

Bits & Pieces

by Gloria Ellerhost
and Christine Allen

The Lowrey Light staff wishes to extend its welcome to the new 10B's in hopes that your stay here is successful.

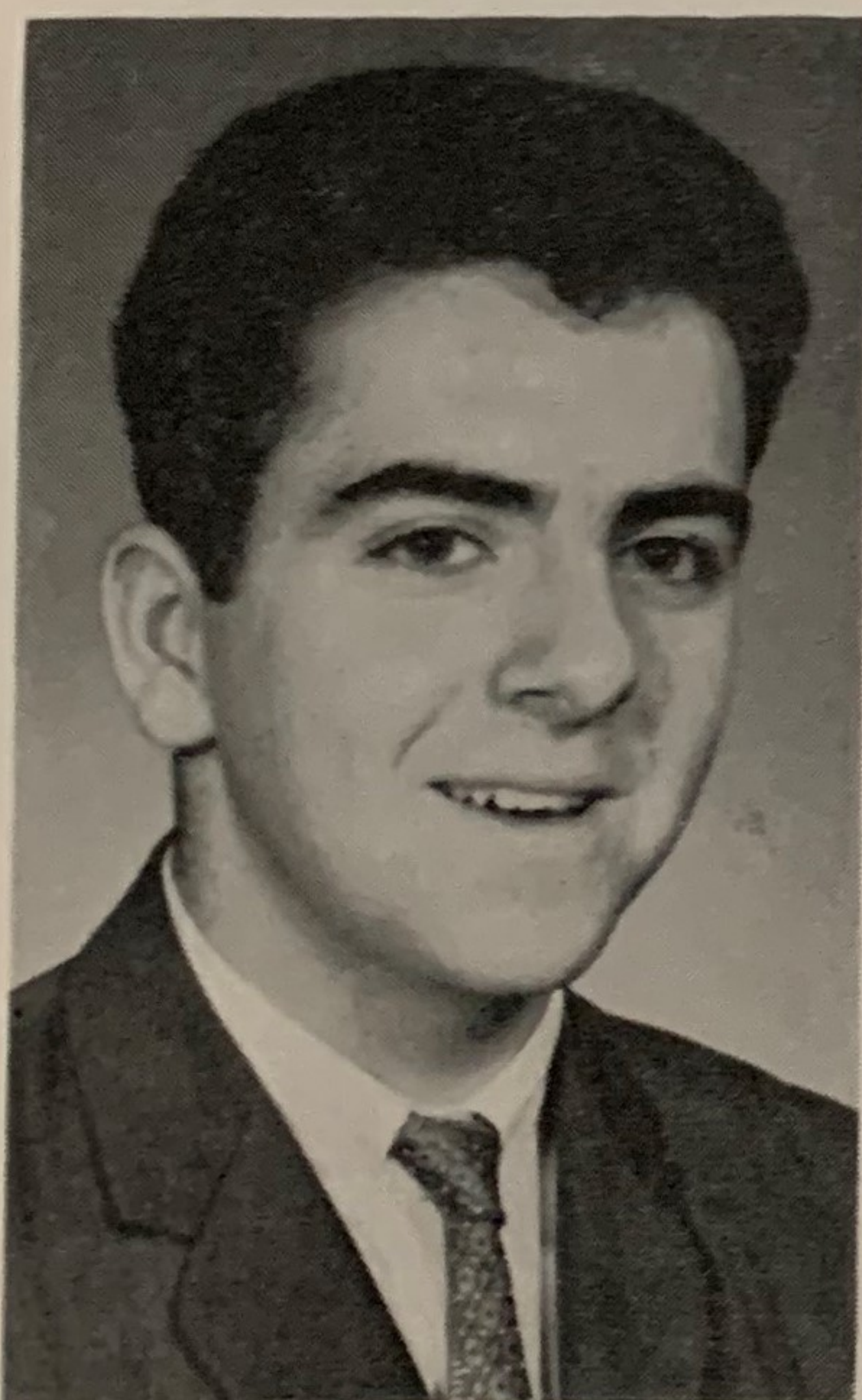
Activity books will be on sale the 12th through the 16th of September. The price will be \$3.00. Be sure you have one.

There will be many new members added to the faculty and in future issues we will try to familiarize you with them.

One of the coming activities will be the "Get Acquainted Dance" which is sponsored by the Student Council. Be sure to attend.

Lowrey will have its first sports event of the season Friday, September 16, 1966 with Lutheran West in an away football game.

Student Council Welcomes 10B's



Jerry Harrington

I, as well as the entire student body and staff here at Lowrey, wish to welcome the new 10B's to Harvey H. Lowrey High School.

You have probably heard that you should always study hard; look out, here it comes again. These next three years will be the most important years of your life.

I hope and trust that you will make your stay at Lowrey a chal-

Staff Members Welcome Class of '69'

As one of your counselors and a class sponsor, I should like to extend greetings to you upon your entrance into Lowrey High School. We hope that your stay here will be both profitable and enjoyable and that at graduation time you may be able to look back on a job well done and to look ahead to the future with encouragement and confidence.

Mr. L. Koster

Rules To Go By

1. No extreme haircuts or hairdos.
2. Boys do not wear jeans or levis.
3. Boys wear clean and pressed trousers.
4. Girls wear sensible shoes, skirts and sweaters or blouses, or dresses, a reasonable amount of makeup.
5. Boys wear sensible shoes and no extremes.
6. No smoking at all.
7. Boys have to be clean shaven.

If a student is found in violation of the rules concerning citizenship, the penalty may be severe. Be a credit to Lowrey.

Your Officers

The following are representatives for student council and class officers:

Senior Class Officers

Steve Gnewkowski President
Dave Bydlowski Vice-President
Jerry Lee Chmela Secretary
Karen Sudut Treasurer

Senior Executive Board

Robert Bonzer
Nancy Sterling

Junior Class Officers

Jerry Hull President
Sheryl Ollie Vice-President
Arlene Harrel Secretary
Bonnie Clark Treasurer

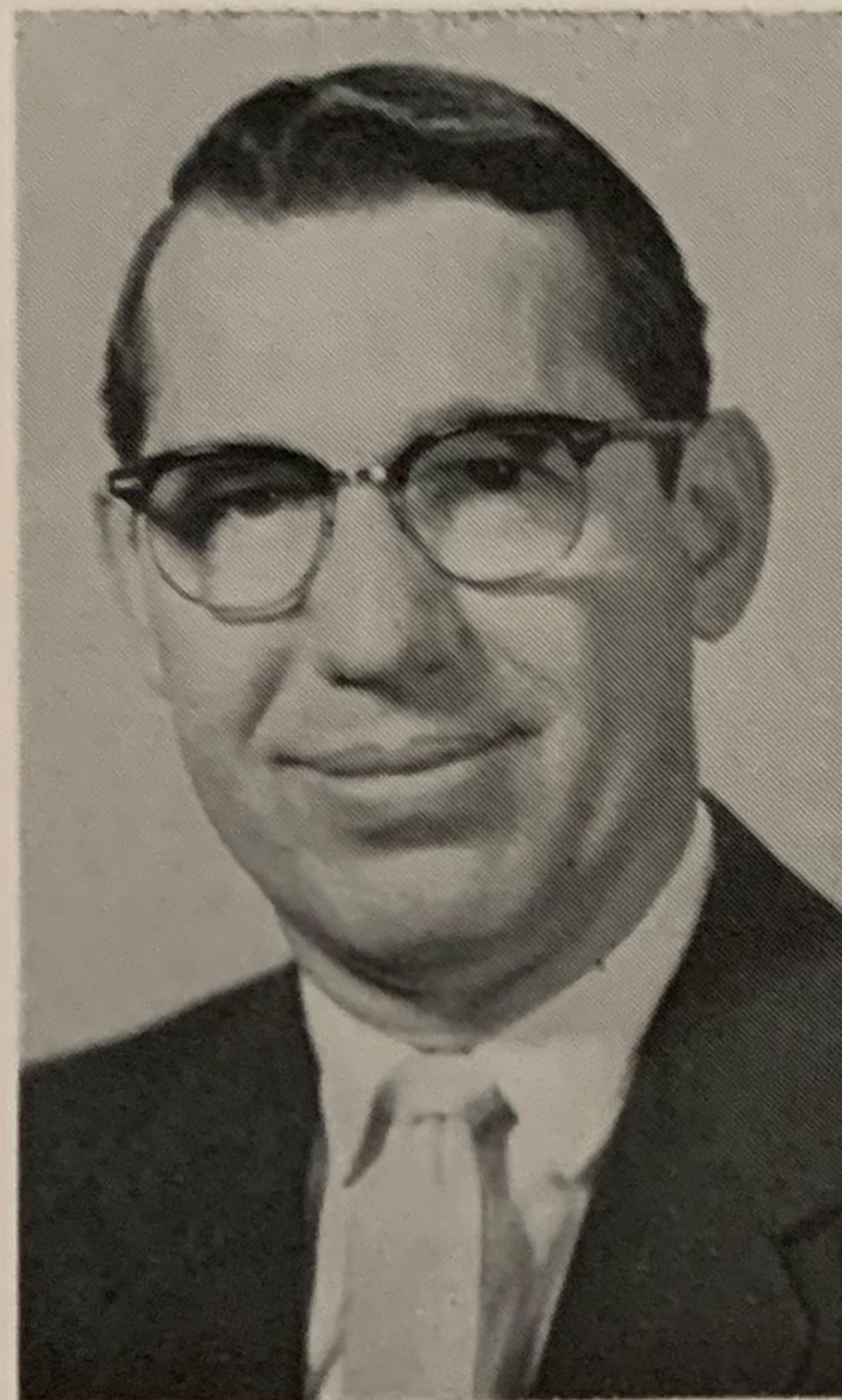
Junior Executive Board

Jerry Harrington President
Mary Kay Vadnais Vice-President

lenge instead of a tragedy. Don't have the attitude that you own the mortgage to the school and you are going to close the school if any of the teachers give you any trouble. That attitude gets as far as the front door at Lowrey. Leave it there!

As president of Student Council, I hope to make your sophomore year an enjoyable one. Good luck in the future and enjoy yourself.

Jerry Harrington
Student Council President



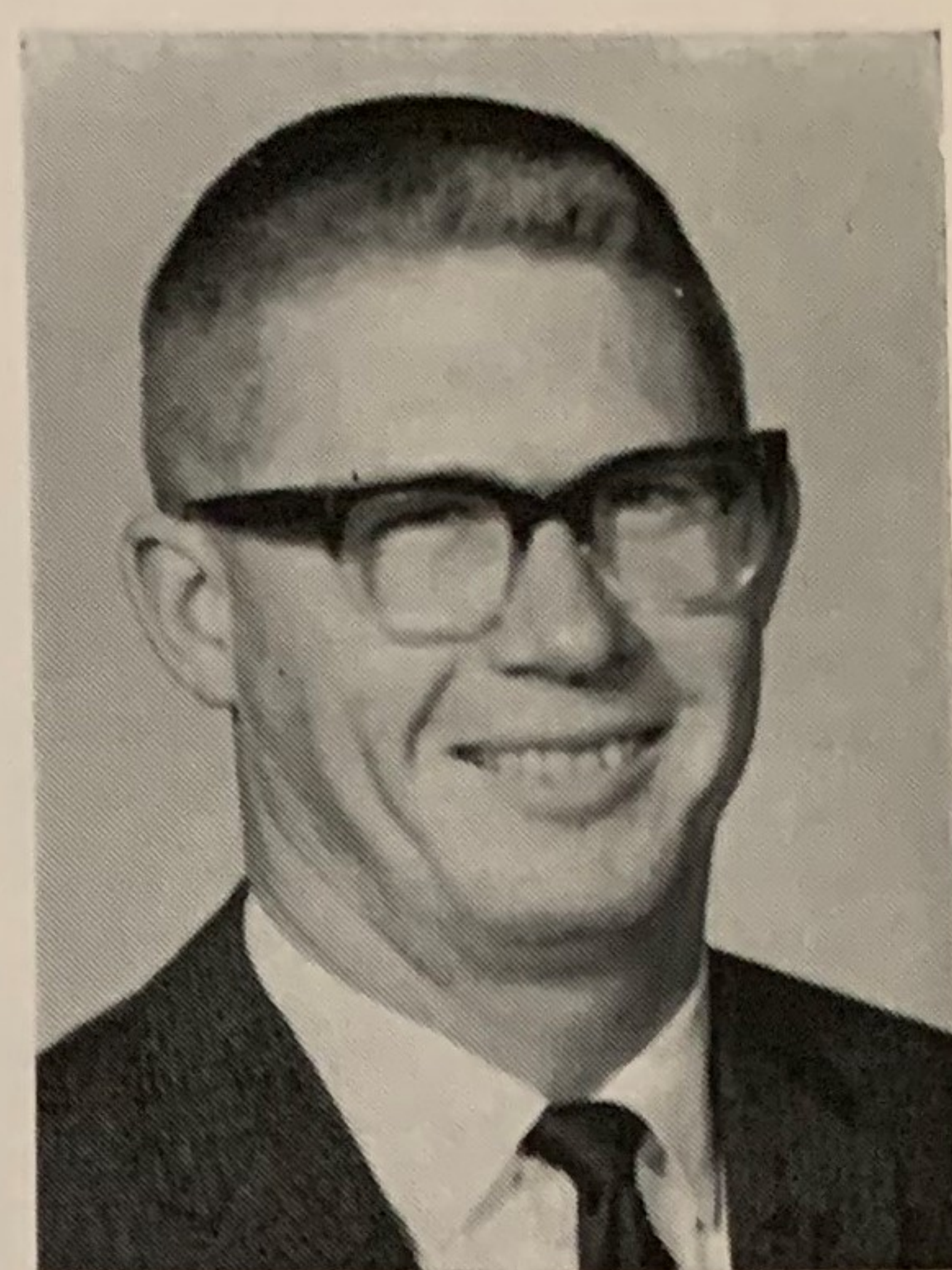
Dr. Richard Seavitt

As a representative of the Lowrey Staff, I welcome you to Lowrey. The facilities are here to afford you the proper atmosphere of learning, past and present students have established a firm base of traditions and loyalties, and the teachers are of the highest caliber in the United States. This places the burden of responsibility on your shoulders as a new student. It is up to you to maintain respect for the facilities, to carry on the established traditions, to develop your loyalty to your school, and to avail yourself of the many learning opportunities presented by the teachers.

If we were just talking about the next three years, then we might treat this topic in a somewhat lighter manner. But, experience has demonstrated that the next three years determine the pattern of your life. Lowrey from this day on becomes a part of your past and the beginning of your future. We will assist you in any reasonable way at our disposal. Several thousand students have achieved success at Lowrey. A very few have had difficulty. Therefore, the odds for success are certainly in your favor.

All you need is the desire to succeed, the willingness to learn, and the ability to listen.

Richard C. Seavitt, Ph. D
Principal



Mr. James Boatwright

I hope that each of you will take advantage of the wide range of activities open to you throughout your three years here at Lowrey High School. Teachers, counselors, club sponsors, coaches, and administrators are ready to assist you in choosing and completing a balanced worthwhile program.

In order to have a successful high school experience, considerable effort is required. We are willing to do our part. How about you?

J. Boatwright
Assistant Principal

+ Calendar of Events +

Sept. 5, Mon.—Labor Day. Schools closed.
Sept. 6, Tues.—Teachers report. Pre-school preparation.
Sept. 7, Wed.—Schools open, all students one-half day.
Nov. 3-4, Thurs.-Fri.—Teacher's Institutes. Schools closed.
Nov. 23, Wed.—Schools close end of day. Thanksgiving recess.
Nov. 28, Mon.—Schools reopen.
Dec. 22, Thurs.—Schools close end of day. Vacation for Christmas.
Jan. 2, Tues.—Schools reopen.
Jan. 27, Fri.—First semester ends.

Time Schedule

8:10	Homerooms are opened
8:30	Warning bell
8:35- 8:45	Homeroom period
8:49- 9:44	First hour
9:48-10:43	Second hour
10:47-11:42	Third hour
11:46-12:41	Fourth hour
12:41- 1:36	Fifth hour
1:40- 2:35	Sixth hour
2:39- 3:34	Seventh hour

Are You Getting Off To A Good Start?

September is the month when school begins for all students. Are you ready to begin the year in a manner of an "Honor Student?" Are you going to be the one who will work and study to the best of your ability, or are you just going to fluff off? . . . "Fan Out?"

Well . . . your high school education lasts only three years. These years involve the very process of stimulating your mind in regard to your interests for further education or any field you would want to go into.

Sure, I know, there are seven hours to a school day, and it seems so terribly long and easily boring to those not really trying. But, why don't you try? It's hard and extremely rough to stay on, so easy to leave any assignment for your lunch period or homeroom. But, just make the Honor Roll for the first marking, and I'm sure you'll make it your personal interest and goal to stay on it.

Three years pass so fast, and you can't go back and try again. You have your future at stake . . . don't ruin your chances for a good one. Think about what you're planning for the future Today, not tomorrow when it's just too late. It's a sad story, but often true, that some just waited too long and don't make the grade. Don't let this be you!!!



Officers State This Year's Plans

Last semester, the sophomore and junior classes elected officers for this senior and junior year. Student council officers and members of the executive board were also chosen.

Jerry Harrington, after a spirited campaign, was elected president of the student council. Jerry said, "I'm very thankful that the students at Lowrey High voted me in as president of the Student Council. I just hope I can do more than what's expected of me." He also wishes everyone good luck for this year. With his determination, we know he will reach his aims.

The student council vice-president for this year is Mary Kay Vadnais, 11B. She plans to "Unite the student body with the student council, because the student council is working for the student body." We are sure that Mary Kay will do her best to reach that goal.

The graduating class of '67 chose Steve Gnewkowski as their senior class president. Steve said, "I hope to accomplish all of my campaign proposals in strengthening the senior treasury through miscellaneous activities and diversified functions."

Jerry Hull, junior class president, also has some plans that the juniors should be especially interested in. He stated, "I am going to try to promote more school spirit among the students of the junior class, and also try to get more school activities for them." We wish Jerry all the luck.

The people on the executive board probably play the most important part in student governing in this school. The senior executive board members are Bob Bonzer and Nancy Sterling. Elected for the juniors are Anne Marie Kurczyniec and Cheryl Mahan. With the entire student council votes, these people have the final word on anything going through the student council.

These are a few of the people you should be acquainted with this year. They will probably play a role of importance in your year here at Lowrey.

The sophomores should take special note of these people and talk to them if they have the chance, because the sophomore class election will be upon us soon. If any sophomores are even considering running for an office, think ahead and plan now exactly what office you would like to run for. You have a choice of five offices: President, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and two people serve on the executive board. Plan now and be prepared for this election!

Activity Books To Be Sold Sept. 12-16

Student activity books, which are used for admission to athletic events, dances, plays, and the school yearbook, will be sold from the 12th of September to the 16th only. This activity book will serve two main purposes. First, it will admit you as cheaply as possible. Second, it will reduce the regular price of admission when a large volume of books is sold.

The first two events for which an activity book will be used are the Get Acquainted dance on September 23 and the Riverside football game with Riverside. This activity book may be purchased from your homeroom teacher for \$3.00. The money from the sale of these books helps pay for the cost of athletic expenses, the activity banquet, student visits, assemblies, and many other activity expenses.

Savings Listed

Students paying the full admission charge to these events would pay over \$26.00. These are the events of the year and the amount they will cost you if you don't buy the activity book.

No student tickets sold at the door or gate for any of these events.

Activities	Total Cost With Activity Book	Total Cost Without Activity Book	Total Saved With Activity Book
Activity Book	\$3.00		
4 Football Games	free	\$4.00	\$4.00
7 Basketball Games	free	7.00	7.00
6 Swimming Meets	free	1.50	1.50
2 School Plays	1.00	2.00	1.00
6 Dances	3.50	5.25	1.75
2 Concerts	.50	1.00	.50
1 School Annual	2.75	4.00	1.25
Totals	10.75	24.75	17.00

Total Savings with activity book \$17.00

Total Savings with activity book \$17.00

Cost of activity book 3.00

Amount saved by buying activity book \$14.00

book now and (1) support your school; (2) save yourself \$14.00; (3) enjoy yourself at activities without paying a large price, and (4) get a discount on the school Futurian.

Majorettes Lead

At the end of the last school year, the majorette squad for this year was chosen. The results of the tryouts were:

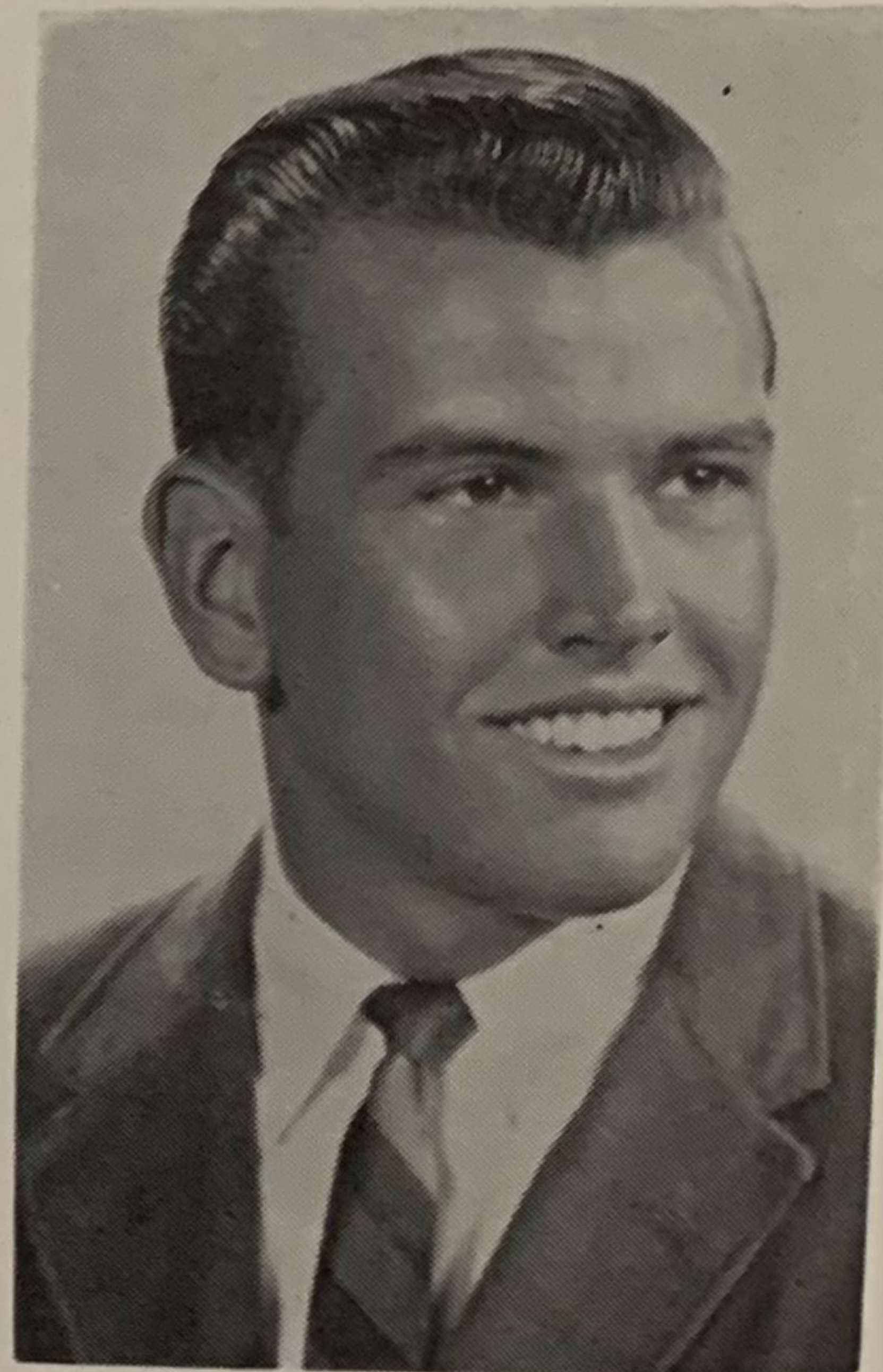
Dolores Filinger, 12B—Captain
Lynn Warzin, 11B—Co-captain
Lillian Calvin, 11B—Regular
Cindy Kea, 12B—Regular
Marria Krashovetz, 11B—Regular
Anne Marie Kurzyniec, 11B—Regular

Sherry Wheatly, 12B—1st Alternate
Darlene Hein, 12B—2nd Alternate

These majorettes work hand in hand with the band to heighten the school spirit at Lowrey. During half time at football games, the band is led by the majorettes and drum major, Frank Queen, onto the field for a spirited half-time rally. As the students in the band march into their formations the majorettes do routines that coincide with the song being played.

Football games, however, are not the only times when the band plays with the majorettes batoning along. At least two concerts each year, the band plays well-known selections from musicals, some jazz numbers and other musical pieces. The majorettes add their performance to the winter concert by doing their baton routines in step to the music. Outstanding soloists are also featured at the concerts, which adds just the right touch to making the concert complete and enjoying.

The most exciting event of the year for the band and majorettes is Memorial Day when they parade down Michigan Avenue amidst cheering crowds on either side of the street.



Mr. Bremenkamph
Activity Book Sponsor

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Introduction to Lowrey Clubs

ATTENTION SOPHOMORES: Now that you're here at Lowrey you'll want to know which of our swingin' clubs you'd like to join. Take note!! Here's a rundown on them:

BOOSTER CLUB—The Lowrey Booster Club was organized in 1950 to promote school spirit and encourage student participation in extra-curricular activities. The Booster Club is one of the largest and most active clubs in the school. The club participates in such annual events as dances, presentation of athletic awards, and the Activities Banquet. Among the club's other activities are selling refreshments, pom poms, and pennants at athletic events, and sponsoring the school's mascot, the Polar Bear. This club requires no special interests or talents for membership except enthusiasm and cooperation.

FIZZ-CHEM CLUB—This club gives students now interested in science an opportunity to further investigate the problems arising in physics and chemistry. Anyone who has taken a semester of chemistry or physics or has at least a "C" average in these subjects is eligible to join.

FUTURE NURSES CLUB—This club is open to senior high girls and boys who are interested in nursing and allied careers such as: Medical Technology, Physiotherapy, Dental Hygiene, Medicine, etc. The program includes field trips to hospitals, lectures by guest speakers, and some special activities. The nurse is the sponsor.

FUTURE TEACHERS CLUB—This is an organization whose functions are to aid and guide interested students to investigate and ponder a career in teaching. The requirements for acceptance into this club are that the student's academic record is sound, and that the student is a good citizen.

LATIN CLUB—Membership in the Latin Club is available to all students who have had at least one semester of Latin. The purpose of the organization is to further the understanding of the Latin language and the customs of the ancient Romans.

THESPIANS—This is an organization for students who demonstrate a definite interest in dramatics. Members participate in the production of two major three-act plays; in addition to this, they also have practice in various aspects of dramatic production, such as make-up, scenery construction, painting and costuming, as well as pantomime and acting exercises.

VARSITY CLUB—The membership of this club is limited to boys who have earned a letter in a varsity sport, and who have proved to be good school citizens. The purpose of the club is to promote good citizenship; and to help promote Interscholastic Athletics in accordance with school policy.

RADIO CLUB—This club is for those who are interested in electronics and in radio operating.

FOLK MUSIC SOCIETY—This club's purpose is to promote folk music. The members play guitar and sing folk music. This club was formed last semester.

LITERARY CLUB—This club's purpose is to publish the *Asterisk*, Lowrey's literary magazine. The members take field trips to see plays at the neighboring theaters. You must petition to be a member of this club.

GIRLS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (G.A.A.)—Intramurals consist of athletic activities carried on after school for all girls in grades 10 through 12. A G.A.A. participant receives points for every sport in which she participates if her attendance has been perfect. A 6-inch letter is awarded after a girl has earned 50 points and has been an active member for two years. An active member is a girl who participates in at least two sports a year—either team or individual. Within two years the girl must have participated in three team sports and two individual sports in order to be eligible for a letter. The purpose of the club is to sponsor intramural sports and activities, to offer a varied program of activity to all girls in the school, and to promote good sportsmanship. Tournaments in soccer, volleyball, basketball, table tennis, badminton, swimming, and softball are sponsored. Five points are awarded to the winning team of each sport as well as a metal pin.

New Staff Members

In the last two issues of last year's *Lowrey Light* we reported on the faculty members leaving here for one reason or another. During the summer months one more change occurred. Mr. Donald Mys, math teacher, resigned to accept a job with industry.

Here is a list of teachers new to Lowrey this fall. We will try to tell you more about them in future issues of the *Lowrey Light*. Pamela

Behnke, mathematics; Herman Boatlin, science; Charles Brickel, music; Annette Burton, commercial and Jacqueline Gilbert, junior high art. Also new to the staff are Caryl Hohendorf, elementary music; Robert Malizia, mathematics; Dennis Mascioli, commercial; Gertrude Moorhead, special education counselor; and Beverly Salancy, mathematics. Rounding out the list we find Dorothy Sechrist, elementary; Carole Speier, English and social studies; and Ardith Urich, elementary library. Welcome to Lowrey!



Roger St. John
Radio Club Sponsor

Schedule Changes Made After Lunch

For those unfortunate students who find their schedule all messed up, there is no need to panic. Help is on the way!! It's really very simple, too. Follow your schedule through the day, regardless of the mistakes on it. When school is dismissed in the late morning, go down to the cafeteria. In each of the four corners will be a counselor, take a numbered card, and get into line. When your turn comes, make the necessary changes quickly to avoid unnecessary waiting and confusion.

One more note. Don't worry about starving, kids. Lunch is served in the Cafeteria for those who remain after hours.

There is now less flogging in our great schools than formerly, but then less is learned there; so that what the boys get at one end they lose at the other.

—Samuel Johnson

Advice For Sophs

by Lana Presley

As I have said, Sophomores, fear not!! Lowrey isn't as big, bad and terrifying as it might appear to you on the first day of school. I must admit that even though the facade of dear old Lowrey does look a little forbidding, the students and faculty are usually always willing to help you if you should get lost or become confused as to which halls are forbidden for senior high students. As you probably will get lost or confused, but don't worry. It happened to the best of us, and you have one week to find your way around before your tardinesses go on record.

When you first enter Lowrey, all the lectures on the rules and regulations of the school will probably terrify you. There are so many of them to remember!! But all you have to do is to dress and act according to plain old common sense (no granny dresses, go-go boots, or levis, thank you) and I know you'll do fine your first year here.

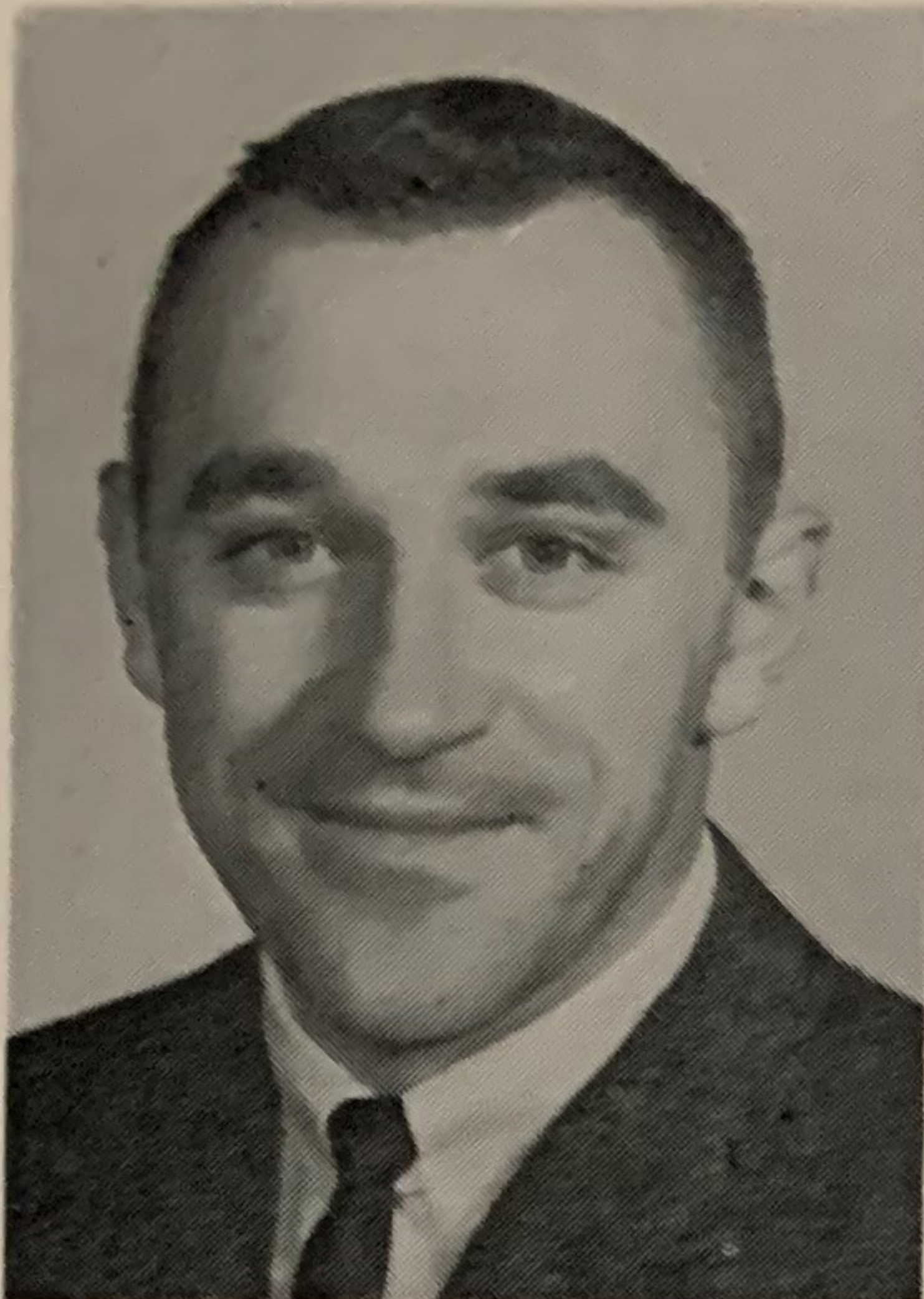
Of course, there are the traditions of Lowrey that must be followed. The Lowrey Polar Bear must be respected at all times (supposedly) and one must never—under any conditions—walk over the Lowrey "L" in the Senior lobby on the 2nd floor. The Senior Fountain is strictly for Seniors to use. Anyone caught stepping on the "L" or drinking from the Senior Fountain (unless he's a Senior) will scrub the Polar Bear with a toothbrush as punishment!!

In conclusion, I would like to say that your three years here at Lowrey should be fulfilling and highly rewarding. And once you overcome your anxieties and fears, I'm sure those years will be three of the best of your life.



The following girls are the new members of the cheerleading squad for the 1966-67 season. From left to right are: Michelle Goder, 11B; Sally Kinzer, 11B; and Linda Nagle, 12B.

Lowrey's Bears Open At Lutheran West On September 16



Mr. Norman Schultz

Know Any Cheers?

School spirit is the strong feeling and enthusiasm of the students for their activities. Is it true that this year we will be having the problem of the uninterested and non-active student body? Will the students of Lowrey actually be afraid to cheer for their team, simply because they might be referred to as "square"? Will they drift further and further from being a united student body? Who is it up to?—Everyone!!

Why don't you start now by clearing your throat and letting your voice be heard. We'll even give you an audition! Come Sept. 16, 1966, to our first football game. It's an away game at Lutheran West, starting at 8 p.m. A lot of events are planned for this year, and they all need **your** support. There's only one way to make them successful, by your attendance.

All it takes is an activity book, a box of popcorn, a knowledge of a few cheers, and an inner goal to urge your team to win. If you'd like to practice awhile try this for a starter:

WIN

"We're out to win
So, let's begin
By giving a cheer
Our team will hear
V-i, V-i, V-i-c-t,
T-o, T-o, T-o-r-y.
Victory, Victory, Lowrey
High!"

Reserve Football Schedule

Here is the 1966 Lowrey Reserve Football Schedule:

Friday	September 16	Lutheran West	3:45	Home
Thursday	September 22	Crestwood	3:45	Home
Thursday	September 29	Riverside	3:45	Away
Friday	October 7	Kennedy	3:45	Home
Thursday	October 13	Garden City West	3:45	Away
Friday	October 21	Cherry Hill	3:45	Home
Thursday	October 27	Schafer	3:45	Away
Wednesday	November 2	Southgate	3:30	Away

Polar Bears' "66" Football Schedule

Following is the Lowrey Varsity Football Schedule for this fall season of 1966:

Friday	September 16	Lutheran West	8:00	Away
Friday	September 23	Crestwood	3:30	Away
Friday	September 30	Riverside	3:45	Home
Saturday	October 8	Kennedy	2:00	Away
Friday	October 14	Garden City West	3:30	Home
(Homecoming)				
Saturday	October 22	Cherry Hill	2:00	Away
Friday	October 28	Schafer	3:15	Home
Friday	November 4	Southgate	3:00	Home

"66" Cross-Country Schedule

This is the schedule for the 1966 Lowrey cross-country season:

Tuesday	September 20	Garden City East	4:00	Away
Thursday	September 22	Crestwood	4:00	Home
Tuesday	September 27	Allen Park	4:00	Home
Thursday	September 29	Riverside	4:00	Away
Tuesday	October 4	Taylor Center	4:00	Away
Thursday	October 6	Kennedy	4:00	Home
Thursday	October 13	Garden City West	4:00	Away
Tuesday	October 18	Fordson	4:00	Home
Thursday	October 20	Cherry Hill	4:00	Home
Tuesday	October 25	Melvindale	4:00	Away
Invitational				
Thursday	October 27	Schafer	4:00	Away
Saturday	October 29	Regional Meet		
Wednesday	November 2	Southgate	4:00	Away
Saturday	November 5	State Meet		
Tuesday	November 8	League Meet		

G.A.A. Begins

The intramural sports program for all interested senior high girls will be getting under way in the near future. This intramural program is open to all students, no matter if you're a senior, junior, or a sophomore girl. An outcome of the intramural program is the G.A.A. When you participate in the intramural sports, you'll receive a certain number of points for each game played. When you get a total of 120 points, you'll be invited to become a member of the G.A.A.

The sports that are played are: softball, basketball, ping pong, volleyball, badminton, shuffleboard, and swimming.

The sponsor of the G.A.A. is one of Lowrey's gym teachers, Miss Weaver.



Harriers Practice

Well, it's time again for cross-country and our Lowrey Harriers have been practicing each night for their first encounter with Garden City East on September 20. Coach Hugh Weller feels that Lowrey will be ranked highly in Tri-River League competition this season due to the fact that he has his top five lettermen returning. Kennedy and Schafer are expected to be tough this year.

The returning lettermen from last year are as follows:

Jerry Mathias	Senior
Edward Green	Junior
Terry Fritz	Senior
Dan Hines	Senior
Dave Bydlowski	Senior
Jerry Angel	Senior

Last year Lowrey's Harriers had a record of 4 wins and 3 losses in league competition and were 5 wins and 5 losses overall. They ended up in 4th place with this record.

The cross-country course is approximately two miles long, and is usually run on tough hilly courses.

Seven runners run on each team and only the first five for each team place for points. The low score in cross-country always wins. An example of how a meet is scored is as follows: first, second, fifth, sixth, and seventh places are taken by Lowrey. You add up these places and it equals 21. For the opponents third, fourth, eighth, ninth, and tenth are taken and added up to equal 34. Lowrey would win because of their low score.

Anyone interested in running cross-country is urged to see Mr. Weller as soon as possible.

Sports Review

All right all of you sports-minded students; fall is here, and along with it comes football.

Although practice started in the summer for the varsity, all of you muscular sophomore boys still have a chance to make the tenth grade squad.

Competing against Lowrey in football, and all the other Tri-River League sports, will be Riverside, Crestwood, Southgate, Garden City West, Schafer, Cherry Hill, and Kennedy. Southgate is Lowrey's roughest opponent in football. They're also the champs.

Also, in the fall, the sprinters get a chance to show off their legs. Fall is the cross-country season too. The Lowrey Polar Bears have six returning lettermen in this sport. The Bears roughest rivals will be Schafer and Riverside. Riverside was last year's cross-country champ.

When winter rolls around, so does our always powerful basketball team. The Bears are always in the running for the championship. However, last year Riverside won the championship too.

We also have a swimming team. But it doesn't play in any special league. It just swims on invitations from other schools.

In the spring Lowrey offers baseball, golf, tennis, and track. Last year Mr. Schultz, an ex-teacher at O.W.Best, took over the helm of the baseball team and led it to its best finish in years. But John F. Kennedy nudged us out of the championship by one game. Kennedy and Riverside are the rivals of Lowrey in baseball.

Golf, was a new sport last year and as a result there is no archival.

Track is a popular sport here at Lowrey. Last year the Bears took third place. Southgate is not only Lowrey's toughest opponent, but also the league champ.

Mr. Sande took the reins from Mr. Martin as tennis coach last year, and had a very interesting season. Riverside is Lowrey's arch-rival in this sport also. The team to beat this coming spring is league champion Riverside.

That wraps up this article. Now, let's go out and wrap up seven Tri-River League sports championships.

