
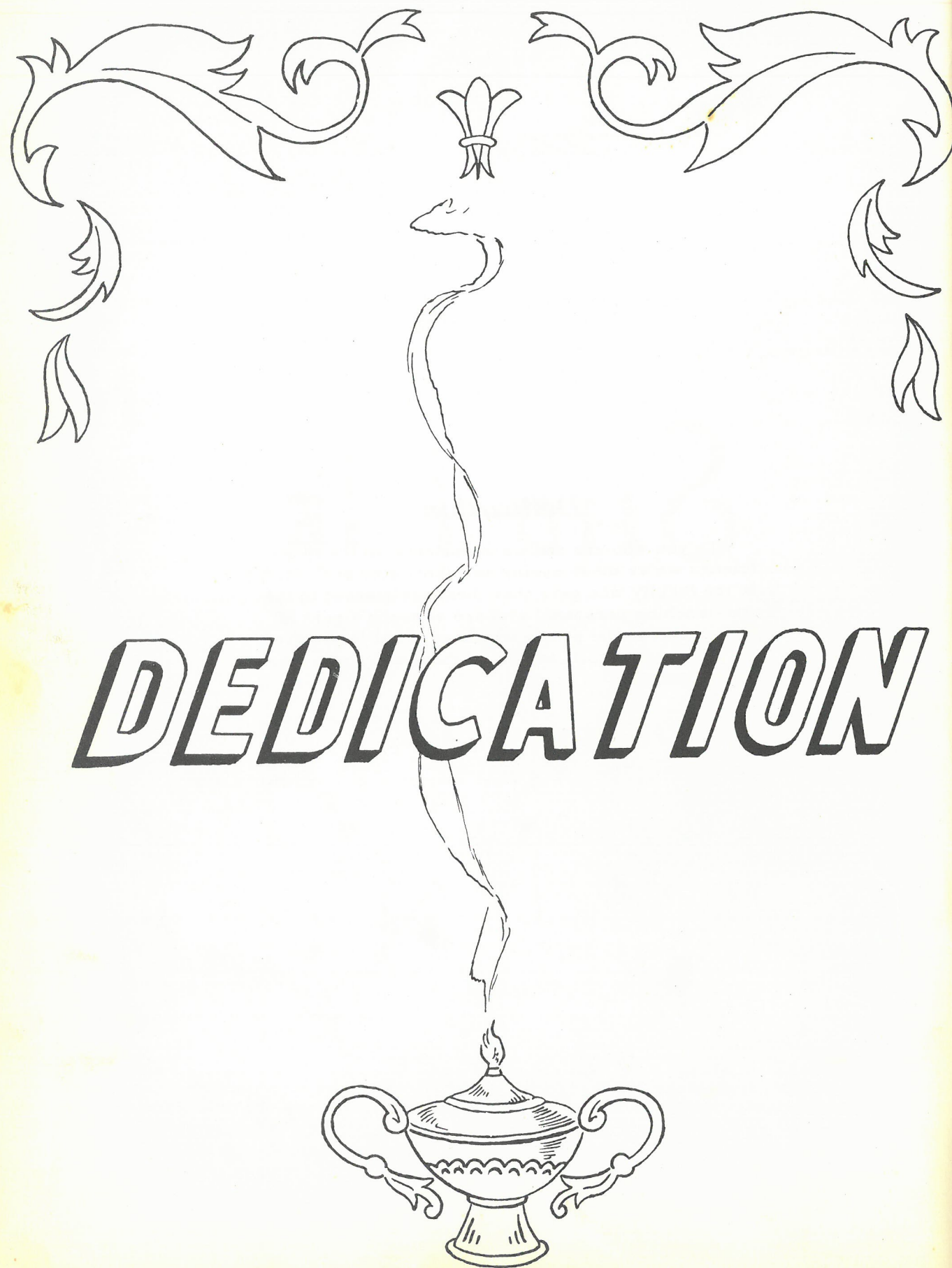


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THE THIRD ANNUAL YEARBOOK OF CHADWICK CONSOLIDATED
SCHOOLS, CHADWICK, MISSOURI, FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR
1949-50



Dedication

To you who are and were students; to the many friends we've made during our short stay at C. H. S.; to the faculty who gave their best assistance; to the non-teaching personnel who are so much a part of the school; to the people who have aided in the progress of our school; and all of these and many more, we dedicate the

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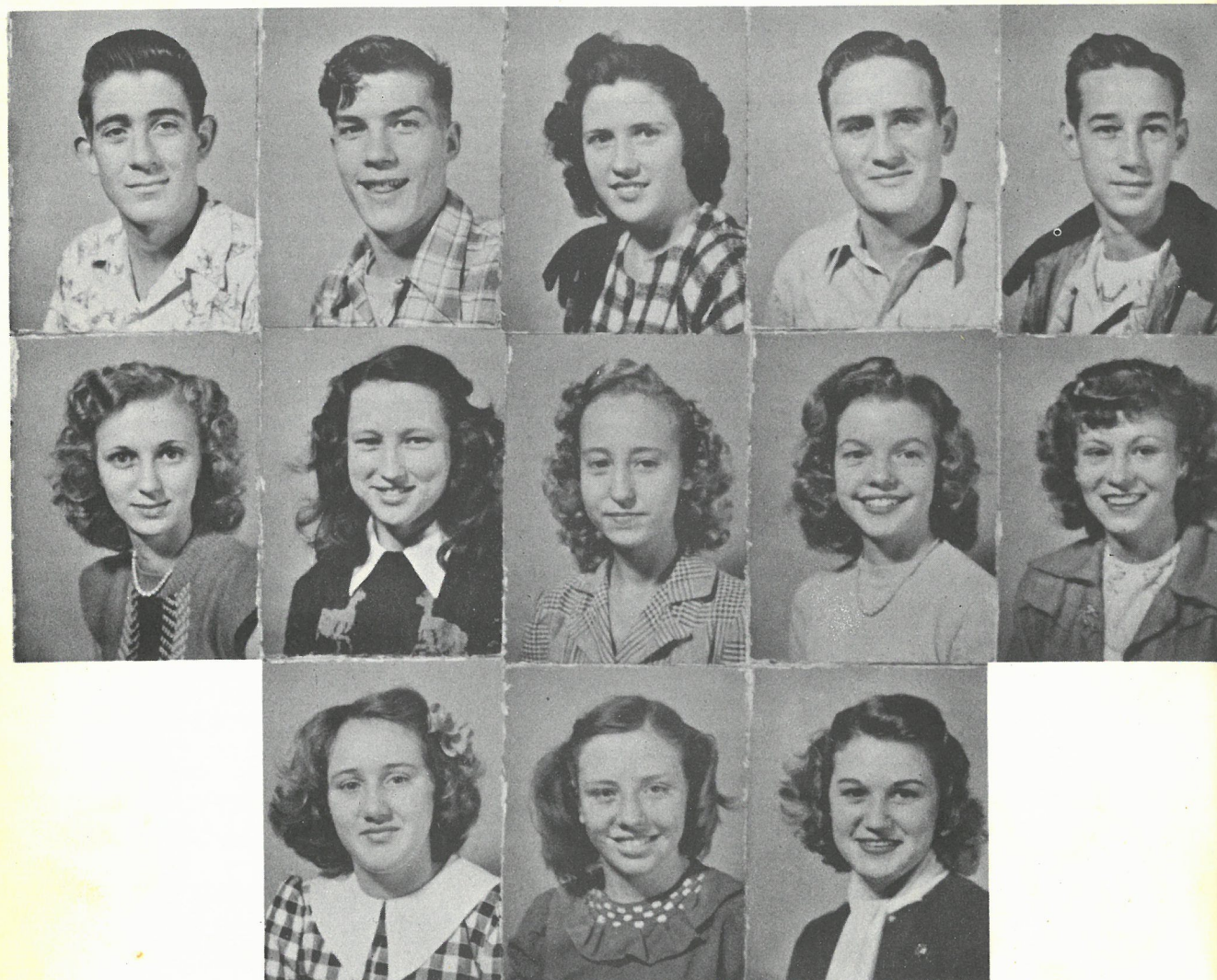
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Is Now Christian Co. Dist. No. R-1

Along with sundry changes in our fast moving world came a change in our Missouri schools. Christian County was among the first counties of the state to reorganize under the recently enacted Reorganization Law. Chadwick accepted the proposal of the Christian County Board of Education by an overwhelming majority, and became Christian County District R-1. For the benefit of posterity, we give the names of the first board of education, superintendent, teaching, maintenance, and operating personnel. They follow: Board of Education: James Patterson, Lawrence Rozell, Barry Hobbs, Don Dobbs, Ray Rozell, and Herbert Rains; Carl Swayne, Secretary; A. E. Gott, Superintendent; Bill Rozell, Fae Halford, Mrs. Genevieve Hughes, Willard E. Hughes, Jr., Mrs. Della White, Mary Rozell Casey, Ada Stevens Clark, and Mina Brown, Teachers; Don Applegate, Janitor; Earl Workman, Bill Morrison, Gene Harville, and Calvin Gideon, Bus Drivers; Mrs. Mabel Martin, Mrs. Lyda Loomis, Mrs. Tennie Hursh, and Mrs. Etta Corwine, Cooks.

Two rural districts that were included in our reorganized district, Oldfield and Boston, were permitted to operate again, as they had already employed their teachers, Mrs. Pearl Hull at Oldfield, and Mrs. Grace Gilbert at Boston.

Never has the future looked more promising for our school.



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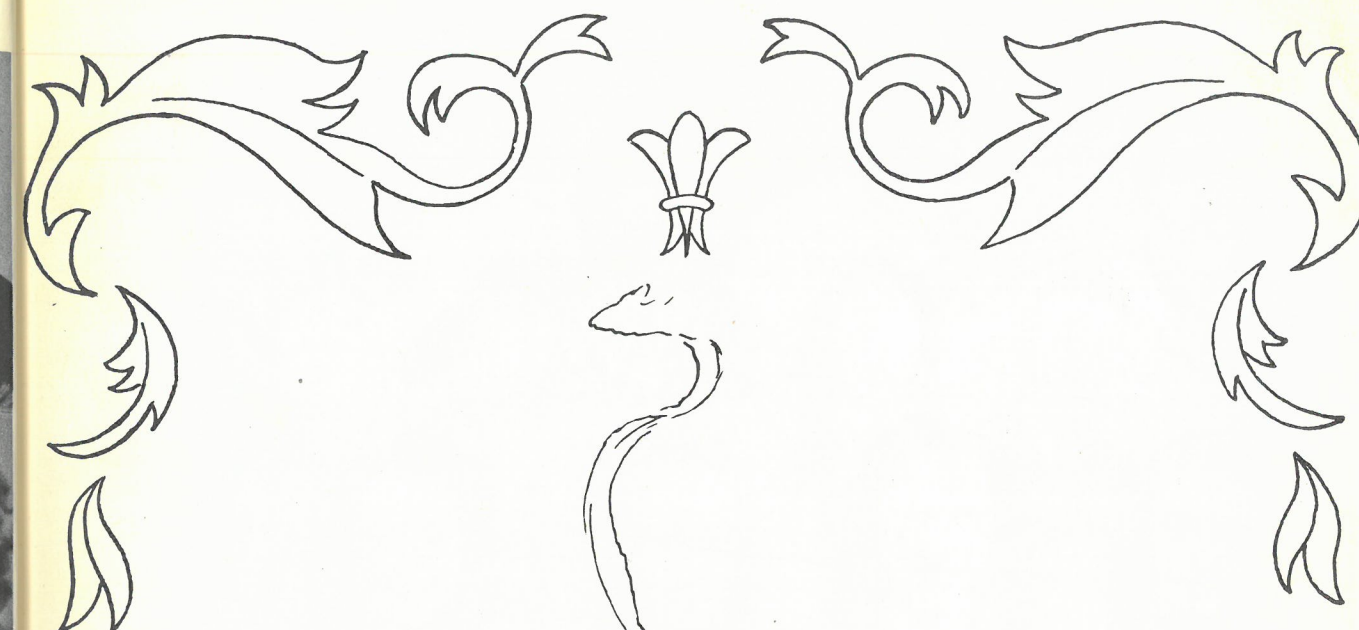
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GRADUATES



Senior Class



FIRST ROW:

BILL ROZELL (sponsor)

BETTY HULL Staff '50.

GEORGE MORRISON Class King '48, Staff '50, Class Play '49.

LILLIE WALKER Staff '49, '50.

WAYNE ROZELL Basketball '48, '49, '50. Class Play '49. Class King '49.

SECOND ROW:

Lella Patterson Volleyball '48, '49.

EARL SHIPMAN Basketball '47, '48, '49, '50. Staff '50.

RUTHIE HAWKINS Secretary-Treasurer '47. Class Queen '48. Class President '50.
Staff '48, '49, '50.

JACK RICHARDSON Staff '50. Vice-President '50. Basketball '49, '50.

MELVERINE GRAY Staff '49, '50. Class Queen '49. Class Play '49.

THIRD ROW:

RUBY BILYEU Class Play '49.

MARIE MORGAN Volleyball '48, '49.

GEORGE JONES Basketball '48, '49, '50. Staff '48, '50.

LORENE CASEY Secretary-Treasurer '46, '49. Volleyball '48, '49. Class Play '49.
Staff '48, '49, '50.

Senior Class History

In the year of 1946-47 there were ten students enrolled in the Freshman Class. They were Lorene Casey, George Jones, Mary Lea Harris, Mary Ellen Shipman, Wayne Rozell, Carol Burkhart, Earl Shipman, Lella Patterson, Ruby Bilyeu and Jackie Loomis. Our officers were Mary Lea Harris, President; Mary Ellen Shipman, Vice-President; and Lorene Casey, Secretary and Treasurer. Wayne Casey was our class sponsor. Our instructors were: Superintendent G. H. Boehm, Mr. Ellis White, and Mr. G. H. Boehm, Jr.

At the beginning of our Sophomore year there were four new students enrolled in our class. They were Ruthie Hawkins and George Morrison who had attended their Freshman year at Ava High School. Lillie Walker and Marie Morgan who had attended Forsythe High School, also enrolled in the Sophomore Class. Only two members dropped out, they were Carol Burkhart, and Jackie Loomis. Our class officers were Mary Lea Harris, President; Earl Shipman, Vice-President, and Ruthie Hawkins, Secretary and Treasurer. Our class elected Mary Lea Harris class Queen and George Morrison Prince Charming. Our instructors were Superintendent B. B. Smith, Mr. Ellis White, and Mr. Sam Freel.

Half of our high school days have passed and we are now Juniors. We lost two members of our class this year, they were Mary Lea Harris whose parents moved to Clever. Mary Ellen Shipman is attending The School of the Ozarks. Melverine Gray who had attended Ava High School joined our class at the beginning of the second semester. Our class officers were Jr. Weter, President; Wayne Rozell, Vice-President; and Lorene Casey, Secretary and Treasurer. Mrs. Mary Casey was our class sponsor. Ruthie Hawkins was class Queen and Junior Weter was Prince Charming.

At last the year of 1949-50 has rolled around when we the students who once were green Freshmen are now dignified Seniors. There are thirteen students who hope to graduate. Out of the thirteen there are six of the Senior Class who have attended all four years of high school here. They are: Lorene Casey, Lella Patterson, Ruby Bilyeu, Wayne Rozell, Earl Shipman, and George Jones. The remaining seven are: Ruthie Hawkins, Lillie Walker, Melverine Gray, Marie Morgan, and George Morrison. Betty Hull, and Jack Richardson enrolled at the beginning of this year. They completed their first three years at Sparta High School.

Our class officers are: Ruthie Hawkins, President; Jack Richardson, Vice-President; and Lorene Casey, Secretary and Treasurer. Bill Rozell is our class sponsor. Our instructors are: Superintendent A. E. Gott, Mrs. Fae Halford, Mrs. Genevieve Hughes, and Mr. Bill Rozell. Melverine Gray and Wayne Rozell were elected class Queen and Prince Charming.

Senior Party

The Senior Class together with their sponsor, Mr. Bill Rozell enjoyed a party in the gym., November 10, 1949. The guests and faculty were welcome and invited to join the fun. Many games were played such as, Grape Vine Gossip, Packing Grandmother's Trunk, and Three Deep, but the most outstanding game was, Meet the Jones'. There was only one person who knew how to play the game and everyone was surprised at its ending. A few failed to "catch on" until they were told how the game was played. After the games, refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cookies, coffee, and cold chocolate were served in the lunchroom. Everyone enjoyed the evening. We wonder if high school students will have the same type of parties when we, the class of 1950, are old and gray. You will be missing something pretty grand if you don't.

Class Will

We, the Senior Class, of the School of Chadwick, city of Chadwick, County of Christain, being of sound mind and memory do hereby make, publish and declare this to be our Last Will and Testament.

Ruthie Hawkins wills her temper to Marynel Walker.

Melverine Gray wills her meanness to Huba Morrison.

Lorene Casey wills her volleyball suit to Irene Hawkins.

Betty Hull wills her home economics notebook to Janie Loomis.

Lillie Walker wills her bashfulness to Mary Morgan.

Lella Patterson wills her knowledge to Peggy Workman and hopes she will become a Senior some day.

Ruby Bilyeu wills her chewing gum to Dave Cornog.

Marie Morgan wills her ability to shoot paper wads to Donna Caldron.

Earl Shipman wills his cigarette stubs to Hugh Beth to use next year.

Wayne Rozell wills his worn-out brain to Dee Workman.

George Jones wills his speech book to Bobby Rains.

George Morrison wills his way of getting along with the police to Bill Shipman.

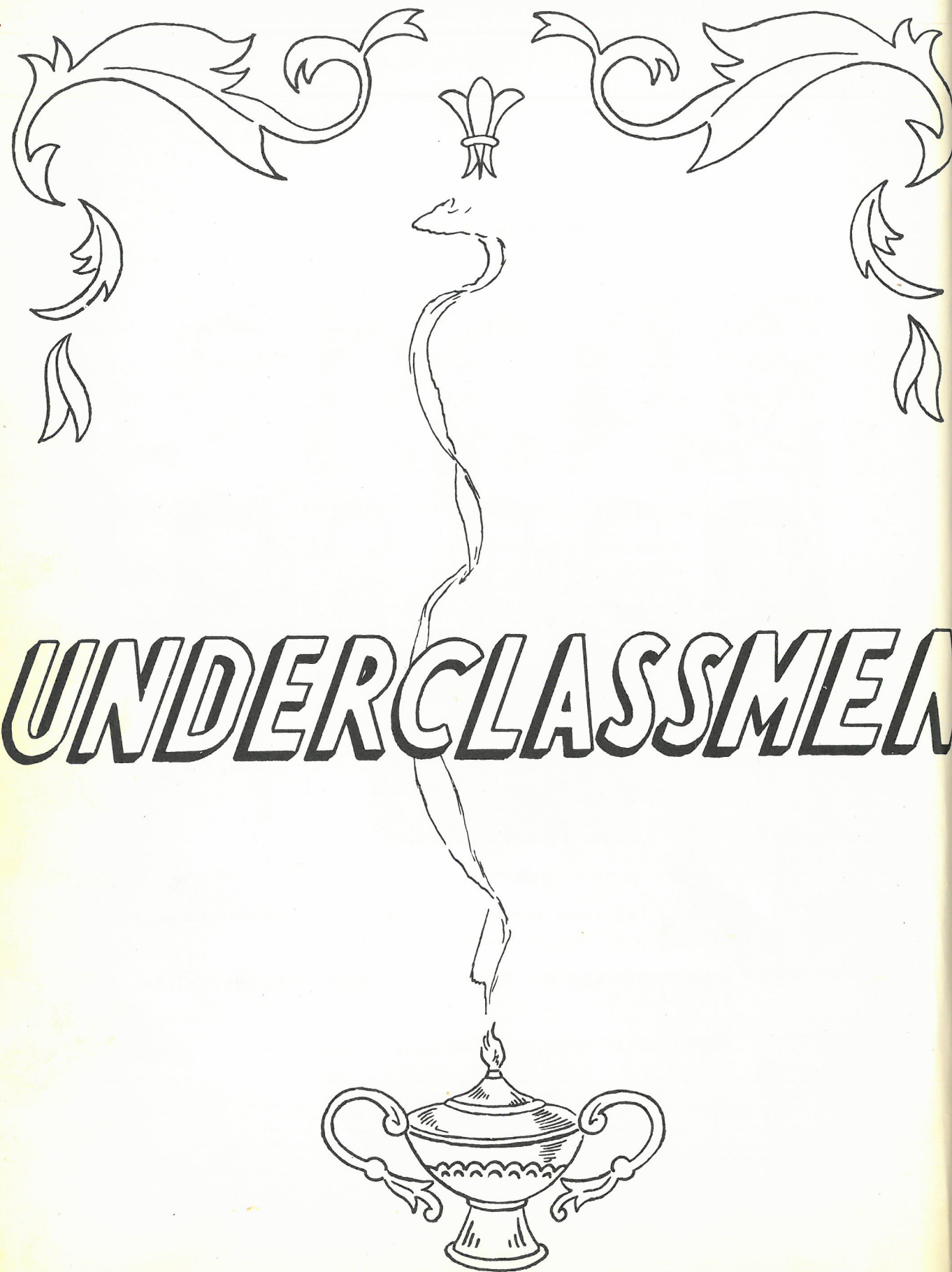
Jack Richardson wills his big feet to Buck Shot.

We leave to the Juniors the honor of being dignified Seniors next year.

To the Sophomores we leave, paper, pencils, paper wads, chewing gum, and two more years of faithful working.

To the Freshmen we leave all textbooks to be used during their next three years at good old C.H.S.

UNDERCLASSMEN



Junior Class



FIRST ROW: Almus Gray, Irene Hawkins, Darrel Workman, Norma Jones, Jim Rozell.

SECOND ROW: Mrs. Hughes Sponsor, Hugh Beth, Harrison Neff, Gordon Jones, Ruby McKedy.

THIRD ROW: Anna May Grisham, Joe Loomis.

Junior Class History

In the good old year of 1947 and 1948 there were nineteen green freshmen starting out to make the goal. They were Nancy Ewing, Lewis Guerin, Helen Roberson, Norman Sallee, Irene Hawkins, Ruby McKedy, Norma Jones, Mary Lou Jenkins, Jack Cornog, Jim Rozell, Hugh Beth, Edwin Coleman, Morris Harris, Gordon Jones, Joe Loomis, Merrill Coffey, Dave Cornog, Ervin Walker, and Darrel Workman.

During the year Merrill Coffey, Nancy Ewing, Jack Cornog, Marjorie Jones, Lewis Guerin, and Norma Jones dropped, leaving only fourteen in our class.

Our class officers were Mary Lou Jenkins, President; Ruby McKedy, Vice-President; Irene Hawkins, Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. B. B. Smith acted as our sponsor. Our class queen and prince charming were Mary Lou Jenkins and Norman Sallee.

At the beginning of our Sophomore year there were only eleven of the old gang left. They were Edwin Coleman, Ruby McKedy, Hugh Beth, Irene Hawkins, Jim Rozell, Darrel Workman, Dave Cornog, Ervin Walker, Gordon Jones, Joe Loomis, and Morris Harris.

Edwin Coleman, who moved to Forsyth during the first semester and Norma Jones joined us again at the second semester.

Our class officers were Irene Hawkins, President; Darrel Workman, Vice-President; Ruby McKedy, Secretary and Treasurer. Our class queen and prince charming were Irene Hawkins and Hugh Beth. Miss Ada Stevens acted as our sponsor.

Well here we are again, but as jolly Juniors this time. To start this good old school year off with a bang, there are Hugh Beth, Irene Hawkins, Morris Harris, Norma Jones, Ervin Walker, Ruby McKedy, Darrel Workman, Jim Rozell, Joe Loomis, Dave Cornog, Gordon Jones, and three new ones; Annamay Grisham, who spent two years at Sparta, Missouri; Almus Gray, and Harrison Neff who joined us after spending two years at Ava High School.

Our superintendent is Mr. A. E. Gott and our class officers for this year are Jim Rozell, President; Irene Hawkins, Vice-President; and Ruby McKedy, Secretary and Treasurer. Mrs. Hughes acts as our sponsor. Irene Hawkins was class queen Jim Rozell was prince charming.

Sophomore Class



FIRST ROW: Barbara Dobbs, Ivan Hawkins, Betty Bilyeu, Lewis Guerin, Mary Morgan, Lloyd Shipman, Francis McAllister.

SECOND ROW: Ralph Willis, Mrs. Halford, Sponsor, Reggie Loomis, Janie Loomis, Jimmy Walker, Huba Morrison, Paul Patterson.

THIRD ROW: Huba Swayne, Donnie Sisco, Dixie Walker, Bob Walker, and Marynel Walker.

Sophomore Class History

We began our Freshman year of 1948-49 with an enrollment of twenty-one members. They were Clarence Allen, Betty Bilyeu, Barbara Dobbs, Lewis Guerin, Ivan Hawkins, Ronald Jones, Russell Jones, Reggie Loomis, Janie Loomis, Charles McKedy, Mary Morgan, Paul Patterson, Jackie Roussell, Don Sisco, Huba Swayne, Lloyd Shipman, Bobby Walker, Dixie Walker, Marynel Walker, Ralph Willis and Morris Workman.

During the semester Jackie Roussell and Ronald Jones transferred to another school.

Our class queen and prince charming were Betty Bilyeu, and Reggie Loomis. Class officers were Lewis Guerin, President; Janie Loomis, Vice-President; Marynel Walker, Secretary and Treasurer. Mr. A. E. Gott, Mr. Ellis White and Mrs. Nellie Shipman were our teachers, and Mrs. Eula Walker acted as our sponsor.

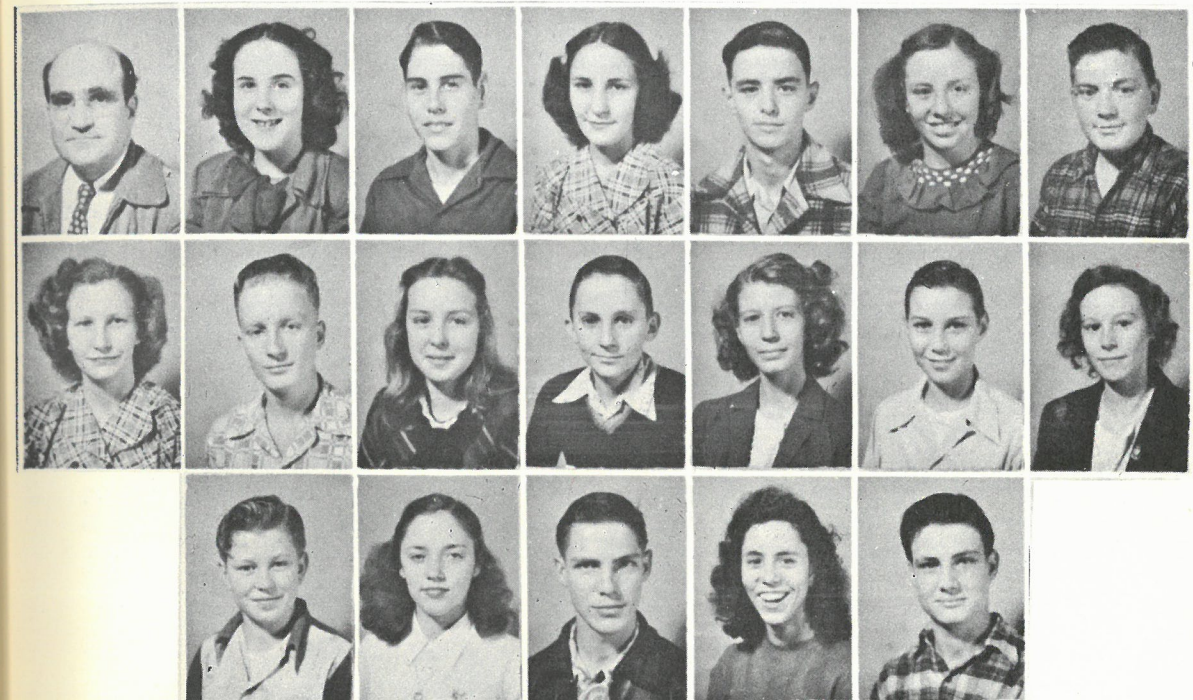
We acquired three new members our Sophomore year. They are Huba Morrison from Ava, Jimmy Walker from Sparta and Francis McAllister from Bradleyville.

After enrolling we discovered that Morris Workman had moved to Washington. Our Sophomore Class now consists of twenty-one members, namely Clarence Allen, Betty Bilyeu, Barbara Dobbs, Lewis Guerin, Ivan Hawkins, Russell Jones, Janie Loomis, Reggie Loomis, Charles McKedy, Francis McAllister, Mary Morgan, Huba Morrison, Paul Patterson, Lloyd Shipman, Don Sisco, Bobby Walker, Dixie Walker, Jimmy Walker, Marynel Walker and Ralph Willis.

The coming of our annual fall carnival provided for a class election in which Francis McAllister and Ivan Hawkins were chosen queen and prince charming. Our class officers are Huba Morrison, President; Clarence Allen, Vice-President; Bobby Walker, Secretary and Treasurer. Our sponsor is Mrs. Fae Halford.

During the last semester, Charles McKedy dropped school to work in his father's garage. Lewis Guerin has dropped out. Our teachers include Mrs. Geneviene Hughes, Mrs. Fae Halford, Mr. A. E. Gott and Mr. Bill Rozell.

Freshman Class



FIRST ROW: Mr. Gott Sponsor, Peggy Workman, Richard Groves, Mary Dobbs, Bobby Rains, Donna Caldron, Leon Harris.

SECOND ROW: Doris Dobbs, Earl Coffey, Joyce Essary, Stanley Swayne, Wanda Gibson, Jerry Jones, Marie Loomis.

THIRD ROW: Charles Watts, Sharon Baker, John Brown, Lula Maggard, Isaac Newberry.

Freshman Class History

At the beginning of this school term, twenty persons enrolled and started their high school career. These anxious students were Sharon Baker, John Brown, Donna Caldron, Earl Coffey, Doris Dobbs, Mary Dobbs, Joyce Essary, Richard Grove, Leon Harris, Jerry Jones, Marie Loomis, Lula Maggard, Isaac Newberry, Bobby Rains, Billy Shipman, Ivonne Shortt, Stanley Swayne, Charles Watts, and Peggy Workman. Wanda Gibson, from Springfield, joined our class the last of the first semester.

We elected Sharon Baker, President; Mary Dobbs, Vice-President; Peggy Workman, Secretary; and Jerry Jones, Treasurer. We were very proud to have Mr. Gott as our class sponsor.

Lula Maggard and Bobby Rains were chosen as our queen and prince charming. They made an attractive couple at our carnival.

Sharon Baker and Peggy Workman, were chosen from our class as leaders for the high school pep squad.

Seventh and Eighth Grades



FIRST ROW: Joe Rozell, Mary Stevens, James Hilton, Cleta Shipman, James Andrews, Ruth Bilyeu, Wayne Beth, Lorene Gray.

SECOND ROW: Joan Hennings, Delbert Prettyman, Emmarette Knight, Ikey Bilyeu, Doris Beth, Jack Crumrine, Darlene Coffey, Kenneth Applegate.

THIRD ROW: Gary Rozell, Jessie Lilly, J. B. Casey, Patsy Hobbs, Billy Rysted, Helen Shipman, Willard Hughes Teacher, Shirley Jones.

FOURTH ROW: Peggy Weter, Shirley Gott, Jimmy Weter, Montie Stevens, Shirley Bilyeu.

Fifth and Sixth Grades



FIRST ROW: Elza Cornog, Mrs. White (Teacher), Johnie Morgan, Wilda Nalley, Frankie McKedy, Betty Williams, Benny Rozell, Shirley Jean Hursh.

SECOND ROW: Zelda Stevens, Gene Applegate, Mary Adeline Weter, Jr. Inman, Helen Cobb, Jerry Stevens, Edan Rysted, Jerry Mitchell.

THIRD ROW: Mary Francis Weter, Doris Mitchell, Gloria Hyde, Joyce Case, Bonnie Applegate, Marian Scribbner, Fern Bilyeu, Phyllis Jones.

FOURTH ROW: Earnest Bilyeu, Beulah House, Ruth Jones, Fern Gray, Carl Essary.

Third and Fourth Grades



FIRST ROW: Charles Hilton, Annamae Gambill, Denny Hursh, Mary Casey Teacher, Johnny Wright, Ruby Cobb, James Jenkins.

SECOND ROW: Janice Hursh, Edger Day, Wilma Shipman, Walter Hilton, Jewell Jones, Pat Essery, Patsy Essery.

THIRD ROW: Danny Applegate, Ruth Stevens, Dean Lilly, Marlyn Hennings, Don Bilyeu, Carol Dean Gideon, Bonny Inman,

FOURTH ROW: Eva Bilyeu, Bob Dewitt, Carolyn Casey, and Rex Bilyeu.

First and Second Grades



FIRST ROW: Ada Clark (Teacher), Tommy Rysted, Sue Lilly, Harold Andrews, Eula Mae Shipman, Carl Billingsly, Wanda Finney, Larry Burkhart.

SECOND ROW: Joe Lilly, Fern Weter, Billy Billingsly, Martha Morgan, Larry Mathes, Shirley Walker, Dale Finney, Marie Coffey.

THIRD ROW: Garry Mitchell, Ress Scribbner, Jerry Hursh, Joe Day, Kenny Jenkins, Kenneth Prettyman, Donnie Shipman.

FOURTH ROW: June Case (doesn't go to school), Billy Billingsly, (again), Gerald Prettyman, Joe Hobbs, Alvin Knight, Russ Scribbner, Virgie Walker.

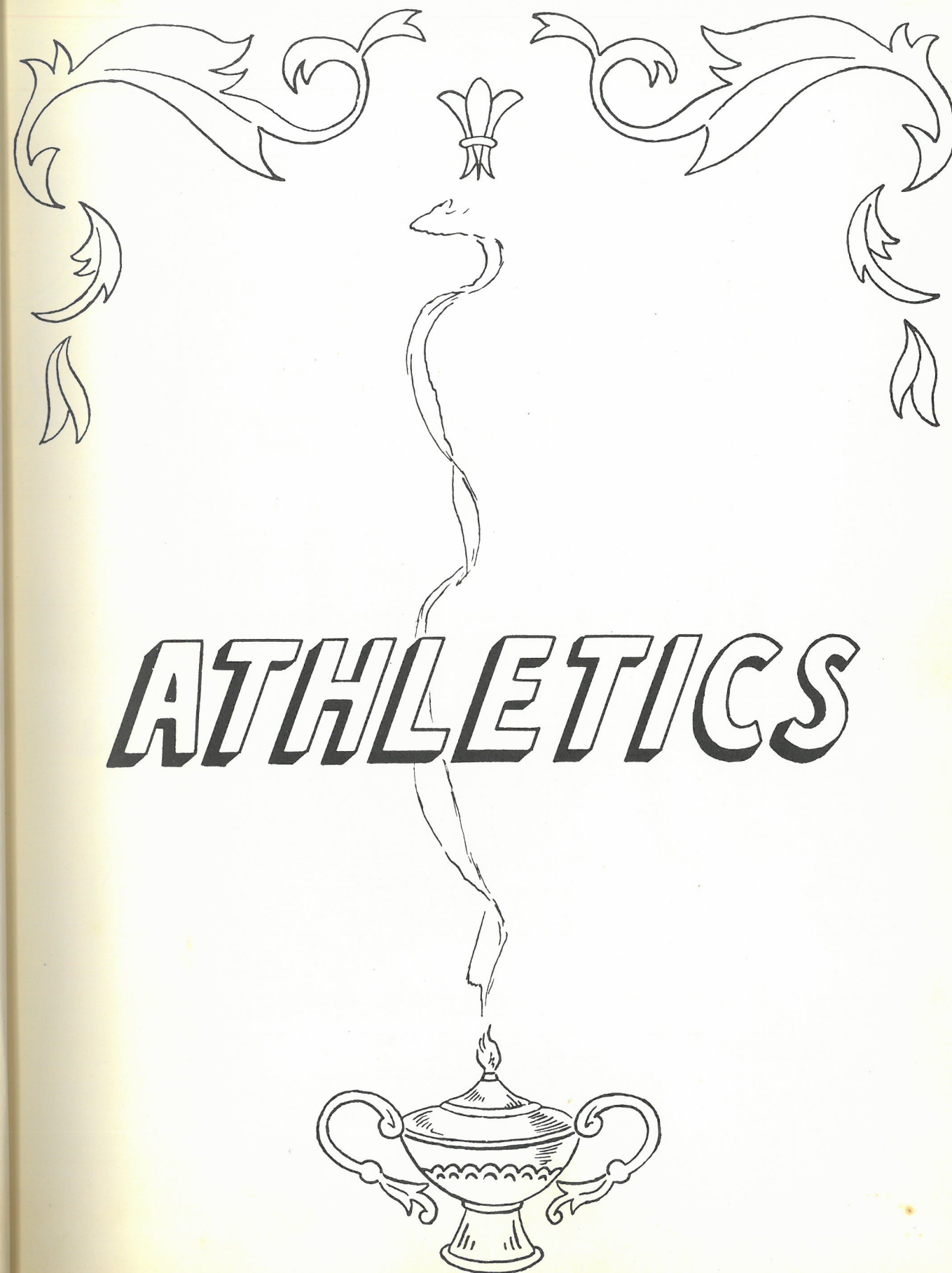
Bus Drivers



LEFT TO RIGHT: Bill Morrison, Don Dobbs, Earl Workman, Earl Hyde and Superintendent Mr. A. E. Gott.



DON APPLEGATE
Janitor



Sports News

The sports spotlight has been centered on basketball this year. We feel as though we have made great progress in this field.

The basketball team has been fortunate in obtaining games with Bradleyville, Sparta, Highlandville, Springfield Bull Pups, Clever, Fordland, Nixa, Abesville, and Hurley. Although we did not prove victorious in every game played, we still feel that we have obtained valuable experience which will be useful to us in the forthcoming year.

We do not want to forget the girls volleyball team, they made an excellent showing in their games with Hollister and Bradleyville.

Neither must we slight the grade basketball team. They too, have made a first-rate showing. Great interest was shown in their games with Bradleyville, Abesville, Sparta, and Forsyth. They have won seventy percent of these games.

Also our grade volleyball team has made a very good showing. They were victorious in two out of the four games played.



C. H. S. Basketball Team

FIRST ROW: (Left to Right) Joe Loomis, George Jones, Jim Rozell, Wayne Rozell.
SECOND ROW: Darrell Workman, Billy Shipman, Jack Richardson, Earl Shipman.

ACTIVITIES



Events of 1949-50 We Most Remember

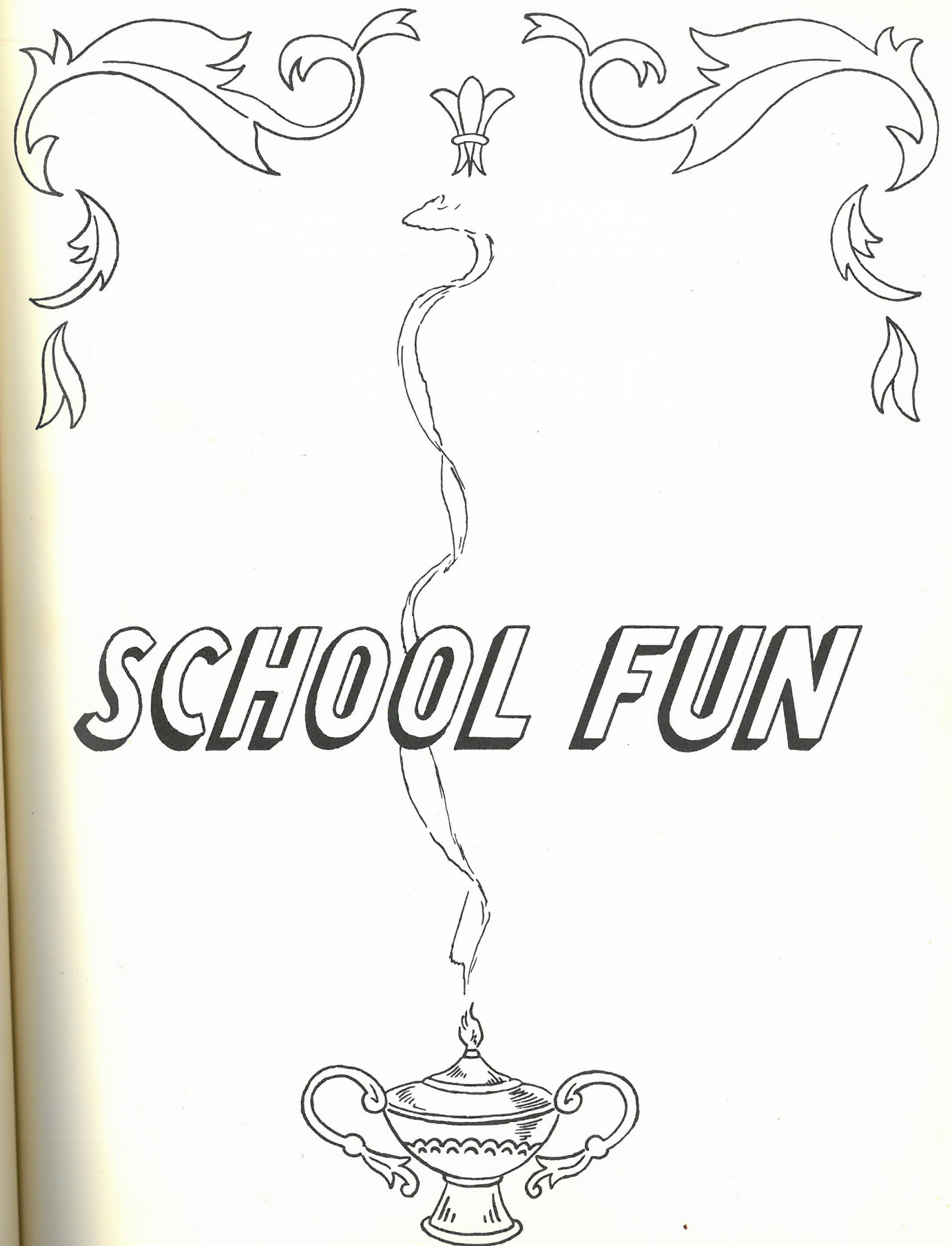
SCHOOL CARNIVAL

Along toward the last of October when the school is getting well under way the annual fall carnival adds to the activities of Chadwick School, and has become an institution within itself. The school carnival of 1949-50 was held on the nights of October twenty-seven and twenty-eight. The grade queen Lorene Gray was crowned by Kenneth Applegate at the close of the first night. The closing event of the carnival was the crowning of the high school queen, Melverine Gray by Wayne Rozell.

The proceeds of the carnival were used for improvement of the gymnasium.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

When the Christmas spirit was in full swing some of the pupils of high school gave a play titled "A Christmas Play". The grades also gave a play titled, "The Melting Point of America". The High School Girls Glee Club sang Christmas carols. The play and carols were enjoyed by the large crowd that attended. The closing event was delivering the gifts by Old Santa. In our entire program, an effort was made by those who were directing the program to inculcate the true Christmas spirit.



SCHOOL FUN

Jokes

- Wayne: "How long you in for?"
 Earl: "Ninety-nine years. How long you in for?"
 Wayne: "Seventy-five."
 Earl: "Then you take the bed near the door -- you'll be getting out first."
- Gordon: "You know my brother has lettuce growing out of his head."
 Bob R.: "My, that's odd isn't it?"
 Gordon: "Yeah, I planted carrots."
- Barbara: "I wrote a confession story once."
 Lula M.: "Was it bought?"
 Barbara: "No, but the editor came all the way from New York to see me."
- Dillon M.: "So Miss Lorene is your oldest sister? Who comes after her?"
 Jack C.: "Nobody ain't come yet, but Pa says the first fellow that comes can have her."
- Anna Mae: "I never go out with perfect strangers."
 George: "Oh, that's O.K. I ain't perfect."
- Mother: "Ralph, haven't I told you to squeeze out toothpaste the size of a bean?"
 Ralph: "Yes, Mother, this is a string bean."
- Irene went for a ride in an airplane. When the plane was high overhead, the pilot started laughing. "What are you laughing about?" she asked. "Ha, ha, I was just thinking what they'll say back at the insane asylum when they discover I'm gone."
- Jack: "I'm in love with you. I don't want to get well."
 Nurse: "Don't worry, chum; you won't. The doctor saw you kissing me, and he's my husband."
- Pat P.: "If you had a cow and a few ducks, what would you have?"
 Jim W.: "Quackers and milk."
- Clerk: (in men's clothing store): "I assume you are looking for something in men's clothing?"
 Mrs. Hughes: "I certainly am. Have you seen my husband around here?"
- Mr. Hawkins: "I'll teach you to make love to Ruthie."
 Bill H.: "I wish you would, I'm not making much headway."

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- Jim R.: "I see that your jaw is swollen, but I wouldn't worry about it."
 Hugh B.: "If your jaw was swollen I wouldn't worry about it either."
- Norma J.: "Good night, dear, a nice evening we spent."
 Mr. Jones: "It's about time that dumb-bell went. I ordered you not to see him."
 Norma J.: "But I appealed to a higher court and Mother said 'yes'."
- Jerry J.: "The laundry made a mistake and sent me the wrong shirt. The collar is so tight that I can scarcely breathe."
 Laundry Man: "Oh, that's your shirt, all right, but you've got your head through a buttonhole."
- Sharron: "Did you know that a watch is shy?"
 Janie: "Of course. It holds its hands before its face and runs down its own works."
- Mr. Gott: "I was rowing my boat the other day when I heard it crack. So I spoke to the boat."
 Bill R.: "What did you say to the boat?"
 Mr. Gott: "I said, 'Another crack out of you and we're both sunk'."
- Lella: "You look worried."
 Peggy: "I am. My sister was making a cake and the recipe said, 'Put in the eggs, sugar, shortening and milk, and beat it.' I haven't seen her since."
- Darrel: "Did you hear about the murder the other night?"
 George: "No, what happened?"
 Darrel: "A fellow choked his car."

A beautiful June moon shone down on the parked car in which sat Melverine and her bashful boy friend. Daryel you remind me of Don Juan, the great lover," murmured Melverine. "Why?" he asked hopefully. "For one thing," snapped Melverine, "he's been dead for years and years."

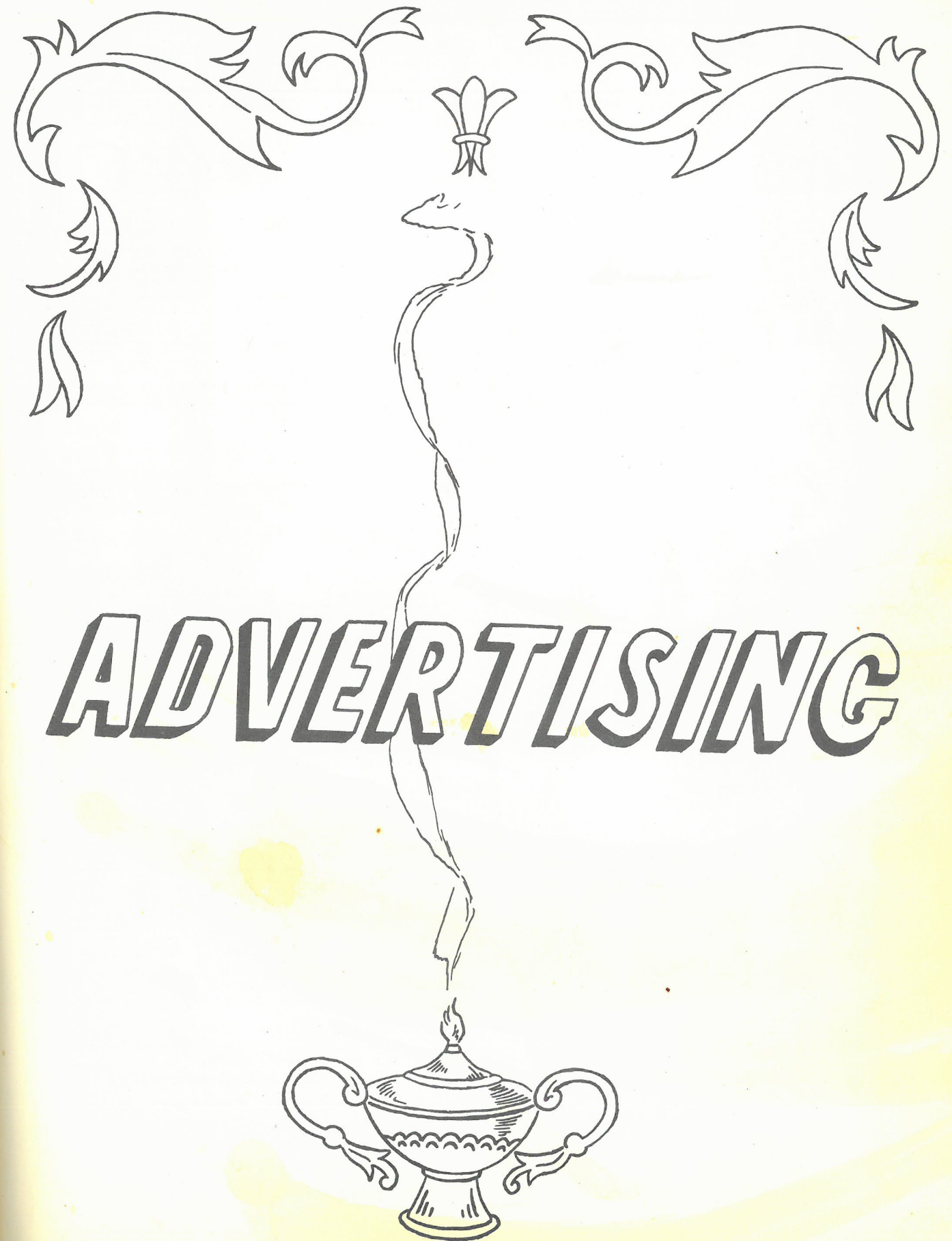
- John B.: "What do you call a man who has been lucky in love?"
 Stanley S.: "A bachelor."
- Huba M.: "I love being in Earl's company. He entertains me by talking about things other men never mention."
 Betty B.: "Oh, has he asked you to marry him?"

Marynel was sitting in General Business. Mrs. Halford asked her what she was thinking about. "Those old statistics I read this morning," sighed Marynel. "Billy Joe Keene will buy a diamond ring for me that costs \$97.80 and a wedding ring that will be priced at \$22.40 including federal tax and have to borrow some money to do it or buy on the installment plan."



1. Mary Casey, Mrs. Walker, Ada Clark.
 2. Ruby McKedy.
 3. D. Workman, H. Beth, E. Shipman.
 4. Denny Hursh, Janice Hursh.
 5. Darlene Applegate.
 6. Eula and Wilma Shipman.

7. C. H. S. group.
 8. Anna Mae Grisham.
 9. Marynel Walker.
 10. Larry Mathes.
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 12. C. H. S. group.





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