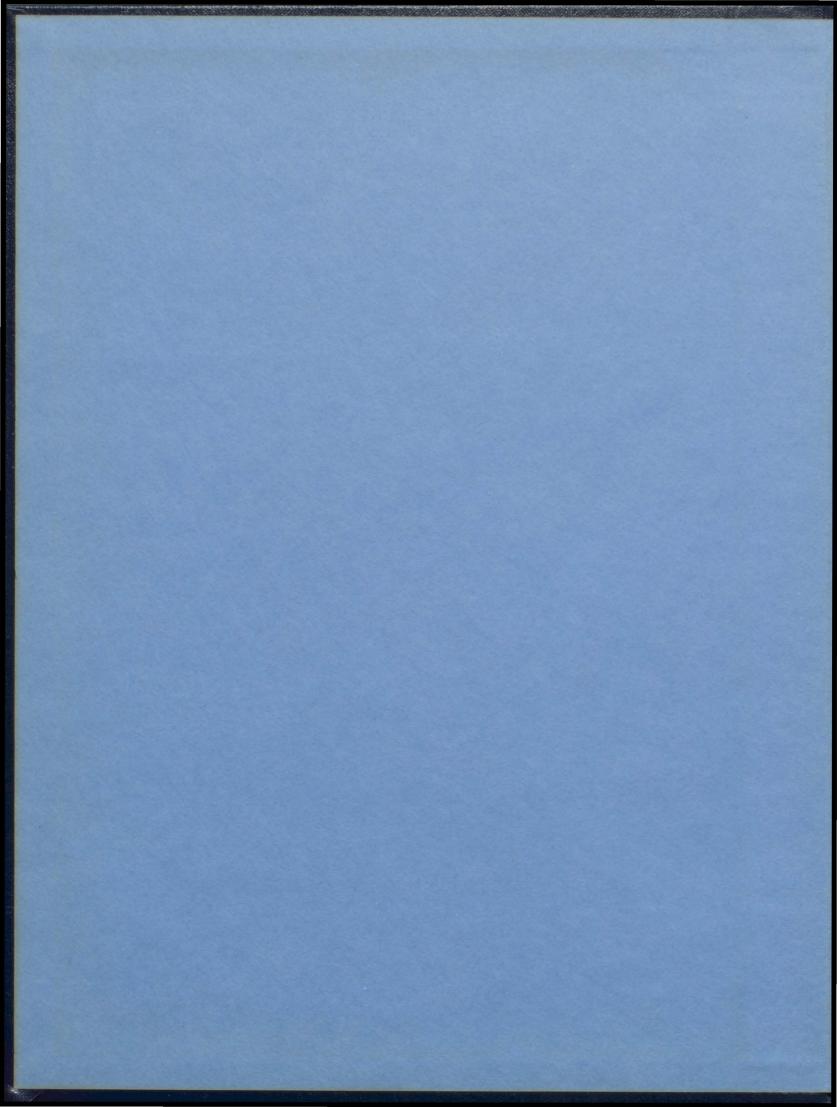
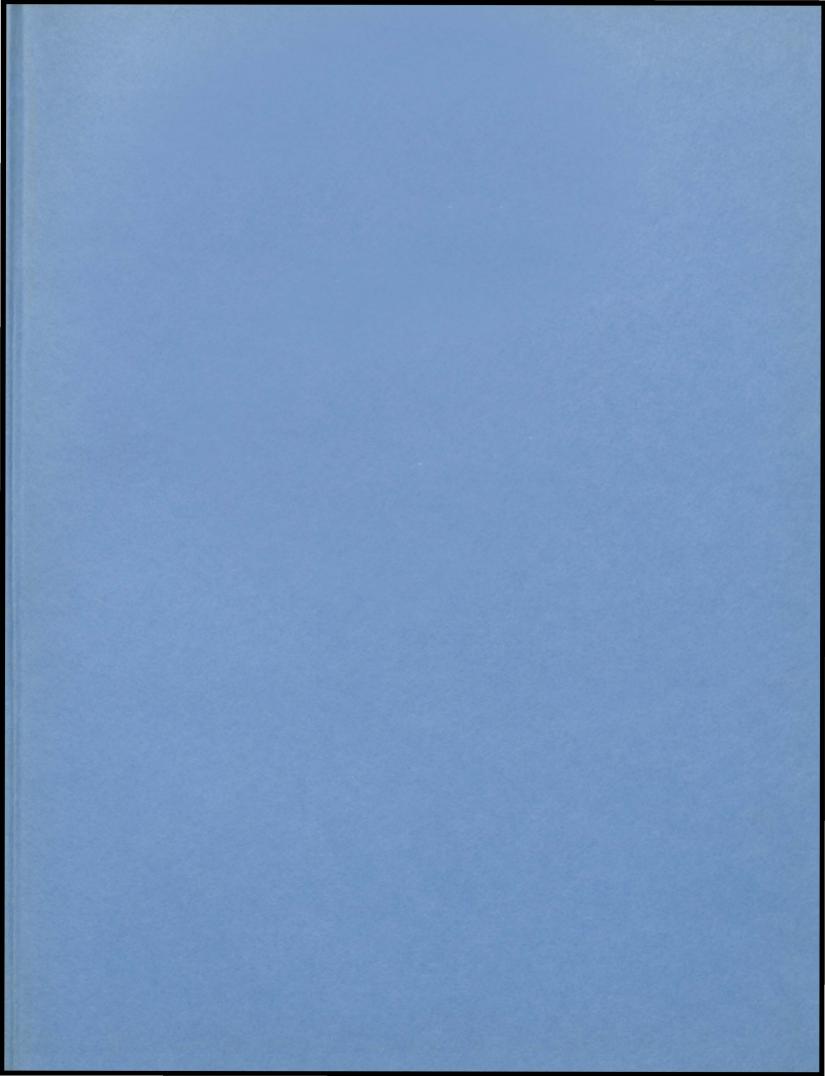
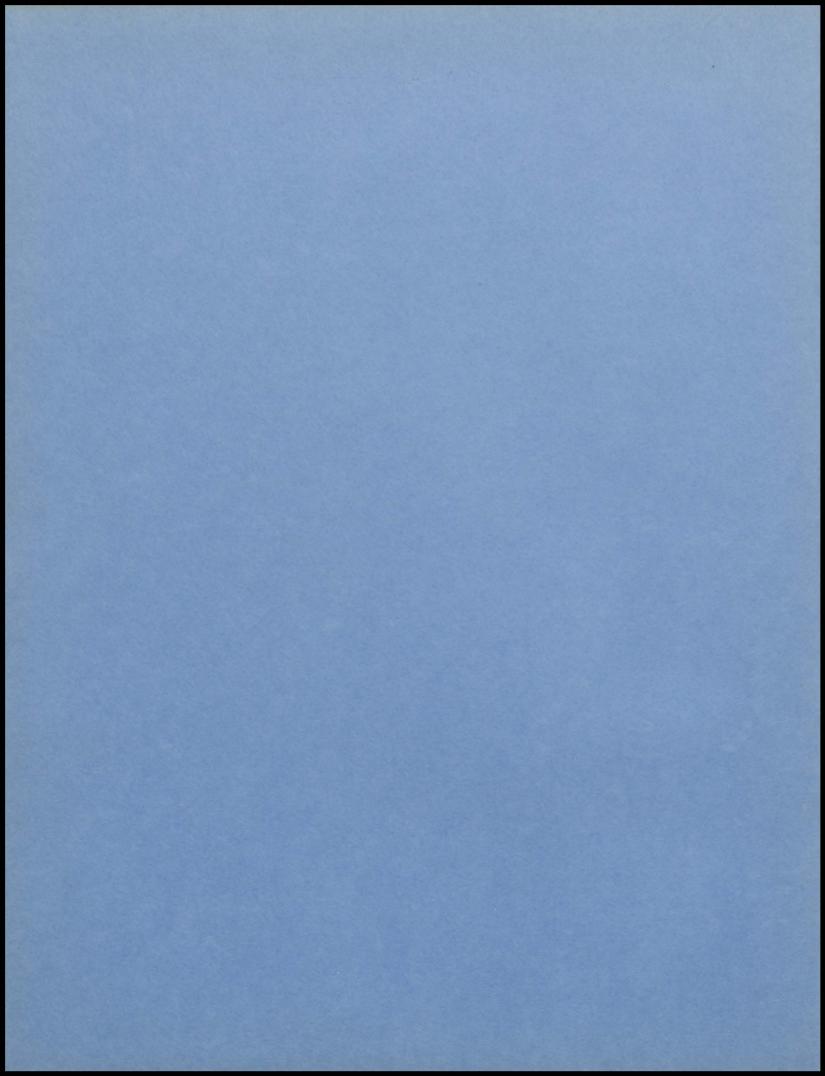
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SHS and a song-don't appear very comparable, do they? But to probe a little deeper, each does contain similar elements. For example, academics, the basic reason for school, could be called the underlying melody for the student body; athletics could be substituted for a song's active rhythm. Organizations, too, place in this musical structure; they contribute the blending notes to make the daily schedule more intriguing. A final comparison deals with the most essential area of education-people. The students themselves qualify as the composers, for they create the song by their actions and words. Each adds an inexplicable part of himself to the music of the school year, unconsciously individualizing it. Yes, the song composed by SHS students in the 1968-1969 school term was a unique one; it can never be replayed, only remembered. That's why the OAK LEAVES exists.

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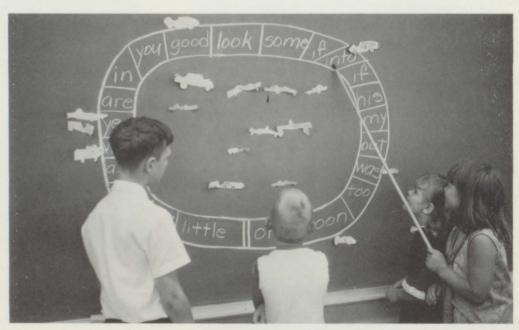


Summer activities generate enthusiasm



Garden tractor competition at the Summitville Fair was tough; nevertheless, Ronald Hiatt succeeded in competing until his fourth round.





Anticipation of winning stimulates the students' learning from Mrs. Mary Jane Brewer's racetrack of words in the summer reading program.

Releasing the rope while in the middle of the lake doesn't upset Max Frazier and his skiing partner.

in community



Not ready for "Big D" yet, Tony Ice watches a demonstration by Mr. Everett Webb during the summer basketball clinic.



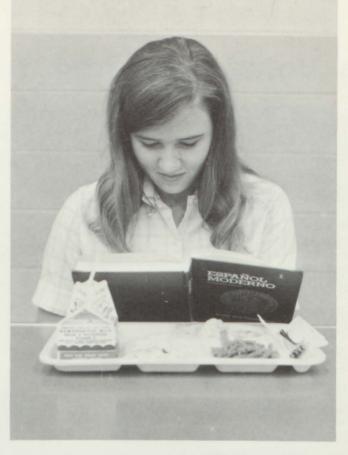
Happiness is riding a merry-go-round with a little sister as an excuse. Right, Debbie Fisher?



As afternoon shadows begin to form, Marlene Frazier enjoys one last round of skiing.

With the end of school, SHS students plunged into a frenzy of summer activities. Most succeeded in acquiring suntans and sun-streaked hair before the end of the first month of vacation because of the unusually hot weather. Baling hay, store work, and painting houses occupied the hot days while AC games, informal basketball practices, and drive-ins filled the evenings. Highlighting the summer were the annual fireworks with the dedication of the newly constructed war memorial and the fairs of surrounding counties. Many students ended the summer with a final fling by camping out or relaxing by watching the political conventions.

The beginning weeks of school were like a song's introduction; they gave a preview of the year ahead. Friendships were renewed, summer experiences discussed, textbooks were re-opened. Seniors began to enjoy their newly acquired status while the unfortunate freshmen submitted to the traditional teasing. Under new supervision for the 1968–1969 season, cheerblock members still wore their sandals when they selected winter uniforms, gold berets and black turtleneck sweaters. Groups canvassing nearby towns also became a familiar sight as yearbook advertisements and magazine subscriptions were sold. Suddenly everyone realized that school had officially begun as the end of the six weeks arrived, accompanied by those first report cards.

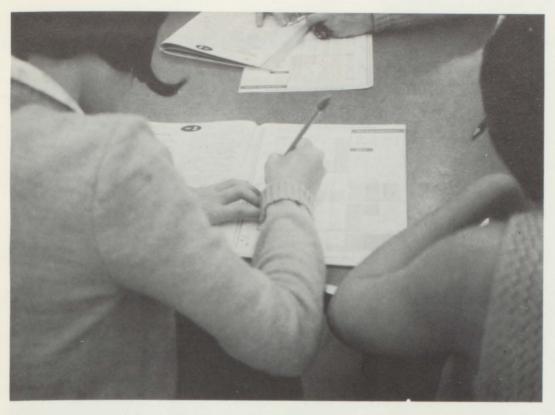


Striving to become bilingual, Melody Webb keeps her Spanish book with her in case she finds some "spare" time.

Ringing bells revive dormant minds



Becoming totally absorbed in one's work is a sign of becoming a great painter-visible even in the first days in art class.



Sharpened pencils and alert minds are prerequisites for the juniors during the annual tests.

for autumn studies





Accuracy is instilled in Mr. Ronald Reiman's students even in their first attempts at drafting.

School resumes but summer sports continue giving Terry Small a maintenance chore on the baseball diamond.



With "Misty Moonlight" blue completing the background, Patty Broyles reigns as queen at the 1968 Prom.

Blue and silver set



Junior class president, Tony Abbott, enjoys the senior prophecies as well as amuses the guests.

Suspense turns to ecstasy as Melody Hall and Mary Meyer are announced as attendants to Queen Patty.



background for 1968 Prom festivities



The theme song, "In the Misty Moonlight," created a mellow mood for the final dance.



A slight mist was falling as the guests arrived at Linder's-On-The-Point for the 1968 Junior-Senior Prom. As they entered the room draped in blue and white streamers, a colorful waterfall and moon-shaped table decorations caught their eyes. The platform for "The Brass Sound" was complemented by the light blue background with silvery stars framing the theme, "In the Misty Moonlight." Following the buffet style dinner, the '67 Prom queen, Lynda Ice, relinquished her title to Patty Broyles. At midnight, the festivities were concluded with the rendition of the theme song for the final dance. Many guests, however, participated in the post-Prom activities, a movie and breakfast.

Mike Jessie receives last minute touches as Gloria Pyle pins on his boutonniere.

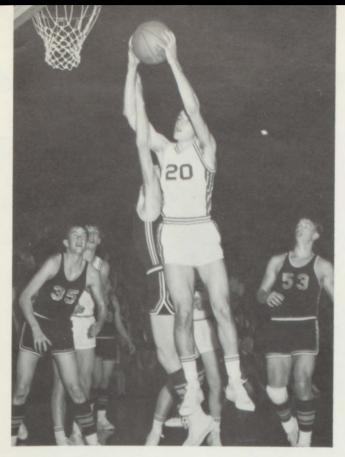


Caught in a quieter moment during the game, Elaine Allen meditates on the Goblins' action against the Arabians.

Final tourney appearances trigger

Participating in the Madison County Tourney and the sectional at Marion were the two highlights in basketball action at SHS. In January '69 the Goblins tackled the Markleville Arabians on the Anderson court. Enthusiasm and suspense reigned as the tipoff came, but Goblin teamwork could not overcome the 70-56 result. Sectional time, too, led a drive for victory as Summitville drew Fairmount for their opponent. Giving the team a rousing send-off from a decorated school and excited student body, the players demonstrated their spirit and ability on the Marion hardwood. A closely matched battle was fought with the score constantly wavering, but finally the SHS representatives received a tense 65-61 outcome. Syncopating the rhythm of the SHS basketball season, these athletic contests added another spirited touch to the 1968-1969 year.

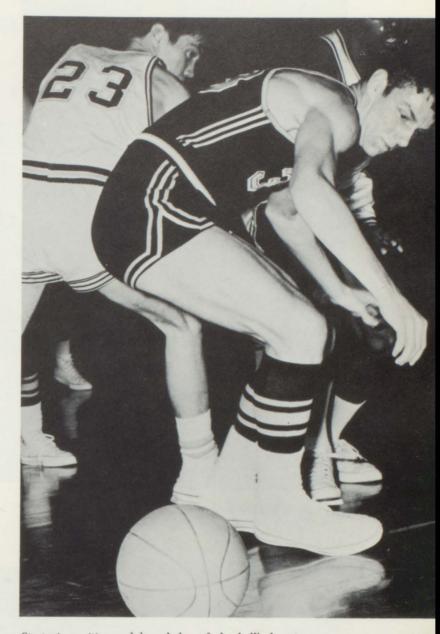




Goblins lie in wait as the struggle over the rebound occurs under Markleville's basket,

Goblin spirit at SHS





Strategic position and knowledge of the ball's location prove essential to Alan Muey's attempt to regain a loose ball.

"We can't go on meeting like this," says Dennis Shelton to his Quaker opponent in the Summitville game at the sectional.

Aiming with deliberate concentration, Mike Hughes, portraying Wayne Frake, tosses a hoop in hopes of impressing his girl.

Dramatic endeavors



Recurrent battles over the best pickles engaged Jeff Stanley as Able Frake and Roxanne Wable as Mrs. Rallins.

Pickles and the prize hog are topics of discussion during the Frake's coffee break at the performance of the senior play.



focus on senior play and variety show



Combining four popular songs into "The Girl Medley," Baker's Dozen appears at the variety show.

Running the gamut from the country and western music of "State Fair" to the award winning songs and religious numbers of "Varieties '68," the SHS dramatic events encompassed many phases of music. While the casts of each labored through long night rehearsals for the exact meanings of lines or for precise timing in the dance arrangements, properties crews swiftly scampered to supply the needed articles backstage. A ten minute Pepsi break, coming in the middle of each evening, relaxed everyone and furnished the strength for facing more short-circuited stage lights and ringing microphones. Even little "slips," as the variety show's impromptu sock commercial or the senior play's "canary that swallowed the cat," added excitement to the final productions.



Doing the latest dances in Mod style clothes, the SHS go-go girls introduce "Varieties' 68."



Tackling a front scale, Nan Little demonstrates one of the many stunts she learned for the state gymnastic meet.



Vying for a part in the spring demonstration, Mary Isenburg combines a shoulder stand and a candlestick.

Onlookers marvel at dances and stunts

Music, an ever present factor at SHS, accompanied spring demonstration routines and escorted seniors to their graduation ceremonies. The "Wide World of Sports" featured stunts on the parallel bars, the rings, and the rope; while the modern dances and free floor exercises were performed in unison with the music's mood. The seniors, too, had to master that special walk through the gym in order to receive their diplomas. With the sudden evidence of black and gold tassels on car mirrors, the realization came that the high school years of the 1969 class were finished.

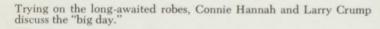


Dancing to "Alley Cat," Cathy Lintz, Marcia Crouch, and Patsy Ulery portray a dog and its feline counterparts.

Elusive four years lead to graduation



Symbols of graduation become a reality to seniors during the last weeks of May.



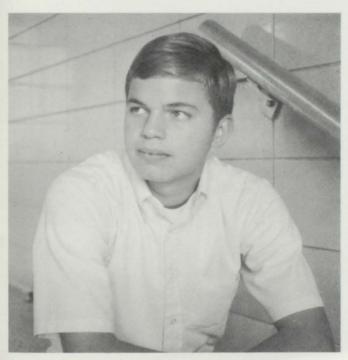




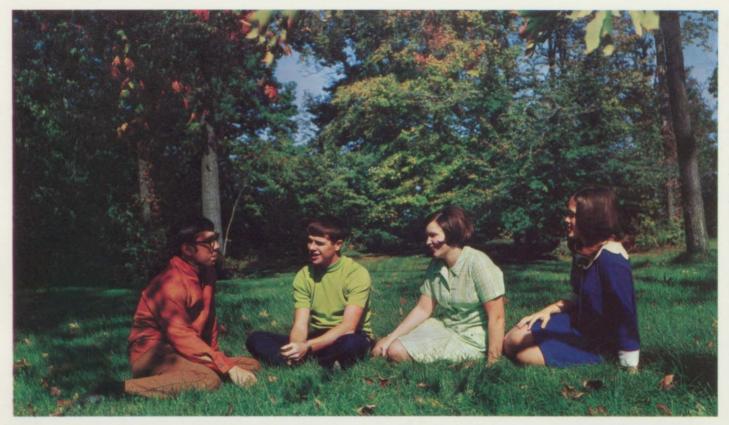
Pondering the future, seniors wait for the traditional graduation music to begin.







People are the mechanics of a school who make each year unique. Summitville fifth and sixth graders experience team teaching for the first time. Junior high students have their primary opportunity to select officers and participate in extra-curricular activities. The 1968-1969 Juniors sell a record breaking \$3000 of magazines to finance the spring prom. The seniors start their final year with the selection of graduation announcements and caps and gowns. As the year evolves the creative personalities of SHS compose the melody of the novel song.



As the autumn leaves fall, Tony Abbott, president; Tim Watson, vice-president; Marcie Clark, secretary; Melody Hall, treasurer, select senior announcements and make decisions for graduation.



Tony Abbott Elaine Allen



Linda Broyles
Patty Broyles



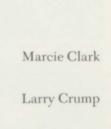
Reta Byrd

Tim Beckley

Seniors expand total of yearbook ads



Linda Chapman







Malinda DeLong

Doris Elsworth





Debbie Fisher

Virginia Davis





Max Frazier

Melody Hall



Connie Hannah



Mike Hughes

Ruth Hollingsworth

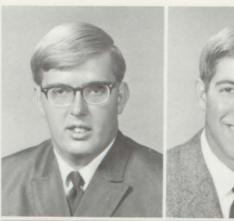


Roger Ice



Steve Lee

Nanette Little







Richard King





Strains of 'Pomp and Circumstance'



Senior skirts name everything from boyfriends to teachers.



David Loer





Mary Meyer





Barbara Miller

Cathy Miller

Christy Melling

Beverly Merrill

guide seniors to high school's end





Alan Muey

Wanda Norris

Cast of 'Our Town' transmit theme



Rodney Pattison



Martha Saubert

Dennis Shelton





Derwin Sanford





Love and marriage was one of the themes of everyday life presented by the actors.



representing routine procedures of life



Gloria Short



Carolyn Silvey



The imaginary breakfast at the Gibbs' house includes many of the prominent townspeople.



The presentation of the play by a large cast created the atmosphere along with a minimum of props and flats.

Scholarships, Viet Nam, employment involve seniors

Terry Small





Randy Smith

Karen Swaim





Steve Street

Jeff Stanley





Sam Thompson James Treadway





Roxanne Wable

Tim Watson

Senior Activities

TONY ABBOTT—Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Student Manager 3,4; Student Council 3,4; Gazette Staff 3,4; Junior Marshall 3; President 3,4; Quill & Scroll 4.

ELAINE ALLEN—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Baker's Dozen 2,3,4; Band 1,2; State Choral Festival 3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 2,3,4; Play Crew 3,4; Future Teachers 3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Majorette 2,3,4; Head Majorette 3,4; Twirler 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4.

TIM BECKLEY—Choir 1,2; Concert Choir 1,2; Play Cast 2,3; Play Crew 4; FFA 1,2.

LINDA BROYLES—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2; Play Cast 3,4; Baker's Dozen 3,4; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2,3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Honor Society 3,4; Prom Usher 2; Junior Marshall 3; Girls' State Alternate 3; Secretary 2; Treasurer 3.

PATTY BROYLES—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Thespians 4; Play Cast 3; GAA 1,2,3,4; Junior Leader 3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1,2,3; Gazette Staff 3,4; Prom Queen 3; President 1; Secretary 3.

RETA BYRD—Choir 1,2,3; Librarian 1,2,3; Twirler 1,2; Cheerblock 1,4.

LINDA CHAPMAN—Choir 2,3; GAA 4; Librarian 1,3,4.

MARCIE CLARK—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Play Cast 3; GAA 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,2; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Secretary 4; Thespians 4

LARRY CRUMP—Band 1,2; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3,4; Spanish Club 3,4; Bowling Team 3; Basketball 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Yearbook Editor 4; Quill & Scroll 3,4; Junior Marshall 3.

VIRGINIA DAVIS—Choir 1,2,3; Concert Choir 2; Drama Club 4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3; Play Crew 2; GAA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4.

MALINDA DELONG—Choir 1,2,3; Play Crew 2; GAA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Student Council 4.

DORIS ELSWORTH—Choir 1,3,4; Concert Choir 1,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; State Choral Festival 4; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3; GAA 3,4; Junior Leader 3; Twirler 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 3,4.

DEBBIE FISHER—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 2,4; Drama Club 4; Play Crew 4; Librarian 4; Majorette 3,4; Twirler 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4.

MAX FRAZIER-Choir 1,2; Play Cast 1,2,3; FFA 2.

MELODY HALL—Choir 3,4; Concert Choir 3,4; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3,4; Play Crew 3; Spanish Club 3,4; GAA 3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Future Teachers 4; Gazette Staff 4; Prom Queen Attendant 3; Treasurer 4.



Building pyramids, playing football, and roasting weiners provided the entertainment at the senior party.

Senior

CONNIE HANNAH—Choir 1,2,3; Concert Choir 1,2; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3,4; Future Teachers 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4.

RUTH HOLLINGSWORTH—Choir 1,2,3; GAA 1; Librarian 4.

MICHAEL HUGHES—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Baker's Dozen 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; State Choral Festival 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3,4; Play Crew 2; Spanish Club 3,4; Future Teachers 3,4; Student Manager 1; Student Council 4; Treasurer 1.

ROGER ICE-Play Cast 3; FFA 1,2; Librarian 3.

MICHAEL JESSIE—Choir 1,2; Concert Choir 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4; State Choral Festival 2,3.

GARLAND JOHNSON—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 3,4; Baker's Dozen 4; Band 4; State Choral Festival 3,4; Thespians 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Student Manager 1,2.

RICHARD KING—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2; State Choral Festival 4; Drama Club 3,4; Play Cast 3; Play Crew 2; Spanish Club 3.

STEVE LEE—Choir 1,2; Concert Choir 1,2; Thespians 1,2,3; Play Crew 2,3; FFA 1,2; Cross Country 2,3,4.

NANETTE LITTLE—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4; Play Cast 2,3; Play Crew 3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Majorette 1,2; Head Majorette 2; Twirler 1,2; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; State Gymnastic Meet 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4.

DAVID LOER—Choir 1,2,3; Concert Choir 1; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3; FFA 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4.

CHRISTY MELLING—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; State Choral Festival 3; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Future Teachers 3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,2; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Student Council 3,4; Gazette Staff 3,4; Gazette Editor 4; Yearbook 3,4; Quill & Scroll 3,4; Honor Society 3,4; Junior Marshall 3; Girls' State 3.

BEVERLY MERRILL—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 2,4; Drama Club 4; Thespians 4; Play Cast 3; Spanish Club 2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Student Council 3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Honor Society 3,4.

MARY MEYER—Choir 1,2,3; Concert Choir 1,2; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3; Student Council 3; Prom Queen Attendant 3; Secretary 2.

BARBARA MILLER-GAA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 4.

CATHY MILLER—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 2,3,4; Baker's Dozen 2,3,4; State Choral Festival 3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4; Play Cast 2,3,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Future Teachers 3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Student Council 3,4; Gazette Staff 3,4.

ALAN MUEY—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Baker's Dozen 2,3,4; State Choral Festival 2,3,4; Drama Club 4; Thespians 4; Play Cast 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Gazette Staff 3,4; Yearbook 4; Quill & Scroll 3,4; Prom Usher 2; President 2; Student Council 2,3,4.

WANDA NORRIS—Choir 1,2,3; Concert Choir 2; Drama Club 4; Play Crew 2,4; Librarian 3,4.

RODNEY PATTISON—Choir 2,3,4; Play Cast 3; Play Crew 4; FFA 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3,4; Track 3,4.

Activities

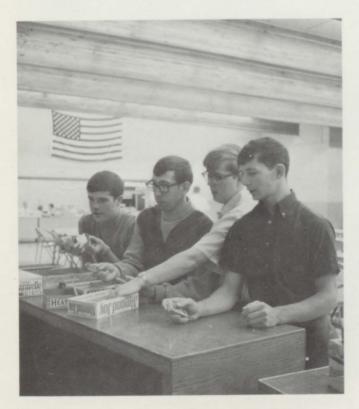
PAUL ROBERTS—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3, 4; Baker's Dozen 4; State Choral Festival 2,3; Thespians 4; Play Cast 3,4; FFA 1; Librarian 1,2; Basketball 1; Cross Country 1.

STEVE ROGERS—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3, 4; Baker's Dozen 3,4; Band 3,4; Drama Club 4; Thespians 4; Play Cast 3,4; Spanish Club 3,4; Future Teachers 3,4; FFA 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3.

MARTHA SAUBERT—Choir 1,2,3; Concert Choir 2; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Twirler 1; Cheerleader 3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Treasurer 2; Vice-president 3; Erewhon Society 4.

DENNIS SHELTON—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2,4; Vicepresident 2.

GLORIA SHORT—Choir 3; Librarian 1,2,3.



The calorie counter provides refreshments at noon time.

CAROLYN SILVEY—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 4; Thespians 4; Play Cast 3; Spanish Club 2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4.

TERRY SMALL—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Baker's Dozen 4; Band 1,2,3,4; State Choral Festival 2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4; Play Cast 3; Play Crew 3,4; Librarian 3; Student Manager 3,4.

RANDY SMITH-Play Crew 3; FFA 1,2.

JEFF STANLEY—Choir 1,2,3; Concert Choir 1,2,3; Baker's Dozen 3; Band 1,2,3,4; State Choral Festival 3; Drama Club 4; Thespians 4; Play Cast 3,4; Basketball 1; Cross Country 1,2; Track 1,3,4.

STEVE STREET—Drama Club 4; Play Crew 4; FFA 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3,4; Track 3,4.

KAREN SWAIM—Choir 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 4; Thespians 4; Play Cast 3; Play Crew 3; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Future Teachers 3,4; GAA 2,3,4; Junior Leader 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Student Council 3; Prom Usher 2; 4-H 1,2,3,4.

SAM THOMPSON—Choir 2,3; Concert Choir 2,3; Play Crew 2; Track 2.

JAMES TREADWAY—Choir 1,2; Concert Choir 1,2; Baker's Dozen 2,3; Band 1,2,3; State Choral Festival 2; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,3; Track 3; Honor Society 3; Boys' State Alternate 3.

ROXANNE WABLE—Choir 1,3,4; Concert Choir 1,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Play Cast 3,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 3; Vice-president 1.

TIM WATSON—Choir 1; Concert Choir 1; Play Cast 3; Future Teachers 4; FFA 1,2; Basketball 1; Student Manager 2,3,4; Prom Usher 2; Boys' State 3; Vicepresident 4.

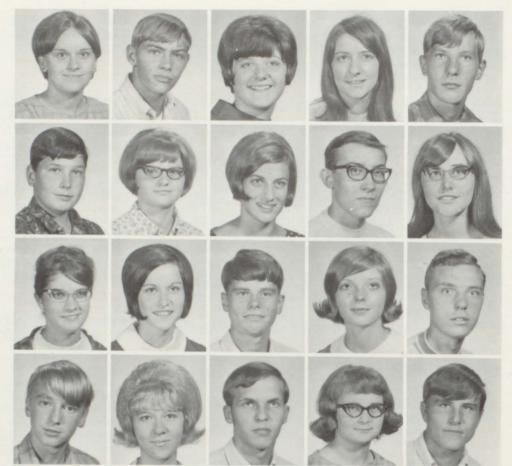
Juniors establish school record with

Kathy Barley Gary Barnhart Diana Brewer Cindy Butler Rex Chapel

Greg Cochran Barbara Craib Connie Cullen Robert Dailey Darlene Davidson

Genie Dickerson Barbara Dunlap Steven DuPouy Deborah Eaton Gerald Elsworth

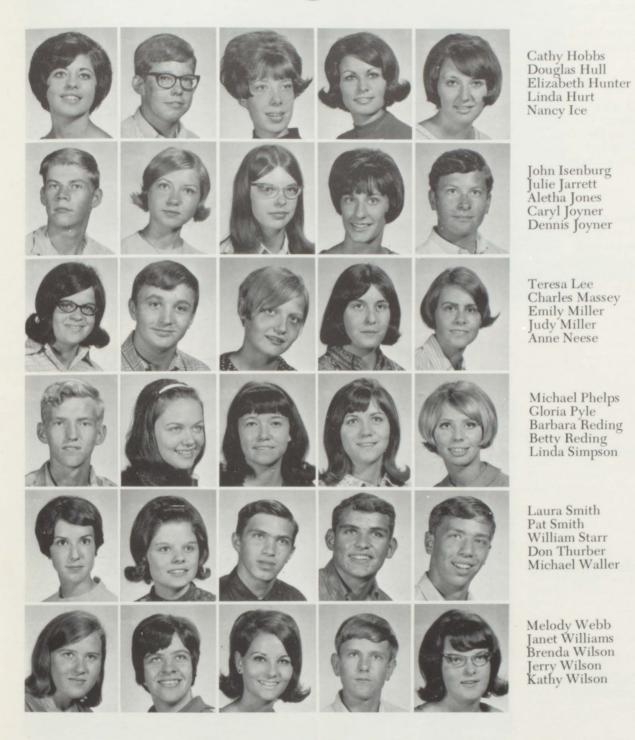
Mike Fernung Connie Garmon Stanley Gibson Shirley Goodman Roger Hendricks





Prom committees led by Aletha Jones, president; Steve DuPouy, vice-president; Barbara Dunlap, secretary; and Connie Cullen, treasurer, organize spring time activities.

\$3000 total for magazine sales



Not Pictured: Dennis Fields Cherry Miller

John Allen Jean Barnett Donna Bright Bruce Broyles Barbara Buroker

Charles Cox Marcia Crouch Irene Davidson Greg DeLong Diana Dickerson

Herb Hasty Thomas Hiatt Teresa Hill Lee Hollingsworth Zula Hollingsworth



Sophomore level focuses on

Steve Hoppes Vicky Ice

Rhonda Idlewine David King

Enola Larkin Cathy Lintz

Charles Little Jackie Little





Lost and found! Charlie and Debbie hunt for a contact.



Featured at the Oak Grove marker are Gary Thomas, secretary; Judy Meyer, treasurer; Patsy Ulery, vice-president; Randy Street, president.

expansion of knowledge



Mitchell Mason Melvin Matchett Judy Meyer Philip Nash Phillip Petty

Danny Piercy Debra Sears Mike Silvey Randy Street Steven Swegman

Sue Swegman Kathy Taylor Gary Thomas Patsy Ulery James Vetor

Mary Watts Sandra Wilson

Freshmen don kelly green and white for class jackets



Class officers Chris Massey, treasurer; Peggy Barnhart, secretary; Jeff Hoppes, president; and Jeff Jones, vice-president, make plans for the largest class in school.

Alice Appel Connie Ballard Peggy Barnhart Lynn Bear Steve Beckley

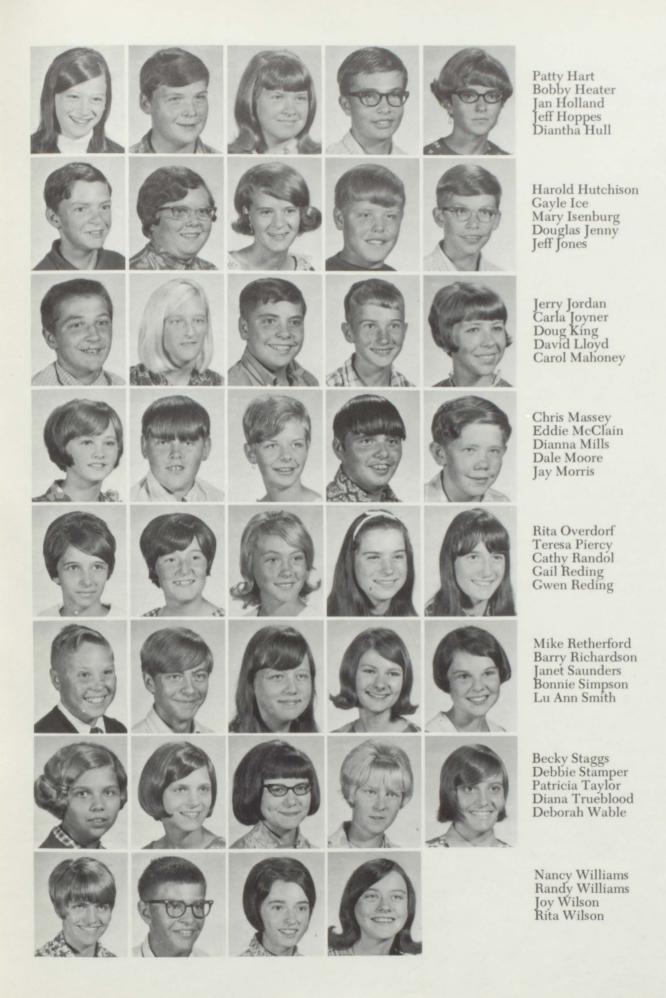
Marilyn Blair Debbie Blalock Robert Brannen Anita Brewer Stanley Cawthorn

Paula Clark Roger Clark Carol Coleman Jeff Cowles Debra Craib

Jeri Craib Darline Dunaway Gail Ewing Rebecca Fields Richard Fisher

Greg Fox Charles Fruitt Perry Garmon Charles Grimme Becky Hall







Betty Dunaway, secretary; Renee Snelling, treasurer; Jeff Cochran, president; and Larry Kurtz, vice-president, lead the eighth grade through the year's activities.

Vicky Armstrong Carol Brannen

Joe Bright Duane Broyles







Informal weiner roast highlights

Terry Butler Karen Clifton

Jeff Cochran Linda Craib Raymond Davidson Becky Dickey Douglas DuPouy

John Hasty Ron Hiatt Trudy Hollingsworth Shirley Hutchison Carl Isenburg

Jennie Jackson Tony Larkin Ronald Maynard Gary McCaslin Peggy Meyer

Deborah Morris Deborah Phelps Brenda Sears Reginald Watson



Not pictured: Dennis Eaton



Christy Bohlander Kenneth Clos Jeffrey Cox Carol Crouch Bob Dauenhauer

Betty Dunaway Sharon Eads Duane Elsworth Keithana Elsworth Doris Gibson

Darryl Hart Dennis Hollingsworth Patricia Hutchison Peggy Ice Mark Jarrett

eighth grade social events



Robert Leath

John McRoberts Marilyn Miller

Wayne Parks Terry Richardson

Renee Snelling

Emily Allen Anita Appel Lou Ann Beckley Vicki Bright Randy Byrd

Dixie Carpenter Mark Clos Steven Dickey Linda Durr Marlene Frazier

James Greer Nancy Hatton Mary Hiatt Stuart Horine Anthony Ice



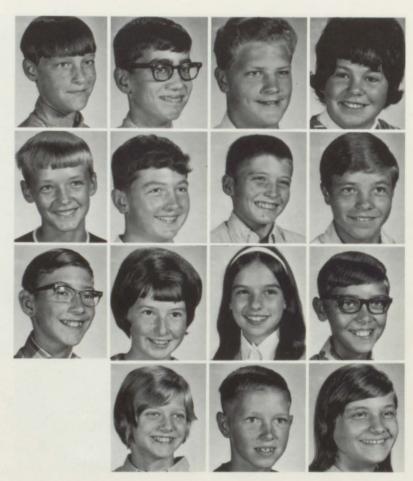
Seventh graders experience first

Chris Joyner David Ladd David Long Cindy Nash

Eugene Phelps Steve Randol Jerry Richardson Alan Sanford

Marvin Saubert Rhonda Semon Nancy Smith Jim Staggs

Karen Stamper Ken Thurston Jill Wable





Robert Anderson Kathy Armstrong

James Blair Connie Burton





 $\mbox{\sc Vic}$ $\mbox{\sc Dean,}$ secretary-treasurer, teases Mary Ann Hiatt, president, with a snowball.

roles in extracurricular activities



Daniel Dunaway Diana Gibson Phyliss Hatton Jack Heavilon Rob Hunter

Pennie Jeffries Teresa Jordan Bill Larkin Randy Lee Gerald Morris

Debbie Petty Timothy Retherford Deby Sappenfield Anita Sears Debbie Shelton

Beth Stone David Swegman Anita Vetor Diana York

Not pictured: Jimmie Horine



The bulletin board makes the visit to Rome more vivid to the social studies class.

Mark Armstrong Troy Ballard Jeff Bohlander

Cheryl Clark Vicky Cox Anita Dickerson

Sharon Dunaway Jay Dunlap Rhonda Fields

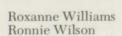


Departmental teaching arouses sixth

Judith Hull Mikeal Ice Lonnie Keaton William Marsh Edward Moore

Naomi Moore Samuel Morris DixAnn Nash Bruce Phelps Mike Pruitt

Pamela Sappenfield Cynthia Seybert Debra Simpson Robert Snelling James Starr





Not pictured: Anna Matney



Bruce Abernathy Melissa Beyer Melody Bright Dene Burton David Coleman

Cindy Cowles Karen Craib Terry DeLong Joy Eaton Lana Ewing

Richard Fields Tony Frazier Elisa Hill Bruce Hoppes Janice Isenburg

grade appetites for junior high



Michael Jackson Loretta Joyner Brian Kirkwood



Randel Mason Debra McClain Timothy Norris



Norma Peterson Ray Phelps Mike Potter



Harold Staggs



Tiny seeds require close inspection for these sixth graders and Mrs. Shirley Garwood.

Not pictured: Jack Owens

Paperbacks and puppet shows



Workbooks provide another source for learning how to solve mathematical problems.

Tamblyn Bailey Jeff Clifton



Brenda Craib Gayle Craib









Connie Hall Rita Hopkins





Roberta Hutchison Leasa Jeffries Melisa Mason Connie Massey



















Melinda Seybert Leroy Stanley Kevin Webb Tamara Wilson









Not pictured:

Tonya Fox Kevin Simpson

highlight fifth grade studies



Robby Anderson Cheryl Armstrong Randy Bright Alice Carpenter Scott Chesney

Tamara Cochran Sarah Crull Anthony DuPouy Tim Elsworth Loretta Garmon

Michael Goodpaster Wendie Hollingsworth Gale Isenberg Susan Jackson Eugene Johnson



The students become cautious as they begin the journey with the milk to the portable room.



Ken Kurtz David Lovelace Gail Matney William Morgan Teresa Phelps

Gail Schoettmer David Sears Randy Small Lori Smith Ronnie Starr

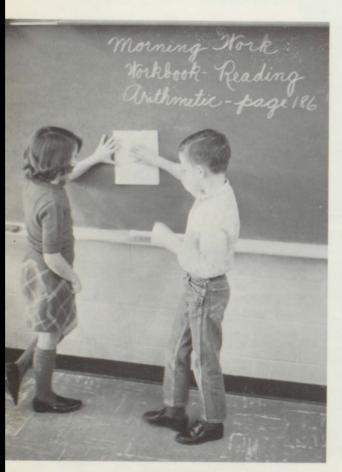
Tony Bailey Byran Bright Shelly Dean Thomas Ducheteau

Kim Elsworth Thomas Goodpaster Gloria Hasty Kevin Hutchison

Gaylen Ice Harold Jeffries James Kendáll Lisa Keefer



Fourth graders master facts about



An English lesson becomes a contest as students match the verb with the correct sentence.

Michael Mahoney Stella Pruitt Steven Retherford

Kimberly Staggs Gloria Strickland Andy Thurston

Debra Webster Jonetta Wood Randy Yeagy

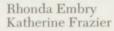


Not pictured: Pamela Petty



Anthony Bright Rebecca Creamer

James Ducheteau Jerry Eaton





Birthday party time comes for fourth graders as cupcakes are passed out to each one.

seven continents in world history



Nicky Gibson Jane Hill Ronald Idlewine Sherrie Joyner Billy Kendall

Dorin Matney Joan Matney Kevin Norris Ronald Piercy Ricky Pyle

Chester Seybert Pamela Simpson Meleah Stone Linda Vetor Robert Wood

SRA reading kits supply fundamental

Lisa Cochran Carl Craib Nancy Craib Star Crull

Margaret Dailey Dewana Elsworth Linda Elsworth Timothy Ewing



Judy Meyer is just one of the cadet teachers who help instructors with various classroom procedures.

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CHRIST
MAS

Kimberly Fields Michael Frazier Paula Glass

Karen Hutchison Sandy Isenburg Stephen Jones

Rita Keaton Lori Little Tamara Little

Jimmie Mahoney Cheryl Marsh Scott Overdorf

Susan Phelps Anthony Pyle Faith Ricksecker



materials for third graders



Michael Sachs John Schoettmer





Jeffrey Sears Chris Simpson



Kathy Stevens Darlene Starr





Dale Stitt Karen Tilson

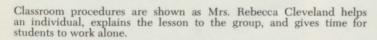




Randall Webster Dwight Wilson



Tina Wilson









Catina Beyer Susie Carpenter Martha Clark Robin Dalrymple Angelia Ellis

Melissa Fields Lucille Garmon Lisa Halfacre Tara Halfacre Ricky Isenburg

Terry Jeffries Terry Kendall Janet Lloyd Lou Ann Lloyd Kenneth Mahoney



Workbooks, flash cards, and flannel

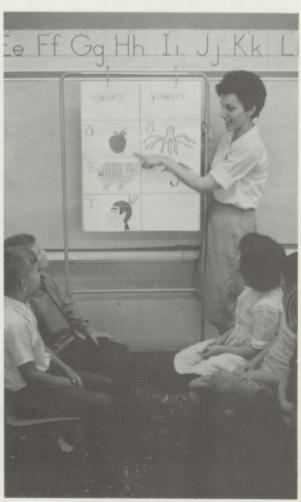
Sheila Matney Jackie McClain

Randy McCune Ricky Mills

Billy Ulery Lydia Vetor

James Yeagy





Vowel mystery unfolds as Mrs. Pamela Yeagy supplies picture clues.



Brian Bohlander Michelle Cormony

Gregory Chesney George Crull





Recess entertainment includes making the chain of monkeys grow.

graphs motivate learning in Grade 2



Renna Embry Linda Ferris Gerald Garmon Phyllis Garmon Robbin Garmon

Zandall Hopkins Sherry Hurt Marilyn Joyner Teresa Lambertson Rebecca Lovelace

Mark Matney Randy Mills Mari Patton Bryan Thomas Melanie Thurston

Brenda Vetor James Wright

Visual aids stimulate beginning students'



Each child takes turns in responding as Mrs. Louise McCormick teaches reading skills through the use of phonics.

Teresa Bailey Beth Barnett Annette Brummet

Mark Cawthorn Kyle Hazelwood Mark Hurt

Randy Isenburg Nancy Jackson Tony Lambertson

Ann Morgan Elizabeth Morris Donald Parks

Joseph Phelps John Staggs Charles Stanley

Anthony Tilson Bruce Webb



Not pictured: Jeff Forrest

correlation of pictures and words



Becky Armstrong Brent Armstrong Deborah Bair Dwayne Crull

Jeffrey DuPouy Deloris Fields Roger Garmon Michael Jones

Stephen Kendall Cindi Joyner Kimberly Sappenfield Timothy Schoettmer

David Spencer Patti Stanley Mark Stitt Diana White

Not pictured: Angelia Fields Jama Harmon



Show and tell is one method used as students learn about the butterfly.

Administrators plan school functions
with eye to future



Mr. Harold Dick serves as the superintendent of the Madison-Grant Corporation which will combine Summitville and Fairmount schools.



The 1968-1969 Madison-Grant school board arrived at the decision of having a north and south campus next year. Seated: Virginia Jones, Harold Dick, superintendent; Myron Peacock, president. Standing: Dean Hiatt, Robert Dean, secretary; Donald Hanes, Max Leisure, vice-president; and Chet Mann.



 $\mbox{Mr.}$ Robert Absher has served as principal of Summitville High School for ten years.



Don Inglis, administrative assistant, discusses the adoption of new textbooks with the elementary teachers.



Preparing to start another day, Mr. Robert Absher, principal, arrives with paper work completed at home.

Faculty duties range from grading papers to sponsoring



Karen Baker Speech, English



Thomas Baker Music



Mary Jane Brewer Second Grade



Patricia Brunt Mathematics



Rebecca Cleveland Third Grade



Cecil Coleman Guidance Counselor, Chemistry, Agriculture



Putting grades on the report cards and permanent records at semester time is an all-day job for the faculty.



Thomas Coppess Social Studies, World History



Shirley Garwood Sixth Grade



Ruby Gossett First Grade



Wilma Gossett Fourth Grade



Diann Hieatt Fourth Grade



Barbara John Art



Mrs. Diann Hieatt helps the new third grade teacher, Miss Diana Beer, become familiar with the school system.



James Kurtz Social Studies, Physical Education



Carmel Mann Sixth Grade

Classrooms become educational channel



Dianna Matthew English



Luise McCormick First Grade



Mary Lou McFarren Physical Education, Typing



Robert Palmer Mathematics



Patricia Phelps English, Spanish



Michelin Rieman Elementary Music



Ronald Rieman Industrial Arts



Cynthia Shock Home Economics



Rose Slain Business



Edward Smith Fifth Grade



Tillman Smith Mathematics, Science



James Stone Atheletic Director, Driver Education, Government

between teachers and students



David Strasemeier Elementary Physical Education



Maxine Thurston Fifth Grade



Everett Webb Biology, Coach



Fred Wood Librarian



Suzanne Barley, a student from Ball State, is supervised by Mrs. Mary Jane Brewer as she obtains experience in elementary teaching.



Pamela Yeagy Second Grade

Additional personnel complement



Mr. Don Gossett, supervisor of buildings and grounds, and Mr. Larry McCrary, custodian, observe the price list concerning the fluorescent light bulb.



Mr. Donald Lamb, music teacher, listens attentively as Mike Hughes auditions for his six weeks grade.



Mrs. Jean Harrold files tuberculin reports on student health records.

SHS facilities



Mrs. Esther Hipes, reading instructor, moves from school to school to help students improve their reading skills.



PATROL BOYS: Front row—Stuart Horine, Timothy Retherford, Jerry Richardson, David Swegman. Row 2—Billy Larkin, Chris Joyner, Marvin Saubert, Daniel Dunaway, Robert Anderson, Mr. Thomas Coppess.



Bus drivers, Betty Bogue, Louise Reding, Bob Swinford, Wilma Joyner, Jim Morris, and Tom Bair must take their buses through a safety check and report the mileage at the end of each month.

Staff members work year



Pausing a moment from serving the meal are the cooking members of the staff—Mrs. Charline Jones, supervisor; Mrs. Alice Bair; Mrs. Margaret Leachman; and Mrs. Belva Forrest.

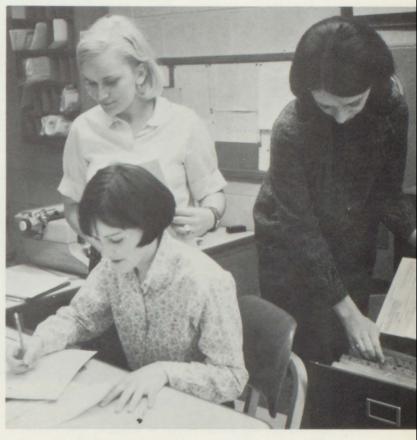


CAFETERIA HELP: Front row—Greg DeLong, Herbert Hasty, Linda Chapman, Malinda DeLong, Pat Smith. Row 2—Chuck Grimme, Terry Small, Michael Jessie, Steve Rogers, Max Frazier.

round to provide school order



Relaying a message, answering business questions, and writing checks occupy the time of Mrs. Agnes Moyer, school secretary.



Office girls Barb Dunlap, Kathy Barley, and Patty Broyles help file claims and record attendance.



OFFICE HELP: Seated—Patty Broyles, Marcie Clark, Kathy Barley. Standing—Gloria Short, Mary Meyer, Christy Melling, Connie Hannah, Diana Brewer, Barb Dunlap.



After seventy years of service, the old school houses one of its last elementary classes.



Every day the area of the new school grows substantially.



Lights of SHS cast an air of expectancy for Open House.

Yielding to man's progress, the old school meets a quick end.



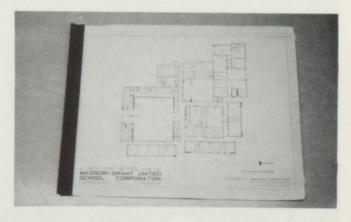
Expansion again forces SHS history into limelight

The history of Oak Grove for the past seventy-five years may be easily characterized as one of constant change and expansion. Within this three quarters of a century, classrooms expanded from the original eight to a present tally of twenty-three; the number of graduates has increased from four in the first senior class to the present fifty; and total enrollment has increased immensely.

One of the first dramatic events to demonstrate this occurred in the year 1916. Summitville students and faculty staged a parade on the main street of town carrying signs saying "We want a gym!" This need was further dramatized as SHS made its first appearance in sectional play at Anderson and were ridiculed because they had no athletic facilities. As a result, Summitville High grew to include its very first gym.

About two decades later, the need for further development and favorable public opinion spurred the school board to plan the construction of a new school in the same locality. Actions rapidly replaced plans as the old structure was destroyed and the new one quickly erected.

Shortly after its completion in 1964, Summitville and Fairmount schools joined to form the Madison-Grant United School Corporation. At this time plans are being made and carried through for the new school. Thus, the horizons of SHS are once more expanded to far greater dimensions.



Blueprints depict floor plan for a Madison-Grant high school.







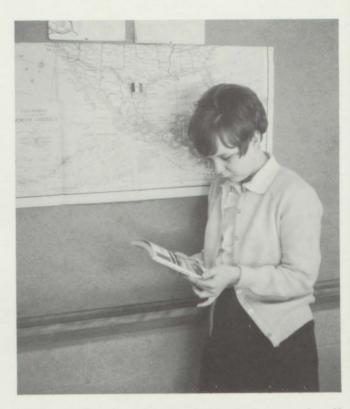
Honors are created to acknowledge the outstanding achievements in all phases of education. These awards involve special people at SHS, like the ones who rated excellent at the Ball State music contests or the outstanding Thespian who has accumulated the most points. The unceasing work and long hours not readily visible to others contribute a large part to the hardearned success, but even these fade into the background when the excelling student is called to receive his award. Somewhat like a song when sung a capella —without accompaniment—the recipient stands alone, away from any company of classmates, his individual talent being recognized.

Academic accomplishments bring renown



A symbol of superiority, the valedictorian trophy reigns as the most coveted award given during graduation.

Talented not only in music but in math too, Roxanne Wable experiments with a new tune on her bass clarinet.



Third year Spanish student, Linda Broyles, prepares herself for a one-month study session in Saltillo, Mexico this summer.



o SHS students



No matter where or when, Tony Abbott and Larry Crump always seem to find time to play jokes on one another.



Learning by participating in mock campaigns was the overall theme when Tim Watson and Christy Melling traveled to Indiana University for Boys' and Girls' State.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY: Seated—Diana Brewer, Gloria Pyle, Barbara Dunlap, Linda Broyles, Christy Melling, Aletha Jones. Standing—Mr. Robert Absher, Connie Cullen, Beverly Merrill, Roxanne Wable, Tony Abbott, Tim Watson, Larry Crump, Mr. Cecil Coleman.

Athletic abilities receive recognition at SHS



Performances of gymnasts, Martha Saubert, Teresa Lee, Connie Cullen, Nan Little, and Jackie Little, varied from a state-wide contest at BSU to the local Spring Demonstration.



Five hours of weekly practice have netted Patsy Ulery twenty-five skating trophies.



With a fastidious group of inspectors looking on, this girl is given the job of sewing additional letters onto the seniors' honor jackets and sweaters.



Victory agent, Tony Abbott, from the secret organization S-H-S inserts data into the ${}^{\prime}69$ victory computer.



Great concern arises over the seriousness of a Quaker bite in the prize winning junior skit,



Seniors Marcie Clark and Mike Hughes pose next to the Goblins' opponent as they reign as Miss Gold and Mr. Black.

Excellence in creative endeavors results in honors



With the advent of spring, Christy Melling and Larry Crump, who placed second and third respectively in the county contest last year, examine the 1969 Medical Essay pamphlets.

QUILL AND SCROLL: Seated — Linda Broyles, Christy Melling, Patty Broyles, Gloria Pyle, Aletha Jones. Standing—Mrs. Patricia Phelps, Larry Crump, Beverly Merrill, Cathy Miller, Miss Rose Slain, Tony Abbott.





Gazette members, Tony Abbott and Patty Broyles, hold a top level conference concerning art work for the paper.



As pictures come in for the yearbook, Christy Melling, Linda Broyles, and Gloria Pyle take time to make a quick inspection.



Proudly displaying her \$50 check, Cathy Miller explains to Melody Hall that she received this in an essay contest sponsored by the Independent Credit Union of Anderson.

Self-expression reaps awards for individuals



Unusual surroundings provide a perfect atmosphere for Aletha Jones to create paintings that place her in the top honors.

THESPIANS: Front row—Dave Loer, Cathy Miller, Gloria Pyle, Mrs. Karen Baker, Barbara Dunlap, Connie Cullen, Alan Muey. Row 2—Martha Saubert, Gerald Elsworth, Mike Hughes, Nan Little, Mary Watts, Terry Small, Elaine Allen, Tony Abbott. Row 3—Patty Broyles, Aletha Jones, Linda Broyles, Melody Hall, Beverly Merrill, Roxanne Wable, Genie Dickerson, Carolyn Silvey, Karen Swaim, Doris Elsworth. Row 4—Virginia Davis, Jean Barnett, Dennis Joyner, John Allen, Larry Crump, Garland Johnson, Steve Rogers, Betty Reding, Kathy Barley. Row 5—Christy Melling, Connie Hannah, Debbie Fisher, Dennis Fields, Teresa Lee, Jeff Stanley, Rod Pattison, Dennis Shelton, Caryl Joyner, Marcie Clark.





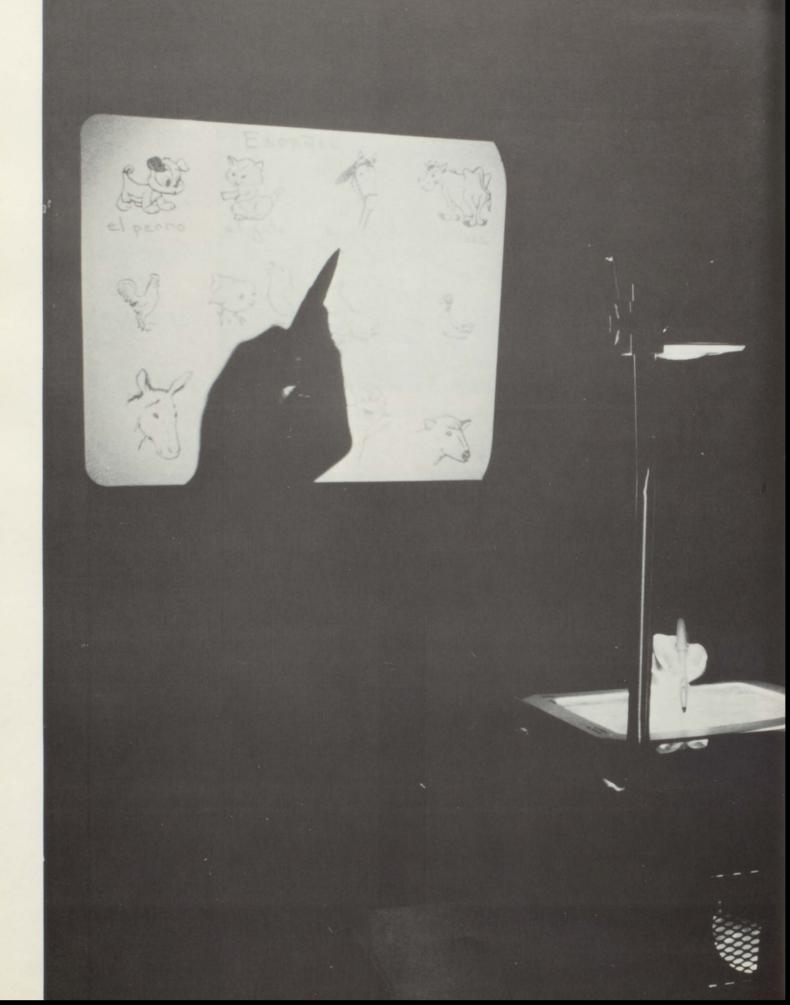
Announcements for music camps prompt memories for Mike Hughes of his trip to IU last summer sponsored by the Psi Iota Xi Sorority.



Reflective to the second secon

Pins display the honor of becoming a Thespian.

The trials and tribulations of informal initiation "weed out" the weak-willed ones.







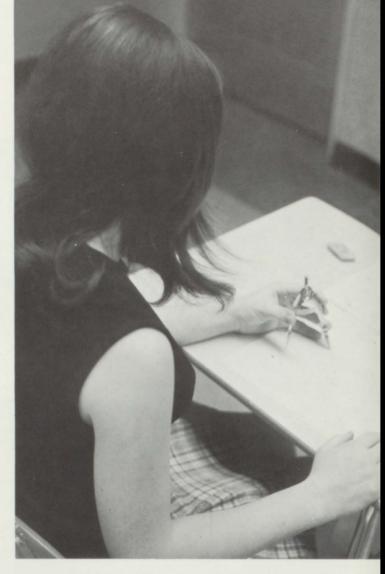
Academics at SHS are the key to educational fulfillment, just as a song's meaning is derived from its various verses. In order to present a comprehensive program, schools must diversify. Thus, in the language arts department this year, newly adopted books challenged students to better comprehension in the field of communication. The staging of a mock Presidential election provided student involvement in current issues. With school not ending in May as former traditions dictated, education was extended to summer courses in driver's education and typing.

Scientific facts evolve from the



Two bisecting lines are parallel to a plane if. . . . It's all very simple, isn't it, Herb?





Drawing pictures in math class is strictly forbidden unless one is using a compass.

By use of the force table, Tony Abbott resolves three separate forces into an equilibriant in physics. Oh, really?

application of mathematical formulas



"Brain, five hearts, gullet, crop, gizzard. . . ." Science students never realized that the tiny earthworm had so many different parts.



"Are you sure that's a maple leaf?" asks Darlene Dunaway as Jeff Hoppes helps her collect leaves for biology.

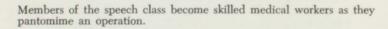


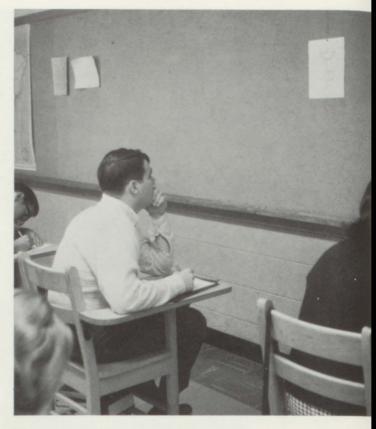
Fire polishing glass is a new experience for chemistry students Julie Jarrett and Debbie Eaton.

Language arts department utilizes



Sophomore English students learn the necessity of note-taking as Mrs. Karen Baker lectures.





Describing the object so someone can draw it proves a bit puzzling for the senior English class.



new textbooks



Spanish III student Linda Broyles retires to the solitude of the hall in order to master the replies to the tape.



Through the use of visual aids, Spanish I students add new words to their vocabulary.

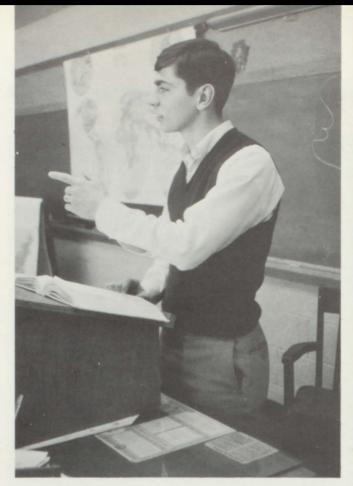


LIBRARIANS: Seated — Shirley Goodman, Laura Smith. Standing — Cindy Butler, Pat Smith, Darlene Davidson, Greg Cochran, Mr. Fred Wood, Linda Chapman, Ruth Hollingsworth, Wanda Norris.

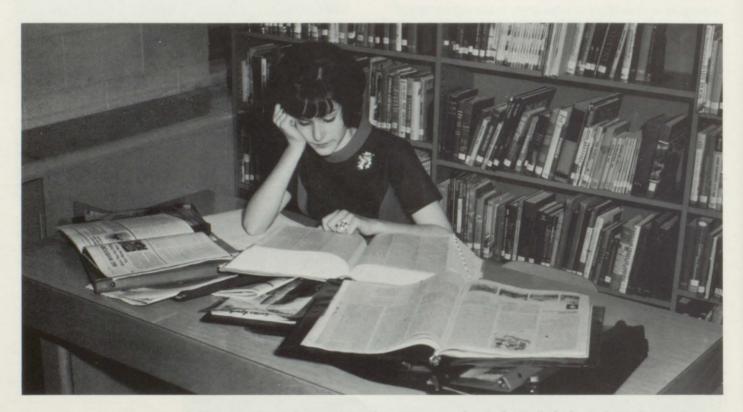
Discussing current events gives world history student, Phil Nash, an opportunity to express his opinion.

Mike Hughes, government student, listens carefully to Mrs. Harold Kilgore's explanation of the procedures used in operating a voting machine.





Mock Presidential election engages



"Somewhere, in one of these books, there is surely something that pertains to the Civil War," thinks Barb Dunlap as she prepares a report for U.S. history.



Making a display for social studies acquaints the fourth grade students with the different aspects of the sea.

students in procedures of government

Students express their understanding of social studies by transferring their knowledge to projects.





Entering the lecture hall, seniors prepare to listen to a panel discussion concerning the use of therapy as treatment for patients at the Veterans Hospital.

Students comprehend adult activities



"Is this what you want?" asks Dave Loer as he hands out tools to students in industrial woods class.

In order to cut wood properly, Mike Fernung finds he needs a knowledge of the grain. $\,$





Who says that "too many cooks spoil the stew"?

through shop and homemaking



Picking up a stitch in her knitting work is a tedious task for Debbie Sappenfield.





Serving coffee at Open House is the job assigned to home economics student Enola Larkin.

Business course includes typing in summer program



Typing I students Teresa Hill, Cathy Lintz, and Marcia Crouch discuss their teams' progress in the race for accuracy.



All that paper, yet Roxanne Wable, Julie Jarrett, and the adding machine are still stumped on the bookkeeping problem.



Students not only enjoy summer typing under Miss Rose Slain's supervision but also the breaks which accompany it.

Art exhibits illustrate student efforts



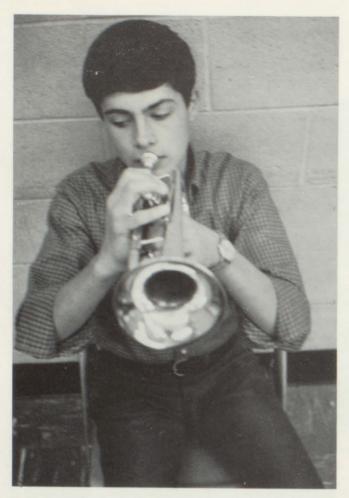
To produce the desired effect Debbie Blalock learns to blend colors properly.





Art students, Charles Potter and Mike Fields, try all positions to capture the right angle.

Aletha Jones and Anne Hunter admire the paintings at the Anderson Fine Arts Center where they both have exhibits.



Steve Hoppes learns that the trumpet produces loud, blaring sounds as well as soft, serene music.



CHOIR: Front row—Gloria Pyle, Linda Broyles, Barbara Reding, Betty Reding, Julie Jarrett, Paul Roberts, Terry Small, John Allen, Charles Cox, Randy Street, Mike Hughes, Genie Dickerson, Gail Ewing, Debbie Fisher, Rebecca Staggs, Joy Wilson. Row 2—Judy Meyer, Teresa Piercy, Carol Mahoney, Marcie Clark, Jan Holland, Connie Cullen, Cathy Miller, Nan Little, Beverly Merrill, Steve Rogers, Garland Johnson, Richard King, Debbie Sears, Rita Wilson, Melody Hall, Carolyn Silvey, Cathy Randol, Barbara Buroker, Barbara Craib. Row 3—Marilyn

Candy sales add

BAND: Front row—Mike Retherford, Carla Joyner, Debbie Eaton, Teresa Hill, Patsy Ulery, Caryl Joyner, Steve Rogers. Row 2—Charles Fruitt, Doris Elsworth, Marcia Crouch, Herbert Hasty, Greg Cochran, Diana Brewer, Dale Moore. Row 3—Dennis Joyner, Roxanne Wable, Emily Miller, Debbie Sears, Charles Grimme, Michael Jessie, Phil Nash. Row 4—Mr. Thomas Baker, John Allen, Mike Hughes, Gregory Fox, Jeff Stanley, Robert Dailey, Steve Hoppes, Steve Du-Pouy.





Blair, Lynn Bear, Gail Reding, Diana Dickerson, Gwen Reding, Patty Broyles, Roxanne Wable, Paula Clark, Dennis Shelton, Charles Little, Emily Miller, Dennis Joyner, Jackie Little, Doris Elsworth, Rhonda Idlewine, Teresa Lee, Patty Hart, Alice Appel, Carla Joyner. Row 4—Mr. Thomas Baker, Peggy Barnhart, Christy Melling, Elaine Allen, Diantha Hull, Anne Hunter, Carol Coleman, Cathy Lintz, Karen Swaim, Rodney Pattison, Alan Muey, Irene Davidson, Cathy Taylor, Anita Brewer, Caryl Joyner, Gayle Ice, Mary Watts, Debra Craib, Connie Ballard.



With the wave of his baton, Mr. Donald Lamb starts band practice for the Christmas program.

equipment to music department



Candy sales officially open as Debbie Fisher distributes boxes to Paula Clark in choir class.

Sporting activities introduce soccer



All is quiet as Rhonda Idlewine aims carefully at the basket.



Irene Davidson discovers that different positions yield various types of basketball shots.

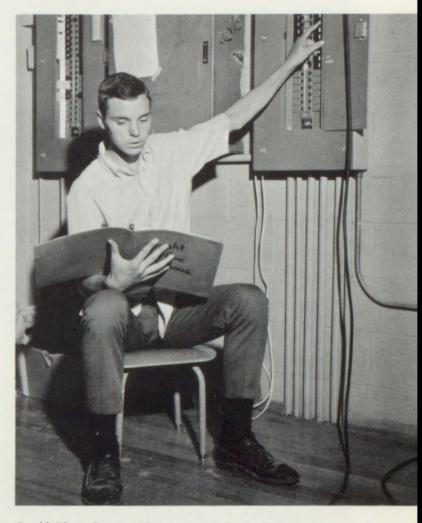


The ninth grade boys are hoping that the rope doesn't break.

Combining physical strength, knowledge from books, and advice from Mr. James Stone, Barb Dunlap succeeds in changing a tire in the summer driver's education course.



Assorted courses round out academic curriculum for SHS



Gerald Elsworth earns Thespian points by working the stage lights during the senior play.

Taking blood pressure provides an educational variation in health class for Jean Barnett and Cathy Taylor.







Activities establish the pulse of school life, as the chorus of a song keeps everyone singing. Since students stay busy studying, eating, and sleeping, one might think that club participation would be hampered. However, the cheerblock performed precisely with the exception of an occasional black card appearing in a field of gold. Also, money raised by the majorettes brought new outfits to ballgame half-times. Though Baker's Dozen lost its creator, television appearances, special billings, and constant rehearsals occupied singers' evenings. Although SHS'ers found free moments scarce, it is quite evident that they made time for participation.

GAA and cheerblock stir enthusiasm of competitive girls



Precision is the key to success for cheerblock card section.



CHEERBLOCK: Front row—Elaine Allen, Carol Mahoney, Christy Massey, Christy Melling, Patty Broyles, Marcie Clark, Cathy Miller, Carolyn Silvey, Karen Swaim, Mary Watts, Peggy Barnhart, Doris Elsworth. Row 2—Debbie Fisher, Barbara Dunlap, Anne Hunter, Aletha Jones, Melody Hall, Linda Broyles, Connie Hannah, Beverly Merrill, Virginia Davis, Malinda DeLong, Reta Byrd, Diana Brewer. Row 3—John Allen, Barbara Craib, Laura Smith, Pat Smith, Julie Jarrett, Darlene Davidson, Jean Barnett, Barbara Buroker, Cathy Lintz, Judy Meyer, Sue Swegman, Jackie Little, Debbie Eaton, Martha Saubert. Row 4—Dennis Joyner, Kathy Barley, Lynn Bear, Diantha Hull, Anita Brewer, Connie Ballard, Debbie Craib, Janet Saunders, Becky Staggs, Joy Wilson, Rita Wilson,

Donna Bright, Debbie Sears, Caryl Joyner. Row 5—Phil Nash, Teresa Lee, Rita Overdorf, LuAnn Smith, Debbie Stamper, Marilyn Blair, Linda Craib, Doris Gibson, Deborah Morris, Renee Snelling, Keithana Elsworth, Dixie Carpenter, Teresa Hill, Connie Cullen. Row 6—Mrs. Karen Baker, Rhonda Idlewine, Emily Allen, Kathy Armstrong, Vicki Bright, Connie Burton, Pennie Jeffries, Diana Gibson, Debra Sappenfield, Debbie Shelton, Beth Stone, Anita Vetor, Carla Joyner, Nan Little. Row 7—Bob Dailey, Mike Retherford, Bonnie Simpson, Debbie Blalock, Gail Ewing, Patty Hart, Paula Clark, Mary Isenburg, Melody Webb, Jeri Craib, Greg Cochran, Steve Du-Pouy.



GAA: Front row-Elaine Allen, Cathy Melling, Christy Miller, Martha Melody Hall. Saubert. Connie Dunlap, Barbara Mary Meyers Mary Lou Hannah, -Mrs. Row McFarren, Linda Broyles, Swaim, Karen Carolyn Beverly .Wable, Silvey, Merrill, Roxanne Patsy Ulery, Cathy Lintz, Barley. Row 3-Kathy -Laura Smith, Melody Webb, Emily Miller, Anne Hunter, Diana Miller, Anne Hunter, Diana Brewer, Debbie Eaton, Caryl Joyner, Julie Jarrett, Mary Watts. Row 4—Jackie Little, Debbie Blalock, Paula Clark, Debbie Stamper, Patty Hart, Connie Ballard, Jeri Craib, Janet Saunders, Pat Smith. Row 5—Barbara Craib, Deborah Wable, Debbie Craib, Diantha Hull, Barbara Miller, Doris Elsworth, Darline Dunaway, Nan Little, Patty Broyles, Marcie Clark. Row 6—Connie Cullen, Teresa Lee, Bonnie Simpson, Gail Lee, Bonnie Simpson, Gail Ewing, Peggy Barnhart, Gayle Ice, Sandy Wilson, Cathy Randol, Kathy Wilson, Betty Reding, Virginia Betty Reding, Davis, Debbie Sears.



Anne Hunter, a faithful GAA bowler, lugs her ball home.

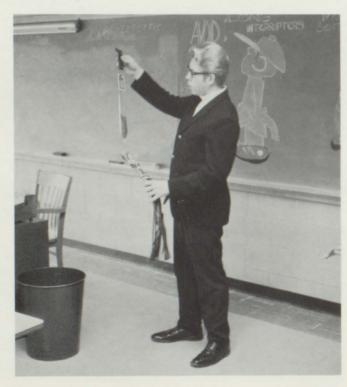


Why it's Ben Franklin, Tom Jefferson, Alex Hamilton, and John Hancock working hard on the GAA constitution!

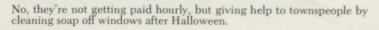
Members expand Spanish Club schedule

SPANISH CLUB: Front row—Larry Crump, Mike Hughes, Carolyn Silvey, Gloria Pyle, Aletha Jones, Linda Broyles, Mrs. Patricia Phelps. Row 2—Beverly Merrill, Christy Melling, Karen Swaim, Steve Rogers, Debbie Eaton, Mary Watts, Cathy Miller, Gary Thomas. Row 3—Garland Johnson, Tony Abbott, Roxanne Wable, Melody Hall, Diana Brewer, Anne Hunter, Barbara Buroker, Doug Hull. Row 4—Barbara Craib, Laura Smith, Melody Webb, Genie Dickerson, Steve DuPouy, Emily Miller, Darlene Davidson, Barbara Dunlap, Caryl Joyner, Julie Jarrett, Kathy Barley.





Special Spanish Club speaker gets the attention of all members —or else!





Fantasy challenges Drama Club members



Wanda Norris and Jean Barnett vary hemlines according to the setting of a production.

Headliners in the Christmas play, "Just What They Wanted," consist of members of the speech class.





DRAMA CLUB: Front row—Mary Watts, Julie Jarrett, Judy Meyer, Teresa Lee, Dennis Fields, Mike Hughes, Mrs. Karen Baker, Gloria Pyle, Mary Meyer, Jim Vetor, Kathy Barley, Barbara Craib, Caryl Joyner. Row 2—Connie Hannah, Christy Melling, Peggy Barnhart, Debbie Fisher, Genie Dickerson, Diana Dickerson, Barbara Reding, Marcia Crouch, Carol Mahoney, Christy Massey, Carolyn Silvey, Marcie Clark, Martha Saubert, Rhonda Idlewine. Row 3—Linda Broyles, Melody Hall, Patty Broyles, Barbara Dunlap, Beverly Merrill, Emily Miller,

Roxanne Wable, Terry Small, Richard King, Tony Abbott, Cathy Miller, Darlene Davidson, Debbie Eaton, Cathy Lintz. Row 4—Virginia Davis, Jean Barnett, Dennis Joyner, John Allen, Larry Crump, Garland Johnson, Steve Rogers, Jeff Stanley, Alan Muey, Steve DuPouy, Diana Brewer, Doris Elsworth. Row 5—Jackie Little, Nan Little, Aletha Jones, Connie Cullen, Mitch Mason, Tim Beckley, Dave Loer, Rodney Pattison, Gerald Elsworth, Steve Street, Dennis Shelton, Elaine Allen, Betty Reding, Karen Swaim.

Majorettes and Baker's Dozen take on a new look



Patty Hart, feature twirler, executes intricate patterns with a lighted baton.



The masculine members of the Baker's Dozen assemble for an informal rehearsal.



MAJORETTES: Head Majorette—Elaine Allen. Row 2—Barbara Craib, Kathy Barley, Debbie Fisher, Rhonda Idlewine, Teresa Lee.



No, it's not a female barber shop quartet, just the Baker's Dozen girls rehearsing for special appearances.



DANCE COMBO: Front row—Mike Hughes, Steve Rogers. Row 2—Dennis Joyner, Mike Jessie, Jeff Stanley, Garland Johnson, Roxanne Wable.



TWIRLERS: Front row—Mary Isenburg, Barbara Craib, Kathy Barley, Debbie Fisher, Elaine Allen, Rhonda Idlewine, Teresa Lee, Patty Hart. Row 2—Bonnie Simpson, Doris Elsworth, Anne

Neese, Teresa Hill, Paula Clark, Debbie Sears, Gail Ewing, Debbie Blalock, Linda Simpson, Melody Webb, Jeri Craib.

Gloria Pyle and Linda Broyles become well-acquainted with the rambling red pen of Mrs. Patricia Phelps, advisor.

Publication staffs



Cropping is a frequent problem brought to Miss Rose Slain, advisor, by Christy Melling and Alan Muey.



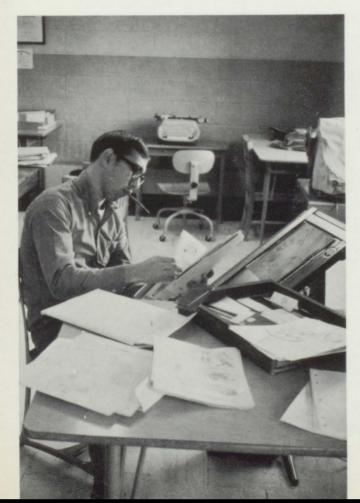
Editor Larry Crump illustrates layout fundamentals to Aletha Jones and Beverly Merrill.

strive for uniqueness



GAZETTE STAFF: Front row—Christy Melling, Barbara Dunlap, Debbie Eaton, Jeff Cochran, Mrs. Patricia Phelps. Row 2—Patty Broyles, Tony Abbott, Cathy Miller, Melody

Hall, Alan Muey, Genie Dickerson, Diana Brewer, Miss Rose Slain.



Christy Melling, editor, passes out weekly gazette assignments to fellow workers.

No, it's not a cigar, just the creative pen of Tony Abbott, who traces art designs.

4-H'ers vie for local and county

honors

One last beautifying flare by Jeff Jones helps Mike Fernung's steer to first place in the county.



County demonstrations for 4-H furnish Sue Wilson with tips on public speaking.



4-H: Front row—Joy Eaton, Tamara Cochran, Gail Matney, Lori Smith, Melinda Seybert, Brenda Craib, Tonya Fox, Karen Craib, Tammy Bailey, Gayle Craib. Row 2—Jennie Jackson, Linda Craib, Judith Hull, Lana Ewing, Loretta Joyner, Anita Dickerson, Rhonda Fields, Roxanne Williams, Cynthia Seybert. Row 3—Bill Morgan, Bruce Hoppes, Timothy Retherford, Robby Anderson, Steve Retherford, Anita Vetor, Debbie Shelton, Beth Stone, Barbara Buroker, Debbie Craib. Row 4—Mike Retherford, Mike Potter, Jack Owens, Doug DuPouy, Rob Hunter, Pat Smith, Genie Dickerson, Diana Dickerson, Anne Hunter, Barbara Craib. Row 5—Dixann Nash, Mary Isenburg, Steve DuPouy, Gloria Pyle, Aletha Jones, Karen Swaim, Patty Broyles, Rod Pattison, Cathy Miller, Chuck Grimme.



STUDENT COUNCIL: Front row—Linda Broyles, Tony Abbott, Alan Muey, Gerald Elsworth, Randy Street, Mary Ann Hiatt, Malinda DeLong. Row 2—Mr. Cecil Coleman, Jeff

Hoppes, Gloria Pyle, Mary Watts, Aletha Jones, Diana Brewer, Beverly Merrill, Cathy Miller, Christy Melling, Mike Hughes, Jeff Cochran.

FTA instructs; Student Council enacts



Cadet teacher, Cathy Miller, finds contact with youngsters a fulfilling part of FTA.

Student Council members deck the school in holiday fashion.







Sports tempo echoed throughout the halls of SHS, varying from the crack of a bat to the pulsating rhythm of a basketball being dribbled down the gym floor. The 1969 year marked the close of Summitville's participation in athletics as a single school; however, its teams fought with the traditional spirit of SHS. During the hot summer afternoons, the baseball team would gather for a tiring, but rewarding practice. Also in track and cross country, the determination to compete was evident as the sportsmen would assemble despite the inclement weather. In November as basketball season arrived, the muscular and mental exertion of all participants was strongly evident and grew stronger as the season progressed. All of these qualities joined to strengthen the final beat of sports at SHS.

Track generates competitive spirit



Exerting all of his strength, Mike Waller gains the extra inches needed to clear the hurdles.

VARSITY TRACK

Won 0-Lost 4

Summitville	22,	Elwood 45, Frankton 80
Summitville	37,	Markleville 81
Summitville	29,	Shenandoah 89
Summitville	50,	Windfall 68



With leg muscles tense, Gerald Elsworth makes a strong bid for the blue ribbon.



In order to increase his distance, Steve Street tries to create a high arc on the initial jump.

After the race, Coach Everett Webb gives Steve Swegman and Jeff Stanley their times.





VARSITY TRACK: Front row—Bruce Broyles, Steve Lee, Charles Massey, Dave Loer, Mike Silvey, Charles Little, Doug Hull. Row 2—Jeff Stanley, Melvin Matchett, Gary Thomas, Tom Hiatt, Lee Hollingsworth, Garland Johnson. Row 3—Coach Everett Webb, Gerald Elsworth, Mike Waller, Steve Street, Rod Pattison, Dennis Shelton, Alan Muey, Terry Small.

SHS makes debut in sectional play at Taylor University

VARSITY BASEBALL

Won 1-Lost 16

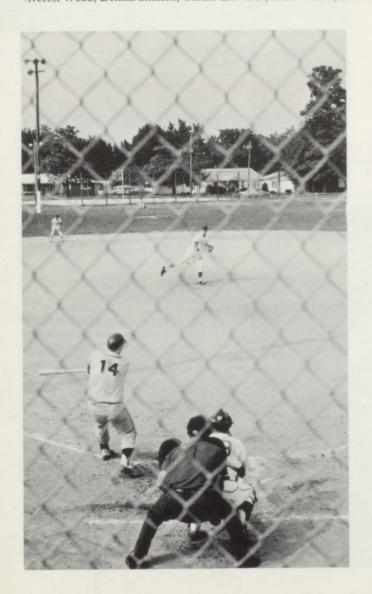
Summitville	3,	Lapel	12
Summitville	5,	Markleville	20
Summitville	1,	Yorktown	6
Summitville	0,	Yorktown	10
Summitville	0,	Highland	7
Summitville	5,	Highland	11
Summitville	4,	Mt. Vernon	12
Summitville	0,	Mt. Vernon	8
Summitville	5,	Frankton	9
Summitville	7,	Frankton	12
Summitville	3,	Shenandoah	13
Summitville	1,	Lapel	11
Summitville	16,	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *	13
Summitville	0,	Pendleton	3
Summitville	2,		3
Summitville	1.	Shenandoah	9

A quick side step and a short run forward put third baseman, Gary Barnhart, in good position to stop the ball.





Baseball: Front row—Larry Crump, Dave Loer, Gary Barnhart, Terry Small, Charles Massey, Phil Nash, Greg Cochran. Row 2—Coach Everett Webb, Dennis Shelton, Gerald Elsworth, Mike Waller, Steve Street, Gary Thomas, Doug Hull, Coach James Kurtz.





A level, but forceful swing proves essential in this solid connection by Mike Waller.

Pulling his hit into left field, Dennis Shelton attempts to add another home run to his record.

Cross country and football

VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY

		Won 0—Lost	8		
Summitville	50,	Yorktown	40,	Wes-Del	36
Summitville	35,	Alexandria	21		
Summitville	40,	Frankton	15		
Summitville	61,	Markleville	61,	Highland	15
Summitville	32,	Mt. Vernon	27		
Summitville	48,	Fairmount	15		
Summitville	35,	Windfall	23		
Summitville	49,	Lapel	15		



Dave Loer and Steve Lee discuss the grueling two-mile run they have just finished.

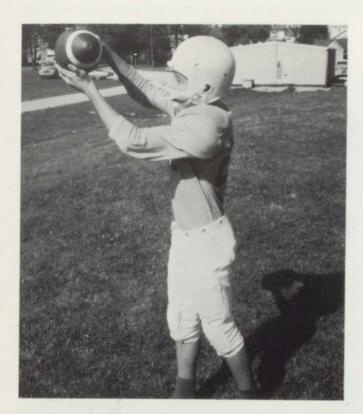
CROSS COUNTRY: Front row—Steve Lee, Charles Massey, Dave Loer, Mike Silvey, Charlie Little. Row 2—Tim Watson, Bruce Broyles, Melvin Matchett, Gary Thomas, Tom Hiatt, Lee Hollingsworth, Terry Small. Row 3—Mr. James Stone, Gerald Elsworth, Mike Waller, Steve Street, Rod Pattison, Dennis Shelton, Alan Muey.



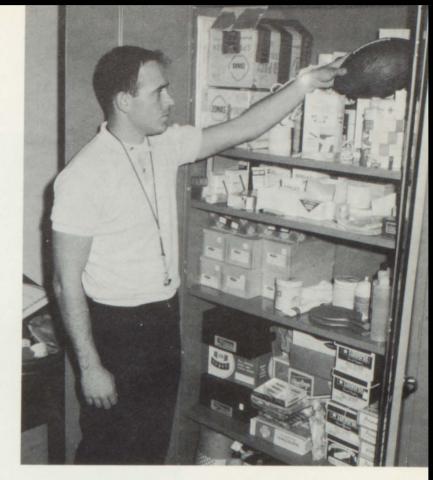
develop stamina



Proper positioning of the head and shoulders in a well-executed tackle is demonstrated by Victor Dean and Marvin Saubert.



Stretching and reaching high, Ron Small shows the form he used playing the flanker position on the MG team.



Coach David Strasemeier brings the football out of storage in preparation for first practices.

JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL

	Eighth	Grade	
	Won 3-	-Lost 2	
Madison-Grant	7,	Hamilton Heights	12
Madison-Grant	0,	Alexandria	13
Madison-Grant	34,	Pendleton	0
Madison-Grant	49,	Delta	6
Madison-Grant	29,	Mississinewa	13
	Seventh	Grade	
	Won 3-	-Lost 0	
Madison-Grant	21,	Delta	0
Madison-Grant	21,	Mississinewa	0
Madison-Grant	14,	Alexandria	0

Cheerleaders aid in reorganization of SHS cheerblock



An unexpected turnover causes Caryl Joyner to change her thoughts from joy to concern.



VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: Caryl Joyner. Standing-Nan Little, Martha Saubert, Connie Cullen.



B-TEAM CHEERLEADERS: Mary Watts, Carol Mahoney, Peggy Barnhart, Chris Massey.



JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS: Mary Hiatt, Linda Craib, Nancy Smith.



Noon hour finds Mrs. Karen Baker and Carol Mahoney surveying the awards chart for cheerblock members' weekly totals.



SEVENTH GRADE TEAM: Kneeling—Victor Dean, Timothy Retherford, Troy Ballard, Billy Larkin. Standing—Robbie Hunter, David Ladd, Chris Joyner, Steven Randol, Ronnie Byrd, Marvin Saubert, Mr. James Kurtz.

Development of new talents begins in

	SEV	ENTH			EIC	CHTH	
Won 7—Lost 6			Won 9—Lost 5				
Summitville	17,	Wes-Del	26	Summitville	33,	Wes-Del	37
Summitville	38,	Fairmount	32	Summitville	30,	Fairmount	31
Summitville	34,	St. Mary's, Alex.	9	Summitville	32,	St. Mary's, Alex.	26
Summitville	37,	Windfall	17	Summitville	56,	Windfall	24
Summitville	50,	Frankton	37	Summitville	43,	Frankton	26
Summitville	18,	St. Mary's, And.	43	Summitville	51,	St. Mary's, And.	59
Summitville	42,	St. Mary's, Alex.	18	Summitville	49,	St. Mary's, Alex.	36
Summitville	24,	Wes-Del	36	Summitville	49,	Wes-Del	42
Summitville	33,	Windfall	26	Summitville	69,	Windfall	29
Summitville	24,	Fairmount	45	Summitville	41,	Markleville	20
Summitville	23,	Lapel	30	Summitville	41,	Fairmount	51
Summitville	31,	Mississinewa East	34	Summitville	42,	Lapel	40
Summitville	28,	J. C. Knight	24	Summitville	28,	Marion Bennett	33
				Summitville	51,	Eastbrook	36



After making the first of a two-shot series, Larry Kurtz concentrates on making the second.



By direct observation from the sidelines, Coach James Kurtz mentally develops a new offensive strategy.

junior high years



EIGHTH GRADE TEAM: Kneeling—Dennis Eaton, Wayne Parks, Jeff Cox, Reginald Watson, Victor Dean. Standing—Tony Larkin, Dennis Hollingsworth, Ron Small, Jeffrey Cochran, Larry Kurtz, Ron Hiatt, Duane Elsworth, Marvin Saubert, Mr. David Strasemeier.

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Melvin Matchett and Tom Hiatt prepare to step into either offensive or defensive position as the tip-off opens the game.

Season offers



With team members and two opponents looking on from the background, Gary Thomas tries to regain control of a loose ball.



Spooks listen attentively to Coach Webb as he goes over the strategic changes for the second quarter.

Spooks hint of future varsity competition



B-TEAM: Kneeling—Lee Hollingsworth, Mr. Everett Webb, Bruce Broyles. Standing—Jim Vetor, Charlie Little, Melvin Matchett, Gary Thomas, Tom Hiatt, Mike Silvey, Steve Hoppes.

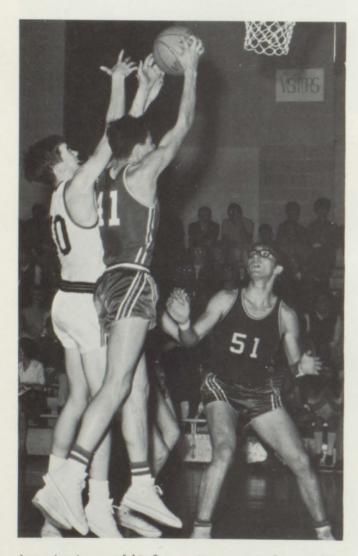


B-TEAM BASKETBALL

Won 6—Lost 11						
Summitville	30,	Windfall	26			
Summitville	32,	Yorktown	36			
Summitville	49,	Redkey	52			
Summitville	40,	Dunkirk	36			
Summitville	26,	Mt. Vernon	27			
Summitville	40,	Eastbrook	35			
Summitville	37,	Highland	56			
Summitville	33,	Sharpsville	31			
Summitville	33,	Frankton	47			
Summitville	20,	Pendleton	37			
Summitville	33,	Taylor	49			
Summitville	38,	Fairmount	33			
Summitville	42,	Daleville	49			
Summitville	41,	Lapel	52			
Summitville	30,	Wes-Del	45			
Summitville	44,	Markleville	39			
Summitville	39,	Shenandoah	43			

After side-stepping his opponent and surging forward, Charlie Little gains easy access to the goal and two more points.

Coach and managers form other half of Goblin squad



Appearing in one of his first varsity games, sophomore Gary Thomas gains invaluable experience for his future action on the hardwood.

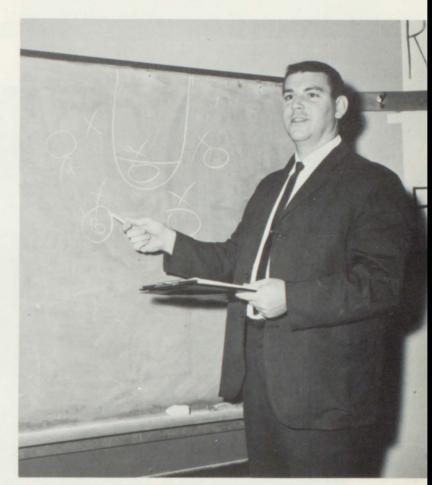


From a strong coaching and a managing staff comes this result: a smooth running machine composed of five well-tuned, equal parts.



Preparing the totals of an evening of mixed scrimmages, Tony Abbott, Steve Hoppes, and Jim Vetor make a final check for errors.





Coach Everett Webb demonstrates how to break a trouble-some man-to-man defense at half time.



While the teams run the "Big D," managers Tim Watson, Terry Small, and Tony Abbott prepare some cold refreshments.

Goblins end final season as SHS team



VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM: Kneeling—Tony Abbott, Dave Loer, Dennis Shelton, Alan Muey, Charlie Massey, Tim Watson. Standing—Coach Everett Webb, Tom Hiatt, Gerald Elsworth, Steve Street, Mike Waller, Rod Pattison, Gary Thomas, Terry Small.

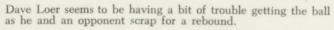
A solid wall of white jerseys can be seen as the Goblins have excellent position under the basket.



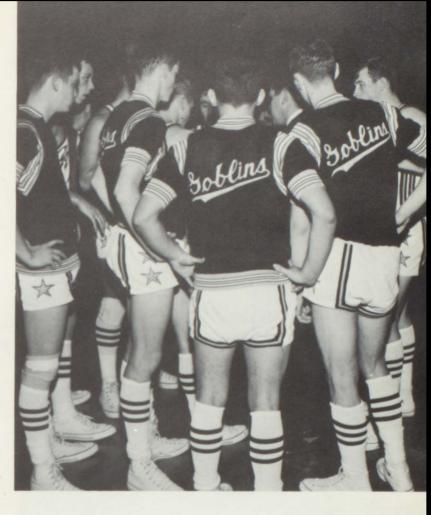
VARSITY BASKETBALL

Won 10-	—Lost 8	
81,	Windfall	59
63,	Yorktown	66
79,	Redkey	67
60,	Dunkirk	48
70,	Mt. Vernon	74
56,	Eastbrook	77
66,	Highland	75
67,	Sharpsville	75
75,	Frankton	73
50,	Pendleton	43
65,	Taylor	73
78,	Fairmount	77
61,	Daleville	59
62,	Lapel	75
74,	Wes-Del	66
74,	Markleville	63
72,	Shenandoah	62
	81, 63, 79, 60, 70, 56, 66, 67, 75, 50, 65, 78, 61, 62, 74,	63, Yorktown 79, Redkey 60, Dunkirk 70, Mt. Vernon 56, Eastbrook 66, Highland 67, Sharpsville 75, Frankton 50, Pendleton 65, Taylor 78, Fairmount 61, Daleville 62, Lapel 74, Wes-Del 74, Markleville

All eyes and ears are on Coach Webb as hasty instructions, criticisms, and compliments are given during time-outs.





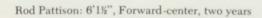


During a pause in the action, Coach Webb gives Mike Waller some timely instructions.



Seniors trade Goblin suits for caps and gowns

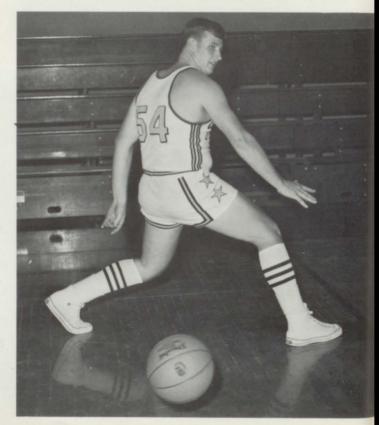
Steve Street: 6'3", Forward, one year





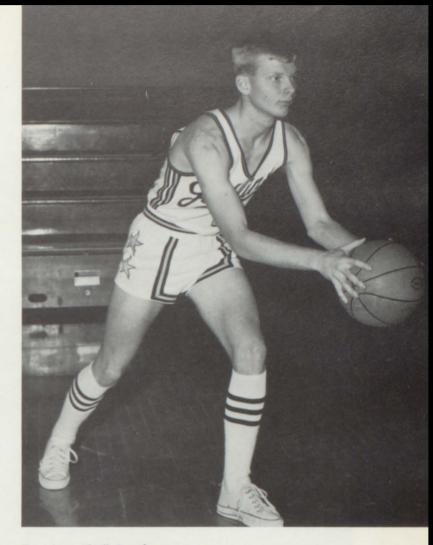


Dennis Shelton: 5'11¼", Guard-forward, three years





Alan Muey: 6'%", Guard-forward, one year



Dave Loer: 5'10", Guard, one year



Pregame bull sessions occur regularly between Coach Everett Webb and players in the Goblin dressing room.







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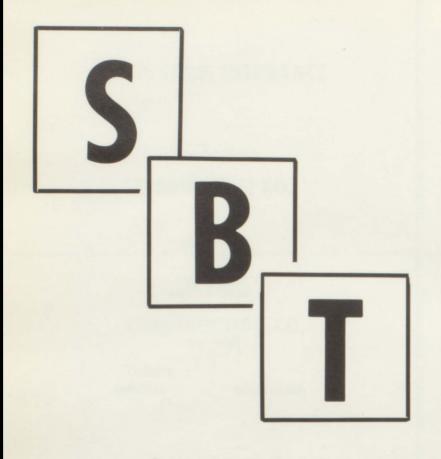
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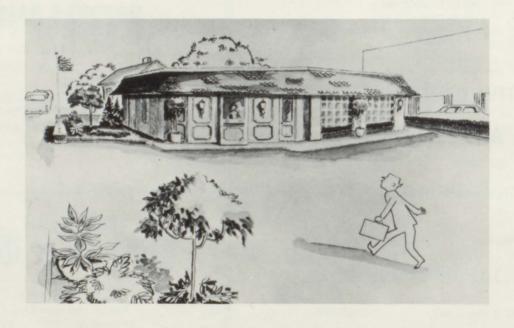
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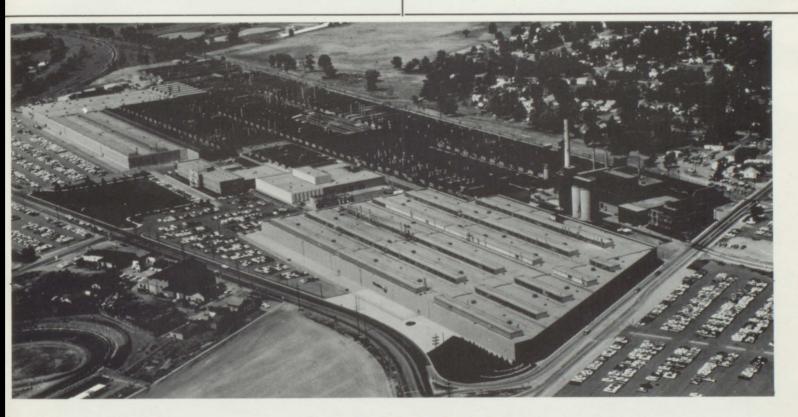
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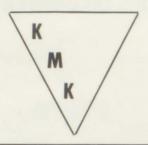
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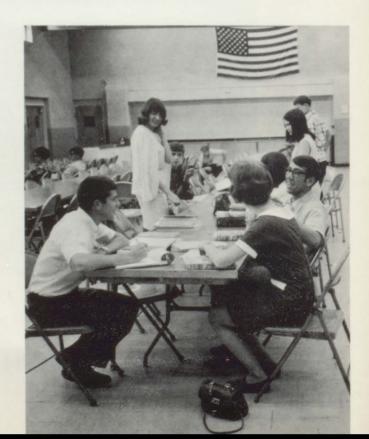
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