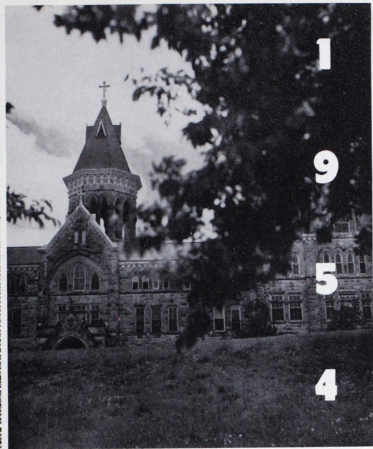




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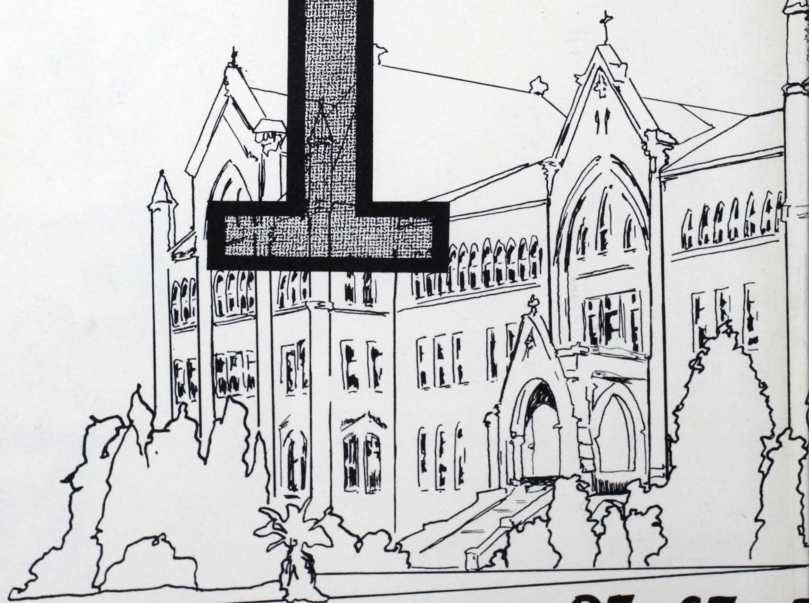
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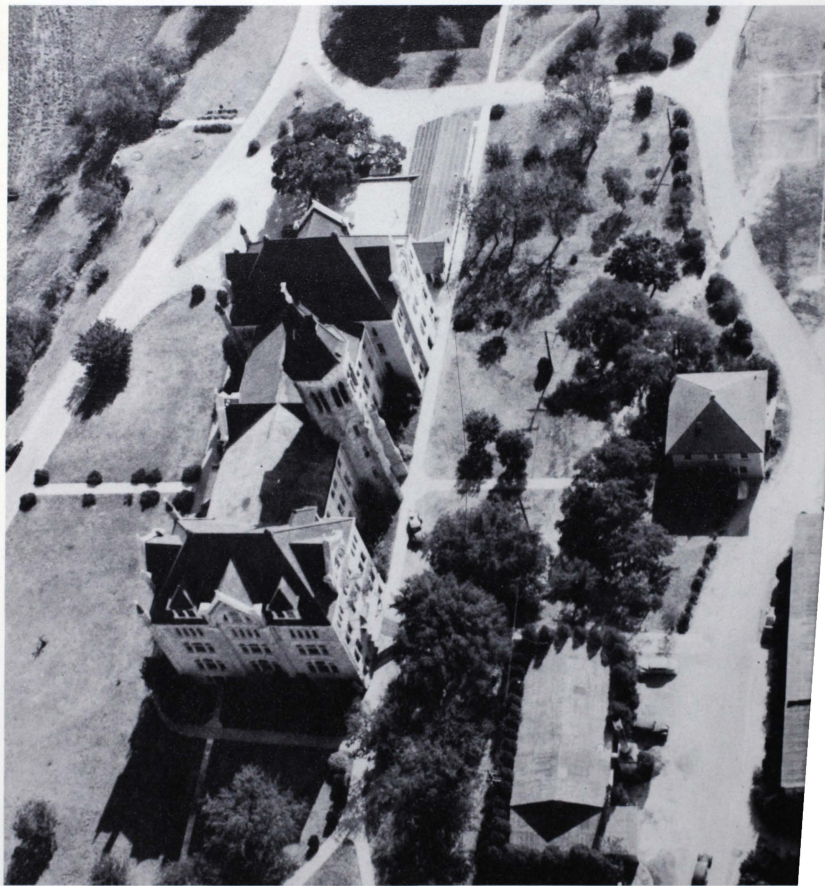


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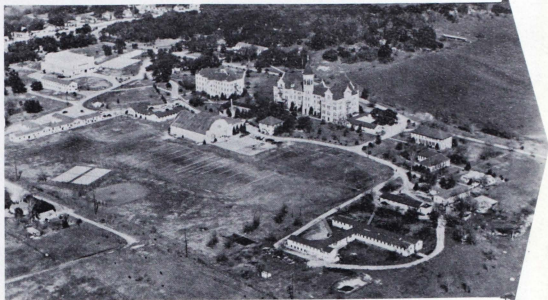


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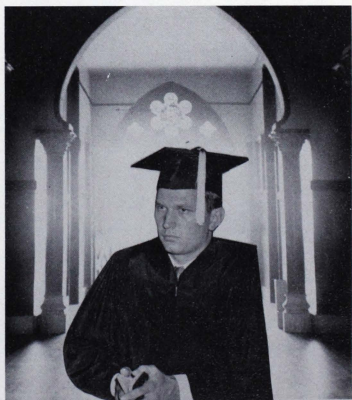
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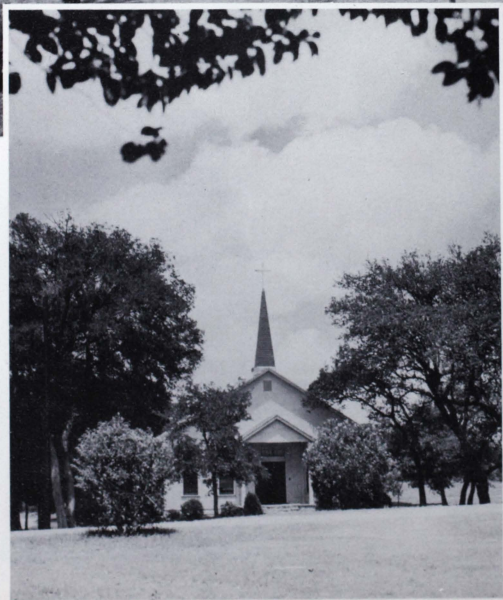
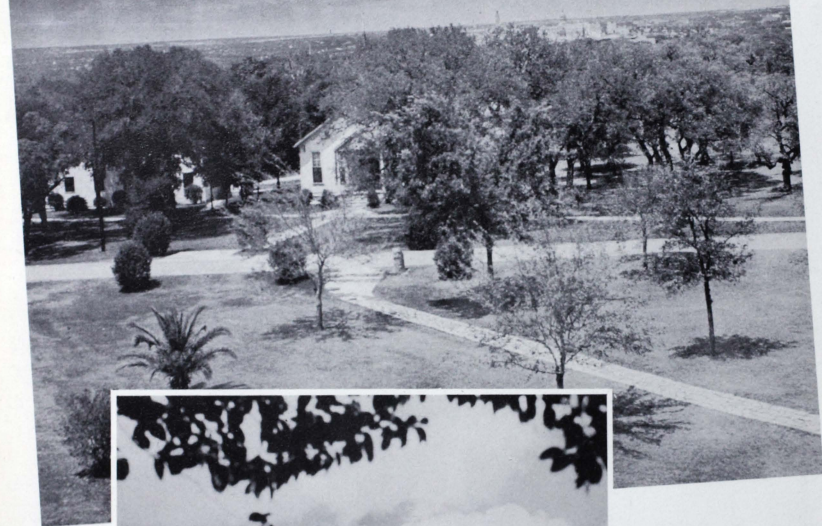
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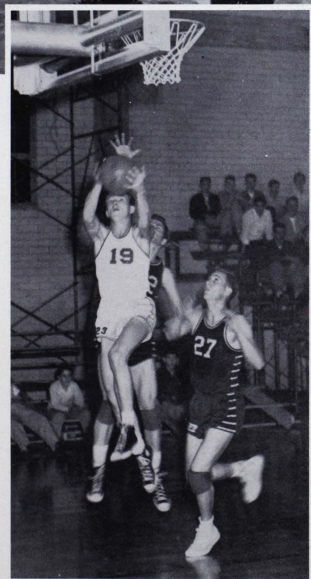
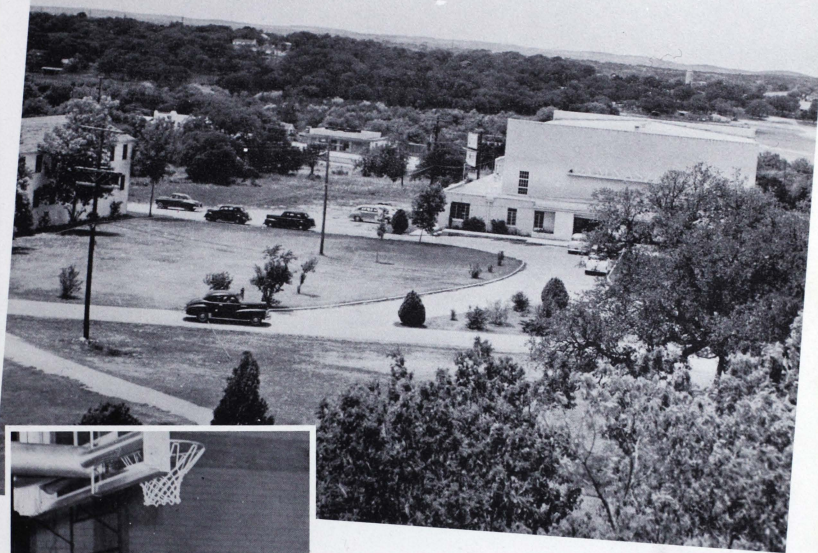
A University is composed of many things. To attempt to define those many things is impossible. In this book, the Editors of the Tower have attempted only to mirror the look of a University — St. Edward's University of Austin, Texas. Pictured on these pages are the faces that go to make this University. Some seem tired — mainly professors. Some are studious — a few students. Some look romantic while others seem quizzical. We believe most of them are happy.

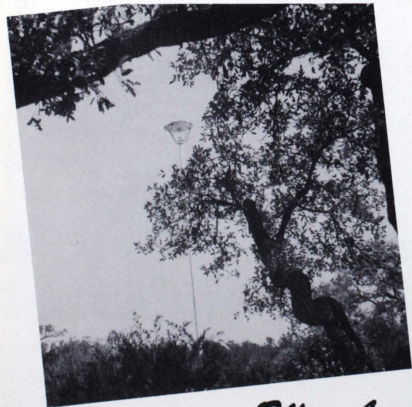


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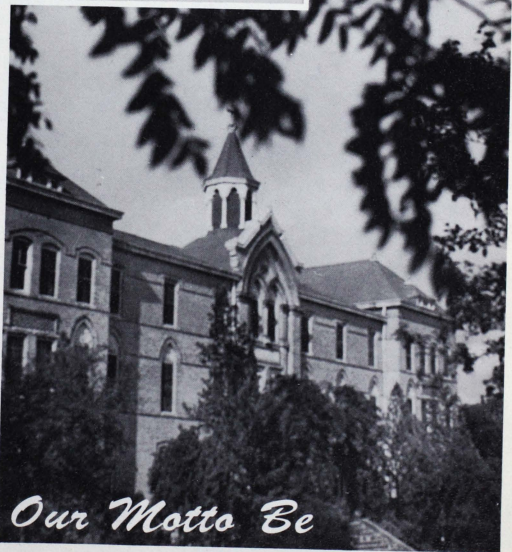
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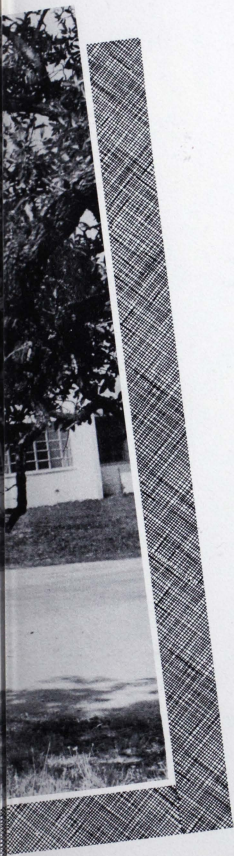
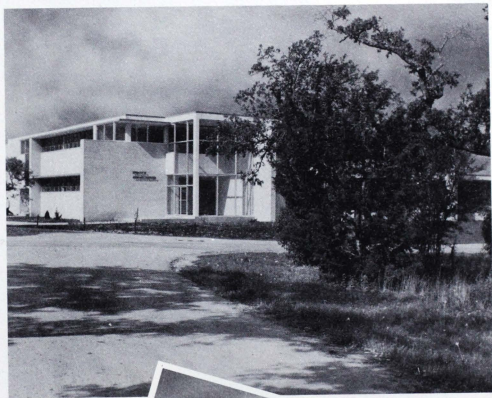
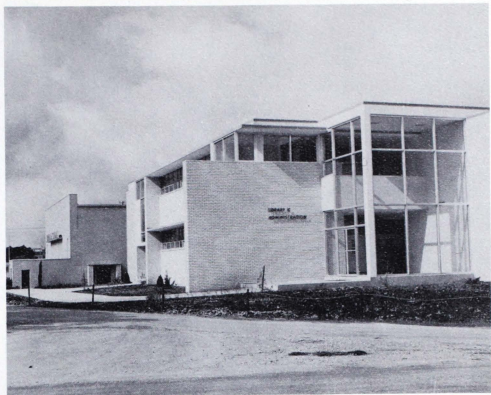


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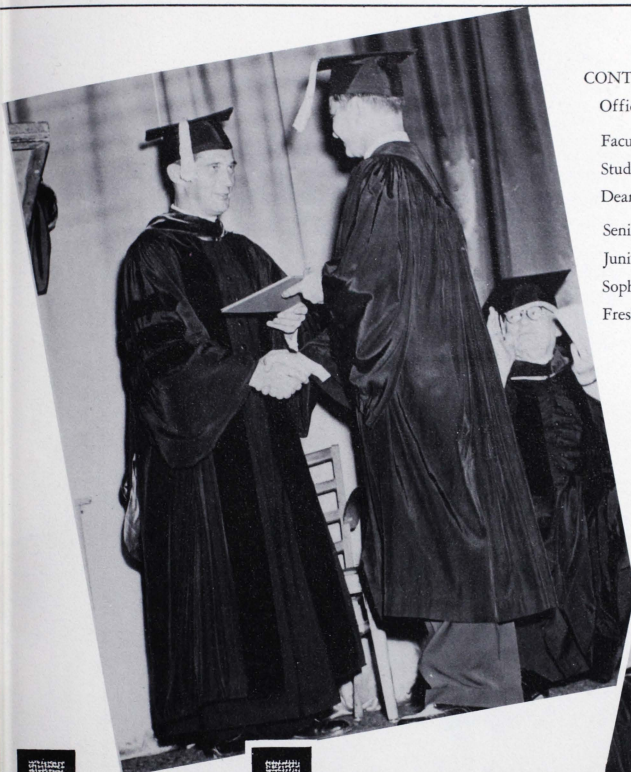
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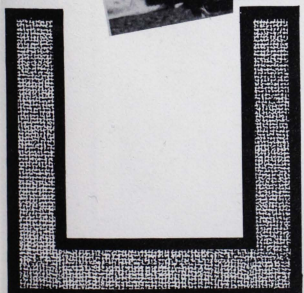
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The President . . .

Brother Elmo Bransby, C.S.C., Ph.D., with this yearbook, ends his second year as President of St. Edward's University. It has been a year of expansion with the Library and Administration Building a monument to the future of St. Edward's.

Someone once said that the most difficult thing on this earth is to be a teacher at a Catholic men's college. Certainly, Brother Elmo's position as president is then the apex of endeavor.

Brother Elmo must be the confidant of student and teacher alike. He must be the symbol of the University. He must have the mind of a businessman and the diplomacy of a political candidate.

But most of all, the President of a University like St. Edward's must be a friend. It would seem, with this, the end of his second year as president, that this young man from Pennsylvania is that — a friend.





BROTHER ELMO BRANSBY, C.S.C., Ph.D.
President of St. Edward's University



BROTHER SIMON SCRIBNER, C.S.C., Ph.D.
Vice President and Dean of Men

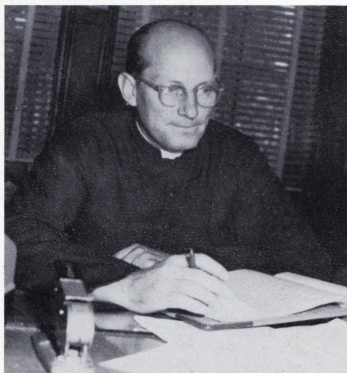
The man responsible for the efficient working of the Student Activities Council is Brother Simon Scribner, C.S.C., Ph.D., in his first year as Vice President and Dean of Men. Brother Simon worked perfectly in his position, with the students remembering him for saying "Yes"—while the faculty strangely remembers him for saying "No." That, evidently, is a Dean of Men.

Officers of Administration

A University can only succeed if the men in the offices, the officers of administration, are capable. Presented here are the St. Edward's University's administration officers. All are capable and all make the University function smoothly.



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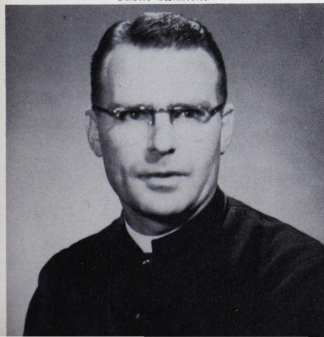


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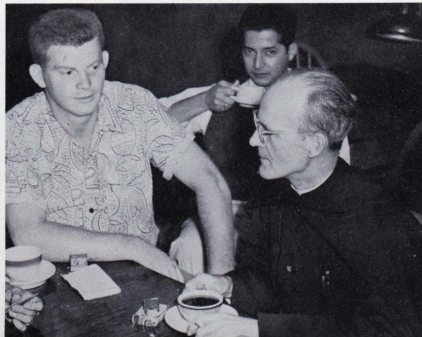


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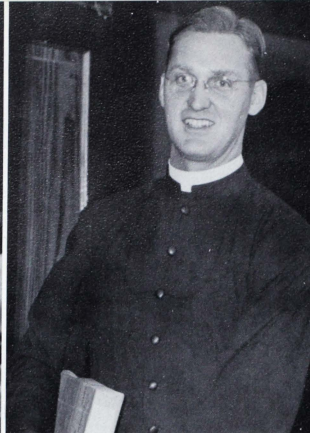


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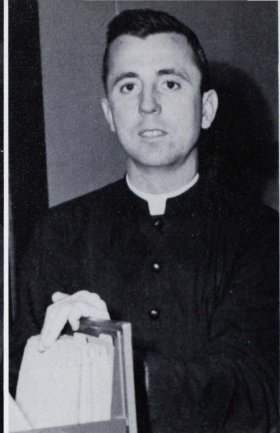




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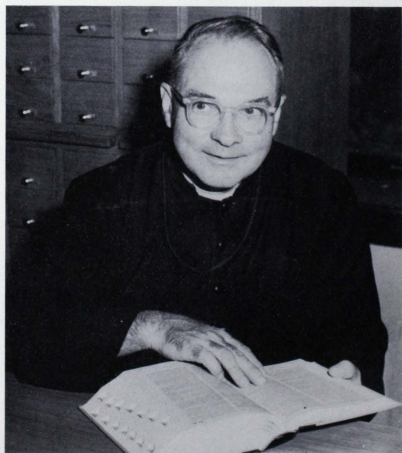


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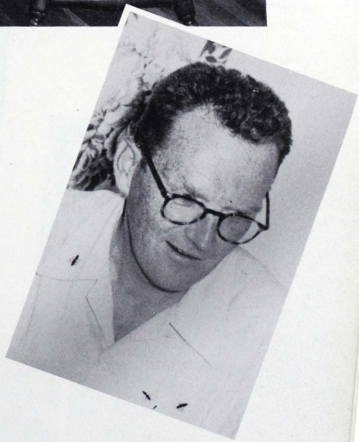


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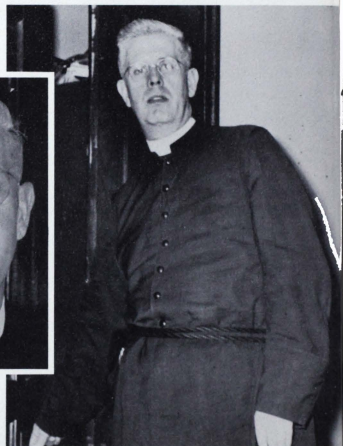
No University can succeed without a faculty that is intensely interested in the student body. Here at St. Edward's, with the unity and close bond between the student and the professor, this interest is achieved to a high degree. The Brothers, Priests and laymen that make up the St. Edward's faculty achieve more than the mere instruction of the individual — they achieve the installing of a way of living.



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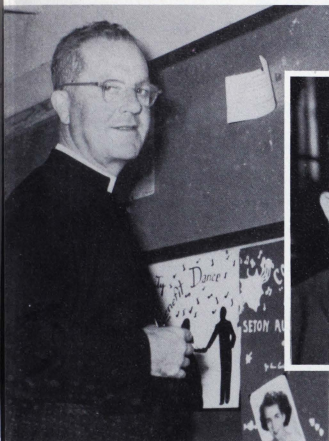


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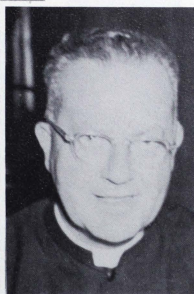
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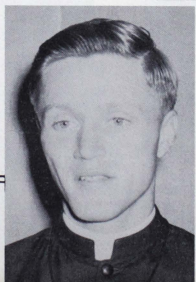
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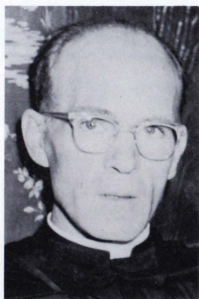
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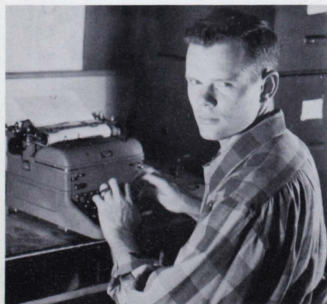
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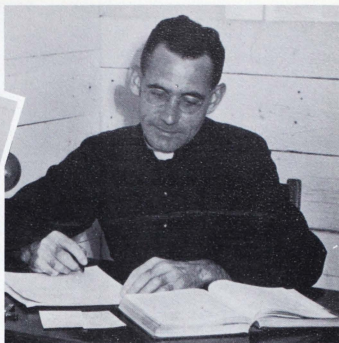


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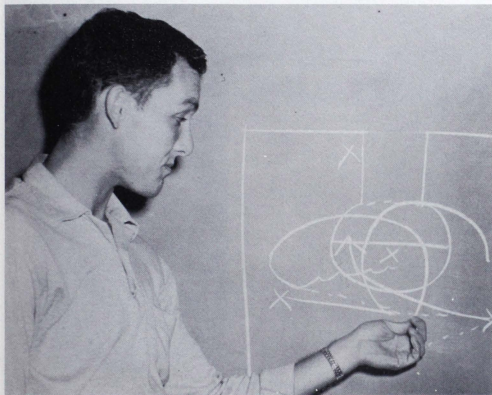


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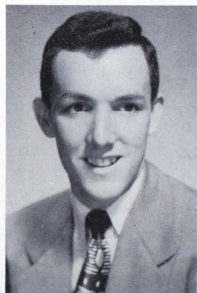
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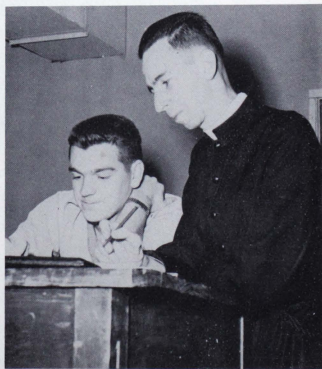
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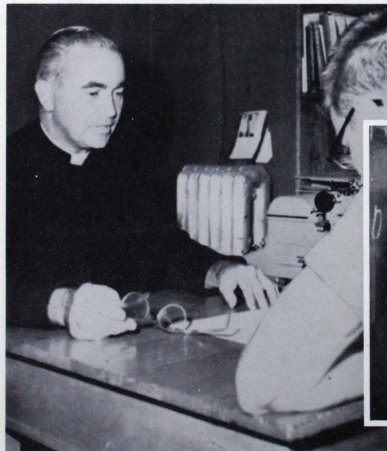
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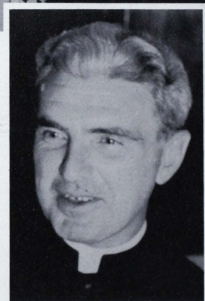
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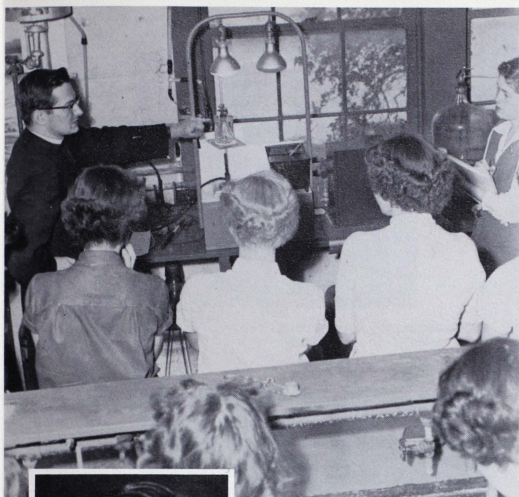


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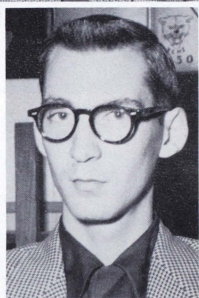
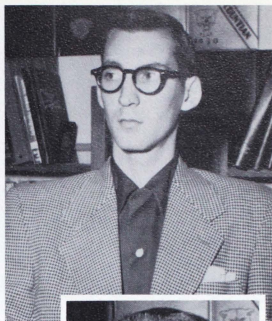
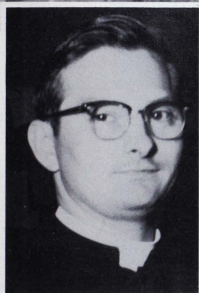


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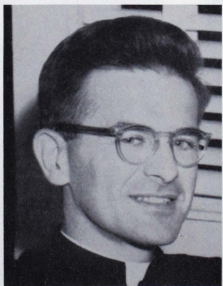
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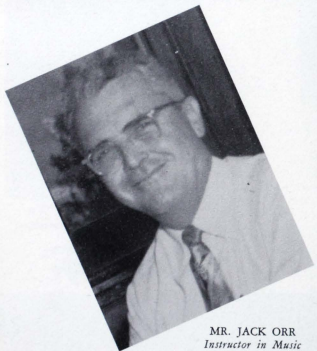
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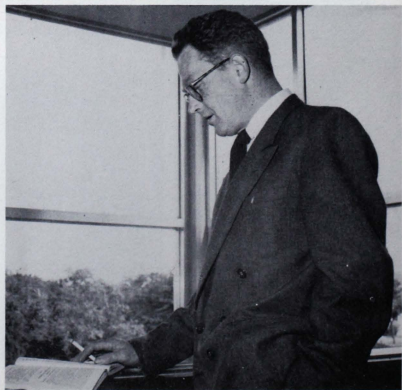
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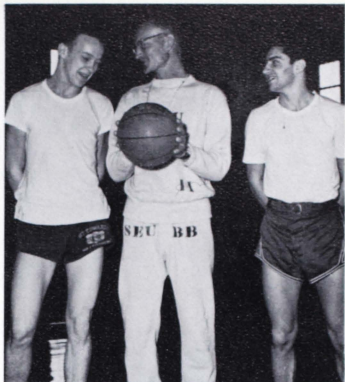


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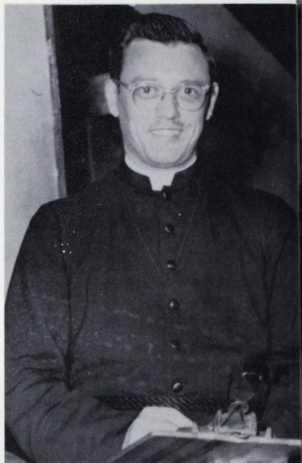


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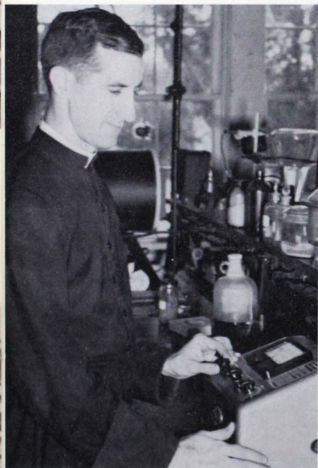


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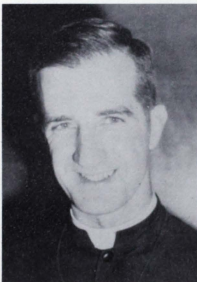
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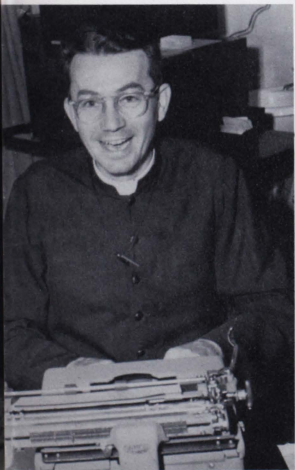
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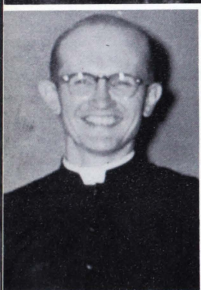
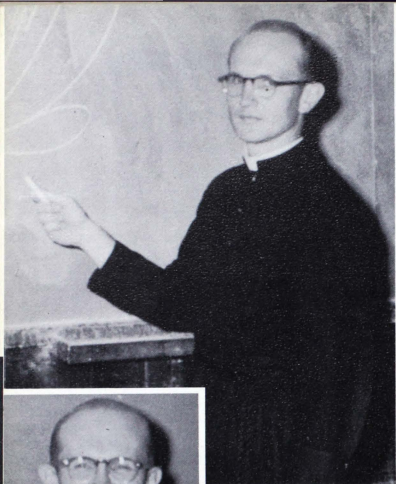
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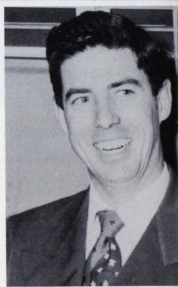
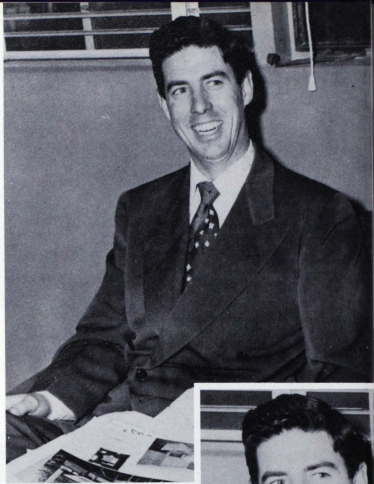
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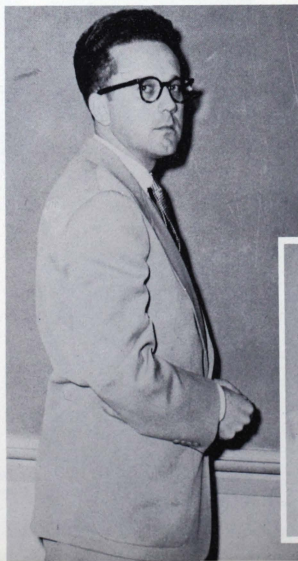
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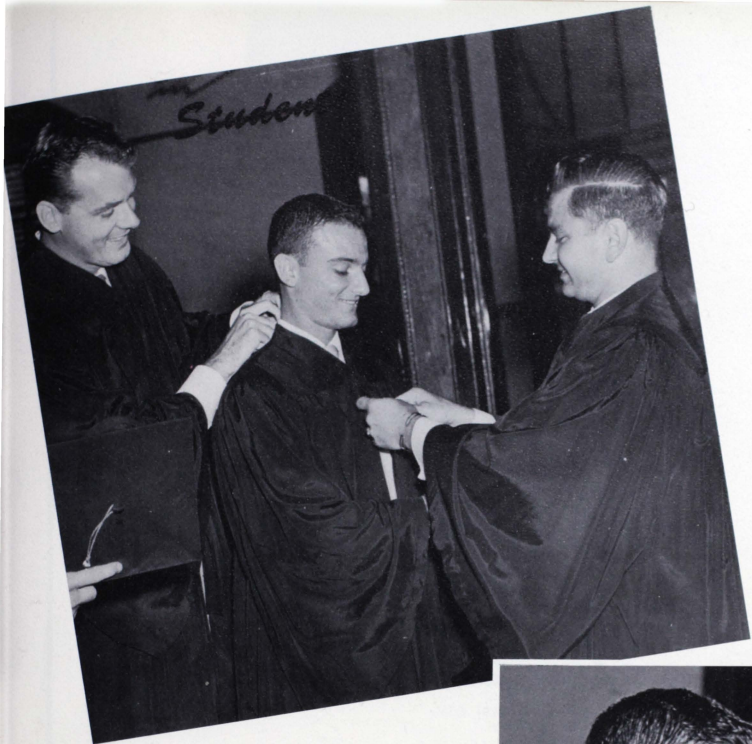


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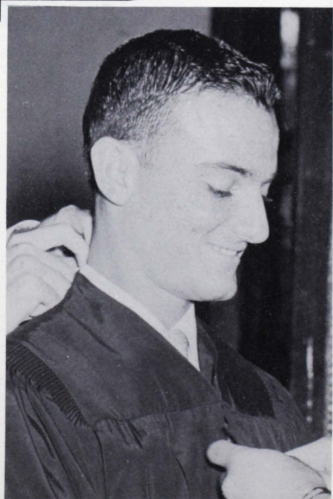


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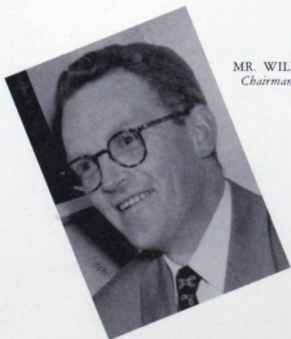


The determination of outstanding students is at best a risky thing. Several Seniors, however, accomplish so much at St. Edward's that the task becomes a relatively simple job. Certainly outstanding was Terry Dietsch, who served as president of the SAC and was named Man of the Year and All-Intramural. Sam Parigi was valedictorian, and Ed Poshkus, Nick Tramonte and many others were true St. Ed's men in spirit and effort.





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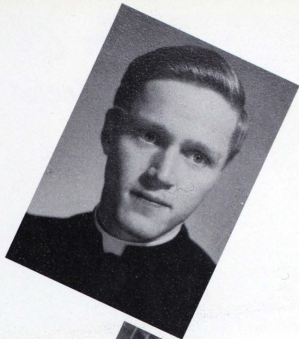


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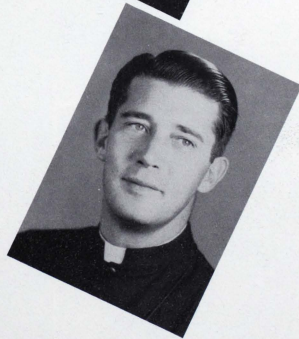
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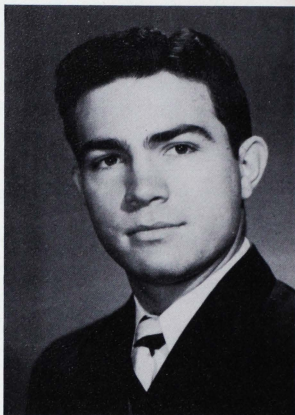
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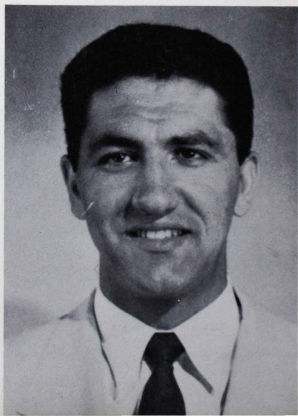


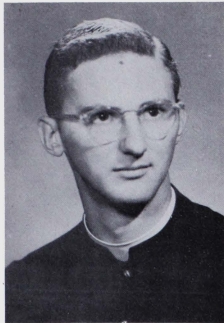
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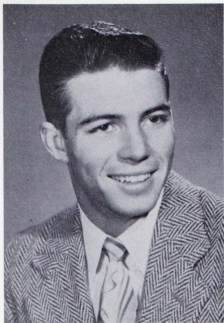


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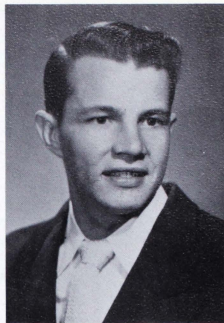




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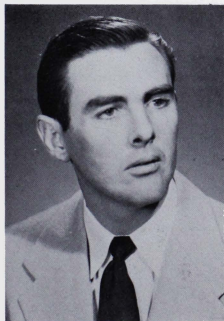
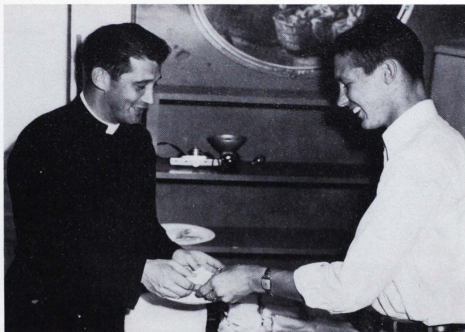
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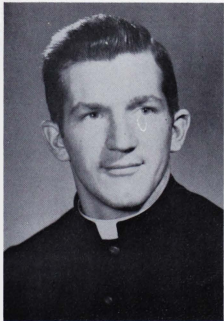
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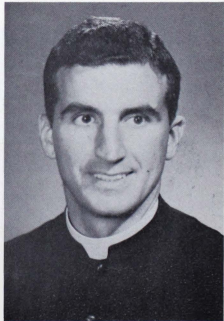
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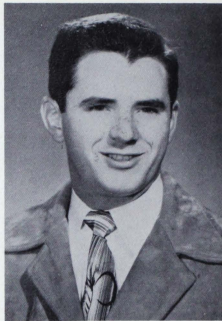


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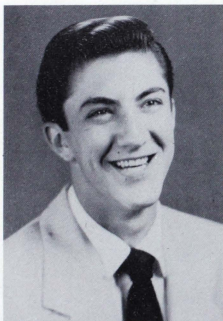
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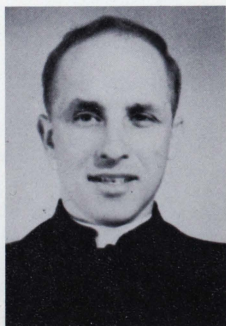
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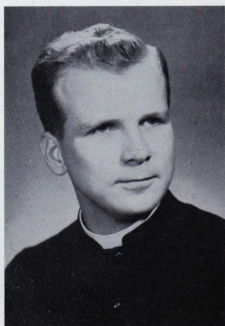
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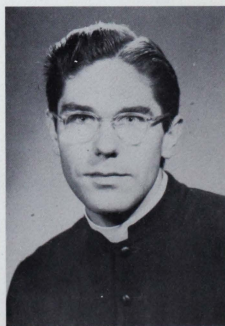
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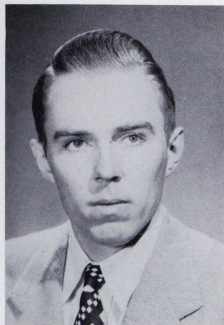


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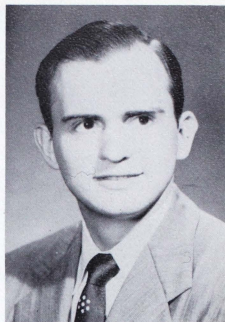


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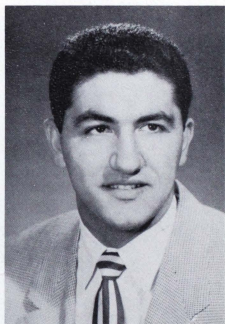
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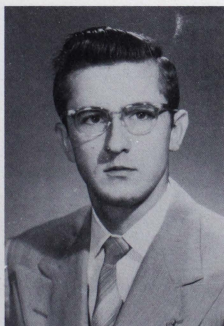
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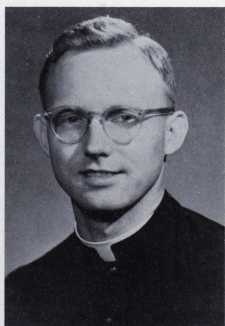
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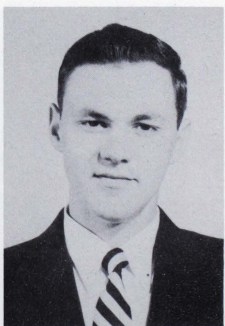
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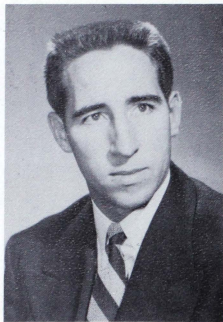
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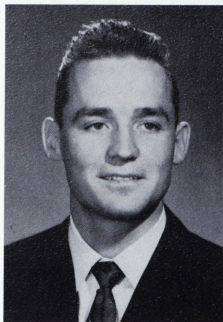
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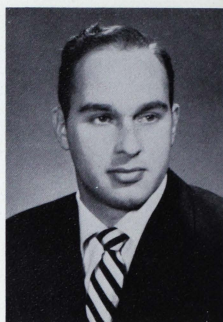
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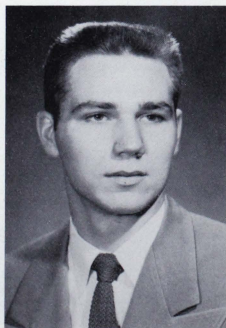


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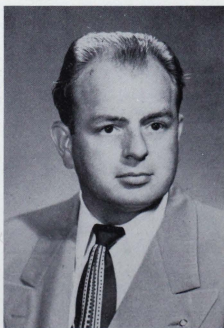


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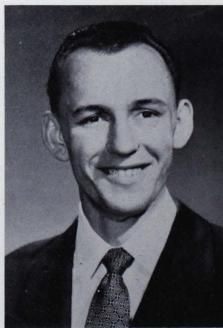
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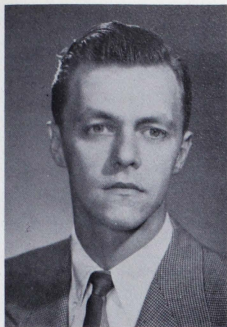
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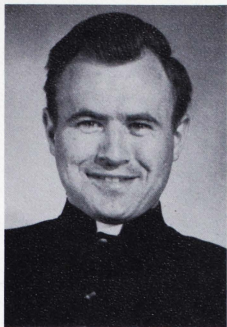
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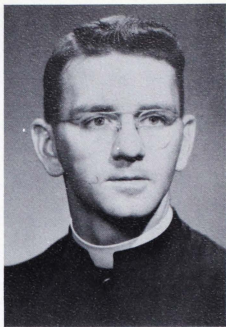
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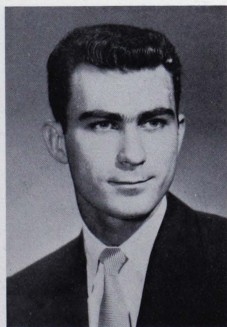


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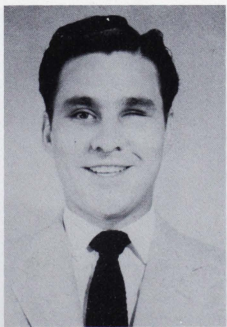
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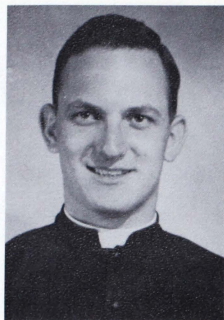


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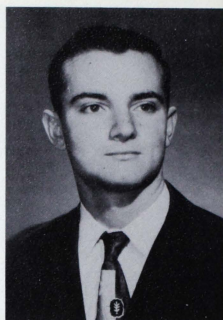


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Seniors



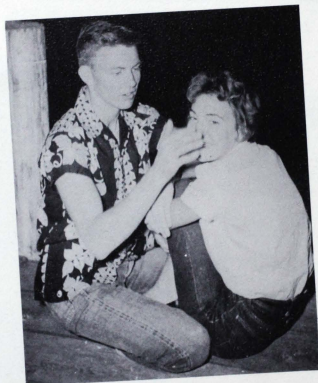
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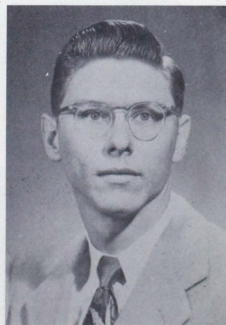
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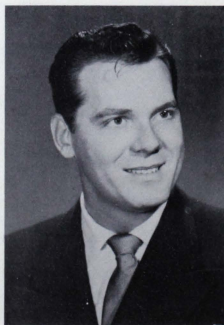
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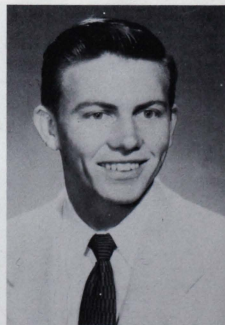
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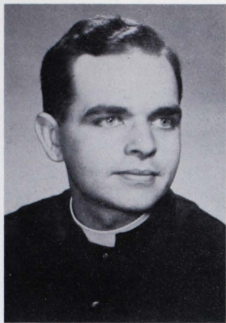


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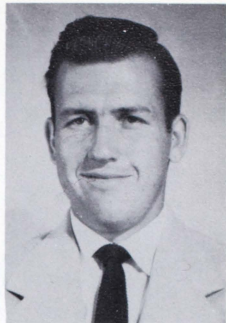


CLIFFORD ROME
Mission, Texas

Seniors



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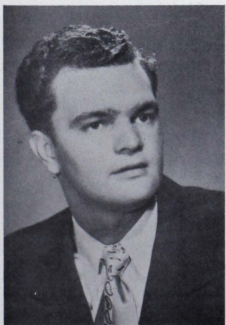
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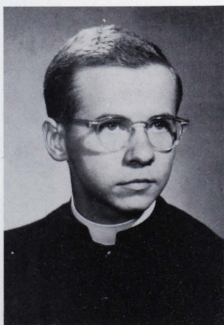
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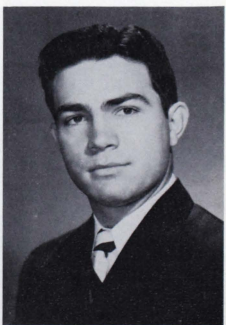
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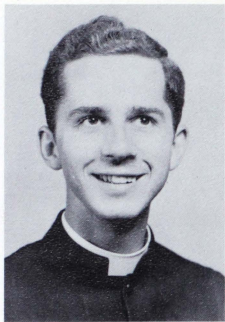


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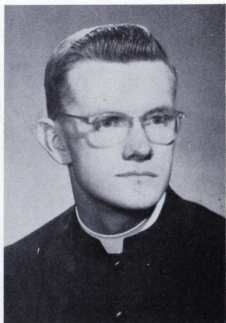


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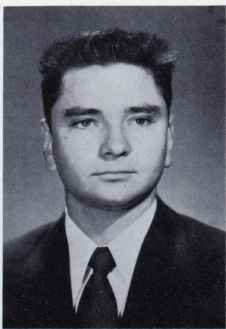
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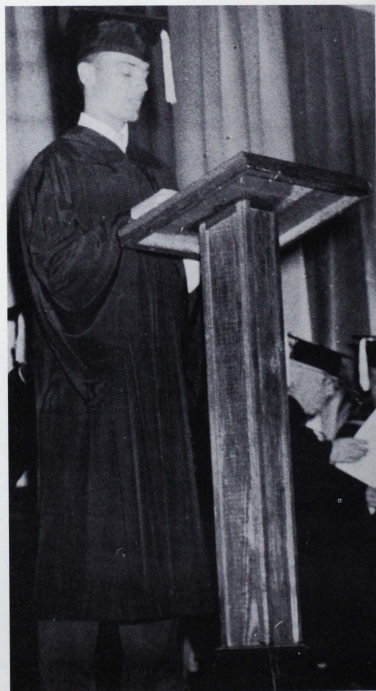
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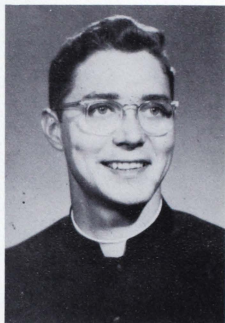


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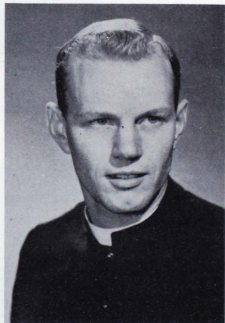
Seniors



... and the class of 1954

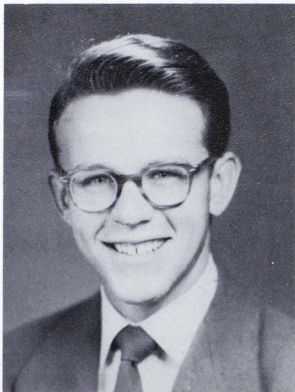


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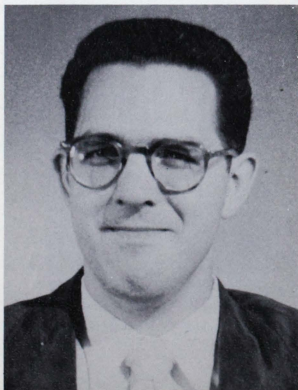
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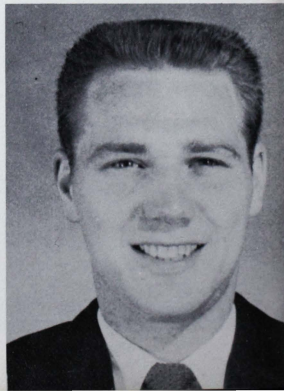
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CLAYTON MEYER
Vice President

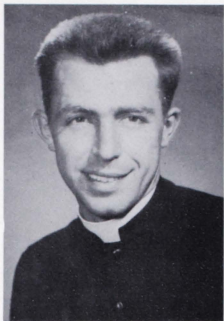


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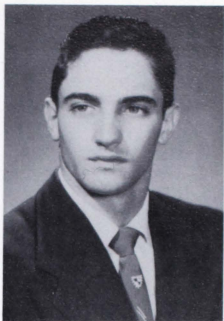




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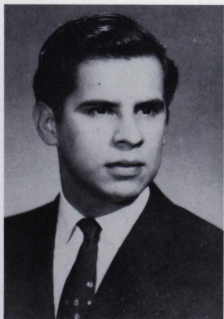
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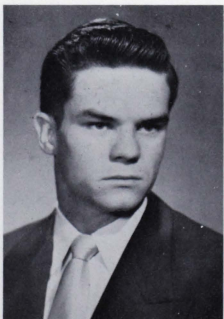
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Chicago, Illinois



... one of the attributes of glee-clubbing



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Austin, Texas

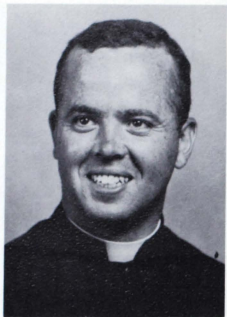


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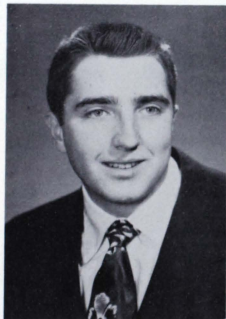
Juniors



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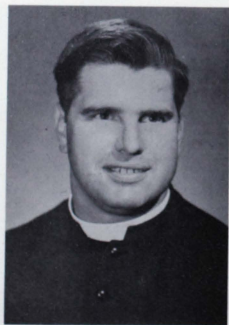
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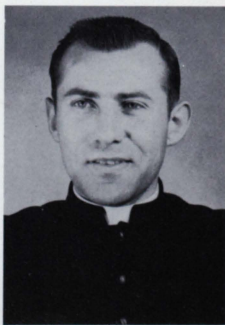
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Indianapolis, Indiana



... and the attributes of Catholic education



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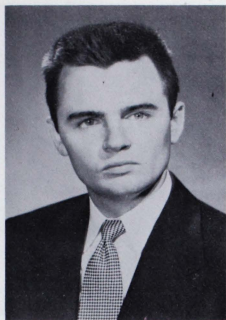


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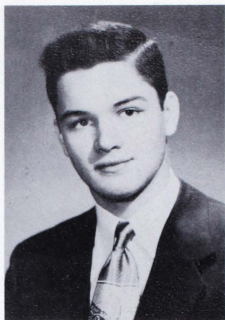


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Dallas, Texas

Juniors



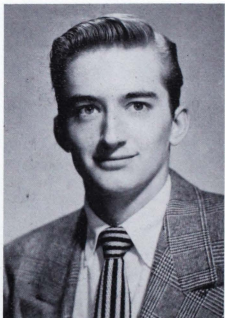
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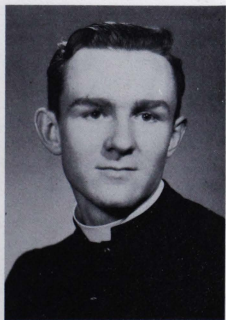
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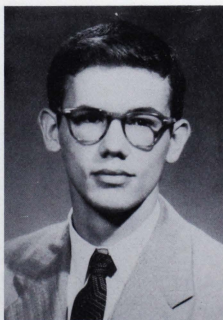
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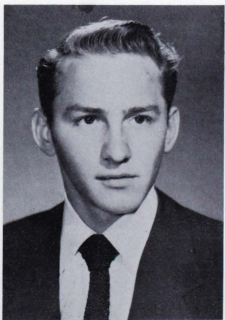
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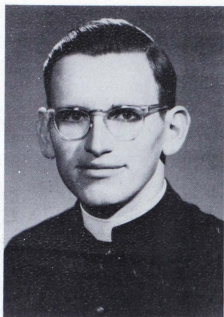


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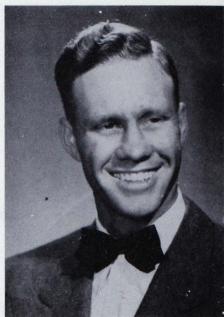


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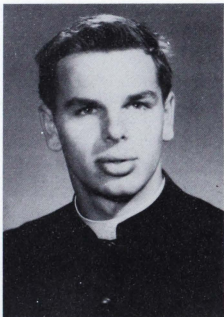
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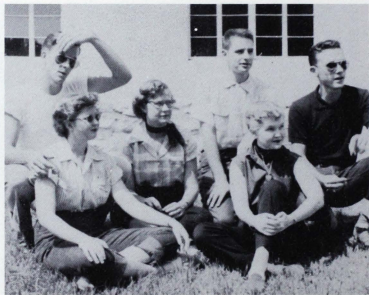
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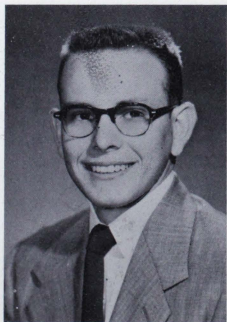
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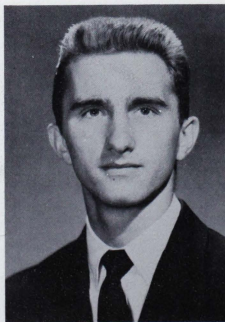
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Evansville, Indiana



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Fancy Farm, Kentucky



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JAMES KELL
Dallas, Texas

Juniors

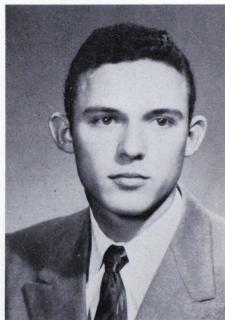


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THOMAS KORIOATH
Sherman, Texas

... alumni notables



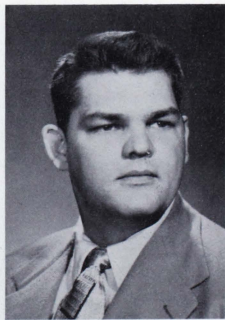
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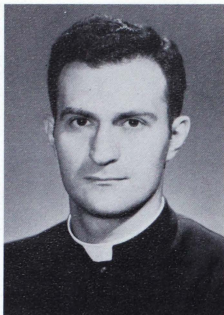
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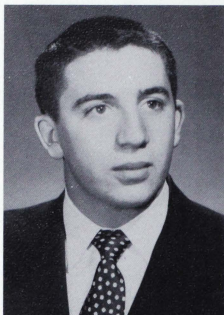
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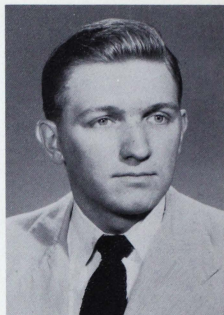
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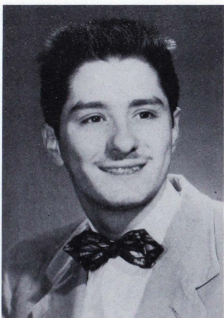
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Bronx, New York



TIMOTHY O'KEEFE
Lampasas, Texas



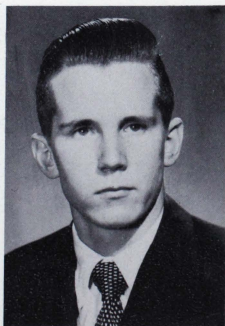
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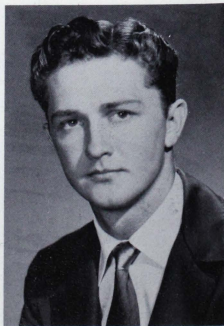
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Torreon, Cach, Mexico



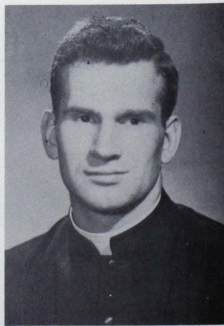
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MARTIN TENNEY
Little Rock, Arkansas

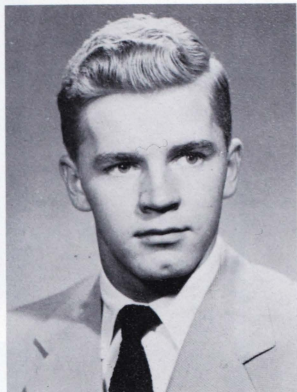
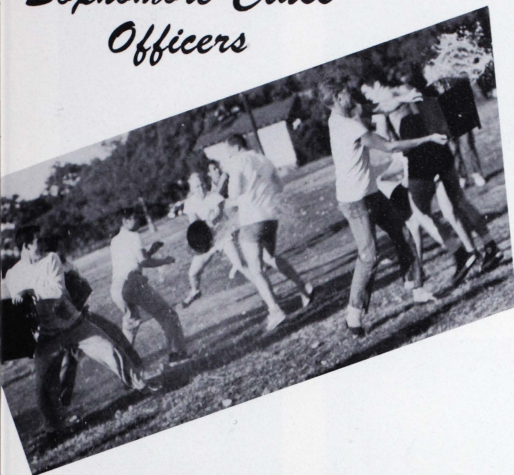


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Hooks, Texas



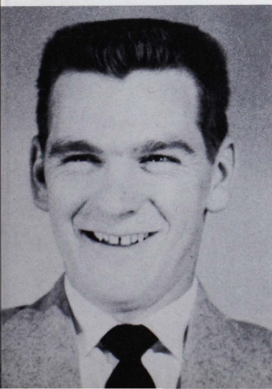
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Sand Lake, Michigan

Sophomore Class Officers

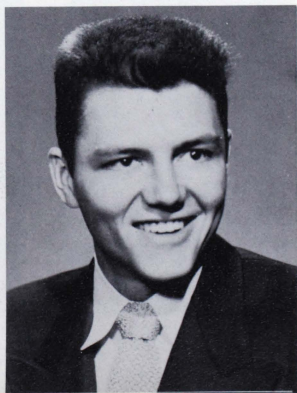


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President

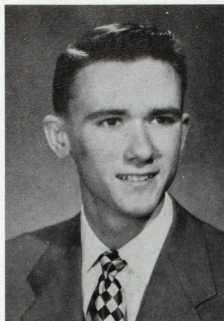
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Secretary



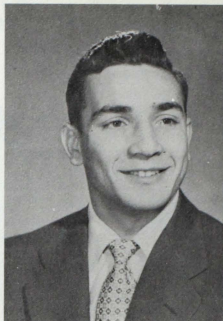
CHARLES BISHOFF
Vice President



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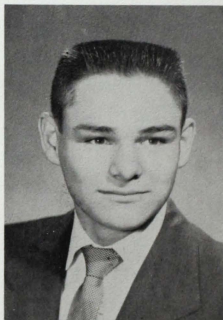
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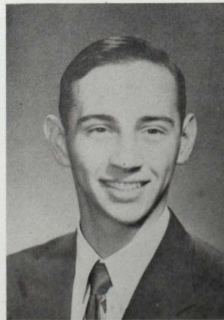
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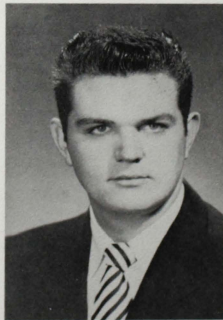
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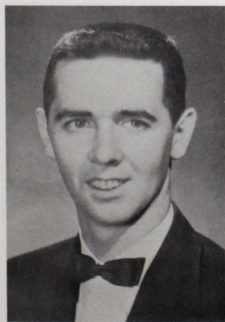
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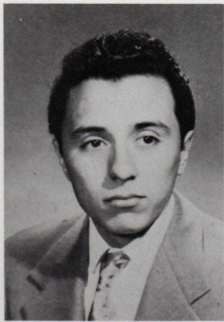
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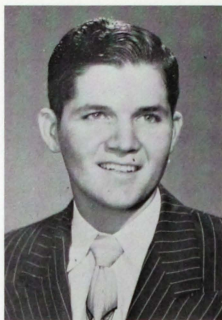


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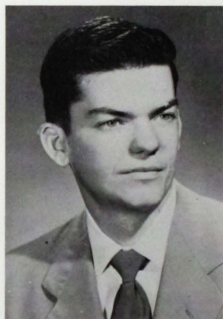
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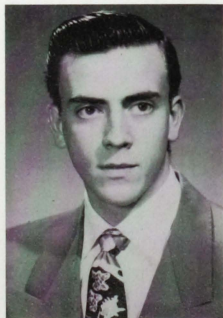
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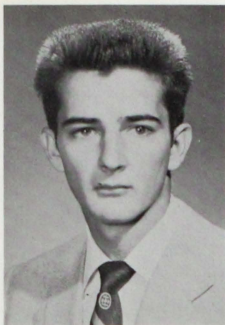
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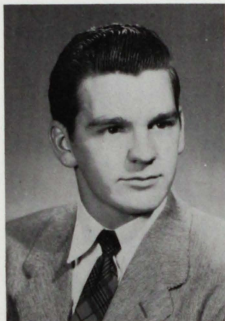
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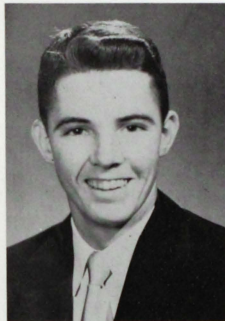
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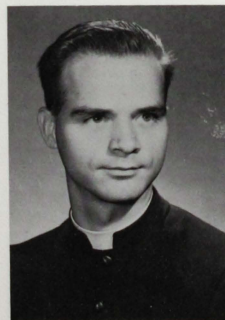
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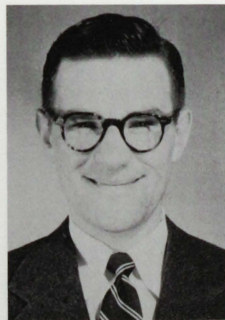
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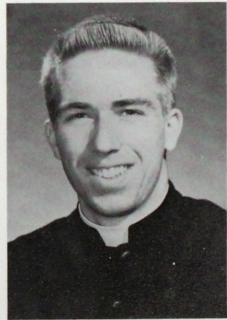
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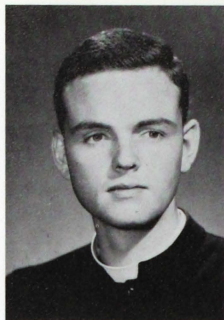


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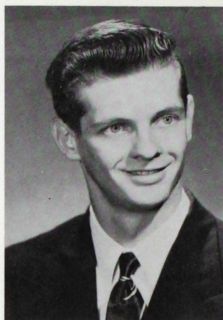
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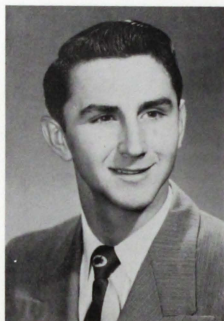
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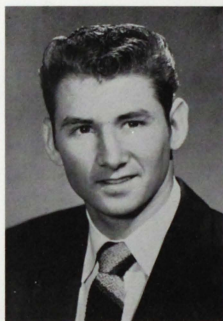
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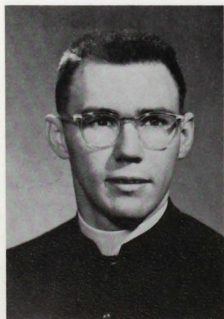
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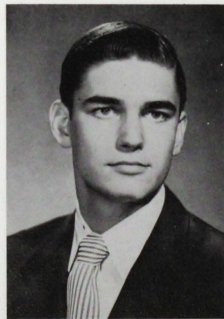
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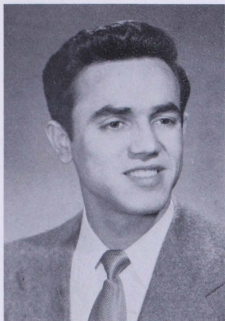


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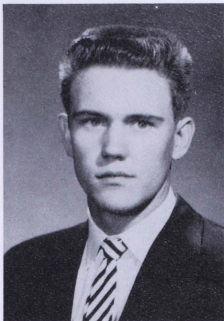


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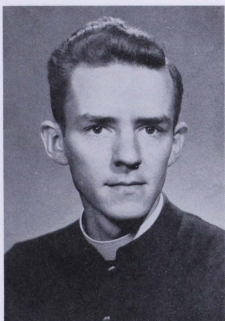
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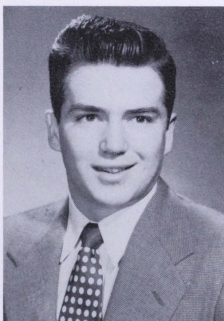
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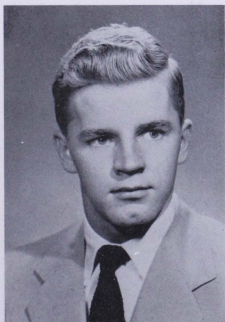
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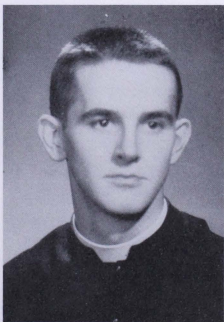
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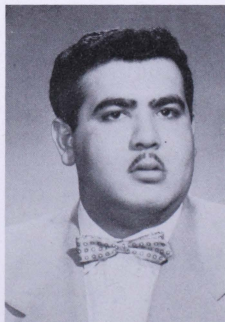
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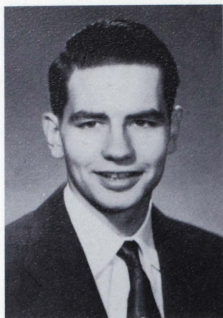


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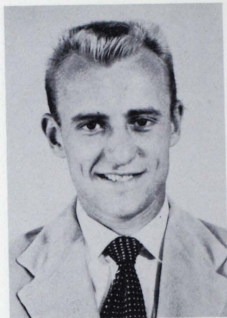


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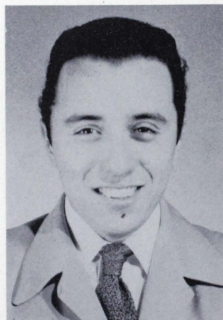
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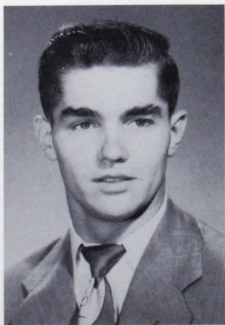
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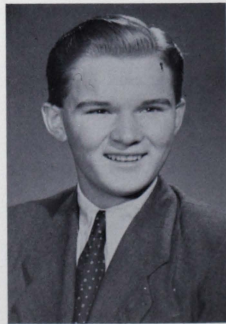
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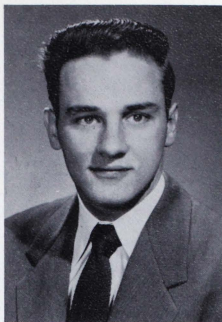


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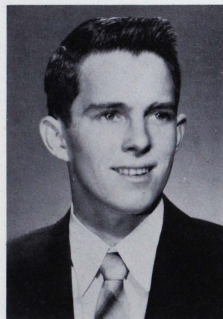
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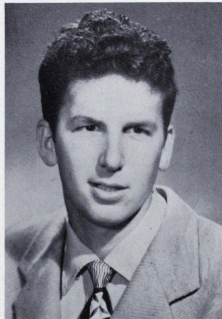
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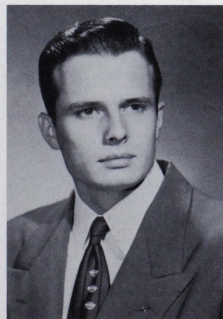
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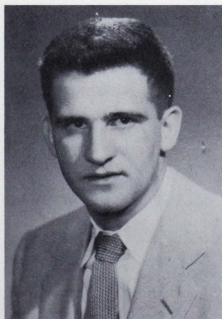
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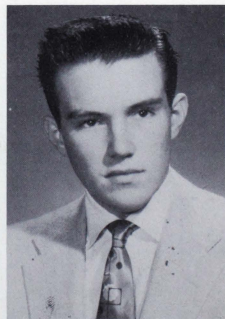
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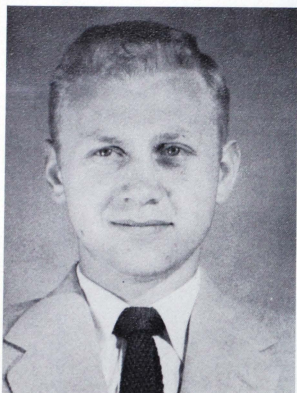


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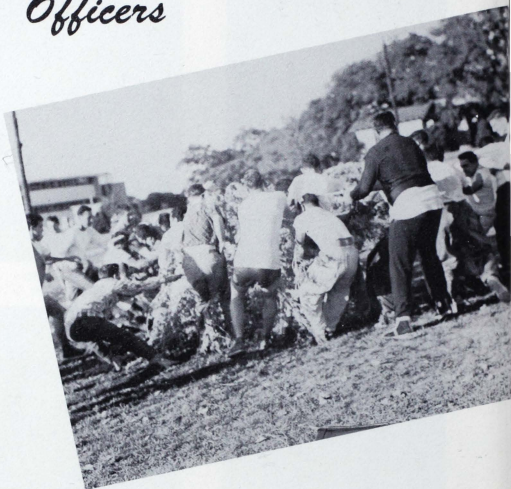


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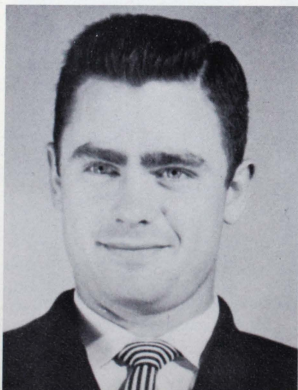
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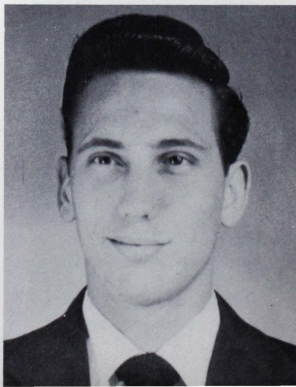
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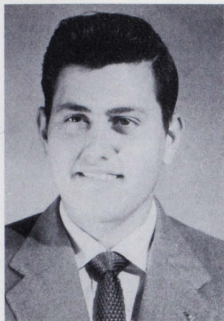
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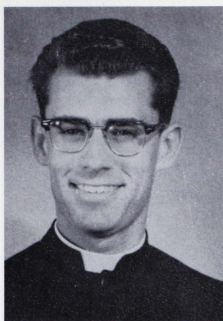
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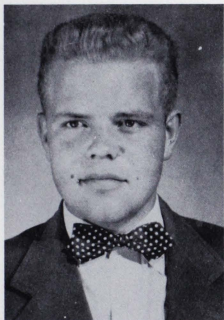
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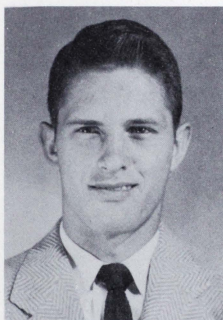
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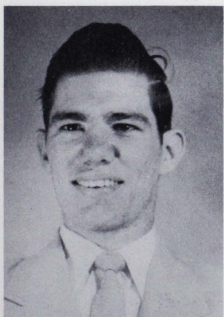
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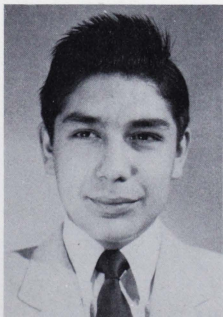
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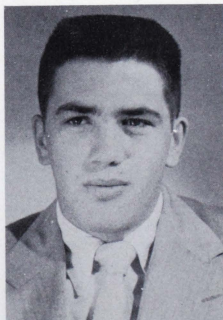
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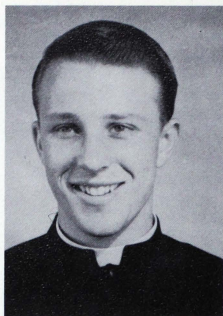


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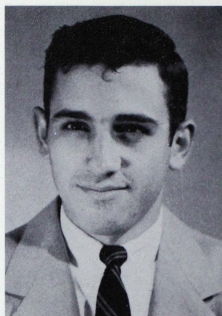


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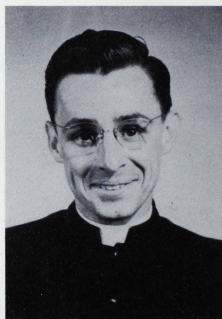
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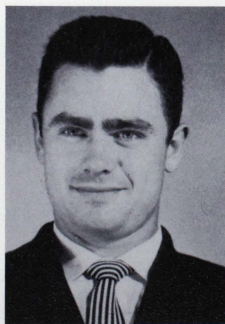
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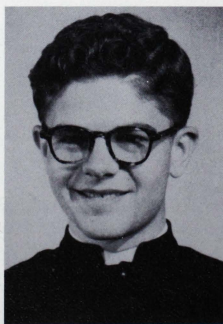
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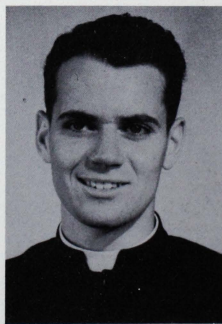
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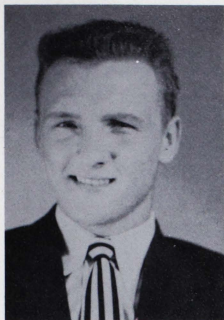


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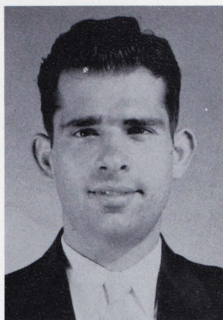


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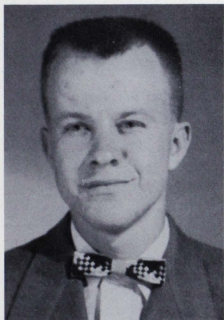
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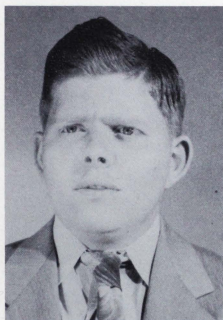
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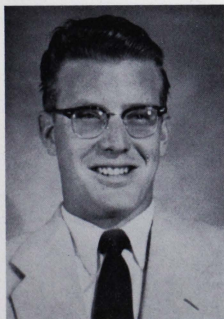
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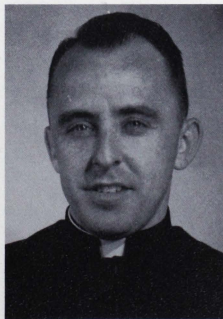
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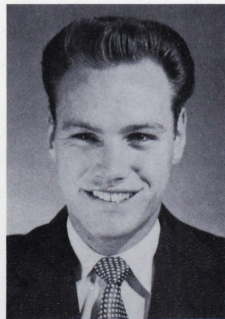
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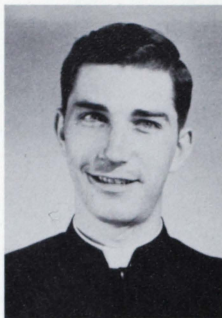


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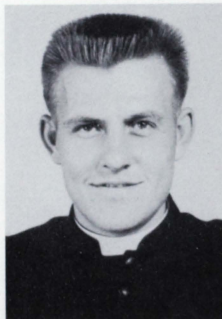
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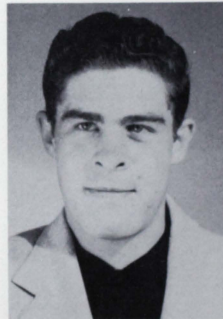
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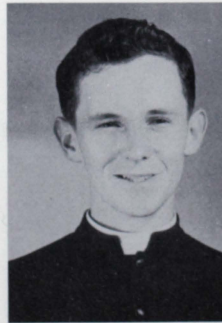
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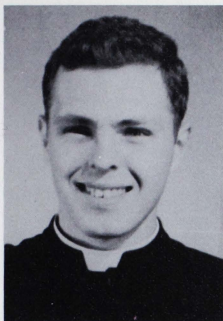


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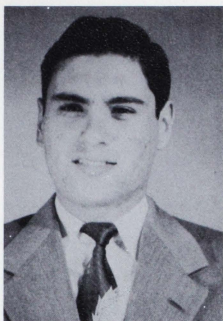


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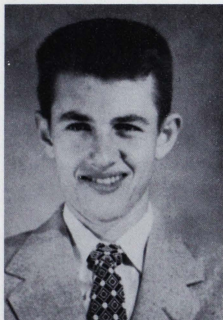
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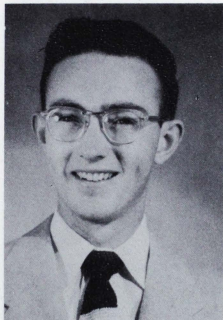
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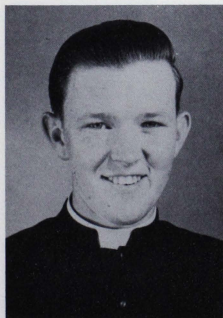
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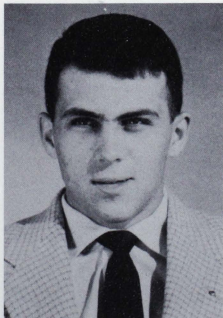
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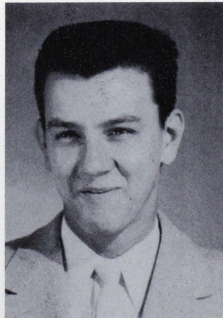
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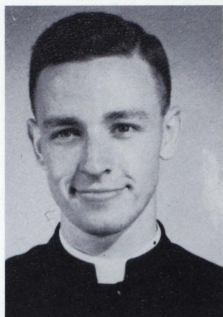


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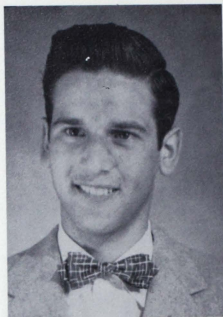


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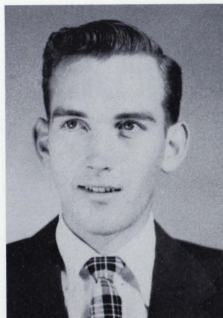
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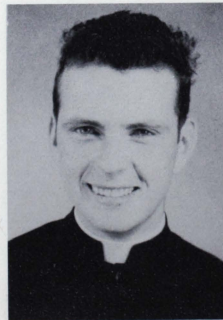
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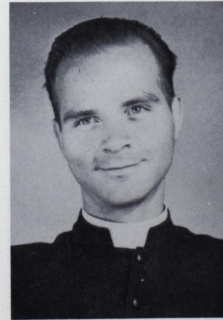
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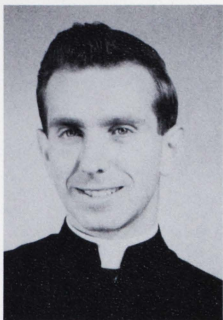


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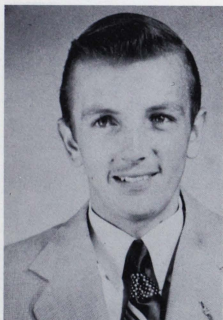
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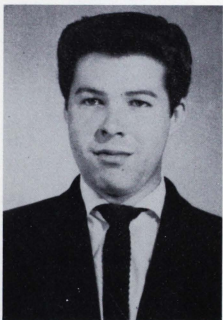
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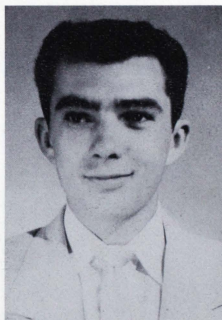
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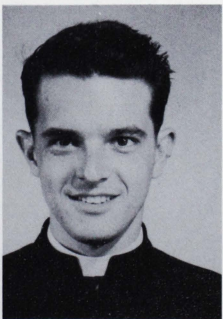
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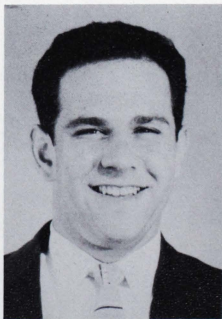
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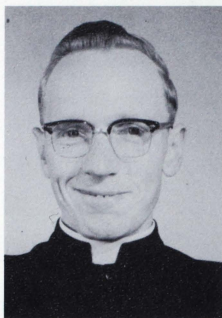


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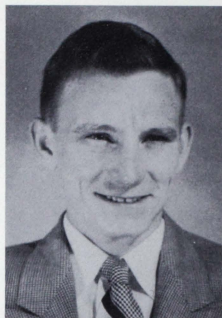


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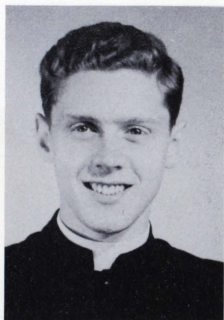
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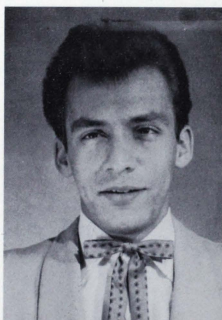
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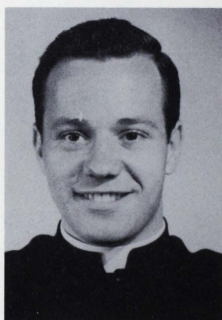
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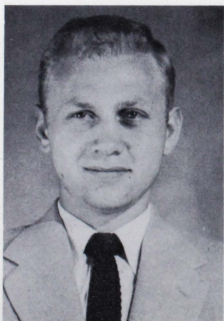
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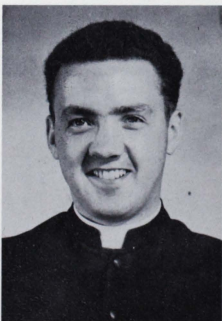
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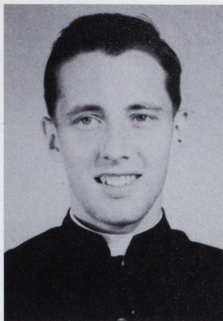


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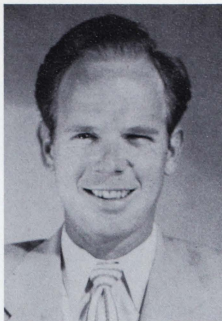


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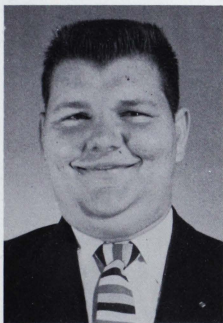
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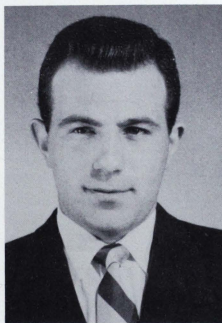
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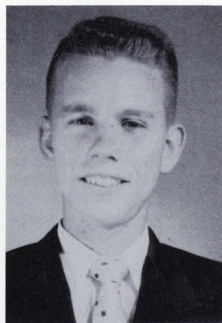
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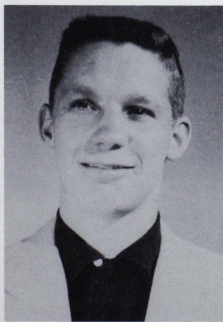
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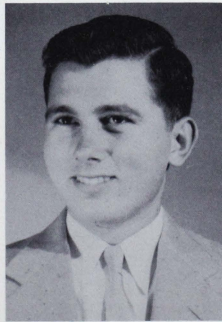
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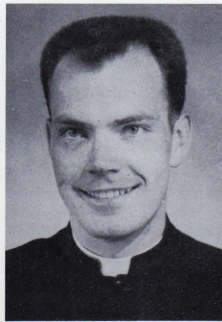
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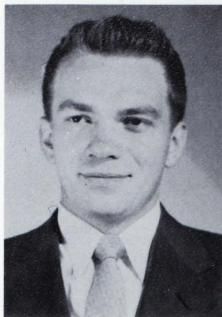


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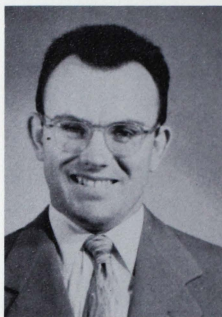


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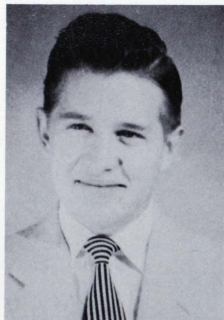
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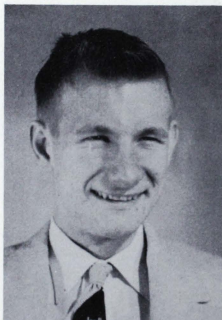
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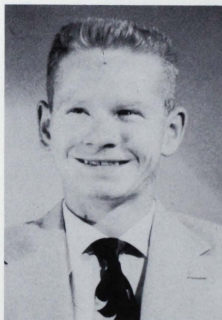
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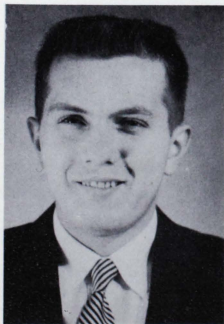
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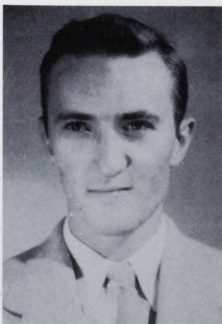
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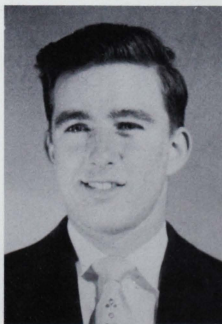
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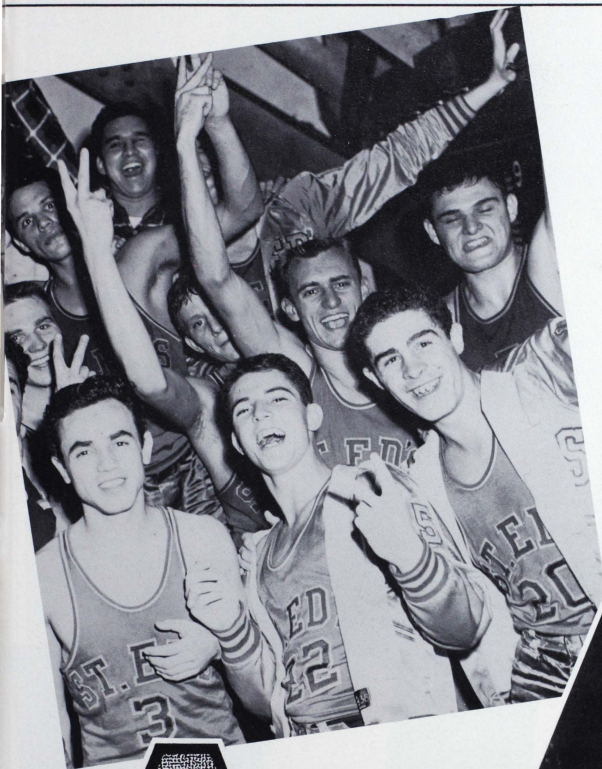
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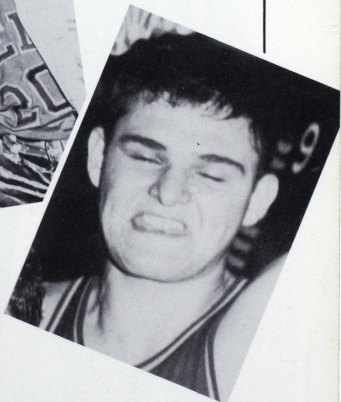


LEE ZAPP
Galveston, Texas



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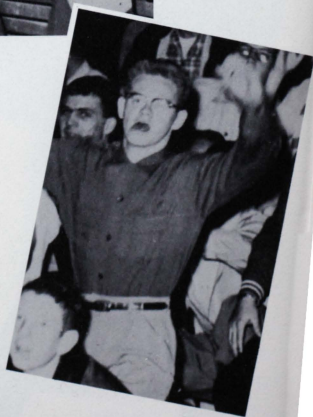
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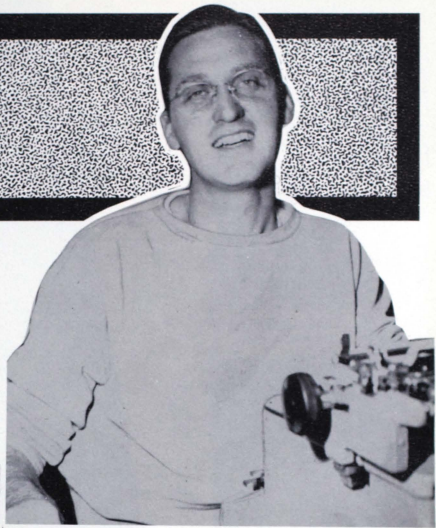
Basketball



BIG STATE CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS!

The St. Ed's Hilltoppers for the first year gained a championship tie for the Big State Conference with East Texas Baptist. The Hilltoppers won 16 games against six losses and were ousted from N.A.I.A. competition by North Texas State College in a game in Dallas. The Hilltoppers also placed two men on the All-Conference team—Jack Hellett and Jim Krider.





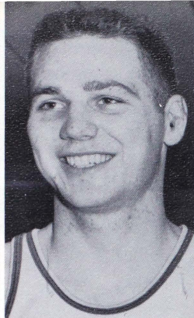
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Athletic Director



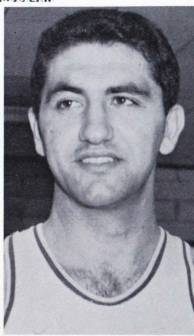
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Head Basketball and Baseball Coach

JAMES FOUGEROUSSE
*Assistant Basketball
and Baseball Coach
Head Track Coach*

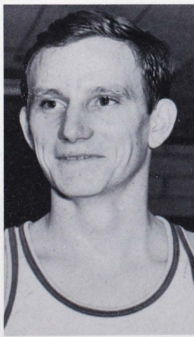




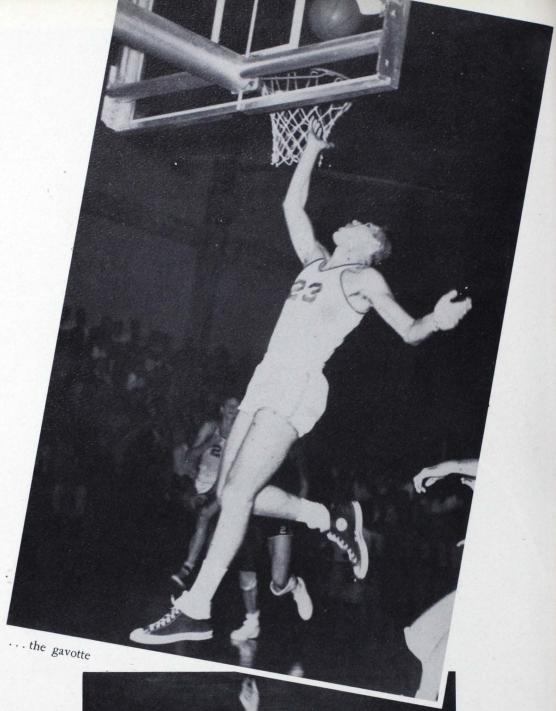
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... '54-'55 Captain



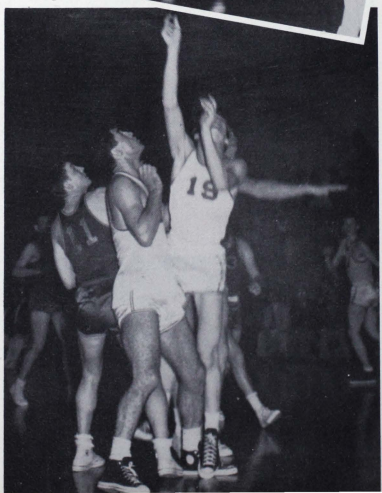
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... Most Valuable



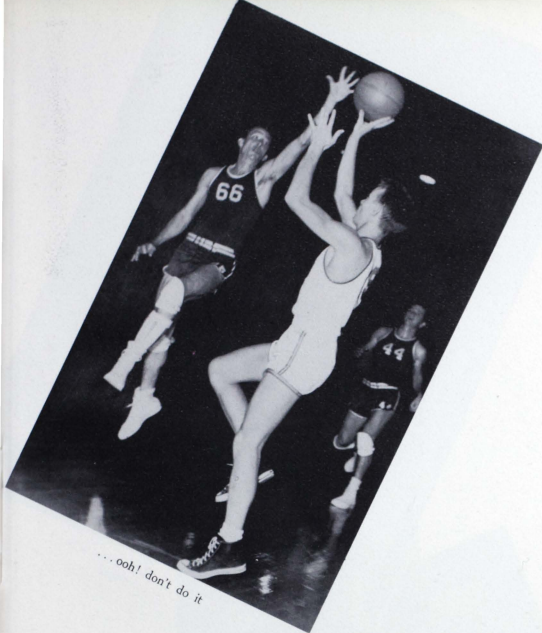
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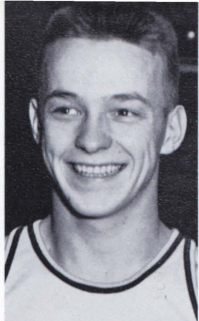
... the gavotte



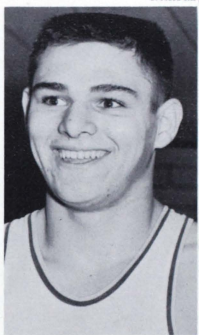
... the
Maypole,
mayhaps



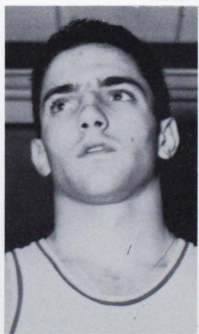
... ooh! don't do it



TOMMY McLAUGHLIN
... senior standout



RON BELLA
... a South Bend starter



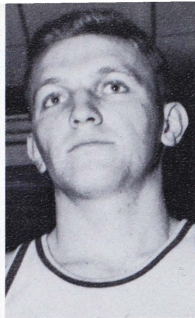
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... a little one

THE SEASON

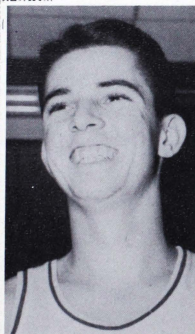
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St. Edward's.....	64	Southwestern	51
St. Edward's.....	82	Trinity	65
St. Edward's.....	64	East Texas Baptist	66
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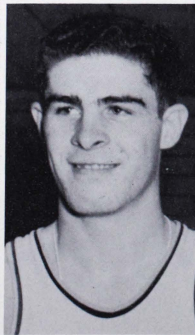
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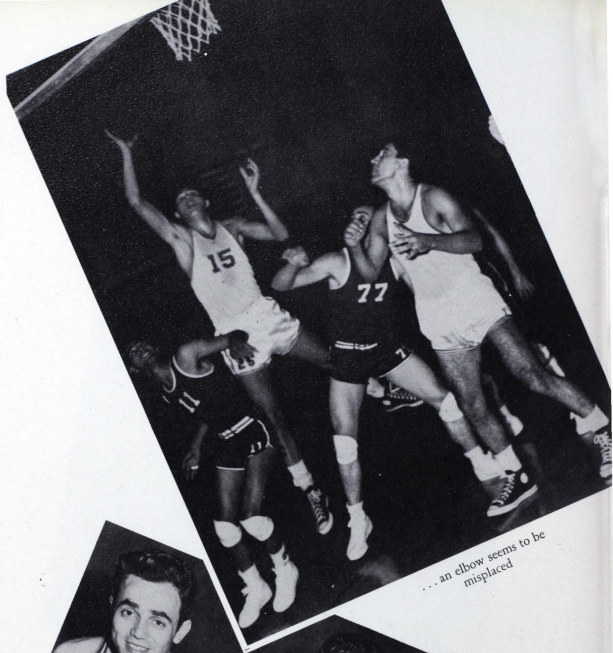
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... a Yankee



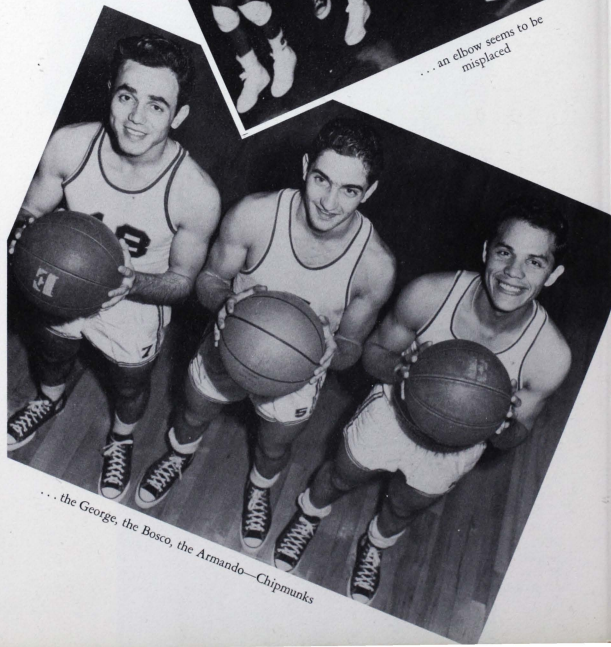
CHARLES MCGANNON
... Not so rough,
Charles



TOM GORE
... and the boils
went on



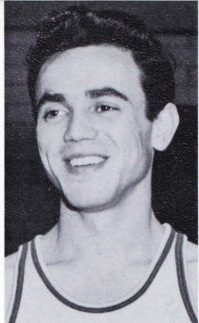
... an elbow seems to be
misplaced



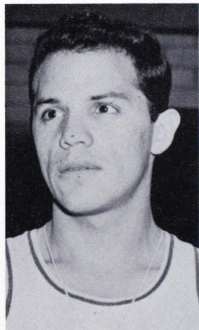
... the George, the Bosco, the Armando—Chipmunks



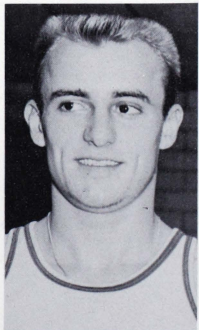
... oh! my back



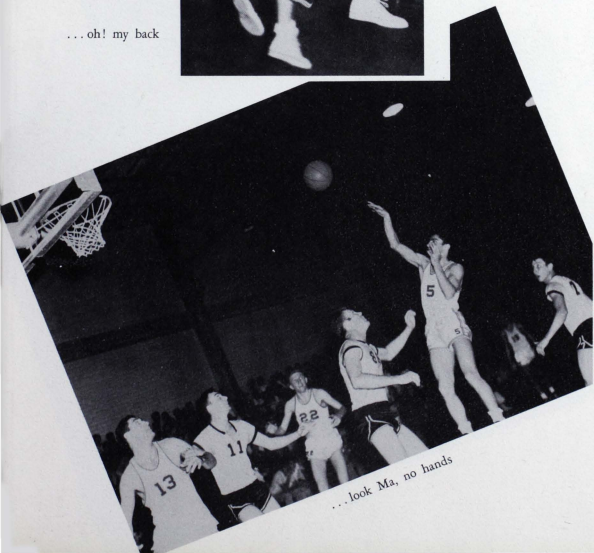
GEORGE PAPPAS
... speedster



ARMANDO HERRERA
... all I did was
dribble—

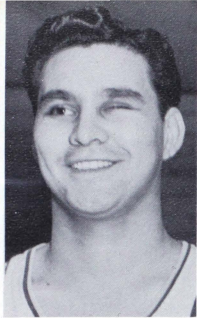


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... Cotton

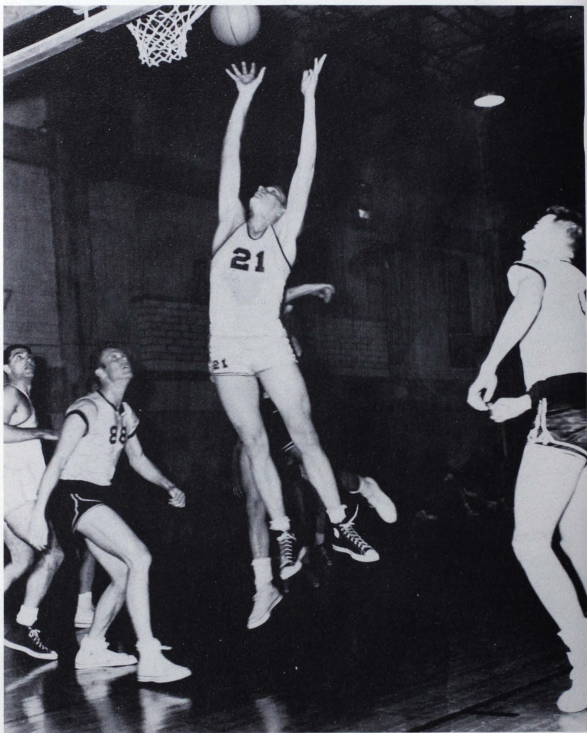


... look Ma, no hands

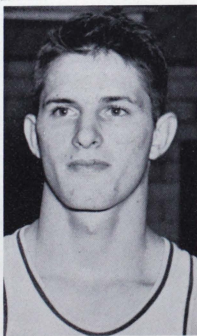
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NOTRE DAME, INDIANA



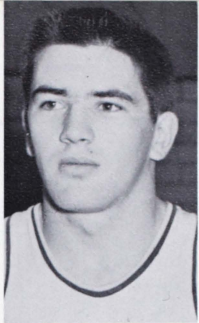
FRED PAEZ
...from Laredo



... what big arms you have, Albert

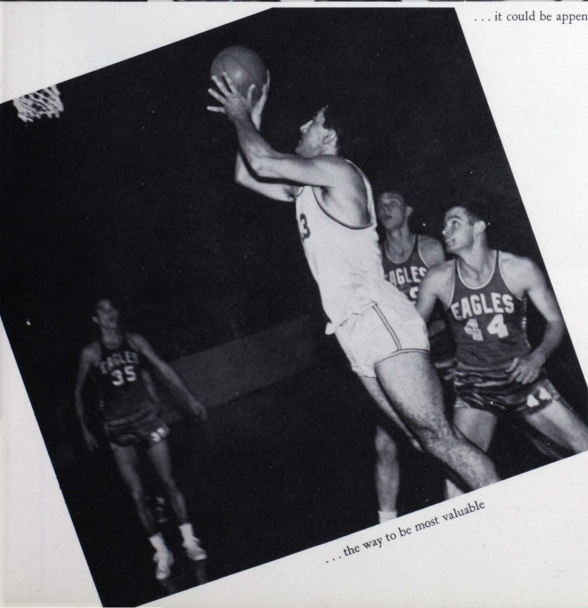


RAY BOURGEOIS
...how do you spell
that, please?



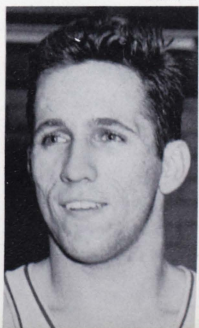
TOM BRUSKY
... Frosh
candidate

... it could be appendicitis



FRED ODIORNE
... one of
Tony's boys

... the way to be most valuable





BIG STATE CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS

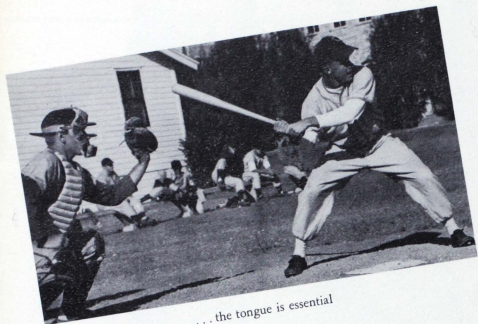
In the front row, left to right: Ron Bosco, George Pappas, Charles McGannon, Armando Herrera, Fred Odiorne. Directly behind Bosco are Ray Bourgeois, Tom McLaughlin, Fred Paez, Tom Brusky, Tom Gore, Don Stump, Joe Pfister, Jim Krider. In the back row are Albert Popp, Ron Bella, Jack Hellett and Joe Petrosante. Coach Ed Norris and Coach Jim Fougousse and Manager Jerry Godinich are in the middle.

Baseball



Unable to find a combination that could hit when the pitching was able to master the opposing players, Coach Ed Norris' 1954 version of the Hilltoppers baseball team ended a lack luster season with a season record of 11 losses against only two wins. Most of Norris' troubles came from lack of depth and a weak infield. Pete Benet, who was named most valuable in baseball, was moved from the outfield to take over third base. The hitting power of the Hilltoppers was off and the pitching was not able to take up the slack.





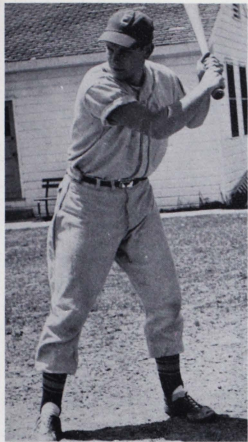
... the tongue is essential



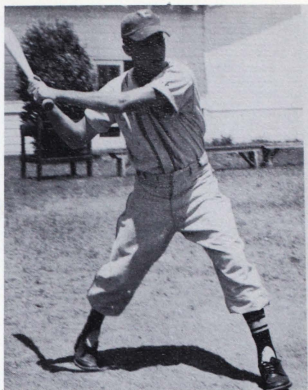
... most valuable, Pete Benet

... varsity candidates





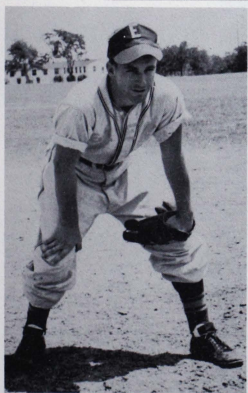
... HILARY HUNT



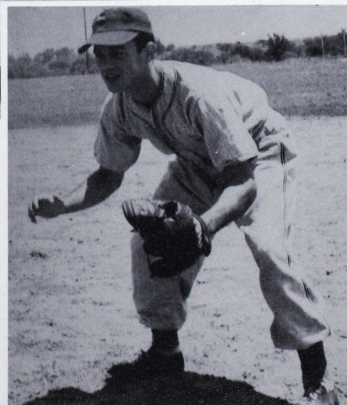
... ARMANDO HERRERA



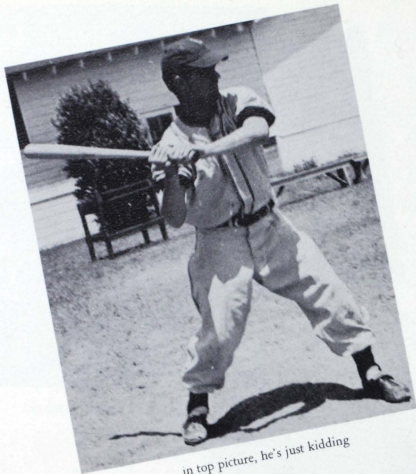
... Benet gets
an award



... JOHN BURK



... GEORGE PAPPAS

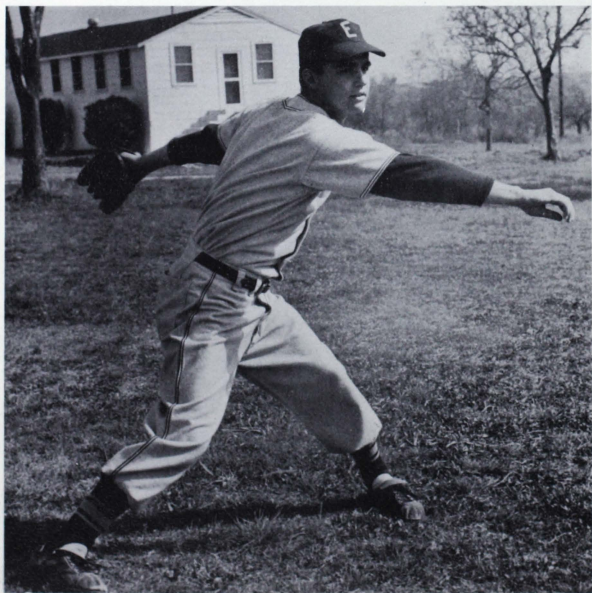


... in top picture, he's just kidding

THE SEASON

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St. Edward's.....	1	Bergstrom	4
St. Edward's.....	1	Texas Lutheran	2
St. Edward's.....	1	Bergstrom	2
St. Edward's.....	4	Southwestern	7
St. Edward's.....	3	St. Mary's	6
St. Edward's.....	1	Brooke	11
St. Edward's.....	13	Southwestern	6
St. Edward's.....	6	St. Mary's	9
St. Edward's.....	15	Southwestern	6
St. Edward's.....	1	Texas Lutheran	2
St. Edward's.....	0	Bergstrom	3
St. Edward's.....	2	Brooke	13

Lost—11 *Won*—2



BATTING AVERAGES

	AB	H	%
A. R. Lema	41	16	.390
Armando			
Herrera	31	16	.290
Pete Benet	46	12	.261
Tex Wright	45	11	.245
Joe Molina	29	7	.241
Jack Burnett	45	8	.178
Walt			
DeGravelle	45	8	.178
Mitch			
Tomaszkiewicz	30	5	.167
John Burk	18	3	.167
Tom McLaughlin	35	5	.143
Hilary Hunt	21	2	.096
George Pappas	12	0	.000



... the best retriever since Old Blue

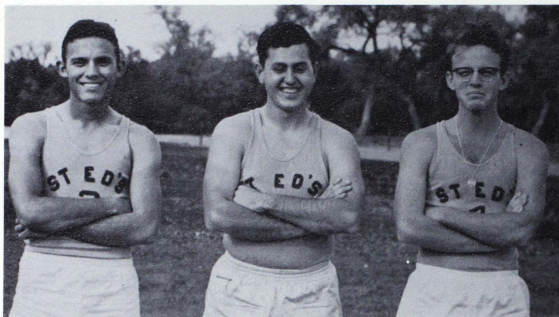
... and again Mr. Benet



... his massages are better than his bridge



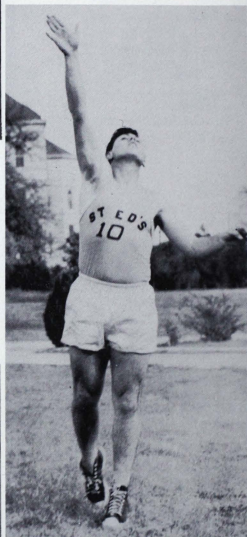
Track



TRACK TRIO—A. R. Lema, Gerry Balough and Bob Clay were three mainstays of the Hilltopper track team.

BIG STATE TRACK MEET RESULTS

ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY	63 points
EAST TEXAS BAPTIST	56 points
ST. EDWARD'S UNIVERSITY	35 points
TEXAS WESLEYAN COLLEGE	16 points



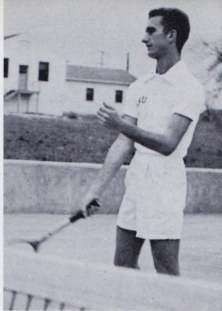
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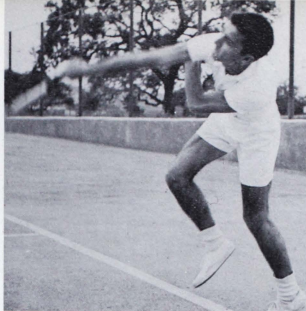
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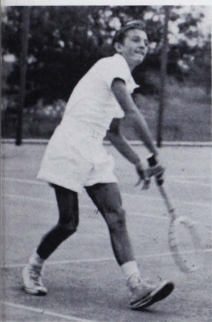
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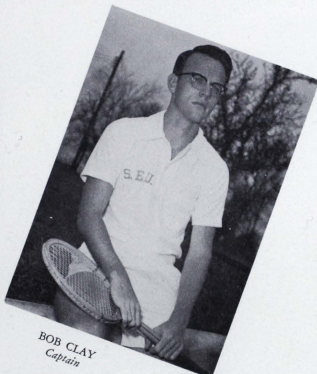
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TOM LEBLANC



JOE NIETO



BOB CLAY
Captain

Tennis

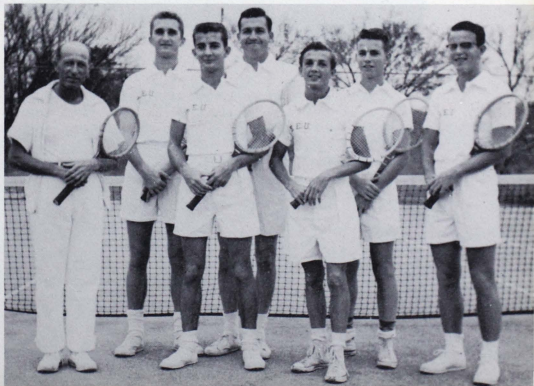
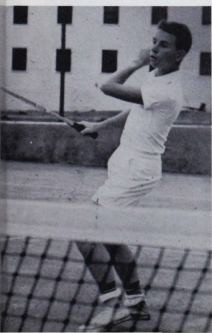
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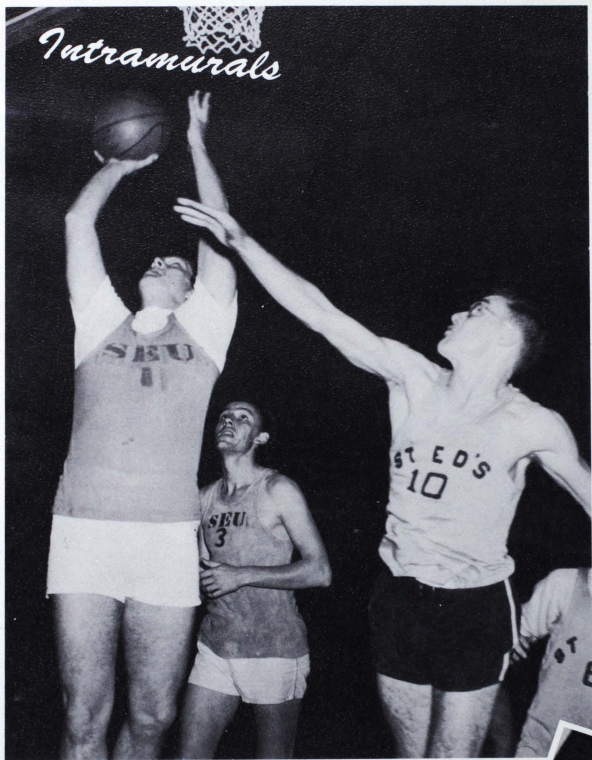
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Won—8 Lost—5

THE TENNIS TEAM—Standing, left to right, in front row: Brother Emmett Strohmeyer, C.S.C., Coach; Tom LeBlanc, Joe Nieto, and Bob Clay. In second row are: Hank Jaskowiak, John Ryder, and Walton Shaffer.

WALTON SHAFFER





Again this year the Hilltop saw a rash of intramural activity under the direction of Nick Tramonte and Brother Walter Foken, C.S.C. In football Tex's Terrors won out over the Slugs. In basketball the Knights of Columbus slipped past the Galveston Club and in softball the Scholastic Brothers beat out the DeSotos and the No Names. Terry Dietsch was named All-Intramural for the year.



Football

TEX'S TERRORS

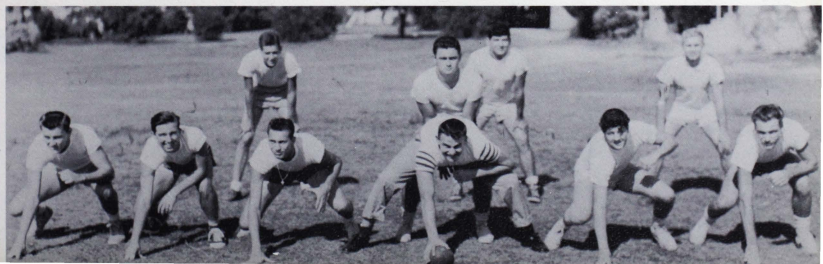
First row, left to right: Bill Bishoff, Bill Cronin, Bill Schuble, Harry Kirwan, Tony Koriath. Second row: Tex Wright, Mitch Tomaszewicz, Pete Benet.

... Waiting for the
Robert E. Lee



SLUGS

First row, left to right: James Korenek, Lee Zapp, O'Neal Fassetta, John Burns, Bobby Holmes, Robert Dowdy. Second row: J. J. Mulligan, Jack Burnett, Joe Molina, Richard Ries.



Football



SIPPERS

Left to right: Chris Passmore, C. J. Rome, John Ikard. Second row: Clenn Nalls, Tom Burns, Frank McGinn.



HAPPI CHAPPIES

First row, left to right: Jim Edwards, Sam Parigi, Joe Stone, Dave Provost, Abbie Anderson. Second row: Fred Stegall, Dick Albright, Sam Tramonte, Dan Cronin, Tom Kieffer.

REVEREND WILLIAMSON'S CONVERTS

First row, left to right: Dan Hall, Frank D'Armata, John Saracco, Bob Oppermann, John Ryder. Second row: Juan Amador, Hank Nazier, Ellis Williamson, Paddy Whelton.





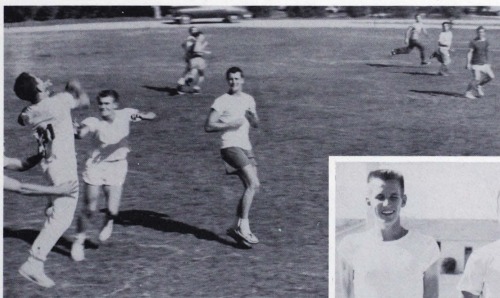
FRESHMEN

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Football



... there seems to be some controversy here

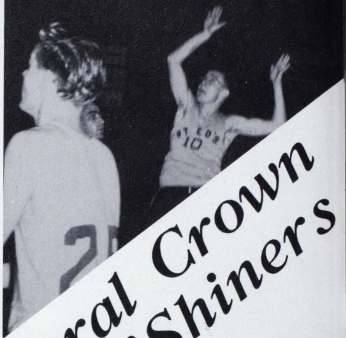
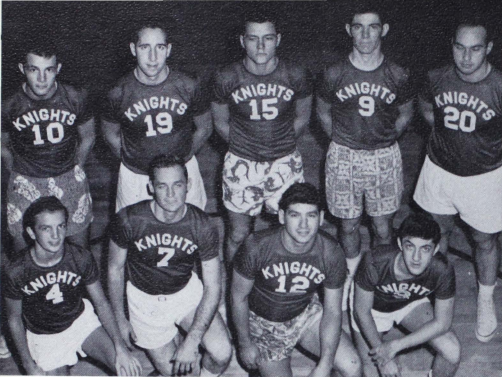


... take that, you varmint

CRIMSON CREAMERS

First row, left to right: Mike Gotstein, Paul Farrell, Joe Harmon. Second row: Martin Tenney, Joe Koewler, Bill Cronin.





Knights Grab Intramural Crown With 51-39 Win Over 'Shiners

Galveston Club Takes Second

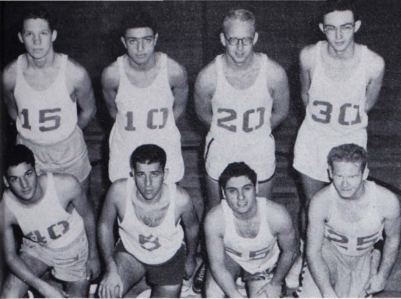
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By Walton Shaffer
Hilltopper Sports Staff
Three teams crossed the finish line in the intramural basketball

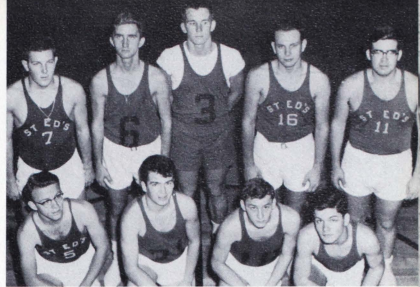
In the first game of the final week of regular season play, the Walkers were defeated by the Knights of Columbus, 58-29. The

Kneeling, left to, right: A. R. Lema, Peter Parsons, Bobby Holmes, Lee Zapp. Second row: John Stiglich, Robert Dowdy, John Ryder, James Korenek, O'Neal Fassetta, John Burns.





VOLUNTEERS



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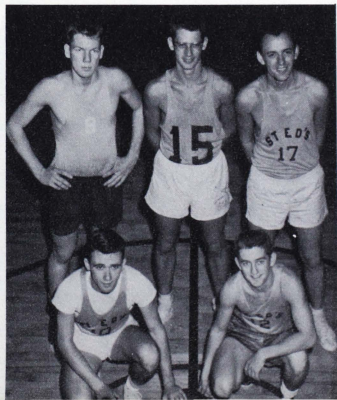
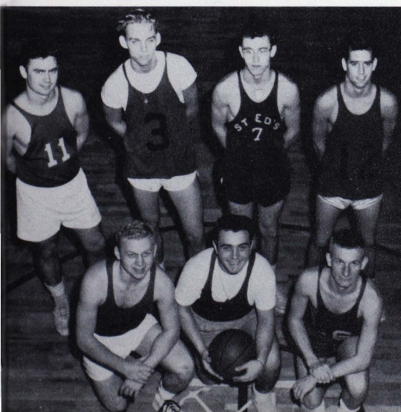
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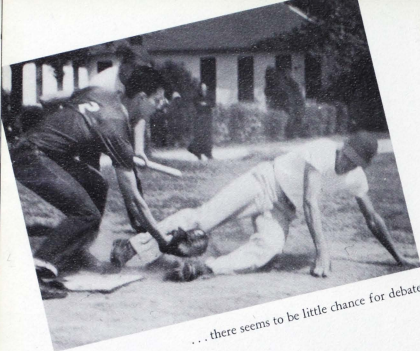


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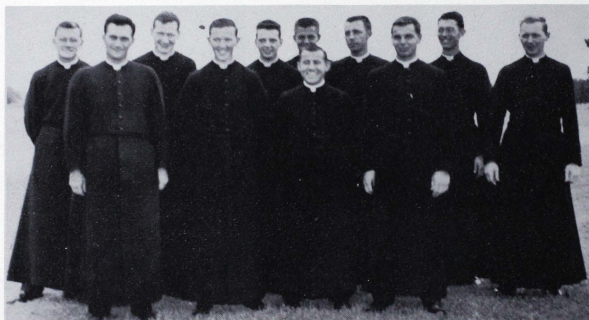
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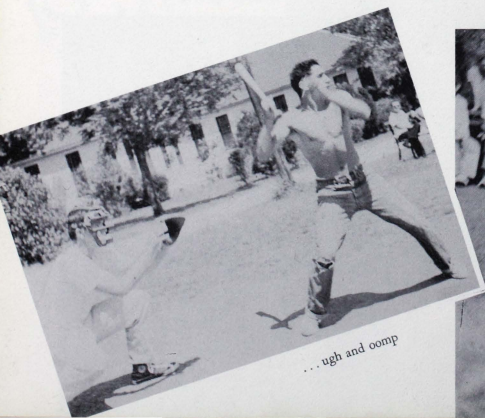
Softball



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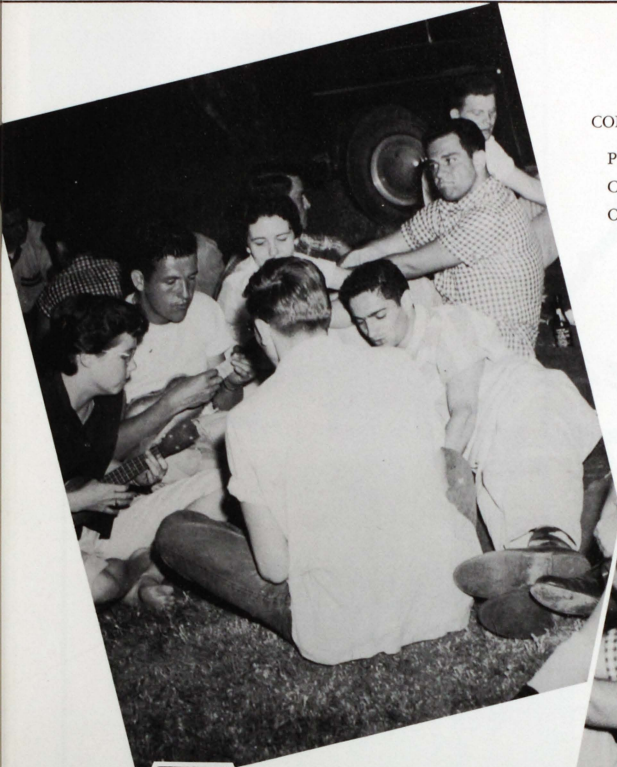


First row, left to right: Brothers Alfred Natalie, Joseph Kinsman, William Croutcher, Ronald Hein, Philip Duffley. Second row: Brothers John Terlisner, Austin Maley, James McLaughlin, Aloysius Glambowski, Joseph Berg, Alfred Ledet.



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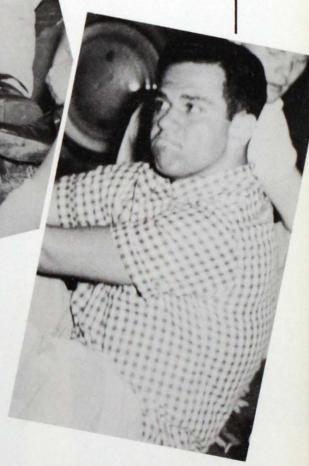


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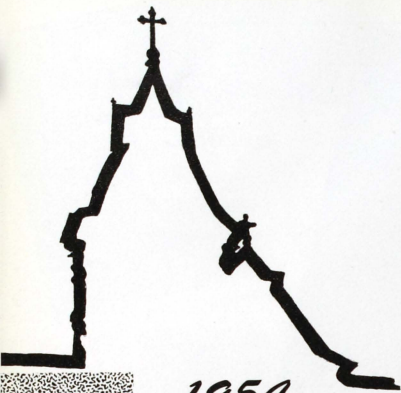
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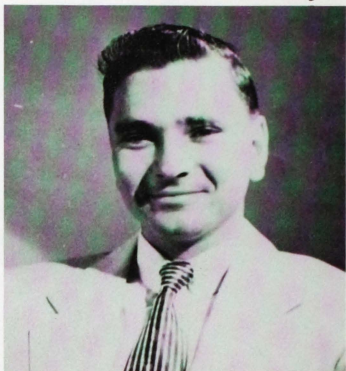
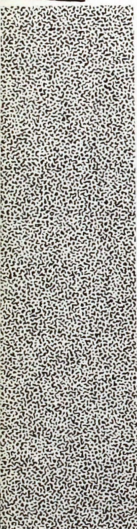
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Editor



MYRON J. MAUL
Moderator



CLAYTON MEYER
Club Editor



RONALD LENERT
Class Editor

This record of the scholastic year at St. Edward's University is the product of the Tower Staff.

Under the editorship of Nick Tramonte, and with assistance from the men pictured on these pages, this record of the year was brought about.



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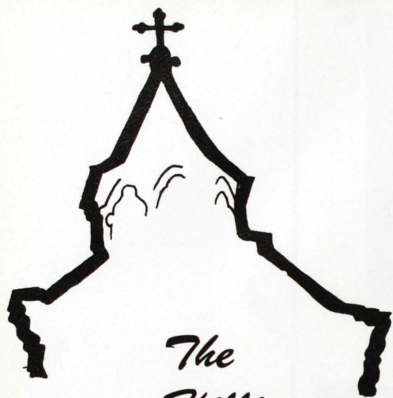
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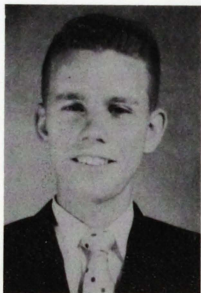




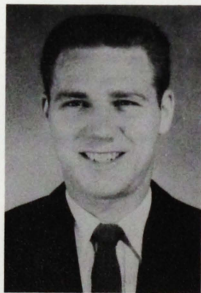
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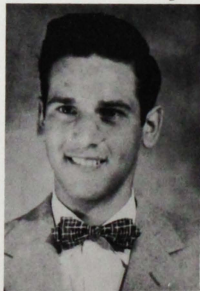
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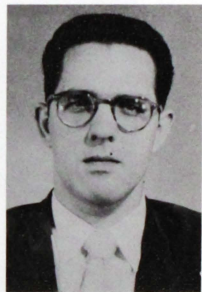
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Galveston Club . . .

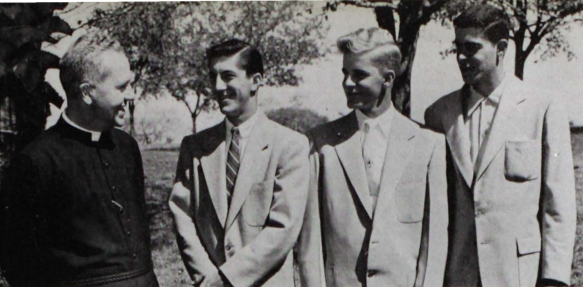


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THE OFFICERS—Albert Anderson, Vice President; Brother Raphael Wilson, C.S.C., Moderator; Dominick Tramonte, President and Sam Tramonte, Secretary-Treasurer.

Indiana Club



THE OFFICERS—Brother Patrick Cain, C.S.C., Moderator; Terry Dietsch, President; William Rowley, Vice President; and Thomas Gore, Secretary-Treasurer.

First row, left to right: Michael Farrell, Francis Heyde, William Colglazier, John Duffy, Brother Patrick, C.S.C., Moderator. Second row: William Rowley, Donald Woehler, Terry Dietsch, Thomas Kieffer, Joseph Harmon. Third row: Joseph Koewler, James Roach, John Breen, Dan Single. Fourth row: Fred Wright, Arthur Field, Michael Gotstien, Tom Brusky. Fifth row: Paul Farrell, Art Gray, Thomas Gore. Sixth row: Fred Hornuth, Jim Krider, Ronald Bella.



"E" Club



First row, left to right: George Pappas, Ronald Bella, Joseph Pfister, Ronald Bosco, Charles McGannon, Mitchell Tomaszewicz. Second row: Forrest Wright, A. R. Lema, Harry Kirwan, Pete Benet, Armando Herrera, Hillary Hunt, Jack Hellett. Third row: Thomas McLaughlin, James Krider, Albert Anderson, Jerome Godinich.

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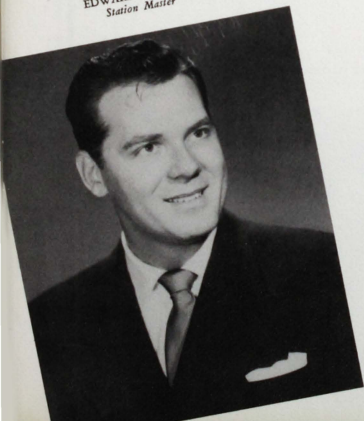


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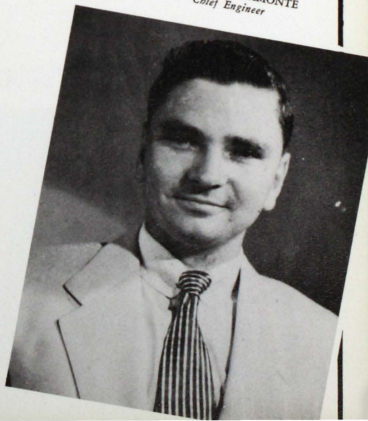


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EDWARD POSHKUS
Station Master



DOMINICK TRAMONTE
Chief Engineer



Servers Club

First row, left to right: A. R. Lema, Arnold Landry, Lee Zapp, Walton Shaffer, Roger Ostrom, Robert Longoni, Reverend James P. Gibbons, C.S.C., Moderator. Second row: Jerome Godinich, Robert Clay, James Roach, Frank Korenek, James Sanderson, Joseph Harmon, Dan Single.



THE OFFICERS—Jerome Godinich, President; Reverend James P. Gibbons, C.S.C., Moderator; Lee Zapp, Vice President; A. R. Lema, Secretary-Treasurer.



Press Club

First row, kneeling, left to right: Clayton Meyer, Maurice Whelton, Sam Tramonte, Henry Nazier, Timothy O'Keefe, Walton Shaffer, Romulo Sosa, Dominick Tramonte. Second row: Sam Parigi, Ellis Williamson, Jerome Godinich, Allen Skidmore, Edward Kubala, Robert Clay, Charles Kelsey. Third row: Ronald Lenert, Charles Reilly, Daniel Hall, Harry Kirwan, Edward Poshkus, Harold Kamrath, Fred Stegall, Richard Wittry.



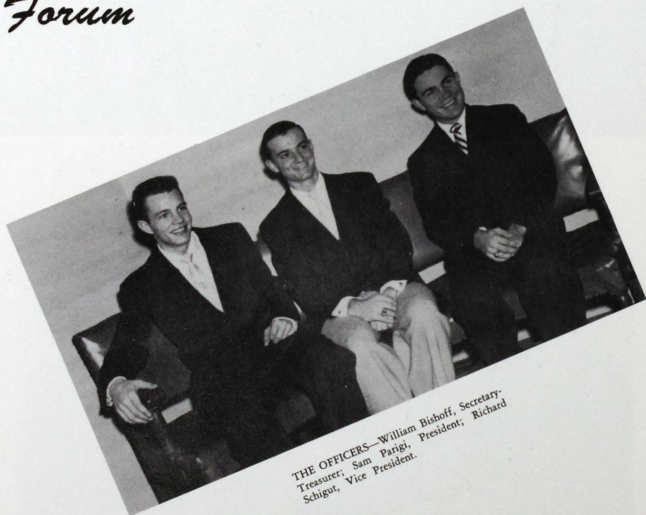
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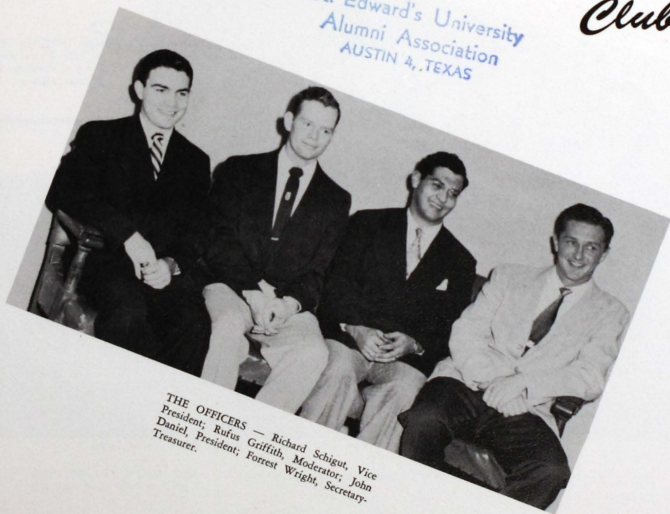
THE OFFICERS—William Bischoff, Secretary-Treasurer; Sam Parigi, President; Richard Schigut, Vice President.



First row, kneeling, left to right: Patrick Wagner, Dominick Tramonte, Henry Nazier, Walton Shaffer. Second row: Jerome Godinich, Lee Zapp, Jack Burnett, Fred Paez, Joe Molina, Sam Tramonte, John Daniel. Third row: James Korenck, Timothy O'Keefe, James Sanderson, Robert Dowdy, Fred Stegall, Frank D'Armata, David Provost, Sam Parigi. Fourth row: Edward Pothkus, O'Neal Fassetta, Jeo Pessarar, Robert Braun, Albert Anderson, Thomas Koriath, Forrest Wright, Robert Oppermann.

Texas Club

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THE OFFICERS — Richard Schigut, Vice President; Rufus Griffith, Moderator; John Daniel, President; Forrest Wright, Secretary, Treasurer.



THE OFFICERS—Richard Wittry, Vice President; Edward Poshkus, President; Dan Cronin, Secretary-Treasurer.

*Illini
Club*

First row, left to right: Richard Wittry, Dan Cronin, Ronald Bosco, Mitchell Tomaszewicz.
 Second row: David Trosch, Hank Jaskowiak, John B. Sullivan, Richard Weed, Ronald Lenert.
 Third row: Robert Gurka, Edward Poshkus.



Sitting, left to right: Dominick Tramonte, Robert Clay, Richard Schigut, Terry Dietsch, Brother Simon Scribner, C.S.C., Moderator; Sam Parigi, Charles Reilly, Richard Ries, John Daniel. Standing: Edward Poskus, Albert Anderson.

Student Activity Council



OFFICERS—Left to right: Robert Clay, Richard Schigut, Terry Dietsch, Brother Simon Scribner, C.S.C., Moderator; Sam Parigi, Charles Reilly.



Band and Orchestra

MR. JACK ORR
Orchestra Director



Sitting, left to right: Richard Ries, John Daniel, Frank D'Armata, Walton Shaffer, C. J. Rome, Dominick Tramonite, Donald Bethan, Francisco Flores, Roger Ostrom, Robert Oppermann. Joseph Juarez at the piano. Second row, standing: Mr. Jack Orr, Director; Fred Stegall.



DOMINICK TRAMONTE
*Assistant Orchestra Director
Orchestra Trophy Winner*



JOHN DANIEL
Orchestra Medal Winner

Glee Club



First row, left to right: Sam McDowell, Joseph Bosch, Bob Longoni, O'Neal Fassetta, Robert Dowdy, Lee Zapp, Joe Nieto, Roger Ostrom. Second row: Mr. Jack Orr, Director; Dan Single, James Korenek, Martin Tenney, Carlos Quinones, Joseph Juarez, James Roach, Frank Fruth. Third row: Ed Poshkus.



Knights of Columbus



First row, left to right: Brother Patrick Cain, C.S.C., Clifford Rome, Sam Parigi, Daniel Cronin, Terry Dietsch, Richard Schigut, John Ikard, Albert Lupenski, Reverend James P. Gibbons, C.S.C. Second row: Robert Oppermann, Richard Albright, Timothy O'Keefe, Fred Stegall, Robert Clay, John Brannon, Thomas LeBlanc, Maurice Whelton, Joseph Molina. Third row: William Bischoff, Joseph Pfister, Joseph Passmore, Frank Heyde, Daniel Hall, Martin Tenney, Fred Hornmuth, Bill Cronin. Fourth row: Edward Poshkus.

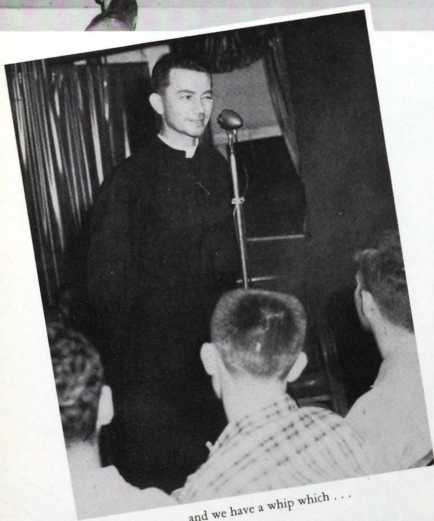
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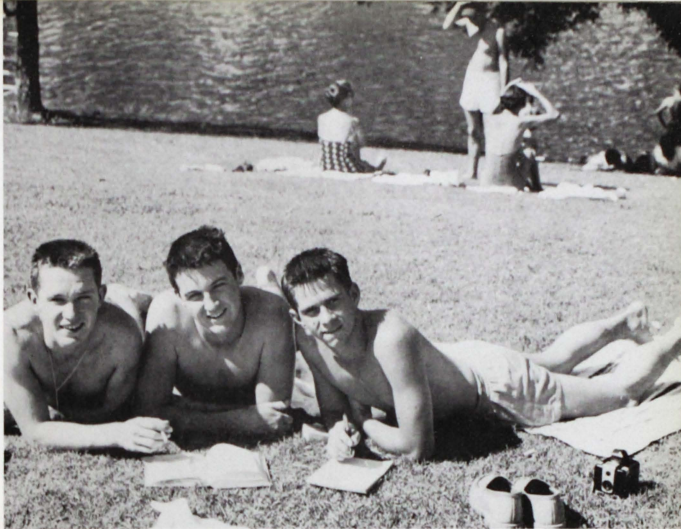
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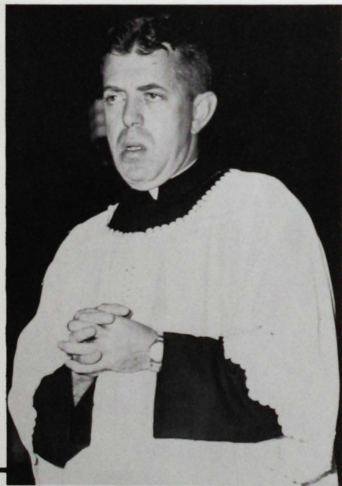
... and we have a whip which ...



... a piece of rope is used when freshmen are late on midnights

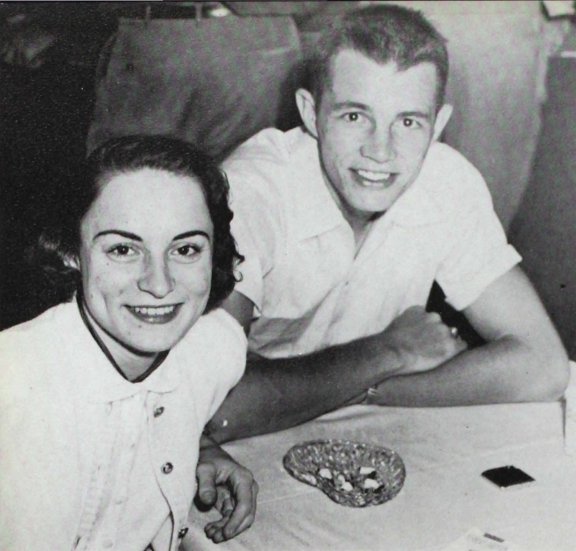


... and Barton's seemed perfect for laboratory work in Geology 98



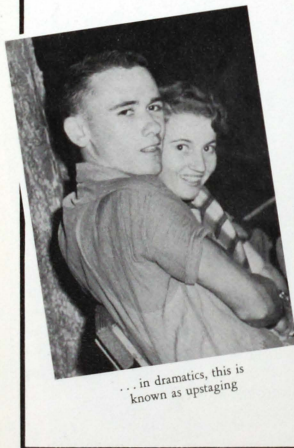
... while the student retreat master guided the students

It began quietly enough with Freshmen arriving on the campus a day early, but soon the Hilltop was buzzing with the talk of freshman orientation and questions as the difficulty of Freshman English. The annual Freshman Smoker was held and the frosh were welcomed by Brother Elmo Bransby, C.S.C., the President, and Brother Simon Scribner, C.S.C., Dean of Men. Student elections got under way with 37 prospective office holders seeking posts. In a quiet election, compared to past years, Richard Schigut, Robert Clay, William Rowley and Richard Ries won the presidents' posts. The Hilltopper was talking about a freshman at small colleges and the intramural football season had begun. Brother Emmett Strohmeier, C.S.C., had given varsity tennis a shot in the arm and freshman Joe Nieto won the first campus tennis tournament. Throughout all the activity, the sports, the coffee shop dances, the classes and the relaxing on the lawns, the freshmen and the rest of the students were anticipating the freshman week. The freshmen viewed the proposed week with slight fear and strong bravado. The sophomores were saving old clothes for the mud fight. The juniors were being above the whole thing, and the seniors were wishing they'd have a chance to get into the affair. When freshman week came, everybody got into the activity.



The Freshmen began to get falling hair fever, and the Press Club staged their annual Hilltop C a p e r s. The Thespians on the campus began to emote through Detective Story and Nick Tramonte was trapped into being editor of this book. Terry Dietsch began a string of honors by being named President of the Student Activity Council and a rash of coffee shop dances kept the basement of Holy Cross Hall looking like Chicago on a Saturday night. Brother Fabius Dunn, C.S.C. was spotlighted in The Hilltopper as one of the new additions to the Hilltop's faculty. And with all the excitement, faculty and students were journeying to the old tennis courts to watch the progress of the new Library and Administration Building.

... how Herbert Tareyton got in the act hasn't been determined



... in dramatics, this is known as upstaging

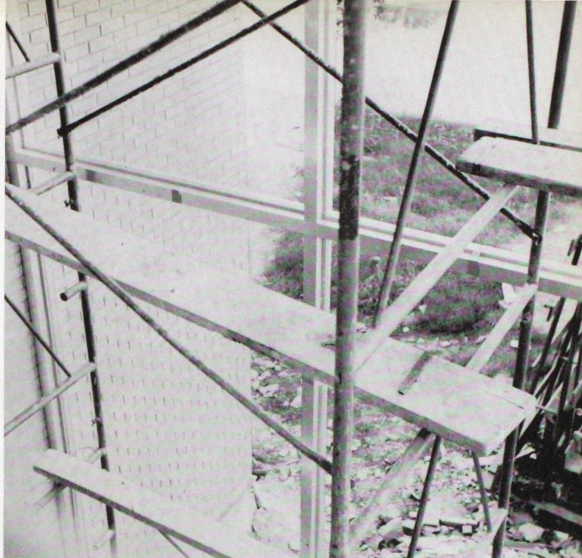


... it seems something should be said about Royal Crown Cola



... an indispensable part

The focus of attention for many months was the building of the Library and Administration Building. The new, modern building, was scheduled to be finished in February, but was just slightly late. Everyone agreed, however, that it certainly was worth waiting for.



... a maze of geometric forms



... 100 times a day—
when will it be done

... it all seemed lush



... an Irish lass dazzled the audience



... one of many highlights



... and the winners



... in the jug ears,
at 115 pounds



... freshman
representation



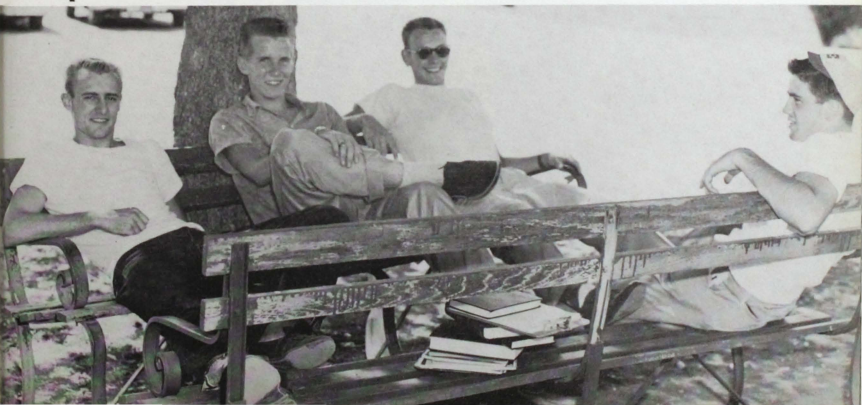
... and one, and two, and one, and



... in P.E. class, they'd refuse to do this

More dances were announced, scheduled and held. The Illini Club, the Indiana Club both planned affairs and the Christmas Formal was announced for December 12. The Knights of Columbus decided to open the Recreation Room in Holy Cross Hall and a spirit and rally committee was formed to bolster student activity at the coming basketball games. The Hilltopper was talking about the need for backing the SAC, and Tex's Terrors were tops in the first round of intramural football. The basketball schedule was announced with many long faces in the athletic department, and talk of winning only two games. In all, the campus was quiet in preparation of THE WEEK.

... everything—completely solved





... Ryder is still amazed



... you'll do what?



... what's known in the
business, as a frame



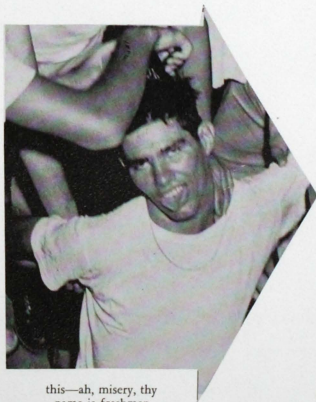
... this dern tie



... as a prelude to

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The campus took on the appearance of a small battlefield, with the freshmen being more docile than usual and the sophomore contending the mudfight was in the bag. There was a dance and the next day brought . . .



this—ah, misery, thy
name is freshmen



... Rock needed a cigar



WEEK



... before



... during



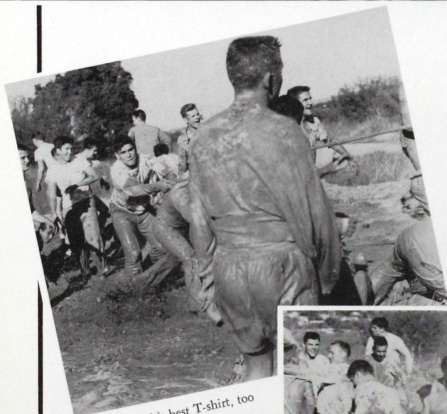
... after

... what a spot for a Lifebuoy advertisement





... take that, you villain



... and his best T-shirt, too

... Schigt seems apprehensive



In a week of activity, the Freshmen proved that they outnumbered the Sophomores in the mudfight, and that they could build a good bonfire. The week was complete with a senior day, when the Frosh served the seniors in their rooms and in the cafeteria. An evening pep rally was held and St. Ed's defeated St. Mary's 63 to 51. The Frosh also proved that generally they were terrible singers, with renditions of the Alma Mater behind Holy Cross Hall. Throughout it all, and immediately after the tossing of the caps in the bonfire, all agreed, the Freshmen were pretty good Edsmen.



... and the meal even tasted better



... a laboratory class in peanut pushing 156

... really not Andre Hall, but bonfire wood





... somebody didn't shave

After Freshman Week, the students began to look to the Christmas Formal, the Candlelight Supper and that best time of the year—the Christmas vacation. It is reported the Frosh were packed by December 1, and Brother Simon achieved sainthood, in the eyes of the students, by announcing, the Christmas vacation was advanced one day to alleviate traveling problems.

And with it all, Fall passed, and Winter arrived.

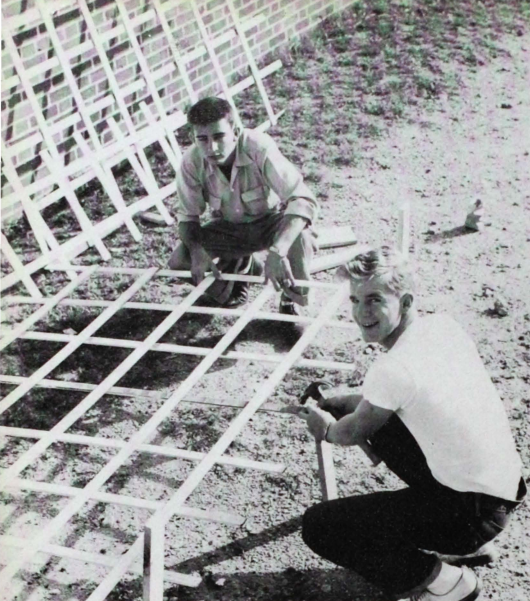


... somehow sand got into beds

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... the engineers weren't impressed



... it took a heap—



... but Oppermann was



... and you should have tasted the punch



—of chairs ...



... then we'll bisect the diagonal



... and if you don't give me your
Sociology notes, I'll

The year continued with *Detective Story* named as a hit on the campus. Starring Dick Weed and Nancy Jansing, the play was held December 12 and 13. The cheerleaders were decked out in new uniforms and the Hilltopper ran an editorial about school spirit. The athletic department had won two games and still claimed another would not be won. Practices were being held for the cross country run under Brother Emmett and the campus began to grow chilly.



... 'c'mon, who stole the ding-dong



With the Christmas season only shortly off, the Edsmen were keying their activities to the upcoming Candlelight supper and the Christmas vacation. The Hill-toppers were ready to go from one end of the country to the other—but before beginning their journeys, the student body and faculty attended the annual supper and received the best wishes of the President, Brother Elmo. The students rushed off and the faculty settled to a quiet period of relaxing and preparing for final examinations. The students claimed, later, that the Christmas spirit did not help the professors.



... they say this is good for the hips, girls

... for the patients

... they get credit for this?





... Brother Elmo speaking



... Brother Elmo amused



... the potatoes were hot



... carols for Christmas



... Brother Elmo intent



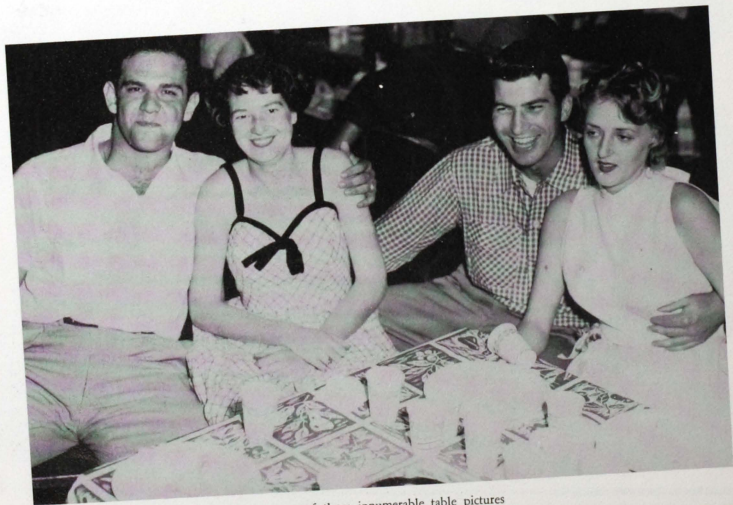
... and Brother Elmo



... what can be said



... mugging if ever it was seen



... one of those innumerable table pictures

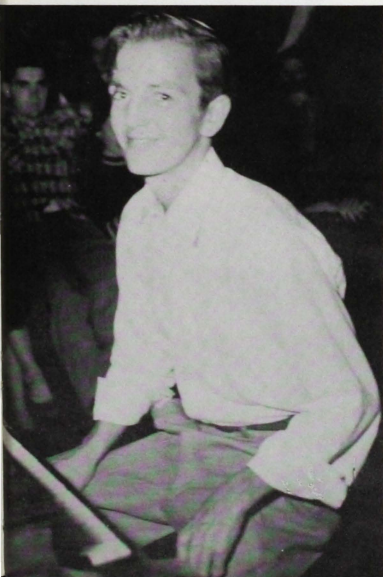


... it might be a claw hold, but then again



... it might not

... fair at tennis, too



... the shirts in Turkish, mayhaps





... Mrs. Sarocco's little son, John



... dig those crazy shoes



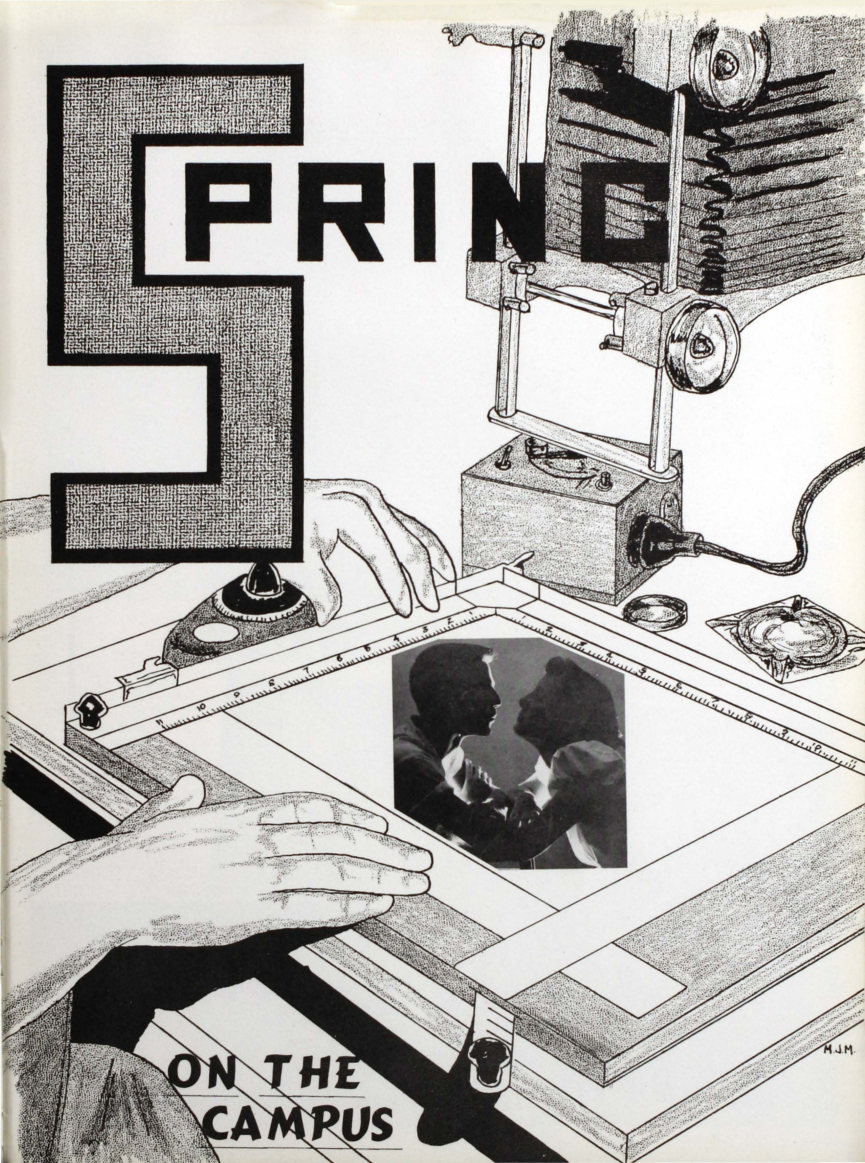
... at a dance, four clubs

After the Christmas vacation, activity on the campus again abounded. The Alumni Reunion was announced, the sweetheart and Man of Year Contests were announced and the Library Building was opened, although the Library proper was not yet ready. The Hilltoppers were headed for a Big State Conference championship, and the Athletic Department felt better. All this—and final examinations, too.



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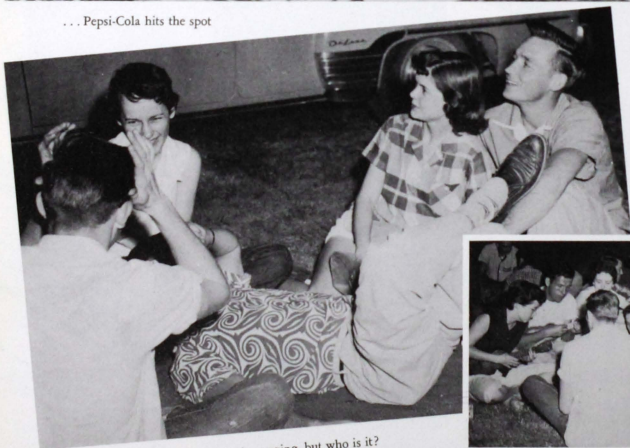
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... Pepsi-Cola hits the spot



... the shirt is amazing, but who is it?



... Petro seems ruffled



... from Church, a May procession

... Mr. Grimes receives congratulations

Well into the Spring semester, the Alumni reunion was held on the campus, and the Hilltop echoed with nostalgic thoughts voiced by the returning Exes. Brother Simon had a project to gain piped music for the cafeteria, which succeeded and the annual scholarship program was announced. The Hilltopper featured pictures and story on the new Library and Administration Building, and the opening of baseball practice definitely signalled the summer was only a short way away.



... More of the procession





... only for those extremely young



MISS PATRICIA RAGONE



MISS PEGGY SCHWAB



MISS MILDRED MATYSEK



MISS ROSEMARY MILLEN



MISS AGNES FISCHER



*The Queen of
St. Edward's University*
MISS GWYN SAMPSON



... and a picture that seems to be in the mood

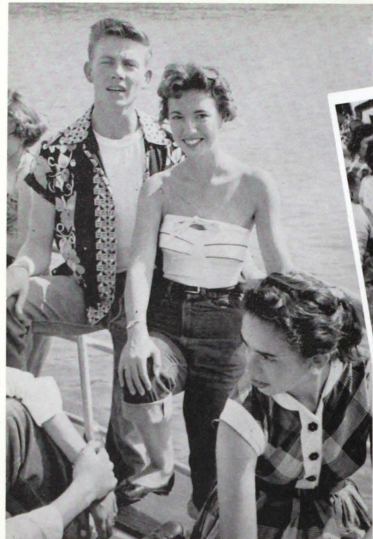


MISS CHARLOTTE LEMA

After weeks of excitement and work, the Tower sponsored Queen contest reached a climax at the Senior Ball. Among eight club candidates, the student body selected Miss Gwyn Sampson, the "E" Club candidate, as the Queen of St. Edward's University.



MISS BARBARA ANNE BROWN



... the water looks good too



... the continual bridge game



... the blouse really was all right



as we said before, he's the editor



... Petro seems better here



... actually it's not difficult at all



... shades of Brother Fergus

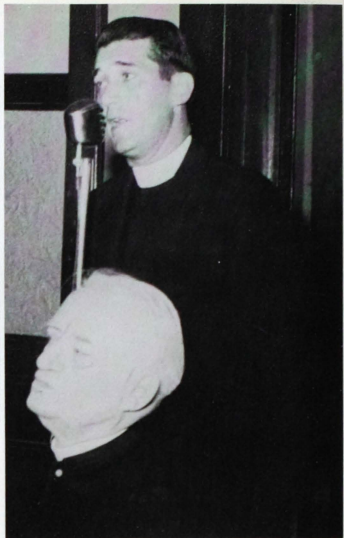
... the lawyer

... the priest





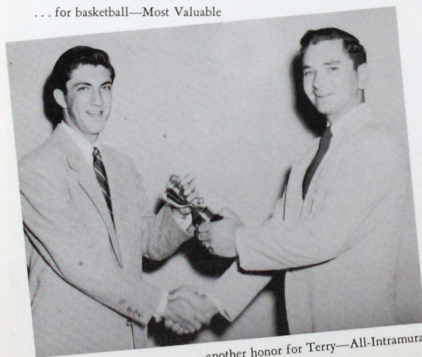
... everyone seemed to agree—the Man of the Year



... and a final note from the President



... for basketball—Most Valuable



... another honor for Terry—All-Intramural



... and the classic quote—"the best team"

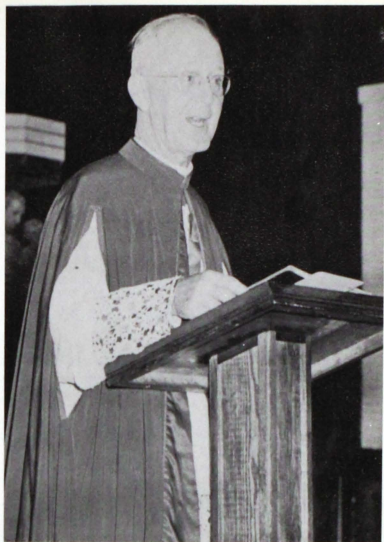


... preparing

The classic moment — the time of graduation. After four years on the Hilltop, all is climaxed with the graduation exercises. Four years to culminate in the St. Edward's man.



... and many thoughts of past years

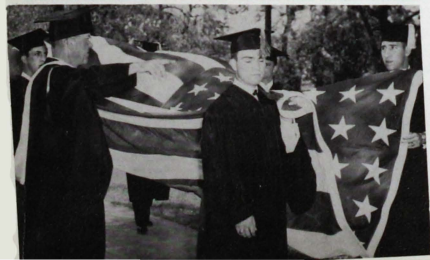


... some words for Msgr. O'Connell

... some prayers from the students



... the flag and the moment, when all's finished



And Finally, a Word . . .

Here, at the end of this record, we, of the TOWER staff, hope we have succeeded in picturing the faces of people who go to make up St. Edward's.

In this chronicle of events, our hope is for the future enjoyment of this book. Many years from now may it be enjoyed as much as we, of the staff, have enjoyed putting it together.

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