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# Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Proclaimed a Dogma

St. Anthony of Padua was strongly tempted one night to stay away from the divine office in the chapel the next morning. He knew that the day would be Aug. 14, the vigil of the Feast of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary, and that the service would contain the words from the Martyrology of Usuard: "As yet the Church has given no decision upon the bodily Assumption of the Blessed Virgin, exercising a prudent reserve as to trivial, or apocryphal legends." St. Anthony, who steadfastly believed that Mary's body has indeed been taken into Heaven after her death, hated to hear those words.

While he was debating whether to stay away from choir, according to his Biographer Leopold de Cherance O.S.F.C., the Virgin herself appeared to him and said: "Be assured, my son, that this body of mine . . . has been preserved from the corruption of the grave. Be equally assured that three days after my death it was carried upon the wings of angels to the right hand of the Son of God, where I reign as Queen."

St. Anthony's vision with the accumulated visions, insights and inspired beliefs of centuries of Roman Catholicism, has built up a vast deposit of faith which last year became an official dogma of the Roman Catholic Church. In 1946 Pope Pius XII sent a circular letter to all bishops, asking whether they thought the Assumption should be defined as Church dogma. The replies were mostly favorable.

All Rome reverberated to the event from which the 1950 Holy Year would hereafter take its name: the Jubilee Year of the Assumption. Clergymen and laymen poured into the city to be present at that rare Catholic occasion — the proclamation of a dogma of the Church.

The celebration and ceremonies lasted for three and a half days. Crowds thronged the floodlit Coliseum to hear famed Jesuit Preacher Father Riccardo Lombardi speak from the stones upon which Christian martyrs once died. At the Vatican the Pope held a semipublic consistory of some five hundred bishops and thirty-five cardinals. Behind a picture of the Blessed Virgin painted, according to tradition, by St. Luke, the Church planned one of the biggest night-time processions Rome had ever seen.

From a throne set up before the central gate to St. Peter's, above a colorful sea of bishops' miters and upturned faces, the Pope received the formal request of the College of Cardinals that the dogma be proclaimed. After a prayer, the Pope read the bull of proclamation: ". . . The presence of Mary in soul and body in Heaven is a God-revealed truth. . . . Hence if anyone deliberately presumes to think otherwise, let him know that in his judgment he stands condemned, has suffered shipwreck in faith, and has separated himself from the Church's unity."



POPE PIUS XII



H I S H O L I N E S S





To the  
**Very Rev. Brother Leonida Garrigue**  
Superior General of the Institute of the Marist Brothers,  
we, the graduating class of St. Joseph's Academy,  
respectfully dedicate this  
1951 MAROON AND WHITE  
as a token of our deep appreciation  
for the visit he paid us.

D E D I C A T I O N



☆ ☆ *A Message* ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

*"To the Faculty, the students and graduates of the class of 1951 of St. Joseph's Academy —*

My dear friends: I want to take this opportunity of expressing my deep gratitude to Brother James and the faculty of St. Joseph's Academy for the splendid work done during the past year.

To the student body and to their parents I want to address this word of commendation and appreciation for the splendid cooperation they have given to the good Brothers at St. Joseph's.

To the graduates of 1951, I extend my sincere congratulations and best wishes for their success in the future. I know that if they carry out the principles of life instilled into their minds and hearts by the Brothers, not only by words, but by their wonderful example, they cannot help but succeed in whatever they attempt in the arena of life. I ask them to be true to what they learned in St. Joseph's and if they do so, we feel that we are making a worthwhile contribution to the progress and to the safety of our beloved country.

May God bless the faculty, the student body and the parents and the graduates of dear old St. Joseph's.

*Sincerely,*

MOST REV. M. S. GARRIGA, D.D., LL.D.  
*Bishop of Corpus Christi*



Most Reverend Mariano S. Garriga, D.D., LL.D.

*Bishop of Corpus Christi*







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As we leave St. Joseph's Academy, we, the seniors of 1951, wish to express with these few words to our loved chaplain, Rev. Father Antonio G. Goicoechea, our deepest and sincerest gratitude in return for his sound advice, which has set us and kept us in the right path to heaven. He has engraved in our hearts lively sentiments of faith, hope, and charity which will assuredly serve us a hundred fold in the future. We, therefore, promise to follow his instructions and wish him to continue his good work.

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O U R C H A P L A I N



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The time has come for us, the Seniors of 1951, to bid farewell to you, our beloved Principal, Bro. James Carroll. We should like to thank you for the thousand favors you have done us in the past years. Through the many years of our education you have offered us your friendly and fatherly advice. For this more than anything else we are grateful beyond words.

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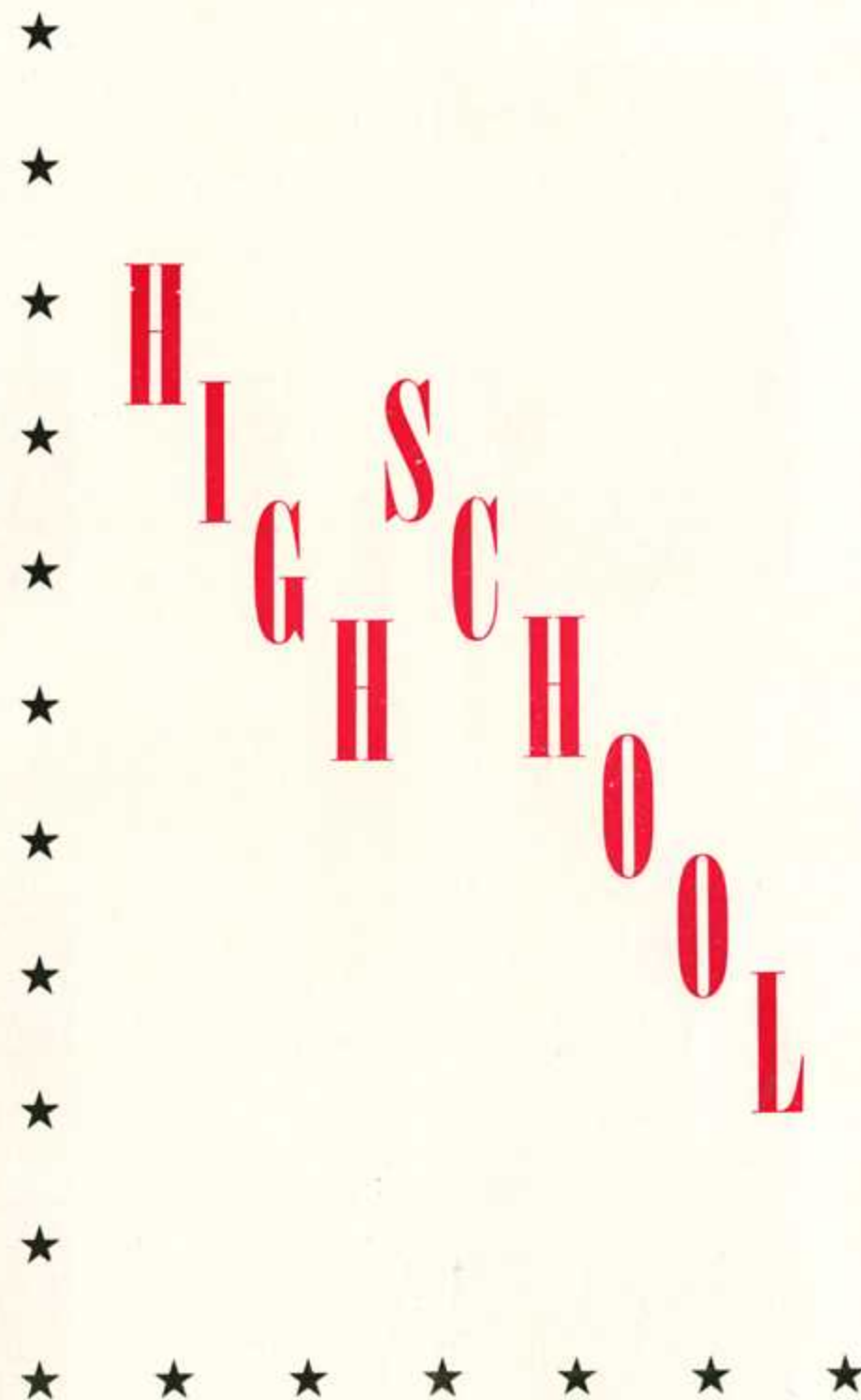


☆ ☆ *Foreword* ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

With our School year over we are confronted with the inevitable question, what next? For some it will be college, for others the service and still others will enroll in the sometimes bitter school of experience.

Wherever we go and whatever we do, it is doubtful that we will forget our Alma Mater. Our training here has given us the cornerstone on which to build our mansion of success and happiness. And we may be able to look back upon the best years of our life.

Our deepest gratitude goes to our teachers who have so unselfishly devoted their lives to our intellectual, physical, and moral improvement. With their teachings in mind we shall continue down the road of life, confident of the ultimate realization of our ambitions.







Bro. Henry



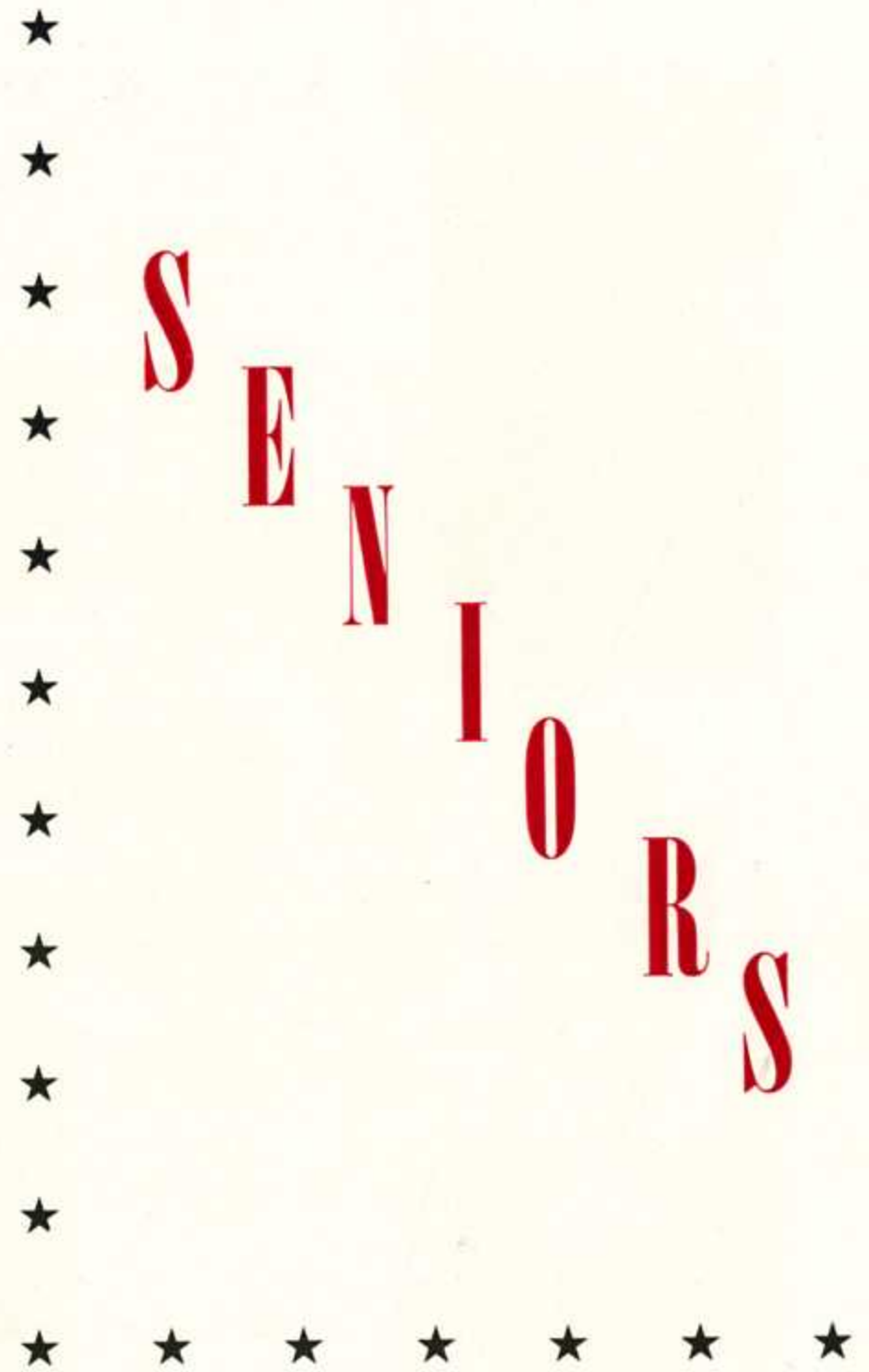
Bro. Paul



Bro. U. Joseph



Waydell Hunter



HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY



# SENIOR NOTES



Bro. Stephen

We the Seniors of the class of '51 can truly say that our high-school career has been a profitable and happy one.

Here at St. Joseph's we have benefited from the teaching and example of experienced and interested teachers, endeavoring to give us the intellectual and spiritual background we need for our future life.

This Senior class, although a small one, has shown its leadership by contributing with highest averages per pupil to the various funds collected during the school year.

The officers who have guided this class through a most successful year are the following:

- President* ..... Charles Arguindegui
- Vice-President* ..... Arthur J. Leyendecker
- Secretary* ..... Manuel Cortez
- Treasurer* ..... Pat Caballero

Eleven of the football squad were Seniors. Juan Gonzalez and Charles Arguindegui were Captains. The basketball squad was captained by Juan Gonzalez. This was the school's first try at baseball. The team was made up mostly of Seniors.

We are most grateful to our teachers for their understanding. We are particularly grateful to Bro. Stephen for taking so much interest in our activities and studies. We are especially thankful to him for his counsel in helping us choose our vocations in life.



Carlos H. Arguindegui  
President



Arthur J. Leyendecker  
Vice-President



Manuel J. Cortez  
Secretary



Patricio E. Caballero  
Treasurer



## SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



# W H O ' S W H O

<i>Name</i>	<i>Likes</i>	<i>Ambitions</i>
AGUILAR, A.	Baseball	To become a Professional Baseball Player
ARADILLAS, R.	Hunting	To be a Pilot
ARGUINDEGUI, C.	Sports	To be happy and successful in life
CABALLERO, P.	Football and Basketball	To own a ranch
CORTEZ, M.	Math and Science	To become a Bacteriologist
DELGADO, S.	Dancing	To study Agriculture
FURLONG, S.	Dancing	To be a Public Accountant
GAONA, R.	Hunting and Science	To study Medicine
GONZALEZ, J.	Sports	To study Commercial Railroad
LEYENDECKER, A.	Sports	To own a ranch
MARTINEZ, L.	Football	To study Agriculture
MONTALVO, J.	Sports	To be an Architect
PENA, G.	"The Pep Squad"	To study Law
RIVERA, F.	Outdoor Life	To study Agriculture
RYAN, J.	To Write Editorials	To be happy
URIBE, L.	Baseball	To be an Engineer



Most Loyal  
RAUL E. GAONA, JR.



Most Popular  
CARLOS H. ARGUINDEGUI



Most Intellectual  
MANUEL J. CORTEZ



Most Athletic  
JUAN A. GONZALEZ



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Ramiro Aradillas



Carlos H. Arguindegui

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"Chemo" Aguilar



"Tito" Aradillas



"Chalito" Arguindegui

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Patricio E. Caballero



Manuel J. Cortez



Santiago Delgado, Jr.

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"Patito" Caballero



"Meme" Cortez



"Chacho" Delgado





Salvador Furlong Diestel



Raul E. Gaona, Jr.



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"Raulito" Gaona



"Guero" Furlong



Arthur J. Leyendecker



Luis F. Martinez, Jr.



Jose A. Montalvo

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"Wicho" Martinez



"Pepe" Montalvo

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Gilberto J. Peña



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# SENIOR CLASS WILL

*We, the heretofore mentioned senior class, being of unsound mind and sober nature, do declare this our last will and testament, all others being null and void.*

- I, Anselmo Aguilar, bequeath my tobacco pouch to Hector Garcia.
- I, Ramiro Aradillas, gladly give my dark, curly hair to Alberto Magnon.
- I, Charles Arguindegui, bequeath my good right arm to Filomeno de la Garza.
- I, Patricio Caballero, pass on my school bus to Raul Zuniga.
- I, Manuel Cortez, bequeath my analytical mind to Thomas Savay (who doesn't need it).
- I, Santiago Delgado, bequeath my humorous disposition to Alonso Ramirez.
- I, Salvador Furlong, pitifully give my Charles Atlas Muscle Building Course to Leo Lopez.
- I, Raul Gaona, bequeath my talent for rolling cigarettes to Dickie Mayers.
- I, Juan Gonzalez, pass on my athletic physique to Amador Salinas.
- I, Arthur Leyendecker, bequeath my string-bean build to Richard Guerra.
- I, Luis Martinez, leave my job as laboratory technician to my beloved friend Ambrose Boubel.
- I, Jose Montalvo, bequeath my serious nature to Jesus Torres (Heaven help the poor devil).
- I, Gilbert Peña, bequeath my cheer leader pants to Jesus Zuniga.
- I, Federico Rivera, bequeath my bewildered expression to Agapito Villarreal.
- I, John Ryan, bequeath my half-interest in the Spider Web to George Condren.
- I, Livy Uribe, willingly donate my electric razor to Eloy Gonzalez (Instructions inside).



★ SENIOR ACTIVITIES ★







# UNDERGRADUATES





Class Officers



RICHARD GUERRA

RAUL ZUNIGA

JESUS ZUNIGA

LEOPOLDO LOPEZ

JUNIOR NOTES

It seems only yesterday that we came into our new home room with the seniors, and yet here we are on the brink of our senior year.

This year will always remain in our hearts as the year the Superior General visited our school. There will also be many every-day occurrences which we will always cherish.

The Juniors contributed generously to the different drives and the Propagation of the Faith.

There were also Juniors participating in every sport carried on here at the Academy. In football there were: Raul Zuniga, Richard Guerra and Ambrose Boubel. In basketball one Junior shines above all the rest, Amador Salinas. In baseball other Juniors participated.

The boys we chose to lead us during this year were:

- President*.....Richard Guerra
- Vice-President*.....Raul Zuniga
- Treasurer*.....Leo Lopez
- Secretary*.....Jesus Zuniga

We Juniors wish to thank all the Brothers who have helped us during the past year. We especially wish to thank Bro. Stephen who has carried us across the bumps of our Junior year.



Ambrose Boubel

George Condren

Raul Flores

Hector Garcia



Filomeno de la Garza

Eloy Gonzalez

Alberto Magnon

Roberto Mayers



Marcel Notzon

Alonso Ramirez

Amador Salinas

Thomas Savay



Guillermo Trevino

Raymundo Vela

Agapito Villarreal





Class Officers



JAMES HALE, JR.

EMILIO SERRANO

ELOY CANTU

MANUEL MENCHACA

SOPHOMORE NOTES

Today we stand halfway on our road to reach the goal which we set for ourselves two years ago. The goal which would mark the first step in our lives. Seeing before us two more years in which to labor we take consolation when, in looking backward, we see two whole years of our high school education completed.

The school year began with the clanking of chains on the floor. We had at last been liberated, and freedom certainly felt exhilarating. At last we were not inferior Freshmen to whom humiliation after humiliation had been played upon one year before. We were now superior Sophomores ready to dish out and make the freshmen eat humble pie. It is to suppose that it was because of this that the Sophomore class of '50-'51 got to be the school's example of what a class should not be, and the iron hand of our superiors was felt by every member of the class.

Living as we do in a democracy, we had elections for class officers early in the year. The chosen ones were to guide us all through our Sophomore year. After a wholesome and clean political campaign we elected the following members of our class to office:

President.....James Hale      Secretary.....Eloy Cantu  
 Vice-President.....Emilio Serrano      Treasurer.....Manuel Menchaca

We are glad to mention here that in school activities, both physical and spiritual, the Sophomore class did its share. Our class had the honor of being represented on the school's football and basketball teams. It also helped in the school sale of tickets for its various activities.

All members of the class contributed generously to the Propagation of the Faith and other beneficial organizations such as the Red Cross and the March of Dimes.

We are happy to take this opportunity to thank our teachers who labored with us through the whole year.

Our most sincere thanks to Bro. Stephen, our plane geometry teacher, for his patience and understanding.

Bro. James deserves our gratefulness for answering our most inopportune questions.

To Bro. Joseph for withstanding us two hours daily during typing and Spanish, our gratitude.

Our thanks to Bro. Charles for supporting with us the summer sun rays and windy winter days, during physical culture.

And especially our whole-hearted gratitude and thanks to Bro. Henry, our home-room teacher, for his spiritual guidance and moral advice, which we tried to follow but often forgot.

Looking at the year as a whole, we find that we have passed another happy year in school and prepare ourselves for the next, which will bring us closer to our goal.



SERGIO ARADILLAS

OSCAR ARRIAGA

JOSE A. DOMINGUEZ

LUIS ELIZONDO



William Guajardo

Lisandro Guerra

Abe Gutierrez

Hector Hernandez

Candido Hernandez



Henry Kahn

Amado Laurel

Alfredo Lopez

Braulio Martinez

Ramiro Martinez

Jose Montemayor



Ruben Pena

Ramon Perales

Ramon Quijano

Hugo Ramos

Carlos Renteria

Jose L. Romo



Rodolfo Salinas

Ernesto Salazar

Tom Sullivan

Alex Villarreal

Geronimo Villarreal

Dan Withoff



ESHMEN "A" ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★  
Class Officers



TOM HINOJOSA

ROBERTO NIX

ROLDAN CHAVEZ

JOSE CAVAZOS

FRESHMEN "A" NOTES

High school proved a big surprise for the numerous freshmen. We had waited eagerly for that first school day in September. When it finally came, it was not without a little fear that we stepped into the large room that was to be our regular home room. We met many old friends and made a few new ones and soon the element of surprise and newness wore out and we felt at home again.

It was a little hard, however, getting used to so many note books and so many home works, one from every teacher every day; but we even got to like it after a while, and if any teacher forgot the assignment he was quickly reminded of it by some of the members of the class.

Early in the year our class became so numerous that it had to be split into two groups of 32 students each; the first time this happened in the annals of the school.

In the first month we held elections and the following were elected officers of the class:

President..... Thomas Hinojosa  
Vice-President..... Robert Nix  
Secretary..... Roldan Chavez  
Treasurer..... Joseph F. Cavazos

During the second six weeks some boys conceived the idea of organizing a club for our spiritual benefit, and the "Eucharistic League" was the result. The following were elected officers and did their best to keep the League going.

President..... Mateo Gonzalez  
Vice-President..... Vidal Ramirez  
Secretary..... J. F. Cavazos  
Treasurer..... Hector Cardenas

As we look back on our first year of high school, we remember keenly how we were thrilled at the announcement of shows and how we shivered at the thought of exams. We eagerly awaited the days with science experiments and the school holidays. All in all it was a year of hard school work, but we feel that the improvement realized was well worth our efforts.

We wish to express our most sincere thanks to our teachers, especially to Bro. Paul for the patience he has shown, and for his kind understanding of our weaknesses.



PEDRO BENAVIDES

LEOPOLDO BOTELLO

ELIAS CANAVATI

ROBERTO CANTU

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Hector Cardenas

Ramiro Chapa

George Decker

Ruben Delgadillo

Isaac Echeverria

Santiago Gallegos



Carlos Garcia

Ramiro Garcia

Manuel Garza

Fred Gonzalez

Lorenzo Gonzalez

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Carlos Gutierrez

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James Kazen

Juan Longoria

Raul Ornelas



Ramiro Perez

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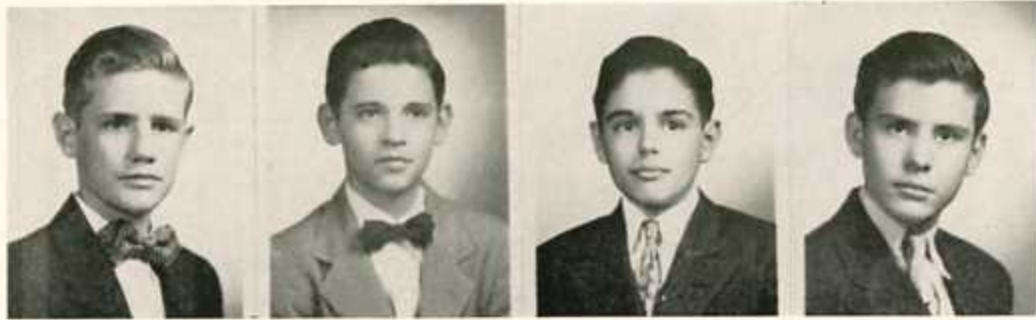
Luis Vela

Javier Villagran

Frank Willy



FRESHMEN "B" ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★  
 Class Officers



CARLOS BENAVIDES                      ROGELIO SOSA  
 MANUEL MEDINA                      ALFONSO DEL BARRIO

FRESHMEN "B" NOTES

The Freshman year is almost over, and we are glad that our first year of High School was a success. We will never forget the day when we were waiting eagerly outside the Freshman classroom to begin our first year of High School. This year was the year in which there were most freshmen in the history of St. Joseph's Academy. As the first six weeks came by we elected the following boys as class officers:

- President..... Carlos Y. Benavides, Jr.  
 Vice-President..... Manuel Medina, Jr.  
 Secretary..... Rogelio Sosa  
 Treasurer..... Alfonso Del Barrio

In sports we had some good players like Raul Ornelas and Martin Luna. We are proud of the other boys who also participated in all sports.

After all the activities of the first semester passed, the joy of electing officers, choosing camps, and the good time we had disappeared into the space of time, and now we have completed our first year of High School.

The year went by quickly and we didn't have enough time for pleasure because of our hard studies and exams.

As we bid farewell to our first year of High School we thank all the Brothers for their care and attention, especially Brother U. Joseph.



JOHN BABUN                      RAUL CAZARES  
 BALTASAR CASTILLO                      ALFONSO CUELLAR

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Rene Gonzalez                      Alfonso Jasso                      John Labour                      Javier Laurel  
 Heriberto Jara



Jose J. Lopez                      Adolfo Martinez                      Andres Mounetou                      Mario Palmeros  
 Martin Luna



Alfonso Pedraza                      Jose de la Pena                      Felipe Perez                      Hector Pruneda                      Gilberto Quijano                      Ernesto Rivera



Rene Trevino                      Alberto Valadez                      Carlos Vela                      Albert Vela                      Roel Villarreal                      Gil Villagran





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*Religion III-IV*



Today in this rapid-growing communistic world, religion is the most essential learning that a man can have. We need religion, while in school, out of school, afterwards in college and in our future life when we shall have chosen our vocation. As we go on living in this world we shall find problems and more problems that only a man with a good Catholic education, can solve.

All of us, who had an opportunity to learn our religion, should be grateful to God for having given us this privilege, for those who are following the evil ways of life are the ones who have no opportunity to study or learn their religion as they should.





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The mastery of English is invaluable in our everyday life and our business career. A thorough knowledge of it will gain respect for us and enable us to express ourselves in the manner we choose. Our feeling of accomplishment is great when we have achieved a mutual bond with some one and have conveyed our sentiments in the best way possible.

What delight we can find in poring over the many literary treasures which have come down to us through the centuries and with what a great degree of interest we read the words of a historian-artist painting a word picture of ancient Rome or Troy! What greater prize to be had than a volume of the works of the incomparable Shakespeare! The world of books is indeed open to us when we possess the knowledge which comes with a thorough understanding of the English language. And the boundaries of this vast domain are infinitely far between. The language of our country is a veritable fountain of youth, which is inexhaustible.





*American History*

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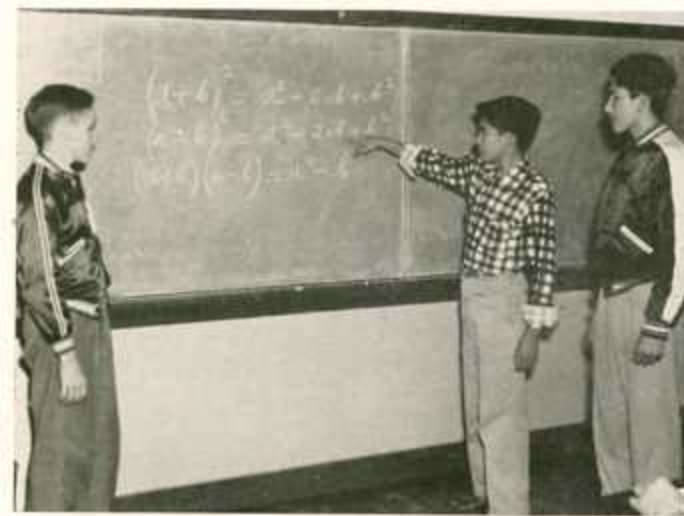


Social Science, which deals with the science of man in society, is one of the most important factors in everyday life. Sociology, another word for social science, interprets human society as bound by the laws of natural causation, refusing to regard humanity as a law unto itself. Sociology is the science of society which comprehends the study of the totality of human relationship. It studies the primitive culture but more and more it emphasizes contemporary society and culture, neglecting no special aspects of human relationship and organizations.

With the help of the experienced teachers of St. Joseph's Academy we have fully acquired the knowledge of these sciences which will aid us in future life. The science of society is included in the subjects of Civics, Economics, Ancient and Modern History, American History and Bookkeeping.

Thus we can clearly see that the advancement of humanity greatly depends on the development of social sciences.



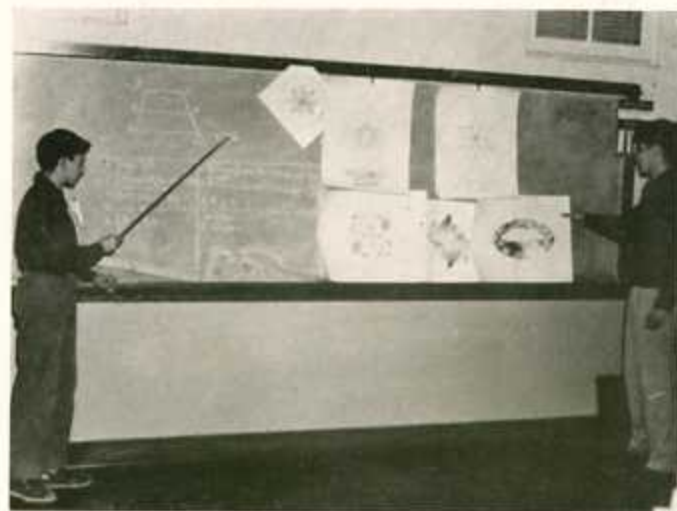


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*Algebra II*



Mathematics lies at the foundation of all sciences. In fact, there are those who will maintain that a field of knowledge is a science only to the extent that its fundamental truths may be expressed mathematically. Mathematics may be thought of as pure and applied mathematics. In the case of applied mathematics, it becomes a mode of expressing physical and biological laws in a very concise language. In fact, what would take pages of printed matter to express verbally may be summed up in a single equation.

Some of the important fields of mathematics have been developed because of the necessity of the scientist for a mode of expression. Newton needed some way to express the fact that the velocity of a falling, or accelerated body, was steadily changing. Out of this necessity grew his "Fluxions" or what is today called Calculus.

Today, in this atomic era, many more complicated and perplexing problems are being found, and thus, many more difficult solutions are being developed. But to develop these solutions we must have intelligent men, and it is up to each and every one of us to see that this is carried out, either by trying to develop these solutions directly or by helping institutions which work on such problems as these.





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Attempts to arrange all of the sciences into a systematic order which would reveal their relations to each other have been made continuously from the time of the ancients. With the advance of human knowledge the principles upon which such a classification has been made have changed frequently.

Comte's Classification has been the one most popularly adopted all over the world. His divisions are not by genus and species, but are made in hierarchial order. The largest division of knowledge is commonly regarded as that which separates the theoretical sciences and the practical sciences although both are related in many complex ways. In a general way the theoretical sciences are those in which discoveries are made, and the practical sciences represent the branches which teach how to apply knowledge which has been gained to the benefit of mankind.

Natural Sciences which include all those like chemistry, physics, general science, astronomy, physiology, and other divisions are the elements upon which the fate of the world depends. It is because of those sciences that the world prospers and develops itself into a more modern civilization. It is because of those sciences that many new and fantastic discoveries are made which alter the status of mankind. It is because of those theoretical and practical Sciences that the world has grown from a small bounded continent to a gigantic world of boundless space and impenetrable atoms!





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# FOOTBALL NOTES ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Only eight returning lettermen did Coach Hunter find as he began to train the young, inexperienced team that later on proved to be a hard-fighting, determined-to-win squad. Yes, this 1950 team was yet to pull an upset or two and break a jinx that had overshadowed the Antler teams for seven years. Coach Hunter's boys got off to a booming start as they blanked their first three opponents. Ben Bolt was their first victim, as they fell at the hands of the Hilltoppers 13-0. Next came a scrappy Mirando eleven, but again the Antlers outfought a heavier team to win the game 12-0. A hot, blistering Saturday afternoon slowed the Antlers quite a bit, however, they still overpowered La Joya 12-0. Traveling to Hebbbronville and minus their coach, who was recovering from an operation, the Antlers were stopped by a well-balanced Longhorn eleven as the Deermen fought all the way, but still were behind by a score of 7-12. Looking for revenge after their first defeat, the Antlers traveled to San Diego to defeat the Vaqueros on a dust-clouded field 12-6. A heavy Peacock eleven clashed with the Antlers for the first time and, to their surprise, had to overcome a 6-6 tie at the half as the Antlers gave out all they had, only to lose by a score of 6-20. Once again the Antlers found themselves facing a huge Cotulla team which downed Laredo 19-0. A seven-year jinx which had often worried the Antlers went into oblivion this year. Traveling to Victoria the Antlers cut down the high-riding Victoria Flyers as they ripped and romped their way to a 20-0 victory, their first win over Victoria and their first conference win. They next met their main rivals, St. Joseph's of Brownsville, whom they stomped and trampled to the tune of 44-0 in their own backyard, to get their second straight conference win. The game against Castroville for the Conference Championship was the climax of the season for the St. Joseph's Antlers, as they fell to the fast Comets 12-24. Coach Hunter praised his 1950 team for its high fighting spirit and good sportsmanship. Chosen from the Antlers for the All-Conference team were: Juan Gonzalez, fullback; Charles Arguindegui, quarterback; and Jesus Torres, right end.

## ANTLERS' FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Antlers' Score	Opponents	Opponents' Score
13	Ben Bolt	0
12	Mirando	0
12	La Joya	0
7	Hebbbronville	12
12	San Diego	6
6	Peacock	20
*20	Victoria	0
0	Cotulla	19
*44	Brownsville	0
*12	Castroville	24
136		61

Conference Games









# BASKETBALL NOTES ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

The 1951 version of the Antlers' basketball team saw them boast a better record than years before, besides displaying the fight and sportsmanship that made them famous in South Texas.

After a poor start in which the Antlers won two games out of eight, they came back after the Christmas vacation to win twenty out of twenty-five games. The Antlers won important games from Boys' Club, Holding, Corpus Christi, Cotulla and Brownsville.

For the first time in the history of basketball at St. Joseph's Academy, the Antlers competed in a Texas Interscholastic League district.

On February 16, 17, a tournament took place in Laredo to decide the district championship. The Antlers defeated Castroville and then took two games from Brownsville to win the title. Juan Gonzalez, Jesus Torres, and Amador Salinas of the Antlers made the All-Conference Team.

On March 2, the victorious Antlers traveled to San Antonio to engage in the Annual T.C.I.L. basketball tournament where the best teams of Texas Catholic schools participate.

They lost to very fast and tall teams from Dallas and Houston to end their successful basketball season of 1951.

## ANTLERS' BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

<i>We</i>	<i>Team</i>	<i>They</i>
45	Martin High No. 2	30
32	Boys' Club	27
49	Dilley	37
32	Dilley	31
43	Boys' Club	47
59	Rio Grande City	35
49	Boys' Club	31
57	Cotulla	43
49	Holding	52
33	Holding	47
33	San Diego	37
34	San Diego	55
51	Castroville	27
50	Brownsville	35
57	Brownsville	46
56	St. Augustine	51
51	Jesuit (Dallas)	60
40	St. Thomas (Houston)	78
56	Corpus Christi	39
51	Corpus Christi	38
27	Martin High	33
38	Martin High	49
56	St. Augustine	45
62	St. Augustine	47
55	St. Augustine	37

Thus, in the 1951 season, the Antlers won 17 games and lost eight for a .676 average.







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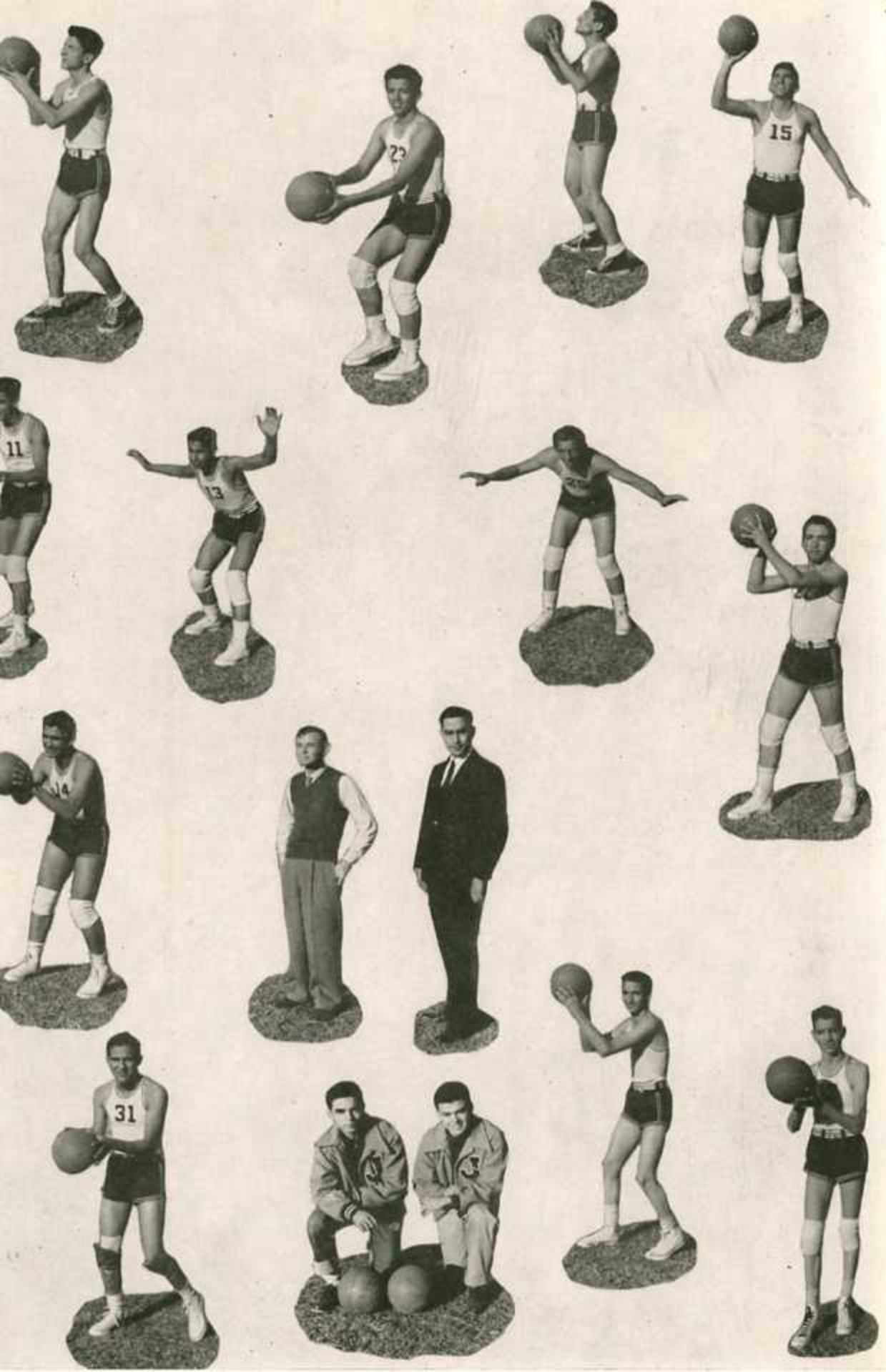
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In these times of peril for our Church, especially in the mission fields of the East, the Pope has sent out a plea for help for the Propagation of the Faith.

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Above are pictured the more generous contributors to the missions fund for this scholastic year.

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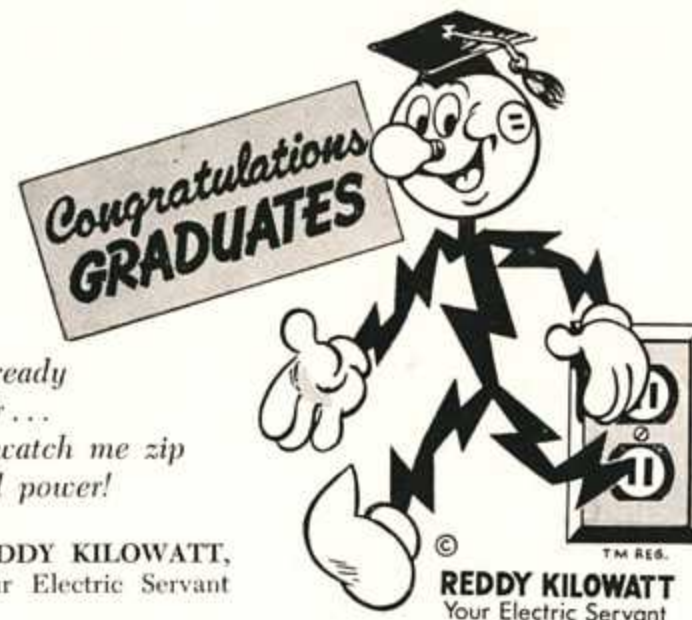
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