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First Edition*

THE 1963 BOLIVARITE

FOREWORD

We, the annual staff, are proud to present to you our "1963 BOLIVARITE". This book is filled with memories of this past year. It has caught glimpses here and there, so that in years to come the activities of this school year at Bolivar High will not fade from memory.

In later years, while turning these pages, if you should recall the many smiles, sorrows, and dreams of '63, we shall be content, knowing that we have done the job we were called upon to do.

The Editors

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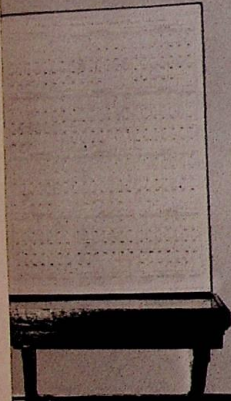
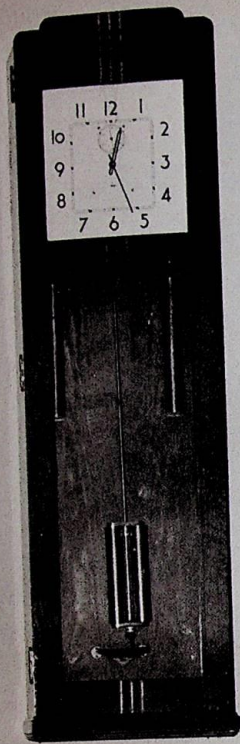


Mr. J. T. Keesee, II

We, the members of the annual staff, are pleased to dedicate this the first edition of "THE BOLIVARITE" to you for the many years of dedicated and meritorious service rendered to the boys and girls of our community.

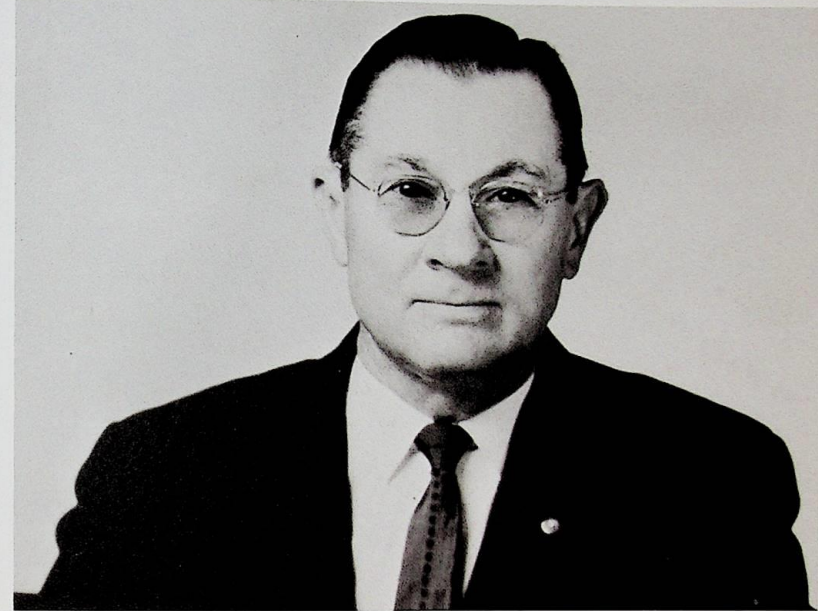
A mind with which to think, a heart with which to love, a hand with which to help, a desire fully to give - these things all remind us of you, Mr. Keesee, because of your kindness and generosity in giving both hand and heart to the Rosedale School System, we express our gratitude by dedicating this our 1963 annual - "THE BOLIVARITE" -- to you.

May the following pages serve as a medium for broadening and sustaining our relationship.



ADMINISTRATION

SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE



To The Student Body:

For ten years this high school has stood holding high the torch of learning to and for all who would enter, seeking knowledge and understanding. Four of these ten years have been under a re-districted school program, which has made it possible for a much broader understanding and wider area of knowledge. This new set-up means much to the educational, social, and moral growth of this district and community.

During this period, many have done themselves proud by adhering to the teaching and following the examples of those who taught. They have held high the school banner; you cannot afford to do less and still be true to the heritage which is yours.

Everyone wants you to be proud of your school and for which it stands; but never forget that the school wants to be proud of you.

Yours for another great school year,
Rex L. Burrow, Superintendent
Bolivar County School District No. 1

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



To The Student Body:

It is our philosophy to turn out boys and girls of high and noble character. It is an objective and goal for West Bolivar County Training School to teach you to grow, live, work, think, act cooperatively, and to understand the worthy use of leisure.

Students keep in mind that your success or failure in life depends upon your ability to solve the many intricate problems of your era. The decisions you make will play an important role in helping to mould a wholesome environment.

It is my fervent prayer that your growth mentally, morally, physically and emotionally, is such that you have developed the proper sense of values. Know what is important and what is not important; what is sound and what is not sound; what is truth and what is deception.

Inasmuch as it is your responsibility to help shape our world, continue to grow in wisdom, strength and courage for the "building" can be no stronger than the "builders." Give to the world your best so that the best may come back to you.

Sincerely yours,
J. T. Keesee, II, Principal



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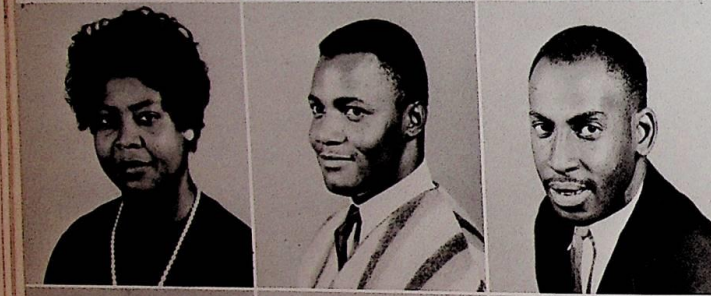
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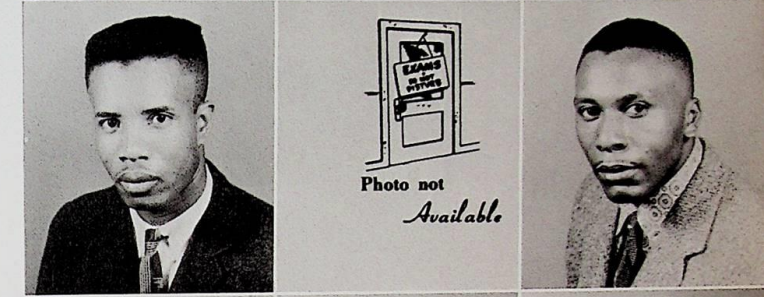
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WE REMEMBER BEVERLY



Beverly Ann Smith

An array of kindness, friendliness, thoughtfulness and thankfulness was the basis of Beverly's pleasing personality, which won the respect of the students and faculty at Bolivar High School.

Beverly, who was a ninth grade student passed, May 19, 1962, at the age of 14. The effects of her influence are beyond our imagination. Her face was always covered with smiles. From within her came the impressive attitude, "Everyone should strive to do his best."

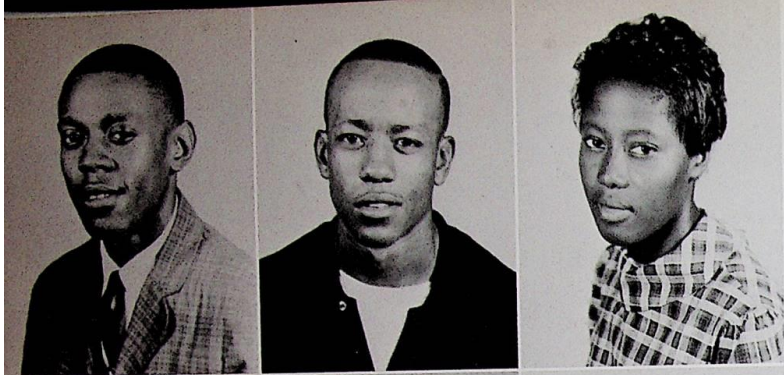
The beams of Beverly's life fell upon the entire faculty and student body of our school and into the church and communities of Rosedale and Pace.

The effects of her personality will play a vital role in our lives for years to come.

Beverly, you were sweet and young.
On your lips there was always a song.
A personality that charmed us so.
You'll live in our hearts forever more.



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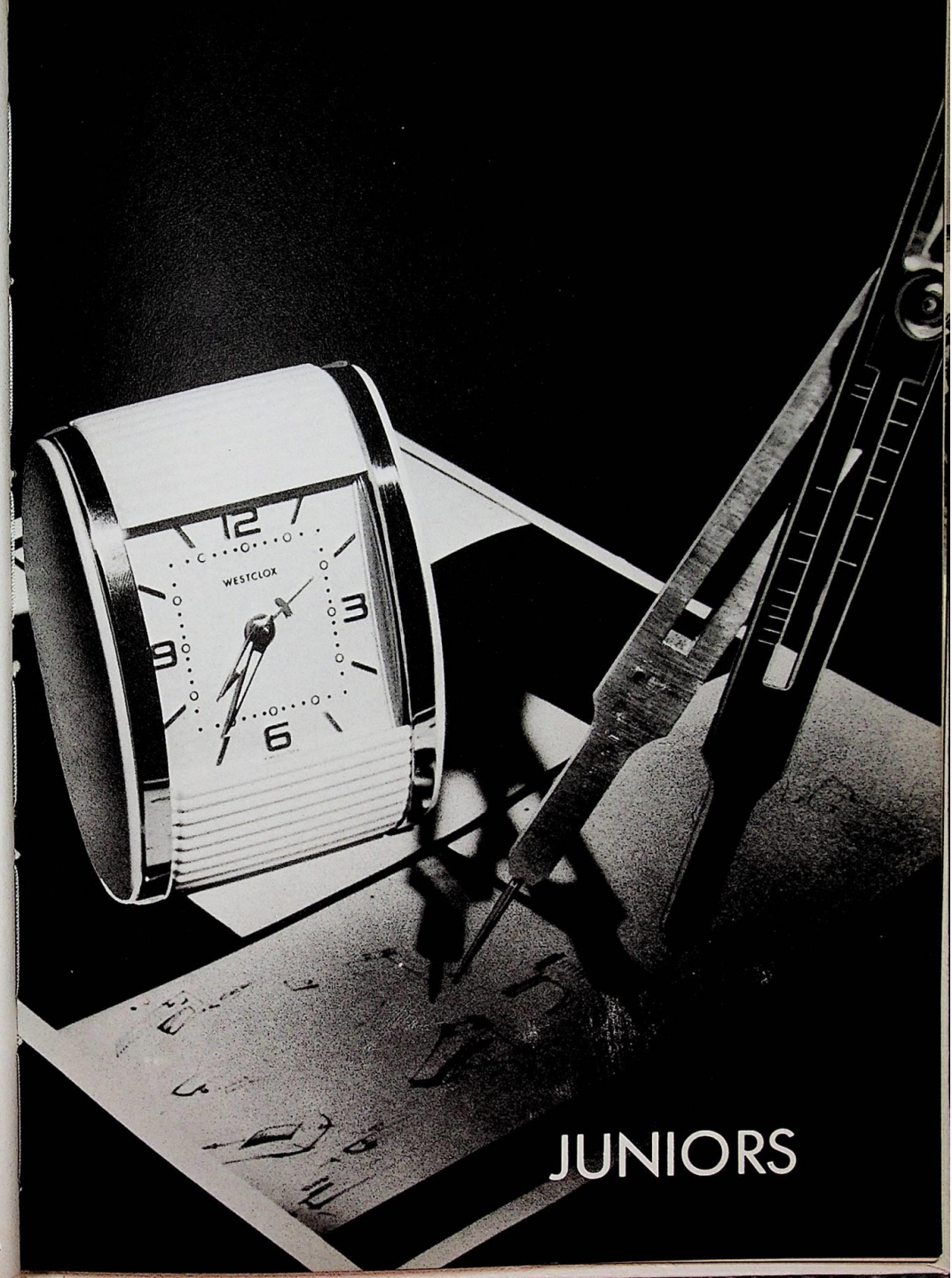
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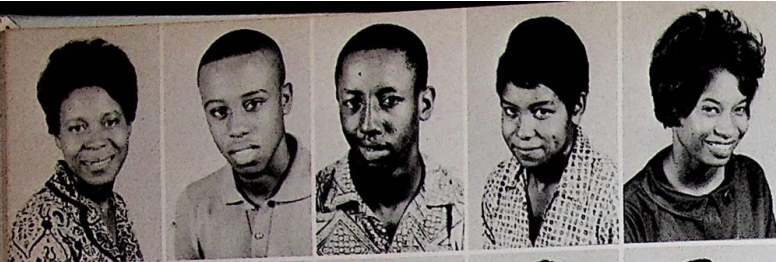
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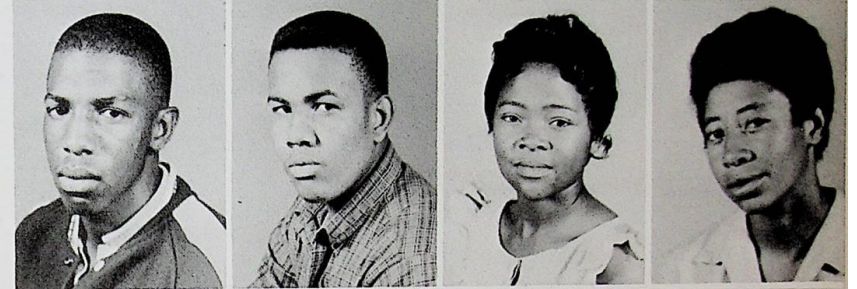
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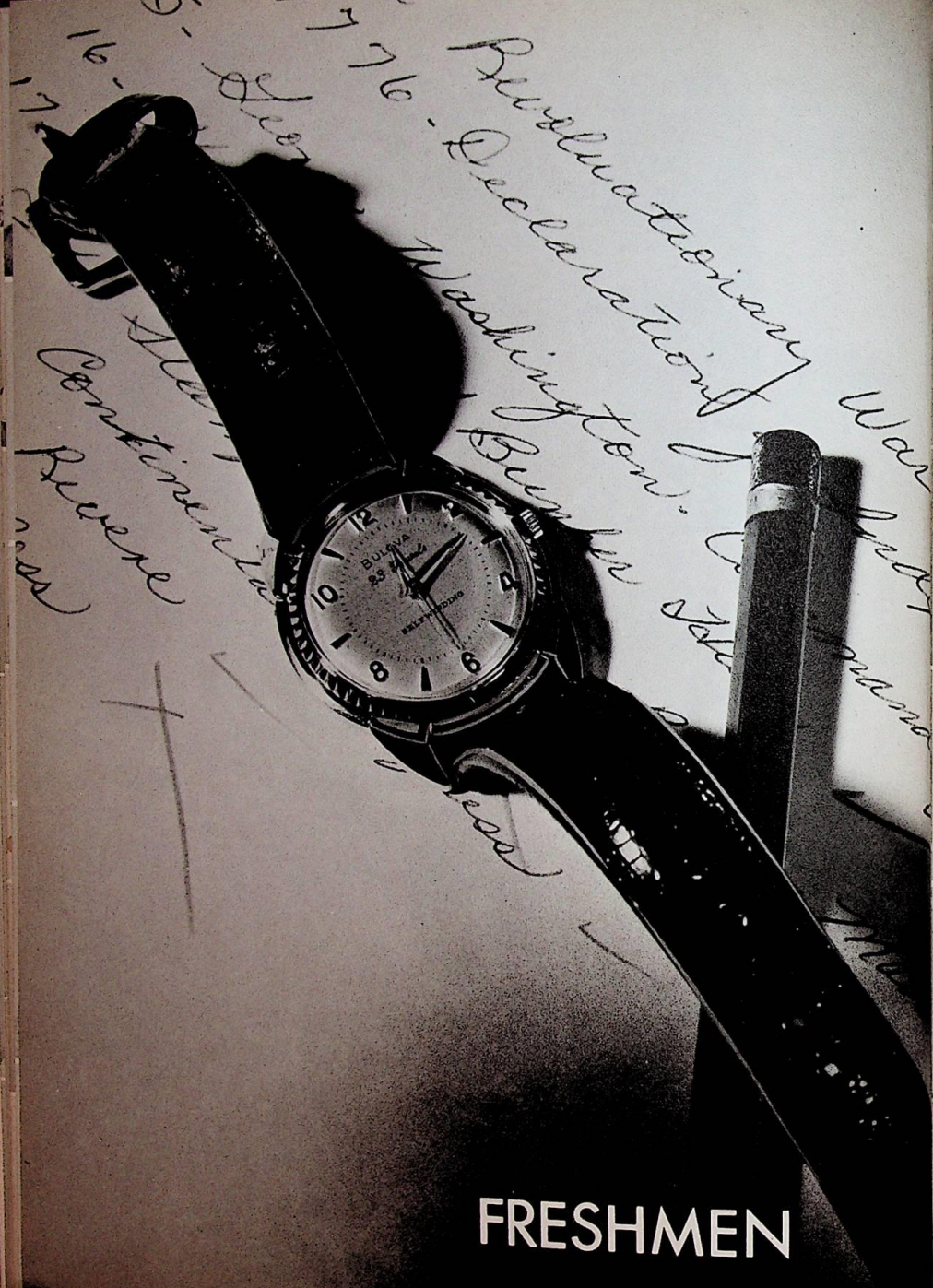
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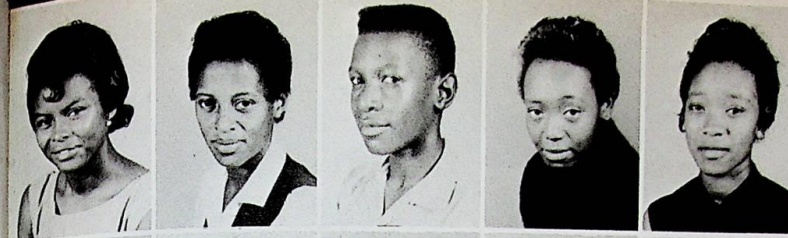
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Ardelia Brown



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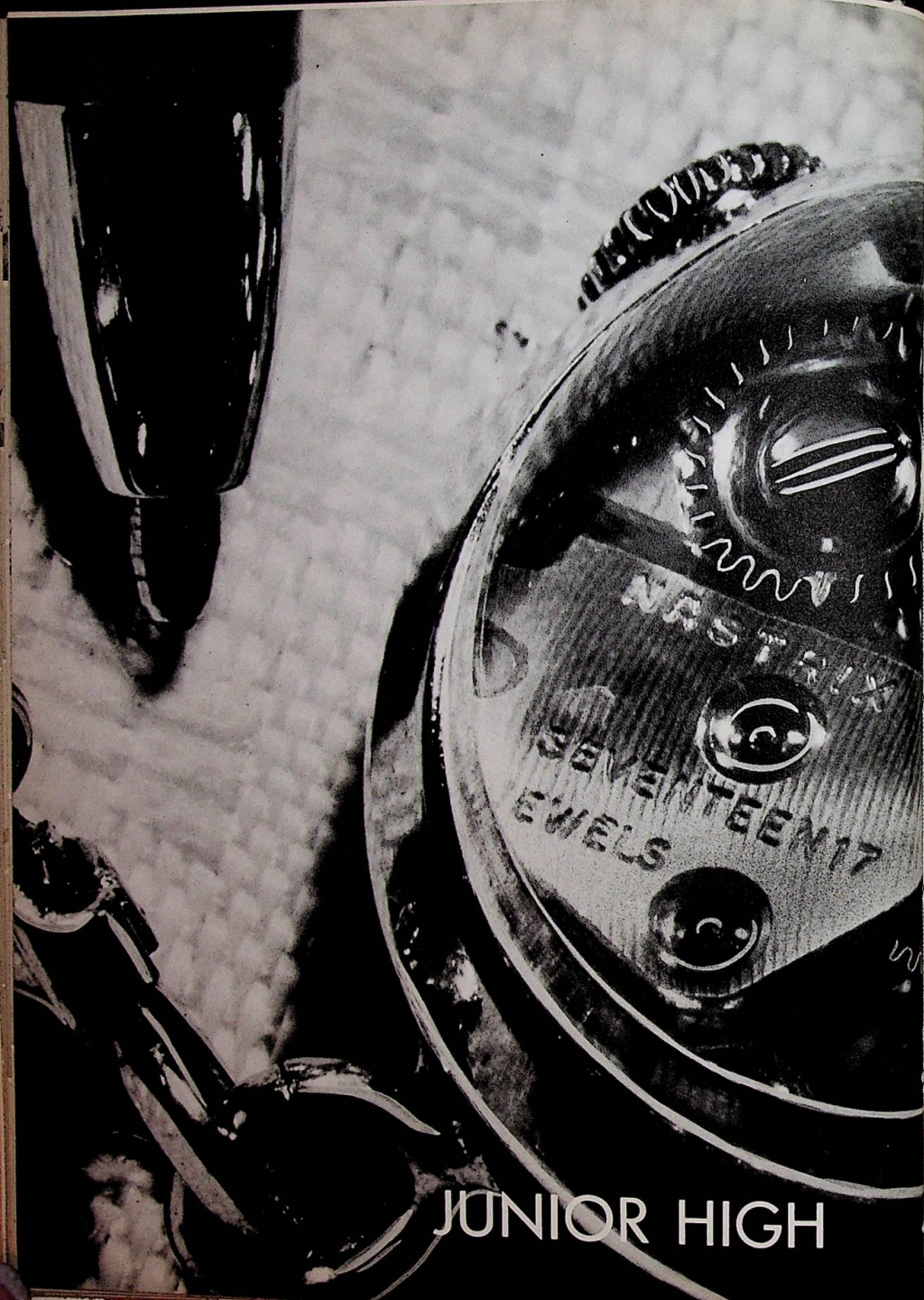
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EIGHTH GRADE

LATE PICTURES

Freddie Anderson

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Sammie McKensie



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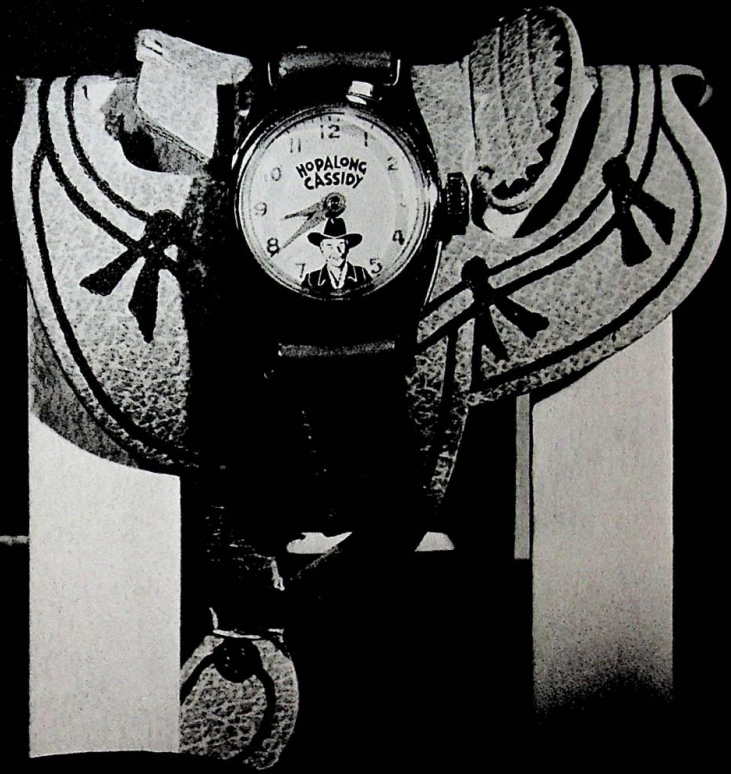


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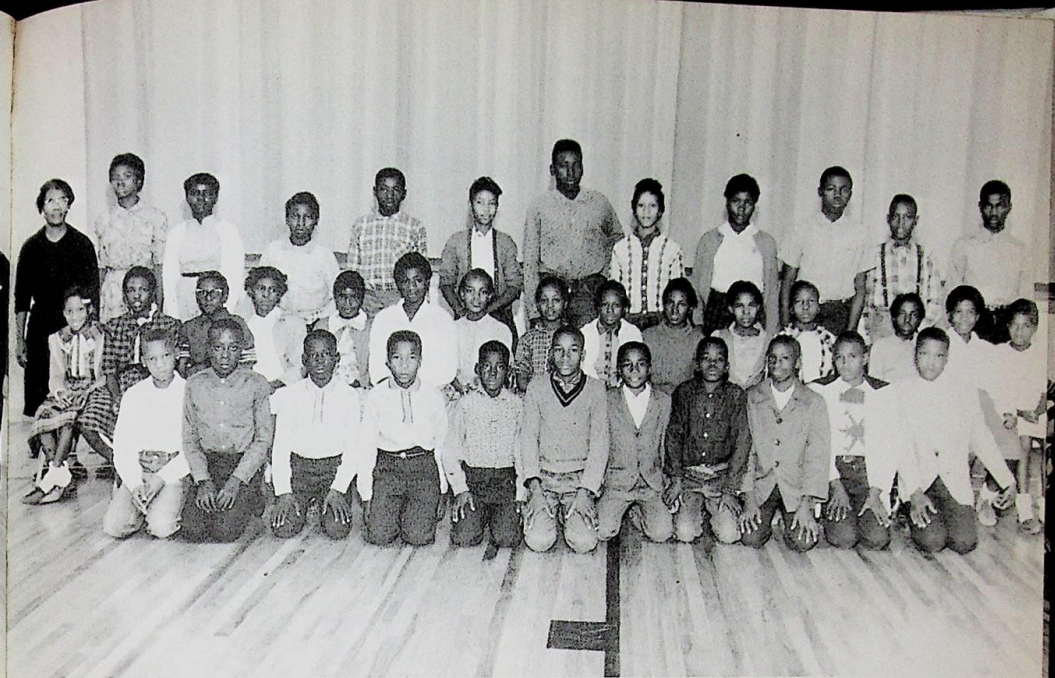


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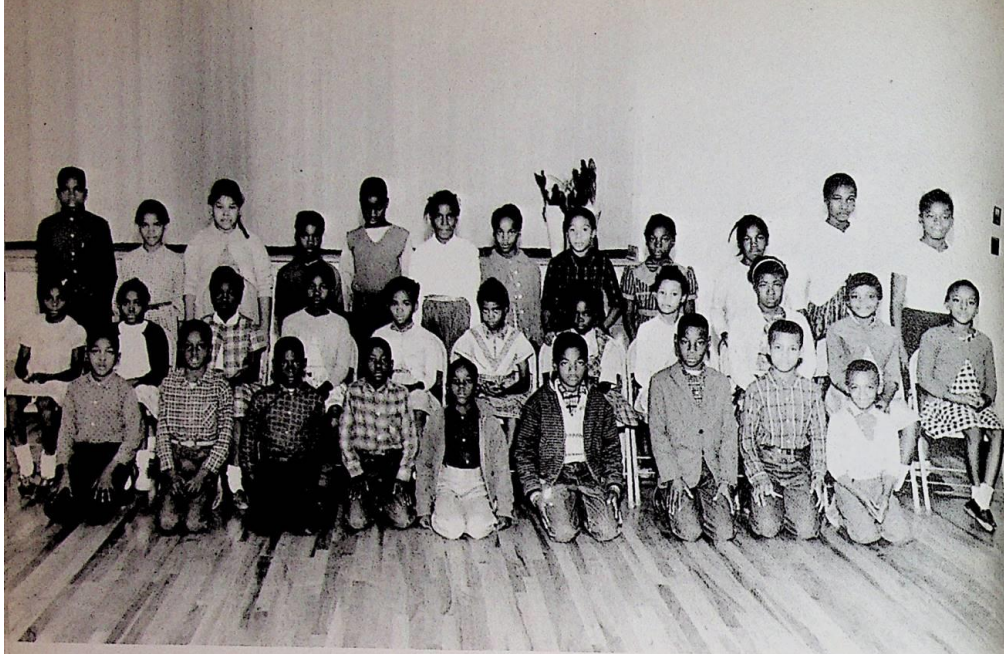
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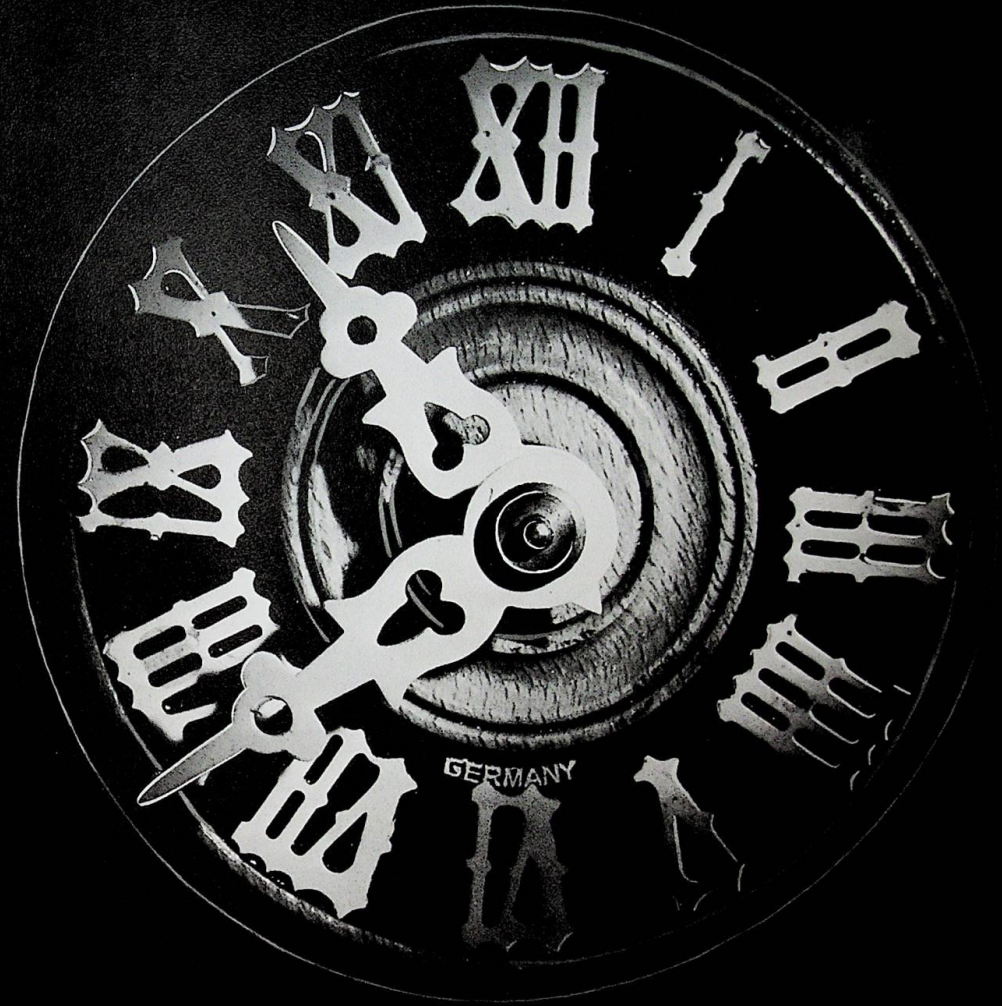
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FIRST GRADE - B



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“Miss Bolivar High”

Alberta Kelly

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“Little Miss Bolivar”

Lorenda Thomas

Grade 1-A



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DEFENSIVE FOOTBALL TEAM



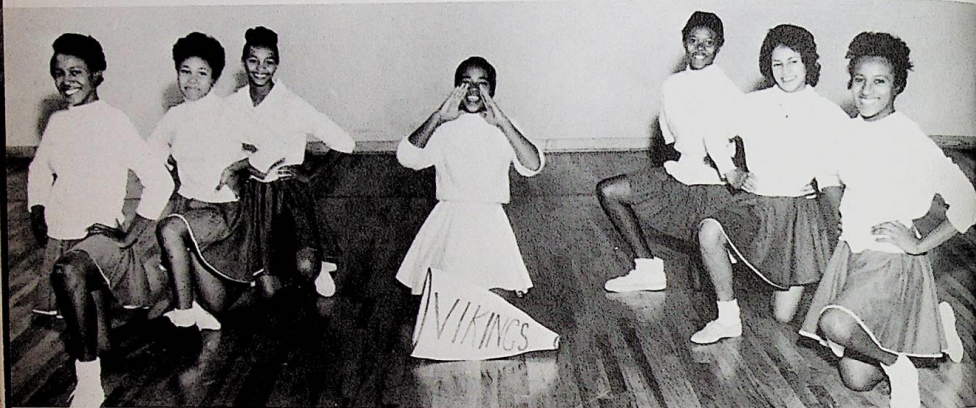
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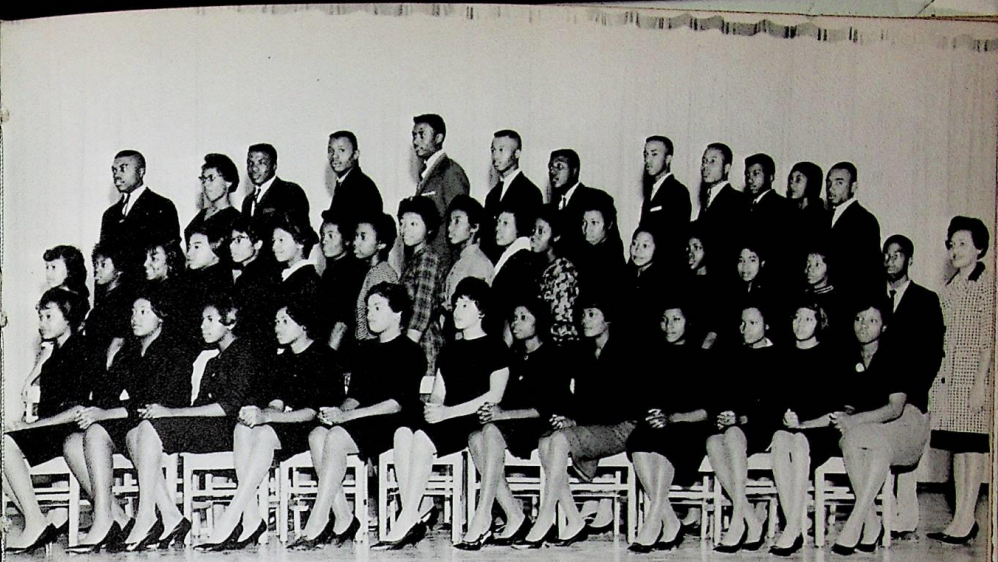
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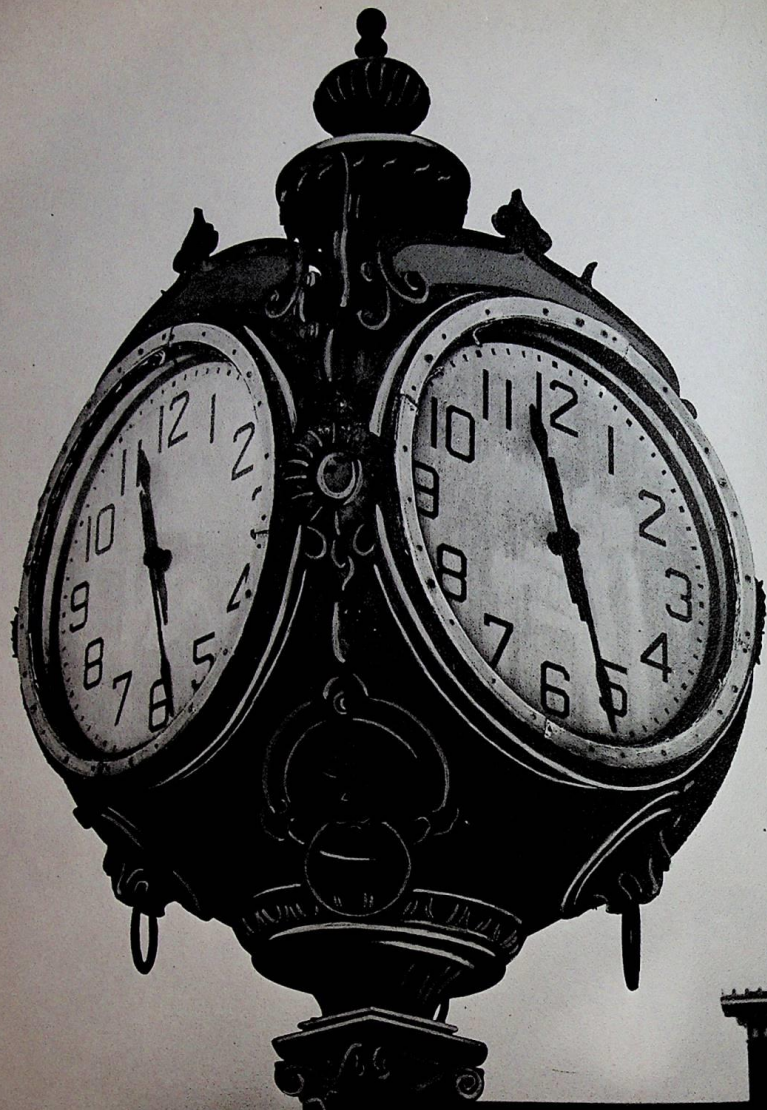
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