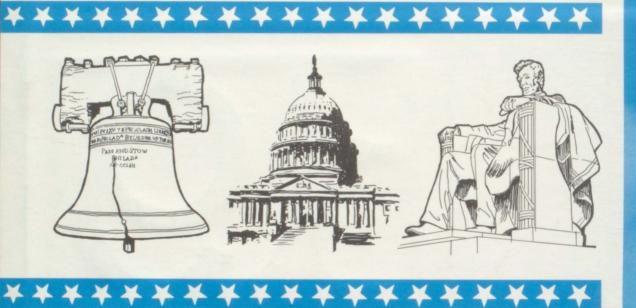
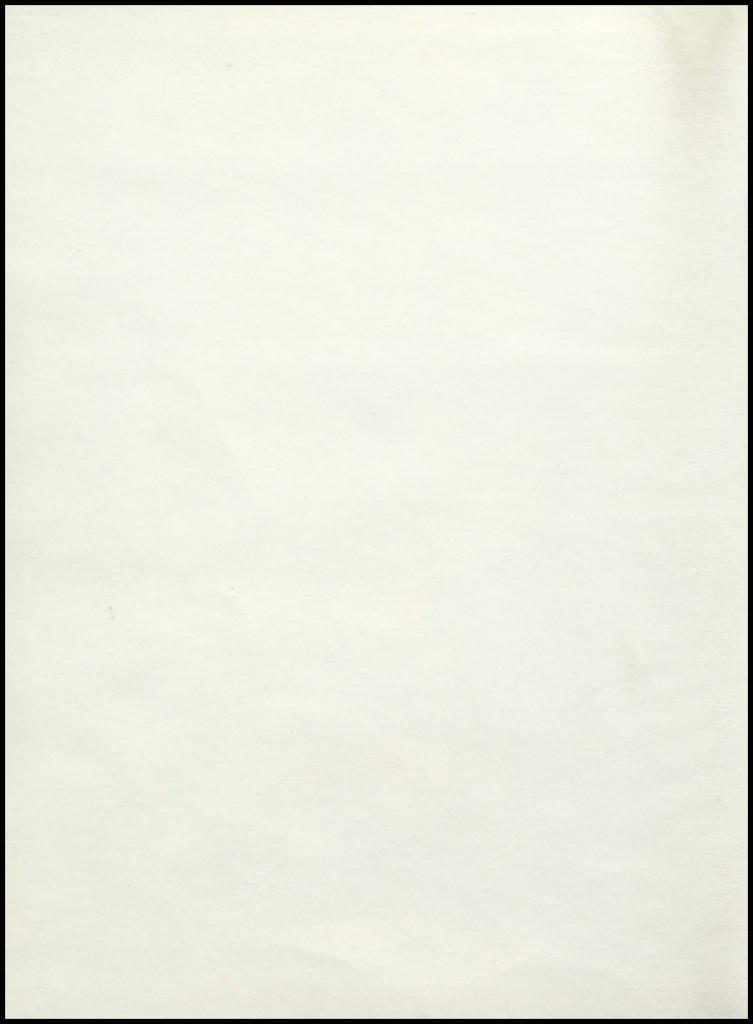
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The idea for this dedication first came when, at the suggestion of the students, Salida High School celebrated "American Appreciation Week." The enthusiastic response of the student body, evidenced by the many and varied activities and displays, made the week one of the most memorable of the school year.

The displays showed clearly that young men and women in Salida recognize that the greatness of their present American Way is a result of the brilliance of the past American Way; that they draw inspiration for the future of the American Way from the ideals—the principles—that their forefathers handed down to them.

The American Way! From soapboxes, from tribunes, from platforms, from teachers, and from loud speakers—the American Way is lauded. Ultimately, the American Way rests on the simple idea that every person has an equal right to make his own choises, to say what he likes, to be heard.



But, as the speaker at graduation pointed out, there is a danger in this doctrine that can only be countered by clear-thinking men and women. An arrogant people may be overthrown and enslaved; an ignorant people may be misled; a weak people may be herded or stampeded; a selfish people may be victimized.

It is through such activities as "American Appreciation Week" that we gain a better understanding of our system and minimize the dangers to it. Thus, in the belief that the week made a significant contribution to the education process of all of us at Salida High School we dedicate this annual to the AMERICAN WAY:

- a tungamental belief in equality;
- a humanitarian concept of human nature;
- a dedication to the idea of progress;
- a faith in the soundness of majority rule;
- an unswerving support for the freedom of dissent.

ANNUAL STAFF

Here we see the annual staff-those people responsible for the planning and production of the 1967-68 La Resume. It is their hope that this new book faithfully records the events which made the school year a memorable one for us all.

Linda Cardinelli - Bruce Bergeson

Dennis Shepherd - Robert Reno



Frankie Coscarella `Rosemary Cardinelli





Jackie Hemmert - Bob Hasselbrink



William A. Webb, sponsor





Karen Carlson - Rose and Linda







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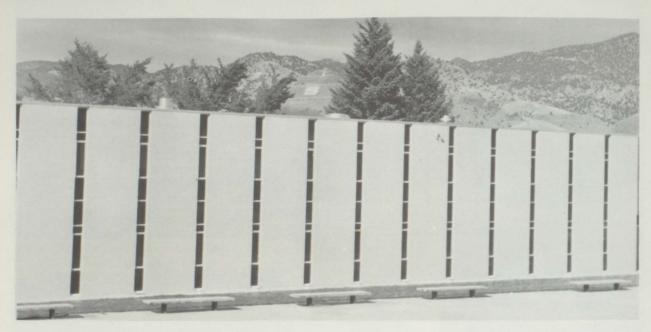


Karen, Frankie, Regina Gore, Linda, Jackie, Rose, Paul Bisguard, and Ray.

THE TENDERFOOT "S"

This Salida high school symbol, built and maintained by the S Club, seems to dominate the area and is certainly a sight and symbol that none of us will soon forget.

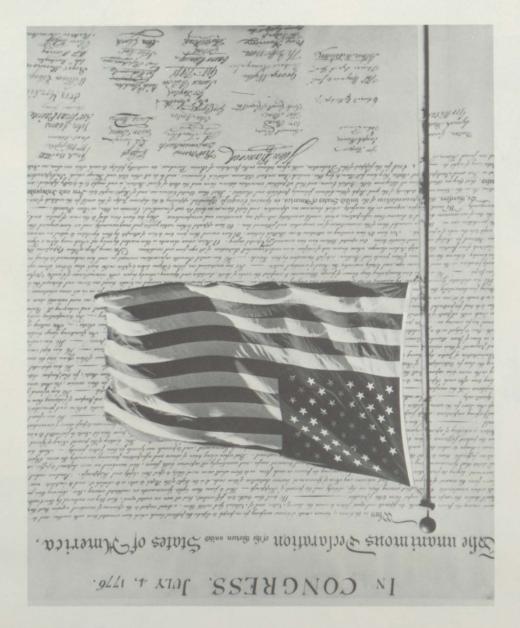








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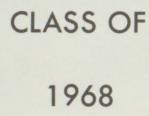


Richard McClure President

Class Motto - TO RISE ABOVE THE ROARING TIDE

Class Colors - GREEN AND SILVER

Class Flower - GREEN AND WHITE ORCHIDS





Cheryl Clark Treasure



Valedictorian - MARK STUART RUTTUM

Salutatorian - ROBERT RANDOLPH HEBERER



David Osborne Vice President



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Cherrilyn Atchison

Antoinette M. Barbiero







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Sharon Lee Bouvia

Donald P. Brinkerhoff







William J. Campbell
Rosemarie Cardinelli
Karen Ann Carlson













Jacquelyn R. Carricato
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Frankie L. Coscarella
Bernard B. Coupland







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Fredrick D. Cupelli







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Margaret A. Everett







Vincent M. Ferraro

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Linda S. Gallegos







Barbara A. Gardunio
Celeste K. Garrett
Frankie E. Giles







Joseph Gonzales
Regina L. Gore
G. Kirk Grantham













Diana K. Granzella

George R. Hasselbrink

Robert R. Heberer







R. Jacklyn Hemmert
Robert L. Henry
Gary C. Humes







Bret Koster
Barbara J. Kurtz







Ronald E. Lahmeyer

Jacob P. Leewaye

Ronald K. Lewis



The "Ship of Democracy" was part of the senior display for American Appreciation week. In the hall were the names of many outstanding Americans, both past and present. The seniors placed second in the competition.



Rita K. Litzenberger



Juanita V. Maestas





Georgia Ann Margos Cheryl Lynne Martin







Raul R. Martinez

Verla M. Miller

Mary E. Moyes







Connie A. McCarl
Michael L. Nay







Nancy B. Nielsen
Roger J. Norton
Clayton N. Ogden







Harry C. Palmer

Gayle L. Perez

Kevin Phillips

Pamela R. Post John H. Purdy Robert J. Reno

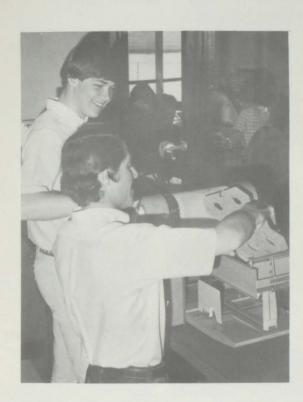
Robert Rich























Randall K. Rupp

Mark S. Ruttum







Edwin J. Salvi

Dennis C. Shepherd

Raymond J. Skufca







Jerry Smith

Keith E. Smith

Rhonda M. Smith







Stephen D. Standeford

Kevin M. Swift

Bernice J. Tafoya





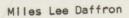














Gene Guccione





SENIOR HOMECOMING FLOAT



Walter A. Walker





Sharl A. Wieck W. Kathleen Woods Ronald O. Wyble



SOCIAL STUDIES

The Social Studies Department at Salida high school features a broad curriculum ranging from Economics and Current World Affairs, to African History and Sociology. Other courses offered by the department include World History, American History, American Government, History of Asia, America since 1945, and Latin American History.



DONALD SCHMIDLI History Economics



FRANK A. MEYER History Sociology



WILLIAM WEBB American Government



WAYNE E. SPENCER History World Affairs

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB



Front row from left to right: Maralyn Berndt, Judy Johnson, Cheryl Martin, Nancy Nielsen, and Diana Granzella; Second row: Susan Thomas, Joyce Bondurant Melinda Myers, Peggy Conroe, William Friend, and Kathy Coan; Third row: Mr. Meyer, Gene Barnett, Barbara Blackwell, Mark Ruttum, Luaine Blackwell, Bret Koster, and Mark Peterson.

Sophomores busy in Mr. Meyer's World History class







ADMINISTRATION

Here is the directing force, the power behind policies, traditions, activities, and programs. Those pictured on these pages are bound with the faculty in a single purpose—the planned growth and development of the school, the curriculum, and each student.

SCHOOL BOARD



Robert R. Rush, Vice-President; Dr. Edward C. Budd, President Eadres R. Glenn, Treasurer; Dr. Wendell F. Hutchinson; Bert Mitchell; Dr. Robert A. Hoover; Robert J. Kurtz.



HELEN H. BAIRD Secretary to Superintendent School Board Secretary

WILLIAM ANDREAS Superintendent of Schools





CHARLES O. MELIEN Principal of Salida High School

JAMES E. KROPP Guidance



HERBERT GIFFORD Guidance

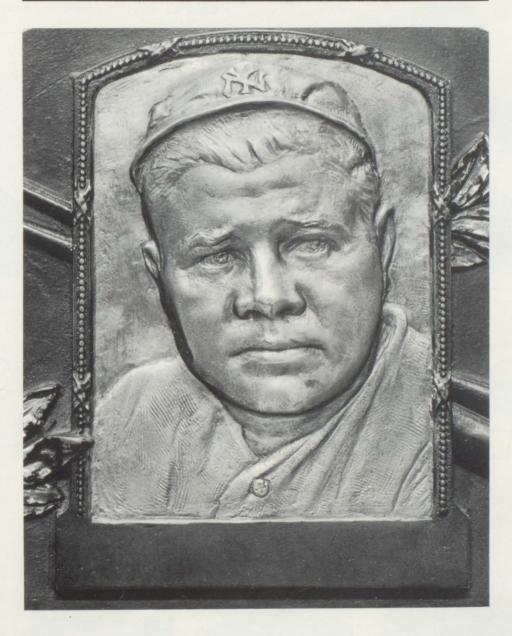


CHRISTINA GILES
Secretary to Principal



AUTOGRAPHS





ATHLETICS

FOOTBALL



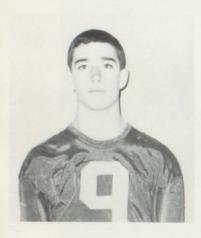
Ron Wyble Defensive end*



Eddie Jo Salvi Halfback*



Steve Russell Offense & Defense Line*



Mike Coan Secondary*



Bernie Coupland Manager



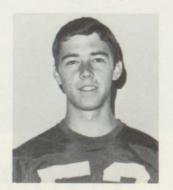
Dave Francis Linebacker *

The twelve seniors pictured on these pages will be missed when the Spartans take to the gridiron this fall. Although Salida won only four games during the past season, squad members provided many thrilling moments the local fans will long remember.

Don Brinkerhoff



John Purdy



Dave Osborne



Ron Lewis



*All-conference



Vince Ferraro



Keith Smith



Fred Cupelli Co-Captain



Rick McClure



Fred Trujillo

THE RECORD

SALIDA0	SALIDA45
CANON CITY24	MANITOU0
SALIDA67	SALIDA6
WOODLAND PARK0	LEADVILLE19
SALIDA0	SALIDA26
CANON ABBEYO	BUENA VISTA6
SALIDA6	SALIDA40
ALAMOSA9	MT. CARMEL0

SALIDA----2 FOUNTAIN----22



Bruce Dunavin

Rob Mickel

Rob Meyers



Jim Luchetta



Art Hutchison

Rick Martinez



Floyd Stallsworth

Bill Webb



Gary Mickel











Front Row, Left to Right: Robert Mickel, Fred Cupelli, Harry Palmer, Randy Rupp, Keith Smith, Rick McClure, Dave Francis, Bruce Dunavin, Tork Stallsworth, Eddie Salvi, Fred Trujillo. Second Row: Mike Coan, John Purdy, Dave Osborne, Steve Russell, Ron Wyble, Ron Lewis, Don Brinkerhoff, Jim Luchetta, Ron Beauregard, Bob Rich, Ross Gardener. Third Row: Rob Myers, Art Hutchinson, Gary Mickel, Bill Webb, Rick Martinez, Russell Plewes, Bill Meyers, Vince Ferraro, Kirk Smith, Terry Witty. Fourth Row: Coach Don Schmidli, Coach Gary Lyons, Manager Bernie Coupland, Manager Chester Chandler, Coach Jim Gentile.







DON SCHMIDLI Basketball Football



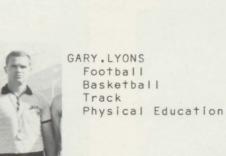
JIM LYTLE Skiing

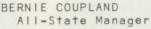
JIM KROPP(pictured elsewhere)
Cross Country
Tennis



BILL ANDREAS Golf

The Salida high school athletic program, which has been expanding for several years, grew even faster this year with the opening of the new Field House. Golf, tennis, skiing, wrestling, and cross country took a place beside football, basketball, and track and were solid competitors with the three traditional sports for athletes and spectators. In addition, intramural sports were expanded as was the girls' gymnastic activity. A girls' track squad was fielded by Salida for the first time. This team sent five girls to the state meet where one of them, Margaret Dunckhorst, placed second in the high jump.







JIM GENTILE
Football
Wrestling
Track
Physical Education



BARBARA RILEY
Physical Education
Skiing
Gymnastics
Track





DAVE TRUJILLO Wrestling



Fred Cupelli







Rick McClure

Shown on these two pages are the Spartan hoopsters who were on the "A" squad this year.

Although the local cagers didn't go to "state" this year, (it has become almost a custom in the past dozen years) they did supply the local fans with the usual number of hard-fought ball games.

Three varsity members, Floyd Stallsworth, Terry Witty and Greg Post will be back to play again next season.

Seniors included Fred Cupelli, Rick McClure, Bob Henry, Ron Lewis, Ed Salvi, Jake Leewaye and Harry Palmer.

Rick McClure and Jake Leewaye were named to the Pikes Peak League All-Conference team.



Bob Henry

Greg Post

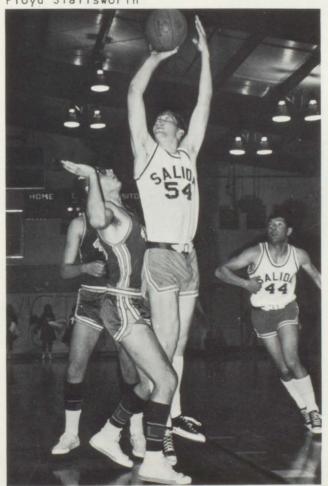






Eddie Salvi

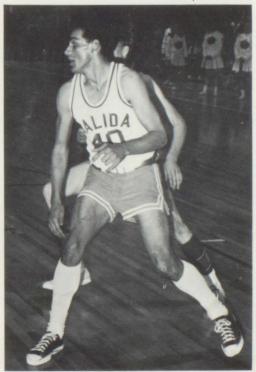
Floyd Stallsworth





Jake Leewaye

Harry Palmer





Front Row, left to right: Bob Henry, Harry Palmer, Jake Leewaye, and Terry Witty; Second Row: Rick McClure, Eddie Jo Salvi, Fred Cupelli, and Jim Luchetta; Third Row: Coach Gary Lyons, Floyd Stallsworth, Greg Post, Ron Lewis, Head Coach Don Schmidli.

"B" SQUAD



Front row, left to right: Ned Zamarripa, Don Wilkins, Kirk Smith, John Tafoya; second row: Mike Rush, David McCarl, Bryon Smith, Tom Berry, and Chester Chandler, Manager.



The first track letters ever presented to girls at Salida High School were awarded by Miss Riley to Frankie Scanga, Barbara Mooney, Laurie Everett, Peggie Conroe, Cris Cady, Margaret Dunkhorst(who took a second in the State Meet), and Regina Gustafson.

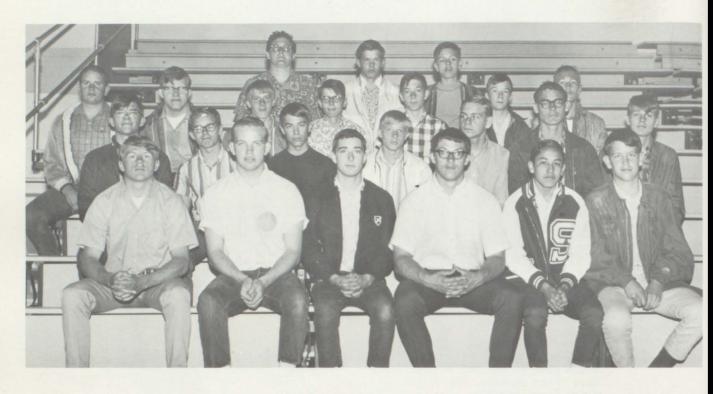
The events of Saturday, May II, 1968, (the date of the first girl's track meet in Salida) seemed to point to a bright future for Spartan female track squads. The Salida girls scored nineteen times and captured first place Saturday in five of the eleven events. As for the future, not one of the girls scoring points for Salida was a senior.

Those winning events included Peggy Conroe, the 70 yard hurdles and 50 yard dash; Laurie Everett, in the 220; Margaret Dunckhorst, high jump; and the 880 relay team. Girls not taking firsts, but scoring in more than one event were Barbara Mooney, Chris Cady, Wanda Canterbury, and Maralyn Berndt.



Front row, left to right: Merry Witty, Kathleen Crum, Wanda Canterbury, Sandra Jay, Peggy Conroe; second row: Chris Cady, Becky Loften, Lois Harper, Rajeana Gustafson, Barbara Moomey, Laurie Everett; third row: Susan Conroe, Marilyn Berndt, Ginger McCormick, Cathy Clark, Carolyn Hower, Miss Riley.

WRESTLING SQUAD



Front row, left to right: Bob Rich, Steve Russel, Mike Coan, Dave Francis, George Roybal, Bill Berkey; second row: Kirby Perschbacker, Brain Hurley, Jon McBroom, James Monserud, Paul Ottmer, Ray Skufca, Kenneth Bondurant; thrid row: Ed Finch, Harold Alber, David Monserud, Gary Bondurant, Steve Harrison, Rocky Campbell, James Rizor; fourth row: Steve Dunavin, Wayne Heideman, Joe DeLuca.



DAVE FRANCIS

These Spartan wrestlers went to "State."



BOB RICH





The 1967-68 school year marked the second season for Spartan wrestling. Pictured here are a few of the boys, all underclassmen, who will assure an even better season next year.



BOB OCHS



MIKE COAN



RON BEAUREGARD



GARY MICKEL



ROB MICKEL



STEVE RUSSELL



SALIDA HIGH'S NEW FIELD HOUSE

The Field House, the largest structure in the Salida area, was opened officially during the basketball season. The opening night crowd of more than 2000 saw a basketball game, a wrestling match, an exhibit by the gymnasts, and a Pom Pon show.









TENNIS TEAM



Front row, left to right: Jim Giles, Frankie Scanga, Cal Costin; second row: Barbara Mooney, Mark Ruttum, Terry Dickman, Laurie Everett.

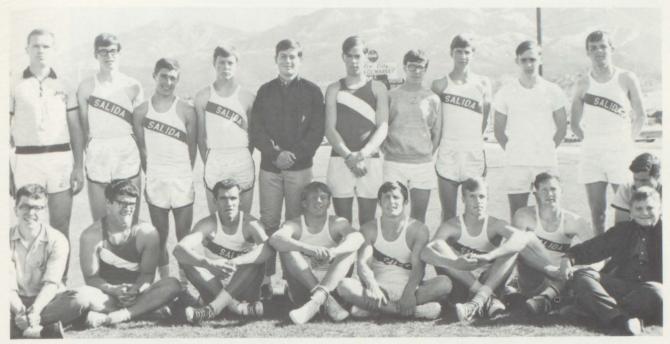
GOLF



Front row, left to right: Kevin Andreas, Steve Harrison, Bob Young Second row: Mike Rush, John Thompson, Mark Ruttum, Bret Koster.

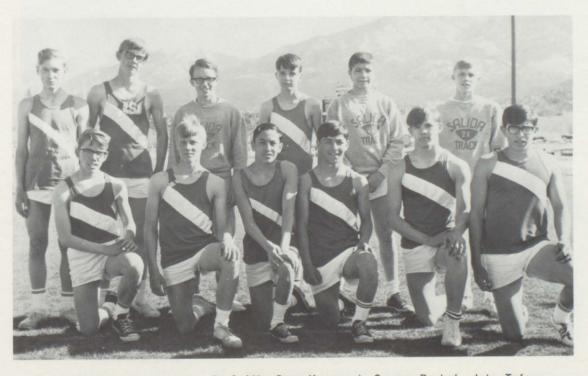
SQUAD

VARSITY TRACK



Front row, left to right: Bernie Coupland, Dave Francis, Harry Palmer, Bob Rich, Bruce Dunavin, Greg Post, Floyd Stallsworth, Leslie Price, Mr. Gentile; second row: Mr. Lyons, Larry Larcom, Mike Coan, Terry Witty, Dan Voyles, Mike Lewis, Scott Koster, Robin Hicks, Bill Leathers, Gene Barnett.

FRESHMAN SQUAD



Front row, left to right: Ed Smith, Dave Monserud, George Roybal, John Tafoya, Wayne Heideman, Ned Zamarripa. Second row: Jim Rizor, Don Hicks, Bryon Hurley, Gary Bondurant, Steve Kane, Jim Monserud.

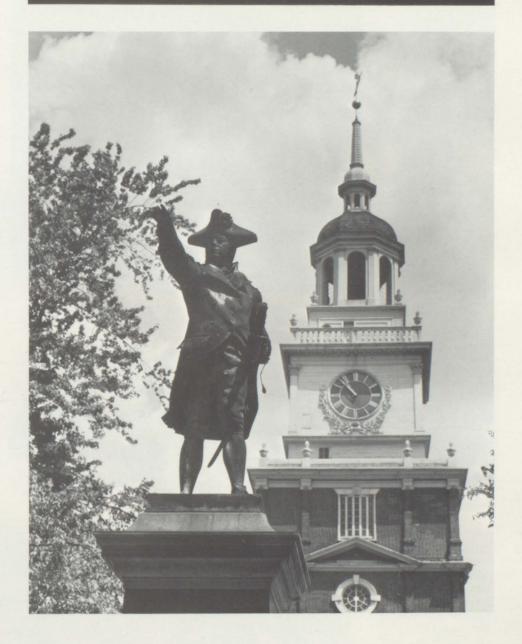


Front row, left to right: Mike Lewis, Bill Webb, Steve Russell, Robert Tafoya: second row: Art Hutchinson, Gary Mickel, Terry Witty; third row: Dave Francis, Ron Beauregard, Mike Coan, Greg Post.



Front row left to right: Ron Wyble, Fred Cupelli, Eugene Roybal, Gene Barnett, Bernie Coupland; second row: Keith Smith, Ron Lewis, Fred Trujillo, Bob Rich; third row: Bob Henry, Bruce Dunavin, Harry Palmer, Jake Leewaye, and Mark Ruttum.





JUNIORS

Juniors



Sherri Melavic, Vice President; Carol Koenig, President; Rhonda Haley, Sec.-Treasurer











Kathy Ausbun Gary Baird Maralyn Berndt Karen Bowden Dorthy Bussey

Linda Cardinelli Ron Carpenter Bob Coleman Peggie Ann Conroe Cal Costin





















Reginia ^{*}Cross Doyle Dague Barbara DeHerrera Terry Dieckman Connie Dunavin

Margaret Dunckhorst Steve Englert Laurie Everett Cheryl Freek William Friend





















Linda Glenn Tim Grantham Rhonda Haley Irene Haskett Frank Holmañ

Donette Hower Judy Johnston Laura Johnson Rene Leonardi Carla Lepper





















Mike Lewis Linda Lohr Cheryl Maltas Shirley Martellaro Steve Medina

Lucille Meyer Bill Meyers Melinda Myers Robert Mickel Phyllis Montoya













Part of the display put up by the Juniors during American Appreciation week.



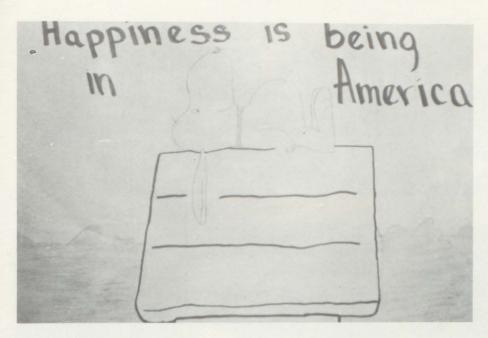








Barbara Mooney Vance Mumma Penny McCoy Margie McDowell Debbie Ochs





The juniors borrowed Snoopy to help express their feelings during American Appreciation Week. Other juniors shown here include Lucille Meyers and Robert Tafoya at top, and Cheryl Maltas and Linda Lohr at bottom. Right, Melinda Myers and Marilyn Berdnt during the American Week celebration.















Ronnie Odell Kenneth Plewes Russell Plewes Steve Russell Frankie Scanga

Mari Ann Shake Kirk Smith Karen Smyth Floyd Stallsworth Jeannine Stoker





















Mike Stotler Marjorie Struna Robert Tafoya Leonard Talkington John Thompson

Elizabeth Trujillo Jim Trujillo Ellen Carla Valdez Carol Veltri William Dan Voyles





















Bill Webb Diane Wickers Ronald Wilkins Catherine Williams Terry Witty

Darlene Zeleznikar Dennis DeLong Barbara Blackwell Cathy Martinez Sherry Melavic















Mike Perry Fred Provenza Roberta Romero Henry Fear Robert Kreller

Carol Koenig Jim Luchetta Mark Peterson Greg Post Robert Wedige

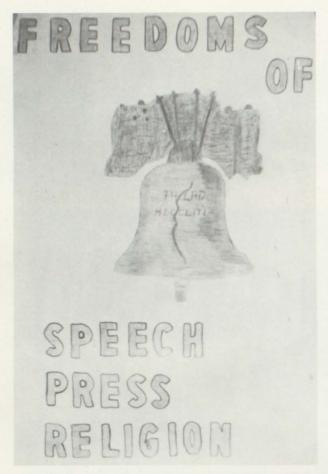
















Above, part of the junior display for American Appreciation week. Above right, Steve Medina and Melinda Meyers. Right, Ken Plewes. Below, juniors entertain at the junior-senior banquet: Steve Russell, Kirk Smith, Mari Ann Shake, Carol Koenig and Cheryl Maltas.



LANGUAGE



ROBERTA KOENIG Commercial English



ADA JANE MELIEN English Language Arts



LAUREN E. KING French

The Language Arts program, which received national recognition during the year, is the big news in the language area at Salida high.

Eleven different quarter courses are now offered to seniors and to selected juniors under the program. In addition, a basic English course was added to the curriculum for Freshmen during the year. This course will be expanded to the sophomore level in the coming year.



DONALD CUSTER English Spanish Language Arts



WILLIAM WEBB Journalism English



BEATRICE CATO English



LEOLA CARROCCIA Speech



DONNA MCCLURE English



Honors as best actor and best actress of the year went to Gene Barnett and Luaine Blackwell.

"Ten Little Indians," a three act mystery by Agatha Christie, was presented by the Dramatics Club in February. Yhe cast included Gene Barnett, Cherri Atchison, Luaine Blackwell, Bret Koster, Mary Moyes, and Cheryl Martin, all seniors; juniors Steve Russell, Greg Post, and Robert Tafoya; and two sophomores: Lyle Warren and Bill Leathers.



DRAMATIC CLUB



Front row, left to right: Greg Post, Gene Barnett, Bret Koster, Luaine Blackwell, Cheryl Maltas, Peggy Conroe, Scott Koster, Bill Leathers, Lyle Warren; second row: Cathy Williams, Georgia Margos, Cheryl Martin, Mary Moyes, Merry Witty, Mary Kay Provenza, Barbara Blackwell, Sandra Jay, Chet Chandler; third row: Linda Fowler, Vailia Williams, Janelle Crisman, Ginger McCormick, Jan Barbiero, Sheri Post, Susan Conroe, Pam Coba; fourth row: Steve Russell, Lynn Parker, Mary Lynn Veltri, Lauri Everett, Carol Veltri Barbara Mooney, Gloria Hurley, Cheryl Ogden, Daralee Coba; fifth row: Ron Tafoya, Becky Lofton, Janelle Harper, Melinda Meyers, Karen Culp, Kirk Smith



Front row, left to right, Nita Maestas, Peggy Everett, Sharl Wieck, Rhonda Smith; second row: Lucille Meyer, Mrs. Brown, Linda Lohr, Janet Lohr, Sharyl Baird, Regina Cross, Claudine Medina.



Some of the girls to receive library awards were Sharon Murray, Claudine Medina, Linda Lohy, Janet Lohr, Linda Harrington, Regina Cross, Dorothy Bussey, Gloria Bussey, and Pat Comer.



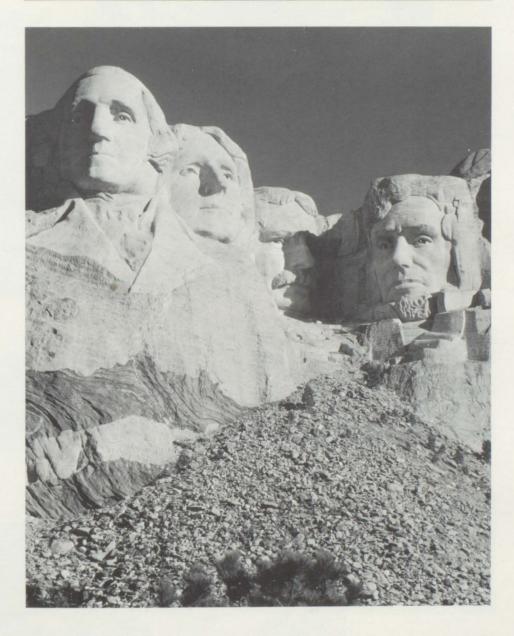
Seniors taking Language Arts
have a wide range of courses from
which to choose. Included in
this curriculum are Expository
Writing, Vocabulary Development,
The Novel, two courses in English
Literature, Drama, Speech, Short
Story, and Grammer. Each of the
courses lasts nine weeks, and
it is possible for a senior to
take as many as eight offerings
during the year. Selected juniors
are also eligible to participate
in the program on a limited basis.

Freshmen English students have a hard time keeping their minds on the lesson when the camera is present.



Autographs





SOPHOMORES

Sophomores



Carole Ehmke, Vice President; Gary Mickel, President; Vailia Williams, Sec.-Treasurer











Harold Alber Danny Alloy Kevin Andreas Bill Argys Sharyl Baird











Lanelle Barnett Ron Beauregard Bill Berkey Cheryl Berry Tom Berry











Paul Bisgaard Tom Blamey Linda Brand† David Bridges Gloria Bussey











Tim Butala Jay Butterfield Kerrie Cable Carol Carter Chet Chandler











Mike Coan Lee Coba Diane Cook Lynola Cook Ellen Cooksey











Janelle Crisman Vicki Cross Virginia Dalpiaz Harold Dooley Betty Eggleston











Carol Ehmke
Hojly Englert
Linda Fowler
Jim Fowler
Sue Furphy











Tiva Freeman Sidney Glovan Steve Kane Gail Larcom Larry Larcom

Jim Giles Edna Giron Betty Glenn Ann Gordon Linda Harrington





















Janet Henderson Kathy Henderson Roy Hicks Carolyn Hower Gloria Hurley

Art Hutchison Mary Ann Kaess Scott Koster Debbie Larson Bill Leathers





















Steve Litzenberg Tom Maestas Nick Margos Cindy Martillaro Connie Martinez













Lawrence Martinez Rick Martinez Tom Martinez Linda Maupin David McCarl

Deborah McQueen Verna McVey Claudine Medina Gary Mickel Brenna Mitchell













Pictured here are some of the sophomores who served for the Junior-Senior Banquet. Above, Karrie Cable, Kathy Henderson, Janelle Crisman, Vailia Williams, Cindy Martellaro, and Lanelle Barnett. At right, Chester Chandler and Lyle Warren. Below, Connie Martinez, Brenna Mitchell, Linda Fowler, Terri Stotler, Holly Englert, and Diana Cook.















Tom Musgrove Robert Myers Joe Nachtrieb Melinda Norton Bob Ochs

Cheryl Ogden Cynthia Osborne Kenneth Bondurant Lyn Parker Carmen Pasquale













Sophomore Homecoming Float

Debbie Peay Valerie Pennington Kerby Perschbacker Leon Post Leslie Price



























Jesse Purdy Jeff Riley Thomas Rix Mike Rush Shelia Russell

Rosemary Sell Lynette Stallsworth Sheriee Standeford Daniel Stotler Terrie Stotler





















Robert Thomas Mark Thonoff Bill Bauser Mary Lynn Veltri Lyle Warren

Robert Warner Gary Watts Sharon Wilkins Ed Williams Vailia Williams





















Mike Vigil Lloyd Vorwald Bobby Young Brent Allen Kenny Armenta





Charles Pasquale Nanette Earl Larry Martinez John Pello Debbie Kapelke



Jim Garcia Terry Carter Denny Bertrand Ken Boundurant Alvin Edlund













CLASSROOM

SNAPSHOTS



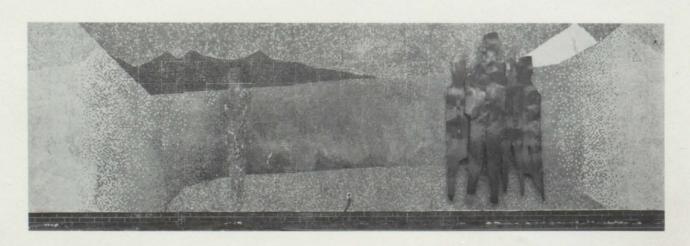


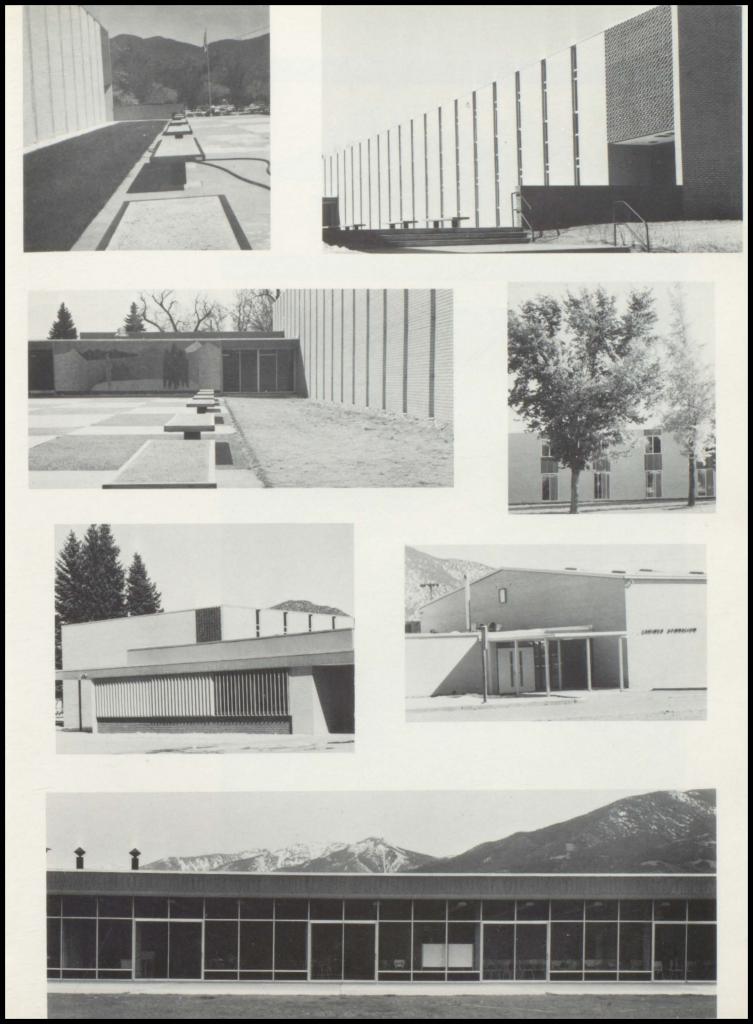






Here are the symbols we associate with Salida high school. The Spartan head, the victory bell, the "S" on Tenderfoot, and the mural





Autographs





FRESHMEN

Freshmen



Jerry Cross, Vice President; David Monserud, President; Virginia Ausbun, Sec.-Treasurer











Neva Butterfield Cheryle Calvano Chris Cady Wanda Canterbury Mary Lou Carelli

Cathy Clark Pam Coba Patricia Comer Susan Conroe Tim Costin





















Wanda Couch Janette Crisman Jerry Cross Kathleen Crum Karen Culp











Tim Cunningham Joanne DeGrazio Bruce Dague Dallas Dague Joe DeLuca

Danny Dunn Susan Emehiser Jack Ehman Bob Ferraro Ed Finch



















Roy Friend Donnald Glenn Kenny Glovan Bobby Gordon Cindy Graf

Wayne Heideman Sharon Hewitt Rex Hemmert Donald Hicks Donna Hicks





















Daniel Granzella Frank Guccione Rajeana Gustafson Steve Harrison Lois Harper







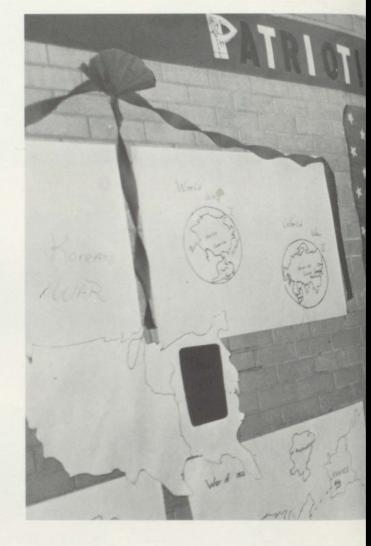




Betsy Holman Kristi Howard Sharon Jackson Sandra Jay Clarence Kelso

















Mark Kroeger Jim Kurtz Paula LaCoe Kenny Lindbloom Linda Litzenberger

Becky Loften
Janet Lohr
Larry Marques
Diane Martellaro
Kathy Medina

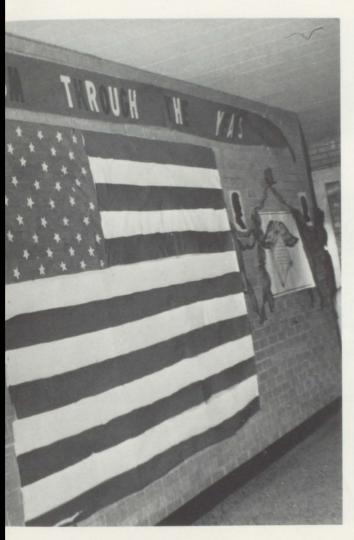














"Patriotism Through the Years" was the theme of the Freshmen display during American Appreciation Week.



Lorene Mitchell Sallie Meyers Patsy Myers Ginger McCormick David Monserud





















James Monserud Jon McBroom Thomas McCarl Randy Odell Juanita Padilla

Dennis Pello Christine Post Cheri Post Stephen Post Karen Purcell











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Edith Purcell James Rizor Neil Roybal Ken Schwitzer Brian Smith

Edwin Smith Frances Struna John Tafoya William Thomas Terry Treat





















Kristi Upp Paul Usnick Margaret Velasquez Josephine Vigil Don Wilkins



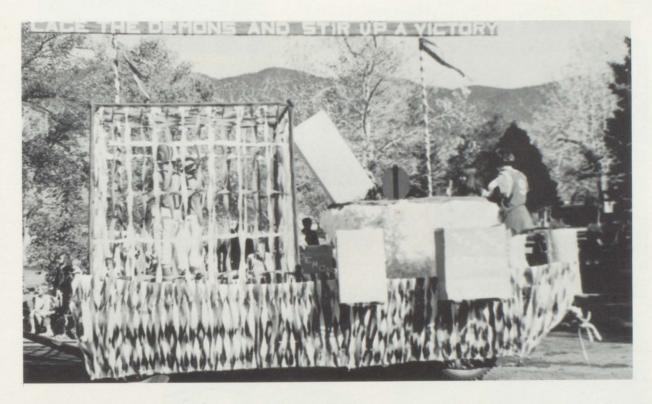








Merry Witty Don Wyble Ned Zamarripa Lee Bowden Rocky Campbell



Here is the Freshmen float that took the first place prize in the annual Football Homecoming parade: Cage the Demons and Stir Up a Vistory.

Virginia Ausbun Jan Barbiero Gary Bondurant Jerry Carter Ellen Cline





















Jonnie Carey Janice Carter Charles Caynor Rusty Chacon Denise Champlin

Glen Crites Richard Cunico Steve Dunavin Vicky Finley Bryon Hurley





















Stephen Kane Pat Koenig Bill Lowry Jim Martinez Louise Martinez

Ted Moyes Joe Nelson Mary Provenza Brian Smith Terry Treat











SCIENCE - MATH



JOSEPH SOLES Algebra Advanced Math

Salida high school is proud of the fact that it has one of the best equiped science and math departments to be found in the state. Offerings range from the general courses up through Physics, Chemistry, Trigonometry and Calculus.



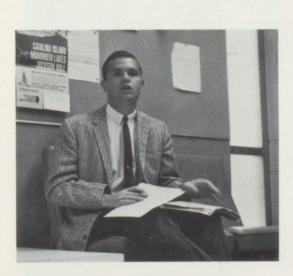
ERNEST DUNCKHORST
Mechanical Drawing
Algebra
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VERYL ALLEN Biology



ALFRED CARROCCIA General Science



PATRICIA RUPP Physics

GARY LYONS General Math



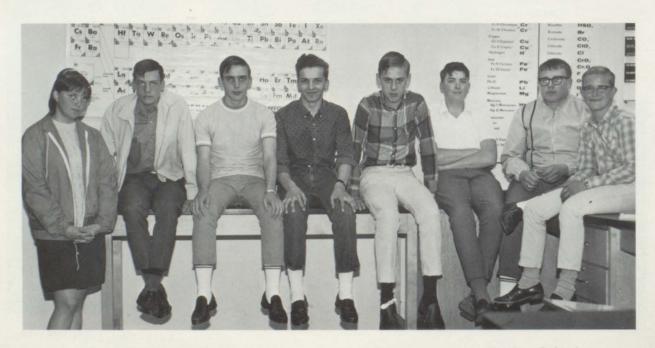
DAVID TRUJILLO Chemistry General Math

SCIENCE CLUB

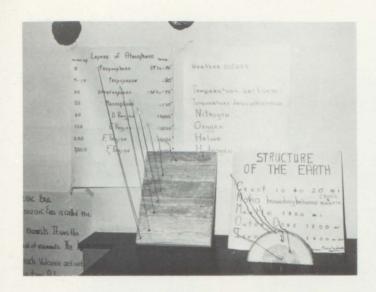


Left to right: Gene Barnett, Verla Miller, Mark Ruttum, Cheryl Martin, Bret Koster, Dick Carter.

Members of this group, sponsored by Mr. Allen and Mr. Carroccia, probably worked longer and harder than any other organization in school to assure the success of the All-School Exhibit held during Colorado Education Week. From the standpoint of achievement, this was the highlight of the year for Science Club members. From the standpoint of their own enjoyment, the trips to Climax and Los Alamos were the highlights of the year's activities.



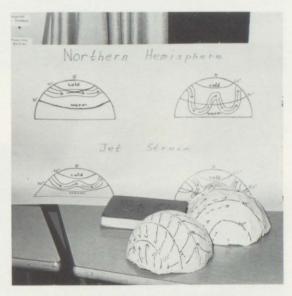
Left to Right: Cheryl Ogden, Joe Nachtrieb, Bill Leathers, William Friend, Mark Peterson, John Thompson, Chet Chandler, Lee Bowden

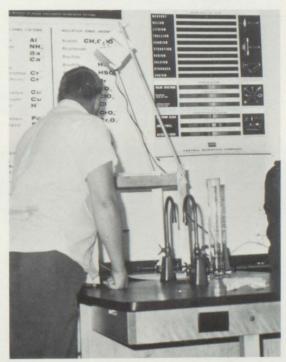


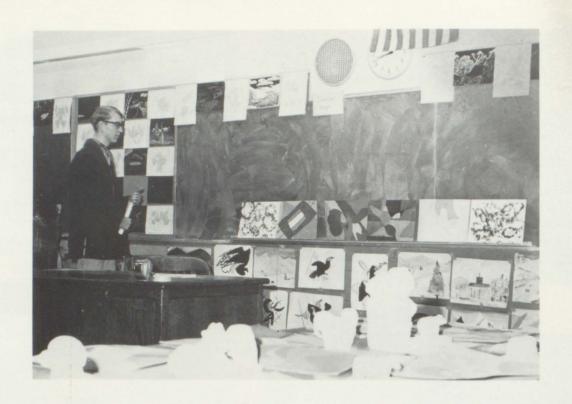






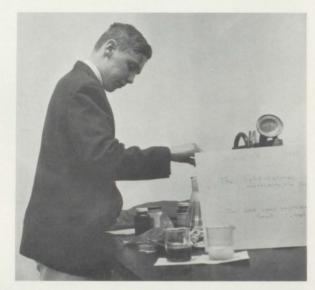














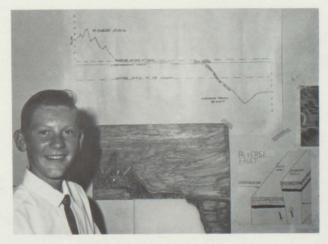
The All-School Exhibit, held during Colorado Education Week, featured exhibits from every department in the high school. A few of the students accomplishments and some of the exhibitors are shown on these pages.





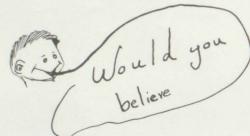








that hair all belongs to Vince?





MR. Dunckhorst's favorite student?



he didn't mare it? an angel?





DEAN F. ROUSE Typing Bookeeping

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

Equipped with the latest machines available, the commercial department developes skills in typing, shorthand, bookeeping, office machine use, and general secretarial practice. The entire program is designed to help students become proficient as employees and to meet the standards required by today's businessmen.



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Shorthand
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COMMERCIAL CLUB



Front row, left to right: Susan Thomas, Connie McCarl, Linda Glenn; second row, Mrs. Koenig, Donette Hower, Cheryl Freek, Diane Wickers; Mr. Rouse.





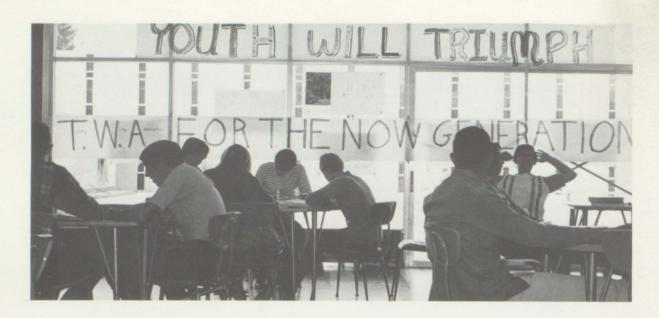






SCENES FROM COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT CLASSES





Kirk Smith and Terry (Flea) Witty were the presidential candidates in the school-election held early in May. Above, posters in the cafeteria hall the coming election; bottom, Terry and supporters. Opposite page, top, Kirk with some of his following; at bottom, campaign speeches and Kirk congratulating Terry upon Terry's election. Kirk will serve as vice-president.









JIM LYTLE Wood Shop Maintenance Shop

Wood shop, maintenance, and auto-mechanics are the general courses offered in the industrial arts area. Those working in this area are subject to broad experiences in all types of mechanical and school maintenance problems. A new auto-mechanics course in which juniors will work for two consecutive hours each day and seniors for three consecutive hours is slated for the fall.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS



FRANK BRASWELL Auto Mechanics School Busses



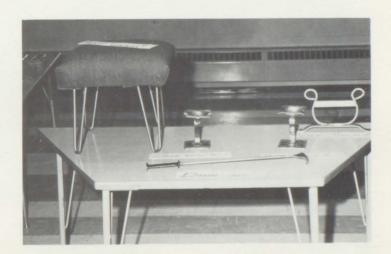


STEVE (Bosco) MYERS
Tool Room Specilist





BERNIE COUPLAND Foreman Chief Steward General Manager



Some finished products







SOME SENIOR SNAPS





HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

Under the supervision of Mrs. Ethel M. Reece, pictured below with members of the Future Homemakers of America, the Home Economics Department offers two basic courses which cover a wide range of subject matter. Clothing Care and Construction, Family Living and Home Management, and Food and Nutrition are all part of the Home Ec I curriculum. In home Ec. 2 the students study Advanced Clothing Construction, Consumer Problems, Housing, and plan, prepare and serve family type meals.

A visit to the Ice Capades in Denver during April, highlighted the many activities carried on by the F. H. A. during the school year



Left to right, sitting: Barbara Einspahr, Connie Martinez, Ellen Cooksey, Margaret Velasquez, Kathy Medina; standing: Edna Giron, Louise Martinez, Melinda Norton, Darlene Zeleznikar, Penny McCoy, Nita Maestas, Mrs. Reese.



Susan Thomas was the winner of the Betty Crocker Homemaking Award.



Melinda Norton receives the Procter and Gamble's Crisco Award in Home Economics II from Mrs. Ethel Reese.





FUN WITH PHOTOGRAPHY



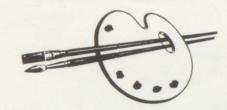


GERALD G. MEYER



Two courses are offered in Art at Salida high. The basic course consists of many activities including drawing, painting, sculpture, lettering, poster-making, ceramics, and graphic art. The advanced course attempts to develop skills for which the individual has shown particular appitude while taking the basic course. This is done through the use of individual instruction









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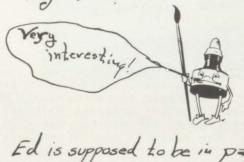
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two top senior award winners?



He is drinking ?



Ed is supposed to be in pain?







MUSIC DEPARTMENT

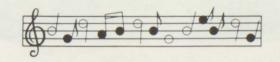
The Music Department attracts more students than any other department in the high school. The instrumental music program covers many phases of this field: dance band, pep band, concert band, small ensembles, and marching band. The wide variety of vocal music activities are described elsewhere in this section.

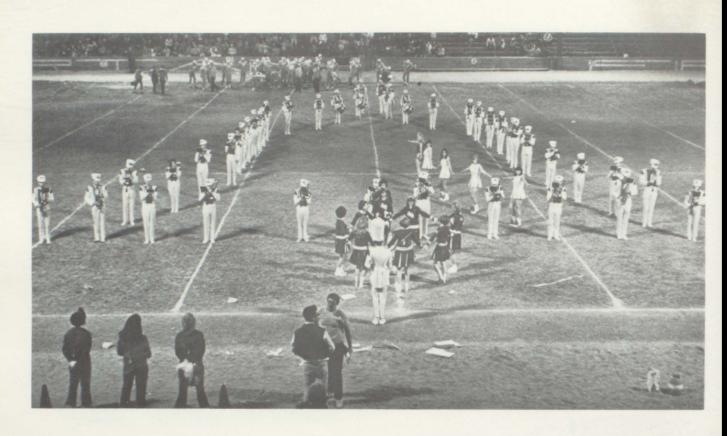


JOHN E. HELD Vocal Music

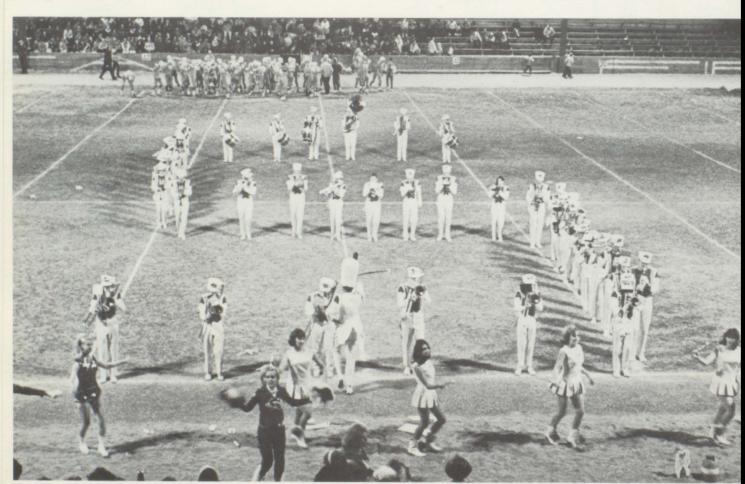


DONALD G. GREENE Instrumental Music

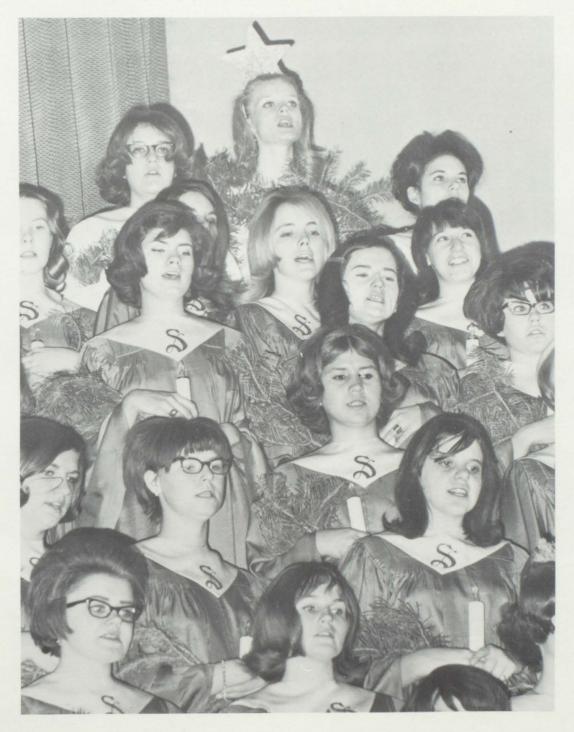




Marching band forms bell and the Traditional "S"



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The Arion Award, presented by Mr. Held, went to Gene Barnett and Cherri Atchison.

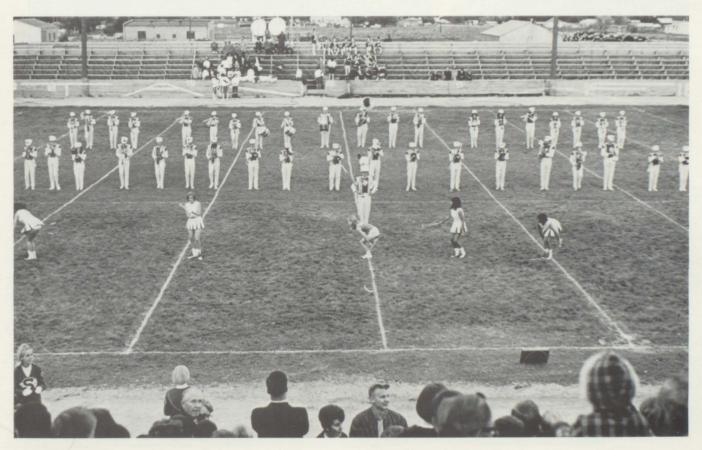


Outstanding instrumentalists awards went to Christine Post, Penny McCoy, Lanelle Barnett, Mark Peterson, Gary Humes, Barbara Blackwell, Cherri Atchison, Gene Barnett, Victor Veltri, Richard Cunico, Toni Barbiero, Kirk Smith, Mike Nay, Steve Meyers, David Monserud, and Eddie Smith.



The Dance Band performing during Spartan Sparkles

The Marching Band during an early-season pre game performance



27 TH ANNUAL SPARTAN SPARKLES

For the 27th year, over 200 members of the Glee Club and Band combined to produce Salida high school's annual musical extravaganza. Under the direction of John Held, originator and yearly producer, the students played to a packed house during all four performances.

Assisting Mr. Held with the show were choreographer Kathy Coan, stage band leader Don Green, and a stage crew headed by Von Gustafson.



Sparkles girl Cheryl Maltas being held high during the finale.

Fred Cupelli was the M. C. for the performance which started with the traditional show opener, "Stardust," and went through 32 variety acts. On the next few pages are pictured some of the acts and many of the performers.

On the facing page: top--Penny McCoy, Cynthia Osborne, Carol Koenig, Cheryl Malthus, Cathy William and Kathy Woods, sing "Day Dream Believer" Middle-- "Incense and Peppermints" Kirk Smith; Bottom--the Treble Clef sings "Pledge of Love."

Sparkles show band comes on strong with "Hello, Goodbye." Featured are Richard Cunico on drums, Paul Carter at the organ, and Chip Culp on the guitar.

















Below, the Octet: Steve Russell, Eugene Roybal, Kirk Smith, Mark Ruttum, Fred Cupelli, Gene Barnett, Charles Culp, and Paul Carter. Left, Kenneth Plewes about to present "Camp Custer March." At left above, "Talking to the Animals" with Diana Granzella, Verla Miller, Georgia Margos, and Cheryl Martin. Right "Hats and Cains" with Peggy and Susan Conroe.

Opposite page, scenes from the Minstrel Show: top, Interlocutor Gene Barnett with Steve Russell and Mark Ruttum, end men; middle, part of chorus with end men Paul Carter, Charles Culp, and Kirk Smith.

























"Green Tambourine" dance line.

"Stardust" with Steve Russell, Verla Miller, Mari Ann Shake and Paul Carter.

Opposite Page, top left-Joe Nachtrieb and Ron Beauregard in "Songs of the West;" right-Ron Beauregard, Connie McCarl, and William Friend in "I Can See for Miles." Middle-Cheryl Martin, Georgia Margos, and Nancy Nielsen in "The Green Leaves of Summer;" Cherri Atchison and Mark Ruttum. Bottom-Gene Barnett, Luaine Blackwell, Cherri Atchison, and Mark Ruttum in "School Days;" the Quates, Barbara Kurtz and Jackie Carricato.



Ann Gordon, Judy Johnston, Georgia Margos, Sherri Melavic, Linda Maupin, Terrie Stotler, Carole Ehmke, Carol Veltri and Verna McVey sing "Never My Love."



GLEE CLUB



FRESHMEN GLEE CLUB

By far the largest organization in school, and probably the busiest, is the Glee Club. From this group come the members of the Octet, the Treble Clef, the Ensemble, and the Select Choir. The Glee Club presents a fall concert, a variety show, and a spring concert which culminates a two-day clinic under the direction of a nationally prominent conductor. The smaller groups present the Christmas program, participate in the Valley Clinic, and are in constant demand for appearances before civic and school groups throughout the year.











Susan and Peggie Conroe in "Hats and Canes."

The Triple Trio sings "Never My Love."





Verla Miller sings
"Talk to the Animals"





ORGANIZATIONS

Student Council

The school year 1967-68 was another busy one for the Student Council.

To carry out a campaign pledge made by some members last year, the council sought and obtained representation at faculty meetings. In addition, council members worked with the faculty to produce the controversial, although finally adopted, dress code. The group undertook two student exchanges during the year with Woodland Park, the newest member of the Pikes Peak League. Finally, it was after a specific recommendation of the council that the regular use of the flag salute and the National Anthem were re-introduced as a part of the school day at Salida High.

Of course, there were many other, more traditional duties carried to a successful conclusion: the approval of a new Salida High school class ring; conducting of ceremonies for the opening of the new Field House; and sending a Christmas package to the Salida High sponsored school.



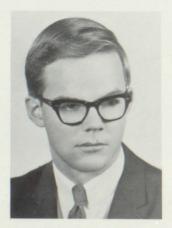
Mark Ruttum Vice-President



Fred Cupelli President



Kathy Wood: Secretary



Gene Barnett



Diana Granzella



Kevin Phillips



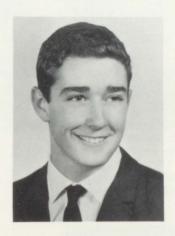
Robert Tafoya



Leonard Talkington



Kirk Smith



Mike Coan



Lanelle Barnett



Art Hutchinson





Terry Witty Christine Post Brian Smith





Bob Ferraro

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



Front row, left to right: Laurie Everett, Melinda Meyers, Carol Veltri, Cheryl Maltas; second row: Mark Peterson, Bill Friend, Kirk Smith.

Election to the National Honor Society is one of the highest academic honors a student may receive while in high school. Seniors must have a 3.0 scholastic average for their high school careers in order to be eligible for election, while the junior grade average must be 3.25.

Scholarship, however, is only the basis for eligibility. The faculty, who choose new members each year, also weigh leadership, character and service before the votes are cast.



Front Row: Luaine Blackwell, Susan Thomas, Joyce Bondurant, Kathy Coan Nancy Nielsen; Back Row: Bret Koster, Gene Barnett, Randy Heberer, and Mark Ruttum.



Front row, left to right: Carla Lepper, Rene Leonardi, and Cheryl Martin. Second row: Carol Koenig, Cheryl Maltas, and Rhonda Haley. Third row: Cheryl Clark, Georgia Margos, Gayle Perez, Diana Granzella, Barbara Gardunio, and Luaine Blackwell.



FRESHMEN



First row, left to right: Sue Purcell, Janice Carter, Denise Champlin, Cheri Post, Virginia Ausbun, Jan Barbiero, Margaret Velasquez; second row: Kathy Medina, Kristi Upp, Chris Cady, Sallie Meyers, Joanna DeGrazio, Ginger McCormick, Betsy Holman, Sandra Jay; third row: Cheryle Calvano, Rajeana Gustafson, Vicky Finley, Neva Butterfield, Merry Witty, Karen Culp, Cathy Clark, Karen Purcell; fourth row: Kathleen Crum, Kristi Howard, Janette Crisman, Susan Conroe, Mary Provenza, Lorene Mitchell, Cindy Graf.



Front row, left to right: Tiva Freeman, Linda Fowler, Brenna Mitchell, Carole Ehmke, Holly Englert; second row: Mary Lynn Veltri, Betty Lou Glenn, Terrie Stotler, Cheryl Ogden, Janelle Crisman; third row: Lanelle Barnett, Carolyn Hower, Cindy Martellaro, Verna McVey, Vailia Williams, Valerie Pennington.



Front Row, left to right: Cheryl Clark, Gail Perez; second row: Luaine Blackwell, DiDi Granzella, Georgia Margos, Cheryl Martin; third row: Toni Barberio, Connie McCarl, Kathy Coan, Cherrie Atchison, Barbara Gardunio, Nancy Nielson

JUNIORS



Front Row, left to right: Carla Lepper, Donette Hower, Rene Leonardi, Laurie Everett, Barbara Mooney, Frankie Scanga; second row: Diane Wickers, Irene Hasket, Cheryl Maltas, Karen Bowden; third row: Connie Dunavin, Karen Smyth, Judy Johnston, Maralyn Berndt, Penny McCoy, Rhonda Haley, Margaret Dunckhorst; forth row: Kathy Williams, Laura Johnston, Sara Rupp, Barbara Blackwell, Carol Veltri, Peggie Ann Conroe, Kathy Ausbun.







TEACHER SNAPSHOTS













J U N I O R S N A P S H O T S









FOOTBALL HOMECOMING



Jackie Carricato was chosen 1967 Football Homecoming queen. Her attendants were Barbara Gardunio, Didi Granzella, and Kathy Woods. The Spartan football squad assured success to the entire celebration when they downed the Buena Vista Demons 26-6 in the game which highlighted the entire celebration. Below, right, a symbolic demon goes up in flames during the bonfire. At right, members of the S Club ride in the homecoming parade.













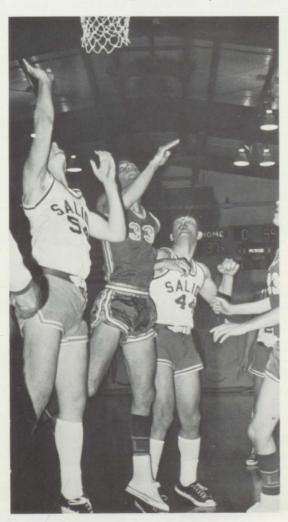
Cheerleaders and Pom Pons liven up activities at the big Pep assembly prior to the game.



Basketball homecoming queen Kathy Coan, her attendants, and their escorts pause for pictures shortly before the crowning: Bruce Dunavin, Nancy Nielson, Mark Ruttum, Luaine Blackwell, Dave Francis, Kathy Coan (Queen), Kevin Phillips, and Cheryl Clark.



Queen Kathy Coan beams following her corination









A few of the printable scenes from S Club initiation.













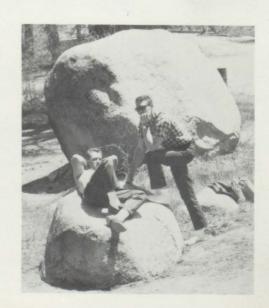




The Senior picnic was held this year at Mt. Princeton. Just about all the seniors attended and, as the pictures seem to indicate, just about all who attended had a good time.

















SOME SPECIAL AWARDS



Above and below are some of the students who received awards for outstanding scholarship for 1967-68. Mr. Andreas presented the honor letters to the following students: Toni Barberio, Gene Barnett, Luaine Blackwell, Joyse Bondurant, Kathy Coan, Randy Heberer, Nancy Nielson, Mark Ruttum and Susan Thomas--all seniors; junior winners were Mark Peterson, Laurie Everett, William Friend, Kirk Smith, and Leonard Talkington; sophomores who were honored included Marlene Aluise, Kerrie Cable, Mike Coan, Carole Ehmke, Carolyn Hower, Kathy Henderson, and Bill Leathers; Chris Cady, Janice Carter, Denise Champlin, Vicki Finley, David Monserud, Ginger McCormick, Cheri Post, Edwin Smith, and Kristi Upp were freshmen winners.





Some girls who received Pon-Pom awards from Miss Riley were Gayle Perez, Rhonda Haley, Rene Leonardi, Cheryl Maltas, Carol Koenig, and Carla Lepper. Others to receive awards for Pon-Pom were Luaine Blackwell, Cheryl Clark, Barbara Gardunio, Didi Granzella, Georgia Margos, and Cheryl Martin.



The Junior Chamber of Commerce Award, here presented by Len Kapushion, went to Gene Barnett and Kathy Coan.



The Readers Digest award went to Mark Ruttum.



Business Education Awards went to Jackie Carricota, Luaine Blackwell, Cheryl Freek, Susan Thomas, Cathy Williams, and Bill Meyers.



The outstanding Sportsman trophy, presented by the Salida Police Department went to Fred Cupelli.



James Lingenfelter presents the American Legion Award to Kathy Coan and Fred Cupelli.



Mr. Melien honors Mark Peterson, Bill Friend, Cheryl Maltas, Joyce Boundurant, and Mark Ruttum for outstanding mathematical achievement.



Dave Francis and Susan Thomas were the winners of the Safe Driving award.



Gene Barnett and Nancy Nielson receive the Koster Award from Wallace Koster.



Jackie Carricato is presented an "Outstanding Business Education" plaque from Mrs. Koenig.



Nancy Nielson is presented with the A.A.U.W. Scholarship by Mrs. Melien.



Didi Granzella presents senior Merit Awards to Gene Barnett and Cheryl Martin.



The Kenneth Leason Memorial Award was presented to Gene Barnett by Mr. Greene.



Perfect attendance awards went to $42\,$ students, the largest number to be so honored since the award was started many years ago.



Rick McClure presents the Mike Nelson The Bosch-Lomb Award, for excellence in Memorial Plaque to Mr. Melien on behalf Science, went to Mark Ruttum. of the class of 1968.





Part of the group to win the perfect attendance award.



Larry Larcom, Jake Leewaye, Mike Lewis, Bob Rich, Harry Palmer and Leslie Price were among Ithose receiving track letters.









SENIOR PROM

"Three Coins in the Fountain" was the theme of the 1968 Junior-Senior Prom and Banquet held Saturday, May 4. Pictured here are a few of the couples who helped make the affair a success for everyone. Above, left: Mark Ruttum, Cheryl Maltas, Victor Veltri; middle: Jackie Carricato, Jack Stout; right, Bill Myers, Kirk Smith, Steve Russell, Terry Stotler.









Above left: Keith Smith, Carol Koenig, Connie McCarl, Richard McClure, Walter Walker, Diana Granzella; right: Carol Veltri, Mike Nay; bottom, left: Charolette Carpenter, Don Brinkerhoff, Tom Woods, Linda Glenn; right: Mark Ruttum, Cheryl Maltas.









Above, left: Kirk Smith, Judy Johnston, Penny McCoy, Bill Myers, Kathy Williams, Steve Russell. Middle, top left: Tim Grantham, Dennis DeLong, Eugene Royball, Kirk Grantham, Leonard Talkington, William Webb. Middle, left: Irene Haskett, Jim Luchetta. Below, left: Sharon Murray, Ronald Lahmeyer, Frankie Coscarella, Jackie Hemmert, Jerry Amicone.













Above, right: Barbara Gardunio, David Francis, Gayle Perez, Bruce Dunavin. Middle, top right: Steve Russell, Kathy Williams, Jerry Amicone, Jackie Hemmert, Barbara DeHerra, Fred Trujillo. Middle, right: Barbara DeHerra, Fred Trujillo. Below, right: Nancy Nielson, and Berniece Tafoya.







THE FINAL HOURS

After four years of preparation the final moments have almost arrived and many seniors find that they still have a great many last last minute adjustments.



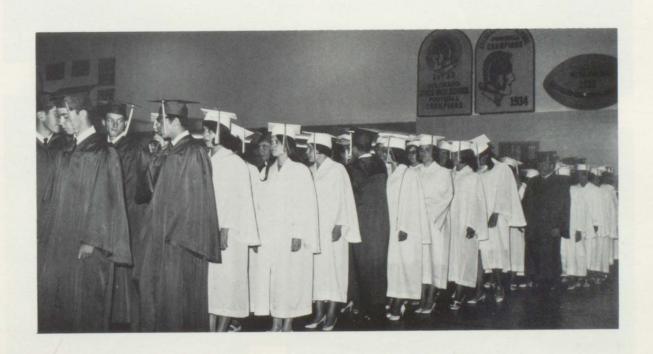














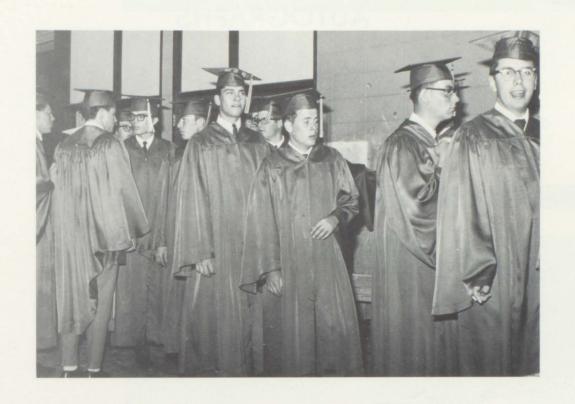
Some become ill, others check tassels, a few seem unconcerned, while others pose confidentially as the end approaches









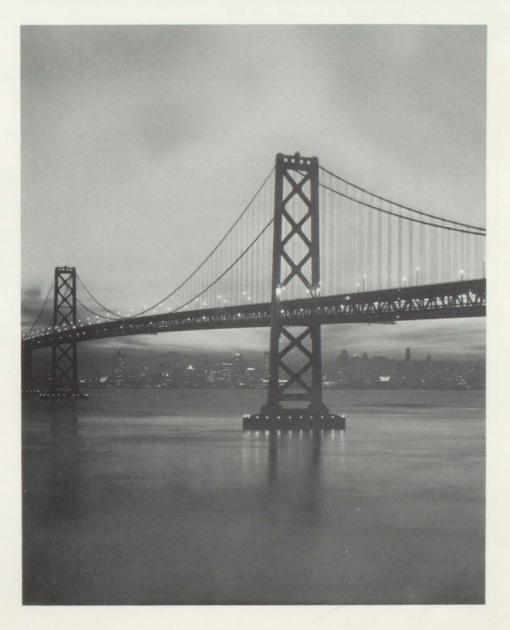




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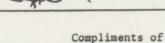


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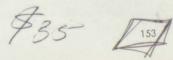
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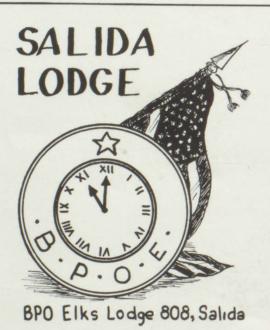
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