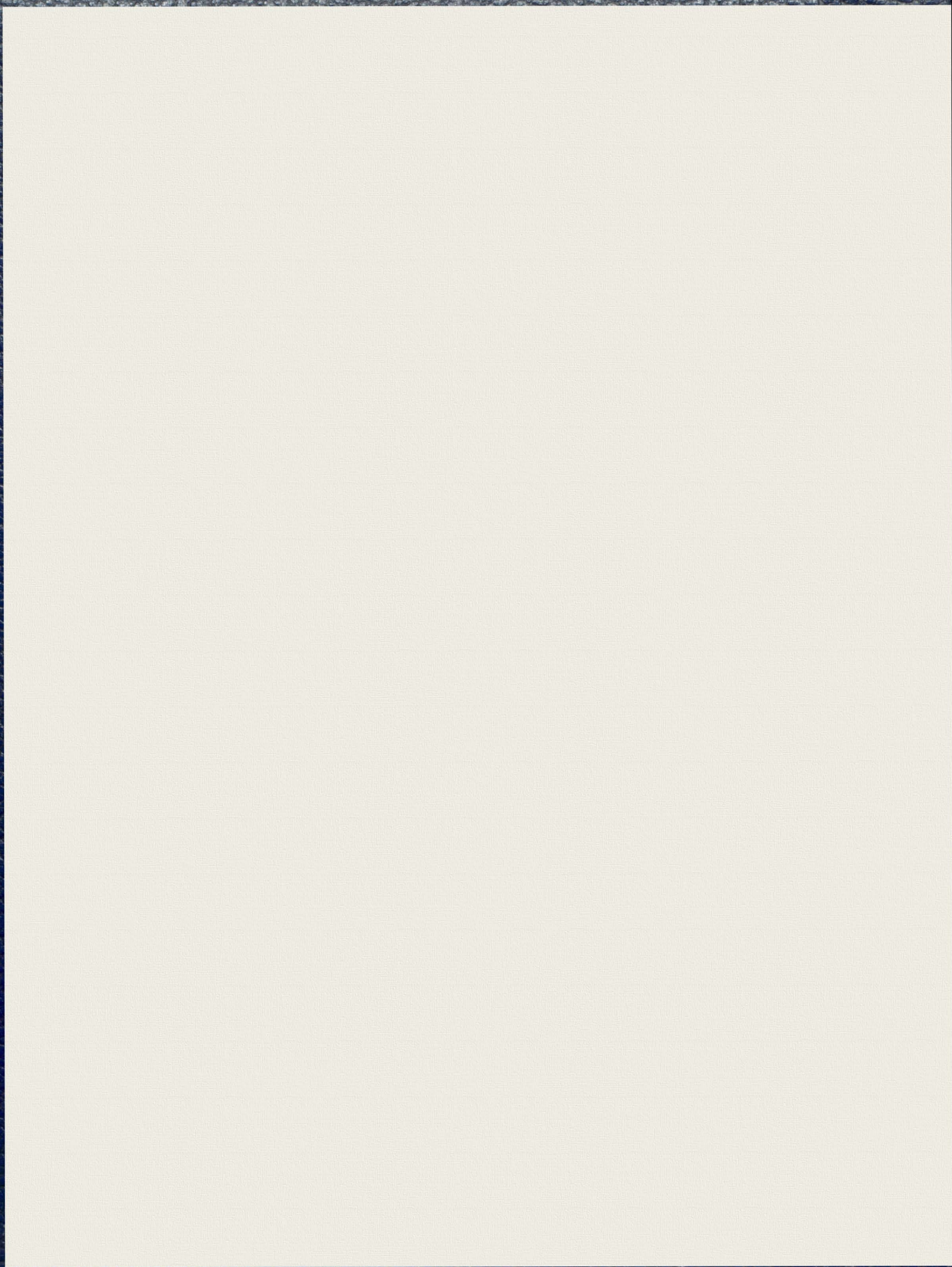
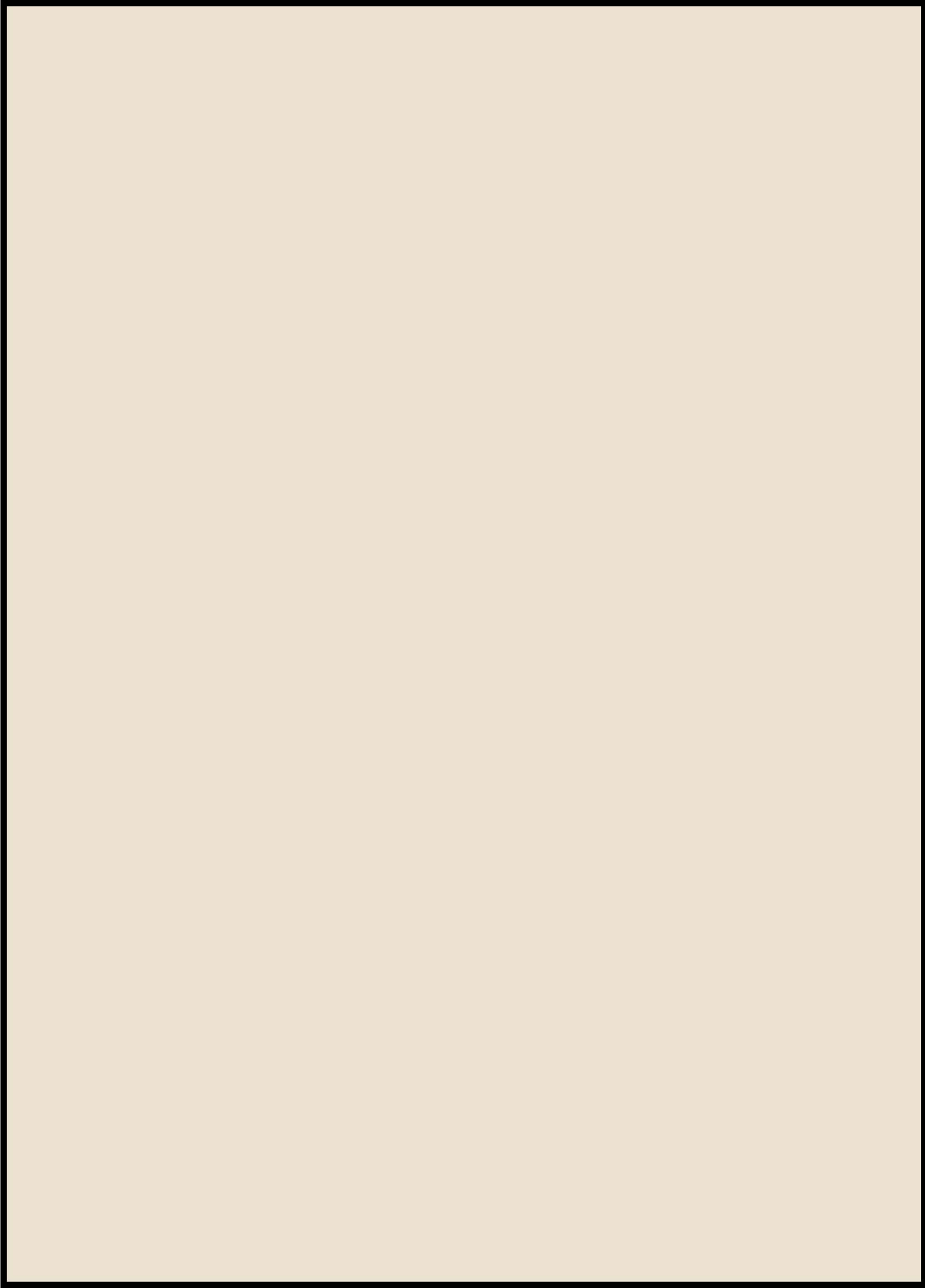


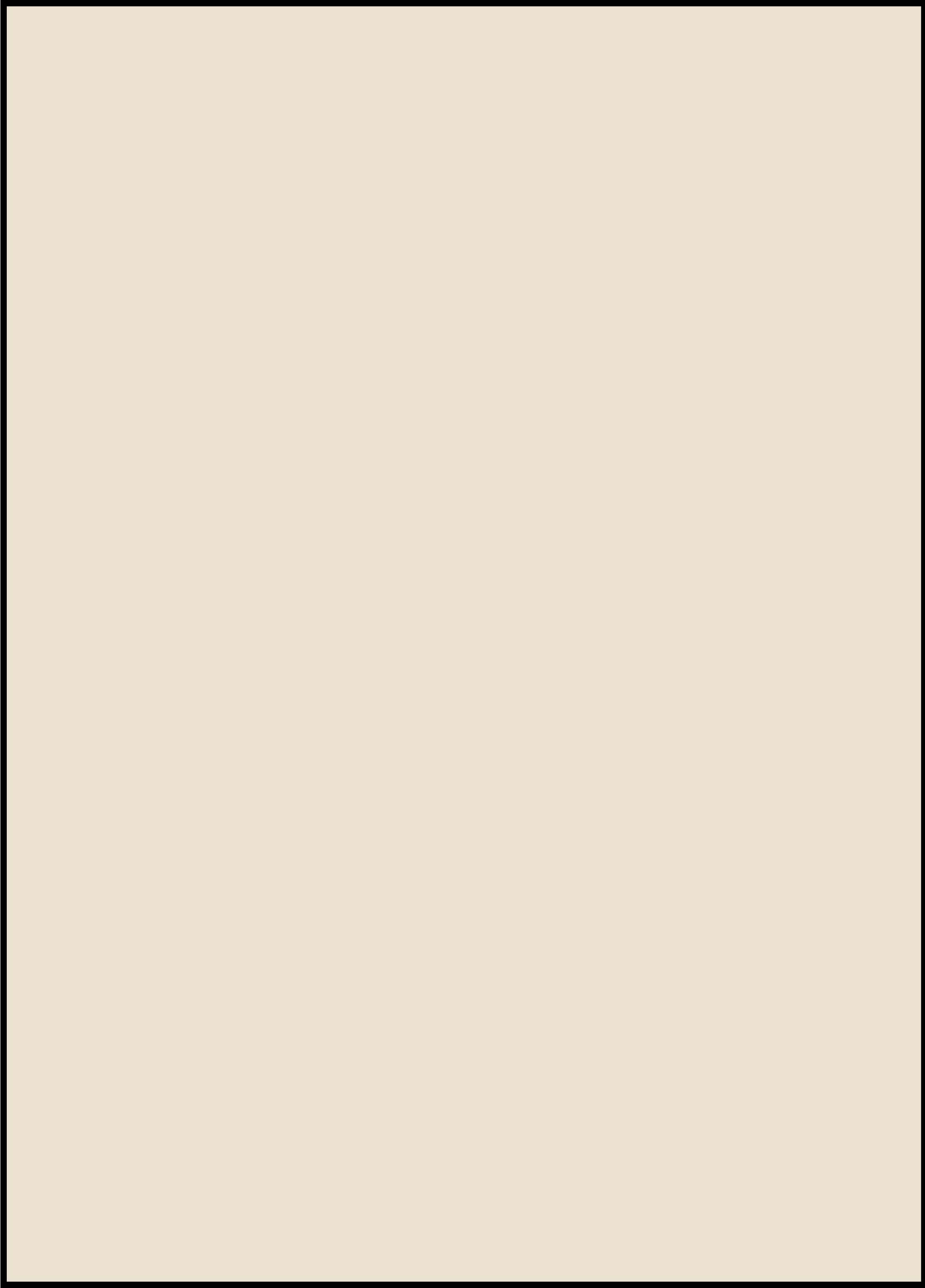


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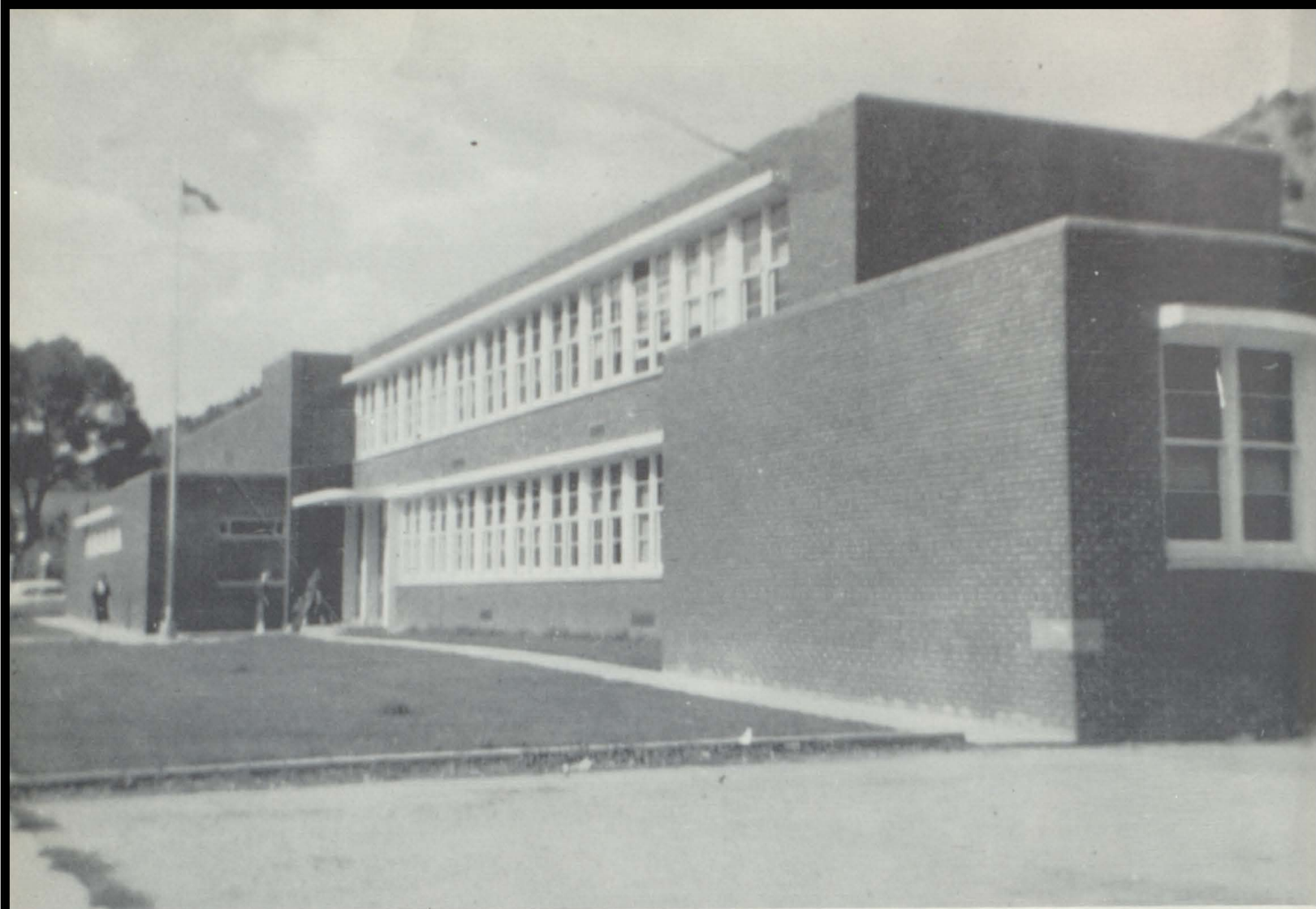
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Dedication

In deep appreciation of their unfailing support of our school, we proudly dedicate this edition of the *GOLDDIGGER* to our parents and to the business men and women of Idaho Springs and other towns in Clear Creek County.

Our hoards of solicitors, armed with pens and receipt books, frequently invaded both our homes and our business houses in behalf of innumerable crusades so essential to the happiness and welfare of the army of students in I. S. H. S.

We are appreciative of the foresight and generosity of all who help provide a well-equipped fortress of education where, in the strife to break our bonds of ignorance, we have had the opportunity to develop strength of body and of character.

We thank our benefactors!

Administration





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Steve Klasna, Superintendent

IDAHO SPRINGS, COLORADO

To our graduating class of 1954:

Although I have known you but two years, I regard each of you a friend in whom I have a deep personal interest.

Your many friends at I.S.H.S. will miss you, but we are confident of your continued success and your ability to assume your full share of society's responsibilities.

We shall feel a personal pride in each step of your progress, and shall share your joys and sorrows as you encounter them.

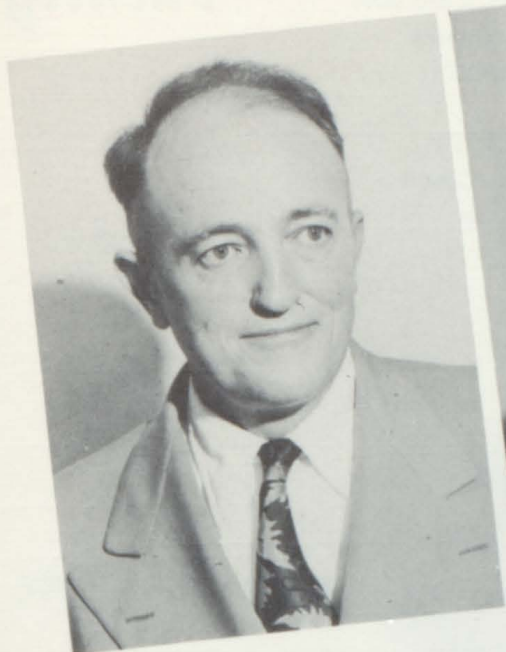
Always remember that you were richly blessed by being born an American. So live as to be in harmony with your God, even though you differ with your fellow men, for, in the words of Lincoln, "The purposes of the Almighty are perfect and must prevail, though we erring mortals may fail to accurately perceive them in advance."

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Steve Klasna". The signature is fluid and written in dark ink.

Steve Klasna

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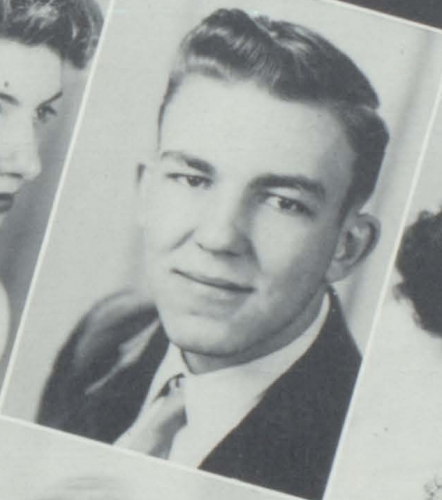
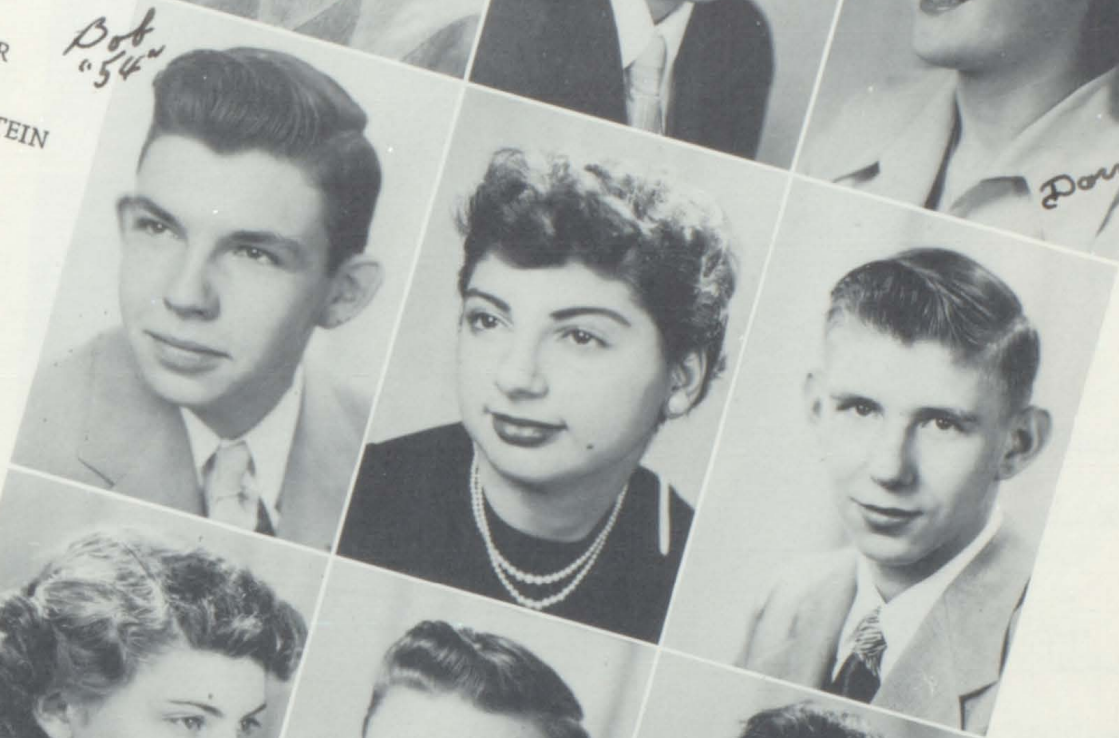


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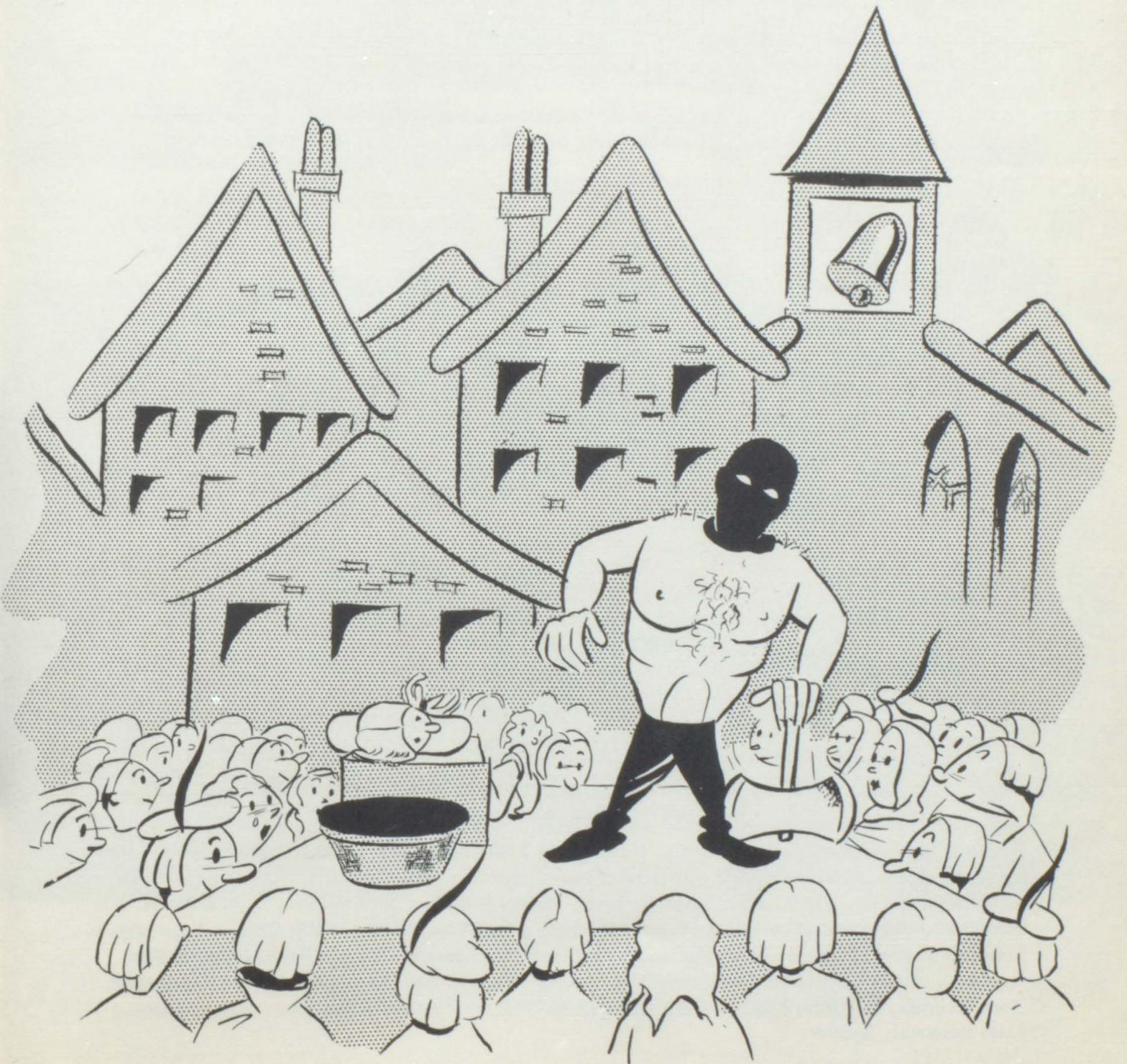
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Activities



Football



Front row: Dick Davis, Bill Heller, Bill O'Neal, Russell Willis, Denny Bieseimeier, Gene Edwards, John O'Donnell, Bill Kamby, Bill Kline, Ken Michaelis, Rob Nowak.

Back row: Coach Lynn Elliott, Bob Atherton, Carlos Comstock, Ronald Gorden, Duane Thoennes, Furman Brown, Ronny Roehrich, David Meisner, Greg Saindon, Coach Frances Shovlin.



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Basketball



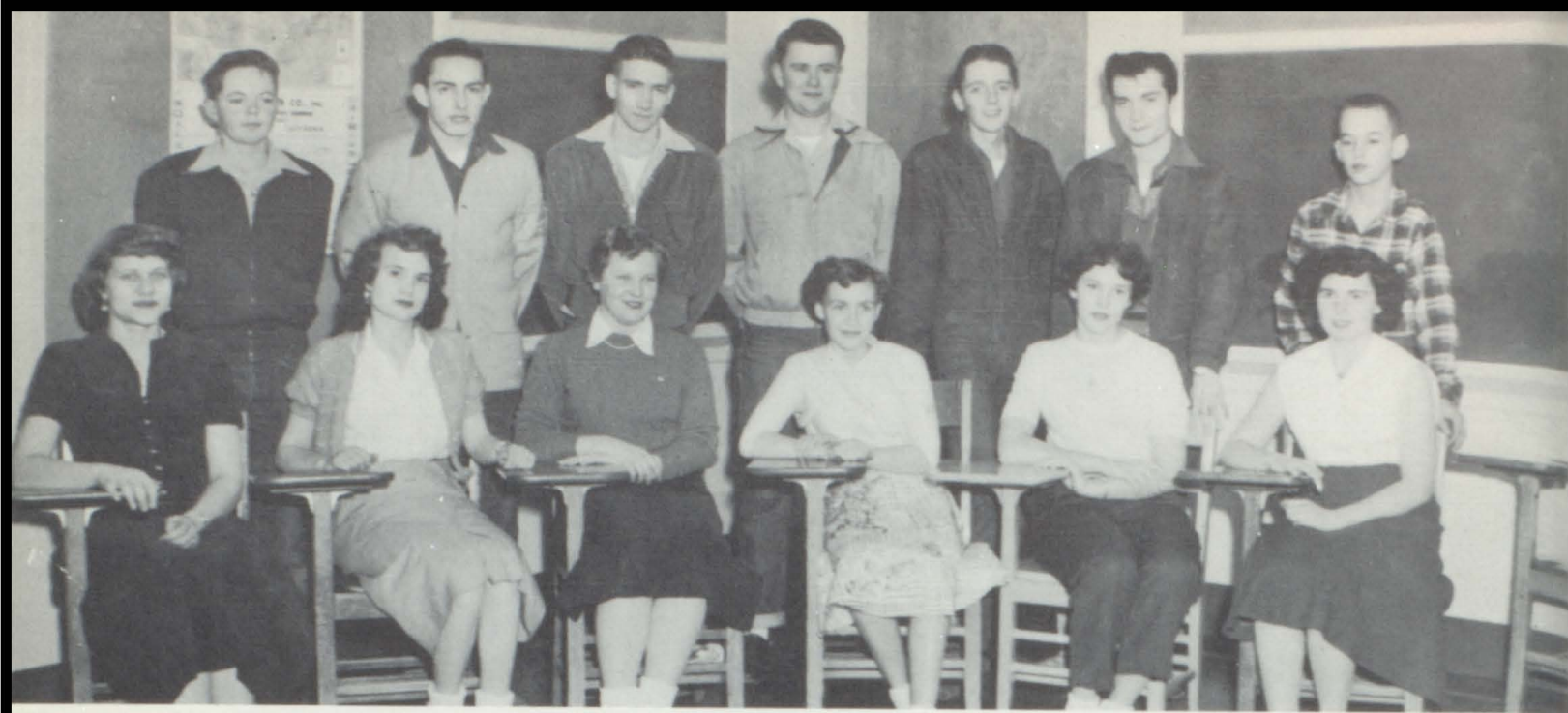
Left to right: Coach Stephen J. Shuster, Jack Osborne, Bill Hopper, Bill O'Neal, Bill Heller, Tom James, Ken Michaelis, Leonard Straub, Glen Straub, Don Comstock, Russell Willis, Coach Lynn Elliott.



Front row: Coach Lynn Elliott, W. C. Cotton, Furman Brown, Gene Edwards, Dennis Starr, Ronald Roehrich, Coach Stephen J. Shuster.

Middle row: Robert Steele, Jim Fox, Richard Davis, Duane Thoennes, Donald Gorden.

Back row: Dennis Bieseimeier, Ronnie Frye, Lon Poulson, Byron Brumbaugh, Fred Cole, John O'Donnell.



Front row: Geraldine Alishouse, junior; Avis Poulson, senior; Georgia Aiquier, junior; Mary Lou Daugherty, eighth grade; Barbara Tonn, freshman; Virginia Garvin, Head Girl.

Standing: Jim Albers, sophomore; Duane Thoennes, freshman; Glen Straub, junior; Ken Michaelis, Head Boy; Pat Price, senior; Don Comstock, junior; Bill Kelso, eighth grade.

Not present: Mary Mullenax, sophomore.

Student Council

G.A.A.

Left to right: Georgia Aiguier, Nancy Curtis, Shirley Daugherty, Muffie Turner, Nancy Greenly, Avis Poulson, Linda Henderson, Lorene Giles, Jeanne Dulaney, Joan Johnson, Irene Duffield, Loretta Gage, Marilyn Bottenfield, Miss Mary Sandoval, sponsor.



Band



Standing: Shirley Kittinger, Jeanne Dulaney, Marilyn Bottenfield, Irene Duffield, Muffie Turner, Gene Edwards, Jim Grouls, Bob Bowland, Lee Ann Gibson.

Seated: Robert Bauer, Donald Ray, Kenneth Harlan, Lorraine Krueger, Judy Kiefer, Janice Roberts, Joyce Johnson, Barbara Holman, W. C. Cotton, Connie George, Peggy O'Neal, Robert Payne, Lorene Giles, Bucky Shrader, Mary Mullenax, Val Janes, John Mullenax, Jim Albers, Dennis Haulman, Fines Witherspoon, Winnifred Stahl, Carrel Witherspoon.

Absent: Margo Vaughn, Glenn Robertson, Ervin Krueger.

Chorus



Back row: Karen Silverstein, Nancy Curtis, Shirley Daugherty, Alice McRee, Virginia Garvin, Pat Wosk, Shirley Kittinger.

Center row: Dorna Brown, Marilyn Bottenfield, Linda Schneider, Marilyn Jones, Winnifred Stahl, Loretta Gage, Mrs. Virginia Schneider, director.

Front row: Jeanne Dulaney, Sandra Pritchard, Kathleen Price, Donna Haynes, Georgia Aiguiar, Lois Payne, Jan Drury.

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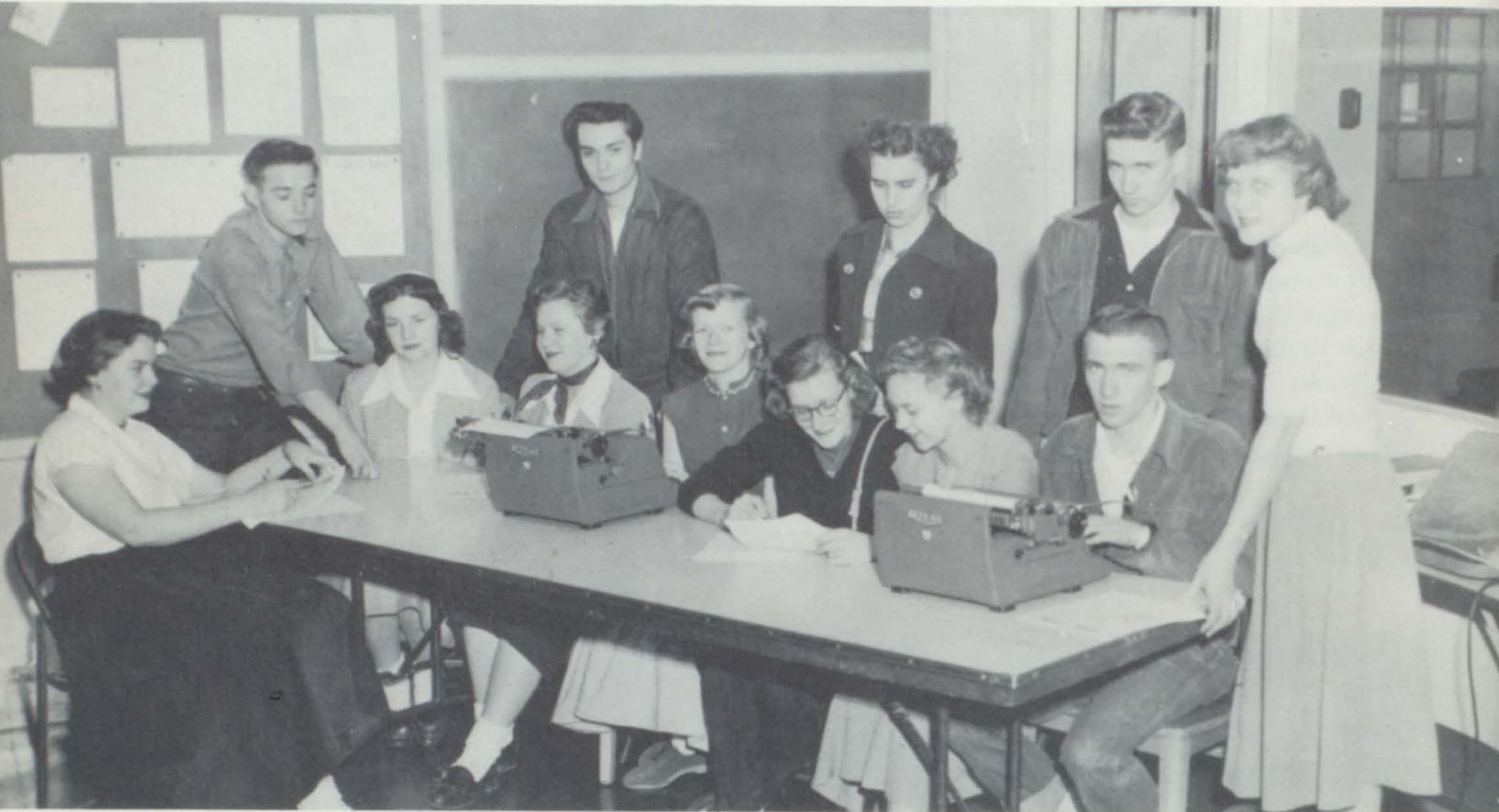


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CLASS EVENTS

Class Play - - - - - April 23, 24
Junior-Senior Prom - - - - - May 8
Baccalaureate - - - - - May 24
Class Night - - - - - May 27
Commencement - - - - - May 28
Senior Trip - - - - - May ???

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Second row: Fred Ruhs, Bill Kamby, Bud Robertson, Nancy Richardson.

Standing: Phyllis Fulton, Marilyn Jones, Assistant Editor.

Absent: Kenny Michaelis, Donna Haynes, Virginia Garvin, Bill O'Neal, Karen Silverstein, Pat Wosk.



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The Junior Class Proudly Presents
"CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN"

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From the book by

Frank B. Gilbreth, Jr. and Ernestine Gilbreth Carey

February 28, 1953 - Eight o'clock



Evening Performance:

Nancy Curtis, Jackie; Dorna Brown, Lillian; Marilyn Jones, Martha; Alice McRee, Anne; Avis Poulson, Ernestine; Robert Nowak, Dan; Fred Ruhs, Fred; Kenny Michaelis, Frank; Bill O'Neal, Bill; Virginia Garvin, Mrs. Gilbreth; Bill Kamby, Mr. Gilbreth; Bob Heller, Dr. Burton; Bud Robertson, Joe Scales; Pat Price, Larry; Nancy Richardson, Miss Brill; Phyllis Fulton, Mrs. Fitzgerald; Donna Haynes, holding the book.

Matinee: Linda Schneider, Mrs. Gilbreth; Donna Haynes, Martha.



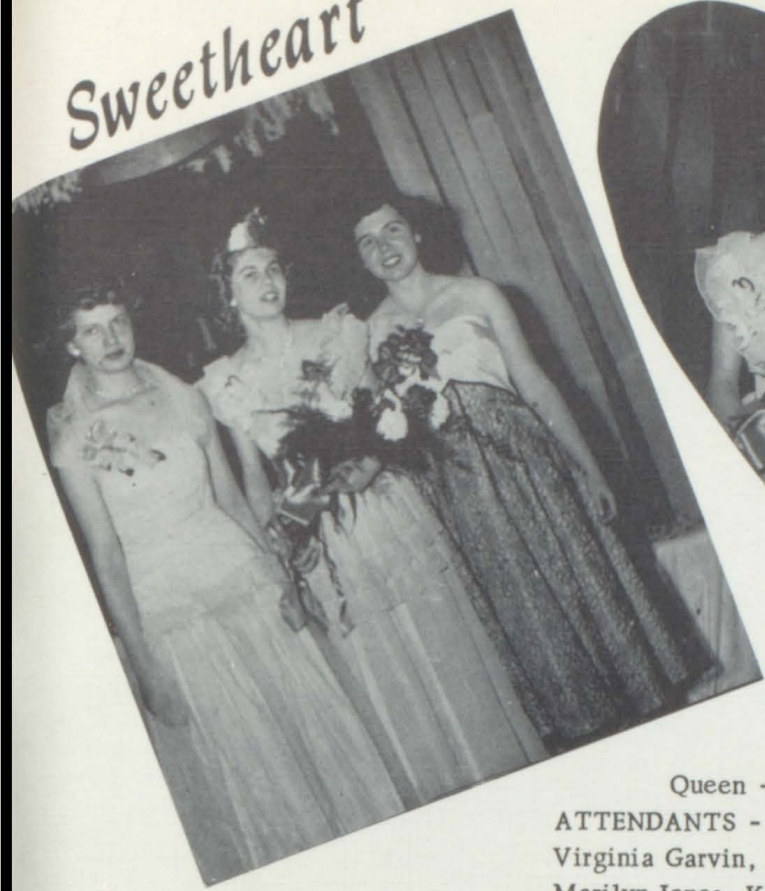
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Sweetheart



Formal



Queen - MARILYN JONES
ATTENDANTS - left, Donna Haynes; right,
Virginia Garvin, Bill O'Neal, Donna Haynes,
Marilyn Jones, Kenny Michaelis, Virginia
Garvin, Bob Heller.



JUNIOR CLASS PLAY
"TATTLETALE"

by
Anne Coulter Martens

CAST: Miss Dorothy Carlson, Director; Harriet Fox, Student; Lon Poulson, Walt Kennedy; Betty Puderbaugh, Hetty Heaton; Geraldine Alishouse, Louella; Herb Albers, Student; Roy Erickson, Student; Glen Straub, Tod; Janice Lane, Patty; Ronnie Frye, Paul Cummings; Lois Payne, Isabel; Allen Nay, Mr. Blaine; Nancy Shrader, Mrs. Blaine; Peggy Welch, Mrs. Lorimer; Jack Osborne, Mr. Bixley; Bill Hopper, Student; Leonard Straub, Mr. Whittaker; Georgia Aiguier, Quiz; Marilyn Squire, Mrs. Nixon; Don Comstock, Mr. Nixon; Bea Anderson, Ida May; Sandra Pritchard, Miss Wiggam; Carlos Comstock, Artie; Mary Ruhs, Monica; Jim Fox, Barney.



Homecoming



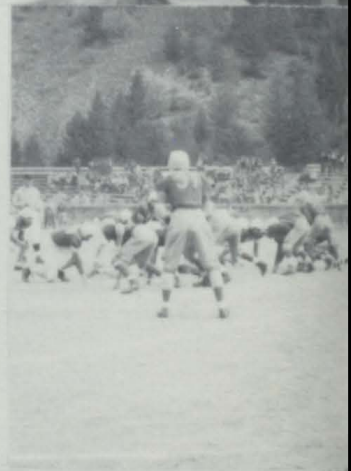
Bill Kamby
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October 21, 1953

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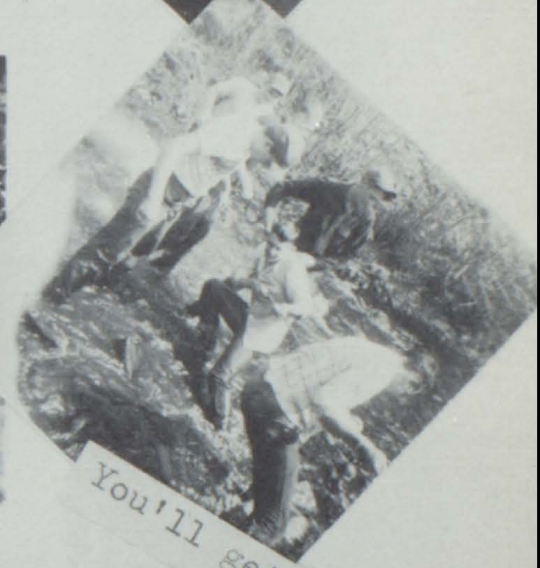




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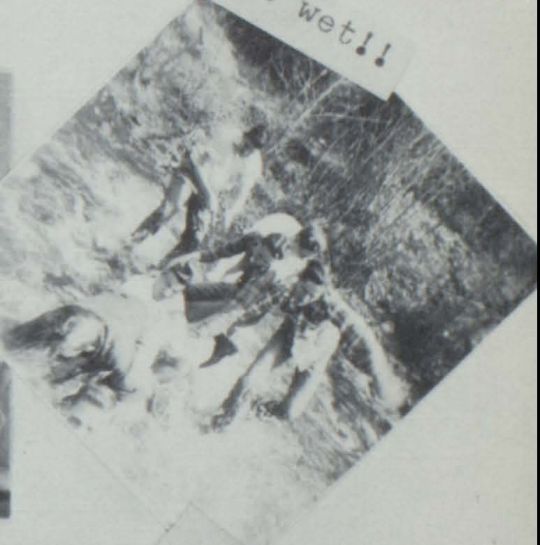
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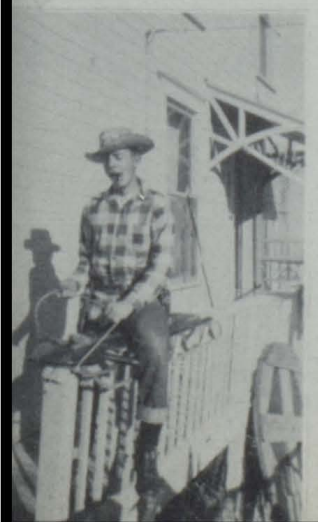
You'll get wet!!



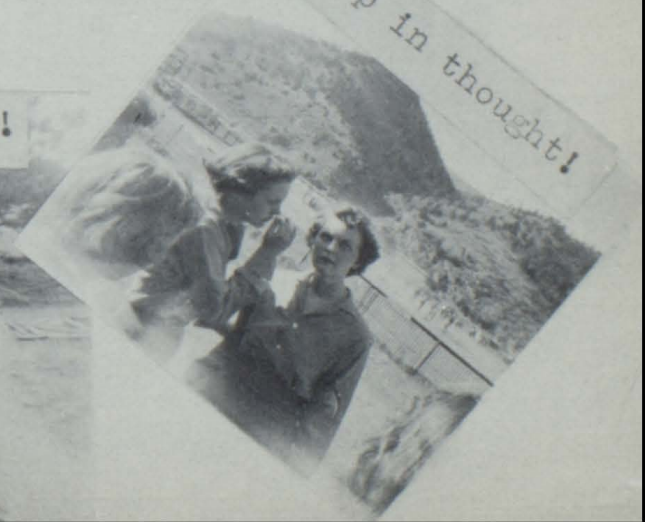
My what a big foot!



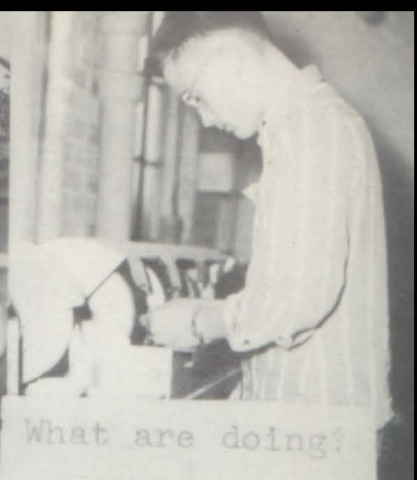
Deep in thought!



Let us have a drink!



Our Classes?



What are doing?



Concentration



Burned!



Oh!





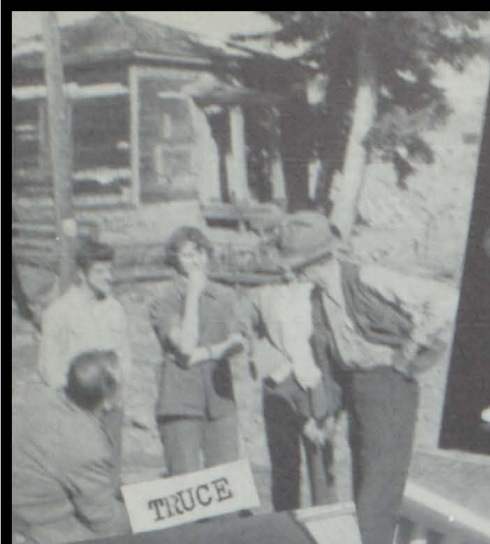
The Gang's all here



EIGHT-FORTY FIVE A.M.

Comfortable?





TRUCE



Thirsty?



WORKING??



SMILES



COACH???



Can It Be??



YOUNG LOVE.





SOFT DRINKS

TELL US TOO!



TRUE LOVE.



AIN'T SHE SWEET?



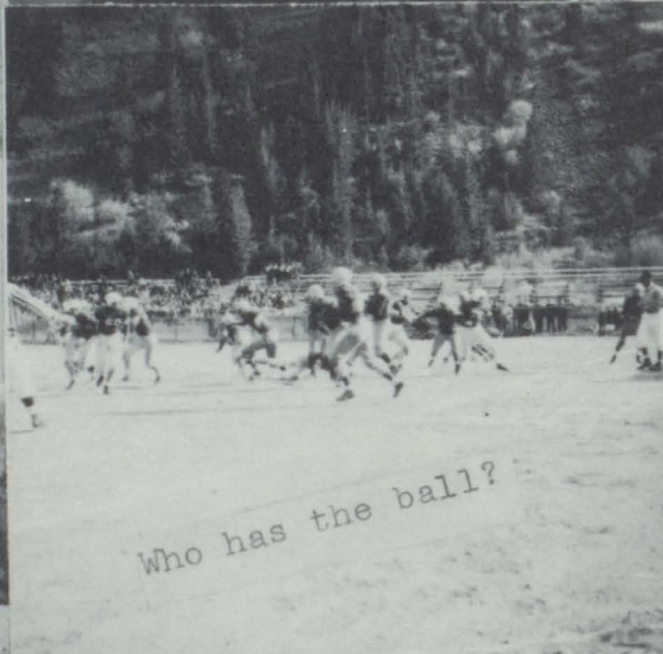
The gang!!!



Can this be love?



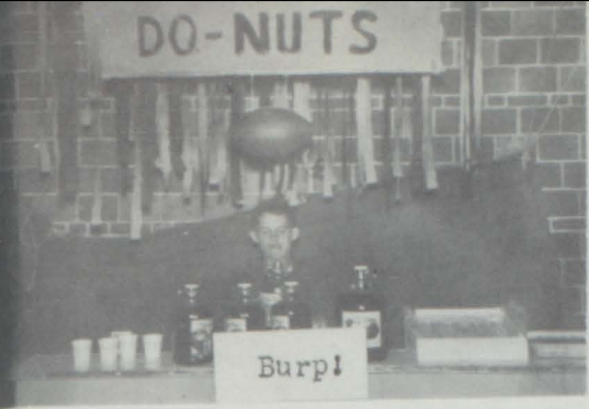
This is COOKING??



Who has the ball?



DO-NUTS



Burp!



CUTIE?



SURPRISED!



THE BOSS.



REMEMBER WHEN.



HI!



WOW!



Marilyn!

Wet?

"Four roses"

Dig this crazy mixed up page.

Ugh!

Anything in it?

So sleepy.





GOING STEADY?



THE THREE MUSKETEERS



THE WORKERS (JOKE)



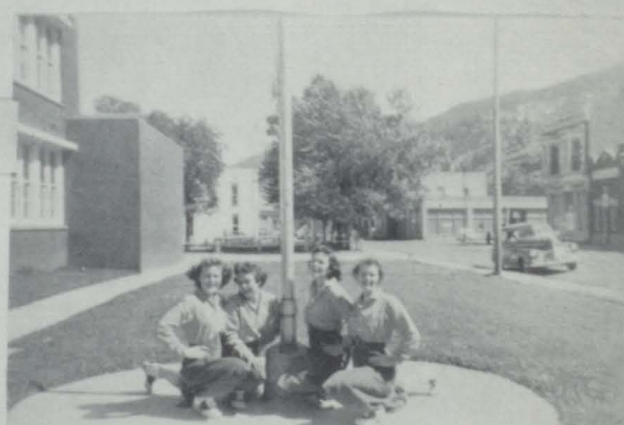
PEP CLUB



"Yea Idaho"



Mood Indigo!



Crazy No?



Lindo



The End.



THESE ARE GIRLS???



THIS LOOKS SERIOUS!



EATING AGAIN??



LEGS!!



Compliments of Dr. F. D. Fowler



CONFUSING, WASN'T IT?

All students and teachers were affected during the 1953-1954 school term by the abandonment of the grade school building. During the term, the Board of Education decided that the old building was unsafe, and took steps to remove all grade pupils into safer quarters. Moving started immediately after the Thanksgiving holidays, and, by the following Friday, all were re-settled.

Mrs. Mary Myres and Miss Dorothy Carlson, our language and English teachers, occupied two rooms in the Public Library; Mrs. Belle Schneider and her third grade became firmly rooted in the English room of the high school; Mr. Stephen Shuster, high school principal, conducted math classes in the Language room.

Miss Annette Long and her sixth grade took over the Council room; Mrs. Marion Colson and the fourth grade made their headquarters in the Math room; the fifth grade, under Mr. Francis Showlin, occupied the high school Library room; Mrs. Ruth Klasna took her second grade to the second floor of the high school building and crowded them into the Principal's office.

Mrs. Mary Mullenax taught first grade and Mrs. Kathryn Griesel taught first and second grades on opposite sides of a partition built into a large room on the second floor of the home economics department in the Plummer building.

Coach Lynn Elliot, who vacated the Council room of the high school, held history classes in the auditorium; the Kindergarten was discontinued because of lack of a room. Miss Margaret Carlson, Kindergarten teacher and grade school principal, divided her time between "special" children and supervising duties in a portion of a hall in the economics department of the Plummer building.

Mr. LaRue McLeary taught seventh grade in the Plummer building on the first floor, behind a partition, on the other side of which, Mr. Harry Slater taught the use of grinding machines, lathes, and other noise-making tools.

Mrs. Cecile Willis and her assistant, Mrs. Mary Niles, set up headquarters in the little kitchen off the gymnasium and served lunches in the gym.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shields and Mrs. George Thomas struggled with heating and other maintenance problems wherever children studied, played, or ate. Mrs. Mildred Mason, county nurse, lent a hand in helping to preserve health.

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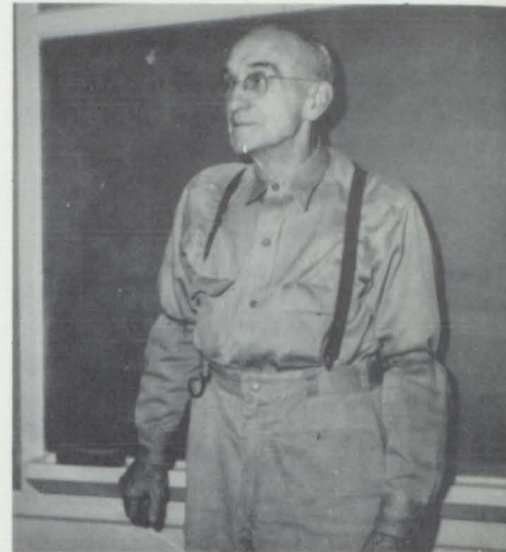
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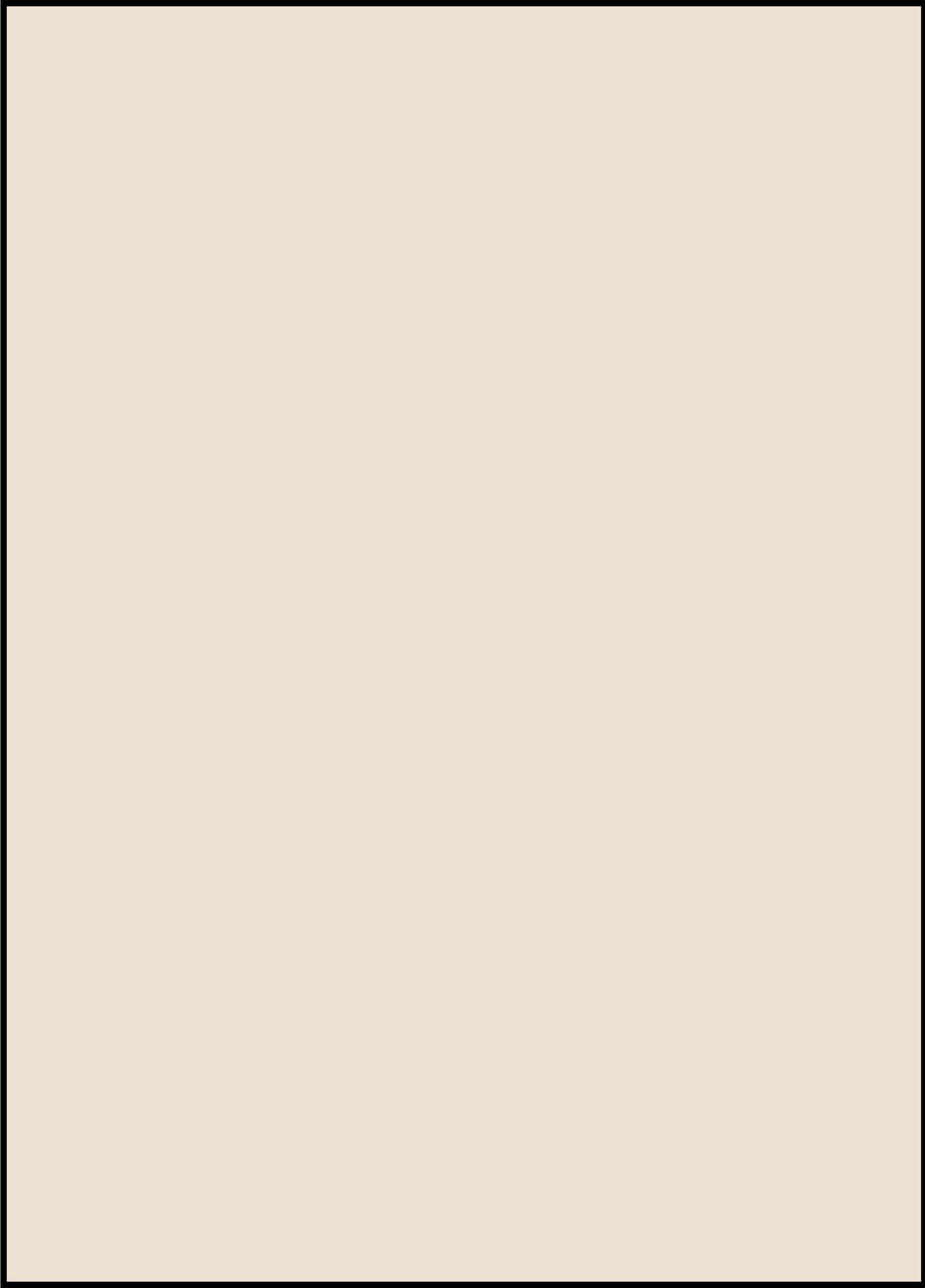


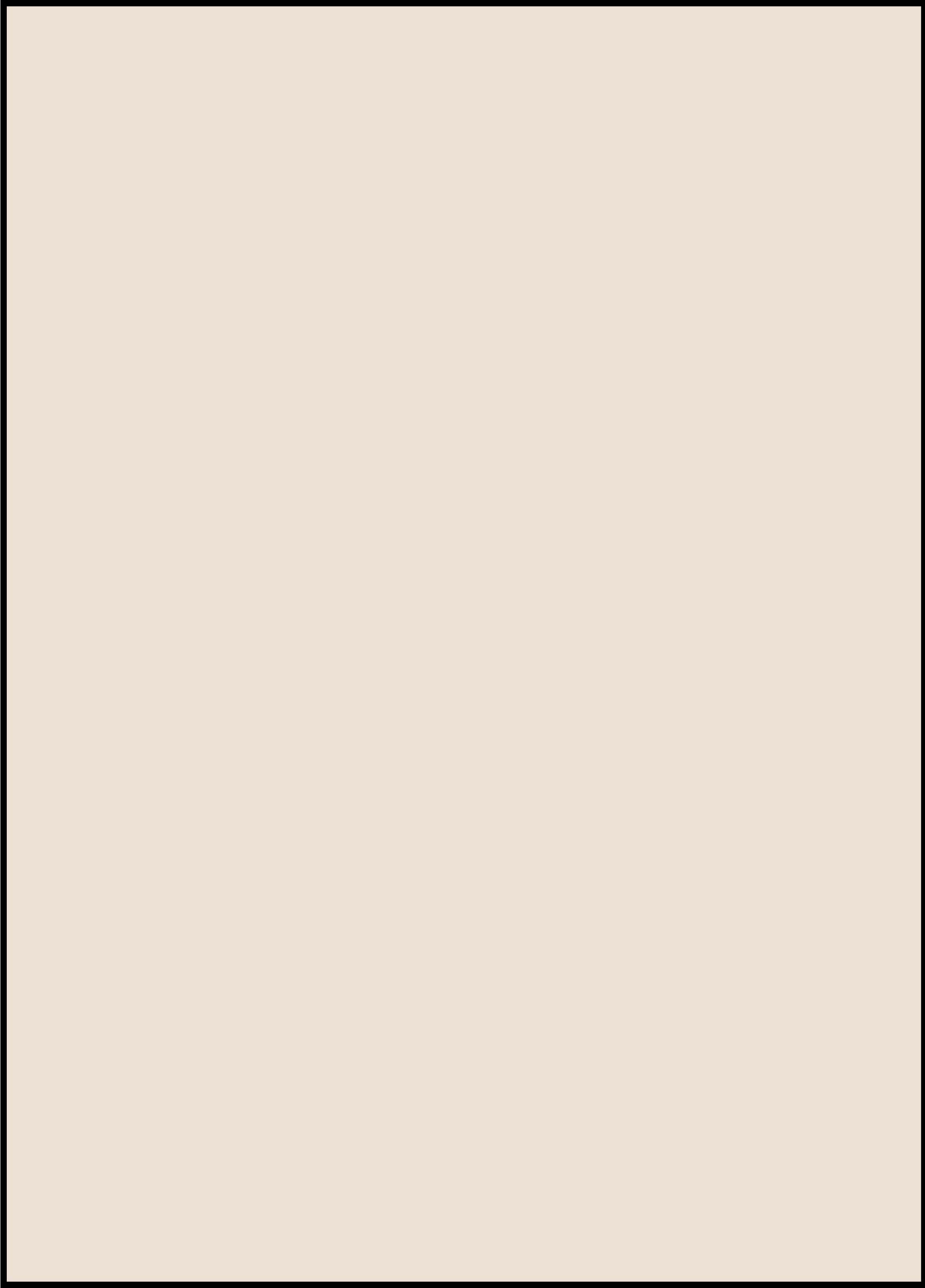
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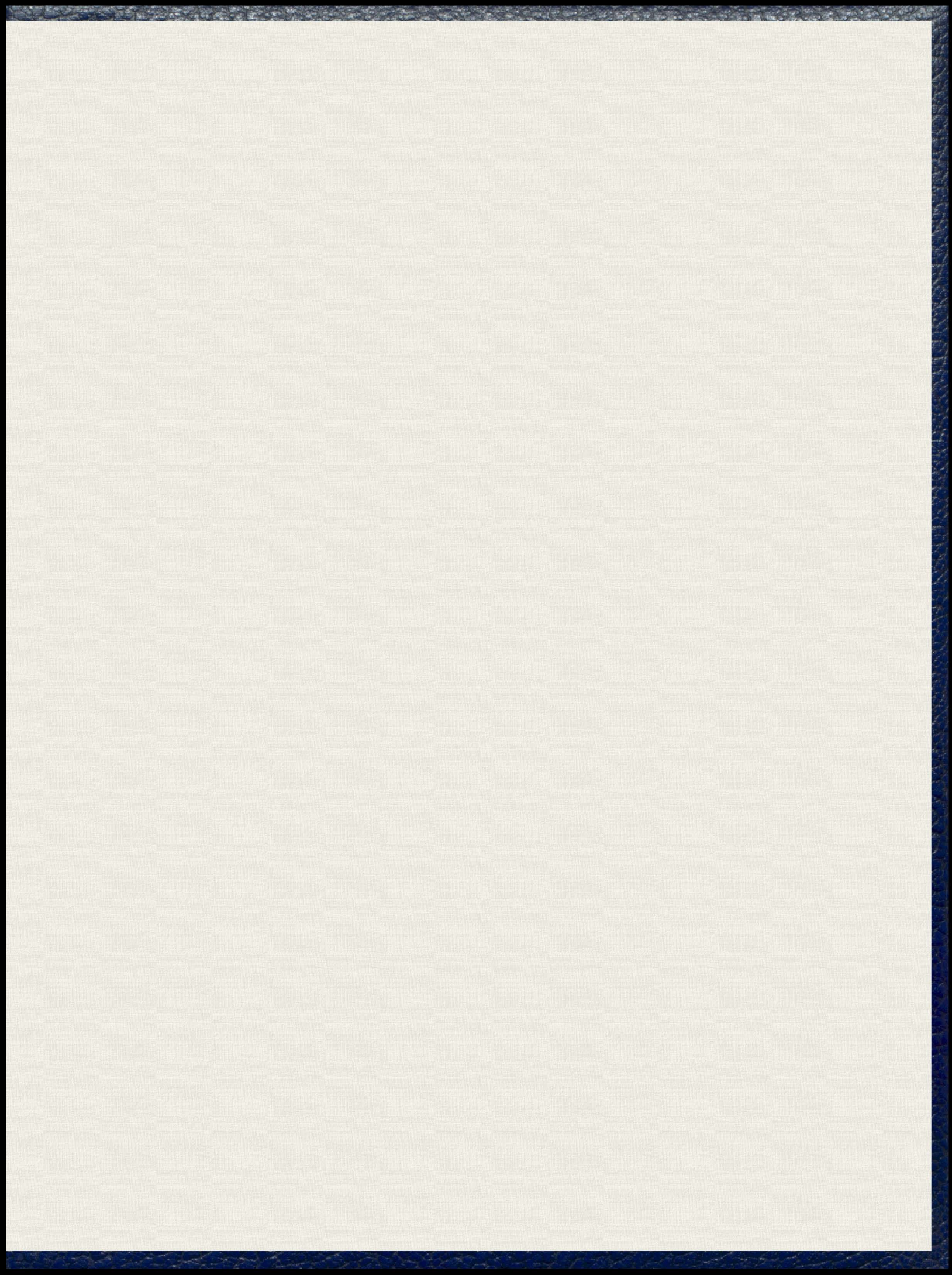


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