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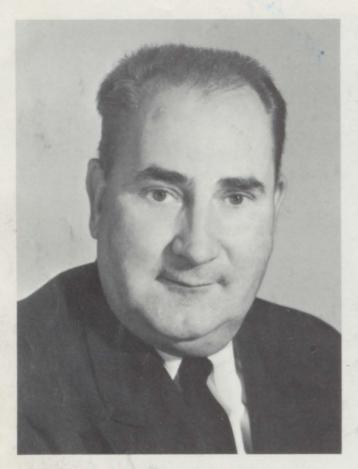
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Mr. Claude S. Stowers

Dedication

To show our appreciation for his willingness to help us in any worthwhile thing we strive to do, for all the extra work he has done in helping us to become better students, and for his determination and desire to do anything in his power to make our school a better place and the students in it better citizens, the Senior Class of 1960, proudly dedicates this edition of the ECHO to our home-room teacher for the past four years, Mr. Claude S. Stowers.

The Senior Class of 1960 wishes to pay tribute to a man of unusual capabilities whose sincerity, generosity, kindness, and deep-seated interest in the individual and the school for the past two years, won for him the admiration of every student and every co-worker. Although he is no longer a member of our faculty we still think of James E. McCoy as our beloved assistant coach and friend.



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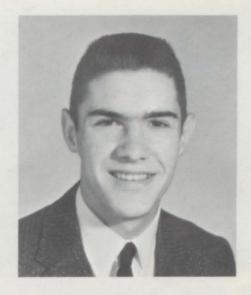
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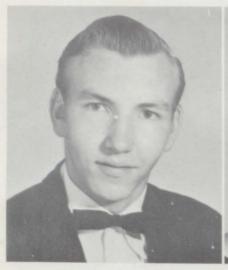
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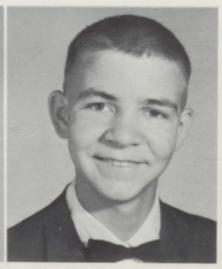
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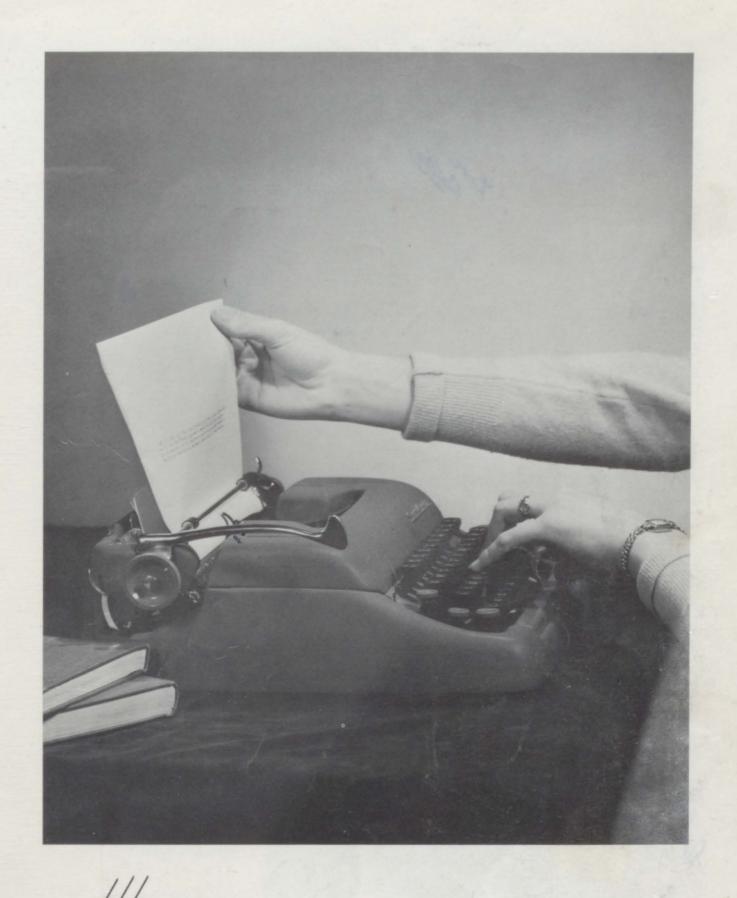
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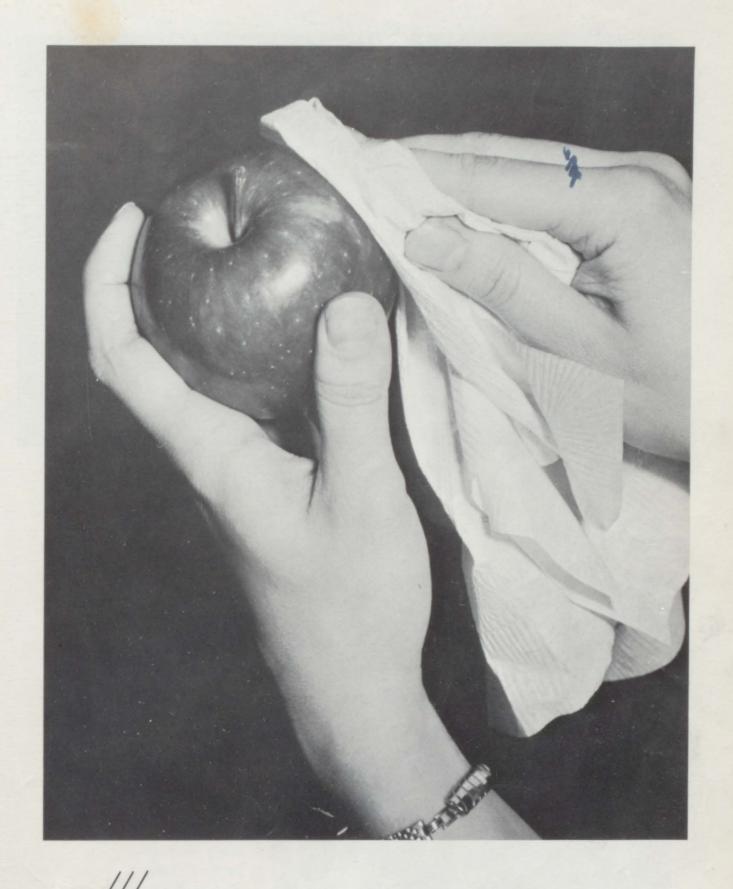
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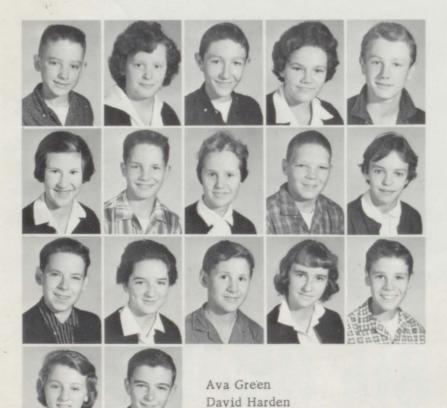
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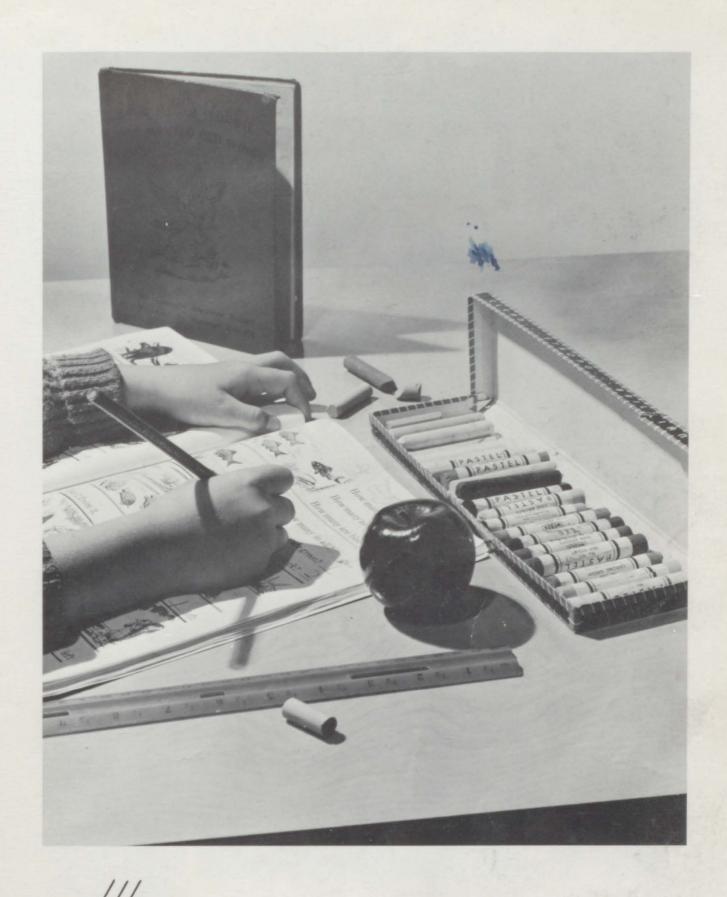
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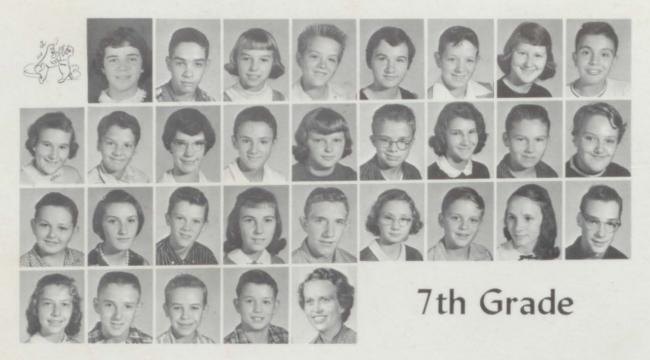
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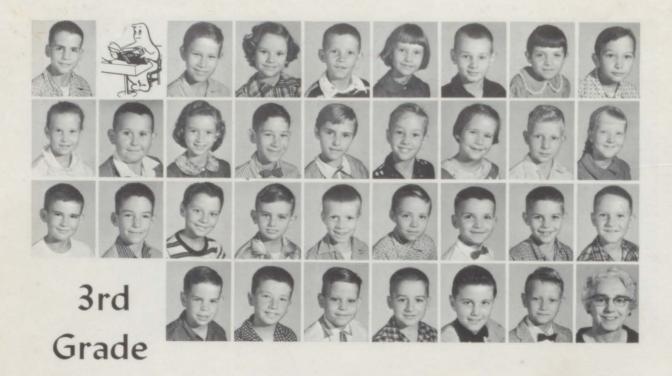


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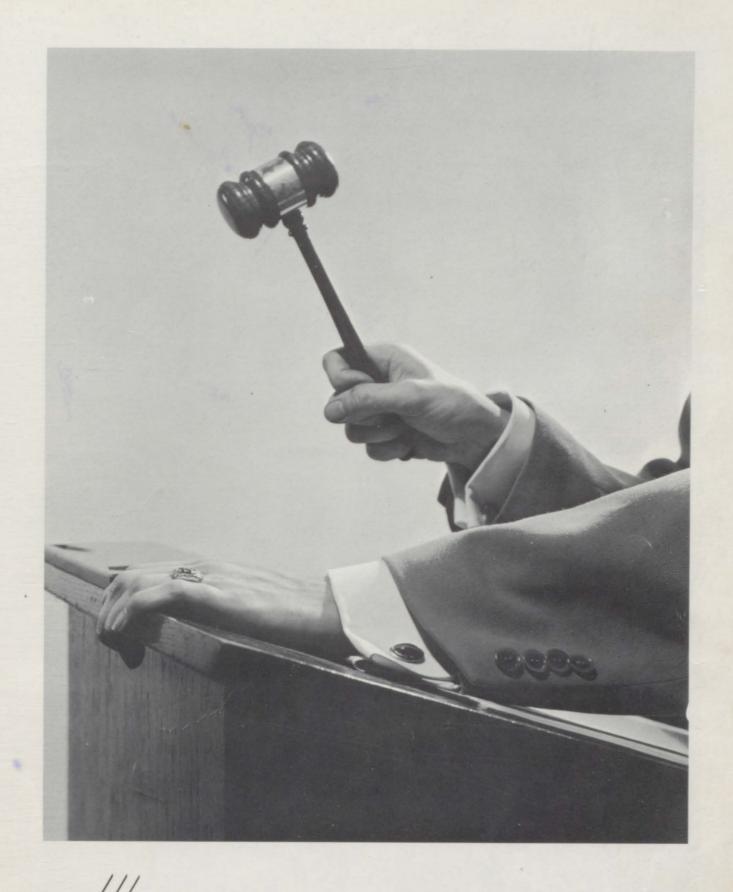


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Edgar Wimmer with swine project



Junior Stafford with beef project



Edgar Wimmer working on trailer during shop class



Allen Newberry with beef heifer



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Basketball Schedule

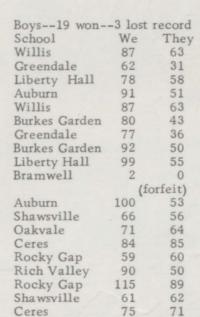


"Donna"

Girls14 won-	-3 lost	record
School	We	They
Greendale	40	20
Liberty Hall	32	28
Auburn	50	51
Burkes Garden	69	28
Greendale	44	38
Burkes Garden	62	26
Liberty Hall	41	32
Auburn	68	71
Shawsville	68	45
Ceres	66	39
Rocky Gap	58	25
Rich Valley	79	35
Rocky Gap	63	41
Shawsville	57	38
Ceres	61	38
Liberty Hall	57	21

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"Monk"



"David"



"Dickie"



"Sammy"



Auburn



Auburn

Ceres

Shawsville

"Donnie"



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"Tommy"

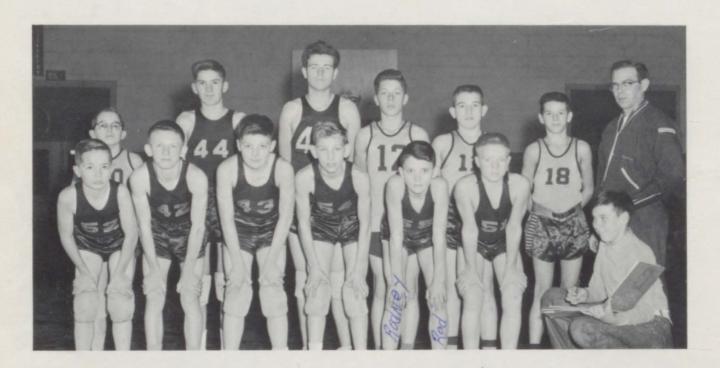


"Doug



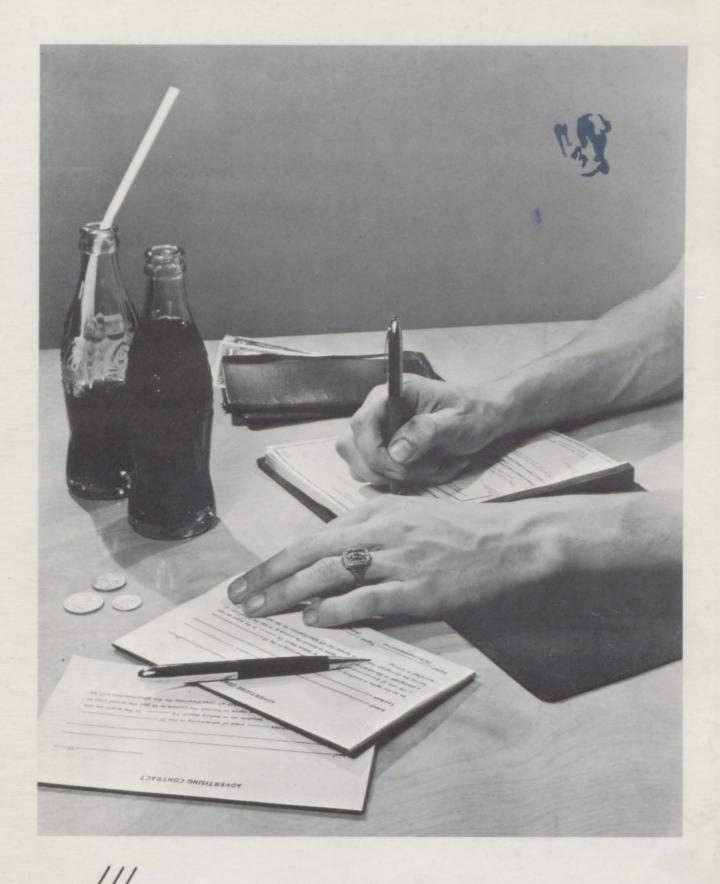
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