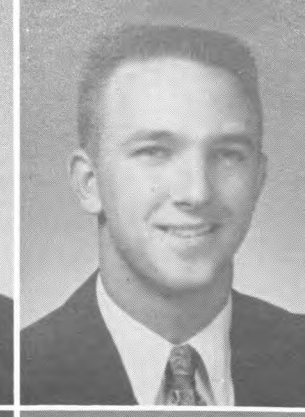
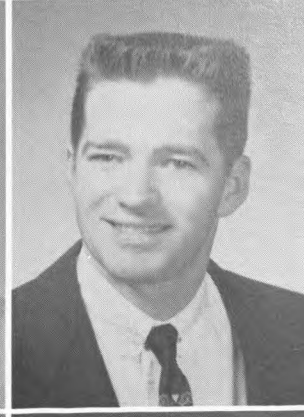
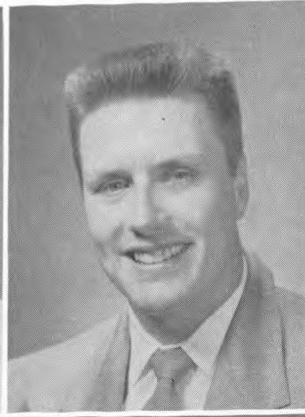
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Houston  
Transportation

BOLIN, LEE R.  
Houston  
Geology

BOUNDS, MARY ALVA  
Houston  
Psychology

BRADLEY, LEE M.  
Houston  
Business

BRIDWELL, JACK  
Fort Worth, Texas  
Optometry



BRISENO, OLIVIA  
Houston  
Accounting

BROCK, ELIZABETH  
Victoria, Texas  
History

BROOKE, DALE  
North English, Iowa  
Diesel

BROWN,  
RICHARD C.  
Houston  
Advertising

BRUNKENHOEFER,  
IRV  
Cisco, Texas  
Radio TV

BURGESS, R. D.  
Kansas City, Kans.  
Management

BURKS, CAROLYN  
Abilene, Texas  
Psychology

BUTLER, ANNA  
BETH  
Humble, Texas  
Education

CANTU, MEL  
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Business

CARSON, HERMINE  
Belzoni, Miss.  
Retail

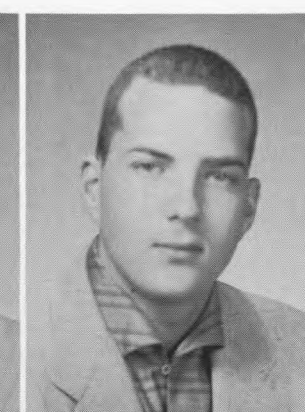
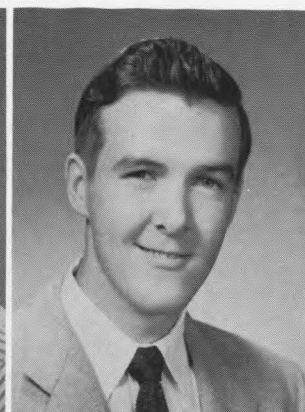
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MARY L.  
Pavette, Idaho  
Biology

CHESHINE, M. E.  
Houston  
Engineering



"It tickles"

## JUNIORS



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JAMES A.  
Dallas, Texas  
Physics

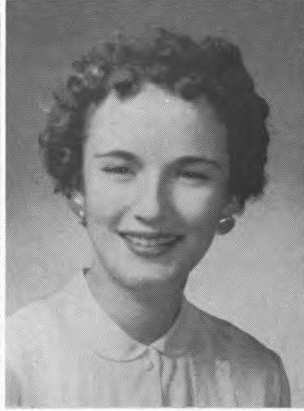
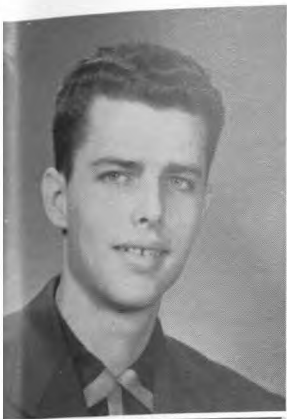
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Beaumont, Texas  
Med. Technology

COPE, PERRY  
WAYNE  
Houston  
Accounting

CORRIGAN, PAT A.  
Houston  
Home Economics

CORNETT, JOHN O.  
Markham, Texas  
Business

COUNTESS,  
CLEM, JR.  
Belton, Texas  
Diesel



CRUMPLED, DON O.  
*Houston*  
Business

CUNNINGHAM, ROBERT  
*Houston*  
Engineering

CURRENT, SHIRLEY  
*Lockport, La.*  
English

DAVIS, KATHRYN Y.  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

DAVIS, ROGER A.  
*Vivian, La.*  
Optometry

DAVIS, WAYNE J.  
*Beeville, Texas*  
Foreign Trade

DEMOTTE, MARY B.  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law

DOBBS, JANET  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

DONAN, ANN C.  
*Madisonville, Ky.*  
Pharmacy

DURHAM, ELLIS L.  
*Houston*  
Architecture

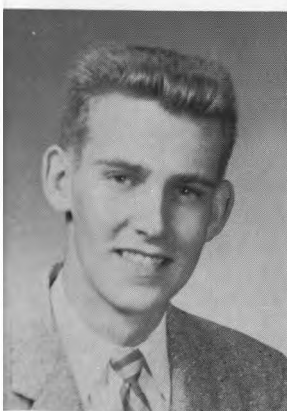
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*Friendswood, Texas*  
Accounting

ESTHUS, GLORIA  
*Kannapolis, N. C.*  
English



"But I don't even know any Mirt."

# CLASS OF '57



EVANS, KENNETH B.  
*Houston*  
Business

FAIN, NORMA JEAN  
*Houston*  
Psychology

FLATT, BOBBY J.  
*Houston*  
Religion

FORMAN, JO  
*Ballinger, Texas*  
Drama

FREEL, DONALD W.  
*Edinburg, Texas*  
Optometry

GARNER, OSCAR G.  
*Austin, Texas*  
Psychology



GAY, SUZANNE  
*Jacksonville, Texas*  
Radio TV



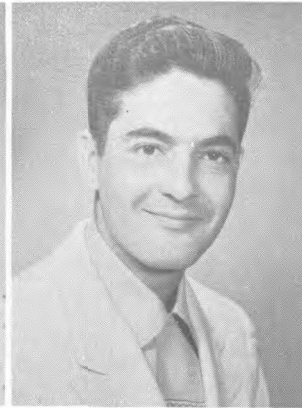
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Business



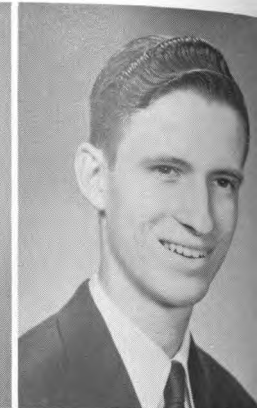
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Business



GOODRICH, MARTHA  
*Houston*  
Mathematics



GOVERNALE, SAMMY  
*Patterson, La.*  
Mechanics



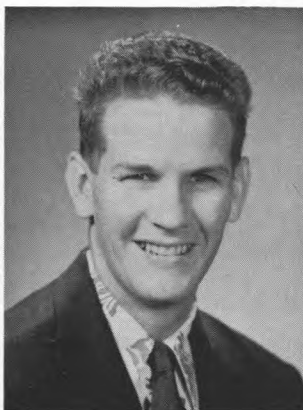
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Accounting



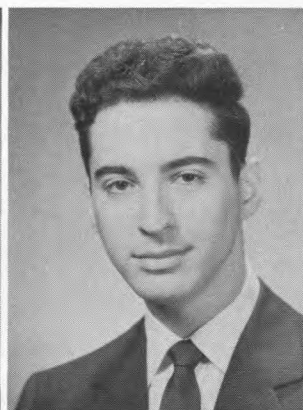
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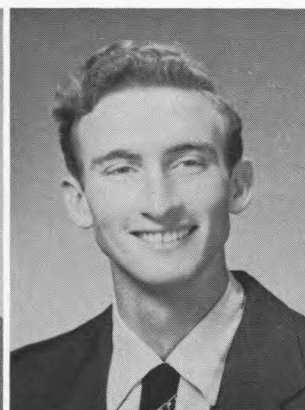
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*Birmingham, Ala.*  
Architecture



GULSBY, JERRY  
*Frisco City, Ala.*  
Engineering



GURIN, ALVIN  
*Atlanta, Ga.*  
Optometry



HALE, BOBBY  
*Alice, Texas*  
Engineering



HARRIS, JEANNE  
*Houston*  
Education



HARRISON, MARIENNE  
*Victoria, Texas*  
Education



HARRISON, WAYNE  
*San Marcos, Texas*  
TV Servicing



HARTMAN, WILMA  
*Houston*  
Journalism



HILL, HARRIET  
*Texas City, Texas*  
Education



HILLMAN, COOKIE  
*Houston*  
Education



HOFMANN, DOROTHY  
*Houston*  
Education



HOGSTROM, JOHN  
*Houston*  
Advertising



HOOKER, LLOYD W.  
*West Columbia, Texas*  
Education



HOOKER,  
WALLACE K.  
*West Columbia, Texas*  
English



HOLSOMBACK, J. C.  
*Baytown, Texas*  
Business



HOULETTE,  
ANDY M.  
*Oklahoma City, Okla.*  
Retailing



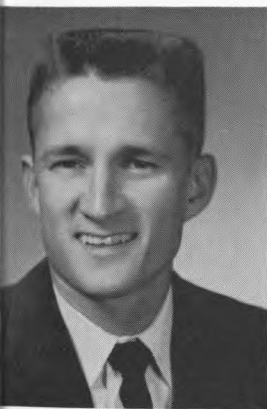
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*Houston*  
Accounting



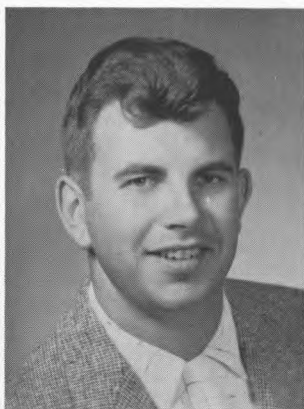
JACKSON, MORGAN  
*Dayton, Texas*  
Accounting

# JUNIORS

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JERDEN, ODY  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law



JOHNSON, DAVID D.  
*Bayport, Minn.*  
Business



JOHNSTONE,  
CLYDE E.  
*Houston*  
Engineering



JONES, JO ARNETT  
*Houston*  
Business



KEENON, JAMES H.  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Business



KENDALL,  
CLARENCE  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law



KENNEDY, DANIEL  
*Houston*  
Physics



KENNEDY,  
MYRLENE  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Advertising



KETTLE, CASSIAN  
*Houston*  
Business



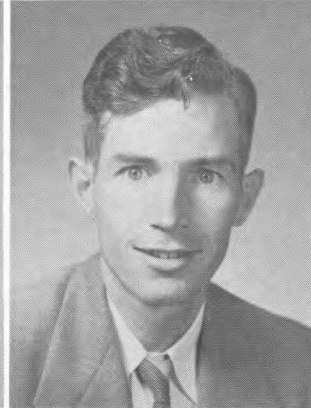
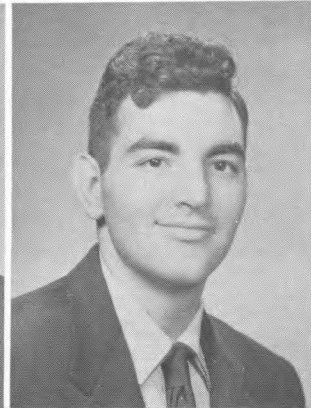
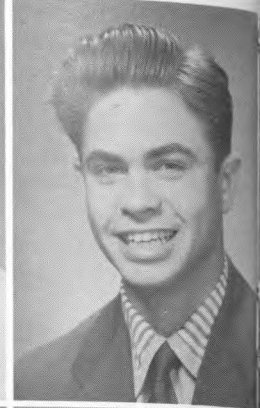
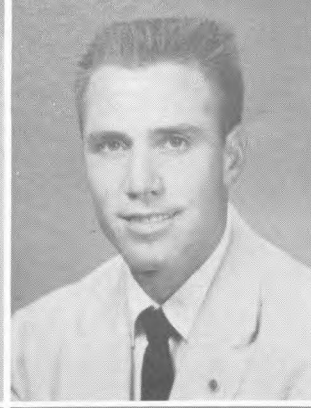
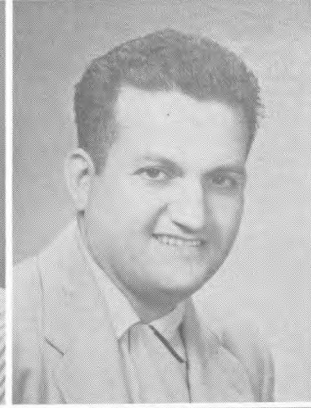
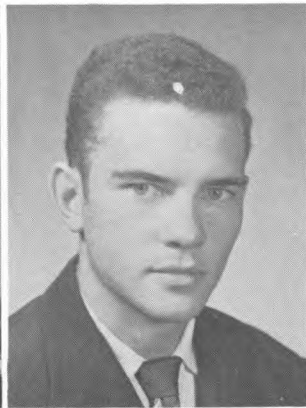
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*Chicago, Ill.*  
Education



KIRK, Q. C.  
*Kerrville, Texas*  
Radio TV



KOCUREK, EMIL,  
JR.  
*Sealy, Texas*  
Radio TV



KNORR, TRUDY  
*Rosenberg, Texas*  
Math

KNOX, KENT  
*Harleton, Texas*  
Law

LACY, WANDA  
*Malakoff, Texas*  
Education

LAZARINE, JOHN  
*Houston*  
Machine Shop

LESLIE, G. BAINS  
*Houston*  
Business

LIPP, LEON  
*Houston*  
Engineering

LIVELY, ANN  
*Streetman, Texas*  
Education

LOW, MARTHA  
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Education

LUCIO, AUGUSTINE  
*Houston*  
Accounting

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ANTHONY  
*Houston*  
Advertising

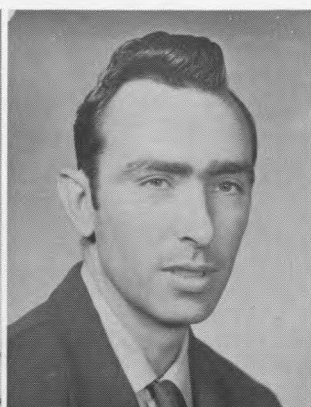
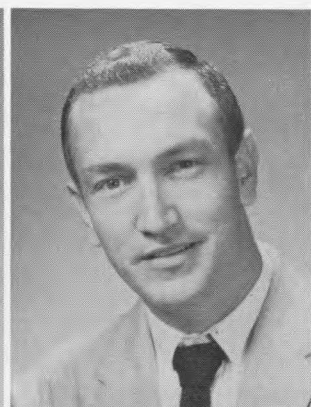
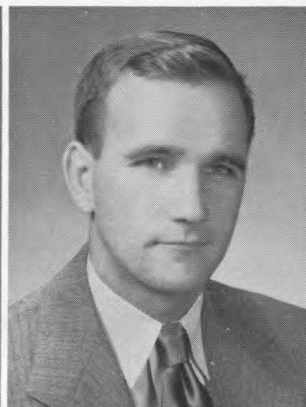
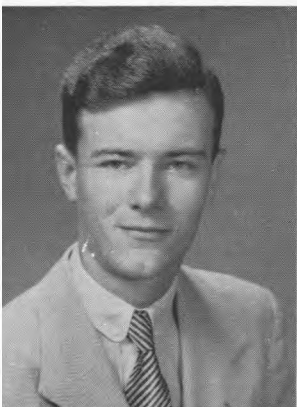
McCONNELL,  
HOWELL  
*Houston*  
Accounting

McDONOUGH,  
FARRIS  
*Houston*  
Home Economics



A group of athletic supporters

## JUNIORS



McLAUGHLAN, PAT  
*Houston*  
Engineering

McMILLIN,  
HOWARD  
*Louisville, Miss.*  
Optometry

McNERNEY, SUSAN  
*Houston*  
Marketing

MARSHALL,  
ALFRED  
*Houston*  
Engineering

MEARS, T. J.  
*Vega, Texas*  
Refrigeration

MELCHOR, ELISA  
*Houston*  
Retailing



MELCHOR, GILBERT  
*Houston*  
Business

MILLER, JOANN  
*Graham, Texas*  
Business

MILLER, RUTH  
*Houston*  
Education

MOBERLY, MARLENE  
*Houston, Texas*  
Radio TV

MORRISON, ROBERT  
*Amarillo, Texas*  
Optometry

MUSIL, JOSEPH  
*Hot Springs, Ark.*  
Engineering

NEEL, ALAN  
*Houston*  
Engineering

NELSON, BARBARA  
*Houston*  
Education

NEWMAN, CAROL ANNE  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Business

NEWTON, JOHN  
*Norman Park, Ga.*  
Optometry

OI, ISAMU  
*Houston*  
Electronics—TV

OVERTON, JOHN  
*Bethpage, Tenn.*  
Pre-Law

## CLASS OF '57



"Down, Honey, it's only a camera"



PARKER, TRENT  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Math

PARKER, JOYCE  
*Brazoria, Texas*  
Business

PATE, JOHN  
*Houston*  
Journalism

PATE, LILLIAN  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

PEYTON, GEORGE  
*Houston*  
Business

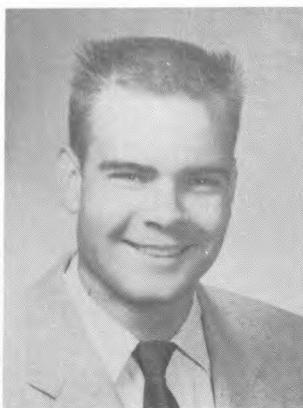
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Psychology



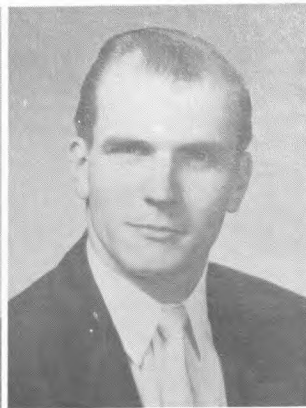
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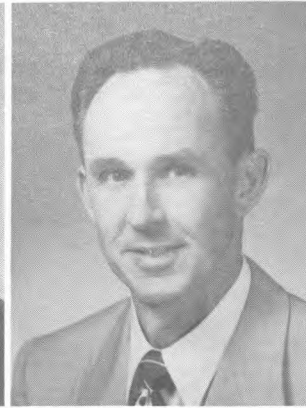
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*Houston*  
Architecture



ROBERTS, E. C.  
*Houston*  
Engineering



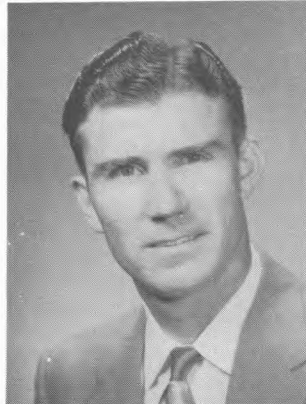
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Law



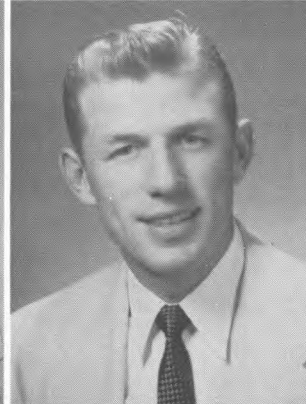
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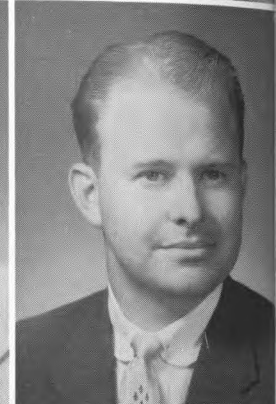
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*Lake Charles, La.*  
Education



ROSE, JIMMIE  
*Memphis, Tenn.*  
Religion



ROWE, WILLIAM  
*Texas City, Texas*  
Pre-Law



ROWELL, JACOB  
*Houston*  
Accounting



Picking up a couple pointers

## JUNIORS



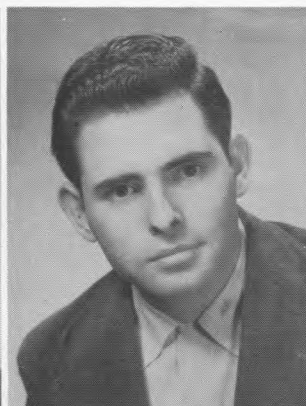
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*Brownsville, Texas*  
Journalism



RYAN, PAUL  
*New Orleans, La.*  
Engineering



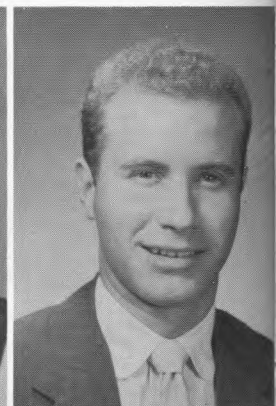
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*Tyler, Texas*  
Business



SANDINO, ROBERTO  
*Granada, Nicaragua*  
Agriculture



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Business



SCHOOLEY, PAUL  
*Dallas, Texas*  
Management



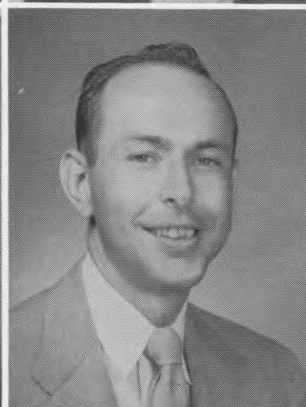
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SINDLINGER, EDWARD  
*Ridley Park, Pa.*  
Art



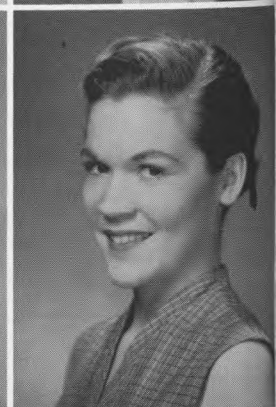
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Psychology



SISK, RONALD  
*Houston*  
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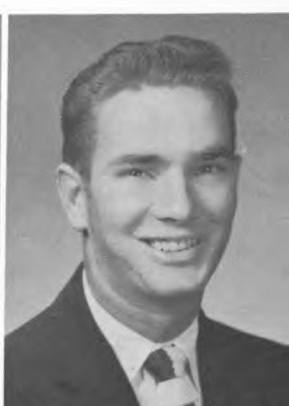
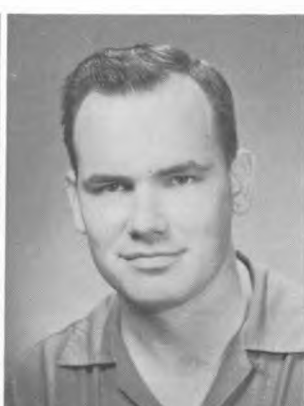


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*Schulenburg, Texas*  
Engineering



SNEED, LAVERNE  
*Deer Park, Texas*  
Music Education





SPENCER, JAMES H.  
*Houston*  
Business

SPENCER, LYNN  
*Corpus Christi, Texas*  
French

STACY, WILLIAM  
*Houston*  
Transportation

STROMAN,  
LARRY J.  
*Mt. Pleasant, Texas*  
Engineering

THARP, ROLAND  
*La Marque, Texas*  
Psychology

THOMAS, LARRY  
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Engineering

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History

THOMPSON,  
ROBERT  
*Houston*  
Business

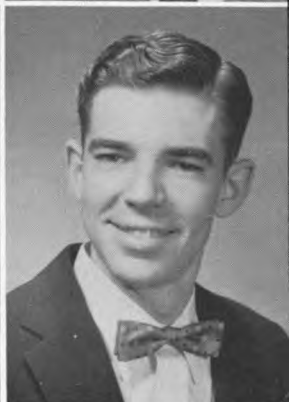
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*Houston*  
Music Education

TURNER,  
GERARD L.  
*Houston*  
Accounting

VACEK, J. D.  
*Columbus, Texas*  
Engineering

VAN TREASE,  
VIRGINIA  
*Deer Park, Texas*  
Education

## CLASS OF '57



VANWAY, JIM  
*Victoria, Texas*  
Radio TV

VELTMAN,  
CHARLES  
*Alvin, Texas*  
Accounting

VILLAREAL, ROSIE  
*Houston*  
Education

VITERA, CARL J.  
*Louise, Texas*  
Engineering

WALLIN, CAROLYN  
*Kingsport, Tenn.*  
Physical Education

WALLIS, JOE K.  
*San Antonio, Texas*  
Accounting

WALTERS, JO MARY  
*Houston*  
Education

WATT, CHARLOTTE  
*Houston*  
Nursing

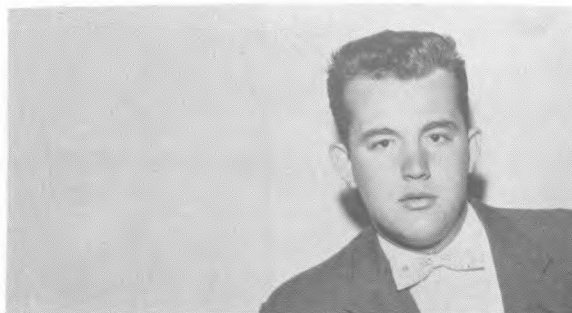
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KENNETH  
*Muenster, Texas*  
Agriculture

WOODRUFF, LYL  
*Houston*  
Education

WOODWARD, LOU  
*Houston*  
Education

YAWS, HOWARD W.  
*San Antonio, Texas*  
Radio TV

KENNETH LOVELESS, *President*



GENE PETTIT  
*Vice President*



BARBARA SCOTT  
*Secretary*



MARGARET HUGHES  
*Treasurer*



JANET RUEBOTTOM, LOUISE JACKMAN  
*Assemblymen*



## SOPHOMORES



AHRENBECK,  
JOHN C.  
*Houston*  
Business

BARFIELD,  
SAMUEL C.  
*Port Arthur, Texas*  
Agriculture

ALLARDYCE,  
DAVID W.  
*Beaumont, Texas*  
Art

BARNARD, THOMAS  
*Daingerfield, Texas*  
Biology

AMADOR,  
BLANCA M.  
*San Juan, P. R.*  
Social Administration

BIER, CHARLES R.  
*Crowley, La.*  
Pharmacy

ANDERS,  
BARBARA A.  
*Houston*  
Drama

BIRDWELL,  
EDWARD  
*Houston*  
Music

ARNOLD, JEAN  
*Houston*  
Radio TV

BLASDEL,  
MARY BETH  
*Houston*  
Education

BALLARD, JACK D.  
*Galena Park, Texas*  
Business

BOWMAN, NANCY  
*Galena Park, Texas*  
Education



The student body's HEAD

## CLASS OF '58



BRANNON, NELL A.  
*Conroe, Texas*  
Home Economics

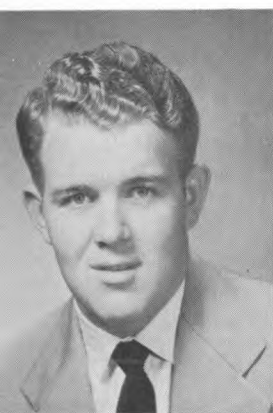
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*Bellaire, Texas*  
Business

BRILOWSKI,  
EDWARD  
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Business

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*Shreveport, La.*  
Math

BROUSSARD, ANNE  
*Houston*  
Education

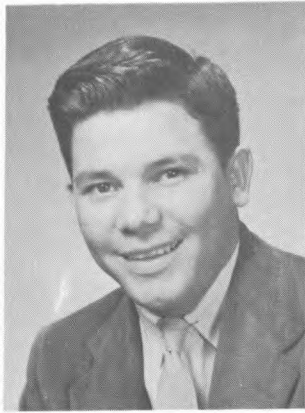
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*Waller, Texas*  
Engineering



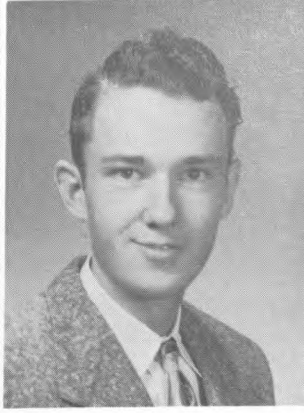
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JAMES OSCAR  
Greenville, S. C.  
Diesel



BUTTS, GENE A.  
Houston  
Engineering



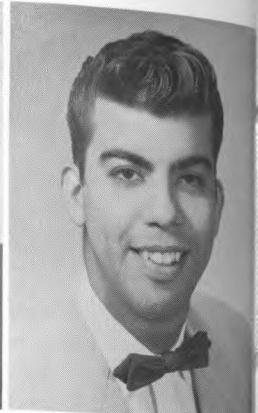
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Laredo, Texas  
Engineering



CARR, RICHARD T.  
El Paso, Texas  
Radio Electronics



CARRIZALES,  
MARTIN  
Houston  
Business



CASAS, JOE T  
San Antonio, Texas  
Drafting



"I use the razor that leaves  
nothing but a smile."

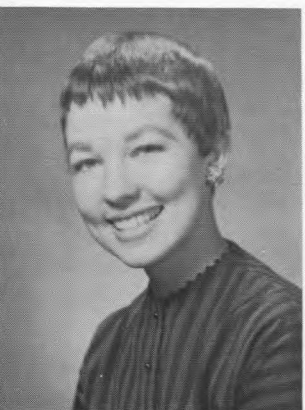
# SOPHOMORES



CASTER, LOUIS  
Houston  
Business



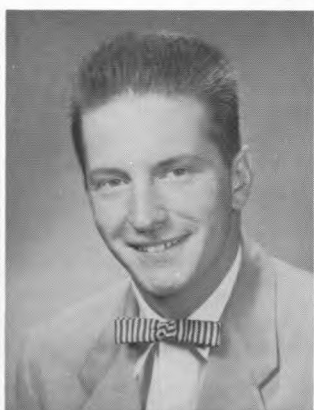
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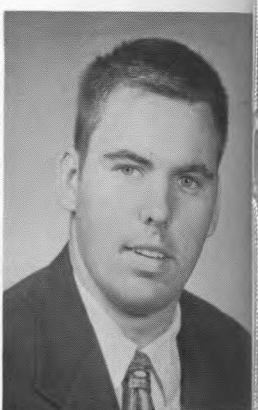
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Fashion Design



CLARK, BERT  
Galena Park, Texas  
Engineering



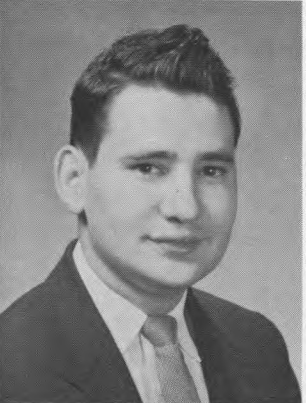
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Houston  
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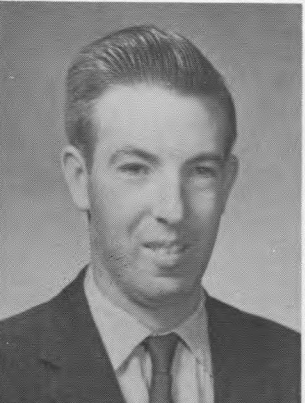
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Engineering



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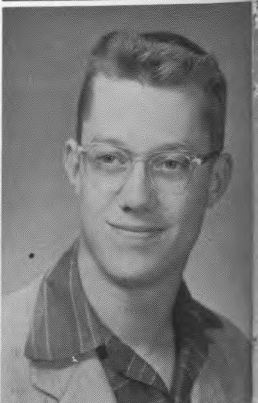
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Drafting



COOPER, MARTHA  
Houston  
Education



CORREA, LUCRECIA  
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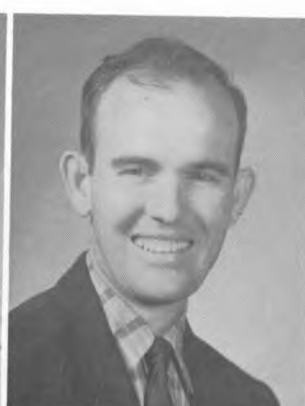
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Gate City, Va.  
Business



DANLEY, LARRY  
*Harlingen, Texas*  
Electronics



DARDEN, TRUBY  
*Houston*  
Home Economics



DAVIS, DONNELL  
*Houston*  
Engineering



DAVIS, MURL G.  
*Houston*  
Pharmacy



DEEN, BUDDY  
*Cisco, Texas*  
Engineering



DENNIS, CORDRAY  
*South Houston*  
Business

## CLASS OF '58



Where in the world is Mr. B.?



DENNIS, DOROTHY  
*Houston*  
Education



DOAN, JEANETTE  
*San Benito, Texas*  
Airline Stewardess



DRAKE,  
HOWARD H.  
*Houston*  
Drama



ELSIK, FRANK, III  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Business



ESLINGER,  
MARY LYNN  
*Houston*  
English



FIERROS, ESTEBAN  
*Laredo, Texas*  
Machinist



FONTENOT, IRA B.  
*Sulphur, La.*  
Pharmacy



FREEMAN,  
BEVERLY  
*Cameron, Texas*  
Education



FRINGS, GERHARD  
*New York, N. Y.*  
Geophysics



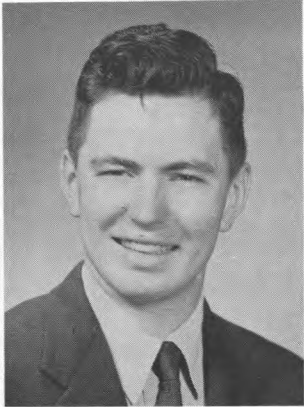
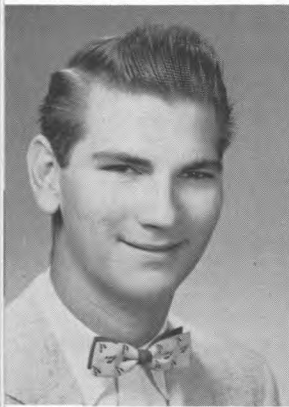
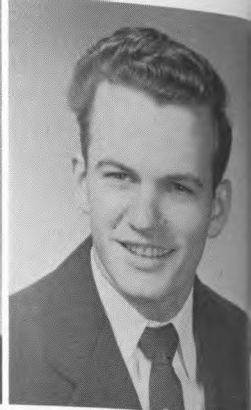
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*Corpus Christi, Texas*  
Radio TV



GARRETT, GINA  
*Hempstead, Texas*  
Business



GAYLE, SAM L.  
*Corpus Christi, Texas*  
Law



GIBBS, SHARLENE  
*Houston*  
Business

GILBREATH, WILLIAM  
*Houston*  
Radio TV

GILMER, PEGGY  
*Houston*  
Speech Therapy

GLOVER, DANA  
*Beeville, Texas*  
Radio TV

GLOVER, LEO M.  
*Houston*  
Radio TV

GORDON, LANCE  
*Pensacola, Florida*  
Pre-Law

GRAHAM, EDWARD C.  
*Buffalo, Texas*  
Business

GRAY, DICK WAYNE  
*Houston*  
Accounting

GREEN, DAVID  
*Dallas, Texas*  
Advertising

GROSS, SAM FRED  
*Scottsboro, Ala.*  
Music

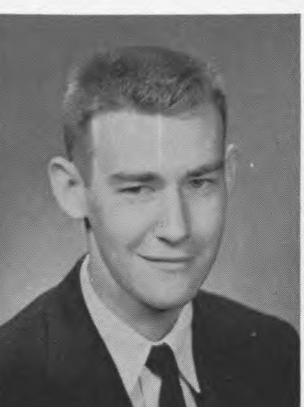
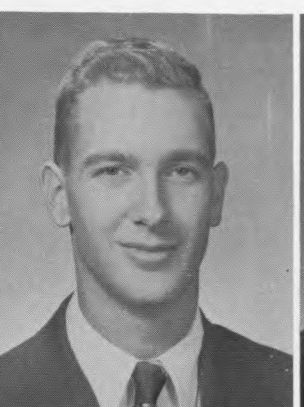
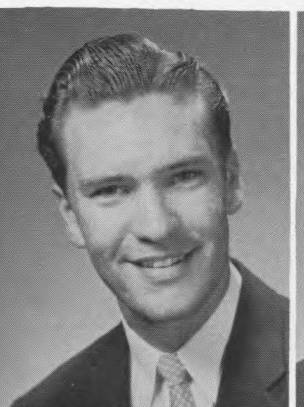
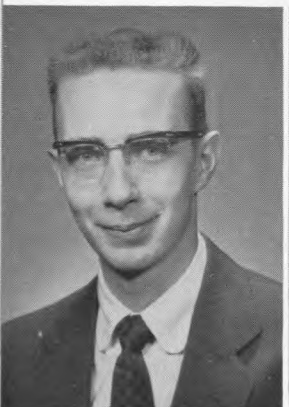
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*Fort Worth, Texas*  
Engineering

HAKEMACK, PEGGY  
*Houston*  
Education

## SOPHOMORES



Where particular people congregate . . .



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*Houston*  
Psychology

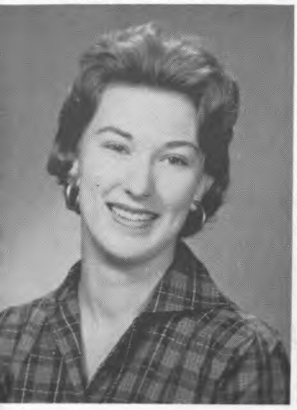
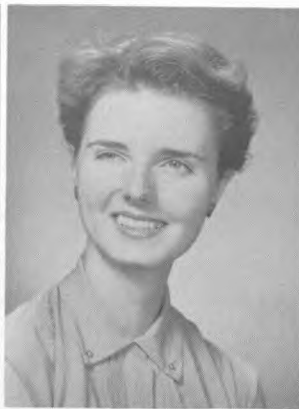
HANANIA, SHIRLEY  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

HARRISON, LYNDON  
*Humble, Texas*  
Engineering

HAYDEN, J. STUART  
*Houston*  
Accounting

HENRY, BILL  
*Houston*  
Radio TV

HENSON, PEGGY  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
History



HILL, JEFFREY  
*Houston*  
Business

HOLLEY, DOLORES  
*Harlingen, Texas*  
Journalism

HORD,  
ROYALINE N.  
*Houston*  
Art

HORTON, MORRIS  
*Galena Park, Texas*  
Accounting

HUGHES,  
MARGARET  
*Houston*  
Education

HUNTER, SHIRLEY  
*Houston*  
Business

JACKMAN, LOUISE  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

JEFFREYS,  
RAYMOND  
*Odessa, Texas*  
Education

JOHNSON, FREIDA  
*Houston*  
Education

JOHNSON,  
KENNETH  
*Sulphur, La.*  
Pharmacy

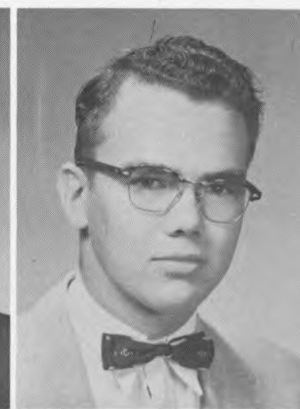
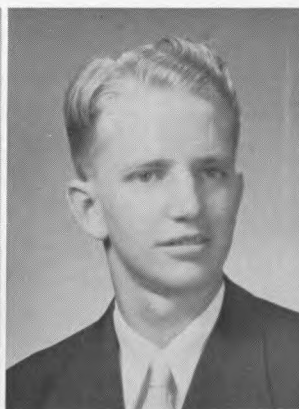
JOHNSON,  
WAYNE M.  
*Groveton, Texas*  
Engineering

JOHNSTON, JAMES  
*Baker, La.*  
Pharmacy

# CLASS OF '58



Smiroff . . . It leaves you breathless.



JOHNSTONE,  
PATRICIA  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

JONES, BEN L., JR.  
*Houston*  
Business

JONES, CHARLEY J.  
*Annona, Texas*  
Agriculture

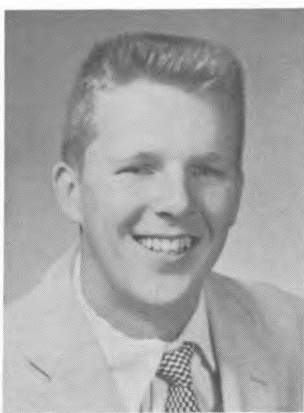
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*Houston*  
Psychology

KASTNER, ANN I.  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
Pharmacy

KEMMERER,  
FLORENCE  
*Houston*  
Psychology



KENNEDY, GERALD  
*Bay City, Texas*  
Radio TV



KNIGHT,  
GRANVILLE  
*Houston*  
Pre-Med



KNOULTON, JULES  
*Houston*  
Business



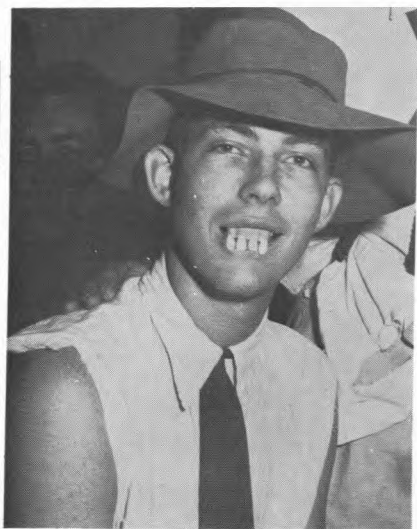
KRIBS, EDITH ANNE  
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English



LAKEY, LAVERNA  
*Beaumont, Texas*  
Pharmacy



LAMB, AUTUMN M.  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

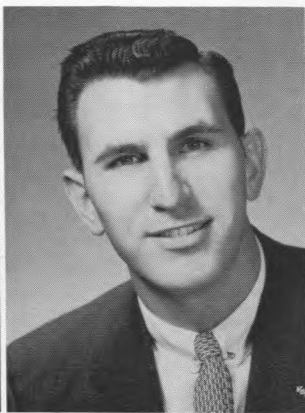


For people who can't brush  
after every meal . . .

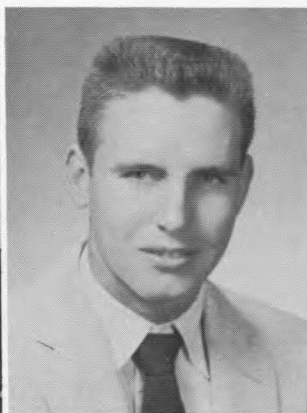
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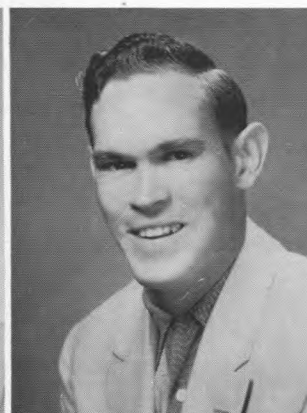
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*Houston*  
Pharmacy



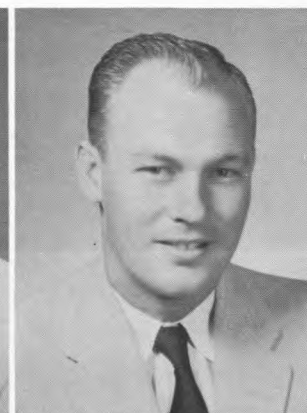
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*Houston*  
Business



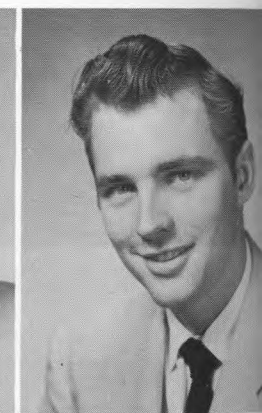
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Diesel



LEE, HARVEY FRED  
*Columbus, Texas*  
Diesel



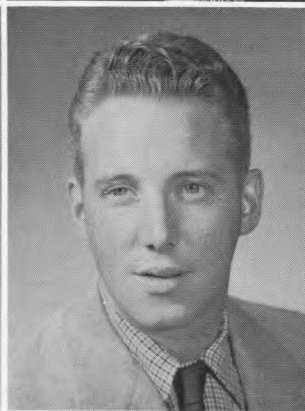
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Physical Education



LEWIS, JAMES  
*Houston*  
Psychology



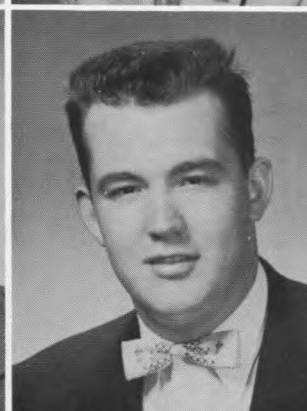
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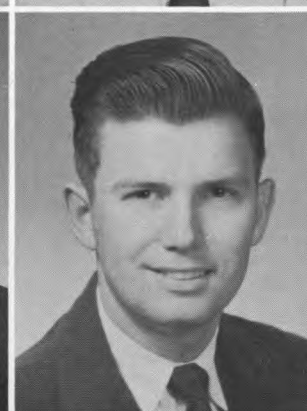
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Law



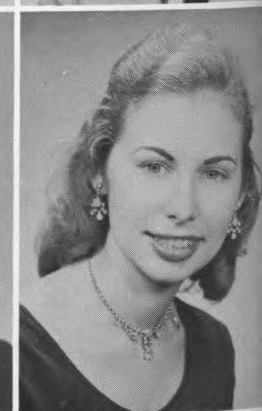
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MARGARET  
*Dallas, Texas*  
Education



LOVELESS,  
KENNETH  
*Houston*  
Sociology



McCLURE, LORNAIL  
*Baton Rouge, La.*  
Pharmacy



McCoy, BETTY SUE  
*Waco, Texas*  
Accounting





McDOUGALD,  
JEANIE  
Houston  
Psychology



McILWAIN, ROSE  
Houston  
Education



McINTOSH, NANCY  
Longview, Texas  
Physical Therapy



McKENZIE, JOE  
Tyler, Texas  
Air Conditioning



McKENZIE, ROBERT  
Houston  
Diesel



MAGNESS, ROBERT  
San Angelo, Texas  
Pre-Dental

## CLASS OF '58



"Where is Davy's little DINGY?"



MARSHALL,  
MICHAEL  
Pontiac, Mich.  
Accounting



MASON, HARRY B.  
Beaumont, Texas  
Pharmacy



MIKESKA, JOHN W.  
Rosenberg, Texas  
Diesel



MILLER, BOBBIE  
Houston  
Home Economics



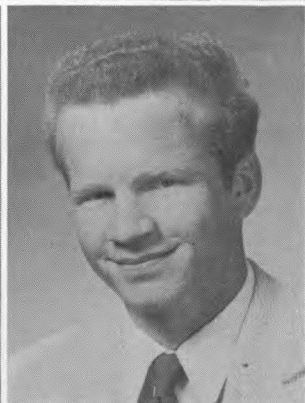
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Houston  
Art



MILLER, ELLEN L.  
Houston  
Art



MILLER, MICHAEL  
Texas City, Texas  
Radio TV



MILLS, HARRY LEE  
Rockport, Texas  
Accounting



MOBLEY, ORAN K.  
Houston  
Arts and Sciences



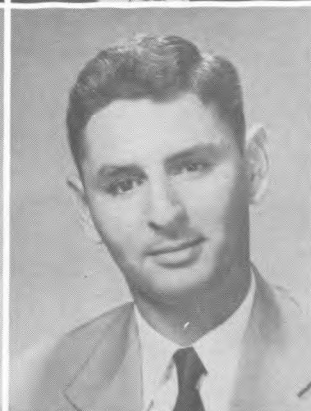
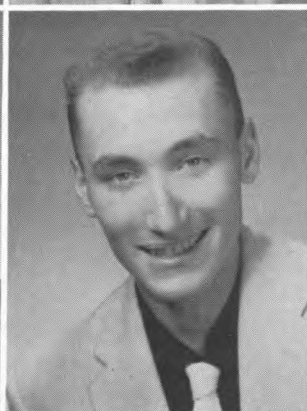
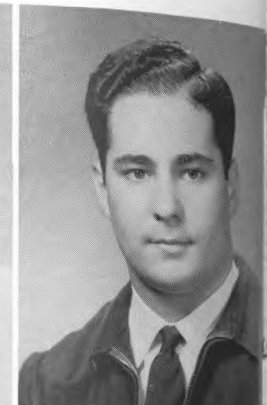
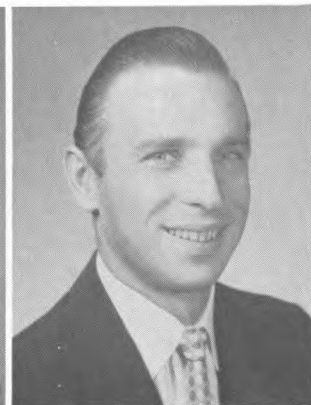
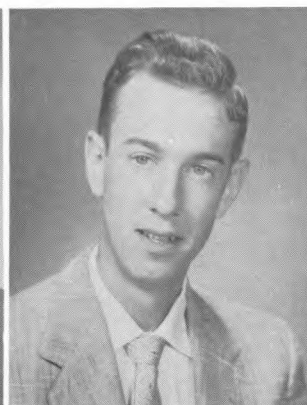
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Houston  
History



MURPHY, PAUL  
Houston  
Pre-Law



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TOSHIKO  
Tokyo, Japan  
Journalism



NEWSUM, MARY  
*Houston*  
Business

NICHOLS,  
THOMAS M.  
*Dilley, Texas*  
Engineering

NIEZGOPSKI, DON  
*South Bend, Ind.*  
Diesel

O'BRYAN, FRANCIS  
*Houston*  
Drafting

OLIVER, MARILYN  
*Bellaire, Texas*  
Business

PANTULIANO,  
HORACIO  
*Argentina, S. A.*  
Engineering

PAPA, MARY JOAN  
*Chicago, Ill.*  
Mathematics

PARKS, JAMES L.  
*Houston*  
Art

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Business

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*Dunkirk, N. Y.*  
Business

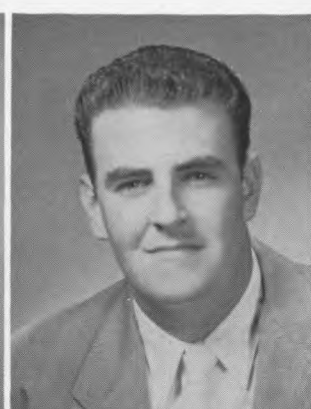
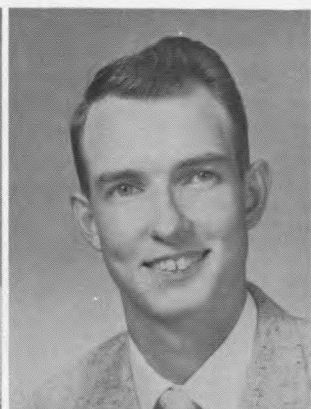
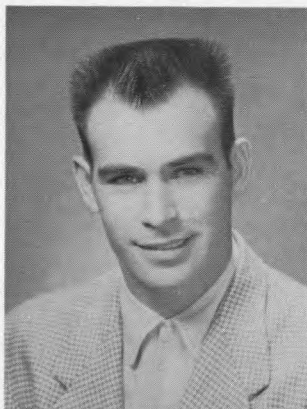
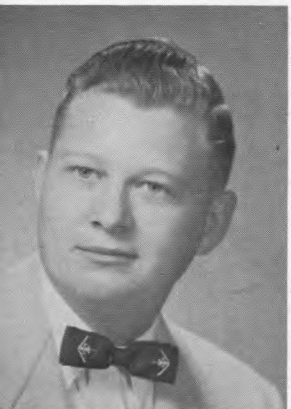
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*Dallas, Texas*  
Education

PETTIT, GENE  
*Venezuela, S. A.*  
Engineering



"and . . . a tunnel to the Algerian . . ."

## SOPHOMORES



PUCKETT, SAM B.  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law

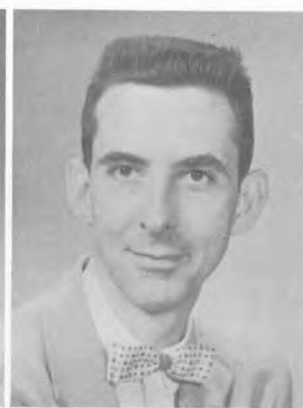
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*Houston*  
Radio TV

POTH, RICHARD H.  
*San Benito, Texas*  
Engineering

PURYEAR, LOU  
*Houston*  
Business

QUATTLEBAUM,  
JIM  
*Houston*  
Management

REYNA, FRANK  
*Houston*  
Business



RHODES, RUTH M.  
*Lake Charles, La.*  
Education

RICE, HARRIET  
*Houston*  
Business

ROBIE, DONALD  
*Clarion, Iowa*  
Home Economics

ROSE, PEGGY  
RUTH  
*Houston*  
Education

RUSSO, JOSEPH A.  
*Houston*  
Business

RYAN,  
THEODORE F.  
*Gainesville, Fla.*  
Business

SANDERS, CHARLES  
*Houston*  
Radio TV

SANS, DOLORES  
*Norman, Oklahoma*  
Education

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Home Economics

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MARION  
*Bellaire, Texas*  
Drama

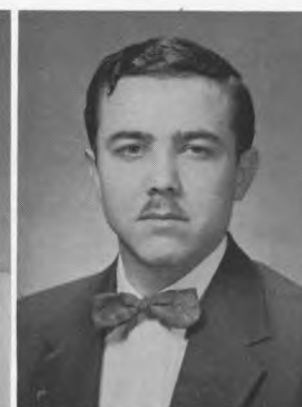
SCHADEL, T. A.  
*Houston*  
Engineering

SCHUBERT,  
SHIRLEY  
*Woodsboro, Texas*  
Speech Therapy

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"So glad you could come"



SCHULLER,  
F. LORRAINE  
*El Paso, Texas*  
Home Economics

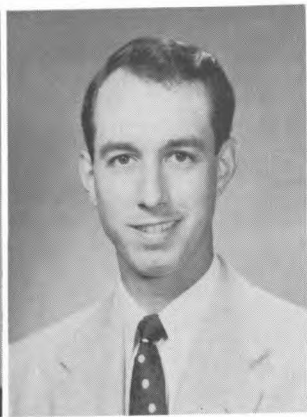
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*Houston*  
Business

SENN, EDWARD R.  
*Houston*  
Art

SERRANO,  
JOSE A. R.  
*Utado, Boriquen*  
Law

SHEPPERD,  
CHARLES  
*Gladewater, Texas*  
Drama

SHINNEMAN,  
WILLIAM  
*Homer, La.*  
Accounting



SHUFORD, BEN H.  
*Tyler, Texas*  
Management

SINGELTARY,  
GEORGE  
*Houston*  
Engineering

SINGLETON  
HOWARD  
*Tucson, Arizona*  
Engineering

SMITH,  
BLANCHE D  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

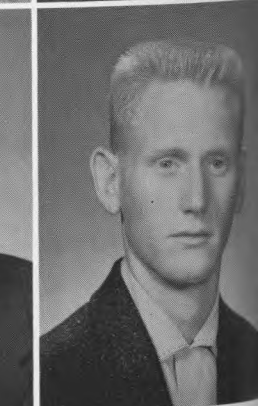
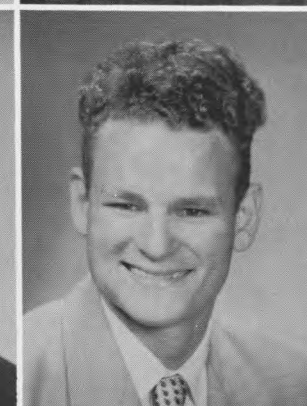
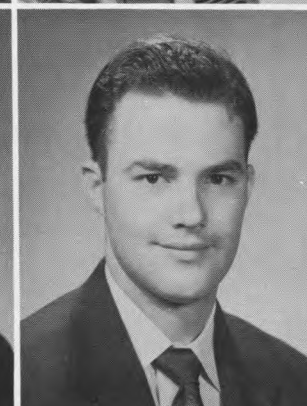
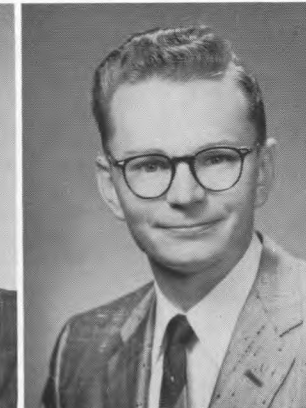
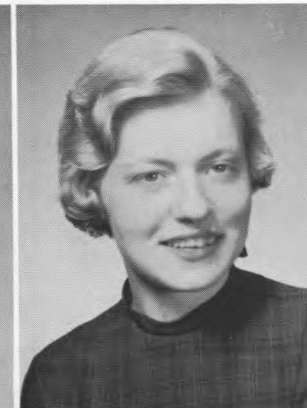
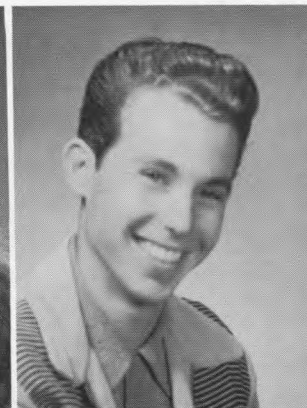
SMITH, CHARLOTTE  
*Houston*  
Psychology

SMITH, PATRICIA  
*Houston*  
Education

## SOPHOMORES



Walgreen's style . . . 1956 . . .



SORSBY, LILA JO  
*Galena Park, Texas*  
Education

SOUTHARD, JO  
*Houston*  
Accounting

STALLWORTH,  
JIMMY  
*Bellaire, Texas*  
Law

STENZEL, YETTA  
*Houston*  
Biology

STEPHENSON,  
C. B., JR.  
*Houston*  
Modern Languages

STRANGER,  
CHARLES  
*Brockton, Mass.*  
Advertising

SUI, HELEN  
*China*  
Home Economics

TALBOT, JAMES T.  
*Taylor, Texas*  
Engineering

TAYLOR, FRED  
*El Paso, Texas*  
Engineering

TELSCHOW, EMIL  
*Houston*  
Diesel

TERRY, JACK  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law

TERRY, ROSS R.  
*Lake Jackson, Texas*  
Drafting



TIJERINA,  
ESEQUIEL  
*Houston*  
Drafting



TONEY, BEVERLY  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Business



TRUXILLO,  
SANDY J.  
*New Orleans, La.*  
Management



TYE, J. EDWARD  
*Savannah, Ga.*  
Business



VALDEZ, SYLVIA  
*Houston*  
Home Economics



VALENTI,  
JOSEPH S.  
*Houston*  
Chemistry

## CLASS OF '58



Which hen has the Tony????



VICTORY, SONNY  
*Houston*  
Engineering



VINSON, DAVIS E.  
*Jackson, Tenn.*  
Accounting



WAHLBERG,  
RICHARD  
*Houston*  
Accounting



WARD, PATTY  
*San Antonio, Texas*  
Decorating



WASSERMAN,  
MAX I.  
*Houston*  
History



WELLS, JESSIE M.  
*Houston*  
Home Economics



WILSON, RICHARD  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law



WILSON, THOMAS L.  
*Houston*  
Business



WOLFE, ELWOOD C.  
*Houston*  
Electronics

ROLAND KUHN, *President*



NANCY OLSON  
*Vice President*



SUE MYERS  
*Secretary*



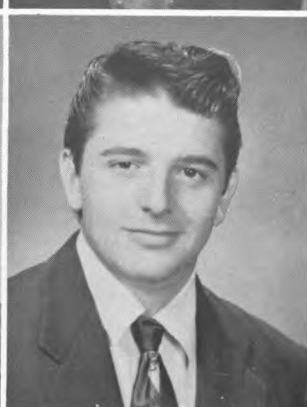
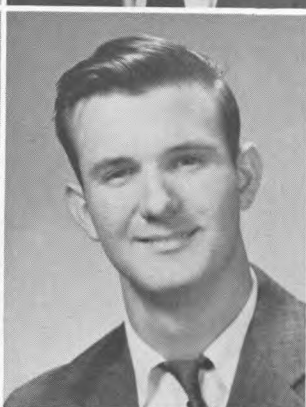
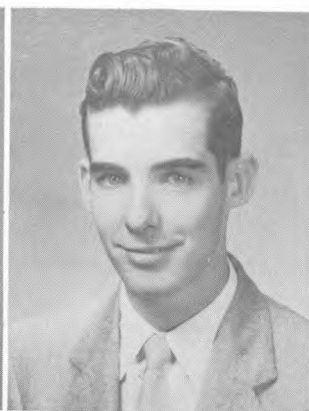
SANDRA KIMBRIEL  
*Treasurer*



BRENT DAVIS, BILL McKAY  
*Assemblymen*



## FRESHMEN



ADAMS, BETTE  
*Freeport, Texas*  
Business

ADELMAN, ORLANDO  
*Houston*  
Pharmacy

ALBRECHT, MARVIN  
*Rosenberg, Texas*  
Music

ALBRO, WARD  
*San Angelo, Texas*  
Journalism

ALCEDE, PATTY JO  
*Lake Charles, La.*  
Education

ALLBRIGHT, B. P.  
*Houston*  
Geology

ALLEN, ROBERT  
*Galveston, Texas*  
Pre-Law

AMMEN, NANCY  
*Sulphur, Okla.*  
Drama

ANDERS, ADOLPH  
*Houston*  
Accounting

ANGELO, ARTHUR  
*San Angelo, Texas*  
Radio TV

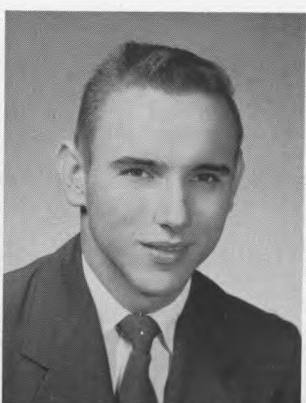
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*Palmer, Texas*  
Business

ASHCRAFT, BEVERLY  
*Houston*  
Chemistry

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For a treat instead of a treatment . . .  
try . . .



ASTON, RICHARD  
*Dallas, Texas*  
Business

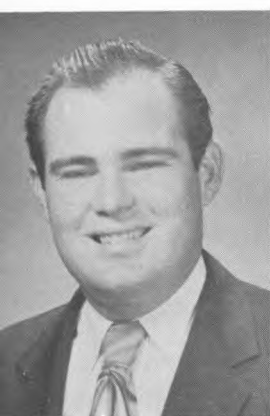
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*Portal, N. Dak.*  
Education

BARROW, JERRY  
*Beaumont, Texas*  
Education

BEZDER, RAYMOND  
*West, Texas*  
Business

BLACK, SARA ANN  
*Baytown, Texas*  
Home Economics

BLAIN, RICHARD  
*Texas City, Texas*  
Radio TV



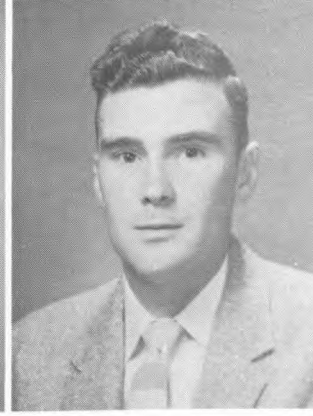
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*Houston*  
Electronics



**BOWEN, NANCY J.**  
*Charlotte, N. C.*  
Liberal Arts



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*São Paulo, Brazil*  
Business



**BROWN, CARROLL**  
*San Antonio, Texas*  
Drafting



**BROWN, ELIZABETH**  
*Houston*  
French



**BROWN, JOY**  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Business

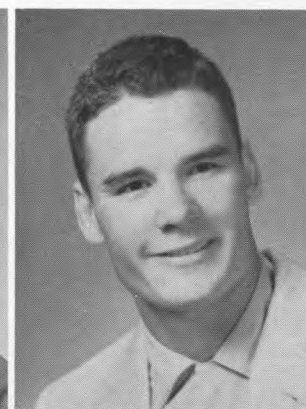
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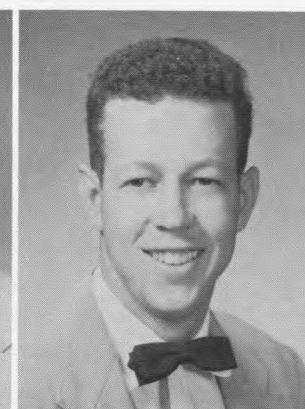
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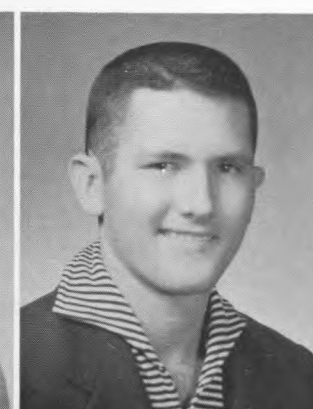
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Agriculture



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*Texas City, Texas*  
Radio TV



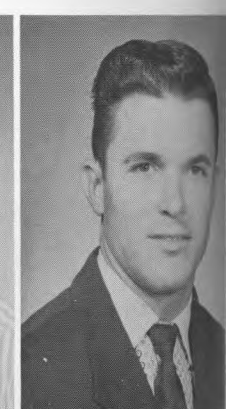
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*Houston*  
Geophysics



**BUTTS, T. M.**  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Electronics



**CAMPBELL, DEAN**  
*Houston*  
Business



**CARPENTER, CURTIS**  
*Port Isabel, Texas*  
Journalism



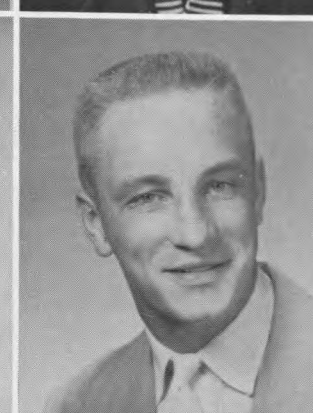
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*Weimar, Texas*  
Sociology



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*Pasadena, Texas*  
Speech



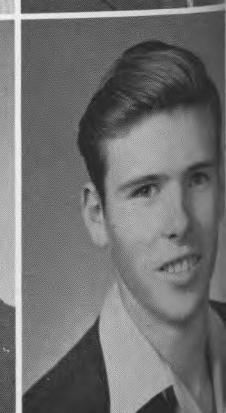
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*Dickinson, Texas*  
Education



**CHURCHWELL, RAY**  
*Hope, Arkansas*  
Business



**CLAYTON, BOB**  
*Bonham, Texas*  
Business



**COLE, JOE D.**  
*Houston*  
Chemistry





CORDELL, ADRIANNE  
Houston  
Education



CRAIG, MELWYN  
Houston  
Education



CRAVEN, JERRY  
Pocatello, Idaho  
Engineering



CREED, MARCY  
Houston  
Education



CRUICKSHANK, JANE  
Galena Park, Texas  
Business



CRUMP, JOYCE  
De Kalb, Texas  
Home Economics

## CLASS OF '59



Poop Eye the sailor . . .



DALY, JOHN  
Houston  
Engineering



DAVIS, BRENT  
Orange, Texas  
Pre-Law



DAVIS, GERALD  
Albuquerque, N. Mex.  
Radio TV



DAY, NAN  
Brookhaven, Miss.  
Home Economics



DEFRIES, LEROY  
Quinlan, Texas  
Engineering



DENSFORD, JIM  
Montgomery, Ala.  
Engineering



DIAL, JOE  
Groveton, Texas  
Engineering



DICKERSON, MARVIN  
Houston  
English



DILLINGHAM, FRANK  
Houston  
Engineering



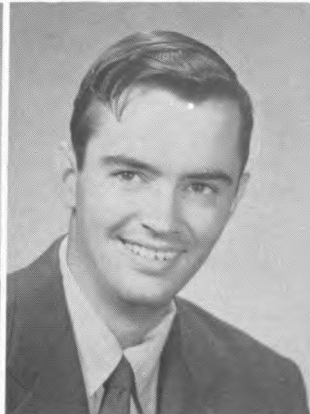
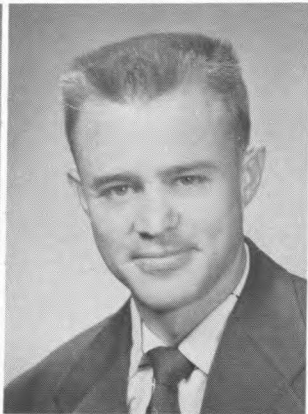
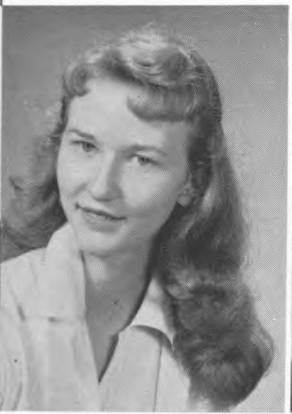
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Houston  
Psychology



DRUSCHKE, ANDY  
Houston  
Business



DUCATE, MARIE  
Alexandria, La.  
Sociology



DUKE, LOUIS W.  
*Houston*  
Business

FUNDA, MILDRED  
*Houston*  
Drama

EDWARDS,  
CARLYLE  
*Dumas, Ark.*  
Drafting

GALLEMORE, JOHN  
*Houston*  
Education

ENGLISH, LINDSEY  
*Bellaire, Texas*  
Radio TV

GAY, THOMAS O.  
*Houston*  
Pre-Dental

FLOWER,  
KENNETH B.  
*Houston*  
Business

GIBSON, GORDON  
*Lubbock, Texas*  
Optometry

FOSHEE, LOIS  
*Houston*  
Biology

GIBSON, JOHN  
*Colmesneil, Texas*  
Business

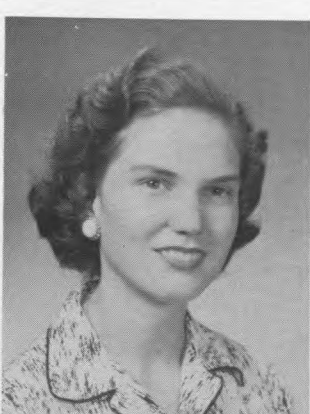
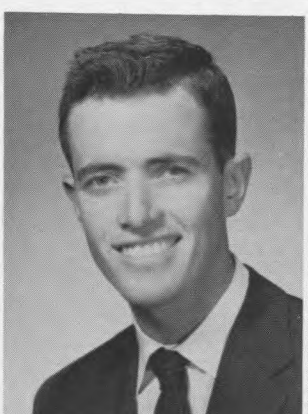
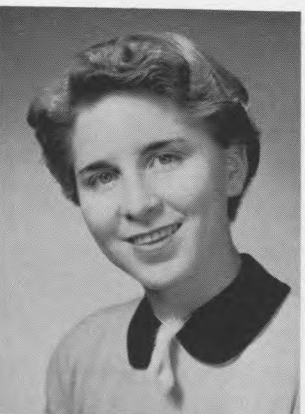
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*Buenos Aires, S. A.*  
Engineering

GIBSON, SUE  
*Houston*  
Radio TV



"Mother told me there'd be days like this" . . .

## FRESHMEN



GILLIAM, JERRY  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Pre-Dental

GOATCHER, GLORIA  
*Elsa, Texas*  
Business

GODDARD,  
DARELL K.  
*Dumas, Texas*  
Engineering

GODWIN,  
MARKANNE  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

GOEHING,  
ROBERT F.  
*Yorktown, Texas*  
Mechanics

GOLDMAN,  
NORMA J.  
*Houston*  
Education



GONZALEZ, MARIO  
*Laredo, Texas*  
Engineering

GOODERE, SUE  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law

GREEN, JOE  
*Houston*  
Accounting

GREEN, JOSEPH  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law

GREEN, STANLEY  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Radio TV

GUTIERREZ, AIDA  
*Houston*  
Business

GUTIERREZ, CARLOS  
*Laredo, Texas*  
Pre-Dental

GUTIERREZ, M. S.  
*Alvin, Texas*  
Business

HALLIBURTON, H.  
*Houston*  
Business

HART, KATHERINE  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Business

HASTE, MARCIA  
*Houston*  
Journalism

HEINLEIN, FLOY  
*Houston*  
Business



"Ah hates AGGIES"

## CLASS OF '59



HEMENWAY, J. W.  
*Houston*  
Business

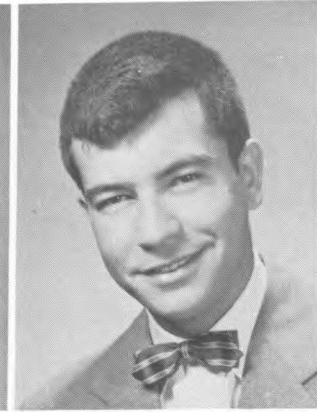
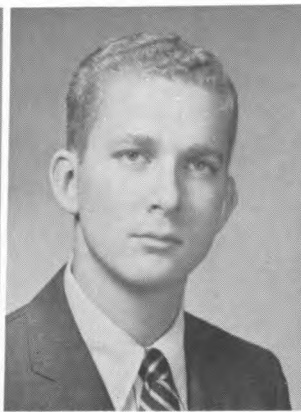
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*Norfolk, Va.*  
Sociology

HERMANN, CAROL  
*Houston*  
Mathematics

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*Bonham, Texas*  
Business

HIGGINBOTHAM, M.  
*Houston*  
Business

HOGUE, JAMES  
*Baytown, Texas*  
Pharmacy



HOLDER, CECIL L.  
*Galena Park, Texas*  
Accounting

HOLSWORTH, MASON  
*Collegeport, Texas*  
Agriculture

HOMANN, GUSTAV  
*Argentina, S. A.*  
Optometry

HOPKINS, CHARLYNN  
*Houston*  
Education

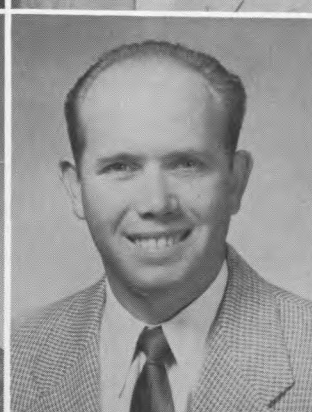
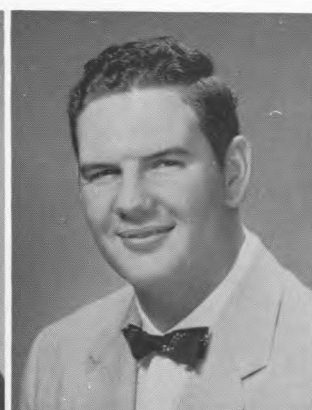
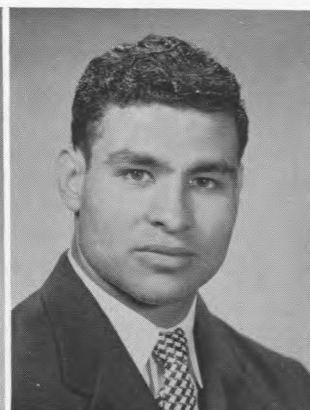
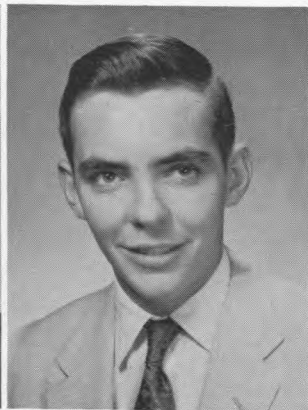
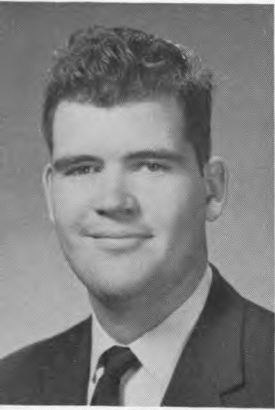
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*Channing, Texas*  
Biology

HRNCIR, SANDRA  
*Galveston, Texas*  
Accounting

## FRESHMEN



"I've got a feeling she's fooling"



HUSTON, CECIL A.  
*Weimar, Texas*  
Music Education

JACKSON, JACK  
*Marble Falls, Texas*  
Engineering

JAIME, ADALBERTO  
*Premont, Texas*  
Business

JANAK, THOMAS JOE  
*Weimar, Texas*  
Technology

JARRETT, JANICE  
*Houston*  
Business

JENKINS, MONIKA  
*Kansas City, Mo.*  
Spanish

JETER, JOE  
*Cooper, Texas*  
Pharmacy

JOHNSON, EVELYN  
*Houston*  
Business

JONES, ARVELLA  
*Annona, Texas*  
Business

KEELING, BOYD E.  
*Houston*  
Electronics

KERCHEVAL, ANNETTE  
*Houston*  
Government

KIMBRIEL, SANDY  
*San Juan, Texas*  
Radio TV



KINCAID,  
THOMAS L.  
*Ozona, Texas*  
Speech

KNOX, JAMES E.  
*Beaumont, Texas*  
Business

KOEHN, ELTON  
DALE  
*Weimar, Texas*  
Technology

KOONS, WILLIAM A.  
*Houston*  
Physical Education

KUHLMAN,  
WALTER S.  
*Houston*  
Graphic Arts

KNIGHT, JAMES D.  
*Houston*  
Engineering

## CLASS OF '59



A "Do-It-Yourself" party . . .



LACARTER, J. J., JR.  
*Houston*  
Accounting

LANZA, ANTHONY  
*Lake Charles, La.*  
Art

LATIMER, DONALD  
*Houston*  
Technology

LEVY, FAY ANN  
*Bellaire, Texas*  
Home Economics

LINDHEIMER,  
THOMAS  
*Argentina, S. A.*  
Engineering

LLEWELLYN, JERE  
*Houston*  
Pre-Med

LONG, CHARLES  
*Houston*  
Drafting

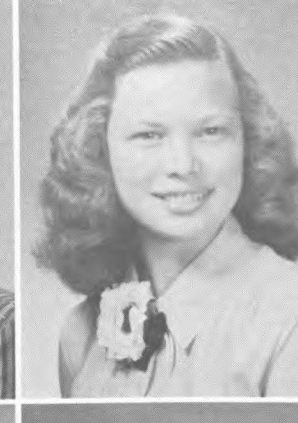
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JOHN S., JR.  
*Anahuac, Texas*  
Radio TV

McDONALD, KATY  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

McGINN, JAMES  
*Dallas, Texas*  
Optometry

McGOWAN,  
BEVERLY  
*Mexia, Texas*  
Chemistry

McKEAN, SARAH  
*San Antonio, Texas*  
Radio TV



McKEON, RORY G.  
Houston  
Business

MARSHALL,  
SARALYN  
Houston  
Art

McMAINS, MIKE  
Monterrey, Mexico  
Business

MAZZANTINI, BETH  
Galveston, Texas  
Business

McMILLAN, SALLY  
Houston  
English

MELNICK,  
ETHEL L.  
Houston  
Business

MACEY,  
ANTIONETTE  
Houston  
Home Economics

MONTEAU, ROSE M.  
Houston  
Home Economics

MALLARD, CELIA  
Houston  
Pharmacy

MONTGOMERY,  
ALVIN  
Houston  
Accounting

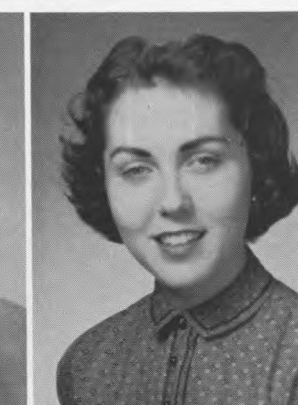
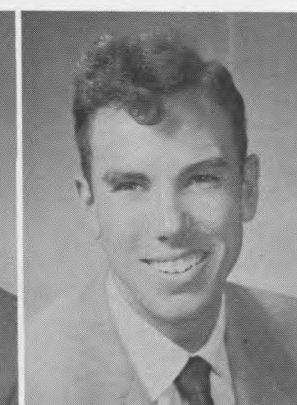
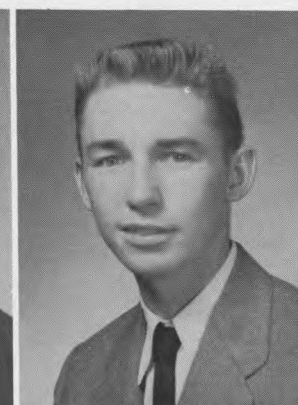
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GEORGIA  
Houston  
Physical Education

MOORE, ROBERT  
Karnes City, Texas  
Radio TV



"Irish Stew"

## FRESHMEN



MORATTO, MARY  
Galveston, Texas  
Medical Technology

MOWERY, CURTIS J.  
Sandy Point, Texas  
Agriculture

MUELLER, ROLAND  
Parkston, S. Dak.  
Diesel

MUNGER, ROSS  
Houston  
Business

MYERS, SUE ZANNE  
Rosenberg, Texas  
Journalism

NELSON, CURTIS  
Melvin, Texas  
Business



NERIA, ROBERT A.  
*Waco, Texas*  
Psychology

NESTING, SUE MAE  
*Bandera, Texas*  
Business

NICHOLS, THOMAS  
*Houston*  
Engineering

NICHOLS, WILLIAM  
*Houston*  
Business

NOBLE, GARY  
*Houston*  
Business

NOVAK, MORRIS J.  
*Yoakum, Texas*  
Geophysics

OBERNDORFER,  
DORIS  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

O'BRYAN, DANIEL  
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Air Conditioning

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Business

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*Pasadena, Texas*  
Business

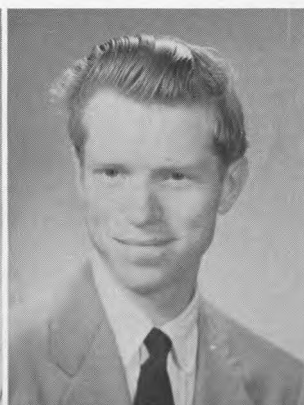
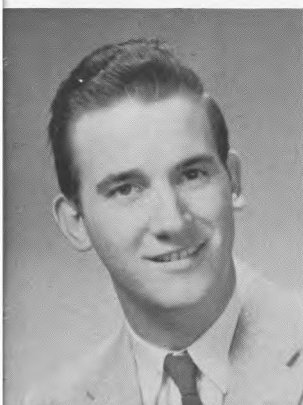
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*Houston*  
Engineering

PALMER, RAY  
*Galveston, Texas*  
Engineering



# CLASS OF '59

Just bored . . .



PEARSON,  
WAYNE A.  
*Texas City, Texas*  
Business

PELCZAR, JACK  
*Houston*  
Accounting

PICKETT, MILTON  
*Bellaire, Texas*  
Engineering

PITTMAN,  
NELDA L.  
*Midland, Texas*  
Pre-Optometry

PODSEDNIK, DAN  
*Hillsboro, Texas*  
Business

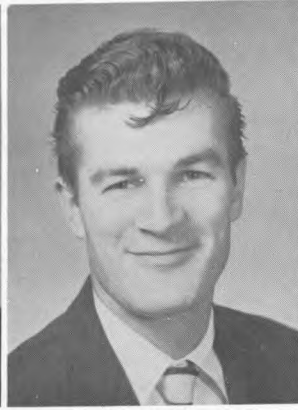
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SANDRA G.  
*Houston*  
Biology



REIDLAND,  
BARBARA  
Dayton, Texas  
Education



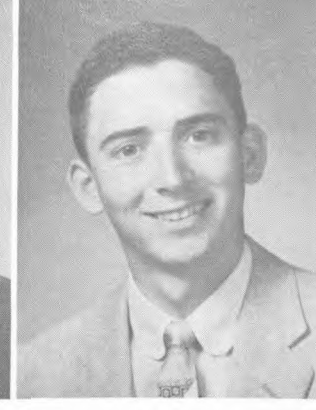
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Houston  
Engineering



RENNIE,  
KENNETH B.  
Carthage, N. Y.  
Engineering



REYNA, JOE A., JR.  
Houston  
Diesel



RICH, BOBBY  
Plain Dealing, La.  
Engineering



RICH, JOSEPH R.  
Houston  
Engineering

## FRESHMEN



"One of these days . . . pow . . . right in the kisser"



RIDINGS, JOE B.  
St. Louis, Mo.  
Pre-Law



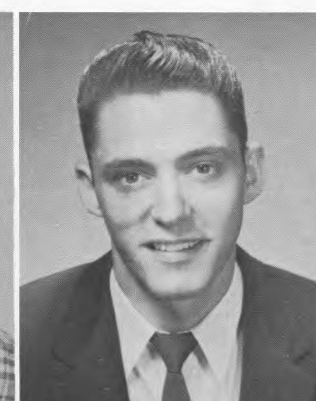
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Houston  
Architecture



SARAGUSA,  
MARY ANN  
Houston  
Business



SARAGUSA,  
ROSANETTE  
Houston  
Education



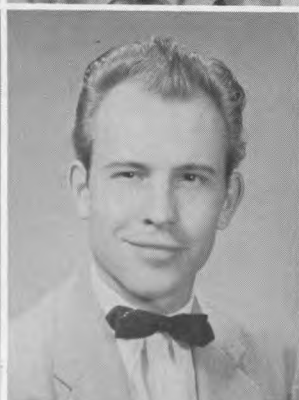
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Houston  
Finance



SCHOBEL, ISABEL  
Columbus, Texas  
Business



SCROGIN, VIRGINIA  
Houston  
Airline Stewardess



SEAGRAVES, R. R.  
Houston  
Diesel



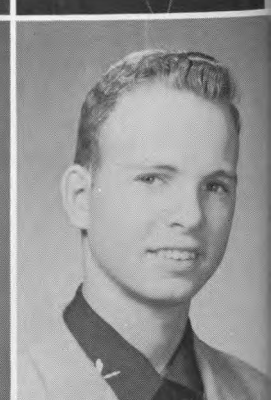
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ANNA  
Houston  
Art



SCHULTZ, LILA  
Houston  
Psychology



SHARP, DEBORAH  
Cleveland, Texas  
Physical Education



SHARP, JIMMY  
Texas City, Texas  
Agriculture

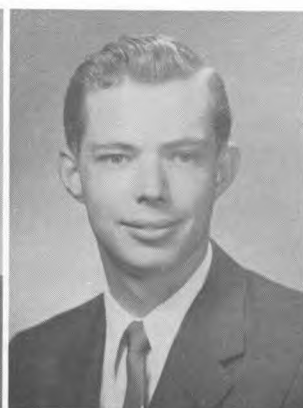




SHORT, MARTHA SUE  
Houston  
Business



SHULTS, TOMMY  
Rockport, Texas  
Drafting



SHUMWAY, LARRY R.  
Houston  
Chemistry



SILVERMAN, BONELL  
Houston  
Home Economics



SIMON, HARRY E.  
Houston  
Business

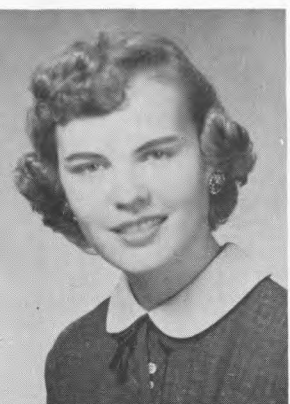


SMITH, ALICE  
Henderson, Texas  
Drama

## CLASS OF '59



"Lifebuoy? What's that?"



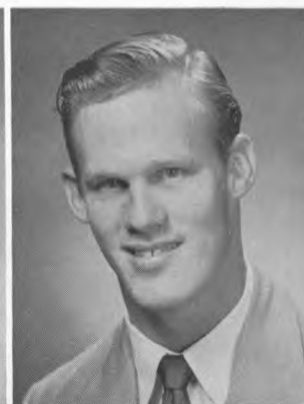
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Houston  
Business



SMITH, LILLIAN  
Bryan, Texas  
Nursing



SOMMERVILLE, HENRY  
Houston  
Drafting



SPIKES, JAMES C.  
Mission, Texas  
Business



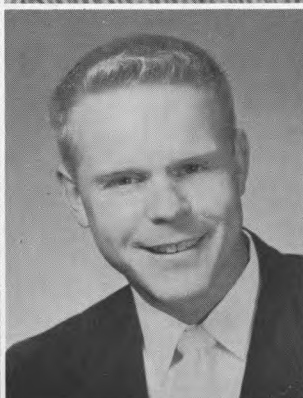
STINEBAUGH, SUE  
Houston  
Business



STOLTJE, ROBERT  
Houston  
Music



SWACKHAMER, MONNA  
Fort Worth, Texas  
Drama



SWEETON, ALAN  
Houston  
Business



SWINT, JERRY  
Hillsboro, Texas  
Business



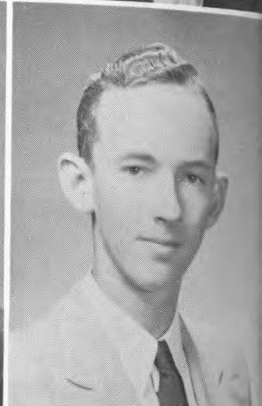
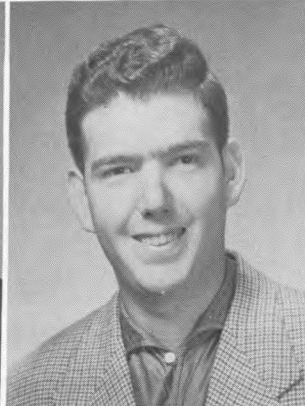
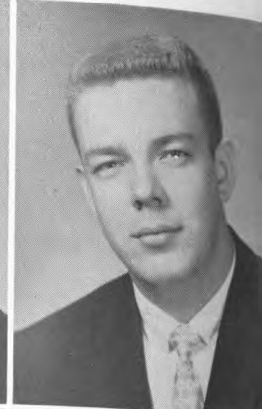
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Business



THOMAS, PATRICIA  
Houston  
Education



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Homer, La.  
Business



TIPPITT, KAY  
*Pharr, Texas*  
Business

TWADDLE,  
LOWELL V.  
*Plymouth, Ill.*  
Accounting

UNDERWOOD,  
CLAIRE  
*Houston*  
Sociology

UNDERWOOD,  
MARTHA  
*Honey Grove, Texas*  
Education

VANSICKLE,  
BARBARA  
*Angleton, Texas*  
Music

VINCENT, B. D.  
*Houston*  
Engineering

VINSON, BARNEY  
*Harlingen, Texas*  
Radio TV

WALLACE, GARY D.  
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Radio TV

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Management

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*Houston*  
Journalism

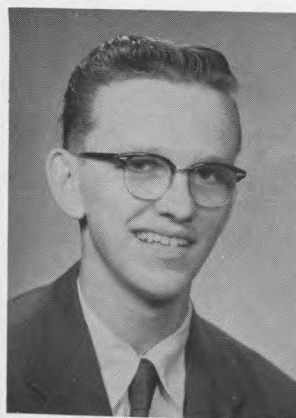
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Art

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*Woodsboro, Texas*  
Mechanics



L. S. Mitchell with one of his many fans . . .

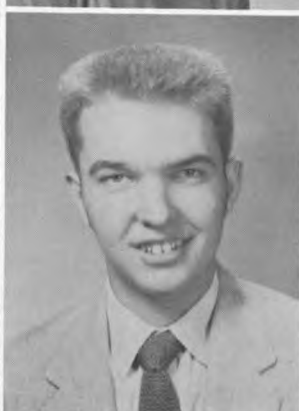
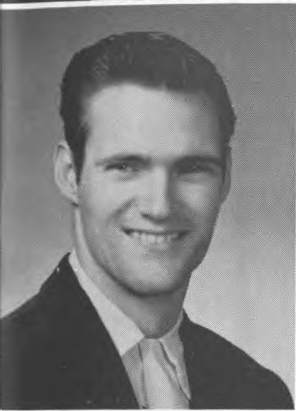
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*Houston*  
Business

WHEELER,  
RICHARD  
*Center, Texas*  
Engineering

WHITE, KITTY  
*Houston*  
Business



WHITE, PAUL S.  
*Donna, Texas*  
Business

WILLIAMS, JFNENE  
*Shreveport, La.*  
Journalism

WILLIAMS, MAC  
*Hamshire, Texas*  
Business

WILLIAMS, PAULA  
*Piggott, Ark.*  
Drama

WILLIAMS, WILLIAM  
*Brookshire, Texas*  
Engineering

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Business

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Engineering

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*Houston*  
Music

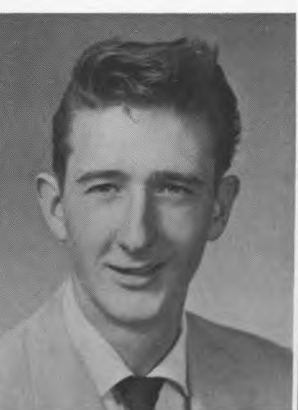
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*Houston*  
Engineering

WINEGAR, RICHARD  
*Houston*  
Business

WINFREY, YVONNE  
*Houston*  
Airline Stewardess

WOMACK, HARLEY  
*Houston*  
Advertising

## CLASS OF '59



YEO, BILLIE  
*Houston*  
Home Economics

YETTER, RUSSELL  
*Houston*  
Business

ZIMMERMAN, BOB  
*Houston*  
Air Conditioning

ALVA, RAFALL  
*Houston*  
Pre-Law

VERDUZCO, R. GEORGE  
*Madera, Calif.*  
Diesel

JOHN LEDBETTER, *President*



BILL MOLLIEUR  
*Assemblyman*



## GRADUATES



BOND, CAROLYNNE  
*Houston*  
Education

BUENGER, JAMES  
*Houston*  
Law

CLEMENTS, SAM D.  
*Kansas City, Mo.*  
Psychology

COBERN, JACKSON  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Education

DORE, GRACE  
*Kansas City, Mo.*  
English

EDWARDS, JIMMY  
*Houston*  
Optometry

EINSPAHR, MARTIN  
*Beaumont, Texas*  
Psychology

GREEN, REX  
RICHARD  
*Houston*  
Law

HALL, WILLIAM C.  
*Mountain Grove, Mo.*  
Music

HALLMARK,  
DONALD  
*Houston*  
Law

HEWLETT, ROBERT  
*Houston*  
Law

JOYCE, ROBERT  
*Houston*  
Law



"How do you write in?"



KAY, FANNY  
*Houston*  
English

KEITH, ANN E.  
*Houston*  
Education

KEMMERER,  
WALTER  
*Houston*  
Psychology

LEDBETTER, JOHN  
*Austin, Texas*  
Business

LUCKENBACH,  
BYRON  
*Odem, Texas*  
Accounting

MOLINA, JOSE E.  
*Mexico City, Mex.*  
Architecture



MOLINARE, WILLIAM  
Houston  
Engineering



NEIBEL, JOHN B.  
Houston  
Law



PARKS, BURTON  
Houston  
Law, Government



PARKS, GEORGENA  
Houston  
Education



PARRISH, JAMES H.  
Woodville, Texas  
Law



SAX, ARNOLD B.  
Chicago, Ill.  
Education



The Cougar precision marching band is composed strictly of volunteers.

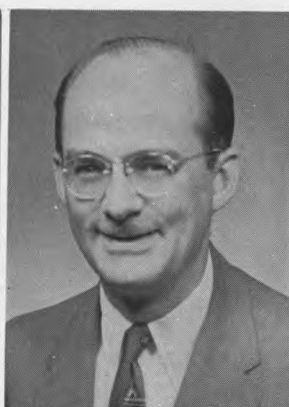
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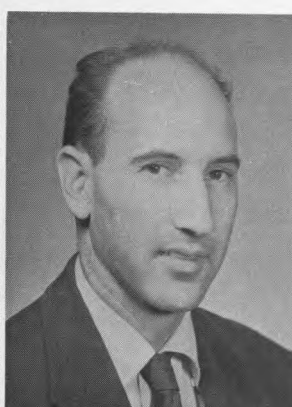
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SULLIVAN, TOM  
Dallas, Texas  
Law



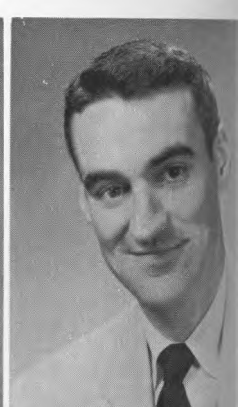
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Cleveland, Texas  
Psychology



TOUCHY, HUGO  
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Law



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Houston  
Drama



VERRILL, BERNARD  
Wenona, Ill.  
Psychology



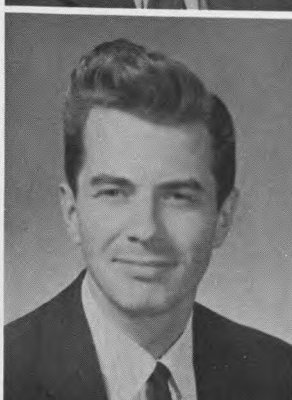
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Houston  
Education



WORLEY, FRANK  
Houston  
Engineering



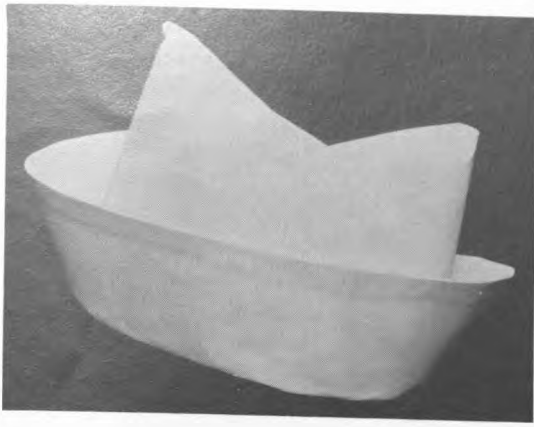
WRIGHT, SIDNEY  
Hyannis, Mass.  
Radio TV



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Port Arthur, Texas  
Music



ZAKRZEWSKA, IRENE  
Galveston, Texas  
Psychology



## OFF-CAMPUS STUDENTS

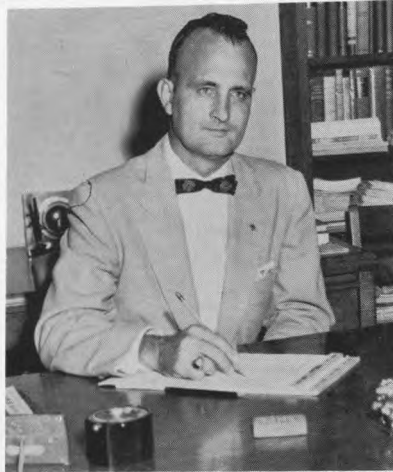
From traffic horns blaring . . .  
marquee lights flashing in the class-  
room window . . . squeaking footsteps  
passing in the hallway . . . this . . .  
is the classroom where Downtown  
Students of the University of Houston  
study and express a quest of knowl-  
edge.

To freshly disinfected corridors  
. . . the rustle of starched skirts . . . a  
world where dedicated people heal  
mankind . . . this . . . is the world  
which the University Student Nurse  
knows and loves.





JACK HUNTER  
*Assistant Director*



DORIS SATHER  
*Registrar*



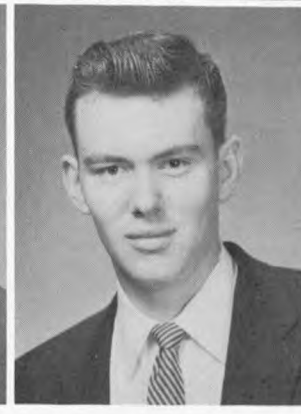
The Downtown School . . . where Main Street goes to college . . . Ninety per cent of the students who attend the Downtown School either work full or part time.

While the majority of students take courses in Business, English, Psychology, Sociology, History, and Drama; short courses in basic principles in managing commercial institutions are offered.

## DOWNTOWN







AMMONS,  
SHELBY E.  
*Andalusia, Ala.*  
Freshman

BORDOVSKY,  
EUGENE  
*Houston*  
Junior

BAANDT, WALDEEN  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Sophomore

BORSCHOW,  
RONNIE  
*Houston*  
Sophomore

BARNES,  
CHARLES E.  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
Sophomore

BOTSFORD, ROBERT  
*Freeport, Texas*  
Sophomore

BEARD, DANIEL  
*Rocky Mount, N. C.*  
Senior

BURNS, DAVID  
*Taylor, Texas*  
Freshman

BEAUTY, JIM C.  
*Austin, Texas*  
Sophomore

BURNS, HARRY J.  
*Houston*  
Junior

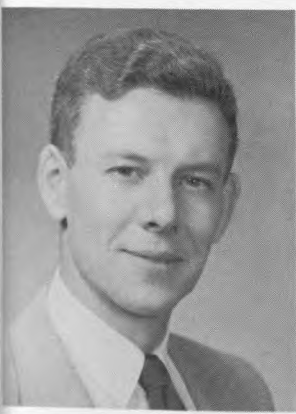
BONDS, TOBY C.  
*Richmond, Va.*  
Senior

CAMPBELL, JACK  
*Bellaire, Texas*  
Senior



"This is hard to get, but . . ."

SCHOOL 1956



CARIKER, LARRY L.  
*South Houston*  
Junior

CHRISTENSEN, ED  
*Genoa, Texas*  
Junior

CONROL, WILLIAM  
*Conroe, Texas*  
Freshman

COUNTS, JOHN R.  
*Palestine, Texas*  
Freshman

CRAIG, VIVIAN L.  
*Houston*  
Graduate

CROWDER, ORVILLE  
*Houston*  
Junior



CRUZE, RAMONA  
*Houston*  
Freshman



CUMBAA, CHARLES  
*Galveston, Texas*  
Sophomore



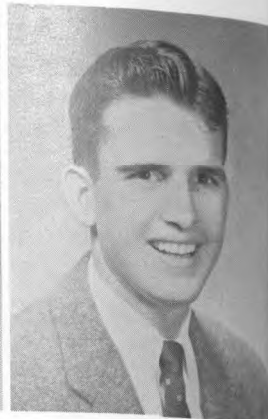
DAVENPORT,  
ETHEL  
*Houston*  
Senior



DAVIS, JIM A.  
*Houston*  
Senior



DICKEY, JOYCE  
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Freshman



DOUGHTIE,  
WILLARD  
*Houston*  
Junior



"Get your cookies here"

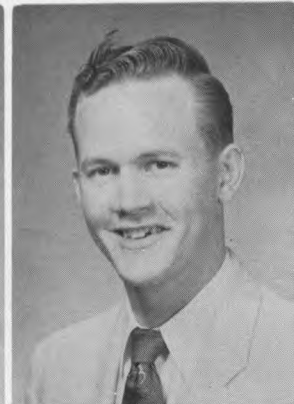
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Senior



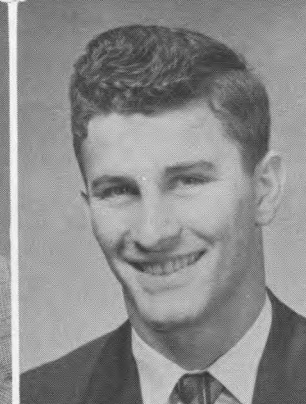
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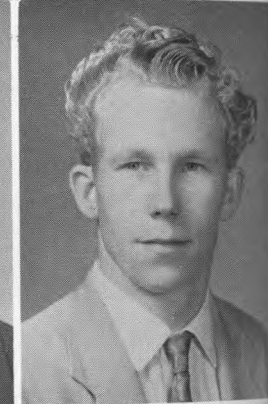
FLUSTIN, JOHNNY  
*Killeen, Texas*  
Sophomore



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*Houston*  
Senior



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*Weimar, Texas*  
Sophomore



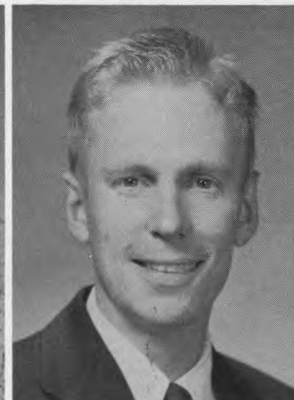
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ERNEST  
*Houston*  
Freshman



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MINENOLA  
*Channelview, Texas*  
Senior



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Sophomore



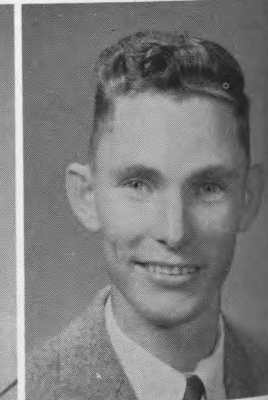
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*Houston*  
Junior



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*Houston*  
Senior



HALVERTON,  
ANGUS  
*Houston*  
Freshman



HOLDER, CARROLL  
*Richton, Miss.*  
Freshman



HOLLOWAY,  
HERBERT  
*Houston*  
Senior



HOUP, CLAYTON  
*Shelby, Ohio*  
Freshman



HUBER, VICTORIA  
*Houston*  
Freshman



HUMPHRIES,  
WELDON  
*Carthage, Texas*  
Freshman



JOHNSON,  
MALVERN  
*Houston*  
Freshman



KERR, ALLEN  
*Houston*  
Sophomore



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*Wichita Falls, Texas*  
Sophomore

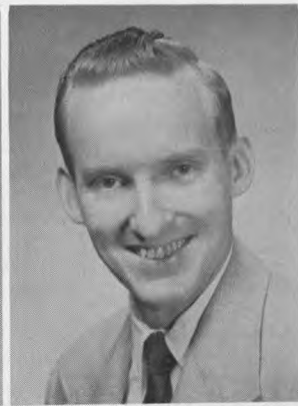
## SCHOOL



LOGAN, SHIRLEY  
*Houston*  
Freshman



McCORQUODALE,  
HOWARD  
*Houston*  
Sophomore



MARSHALL,  
GEORGE  
*Houston*  
Sophomore



MILES, DIANA  
*Houston*  
Senior



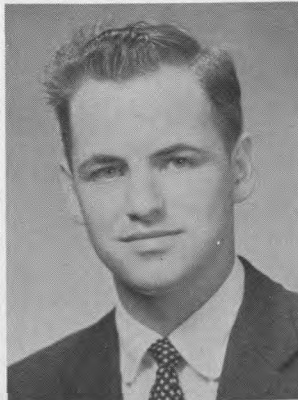
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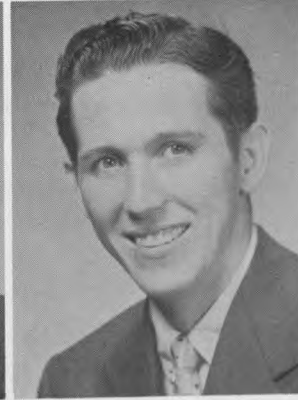
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*Houston*  
Sophomore



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Freshman



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Junior



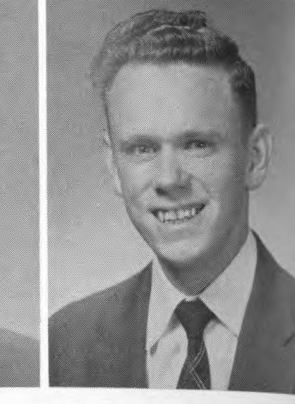
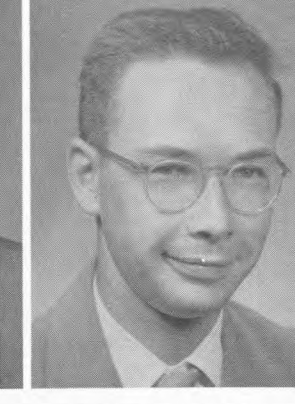
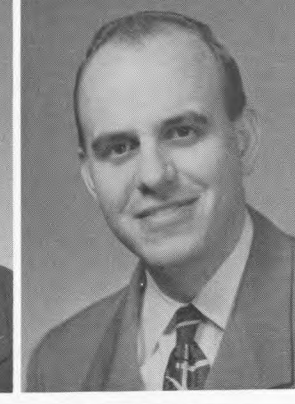
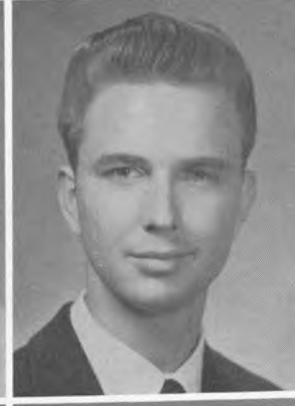
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*Fort Worth, Texas*  
Sophomore



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WILLIAM  
*Houston*  
Junior



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*Houston*  
Freshman



ROTENBERRY,  
JAMES  
*Roanoke, Va.*  
Senior

SHIRLEY,  
RAYMOND  
*Lexington, Ky.*  
Senior

SILWADEL,  
RICHARD  
*Houston*  
Sophomore

SLADE, NANN Z.  
*Houston*  
Assistant Professor

SMITH, STANLEY S.  
*Galveston, Texas*  
Sophomore

SNEDECOR,  
THOMAS  
*Houston*  
Senior

SPRUCE, EDWIN G.  
*Houston*  
Junior

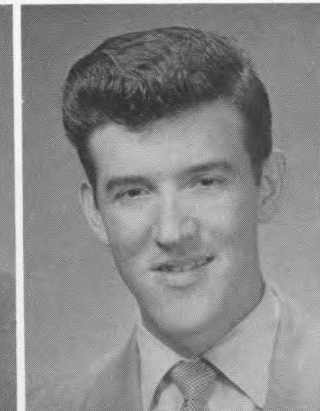
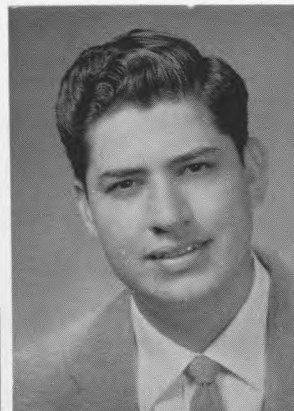
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*Houston*  
Senior

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Freshman

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Senior

UPCHURCH, WILLIS  
*Houston*  
Junior

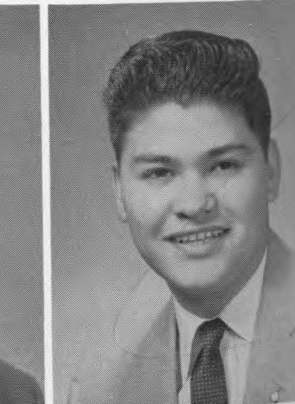
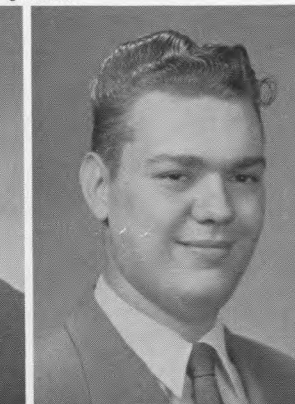
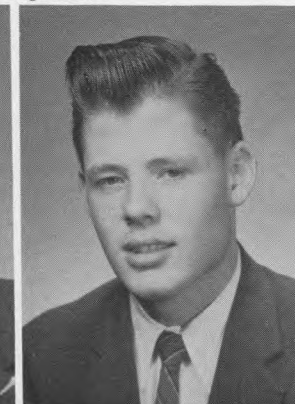
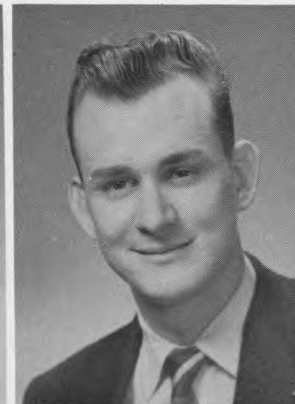
VICKERS, CHARLES  
*Pasadena, Texas*  
Sophomore



## DOWNTOWN SCHOOL

VILLAREAL, ELLIS  
*San Antonio, Texas*  
Sophomore

WALKER, MONTE D.  
*Victoria, Texas*  
Junior



WHITTAKER,  
EDWARD  
*Houston*  
Freshman

WOLF, HAROLD A.  
*Houston*  
Senior

WOMACK,  
GEORGE W.  
*Houston*  
Freshman

YOUNG,  
GEORGE E.  
*Houston*  
Sophomore

YORK, JOE MACK  
*Houston*  
Freshman

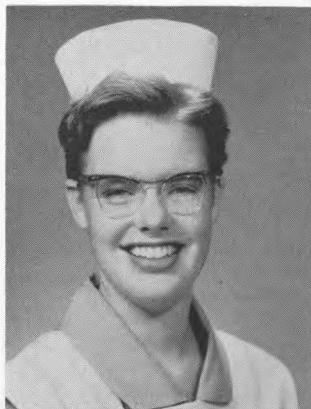
ZEPEDA, MARCELO  
*Houston*  
Freshman



MARION JONES  
*President*



DOLLY CANTU  
*Vice President*



CLYDENE TURK  
*Secretary*



KAYE HOLLINGER  
*Treasurer*

Nursing . . . a contribution to mankind . . . to the community . . . and to one's self.

The four-year collegiate program is planned to prepare college students for practice as professional nurses. The program is based upon one year of general college work which may be taken at the University of Houston. The knowledge gained in these courses is a foundation for the professional work in nursing.

Clinical instruction, psychiatric nursing, pediatric nursing, and obstetric nursing are among the many required courses offered, plus available instruction in the biological and physical sciences.

## NURSING SCHOOL '56



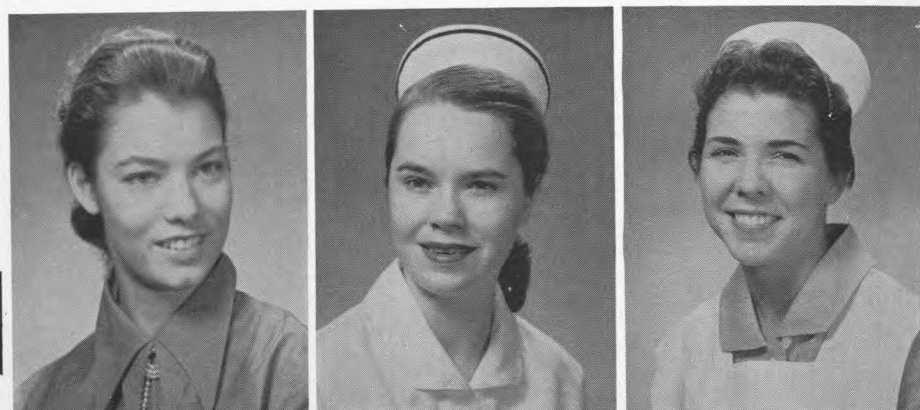
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*Assemblymen*



BETTY DIXON    GLENNA GRAY  
*Inter-City Council*



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CARTER EDITH    COUMBE, RUTH    CRANDALL, PATTY



DANDOIS, EVELYN    DAVENPORT, LOU    FLORES, MARIANA    FUCHS, CHARLOTTE    GARVEY, MARY RUTH    GILES, VERDA



GRAY, CHERYL



GUERRA, CHRISTINA



HAMBLE, JANICE



HARGER, ELIZABETH



HOLLIDAY, PAULA



HORN, PAULA



NURSES '56



HORTON, LOUVENIA



KECK, JANET



KELLEY, ANITA



KELLY, GLENNA



KONDO, MINNIE



LAMBERT, JO ANN



LEE, JANE



MATRANGA, JANNIS



MITCHELL, JOYCE



MITSCHKE, AWANDA



MOONEN, BARBARA



MOORE, VIRGINIA



POWELL, JODY



RAWLS, JO ANN

NURSES '56



REYNA, STELLA



SMITH, LILLIAN



SYNATSKH, THELMA



TAYLOR, CAROLYN



TEMPLE, PAT



WEAVER, LAVONIA



# Student Services Provide Facilities and Aid



Friendly  
smiles await  
each student  
as they  
meet  
Helen Tortorici, RN  
and Dr. Collette in the  
Medical Office.



Dr. F. Stovall, Director of Psychology and Testing, talks with Reni Cooper.

Whether it's aspirin or Aristotle, parking stickers  
or job placement, they are near at hand for the  
University student. The Student Services make  
available many helping hands in various ways.

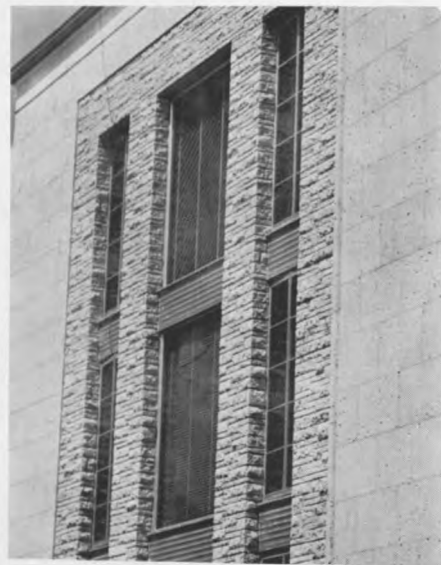
# Pills, TV and Traffic Tickets Serve



On-campus treatment is one advantage offered by the University Medical Office.



Sterling Baker, Chief of the Campus Police, surveys the constant parking problem.



The dorms stand solidly and serve resident students.



Traffic and Security personnel take an afternoon coffee break during their long working day.



Lectures on TV are made possible by the Radio and TV Department and KUHT.

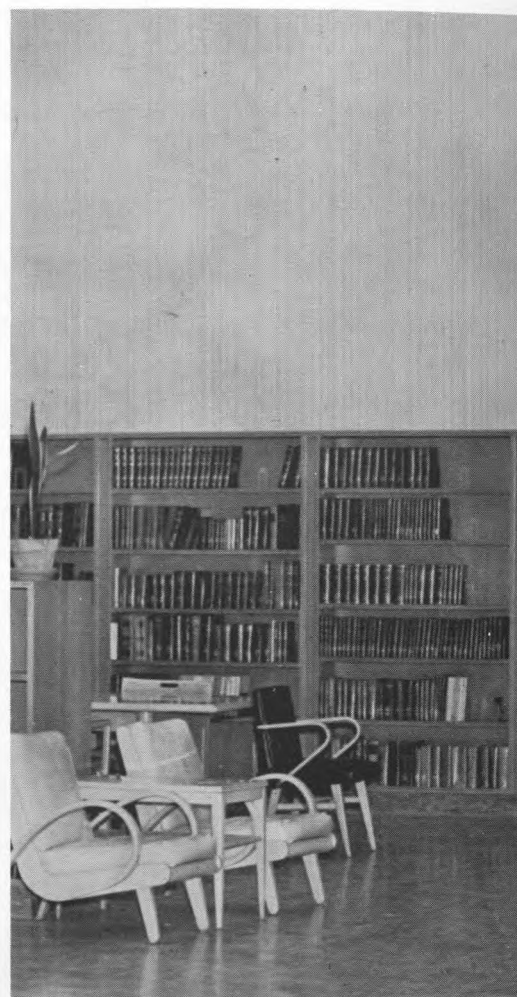


Job listing on the Placement Center board are an eye catcher for students passing through the recreation building.

## From Library Quiet to Placement Bustle



Mrs. Patsy Kubala begins a scholarship letter as Bill Hooper, Director of Loans and Scholarships, dictates.



Quiet and still . . . the mood prevails . . . in the Anderson Memorial Library.



Jobs, jobs and more jobs are available for day and night students alike . . . and just for the asking.

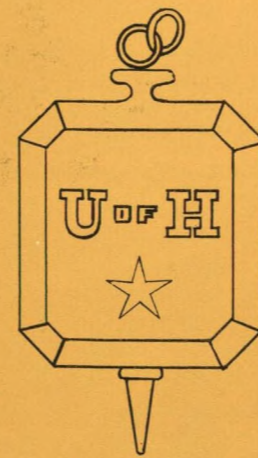


Out of this world comes . . .

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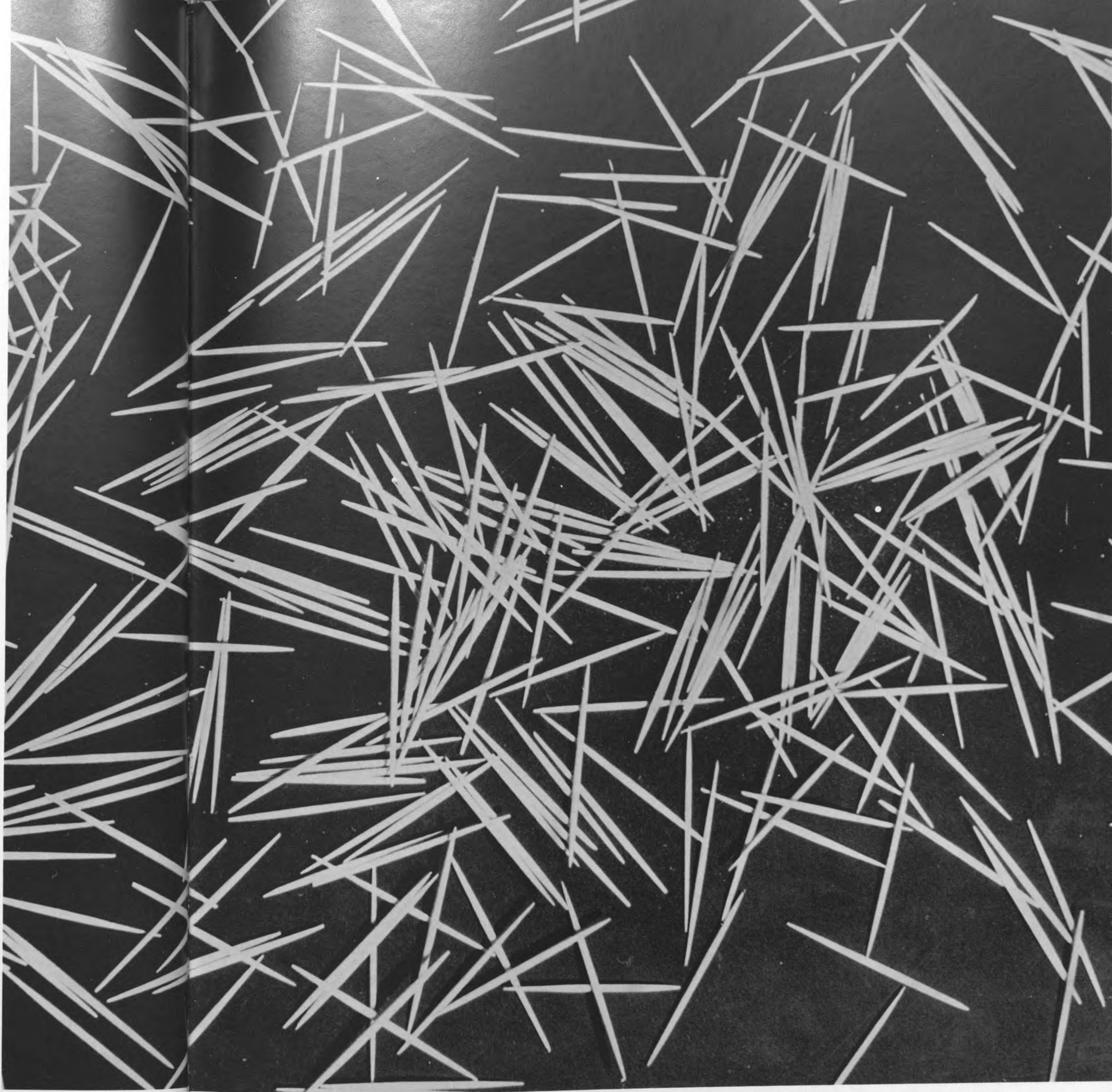
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Organizations



Alpha Delta Sigma officers are Ronnie Poole, president; Gilbert Simon, vice president; Bill Cameron, secretary; and Loren Phippen, treasurer. The sponsors are Dr. John P. Young and Charles H. Lewis.

# Top Advertising Students Receive Bids to ADS

Founded in 1913 at the University of Missouri, Alpha Delta Sigma, the National Professional Advertising Fraternity for Men, helps bridge the gap from advertising theory to advertising experience.

All members of ADS are associate members either of the Advertising Federation of America or the Advertising Association of the West. In ADS chapter activities, individual members build up work in advertising outside the classroom, which increases their stature when they approach their first employees.

Alpha Delta Sigma's national convention meets in June of each odd-numbered year. Recent conventions have been held at Eugene, Oregon, Cape Cod, Daytona Beach and Chicago.

ADS is a group which maintains the respect of all of the people who now work in advertising, marketing, and related fields.



Officers

The American Pharmaceutical Association officers are Charles R. Atkinson, president; Hough Brothers, secretary; Leonel Shaw, vice-president; and Pat Rich, treasurer. Their sponsor is Dr. Robert Bobolett.



Back row: Gist, Miller, Apa, Manhart, Svoboda, Burges, Mooneyham, Land. Fourth row: Nelson, Harrell, Long, Shaw, Saccor, Lefkowitz, Edwards. Third row: Rich, Gee, Wortham, Brown, Bailey, Roth. Second row: McCoy, Atkinson, Bodan, Dean, LeBas. Front row: Atkinson, Boblitt, Brothers.

# American Pharmaceutical Association Plans Professional Projects



Shaw, Atkinson, Brothers, Boblitt, Rich.

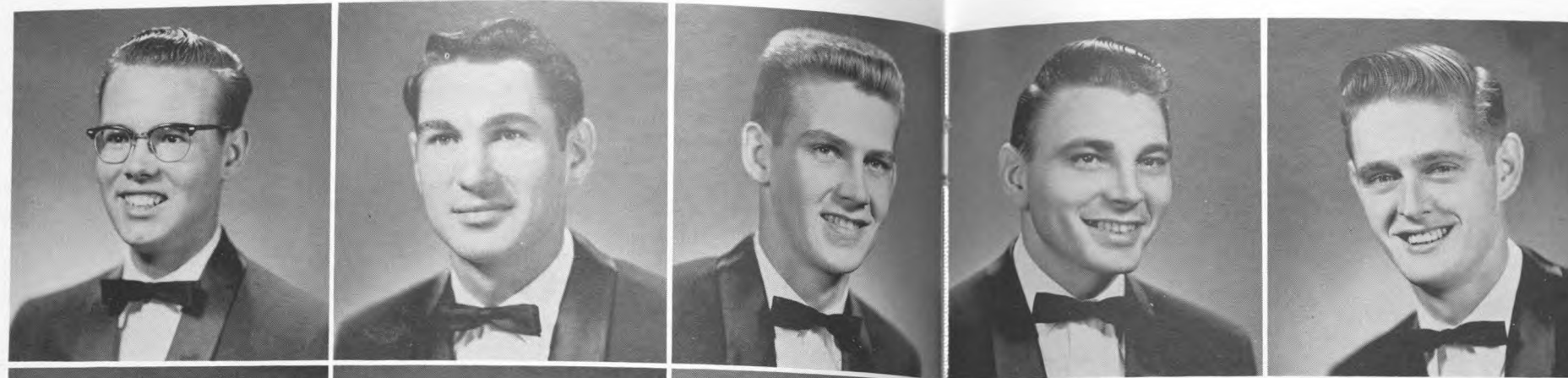
To better the profession of Pharmacy and to further pharmaceutical education . . . is the aim of the University's branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association.

Students in the College of Pharmacy may be eligible for membership, if they maintain a "C" average and display a vital interest in the profession of pharmacy. The group participates in the National Pharmacy week displays, holds social gatherings and plans special professional projects and annual banquets.

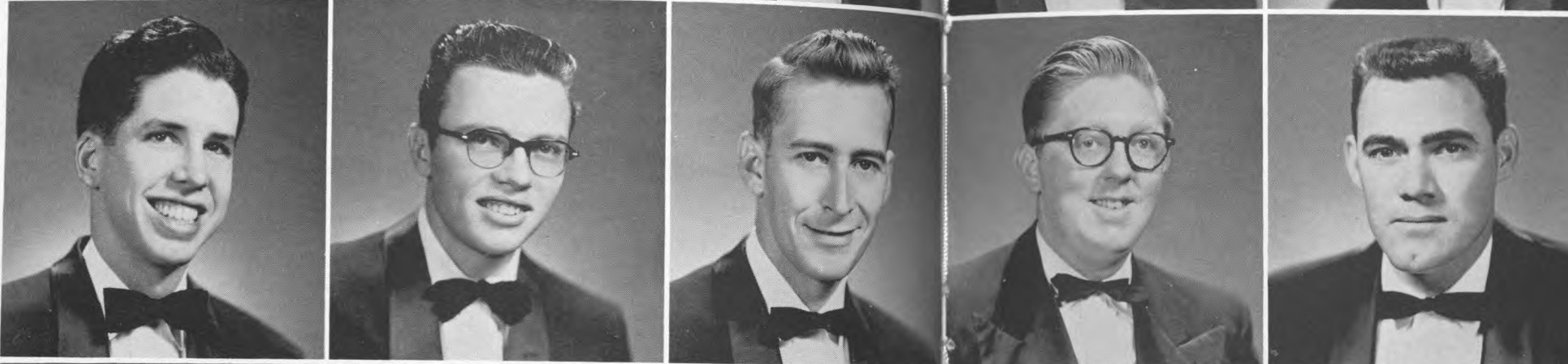


# Alpha Phi Omega Spirits Homecoming Bonfire

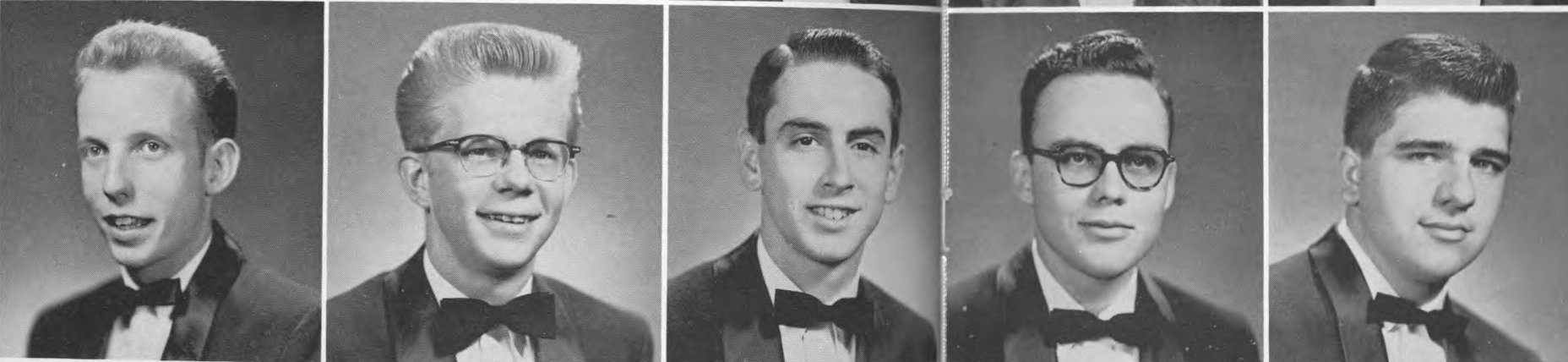
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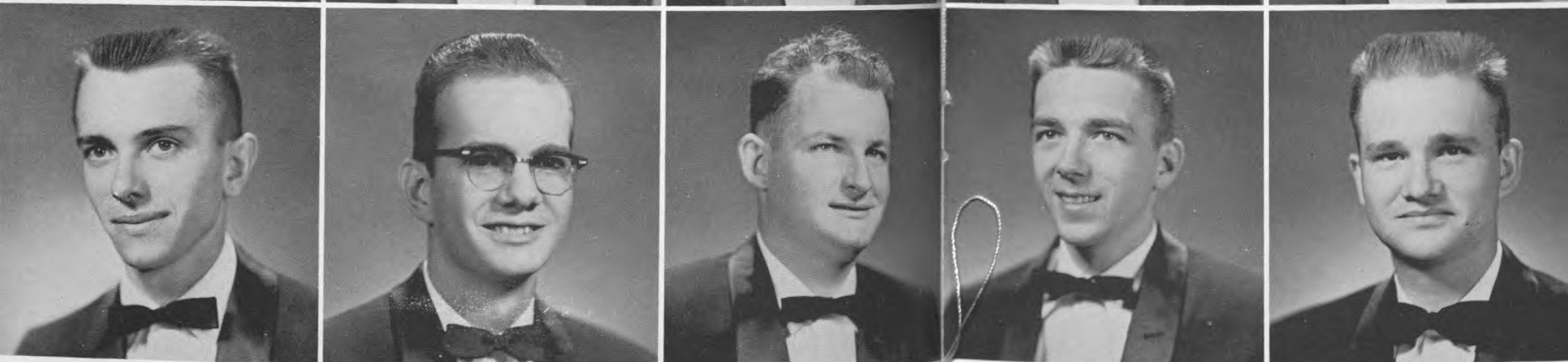
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Kennett, J. R.  
Lane, James F.  
Ledbetter, John W.



McFarland, Bill  
McKay, Bill  
McMillin, David  
Markey, Frank  
Nester, Roy J.



Nicolini, C. W.  
Niemann, Harold  
Noland, Bill  
Simmons, Charlie  
Spiva, Thomas C.



Taylor, Bill  
Turner, Gerard L.  
Young, Bert



Alpha Phi Omega fall officers are Kenneth B. Evans, president; Donald M. Cook, first vice president; Hugh E. Gebhardt, second vice president; James Lane, recording secretary; Thomas Spiva, corresponding secretary; David McMillin, treasurer; Roy James Nester, Jr., alumni secretary; Richard K. Funk, parliamentarian; Berton F. Young, historian; and Frank Markey, chaplain.

Alpha Phi Omega . . . is a service organization of college men who assemble weekly to develop lasting friendships and promote service to humanity. Delta Omega chapter at the University requires of its members a previous training in scouting, a desire to render service to others, and a satisfactory scholastic standing.

Activities for the Alpha Phi Omega chapter include the Homecoming Bonfire, the Bayou Queen show in Frontier Fiesta, election polls, Thanksgiving dinner for St. Anthony's Old Folks Home, and the sale of football programs.



Alpha Phi Omega spring officers are Ken Evans, president; Phil Coleman, first vice president; Dick Funk, second vice president; Bert Young, treasurer; Harold Niemann, recording secretary; Tommy Spiva, corresponding secretary; Jim Nester, alumni secretary; John Ledbetter, chaplain; Gerard Turner, historian; and Bill McKay, parliamentarian.



Back: Osborne, Hedges, Cooper. Second row: Ashley, Buehner, Norris, Watson. Front: Crittenden, DeMoney, Wilmoth, Adams, Norris.

Members of the Christian Science Organization at the University seek to welcome and unite the Christian Scientists in closer ties of Christian fellowship.

Arranging display cases of Christian literature, conducting free public lectures on Christian Science, having Thursday evening meetings and holding Open House for new members of the club were this year's main functions.

Christian Science officers are John Ashley, president; Betty Adams, vice president; Marlene DeMoney, secretary; Jack Cooper, treasurer; Betty Adams, assemblyman; Marlene DeMoney, religious council representative; and Tom Osborne and Doris Wilmoth, readers.

## Christian Science Organization Conducts Public Lectures

# Radio — TV Guild Guide KUHF



Guild members gather at the usual Friday meeting in the tower studios of KUHT and KUHF on the fifth floor of "Zeke."



The Board of Directors, Robert Levy, Joy Chambers, Janet Baass and Chairman John Price keep the station on the air.

The Radio-Television Guild, an organization for students interested in broadcasting, plan and present programs for Radio Station KUHF at the University, operate the technical functions and arrange for the nightly educational lectures.

The Guild works under the supervision of a Board of Directors, elected from the group.

# Distributive Education Club Commences Sixth Year

Beginning its sixth year as a professional organization at the University, the Distributive Education Club has become one of the most outstanding groups at the Downtown School.

Distributive Education students take part in numerous student activities, work full-time in the Houston area and hold many social functions.



The Distributive Education officers are Johnny Austin, president, and H. D. Garrett, vice president.

Back row: Smith, Borschow, Morris, Botsford, Vickers, Brandt, Rains. Fourth row: McCorquodale, King, Silwedel, Neighbors, Carney, York, Burns. Third row: Ramon, Blinker, Dawson, Willie, Bryant, Patamore, Bosworth, Swaim. Second row: Cox, Niles, Pounds Greer, Wortham, Caldwell, Cumbaa. First row: Young, Counts, Humphries, Austin, Barnes, Pye, Johnson.

# Drafting Students Plan Dragan Society Barbecue



Day Group

Dragan Society officers are R. D. Barton, president; G. W. Covert, vice president; Herbert Morioka, secretary-treasurer of Night group; F. G. Bokemeyer, vice president of Night group; G. E. Brooks, secretary-treasurer of Day group; Roy Church, assemblyman; and Cecil Greiger, alternate assemblyman.

The Dragan Society, a professional drafting organization at the University, promotes and encourages good fellowship through social, athletic and entertainment activities.

Although the day students and the night students hold separate meetings, they do work together on Homecoming, Frontier Fiesta, and their annual barbecue. At the end of the year, the Dragan Society awards an Inter-Club scholarship and a Hughes Tool scholarship.



Night Group

# Speech Students Enter Forensic Society Tourney

The Forensic Society at the University encourages participation in all phases of speech on the campus and during competitive meets with other colleges and universities.

Specially planned panels, forums, poetry readings and debates highlight Forensic's weekly meetings. Members of the organization are members of the competition speech teams and represent the University in intercollegiate contests.

Forensic officers are Donald Alford, president; Dick Zaner, vice-president; Gloria Goat-cher, secretary; and Richard Morrow, treasurer. The sponsor is Dr. Robert L. Scott.



Back: Zaner, Williams, Morrow. Third row: Parker, Spell, Ledbetter, Mize, Neibel, Fullenweider, Bobkoff. Second row: Walter, Mize, J.; Dubose, Roberts, Terry, Olian. Front row: Alford, Broad, Goat-cher, Stallings, Scott, Sponsor.



Bertram, Carol  
Bigelow, Nancy  
Blasdel, Mary Beth  
Clauder, Lillian



Eddings, Donnie  
Fischer, Betty  
Hartman, Wilma  
Hillman, Cookie  
Holcomb, Jo Beth

# Gamma Sigma Sigma's Officiate at Polls

The Gamma Sigma Sigma officers are Ginny Booz, president; Donnie Eddings, vice-president; Lillian Clouder, secretary; and Martha Webber, treasurer.

To assemble college or university women in the spirit of service to humanity . . . is the purpose of Gamma Sigma Sigma, National Service Sorority.

This year Alpha chapter, led by Ginny Booz, took a first-place with their float in the Homecoming parade. Pledges headed by Jo Beth Holcombe worked at election booths, held candy sales, ushered at Career Day, took part in Frontier Fiesta and held several dinners and coffees.



GINNY BOOZ  
*President*

Jackman, Margaret  
McAdams, Gayle



McMillan, Sally  
Melnick, Ethel Lynn



Rhodes, Ruth Marie  
Samford, Jeanette



Schulze, Lila  
Sellers, Dana



Scrogin, Dolores  
Scrogin, Virginia



Hillel Society, a religious organization on the campus, serves the religious and social needs of the students of the Jewish faith.

Organized at the University in 1951, Hillel takes part in campus functions, Homecoming and Frontier Fiesta. Each semester the group meets weekly, holds dinners and parties, and provides baskets for needy children during the year.

Hillel officers are Sylvan Rubin, president; Jack Babchick, vice-president; Hilda Ginsberg, corresponding secretary; Sara Terk, recording secretary; Marvin Sondock, treasurer; and Dr. Stanley Siegel, advisor.

## Hillel Society Welcomes New Jewish Students



Back row: Sachs, Mellon, Shaw, Hecht, Greenberg, Gurin, Bobkoff. Second row: Simon, Marshall, Silberg, Rosenthal, Goldman, Siverman, Levy, Broad. First row: Siegel, Sondock, Terk, Rubin, Ginsberg, Babchick.



# Inter-Dorm Council Plan Residents' Socials



Composed of residents from Bates, Law, Taub, and Settegast dorms, the Inter-Dorm Council sponsors social and educational activities for the four University dorms and their residents.

Among the Council's functions are dances, parties, movies, inter-dorm athletics, a Christmas Ball, the underprivileged children's party and a Halloween party.

Back: Gerry Finberg, Martha Short, Al Belenger, Frank Mize. Front: Nancy Olson, Sam Shomer, Dana Glover, Allen White.

Members of the Inter-Dorm Council are Joyce Crump, Al Erickson, Gerry Finberg, Dana Glover, Barbara Haynes, Jane Hendricks, Sandy Kimbriel, Frank Mize, Jask Nonn, Nancy Olson, Martha Short, and Alan White.



Hartman, Wilma  
Lacy, Ben  
Makulu, Firuz

Thompson, Billy  
Pyne, Charles  
Urbrock, Don

## KAM Members Attend Photo Convention

On receiving an invitation to become a member of Kappa Alpha Mu, a student is awarded recognition for displaying outstanding talent in the field of photo-journalism.

University KAM members shoot pictures for the Cougar, student newspaper; Houstonian, yearbook; Frontier Fiesta, and various organizational functions. National KAM awards have been given to University students for photography work entered in national competition.

At the KAM convention at the University of Oklahoma this spring, these college photo-journalists from all over the country were encouraged to uphold the highest ideals of the professional magazine, newspaper and free lance photographer.

The KAM officers are Donald Wakefield, president; Don Uhrbrock, vice-president; Kitty Fox, secretary; Firuz Makulu, treasurer; and Ralph Poling, sponsor.



DON WAKEFIELD  
*President*

Sigma Delta Chi, the national journalism fraternity, lent financial support to the Houston Journalism Assembly this year in addition to many other service projects. The 1955 national convention in Chicago was attended by the sponsor, Bruce Underwood and the president, Don Wakefield. Wakefield succeeded last year's president on the national and state executive councils.

Membership in SDX is limited to junior and senior journalism majors who maintain a "B" average in journalism.

Ted Nance served as vice president this year with W. D. Oana as secretary, John Pate as treasurer and Sue Zanne Myers as Sweetheart.



SUEZANNE MYERS  
*SDX Sweetheart*

Balione, John  
Block, Farris  
Brumley, Richard  
Ferguson, Mike



Lacy, Ben  
Lacy, Edward  
Makulu, Firuz  
Nance, Ted



Oana, W. Dan  
Thompson, Billy  
Uhrbrock, Don  
Wakefield, Don



## SDX Aids Journalism Assembly

# Lanyard Club Encourages Intramural Activities



BETTY ALLEN, *President*

Lanyard Club officers are Betty Allen, president; Darlene McCue, vice-president; Mary Raby, secretary; Arline Dotson, treasurer; and Mrs. Ray Co, Miss Elizabeth Closs and Miss Susan Garrison, sponsors.

To further sports activities of the Physical Education Department . . . and to stimulate intramural activities among all other campus organizations . . . is the object of the Lanyard Club.

Members of the Lanyard Club also perform many service projects at the University, direct the Senior high school and College Play Day, enter Fiesta, and hold Open House throughout the year.



Standing: McCue, Raby, Dotson. Seated: Allen.



Holcomb, Hope  
Marshall, Ann  
Sans, Dolores

Hopkins, Jencee  
Meredith, Jane  
Underwood, Martha

Hornsby, Carole  
Raby, Mary  
Wallace, Betty

McKinney, Joann  
Rodgers, Wynelle  
Wallin, Carolyn



Bowlin, Dorothy Ann



Dotson, Arline



Eustace, Elaine



Gomez, Lily

Council officers are Dana Glover, president; Suzanne Myers, vice-president; Julia Shaddock, secretary-treasurer; Shirley Canaday, social chairman; and Mrs. Helen Shomer and Mrs. Marie O'Keefe, sponsors.



Back row: Bryant, Ward, Jester. Second row: Shaddock, Myers, Shomer, Glover, Canaday. Front row: Olson, Schubert, Chambers.

When there's a Saturday morning coffee, you can be sure that the Dormitory Council of Law Hall had a great deal to do with the success of the function.

Along with the Council's duties as governing body of the dorm, it sponsors seasonal dances, an open house at Christmas, scholarships for deserving residents, the annual senior breakfast; and sends delegates to the State Women's Government Convention.

Members of the Dormitory Council are elected by residents of Law Hall.

## Law Celebrates With Big Christmas Ball

# LSA Sponsors Spur'n Stirrup

Lutheran Student Association officers are Bill Achgill, president; Ernest Piersall, vice president; and Katharine Bartsch, secretary-treasurer.

To win souls for Christ . . . to strengthen and sustain this Christian faith . . . is the purpose of the Lutheran Student Association.

Any student or faculty member of the University who is interested in the study, worship, recreation, witnessing, and service of LSA is welcomed.

Under the direction of Miss Jane Jackson, the young people sponsor Spur'n Stirrup in Fiesta, a monthly newspaper, and regular Bible studies.



Back row: Hlavaty, Jones, Hensel, Wehmeyer, Canion, Nelson. Second row: Paul, Voaler, Norstog, Alger. Front row: Amelang, Bartsch, Achgill, Williams, Piersoll.

# Wesley Meets at Riverside Church



Back row: Winfrey, Woodward, Smith, R., Smith, J., Palmer, Esterbrook, Palmer, Culver. Second row: Avent, Nichols, Arendale, Redding, Carter Hensarling Nichols. Front row: Harrison, Jester, Howe, Darby, Fletcher.

Maxie Jester is president of Wesley Foundation and George Avent is the director.

Wesley Foundation, one of the most outstanding religious groups for more than ten years, seeks to make Christ known in the University.

Functions of the Methodist group include the weekly meeting featuring well-known speakers, daily discussions, the Collegiate Class Sunday School at Riverside Methodist Church, and counseling conferences.

# Pep Club Flashes Vie With Nation's Best

The Pep Club is open to any student wishing to further school spirit activities on the campus. One of its outstanding activities is the organization of the flash card section at football games.

The Pep Club sponsored the first Freshman Handbook, Basketball Queen Contest, and the Annual Award Banquet.



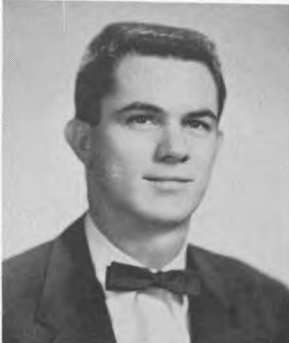
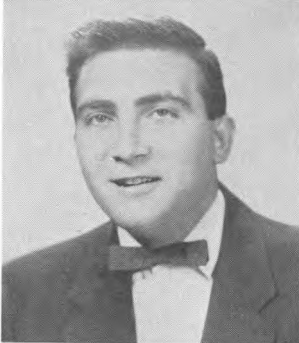
Back row: Davis, Wilson, Holmburg, Woodsmall, Pettit, Davis, Luce. Second row: Wishnow, McConnel, Freeman, Glover, Collins, Melnick, Kuhn, Wallis, Dean. Front row: Eslinger, Janca, Faris, Molinaire, Owen, Duran.

The Pep Club was led by Doyle Owen, president; Scot Eslinger, vice-president; Carol Bertram, secretary; Joe Janca, treasurer; Bill Molinaire, parliamentarian.

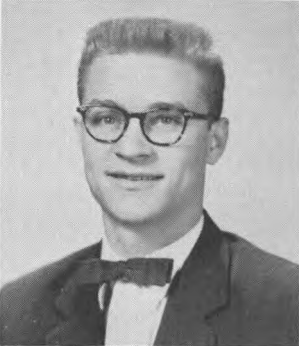
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Bodan, Alvin  
Brothers, Hugh



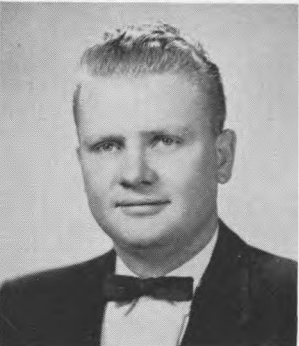
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Harrell, Doyle



Kroeger, Don  
McCoy, Quillen



Svoboda, Eddie



Organized in 1874 as a National Pharmaceutical Professional Fraternity, Phi Delta Chi seeks to serve the individual College of Pharmacy and to strengthen inter-professional relations.

Alpha Tau chapter, which was organized April 9, 1951, and is now the only chapter in Texas, requires a scholarship average of 1.35 or higher at time of admission into the fraternity and a full-time course load in the College of Pharmacy.

Phi Delta Chi officers are Doyle Harrell, president; William Gee, vice president; Hugh Brothers, treasurer; Quillen McCoy, secretary; Al Bodan, master-of-arms; Cecil LeBas, chaplain; and Bill Burgus, historian.

## U.H. Boasts Only Chapter of Phi Delta Chi in Texas





Back: Melnick, Theiler, Rizer, Young, Jordan, Lewis, Morris, Johnson, Hammer, Borschow, Turner, Spell, Zaner, Manning Ahrenbeck. Second row: Wihlborg, McIlwain, Barton, Smith, Hays, Bartsch, Kribs, Brown, Heffer, Mueller. Front row: Moore, Spencer, Stephenson, Hakemack, Ebaugh, Kuenstler, Rosa, Davis, Santi, Duncan.

Phi Theta Kappa officers are Charlotte Kuenstler, president; C. B. Stephenson, first vice president; Pat Stallings, second vice president; Ruth Heffer, secretary; Peggy Hakemack, historian; Jimmy Lewis, assemblyman; and Mrs. Jean Rosa, sponsor.

## Phi Theta Kappa Plans Annual Spring Initiation

High scholarship . . . good fellowship . . . dynamic school spirit . . . these are the aims of Phi Theta Kappa, a National Junior Honorary Fraternity.

Founded on the campus in 1945, Phi Theta Kappa has become one of the outstanding scholastic honoraries at the University. Each year they hold a spring initiation, promote school projects, and hold numerous socials.

# Press Association Sells Fiesta Gazette

Press Association members like to write . . . they're ardent supporters of worthwhile University functions . . . and they hold numerous social functions during the year.

Journalism majors and staff members of the Houstonian and Cougar comprise the Press Association's membership. The organization's campus activities include selling tickets and ushering for Varsity Varieties, distributing yearbooks, selling the Fiesta Gazette, and holding several dinner parties for new members.



Back: Pate, Lacy, Long, Brumbly, McCrystal, Davis, Ferguson, Deutch, Pyne. Front row: Wakefield, Ferguson, Noel, Makulu, Oana.

Press Association officers are Marte Noel, president; Bill Vance, vice president; Margie Ann McCrystal, secretary; Nancy Bigelow, treasurer; Ben Lacy, sergeant-at-arms; Lynn Del Davis, assemblyman; Dan Oana, assemblyman; Suzanne Myers and Sonia Sands, social chairmen and Ed Ferguson, sponsor.

# Stock and Stolon Club Ready for Outlaw Ride



Officers

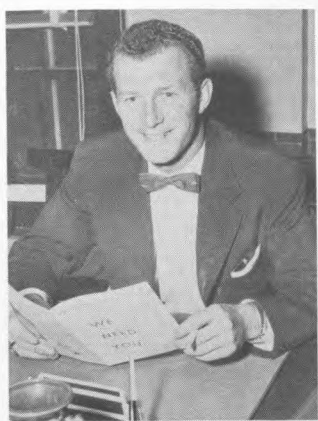
Producer of the "World's Largest Intercollegiate Rodeo" and a participating member of the Houston Fat Stock Show . . . this is Stock and Stolon.

They participate in virtually every local agricultural program on and off the campus. Their active social schedule includes dances, hayrides and beach parties. Frontier Fiesta, Homecoming, the Outlaw Ride and Career Day also draws Stock and Stolon members to take part.

Formed in 1949 by the Agricultural Department, Houston Chamber of Commerce, and the Houston Farm and Ranch Club, the club strives to promote fraternal association in all Gulf Coast agriculture.



# STUDENT COUNCIL



ANDY ANDERSON  
*President*

Back: Ledbetter, Loveless, Little, Christiansen, Gaines. Front row: Babchick, Jackman, Anderson, Hillman, Slaughter. Not shown: Sikes, Ballinger, Kuhn, Smith, Edwards, Syntchk, Sweeton.

The Student Council is the upper house of Student Government and is concerned with improving the existing Student Government and school spirit. Its officers consist of President, Vice President and Secretary, all elected by general election.

The body is made up of each class president and a representative of each college. One of the main school functions of the year, the Junior-Senior Prom, is planned and co-ordinated by the Student Council.

## Council, Assembly Legislate, Debate



Assembly members gather in Oberholtzer Hall for discussion.

The lower legislative house of Student Government in which all legislation is introduced . . . is the Student Assembly.

The president of every organized campus organization of the University is a member. Organizations composed of more than twenty active members are entitled to send a second representative to the Assembly.



BOB HINES  
*President*

# STUDENT ASSEMBLY

# Theta Sigma Phi Sponsors Campus Publicity Clinic

Hartman, Wilma  
Hayes, Jackie



Maxwell, Vera  
Noel, Marte



Pittman, Peggy  
Russell, Betty



Sweeton, Nancie



Theta Sigma Phi officers are Peggy Pittman, president; and Jackie Hayes, vice president.

To unite women engaged in journalism . . . to confer honor upon women who distinguish themselves in journalism or letters . . . to achieve definite standards in these fields and improve working conditions for women in them . . . and to inspire members to greater individual effort . . . these are the objectives of Theta Sigma Phi, a National Professional Honorary for Women in Journalism.

Founded at the University of Washington on April 8, 1909, Theta Sig makes an annual \$500 award for special journalism projects.

The badge is a gold linotype matrix, displaying in a torch the letters of Theta Sigma Phi.

In February, Theta Sig sponsored a Campus Publicity Clinic for student organizations. Several outstanding Houston journalists were guests, along with editors of University publications.



Members of the University of Houston Optometric Society

## Optometrists Participate in Better Vision Week

Open to any student in the School of Optometry, the society promotes interest in the field of optometry and acts as a fraternity for those students.

During the year the group sponsored displays for the library, a visual screening program during Better Vision Week, the annual "Beauty in Glasses" contest, and outstanding speakers.

Meetings are held twice monthly.

An Advisory Committee is maintained to solve student problems in studies and employment.

Bennett C. Wray served as president along with Jesse Jackson, vice president; Patterson, secretary; James McGinn, sergeant-at-arms; Tommy Hughes, treasurer and Dr. D. B. Carter, sponsor.

# Engineering Societies Slate Educational Functions



The University of Houston Society of Engineers seeks to bring together all engineering students for technical and social betterment. They take part in Frontier Fiesta and Homecoming, and hold several barbeques and award dinners during the year.

The society is open to all engineering students presently enrolled in the University.

The officers are Bob Kelly, president; Clyde Johnstone, vice president; Weldon Mayse, secretary; Jeff Hooks, treasurer; Frank Weeden, Chief Engineer; Bill Reich, Bruce Richards, Jerald Price, and Marcus Owings, Board members.

## UHSE . . .

Electrical engineering officers are Don Albertson, president; Bob Theodore, vice president; George Fridel, secretary; Ben Alley, treasurer; and T. N. Whitaker, W. T. Kittinger, and W. L. Anderson, sponsors.



The University's Society of Electrical Engineers, a joint student branch of the Institute of Radio Engineers and the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, began its active program by taking field trips to various engineering companies and inviting outstanding Houston speakers to their bi-monthly meetings.

The electrical engineers worked on the wiring and electrical equipment for the "Plugged Nickel."

## UHSEE . . .



Mary Davis, Betty Nel Johnson and Carolyn Greenwood go over their parts during rehearsal.

The University of Houston Chorus, under the direction of Dr. Merrills Lewis, is composed of many of the finest singers on the campus. The Chorus seeks to improve the quality of ensemble singing at the University of Houston and at the same time provide students with an opportunity to gain experience in choral singing. The Chorus uses the best choral literature in its concerts.

During the school year, the Chorus sang at football games, student assemblies, out-of-town concerts, and with the Houston Symphony. At Christmas the group presented their annual concert in the auditorium of the Ezekiel Cullen Building. Officers are Gordon Brown, president; Lee McDow, vice president; Arthur D'Albergo, treasurer; Lila Schultz and Bonnie Alger, assemblymen.

## University Chorus Presents Annual Christmas Concert



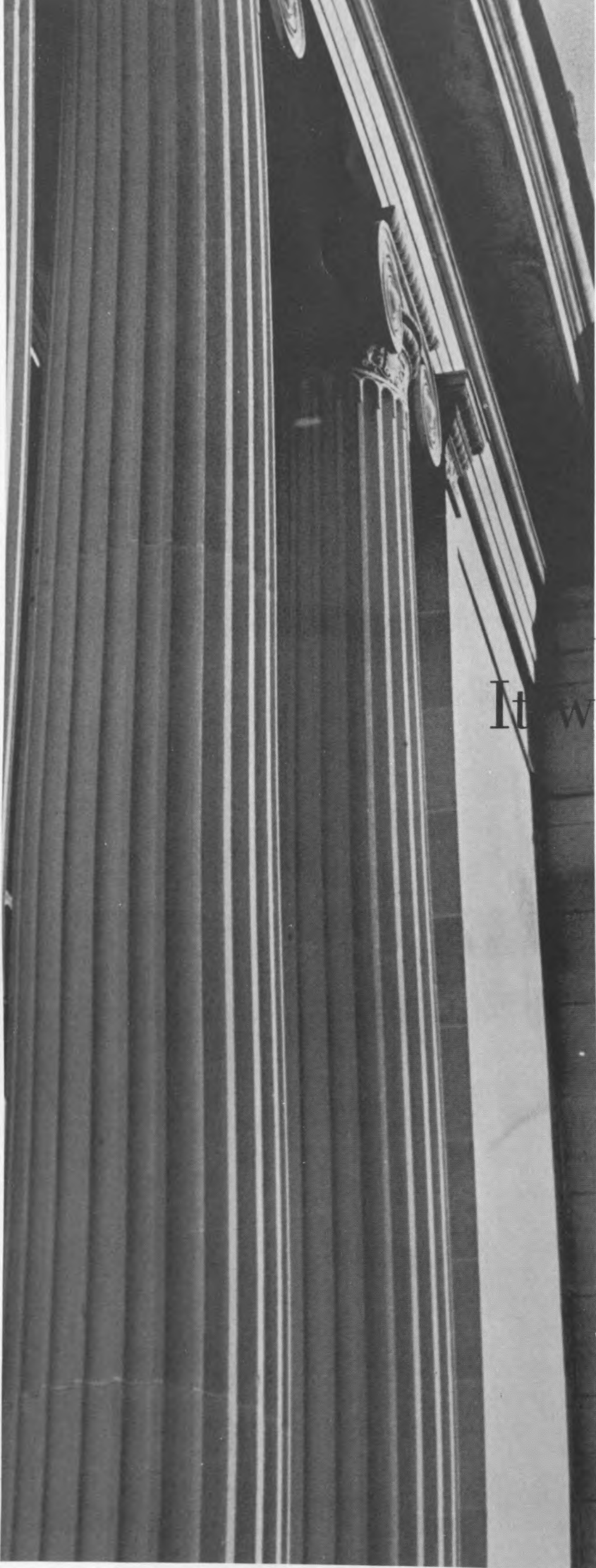
Dr. Merrills Lewis directs the University of Houston Chorus.





Greeks





## It was worth it . . .

“Yet the timeless in you is aware  
of life’s timelessness, And knows  
that yesterday is but today’s memory  
and tomorrow is today’s dream.”

The Prophet  
Kahlil Gibran

In the case of the Greeks . . . here . . .  
at the University . . . yesterday’s dream  
at last has emerged into a lasting  
reality . . . in the form of national  
chapters of fourteen fraternities  
and eight sororities. To each Greek  
the change meant more than new  
Greek letters on the windshield of  
their car . . . it meant an entirely  
new concept of brotherhood . . . a  
concept so much more captivating than  
that of the local groups . . . Not that  
the local groups were insignificant . . .  
they weren’t . . . for they were  
the building blocks from which each  
national erected the new  
chapters of those age old groups.  
It was a long dusty road from the  
clubless campus of 1938 to the  
campus of 1956 . . . yes, long, but  
intensely colorful . . . then the dream  
came true . . . and everybody went  
back to work to prove that  
it was worth it.

Interfraternity Council seeks to teach men how to live and work together, striving by precept and example for the personal development of the individual in the training of mind and body. It carries forward the fundamental purposes of education, adding a fraternal influence for correct living and individual development.



## IFC Governs Fraternity Groups . . .

### DELTA CHI . . .



Delta Chi was founded at Cornell University in the spring of 1890 . . . to promote friendship, develop character, advance justice and assist in obtaining for its members a sound education.

### DELTA SIGMA PHI . . .

Delta Sigma Phi was founded at the College of the City of New York in 1899. Trophies are awarded by the national organization to the chapter having the highest scholastic average and to the chapter which has made the greatest scholastic improvement.





## Kappa Alpha Order . . .

Kappa Alpha was founded at Washington College in 1865, during Robert E. Lee's first term as president of the college.

The present badge consists of one gold shield superimposed upon another; it has a Greek cross of gold within the circle and above are the letters "KA" in gold on a black field. The colors are crimson and old gold; the flowers, the magnolia and the red rose.

## Lambda Chi Alpha . . .

Lambda Chi Alpha, a fraternity based on democratic and progressive principles, was founded at Boston University in 1909.

The fraternity sponsors an inter-chapter competition, called the Tetrathlon, based on scholarship, morale, achievement in campus activities and internal organization.



## Phi Epsilon Pi . . .

Founded at the College of the City of New York in 1904, the fraternity of Phi Epsilon Pi seeks to promote a love for higher learning and close friendship, to cultivate a spirit of unselfish fellowship, and to exert throughout life an influence tending to more manly character, higher idealism, and tolerance of mind and spirit inspired of universal brotherhood.



## Phi Kappa . . .

Founded at Brown University in 1889, Phi Kappa is distinguished from other social fraternities in that it lays down as a first principle the fellowship of faith. This means that the men living together in our colleges and universities are banded together to stand and uphold their Catholicity in the very face of unbelief and wavering religious convictions. The colors are white and gold. The flower is the ophelia rose.



## Phi Sigma Kappa . . .

Founded in 1873 at the University of Massachusetts upon the promotion of friendship, the development of character and the stimulation of scholarship . . . this is Phi Sigma Kappa. The colors are silver and magenta. The flower is the red carnation.

## Pi Kappa Alpha . . .

Pi Kappa Alpha was founded at the University of Virginia on March 1, 1868.

The design of the badge is a shield of white surmounted by a diamond in black. Upon the diamond are the three capitals "Pi K A" in gold. In the corners of the shield are the small Greek letters. The colors of the fraternity are garnet and old gold, and the flower is the lily of the valley.



## Pi Kappa Phi . . .

Pi Kappa Phi was founded at the College of Charleston in South Carolina on December 10, 1904. The purpose of the fraternity is to promote fellowship and mutual trust among its members, and to uphold the traditions and ideals of the colleges where its chapters are located.



## Sigma Alpha Epsilon . . .

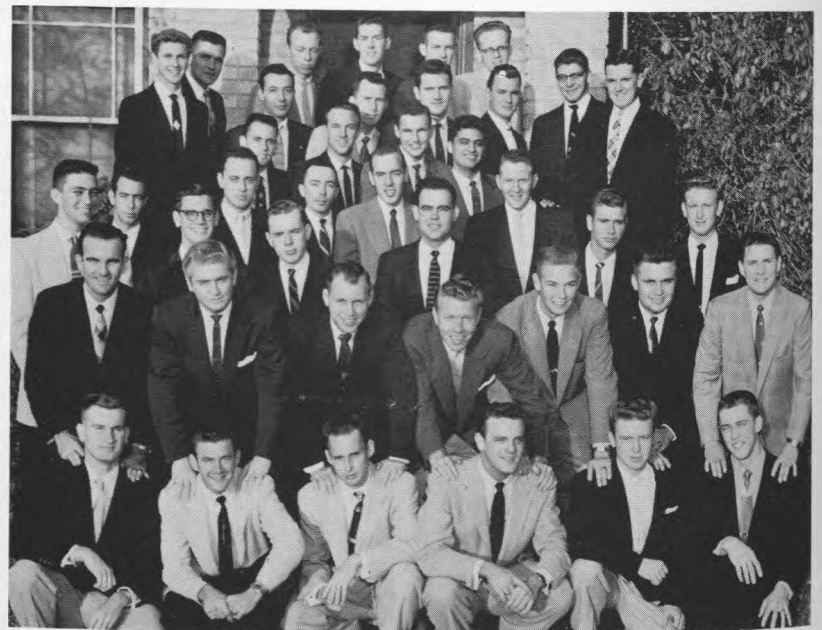
Sigma Alpha Epsilon was founded at the University of Alabama in 1856. One of the interesting incidents in the fraternity's history is the story of the woman member. In 1861, when all of the members of the chapter at the Kentucky Military Institute went to war, they left their ritual and other secret papers with a young Kentucky girl, Lucy Pattie. She kept the papers carefully and when the chapter was re-organized she was made a member of the fraternity and was held in high regard.



## Sigma Chi . . .

Sigma Chi originated at Miami University on June 28, 1855.

One of Sigma Chi's biggest assets is that most popular of all fraternity songs, "The Sweetheart of Sigma Chi," composed by F. Dudley Vernor in 1911 during his sophomore year at Albion College.





## Sigma Phi Epsilon . . .

Sigma Phi Epsilon was founded at the University of Richmond in 1901. It was one of the first fraternities to recognize the need of a traveling representative for the national fraternity, and in 1921 the office of field secretary was created.

## Sigma Nu . . .

Sigma Nu originated from the Legion of Honor, a secret society organized in 1868 at Virginia Military Institute in Lexington, Virginia. The real and permanent growth of Sigma Nu began early in the second decade with the establishment of chapters at North Georgia College and at Washington and Lee.



## Tau Kappa Epsilon . . .

Tau Kappa Epsilon was founded in 1899 at Illinois Wesleyan University.

The Teke's flower is the red carnation; the jewel is the white pearl; the colors are cherry and gray.

# Women's Fraternal Council Plan Rush, January Greek Formal



Back row: Miles, Rubottom, Ebaugh, Butler, Woodruff. Second row: Stallings, Hicks, Hinson. Front row: Bowman, Schubert, Broyles.

The Women's Fraternal Council is the Panhellenic organization on the campus. Established to maintain a high plane fraternity life and inter-fraternity relationship . . . to co-operate with college authorities in their effort to maintain high social, scholastic standards throughout the whole college . . . and to be a forum for the discussion of questions of interest to the college and fraternity world, W.F.C. follows the same pattern as National Panhellenic and carries on special functions.

Women's Fraternal Council officers are Verna Mae Hicks, president, Zeta Tau Alpha; Margaret Jackman, vice president, Alpha Phi; Barbara Hinson, treasurer, Chi Omega; Mary Lou Daniels, recording secretary, Phi Mu; Pat Butler, corresponding secretary, Delta Zeta; and Janet Rubottom, parliamentarian, Delta Gamma.



Barbara Hinson, Treasurer; Pat Butler, Secretary; Janet Rubottom, Parliamentarian; Verna Mae Hicks, President.





A Chi O's are Annette Trigg, Amy Wooley, Joy Miller, Sue Gibson, and Mrs. Eugene Bettig, seated.

# Alpha Chi Omega Awarded Outstanding Organization Trophy



Baird, Bonnie  
Bearden, Margaret  
Bowman, Nancy



Cordier, Elaine  
Craig, Nancy  
Creager, Beverly



Currie, Jerry  
Dacus, Myrna  
Dobbs, Janet



Donisi, Suzanne  
Gibson, Sue  
Glass, Bicky

# ALPHA CHI OMEGA

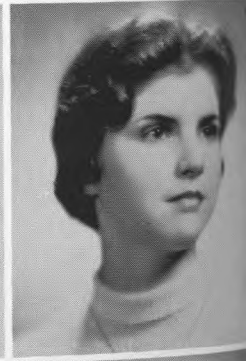


Founded at DePauw University on October 15, 1885, Alpha Chi Omega seeks to advance the intellectual, social and moral culture of the members.

The altruistic work of Alpha Chi Omega has been built upon the ideal of service to others. During World War I the fraternity adopted 157 French war orphans. At the 1922 national convention, Distinguished Service Medals were awarded to 27 members in recognition of their war work overseas.

A Chi O's activities include work with the Sig Eps on Homecoming, Mother and Daughter Tea, Pink Formal, Bay party, Pledge Line, and serenades.

Winners of the Outstanding Organization Trophy, the sorority was led by Lyla Woodruff, president; Shirley Schubert, vice president; Charlotte Harris, vice president; Lou Morton, recording secretary; Sue Morton, corresponding secretary; Nancy Bowman, treasurer; Dana Glover, parliamentarian; and Jerry Currie, historian.





The officers are Lou Morton, Nancy Bowman, Sue Morton, and (seated) Shirley Schubert, Lyla Woodruff, and Charlotte Harris.



Glover, Dana  
Goatcher, Gloria  
Grunwald, Carole  
Halliburton, Holley  
Harris, Charlotte  
Joanen, Jeannine



McNerney, Susan  
Marcenaro, Ileana  
Matthews, Clara May  
Miller, Joy  
Morton, Lou  
Morton, Sue



Pavrides, Marian  
Peterson, Marcie  
Pounds, Sandra  
Randall, Janet  
Rayzor, June  
Romeo, Charlotte  
Sanders, Mary Elizabeth



Schubert, Shirley  
Shaddock, Julia  
Sturtevant, Joan  
Toney, Beverly  
Trigg, Annette  
Ward, Petty  
Woodruff, Lyla Lee  
Woolley, Amy



# Hawaiian Rush Parties

## Highlight Alpha Delta Pi

Reflections and flowers are cast in the pool as the A. D. Pi's rush Hawaiian style during the fall.

Adamcik, Jane  
Birkellbach, Shirley  
Brannon, Nell  
Bryant, Mae Martin  
Burch, Ann  
Canaday, Shirley  
Caroon, Carol  
Chambers, Sue  
Chinn, Suzanne



Coley, Jane  
Collins, Martha  
Cooper, Martha  
Curry, Murelle  
Duson, Max Ann  
Ford, Mimi  
Freeman, Beverly  
Freeman, Dorothy  
Gilmer, Peggy



Glenn, Dorothy Jean  
Hart, Carolyn  
Jennett, Dorothy  
Lair, Phyllis  
Melancon, Connie  
Miller, Carol  
Moore, Sandra  
Morriss, Peggy  
Nerger, LaNelle



Alpha Delta Pi, as the first sisterhood for college women, appropriately had its birthplace at Wesleyan Female College, Macon, Georgia, which is the oldest women's college in the world. There on May 15, 1851, a group of young women acting as charter members, organized this secret group under the name "Adelphean Society." From the day of its founding, the fraternity has been bound by the covenant that only girls who may commend themselves for their intellectual and moral work, dignity of character, and property of development, could

be taken into membership.

Activities include Homecoming, "Crow's Nest" in Fiesta, a spring formal, a summer bay party, and Christmas boxes.

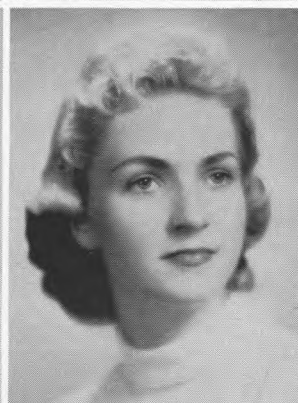
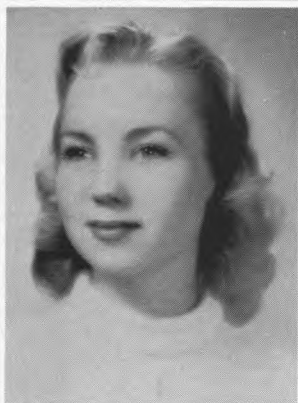
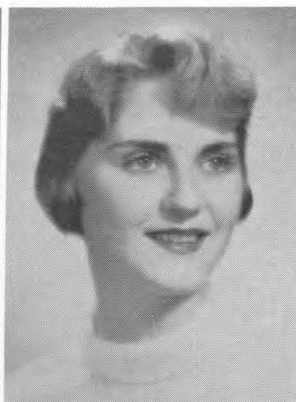
The officers are Mimi Ford, president; Carolyn Hart, vice president; Carol Newman, recording secretary; Peggy Gilmer, corresponding secretary; Jane Coley, treasurer; Sue Chambers, historian; Beverly Freeman, parliamentarian; Mary Newsum, publicity chairman; Martha Collins, chaplain; and Nancy Spencer, song leader. The sponsor is Miss Doris Saither.



# ALPHA DELTA PI



Mimi Ford, Jane Coley, Peggy Gilmer, Carolyn Hart, Miss Saither, Carol Newman.



Newman, Carol  
Reidy, Donna  
Thomas, Hesse

Newsum, Mary  
Smith, Alice  
White, Kitty

Perry, Carolyne  
Spencer, Nancy  
Wilson, Jacque

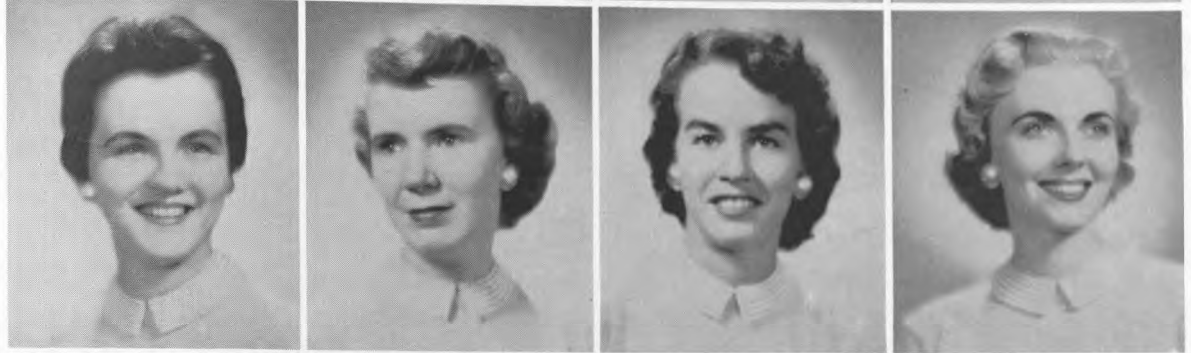
Poole, Fran  
Stanley, Nancy  
Wilson, Jean Ann

Wyatt, Sarah

Alcede, Patty  
 Arthur, Ann  
 Becker, Elan  
 Bertram, Carol



Blasdel, Mary Beth  
 Bond, Carolynne  
 Bowlin, Dottie  
 Branch, Angie



Breed, Carolyn  
 Carlile, Carolyn  
 Clarke, Anne  
 Clauder, Lillian



Craig, Carol  
 Curtis, Nance  
 Darden, Truby  
 De Haven, Jane



Eddings, Donnie  
 Gatlin, Frances



The Phi pledges get in the spirit as they learn an Alpha Phi song during pledge meeting.

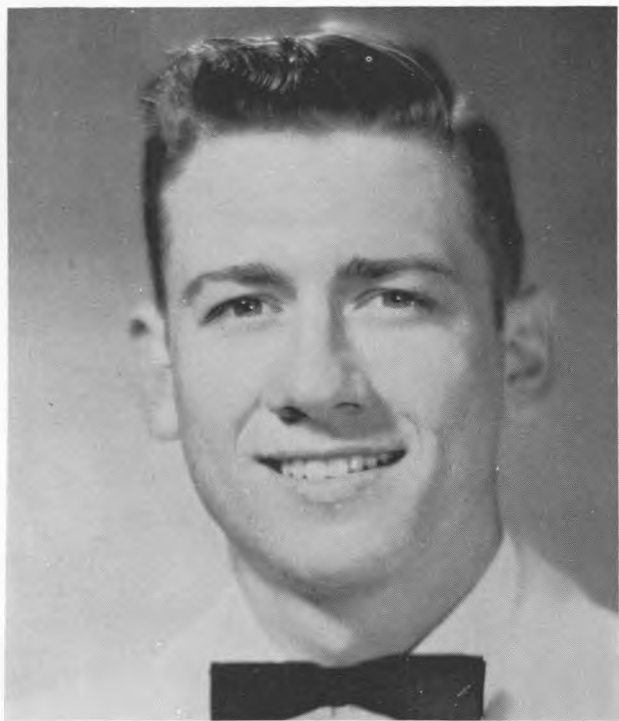
# Phis "Silver and Bordaux" Blend at Greek-Sing



Gilliam, Martha  
 Hendon, Bobbie  
 Hippen, Emily F.  
 Jones, Betty Carter

Goodrich, Martha  
 Higginbotham, Martha  
 Jackman, Margaret  
 Jones, Pat

Haynes, Ruth  
 Hillman, Cookie  
 Johnstone, Patsy  
 Joseph, Marinell



JOE JANCA  
*The 1955-56 Alpha Phi Man*







Khaled, Jo Ann  
 Matthews, Garland  
 Scrogin, Dolores  
 Sweeton, Nancie

Klein, Sandra  
 Parker, Joyce  
 Scrogin, Virginia  
 Underwood, Claire

Lampson, MaryJo  
 Pittman, Babs  
 Sellers, Dana  
 Walker, La Vert

Lester, Sherry  
 Repass, Ginger  
 Smith, Pat  
 Wohman, Ruth

Liddell, Susan  
 Scott, Judith  
 Sorsby, Jo  
 Young, Joan Sue

An early founding in 1872 at Syracuse University . . . this is Alpha Phi . . . whose colors Silver and Bordeaux . . . have come to have a dear and wonderful meaning to the new Gamma Lambda chapter.

Alpha Phi activities include Pledge Presentation, an outstanding float in Homecoming, Founder's Day, Mother and Daughter Christmas Tea, football intramurals, spring formal, and the "French Quarter" in Fiesta. Serenades, picnics, and dinners are given in the spring.

Alpha Phi officers are Margaret Jackman, president; JoAnn Khaled, first vice president; Jeanette Hillman, second vice president; Lillian Clauder, recording secretary; Joan Sue Young, corresponding secretary; Martha Goodrich, treasurer; Mary Beth Blasdel, historian; Carolyn Carlile, chaplain; Pat Smith, sergeant-at-arms; Garland Matthews, parliamentarian; Nancie Sweeton, *The Quarterly*; Dana Sellers, philanthropies; and Truby Darden, song leader.

# Chi Omegas Host Sadie Hawkins Dance



Alexander, Lucretia  
Axtell, Mary Lou  
Bell, Joanne  
Brady, Norma  
Brizzolara, Martha  
Cloud, Dorothy  
Conkling, Lynn

Courtin, Barbara  
Davies, Judy  
Davis, Anne  
Gatti, Catherine  
Gemoets, Nancy  
Hallette, Donna  
Harper, Paula

Hicks, Marsha  
Hinson, Barbara  
Holland, Patsy  
Hughes, Margaret  
Jackman, Louise  
Jarrell, Mary K.  
Kercheval, Annette

Logan, Jean  
McDonald, Katy  
Macey, Mary Ann  
Maida, Laureta  
Martino, Carolyn  
Miles, Mavalene  
Monday, Betty

Myers, Sue Zanne  
Olson, Nancy  
Pipes, Virginia  
Pyle, Barbara  
Redding, Mary Jo  
Rose, Peggy  
Saragusa, Mary Ann

Lil' Abner and Daisy Mae . . . Ed Gerlach and his band . . . Greeks galore . . . a great time for all at the Chi Omega's annual Sadie Hawkins Dance. This began the school year for the sorority founded in 1895 at the University of Arkansas. Since then Chi Omega has grown to be one of the most well-known of the social groups. Wearers of the gold monogram pin were led this year by Mavalene Miles, president; Peggy Rose, vice

president; Patsy Wells, recording secretary; Barbara Hinson, corresponding secretary; Margaret Hughes, treasurer; Donna Hallette, parliamentarian; Norma Brady, historian; Martha Brizzolara, sergeant-at-arms; Laureta Maida, social chairman; and Barbara Metzlec, chaplain. Sorority activities: Most Beautiful Float, '55, spring formal, Silver Moon in Fiesta, baskets for the needy, bay parties, and intramural sports.



Janet Reid and friend enjoy Chi O Hawkins Day.



Saragusa, Rosanette  
Schmidt, Ruby



Scott, Barbara  
Siler, Barbara



Skinner, Carroll  
Smith, Charlotte



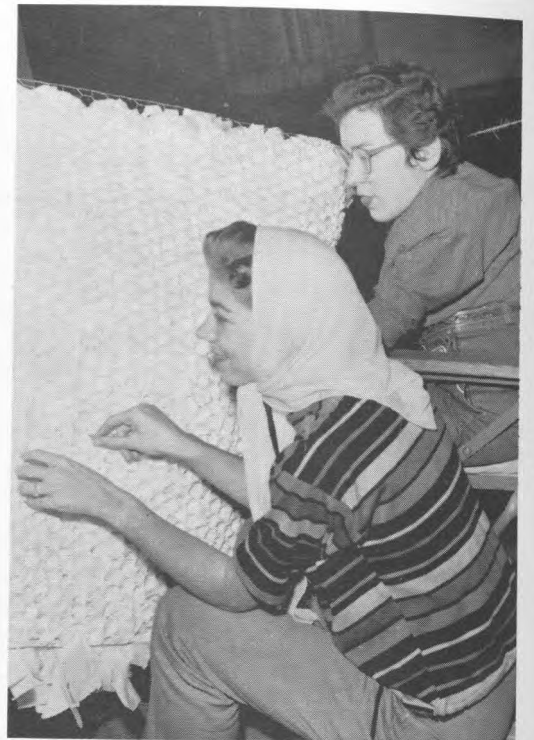
Strother, Dayna  
Tracy, Myrna



Veyon, Fay  
Walkup, Carolyn



Wells, Patsy  
Wilkinson, Judie



Float fever got the best of Carolyn Walkup and Patsy Wells late November 19.

## CHI OMEGA

# Zeta Tau Alpha Wins Top UH Float Award



Zeta Tau Alphas get together after their pledging to national.



Bartels, Nancy  
Broyles, Elaine

Bowers, Gail  
Cordell, Adrienne

Bowers, Shirlee  
Crump, Joyce

Boykin, Betty  
Edgil, Martha

Broghan, Jenny  
Eslinger, Mary L.

# ZETA TAU ALPHA



Fitzgerald, Barbara  
Kendall, Judy  
Morris, Janie  
Stallings, Pat

Gibbs, Sharlene  
Kimbriel, Sandy  
Olson, Carol  
Thompson, Joann

Goudeock, Dorothy  
Kuenstler, Charlotte  
O'Neill, Carolyn  
Trowell, Dotte



Outstanding Zetas



Harrison, Punky  
Landers, Kathleen  
Payne, Sue Ann  
Vernaci, Margaret

Hicks, Barbara Lou  
Leissner, Barbara  
Peterson, Wanda  
Wahlers, Judy

Hicks, Verna Mae  
Leslie, Margaret  
Putman, Beverly  
Walsh, Gerry

Hintz, Pat  
Minns, Marilyn  
Roberts, Evelyn  
Williams, Gayle

Holley, Jane  
Morgan, Pat  
Schutte, Arlette  
Wilson, Cecile

Yeo, Billie

Founded at Longwood College in Farmville, Virginia on October 15, 1898, Zeta Tau Alpha seeks to intensify friendships, foster a spirit of love, create such sentiments, perform such deeds, and mold such opinions as will conduce to the building up of a purer and nobler womanhood in the world. The flower is the white violet and the colors are blue and gray.

Zeta activities included a first place float in the Homecoming parade, Fiesta, Varsity

Varieties, a spring formal, and Christmas party.

The officers are Elaine Broyles, president; Joann Thompson, vice president; Janie Morris, second vice president; Dorthy Goude-lock, recording secretary; Charlotte Kuenstler, corresponding secretary; Dotte Trowell, treasurer; Verna Mae Hicks, WFS; Jane Holley, historian; and Barbara Hicks, sergeant-at-arms.



Mary Ann Geraghty, Janet Rubottom, and Ruth Rhodes sign the petition to go national.

## Delta Gammas Aid Handicapped Children

To foster high ideals of friendship among its members, to promote educational and cultural interests, and to develop a true sense of social responsibility . . . this is the purpose of Delta Gamma, founded in 1873 at Lewis School, Oxford, Mississippi.

Delta Gamma's major philanthropy is Sight Conservation and Aid to the Blind. In addition they offer financial loans and scholarships annually for study in orthopedics. The Gamma Sigma Chapter at the University works with the visually handicapped children at Blackshier School. Activity wise the DG's held pledge line, serenades, weekly supper meetings, a spring formal, and participated in Fiesta and Homecoming.

The chapter was headed by Mary Ann Geraghty, president; Janet Rubottom, vice president; Evelyn Kolar, recording secretary; Betty Russell, corresponding secretary; Arline Dotson, treasurer; Ruth Rhodes, standards chairman; Margaret Andrews, parliamentarian; Robin McDevitt, historian; Kay Waddell, activities; and Joyce Alford, social chairman.



The DG's serenade rushees.

Alford, Joyce  
Altman, Sandy  
Andrews, Margaret



Chapman, Sue  
Dotson, Arline  
Eresch, Kathleen



Faris, Carolyn  
Geraghty, Mary Ann  
Kingsbury, Cynthia



Knoor, Trudy  
Kolar, Evelyn  
Lindsay, Anne



McClellan, Shirley  
Rhodes, Ruth Marie  
Rubottom, Janet



Russell, Betty



Shannon, Kay



Thomas, Marilyn



Waddell, Kay

# UT State Day Lures Delta Zetas

When installation was held in February, 1956, the Delta Theta Chapter of Delta Zeta became the 80th chapter of this national sisterhood. Their founding, October 24, 1902, took place at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. The flower is the Killarney Rose, the colors . . . Old Rose and Vieux Green.

Throughout the school year, the Delta Zeta collegiate members and pledges work actively on their "Plugged Nickel" show in Fiesta, Pledge Line, Big and Little Sister Christmas party, Founder's Day, football intramurals, annual Rose Formal, Picnics, State Day at UT and Open House.



Adams, Betty  
Hartman, Wilma  
Odle, Virginia

Alger, Bonnie  
Haste, Marcia  
Olson, Carol

Allison, Reta  
Hrncir, Sandy  
Sable, Martha

Amelang, Doris  
Jenkins, Lady  
Salibo, Nancy

Bauknight, Bev  
LaFoe, Willette  
Skinner, Frances

Butler, Pat  
McDougald, Jean  
Tippitt, Kay

Cleavenger, C.  
Magness, Eloise  
Vann, Barbara





At the Christmas coffee are, left to right: Thelma Lipscomb, Jeanie McDougal, and Miss Ruth Creed. Back row: Carmen Clevenger and Doris Amelang.

The DZ officers are Pat Butler, president; Toni Fatta, vice president; Eloise Magness, second vice president; Bonnie Alger, treasurer; Rosie Villareal, historian; Virginia Odle, parliamentarian; Miss Isabel Gibson, Mrs. J a c o b Schultz, sponsors.



Conrad, C.  
Marasek, Mary  
Villareal, R.

Fatta, Toni  
Newsom, Donnie  
Wade, Elaine



Delta Zetas are, left to right, Wilma Hartman, Barbara Sheldon, Virginia Odle, Marcia Haste, and Mrs. Rhea Schultz, alumnae sponsor.



## Phi Mu Chapter Gives Tots Christmas Baskets



Lou Whilite is crowned  
King of Phi Mu  
by Charlotte Ferguson



Baass, Janet  
 Barnum, Sunny  
 Beaman, Bonnie  
 Chiapetta, Jane  
 Cockrell, Fran  
 Current, Lee



Daniel, Mary Lou  
 Heath, Mary Ellen  
 Holley, Dolores  
 Kubitz, Carol  
 McAdams, Gayle  
 Pittman, Peggy

Plunkett, Norma  
 Robinson, Margaret  
 Wallin, Carolyn  
 Wells, Helen  
 Williams, Jenene



Rushees scan Phi Mu scrapbook as Carol Kubitz and Janet Baass relate the activities.

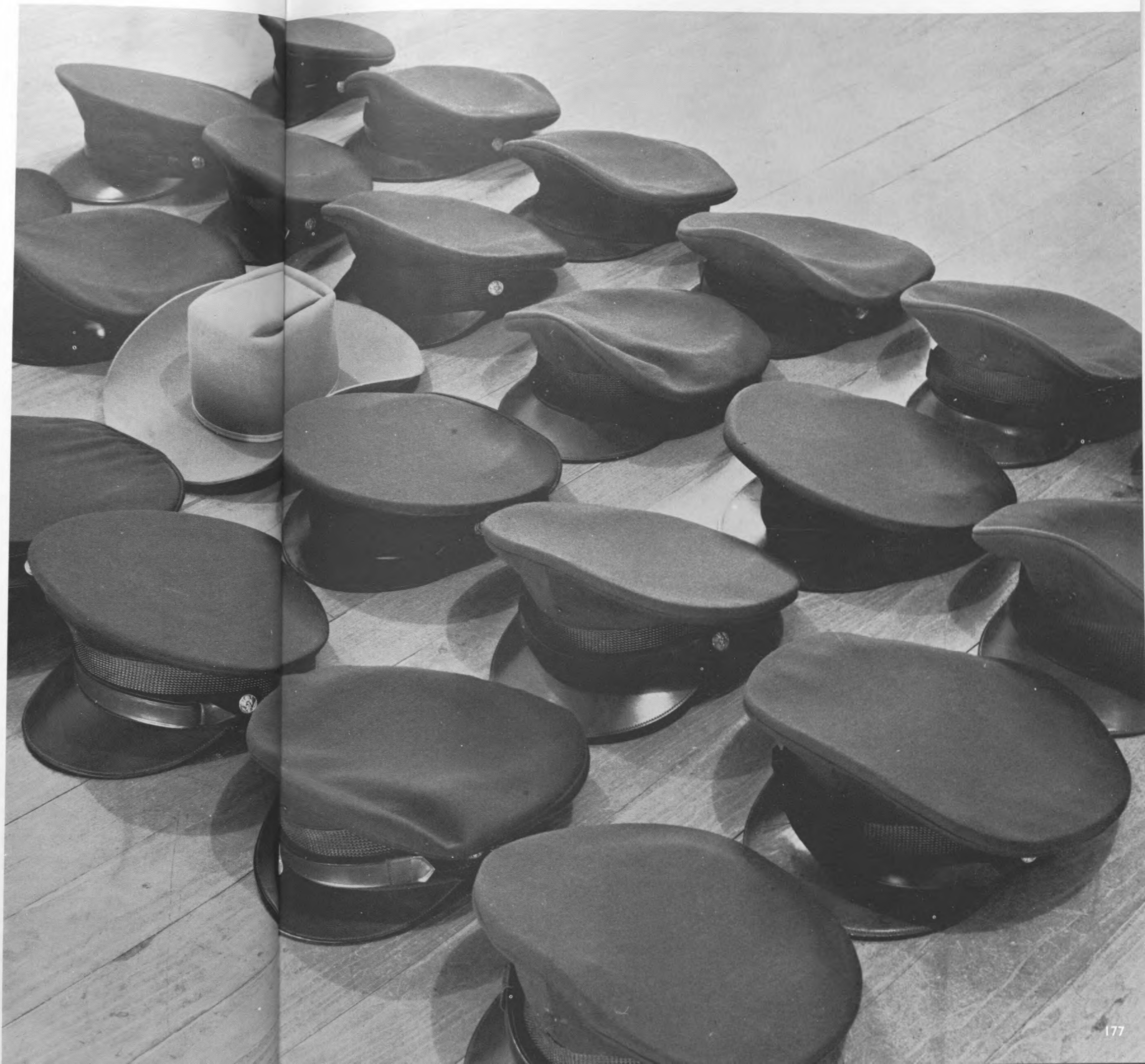
Wesleyan College in Macon, Georgia, was the birthplace of Phi Mu sorority . . . its flower the Enchantress Carnation, and colors rose and white . . . in 1852.

Phi Mu members and pledges throughout the 76 national chapters support philanthropies for Toy Carts and Healthmobiles in numerous crippled children's hospitals of the United States. Phi Mu also provides scholarship for foreign students. The UH group has previously won the Scholarship Trophy and carried on several charity functions.

Here at the University, Phi Mu takes part in Frontier Fiesta, holds an annual Christmas party, a spring formal, a Founders' Day banquet, picnics, serenades and open houses, and gives baskets to needy children.

Smooth sailing during 1956 was accomplished through the efforts of Mary Lou Daniels, president; Norma Plunkett, vice president; Jane Chiapetta, recording secretary; Peggy Pittman, treasurer; Lee Current, corresponding secretary; and Carol Kubitz, historian.

ROTC



# G.M.S. Unit Begins First Year at UH . . .

In its first year as a General Military Science Unit, the University R.O.T.C. plans to give two hours of academic credit to Military Science I and II cadets.

By serving in the R.O.T.C. four years with six weeks summer training camp between the third and fourth years, a cadet receives a commission of second lieutenant in the Army Reserve.



LT. COL. MOODY LAYFIELD  
*Professor of Military Science and Tactics*



MAJOR FRED W. DOLLAR  
*Commandant of Cadets*



CAPTAIN CHARLES E. FULMORE  
*Assistant Professor of Military Science and Tactics*

Each year distinguished military students are nominated for commissions in the Regular Army. The ROTC organization is made up into a Regiment of two battalions, six companies, the Cullen Rifle Drill Team, and a Band Company.



**CAPT. RALPH LAMAR**  
*Assistant Professor of Military Science and Tactics*



**CAPT. RICHARD C. ROBBINS**  
*Assistant Professor of Military Science and Tactics*



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*Assistant Professor of Military Science and Tactics*



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# ROTC

The Cullen Rifles perform at home and out-of-town football games, participate in the New Orleans Mardi Gras and the Flambeau in San Antonio. The ROTC also has a very active Amateur Radio Club, a newspaper titled "Sound Off," parades, inspections, classroom activities, plus their social highlight of the year, the Military Ball.



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*Military Administration*

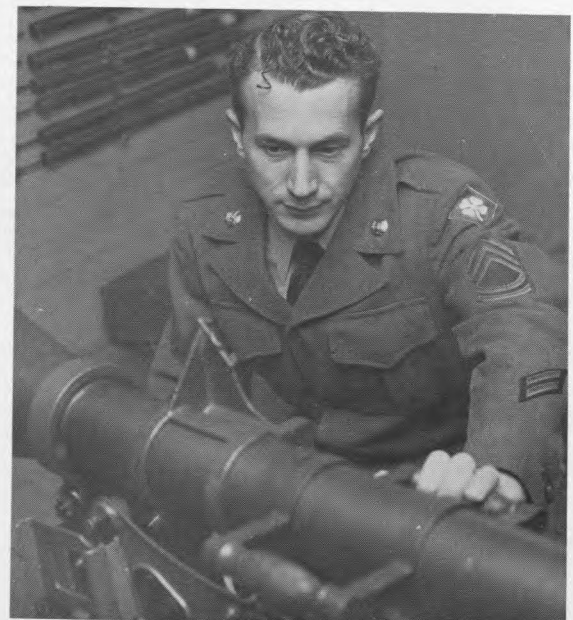
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M-Sgt. LEWIS BUCHANAN, *Instructor*



SFC GERALD H. WOOD, *Ordnance*



Top: SFC HAROLD HOLZAPFEL  
*Publications*  
Middle: Sgt. JOE GOSS  
*Maintenance*  
Bottom: HARVEY VANCE  
*Military Custodian*



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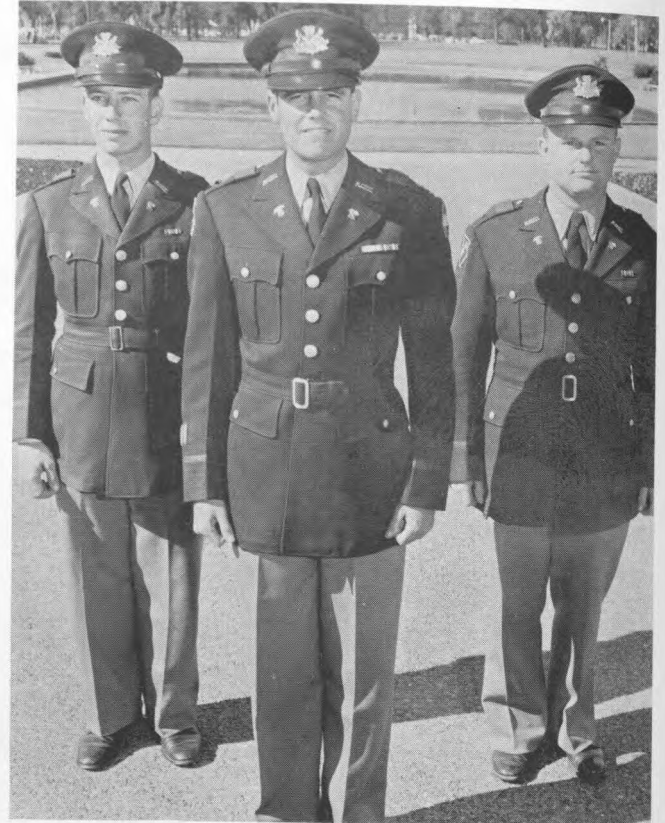




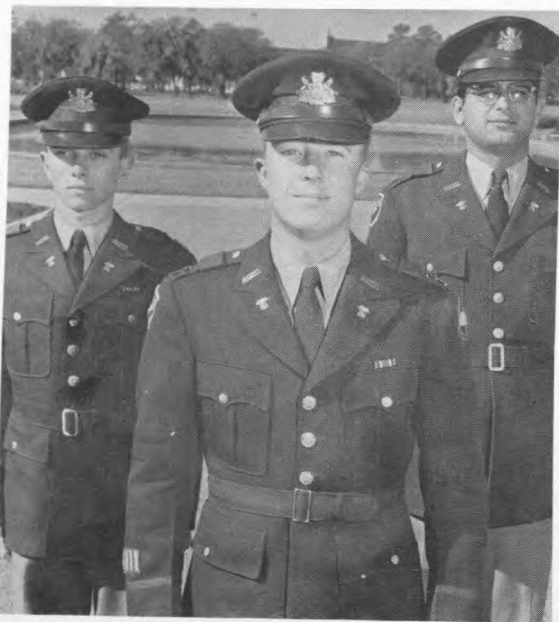
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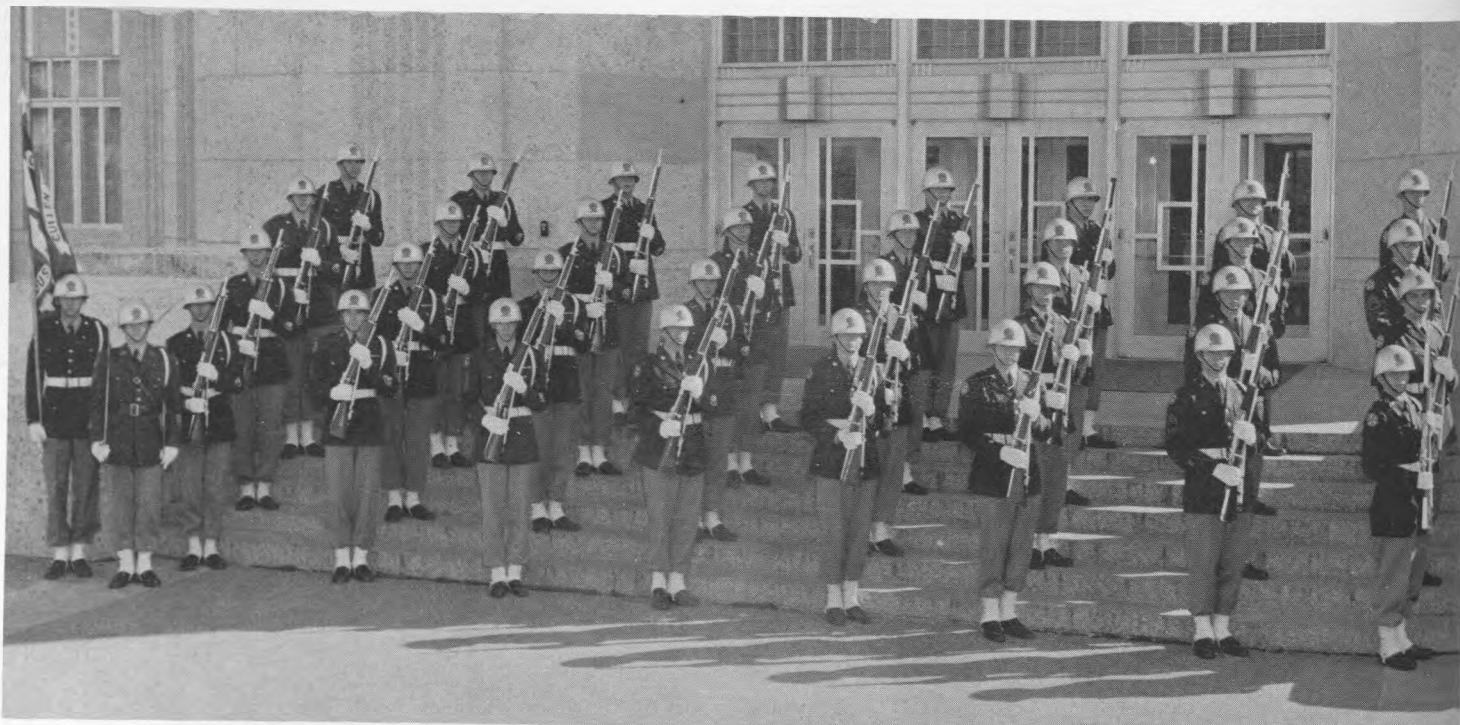
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2nd BATTALION: Cadet Lt. Col. W. D. Allen, Commander; Cadet Major K. A. Faour, Executive Officer; Cadet 1st Lt. C. W. Nicolini, Adjutant.



CULLEN RIFLES  
Cadet M-Sgt. Tommy Spiva, Commander



REGIMENTAL STAFF: Cadet Col. Taylor, Commander; Cadet Lt. Col. Richie, Executive Officer; Cadet Major Brownhill, S-3; Cadet Captain Doyle, Adjutant; Cadet 1st Lt. Wakefield, PIO.



Cadets Musgrove, Fraser, Haines, Reynolds, Dowlen, Ahrenbeck, Hornbeck, Ullrich, DeVies, Tatum, Simmons.



BAND COMPANY

ROTC



COMPANY "A"

Cadet Capt. J. E. Musgrove, *Commander*  
Cadet 1st Lt. A. L. Bromberg, *Executive Officer*  
Platoon Leaders: Cadet 2nd Lt. J. S. Bruning, W. J. Jarrell, R. W. Burns



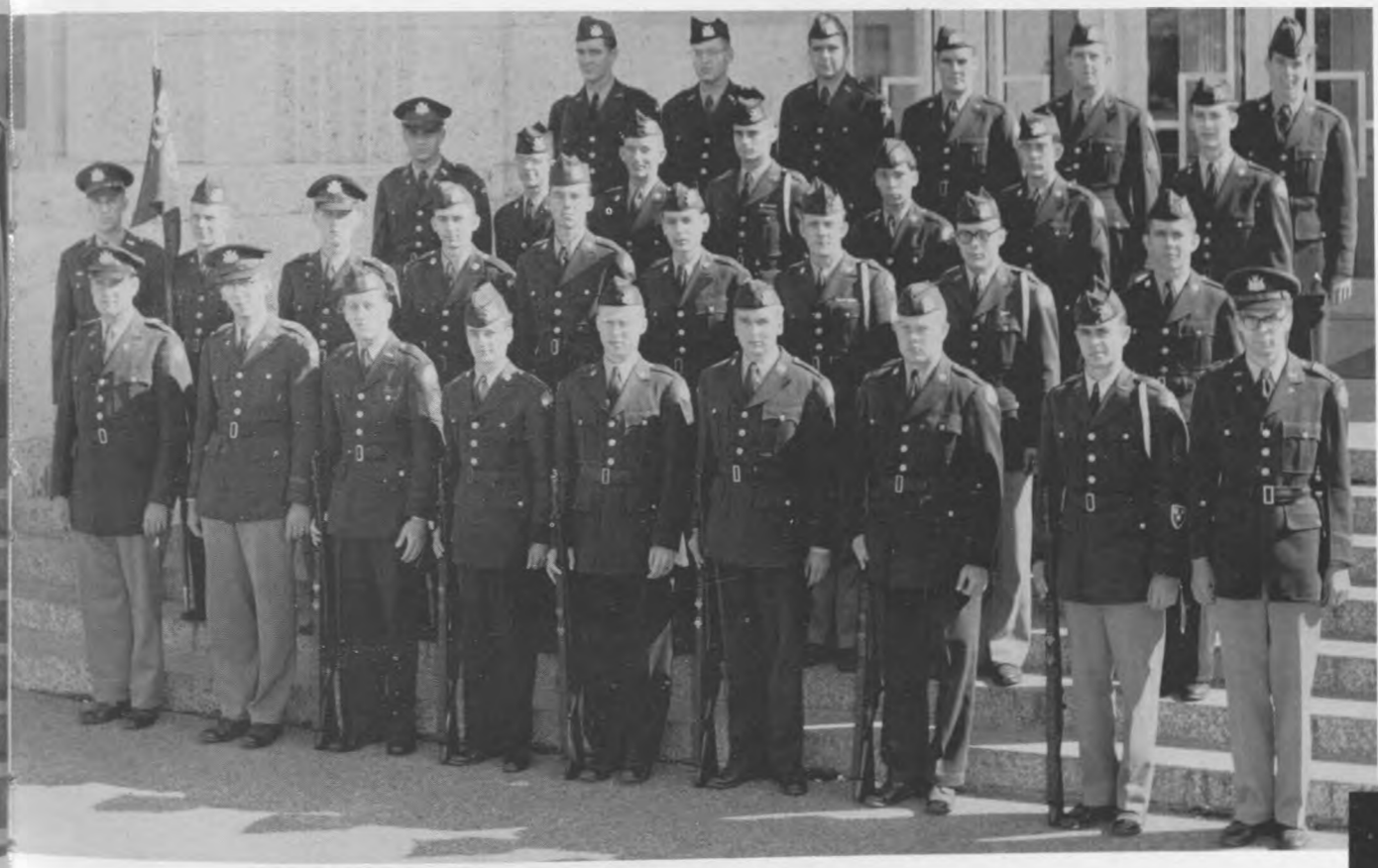
COMPANY "C"

Cadet Capt. R. G. Lightfoot, *Commander*  
Cadet 1st Lt. T. E. Rhemann, *Executive Officer*  
Platoon Leaders: Cadet 2nd Lt. A. D. Wood, W. J. Dunphy, R. S. Wilkins



COMPANY "B"

Cadet Capt. W. N. Miekow, *Commander*  
Cadet 1st Lt. J. D. Cours, *Executive Officer*  
Platoon Leaders: Cadet 2nd Lt. R. E. Pruitt, R. M. Smith, J. D. Cummins



COMPANY "D"

Cadet Capt. J. M. Cummings, *Commander*  
Cadet 1st Lt. C. D. Crofford, *Executive Officer*  
Platoon Leaders: Cadet 2nd Lt. G. G. Caldwell, A. E. Huffman, D. J. Hill





COMPANY "E"

Cadet Capt. H. G. Temple, *Commander*  
 Cadet 1st Lt. D. C. Uhrbrock, *Executive Officer*  
 Platoon Leaders: Cadet 2nd Lt. B. B. Lacy, J. C. Dunne, R. H. Fox



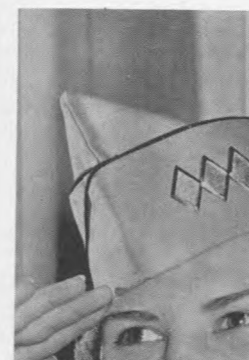
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Cadet Capt. R. K. Carpenter, *Commander*  
 Cadet 2nd Lt. M. A. Hohle, *Executive Officer*  
 Platoon Leaders: Cadet 2nd Lt. H. L. Graeter, J. F. Cravens, R. H. Clark

ROTC . . . and cadet activities



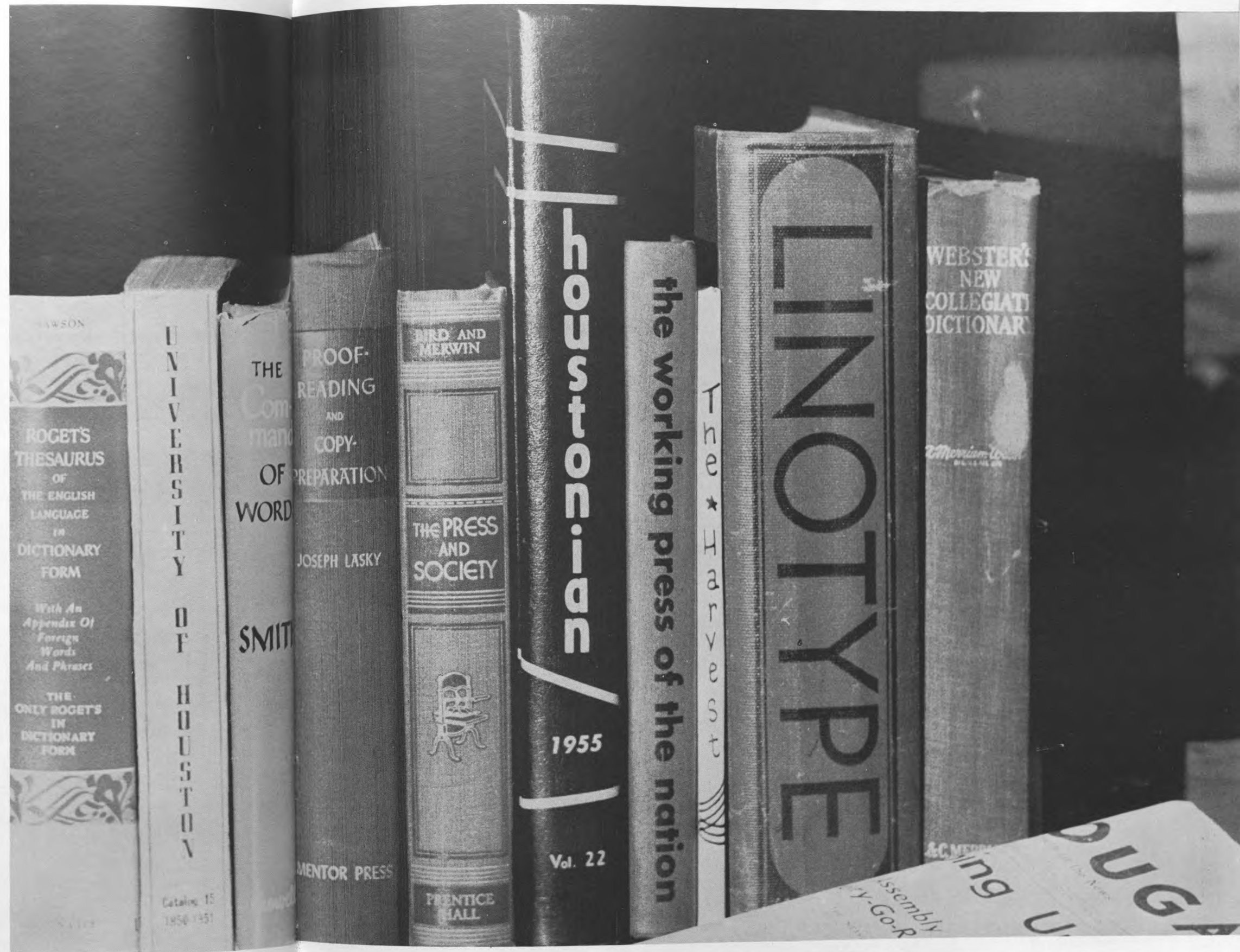
Various activities add color to the life of the Military Science boys each year . . . Some of that color comes in the form of the beautiful coeds that are selected as company sponsors . . . another hue takes the shape of brass and bars as promotion time nears . . . and the Military Ball is their touch of gold and pastel hues.



Sponsors: Wanda Peterson, JoAnn Thompson, Nancy Gemoets, Barbara Lou Hicks, Carol Stevenson, Janie Morris, Louise Jackman, Georgeann Marquette, and Rosemary Van Tiflin.



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*Class Editor*

## . . . Warehouse of Memories

to show a year different from all the other years.

To some, all yearbooks are the same, but each year the yearbook is a chapter in itself, filled with special meaning and excitement for those who lived it. Too, at the UH, 1956 marked a change, for color was used to the greatest advantage on division pages. Greeks went national and the First Annual Songfest was held.

The Houstonian's Warehouse of Memories became a record of change, new ideas and new leadership. Colored within these pages is the feeling that the University of Houston has entered a new era . . . and that new era of growth is recorded here.



TED NANCE and JACK OGG  
*Sports Editors*



DON UHRBROCK

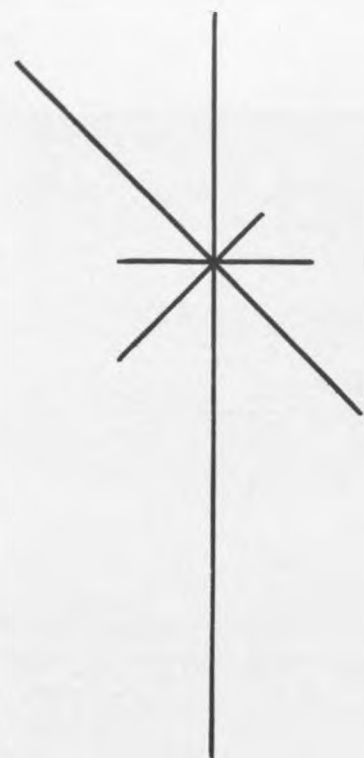
DON WAKEFIELD  
*Photographers*

CHARLIE PYNE



ED FERGUSON  
*Advisor*

BILLY I. ROSS  
*Business Manager*



FIRUZ MAKULU  
*Photography Editor*



Pat Smith, sorority co-ordinator, takes a break.



Wilma and Barbara know how to butter up the "Chief."

# Houstonian



The Staff of the 1956 Houstonian met deadlines with no apparent effect on their health and social well-being.



Carolyn Martino and Dolores Holly check prints.

# Authors Enter Harvest Contest

One of the University's outstanding publications is the Harvest, an annual anthology of student writing, edited by Anthony Harris and sponsored by Miss Ruth Pennybacker.

The Harvest is now in its 20th year of publication. The now modern-designed magazine began in 1936 as a mimeographed paper.

The Harvest authors have received prizes and awards, including the Atlantic Monthly Award for national competition.

The Harvest is published in co-operation with the University Writers' Club and is printed by the University printing department.



ANTHONY W. HARRIS  
*Editor-in-Chief*



BETH MANLEY  
*Associate Editor*



Staff members proof copy, Manly, Harris, Burroughs, Pennybacker.



MISS RUTH PENNYBACKER  
*Sponsor*





W. DAN OANA  
*Editor*

# The Cougar Awards School Spirit Trophy

With the rustle of newsprint, ringing of telephones, and pecking of typewriters, The Cougar under Editor W. Dan Oana swung into editorial gear for the fall term.

The weekly publication staff saw numerous changes take form during the year; Ed Ferguson became the new advisor to Publications, the Cougar cooperated to hold the First Annual Journalism Assembly and sponsored the School Spirit Award. A horse-shoe desk, new reference books, and a morgue file gave vitality to The Cougar, whose policy of "Integrity in the News," completed their second year in the new Journalism Building.



JOHN PATE, *Managing Editor*



LYN DEL DAVIS, *Feature Editor*



MARTE NOEL  
*Activities Editor*



MIKE FERGUSON  
*Copy Editor*



JOHN BALIONE  
*Sports Editor*



The 1956 Cougar staff



PROFESSOR JULES A. VERN, *Editor*

# Vern Edits Le Bayou, Celebrates 20th Year

From a very small beginning in 1936 as a mimeographed bulletin, LeBayou has grown into a literary journal, international in scope.

Founded and edited by Jules Vern, professor of French at the University, the journal is composed of literary criticisms, prose, and poetry, written in French by French speaking people, many of them famous authors, in all parts of the world.

LeBayou, which has agents in many foreign countries, publishes only literary works which have not been published previously elsewhere. LeBayou consists of four issues a year, and the spring issue of 1956 marks the twentieth anniversary of this journal that is published wholly by the University's own printing shop.

*Sunday, February 14, 1956, after this publication had gone to press, Jules A. Vern passed away at his home. This page shall remain as a lasting tribute to the work he so gladly gave to our University and to its students.*



Staff members: Dr. Elizabeth Brandon, Mrs. Yvonne Pearson, and Dr. Will McLendon.



Mrs. Yvonne Pearson and Dr. Will McLendon prepare copy for Le Bayou.



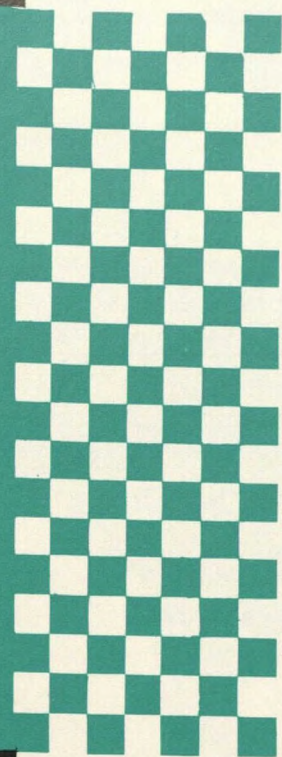
Dr. Elizabeth Brandon gets the circulation program underway.

Out of this world comes . . .

the features

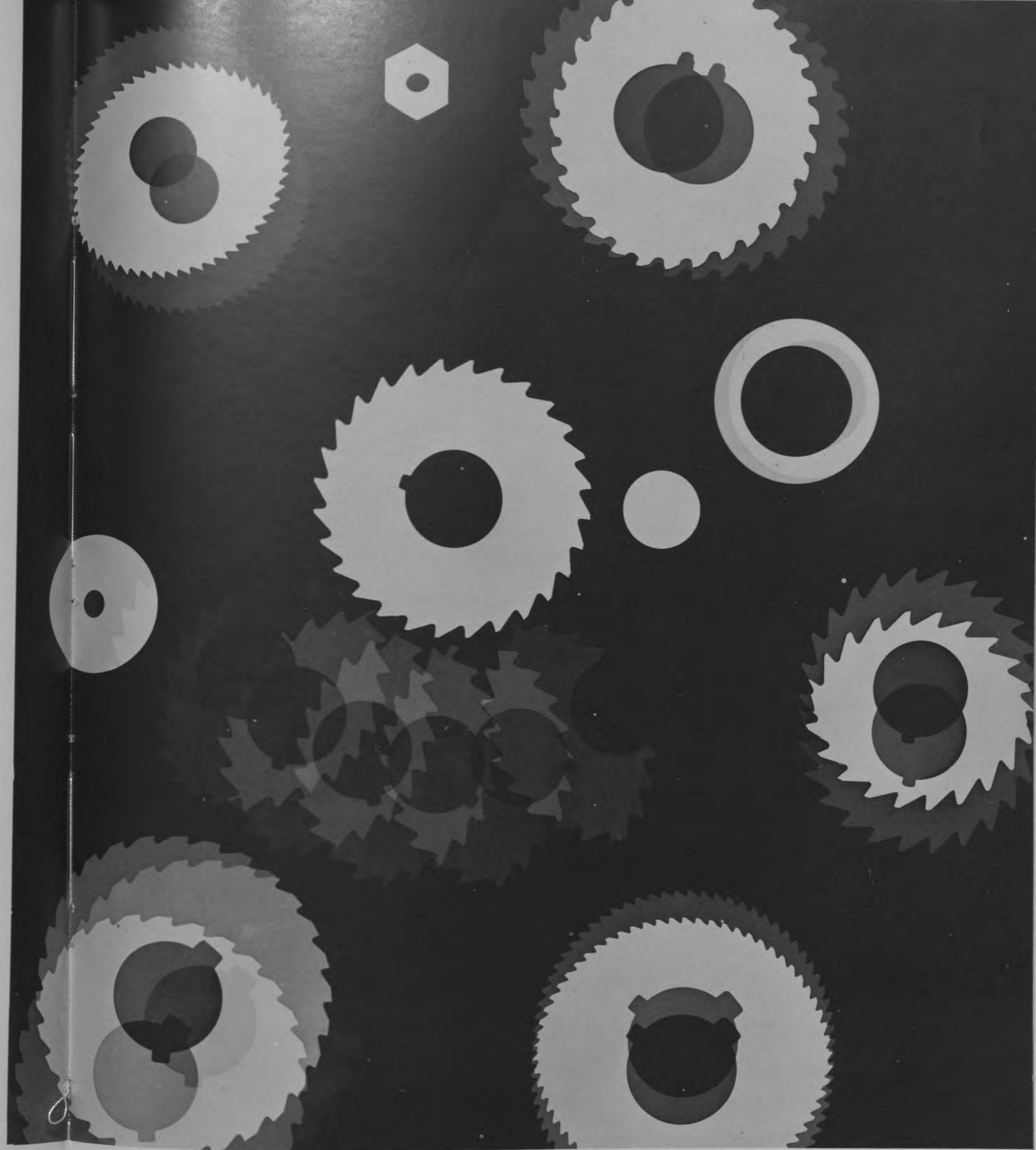
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Outstanding Students



## Danny Boone

Scholastically, Danny is far above average . . . yet his interests include so many things. He is the Chaplain of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, "Athlete of the Year," Phi Theta Kappa, outstanding petroleum engineering student and . . . a very nice guy.





## Donn Fullenweider

Donn is everywhere on campus . . . a familiar face to

Assembly members, he holds the Vice Presidency, debates, writes for the Cougar, fills the Vice

President's chair in Gan Bey, edited the Fiesta program, and is a member of Pi Kappa Delta.

His sincere interest in the University as a whole makes him outstanding in anything he undertakes.







## David Gibson

With many varied activities and honors to his credit Dave has proven himself to be a fine leader and sincere friend . . . He has established National honors in speech and is a second year law student . . . Forensic, Phi Rho Pi, Phi Kappa Pi and Pi Kappa Delta claim his name.

Bob spent this year as President of the Student Assembly. He is a member of Alpha Phi Omega, the Frontier Fiesta Staff, and the Pep Club. His leadership ability was confirmed when he served as Director and General Co-ordinator of the Bayou Queen in Fiesta.

## Bob Hines



## Barbara Hinson



Barbara . . . captivating personality . . .  
strong in ideals . . . never stopping to  
look back from the time she entered  
three years ago. This year . . . President  
of the Women's Student Association,  
Secretary of Chi Omega, Cheerleader,  
Junior Class Vice President, and frankly  
a "never-say-die" friend to so many.



## Charles Ledbetter

Charles has stacked up honors in speech, such as National Junior College debate champion, First place in extemporaneous speaking at the National Junior College meet, President of Phi Theta Kappa, Degree of Highest Distinction in Phi Rho Pi, and Pi Kappa Delta.

# Robert Luce

The Presidency of Kappa Delta Kappa, and the Interfraternity Council have been Bob's. He is a Judicial Committee member and was a representative to the National Interfraternity Conference. His ability with people place him above the crowd.





## Mavalene Miles



Being sincere is a part of Mavalene . . .

She seems to excell in everything.  
This year she is Chi Omega President  
State Secretary of T.I.S.A., Secretary  
of the Student Association, and  
Lambda Chi Alpha Crescent Girl; and  
remains wonderfully down to earth.



## John Neibel

An outstanding law senior, John has participated in the Student Assembly as Parliamentarian, was Magister of Hutcheson Inn, Phi Delta Phi, elected to the Order of the Barons and Chief Justice of Student Government and received a full tuition scholarship for two years. He also serves as assistant Debate Coach in the speech department.



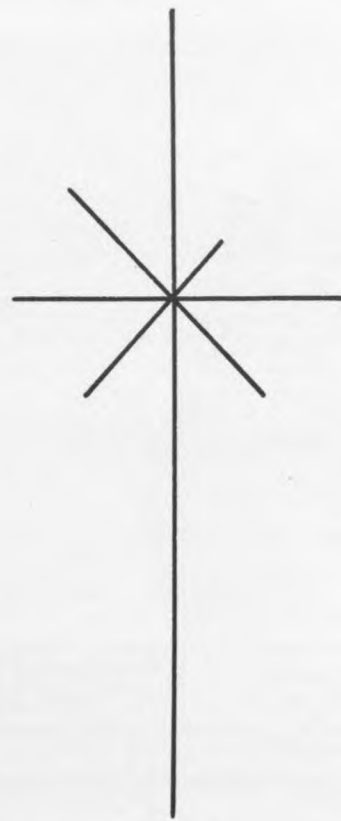
## Nancie Sweeton



Her best friend calls her "Tex," her chums and Alpha Phi's know her best as "Sweeton," and to the Houstonian staff, she is that loyal "Friend" . . . giving, helping, doing those little extra things that count the most. Diligent work and co-operativeness, plus a determination to excel, has earned Nancie the titles of "Outstanding Student" and editor of the Houstonian for two consecutive years. Student Council, Theta Sigma Phi, and W.S.A., as well as Student Assembly and Pep Club, have been proud to claim her as a member.

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## Honorees Travel to Other U's

A student-faculty committee gathers in the Dean of Women's office and gazes at a collection of photographs of beautiful and representative women of the University. Eight are selected as Honorees and two as alternates to travel to other campuses in the Southwest area upon invitation by the colleges. They carry the name of the University of Houston along with inter-collegiate goodwill.



NORMA BRADY  
Chi Omega



MARTHA GOODRICH Alpha Phi



JANIE MORRIS Zeta Tau Alpha



JEANETTE HILLMAN Alpha Phi



CAROL NEWMAN Alpha Delta Pi



Honorees of 1956



SHARON ROGERS Delta Gamma



PEGGY PITTMAN Phi Mu



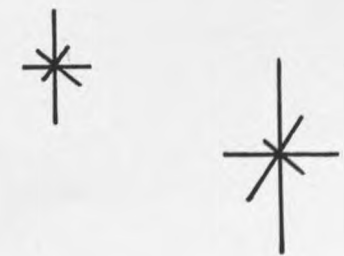
JO ANN THOMPSON Zeta Tau Alpha



BILLIE KING Gamma Sigma Sigma  
*Alternate*



WILMA HARTMAN Delta Zeta  
*Alternate*



Vanity Fair





Norma Brady  
Chi Omega



*Harris Johnston Studio*

Louise Brogniez  
Alpha Phi



*Harris Johnston Studio*



Jane DeHaven  
Alpha Phi



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**Jan Ellis**  
Delta Gamma



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# Suzanne Gay

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Joy Miller  
Alpha Chi Omega



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# Wanda Peterson

Zeta Tau Alpha



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# Evelyn Roberts

Zeta Tau Alpha



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Charlotte Smith

Chi Omega



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# Carol Stevenson

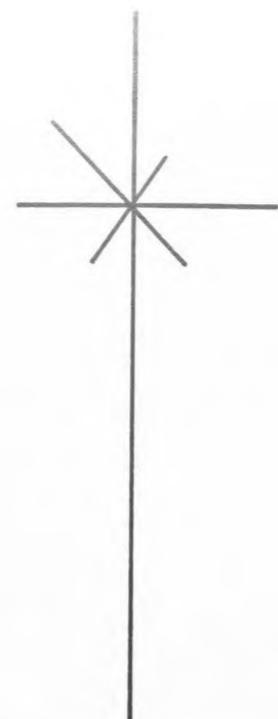
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Our Favorites . . . The Softness of Angel Voices



JOY CHAMBERS  
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SAE



NANCY BARTELS  
Zeta Tau Alpha



SHIRLEY BUSKE  
Alpha Phi



JUDY DAVIES  
Chi Omega



DOROTHY JEAN GLENN  
Alpha Delta Pi

Favorites . . . . .



VERNA MAE HICKS  
Zeta Tau Alpha



CAROLE GRUNWALD  
Alpha Chi Omega



BOBBIE ANN HENDON  
Alpha Phi

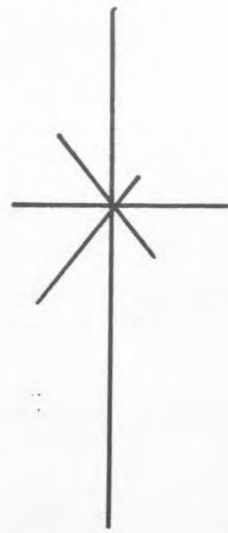


JEANETTE HILLMAN  
Alpha Phi



MARGARET HUGHES  
Chi Omega

Favorites



PHYLLIS LAIR  
Alpha Delta Pi



LAURETA MAIDA  
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SUE ZANNE MYERS  
Chi Omega



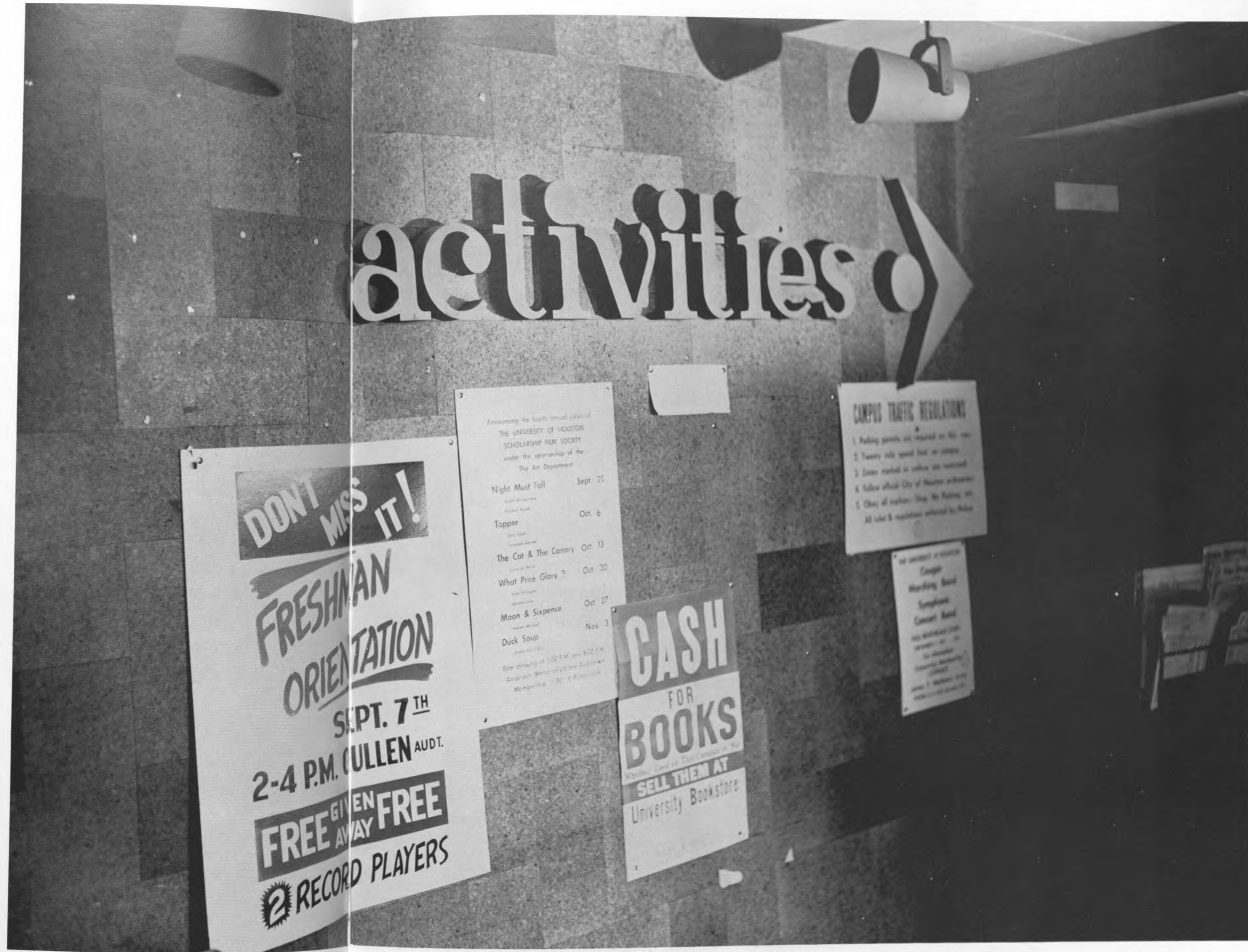
GAIL WILLIAMS  
Zeta Tau Alpha

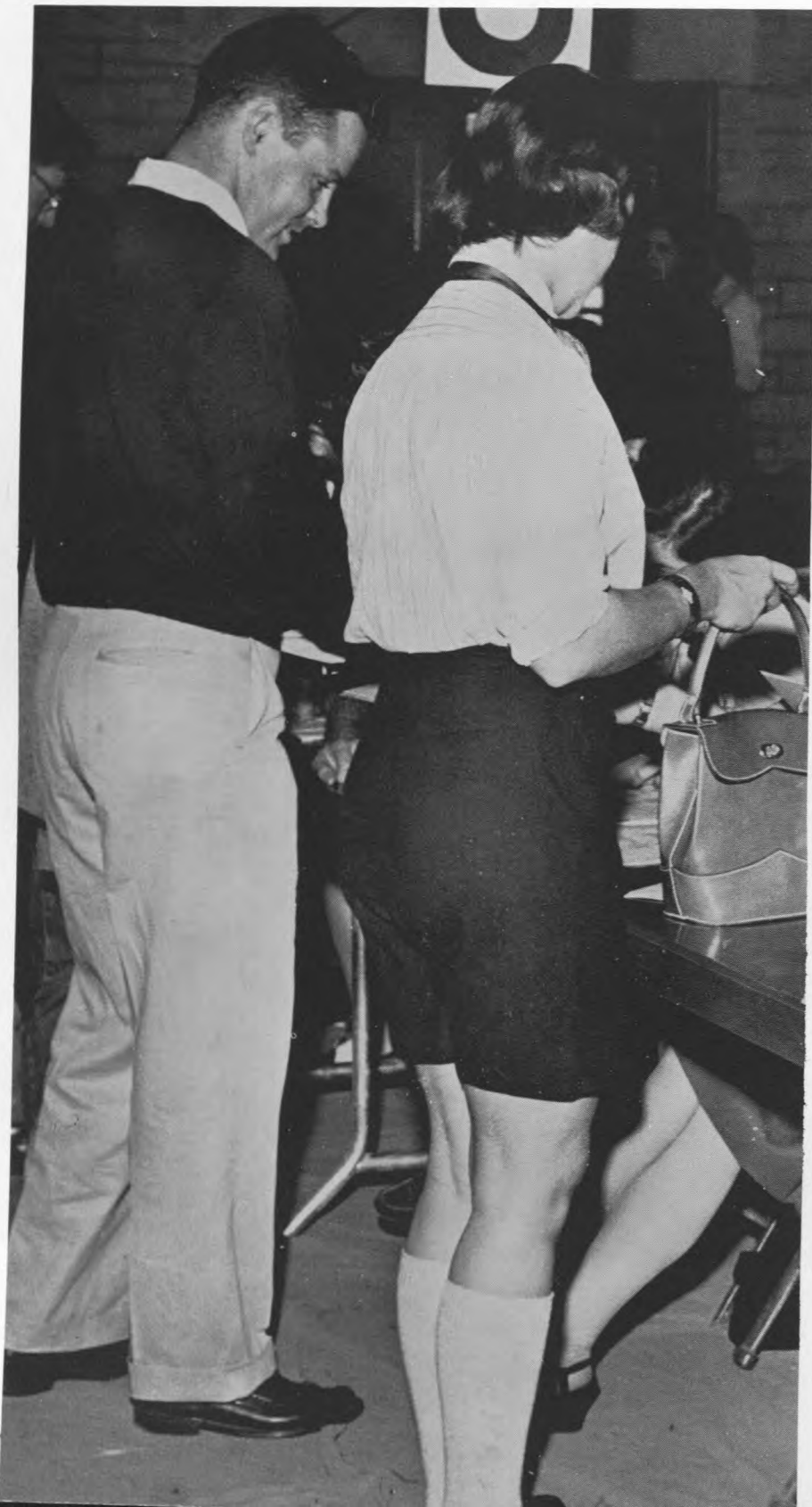


LYLA LEE WOODRUFF  
Alpha Chi Omega



# Activities





That section just closed.

## Vacation's Over!

The realization that summer,  
in name, is over . . .  
Registration schedules come  
off the press and students  
pour over them in search  
of "snap courses" to lighten  
the load . . . This is the  
University of Houston . . .  
the melting place of 14,000  
students from every part  
of life . . .

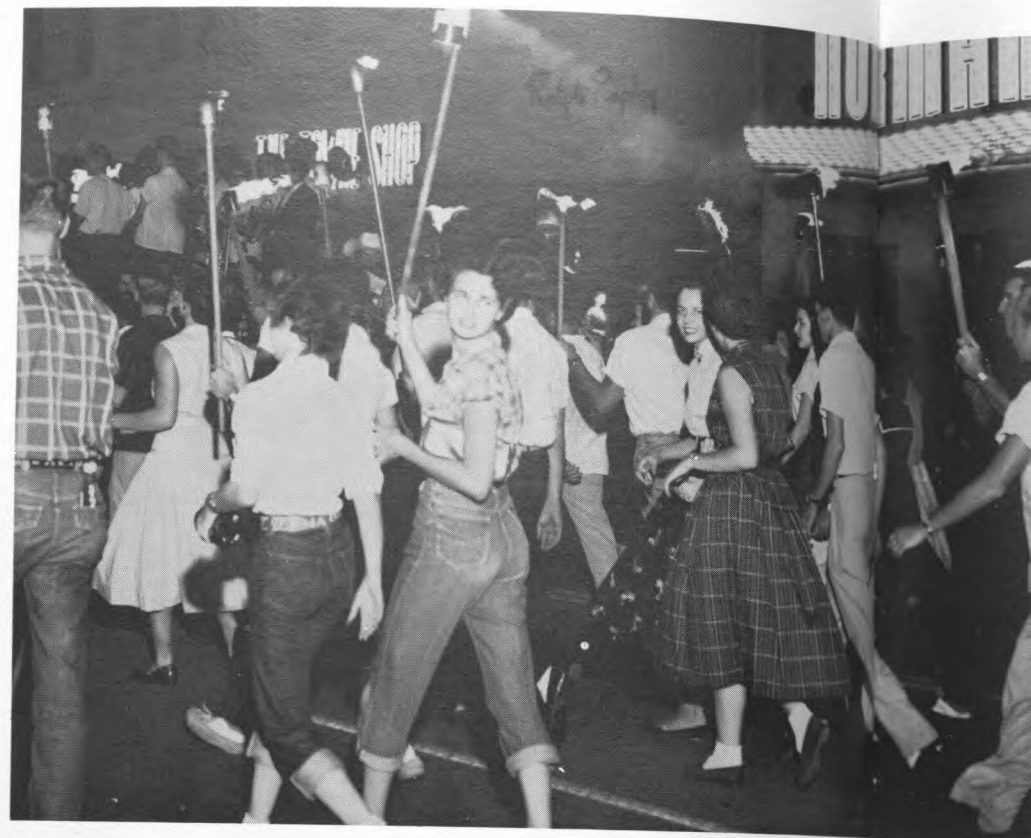
## 14,000 Pull Cards



Where the heck is Station 2?



Fall in Houston . . .  
warm and wistful.



Freshmen light up downtown Houston with spirit torches.

## Fall Begins . . .

The confusion of lengthy registration lines is over . . . Cougar Den begins to overflow with the usual population . . . Some new faces peer through the smoke and bridge players, and try to memorize the traditional seating arrangements the Greeks have kept for years . . . Spirit banners clothe the redwood walls of the balcony above the heads of the crowd . . . The juke box blares rock and roll rhythms and invites studiers into card games . . . It's fall on the campus.



The march ended, and they get ready to yell.

## Then . . .



Freshmen fight for a place in the Assembly . . . Bill won.



We just love the Aggies!



The paint and paper twelfth man . . .

## Activities Fire UH Calendar . . .

The annual Sadie Hawkins dance sponsored by Chi Omega and Lambda Chi Alpha lifts the spirits, music lovers, and drug-store hillbillies alike . . . Ed Gerlach sets the mood for down-to-earth fun . . . Campus politics boils over as it always does at this time of year . . . Pep rallies at noon each Friday are a send-off for the week end to come . . . Drama productions add culture to activities as a whole.



"Lil Abner" Walter Lemke and "Daisy Mae" Marilyn Minns receive cups from Chi O Prexie Mavalene Miles at Sadie Hawkins Dance.



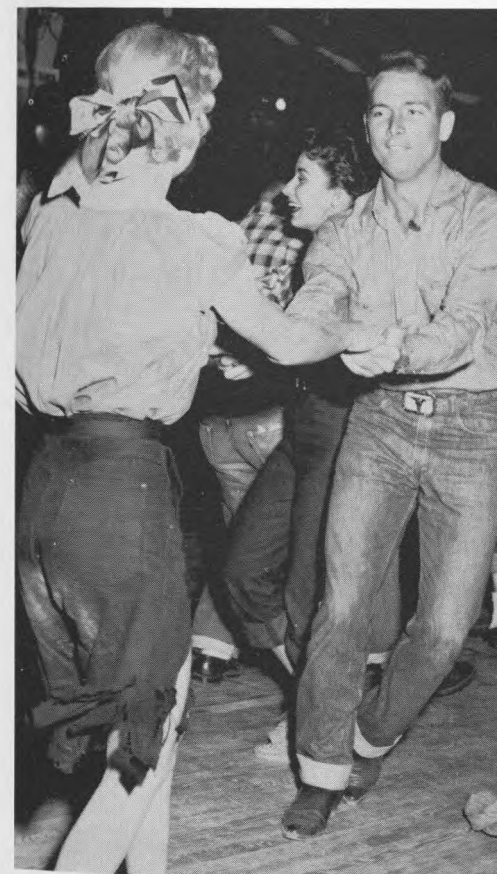
Politicians make bold promises . . .



Lyla Woodruff accepts the Outstanding Organization award for A Chi O from Pep Club Prexi Doyle Owen.



Cougars show their spirit . . .



Hillbillies frolic at the Chi O, Lambda Chi Sadie Hawkins dance.



Crewman of the USS Glencairn of the "Long Voyage Home."

# Homecoming Eve The Annual "Last Minute Rush,"

The eleventh hour and everybody runs out of crepe paper . . .  
 The search begins to find an all-night drug store that has the colors needed . . . then comes the blow . . . we run out of straight pins and staples . . . Along about three a.m. we trade glances at each other's creations . . . It's almost over . . . except for the trip down Main.



BSU covers the world with foil.



Chi O and Sigma Chi set sails to win honors.

A Chi O's suit Johnny Reb nicely.



Let's not forget the float number this year.



A silent tribute to victory . . . then back to finish the float.



Almost finished . . . then we can get some rest. (At last)



What a time to break a cable.



Alpha Phi's . . . Just clowning



It's finished!

## From Whispers to Shouts . . . A "Results" Parade

The mass confusion and "hodge-podge" of the night before is over . . . Floats line up at Simpson's Diner, and we tack on a few more flowers in a last-minute attempt at perfection . . . Crowds huddle at the curb side and become sidewalk judges as they pick their favorites . . . 10 a.m. parade time . . .



BEST ALL ROUND FLOAT  
Zeta Tau Alpha    Sigma Nu



The "Most Beautiful" prize goes to Chi O and Sigma Chi.



Gamma Sigma Sigma and UHSME capture the "Most Humorous" title.



Judges meditate.

# Beauties, Bands Blend in Color . . .

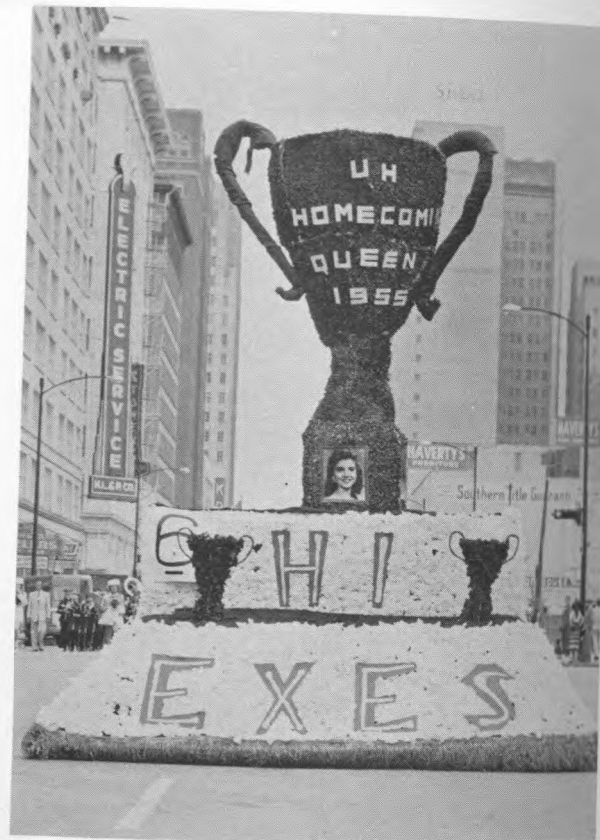
This is always the most colorful parade in Houston . . . and Houston knows it and shows it, as they flock to the curbs lining the parade route and applaud the huge symbols of Cougar spirit . . . Business halts for a while to support the victory march of the student body . . .



Pi K A and A Chi O team to build "The Pride of Dixie" to Beat the Yanks . . .



Alpha Phi and Engineers' clown laughed its way down the center of Main Street.



Delta Gamma and Kappa Alpha's float greets the Alumni as the float winds its way down Main Street.



"Wildcat's Waterloo" produced by SAE and A D PI catches the crowd's eye.



You're goin' backwards too . . .



Hey! You're goin' the wrong way, Grad.



A true and forceful message from BSU

# Pageantry Surrounds "Queen Juanita" . . .



The biggest thrill of all . . .  
 Homecoming Queen . . . and the  
 week end belongs to her . . .  
 She is swept through the game,  
 the parade, and the dance  
 before she has time to realize  
 what has happened . . . It's a  
 once-in-a-lifetime affair  
 for the University co-ed . . .  
 And things are planned so  
 she won't soon forget . . .



Official Exes await the Queen.



The announcement . . . Juanita Hartwell, Queen.



She leaves the field in full glory.



Congratulations from Bill Meek . . .



A lucky guy, Jim Grigsby . . . he's engaged to the Queen . . .



Carol Stevenson, Joanne Thompson, and Betty Monday, Queen finalists.



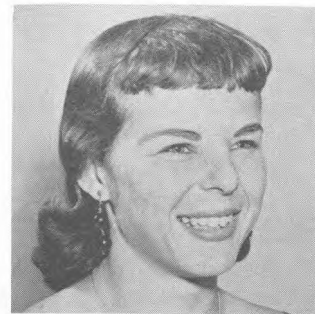
Her Majesty . . . Queen Juanita Hartwell



# Varsity Varieties Go Parisian for '56 . . .



DICK BONELLE, *Director*



JOYCE ALFORD  
*Assistant Director*



JACKIE HAYES  
*Co-ordinator*

The annual all-student musicale burst into reality in the form of Parisian production numbers . . . facetious dialogue and swiftly moving dance routines. Joyce Alford, combination assistant director and clown, frolicked her way through almost every act as Jenna Coy Huddelston, John Wykoff and most of Sigma Chi formed a well-rounded cast.

The mid-year thespian phase drew talent from Cullen to Calhoun, from Freshman Street to Wheeler . . . Rehearsals lasted far into several nights . . . The director was a bundle of nerves . . . The show opened . . . The press notices were good . . . They had a hit.



Sigma Chi's Don Reynolds accepts the organization award for participation in the V.V. production from Bonelle.



NANCY GEMOETS, *Varsity Venus*  
Clockwise: left, Norma Brady, Janie Morris, Marilyn Minns, Fay Veyon, Sandra Kimbriel, and Joy Chambers.



V.V. V.V. V.V.



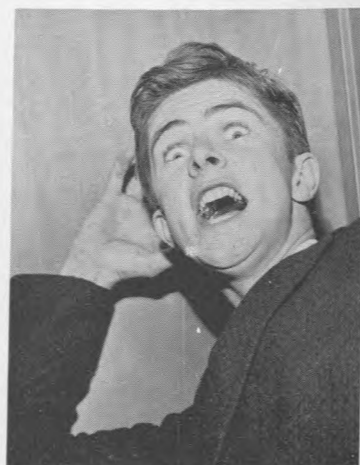
Dressingroom dither prevails between each act of the show.



The production number climax lifts Joyce skyward.



"So this is Paris . . . the land of romance," shouts the male chorus as the curtain falls.



John Wykoff passes that football

V.V. V.V. V.V.



Andy Anderson, ace reporter, meets the returning Riviera travelers . . .

V.V. V.V.



"Lucky Pierre," Dale Mikulka, enjoys the attention of Marsha Hunt, Pat Jacques, and Norma Brady.



Jenna Coy Huddleston sings "Ten Cents a Dance" . . .



Foreign students celebrate an American Christmas . . .



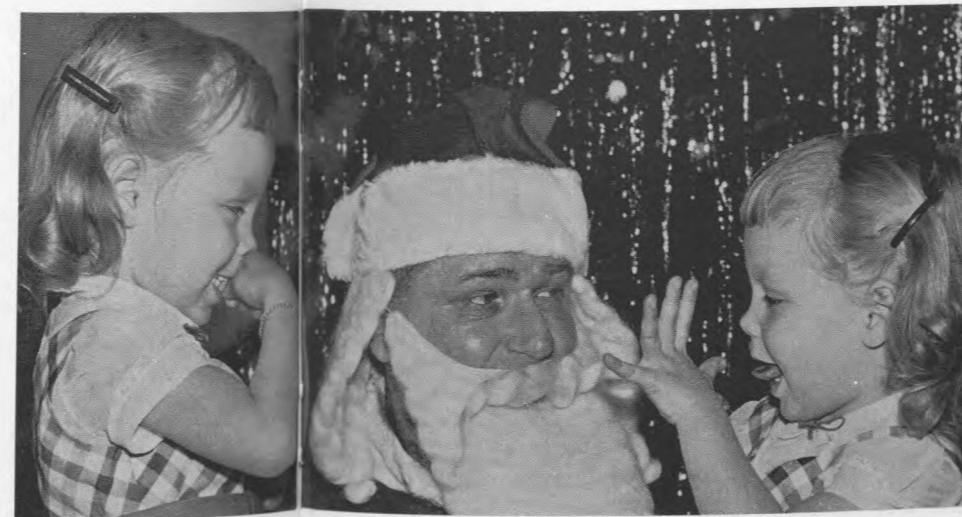
Christmas spirit floods the campus . . . along with sunshine.

## Christmas Brings Solemnity . . . But No Snow

This is an off-beat season . . . it's not winter, it's not summer . . . it's simply and wonderfully, Christmas in Houston . . . The first hint comes with the baskets for the needy that stand quietly all over the campus. There's no snow, but we celebrate with parties, programs, and shopping sprees . . . and then go home to shiny trees . . . and our families.



Juanita Hartwell helps "Santa" Tom Pennett at the Inter-Dorm party for underprivileged children.



"I'm this many years, Mr. Santa."

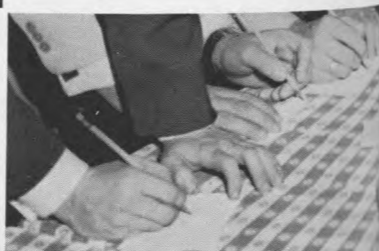


Kathy Pyne awaits Santa in the University Housing unit.

# The Diversified Greeks Turn National



Yesterday a Phi Delta Tau . . . Today a Kappa Alpha . . .



The mystery and silent wondering the day before initiation . . . the heart beats as doors somewhere opened and closed . . . the feeling of warmth in your heart for the pin they placed over it . . . the congratulatory hand clasp of newly found brothers and sisters . . . the rapid circular motion of the entire week end, from banquets to receptions . . . and the feeling of pride as we walked in the Den with our badges.



Scrapbooks were sent to headquarters.



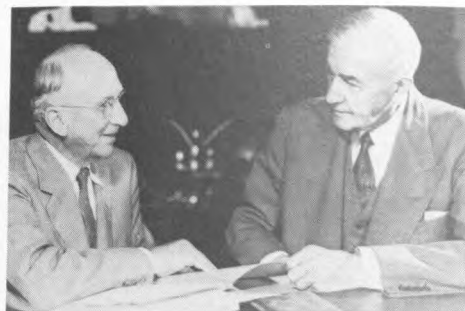
Local rush . . . for the last time.



Phi Epsilon Pi entertains informally.



Pi Lambda Chi becomes Delta Gamma . . .



Fred Heyne smiles as Jesse Jones gives a \$1,000,000 building.



A sure sign of spring, a crowd at The Water Hole.



Hearts and flowers and February 14.



## Spring Nips the Campus

The ups and downs of winter are over . . . the air is fresh now and couples wade through pine needles and love affairs. The basketball spirit is high and hopes grow even higher . . . Spring formals fill the nights with pastel net and black bow ties . . . Studying becomes a necessary drudgery mixed with thoughts

of six weeks quizzes. Talk of spring elections rises in club meetings. Fiesta jackets appear on Fridays along with western outfits and wide-brimmed hats . . . The world moves outdoors and soaks up the sunshine, preparing for June and graduation and summer vacation.





Zeta Tau Alpha, First Place in the Sorority Division



Lambda Chi Alpha, First Place in the Fraternity Division

## Voices Ring Forth . . . in First Annual Songfest

A harmony of voices and hearts blend in the first annual Alpha Phi Omega "Song Festival," held in the Cullen Auditorium . . . It was a magnificent beginning to a lasting tradition among Greeks on the campus. Zeta Tau Alpha, Chi Omega and Alpha Chi Omega swept the field for sororities; while Lambda Chi Alpha, Sigma Chi, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon rated tops in the fraternity division . . . The spirit of fraternal life lives in the voices of those who know it.



Dr. Merrills Lewis and APO's tabulate results of judging.



Winners are Shirley Schubert, Sue Goodere, Charlotte Kuentler, Cecil Hutson, Dick Bonelle and Bill Reich.

## Students Visualize Jobs . . . At Career Day



An inspiring speech by Bea W. Fuerst of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.



Audrey Stone, Bea Wright Fuerst, and Gladys Meyer compose the panel, "It's a Women's World."



Radio-TV students absorb words from Clarence Elisaon, Columbia Personnel Director.



Applause of respect honors Mr. Cullen at the noon luncheon.



H. R. Cullen addresses the Career Day luncheon guests.

Each year, in March, classes are forgotten for a day, and thoughts turn to the future . . . The University Placement Center brings to the campus outstanding leaders in every field taught at the University. We listen and learn . . . we discuss and prepare for the years ahead.



National Security Agency's Paavo Carlson discusses opportunities.



Thoughts of future opportunities unfurl as students listen . . .



Frontier Fiesta

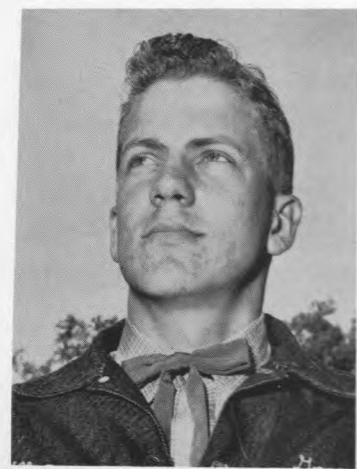




A. J. MONTALBANO  
*General Chairman*



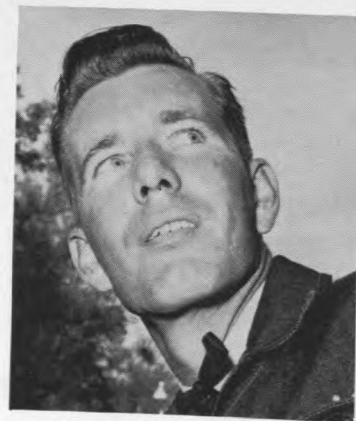
RICHARD COELLI  
*Vice-Chairman*



BRUCE ALBITZ  
*Grounds Director*



ANTHONY ROMEO  
*Special Events*



LOU FLEISSNER  
*Production Director*



BILL CARTER  
*Business Director*

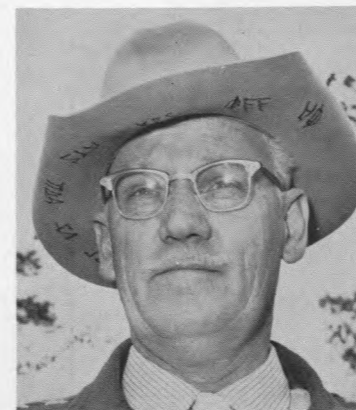


DON COMO  
*Publicity Director*

# Staff Co-ordinates "Greatest College Show"



The 1956 staff members of the Frontier Fiesta Association.



L. S. "CHIEF" MITCHELL



STEVE SAKACH

Fiesta Association Sponsors



DR. J. E. WILLIAMSON



"The Greatest College Show on Earth" is unveiled for the 1956 Fiesta.

From the empty quietness of a forgotten village to the humming, bustling prosperity of an old wild west town . . . comes that feeling . . . known best as the spirit of Frontier Fiesta . . . luring the entire campus with beards, bluejeans, and stetsons, to present "The Greatset College Show on Earth."

### Frontier Fiesta's Spirit Mounts



Giant scissors and visiting beauties help Fiesta Chairman, A. J. Montalbano, open the lot.



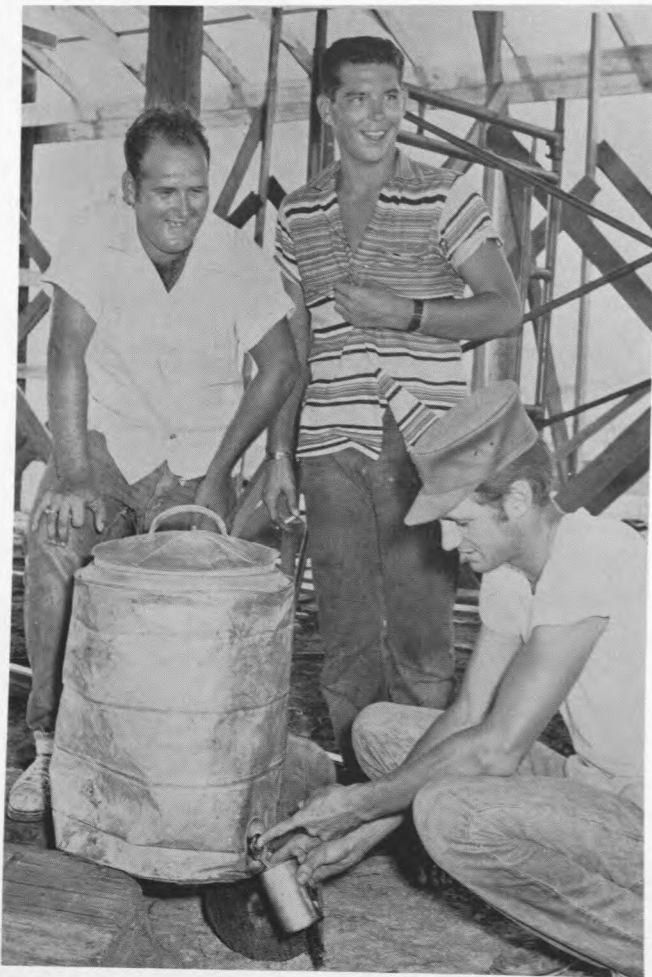
Everyone chips in and Fiesta City grows . . .



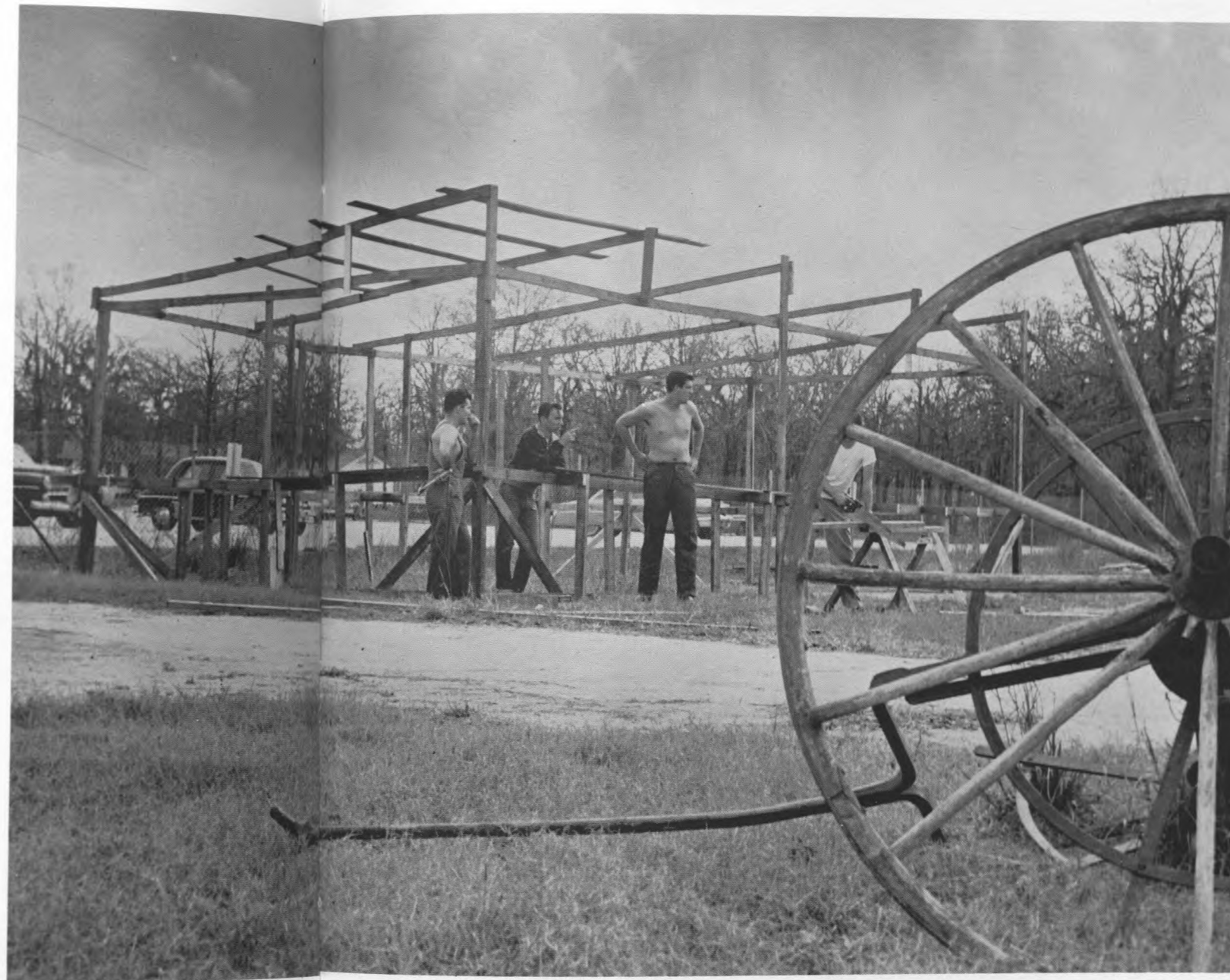
Evelyn Roberts makes sure Johnny Bradley has a close shave . . .



## The Work Begins, and Buildings Rise



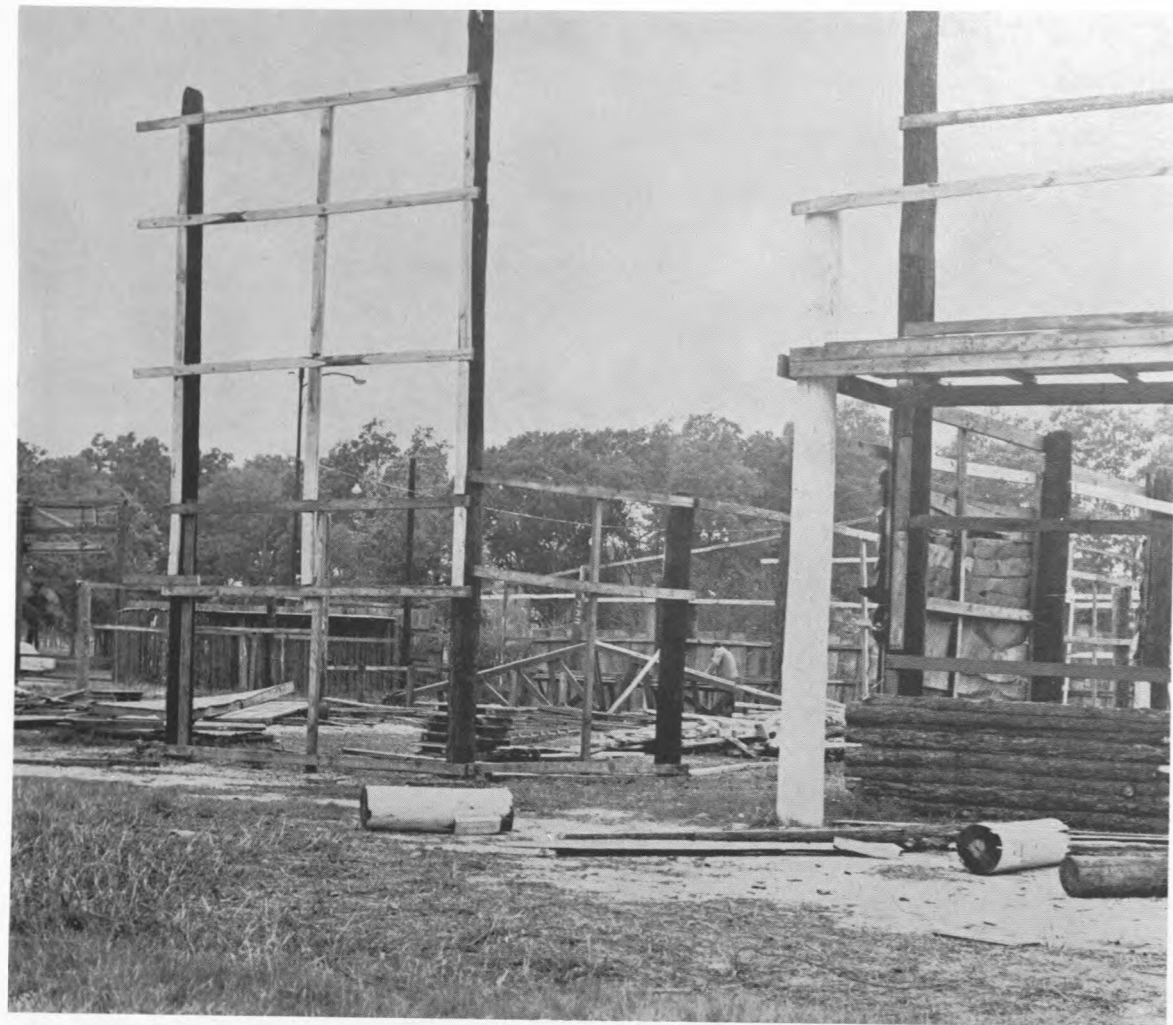
A cool drink . . . then back to work.



Hammers pound in rhythm to Dixieland music . . . the building begins, and so do rehearsals. New lumber, mixed with old, forms skeleton-like structures that will eventually house the "ole' West" productions.



Don Leissner cuts slabbing for the Bella Union balcony . . .



Telephone poles become the basic structure for show fronts.



Award for the "First Concession Up" goes to the Society of Mechanical Engineers and Gamma Sigma Sigma.

## Telephone Poles Become Towers

Telephone poles become the sky scrapers of Fiesta City. For the first time we notice a metal building . . . an experiment for the future of even bigger and better Fiestas. The stage-like city grows . . . time grows short . . . and opening night isn't far off.



An experimental building represents a look at the future of Fiesta.



Stages take shape.



Donated labor . . . a vital part of Fiesta each year.



## Richard Widmark Serves

### as Honorary "Fiesta" Sheriff

The world premiere of "Backlash" brought Richard Widmark and his co-star Jay C. Flipper to Houston and Fiesta City. The Fiesta Association promptly extended an invitation to the top-ranked star to serve as the honorary Fiesta City sheriff. Mr. Widmark accepted and made a special trip to the budding boom-town and to University drama classes.



Jay C. Flipper, Charlotte Kuentler, Richard Widmark and Jan Ellis observe the building of Fiesta city.

Jan Ellis presents Richard Widmark with a badge making him honorary "Fiesta City Sheriff."

## Rehearsals Insure "Top Notch" Productions for '56



Steps are improvised by Zetas at rehearsals.



A constant search for new can-can routines each year prolongs rehearsals.

January at the University welcomes in cold weather, registration . . . and Fiesta rehearsals. They start that early . . . but everyone knows the efforts are well worth it when the show opens. Script meetings, band practices, and work parties fill the "spare time" of each student. The countless hours . . . the



A "boy-girl" number gets under way at Alpha Phi practice.

bending and turning and stretching awards us all with aching muscles . . . and a little pride. "The show must go on" . . . and so must the hard work to make each show on the lot a vital factor of "The Greatest College Show on Earth" . . . It means a lot to all of us . . . this crazy world of "Fiesta."



The Bella Union dancers work out a new routine.



The Alpha Phis go through a rehearsal of the chorus-line number.

Steve Mayeux Receives Honorary Mayor Badge  
at the Annual Fiesta Bar-B-Q in Fiesta City, Texas



A. J. Montalbano, Fiesta Chairman, presents Stevie with a complete frontier outfit.

Honorary Mayor Badge  
in Fiesta City, Texas

Each year the children from Hedgecroft and Jefferson Davis hospitals take over the Fiesta City for one night. From among their ranks they elect the year's Honorary Mayor of Fiesta. Steve Mayeux served as mayor for 1956. He received a complete western outfit and a shiny new badge exactly like the ones worn by Fiesta officials.

The barbecue is made possible by the business men of Houston who supply meat and the services needed to prepare and serve it. The helping of small handicapped youngsters is one of the really big things that make Frontier Fiesta "the greatest college show on earth." The tiny faces glow as they turn to watch a "real honest-to-goodness cowboy" pass. For a minute little legs are forgotten.



Racehorse Haynes in a rare silent mood as Steve becomes mayor.



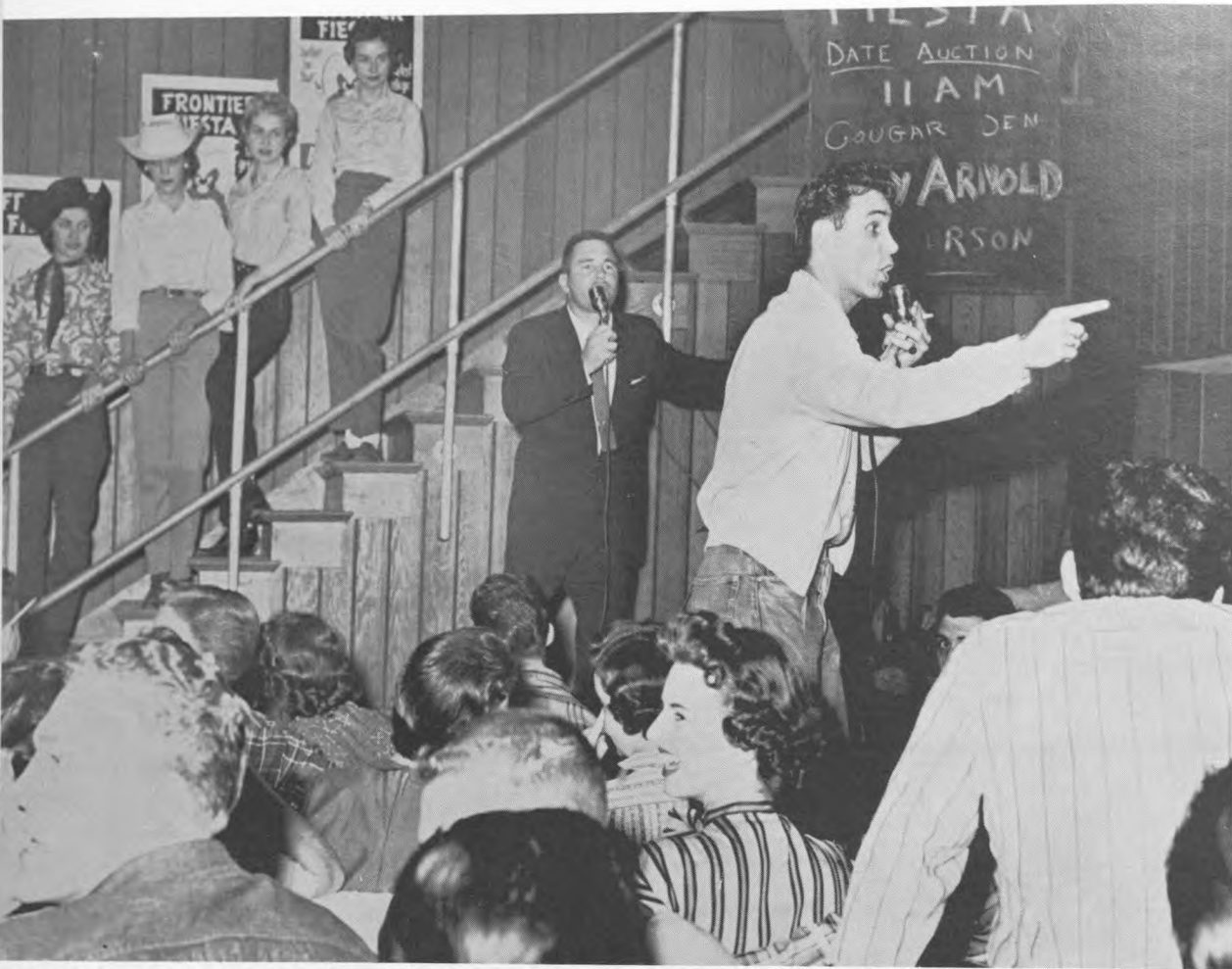
Free chow for everybody . . . and the lines form.



The Hooper Twins sing a frat theme-song, "He's In The Jailhouse Now."



A birdseye view of stuffed cowpokes.



"Going once, going twice, gone for 25 dollars" yells Johnney Bradley and Racehorse Haynes as the bidding gets hotter.

## \$125 BREAKS AUCTION RECORD

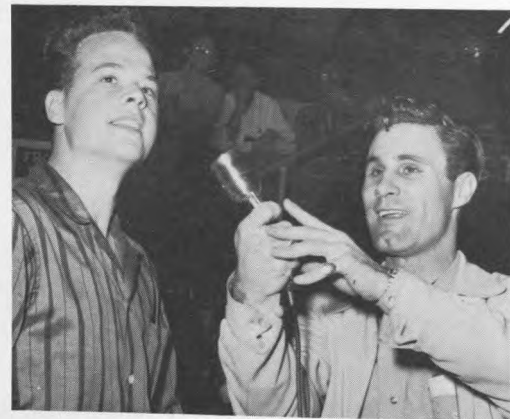
On March 23, 1956, Eddy Arnold took a back seat to the annual Fiesta Date Auction in Cougar Den. Not that Eddy was not his usual top entertaining self, but the bids outdid him. The previous high of \$68 fell to defeat at the bid of Harry Cullen. The crowd went wild and urged money holders to try to top him. His bid held and he won Roseanette Seraguse for \$125.



Eddy Arnold's honorary badge shines as he offers "The Cattle Call."



"I hear \$75 from the balcony" . . . the crowd goes wild.



Harry Cullen bids \$125 and breaks all previous auction records.



Roseanette Seragusa smiles as the high bidder claims her.



Martha Brizzolara beams at her "grab-bag" special Eric Jeter.



"Ye Gods, I just bought Rudy Duran."





In Fiesta's infancy, the first Ford donated by Earl McMillian.

Earl McMillian . . . Houston's friendly Ford dealer, once again donated a Ford to the winner of the beard contest in Fiesta.

Since 1949, Mr. McMillian has given graciously to the University . . . and this year marks the seventh of his Ford-giving years.



Honorary mayor draws the name of the lucky Ford winner.



Ford winner Arthur Hansz and Palomino winner Ken Watson.



In Fiesta's prime, the 1956 Ford donated by Earl McMillian.

## Earl McMillian Donates Ford For Seventh Year



A. J. presents check to Dr. Will.



Best All Around Beards  
John Bush, Nadim Nasir, Paul Harbican



Front: Tony Liveris, Ken Watson, Frank Costa. Back: Carl Sontag, Ed Gunn, Reese Matthews.

FANCY BEARDS



Don McMillian and Ford winner Arthur Hansz.

## Sigma Nu Sells, Anderson Is "Sheriff"

Winner in the pre-season ticket sales, Sigma Nu brought home the "Sheriff" title in the '56 Frontier Fiesta with their top-notch selling of tickets to the "Greatest College Show on Earth" to Houston citizens, friends and high school students.



TOM ANDERSON "1956 Fiesta Sheriff"



## Goudelock Named 1956 Fiesta "Belle"

Dorothy Jo Goudelock's sisters in Zeta Tau Alpha roped her the honor of "Belle of Fiesta City" with their outstanding pre-season sales of Fiesta tickets. Total sales by Sigma Nu and Zeta alone grossed \$4600 for Fiesta.



DOROTHY JO GOUDELOCK "1956 Fiesta Belle"

## Ann Arthur Cops Annie Oakley Title

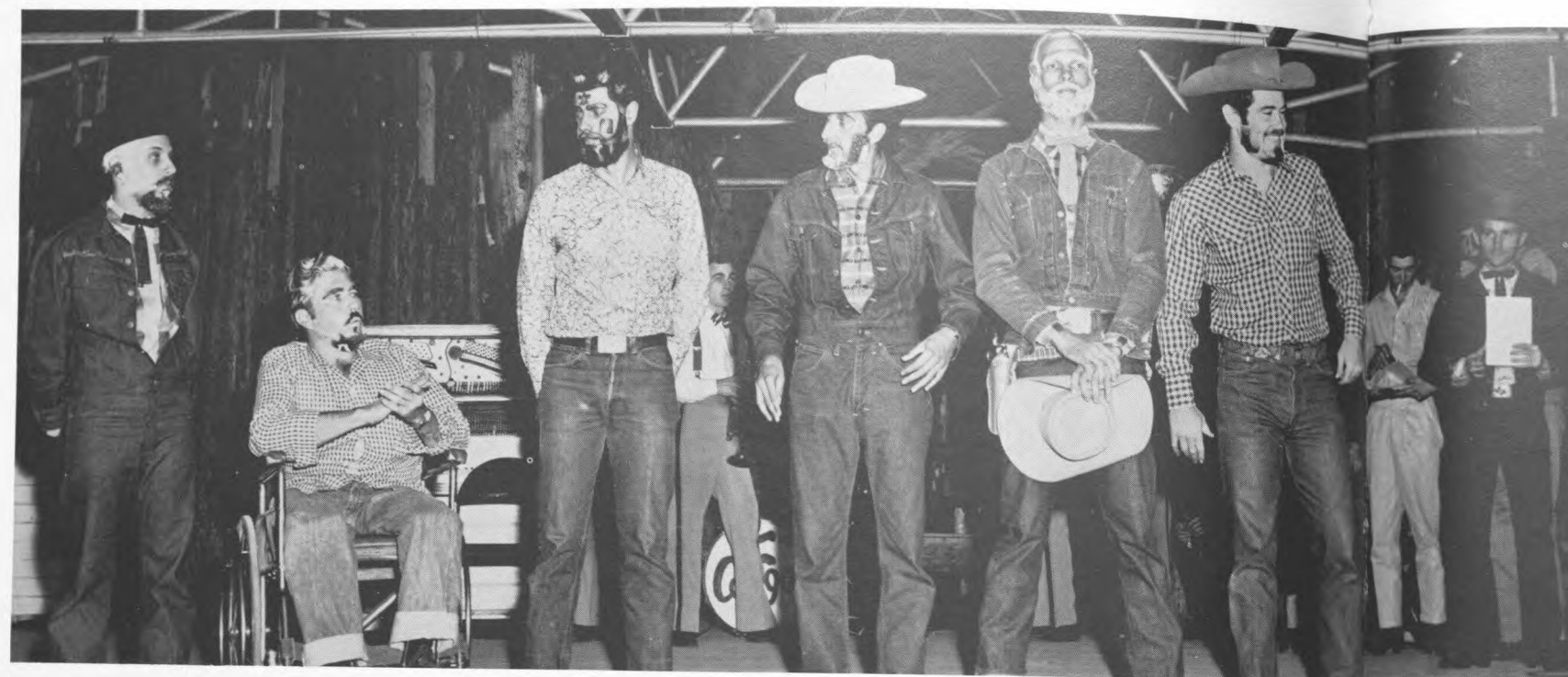
The 1956 Annie Oakley title belongs to Ann Arthur, freshman psychology major and member of Alpha Phi. Ann received a \$75 western hat and a clock-radio. Two of her Alpha Phi sisters walked away with second and third places. They are Margaret Jackman, second place, and Pat Smith, third place. Nancy Stanley and Suzanne Chinn upheld the Alpha Delta Pi honors by placing fourth and fifth.



ANN ARTHUR  
"1956 Annie Oakley"



Annie Oakley runner up candidates are, left to right: Suzanne Chinn, Fifth; Nancy Stanley, Fourth; Pat Smith, Third; and Margaret Jackman, Second.



Each night of "The Greatest College Show on Earth" a different contest is judged.

## Concessions Feed Crowd of 120,000

<i>Last Chance</i>	Delta Chi
<i>Dunkers Saloon</i>	Lanyard Club Men's P.E. Society
<i>Hop-a-Long-Inn</i>	Gamma Gamma Sigma Mechanical Engineers
<i>Cactus Bar</i>	Newman Club
<i>Gazette</i>	Theta Sigma Phi Sigma Delta Chi Press Club
<i>Photo Saloon</i>	Phi Kappa
<i>Jersey Lil'</i>	Alpha Sigma Delta Air Conditioning Tech. Society
<i>Country Store</i>	Lambda Chi Alpha

## Beard, Oakley Contestants Vie Nightly at Fiesta Corral



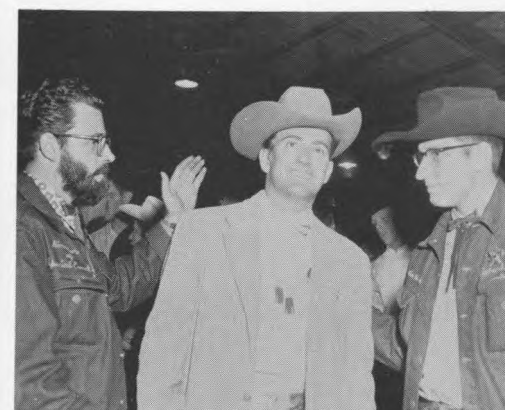
A future Fiesta Belle?



Mr. H. R. Cullen and family tour the Fiesta lot on Saturday night.



Dixieland music fills Corral entertainment roster.



A. J. Montalbano, General Chairman, is congratulated by Roy Feyhe and Vice Chairman Dick Coselli.



Crowds fill the midway and flock to the concession stands.



\$20 a dance at the Last Chance.

# Eleven Acts Named "Top" on 1956 Fiesta Midway

The traditional "Top Ten" acts grew into eleven this year as the judges selected their favorites. Bella Union led the field with four of their acts picked for the select group. Crow's Nest followed, placing two numbers in top billing places. Bill Lindsey walked away with honors for the fourth time with his "Mule Train." Rudy Duran and company were named for the

third straight year. New faces entered the ranks, and among them were Marvin Parker, Pete Brown, Martha Collins, Jenna Coy Huddleston and Marijane Vandivier. Production numbers always have their place in the judges' hearts, and this year the Lizzy Borden and Indian Summer productions fit their fancy.



Bill Lindsey *Bayou Queen*



Martha Collins *Crow's Nest*



Pete Brown *Bella Union*



Circuit Riders  
Dick Bonelle, Jim Gammage,  
Larry Little, Ernie Frady  
*Bella Union*



Marvin Parker *Crow's Nest*



Jenna Coy Huddleston  
*Tombstone Theater*



Rudy Duran and company  
*Rock 'n Rye*



Marijane Vandivier  
*Bella Union*



"Indian Summer" *Silver Moon*



"Lizzie Borden Hoedown" *Bella Union*



George Young and Bobby Watson  
*Golden Nugget*



A bad fix to be in.



Bella Union front boasts of their first place and top acts.



Fiesta's first mink dance line.

## Judges List "Top Five" Shows in Order

### Bella Union

#### First Place

*Zeta Tau Alpha and Sigma Chi*

Four top acts led Bella Union to first place in the '56 Fiesta. Under the direction of Dick Bonelle, the production moved swiftly through tales of the backwoods folk in a colorful musical style. Fiesta's first mink clad chorus line brought comment from the audiences while cowboys dressed in red shirts and purple frontier pants shocked color-conscious viewers.



Doug Fairchild hands out a little advice with "Marry a Woman Uglier Than You."

### Silver Moon

#### Second Place

*Chi Omega and Sigma Alpha Epsilon*

For the second time Mister Moon related a tale of the frontier moving west. The new metal home of the "Moon" added to the professional atmosphere of the entire production. Norma Brady, Pat Jacques and Marsha Hicks repeated their trio act with the same cute freshness as last year. Jay Strickland and Tom Collins rollicked through punch line humor. This well-rounded show ran off with second place in the judging.



Norma Brady, Pat Jacques and Marsha Hicks in a return engagement to the '56 Moon.



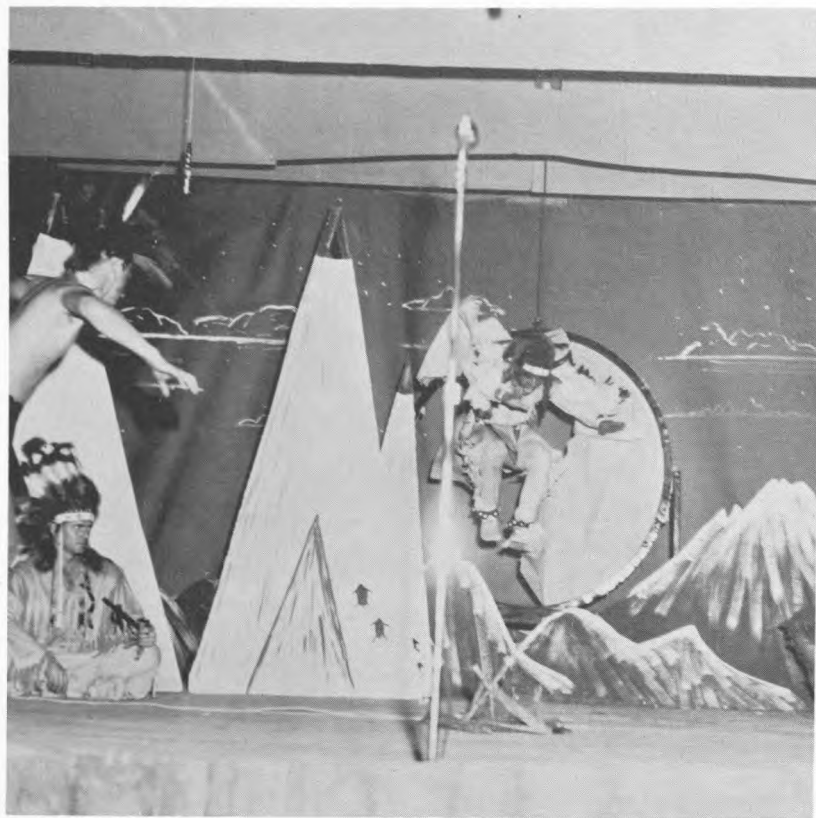
Jay Strickland and Tom Collins add another laugh to their collection of gags.



Housewarming at the "new" Moon.



The Moon's Mexican hat dancers swirled before the viewers.



Roy Phillips jumps through the moon to begin the Crow's Nest production number.



Kathleen Landers sings "Totem Tom-Tom."

East moved west with the 1956 Crow's Nest. Bill McConnell, playing the part of the eastern producer, interviewed various talent including Indian dancers, singers, and loads of comedy. Johnny Bradley and Richard Sykes as well as Martha Collins lent laughs to the musical. Roy Phillips literally jumped through the moon to begin his dramatic Indian production number.



Johnny Bradley



The quartette brought applause from every crowd.

## Crow's Nest

Third Place

Alpha Delta Pi and Pi Kappa Alpha

## Rock 'n Rye

Fourth Place

Kappa Alpha Order

Rudy Duran and the KA's again presented their version of a Hollywood production in the form of "The Man With the Golden Elbow." The laughs would have broken any laugh meter into a million pieces. Jerry Franks' voice thrilled the crowds between acts. Jerry Price acted as MC for the fast moving parody. Russ White and his band furnished the mood music for comical satire.



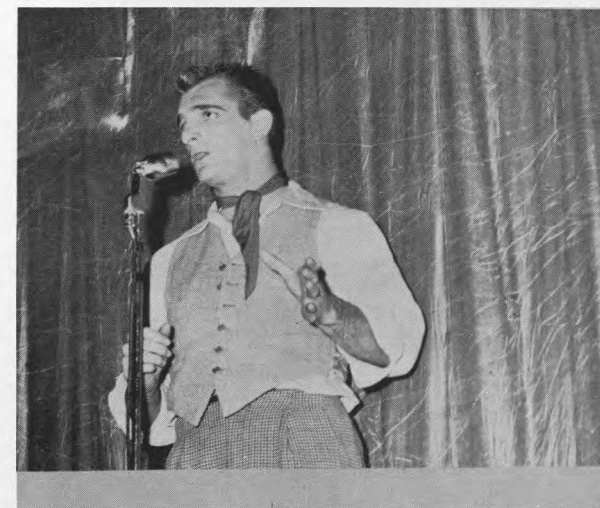
The "Dealer" arrives . . .



"Blubber Lips," Charlie Jamil, and friend begin to thicken the plot.



The Dirty Shame Saloon Can Can adds dash to the production.



Jerry Franks tells about the "Girls in the Woods."







"Oops!"



Another wrongdoer hits the dust.



"Luck, Be a Lady Tonight."



Donna Green and Margaret Hicks pick out western rhythms.

# Tombstone Theater

## Fifth Place

### *Sigma Nu*

Three sinners of the wild west stepped out of their coffins to relive their wicked lives for the Tombstone Theater audiences. Jenna Coy Huddleston won the crowd's heart with "I Wanna Get Married." Between acts M.C. Andy Hanson preached from the book of the prophet Bell. Wayne Ford sang as the Tombstone dancers whirled and swirled through the big production number that was the finale.



Go on with the wedding . . . Jim Knapp don't care.

## “Bayou Queen” Vies With Grace’s Wedding

*Alpha Chi Omega and Alpha Phi Omega*

Dick Funk, Ken Evans, Lukey Ledbetter, and Nick Nicolini put the Grace Kelly wedding to shame with their version of “Go On With the Wedding.” Carlon Markham’s treatment of “Get Happy” added a note of sophistication.



Carlon Markham offers “Get Happy!”

## “Diamond Horseshoe” Begins First Year

*Phi Epsilon Pi*

The Diamond Horseshoe opened its doors for the first time and produced a rib-tickling tale of “almost” heavenly angels reliving their days in the old West. Jack Babchick and Mickey Klug wore the halos while Marvin Lake, Dixie Hogan, Richard Jacobs and many more enacted the story.



The beautiful “girls” of the Diamond Horseshoe Saloon.



Almost heavenly angels.

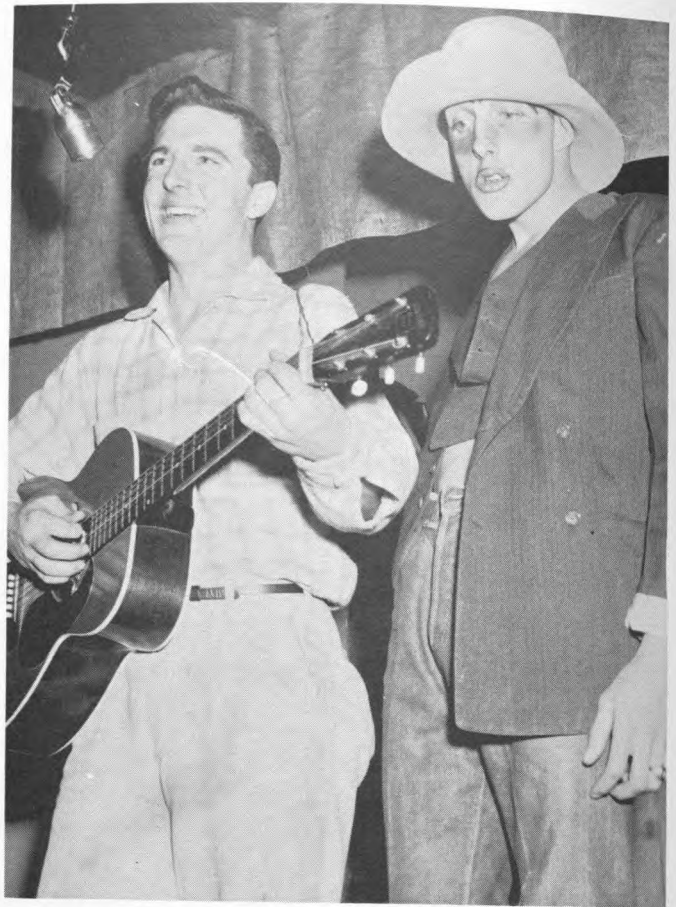
# Bob Downs Heads "French Quarter" Billing

*Alpha Phi and Pi Kappa Phi*

A Basin Street lamp post told the down to earth story of the New Orleans French Quarter. Bob Downs, the roving minstrel, entertained with calypso rhythms, Babs Pitman offered "Birth of the Blues, Patsy Johnstone danced and Charlie Bond brought Nature Boy to life.



Synchronized motions in the French Quarter can can line.



Bob Downs and Charlie Bond furnish comedy and song for the "Quarter."

## Singers Pantomime— In "Golden Nugget"

*Sigma Phi Epsilon and Decus*

The "Saga of Quiet Erp" presented such characters as Yur Frend, Nas. T. Mann, Shy Anne, Ima Singer, and Hans Onme in a comic version of an old West melodrama. Satan and his devil dancers entertained and a group of Indians danced. Milton Graves, complete with pink suit, sang some Elvis Presley tunes.



Quiet Erp, Ronnie Sadler, leaves with Yur Friend in Act II.



Ima Singer, Mary Warner, lives up to her stage name.

## Voodoo Sparks

### “Plugged Nickel”

Showboat music . . . can-can girls in candy-striped costumes . . . and voodoo dancers in the swamp, led by Eloise Magness and Lady Jenkins, sparked the '56 edition of the “Plugged Nickel.”



Southern belles can-can in the “Nickel.”



Jimmy and Lady in the jazz number.

## “Spitty” Rocks Stars 'n Bars Audiences



“Hi-De-In-Um-Daddy-O” sparked the Stars and Bars show.

Jesse Jones, alias Walter Spitty and hero of the ole' West, made an entrance to the Stars and Bars which rocked the audience in laughter. Talented Joyce Alford sang several Fiesta favorites.



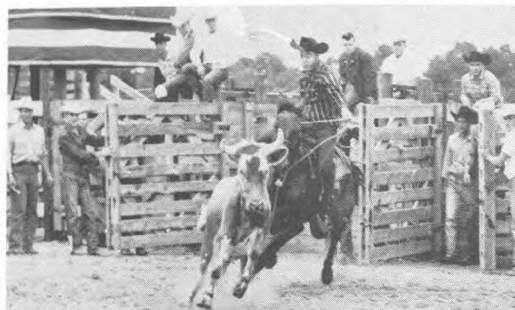
Timid Mr. Spitty meets the girl of his dreams.

# Stock and Stolon Sponsor First On-Campus Rodeo

Rip-snorthing bulls gave the cow-pokes at the Fiesta Rodeo a Western whirl in the rodeo. Sponsored by the Stock and Stolon Club, contestants vied for prizes of gold and silver belt buckles and hand-made boots. Best-All-Around Cowboy was Dick Burks and first place in the Cow Milking Contest was Jean McDougald of Delta Zeta.



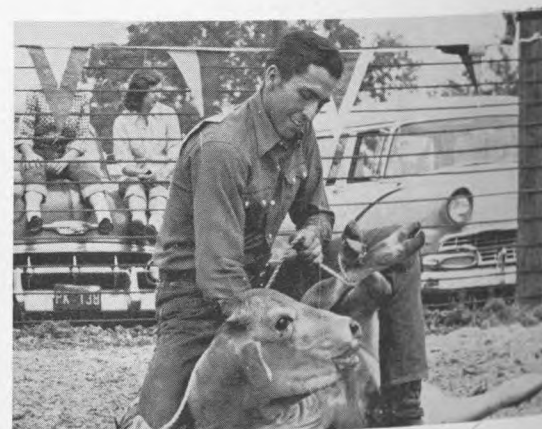
Bareback bull riding.



Better get along little dogie.



Suzanne Chinn enters the cow milking contest.

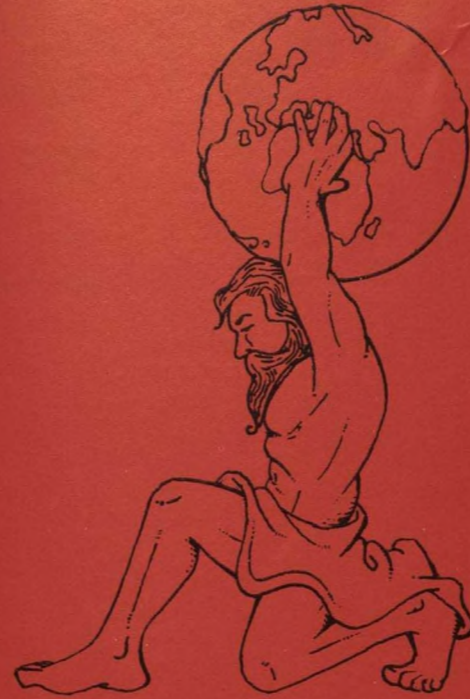
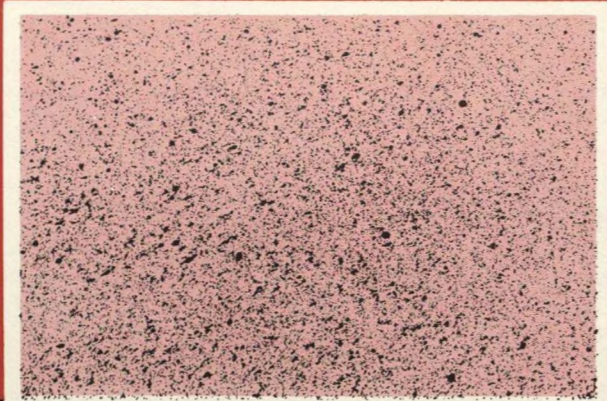


Vernon Lamb downs the dogie.

Out of this world comes . . .



the athletics



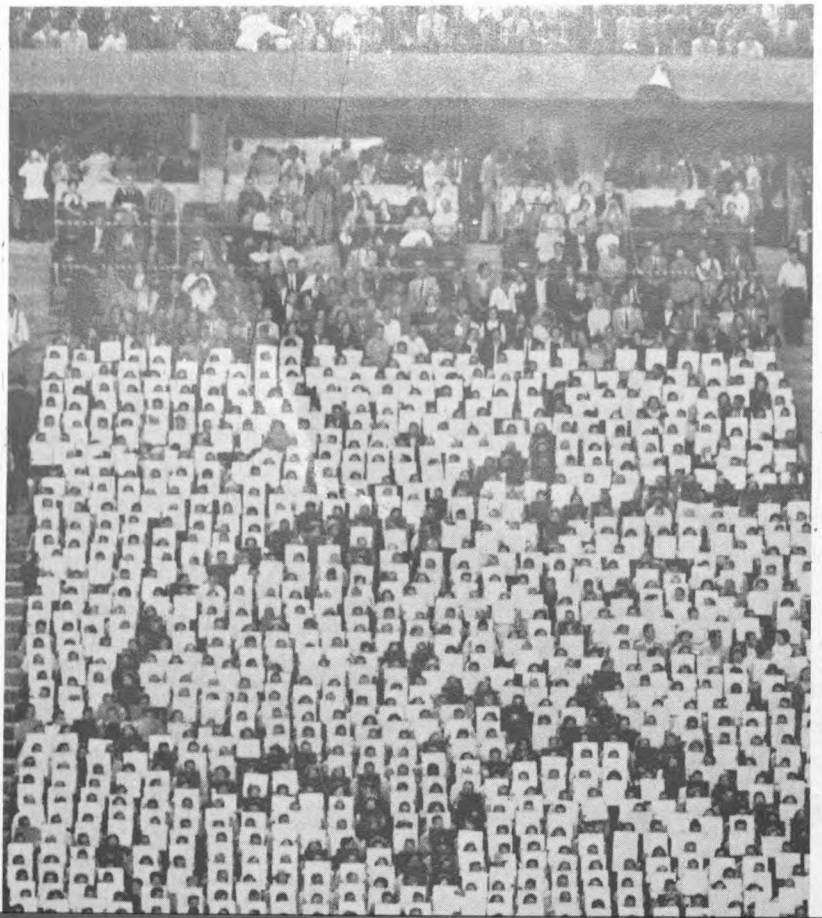
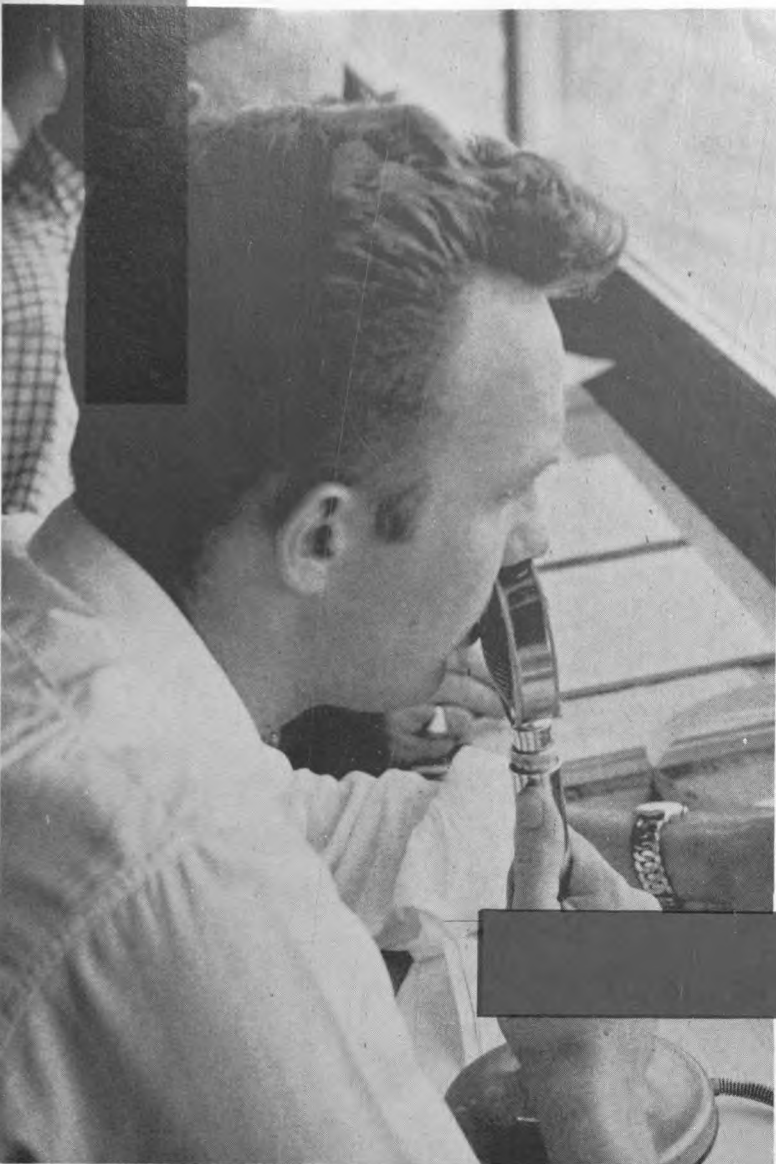
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# Football





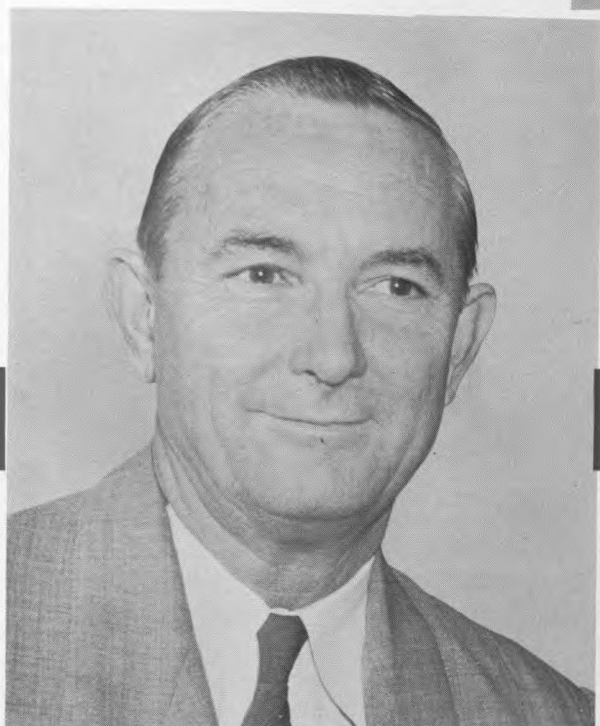


Camera Behind the Scenes





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HOUSTON ..... 54  
 MONTANA ..... 12



HOUSTON ..... 33  
 TEXAS A&M ..... 21

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 DETROIT ..... 0

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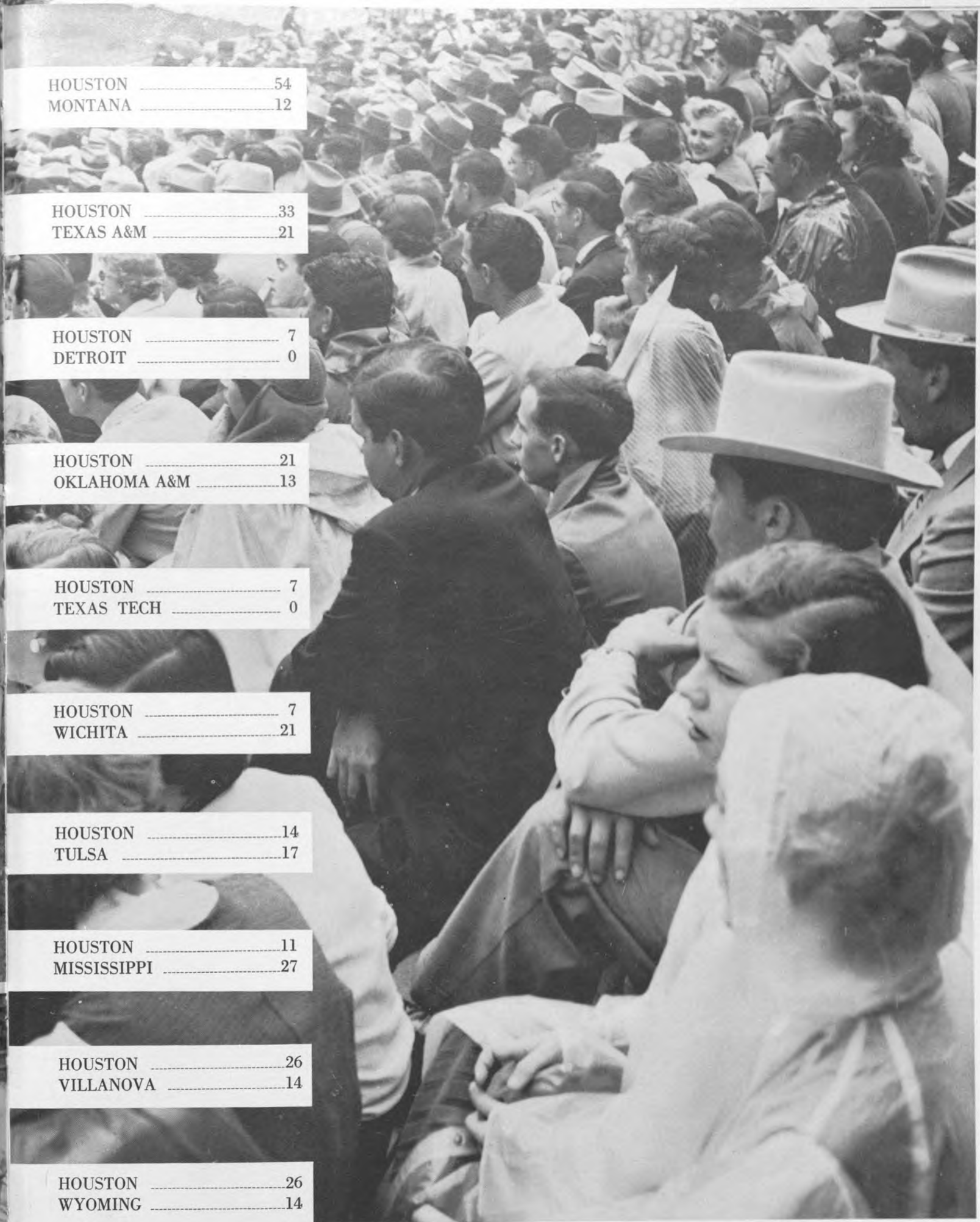
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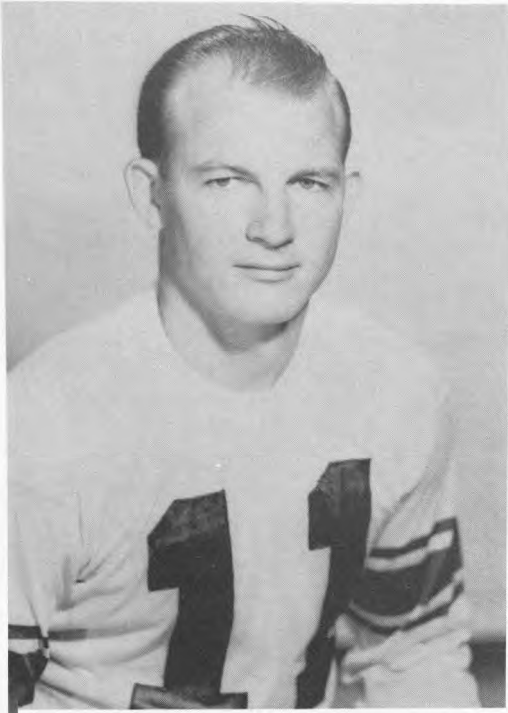
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HOUSTON ..... 26  
 WYOMING ..... 14



Cougar Eleven Thrills Crowd . . .



**JIMMY DICKEY**  
 Quarterback  
 Galena Park, Texas

# UH Tramples Bears, 54-12

Houston, Texas, Sept. 17, 1955

UH	MONTANA
17	12 First Downs
261	120 Rushing Yardage
89	97 Passing Yardage
16	22 Passes Attempted
6	7 Passes Completed
4	2 Passes Intercepted by
4	7 Punts
172	275 Yards Punting
1	1 Fumbles Lost
58	86 Yards Penalized

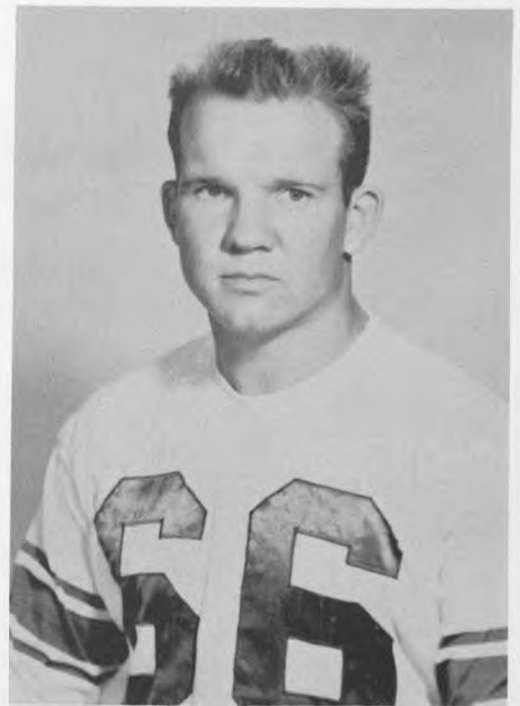
Happy players carry Bill Meek off the field after victory in his first game as Houston coach.



# Aggies Down Cougars, 21-3

College Station, Texas, October 1, 1955

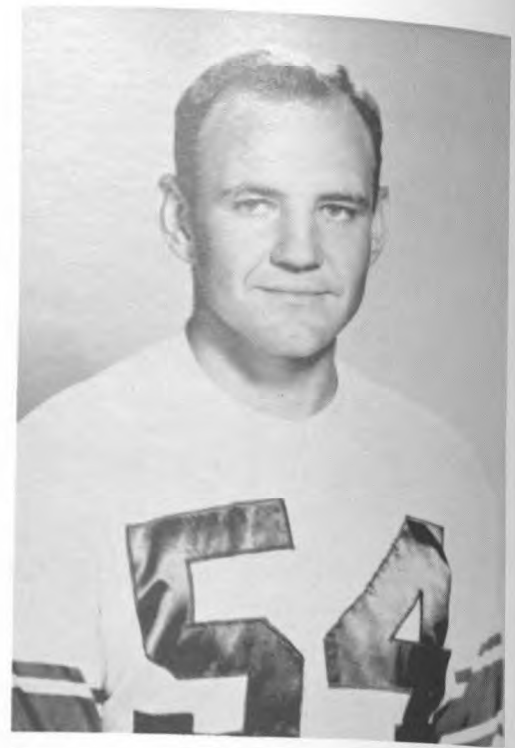
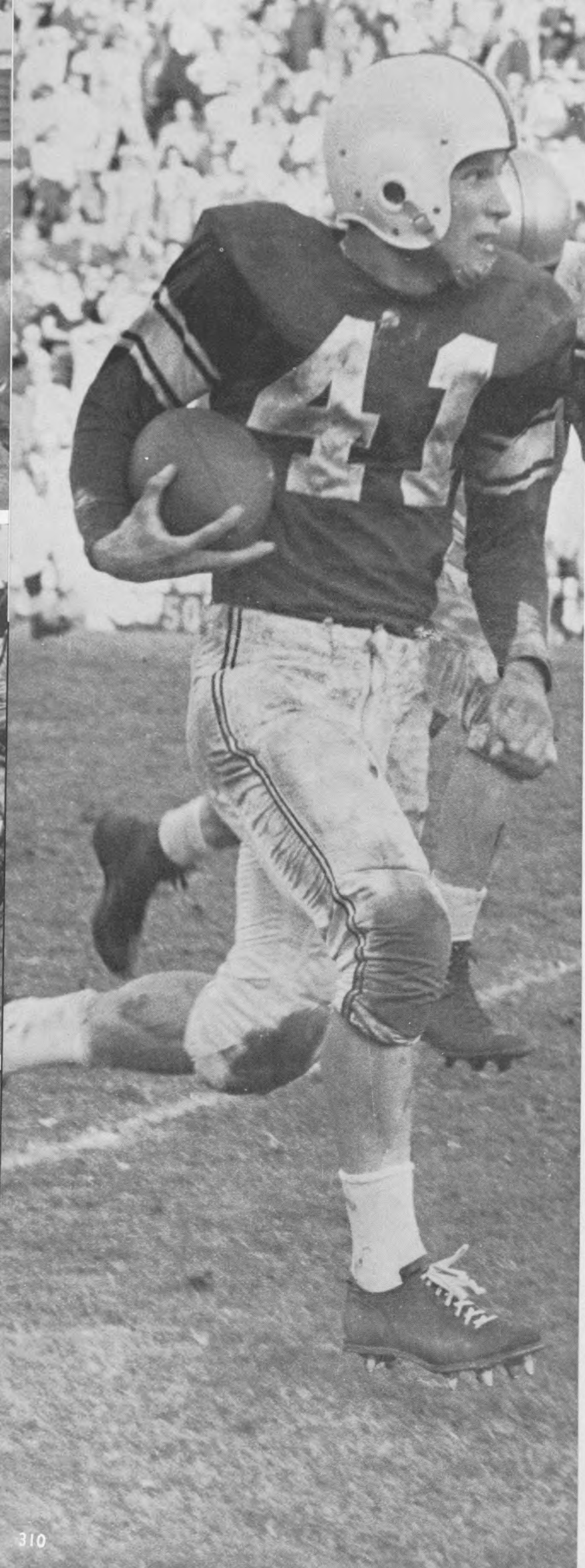
UH	TEXAS A&M
10	14 First Downs
169	166 Rushing Yardage
16	43 Passing Yardage
8	10 Passes Attempted
2	4 Passes Completed
2	1 Passes Intercepted by
7	4 Punts
265	153 Yards Punting
3	1 Fumbles Lost
105	70 Yards Penalized



WAYNE SHOEMAKER  
Guard  
Houston, Texas

Halfback Tommy Hall picks up eight yards against the Aggies.





TOM DIMMICK  
Center  
Lake Charles, La.

## U.H. Nudges Detroit, 7-0

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 7, 1955

UH	DETROIT
14	9 First Downs
226	97 Rushing Yardage
0	42 Passing Yardage
5	6 Passes Attempted
0	2 Passes Completed
0	1 Passes Intercepted by
5	6 Punts
190	208 Yards Punting
1	4 Fumbles Lost
45	25 Yards Penalized

Halfback Ken Stegall breaks loose on another long run.



ROD CARPENTER  
Tackle  
Houston, Texas

## Houston Edges Pokes, 21-13

Houston, Texas, Oct. 15, 1955

UH	OKLAHOMA A&M
18	16 First Downs
255	184 Rushing Yardage
76	26 Passing Yardage
12	10 Passes Attempted
6	2 Passes Completed
1	1 Passes Intercepted by
3	5 Punts
93	176 Yards Punting
3	2 Fumbles Lost
47	55 Yards Penalized



Right Halfback Donn Hargrove turns the corner on a long gainer.



Linebacker Billy McIlroy runs back intercepted pass from Tech's Kirkpatrick.

## Cougars Sink Tech, 7-0

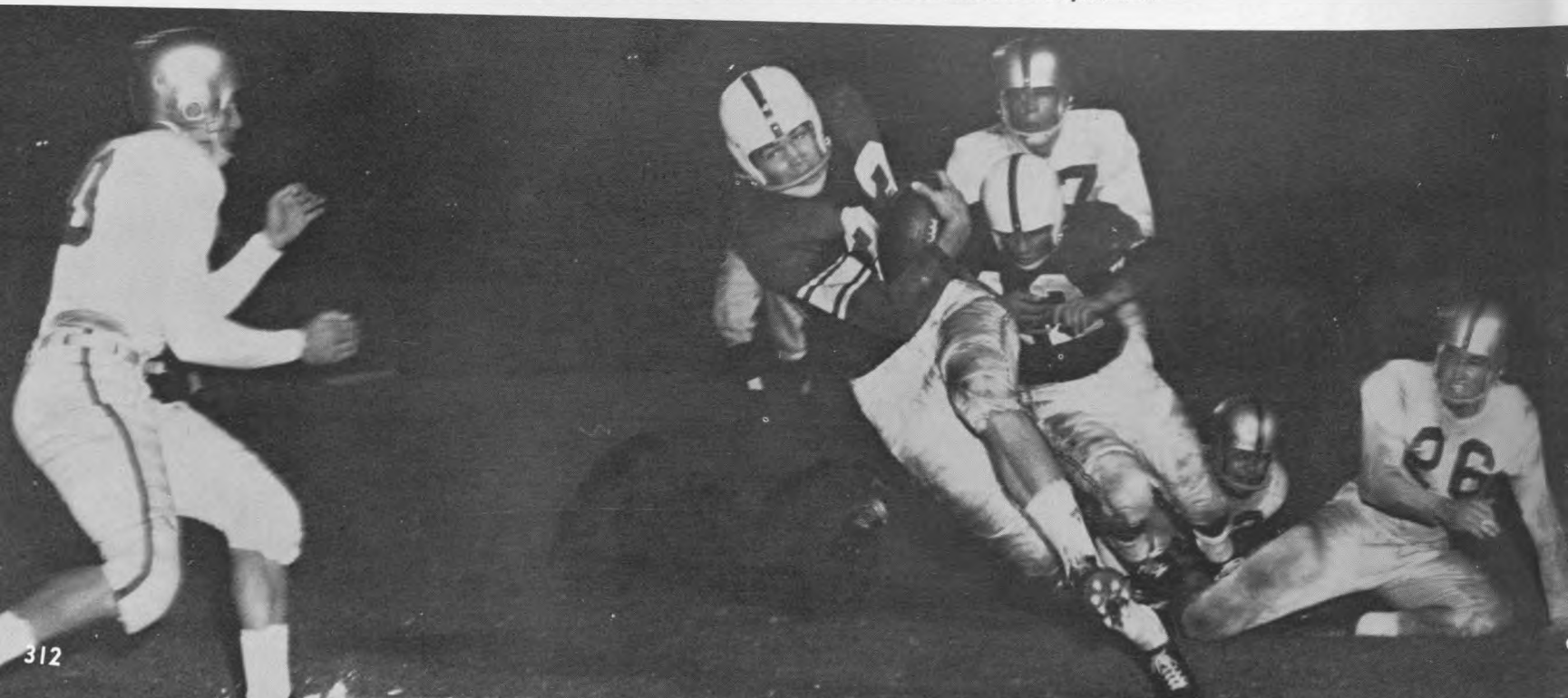
Houston, Texas, Oct. 22, 1955



**BILLY McILROY**  
Center  
Katy, Texas

UH	TEXAS TECH
10	15 First Downs
232	179 Rushing Yardage
13	71 Passing Yardage
4	13 Passes Attempted
2	4 Passes Completed
1	0 Passes Intercepted by
5	5 Punts
204	151 Yards Punting
3	1 Fumbles Lost
15	35 Yards Penalized

All-Conference Fullback Curley Johnson drives forward toward Tech's 10-yard line.







Quarterback Sammy Blount picks up a first down on keeper play.

## Wichita Downs U.H., 21 - 7

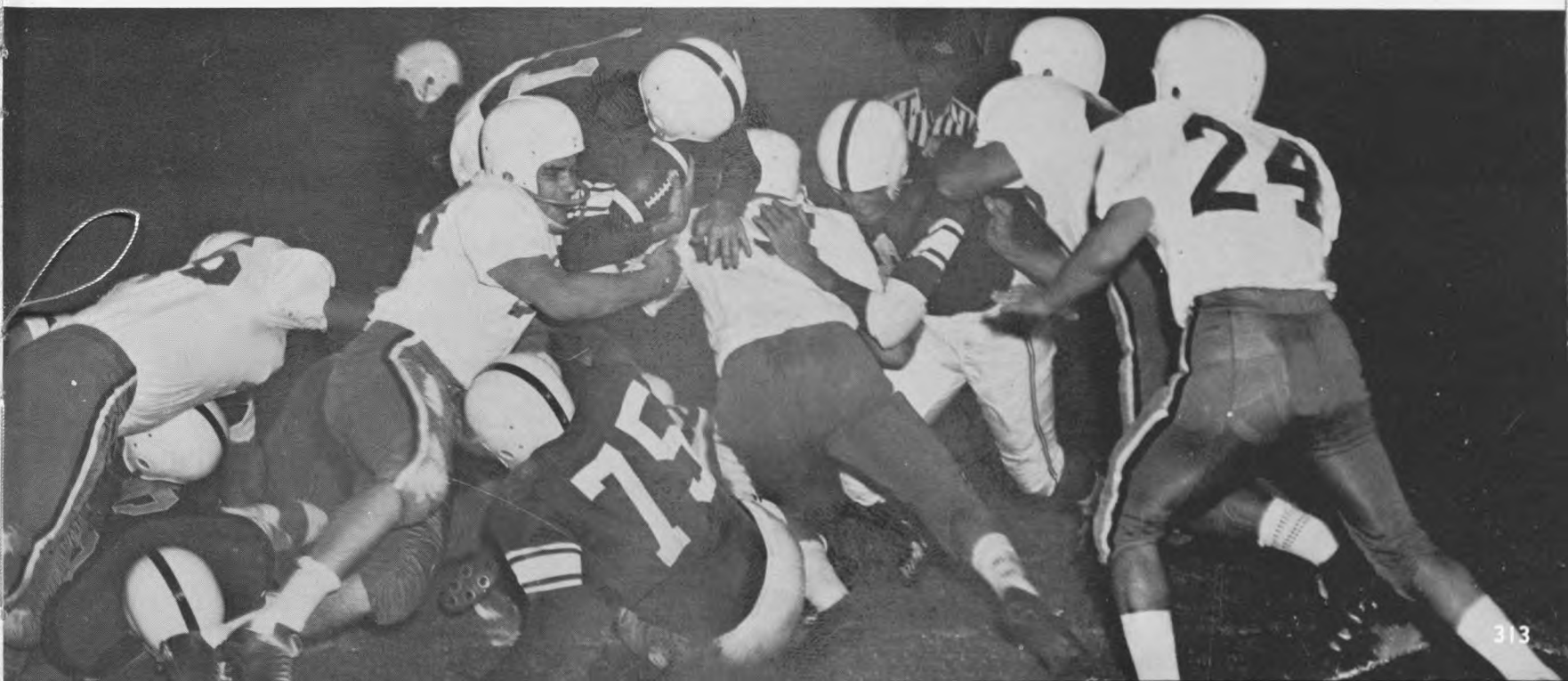
Houston, Texas, Oct. 28, 1955

UH	WICHITA	
10	13	First Downs
144	266	Rushing Yardage
60	22	Passing Yardage
9	6	Passes Attempted
4	3	Passes Completed
0	1	Passes Intercepted by
3	5	Punts
104	166	Yards Punting
3	3	Fumbles Lost
35	65	Yards Penalized

WAYNE GEDDES  
Tackle  
Scottsdale, Ariz.



Quarterback Jimmy Dickey leaps toward goal stripe as Wichita tacklers move in.

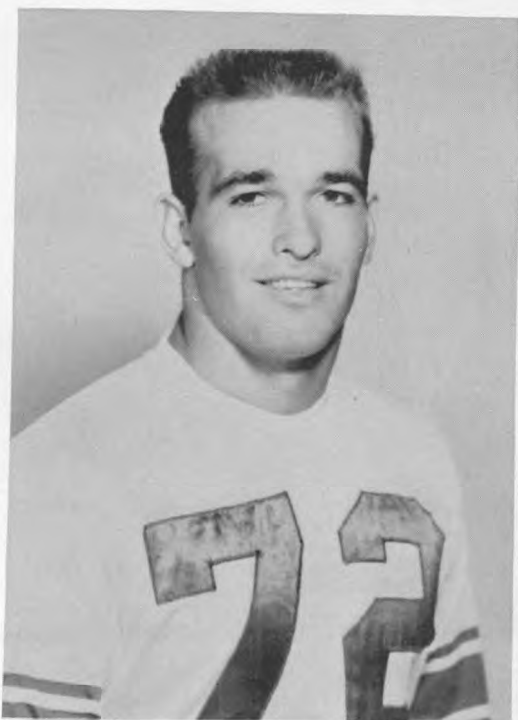




Halfback Joe Bob Smith picks up yardage after taking a handoff from Blount.

## Tulsa Trips U.H., 17-14

Tulsa, Okla., Nov. 4, 1955



**LAVELL ISBELL**  
Co-Captain, Tackle  
Corsicana, Texas

UH	TULSA
16	16 First Downs
130	162 Rushing Yardage
154	117 Passing Yardage
14	12 Passes Attempted
9	9 Passes Completed
1	2 Passes Intercepted by
0	1 Punts
0	55 Yards Punting
2	2 Fumbles Lost
30	30 Yards Penalized





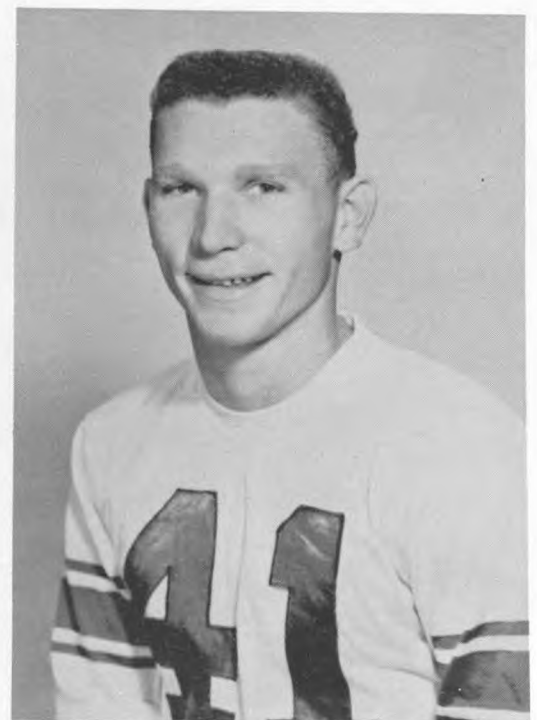
Red-shirted Cougars—Left: Dick McKinney, Rudy Spitzenger, and Joe Raitano block up front as extra point attempt sails over their heads.

## Ole' Miss Takes Houston, 27 - 11

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 12, 1955

UH	MISSISSIPPI
18	17 First Downs
179	319 Rushing Yardage
156	75 Passing Yardage
21	11 Passes Attempted
10	5 Passes Completed
0	2 Passes Intercepted by
2	2 Punts
90	60 Yards Punting
1	0 Fumbles Lost
10	35 Yards Penalized

**KENNIE STEGALL**  
Halfback  
Corsicana, Texas

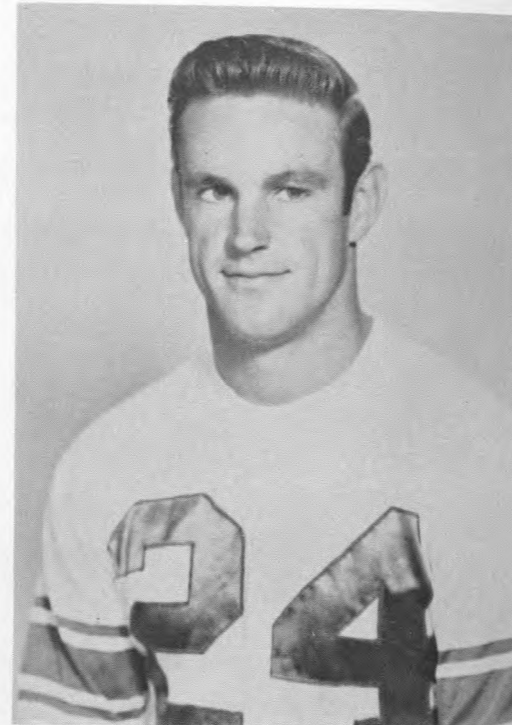




Quarterback Sammy Blount cocks arm for a long pass.

Houston, Texas, Nov. 19, 1955

UH	VILLANOVA
15	17 First Downs
238	119 Rushing Yardage
118	194 Passing Yardage
14	35 Passes Attempted
5	17 Passes Completed
6	2 Passes Intercepted by
4	2 Punts
126	75 Yards Punting
2	1 Fumbles Lost
45	65 Yards Penalized



**DONN HARGROVE**  
Halfback  
Freeport, Texas

## Stegall Runs Wild as U.H. Beats Villanova, 26-14

Fullback Donnie Caraway takes a handoff from Quarterback Don Flynn.



Houston, Texas, Dec. 3, 1955

UH	WYOMING
20	10 First Downs
248	200 Rushing Yardage
94	32 Passing Yardage
19	5 Passes Attempted
8	1 Passes Completed
0	1 Passes Intercepted by
2	7 Punts
93	248 Yards Punting
0	2 Fumbles Lost
70	55 Yards Penalized



**JIM BLACKSTONE**  
Co-Captain, Guard  
Houston, Texas

## Last Quarter Surge Pushes U.H. Past Wyoming, 26-14

Guard Jim Blackstone blocks Wyoming punt to set up a Houston touchdown.



Don Flynn drives into Wyoming line for important yardage.





Varsity Football Coaches



BILL MEEK, *Head Coach*



JOHN CUDMORE, *First Assistant*

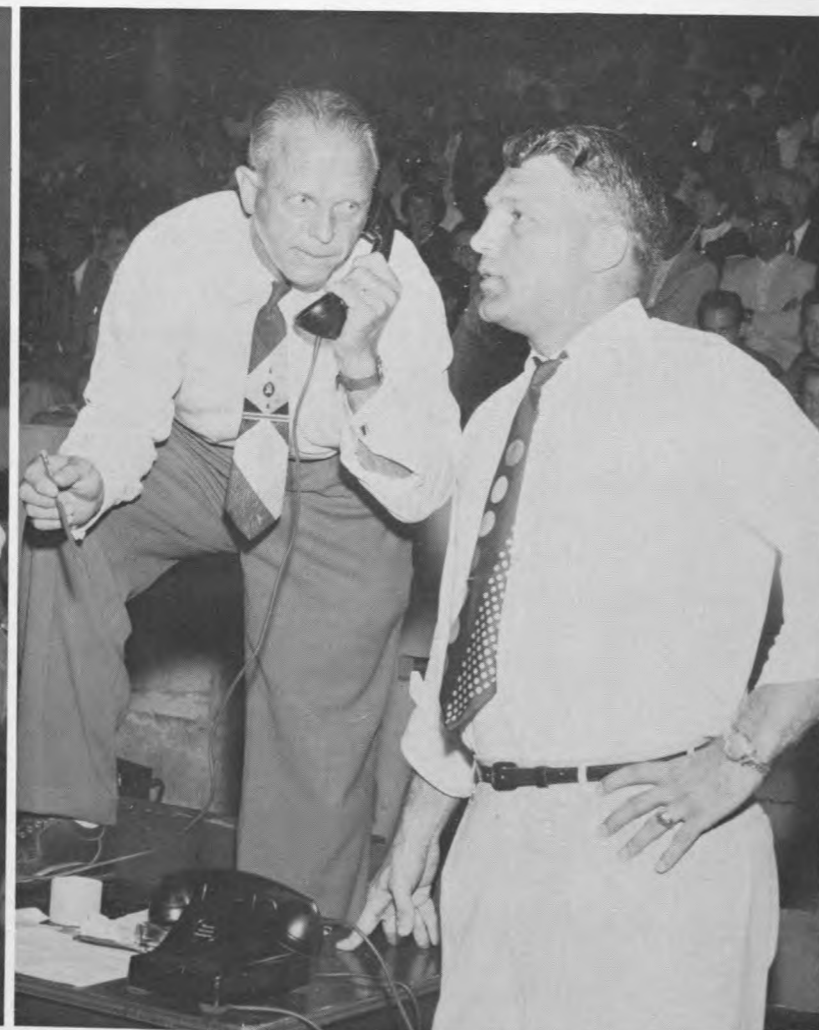


MARVIN FRANKLIN, *End Coach*

## Varsity Coaches Pilot "Big Red"



Donnie Caraway (32) and Quarterback Jimmy Dickey watch from sidelines with Coach Meek.

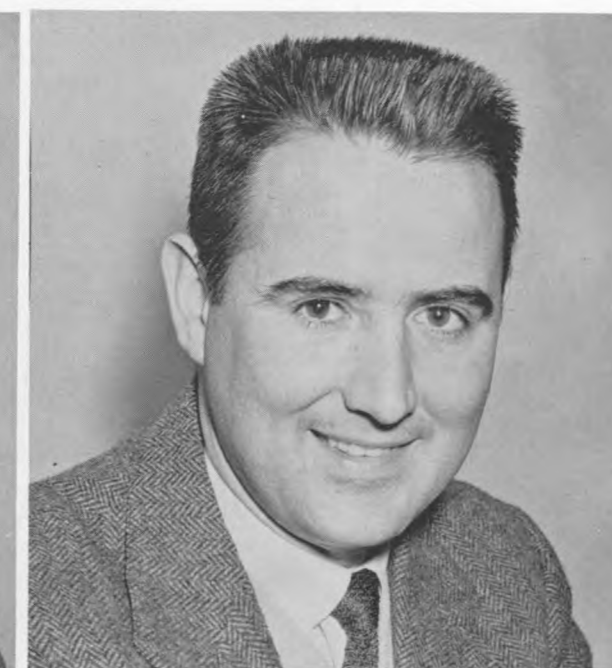


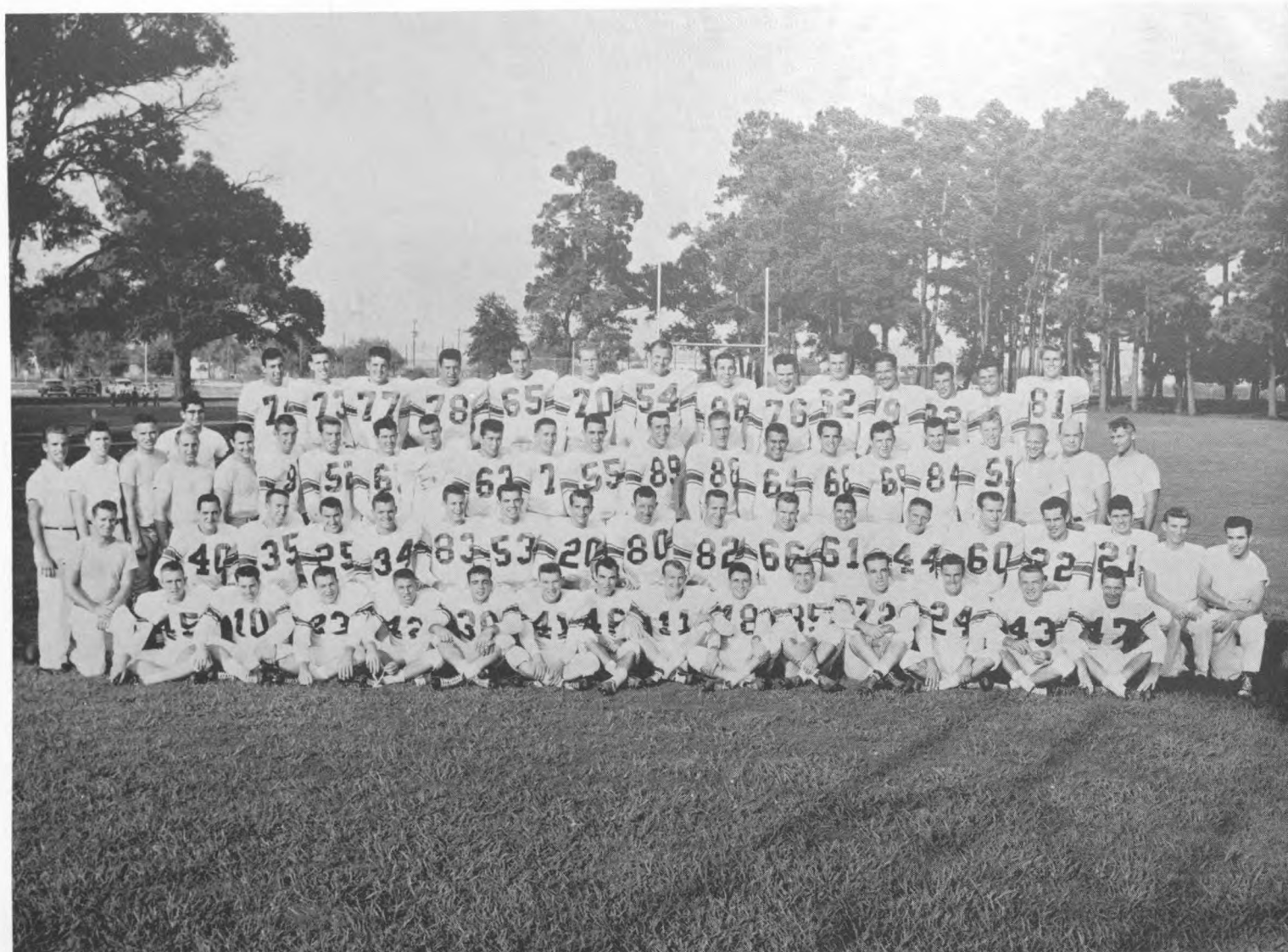
Coach John Cudmore relays message from press box to Head Coach Bill Meek.

CLYDE VAN SICKLE, *Freshman Coach*

JIM LARUE, *Backfield Coach*

ROYAL PRICE, *Line Coach*



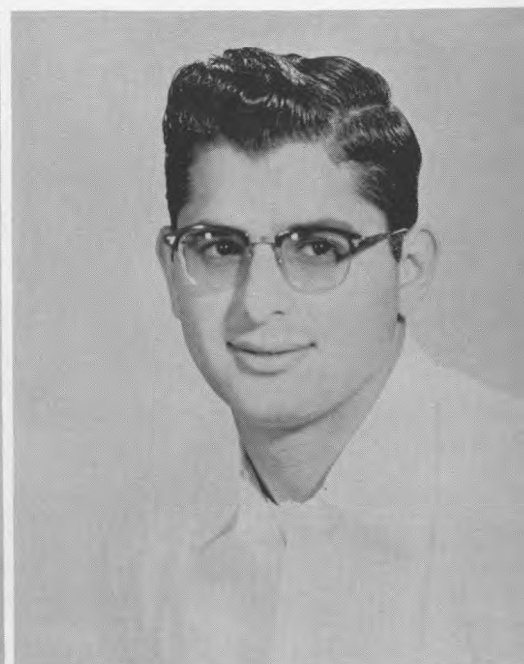


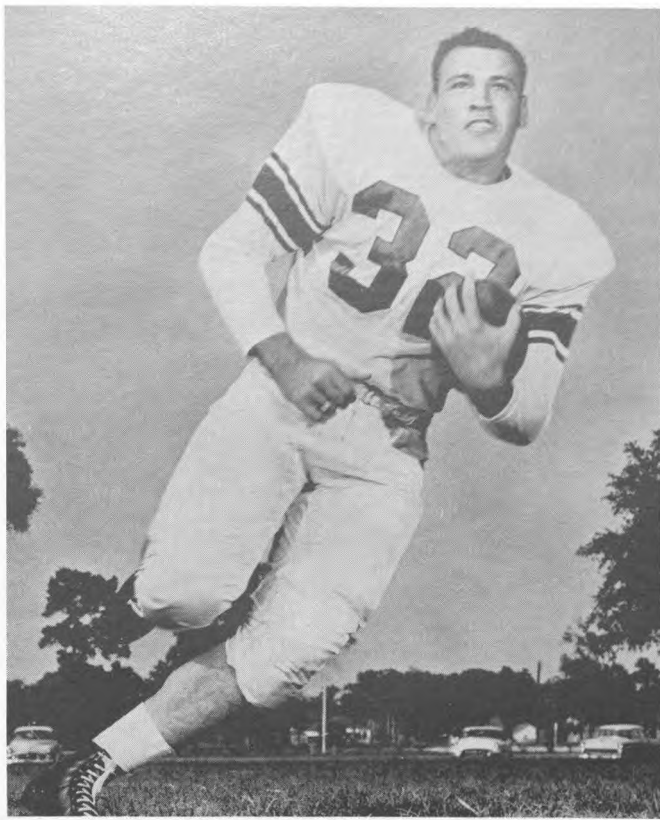
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**TOM WILSON**  
*Head Trainer*

**BILL BISHOP**  
*Assistant Trainer*

**KEN FAOUR**  
*Head Manager*





Fullback Donnie Caraway, Junior  
Haynesville, La.  
MOST DEPENDABLE PLAYER

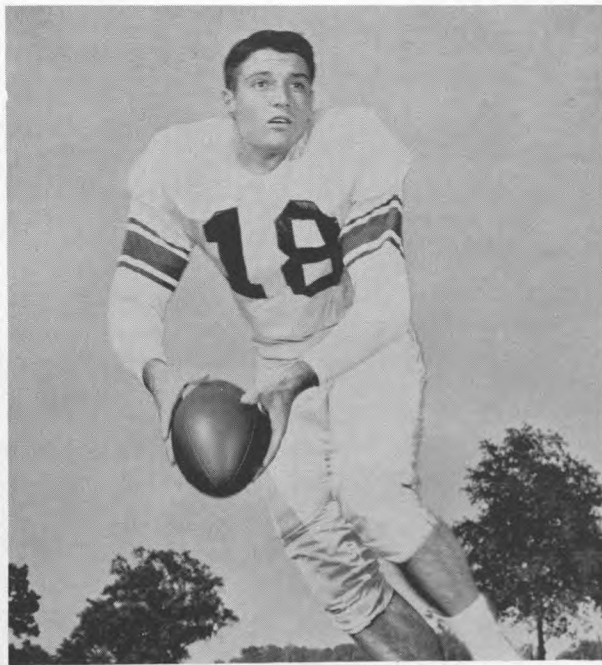


Fullback Curley Johnson, Junior  
Dallas, Texas  
OUTSTANDING BACK

MOST SPIRITED PLAYER  
Houston, Texas  
Guard Jim Blackstone, Senior



MOST IMPROVED PLAYER  
Tyler, Texas  
Quarterback Don Flynn, Junior



OUTSTANDING LINEMAN  
Corsicana, Texas  
Tackle Lavell Isbell, Senior





## Cheerleaders Animate Cougar Spirit

These six are that extra pat on the back to each varsity team . . . they pull the spirit from our lungs at pep rallies and throw it onto the playing field at games . . . The cheerleaders, so much a part of real college life.

BARBARALOU HICKS



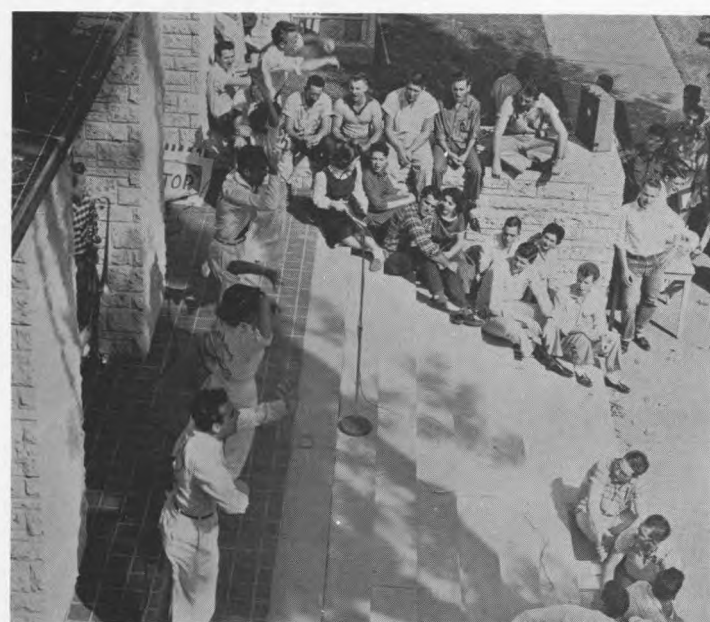
BARBARA HINSON



JANIE MORRIS



RUDY DURAN  
Head Cheerleader



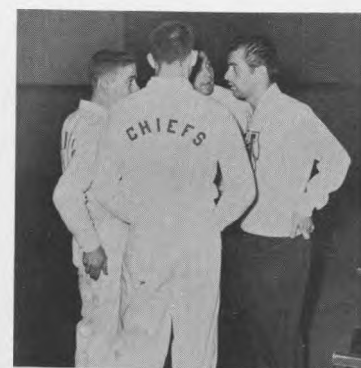
An outdoor pep rally sets the stage for the red-hot basketball season.



OWEN BLINSKY



ROLAND KUHN



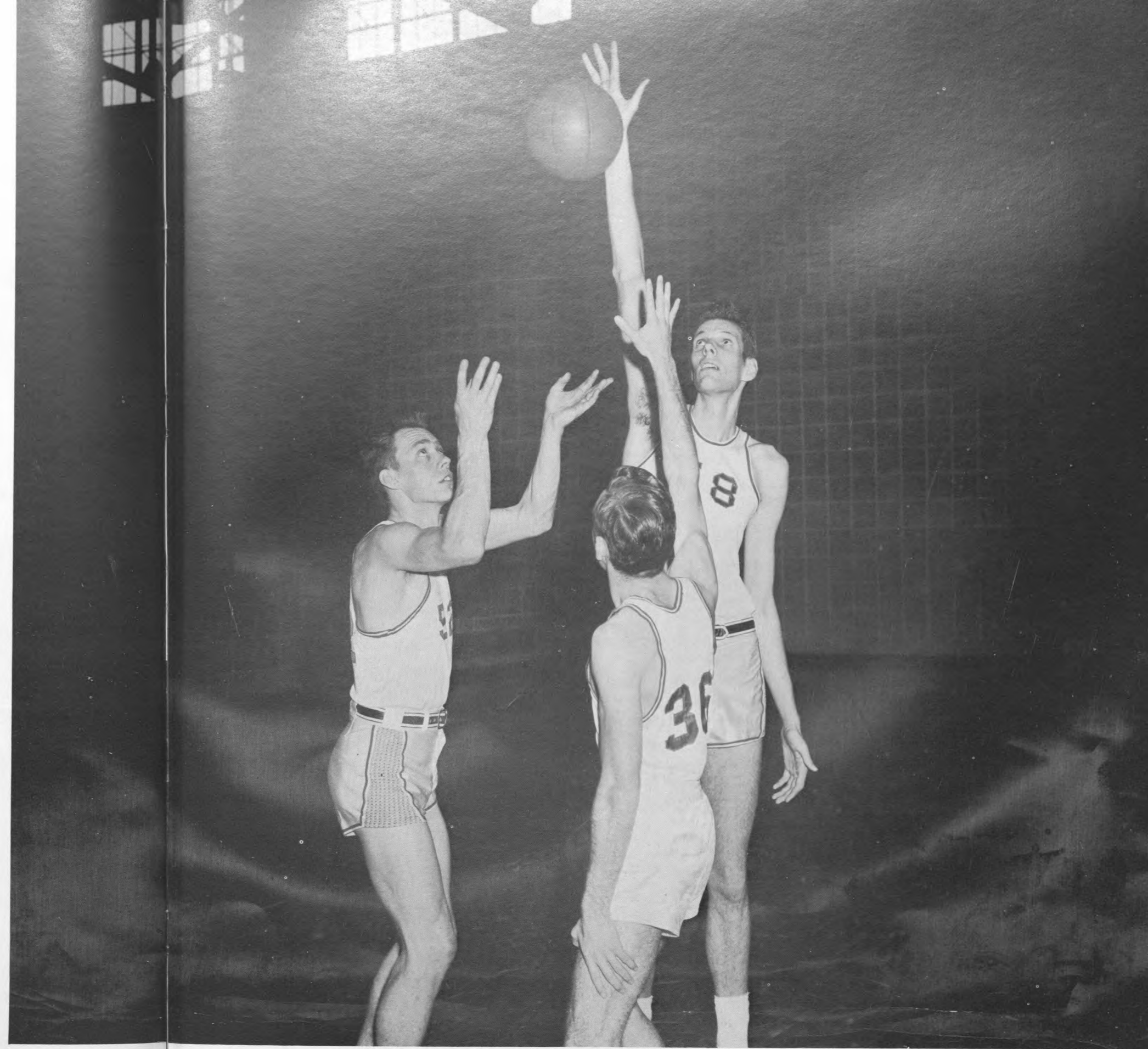
Rudy and Roland trade ideas with Wichita yell chief . . .



Takin' a breather between yells.



Basketball





# Pasche Named "Coach of Year"

ALDEN PASCHE  
*Head Coach*



GUY LEWIS  
*Assistant Coach*

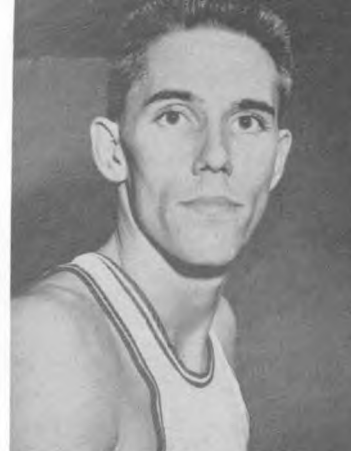
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89	Detroit * ..... 76
86	Detroit * ..... 84
86	Kansas State ..... 79
82	Wichita * ..... 77
73	St. Louis * ..... 76
78	Oklahoma City ..... 64
69	Tulsa * ..... 60
44	Oklahoma A&M * ..... 63
71	Tulsa * ..... 62
95	Miami, Fla. .... 77
104	Trinity ..... 62
87	Sam Houston State ..... 59
105	Texas A&M ..... 74
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67	St. Louis * ..... 66
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\*\* Birmingham Classic  
\* Conference Game



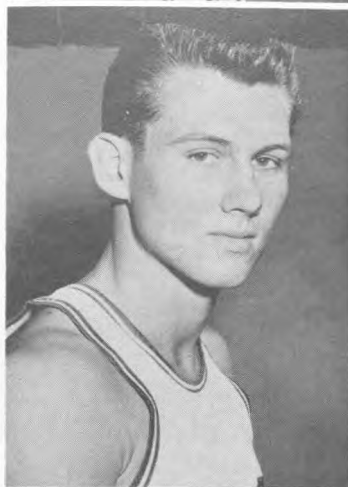
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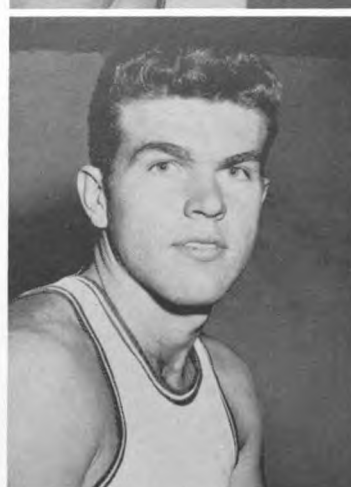
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CHAMPS



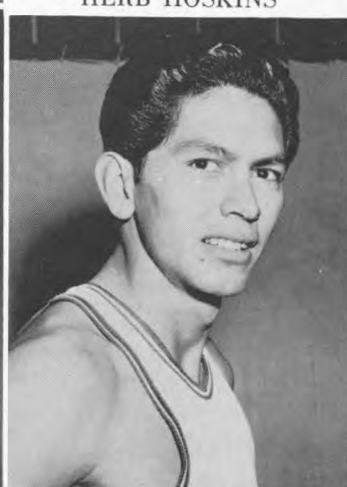
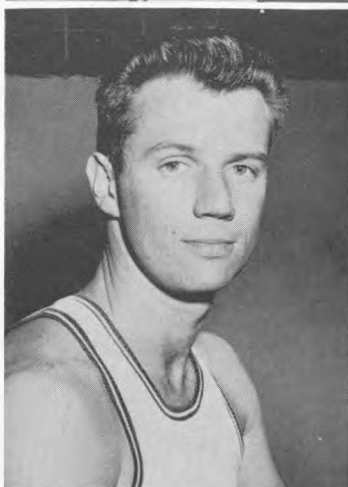
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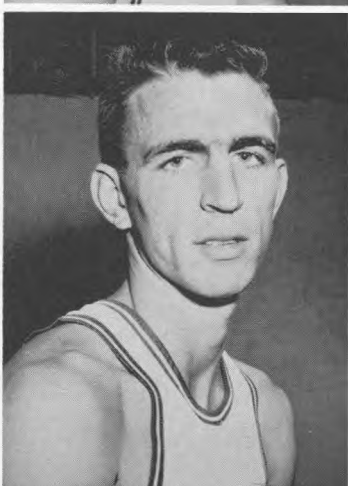
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DON BOLDEBUCK



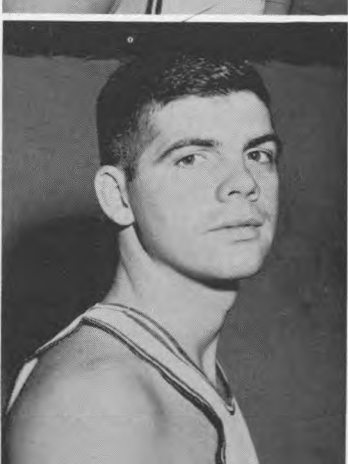
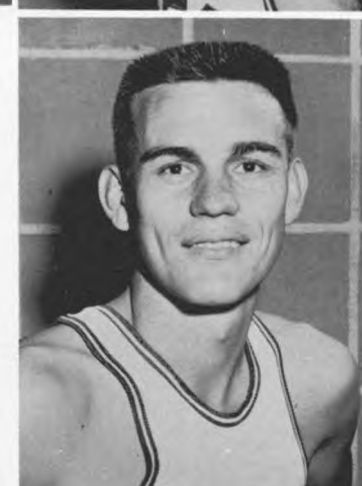
LUPE LOPEZ  
*Co-Captain*

JACK FOSTER  
*Co-Captain*



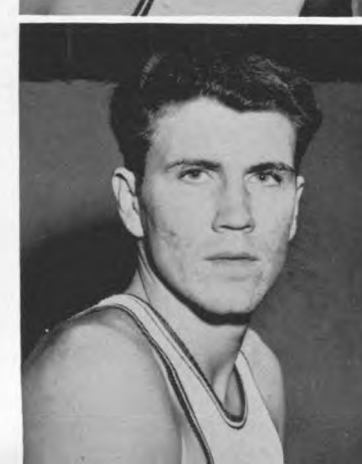
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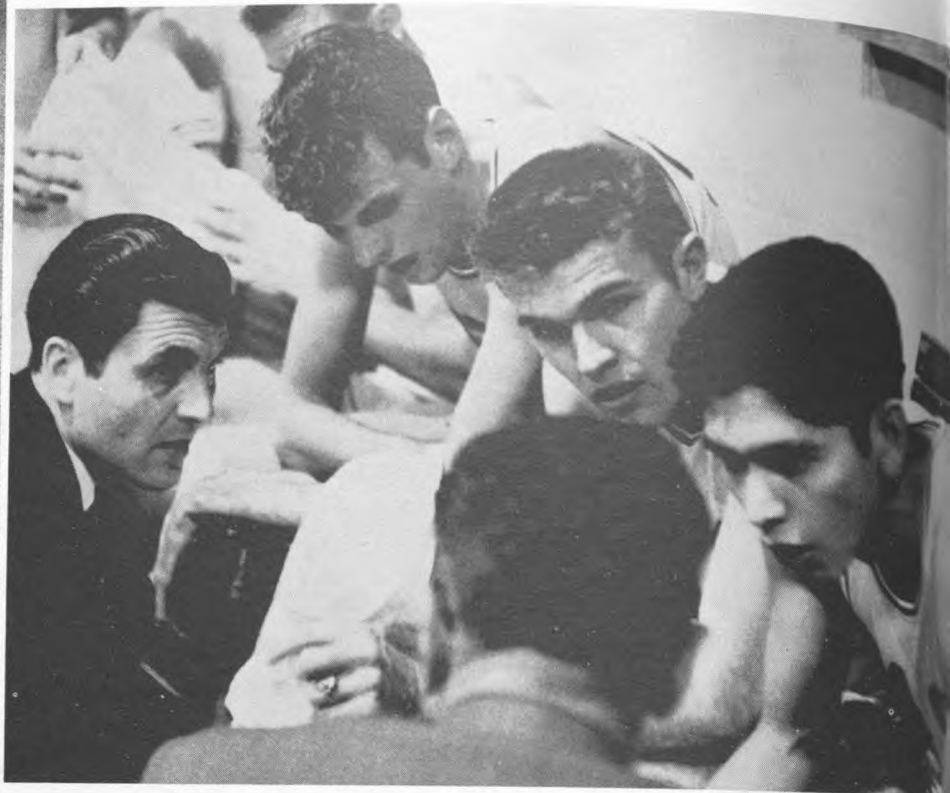
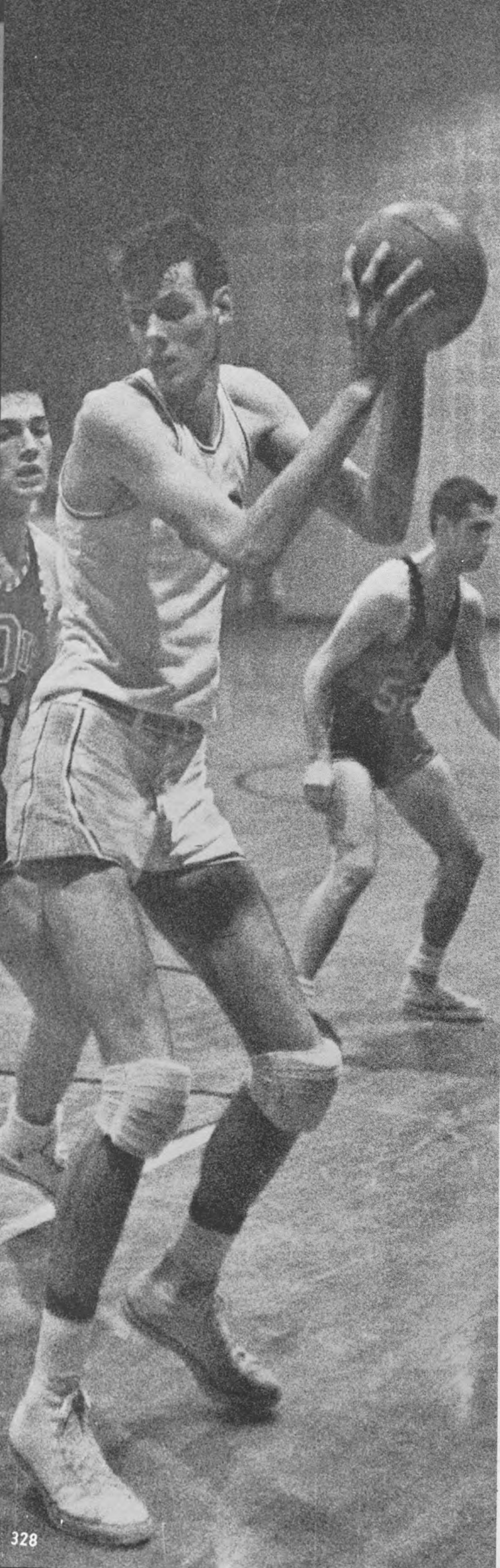
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SAM SELLS

JIMMIE ASH

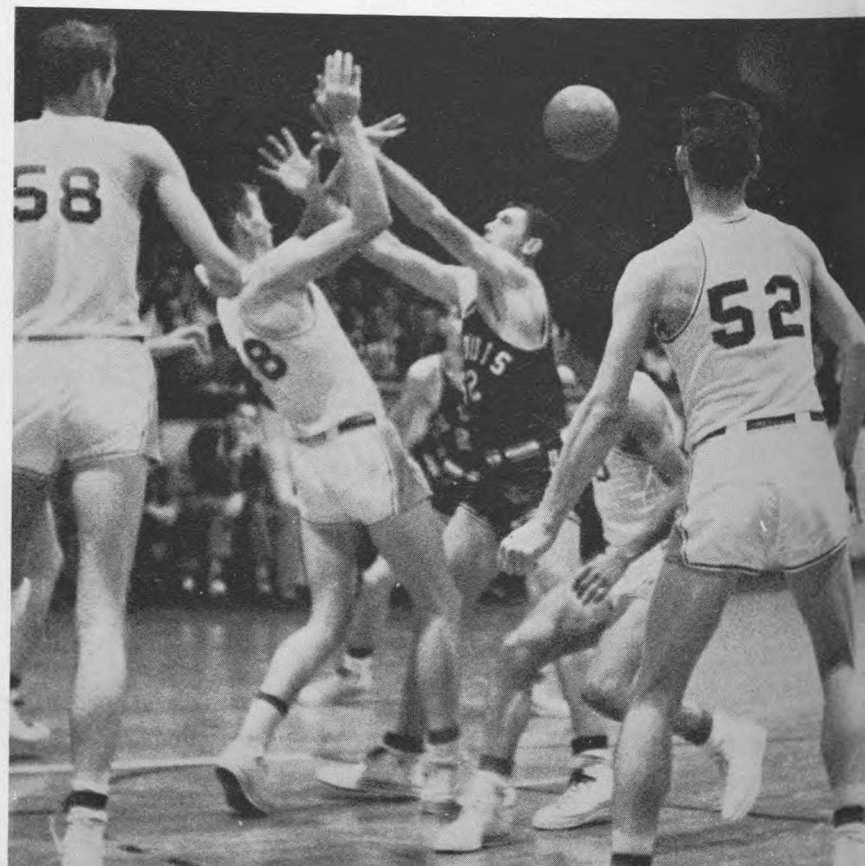


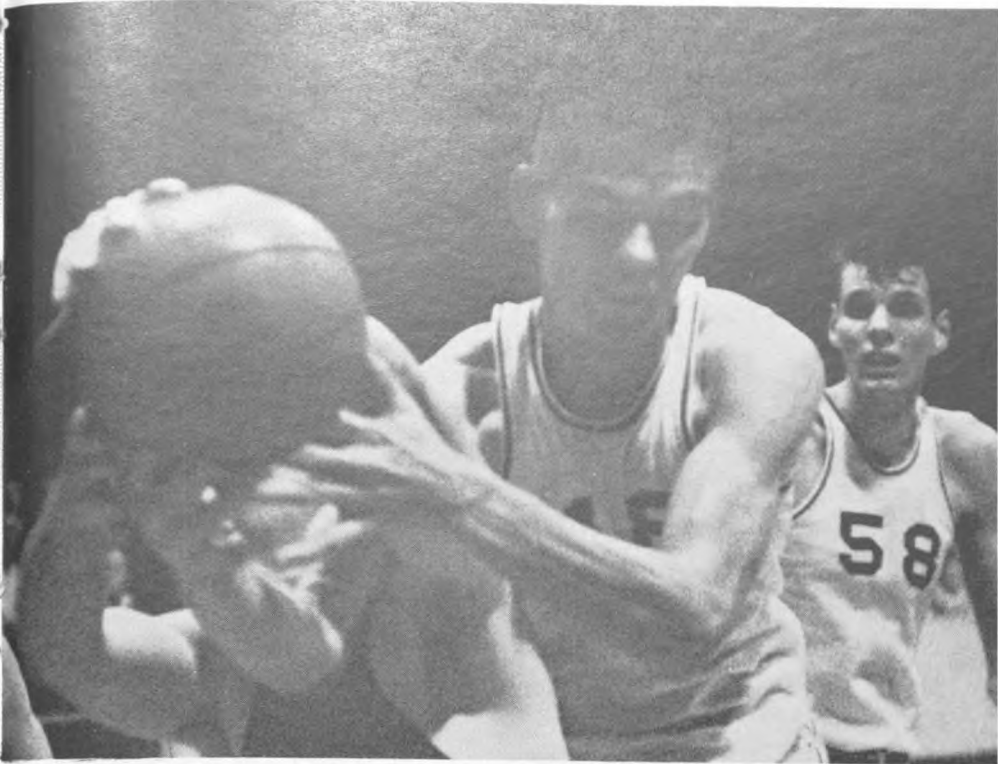


Coaches Lewis, left, and Pasche give team some pointers during a time out.

Left: Bolde checks position of Oklahoma A&M defender before hooking.

Cougars surround Billiken in battle for ball.

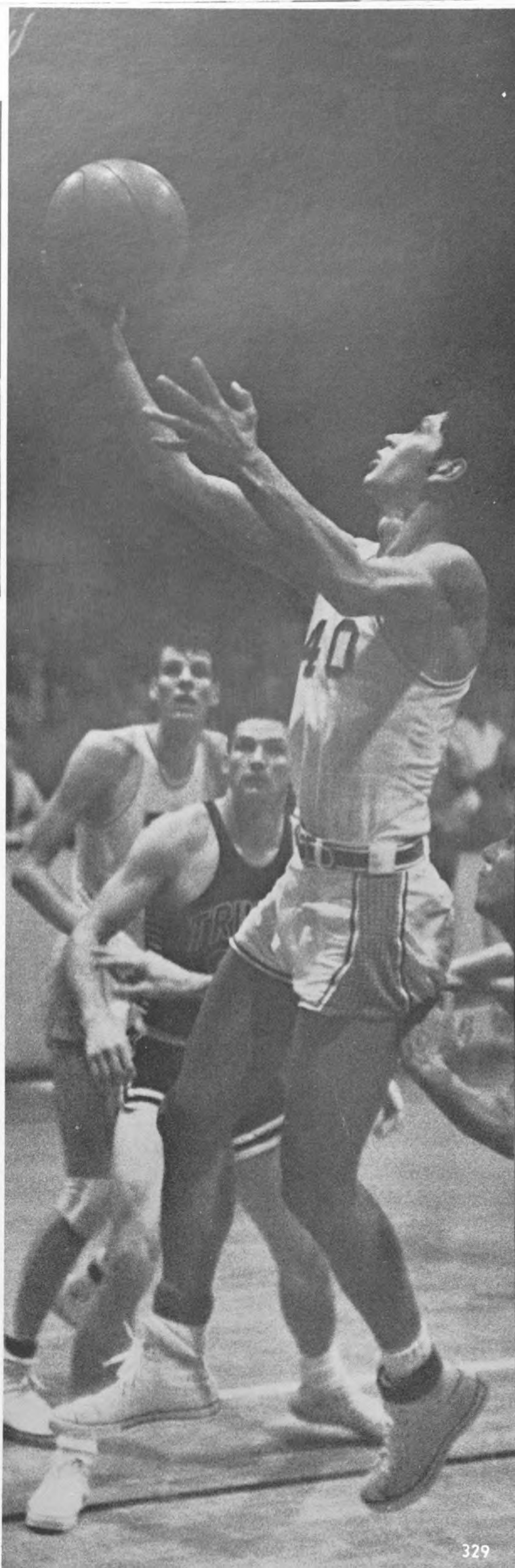
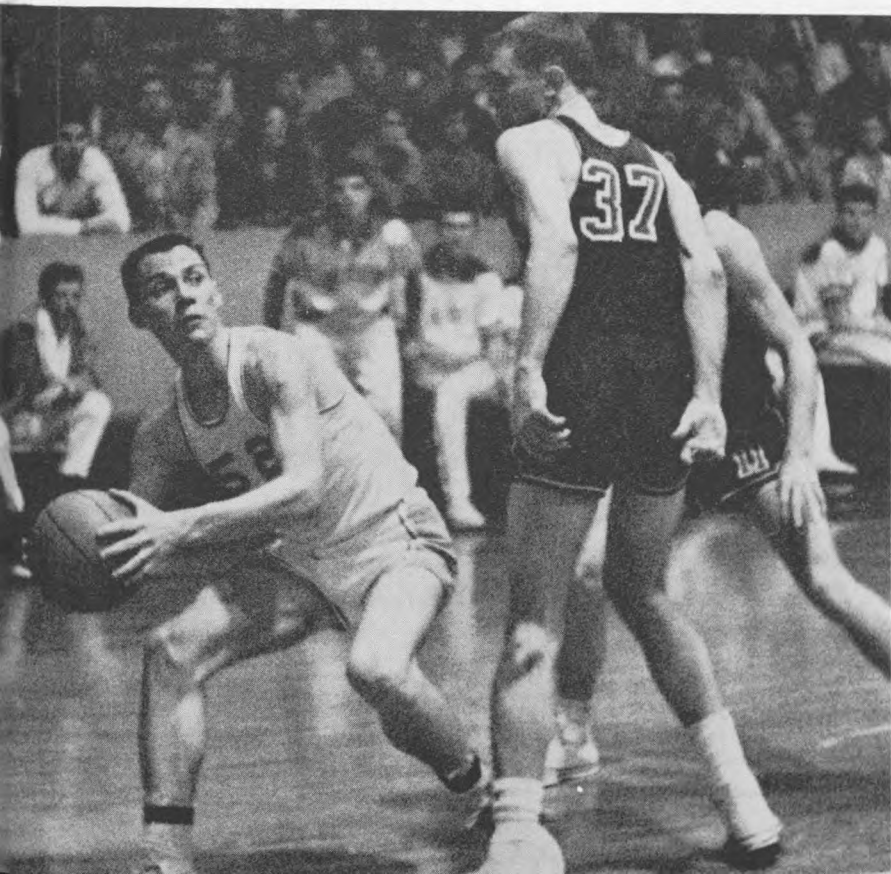


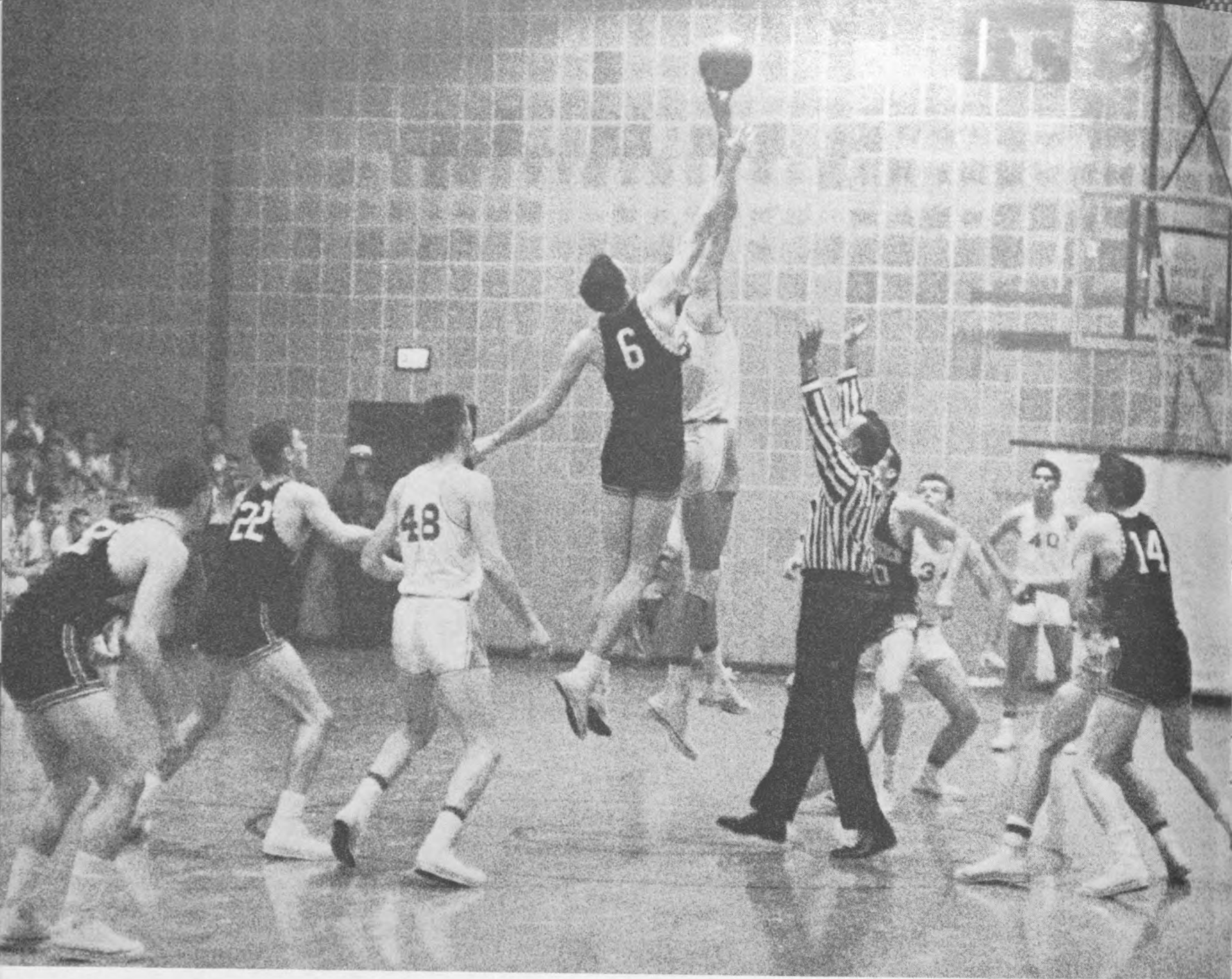


Helms fights for ball with Wichita player.

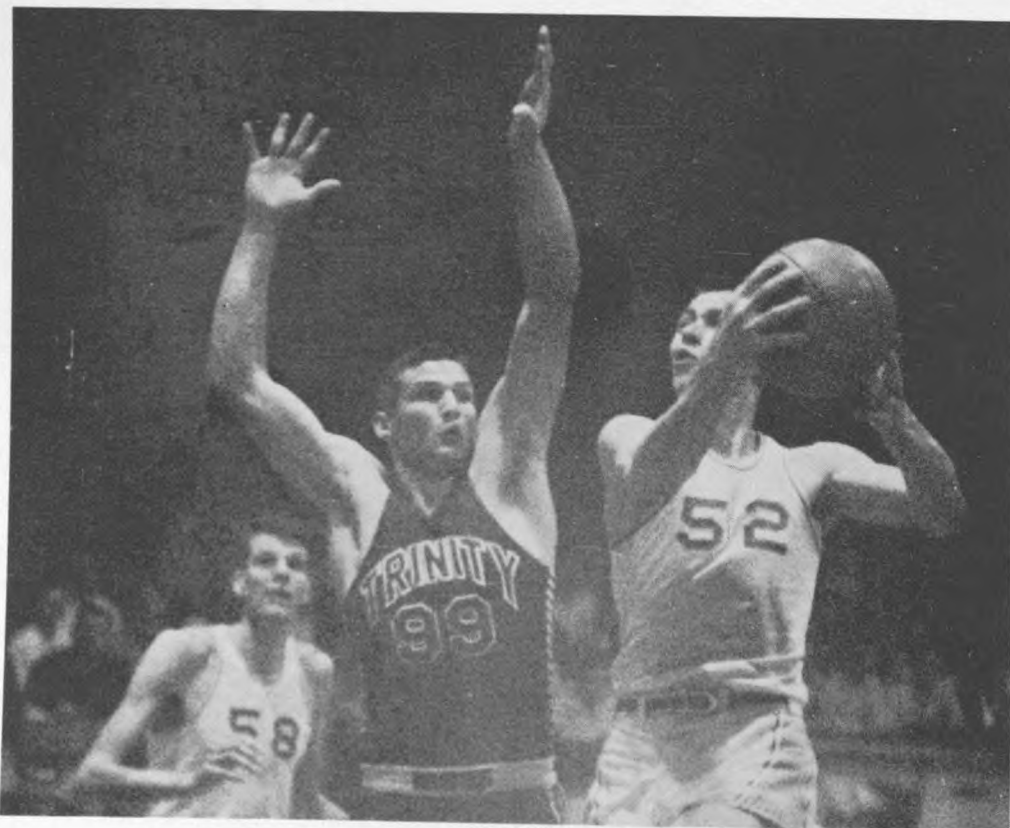
Right: Lopez drives in for underhand basket.

Kansas State players move in on Foster.





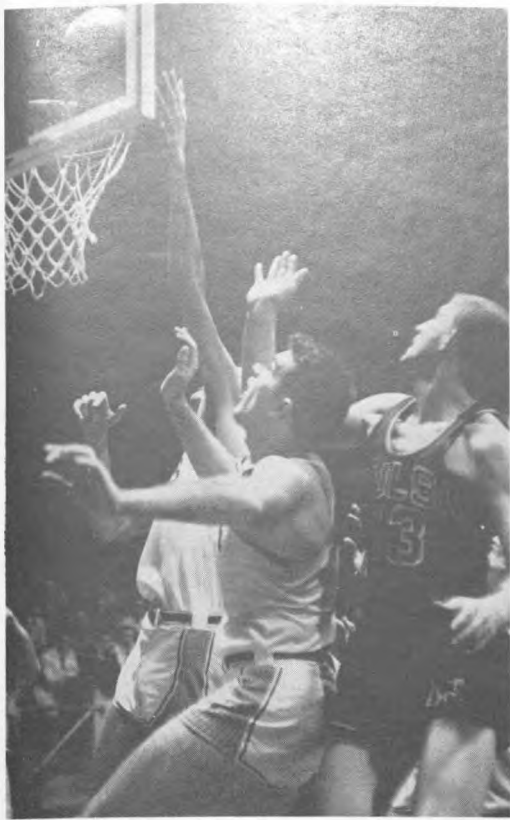
Bolde takes opening tip.



Foster evades Robichaux of Trinity to score.



Bolde takes a jump shot.

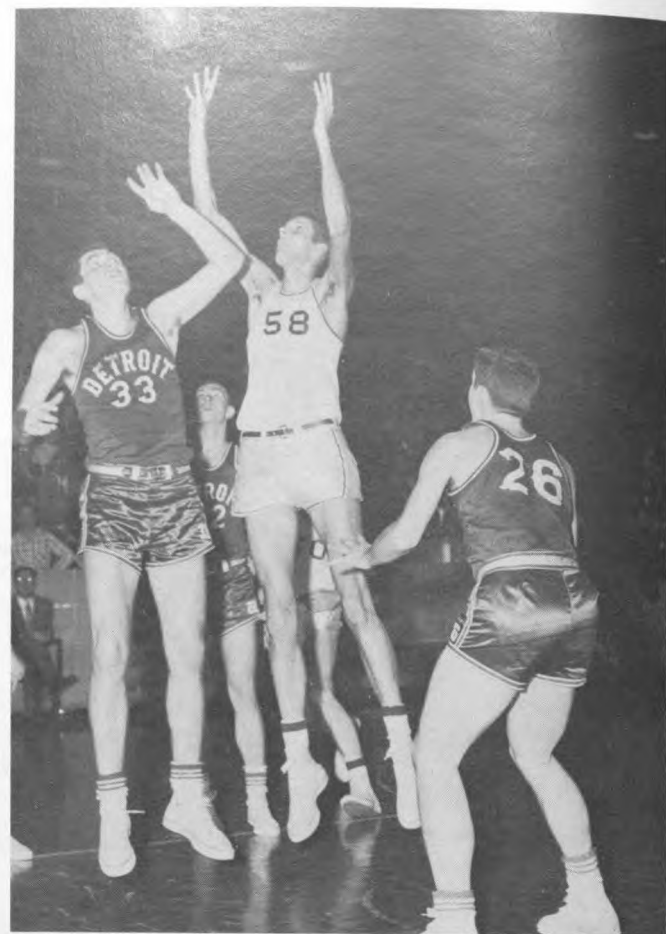
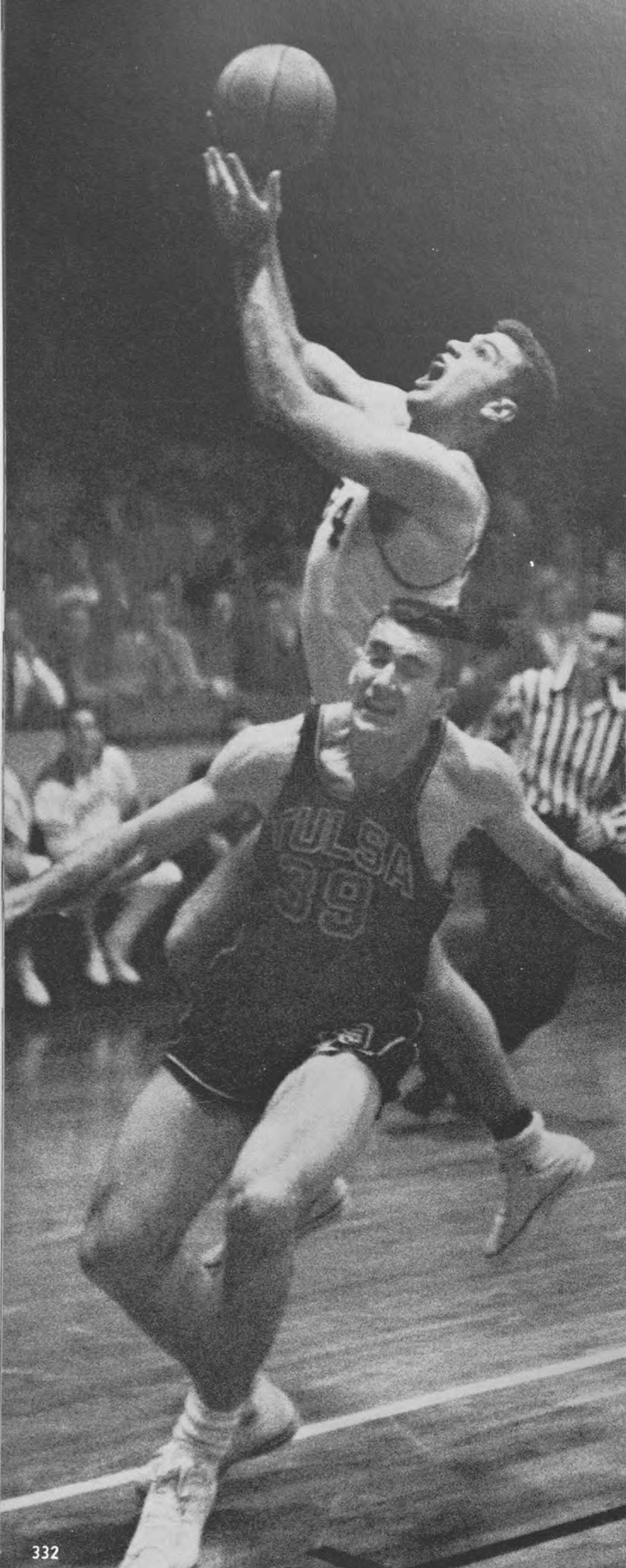


Helms and Dotson rebound.



Helms eyes basket after taking rebound.

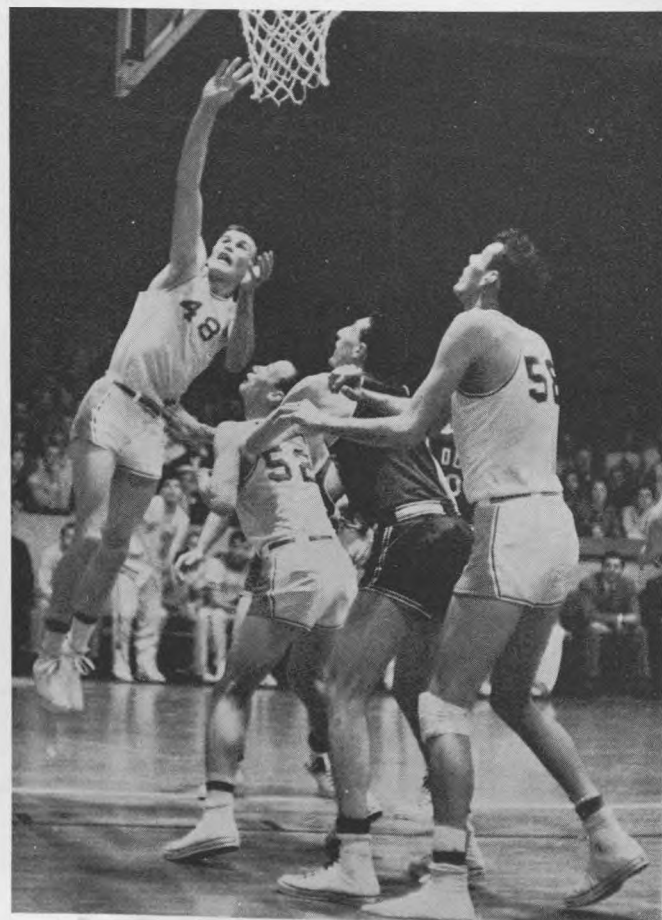




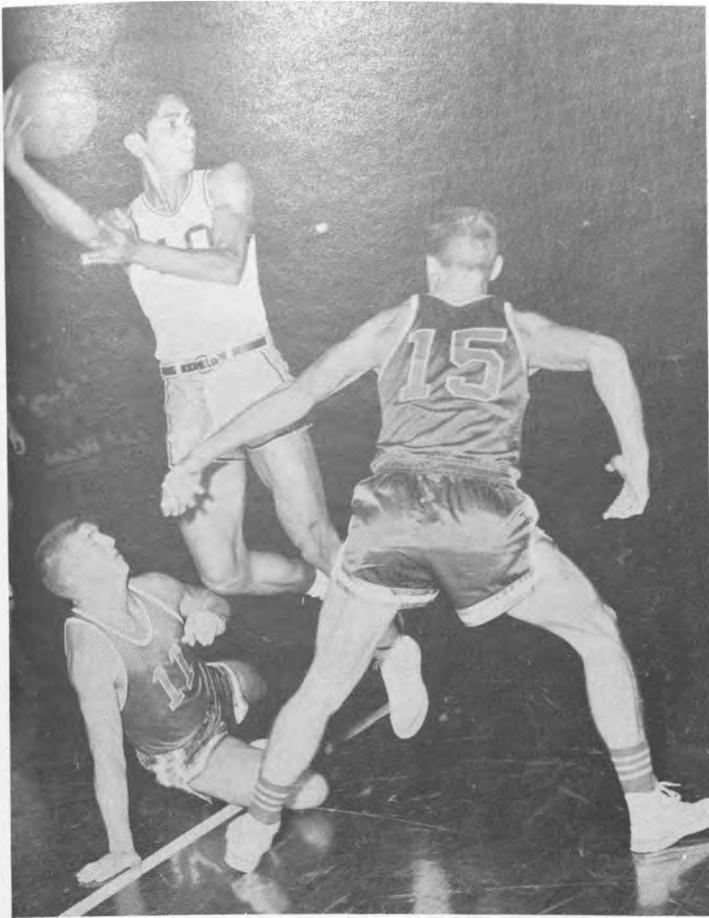
Boldebuck scored season-high 38 against the Detroit Titans.

Left: Dotson drives under basket for crip shot.

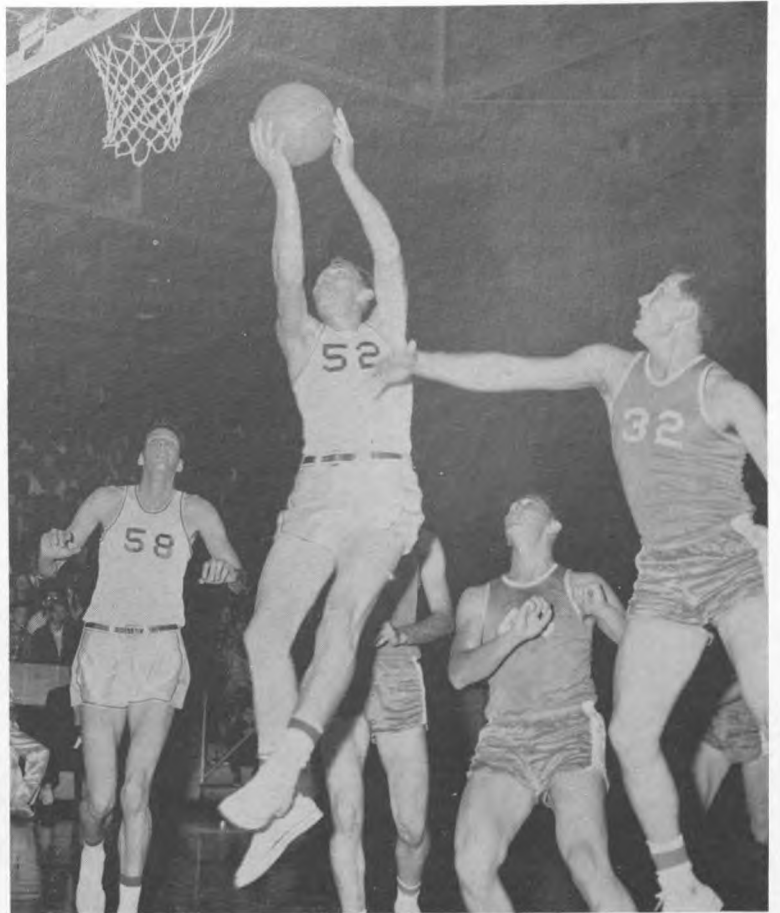
Helms drives in for shot as players await possible rebound.







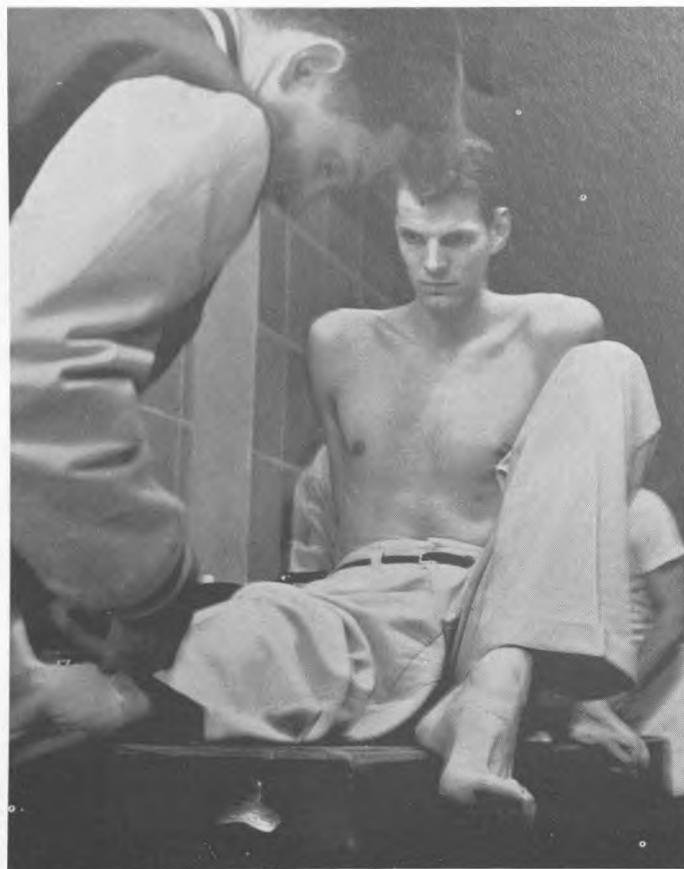
Lopez gets off pass in 89-59 win over A&I.



Foster drives in for lay-up in Sam Houston game.

Dixieland jazz by Clarence Chachere and his group pepped up all the home games.





Trainer Tom Wilson tapes Bolde's ankles before the game.

## "Bolde" Scores 2,000

Don Boldebuck, who did not even play high school basketball, became the fifth-highest scorer in collegiate history during his senior year. The seven-footer from Lincoln, Nebraska, who eventually boosted his total over 2,234 points, scored his 2,000th on a free throw in a game with Tulsa University. Bolde went on to lead the conference in scoring, was a unanimous all-conference selection for the second straight year, and also earned several All-American mentions.



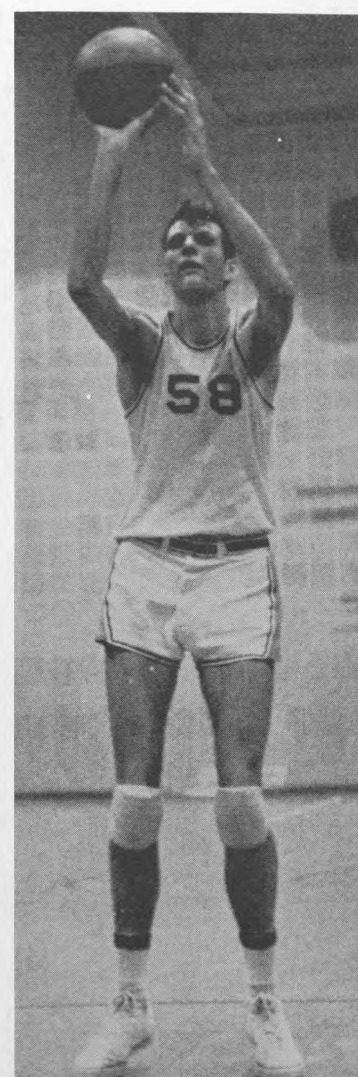
Bolde takes tip from Tulsa's Stobb.



Tulsa players block Bolde from rebound.



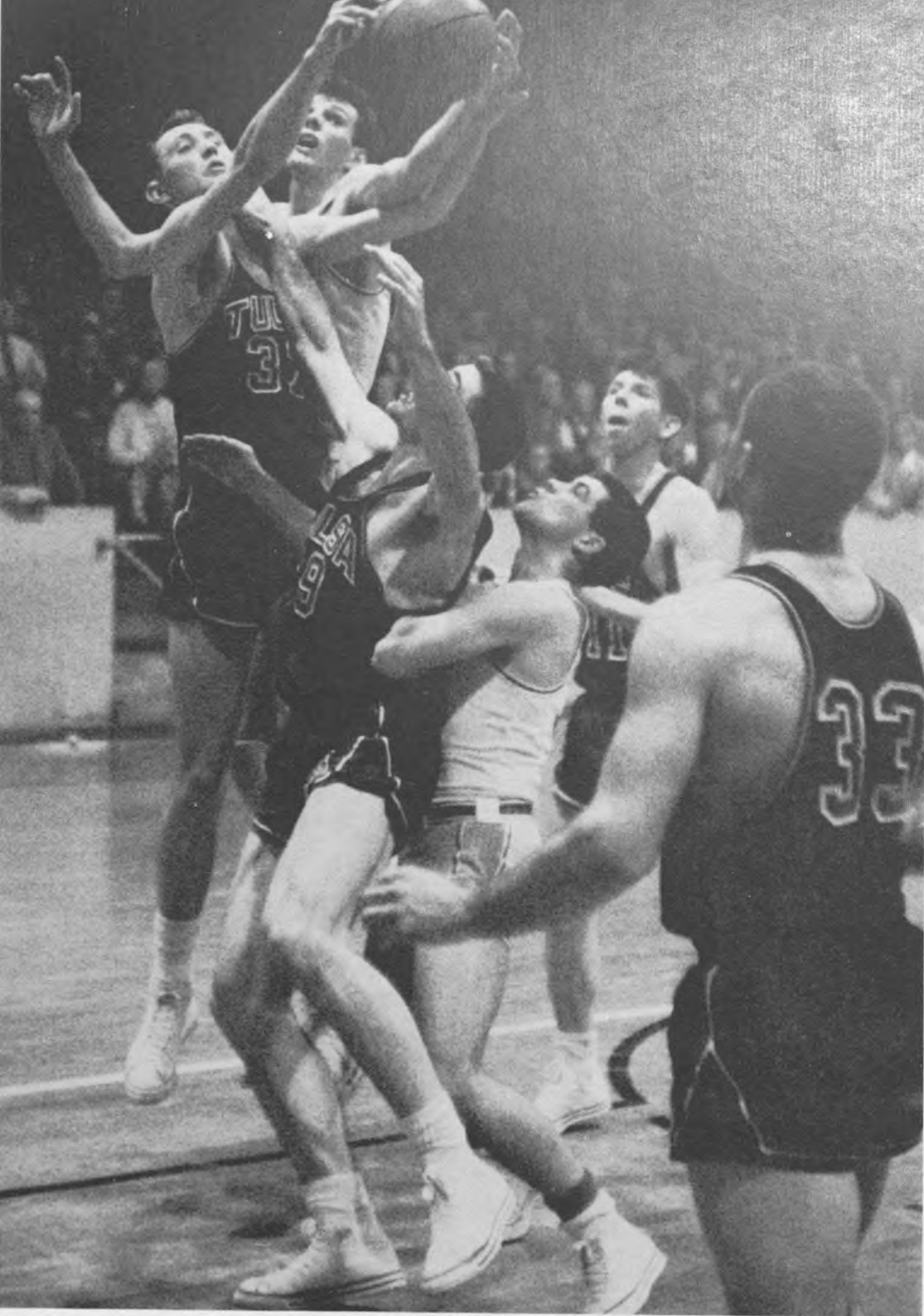
Boldebuck, flanked by Co-Captains Foster and Lopez, heads up ramp to playing floor.



The seven-foot center fires free throw that gives him Number 2,000.

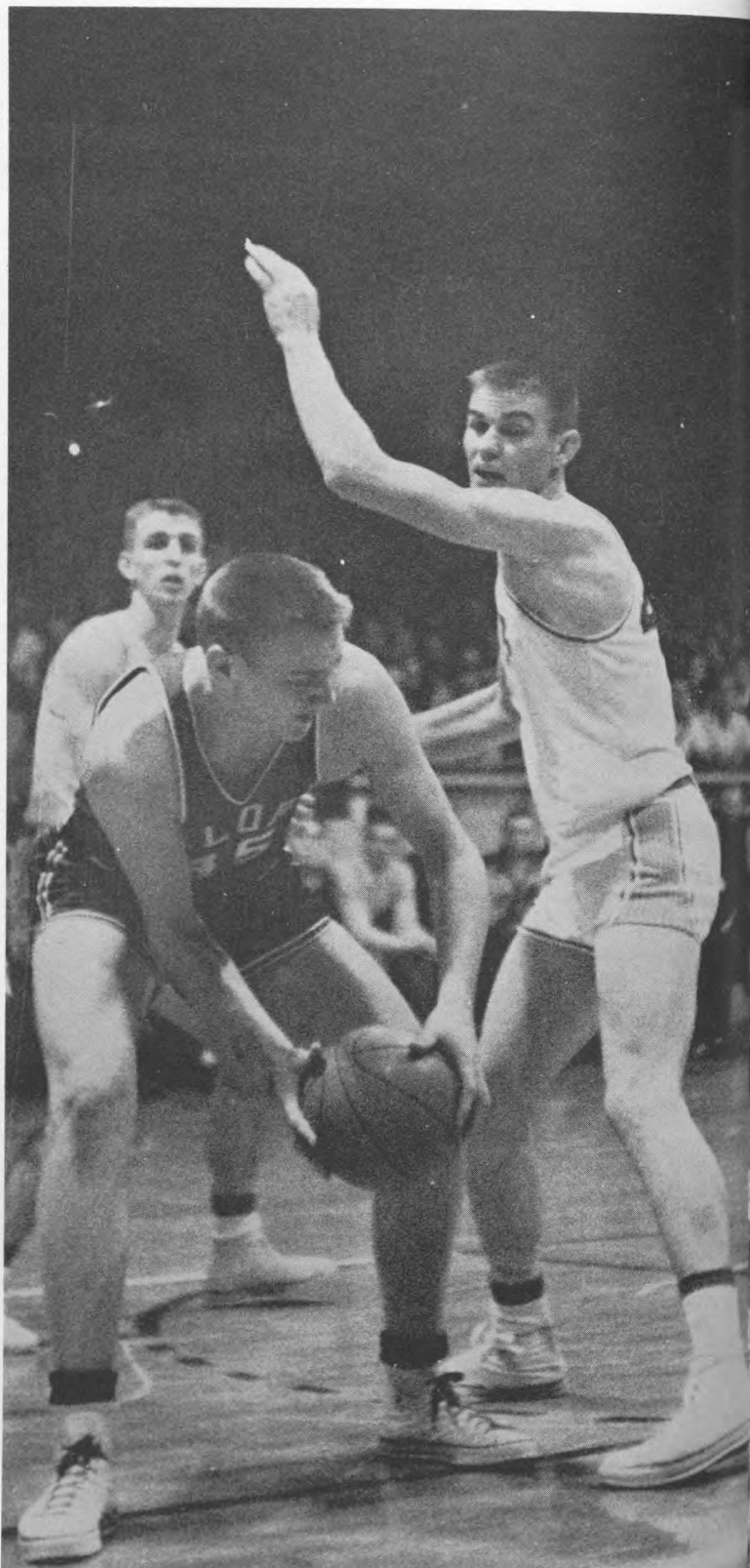


Team members yell out, "Congratulations," as Boldebuck holds ball he shot for 2,000th point.



Tulsa's Yates and Boldebeck scramble for ball.

McLaughlin of St. Louis looks for help as Evans, left, and Helms close in.



### FINAL MVC STANDINGS

	W	L	PTS.	OPP. PTS.
Houston .....	9	3	865	829
St. Louis .....	8	4	906	864
Oklahoma A&M .....	8	4	702	616
Wichita .....	7	5	936	882
Tulsa .....	4	8	700	763
Detroit .....	3	9	911	966
Bradley .....	3	9	744	874

## FRESHMAN BASKETBALL

Coach Guy Lewis guided the freshmen to a winning season in his first attempt. Lacking height, the team used speed and shooting ability from the free throw line and field to defeat a number of strong junior college teams.

9 wins 6 losses

### SCORES

68	Texas A&M Fr. ....	73
69	Allen Academy .....	63
71	South Texas JC .....	54
74	Tyler JC .....	73
69	Victoria JC .....	73
77	Ellington AFB .....	58
79	Kilgore JC .....	94
88	Allen Academy .....	77
81	Wharton JC .....	60
62	Texas A&M Fr. ....	87
86	Tyler JC .....	105
84	Kilgore JC .....	75
80	Wharton JC .....	67
87	Victoria JC .....	88
100	South Texas JC .....	88



Kneeling, left to right: Joe Ed Lane, Paul Portis, Red Walling, Bennie McMorrough, Bob Boyter. Back row: Pete Markle, Bernie Kapner, Wilson Brown, Leroy Bowley, Jim Pokluda, Johnny Haynes.

## CROSS COUNTRY

Coach Johnny Morriss organized the University's first cross-country team. The team quickly won its first trophy by beating Texas in the Bill Williams meet, held at MacGregor Park.

Coach Morriss, former assistant athletic director at Michigan State and coach of national championship teams, succeeded Jack Patterson, who left for Baylor.



Back row, left to right: Terry Long, Jim Ross, Coach Johnny Morriss, Jack McRoberts, Gus Richers. Front row: Leonard Penny, Mario Garcia, Don Loadman. Not pictured: Len Goodine, Jack Smyth, Bill Humphries, Bernie DeGuzman, Gerald Barrow.



Spring Sports

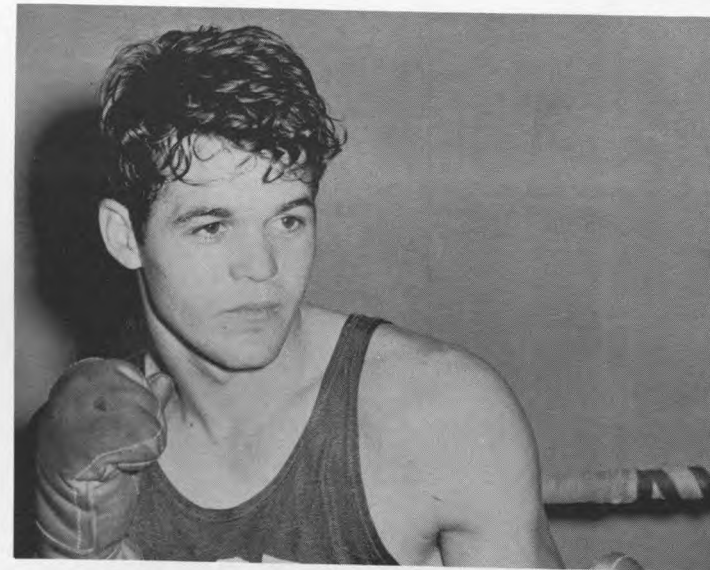


DANNY ORSAK, *Coach*

1956

## Boxers Knock at Nation's Door

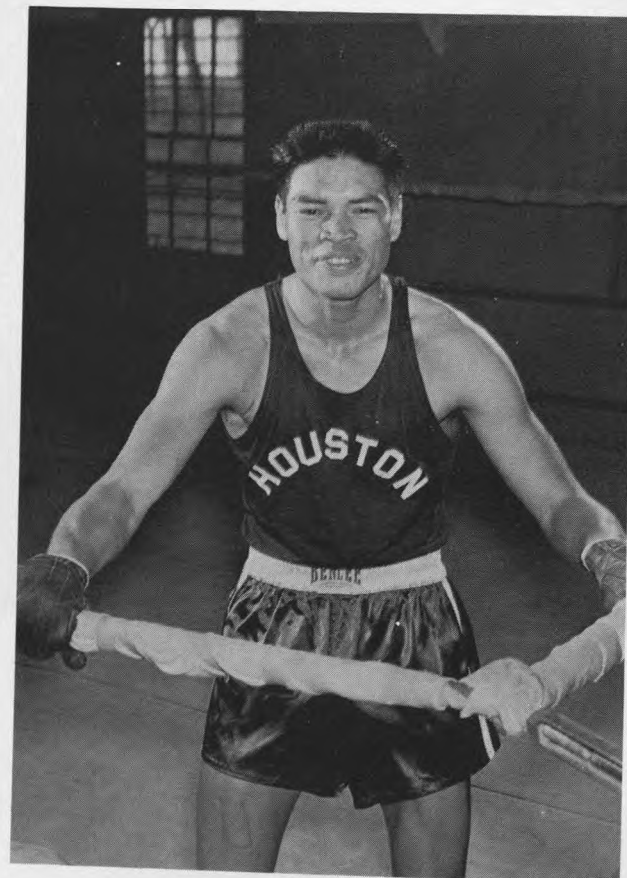
Only in the second year of inter-collegiate competition, Coach Danny Orsak's team surprised fans frequently by upsetting national college powers and top-flight service teams. The best national runner-up LSU could do with the Cougar eight was a 4-4 draw. The University of Oklahoma team fell to Houston 5-3. Wisconsin, unbeaten in its home ring in 23 years, handed the Cougars a 7½-1½ setback, but five of the losses were decided by the narrow margin of one or two points before a crowd of 10,400. The infant of Houston's athletic program has come of age.



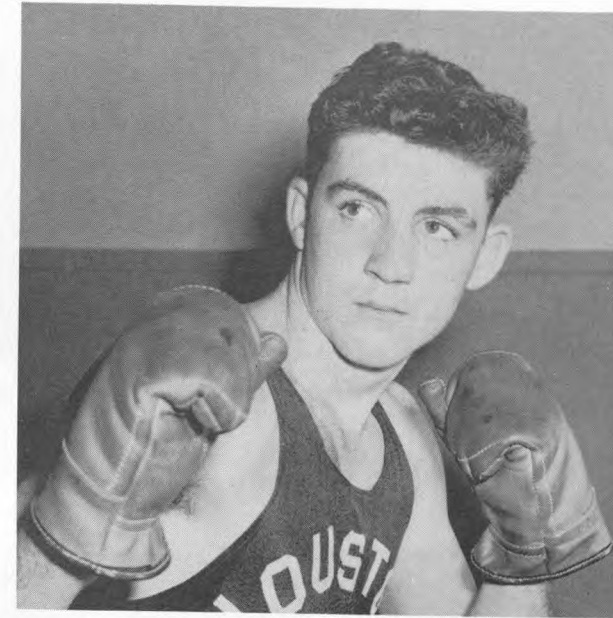
LUPIE ONARECKER, 165 lbs.



HENRY BERTOLINO, 147 lbs.



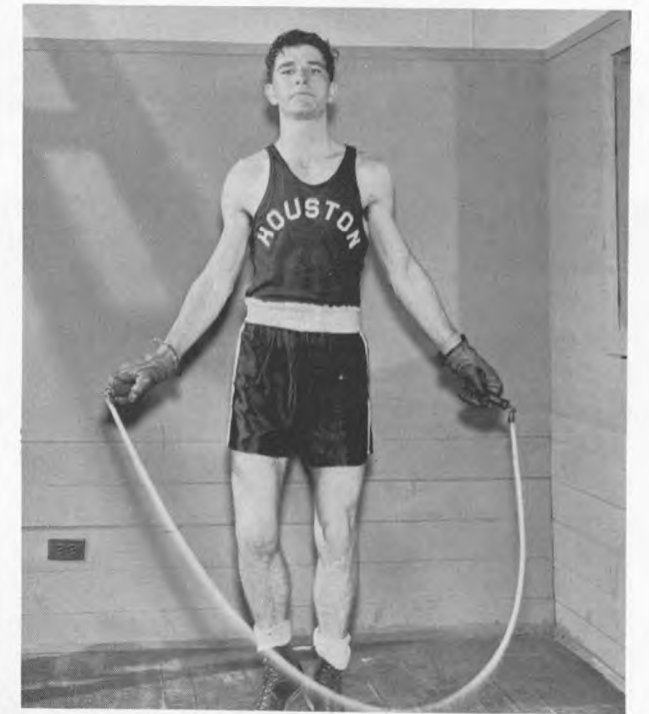
GENE WALDON, 156 lbs.



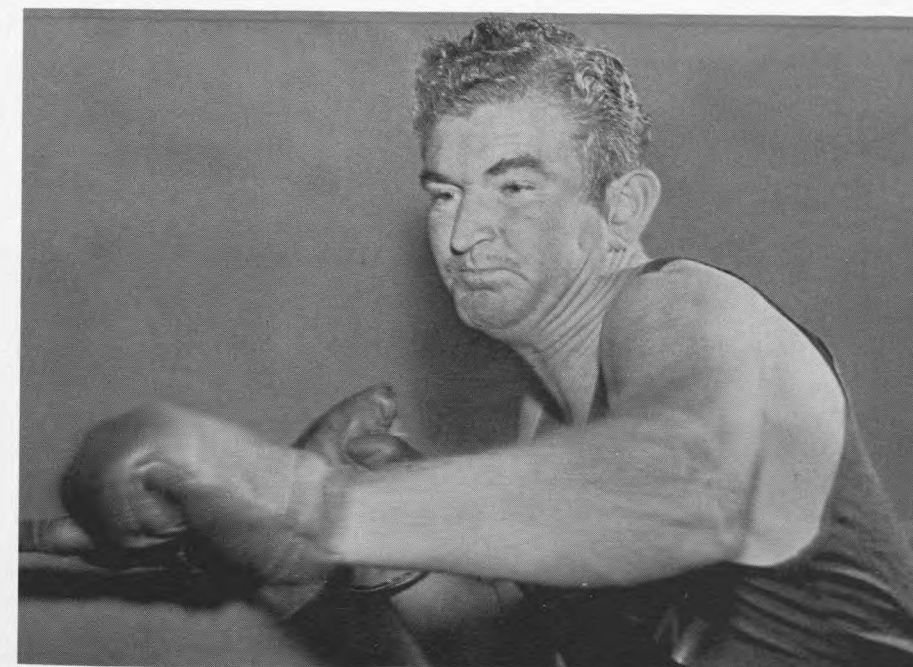
DAVE LAIRD, 125 lbs.



ALTON ALLEN, 139 lbs.



JACK FAIR, 132 lbs.



GERRY FINCHER, 178 lbs.



RANCE MOORE, Heavyweight



Gary Bowden, LSU, and Gene Waldon clinch.



Jack Fair gets ready to throw left in his bout with Hebert of LSU.

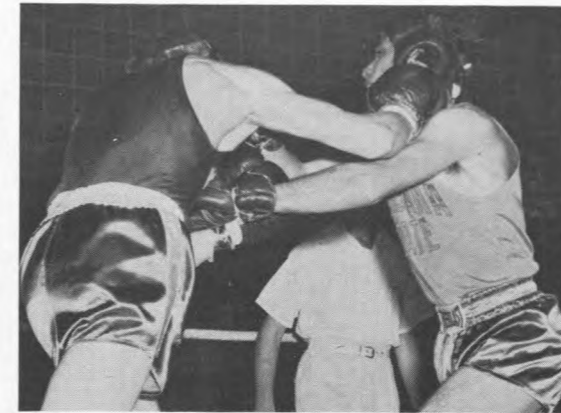
# LSU Held to a Draw



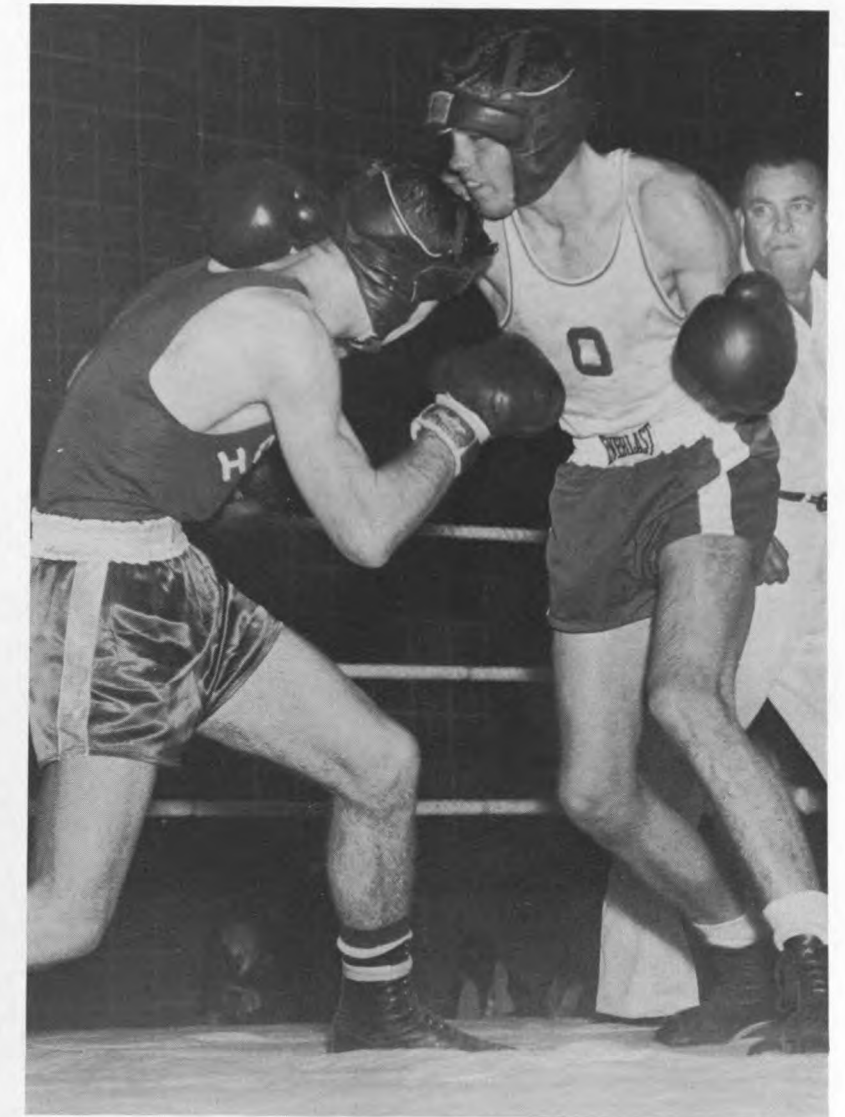
Dave Laird, UH, and Bobby Soileau, LSU, tangle on ropes.



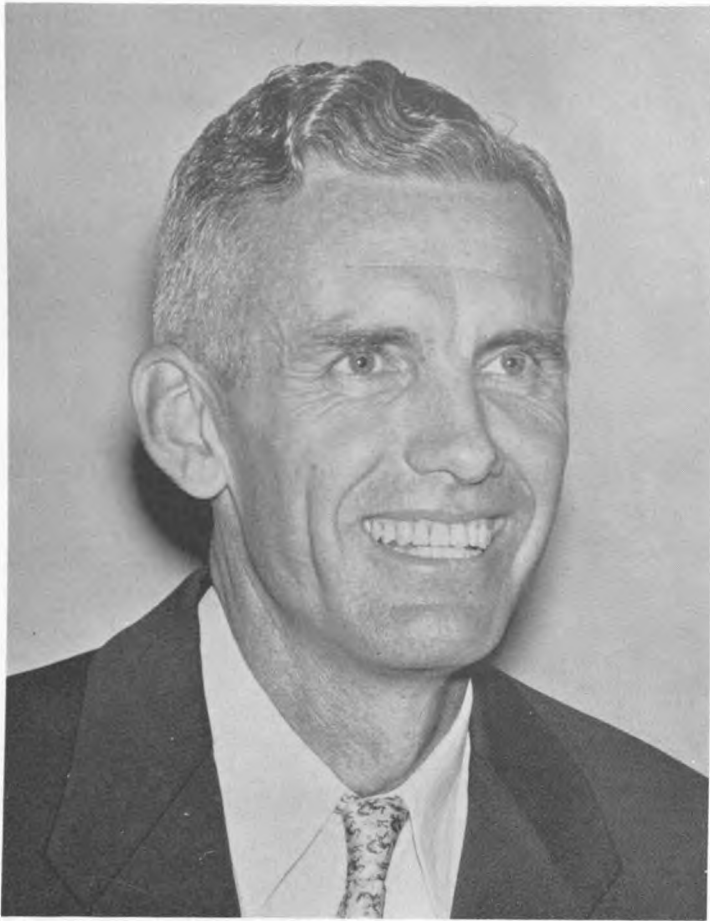
Don Boulton of Oklahoma battles Houston's Jack Fair in the 132-pound bout.



Allen, UH, and Freeman, LSU, exchange punches.



Houston's Dave Laird, left, beats Kenny Young in the 125-pound bout.



JACK PATTERSON, *Coach*

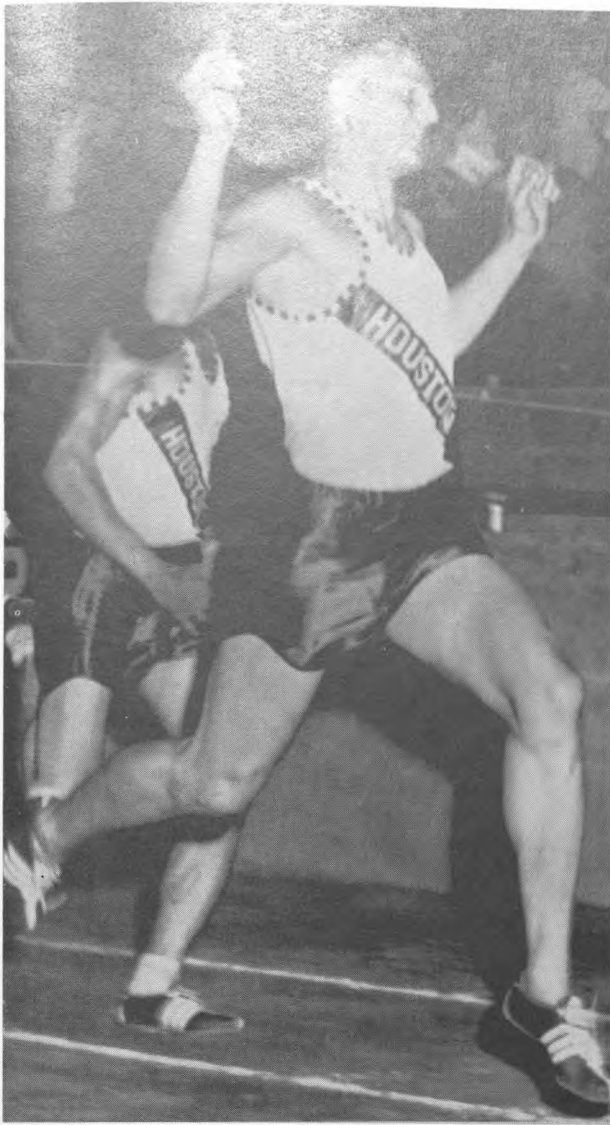
## Track: 1955

The 1955 season was the last one for Coach Jack Patterson at the University. During the summer, he resigned to accept a similar position at Baylor University. A favorite among his trackmen, other coaches and students, Coach Patterson brought national acclaim to the school with his winning relay teams. Patterson's teams will best be remembered as "small in quantity, but large in quality."



Back, left to right: Coach Patterson, Kleb, Pruitt, Bigham, Cooper, Beck, Boone. Front: Clement, Petkovsek, Richers, Jones, McBride.





Larry McBride wins conference 100-yard dash in 9.7. Jerry Beck is second in background.



Bobby Morrow of Abilene Christian wins 100-yard dash at Texas Relays, edging McBride and Beck of Houston at tape.



Mile Relay Foursome: Clement, Petkovsek, Boone and Richers.

440-RELAY TEAM

Top to bottom: Larry McBride, Danny Boone, Jerry Beck, and Doyle Jones.



Larry McBride breaks tape as UH 440-Relay Team beat the United States Pan American Olympic Team in 41 seconds flat at Houston.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONS . . . 1955

440 - Relay Team



The Houston 440-relay team, with Larry McBride running anchor lap, wins the national collegiate championship at the Coliseum Relays in 40.8.



Bobby Whilden of Texas nips McBride at tape to set Texas Relay record of 40.6 in 440-relay.

MEET	TIME	PLACE
Sugar Bowl .....	42.0	1
Triangular .....	40.5*	1
Pan-American .....		1
Olympic Team .....	41.0	1
Border Olympics .....	41.3	1
Ft. Worth Relays .....	41.2	1
West Texas Relays .....	41.2	1
Texas Relays .....	40.7	2
Kansas Relays .....	41.2x	2
Drake Relays .....	41.3x	2
No. Texas Relays .....	41.5	1
So. Western Relays .....	41.2	1
Conference .....	41.4	1
Coliseum Relays .....	40.8	1
Modesto Relays .....	40.4**	2

- \* Tied world record
- x McBride injured
- \*\* Second to new world record of 40.3 by Texas



Left to right: U.H. hurdlers Albie Kleb, Ronnie Pruitt, Jim Bigham, Larry McBride.



Hurdler Ronnie Pruitt warms up before a race.

Ronnie Pruitt, ranked among the nation's best hurdlers, showed his class at the conference meet at Tulsa, Oklahoma. The junior speedster from Louisiana won both the 120-yard highs and the 220-yard lows in times of 14.7 and 24.1. He was Houston's only double winner.





LOVETTE HILL, *Coach*

SEASON RECORD

UH		
0	Texas A&M .....	7
3	Baylor University .....	5
5	Baylor University .....	2
2	Texas A&M .....	3
1	Minnesota .....	2
7	Sam Houston State .....	1
4	Sam Houston State .....	16
4	Nebraska .....	8
7	Nebraska .....	2
11	Wichita * .....	5
1	Wichita * .....	2
5	Wichita * .....	0
3	Texas Lutheran .....	7
6	Tulsa University * .....	0
5	Tulsa University * .....	8
6	Tulsa University * .....	8
0	Texas Lutheran .....	2
2	Oklahoma A&M * .....	10
5	Oklahoma A&M * .....	8

\* *Missouri Valley Conference Game*

Baseball: 1955



Back, left to right: Ledbetter, Zeller, Jordan, Garcia, Coach Hill, Price, Arnold, Winters. Front: Osburn, Shindler, Temple, Dean, Rankin, Tucker, Vickers.



RICHARD ARNOLD  
*MVC Batting Champion*



Houston's three top pitchers for the season, Jim Shindler, Billy Ledbetter, and Ronnie Zeller, wind up for the camera.



Shortstop Don Price slides home in Texas A. and M. game.



Houston infielders, left to right: Osburn, Price, Vickers, and Tucker.

1955  
 BATTING AVERAGES

Richard Arnold	.404
Doug Osburn	.316
Bob Rankin	.286
Wayne Tucker	.273
John Dean	.269
Don Flynn	.263
Don Price	.233

PITCHING RECORDS

	W	L	SO	ERA
Leibetter	1	3	30	4.70
Shindler	4	2	29	2.54
Zeller	1	7	59	1.69



Outfielders, John Dean and Jack Jordan.



BOB LOVELACE



JOHN BEEN



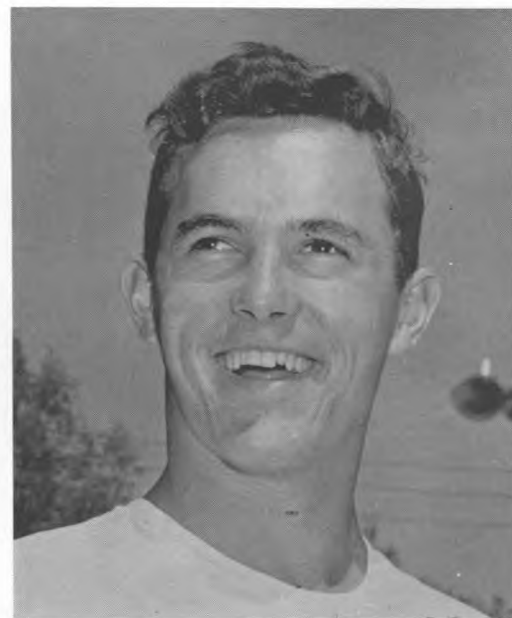
JOHN LAWHON



ROB MIDDLETON



RONNIE SAWYER



TOMMY JARRIEL

## 1955 MVC Champions

Coach John Hoff's tennis team copped top honors at the MVC Tennis Championships in Tulsa, Oklahoma, in May of 1955. John Been, an All-Valley choice (singles and doubles), successfully retained his singles' crown, and teamed with Bob Lovelace, also All-Valley (doubles), to defeat John Lawhon and Ronnie Sawyer in the finals at Tulsa. Rob Middleton and Tommy Jarriel aided the team in compiling a fine season's team record of seven wins and two losses.



Left to right: John Lawhon, Rob Middleton, Tommy Jarriel, John Been, Bob Lovelace, and Ronnie Sawyer.



JOHN HOFF, *Coach*





DAVE WILLIAMS, *Coach*

For the fourth consecutive season, Houston golfers finished among the nation's top ten collegiate teams at the NCAA tournament. LSU won top honors with the Cougars a close fourth. Rex Baxter, sensational sophomore from Amarillo, went to the semi-finals before losing. During the season Coach Williams' team won three major tourneys. They were the Border Olympics, the Southwest Recreational Meet, and the Southwestern Intercollegiate.

## Golfers Finish Fourth in Nation



Kneeling, left to right: Wharton, Wasserman, Hiskey, Morrell (Freshmen). Back: Baxter, Parvino, McAdams, Cruse, Bradley (Varsity).



REX BAXTER



WALLY BRADLEY



RICHARD PARVINO



TOMMY CRUSE

# U.H. Sweeps Intercollegiate Tourney



Earl Gammage, left, and Sam Montgomery, far right, present winning Cougars with wood covers. Players, left to right are: Cruse, Parvino, Coach Williams, Hessemer, Bradley, and Park.

Eight standout college golf teams were invited to the first Southwestern Intercollegiate Tournament held at Pine Forest Country Club. Included were Houston, Texas, North Texas, Rice, Texas A&M, Oklahoma A&M, Oklahoma, and SMU, the defending national collegiate champion.

The tourney was described as a new one in which everyone could win. However, the tourney that Cougar Coach Williams invented backfired; at least in purpose, as Houston won the team trophy in both match and medal play, the two-ball trophy, the best-ball trophy, and the individual medal trophy. The only other school to win a title was North Texas. The Eagles won the four-ball trophy.



Morris Williams presents Wally Bradley the Medalist trophy.

In spite of entering the tourney without its star Rex Baxter, who was playing in the Masters at Augusta, Ga., the Houston team completely dominated the action. Houston players participating were Wally Bradley, Richard Parvino, Pete Hessemer, and Tommy Cruse. In its initial year rival coaches and players called it "one of the nation's best."



C. D. Tinsely, president of Pine Forest Country Club, presents Richard Parvino, left, and Wally Bradley with championship twosome trophy.



Harv Boughton of the Houston Post presents Post trophy for Medal-team championship to Bradley, Cruse, Hessemer and Parvino.

## Boone Wins Saunders Award

Danny Boone copped the top prize when he was awarded the coveted Saunders Award at the annual Spring Sports banquet. Other major awards presented were the Alexander Award, a \$200 scholarship, to baseball player Don Price, and the Caldwell Award to John Peters. This award is presented to the most outstanding freshman football player as selected by his teammates.

Co-winners of the new Carlton Hanta Award in baseball went to Doug Osburn and Ronnie Zeller. The Joe Thompson Award in basketball went to Lupe Lopez. In golf, Rex Baxter was voted the Outstanding Player Award, and Boone received the Most Spirited trophy in track. Gene Weinzell was voted by his teammates as the recipient of the new Boxing Team Award.

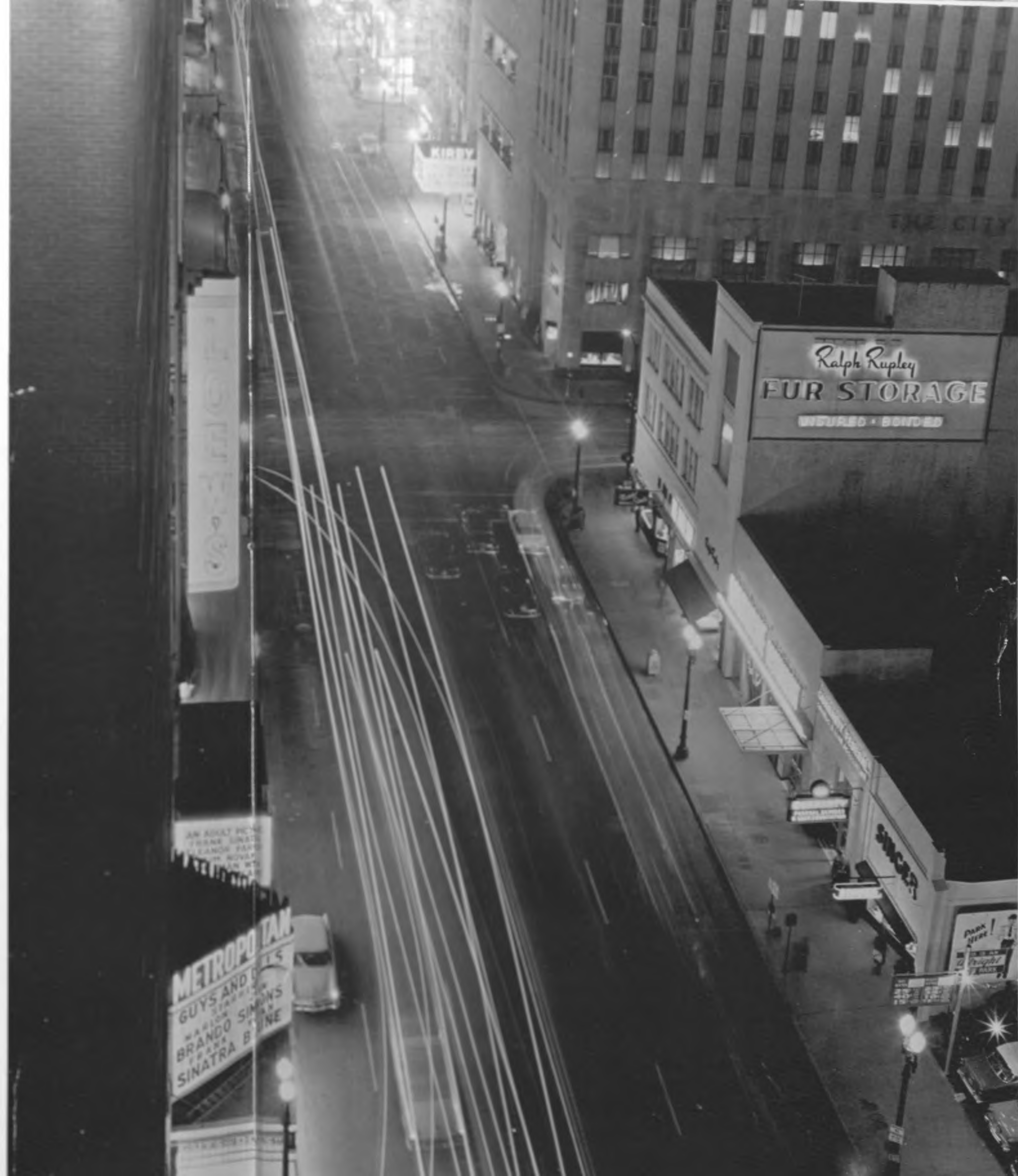


Danny Boone, Charles Sanders Award; Don Price, Dr. Charles Alexander Award; John Peters, Walter Caldwell Award.



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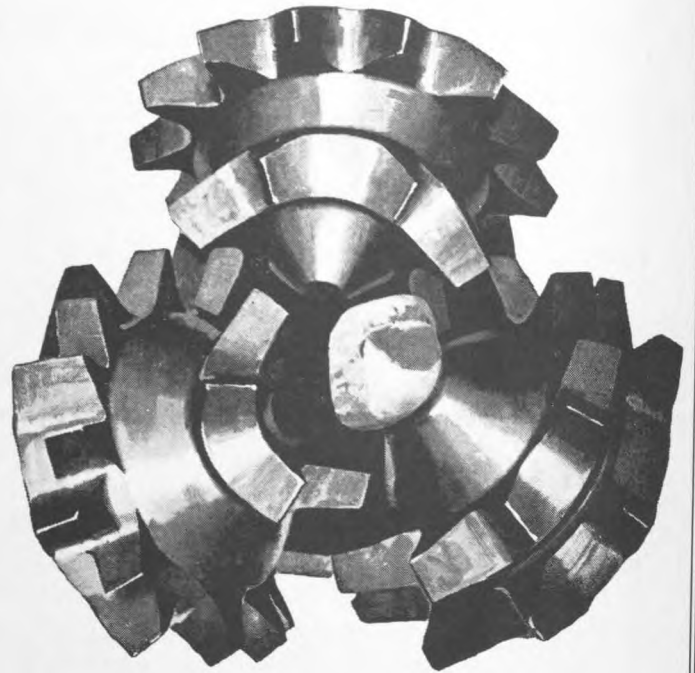
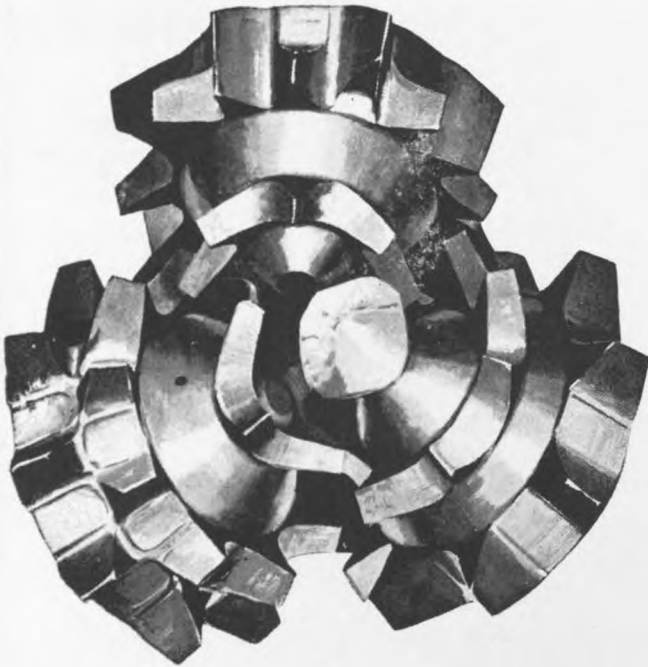
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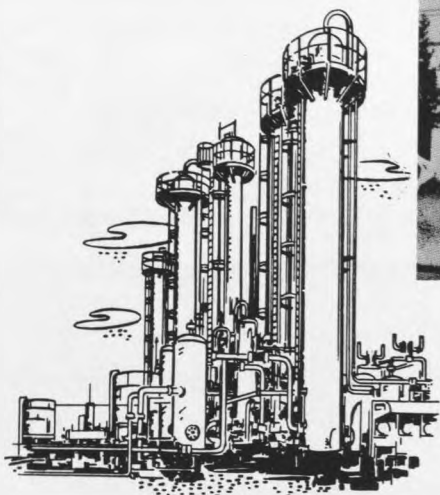
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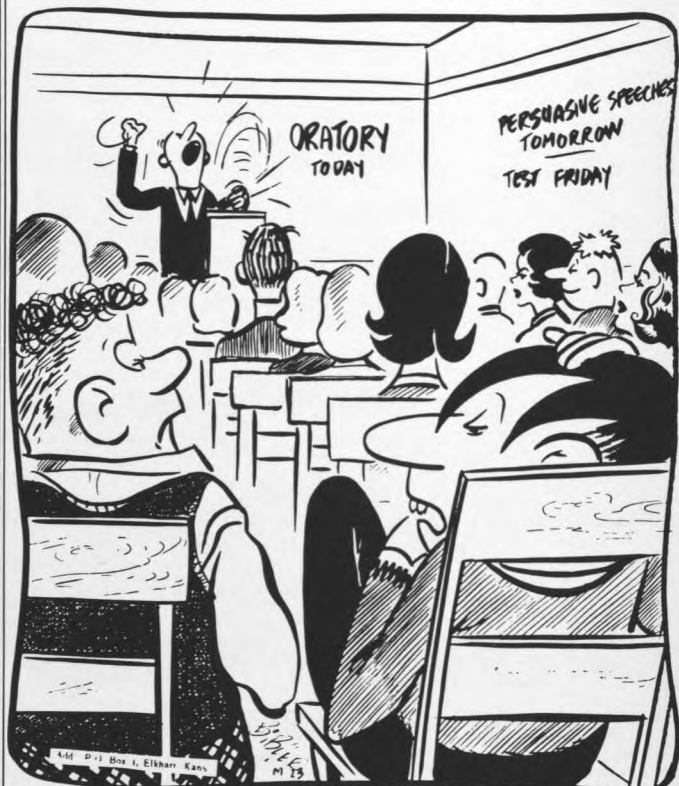
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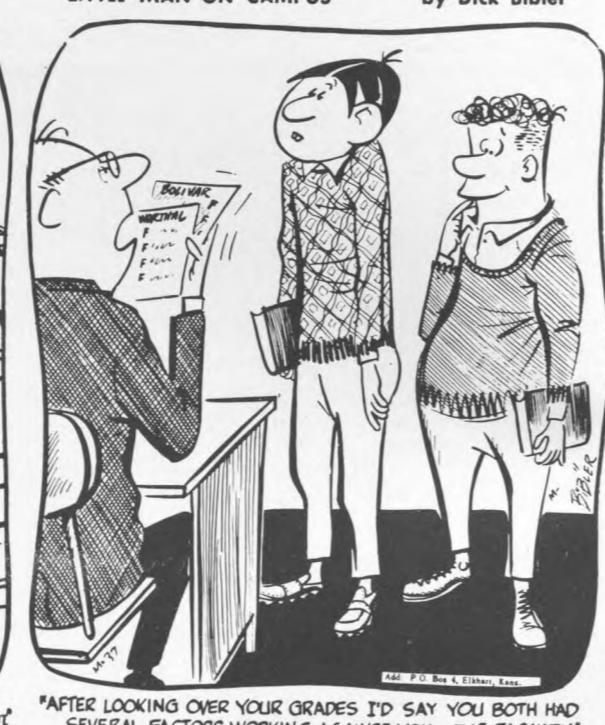
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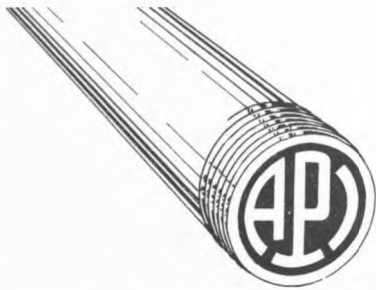
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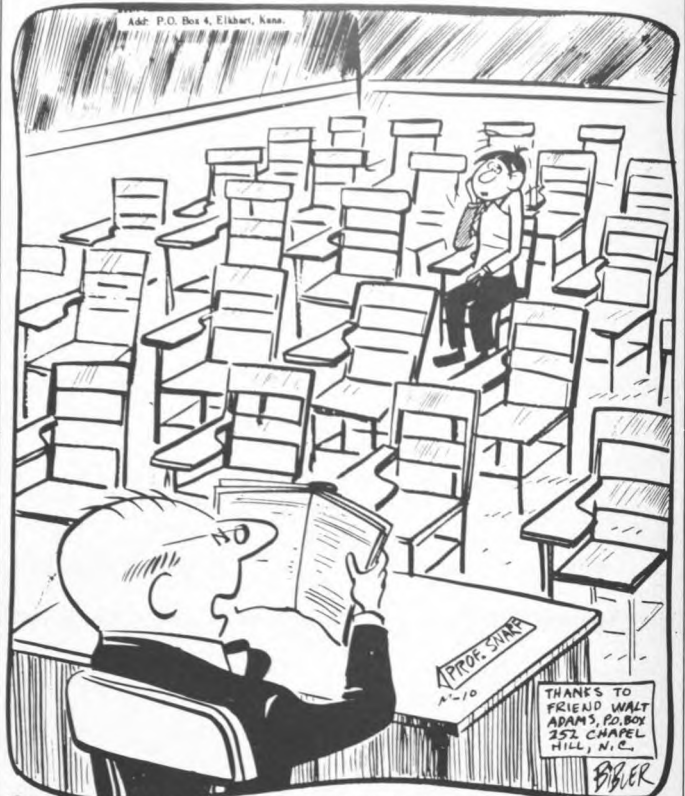
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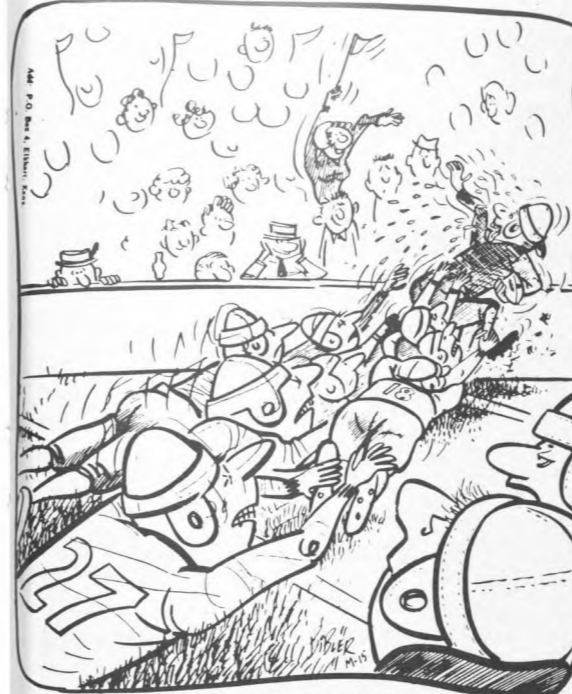
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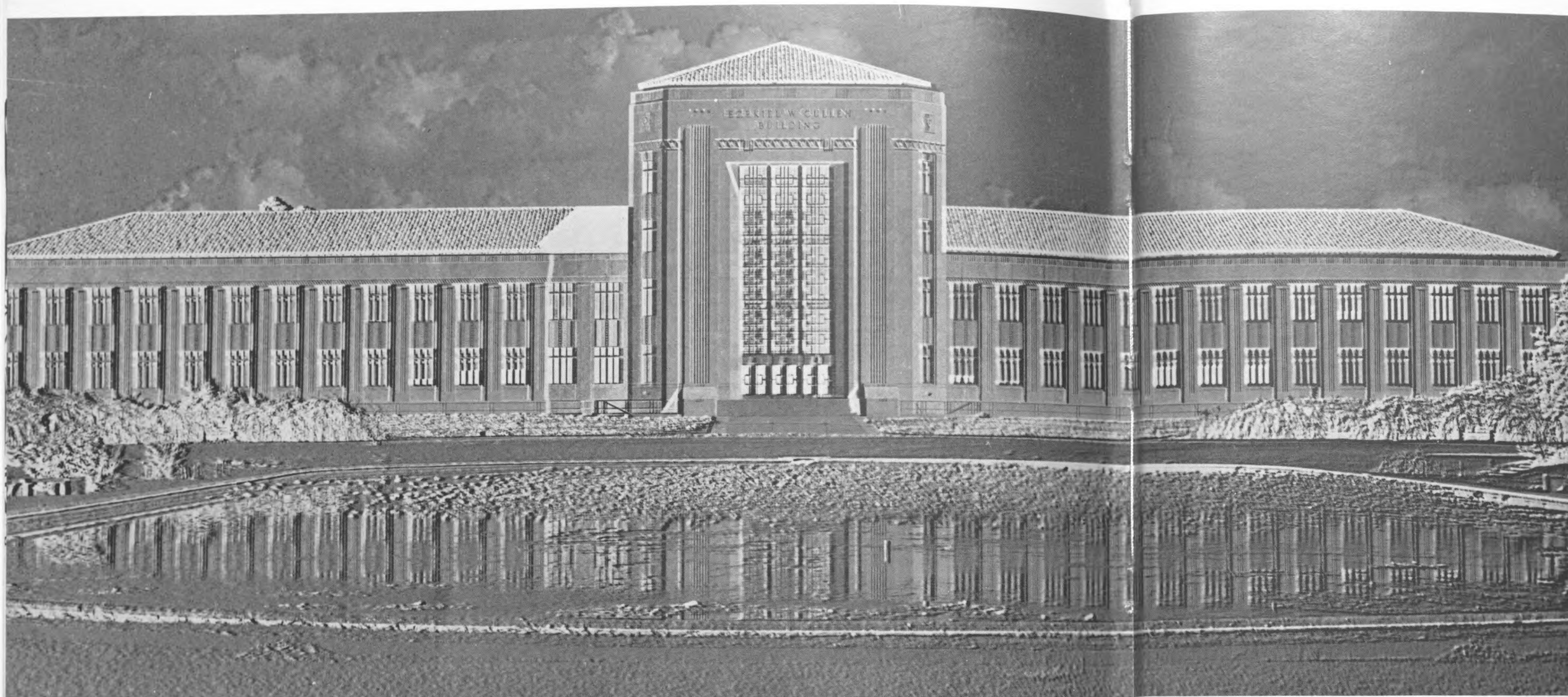
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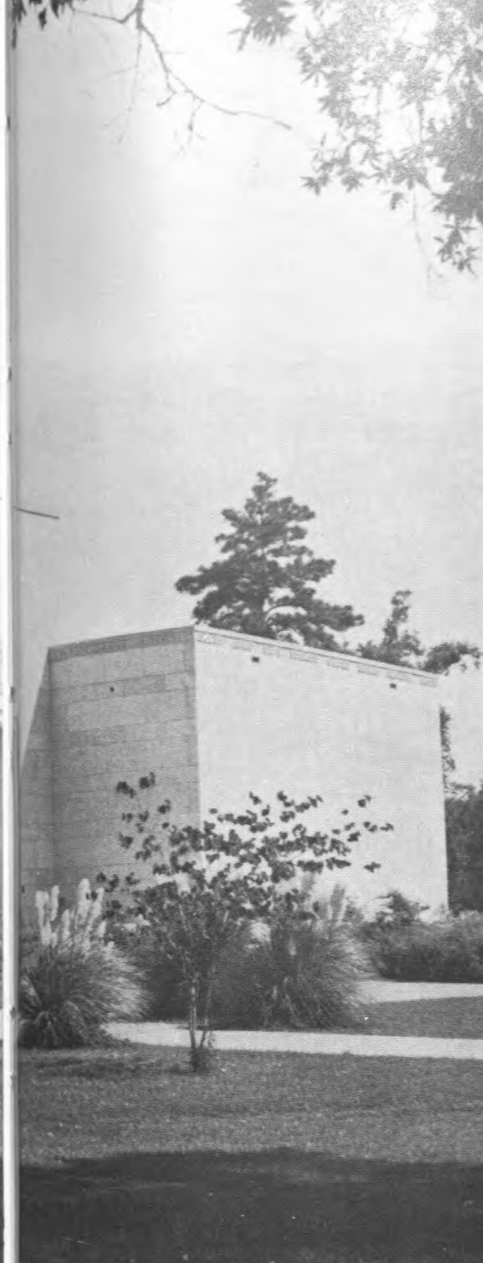
For victory is near.

When the going gets so rough and tough,

We never worry cause we got the stuff.

So fight, fight for red and white

And we will go to victory.



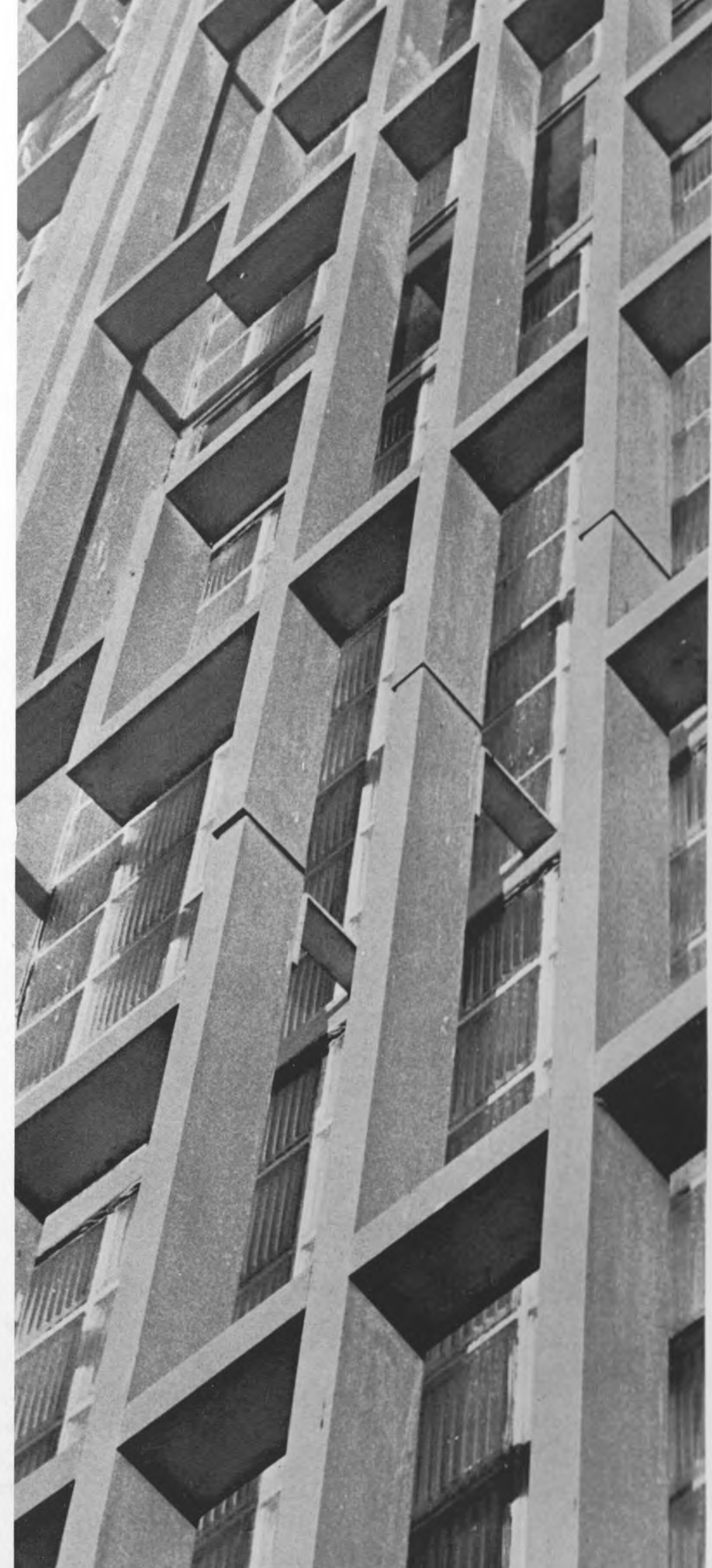
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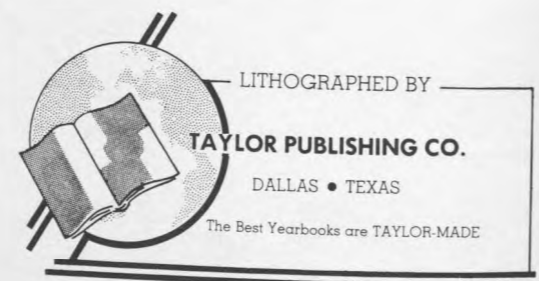
## The Editor Speaks Out .

IN THE QUIET AND ALMOST MORGUE LIKE SILENCE OF THE HOUSTONIAN OFFICE AFTER FINAL DEADLINE, I WANT TO PLACE IN PERMANENCE MY PERSONAL THANKS FOR THE SO MUCHLY NEEDED CO-OPERATION I RECEIVED THIS YEAR. SPECIAL THANKS GO TO WILMA HARTMAN AND GAYE ZUCHT...THE BOOK WOULD NOT BE HERE WITHOUT THEM. TO FIRUZ MAKULU, CHARLIE PYNE AND THE STAFF PHOTOGRAPHERS... MY DEEPEST APPRECIATION. TO BARBARA SMITH PETERSON, MY ASSOCIATE EDITOR, I MUST SAY THIS...I COULD NEVER THANK YOU ENOUGH, THIS IS REALLY YOUR BOOK. FRED KOGER, TOM MURRAY AND ALL OF TAYLOR PUBLISHING COMPANY DESERVE THE WARMEST GREETINGS. AND TO MY MOTHER AND FATHER I WOULD LIKE TO SAY THANKS A MILLION TIMES FOR UNDERSTANDING WHY I LIVED AT THE OFFICE AND NOT AT HOME MOST OF MY WAKING HOURS. THANKS, MOM AND DAD, FOR EVERYTHING.

*Nanci Sweton*



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



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