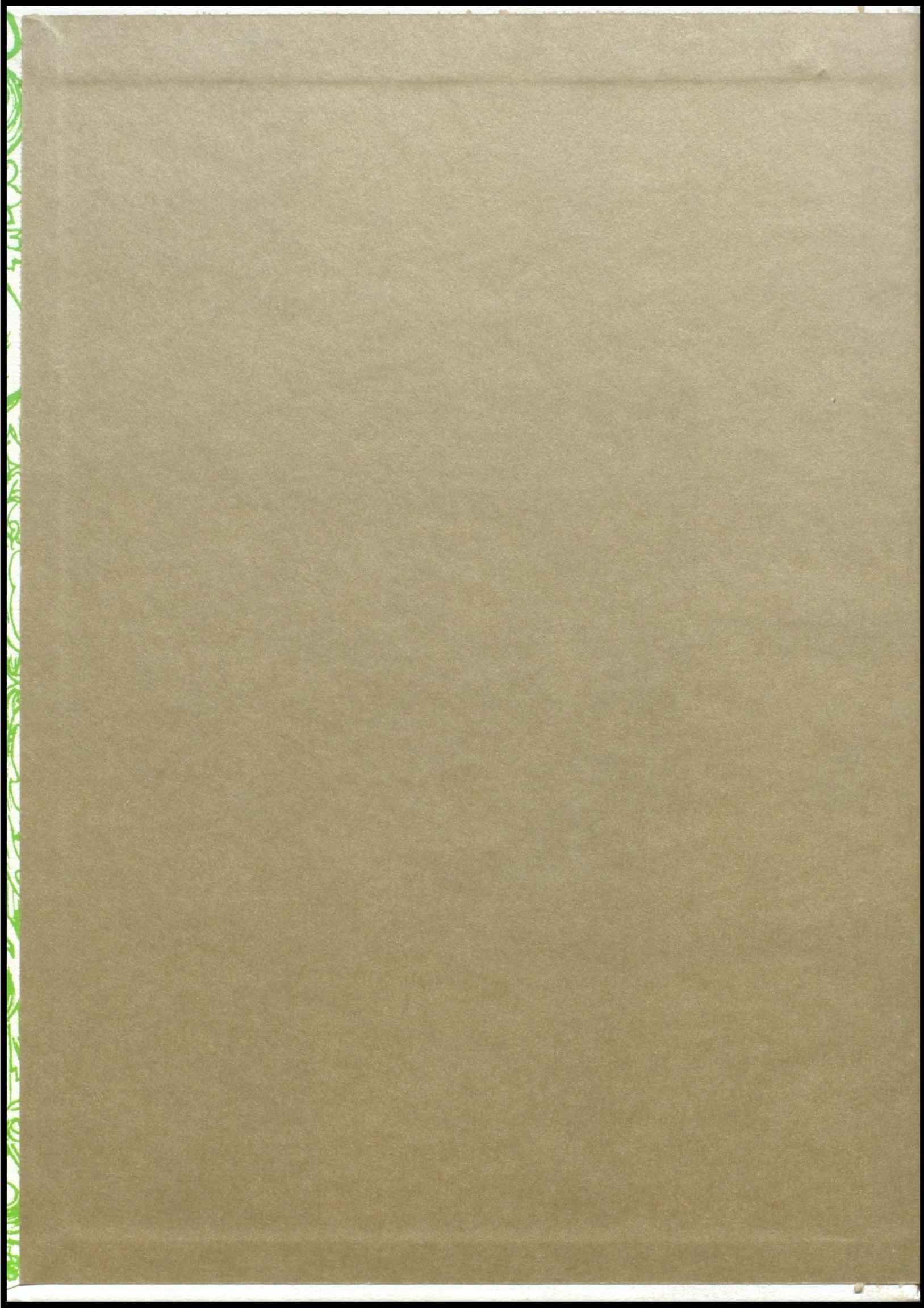


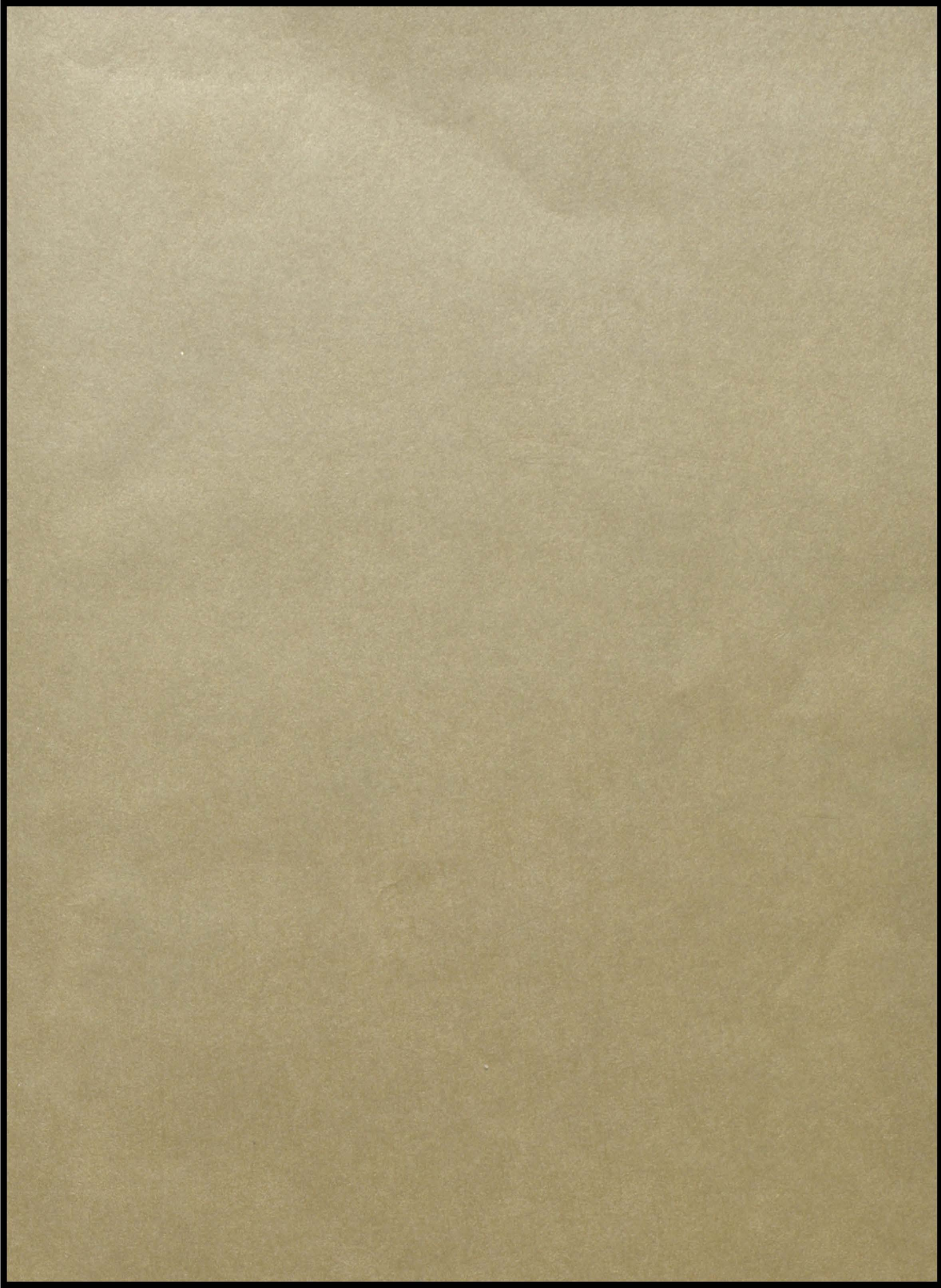


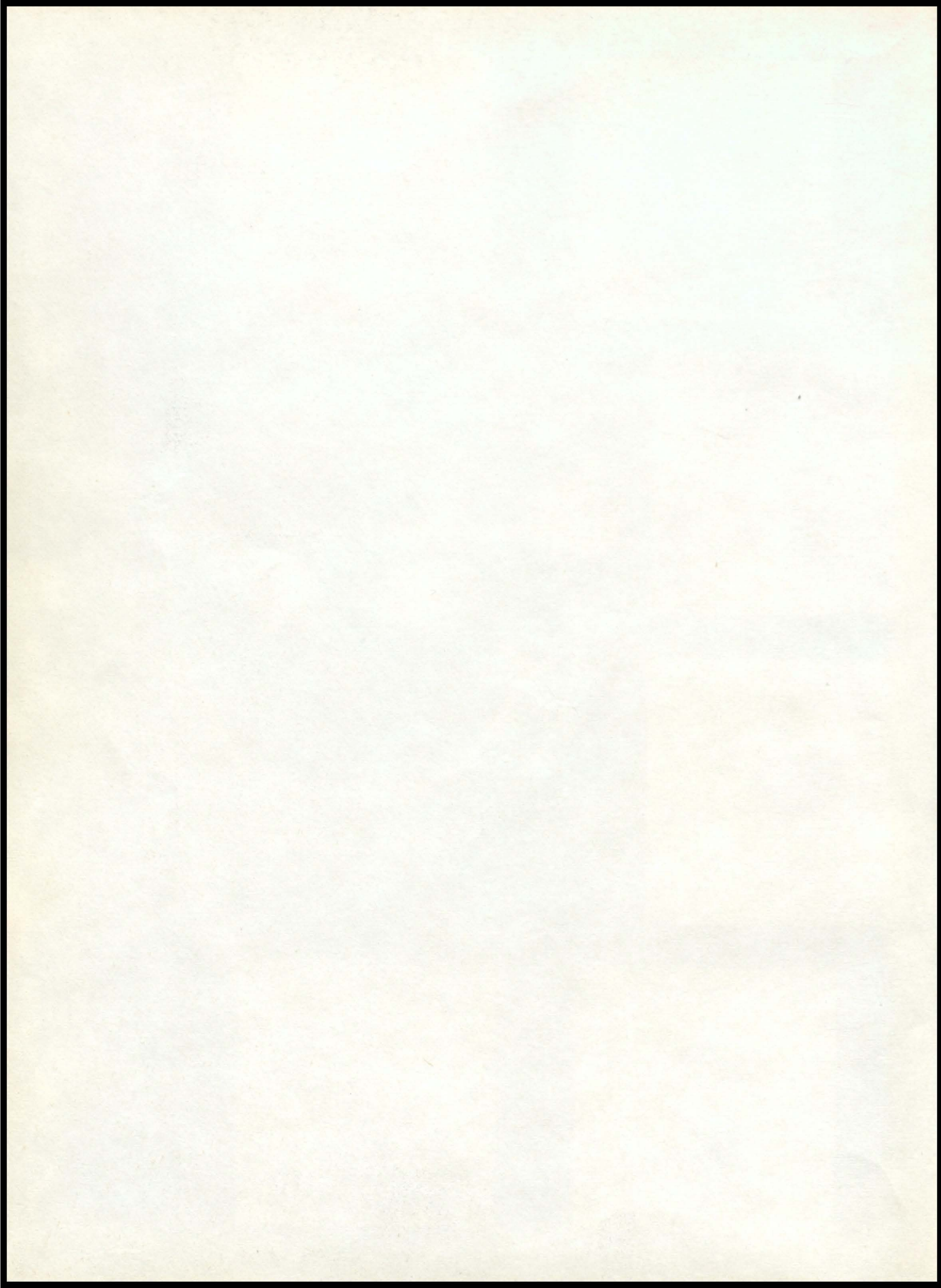
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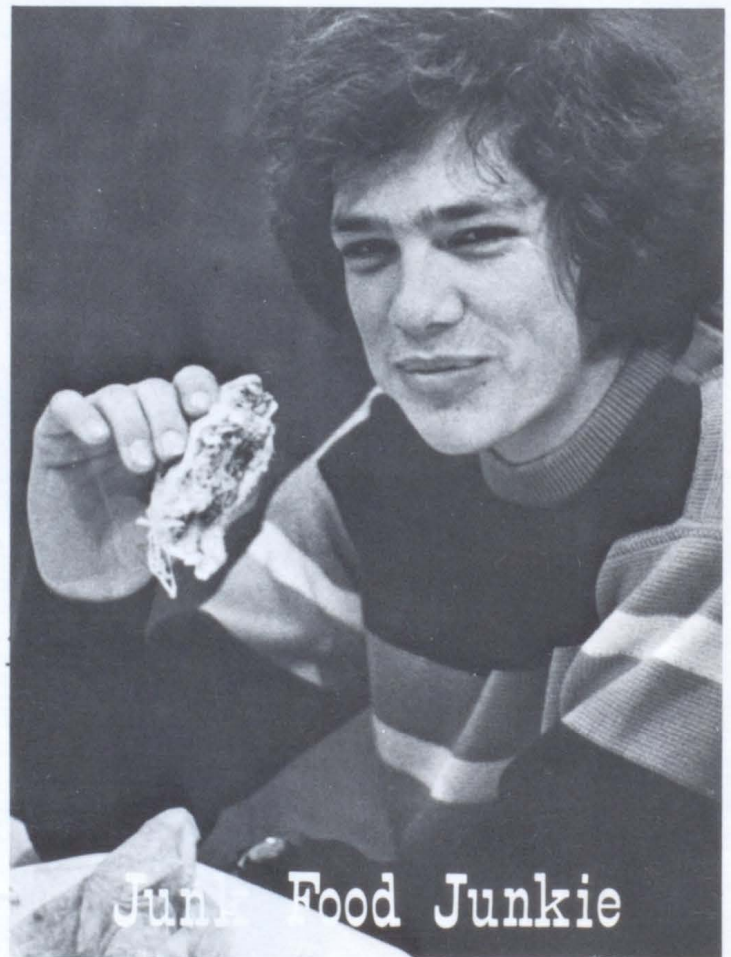
A black and white photograph of a large number of vinyl records and cassette tapes scattered across a light-colored, speckled surface. The records are the primary focus, with their central labels and grooves visible. Some labels are partially obscured or faded. The lighting creates soft shadows, highlighting the texture of the vinyl and the plastic of the cassettes.

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SCOTUS
central
1976

Jive Talkin'



All By Myself



Junk Food Junkie

Rhinestone Cowboy

Why Can't We Be Friends?



The Way We Were



Alone Again Naturally

SIDE ONE

- Homecoming 0:06
- Assemblies 0:10
- Sweetheart 0:12
- Boy and Girl State 0:16
- County Govt. Day 0:17
- Classrooms 0:18
- Senior Day 0:21
- Honors Day 0:22
- Prom 0:24
- Athletic Banquet 0:26
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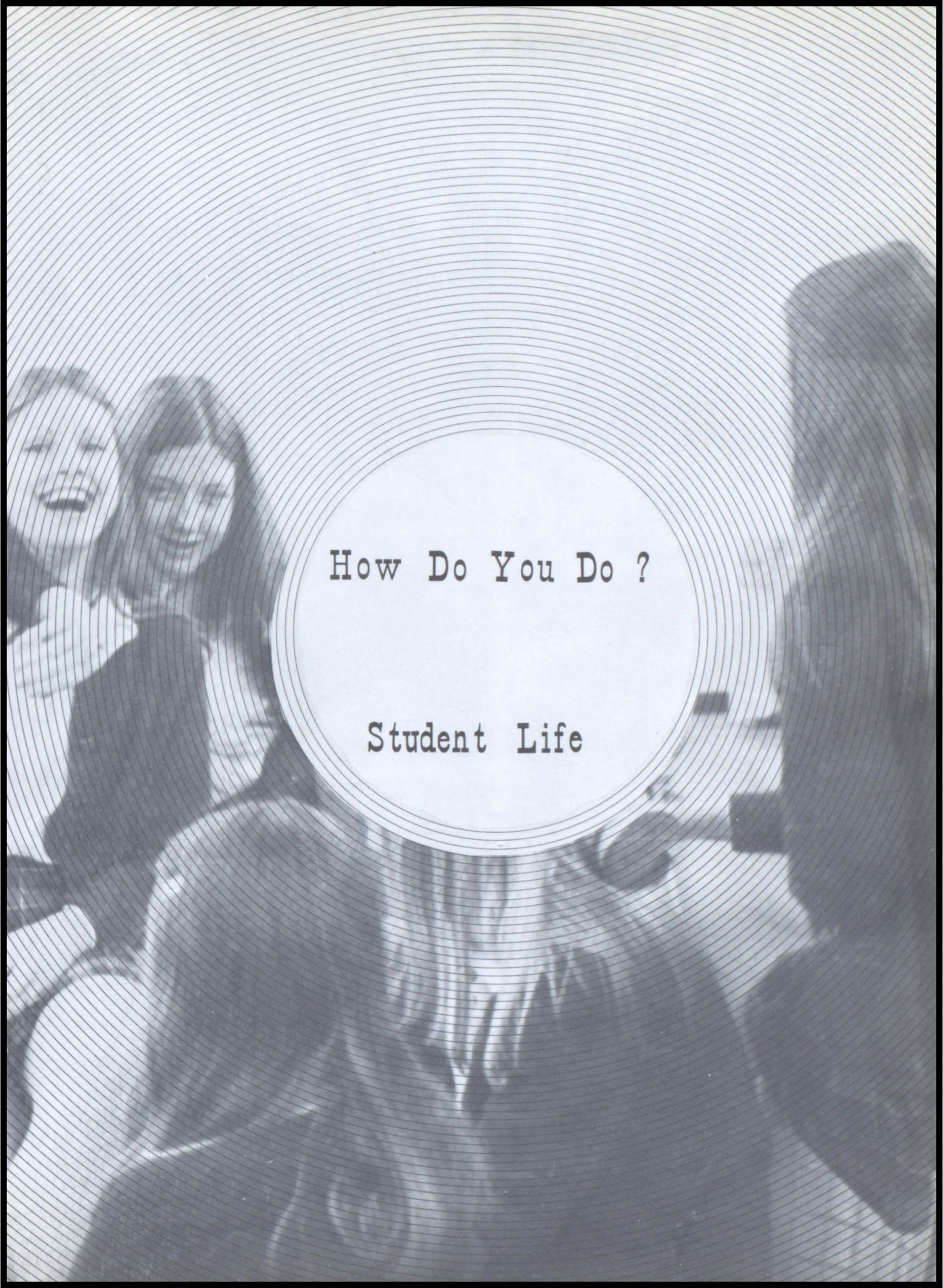
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- School Board 0:82
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- Seniors 0:93
- Juniors 1:03
- Sophomores 1:11
- Freshmen 1:21
- Junior High 1:27
- Advertisers 1:36



Sing A Song



Requesting Quiet



How Do You Do ?

Student Life

HOMECOMING 1975

Knights in White Satin was the theme for the Homecoming dance this year. The Grand March started at 10:30 as the candidates marched up to the music of Freedom Road. Leigh Merrill and Dan Martin were crowned King and Queen of the festivities by last year's royalty. This night was very memorable because of the Homecoming victory over Grand Island. The score was 33-0.





KING DAN MARTIN
QUEEN LEIGH MERRILL



Couples enjoy other things besides dancing to the music.



Deanna Hoffman
Dave Cimple



Nancy Kennedy
John Fischer



Kathy Koger
Dan Schaecher

Sa·tur·day Night

Some couples take a break from dancing while other couples rock on.



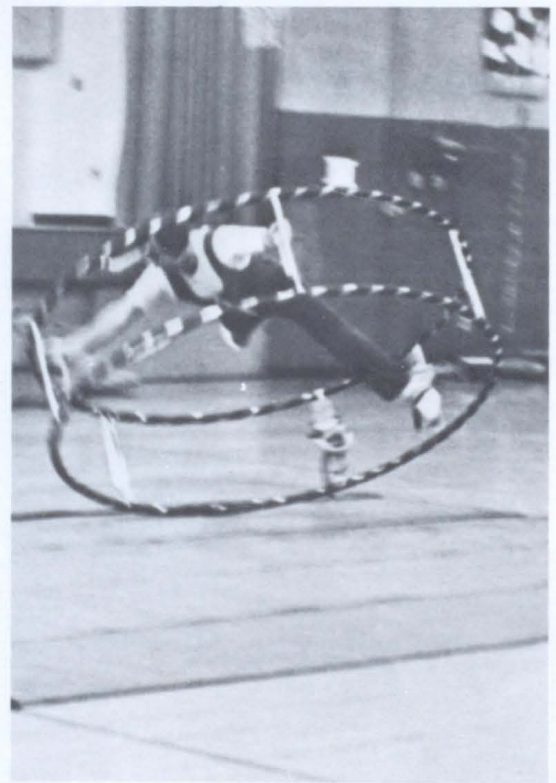
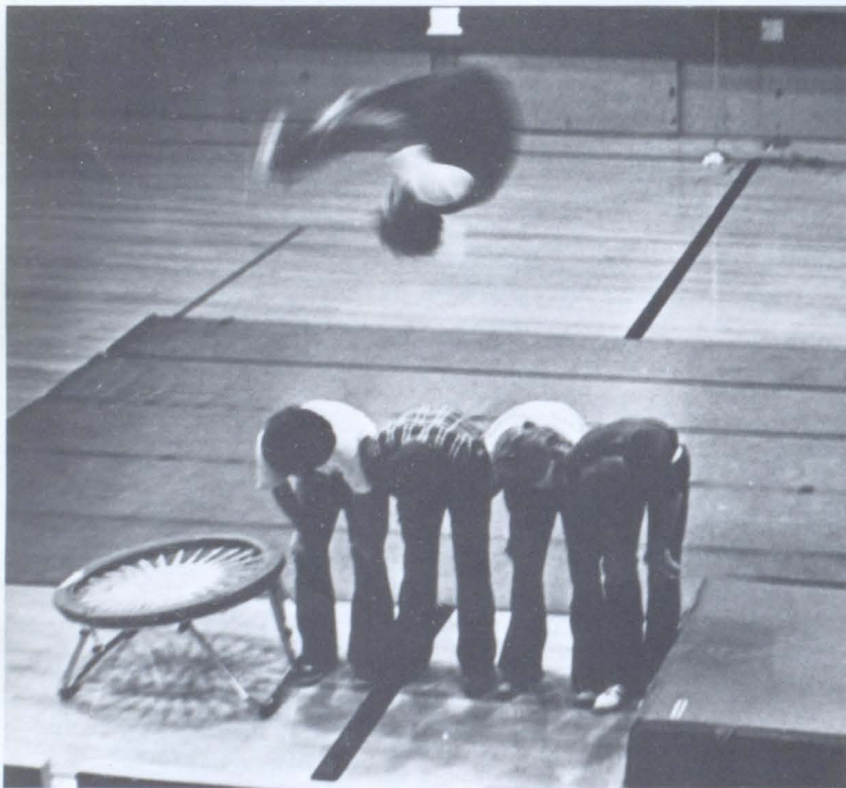
Lori Roy
Tom Sobotka



Kristi Swanson
Fred Spies



The Show must go on



An exciting program was held for Scotus on Friday, November 7. The program was presented by Terry and Ursula Henderson, the European Acrobatic and Gymnastic Team. The performance consisted of tumbling, mini-trampoline jumps, floor exercises, acrobatics, a gymnastic dance and stunts on the all-new gym wheel.

I believe in music

Two instrumental and vocal singers from England called "Tiffany Shades" presented a program for Scotus students on March 31, which included many popular songs. They have travelled extensively throughout the world entertaining people with their music.



Platte College Chorale and Cantari's theme for this year was "Make Your Own Kind of Music." This group performed for Scotus students on March 26th. They plan to travel to Disneyland in Florida this year, sharing their songs and music.



Queen Diane VanLent

King Les Nosal

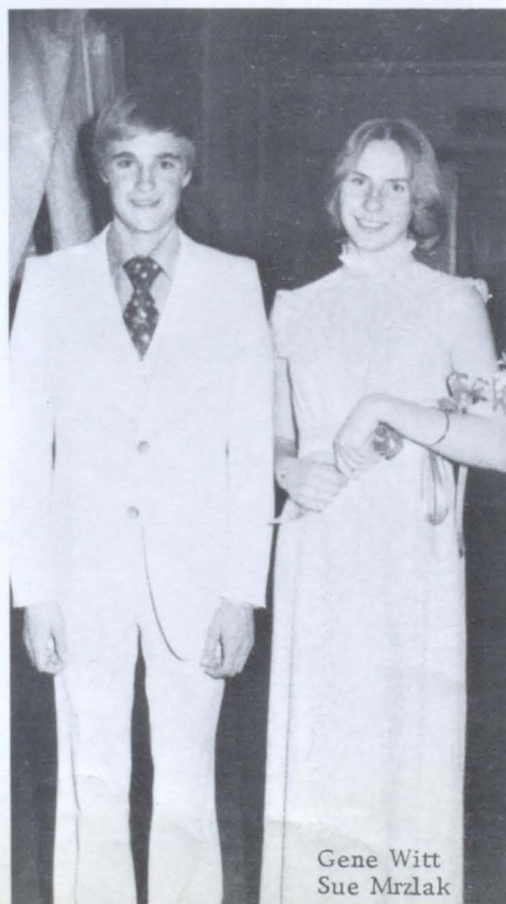
Could it be magic?





Tim Kelly
Maureen McNair

Under the stars, surrounded by witches and magicians, the 1976 Sweetheart Royalty were crowned on March 20th. Skyline provided the music for the royal couple's first dance that Saturday night. Sophomores had spent the day transforming the cafeteria into a streamer-festooned magic kingdom, replete with crystal balls and boiling cauldrons.



Gene Witt
Sue Mrzlak

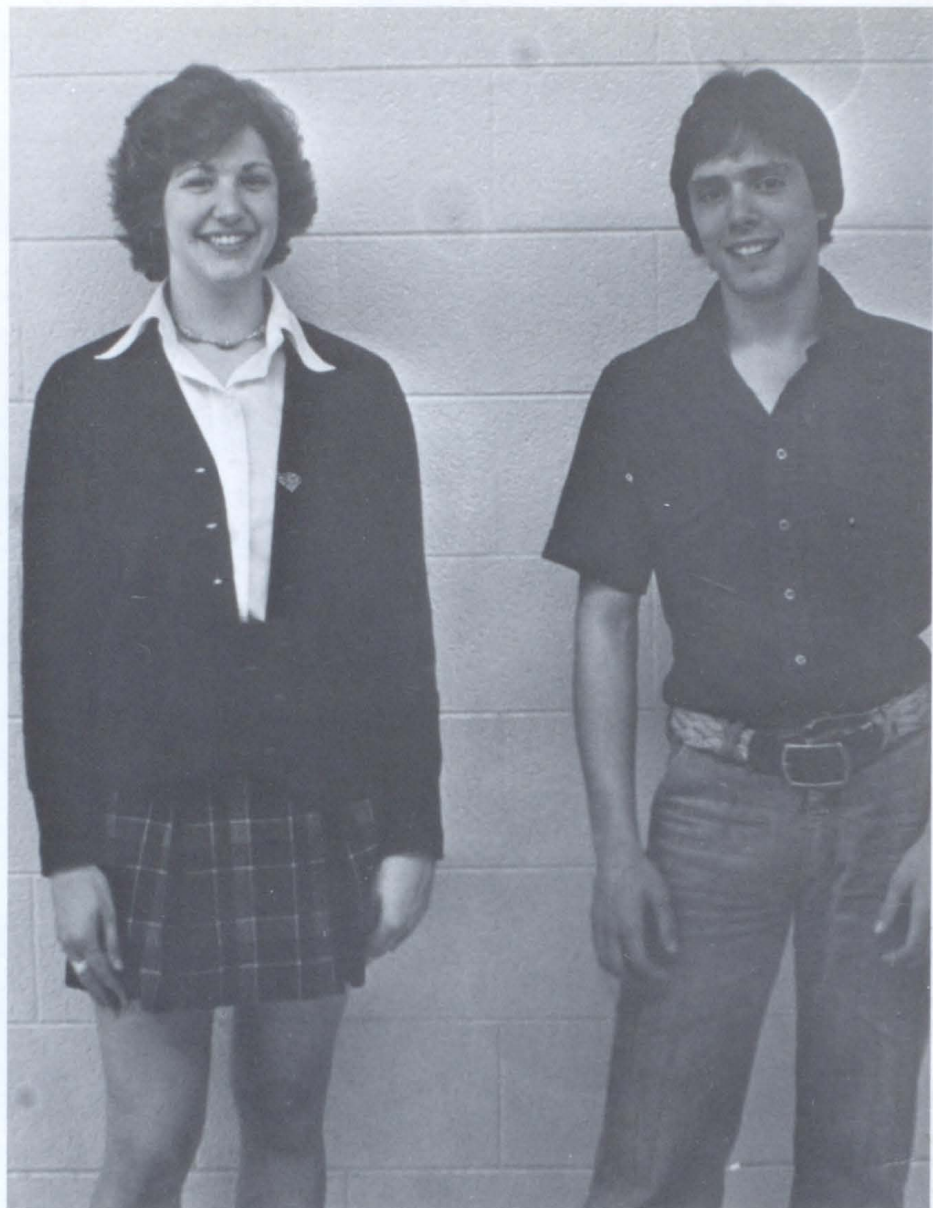
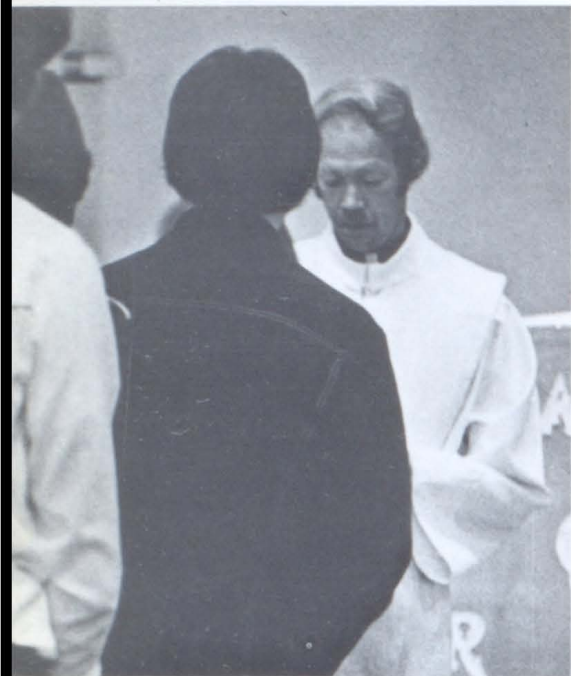


Greg Voboril
Katrina Tamick



Kathy Pile
Tim Tooley





Staters are "Dynomite"

Representing Scotus this year at Boys' and Girls' State are Barb Mayer and Terry Zuerlein. It will be held June 3-9 at the University of Nebraska in Lincoln.

Barb is a member of the National Honor Society, vice-president of the Drama Club, vice-president of the Pep Club, and a member of the medical explorers. Besides this, she has participated in school plays and speech contests, and in County Government Day as Weed Superintendent. She is sponsored by the Catholic Daughters. Barb's alternate is Diane Johnson.

Terry was on the junior high student council and home room representative in the year 1971-72. He has participated in the Jets Club, serving as its vice-president in 1973-74. He was 3rd in the 1972 science fair, and is a member of the Honor Society. He was also vice-president of his freshman class.

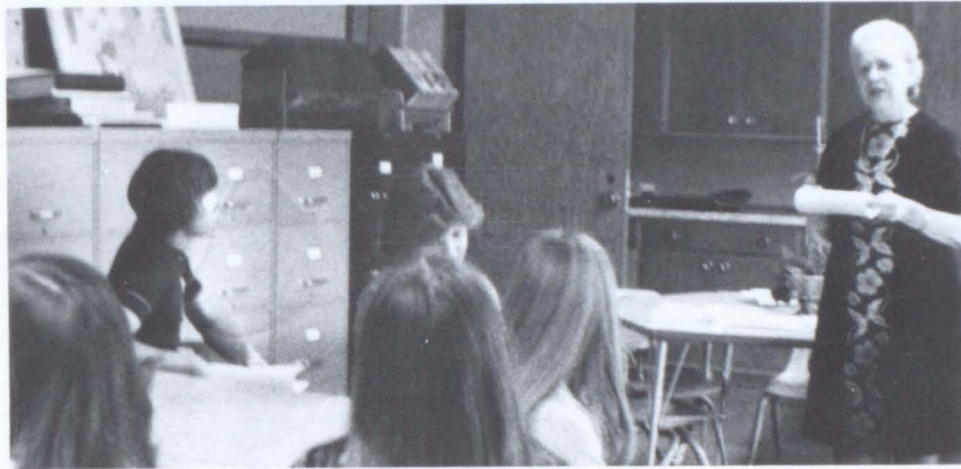
Terry is a lector and song leader at St. Isidore's Church and he belongs to the Columbian Squires. He was active in Boy Scouts, earning a Life Scout award; he is also on the pro-life committee. Terry's alternate is Chuck Czuba. Terry is sponsored by the Columbus Rotary Club.



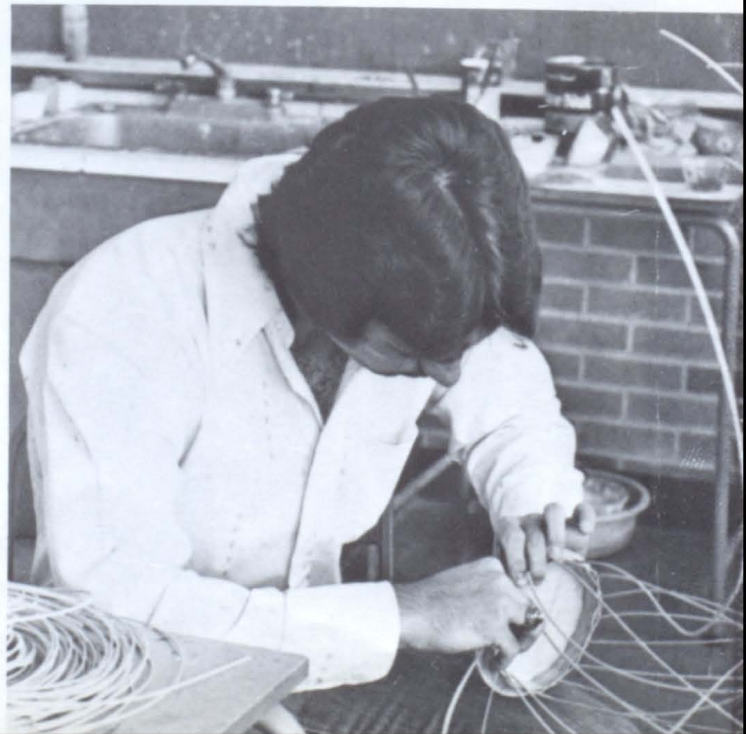
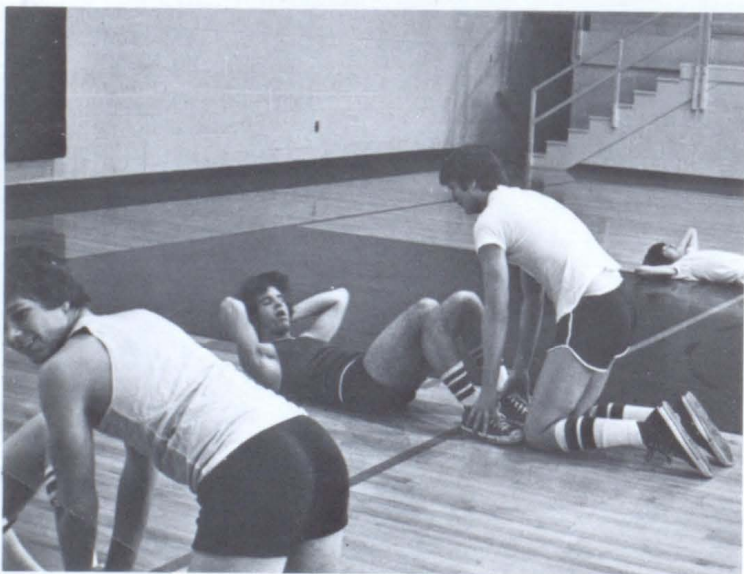


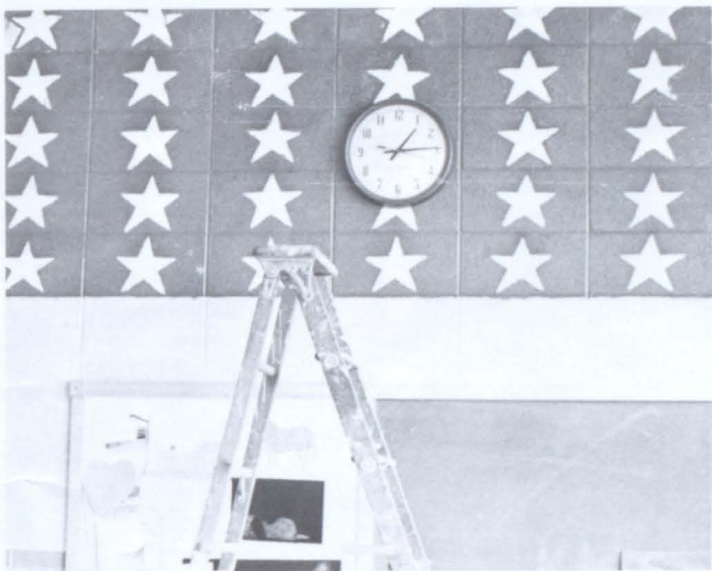
Juniors beg "I wanna be elected"

Highway Superintendent
 Kim Martin
 Clerk Tammy Obal
 Register of Deeds
 Annette Ebel
 Sheriff Tim Harrington
 Attorney
 Home Extension Agent
 Jackie Melliger
 Supervisors Ron Reilly
 Dave Ebner
 Administrator EUS #7
 Mike Novicki
 Superintendent Bev Ebner
 Civil Defense Coordinator
 Jim Feehan
 Weed Superintendent
 Barb Meyer
 Clerk of the District Court
 Noreen Dowd
 Treasurer Suzi Korger
 Assesor Geralyn Spies
 Welfare Director Greg Jochum
 Agriculture Agent Brian Oppliger
 ASCS Committee Mary Heimann
 Cindy Mimick
 Judge Steve Heimann
 Election Commissioner
 Connie Bernt



Speech II students play a group discussion game. Freshmen Barb and Kelli show off one of the banners made in their religion class. Art students Tim and Bill unmold a candle. Sophomore physical education students warm up. Kevin tries his hand at basket-weaving.

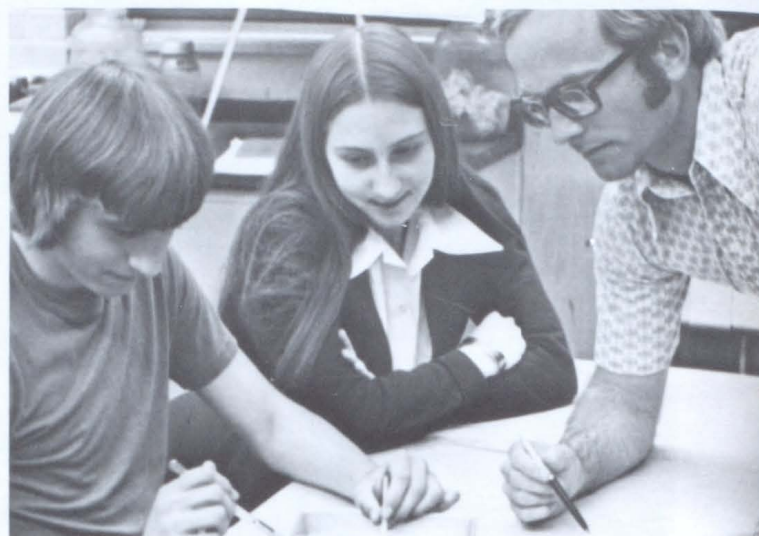




Judy hooks strands of yarn into her crafts project. Joyce and Sue demonstrate a principle of motion in physics. Art students undertook the redecoration of the art room this year. The American flag on one wall nears completion while arrows adorn another wall. Rich Kush and John Ebner demonstrate shaving techniques for the eighth grade speech class. Junior and senior typing students perfect their accuracy. Randy, Jim, and Joe look for something to study next.



German I students wait for their pretzels to come out of the oven. Under Mr. Younger's supervision, Vern and Lynnette tackle a cow's eye. Ann begins a basket. Marilyn puzzles over a sticky problem while Canice works on. Chuck, Don, and Mike set up their chemistry experiment. Mark whips up one of his specialties.





Baby Face

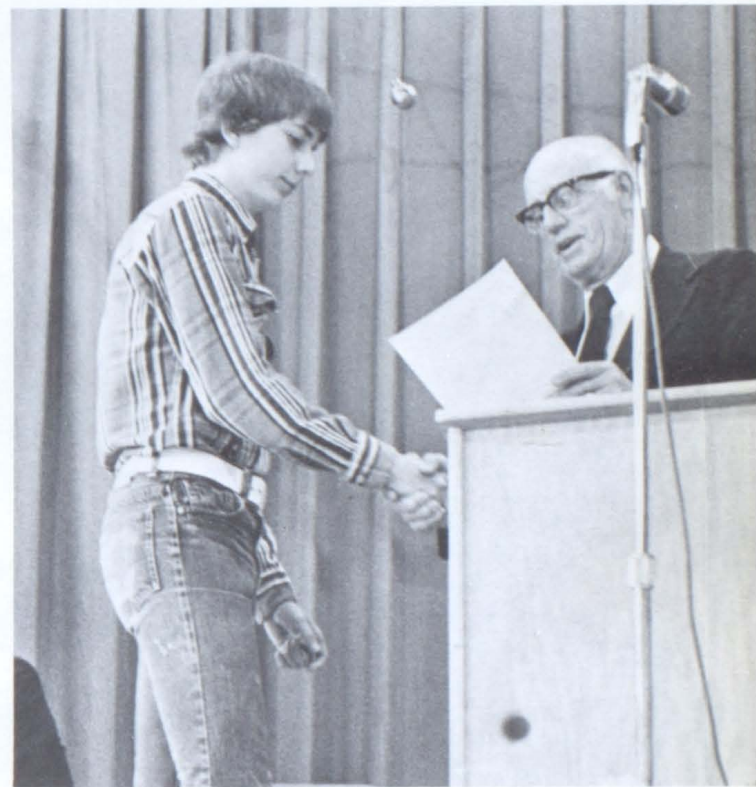
Baby Face awards were on Monday, May 10, --the last full day for the graduating Seniors. Some of the awards were: Roger Fritz for having the best legs, Susie Mrzlak was Miss Blabbermouth, Diane VanLent the best-liked Senior, Kristi Swanson received the best look-alike baby picture, Ann Spenner was voted the sexiest Senior baby, Dan Martin the cutest baby, and Debbie and Denise Determann had the best baby dimples. The Senior Day awards is put on annually by the freshman class.



Fame

Honor's Day was held on May 7 in the gym. Various scholastic awards were presented, and students were honored for individual efforts and awards throughout the school year. Scholarship presentations were also made. Nick Hajek received a one-year tuition-paid scholarship to Platte College for a first place finish at the Platt College Recognition Day, as well as a Letter of Recognition from the National Merit Scholarship Program for ranking in the upper 5% of High School Graduates in the U.S. this year. Al Wunderlich, Ron Zoucha, and Theresa Zuerlein received 2-year \$400 Platte County Agricultural Society Scholarships. Mary Jane Holmberg was the recipient of a one-year Regents Scholarship to the University of Nebraska, and a 4-year \$1200 Scholarship to Creighton University.





Kathy Korger was presented a \$100 Loup Power District Scholarship. From Doane College, Joyce Warth received a four-year \$1000 Trustee Achievement Scholarship, while Carol Bosak received a \$1000 Trustee Achievement and a \$1400 Special Ability Scholarship in Music. Debbie Davidson received a \$100 Norfolk Beauty College Scholarship and Nancy Kennedy received the \$100 Bee-Line Scholarship. The American Legion Auxiliary Nursing Scholarship for \$200 was presented to Diane VanLent.

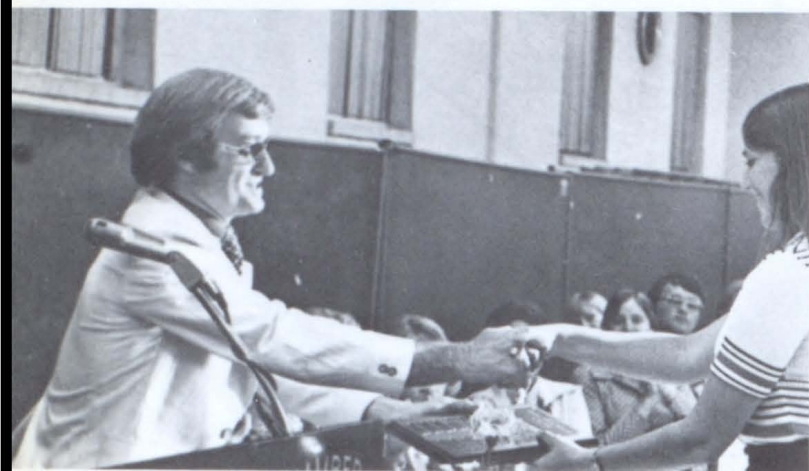
Dream On

With the cafeteria transformed into a magical world, couples escaped reality to "Dream On" at the 1976 junior-senior prom. The seniors' mothers prepared the food for the banquet, put on by the senior class. Members of the sophomore class served the meal. Afterwards, the senior class prophecy was read. Later, Gunshaw provided the music for the informal dance. All seniors agreed it was a memorable ending to their high school years.





Gale Sayers Packs Athletic Banquet

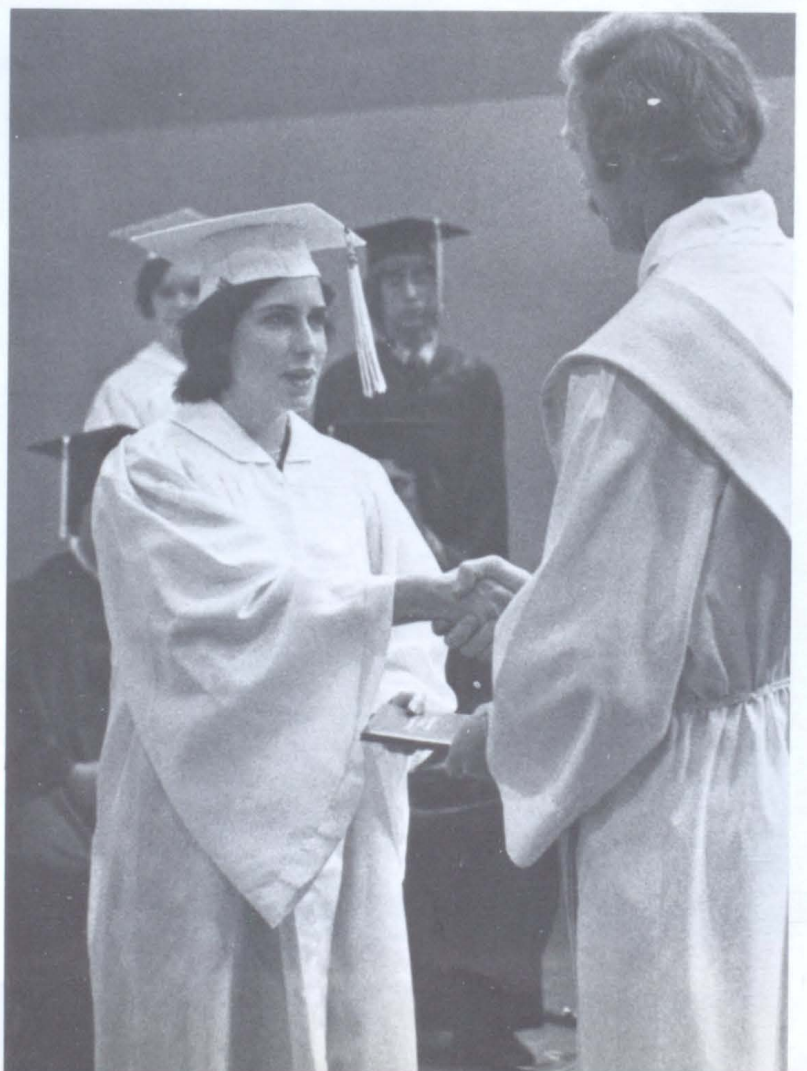


UPPER LEFT HAND CORNER: Kathy Korger receives the Female Athlete of the Year Award. BOTTOM LEFT HAND CORNER: Tom Sobotka received the Male Athlete of the Year Award and the KTTT Scholarship. UPPER RIGHT: Coach Spenceri is seen talking with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sayers.



UPPER LEFT: Guest speaker Gale Sayers, who was five times an all-pro in the National Football League and is currently assistant athletic director at the University of Kansas, gave the young people some tips for their future. He said they are on the thresholds of manhood and womanhood. He reminded the athletes to thank their parents and coaches, but more importantly to thank God for the ability to utilize the gifts God has given. UPPER RIGHT: Gene Witt and recipient of the Bill Toomey Scholarship. BELOW: Nancy Kennedy and Greg Vobrill were named winners of the Babe Ruth Awards.

Seniors depart on their "Long and Winding Road"



Seventy-six graduates were presented their diplomas in '76. Father Buschelmann made use of a plant to illustrate his sermon on the vine and the branches.

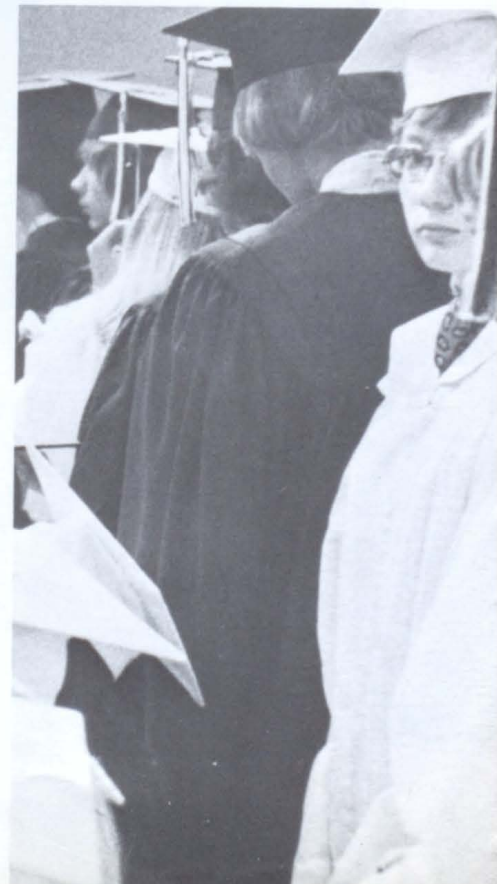
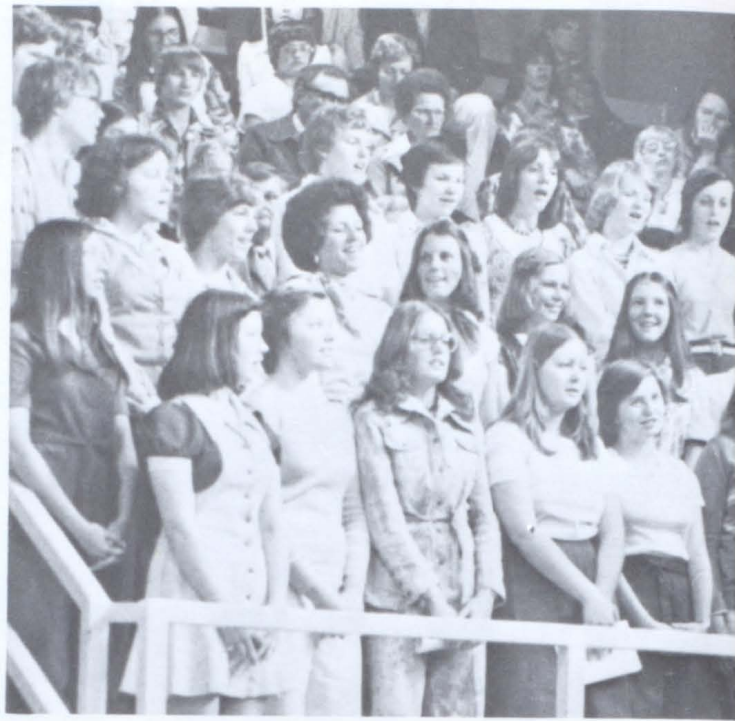


The high school Girls' Glee and Glory Bound provided the music for the graduation Mass, which attracted an even larger congregation than any basketball game, as Mr. Hittner observed. Members of the senior class did the readings, read petitions and thanksgiving litany, and offered the gifts.

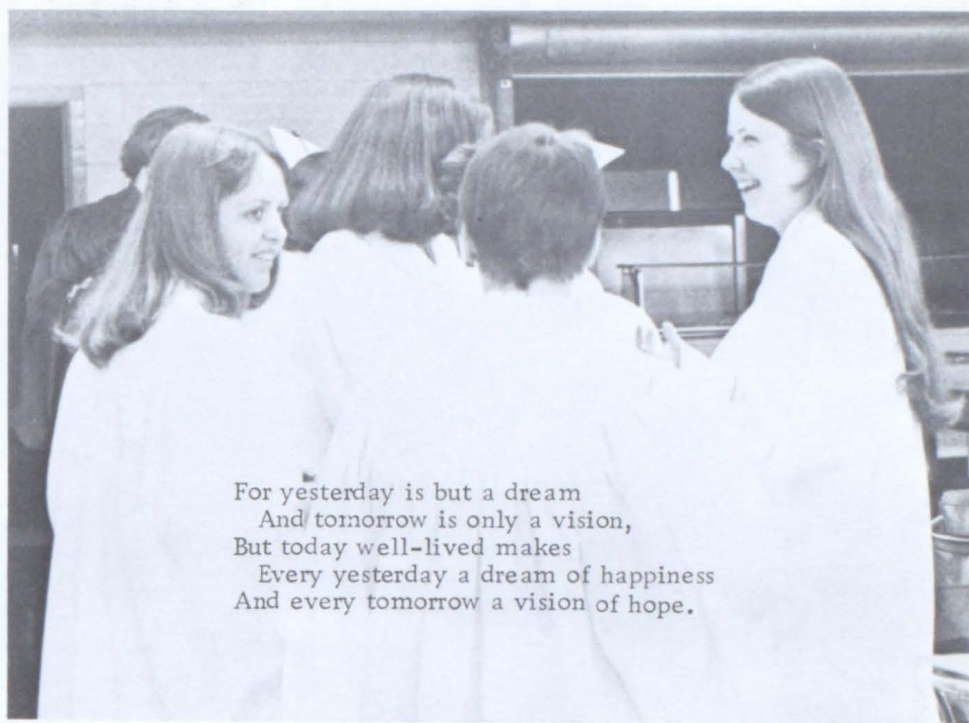
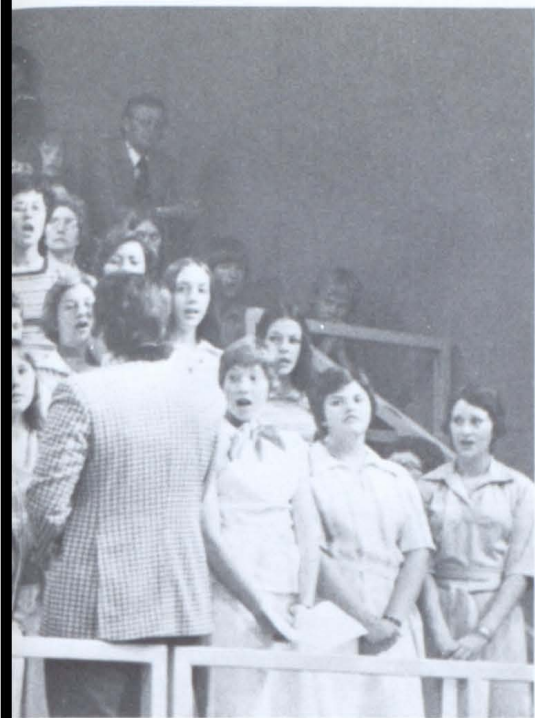


Seniors realize they
will no longer see
each other "Day After Day"

One minute the graduates were worrying about which side the tassel on their mortarboards hung from and the next minute it was already time to pack up gown and mortarboard and return them. This also meant it was time for saying goodbyes, some of them tearful. They might see everyone in the class at a party later that day but the time for more permanent farewells was coming soon.

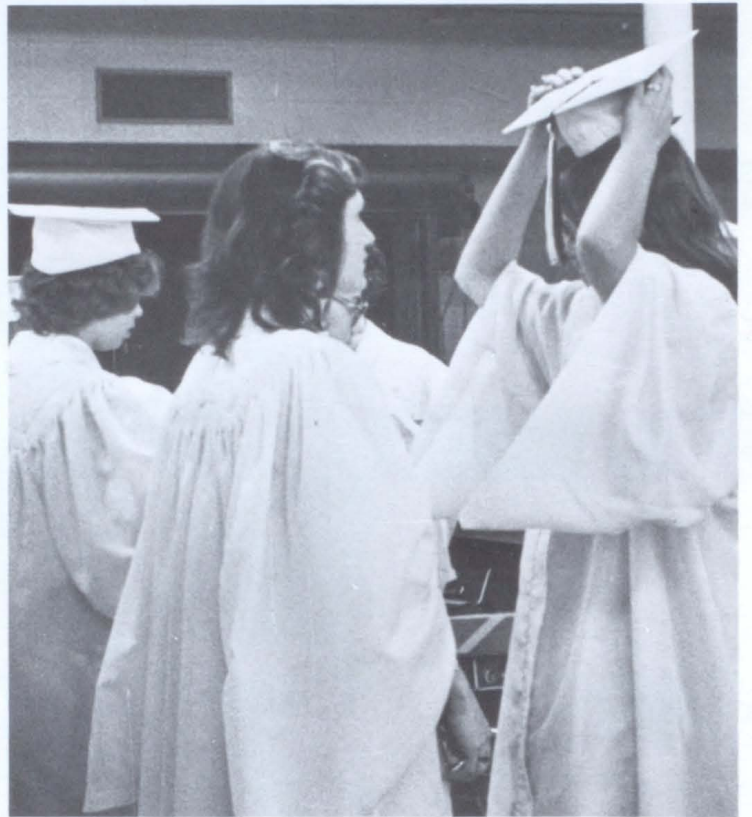


Debbie and Alan led the procession of graduates into the auditorium. Those whose name begins with S wait to be called to receive their diplomas. Then just a few hundred flashbulbs later everyone is back downstairs to pack up and depart.



For yesterday is but a dream
And tomorrow is only a vision,
But today well-lived makes
Every yesterday a dream of happiness
And every tomorrow a vision of hope.





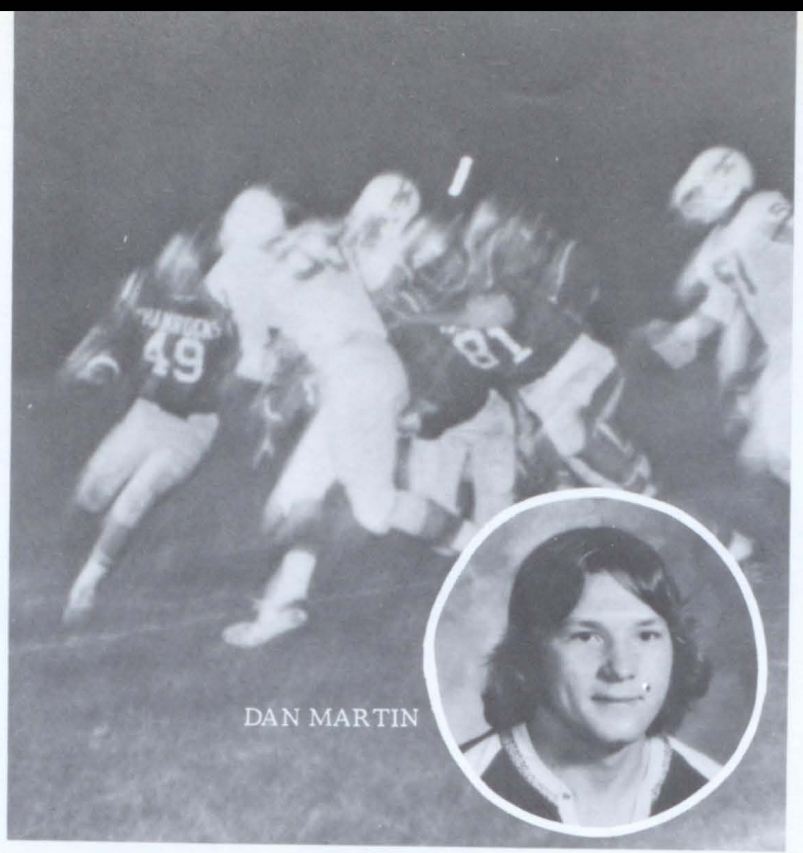


Winner

Athletics



KEVIN ABBOTT



DAN MARTIN



Hurting each other

There seemed to be a lot of "hurting each other" going on during the 1975-1976 football season. Many of the Shamrock players were not playing for at least part of the season because of injuries. But the team, led by the tri-captains Dan Martin, Dan Schaecher, and John Fischer, managed to overcome many obstacles and won 7 of their 9 games. The only two defeats came at the hands of David City Aquinas and Wahoo Neumann.

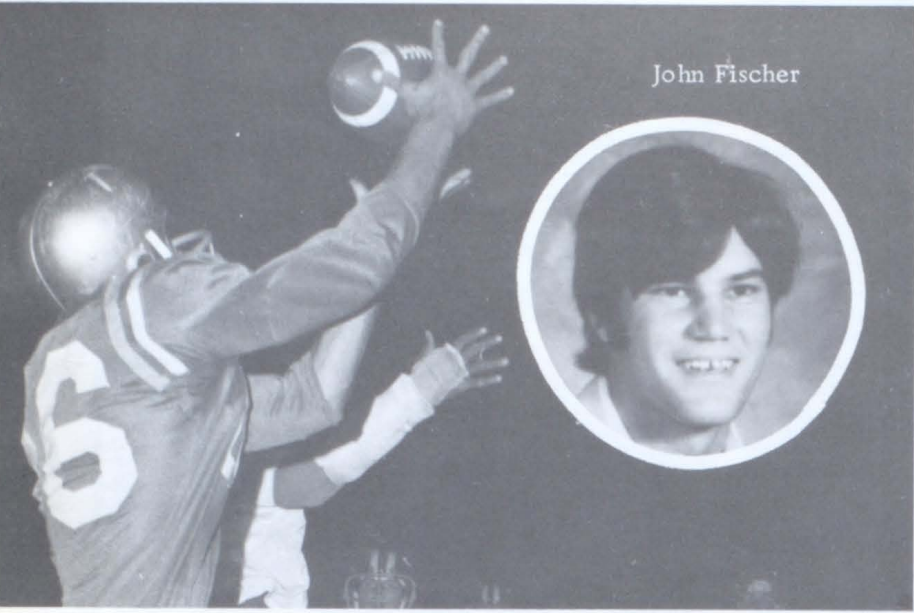
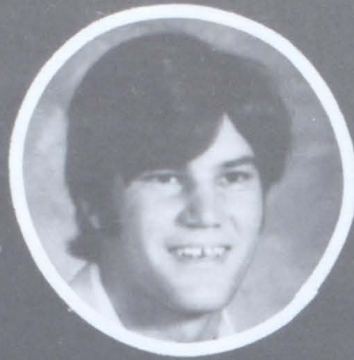
The squad this year was also presented with many awards. Dan Martin, Dan Schaecher, John Fischer, and Tom Sobotka were named All Centennial Conference players while Dennis Ryba received honorable mention. John Fischer and Dan Martin were chosen to participate in this year's Shrine Bowl. Fischer was also named All-State and Martin honorable mention. While not quite making it, the Shamrock team was in strong contention for a berth in the first State Football Playoffs.

	WE	THEY
Boys Town	35	0
Aquinas	0	16
W.P.C.C.	34	6
G.I.C.C.	31	0
Schuyler	26	0
Albion	14	0
Holy Name	9	0
Neumann	15	19
Lakeview	42	14

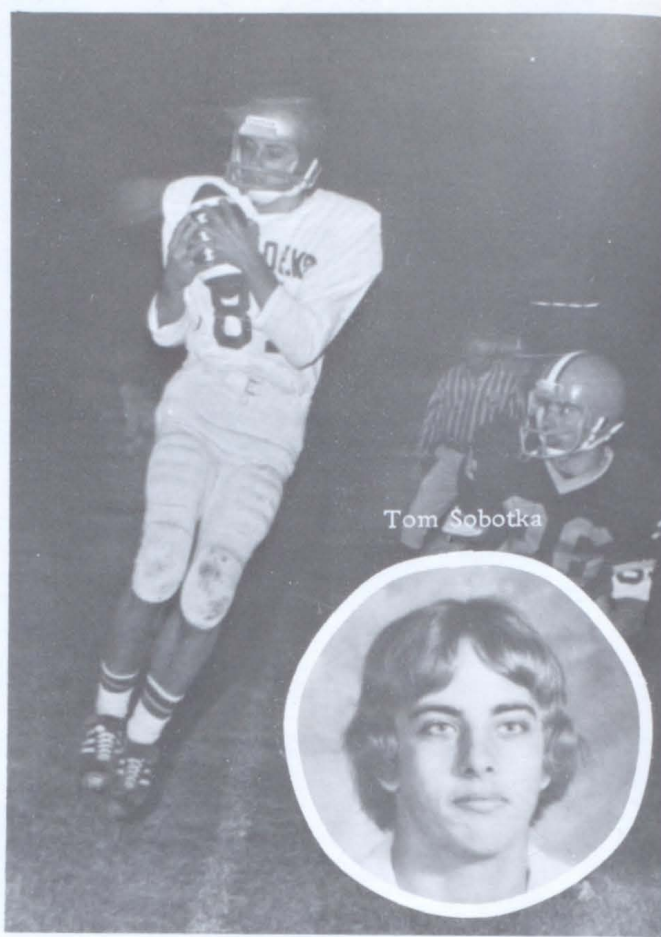


VARSIITY FOOTBALL TEAM: Kent Uphoff, Pat Novicki, Carl Maca, Kevin Kaminski, Jeff Muhle, Dan Duren, Steve Korger, Lavern Kobus, Rey Liss, Tom Jarecke, Tom Malmstrom; student manager Jeff Pekarek, Mark Bartholomew, Gary Micek, Steve Heimann, Greg Jochum, Rex Kumpf, Bob Flannery, Chris Podany, Ron Korgie, Randy Brezinski, Bill VanLent, John Heimann, student managers Ted Krzycki, Jerry O'Hare; Terry Kurtenbach, Don Green, Chris Hoffman, Greg Voboril, Dave Ebner, Tim Harrington, John Wheeler, Dennis Ryba, John Mausbach, Mike Novicki, Jeff Bruegger, Jim Feehan; Coach Jim Puetz, Dave Cimpl, Jim Schumacher, Tim Schneider, Darryl Spulak, Don Byers, Jay Czuba, Tom Sobotka, Dan Schaecher, Fred Spies, Dan Martin, Kevin Abbott, Mark Niedbalski, Coach Randy Berlin, Coach Gary Puetz.

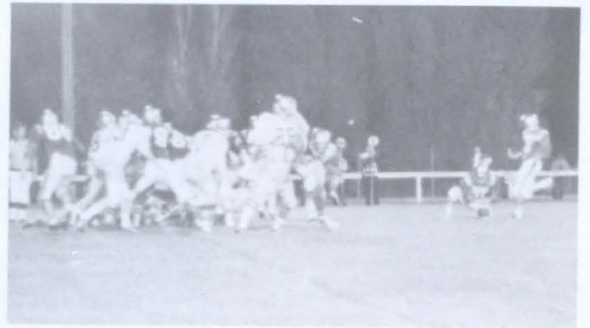
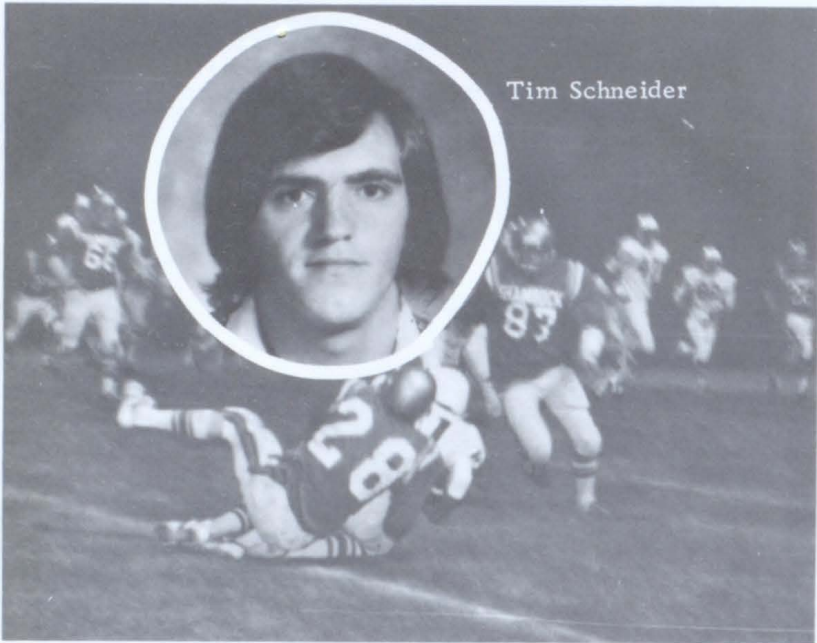
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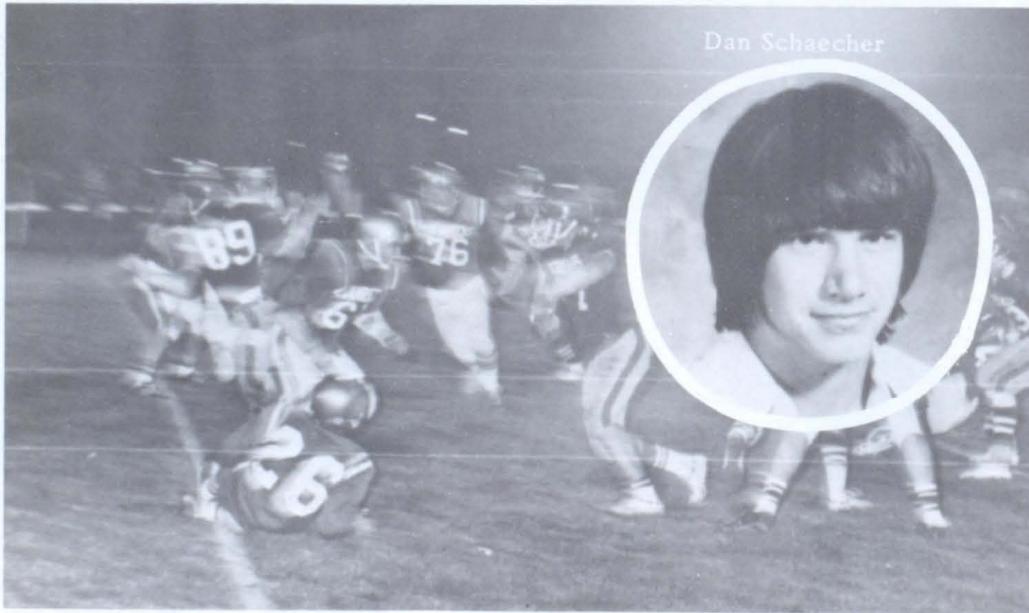
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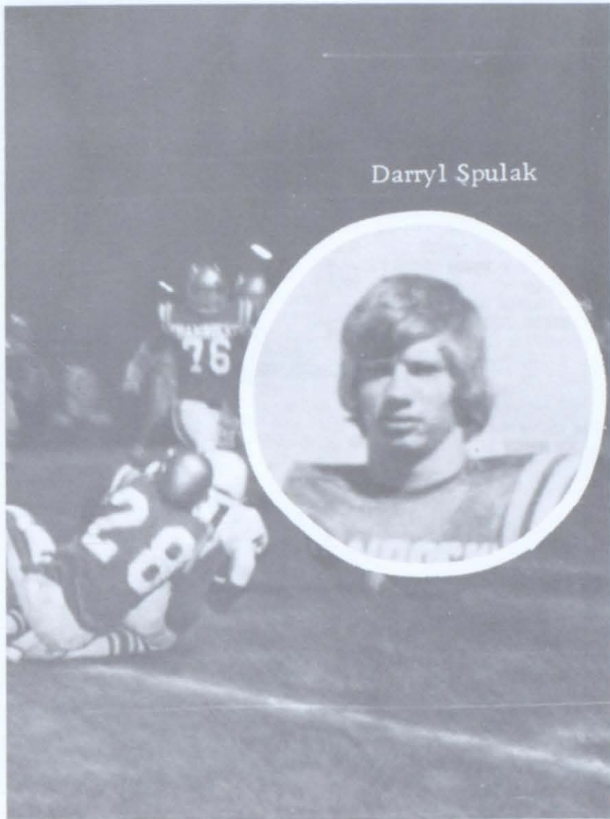


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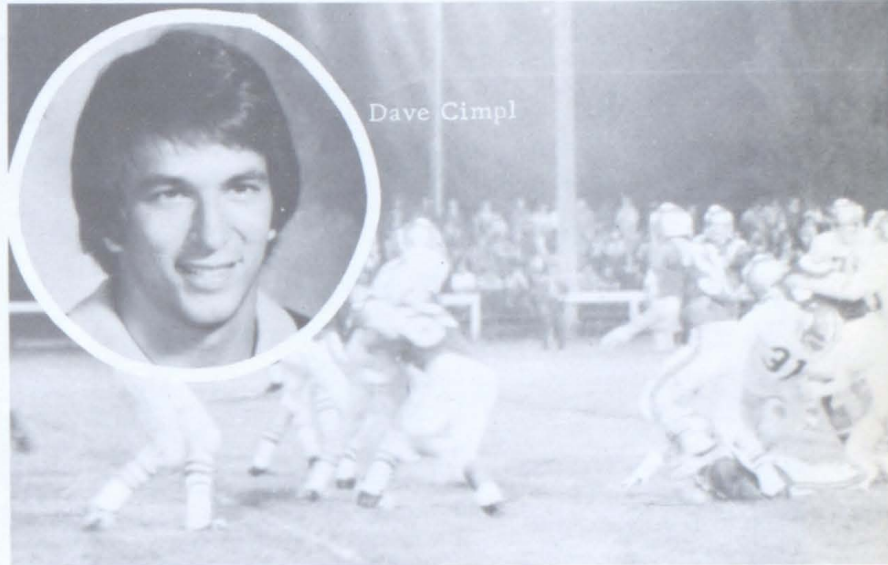




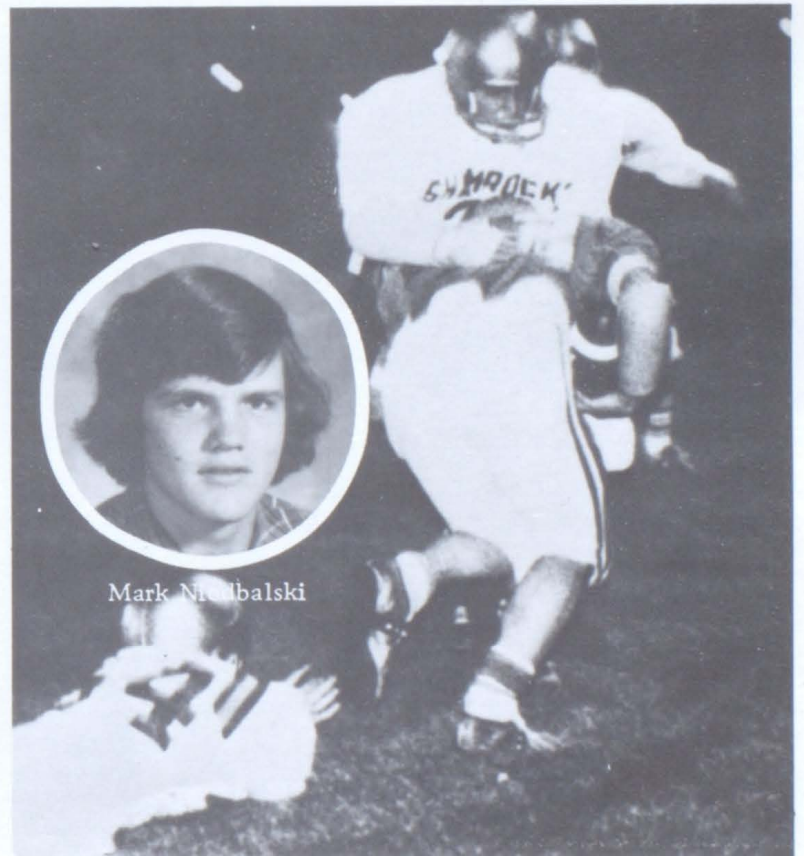
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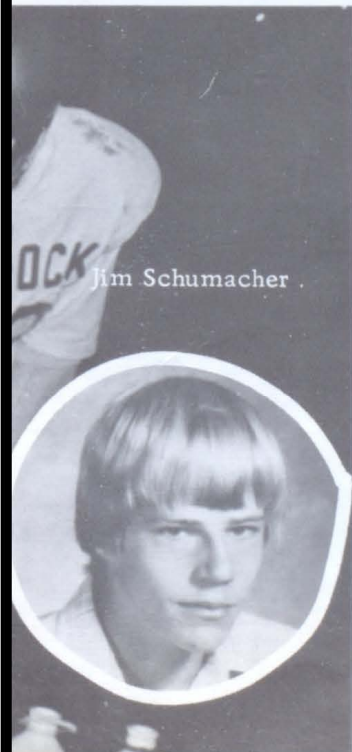
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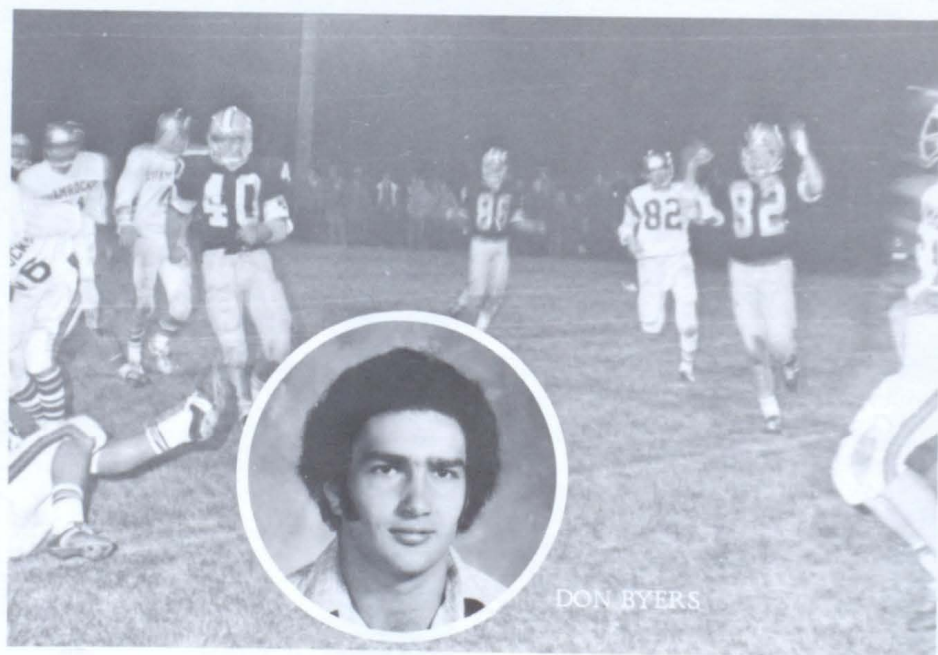
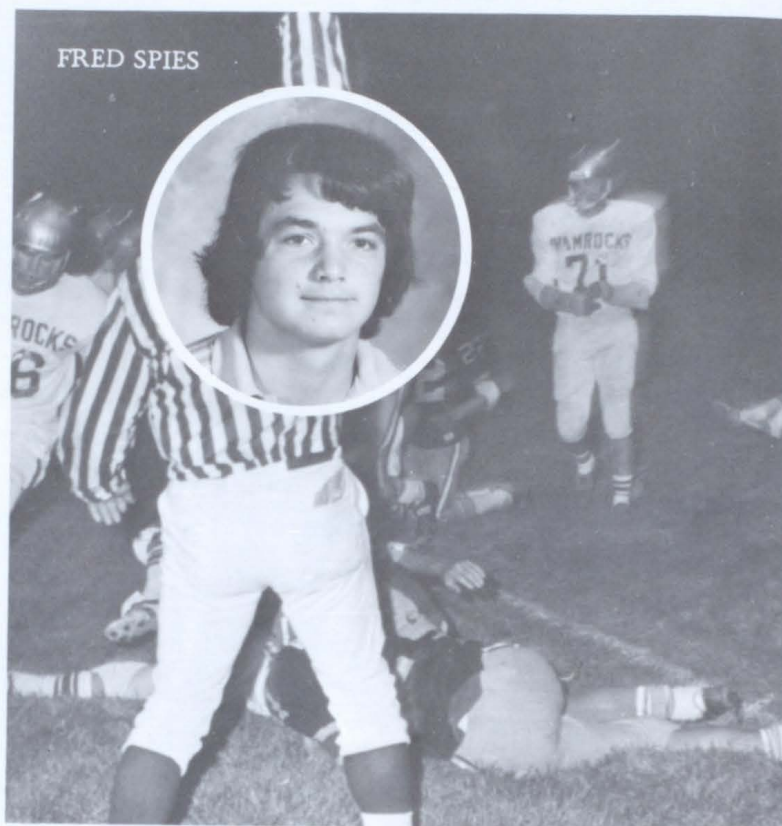


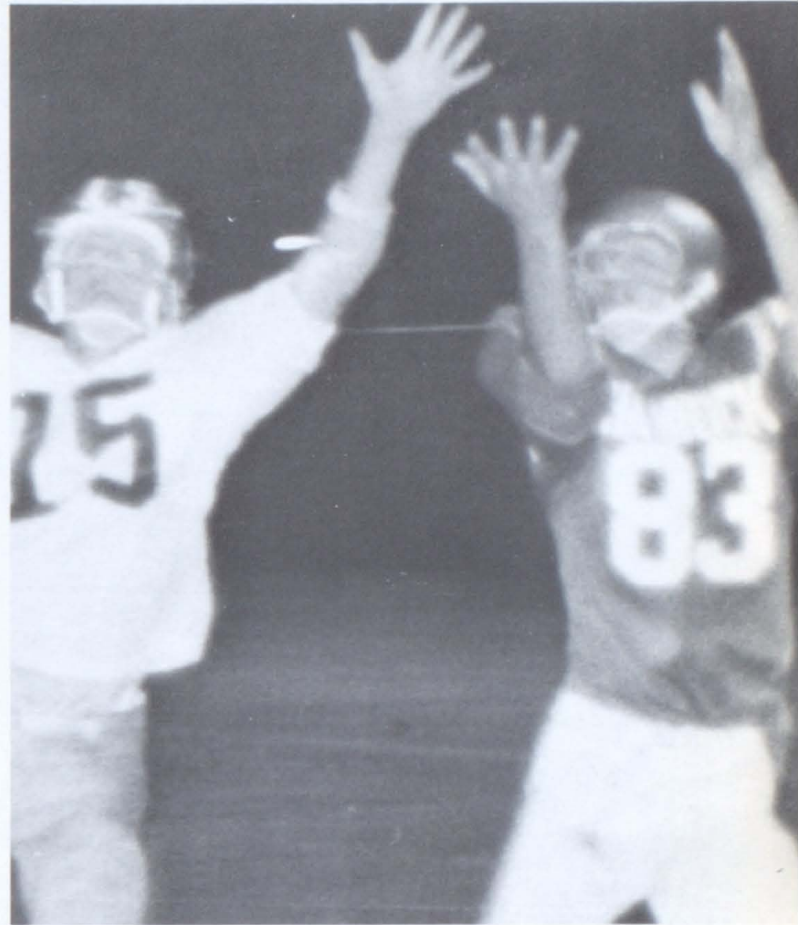
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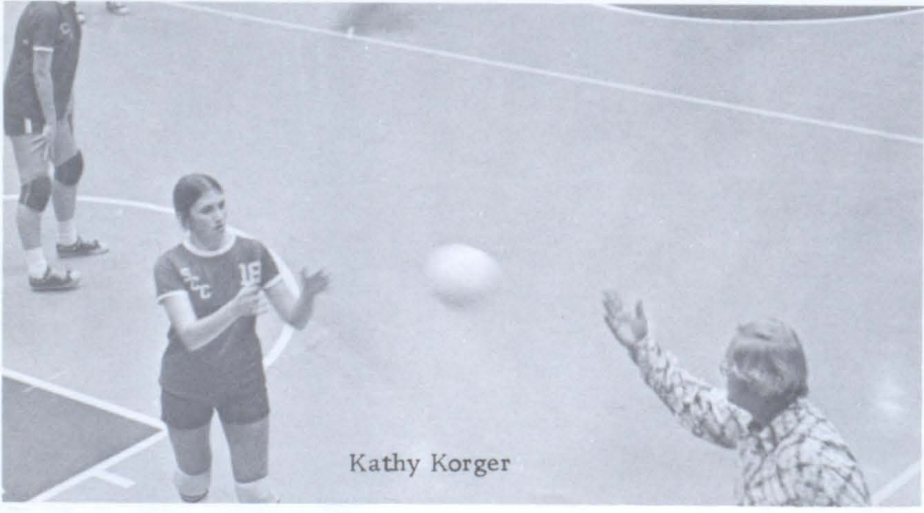


Volleyball players take it to the limits

VARSDITY: Debbie Baumert, Ann Hamling, Tami Bogus, Jackie Melliger, Erin O'Hearn; Kim Ernst, Mrs. Malicky, Deb Bogus, Kathy Korger, Leigh Merrill, Marcia Pekarek, Cindy Mimick, Mrs. Jensen, Donna Proski



Albion	They	West Point	We
Dodge	They	Bergan	They
Aquinas	We	Seward	They
Columbus High	They	Aquinas	We
Schuyler	We	Wahoo (C.C. Tourn.)	They
Lakeview	They	Columbus High	They
Wahoo	We	York (Dist.)	They



Kathy Korger



Ann Hamling

Debbie Bogus



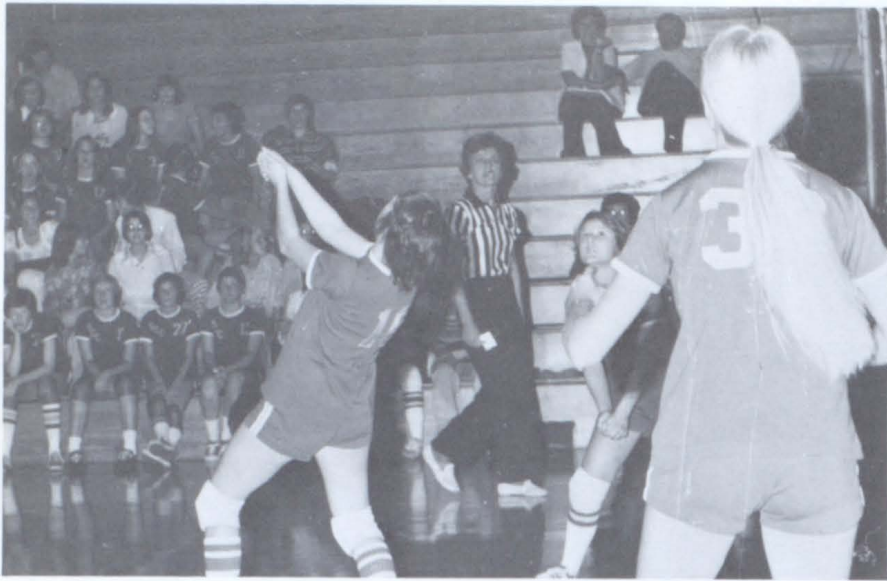
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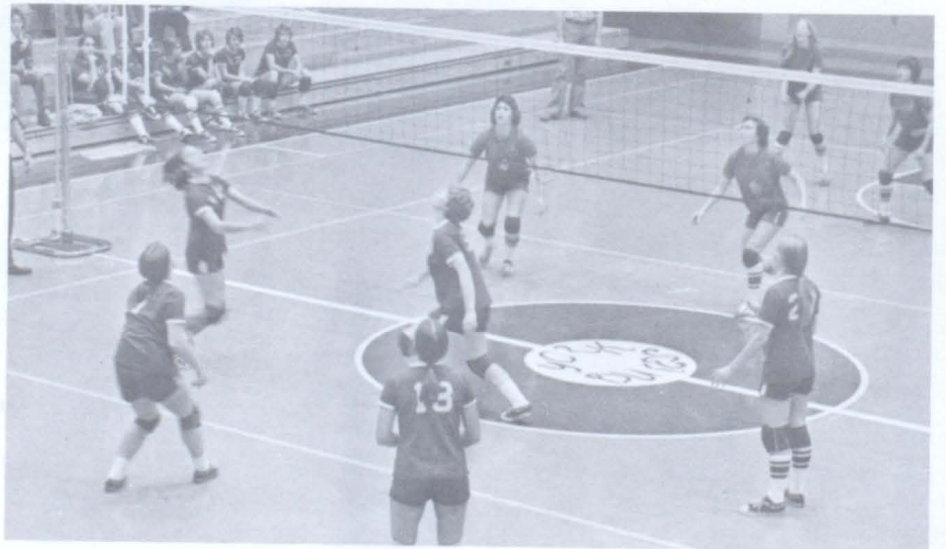
Leigh Merrill



JUNIOR VARSITY: Coleen Tooley, Lynn Torczon, Terri Steiner, Shelly Davidson, Debbie Zoucha, Terri Dreifurst, Suzi Korger, Barb Kuta, Connie Hajek, Cindy Niedbalski, Sue Penne, Deb Thiele



FRESHMEN: Kelli Kurtenbach, Barb Lueke, Cheryl Krings, Holly Holmberg, Janice Witt, Cheryl Schieffer, Conni Konwinski, Karla Heinsohn, Pam Wiese, Jenny Liebentritt, Linda Warth, Kelli Lippstreu, Lynn Enzminger, Kelly Ernst



"Run, Joey, Run" Seems to be Cross-Country theme



The Scotus cross-country team won six of seven duals, placed second at the Wahoo Invitational, the Stromsburg Invitational, and Centennial Conference Meet, and qualified for state with a third at districts. Coach Frank Spenceri called seniors Gene Witt and Tim Tooley the team's one-two punch, Gene won ten of the twelve meets in which he ran, setting a new season points-earned record of 110. Tim placed in the top ten at three major meets.



SCOTUS CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM: John Kosiba, Ralph Ihde, Bob Prosocki, Tim Tooley, Rich Jochum, Gene Witt.

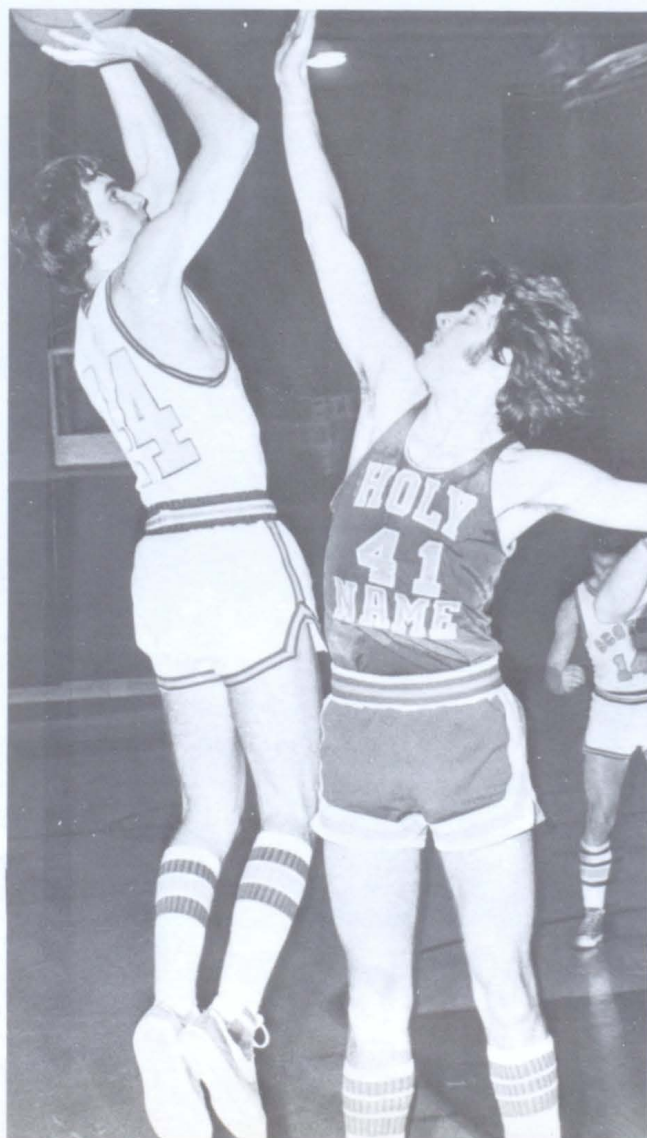
Basketball stars shine through a winning season

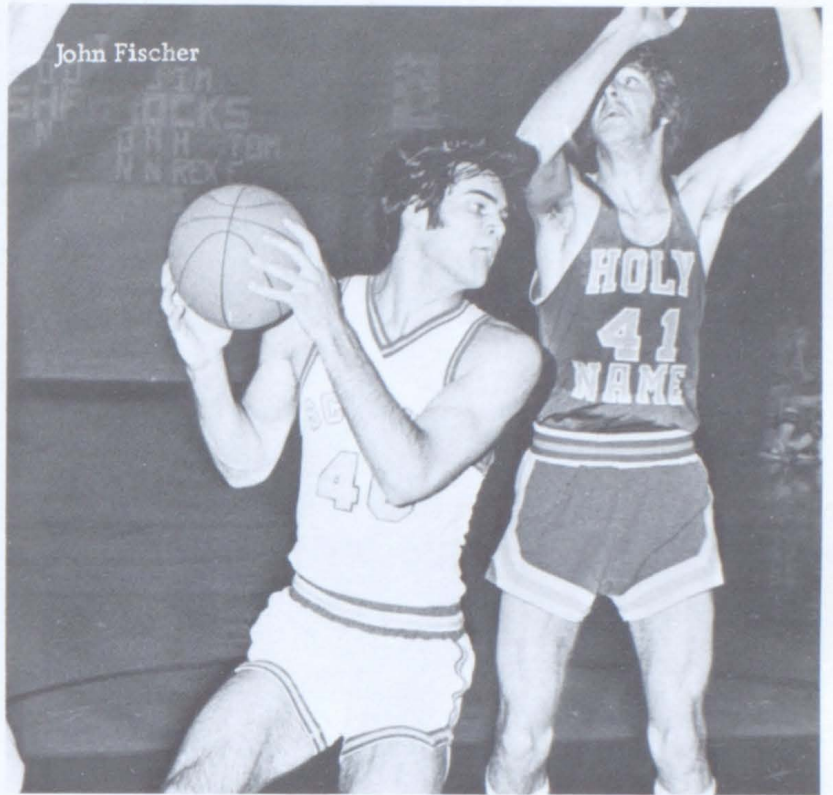
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	We	They
Boystown	53	46
G.I.C.C.	70	65 OT
Paul VI	74	57
Schuyler	56	55
Fairbury	40	53
Aquinas	50	60
G.I.C.C.	83	53
Aquinas	49	44 OT
Cathedral	50	74
Nor. Cath	69	66 OT
Plattsmouth	71	48
Bergan	68	51
Neumann	68	86
Neumann	64	82
Hastings SC	79	67
Lakeview	60	57
Holy Name	53	55
W.P.C.C.	88	67
Loup City	69	43
Schuyler	43	86

A 13-7 season was highlighted this year by Coach Spenceri winning his 100th game. Tri-Captains Les Nosal, Tom Sobotka, and John Fischer helped set the pace for the team to be Catholic Conference Champions, runner up in the Platte Holiday Classic, and third place in the Centennial Conference, and Catholic Conference Tournaments.





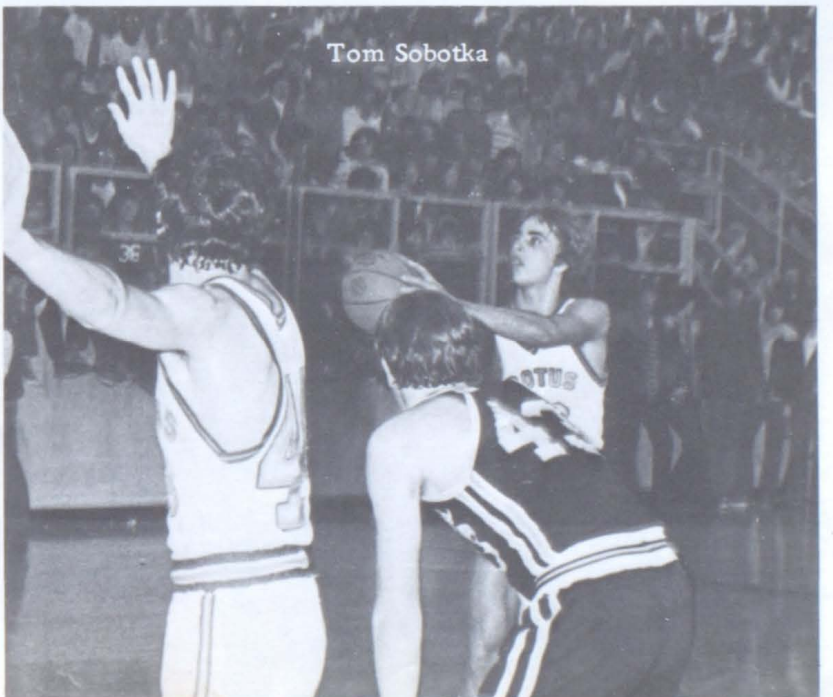
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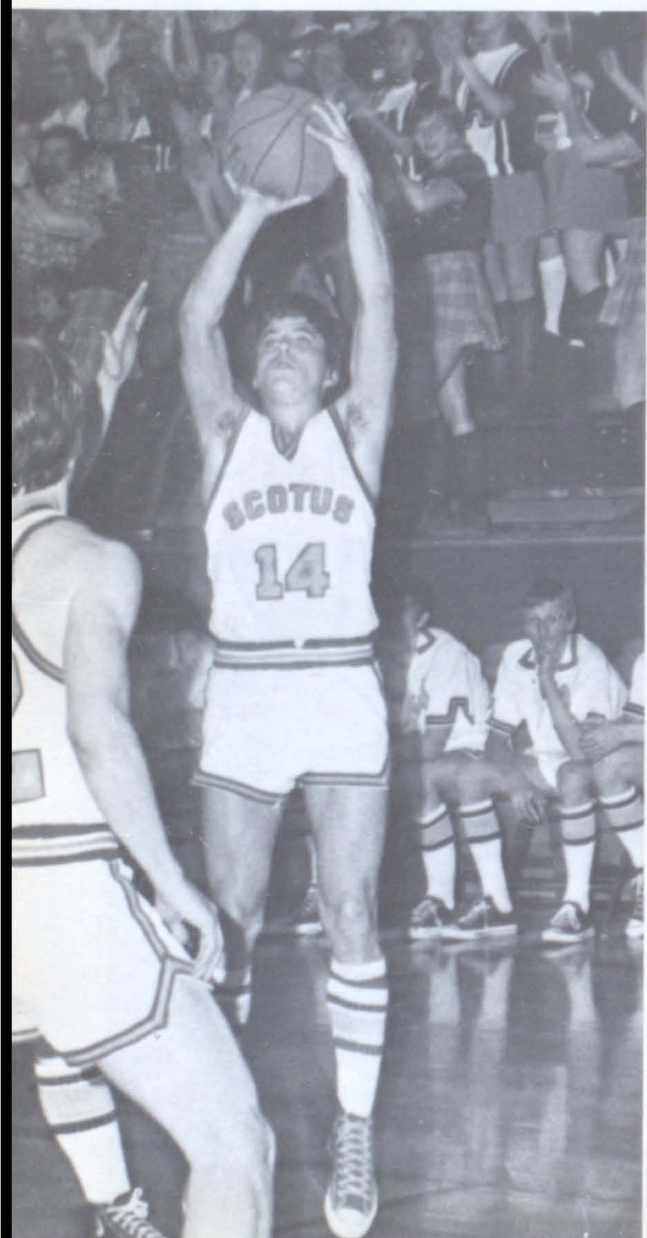
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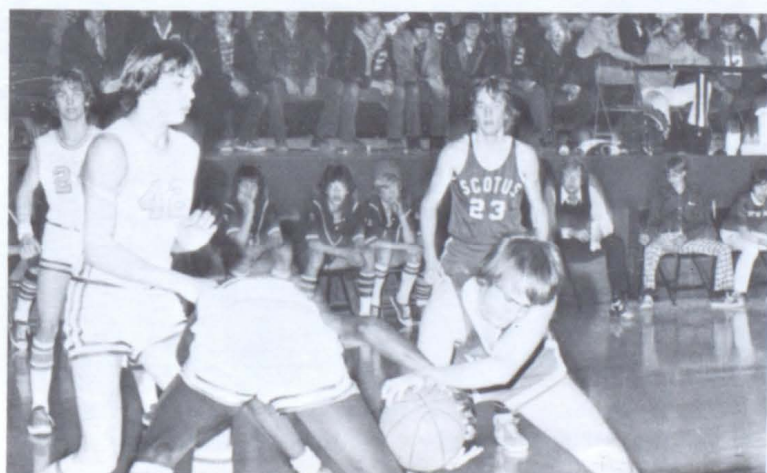
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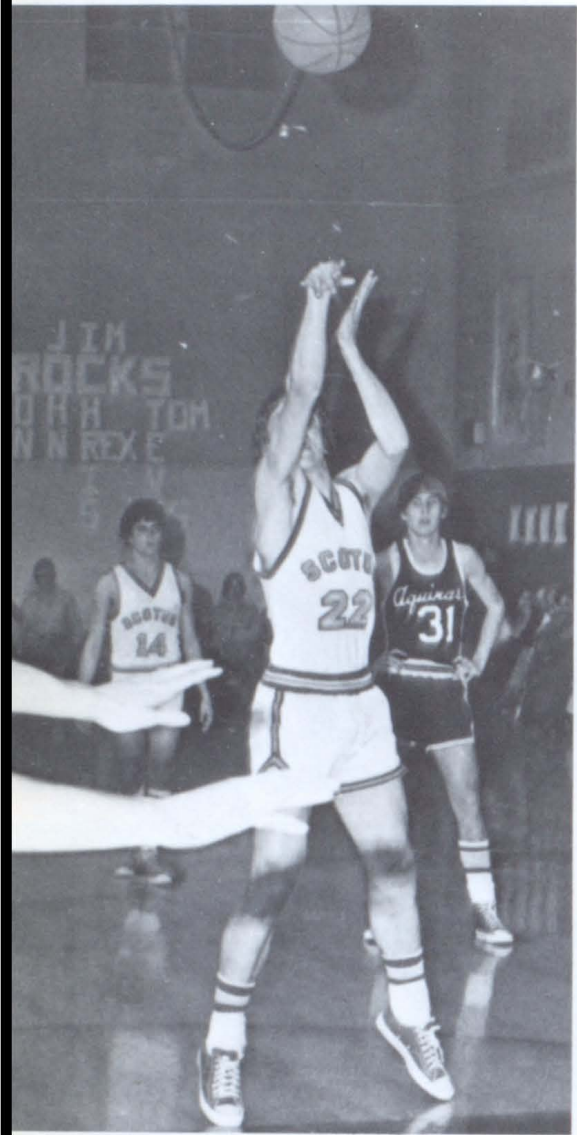


Tom Sobotka



JUNIOR VARSITY: Kevin Euteneur, Brent White, Tom Jarecke, Tom Malmstrom, Steve Korger, Laverne Kobus, Rich Jochum; Rex Kumpf, Kent Uphoff, Bob Flannery, John Kosiba, Coach Randy Berlin, Bill VanLent, Ron Korgie, Gary Schieffer, Jeff Muhle





FRESHMEN: Jeff Abegglen, Tim Tinius, Howard Jochum, Ken Zoucha; Jim McMeekin, Mike Cielocha, Phil Hajeck, Paul Johnson; Mike Savage, John Prososki, Tom Hoffman, Rick Schumacher; Coach Gary Puetz, Tim Maslonka



Major wins give track team incentive to "Keep On Truckin"

Although the varsity track team did not win as many major meets as they have become accustomed to winning, they did come home with first places in the Nebraska Catholic Conference, the KNights of Columbus Invitational, the Nebraska Centennial Conference, came in third in districts, and placed eighth in state. Besides these major victories, they brought home the usual cartons of relay trophies.



Coach Randy Berlin starts a race at a dual.



Head Coach Jim Puetz times a runner as he crosses the finish line.



Coach Vern Younger checks the placement of hurdles.



2 MILE RELAY: Tom Malmstrom, Pat Novicki, Gary Schieffer, Ron Korgie.
 JUMPERS: Mike Cielocha, Rick Schumacher, Jeff Muhle; Jim McMeekin, Tim Hroza; Mark Bartholomew, Dan Martin, Tom Sobotka, Kevin Abbott, Jay Wilhelm, Tim Tooley.
 440 RELAY: Chris Hoffman, Kevin Abbott; Darrell Spulak, Tom Sobotka, Dan Martin.
 HURDLERS: Jeff Muhle, Chris Hoffman, Tom Sobotka, Rex Kumpf, Rey Liss.





WEIGHT MEN: Kevin Abbott, Dan Martin, Brian Oppliger, Dennis Ryba; Doug Lippstreu, Bill Van Lent, Dan Schaecher, Chris Podany, Bob Flannery. DISTANCE: Mark Placzek, Gene Witt, Greg Voboril, Gary Kurtenbach; Pat Novicki, Dan Duran, John Kosiba, Nick Hajek. MIDDLE-DISTANCE: Jay Wilhelm, Greg Voboril, Steve Korger, Tom Malmstrom, Kent Uphoff, Rick Schumacher; Tim Tooley, Darrell Spulak, Ron Korgie, Gary Schieffer.





FRESHMAN TEAM: Mike Cielocha, Doug Obal, Todd Zuerlein, Mike Savage, Jim McMeekin, Paul Johnson, Steve Placzek, Nick Hajek; Tim Tinius, Jerry Sokol, Bob Proski, Tom Hoffman, Jim Reiser, Pat White, Greg Melcher, Joe Loeffler, Rick Schumacher, Gary Kurtenbach, Tony Thiele, Paul Melcher.

MILE RELAY: Greg Voboril, Jay Wilhelm, Tim Tooley, Steve Korger.

SPRINTERS: Chris Hoffman, Mike Cielocha, Mike Savage, John Heimann; Darrell Spulak, Kevin Abbott, Dan Martin, Tom Sobotka.

Not only did Rick Schumacher, Mike Cielocha, and Mike Savage turn in outstanding performances in freshman meets, but they also placed in larger meets. One of the most promising races at the district meet was the mile relay, in which the freshman team (Mike Cielocha, Mike Savage, Todd Zuerlein, Greg Melcher) led for two laps.





Tom "Streak's to state win

The announcement that Tom Sobotka had finished first in the state in the Class B 120-yard high hurdles made the several minutes it took the judges to decide worth waiting for. Tom, who broke a school record every time he competed in a meet, also qualified for state competition in the 180-yard hurdles, the triple jump, and the 880 relay. Tom finished second in the 180 hurdles. His points in these two events earned Scotus an eighth place in the state meet.

Also qualifying at districts for state competition were Gene Witt, who won the 2-mile run in 10:06.4; the record-breaking (8:21.0) two mile relay team of Tim Tooley, Pat Novicki, Ron Korgie, and Greg Voboril; and the 880 relay team consisting of Tom Sobotka, Kevin Abbott, Chris Hoffman, and Darrell Spulak.



Sprinters: Teresa Kelly, Connie Hajek, Bev Ebner, Gina Cutsor, Sandy Wieser, Pam Wiese; 2ND ROW-- Suzi Korger, Beb Zoucha, Tami Bogus, Linda Warth, Paula Slusarski, Jacki Melliger, Diane Schrad; 3RD ROW-- Shelly Davidson, Colleen Tooley, Kathy Korger, Erin O'Hearn, Lynn Torczon, Marilyn Bernt, Connie Konwinski, Venessa Kumpf.



Distance: Cindy Niedbalski, Denise Determan, Julie Jarecke, Jane Niedbalski, Janice Witt, Chris Kaasch, Ann Syslo.





Hurdlers: Kathy Korger, Diane Schrad, Lynn Torczon, Linda Warth, Marilyn Bernt, Gina Cutsor, Sandy Wieser. Jumpers: Deb Zoucha, Connie Hajek, Bev Ebner, Vanessa Kumpf, Erin O'Hearn, Lynn Torczon, Cheryl Schieffer, Janice Witt, Karen Czuba, Sally Schaecher.



Weights: Ann Hamling, Deb Baumert, Holly Holmberg, Kim Ernst, Lynn Enzminger, Nancy Rech, Sharon Rech, Carla Wieser, Kim Podany, Leigh Merrill, Barb Lueke, Jenny Liebenritt, Debbie Janky.

Scotus runners say "Follow Me"

This year's 1976 girls track team sent 6 girls in 4 events down to the Girls' state track meet in North Platte. Ann Syslo went in the mile run in which she placed 10th in State. She also set school records in this new event.



Senior Ann Hamling went to State in the shot put. Junior Jacki Melliger went in both the 220 run and the 880 relay. Other members in the relay were Senior, Paula Slusarski; Junior, Tammi Bogus; and sophomore, Connie Hajek.

Some pictures in the sports section are from the COLUMBUS TELEGRAM.

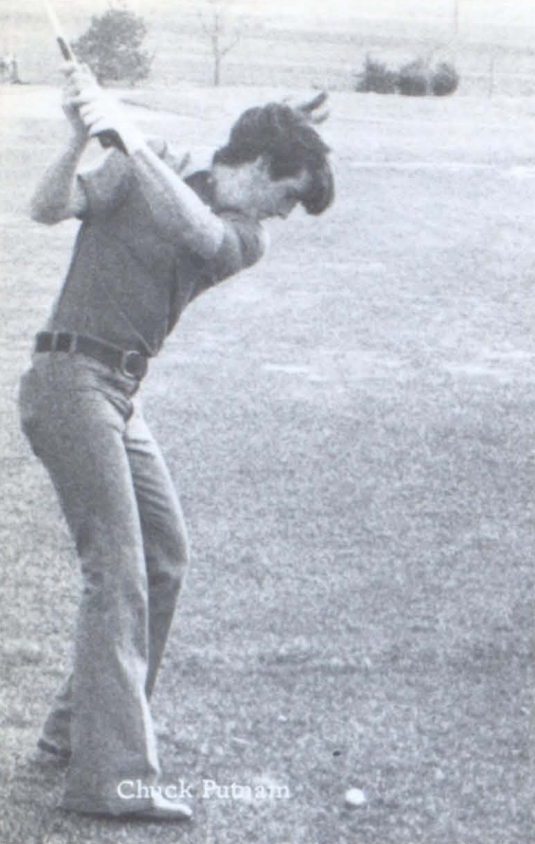


Golf team practices “Out in the Country” Club

1976 Golf team: Bob Prososki, Howard Jochum, Rich Jochum, Bill Fox, Frank Robak, Dave Cimpl, Chuck Putnam, Mr. Spenceri.



This year's golf team under the coaching of Mr. Spenceri set 2 school records and sent 2 to state. The school records were for the lowest team score in 9 holes (158) and in 18 holes (321). Dave Cimpl and Chuck Putnam both went to state with Dave finishing 2nd there, with a score of 77. It was held at the Elks Country Club in Columbus. Dave also set some new records. He tied for 9 hole low score with 35, 18 hole low score with 75, and had the most points earned in a season.



Chuck Putnam

This year's golf team was the 1976 Centennial Conference Champions. They also took the Catholic Conference Title, and placed 4th in Districts. Their dual record was 5 wins, 1 loss, and 1 tie. Senior lettermen were Dave Cimpl and Frank Robak, juniors who lettered were Chuck Putnam and Bob Proski, and Bill Fox was the lone freshman to letter.



Dave Cimpl



Rich Jochum



Bob Proski

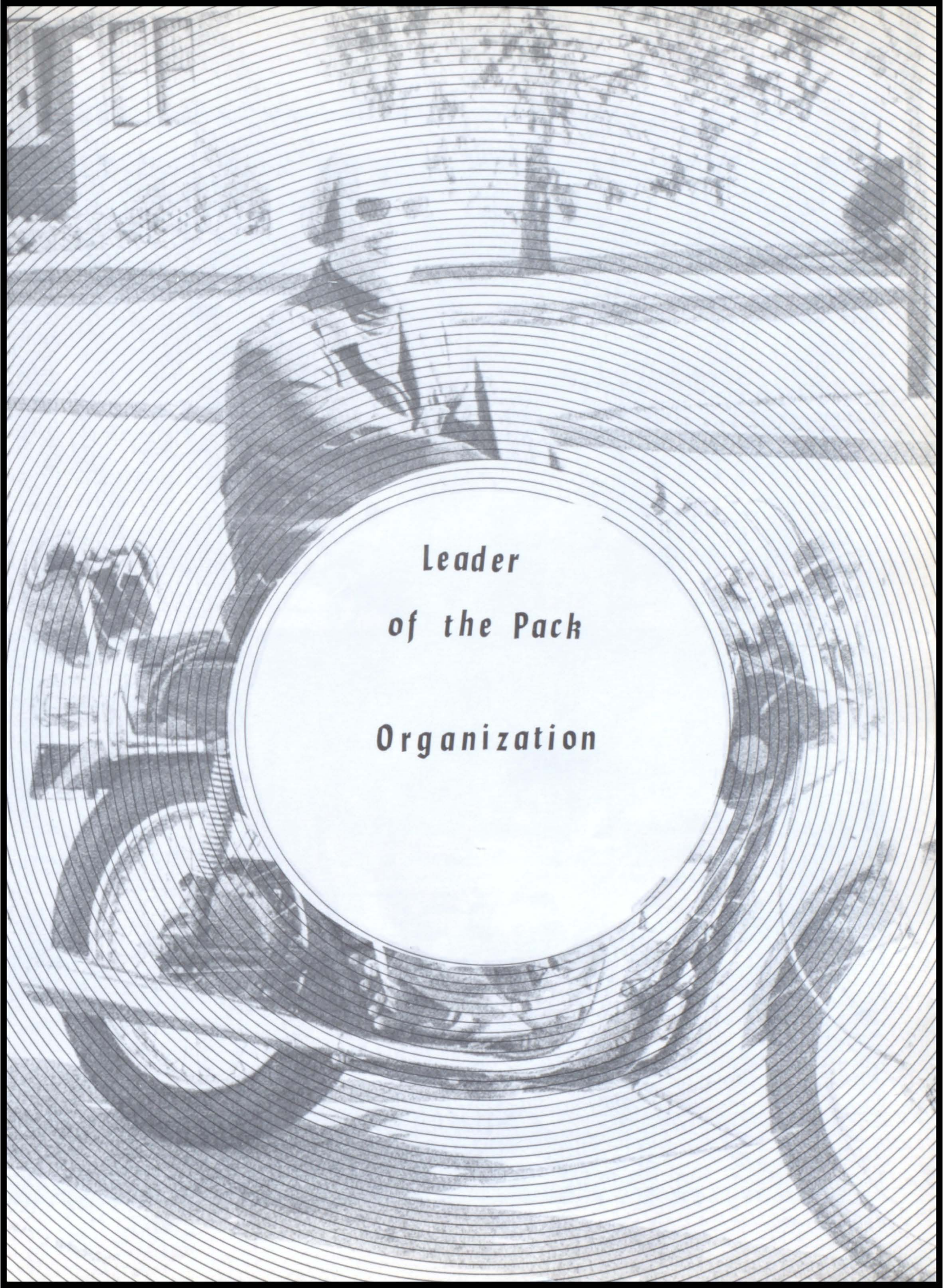


Howard Jochum



Bill Fox





**Leader
of the Pack
Organization**

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: Kathy Korger, Susie Korger, Lori Roy, head cheerleader Kristi Swanson, Deanna Hoffman, Tammy Gonka, Noreen Dowd.





PEP CLUB OFFICERS AND SPONSORS: president Nancy Kennedy, Miss Nancy Donner, vice-president Barb Meyer, secretary Julie Zuerlein, Mrs. Carol Osten, treasurer Leigh Merrill.

SQUAD LEADERS:

- (freshman)
- Janice Witt
- Jane Niedbalski
- Sally Schaecher
- Mary Jo Chlopek
- Jeni Liebenritt
- Julie Jarecki
- Lindy Grubaugh
- Marilyn Bernt
- (sophomore)
- Terri Dreifurst
- Amy Maguire
- Cathy Wieser
- Lynette Hogelin
- Debbie Zoucha
- Shelly Davidson
- Connie Hajek
- Debbie Janky

- (junior)
- Diane Duren
- Virginia Zoucha
- Tami Bogus
- Linda Savage
- Diane Johnson
- Donna Ebner
- Cindy Niedbalski
- Bev Ebner
- (senior)
- Mary Holmberg
- Szui Mrzlak
- Diane VanLent
- Maureen McNair
- Joyce Warth

FRESHMAN CHEERLEADERS:
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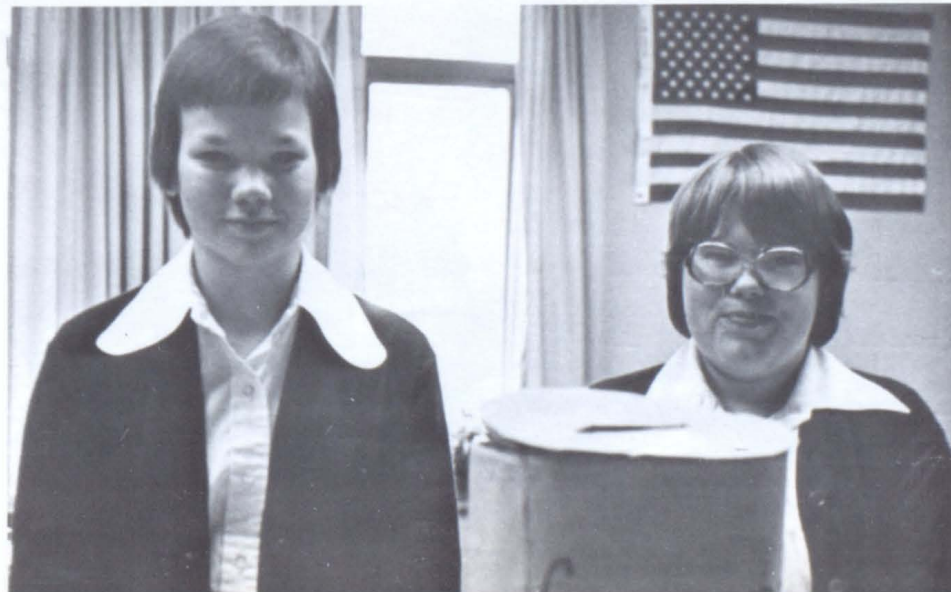
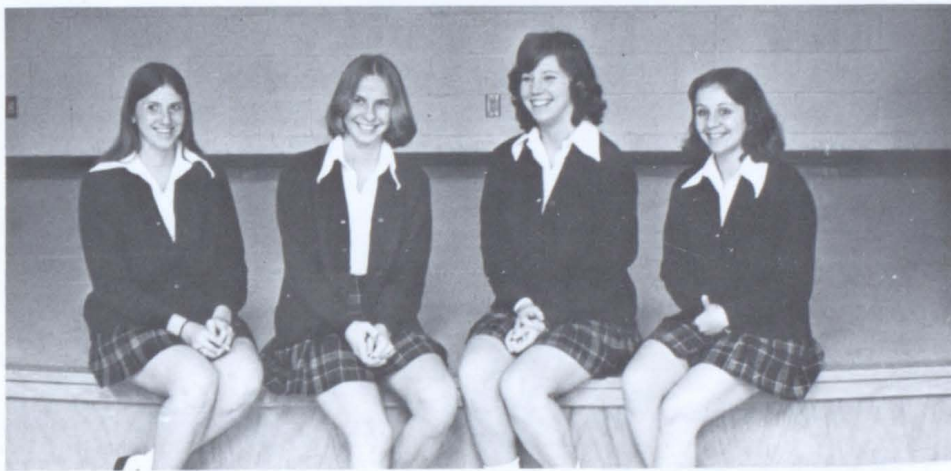
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JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: Colleen Tooley, head cheerleader Chris Kaasch, Kim Grohs, Kelli Tooley, Terri Weiler.







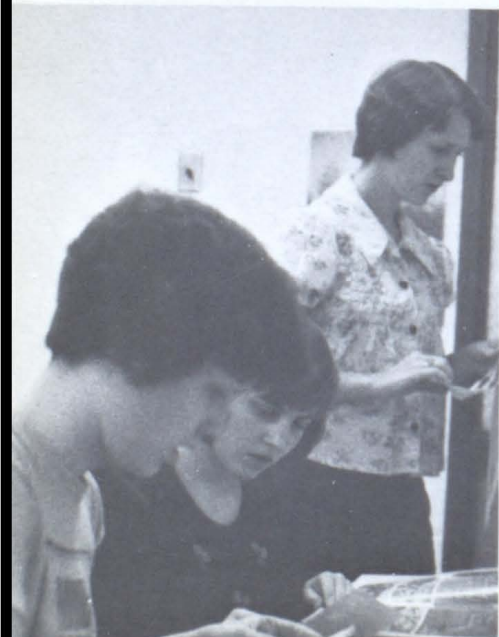
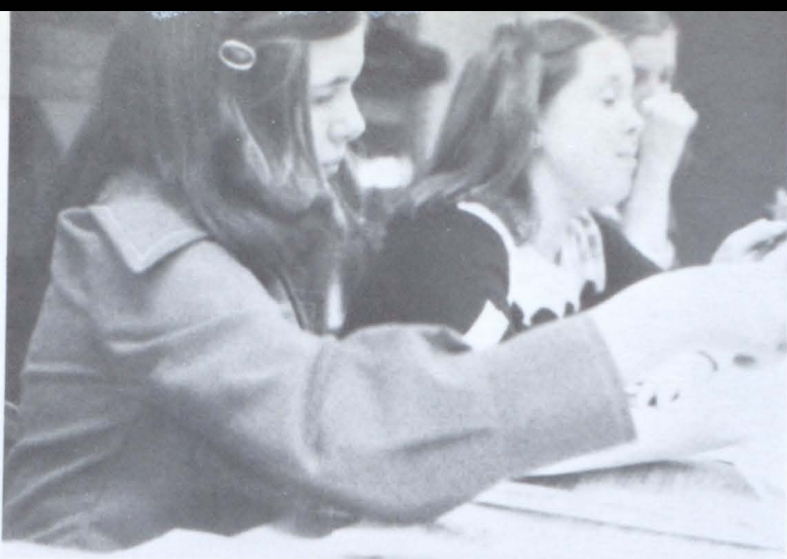
FRONT ROW: Nancy Kennedy, Maureen McNair, Ken Zoucha, Pat White, Lori Roy, Deb Bogus, Susi Mrzlak, Kathy Korger. SECOND ROW: Cathy Wieser, Laurie Bosak, Terry Kurtenbach, LaVern Kobus, Chuck Czuba, Linda Savage, Jill Kennedy, Doris Kosch. THIRD ROW: Tom Sobotka, Katrinia Tarnick, Mary Jo Chlopek, Jenny Liebentritt.

The 1975-76 student council were active in many things this year, such as taking part in the muscular dystrophy drive. They also participated in collecting Colgate Palmolive coupons. Another successful activity was the Shamrock Night Ticket Sales. The students went all out and sold over \$8000 worth of tickets. They broke all records and were rewarded by getting two free days off of school. The student council also gave Mrs. Fletcher a plaque for her many years of hard work, dedication, and delicious meals.

Lori Roy, president of the student council is shown presenting Mrs. Fletcher with her plaque.

President Lori Roy; Vice-president Deb Bogus; Secretary Suzi Mrzlak; Treasurer Kathy Korger.

The annual staff worked many hours and strove to make the 1975-76 annual the most exciting and informative ever to come to Scotus. Each and every annual member contributed time and ideas to achieve this goal. The staff promoted the annual by presenting humorous advertisements over the intercom and by saying "Grin if you've got one!" Under the guidance of the new annual advisor, Sr. Joan, the staff came to realize its goals and work together to produce a yearbook with a new look.



Photographs and Memories



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- Photographers: Sr. Joan Orleans
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Theresa Zuerlein, Noreen Dowd, Diane Duren, Tammy
Gonka, Diane Johnson, Susie Korger, Cindy Niedbalski
Julie Zuerlein.

Producing a monthly school paper is not always an easy job. There were nearly forty students who comprised one of SCOTISTICS' largest staffs. With Mrs. Heth's guidance, the staff found out how much hard work is required to meet these monthly deadlines. SCOTISTICS contained many articles on the students' daily life at Scotus and also much material for enjoyable reading. Some interesting articles included "Outlook on Marriage for the 1980's" and a poll on life at Scotus.



Chorus shows: "I've Got the Music in Me"



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 GERALYN SPIES
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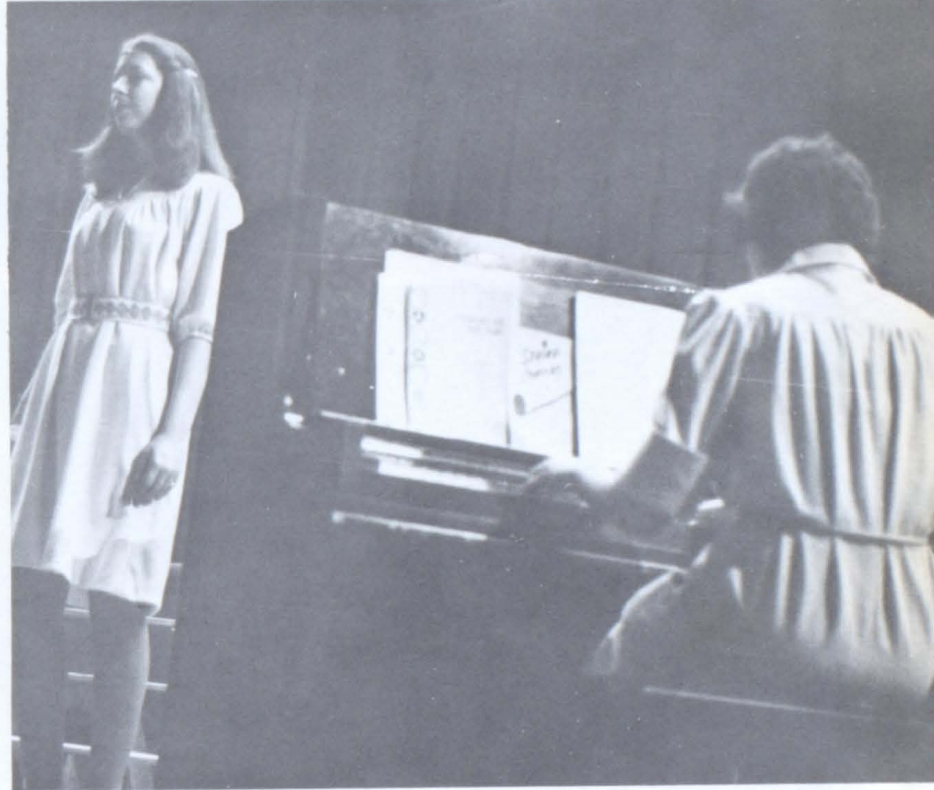
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An especially popular group this year was the swing choir. They performed in the concerts and at Honor Society induction, but their favorite program was the take-off on Hee-Haw they presented for the service clubs that visited Scotus during the year.



The music department at Scotus sang and played its way through its annual two productions, the Christmas and Spring concerts. Under the direction of a new teacher, Mr. Dave Ferguson, it also sang and played its way to a gratifying performance at the district music contest. The chorus received a first-place rating, and the soloists all received excellent and superiors.

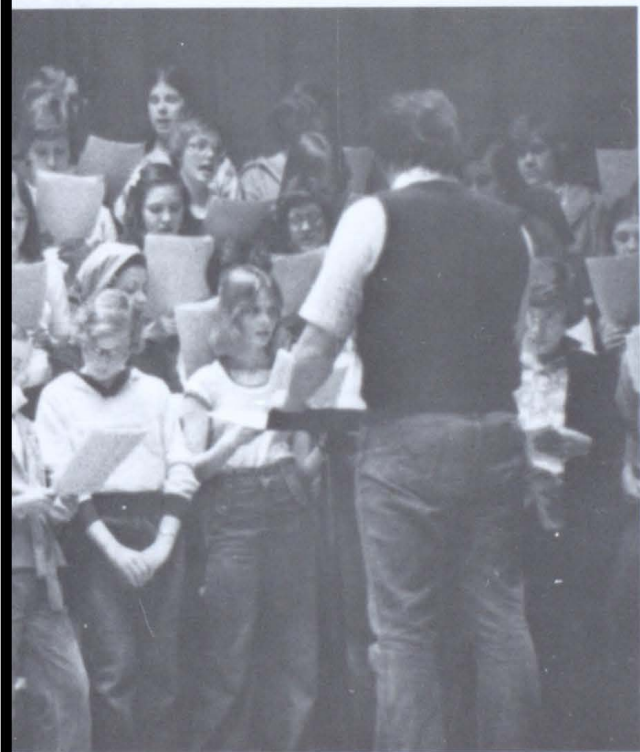




Students of Scotus, under the direction of Fr. Dean Uhing, presented WEEK OF FIRE before a packed auditorium on the evening of Good

Friday. The play presents the events of the last week of Christ's life.

The Week of Fire



CAST

Christ
 . . . Fr. Dean Uhing
 Satan Don Byers
 Clowns . . Frank Robak
 Tonja Dreifurst

CHOIRS

Singing choir
 . . . St. Mary's Church
West Point
 Voice choir
 Scotus Junior
 . . . and Senior High,
 . Mr. Dave Fergusson,
Director

CREW

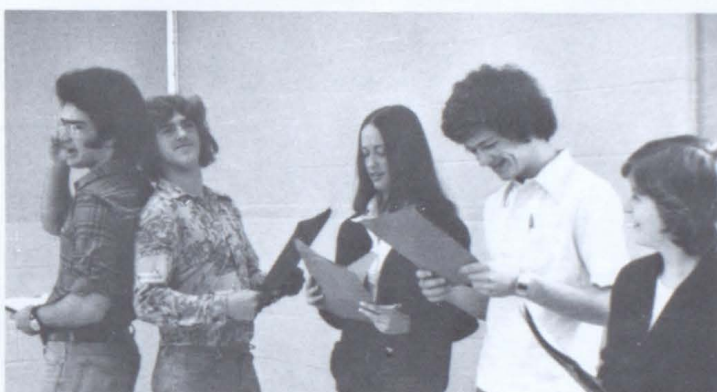
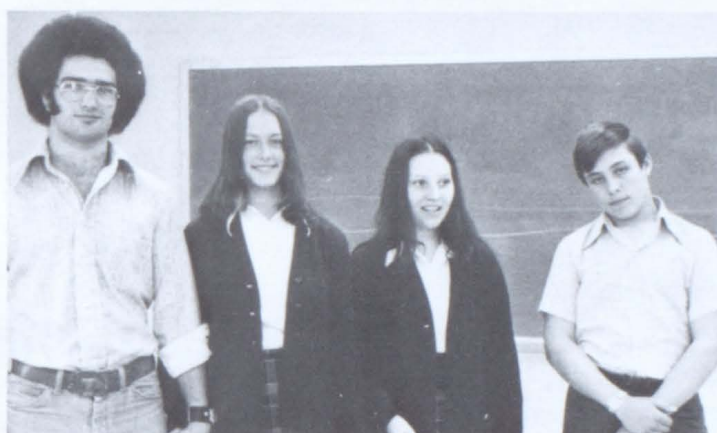
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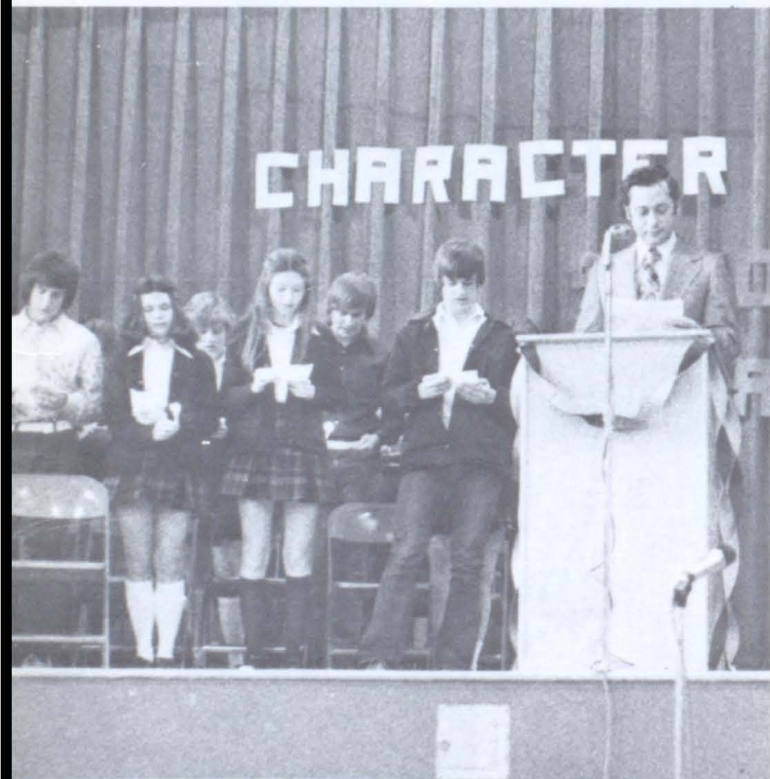
This year the junior high presented the musical TOM SAWYER under the direction of Mr. Dave Ferguson. A few of the scenes shown here are the old men singing while they chase the cats away, Tom looking over the items he received from his friends, Mary trying to make Tom presentable for Sunday services. These are among the many entertaining scenes of the evening.



Speech Talent: "We Can't Hide It Anymore"



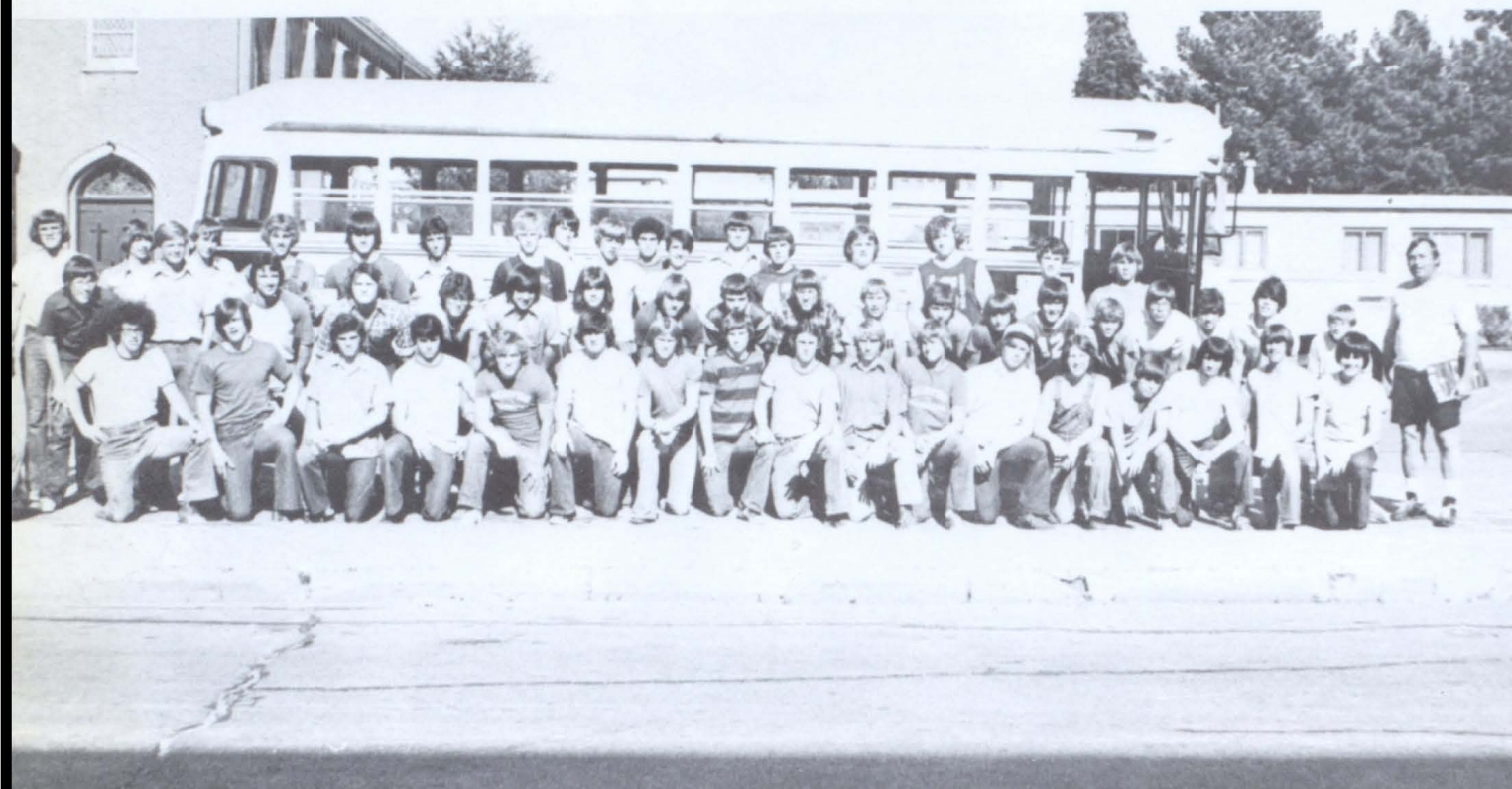
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The Honor Society usually goes on several outings a year. In September they visited the Freedom Train in Omaha, touring the United States in honor of the bicentennial. Members also give service to the school. Connie Bernt changes the hall bulletin board, one of the club's projects. Each year new members are selected on the basis of scholarship, leadership, character, and service and inducted into the society in an impressive ceremony before the entire student body.

FIRST ROW: Fritz Gerber, John Mausbach, Jim Feehan, Greg Melcher, Chris Hoffman, Greg Jochum, Dave Ebner, Dan Duren, Tom Malmstrom, Steve Korger, Rey Liss, Jeff Muhle, Jeff Pekarek, Greg Oppliger, Joe Held, Ted Krzycki, Mike Cielocha, John Kopetzky. SECOND ROW: Rich Jochum, Bill Fox, Mark Gdowski, Kevin Abbott, Dan Martin, Kent Uphoff, John Wheeler, Tim Harrington, Dennis Ryba, Ron Reilly, Ron Korgie, Pat Novicki, Randy Brezinski, LaVern Kobus, Gary Schieffer, Rick Schumacher, Mike Savage, Todd Zuerlein, Paul Melcher, Kevin Euteneuer, Mr. Puetz. THIRD ROW: Doug Lippstreu, Darrell Spulak, Al Wunderlich, Tom Sobotka, Dan Schaecher, Jay Wilhelm, Tim Tooley, John Kosiba, Jim Schumacher, John Heimann, Chuck Putnam, Bill VanLent, Steve Heimann, Mike Novicki, Jay Czuba, Rex Kumpf, Tim Hroza.

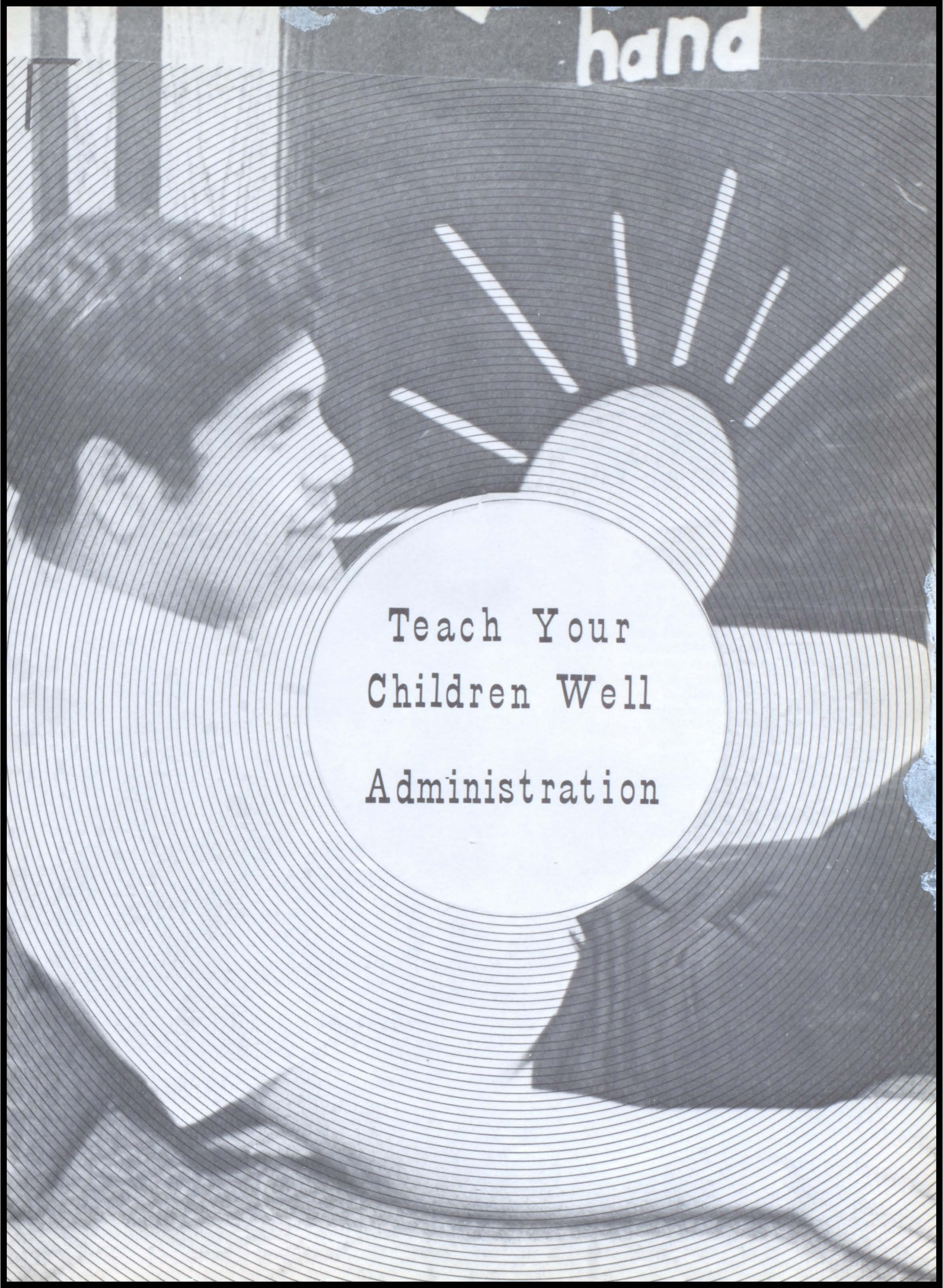


S-Club Resurrects at year's end

Dan Martin is the president of the S-Club this 1975-76 school year. His vice-president is Lester Nosal, and the Secretary Treasury is Dan Schaecher.



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Teach Your
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Administration

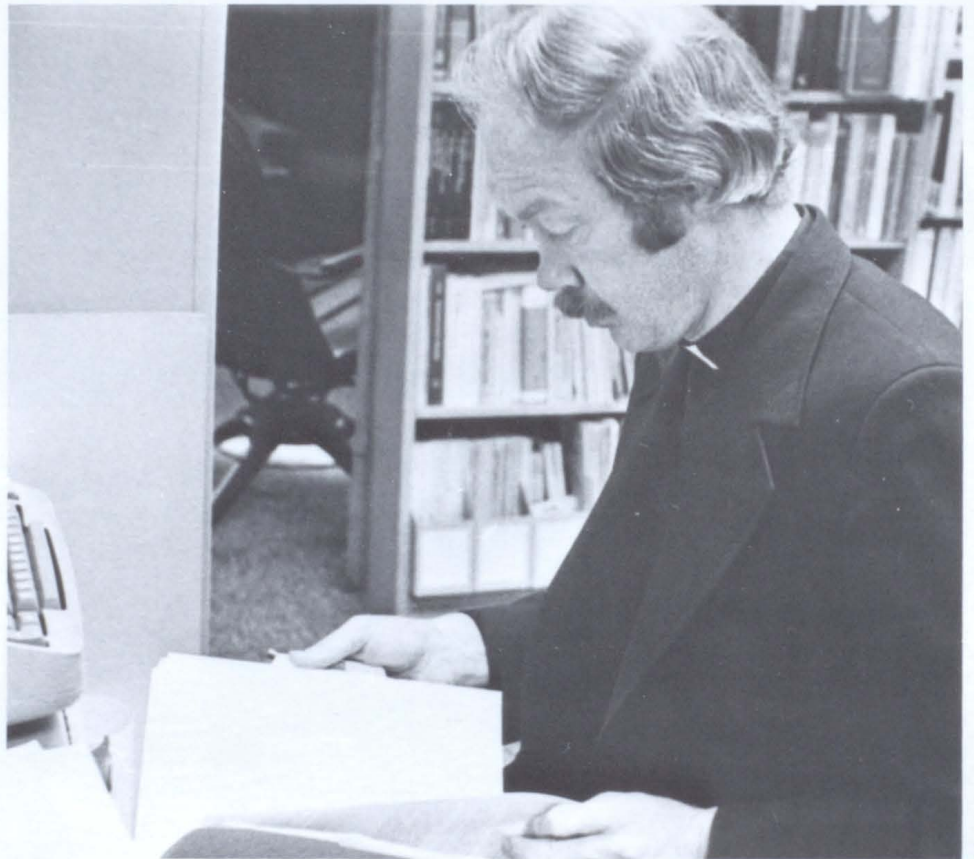


People who care

"People who care" is the only way to describe the success of Scotus, starting with your parents who care to give you the very best--so they give you a Catholic school to attend; including the teachers and staff who work for less, but who care all the more to give their best; and you, the students, who really care to learn and make the most of what God wants you to be.

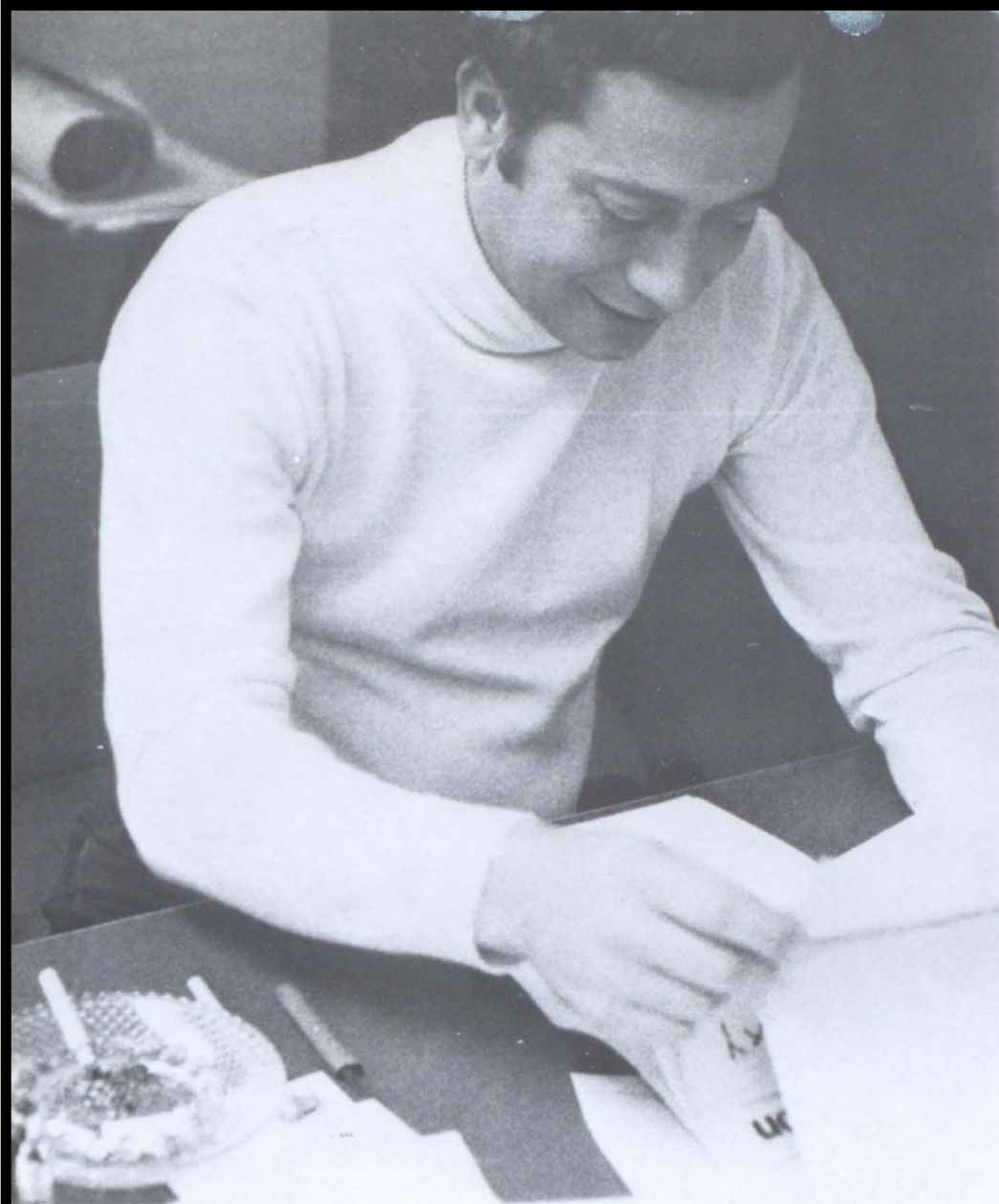
My salute this year goes to all the "people who care." May God bless you who work not for reward, but because you care.

Fa. Jim Buschelman



ABOVE: Whether in the classroom or in his office, superintendent Rev. James Buschelman is always available for students. Father teaches the newly individualized senior religion program this year. LEFT: Father poses with Mrs. Don Schrad in front of the school's new memorial plaque. This is just one of the new programs instituted this year to bring Scotus the public attention it deserves and needs to stay alive.



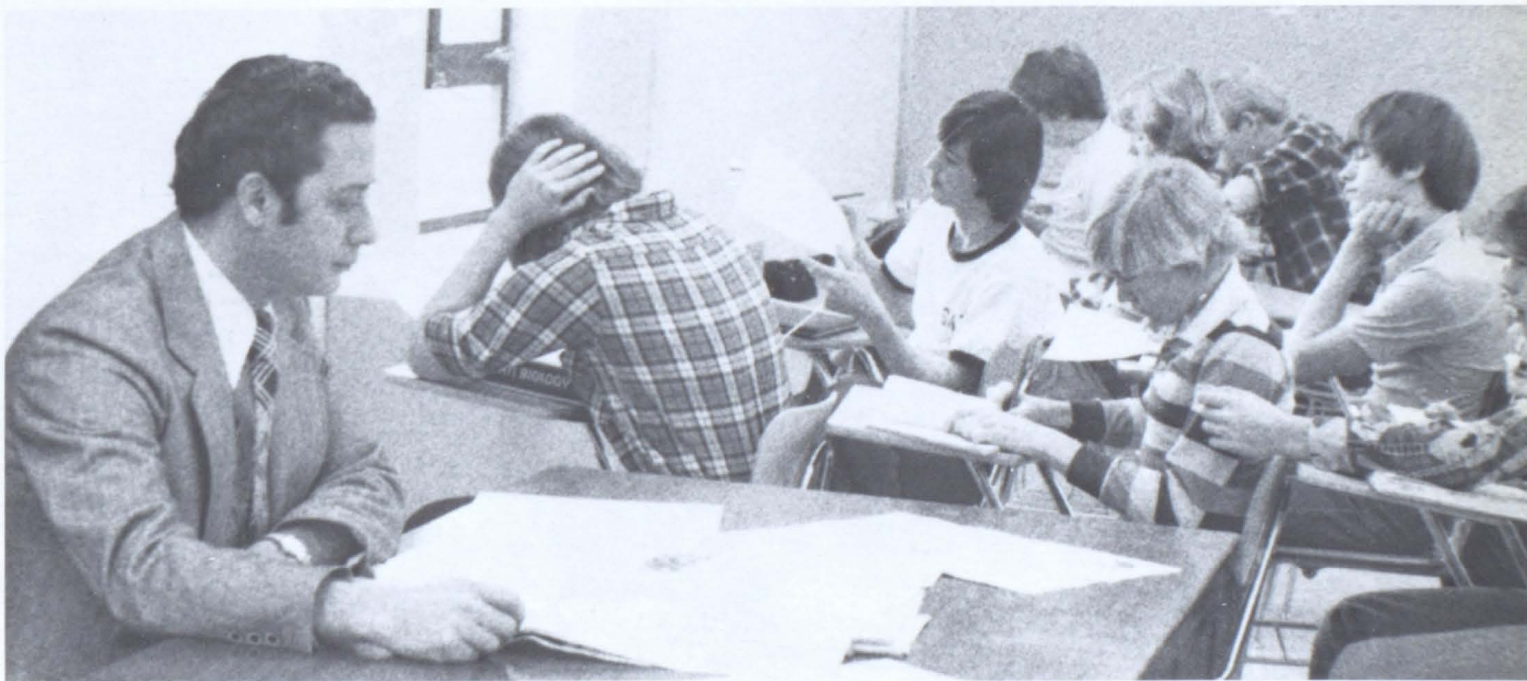


Carrying small stones'

The man who removes a mountain begins by carrying away small stones. This caption appeared with the freshman class in the nineteen seventy-three Scotus annual. I feel the class of seventy-six has done just this. Each year more and more members of this class have been carrying away small stones and in the process have been clearing the path toward a successful adult life.

Use your education and Christian values wisely and you will be able to conquer the obstacles of life. You may need to adjust your plans at time, but with strong faith and convictions you will be able to reach your goals.

Ed Hittner



On the average day you are just as likely to find Mr. Ed Hittner, principal of Scotus, giving service to the students as a substitute in the classroom as behind his desk in the office.



Scotus School Board: (BEHIND THE TABLE) Mrs. Schrad, Mr. Steve Jahn, Mrs. Jochum, Sam Prosocki, Mr. Ed Hittner, William Merrill, Father Jim Buschelman, (IN FRONT OF THE TABLE) Father Laurin, Mrs. Smith, chairman Jack Nosal. (NOT PICTURED) Father Regis, Dr. Sojka, Ron Novicki, Father Price, Fahter Kucera, Leo Lassek, Father Rizzo, Larry Rosno, Marion Slusarski, Father Starostka, Matt Schumacher, George Soulliere, Father Downey, Father Dickes, Father Mitera.

People helping People

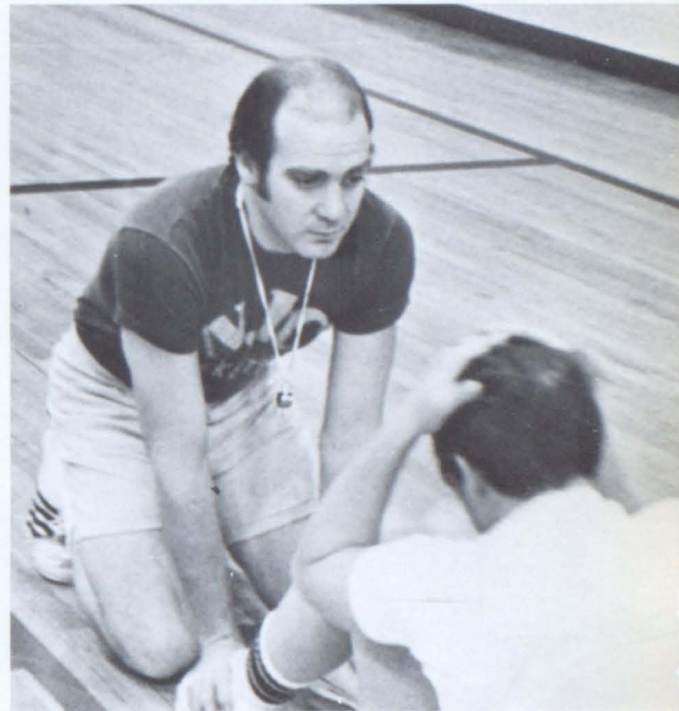
A new Scotus Advisory Board was formed this year by leading Columbus Citizens interested in upholding the high standards of education for which Scotus stands. The major project this year was a Scotus Educational Fund Drive including a door-to-door campaign of the Catholic homes in Columbus. Many interested citizens devoted their time to this cause.

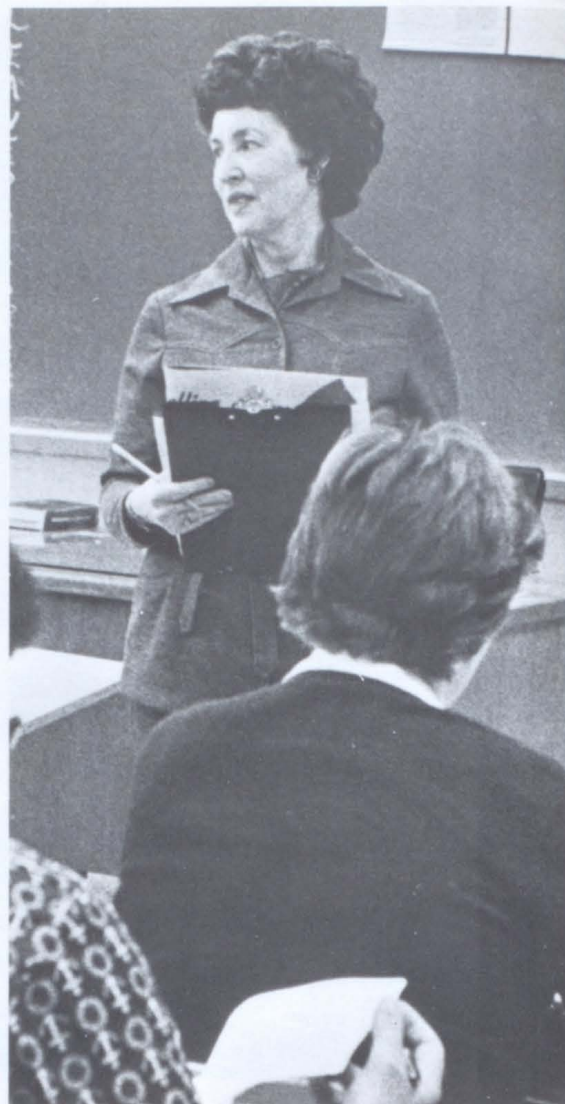
Members of the board are E.H. (BUS) Lohr (chairman), D.W. Hill, N.C., Rogers, Mrs. Don Schaufelberger, Leo Dowd, Robert Gangel, Jay Orr, J.O. Peck, and James George.





LEFT: Mrs. Deanna Ekeler helps a student with her lesson. Mrs. Ekeler teaches home economics to junior and senior high students; the class has been especially popular with the senior boys this year. BELOW: Mr. Frank Spenceri, who teaches physical education in junior and senior high, gives Bill assistance with his sit-ups. BELOW: Mr. Dave Fergusson leads the girls' chorus. New this year, he teaches junior and senior high music and has started a pep band.

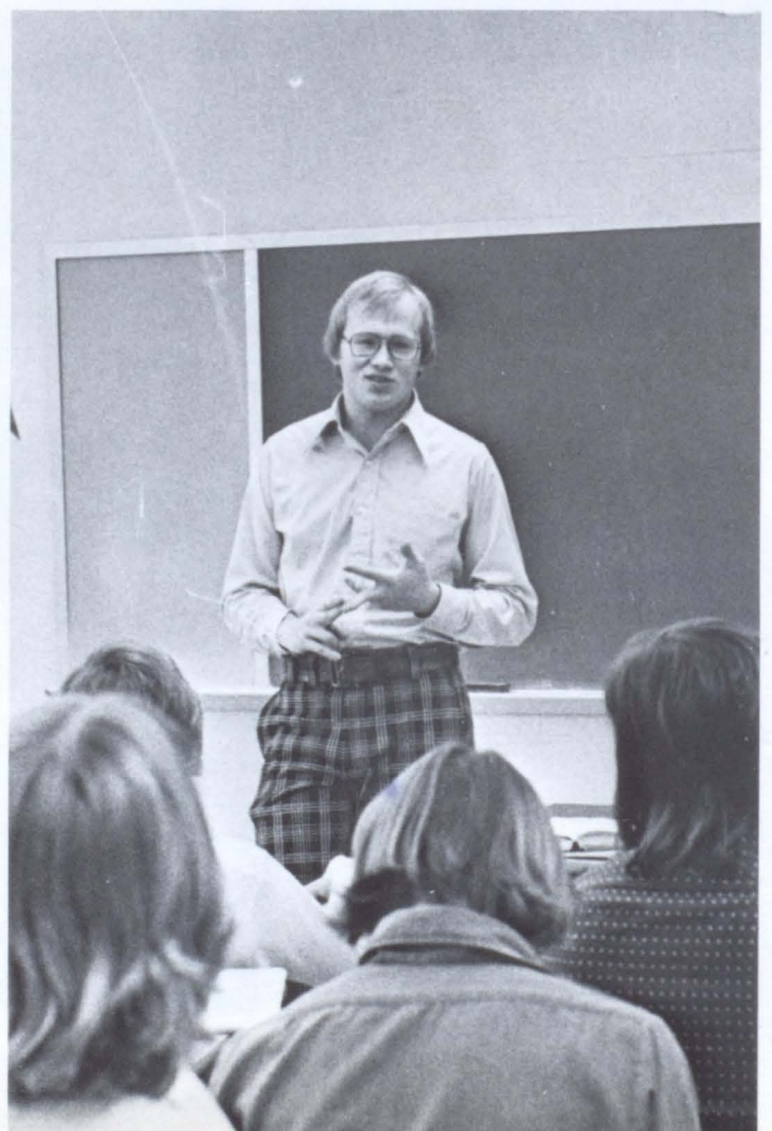
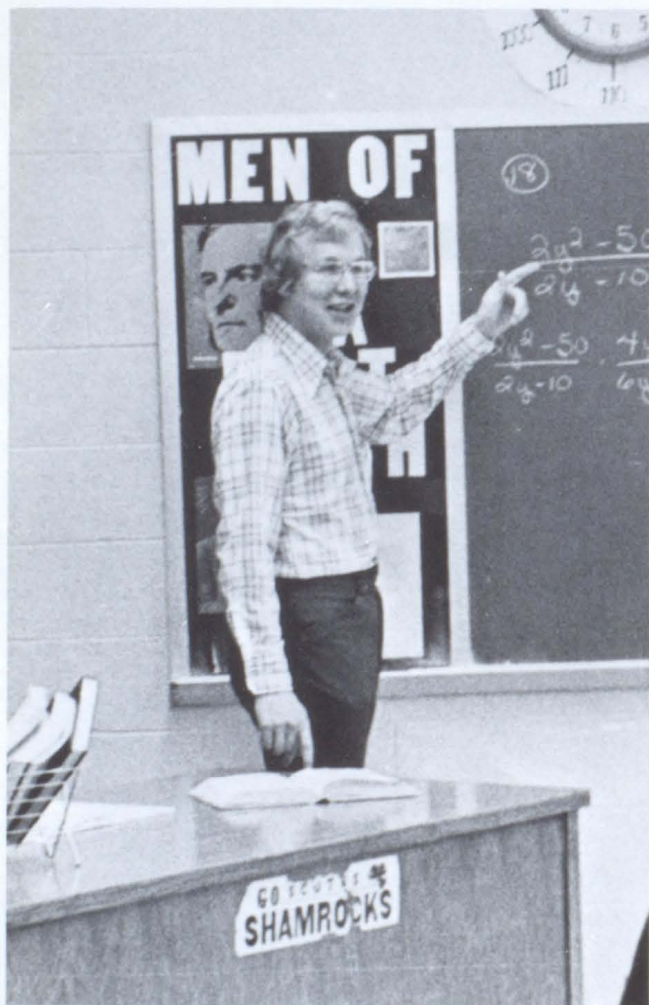
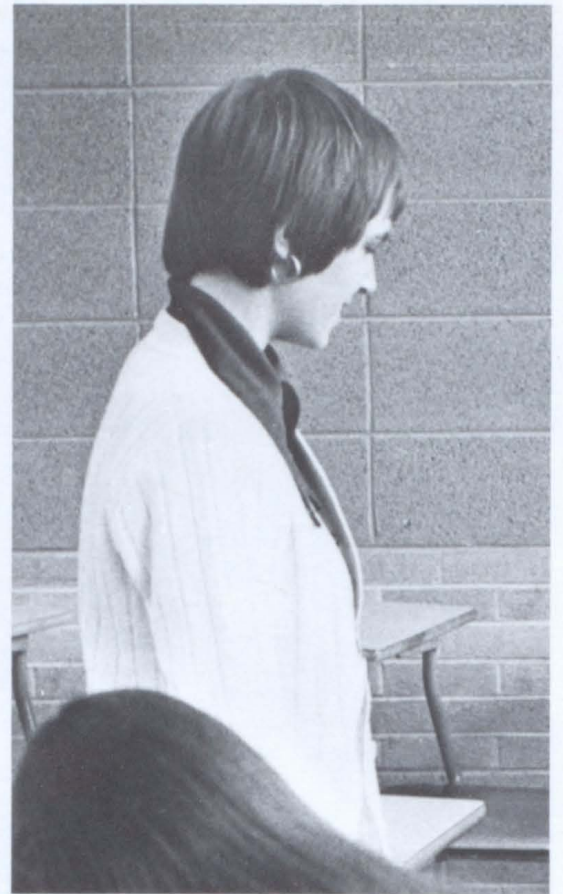
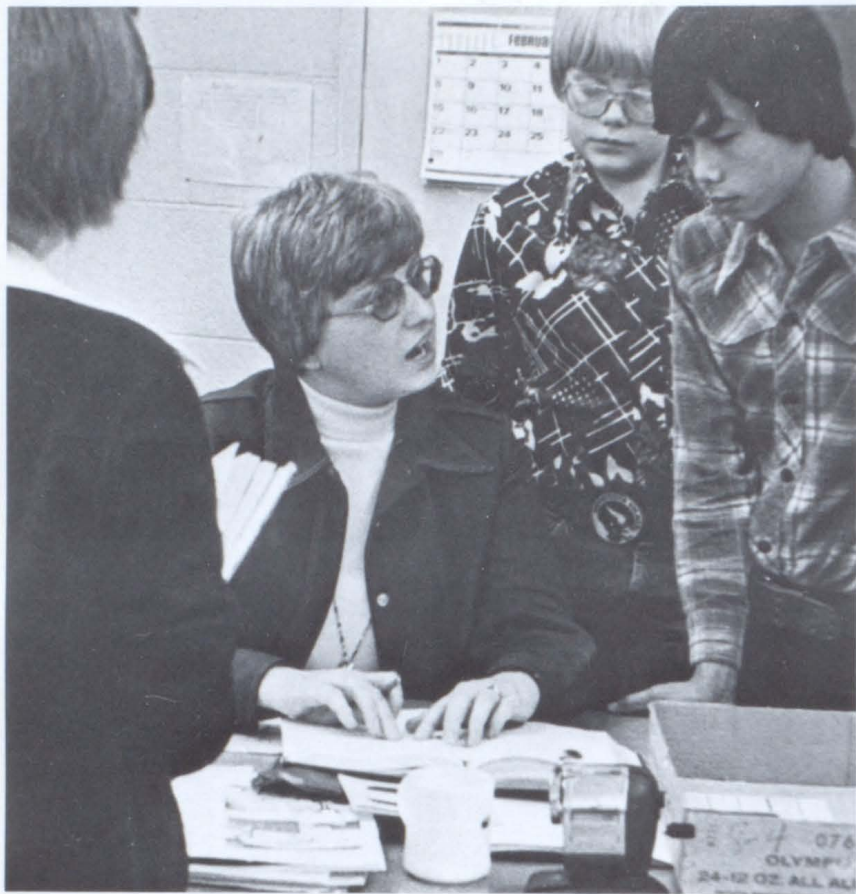


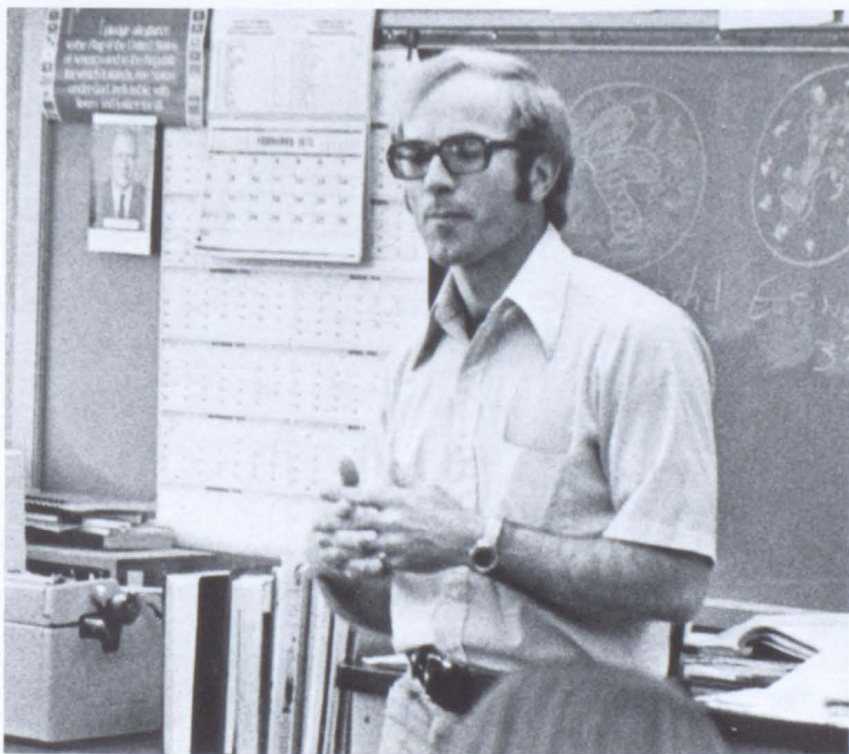
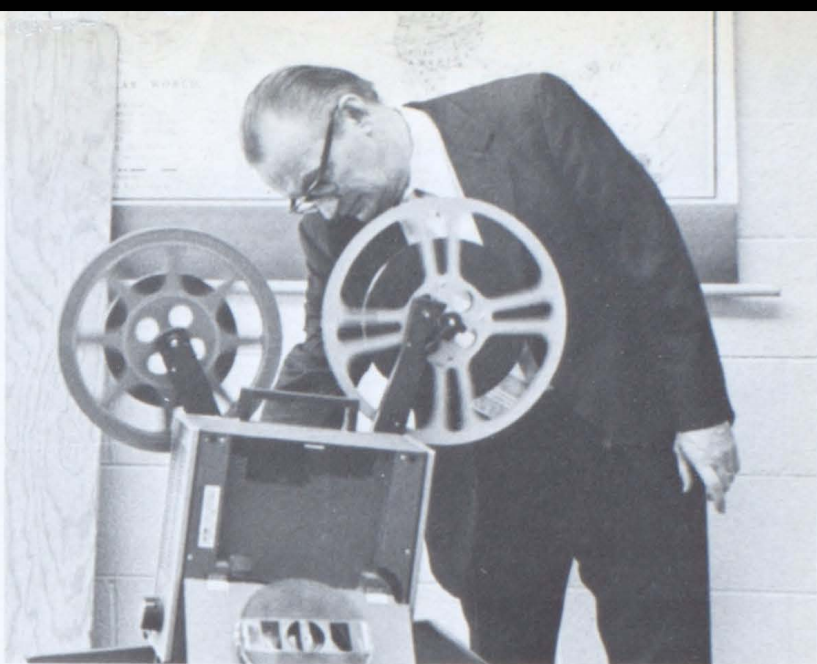
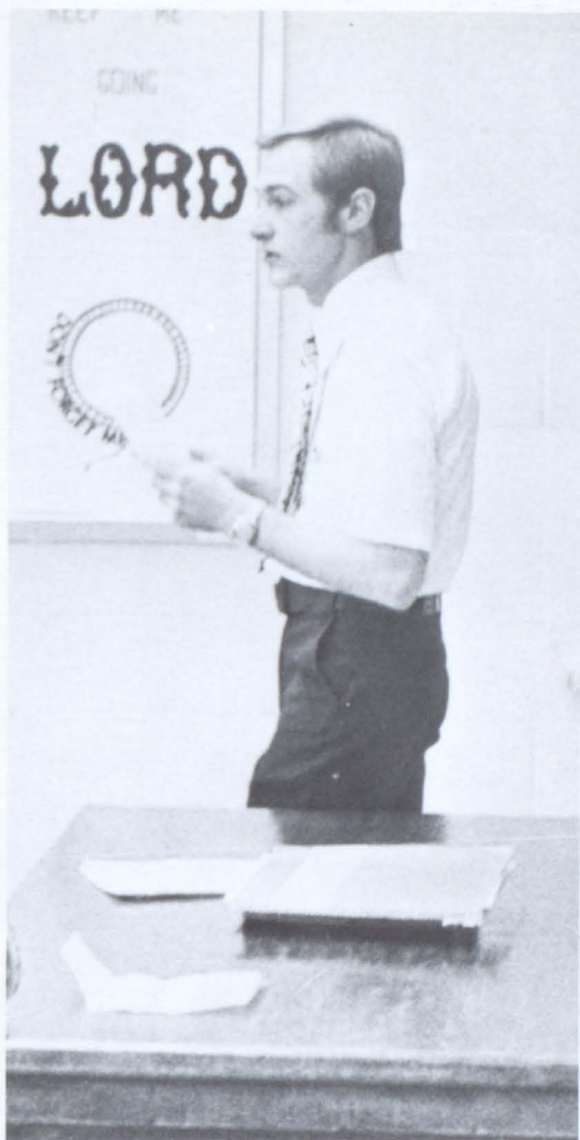


THIS PAGE: Mrs. Sandra Heth explains Shakespearian drama to one of her freshman and sophomore English classes. Sr. Joan Orleans, new speech and English teacher, watches students compose. Mrs. Alberta Peck gives her seniors a taste of Old English. She also teaches junior English. Miss Sharon Kadinger, librarian, shows students a few resources. OPPOSITE PAGE: Mrs. Jeanie Jensen checks a poster done by one of her art students. She also teacher German. Mr. Henry Deluna tests his students' knowledge of Spanish. Mrs. Jeane Larsen, 7th grade English teacher, has begun teaching high school drama this year. Miss Jeanne O'Hare teaches junior high English and literature and is well known for her puppet productions.

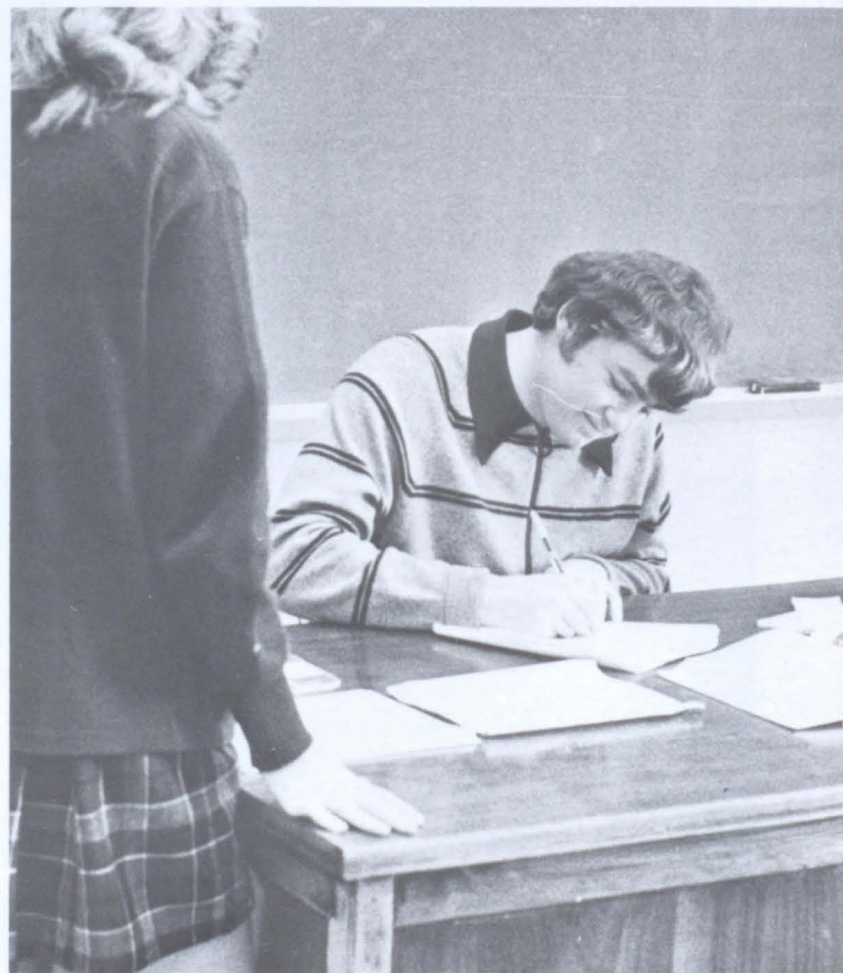
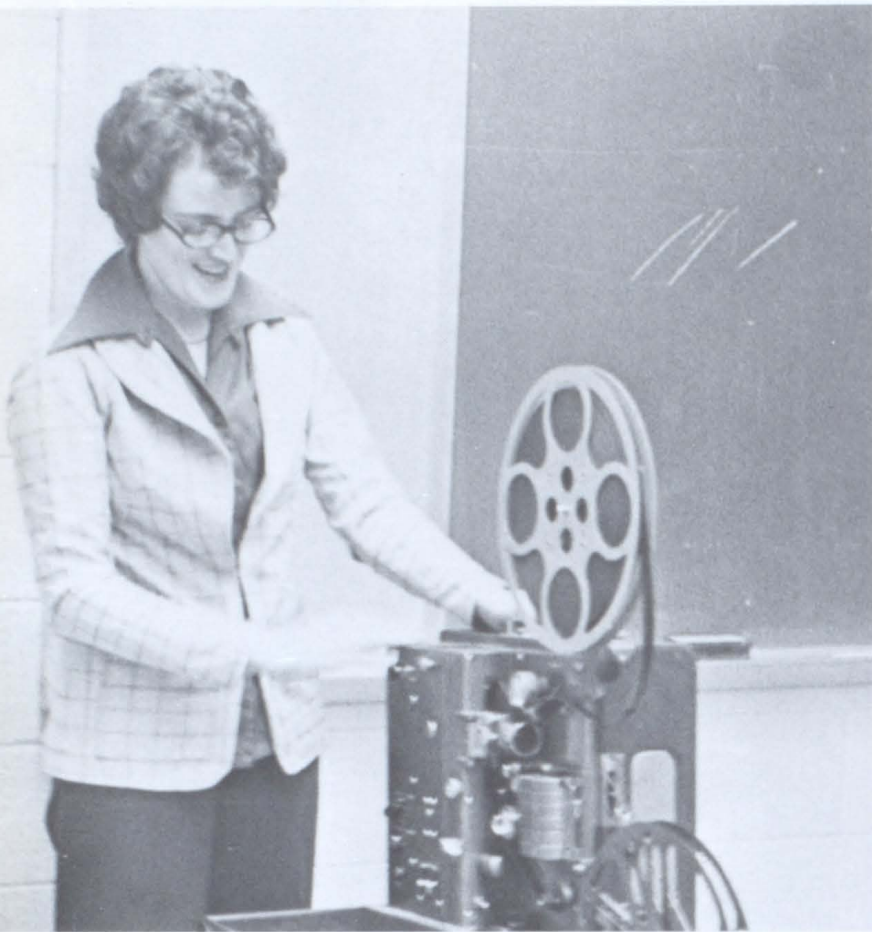


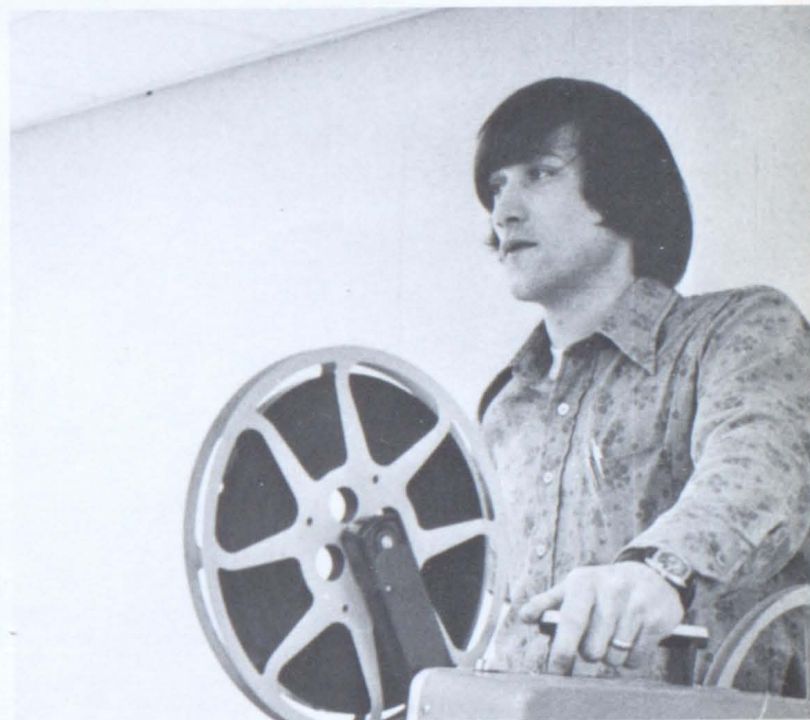
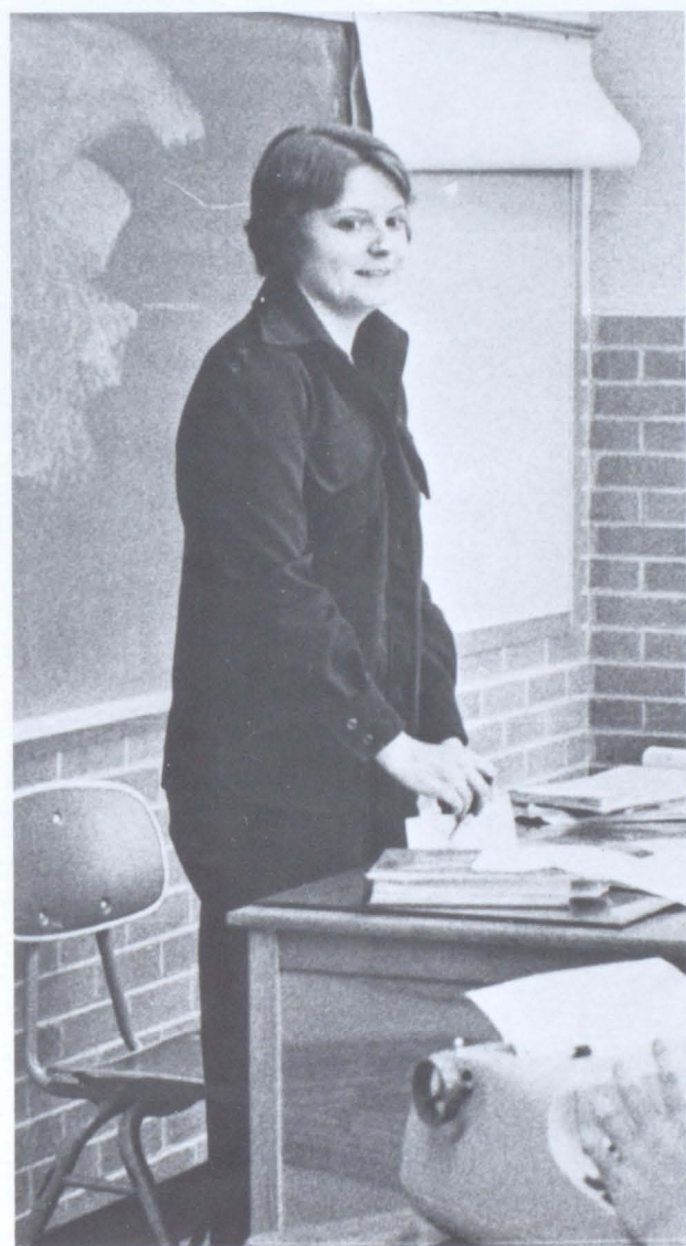
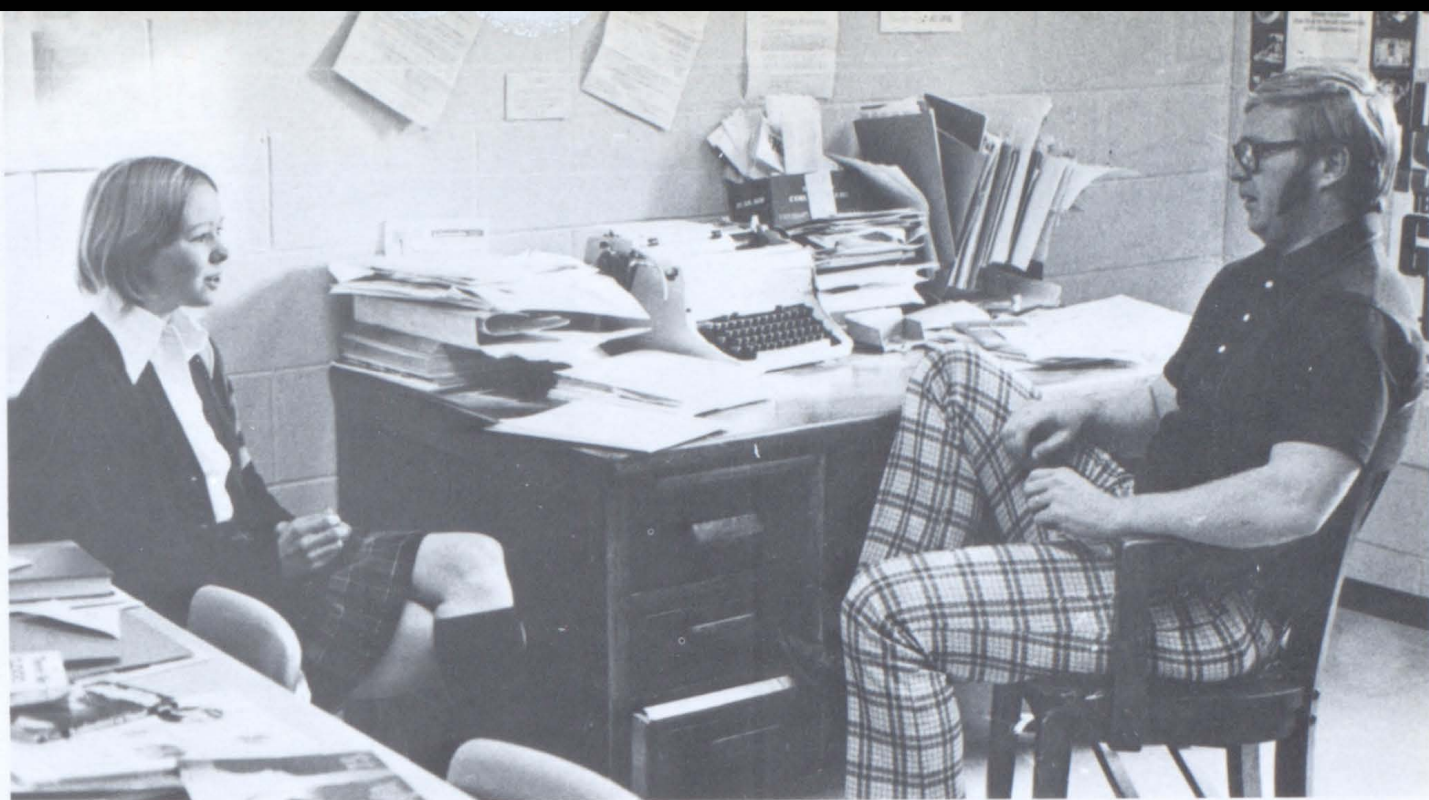




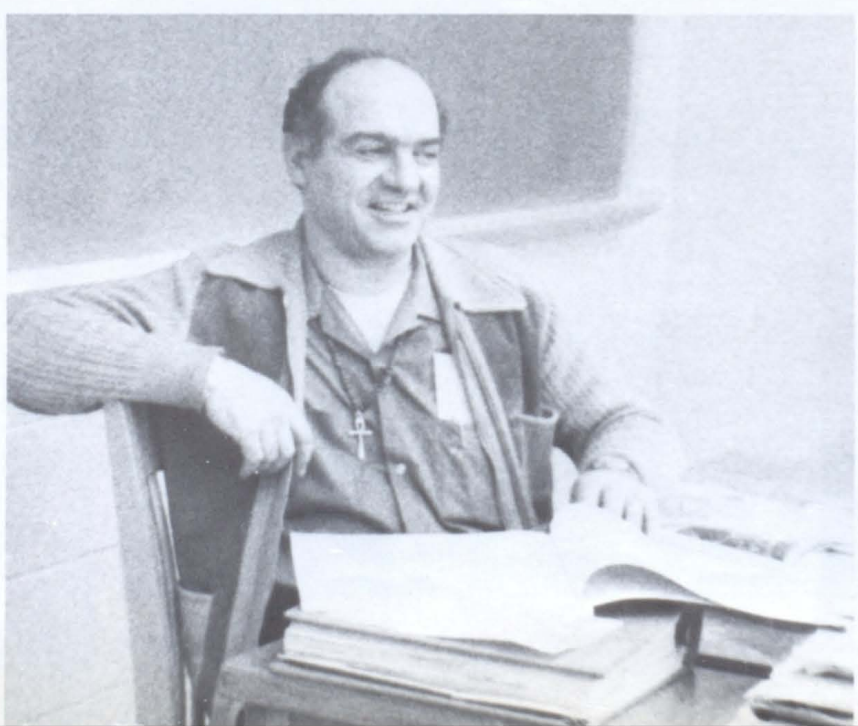
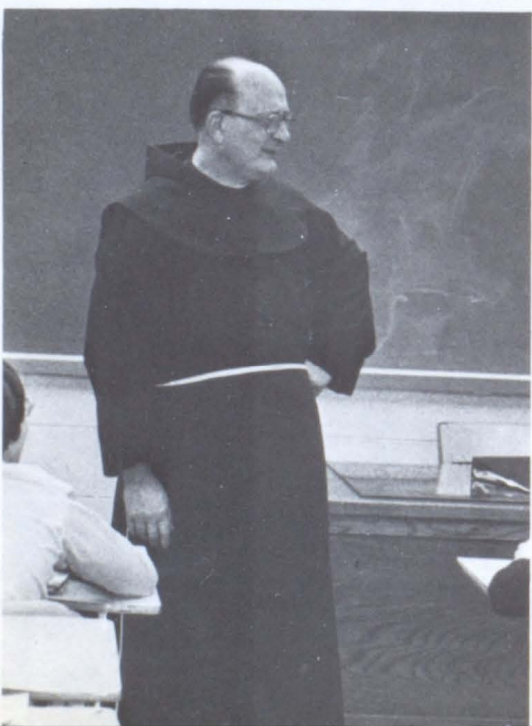
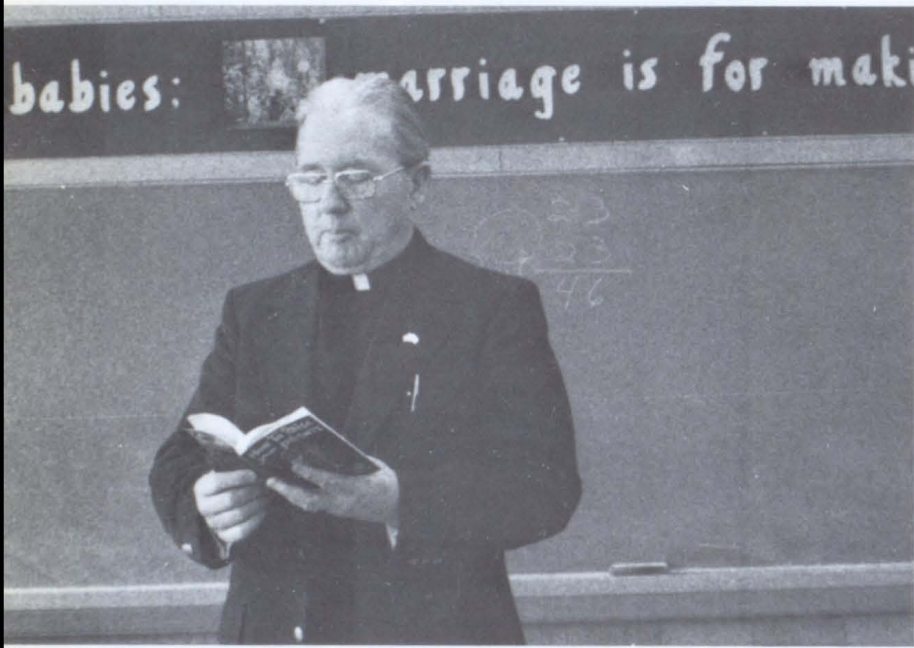


OPPOSITE PAGE: Mrs. Mabel Pekarek finds herself surrounded by eighth grade math students. She teaches junior high math. New to Scotus, Mrs. Sharon Swanson is the chemistry teacher. Mr. Lynn Salyer does a bit of figuring for Algebra II. He also teaches physics and advanced math. Mr. Randy Berlin answers questions for his geometry class. Mr. Berlin also teaches algebra. THIS PAGE: Besides being junior high principal, Mr. Steve Jahn teaches junior high science. Mr. Ed Rech, junior high science and senior high math teacher, rewinds a film. Mrs. Lynne Kotrous teaches math in both junior and senior high. Mr. Vern Younger's classes include senior physiology and sophomore biology.





OPPOSITE PAGE: Miss Nancy Donner's social studies classes cover such diverse topics as income tax and the middle ages. Mrs. Barb Malicky's social studies class enjoys a film. Mrs. Malicky also teaches junior high science. Mr. Jim Puetz illustrates his point with a map. He teaches world geography and American history. Mr. Gary Puetz teaches social studies in the junior high and driver education in the senior high. THIS PAGE: Mr. Dale Heth, Counselor, makes Joan Vaughn at home in her new school. Besides serving as counselor, Mr. Heth teaches typing. Also teaching typing, as well as all other business courses, is Mrs. Carol Osten. Mr. Bob Young, shown here in the projection booth of the little theatre, teaches world geography and earth science.

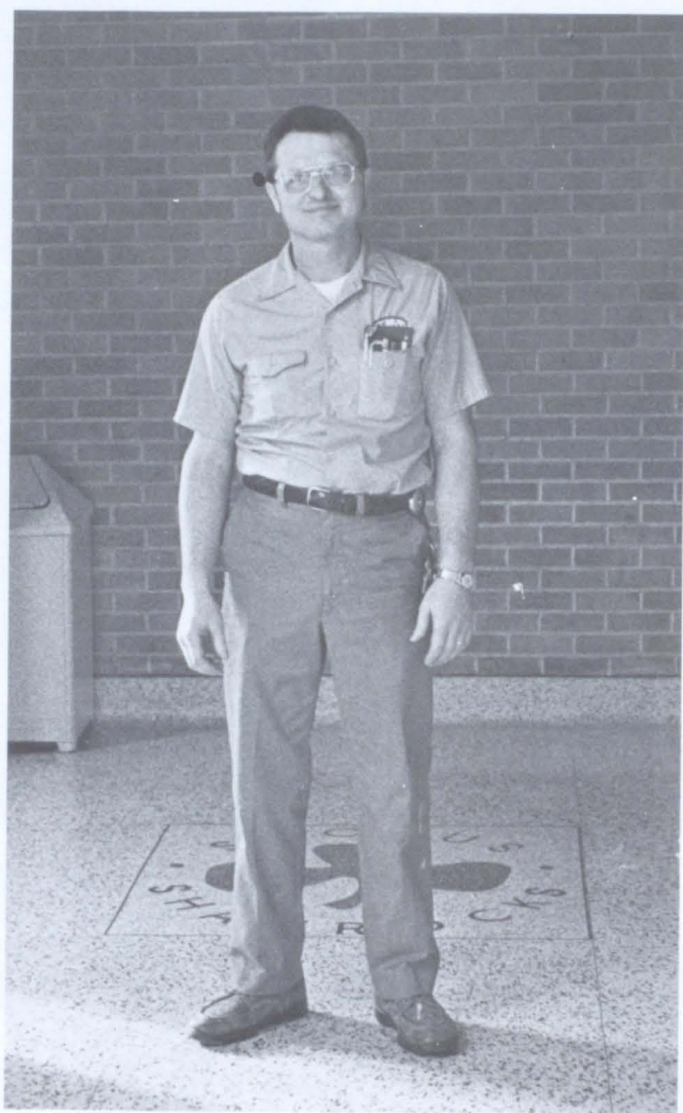
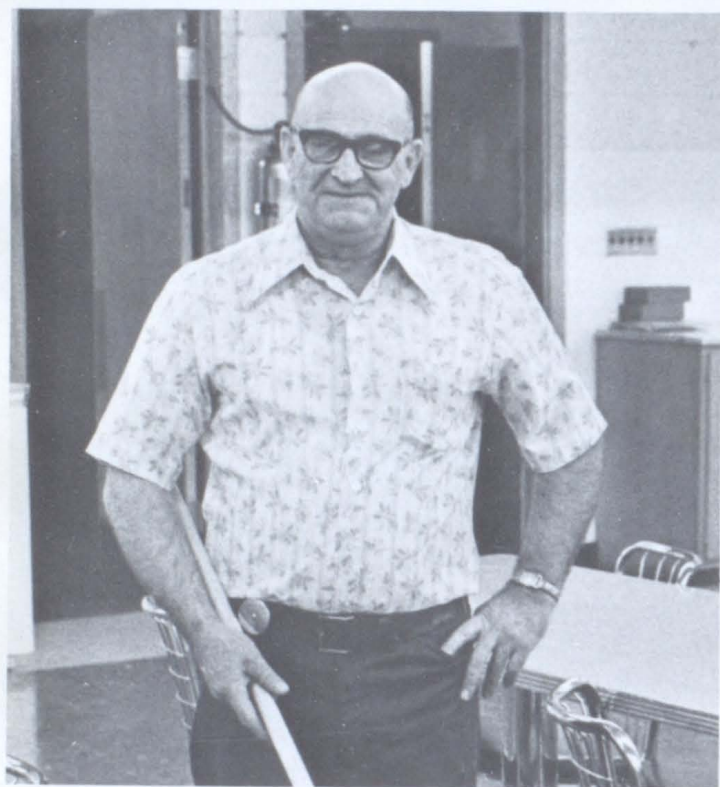




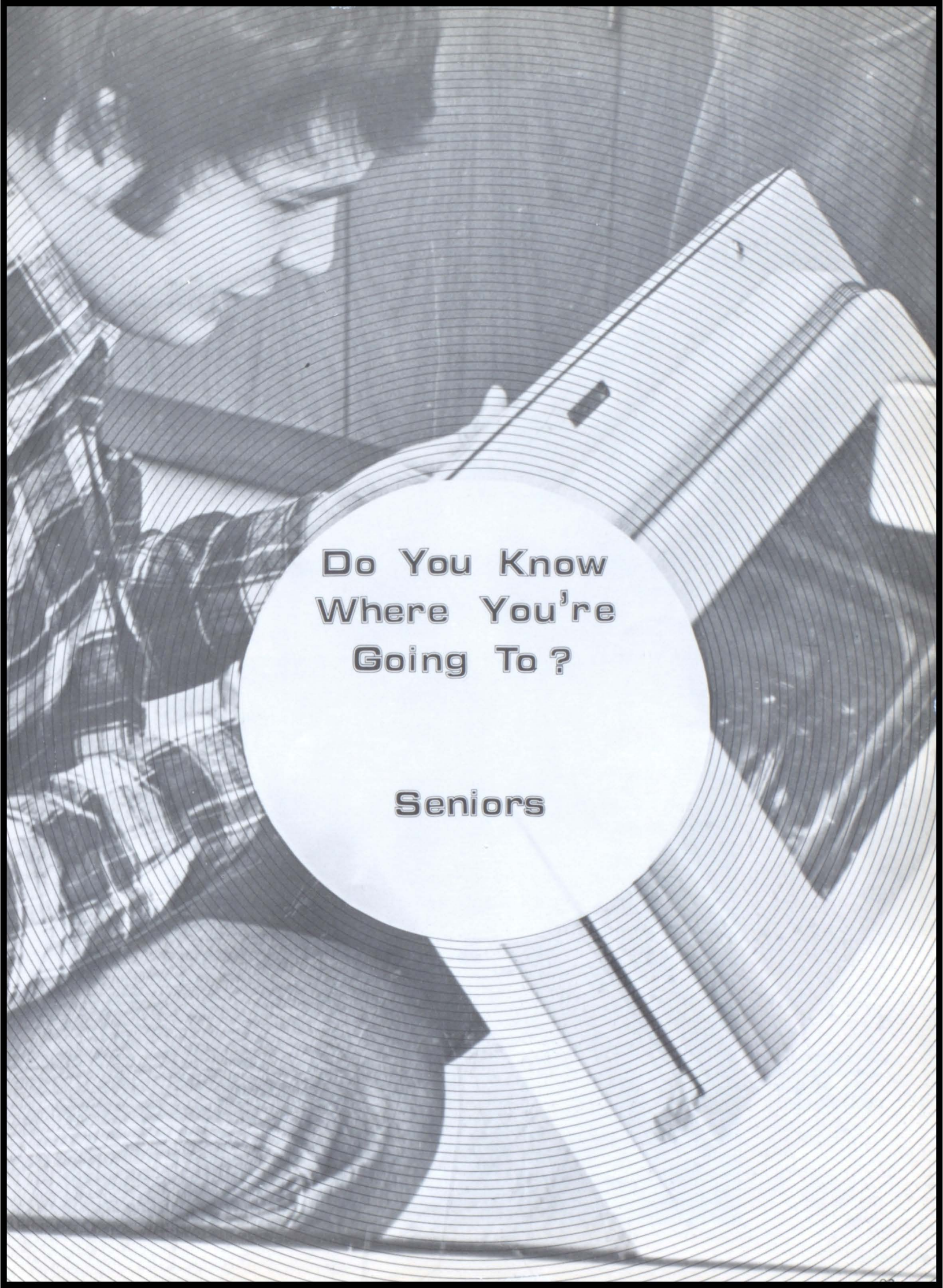
Sister Marguerite Ternus coordinates the totally individualized junior high religion program. Lecturing in that program are Father Laurin Buzynski and Father John Rizzo. In charge of the senior high individualized religion program is Father Dean Uhing, new to Scotus this year. Father Francis Price helps in the instruction of freshmen and Father John Starostka teaches sophomores.

Keeping Scotus running smoothly by handling the paperwork and the day to day emergencies are Mrs. Mary Jeanne Keating, a familiar face to Scotus; Mrs. Ruth Jochum, who handles the sale of textbooks; and Mrs. Mary Bogus.





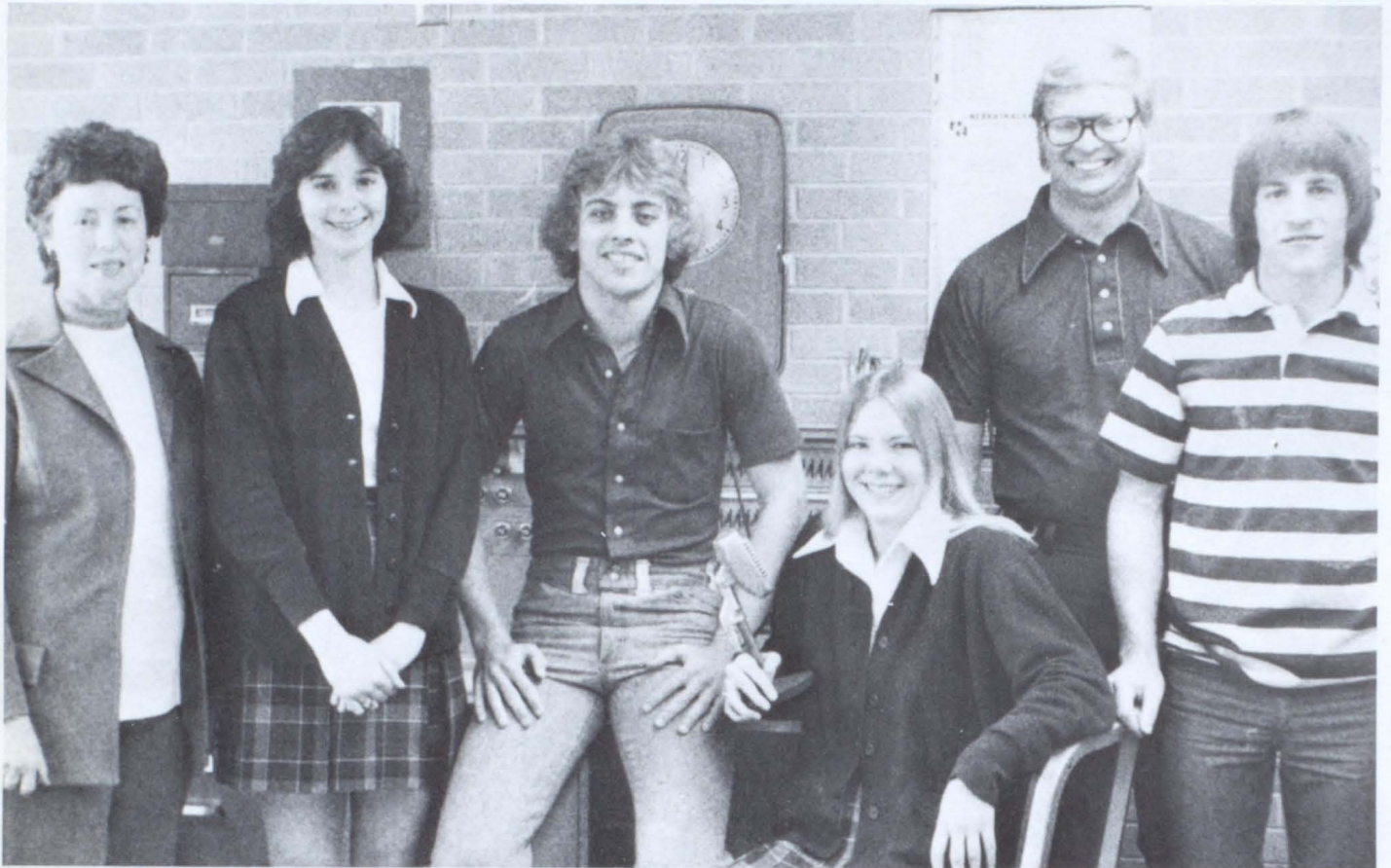
Under Mrs. Fletcher's expert supervision, the Scotus cafeteria maintains an exceptionally high standard. This can be attested to by the service clubs who ate here as guests of the school during Catholic Schools Week, as well as by the students themselves. PICTURED AT THE SERVING TABLE are Elsie Lange, Clara Fletcher, Cecelia Bitter, Karen Kuta, Leona Szudlo, Lucille Maag, Verne Jarecke, Josephine Haney, Cathy Hilger, and Betty Hajek. Mr. John Mohr and Mr. Alvin Kurtenbach are always on hand to keep Scotus running smoothly in everyday routine and emergencies. Mrs. Diane Kudron keeps the books for Scotus.



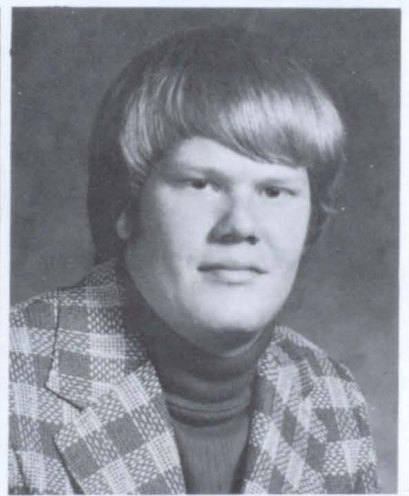
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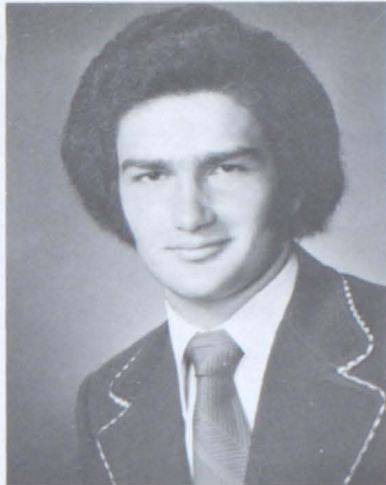
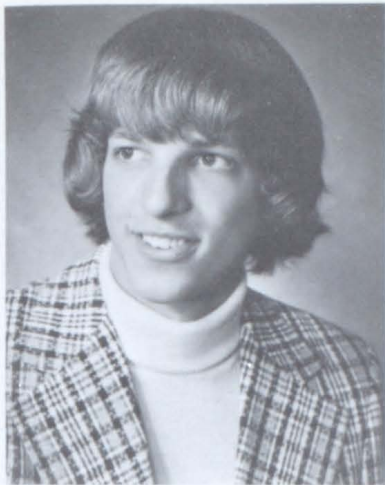


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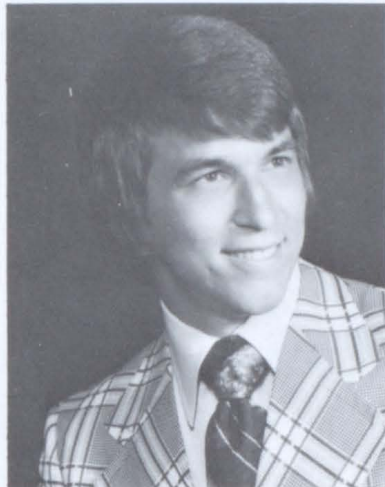


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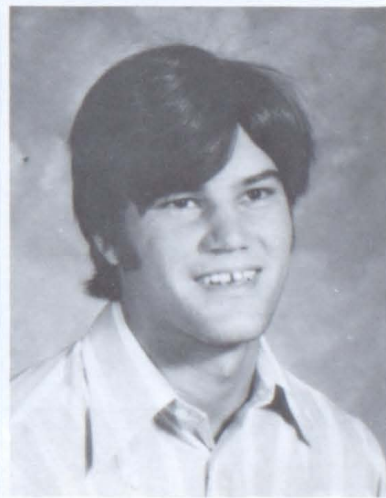
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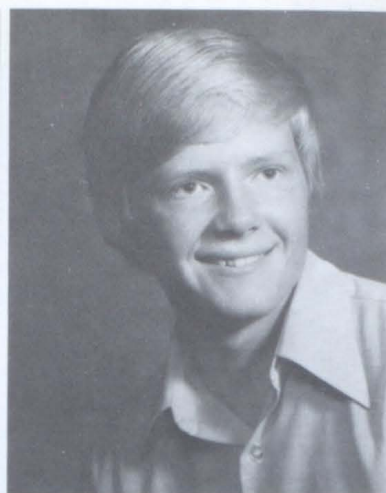
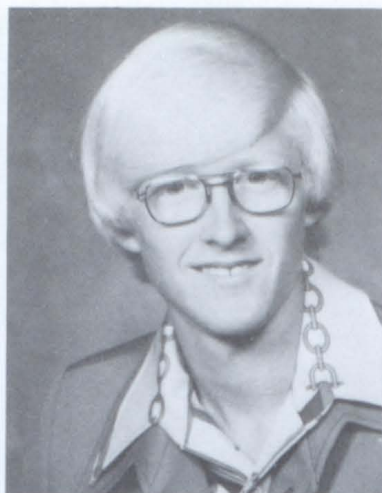
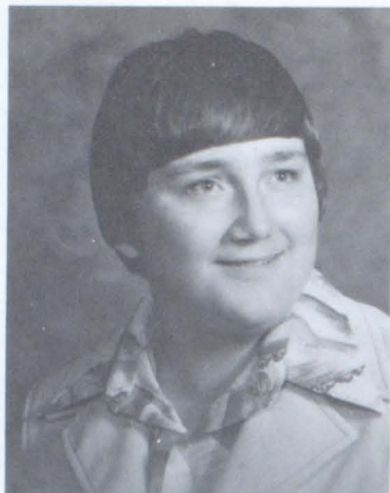


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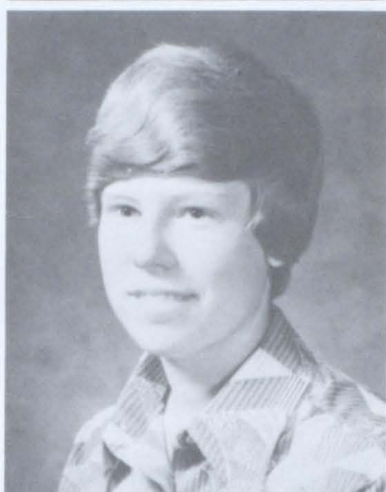
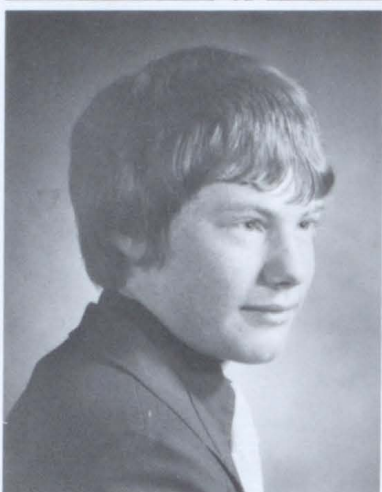


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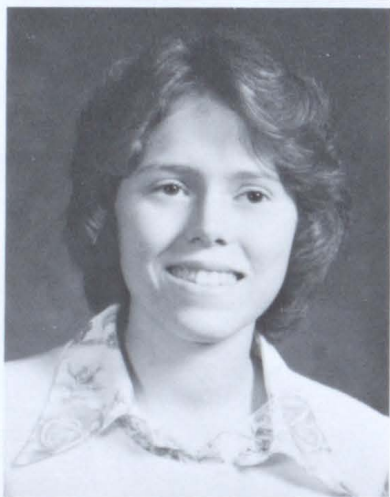
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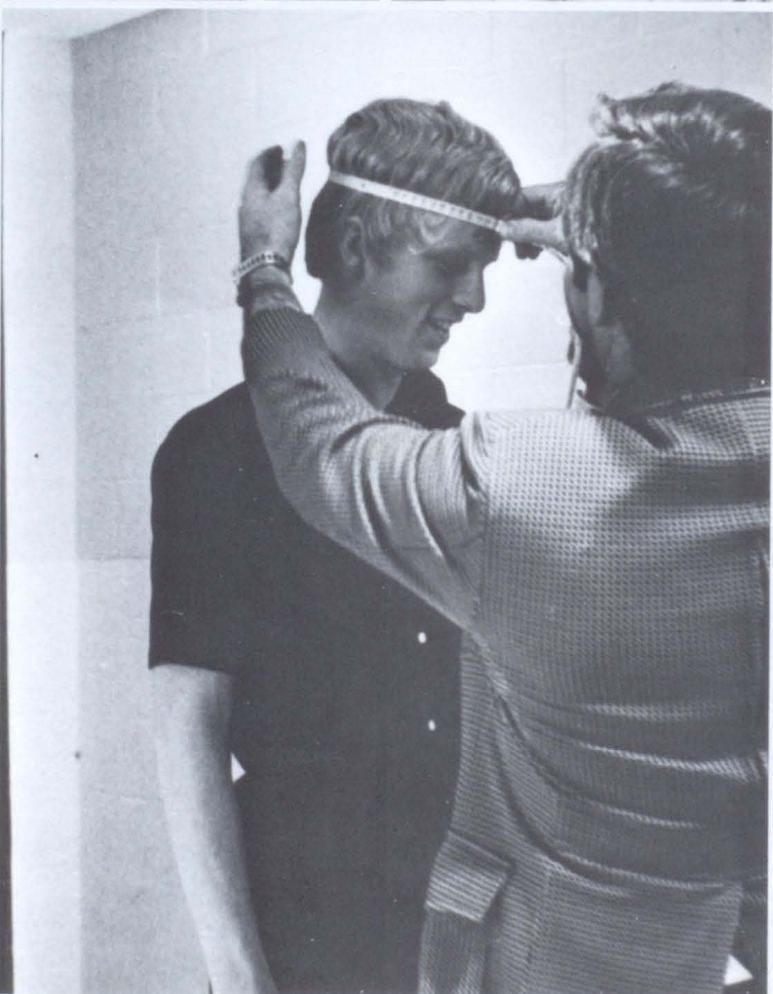
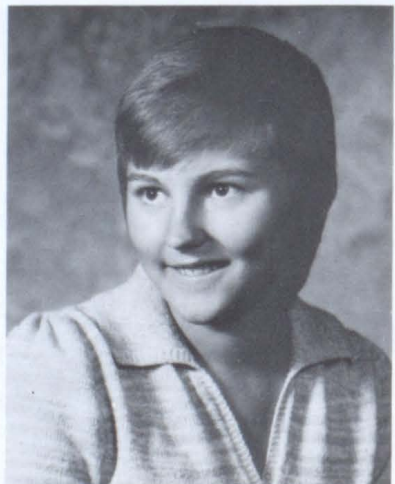
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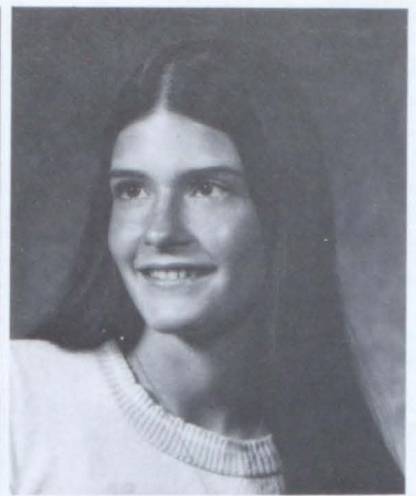
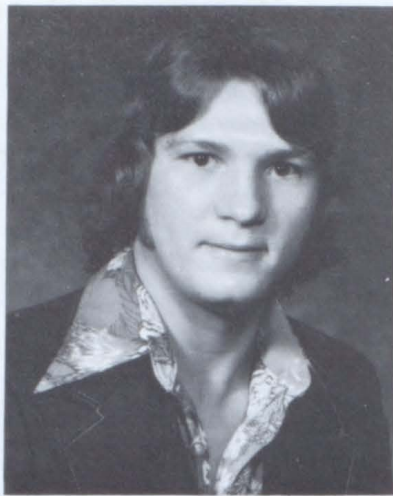


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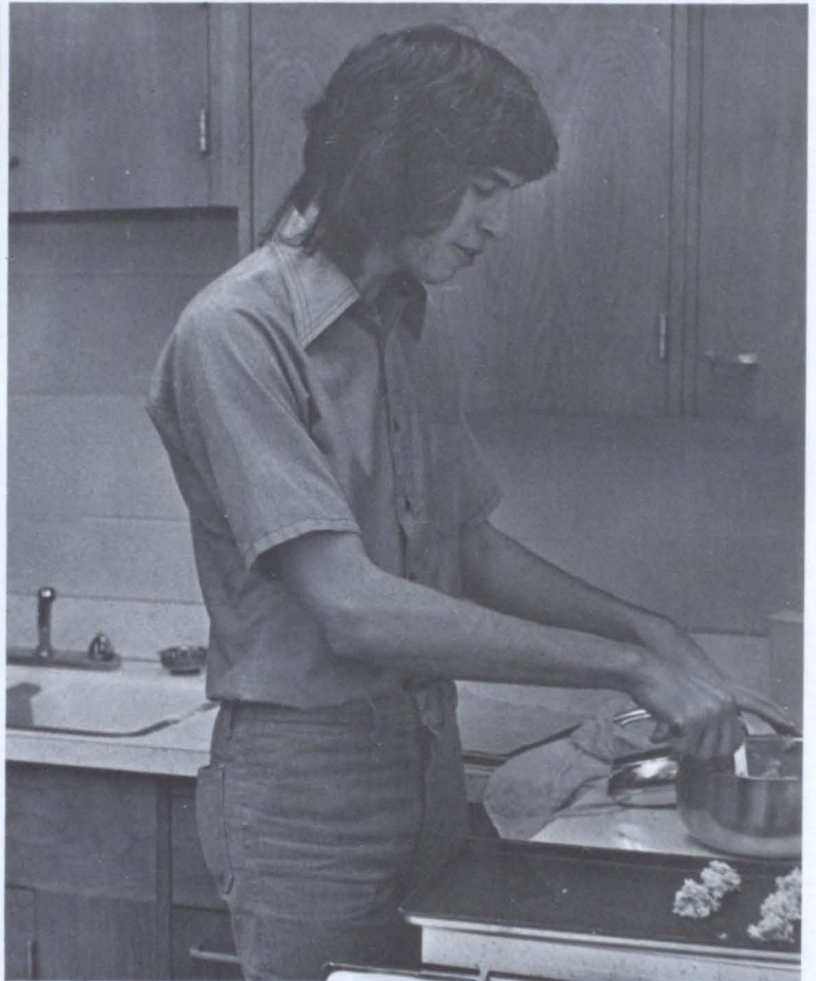
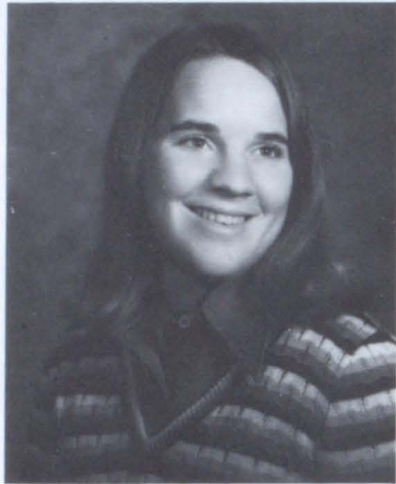


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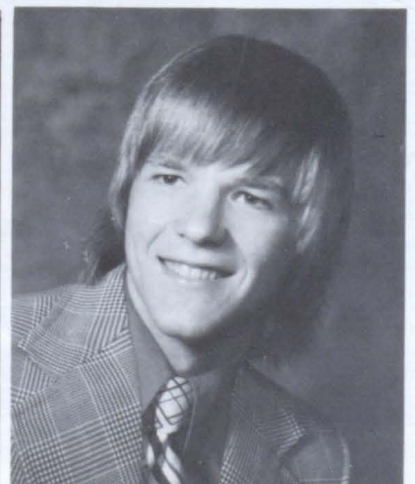
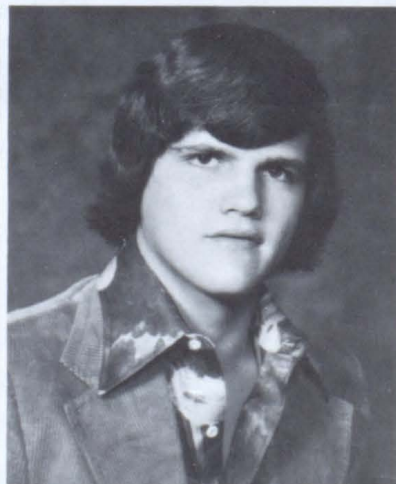
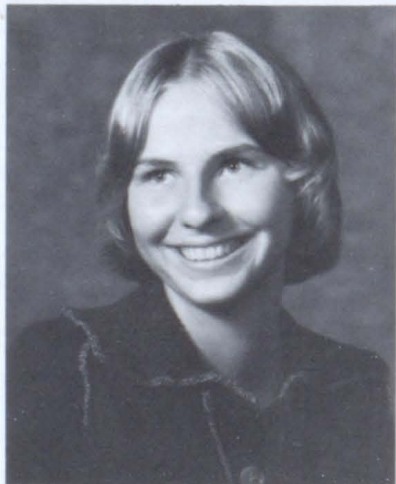
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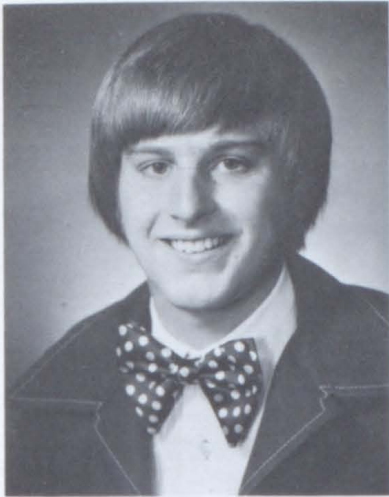


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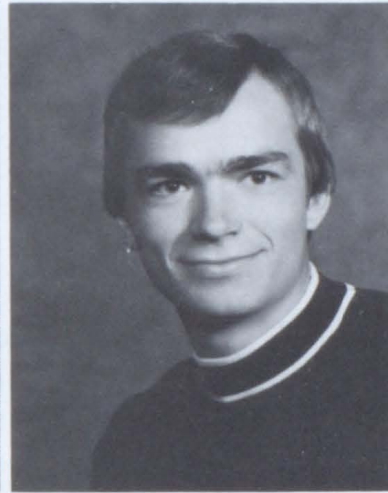


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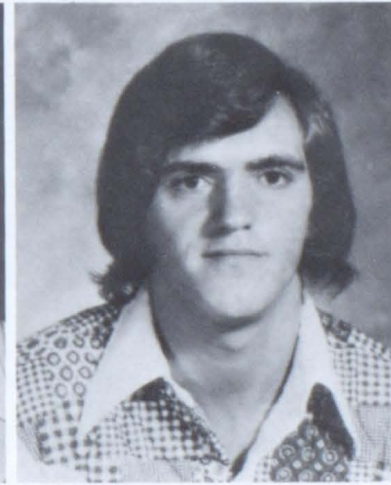
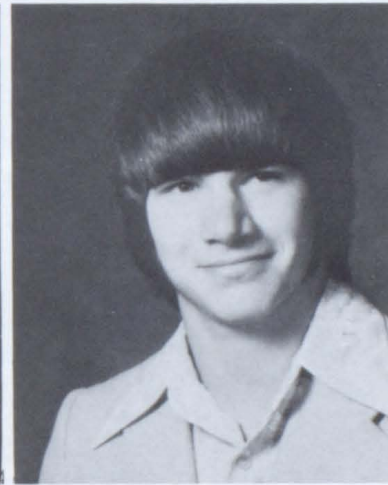




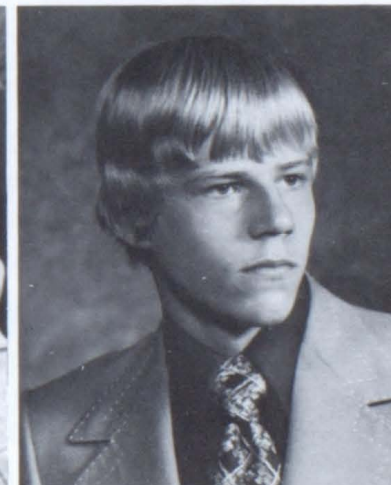
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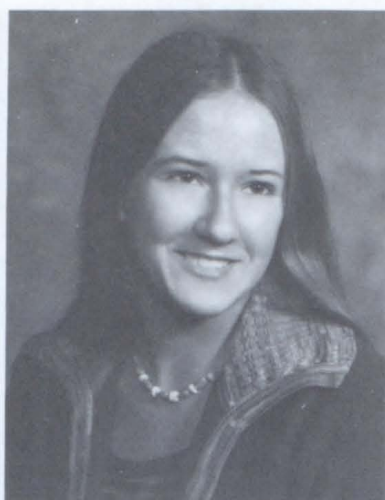


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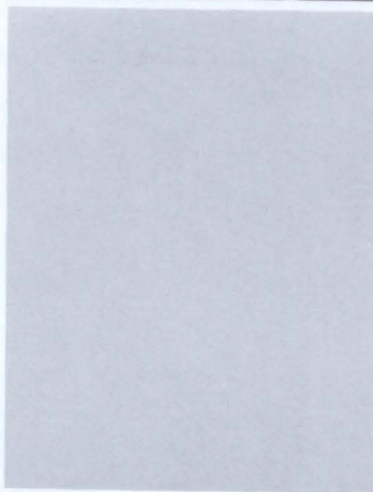
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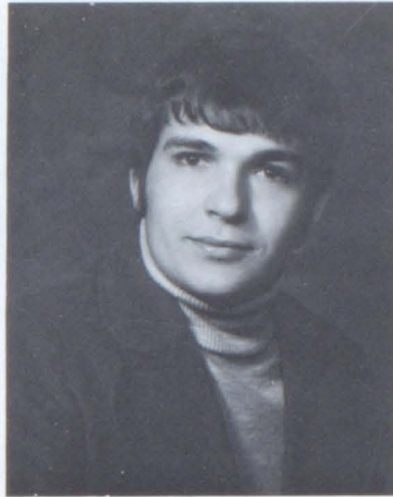


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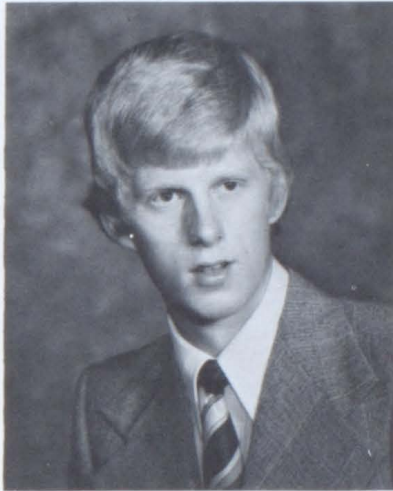
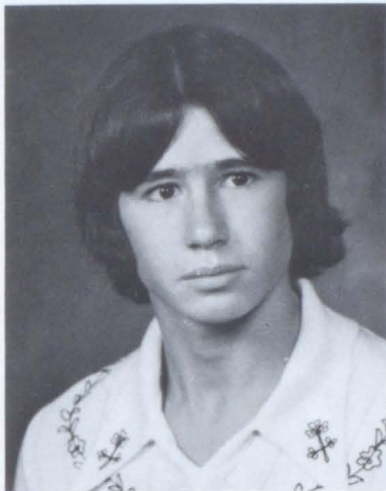


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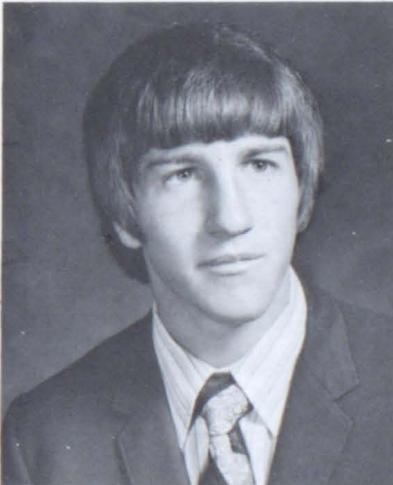
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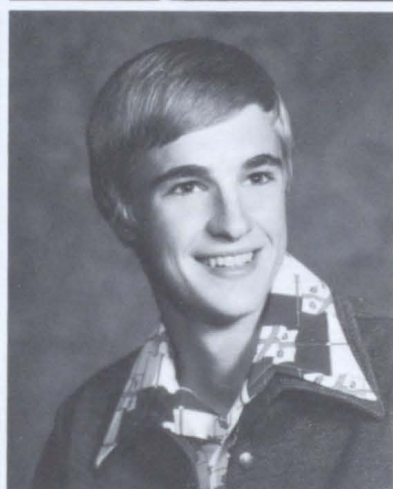
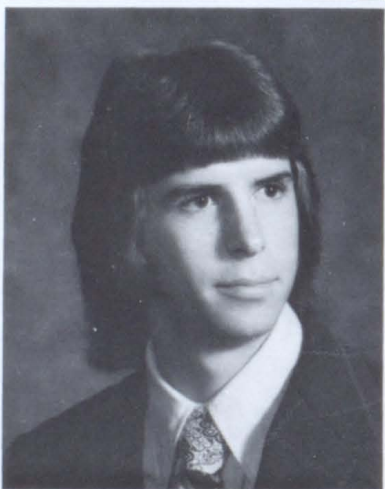
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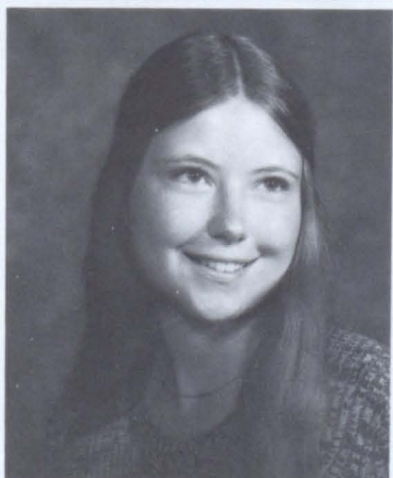
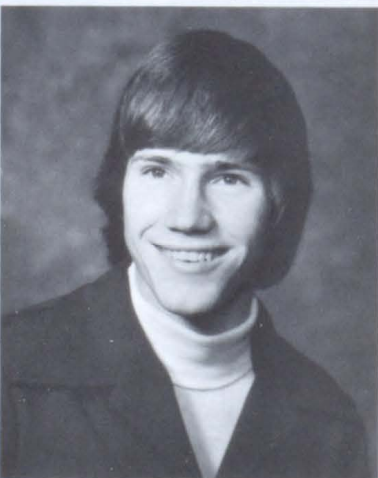
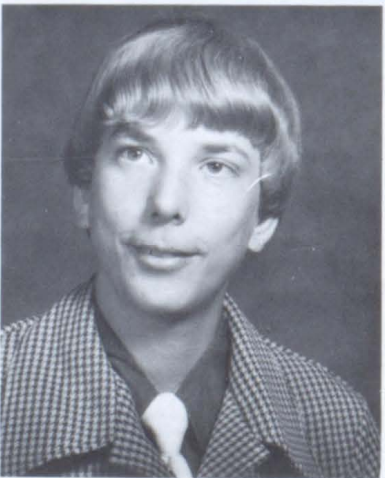
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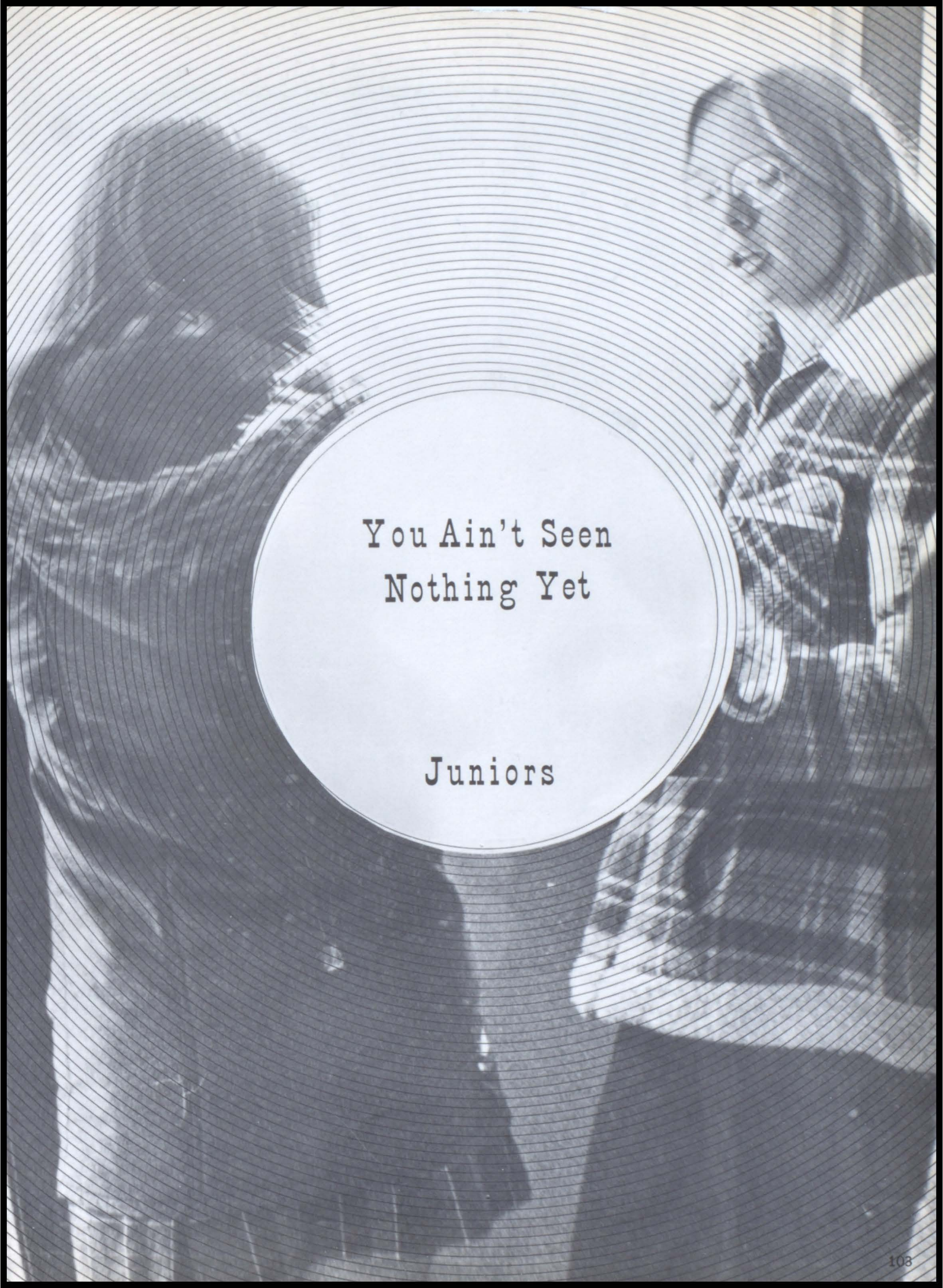


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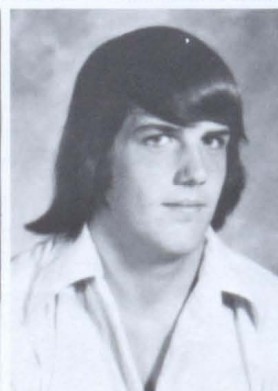
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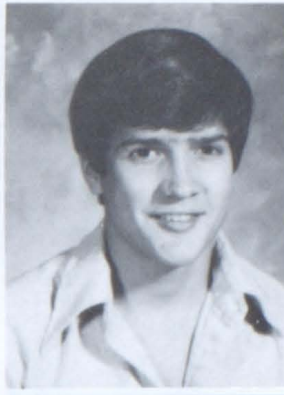
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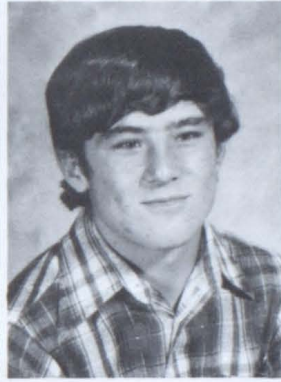
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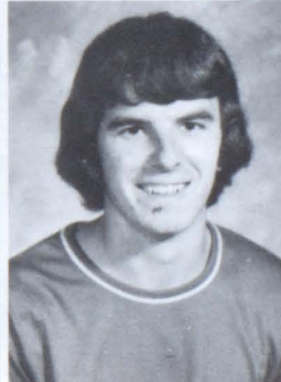
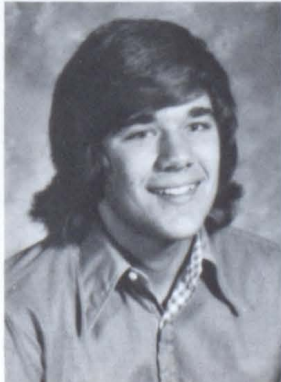
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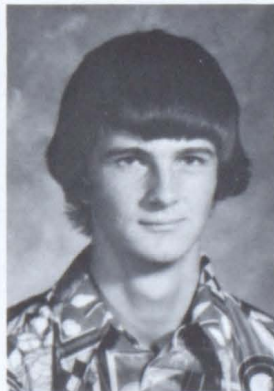
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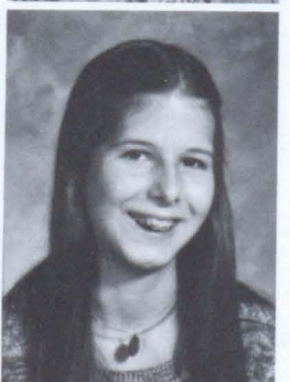
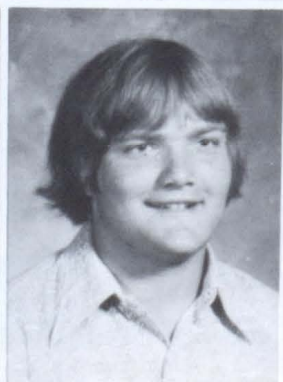
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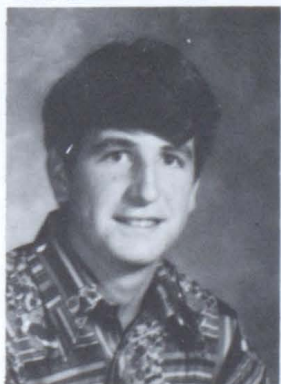
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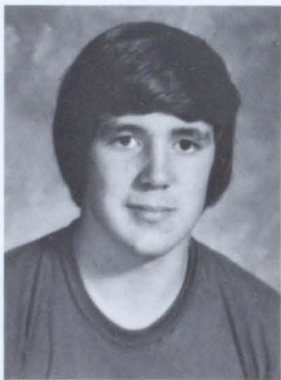
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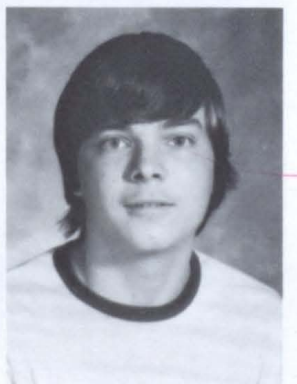
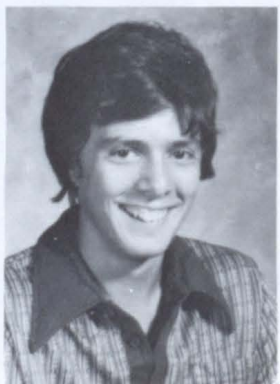
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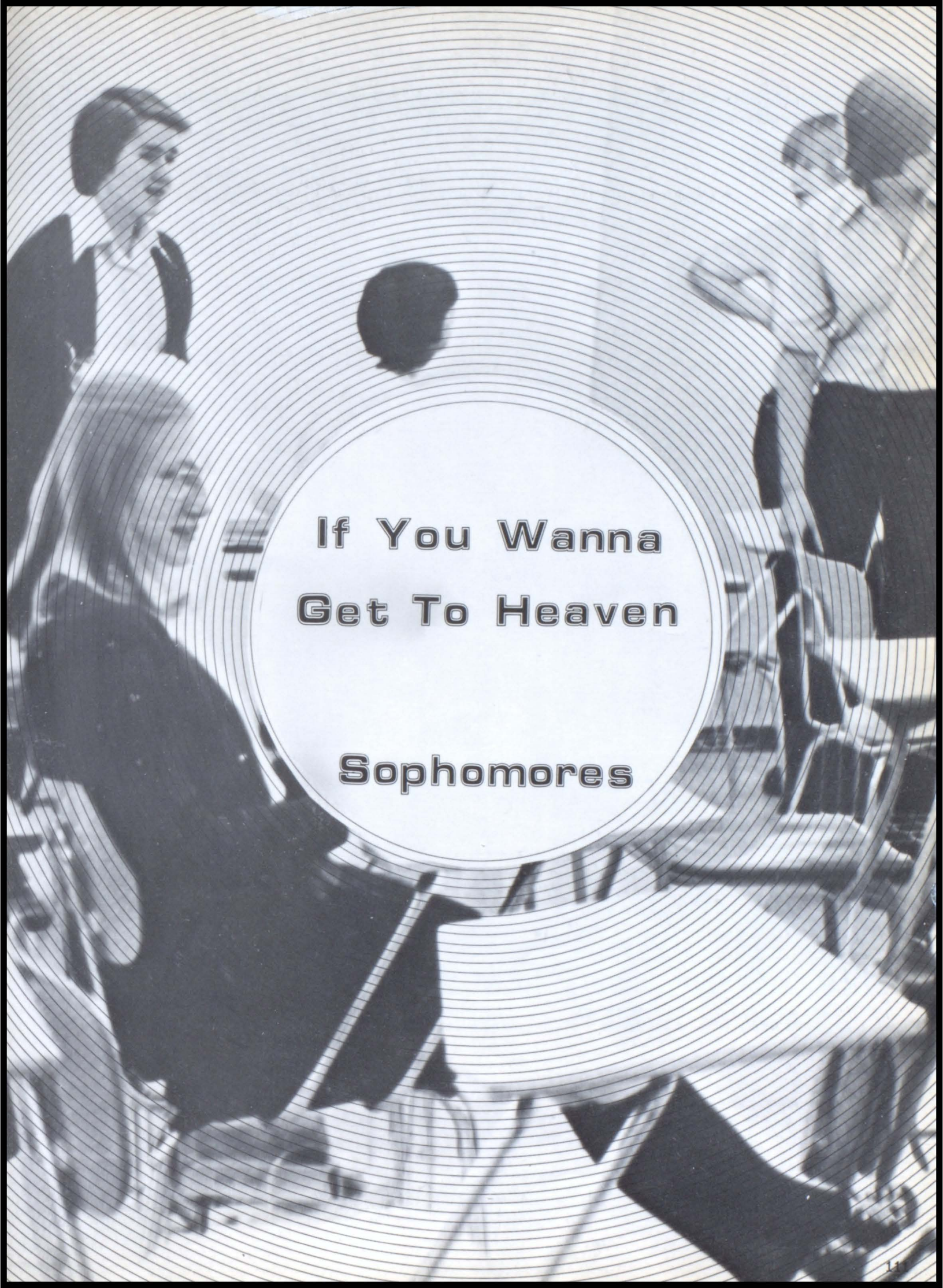


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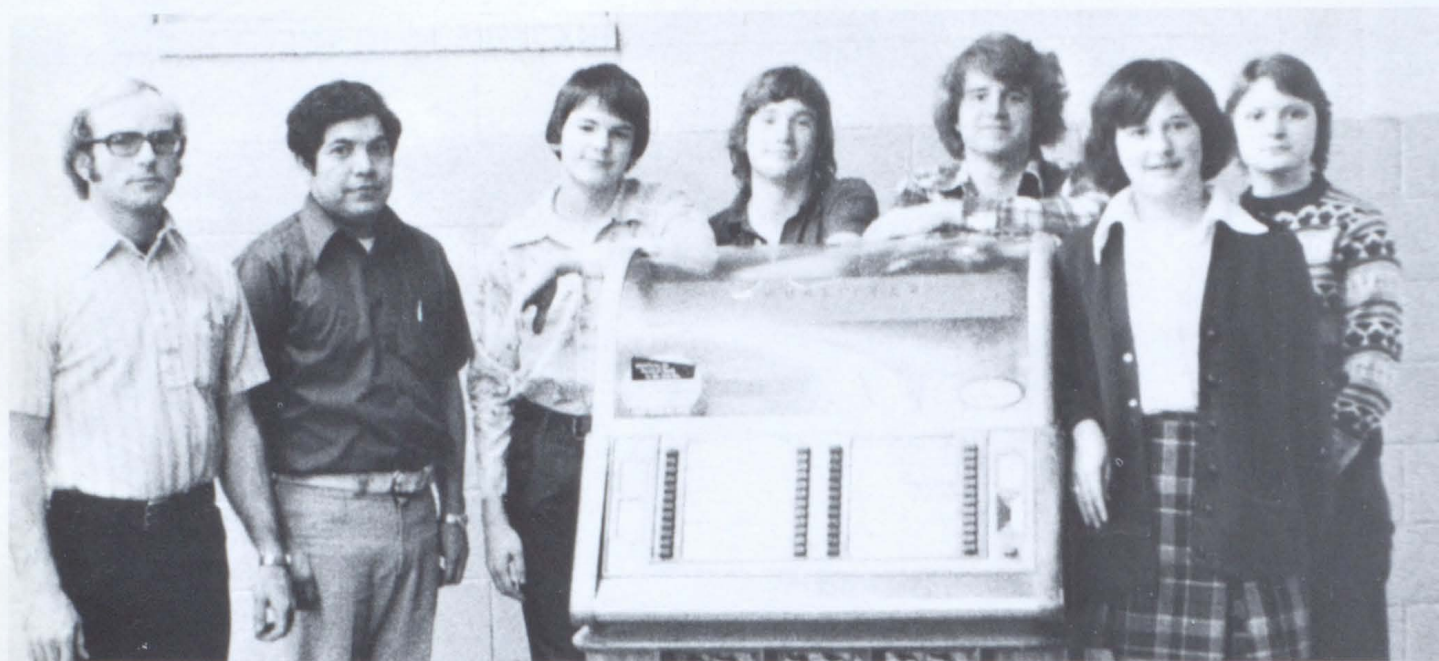




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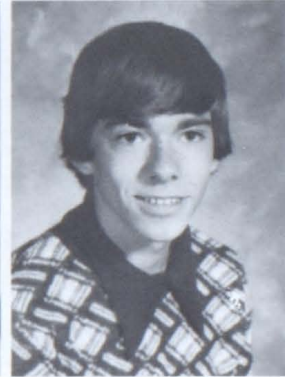
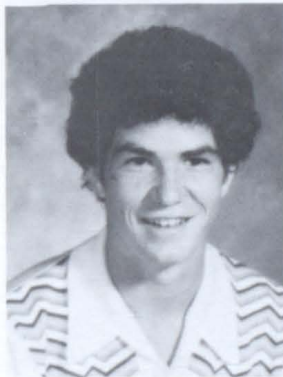
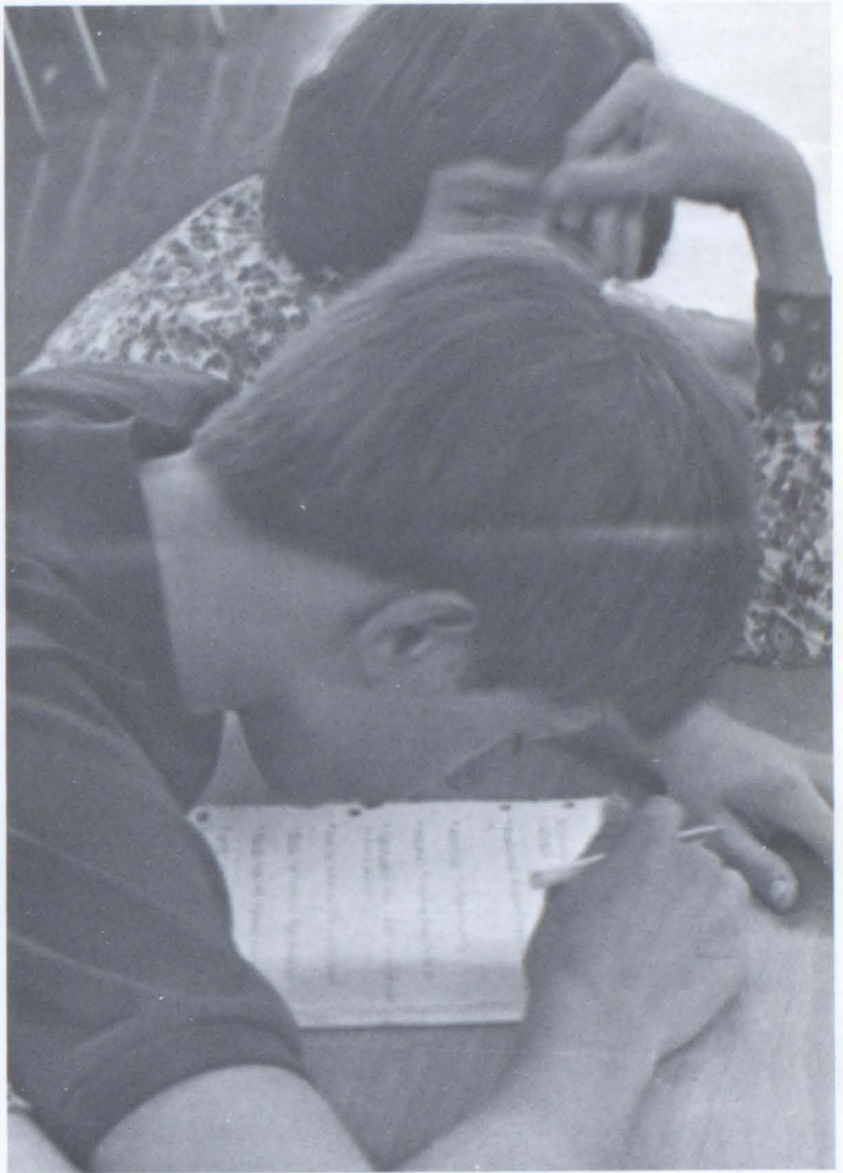
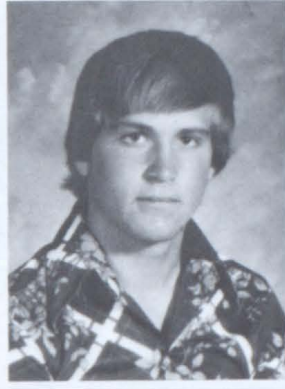
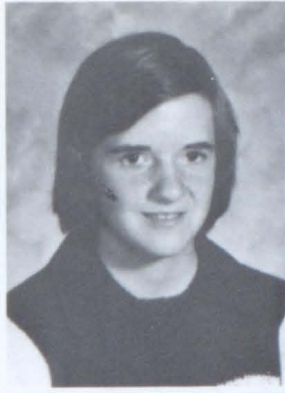
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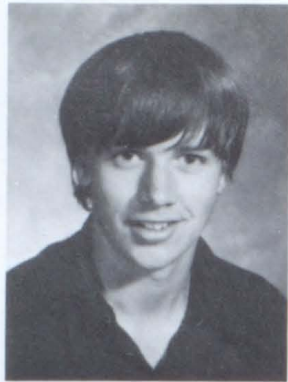
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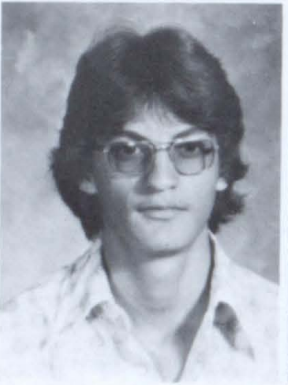
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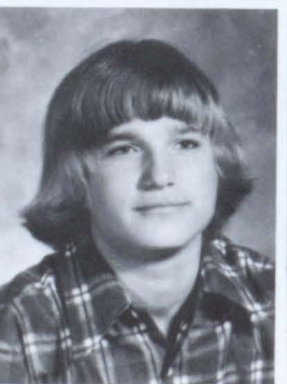
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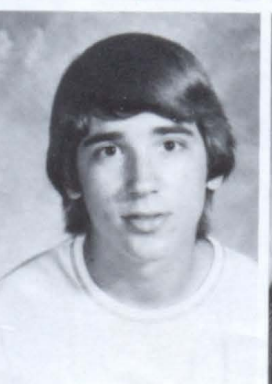
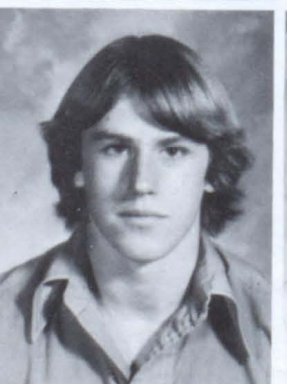
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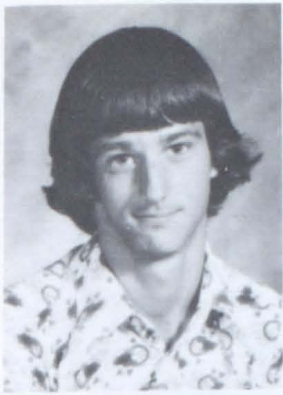


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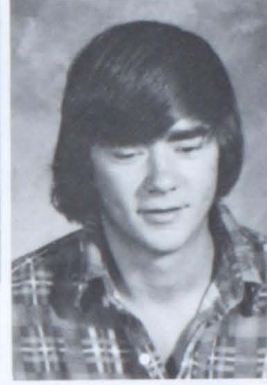
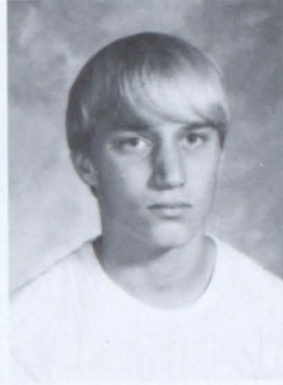


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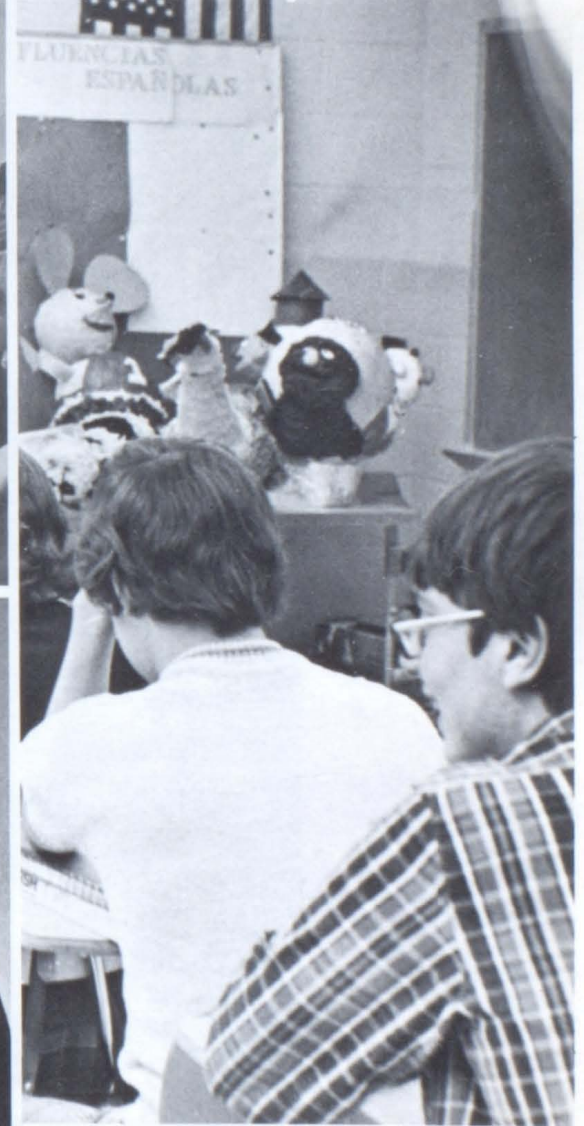




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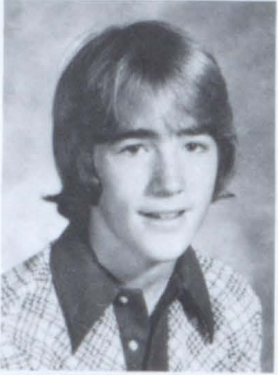
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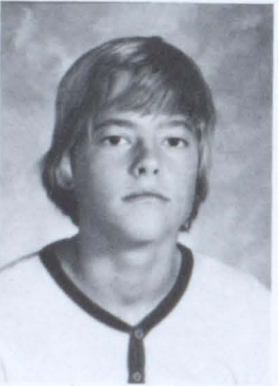
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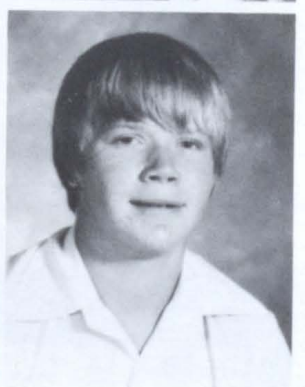
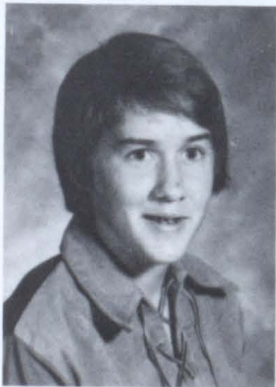
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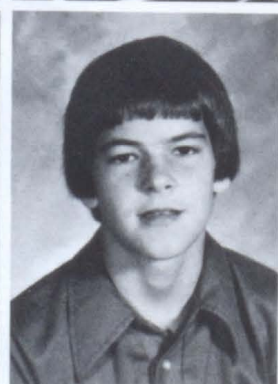
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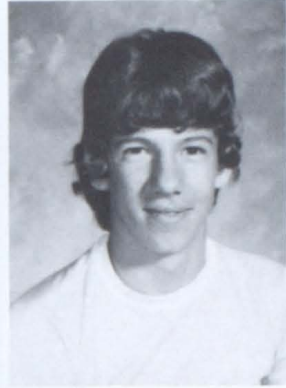


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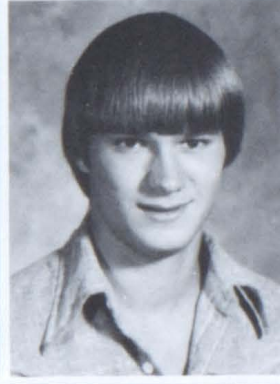
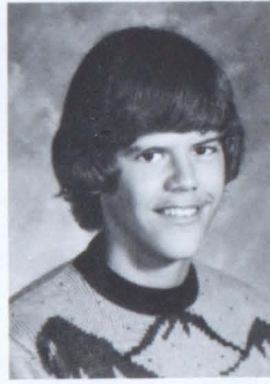




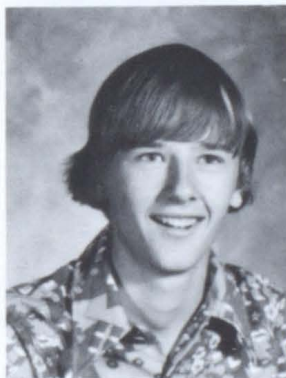
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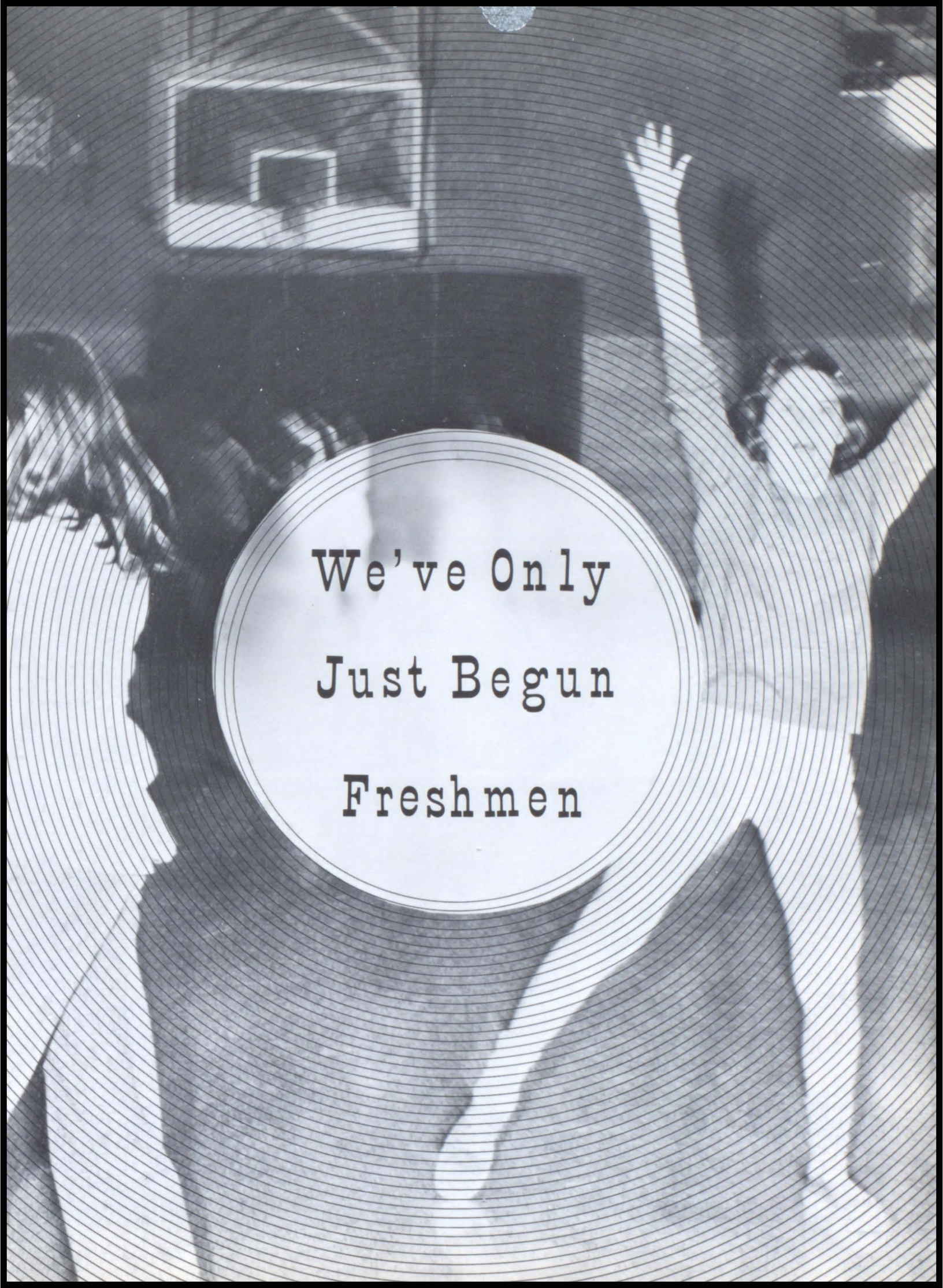


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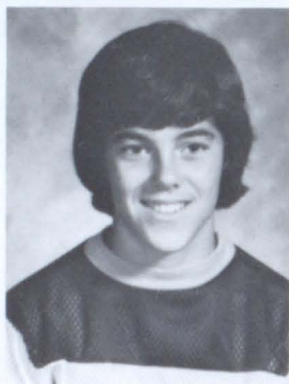
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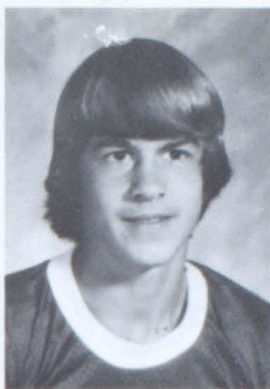


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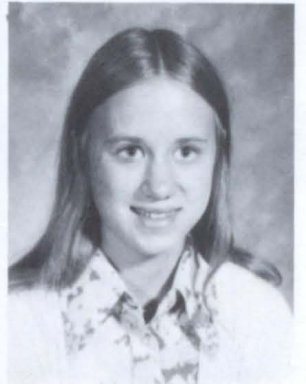
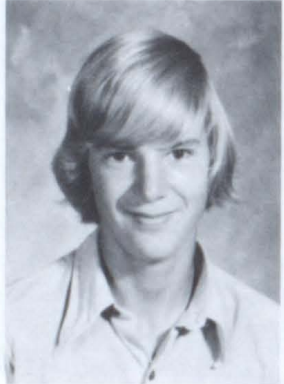
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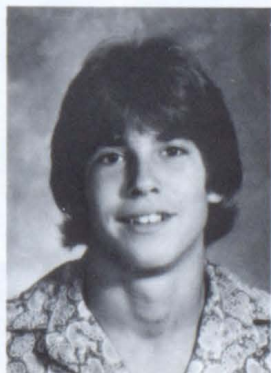
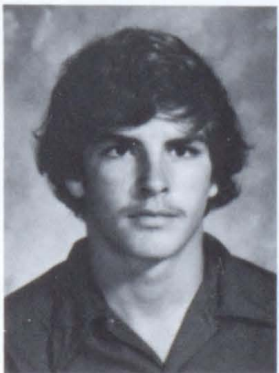
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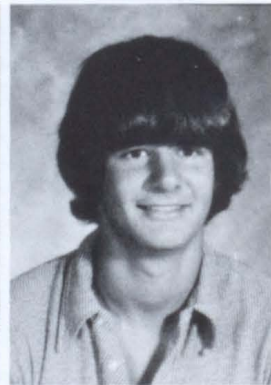
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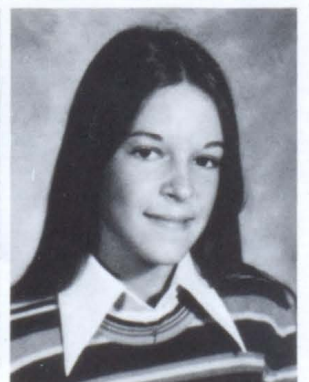
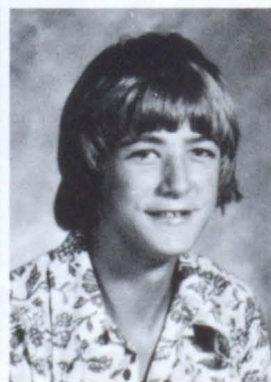
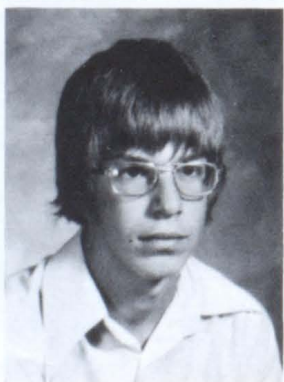
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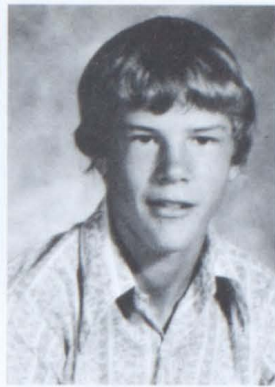
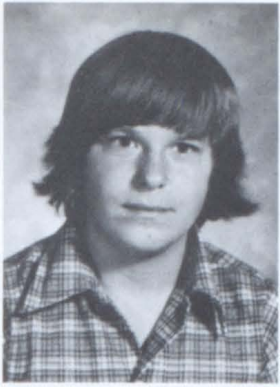


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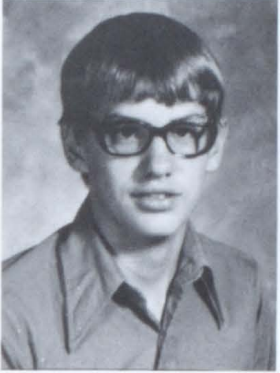


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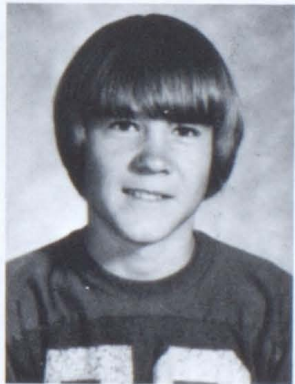
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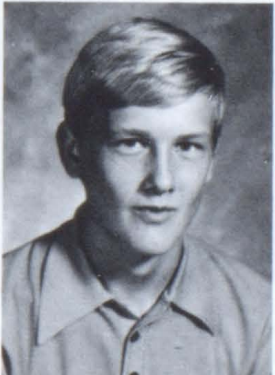
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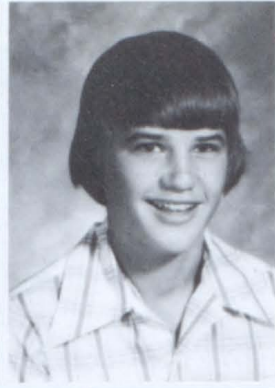


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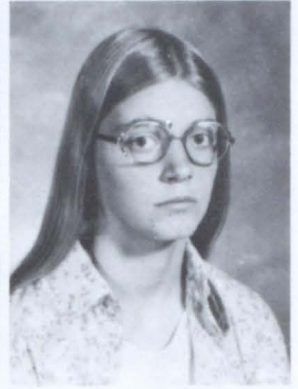


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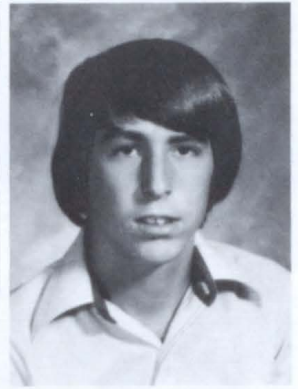
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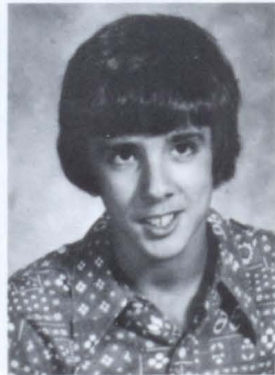
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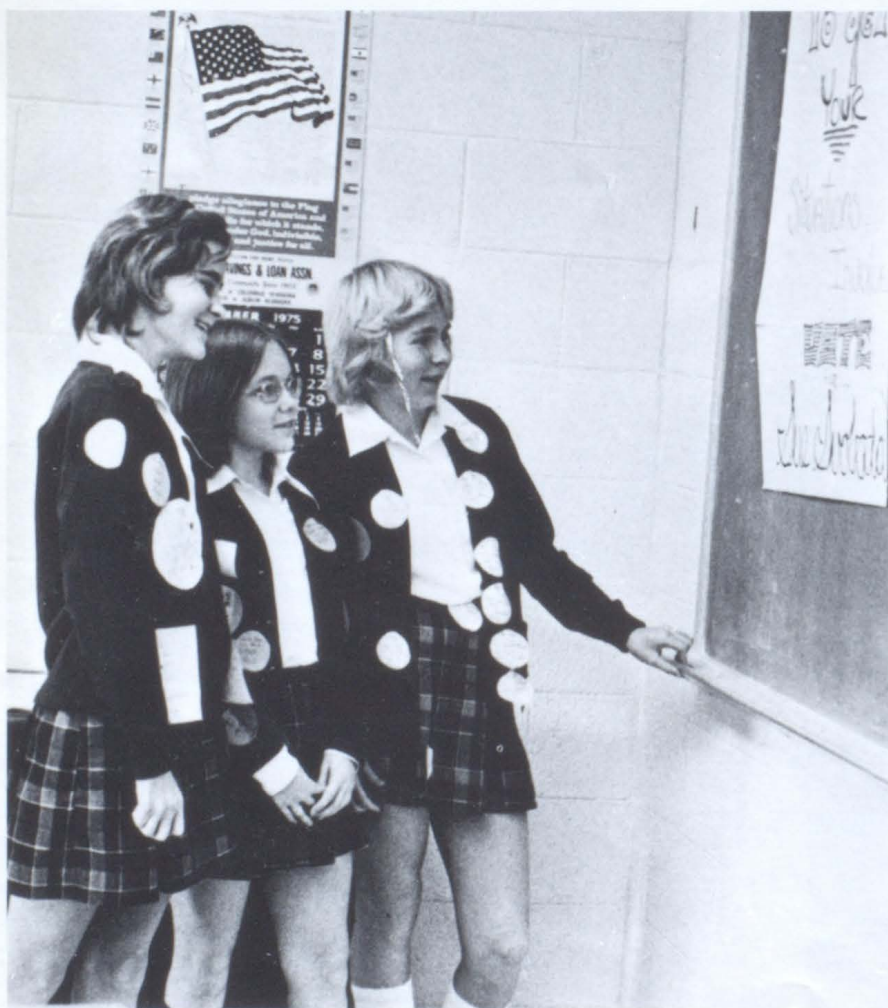




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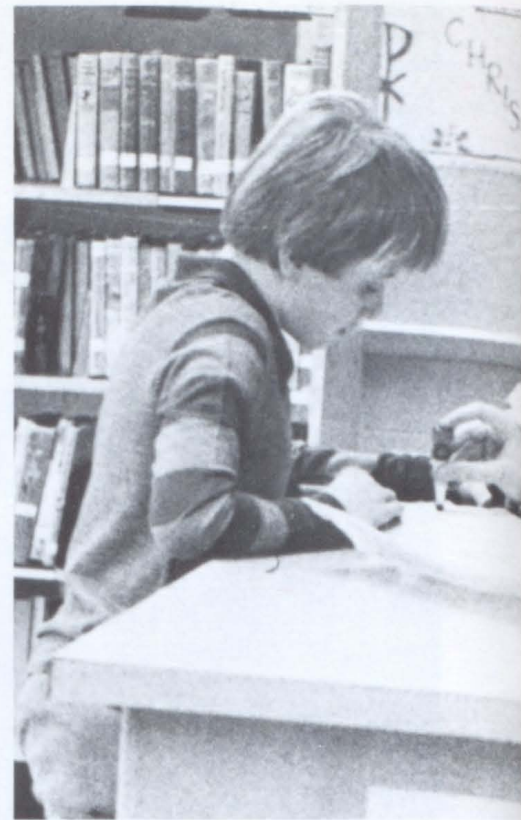
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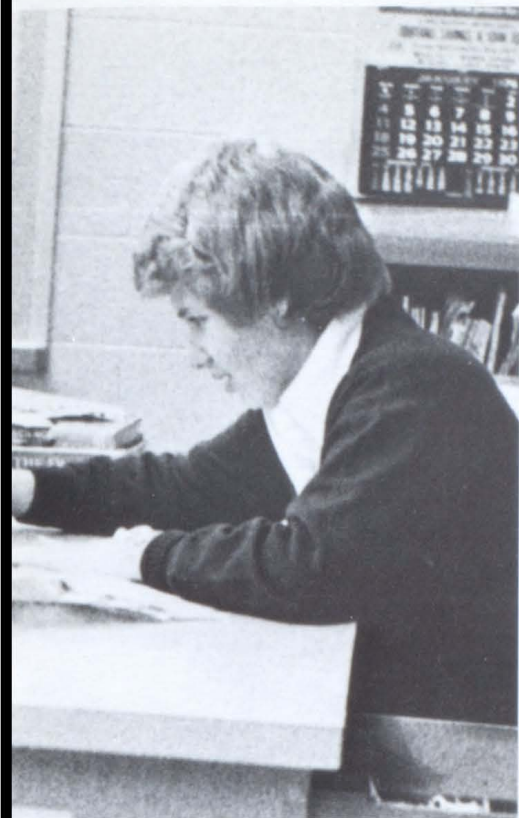
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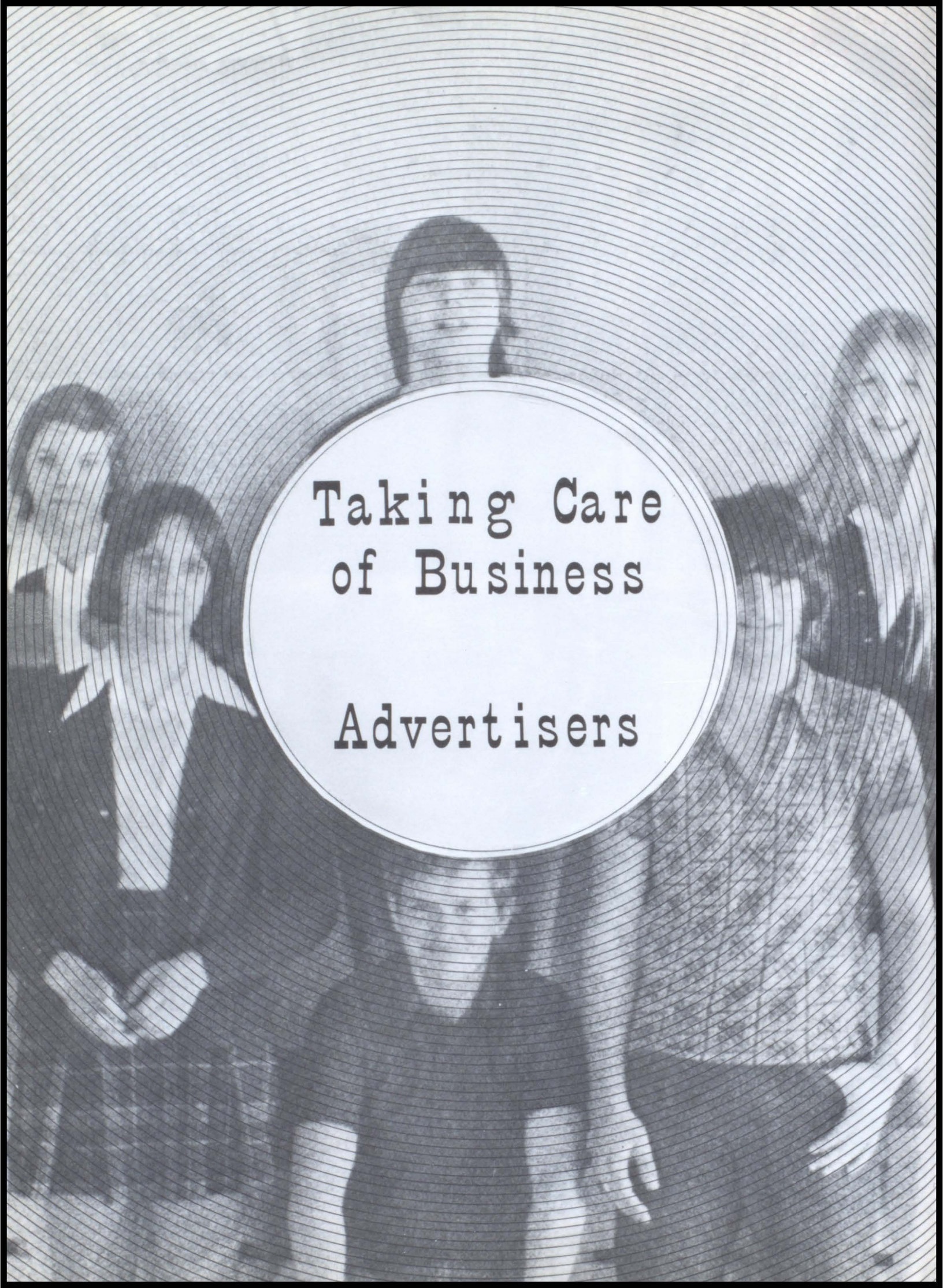


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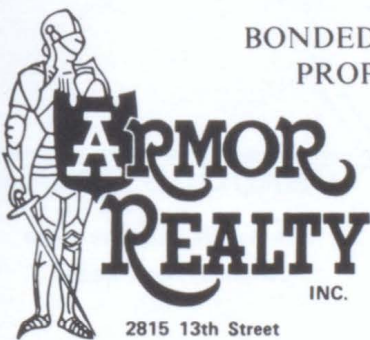
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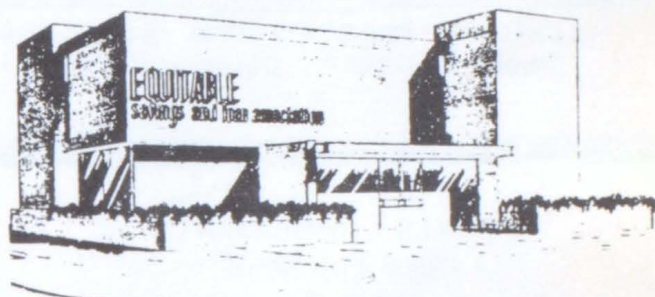
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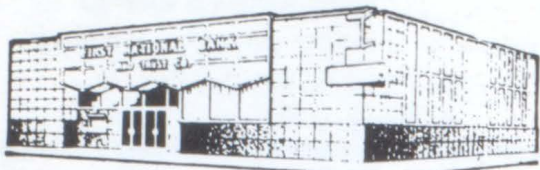
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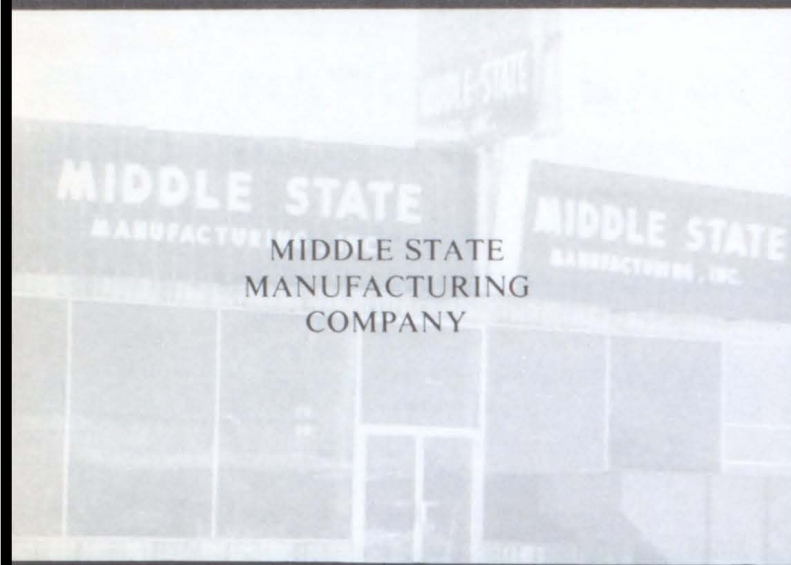
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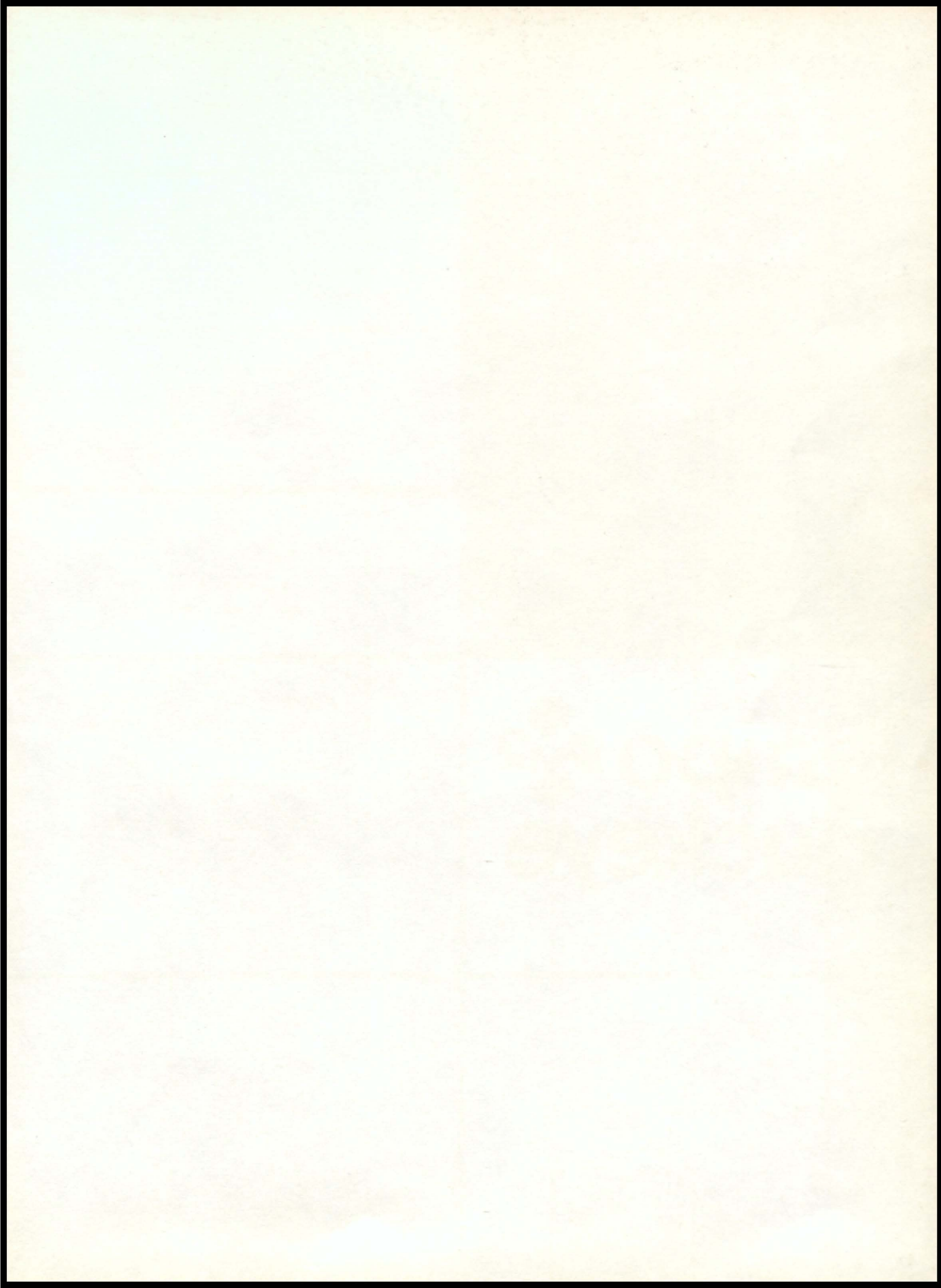
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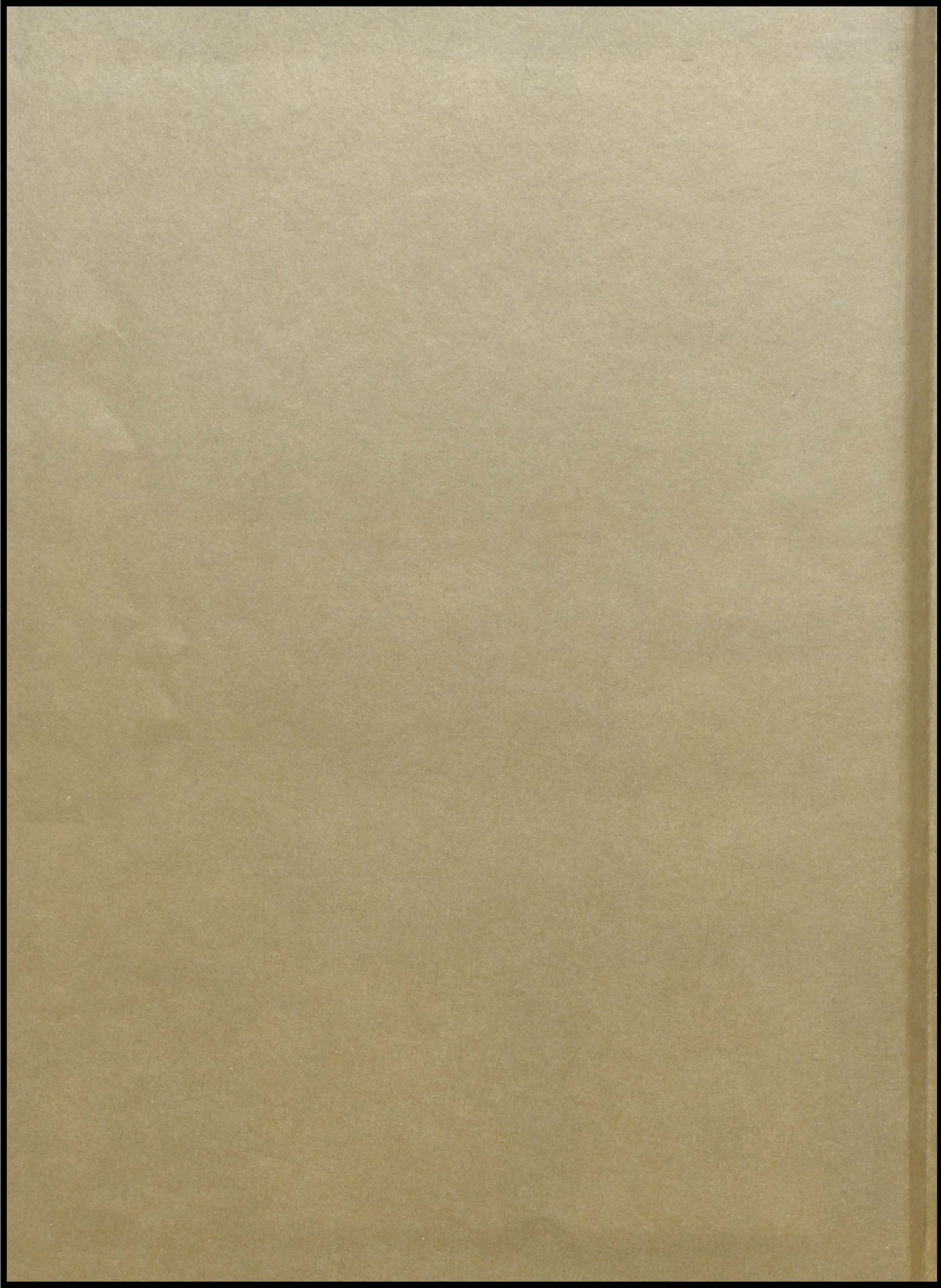
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