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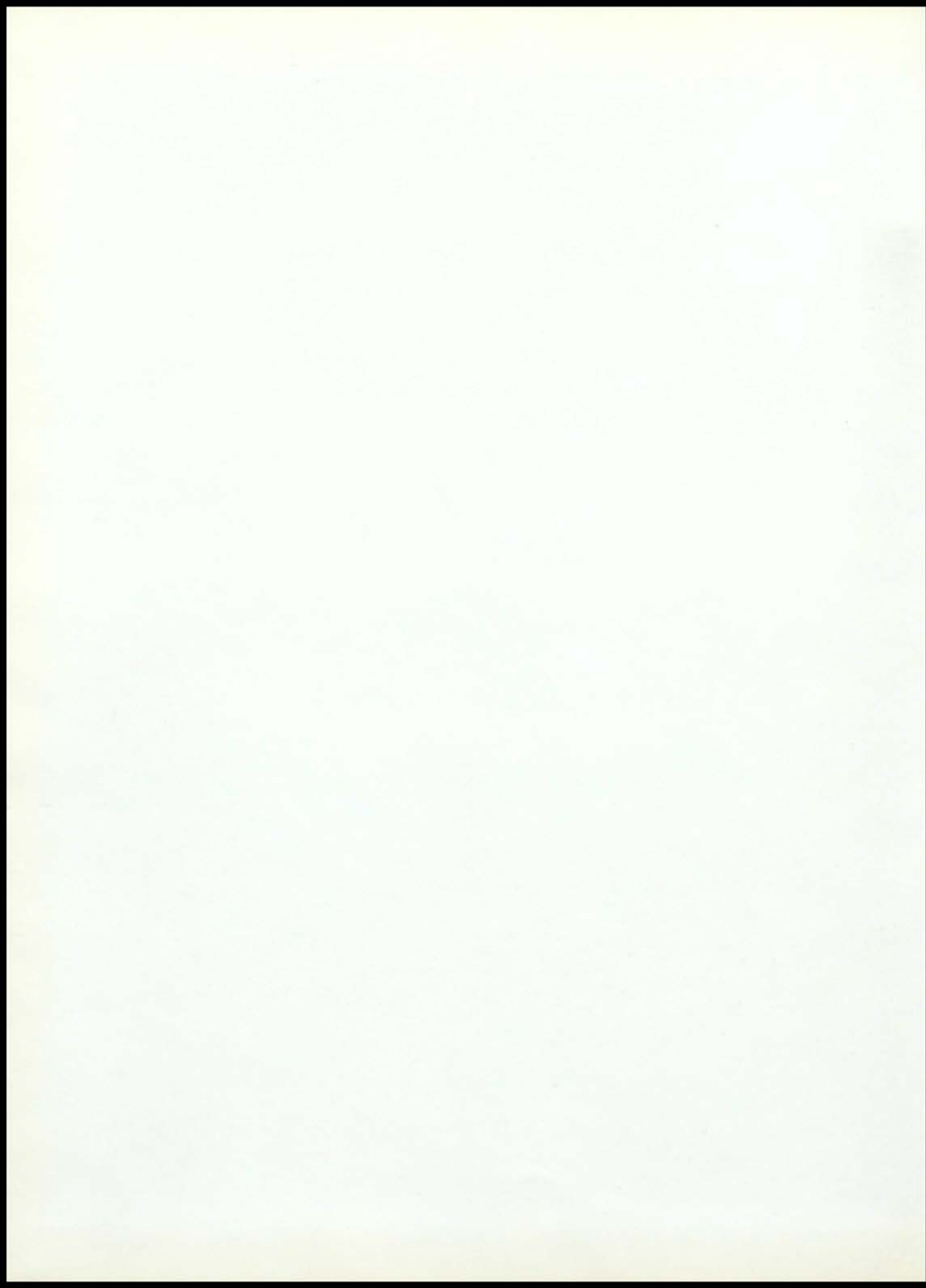
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THE BEST OF THE BEST



A NIGHT TO REMEMBER!!!
Lee Odell and Crystal Zumwalt
dance the night away at the
Christmas Dance the StuCo held.

ALL THE WOMEN WANT ME!!
Cody Moore thinks all the women
want him at the Forensics meet.

HEY BOYS, LOOK AT US!!!
Rachel Callarman and Amber
Aikins smile for the camera and the
boys at a basketball game.



MRS. STARK, IT WINKED AT
ME!!! Rachel Callarman, Nathan
Stafford, and Mrs. Stark inspect
their cat.



PARTY, PARTY, PARTY.....
Maria Thompson and her date
enjoy the Christmas Dance.



I DONT LIKE THIS!!! Jeremy
Essig and Becky Hall at the
Homecoming Dance.



STUDENT LIFE THE BEST YET!!!



A WOMAN ALWAYS HAS TO DO THE HARD WORK!!! Melissa Trim, Luke Thornton, and Ashley Cox dissect cats in Advanced Biology.



BROTHERLY LOVE!! Jeff and Layton McCoy show off their awesome headgear.



SEE NO EVIL, HEAR NO EVIL, SPEAK NO EVIL. Alicia VanMeter, Kara Stafford, and Natasha Powers model the wise saying during Technology class.



FOLD CAREFULLY & CLIP! Tracy Holtzman shows others how to make a lovely flower from a Kleenex.

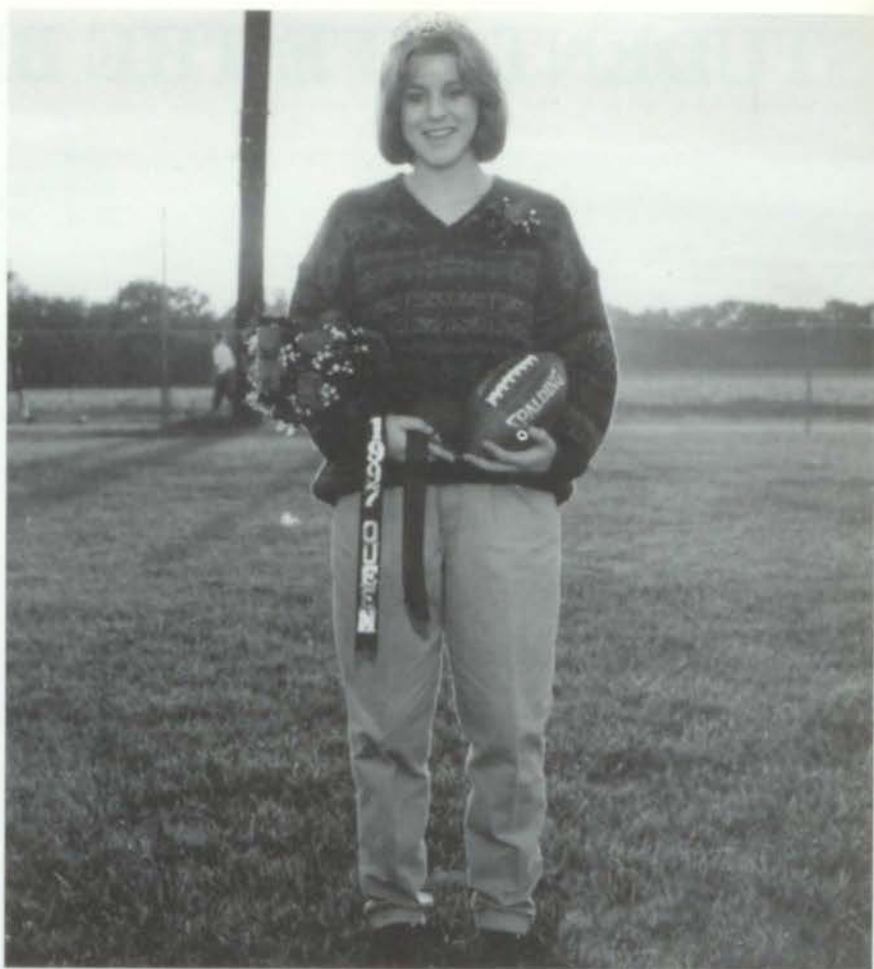


HEY GIRLS, WE'RE AVAILABLE....Leu Umbarger and Josh Wasson put their best faces on for the ladies at the Homecoming Dance.



1997 FOOTBALL HOMECOMING QUEEN IS... Miss Traci Anderson was selected by the student body as queen.

Last year's Queen Emily Umbarger is escorted by Junior Nathan Stafford. The Kindergarten attendants were Samuel Stafford and Kristi Welch.



PARTY HARD!! Rachel Callarman dances the night away at the dance after the football game.

PRINCESSES: Senior Melissa Trim was escorted by Senior Chad Babcock and Senior Amber Aikins was escorted by Senior Nick Newberry.



1997 FOOTBALL HOMECOMING

The Queen Coronation was held Septmber 26, 1997, before the football game against Williamsburg. Senior Traci Anderson was crowned the 1997 Football Homecoming Queen by Senior John Stout. The Homecoming song was *How Do I Live?* by Trisha Yearwood. The colors red, blue, and silver decorated the mulitpurpose room where the student body enjoyed a dance, with Mr. Steve Aikins as D.J.



TOP TEN: April Holtzman, Ashley Cox, Melissa Trim, Lori Raida, Traci Anderson, Gina Pack, Amber Aikins, Kassie Thornton, Holly Stafford, and Megan Cox

THE KISS!!!! Queen Traci Anderson receives the traditional kiss from her escort John Stout.



SWEETHEARTS. Leu Umbarger and Misti Waggoner dance after the game.

THE GAME. Juniors Cody Moore and Troy Babcock go for the ball.

The middle of nowhere in the South is.....

FAITH COUNTY

Let's take you back to Faith County.

THE SCENE -- The Faith County Fairgrounds in Mineola, a town that is located "somewhere in the middle of nowhere in the South"-- a place where Beehive hairdos are still the rage and Saturday nights are reserved for the tractor pull in nearby Pickler.

THE TIME -- The present; even though it seems time has stood still in Mineola.

Faith County is a hilarious parody of life in a small town.

"*Faith County* was a successful dinner theater. The cast was a terrific

group to work with. Each member was able to create a character that most of the audience could relate to. They also had the experience to take the show on the road' as they performed in Neodesha," said Rick Huguenin, the director.

The dinner consisted of Bar-be-que Beef sandwich served on a homemade bun, a ham slice, baked beans, potato salad, chips, and cheesecake. The meal was catered by Mama C's grocery and the homemade buns were prepared by Judy Lacen.

STARBOUND??? Amber Aikins fixes Katie Brant's hair for the fall play. The make-up is real nice, Katie.



IS IT GOOD??? Carol Newby eats BBQ Beef before the opening of *Faith County*.

SHAKE YOUR....Dancing to the theme of *Faith County*.



THE CAST AND CREW: The cast, crew, and directors take time-out from dress rehearsal to pose for the camera.

ALL-SCHOOL PLAY -- THE BEST OF HUMOR



THE CAST!! The cast of *Faith County* takes time to show off their new looks for the camera.

IS IT TIME YET??? Luther (Brandan Lowden) wonders if Violet (Megan Cox) is ready to go into labor. Mildred (Kassie Thornton) doesn't seem to think so.



NO WAY!! Mildred (Kassie Thornton) refuses to have her hair done by Naomi (Amber Wheeler) as Ruthann (Ashley Cox) and Faye (Katie Brant) look on.



Cast and Crew

Mildred Hayworth Carson.....
 Kassie Thornton
 Faye McFay.....Katie Brant
 Ruthanne Barns..... Ashley Cox
 Naomi Fagle.....Amber Wheeler
 Delbert Fink.....Jared Wheeler
 Luther Carson.....Brandan Lowden
 Violet Farkle.....Megan Cox
 Bubba Bedford.....Tony Francisco
 Gladys Pimbleton.....Amber Aikins
 Director.....Rick Huguenin
 Asst. Director.....Hallie Nevin
 Student Directors.....Rebecca Sherman
 Karla Kepley
 Server Manager.....Beth Umbarger
 Stage Crew.....Chad Babcock,
 Michelle Novotny, Stephanie Heller, Tracy
 Holtzman, Seth Minor, Cody Moore, Blake
 Rousselle, Dale Stafford, Kara Stafford,
 Crystal Zumwalt, and Lesa Aikins
 Make-up.....Paulabeth Henderson
 Scene Design.....Terri Walker
 Set Construction.....Rhonda Seibel
 Costumes/Props.....Susan Cox, Neodesha
 Arts Center, THS Music Department



DON'T LAUGH JARED! Delbert (Jared Wheeler) tries to keep from laughing while Faye (Katie Brant) tells him that she's got their wedding all planned out.



WHEN DOES THE MUSIC BEGIN?? Bubba (Tony Francisco) awaits his cue from Naomi (Amber Wheeler) to play the triangle.

1998

BASKETBALL HOMECOMING

On the evening of January 30, 1998, Senior Mary Showalter was crowned the 1998 Basketball Homecoming Queen by Junior Layton McCoy. The theme this year was *Truly, Madly, Deeply*, by Savage Garden and the colors were purple and silver. After winning both girls and guys basketball games against Elk Valley, the students enjoyed a dance with the music provided by Mr. Steve Aikins.

Pictures were taken by *Total Image*.

1998 BASKETBALL HOMECOMING QUEEN. Reigning over the homecoming activities was Senior Mary Showalter.



HOMECOMING ROYALTY: (Back) Kevin Powers, Ashley Cox, Jason Wheeler, April Holtzman, Preston Whittle, and Holly Stafford. (Front) Seth Minor, Lori Raida, Jake Holtzman, Maria Thompson, Paul Hughes, Gina Pack, Blake Rousselle, and Megan Cox.

THE KISS!!! Queen Mary Showalter receiving the traditional kiss from her escort Junior Layton McCoy.





1997 QUEEN. Luke Thornton escorted Teresa Anderson, last year's queen. The attendants this year were Samuel Wasson and Belinda Rohling.



GOOD FRIENDS! Maria Thompson and Beth Umbarger take time from the Homecoming dance to smile for the camera.

1998 HOMECOMING QUEEN AND HER ESCORT. Mary Showalter and her escort Layton McCoy.



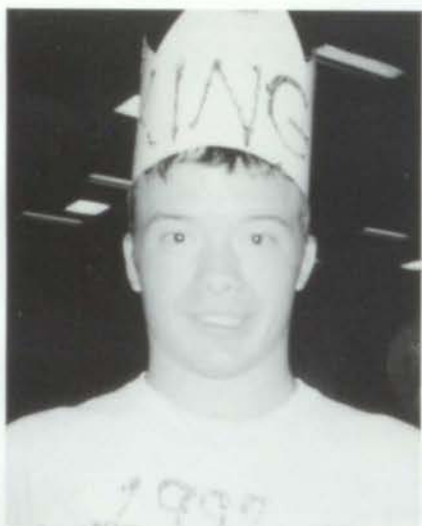
PRINCESSES AND ESCORTS. Senior Chad Babcock escorted Senior Melissa Trim, and Junior Nathan Stafford escorted Senior Amber Aikins.

SOARING HIGH!!! Sophomore Paul Hughes as he puts up a layup in the homecoming game against Elk Valley.



WHO'S THAT??? It's only Troy Babcock who painted his head half purple and half white for Spirit Week's Purple and White Day during Football Homecoming week at school.

KING LUKE!! Luke Thornton shows us his crown after he was crowned the 1997 Volleyball King at the bonfire.



BAD HAIR DAY??? Alicia VanMeter scares the camera with her bad hair on Bad Hair Day.

WATCH OUT WORLD HERE WE COME!! Becky Sherman, Tina Leck, Natalie Borrer, and Lori Raida, dressed in P.J.'s, take time out from a busy English Class to show off their wild hair and make-up.

FRIENDS FOREVER!!! Amber Orton and Laura Fogleman dress as twins for Spirit Week's Twin Day.



WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU??? Kara Stafford, Amy McFarland, and Sara Rehmert show off their P.J.'s and crazy make-up during break.



THE BEST SPIRIT EVER

THE FOUR AMIGOS!! Seth Minor, Jake Holtzman, Blake Rousselle, and Drew Demeritt look really macho in their pants from the 1983 State Basketball Team for Purple and White Day.



THIS ISN'T NORMAL. Megan Cox is having just one of those days for Spirit Week. This is true purple spirit.

WHAT YEAR IS THIS??? Megan Cox, Michelle Novotny, Kassie Thorton, Amber Wheeler, and Ashley Cox get that 70's look for Retro Day.



NICE LEGS!! Cody Moore wore his purple and black zebra striped tights for Purple and White Day.



FORENSICS

1998

Twenty students participated in forensics during the 1998 season. Various squad members attended tournaments in Chanute, Neodesha, St. Paul, Ft. Scott, Burlington, MBL, and Altoona-Midway.

Becky Sherman qualified for State Champs at MBL in Prose. Qualifying for State Festival at St. Paul were Kassie Thorton and Amber Wheeler in IDA and Melissa Cox in Poetry. Amber Wheeler qualified her

Prose for Festival at MBL. Regional I's went to Crystal Zumwalt in Oration and Poetry, Becky Sherman in Prose, and Brandon Lowden in Prose. State Festival I's were earned by Crystal in O.O. and Kassie & Amber in IDA.

After a rough begining at 4 tournaments the one-act play finally took 3rd place at Burlington. The team was coached by Ms. Paulabeth Henderson.

FORENSICS Back Row: (left to right): Crystal Moore, Crystal Zumwalt, Lisa Stich, and Holly Stafford. Second Row: Amy Smedley, Amber Wheeler, Katie Brant, Kara Stafford, and Kassie Thornton. Third Row: Kyle Schulz, Melissa Cox, Rebecca Sherman, Cody Moore, and Paul Hughes. Front Row: Melissa Trim, Brandon Lowden, Amber Orton, and Laura Fogleman.



OKAY, MS. HENDERSON, WE'VE GOT OUR LINES MEMORIZED. Brandon Lowden, Melissa Trim, Lisa Stich, and Crystal Zumwalt, the cast and crew of the one-act play *The Marriage Proposal Western Style*.



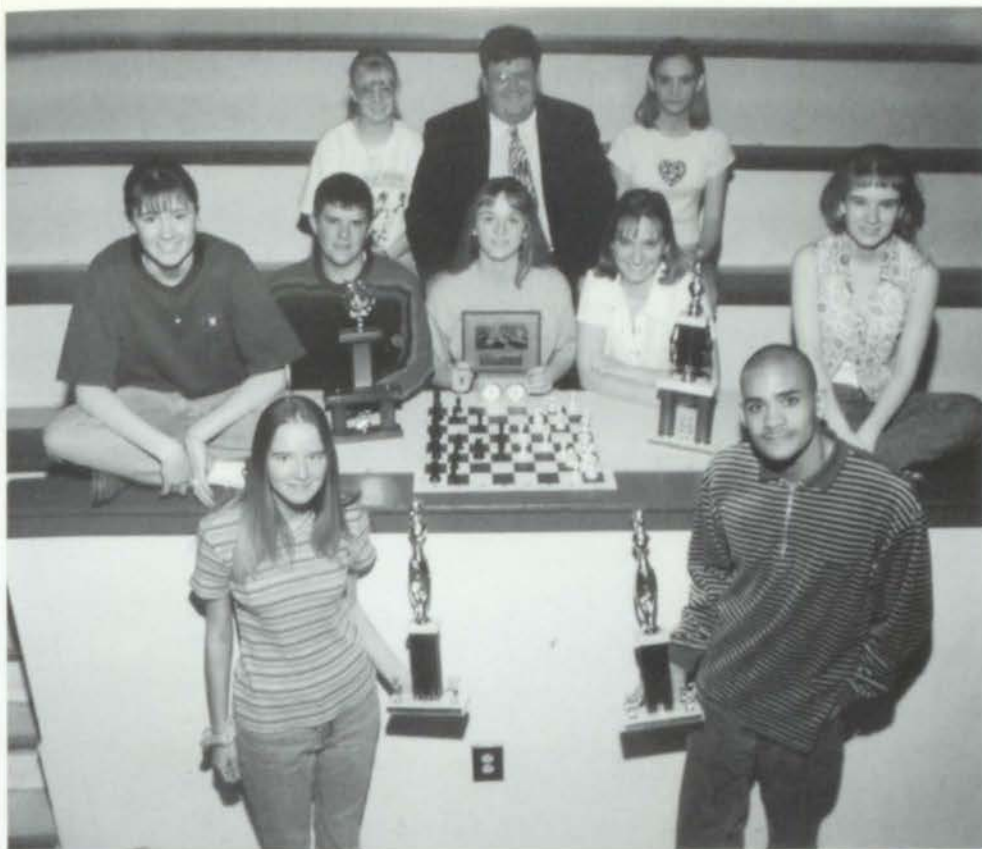
STATE PEOPLE--GOING ALL THE WAY!! Crystal Zumwalt, Brandon Lowden, Kassie Thornton, and Amber Wheeler all qualified for State Festival.



I DID IT! I DID IT! I GOT TWO I's! Crystal Zumwalt shows her excitement after she received two I's at the Regional Speech Meet.



ANXIOUS TO PERFORM. Rebecca Sherman poses in front of the fountain at the Holidome where she stayed during 1A State Speech Championships in Salina.



HIGH SCHOOL CHESS- Back (left to right): Amy Smedley, Mr. Dan Vernon, and Becky Hall. Middle Row: Rebecca Sherman, Leu Umbarger, Melissa Cox, Tina Leck, and April Holtzman. Front Row: Natalie Borrer and Jeff McCoy.



ENTREPRENEURSHIP CLASS- Brandan Lowden, Lori Raida, Larry Raida, Natalie Borrer, John Stout, Lisa Stich, Heather Moore, Mrs. Lorraine Kilgore, Troy Babcock, Justin Cosby, and Chad Babcock.

SCHOLARS BOWL TEAM- Back (left to right): Lee Odell, Alina Umbarger, and Nathan Stafford. Middle Row: Crystal Zumwalt, Amy Smedley, and Stephanie Heller. Front Row: Captain, Brandan Lowden.





SENIOR MEMORIES



♥ 1998 PROM ♥

"Everything I Do"

The 1998 Prom was held on April 18 at the Thayer Gymnasium. The weather cooperated providing a lovely evening for the promenade. The theme was "Everything I Do." The colors were burgundy, black, and silver. Mr. Steve Aikins DJed the occasion. The After-Prom was held at the Flyer Dinner Club, a new location with some new games. The students had fun playing, "Wheel of Fortune," "The Dater's Game," and "Friendly Feud." It was an enjoyable evening for all involved.

The Junior Class would like to thank their sponsors, Mrs. Karen Carlson and Mr. Michael Lea for helping the class with the decorations. They would also like to thank Mrs. Stephanie Stark, who stayed and helped with decorations. Thanks to all the parents and teachers who donated time to make the evening memorable.



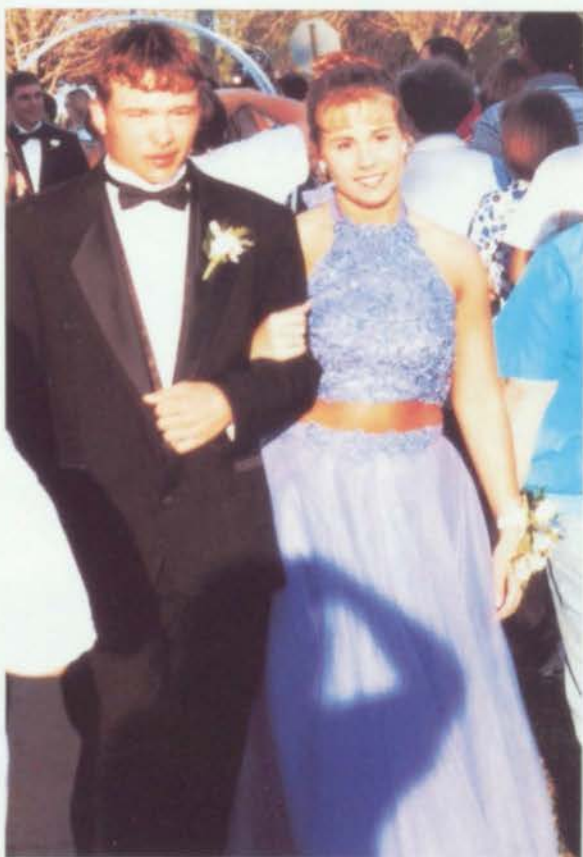
DID I SAY SOMETHING FUNNY?? Josh Holtzman jokes as he dances with date, Katie Brant.



BEAUTY & THE BEAST III--In keeping with tradition, the females who attended Prom and DJ, Mr. Steve Aikins posed for the Total Image camera.



SMILE, LUKE, IT WILL BE OKAY..... Luke Thornton and J.J. Wickham pause briefly for the camera during the promenade before the Prom.





ISNT IT PRETTY?!? The decorations for prom were done the Friday before by the Junior Class and sponsors.

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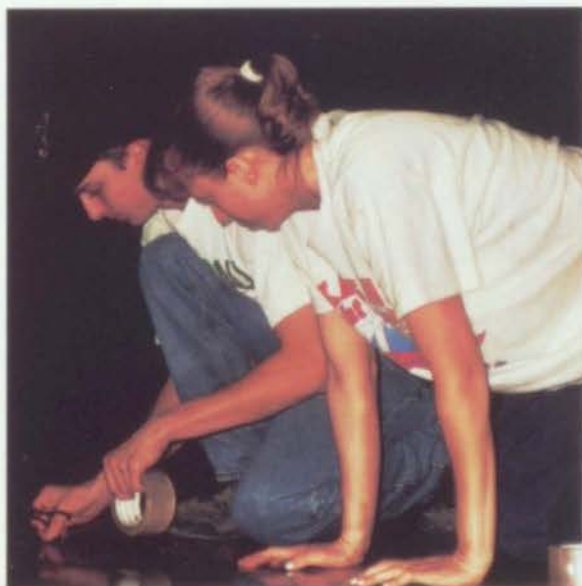
YES, THAT'S HOW IT GOES!! Heather Moore and Jamie Davis look on as other members of Jr. Class work on putting the heart together as decorations for Prom '98.



SMILE!! Cheryl Anderson dances with her date's brother, Jeff McCoy.



DON'T THEY LOOK BEAUTIFUL? The Junior Class posed for the Total Image camera before Prom. What a change from their prom decorating attire?!



KEVIN, YOU'RE DOING A GREAT JOB. JUST MAKE SURE THE TAPE IS STRAIGHT!! Kevin Powers and Michelle Novotny tape the dance floor down on Friday before Prom.

GRADUATION 1998



IT'S TIME TO CELEBRATE!! Laura Fogleman smiles as graduation gets closer.



HEY, WHAT' THIS?? Vince Leck tries to figure out his gift at the Senior breakfast.



BOY, I'LL MISS THIS PLACE...Melissa Trim tries to smile in spite of her tears as she lines up for graduation procession. Chad Babcock takes the situation much more seriously.



WOW, THEY'RE REALLY GOING TO GRADUATE ME??? Larry Raida fidgets as he waits to enter the gymnasium.



WHAT R' WE DOING HERE?? Amber Aikins receives congratulations as Daniel Umbarger smiles thinking how long is this going to take.



LOOK, MOM WE ALMOST MADE IT...Josh Holtzman and Luke Thornton have smiles for the camera in anticipation of graduation ceremonies.



ALL THE MEMORIES....As Amber Orton thinks about all the special memories, Nick Newberry impatiently waits for the special moment.



Picture courtesy of *Chanute Tribune*.

THE BEST SPORTS EVER!!!!!!

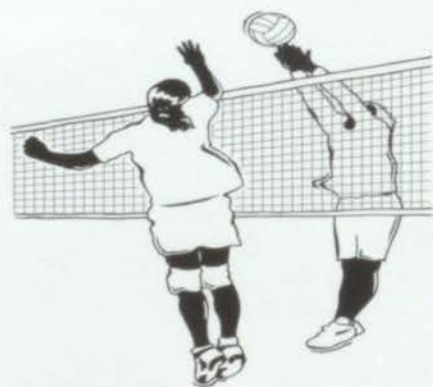


READY FOR THE BALL! Tina Leck, Kara Stafford, Lori Raida, and Crystal Zumwalt all get ready to send the ball back over during a J.V. game.

REACH FOR THE SKY!! Gina Pack sets the ball to Crystal Zumwalt as Tina Leck watches.



IS IT THAT FUNNY? The team cracks up after winning the Cherryvale Tournament for the first time.



AHHH ACE! Kassie Thornton serves the ball hoping to score another point.



AND THE SPIKE! Ashley Cox is about to spike the ball down against the Chetopa Hornets.



GET DOWN! GET READY! Ashley Cox, Amber Wheeler, and Megan Cox get in position to return the opponent's serve.



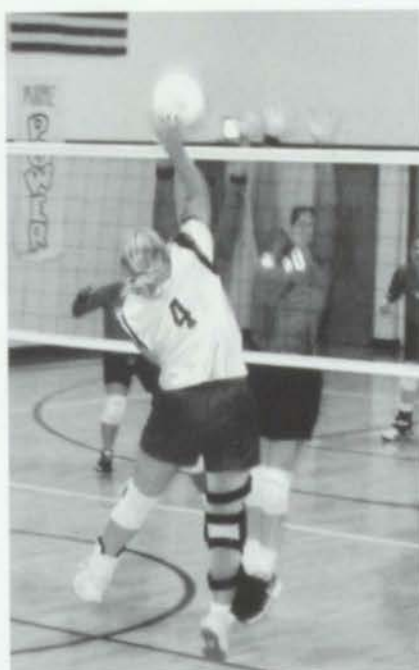
Deanna Rohling, assisted by Rick Huguenin, coached the Flyer Volleyball team to a winning season with a record of 26-7. Twenty-four young ladies participated in the program led by three seniors. Highlights for the Varsity team include taking first at the Fredonia Quadrangular, fourth out of eight teams at the Iola Tournament, first at the Cherryvale Tournament, first at the Thayer Quadrangular, and second in the MBL Tourney. The team experienced a heartbreaking loss against Flinthills in

Regionals, 15-2, 11-15, 14-16.

The Junior-Varsity team finished with a 10-1 record. Overall it was a successful year for Flyer volleyball. Making the All-League Team were Ashley Cox, Amber Aikins, and Kassie Thornton, and Honorable Mention went to Traci Anderson and Amber Wheeler.



The 1997 Volleyball Team: Back (left to right): Rick Huguenin, Assistant Coach, Crystal Zumwalt, Tina Leck, Cheryl Anderson, Melissa Cox, Michelle Novotny, Deanna Rohling, Head Coach. Middle-Gina Pack, Kassie Thornton, Lesa Aikins, Rachel Callarman, Lori Raida, Rebecca Sherman, Amy McFarland, Ashley Cox. Front: Kara Stafford, Tracy Holtzman, Megan Cox, Traci Anderson, Amber Aikins, Amber Wheeler, Katie Brant, Natasha Powers, and Sara Rehmert.



JUMP, AMBER, JUMP! Amber Aikins puts the ball down against the Oswego Indians.

OUR FEARLESS LEADERS! This year's seniors, Amber Aikins, Traci Anderson, and Melissa Trim led the team to many victories.

Football

The Thayer Flyers began their 1997 football season on Monday, August 18th at 6:00 p.m. Coach Vern Minor and assistant Dennis Nevin welcomed 20 young men to the start of a new football season. The team was led by five seniors, four juniors, nine sophomores, and two freshman. The Flyers season was a roller coaster type season, ending with a record of four wins and six losses.

A highlight of the season came on September 19th when the Flyers defeated Elk Valley for their first win by a score of 28-8. The Flyers finished their season by winning three of their last four games. Two of those victories

came during district play. Wins over Ceder Vale 70-44 and Dexter 58-32 gave the Flyers bragging rights to have won their district two years in a row and advance to the State Play-offs.

The Flyers hosted the bi-District game, the first ever to be played at Thayer. Excitement was high; however the LeRoy "Bluejays" were too much to handle and the Flyers were defeated 64-18.

The MBL Coaches met in Parsons at the season's end to select the All-League Team. The Flyers were honored to have One Second Team player and eight honorable mention picks. Second team all-league linebacker went to Chad

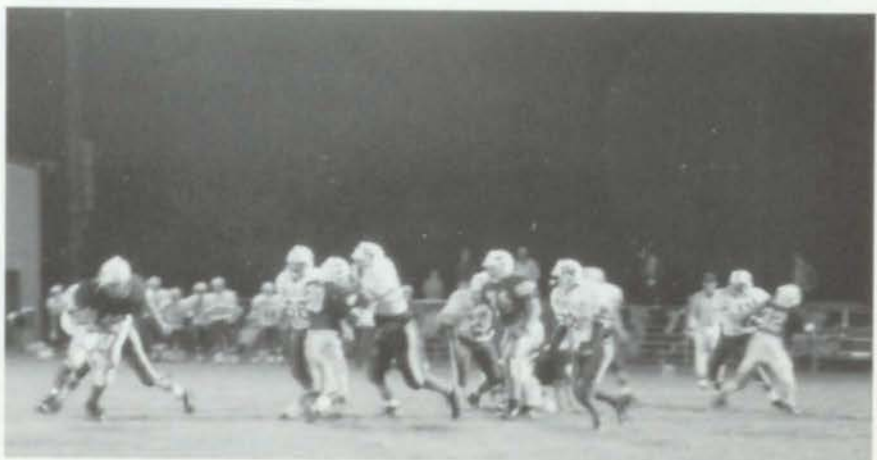
Babcock. Honorable mention selections went to Chad Babcock, offensive fullback; Larry Raida, offensive end and defensive noseguard; Luke Thornton, offensive end; Vince Leck, offensive guard; and Seth Minor, offensive quarterback and defensive safety; and Cody Moore as punter/kicker.

CONGRATULATIONS to all the football players for another Championship season, and especially for setting a school record of Back-to-Back District Championships.

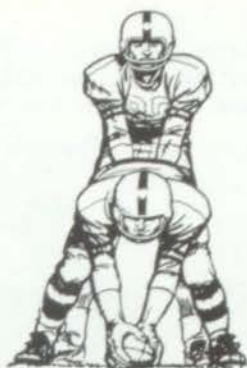


The Football Team...Back Row(left to right) Assistant Coach Dennis Nevin, John Stout, Chad Babcock, Vince Leck, Blake Rousselle, Nick Newberry, Troy Babcock, Coach Vern Minor. Middle Row: Luke Thornton, Cody Moore, Nathan Stafford, Seth Minor, Jake Holtzman, Paul Hughes, J.R. Kissel, Drew Demeritt, Larry Raida. Front Row: Beth Umbarger, manager, Lee Odell, Leu Umbarger, Nick Carrico, Mark Hougardy, Mike Hohler, and Laci Moore, manager.

The Thayer Flyers attempt to run for a touchdown against Cedar Vale.



The Best Yet!



TOUGH DEFENSE. John Stout, Troy Babcock, and Nick Newberry go for the tackle.



Flyers discuss their plan for action against the LeRoy Bluejays.

SENIOR LEADERSHIP! Vince Leck, Chad Babcock, Nicholas Newberry, John Stout, Luke Thornton, and Larry Raida



AWARD OF EXCELLENCE. Harry Samuels wins the award for most devoted fan, presented by the Thayer Booster Club.



FOOTBALL BEAUTIES! Managers Laci Moore and Beth Umbarger show their pearly whites.

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1997-1998 BASKETBALL PLAYERS: Back: Coach Dennis Nevin, Kassie Thornton, Amber Aikins, Mary Showalter, and Coach Deanna Rohling. Middle: Ashley Cox, Beth Umbarger, Tina Leck, Melissa Cox, Rachel Callarman, and Lesa Aikins. Front: Natasha Powers, April Holtzman, Amber Wheeler, Sara Rehmert, Katie Brant, Kara Stafford, and Megan Cox.



THE NEXT ONE IS MINE!!! Kassie Thornton, Melissa Cox, Mary Showalter, and Ashley Cox await the arrival of a ball from the hoop during warm-ups.



JUMP, MEGAN, JUMP!!! Megan Cox tries to rebound the ball before the Elk Valley players do.

1997-1998 GIRLS BASKETBALL

The 1997-98 basketball season for the *Lady Flyers* started out with a bang. At Christmas break we were 4-2 with impressive victories over Colgan and Oswego. After the break we put together a string of three more victories before we lost to Oswego (in overtime). One highlight of our season came on February 2, 1998, when we defeated St. Paul at NCCC's gym. We placed 2nd in the

MBL and went to the second round of Regionals where we lost to Colony-Crest. We showed much improvement over the last year, finishing with a 15-7 record. We were 8-2 in our league. With the return of 11 girls next year, one has to be very optimistic about *Lady Flyer Basketball*.



Coach Nevin



BEST BUDS!!! Kara Stafford, Katie Brant, and Melissa Cox take time out from their warm-up to pose for the camera.

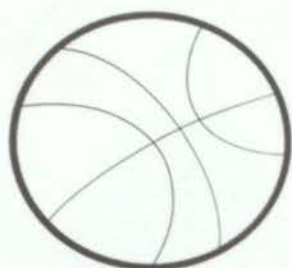
DON'T MISS!!! Ashley Cox puts up a shot against Hamilton for another point to take the win.



HOLD HER BACK MEL!! Melissa Cox, Mary Showalter, and Ashley Cox set screens against Chetopa.

YEAH, KATIE, PASS IT TO ME!! Sara Rehmert awaits the pass from Katie Brant.

1997-1998 BOYS BASKETBALL



The 1997-1998 season began under a new coach, Mr. Tim Siebel. With only two seniors leading a young team, they ended the season with a record of 9-12. Members of the team who made the All-League team were Luke Thornton and Layton McCoy, and Blake Rousselle received Honorable Mention. Luke Thornton also received Academic All-State in Basketball.

The Junior Varsity and Freshmen had a good year. The JV. ended their season 9-4 and the Freshmen were 1-2.

Coach Siebel said, "There was a lot of depth so a lot of people could play." He also saw steady improvement in all the players.



1997-1998 BOYS BASKETBALL PLAYERS:
 Back: (left to right) Coach Tim Siebel, Jake Holtzman, Blake Rousselle, Layton McCoy, Kevin Powers, and Chad Babcock. Middle: Lee Odell, Nathan Stafford, Kyle Schulz, T.J. Hagar, Luke Thornton, Preston Whittle, and Paul Hughes. Front: Dale Stafford, Michael Duff, Nick Carrico, Seth Minor, Adam Thornton, and Mark Hougardy.



UP, UP AND AWAY-Justin Cosby goes up for a dunk.

GO AHEAD, TRY TO STOP ME!!! Jake Holtzman goes for a shot against Elk Valley on Homecoming night.



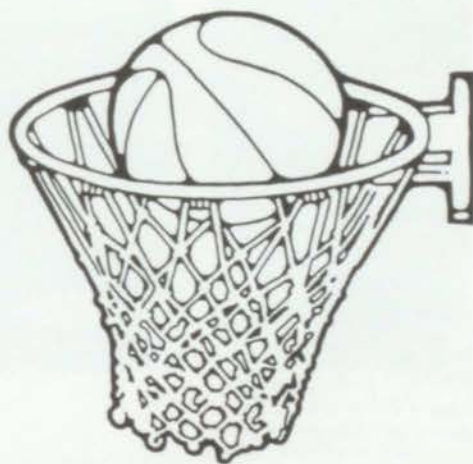


PLEASE DON'T LET ME MISS THIS ONE!!!! Luke Thornton goes for a layup at the Homecoming game against Elk Valley.



AS FAST AS FAST CAN BE YOU'LL NEVER CATCH ME!!! Seth Minor dribbles past an Elk Valley player.

I HOPE I DON'T FALL DOWN! Chad Babcock and Jason Wheeler watch as Nathan Stafford goes for a layup.



BASEBALL

1998

A young Flyer Team began the season with one Senior, 9 Sophomores, and 5 Freshmen. They ended regular season with a record of 14-6 and will head to the State Tournament in Emporia after winning the Regionals over Elk Valley 11-5 and West Elk 2-0. The team also placed second in the Arma Tournament and third in MBL.

Some of the highlights of the year were winning the Thayer Tournament, the seven game winning streak from April 9 through April 20 making the Flyers

8-2, and winning Regionals.

Leading hitters were Michael Duff, .455, Seth Minor, .431, Jake Holtzman, .400, Luke Thornton, .310, Jason Wheeler, .308, and Preston Whittlely, .304. The leading pitcher was Jason Wheeler 5 wins and 2 losses.

All-League honors went to Seth Minor, Jake Holtzman, Jason Wheeler, Luke Thornton, and Michael Duff.

"CONGRATULATIONS to the FLYERS on a GREAT CHAMPIONSHIP SEASON!!"

Coach Minor

SENIOR LETTERMAN..... Luke Thornton was the only senior out to lead the team.

STRIKE OR BALL??? Pitcher Drew DeMeritt pitches to a player from Oswego.



BASEBALL TEAM--Back Row (left to right): Coach Michael Lea, Jason Wheeler, Blake Rousselle, Luke Thornton, Coach Vern Minor, and Manager Becky Sherman. Middle Row: Lee Odell, Leu Umbarger, Dale Stafford, Jake Holtzman, Michael Duff, and Drew DeMeritt. Front Row: Mark Hougardy, Seth Minor, Michael Engie, Josh Stemple, T.J. Hager, Nick Carrico, and Adam Thornton.



I GOT IT....Jake Holtzman, catcher, throws his helmet off to catch a foul ball.



HEY, BATTER, BATTER SWING....Blake Rousselle takes a swing at a fast ball during an Oswego game.



A BIG FINISH!!! The Flyer Baseball Team show off their newest trophy from their first place finish in the Thayer Tournament, after beating out two other teams.

SENIOR LETTERWOMEN--
Mary Showalter and Melissa Trim
lead the team as the seniors.



1.2.3, STRIKES YOU'RE
OUT! Kassie Thornton takes a
swing at a pitch.



SOFTBALL 1998

This was our second year to
have softball at Thayer. This
year we officially played in
the MBL. As a team we
finished fourth in the league.
Our final record was 8-12
with a second place finish in
the Regionals. We had one
senior out to lead the team,
Mary Showalter.

We had four girls get
on the All-League Team

Megan Cox, Ashley Cox,
Kassie Thornton, and
Rachel Callarman. We also
had one Honorable
Mention, Mary Showalter.

"I am looking
forward to a very successful
third season of softball. A
big thank you from me to
the ladies that played. See
you all next year."

Coach Nevin



SOFTBALL TEAM---Back Row (left to right): Amber Wheeler, Tracy Holtzman, Katie Brant, Coach Dennis Nevin, Kara Stafford, Sara Rehmert, and Manager Jessica Grief. Middle Row: Becky Hall, Amanda Umbarger, Megan Cox, Rachel Callarman, and Natasha Powers. Front Row: Kassie Thornton, Mary Showalter, Melissa Trim, Holly Stafford, Gina Pack, and Ashley Cox.



HOPE IT COMES TO ME...
Mary Showalter stands guard
of third base.



PAY CLOSE ATTENTION
GIRLS!!! Coach Nevin gives
the girls some pointers before
going back out on the field.

GO BIG PURPLE!!! Lady
Flyer fans watch as the team
plays another very good play
at the home field.

HIGH SCHOOL TRACK 1998

TRACK TEAM: (left to right): Vince Leck, Cody Moore, Amber Aikins, Coach Tim Seibel, Alina Umbarger, Nathan Stafford, Paul Hughes, and Melissa Cox.



Paul Hughes--Javelin 4th MBL; 200m 3rd Humbolt and 2nd MBL; 400m 1st Humbolt and 3rd MBL.

Nathan Stafford--High jump 2nd Neodesha, 3rd Fredonia, 4th Baxter Springs, and 3rd MBL; Triple jump 5th Fredonia and 2nd MBL; 1600m 5th Cherryvale, 6th Fredonia, and 2nd MBL; 800m 4th MBL.

Amber Aikins--100m 5th Cherryvale and 5th Humbolt; 200m 3rd Humbolt; 400m 2nd Humbolt, 3rd Cherryvale, 4th Fredonia, and 6th Baxter Springs.

Melissa Cox--100m 2nd Humbolt; 200m 1st Humbolt, 4th MBL, and 6th Fredonia; 300 hurdles 6th Baxter Springs; 400m 3rd Humbolt, 1st MBL, 3rd Neodesha, and 5th Fredonia; High Jump 2nd Humbolt, 1st MBL, 4th Neodesha 3rd Cherryvale, and 4th Baxter Springs.

Alina Umbarger--3200m 1st Humbolt, 2nd MBL, and 6th Fredonia; 1600m 3rd MBL.

THANKS COACH....Coach Tim Seibel holds the starting blocks for Amber Aikins at Baxter Springs for the start of the 400m.



SOARING LIKE AN EAGLE....Nathan Stafford easily clears the bar at the high school track meet.



OOPS, I HIT THE BAR!! Melissa Cox jumps the high jump at 4' 8" at the Baxter Springs track meet.



CHEERLEADING 1997-98

1997-98 Cheerleaders. Back Row: Megan Cox, April Holtzman, and Gina Pack. Middle Row: Amber Wheeler, Lisa Stich, and Lesa Aikins. Front Row: Rachel Callarman, and Jaci Ellis.

YOU DO IT LIKE THIS! April Holtzman shows off her awesome kicking ability.



AWESOME ARE WE....Flyer cheerleaders cheer at the football homecoming game against Williamsburg.



THE BEST HURRAH!! Jaci Ellis, Gina Pack, and Lisa Stich cheer for the crowd at a girls' basketball game.



SAY CHEESE...Can you guess who has the cheesiest smile???

PEOPLE PEOPLE -- PEOPLE



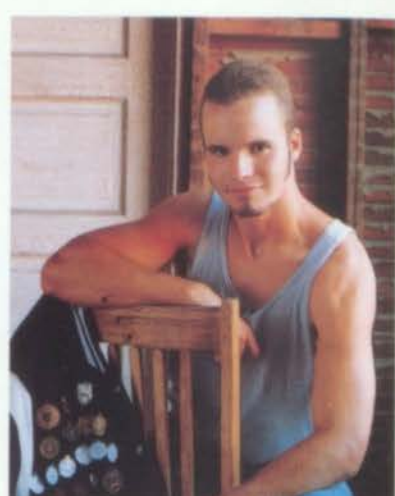
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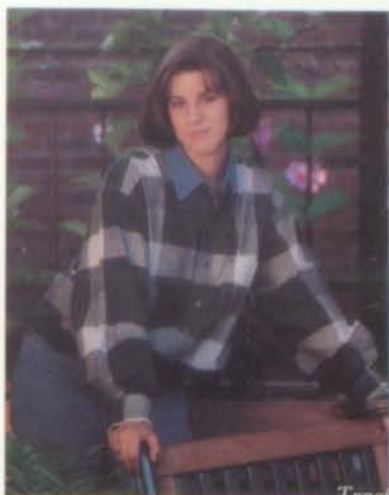
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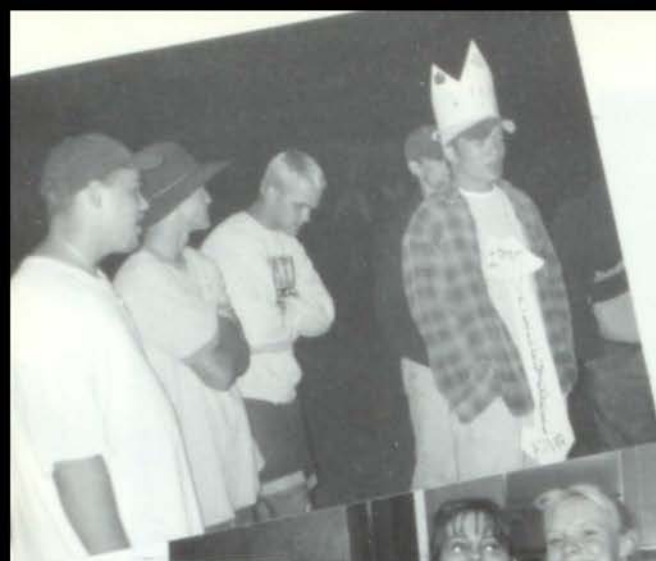
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DANIEL OWEN UMBARGER





Class of 1999



Troy Babcock



Rachel Callarman



Ashley Cox



BEAUTY QUEENS ON PARADE!!! (left to right) Troy Babcock, Deke Leck, and Beth Umbarger dress as Watermelon Queens for the 1997 Thayer Homecoming Parade.



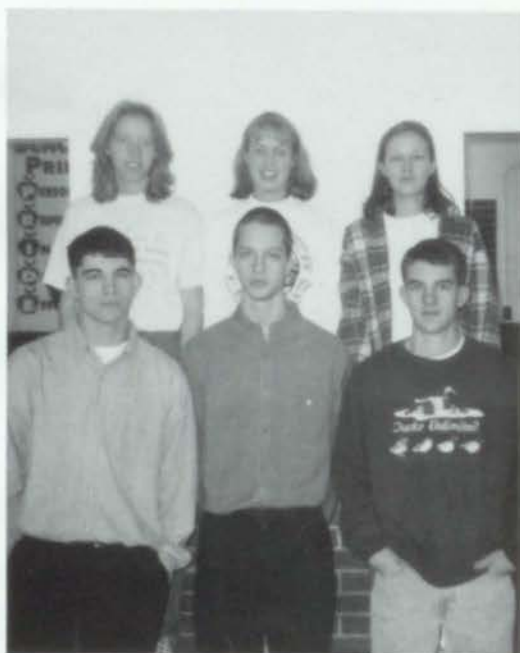
Layton McCoy



Cody Moore



Heather Moore



Class of 1999 Officers: Back (left to right): Michelle Novotny, Secretary; Gina Pack, Vice President; and Holly Stafford, StuCo. Front: Cody Moore, StuCo; Kevin Powers, Treasurer; and Nathan Stafford, President



Cecil Scott



Holly Stafford



Nathan Stafford



Kassie Thornton



Beth Umbarger



Josh Wasson



Jamie Davis



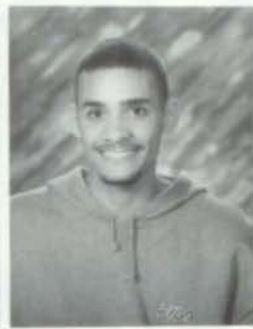
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J.R. Kissel



Deke Leck



Jeffery McCoy



Michelle Novotny



Gina Pack



Jeremy Peavy



Stephanie Peavy



Kevin Powers



Lisa Stich



Maria Thompson



Amber Wheeler



*Class Flower:
White Rose*

*Class Motto:
Life is what
you make of it.*



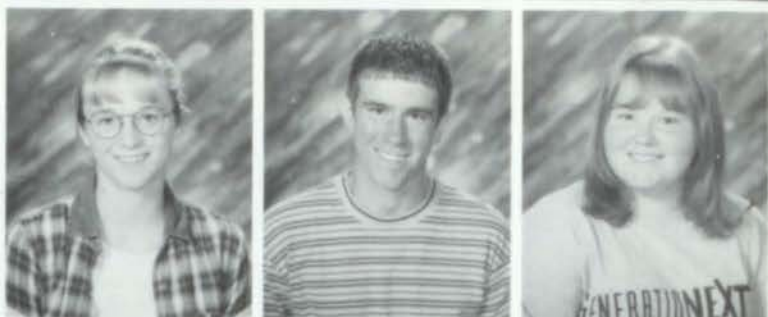
WHAT ARE YOU GUYS LOOKING FOR!! Cody Moore, Kevin Powers, Jeff McCoy, and J.R. Kissel stand around waiting for the ball in the soccer game sponsored by the Stuco at the end of the first nine weeks.

Class of 2000

Natalie Borrer
Justin Cosby
Megan Cox



Melissa Cox
Drew DeMeritt
Stephanie Heller



April Holtzman
Jake Holtzman
Mark Hougardy



DON'T MISS, LEU!!! Leu Umbarger kicks the soccer ball during the soccer game sponsored by the StuCo as Megan Cox, Jake Holtzman, Seth Minor, and Jason Wheeler look on.



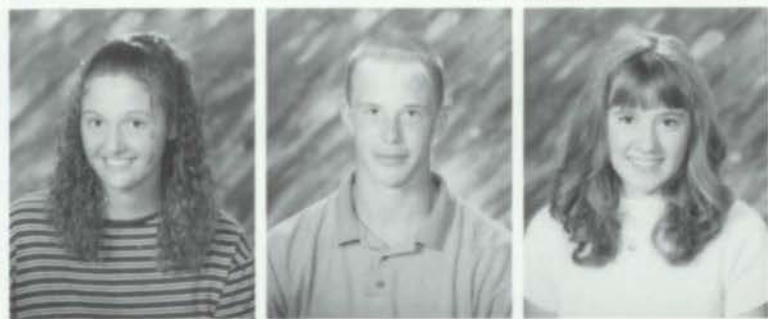
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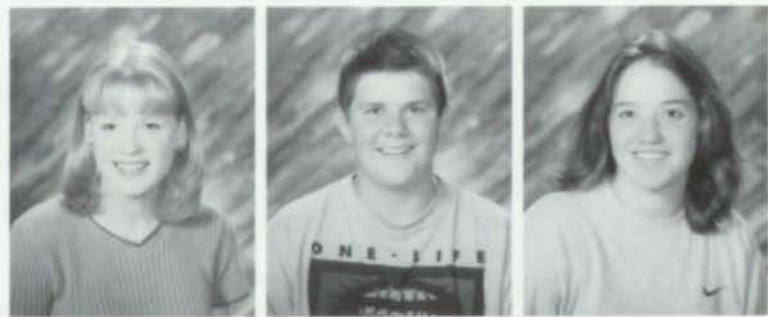
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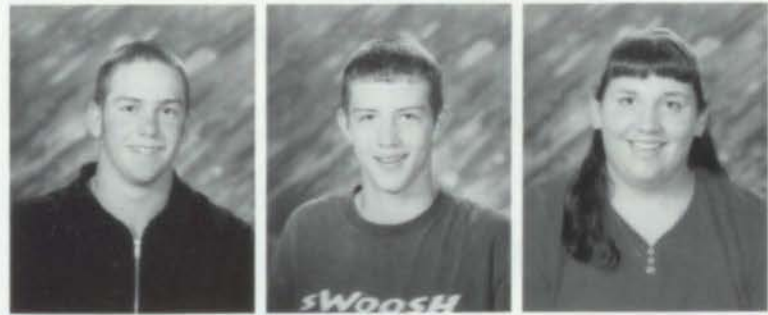
Seth Minor
Crystal Moore
Lee Odell



Lori Raida
Blake Rousselle
Rebecca Sherman



Alina Umbarger
Leu Umbarger
Misty Waggoner



Jason Wheeler
Preston Whittley
Crystal Zumwalt

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2001

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Lesa Aikins
Cheryl Anderson
Katie Brant



Brad Griffith
T. J. Hager
Becky Hall



Sara Rehmert
Kyle Schulz
Amy Smedley

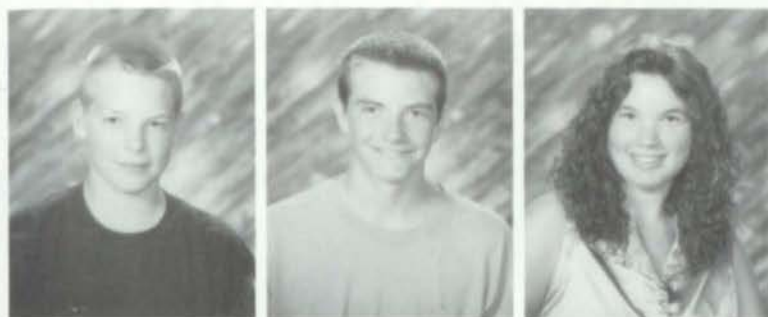


Adam Thornton
Amanda Umbarger
Alicia VanMeter



Pretty in pink and red
and blue and...The
Freshman Girls show off
the skirts they made in
Family and Consumer
Science Class.





Nick Carrico
Michael Duff
Jacquelyn Ellis



Michael Hohler
Amy McFarland
Natasha Powers



Dale Stafford
Kara Stafford
Josh Stemple



Class of 2001 officers: Back (left to right): Michael Duff, StuCo; Amy McFarland, Treasurer; Sara Rehmert, Secretary; Dale Stafford, Vice President. Front: Kara Stafford, StuCo; and Katie Brant, President.



What are you guys standing around for? Kara Stafford, Nick Carrico, Natasha Powers, and Adam Thornton stand around during the class volleyball games held during football sprit week.



Principal -- Mr. Randy Corns



School Secretary, Mrs. Carol Newby



BLOW, VERNON, BLOW! Dan Vernon blows his trumpet at a football pep assembly.



WHAT YA ALL LOOKIN' AT!! Mrs. Lorraine Kilgore gives the camera a beautiful face.



WHO IT IS? It's Mr. Michael Lea. Mr. Lea puts on a great face for spirit week. The stain on the shirt is from one of his pens.



MINNIE AND MINNIE!! Ms. Paulabeth Henderson and Mrs. Karen Carlson dress in Disney for spirit week. Nice ears, Ms. Henderson!!!

SCHOOL FACULTY



Karen Carlson, Business/Computer
Virginia Francisco, Special Ed
Paulabeth Henderson, Language
Arts



Allene Hensley, Foreign
Language
Lorraine Kilgore, FACS
Michael Lea, Mathematics



Vern Minor, Physical Education
Sharon Page, Chapter One
Tim Siebel, Social Science



Stephanie Stark, Science
Marti Tuck, Art
Dan Vernon, Music



Jim Wagner, Industrial Arts
Jim Walters, Counselor
Virginia Wolken, Science

School Staff



Cooks (left to right): Joy Woolery, Mitzi Raida, and Judy Lacen.



Custodians: Ray Kissel and Jerry Paff.

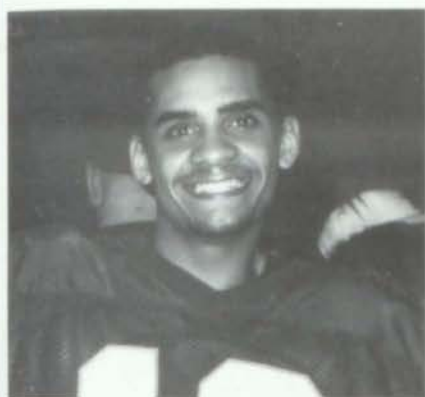


Aids (left to right): Hallie Nevin, Sherri Brant, Terri Walker, Toni Umbarger, and Joy Holtzman.



Bus drivers (left to right): Willard Goins, Tom Stipp, and Elbert Goins.

LOOK AT ME!!! Jeff McCoy is definitely not camera shy as he poses for the photographer at the 1998 Basketball Homecoming Dance.



CAUTION, MEN AT WORK! Michael Duff and Kevin Powers take a rest after chipping bricks for the Greenhouse floor.



LOOK NEW PARENTS! Natalie Borrer, Mark Hougardy, Lori Raida, and Drew DeMeritt show off their new babies they acquired in Parenting and Family Today.



DON'T HIT IT TO ME! Megan Cox looks away from the soccer game sponsored by the StuCo at the end of the first nine weeks.



FIRST TIME FOR EVERYTHING Bo, T.J., Holly and Mary are hard at work trying to figure out how to build a tower of spaghetti and marshmallows for McGyver Day.



HUKD ON FONX WUKD FOR ME!!!! Paul Hughes shows off his reading talent during speech class.

I DIDN'T DO IT! Cody Moore, Misti Waggoner, and Ms. Paulabeth Henderson are surprised by the camera.

HEY STEPHANIE, BUILD ME A HOUSE TOO. Stephanie Peavy tries to keep a steady hand as she decorates her gingerbread house in Independent Living.

WORKING?? Jason Wheeler, Jake Holtzman, and Blake Rousselle hard at work during Biology.



I WONDER WHO WILL WIN? Michelle Novotny, Amber Aikins, Gina Pack, and Rachel Callarman wait patiently for the 1997 Thayer Watermelon Queen to be crowned.

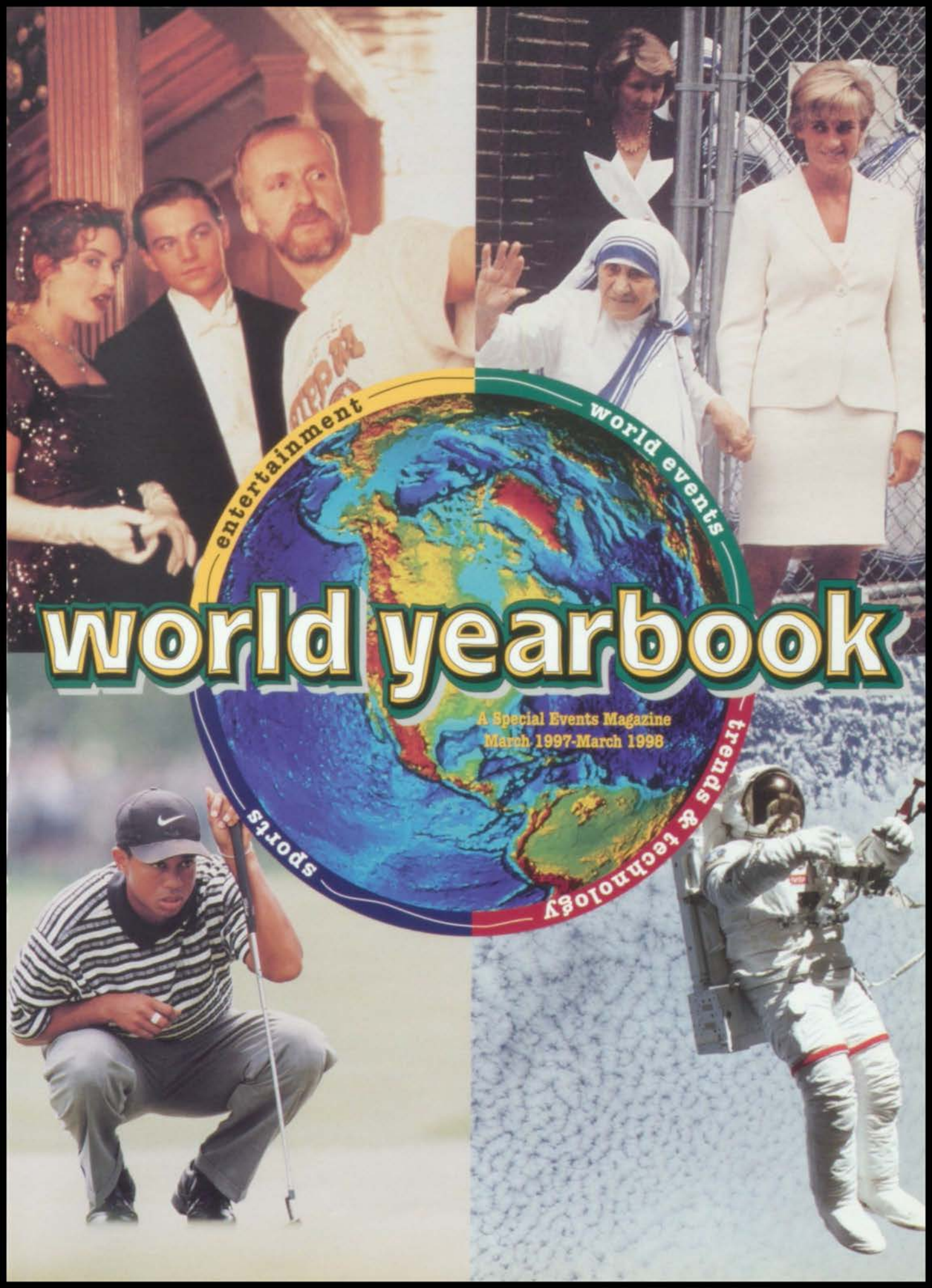


AMY, WHAT'S WRONG? Amy McFarland is concentrating on her work, while Katie Brant poses for the camera, in Family and Consumer Science.



DANCE, DANCE, DANCE!! Larry Raida, Mary Showalter, Kathy Cloke, and Bo Martin dance the night away at the 1998 Basketball Homecoming dance, sponsored by the StuCo.





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1. Calista Flockhart walked away with a Golden Globe award for her performance in the most talked about show of the season, *Ally McBeal*. **2. Chris Rock** stayed busy in 1997 with his new show on HBO - *The Chris Rock Show*, his album *Roll with the New*, stage performances, and his book, *Rock This!* **3. Jerry Seinfeld** announced that his show, television's most popular comedy, will end on May 14, 1998. Fans across the country and co-stars Michael Richards, Jason Alexander, and Julia Louis-Dreyfus prepared for life without *Seinfeld*. **4. Julia Roberts** had a big year in 1997 with *Conspiracy Theory* and *My Best Friend's Wedding*. **5. The Lost World**, the sequel to *Jurassic Park*, was a summer blockbuster grossing an estimated \$229 million. **6. ABC** won viewers' hearts with *Dharma & Greg*, a sitcom about an uptight yuppie and a happy-go-lucky yoga instructor. **7. Kirstie Alley** returned to prime time as a lingerie executive in one of the most successful new sitcoms of the season, *Veronica's Closet*. **8.** The true-to-life drama *Party of Five*, starring Neve Campbell, Matthew Fox, Scott Wolf, Lacey Chabert, and Jennifer Love Hewitt, attracted millions of new devotees and increased its ratings by 29%. **9. Michael J. Fox** also returned to

prime time in *Spin City*. He won a Golden Globe for his role as the Deputy Mayor of New York City. **10.** "They work in secret and dress in black." *Men in Black*, starring Will Smith and Tommy Lee Jones, was one of the most successful films of the summer. The movie's combination of awesome special effects and humor drew people to the box office. **11.** Canadian director James Cameron "sunk" \$200 million dollars into the film *Titanic*. The film won Golden Globes for Best Director and Best Picture and captured 14 Academy Award nominations. In addition to earning awards and nominations, it became the top money making film in history. **12.** Childhood friends Ben Affleck and Matt Damon cowrote the screenplay for *Good Will Hunting*. Their efforts were recognized with a Golden Globe for Best Screenplay and nine Academy Award nominations. **13.** Since the animated show *King of the Hill* debuted in January of 1997, it has consistently been one of television's top 30 shows. Fox's other animated hit, *The Simpsons* became the longest running animated show in television history, surpassing the record previously held by *The Flintstones*. • *Air Force One*, with **Harrison Ford**, was a summer hit

earning \$171 million. Ford also won a People's Choice Award. • Ellen Degeneres' character in her sitcom *Ellen* became the first openly gay series lead in television. • Screenwriter **Kevin Williamson** brought horror back to the movies with *Scream*, its sequel *Scream 2* and *I Know What You Did Last Summer*. • Disney's stage version of *The Lion King* was one of Broadway's biggest hits. • Talk-show host **Ricki Lake** gave birth to her first child, a son. • Helen Hunt and Jack Nicholson starred in the romantic comedy *As Good As It Gets*, which



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earned each of them a Golden Globe. The film was also nominated for best picture at the Academy Awards. • Talk show host **Oprah Winfrey** was sued by Texas cattle ranchers, who said that her comments questioning beef safety cost them millions. The jury found Winfrey not liable. • Kim Basinger starred in the '50s Los Angeles crime thriller, *L.A. Confidential*. The movie was nominated for nine Academy Awards. • **Other popular television shows** were *ER*, *The X-Files*, *Touched by an Angel*, *Dawson's Creek*, *The Drew Carey Show*, *Frasier*,



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Xena, Brooklyn South, *Just Shoot Me*, *Chicago Hope*, *Sabrina the Teenage Witch*, and *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*. • **Brandon Tartikoff** died at 48 of Hodgkin's Disease. He was the NBC executive responsible for shows like *Hill Street Blues*, *Cheers*, *The Cosby Show*, *L.A. Law*, and *Seinfeld*. • Throughout his acting career, **Jimmy Stewart** starred in 79 films including *The Philadelphia Story*, Hitchcock's *Vertigo*, and *Rear Window*. However, his most memorable performance was in the Christmas classic, *It's a Wonderful Life*. Stewart died at 89. • **We also paid final respects to** actor Chris Farley, explorer and filmmaker Jacques Cousteau, news commentator Charles Kuralt, actor Robert Mitchum, comedian Red Skelton, and actor Lloyd Bridges.



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What were your favorite television shows and movies?



Top 10 Movies for 1997:

1. Titanic
2. Men in Black
3. The Lost World
4. Liar Liar
5. Air Force One
6. Star Wars (reissue)
7. My Best Friend's Wedding
8. Face/Off
9. Tomorrow Never Dies
10. Batman & Robin



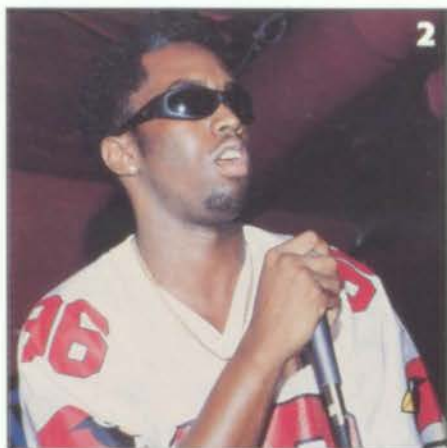
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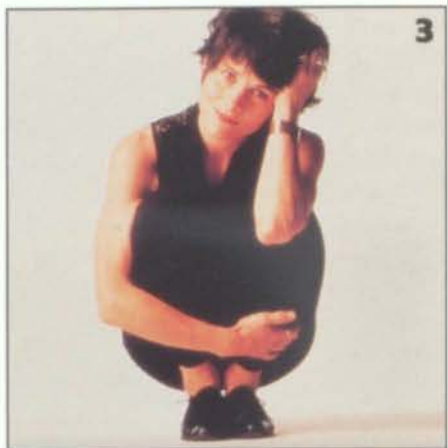
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1. At the tender age of 16, blues guitarist and singer **Jonny Lang** took his debut song, *Lie to Me*, to number two on the blues chart. **2.** Producer, remixer, and rap artist **Sean "Puffy" Combs'** album *No Way Out* sold 561,000 copies in the first week after its release. Six consecutive songs that were either produced or sung by Combs remained at the top of Billboard's rap singles chart for 42 weeks. **3.** At the 40th Grammy awards, **Shawn Colvin** walked away with Record of the Year and Song of the Year for *Sunny Came Home*. **4. Erykah Badu** won a Grammy for Female Rhythm and Blues Vocal performance with her song *On and On*. Her album *Baduizm* won a Grammy for Rhythm and Blues Album. **5.** The Florida-based group **Matchbox 20's** debut album, *Yourself or Someone Like You*, sold more than four million copies. **6. Jamiroquai**, known for its unique sound and lead singer Jay Kay's Suess-inspired hats, won a Grammy for its song *Virtual Insanity*. **7. Fiona Apple's** debut album *Tidal* brought the 20-year old artist great success and a Grammy. **8. Garth Brooks** gave a free concert in New York City's Central Park and drew hundreds of thousands of fans. His album *Sevens* sold 3.4 million copies between Thanksgiving and New Years. **9. Fleetwood Mac** released its first new album, *The Dance*, in a decade. The album debuted at the top of the charts and the band grossed more than \$36 million on tour. The group was also inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame along with the *Eagles*, the *Mamas*

and the Papas, *Santana*, *Lloyd Price*, *Gene Vincent*, *Allen Toussaint*, and *Jelly Roll Morton*. **10.** From America's heartland came **Hanson**, three brothers from Tulsa, Oklahoma. With Isaac, 16, on guitar, Taylor, 13, on keyboards and Zachary, 11, on drums, the group received an enthusiastic reception from teens. Their first album, *Middle of Nowhere*, hit the top 10, and the single *MMMBop* went to number one in the U.S. and Europe. **11. LeAnn Rimes' Blue** was the best-selling debut album ever by a female country artist. While the double-platinum *You Light Up My Life* topped the pop and country charts, the 15-year old was busy writing an autobiographical novel, starring in a TV movie, and doing ads for Samsung and KFC. **12.** The British quintet, **The Spice Girls**, took the world by storm with their hit single *Wannabe!*, their book *Girl Power*, and the movie *Spiceworld*. **13. Jakob Dylan** and the *Wallflowers* had huge hits with the album *Bringing Down the Horse* and the single *One Headlight*. • Jakob's father, **Bob Dylan**, survived a serious heart ailment to release *Time Out of Mind*. The album was widely praised by critics and



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received a Grammy for Album of the Year. • **Elton John** sang goodbye to Princess Diana at her funeral with his tribute *Candle in the Wind 1997*. The recording became the fastest selling single in history. The singer said that he would never perform the song again, unless it was at the request of Diana's sons. • Michael Jackson's son, **Prince Michael Jackson, Jr.** was born and has already earned \$2 million for appearing on the cover of a British tabloid.

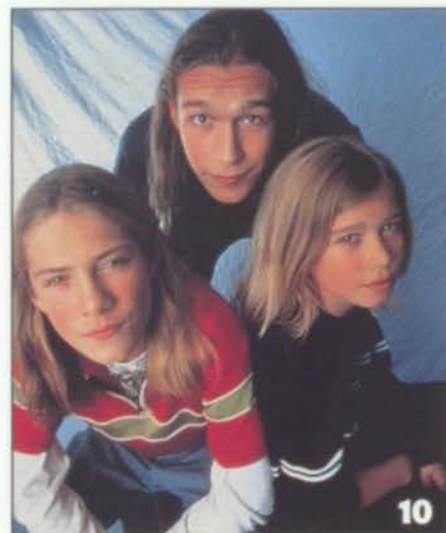
• Canadian music legend **Joni Mitchell** was reunited with the daughter she gave up for adoption in 1965. After a lengthy search, private investigators helped the pair find one another. • Canadian **Sarah McLachlan** had a hit single, *Building a Mystery*, but her biggest accomplishment was putting together the **Lilith Fair Tour**. Lilith Fair was an all female rock tour that included artists Sheryl Crow,

the Cardigans, Fiona Apple, Jewel, Tracy Chapman, Shawn Colvin, Mary Chapin Carpenter, Indigo Girls, Suzanne Vega, Paula Cole, Lisa Loeb, and Joan Osborne. The tour was so popular it upstaged even the hippest of tours like Lollapalooza and H.O.R.D.E. • **Bill Berry**, drummer for REM, retired after 17 years with the band. Berry suffered a brain aneurysm while on tour in 1995.

• Rap artist and actor **Will Smith** took home his third Grammy for *Men in Black*. • While on tour in Sydney, Australia, **U2** loaned its cargo plane to the people of Auckland, New Zealand. The city had been without power for almost two weeks and needed generators. The use of U2's plane allowed needed generators to be flown in to restore power to millions of people.

• **The Verve's** album *Urban Hymns* jumped 34 spots on the charts after the song *Bitter Sweet Symphony* was used in a 60-second Nike ad. The band donated its profits to the British Red Cross Land Mine Appeal and the N.C.H. Action for Children "House our Youth 2000" campaign. • While the movie *Titanic* dominated the box office, its soundtrack dominated the music charts as well.

• **Celine Dion** performed on the *Titanic* soundtrack and had a hit of her own with *Let's Talk About Love*. • **Madonna's** album *Ray of Light* was "immersed in spirituality and self-discovery." • **Other popular musicians included** Paula Cole, Duncan Sheik, Verve Pipe, Shania Twain, Beck, Oasis, Sugar Ray, Trisha Yearwood, Mighty Mighty Bosstones,



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OMC, Tim McGraw, Faith Hill, Chumbawamba, Everclear, Ben Folds Five, Sublime, Lila McCann, Ty Herndon, Bryan White, Jars of Clay, George Strait, Save Ferris, Abra Moore, and Radiohead. • **The music industry lost** INXS singer Michael Hutchence, rap artist Notorious B.I.G. (Christopher Wallace), singer, songwriter, and environmentalist John Denver, and Beach Boy Carl Wilson.

Who were your favorite musicians?



Top 10 Albums for 1997:

1. *Spice* (Spice Girls)
2. *Pieces of You* (Jewel)
3. *No Way Out* (Puff Daddy)
4. *Sevens* (Garth Brooks)
5. *Middle of Nowhere* (Hanson)
6. *Life after Death* (The Notorious B.I.G.)
7. *Bringing Down the Horse* (The Wallflowers)
8. *Falling Into You* (Celine Dion)
9. *Space Jam* (Soundtrack)



10. *You Light Up My Life* (LeAnn Rimes)

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Jim Bourg/Pool/Gamma Liaison



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1. After a long standoff with Amaru guerrillas, Peru's **President Alberto Fujimori** gave the order to Peruvian forces to storm the embassy residence where 72 hostages were being held. All of the guerrillas were killed and 71 of the hostages were rescued. 2. **Louise Woodward**, a 19-year old British au pair, was convicted of murdering an eight month old baby in her care. However, citing an absence of malice, the judge reduced the second-degree murder conviction to manslaughter and her sentence to time served. 3. Former president **George Bush** took up skydiving at the age of 72. He had jumped from a disabled plane in World War II and had vowed that one day he would do it again for fun. 4. **Etienne Bacrot**, 14, started playing chess when he was four. He became the world's youngest chess grandmaster ever, beating Canadian grandmaster Kevin Spraggett, 42. 5. **Mother Teresa** died at the age of 87, leaving behind a legacy of love and compassion for the poor. She also left behind more than 4,000 nuns pledged to continue the order she founded. 6. In April, heavy spring snows raised the **Red River** in Grand Forks, North Dakota flooding the town, causing 50,000 residents to evacuate and destroying

homes and cars in its path. 7. Special Prosecutor **Kenneth Starr** began investigating the Clintons for their involvement in the Whitewater land development company in Arkansas. Later, Starr became the key prosecutor in President Clinton's alleged relationship with a former White House intern. Starr was investigating whether the President had coerced Monica Lewinsky into lying about the nature of their relationship. Even as accusations rocked the White House, the president's approval ratings were his highest ever. 8. The Heaven's Gate Cult committed suicide with the belief that their souls would be picked up by a spaceship hidden in the tail of the Hale-Bopp comet. Cult leader **Marshall Applewhite** was among the 39 dead. 9. The men's religious group, **Promise Keepers**, brought hundreds of thousands of men together in Washington D.C. to pledge their devotion to Jesus, family and one another. 10. At Ohio State University, Secretary of State **Madeleine Albright** tried to make a case for U.S. military action against Iraq. During the meeting, Albright was continually interrupted by protests from the audience. 11. When the Teamster's union went on strike at United Parcel Service, the nation's leading package-delivery company, millions of

world events



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packages were delayed or lost. Labor Secretary **Alexis Herman** kept UPS and the Teamsters at the bargaining table and the strike ended after two weeks. **12. Bill and Hillary Clinton** faced an empty nest as daughter **Chelsea** went away to college at Stanford. Mrs. Clinton also marked another milestone by celebrating her 50th birthday. **13. Bobbi McCaughey**, from Carlisle, Iowa, gave birth to septuplets. The babies ranged in size



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from 2lbs., 5 oz to 3 lbs., 4 oz. It is estimated the McCaughey's will change more than 15,000 diapers this year. • The



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diet drugs *fen-phen* and *Redux* were removed from the market after the Food and Drug Administration discovered the medications caused serious heart problems. • **Ted Turner** donated \$1 billion to the United Nations, while encouraging others to contribute to charitable causes. Financier George Soros pledged \$500 million to Russia for health, education, and welfare while Bill Gates pledged \$200 million to bring the Internet to low-income libraries.

• **Earthquakes in Italy** left 11 people dead and thousands homeless. • UNICEF estimated that 80,000 children were starving in the **North Korean famine**. • **Captain Craig Button's** A-10 plane mysteriously disappeared after he suddenly broke a three-plane formation over Arizona and headed toward Colorado. The jet was found crashed near Eagle, Colorado with Button's remains inside. The four 500-pound bombs that were on the jet have not been recovered. • **First Lieutenant Kelly Flinn**, the first woman to pilot a B-52, was given a general discharge from the Air Force for lack of integrity and disobedience to orders. Her career ended over an alleged affair with the husband of an Air Force airman. • **Timothy McVeigh** was convicted of the Oklahoma City bombing and sentenced to death. • **Terry Nichols**, also arrested for the April 19, 1995 bombing was convicted of conspiracy and manslaughter. He was acquitted of murder and weapons charges. • **Ted Kaczynski** pled guilty to being the Unabomber in



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exchange for a sentence of life in prison without parole. Kaczynski waged a 17-year anti-technology bombing campaign that included a string of 16 bombings. Three people were killed and 29 injured.



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What was the most significant event to you?



Top 10 Most Significant Events for 1997:

1. Princess Diana's death
2. Mother Teresa's death
3. Hale-Bopp Comet
4. Mars exploration
5. Hong Kong reverting to Chinese control
6. El Niño
7. Flood in North Dakota
8. The victory of Britain's Labour party
9. The birth of septuplets in Iowa
10. UPS strike



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1. On August 31, 1997 *Princess Diana* was killed in a tragic car accident leaving the world mourning and questioning the carelessness of a driver and the persistence of the paparazzi. 2. *Hong Kong* returned to Chinese control after 156 years as a British colony. Consequently, concerns were raised as to whether communism would diminish Hong Kong's political freedom. 3. *Tony Blair*, 44, became the youngest British prime minister in 185 years. 4. California endured the worst of *El Niño*'s erratic weather patterns. Heavy rain and high winds triggered floods and mudslides. 5. *Karla Faye Tucker* became the first woman executed in Texas since the Civil War and the first nationwide since 1984. She was executed for killing two people in Houston in 1983.



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6. Congressman **Sonny Bono** died in a skiing accident. Before turning to politics, Bono achieved fame as a songwriter, entertainer, and half of the duo *Sonny and Cher*. • A **bomb in an abortion clinic** in Birmingham, Alabama left an off-duty police officer dead and a nurse critically wounded. • The Peabody Award for broadcasting excellence was awarded to author and journalist **Peter Gzowski**. This was the first time a Canadian had received the prestigious American award for work in Canada. • **Susie Maroney** of Australia became the first woman to swim from Cuba to Florida. It took her 24 1/2 hours to complete the 112 mile stretch. • The threat of war in the middle east was again

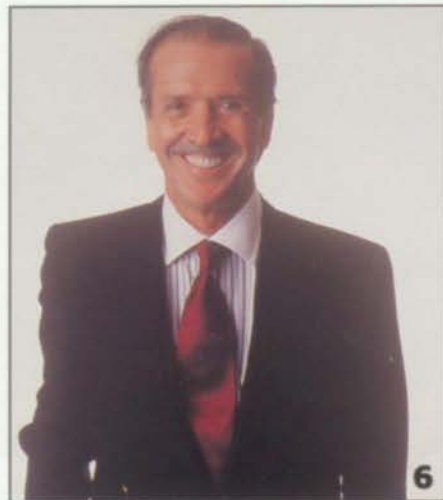
a concern as Saddam Hussein failed to comply with U.N. weapons regulations. However, the U.N. Security Council voted unanimously to endorse a deal negotiated by **Secretary-General Kofi Annan** that provided U.N. inspectors unrestricted access to all weapons sites. • In West Paducah, Kentucky, **Michael Carneal**, a high school freshman, opened fire on a group of students gathered for a prayer service at Heath High School. Three girls were killed and five other students wounded. • A U.S. Marine jet sliced through a **cable car line** at an Italian ski resort killing 20 people. • The U.S. Department of



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Agriculture recalled 25 million pounds of possibly **tainted beef** after an outbreak of the E. Coli virus. • In Pearl, Mississippi, **Luke Woodham**, 16, stabbed his mother to death and then went to school with a rifle and opened fire. Woodham killed two of his classmates and wounded seven others. • **We paid final respects** to writer William S. Burroughs, Malcolm X's widow Betty Shabazz, artist Willem De Kooning, poet Allen Ginsberg, Ambassador to France Pamela Harriman, Michael Kennedy, and politician Paul Tsongas.

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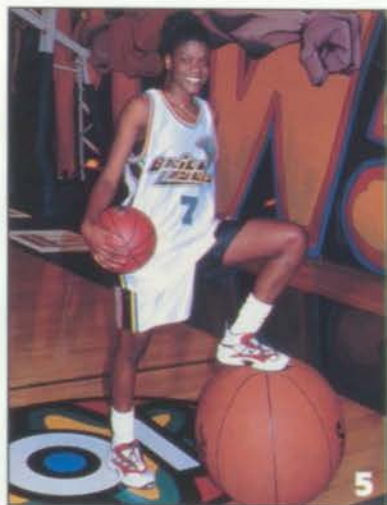
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Matthew Stockman/Allsport

1. Martina Hingis captured the U.S. Open tennis tournament. Hingis had a remarkable year with a record of 75-5. She won three of the four Grand Slam tournaments and became the first player to earn more than \$3 million in a season. **2. Figure skater Scott Hamilton**, 39, left the *Stars on Ice* tour in March of 1997 to undergo chemotherapy for testicular cancer. But, on October 29, he returned to the ice and a cheering crowd. His prognosis is for a full recovery. **3.** In college football, the University of Michigan and the University of Nebraska shared the national championship. Michigan's **Charles Woodson** became the first primarily defensive player to win the Heisman Trophy. **4. Sports broadcaster, Harry Caray** voice of the Chicago Cubs, died at the age of 77. **5.** After several attempts, two U.S. women's professional basketball leagues were finally unveiled in 1997 – the ABL and the WNBA. **Sheryl Swoopes**, 26, who led the 1996 Olympic team to a gold medal, signed with the WNBA's Houston Comets. **6. Violet Palmer and Dee Kantner** became the NBA's first female referees. In their rookie season, both will earn \$80,000. **7. The Detroit**

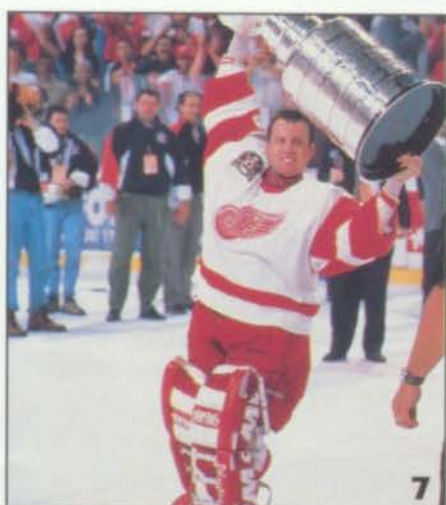
Red Wings defeated the Philadelphia Flyers to win their eighth Stanley Cup. **8.** In 1997, **Jeff Gordon** won 10 races, took home \$4.2 million in prize money, and captured his second Winston Cup Championship in three years. **9.** At age 21, **Tiger Woods** outplayed his opponents to win the Masters with a record 13-stroke margin. Woods finished the 1997 season as the game's leading money winner, taking home more than two million dollars and was named PGA Player of the Year. Tiger's father, Earl Woods, first put a golf club in his son's hands when Tiger was only 11 months old. **10.** Super Bowl XXXII had excitement for fans of both teams right down to the final seconds. The AFC Champion Denver Broncos, led by quarterback **John Elway**, beat the NFL's Green Bay Packers, 31-24. Elway finally won his first Super Bowl ring after several losses. **11.** In the World Series, Moises Alou led the **Florida Marlins** to victory over the Cleveland Indians with three homers and nine RBIs. Only in their fifth year, the Marlins reached the World Series faster than any expansion team in history. **12.** In **Mike Tyson's** and **Evander Holyfield's** boxing rematch, Tyson bit off a piece of Holyfield's right



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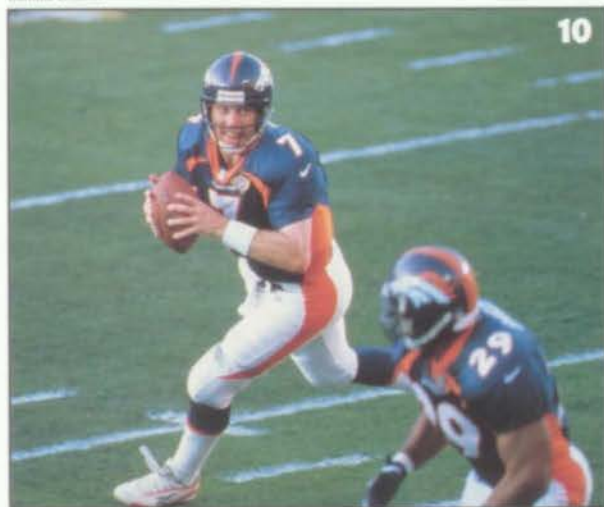
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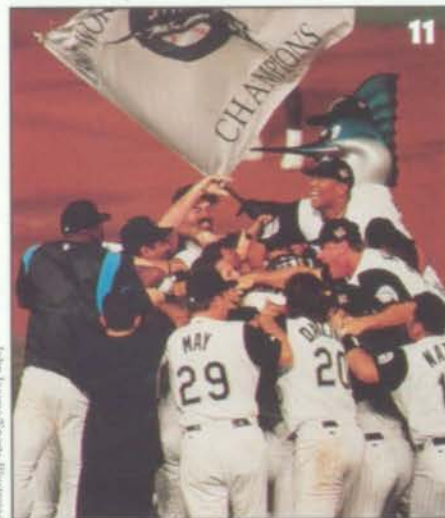
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Braves pitcher **Greg Maddux** signed a contract extension for \$57.5 million which made him the highest-paid player in baseball. • Major league baseball celebrated the 50th anniversary of **Jackie Robinson's** efforts to integrate baseball. In Robinson's honor, his number "42" was retired from all team rosters. • **Pete Sampras** dominated at Wimbledon to

win it for the fourth time in five years. • Also at Wimbledon, three-time champion **Boris Becker** stunned the world by announcing his retirement from tennis. • In her debut at the U.S. Open, 17-year old **Venus Williams** became the first unseeded woman to advance to the finals. • The **Arthur Ashe Stadium** opened in Flushing, New York in August with a parade of 45 tennis champions



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John Lyons/Sports Illustrated

ear in the third round. Tyson was disqualified, fined, and suspended from boxing in Nevada. **13. Michael Jordan** and the Chicago Bulls defeated the Utah Jazz to capture their fifth NBA title in seven years. • **Oscar De La Hoya** defeated Pernell Whitaker in a unanimous decision and captured the World Boxing Council Welterweight Title. • **Arizona** defeated Kentucky 84-79 in the NCAA tournament to win its first national men's basketball title. • Atlanta



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including Chris Evert and John McEnroe. • **Michael Johnson** ran the 400 meter race in 44.12 seconds to win his third consecutive world championship in track and field. • After 20 years of trying, **Dale Earnhardt** won the Daytona 500. A lucky penny was given to him before the race from a five year old girl permanently confined to a wheelchair. The Make-A-Wish foundation granted her request to see the Daytona 500 and meet Earnhart. • **Jockey Gary Stevens**, riding Silver Charm, captured his third Kentucky Derby. • **We paid final respects to** golf legend Ben Hogan, baseball center fielder Curt Flood, and jockey Eddie Arcaro.



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Who were your favorite sports personalities?



Top 10 Performers in 1997:

1. John Elway
2. Sheryl Swoops
3. Tiger Woods
4. Martina Hingis
5. Jeff Gordon
6. Michael Jordan
7. Tara Lipinski
8. Venus Williams
9. Moises Alou
10. Vladimir Konstantinov



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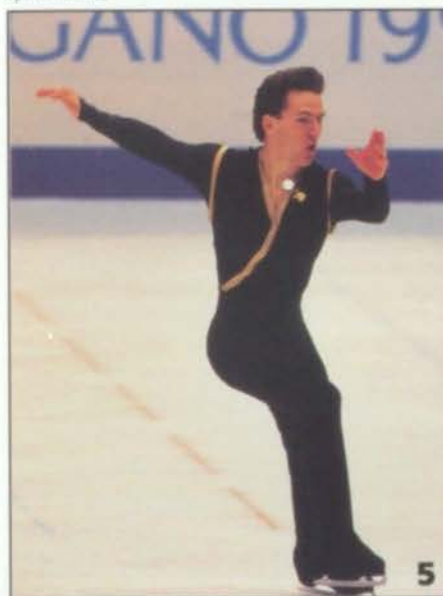
- 12** winter olympics
1. The *opening ceremony* of the 1998 Winter Olympics in Nagano, Japan combined the traditions of the past and the technology of the present. Sumo wrestlers warded off evil spirits while choirs on five continents performed Beethoven's "Ode to Joy" simultaneously.
 2. U.S. skier *Picabo Street* won the gold medal in the Women's Super-G. She edged Michaela Dorfmeister of Austria by one-hundredth of a second.
 3. *Tara Lipinski*, at 15, became the youngest Olympic women's figure skating champion ever by outscoring fellow American Michelle Kwan. Lipinski took the gold medal, Kwan the silver, and Lu Chen of China won the bronze.
 4. The *United States men's teams* captured the first American luge medals in Olympic history. The two teams won the silver and bronze in the luge doubles.



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5. Despite injuries and the flu, Canadian **Elvis Stojko** won the silver medal in men's figure skating. **Ilia Kulik** of Russia won the gold medal, while **Phillippe Candeloro** of France won the bronze. 6. **The U.S. women's hockey team** defeated Canada and won the gold medal to capture the first Olympic women's hockey title. Canada took home the silver and Finland the bronze. The U.S. team also appeared on the March Wheaties box. • **The Czech Republic** captured its first hockey gold medal when it defeated Russia 1-0. The bronze medal went to Finland. • **Canadians Catriona LeMay-Doan** and **Susan Auch** dominated women's speedskating by winning the gold and the silver medals in the 500 meter race.

• Canada also did well in the men's speedskating. In the 500 meter race, **Jeremy Wotherspoon** won the silver medal and **Kevin Overland** took the bronze. • U.S. athletes won three gold medals in freestyle skiing. **Eric Bergoust** won gold in the men's aerials while **Nikki Stone** took the gold in women's aerials. **Johnny Moseley** won gold in the men's moguls. • After two days of competition and four heats, Canada and Italy tied for the gold medal in the **men's two-man bobsled competition**. This was the first time that two teams shared the gold medal in this event. • In the end, the **United States brought home 13 medals and Canada 15**. But, it was Germany with a medal count of 29 that topped the list. Norway was not far behind with 25 medals, and Russia won 18. Women accounted for eight of the 13 U.S. medals. • **Nagano's closing ceremony** included a backdrop of 50,000 illuminated handheld lanterns and a thank you to the world for allowing it to be the host of the final Winter Olympics of the 20th century. The captain of the U.S. women's hockey team, **Cammi Granato**, carried the American flag at the ceremony.



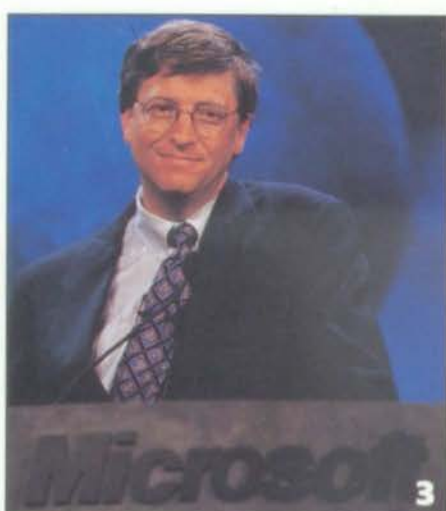
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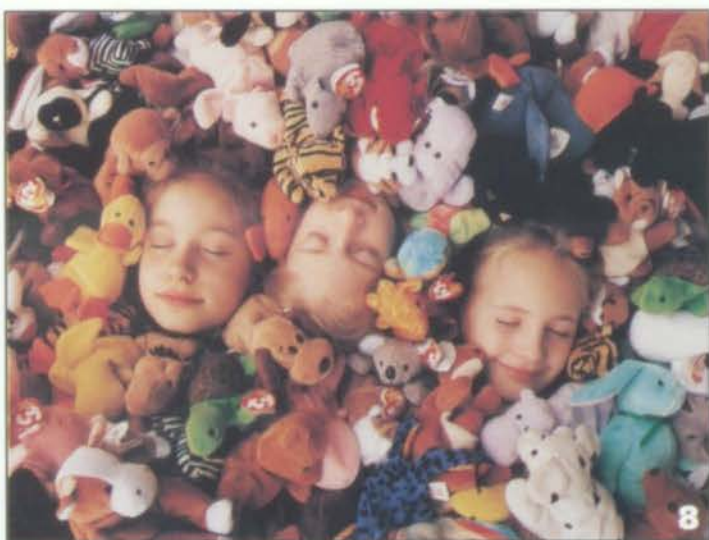


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1. Italian fashion designer **Gianni Versace** was gunned down in front of his Miami home by alleged serial killer Andrew Cunanan. Cunanan later took his own life as police closed in after an extensive manhunt. 2. *Time* magazine selected **Andrew Grove**, chairman and CEO of Intel, as its 1997 Man of the Year. He was the person most responsible for the astounding "growth in the power and innovative potential of microchips." 3. In an effort to save Apple, cofounder Steve Jobs struck a deal with its number one competitor, Microsoft. The agreement gave Jobs some time to rescue the company, while the Microsoft Chairman, **Bill Gates**, became part owner of Apple after buying \$150 million in stock. 4. **Tamagotchi** gave kids a taste of responsibility. Much like the real thing, these virtual reality pets needed everything from attention, to food, to sleep. Without this care, the pets would misbehave, get fat, or even expire. 5. **Hot Wheels** released its "miniature" version of the Sojourner Mars Rover, complete with Pathfinder spacecraft and

lander. Kids and toy collectors sent sales soaring. 6. With increased reading awareness on television due in large part to Oprah Winfrey's book club, and the rise of espresso-serving bookstores, Americans experienced a kind of **reading renaissance**. 7. People magazine released its first issue of **Teen People**, with *Party of Five*'s Jennifer Love Hewitt on the cover. The first issue included articles about what's hot in fashion, a behind the scenes look at the music group Hanson, and photo flashbacks of Brad Pitt. 8. **Beanie babies** sent children and parents running to the toy store. These cuddly little creatures were must-haves for kids of all ages. Retired beanies, like Peanut the Elephant, increased enormously in value. 9. The **Hale-Bopp Comet** returned to view 4,200 years after its last visit. In many areas, the comet was visible with the naked eye. The comet's next appearance should be in the year 4397. 10. In a re-match in May, IBM's chess playing machine, Deep Blue, defeated world champion Russian **Garry Kasparov**. 11. **Retro 70s trends**

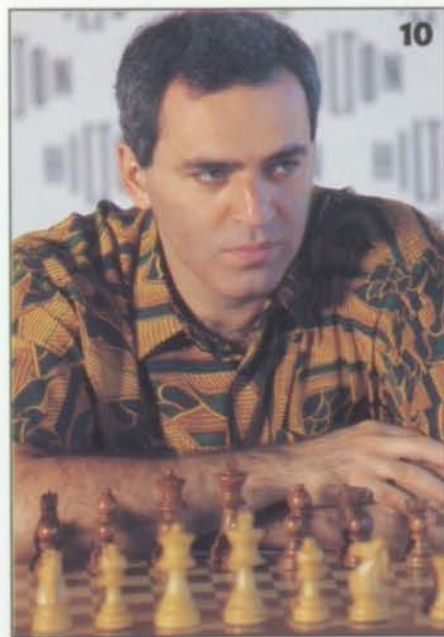
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brought back bell-bottoms, platform shoes, butterfly collars, and an array of other styles that sent teens into a fashion era that used to be associated with their parents.

12. In 1997, **Tommy Hilfiger** opened his first megastore on Rodeo Drive in Beverly Hills, California and published *All American: A Style Book*. His primary-colored, patriotic-themed sportswear was popular with teens. • The "soul patch" became the latest fashion statement in facial hair. It could be worn with or without a mustache and was popular

among teens and movie stars like Keanu Reeves and Josh Brolin. • **Riverdance**, based on traditional Irish step dancing, played to packed houses in the United States and Australia. Its soundtrack stayed on the Billboard's World Music charts for more than a year. • **Barbie** received a make-over that included a breast reduction and a more realistic waistline. • The Federal Communications Commission cleared the way for **high-definition digital television**, giving audiences a sharper image and CD quality sound. • **America Online** took over CompuServe's 2.6 million members to make AOL number one in the online industry. On a typical day AOL subscribers logged on 16.7 million times. • In a *Newsweek* Poll, 89% of **teens used computers** at least several times a week.

What were the trends & technology stories in your area?



1997 Trends:

1. Beanie Babies
2. Tamagotchi Virtual Pets
3. Retro 70s fashion and the return of disco
4. Tommy Hilfiger clothes
5. Riverdance
6. Surfing the net
7. Cloning
8. The soul patch
9. Oprah's Book Club
10. Home electronic games

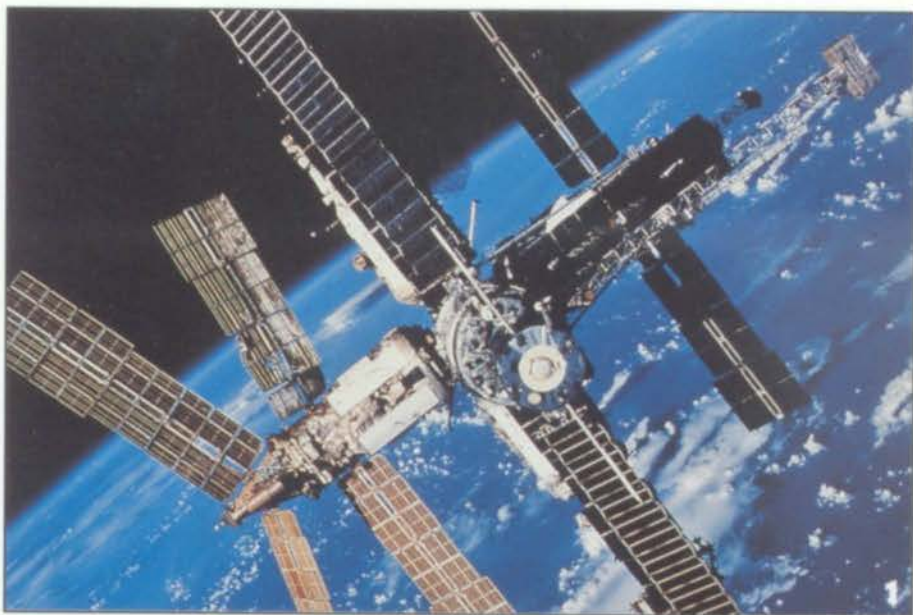


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1. The beleaguered *Russian Space Station Mir* had a difficult year as one catastrophe after another occurred. American astronaut Michael Foale calmly handled a series of potentially life-threatening problems during his stay on *Mir*. At one point the station collided with an out-of-control resupply ship. Russians and Americans waited anxiously as Foale and the Russian crew struggled to stabilize the station and repair the damage. 2. *John Glenn*, the first American to orbit the earth in 1962, is going back into space October of 1998. At 76, his 10-day mission will help in the study of the common effects of aging and space travel. 3. NASA's two-foot-by-one foot, \$25 million rover *Sojourner* became the first vehicle to roam the surface of another planet. *Sojourner* sent back detailed landscape photos of Mars, some 100 million miles from Earth. The three foot tall *Pathfinder* carried the robot car to Mars.



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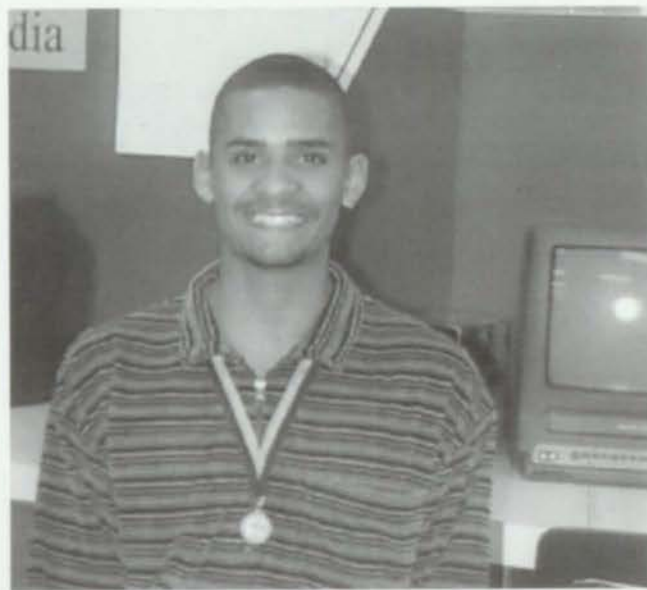
• June marked the 50th anniversary of the alleged crash in 1947 of a flying saucer near *Roswell*, New Mexico. Due to all the hype, Roswell became known as the capital of America's alien nation. • When the shuttle *Columbia* takes off in December 1998, *Eileen Collins* will become the first woman to lead a U.S. space mission. Collins, the nation's first female space shuttle pilot, has flown two previous shuttle missions, one in 1995 and the other in 1997. • The winner of the 1998 Westinghouse Science Talent Search and a \$40,000 scholarship was *Christopher Colin Mihelich*, a 17-year old from Indianapolis. For his project, Mihelich studied certain properties of polynomials that have applications to geometry and combinatorics.



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BAND AND VOCAL



BAND Back (left to right): T. Francisco, P. Hughes, D. Stafford, J. Wheeler, H. Moore, N. Borrer, T.J. Hager, J. Stemple, C. Babcock, J. Holtzman, and Mr. Dan Vernon. 2nd Row: N. Stafford, A. Odell, K. Stafford, J. Holtzman, R. Wallace, J. Holtzman, L. Umbarger, V. Leck, B. Rousselle, and P. Whittley. 3rd Row: J. Leck, C. Raida, M. Hougardy, A. Thornton, K. Thornton, L. Thornton, S. Minor, C. Moore, S. Martin, and T. Green. 4th Row: K. Brownlee, A. Novotny, L. Aikins, D. DeMeritt, L. Raida, L. Moore, V. Leck, L. Clift, L. Leck, J. Wheeler, and C. Orton. 5th Row: M. Cox, T. Holtzman, A. Holtzman, A. Umbarger, C. Umbarger, A. Aikins, M. Kissel, P. Martin, A. Smedley, A. Hohler, B. Powers and K. Olinger. Front Row: M. Novotny, R. Sherman, A. Cox, T. Leck, A. Wheeler, N. Powers, K. Schulz, A. Fogleman, K. Kepley, J. Grief, A. Umbarger, A. Pierce, and S. Grommet.



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HEY, JR, GREAT MOVES! JR Kissel shows off some of his awesome dance moves for Larry Raida during the Basketball Homecoming Dance.



WATERMELON HOMECOMING QUEEN. Kassie Thornton was crowned 1997 Watermelon Homecoming Queen and Amber Aikins and Amber Wheeler were princesses.



WHY ARE YOU ALL SO WORRIED?? Nathan Stafford kicks back while Tracy Holtzman, Ashley Cox, Beth Umbarger, and Holly Stafford listen to a lecture during Physics.



DON'T WORRY, I KNOW WHAT I'M DOING. Crystal Zumwalt works intensely to get pages done for the yearbook.



MOUSEBUSTERS! Ray Kissel looks for a mouse in Preston Whitley's locker.

I'M SUPER AT CLEAN-UP. DON'T INTERRUPT ME!! Nick Carrico washes dishes during Building Life Skills class.

A GLANCE AT BEST TIMES





ELEMENTARY K-8



KINDERGARTEN AND FIRST



Mrs. Patty Hasty
Dixie Allen
Kegan Babcock
Allie Benson
Adam Heck
Kaylee Leck



Regan Powers
Stephanie Powers
Kaylee Ralston
Belinda Rohling
Samuel Stafford
Kayia Vyhlidal



Samuel Wasson
Kristi Welch

TRICK OR TREAT! The first grade dressed as their favorite storybook characters.

Mrs. Nancy Sherman



Ashley Babcock
Hali Bagzis
Chance Baker
Danton Callarman
Kenneth Coatney
Ceolah Colston



Derrick Ellis
Adam Greve
Chris Heater
Nicholas Morse
Shelby Novotny
Cali Raida



Cortney Showalter
James Smedley
Jonni Stafford
Ryan Studebaker
Brett Thornton
Dey-Leigh Willhite

SECOND AND THIRD GRADE

Mrs. Donna Minor
James Aikins
Jana Aikins
Tara Buster
Caitlin Gurney
Kevin Harkrader



Janeva Reasor
Brittany Rohling
Brittany Scott
Caleb Seibel
Wendy Stafford
Cassandra Wallace



Haley Welch
Jacob Whitson



BRAINS AT WORK! The Second Grade learns to keep busy at an early age.



Mr. Rick Huguenin



Todd Angevine
Christine Bell
Lisa Carter
Chelsea Cooper
Kyler Dannelley
Mandy Greif



Jason Hoard
David Hougardy
Miranda Kissel
Chelsea Leck
Dawna Leck
Shawn Novotny



Brian Powers
Scott Reaves
Aron Rehmert
Haley Wheeler
Darby Willhite



FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADE



Mrs. Sharon Grommet
William Coats
Kieran Foster
Kay Green
Katlin Hooper
Jennifer Houston



April Pitts
Mandy Raida
David Seibel
Robyn Studebaker
Manuel Villalpando
Heather Welch



Jena Wheeler
Jessi Whitson

BET MY PEANUT GOES
FARTHER THEN YOURS.
Whitney Clift tosses her peanut as
Kristin Buster waits her turn.



Mr. Steve Aikins
Kayla Aikins
Kristin Buster
Whitney Clift



Jeremy Davis
Amy Greif
Louis Heck
Nicole Holtzman
Kurtis Hooper
Michale Larkin



Christopher Lowden
Samuel Murphy
Chad Pierce
Ruby Pitts
Nakita Ralston
Karra Reaves



Tania Reid
Adam Sallee
Jesse Stemple
Kayla Thornton
Shane Trim
Garrett Welch

SIXTH - SEVENTH

The Sixth Grade

Mrs. Deanna Rohling
 Pamela Allen
 Steven Bell
 Richard Carrico
 Erin Cox
 Kody Dannelley



Erika Ellis
 Amanda Hall
 Taylor Hotlzman
 Casey Hougardy
 William "Sam" Kepley
 Joshua Martin



Ryan Reid
 Brett Rousselle
 Jesse Schulz



MMM,MMM GOOD! Kaye Brownlee, Kory Stafford, Amy Hohler, and Bethany Powers enjoy the meal they fixed during seventh grade Home Ec.



The Seventh Grade

Mrs. Sandy Wheeler
 Kaye Brownlee
 Justin Callarman



Ben Carrico
 Sandi Felter
 Travis Green
 Michael Greif
 Stacey Grommet
 Tia Heck



Amy Hohler
 Jessie Hotlzman
 Jessica Houston
 Danae Inman
 Jena Leck
 Kenneth Lowden



Robert Novotny
 Keri Olinger
 Clayton Orton
 Denny Pack
 Amy Pierce
 Bethany Powers



- EIGHTH GRADE



Chris Scott
Kory Stafford
Alicia Umbarger
Carlotta Villalpando
Jamie Wheeler
Brandon Whittley



Rusty Williams
Cami Zumwalt
The Eighth Grade
Mr. Dennis Nevin
Lindsey Clift
Sara Davis



Amanda Fogleman
Kyle Foster
Anthony Francisco
Jessica Greif
Karla Kepley
Melanie Kissel



Lorena Leck
Valla Leck
Pamela Martin
Stephanie Martin
Laci Moore
April Novotny



Ashley Odell
Chad Raida
Keena Sallee
Kyanne Schulz
Dustin Stafford
Cami Umbarger



Rick Wallace
Jared Wheeler



WHO ARE THESE FUNNY LOOKIN' PEOPLE???? The seventh and eighth grade classes dressed in P.J.'s and put on crazy make-up and wild hair to show that they have spirit.

Jeremy Wheeler

DON'T TAKE MY PICTURE...I JUST TOOK A BITE! Justin Callarman and friends chow down in Mrs. Kilgore's Home Ec. Class.



WHAT WAS THE QUESTION??? Lorna Leck and Lindsey Clift concentrate on their studies.



ONE, TWO, THREE, KICK!!! The Jr. High cheerleaders perform at a High school basketball game.



COOL CHICKS!!! Kaye Brownlee, Keri Olinger, Bethany Powers, Jena Leck, and Cory Stafford take time out from the Sock Hop to relax.



OUTTA MY WAY!!! Nicole Holtzman gets ready to knock her friends off the end of the slide.





CAUTION! ARTIST ON BOARD!! Coloring a butterfly for the Science Club Project, Stephante Powers works diligently.

YUMMIES FOR MY TUMMY!! Kyle Foster enjoys the treats in Home Ec. Class.



THIS IS HOW YOU DIG. Mr. Walters shows Casey Hougardy how to dig a hole to plant a young tree.



I CAN DO THIS!! Tara Buster shows expertise on the correct method for hula-hooping.



I DREAM OF GENIE.... Rick and Teri Walker take time out during partytime of Story Book Parade Day.

JUNIOR HIGH SPORTS

1997 FOOTBALL PLAYERS: (Back left to right) Coach Lance Peterson, Aaron Tromsness, Dustin Stafford, Rick Wallace, Matt Reed, Scott Howard, Robert Novotny, Carl Ray, Zach Miller, and Coach Tim Siebel. (Middle) Kenneth Lowden, Zach Heady, Chad Raida, Jared Wheeler, Jeremy Wheeler, Ben Carrico, Clayton Orton, and Jamie Wheeler. (Front) Denny Pack, Jessie Holtzman, Brandon Whitley, Mike Greif, Ben Stipp, Travis Green, and Justin Callarman.



1997 VOLLEYBALL PLAYERS: (left to right Back Row) Coach Hasty, Laci Moore, Jessica Greif, Keena Sallee, Stacey Grommet, Lorena Leck, April Novotny, Amanda Fogleman, and Lindsey Clift. (Middle) Keri Olinger, Ashley Odell, Kaye Brownlee, Cami Zumwalt, Jena Leck, Alicia Umbarger, Danae Inman, Cami Umbarger, and Kyanne Schulz. (Front) Tia Heck, Karla Kepley, Sara Davis, Jessica Houston, Melanie Kissel, Amy Pierce, Amy Hohler, Sandy Felter, Kory Stafford, and Bethany Powers.



1997-1998 CHEERLEADERS: (Back left to right) Kory Stafford, Bethany Powers, and Karla Kepley. (Front) Kyanne Schulz, Amanda Fogleman, Jessica Greif, and Lorena Leck.





GIRLS' BASKETBALL Back Row: (left to right): Kyanne Schulz, Lorena Leck, Stacy Grommet, Jessica Grief, and Amanda Fogleman. Middle Row: Keri Olinger, Bethany Powers, Laci Moore, Kaye Brownlee, Alicia Umbarger, and Jena Leck. Front Row: Kory Stafford, Valla Leck, Amy Hohler, Cami Umbarger, and Jessica Houston.



BOYS' BASKETBALL Back Row: (left to right): Jamie Wheeler, Robert Novotny, Rick Wallace, and Kyle Foster. Middle Row: Chad Raida, Clayton Orton, Justin Callarman, Jared Wheeler, and Kent Lowden. Front Row: Michael Grief, Ben Carrico, Dustin Stafford, and Brandon Whitley.



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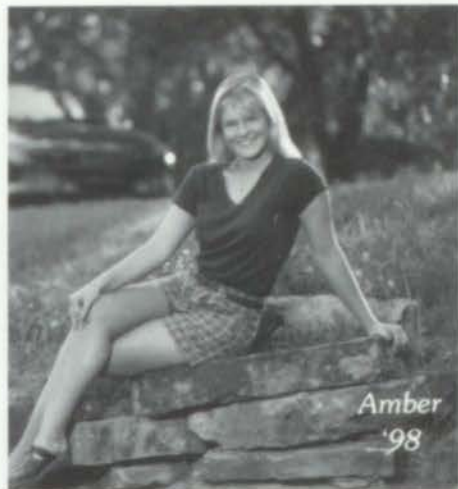


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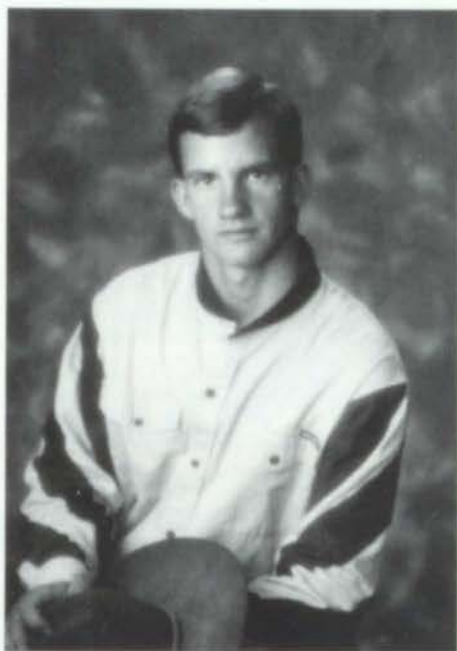
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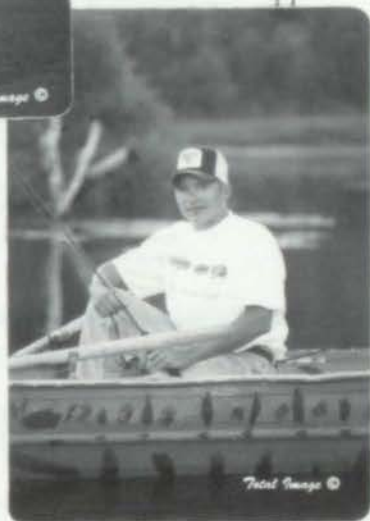
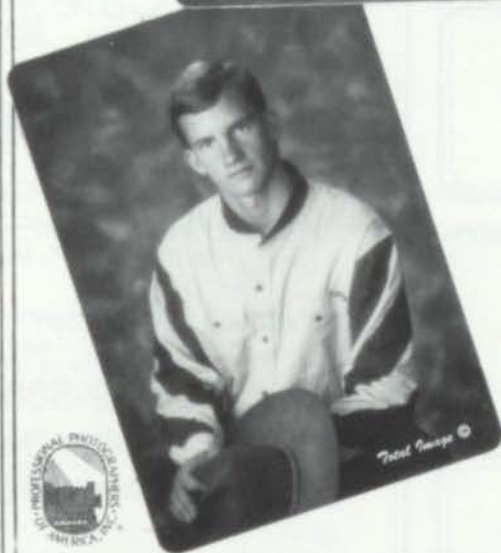
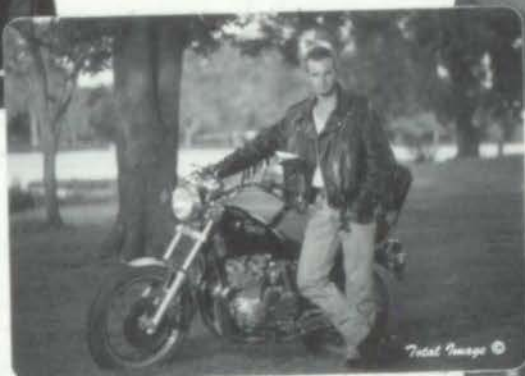
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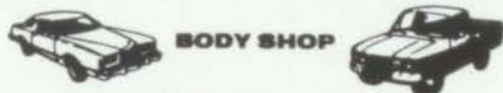
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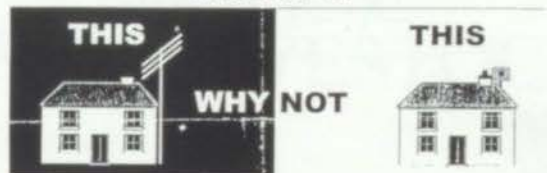
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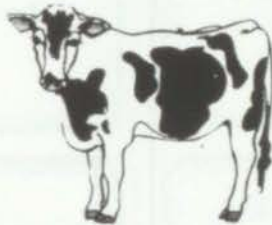
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The volleyball team had a wonderful season 26-7. The football team had a good season winning their district for the second year in a row and advancing to the play-offs. Although they lost, they still did well 4-6. Football spirit week was a fun-filled time. A coed volleyball game was held along with a bonfire and hotdog feed. Luke Thornton was crowned the Volleyball King and Traci Anderson was crowned the Football Homecoming Queen by John Stout.

The grading period stayed the same, every nine weeks. The StuCo held a soccer game for the end of the first nine weeks. McGyver Day was held the last day before Winter break.

The boys' basketball season started off slowly having a new coach and a young team. They still had a good season ending 9-12. The girls' basketball team had a great season advancing to the second round of Regional play-off. Even though they lost, they still had a winning season, 15-7. Mary Showalter was crowned Basketball Homecoming Queen by Layton McCoy.

Spring fever caught on like it does every year. Baseball, softball, and track were blessed with beautiful weather with very few cancellations. The Forensics team also had a fantastic year with four students qualifying for state and one for state-champs.

Prom was held April 18, 1998. Beautiful weather allowed for promenade to be held outside. Prom was a huge success and everyone had a wonderful time. Pictures were taken by Total Image and the D. J. was Mr. Steve Aikins. After-Prom was held at The Flyer Dinner Club.

Baccalaureate was held at the Christian Church on May 10, and the annual Senior Breakfast was served the 15th on the Seniors' last day. Graduation was Sunday, May 17 at 2:00 p.m.

A lot of changes took place this year. Mr. Randy Corns came in as principal and is leaving after only one year. He will be staying in the district, however, becoming the Assistant Superintendent. Good Luck Mr. Corns, we'll all miss you! Mrs. Sharon Page is also retiring after 17 years of service.

Lisa Stich

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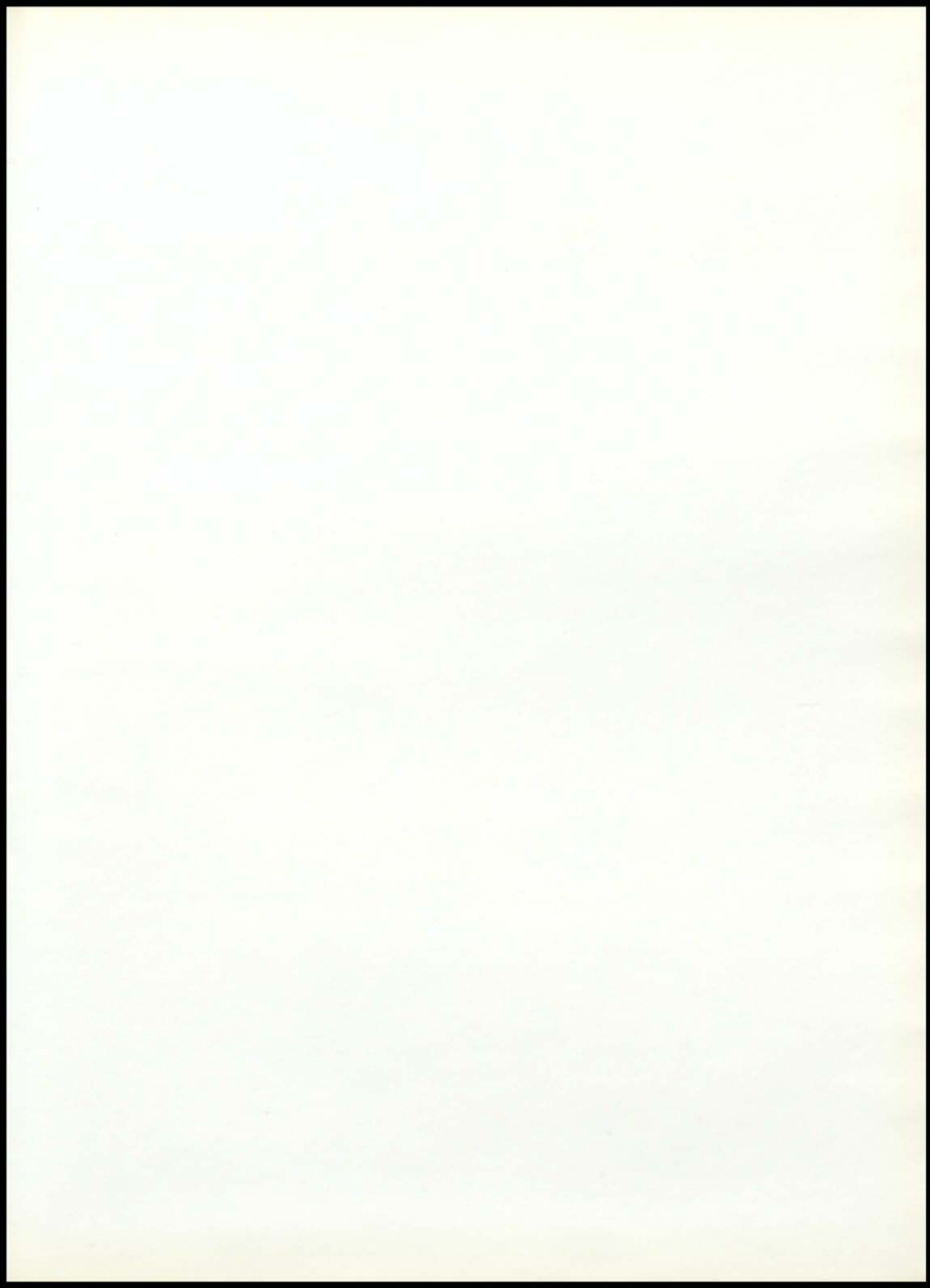
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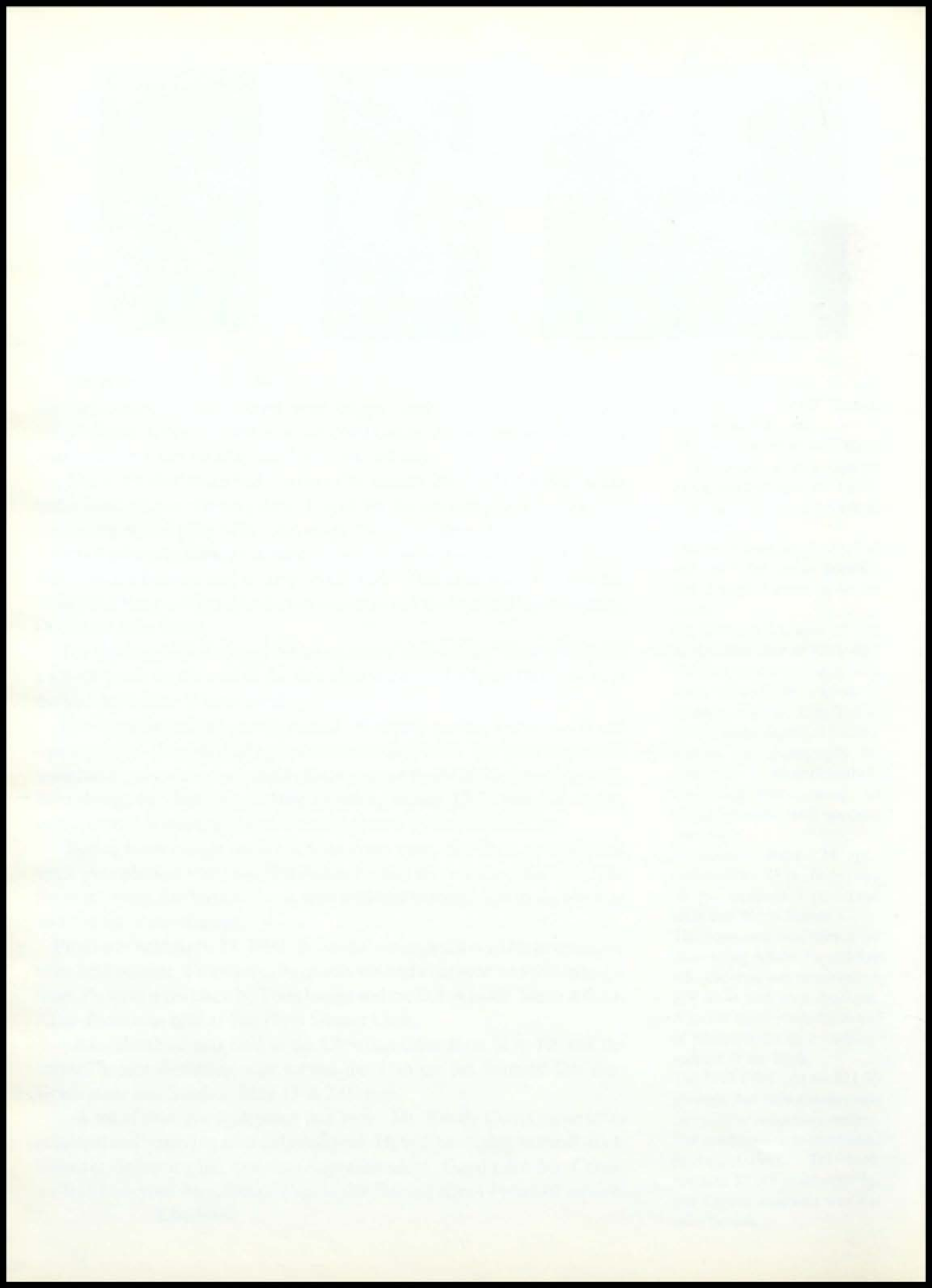
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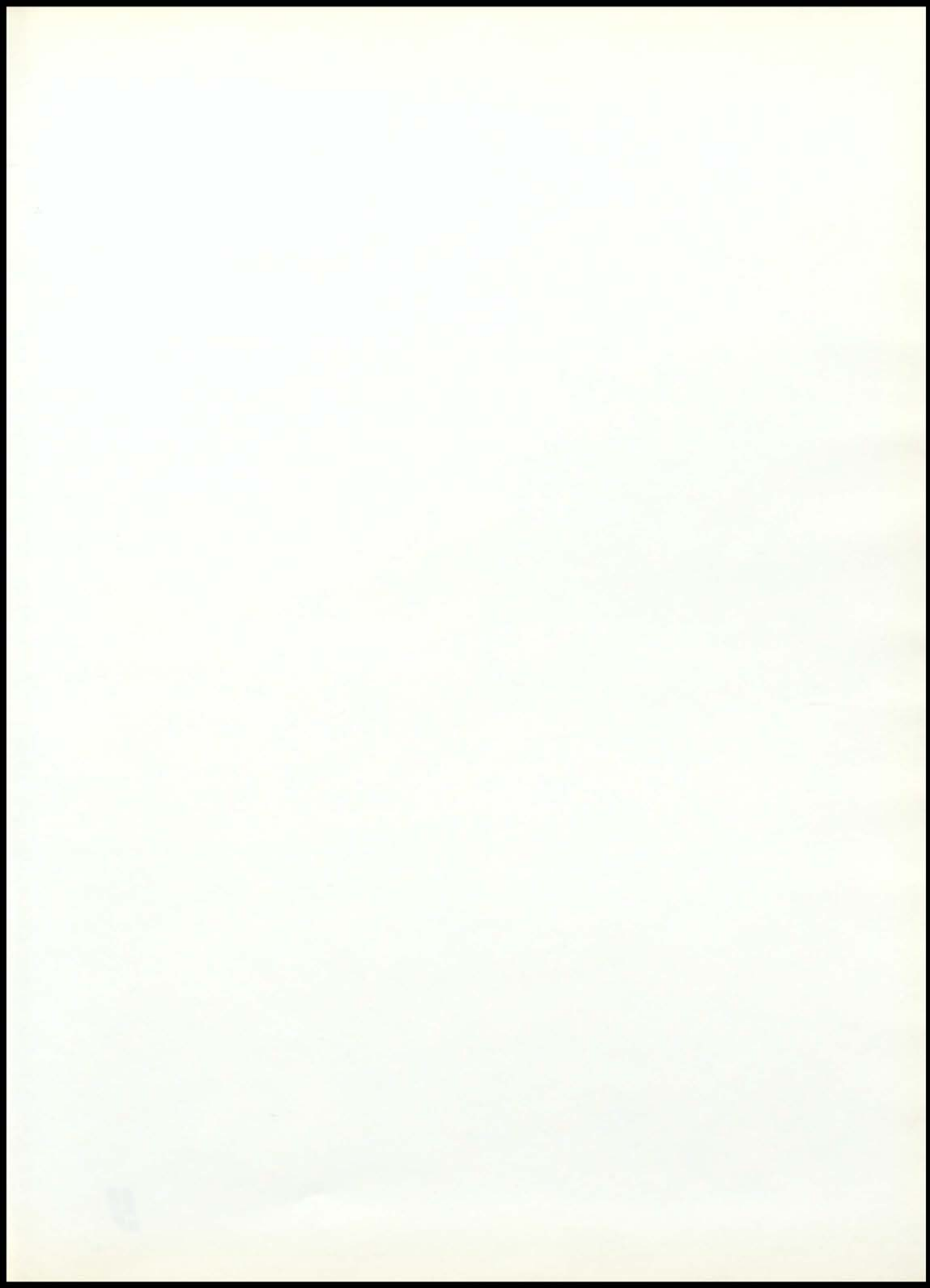
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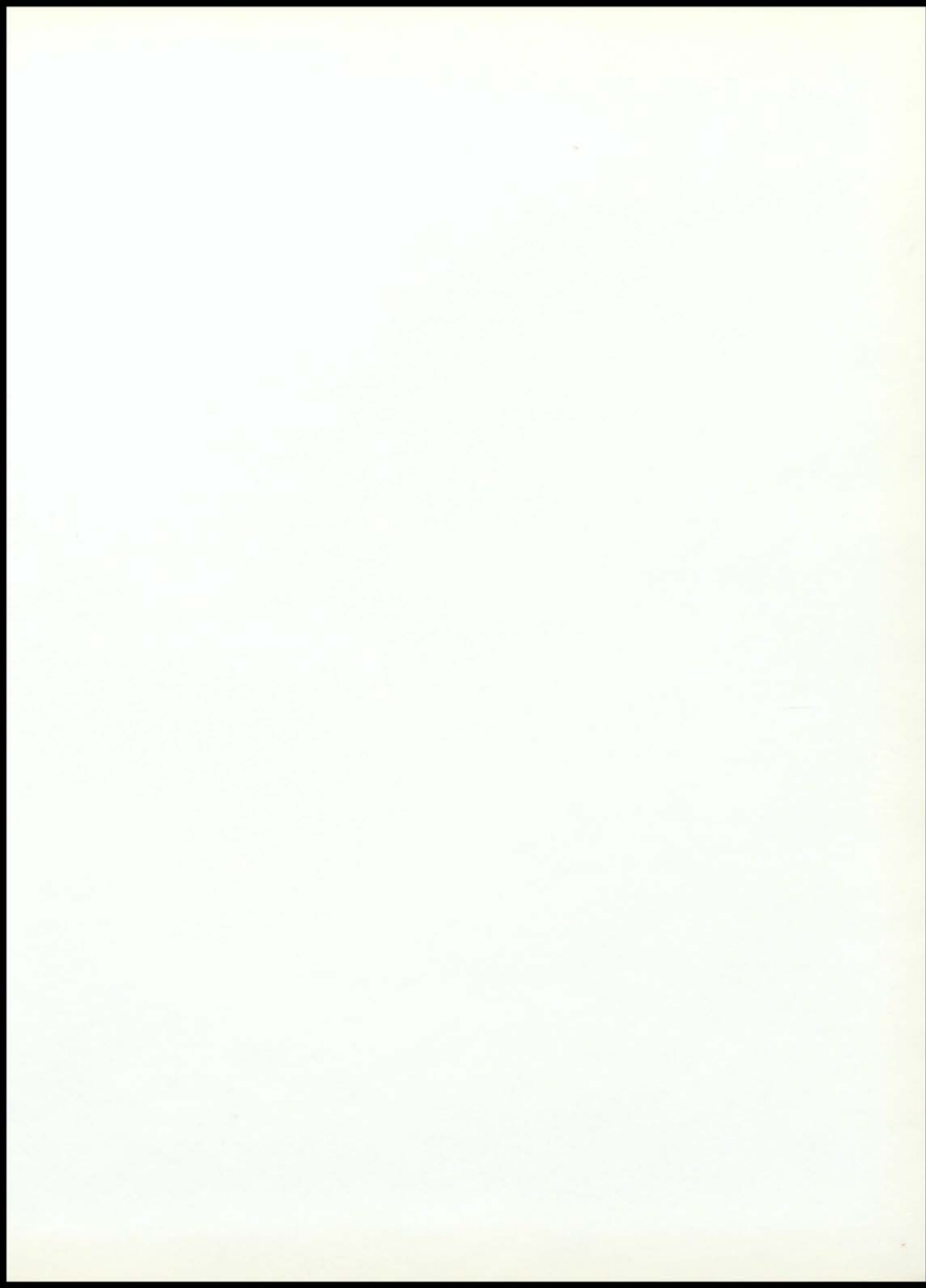
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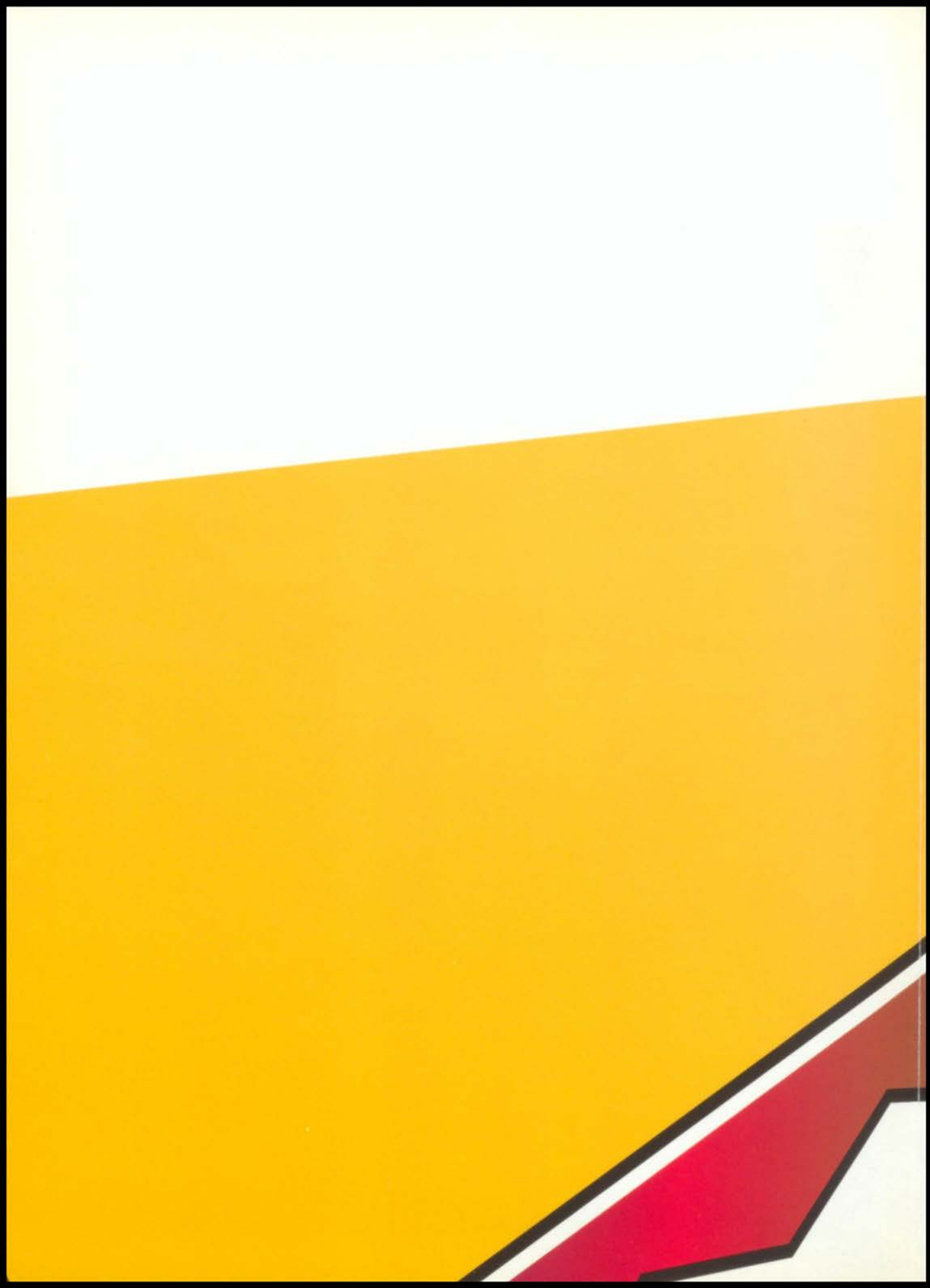
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