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"All things must change
to something new, to something strange."

Henry W. Longfellow

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FOREWORD

This year Jackson State is marked by many changes—in the campus, in the cafeteria, in the security system, in the faculty, and in the student body. Changes are present in almost every phase of school life. Although at first these changes seem very confusing and strange to us, it is only through change that we progress. And as the year passes, still—we change.

CHANGES



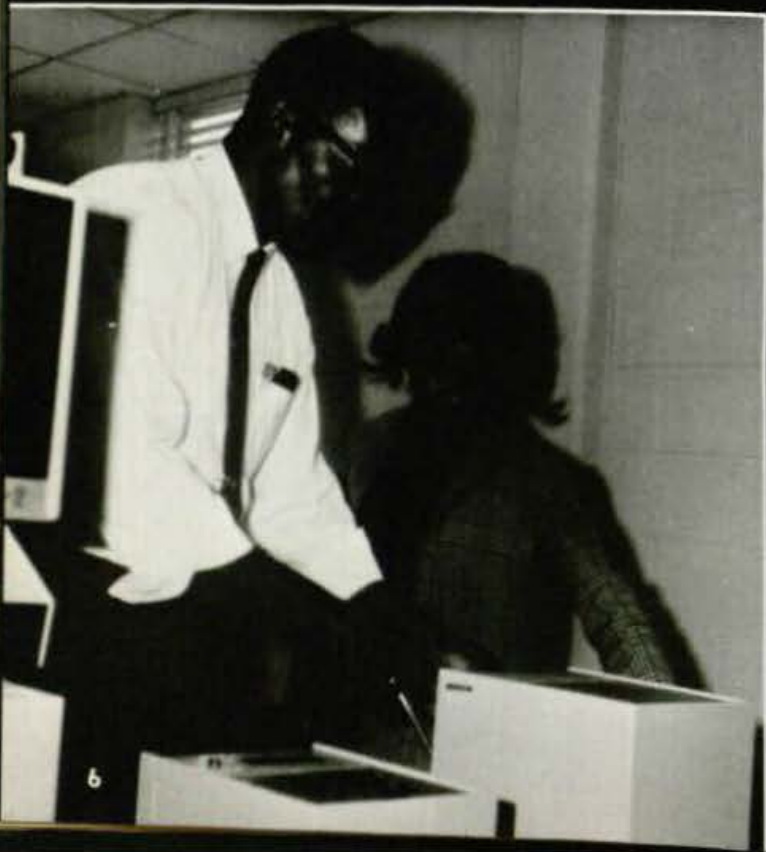
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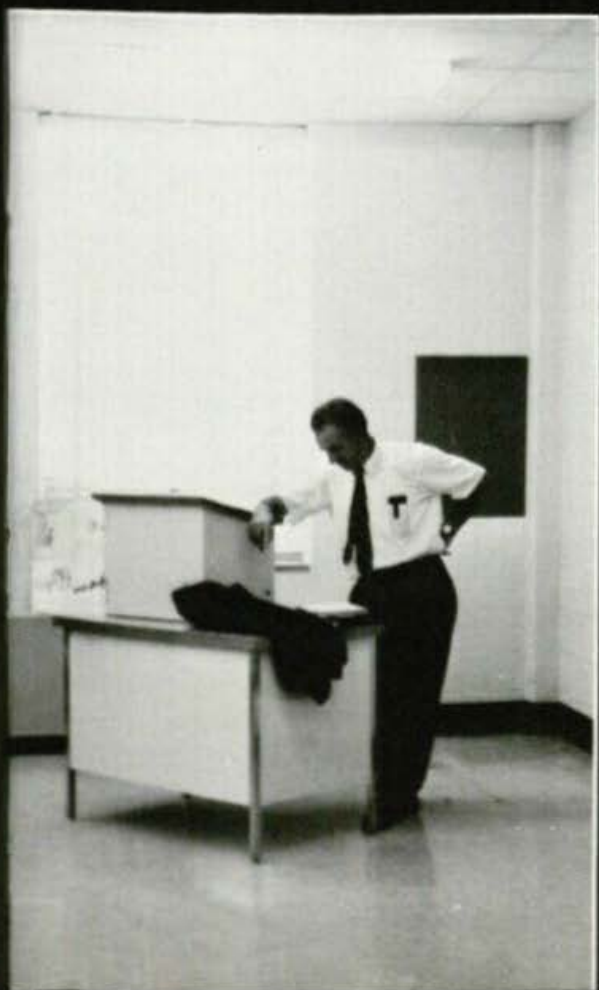




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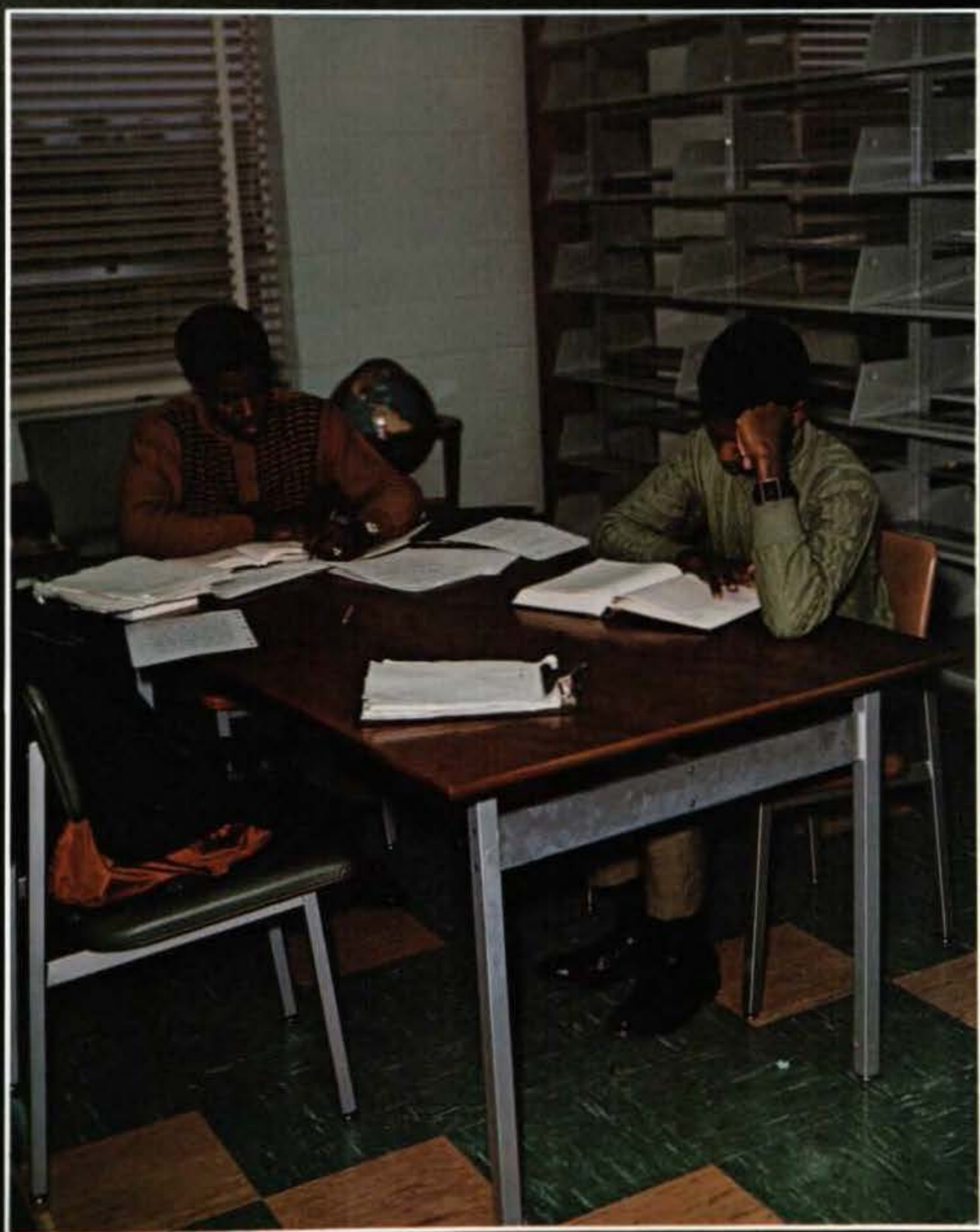


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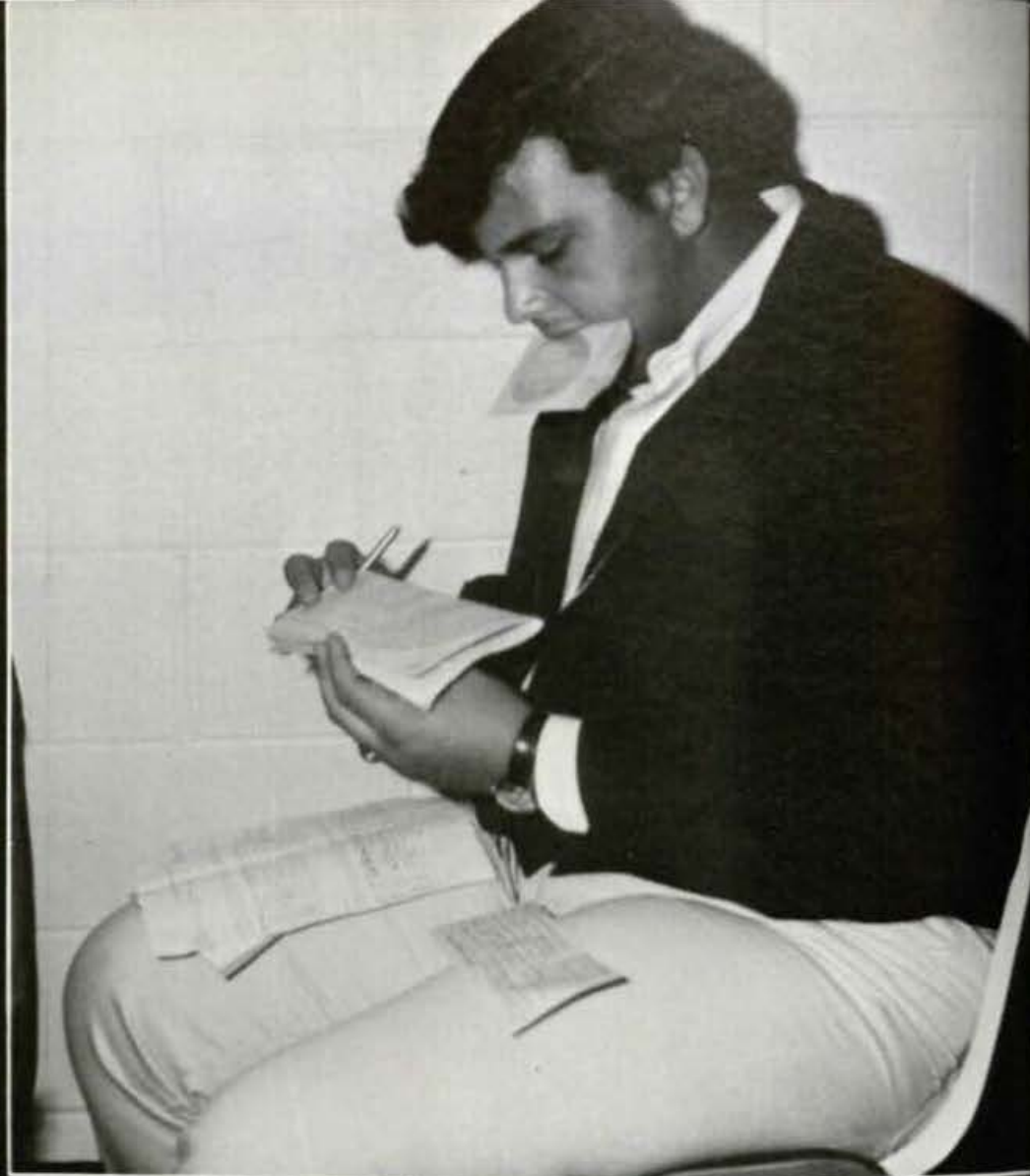




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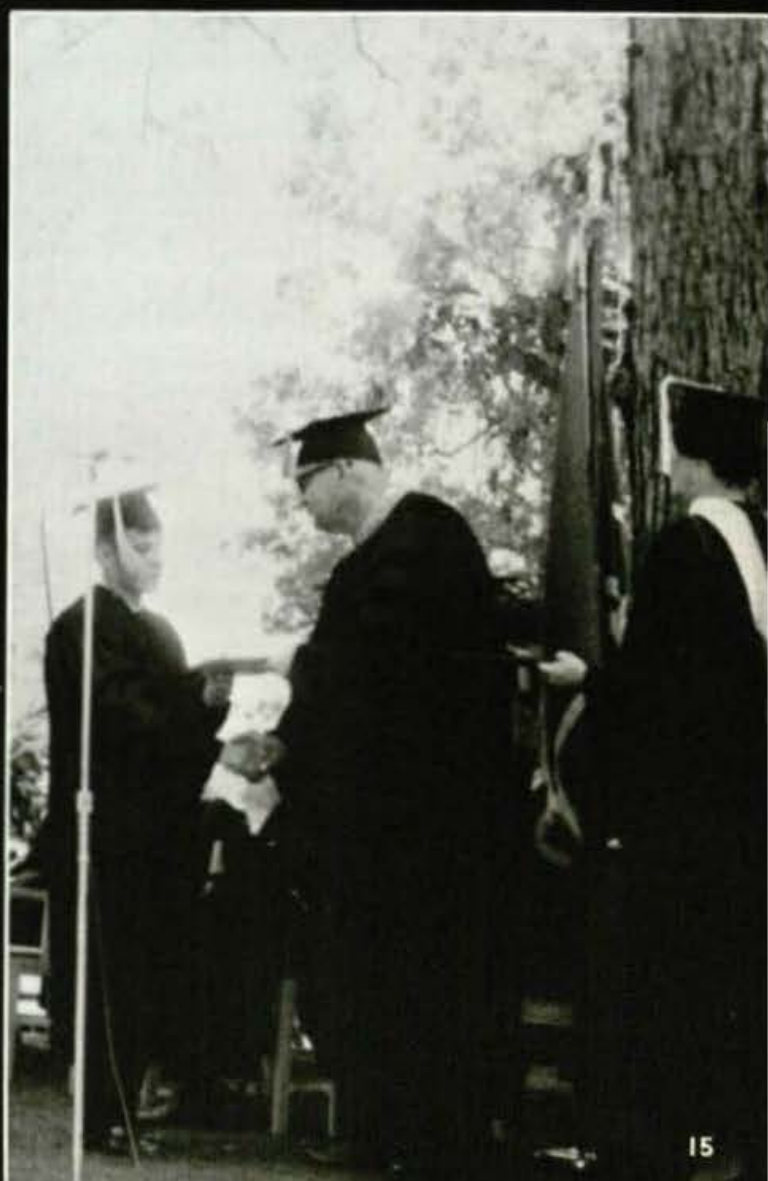


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are both a part
of our school.

ACADEMICS

Jackson State has made great progress in the past three years. Guided by its outstanding administrative leaders it has been accepted for membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

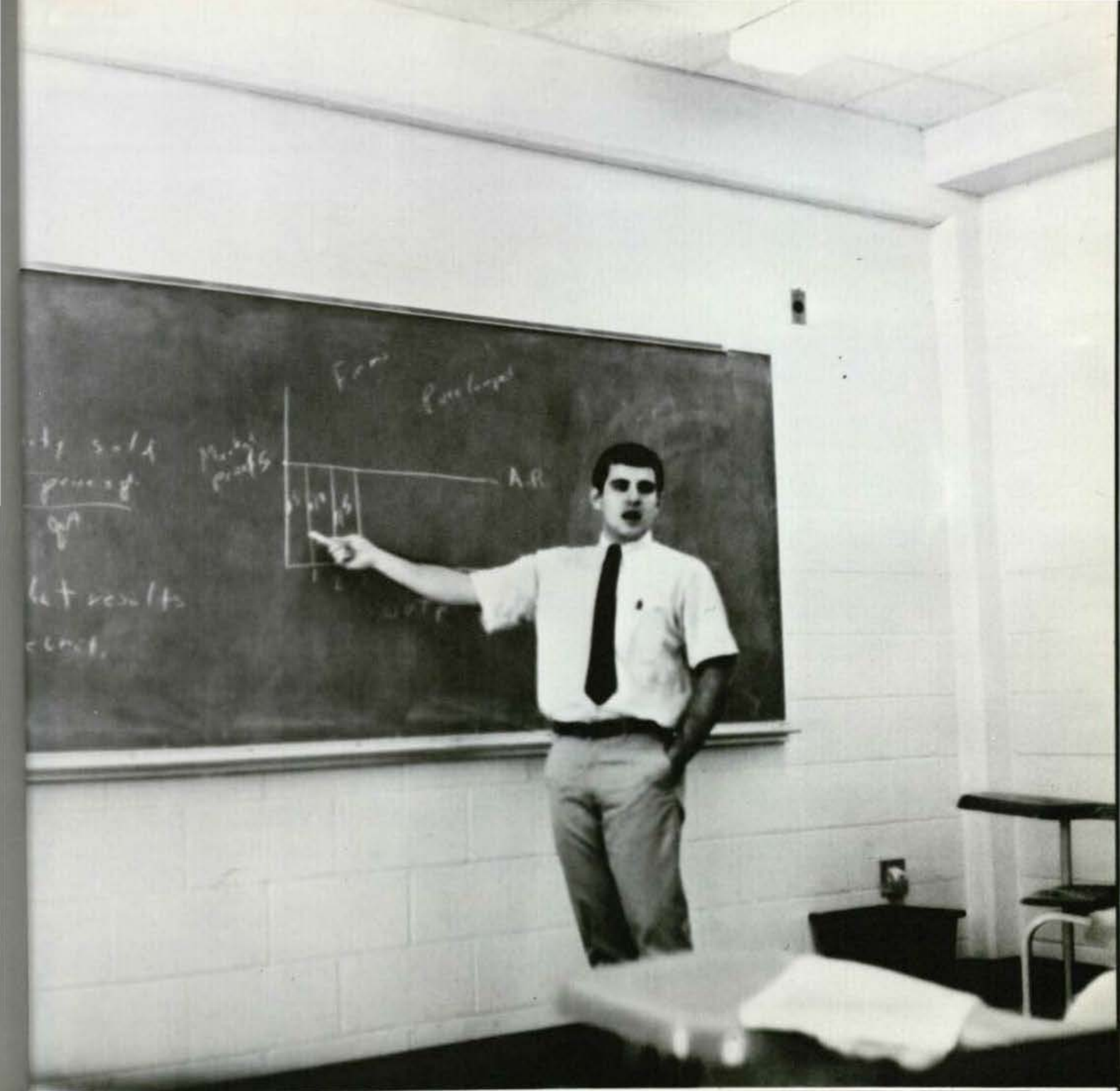
The President, Dr. F. E. Wright, has continually strived to improve our school. Through his untiring efforts Jackson State has continued to progress.

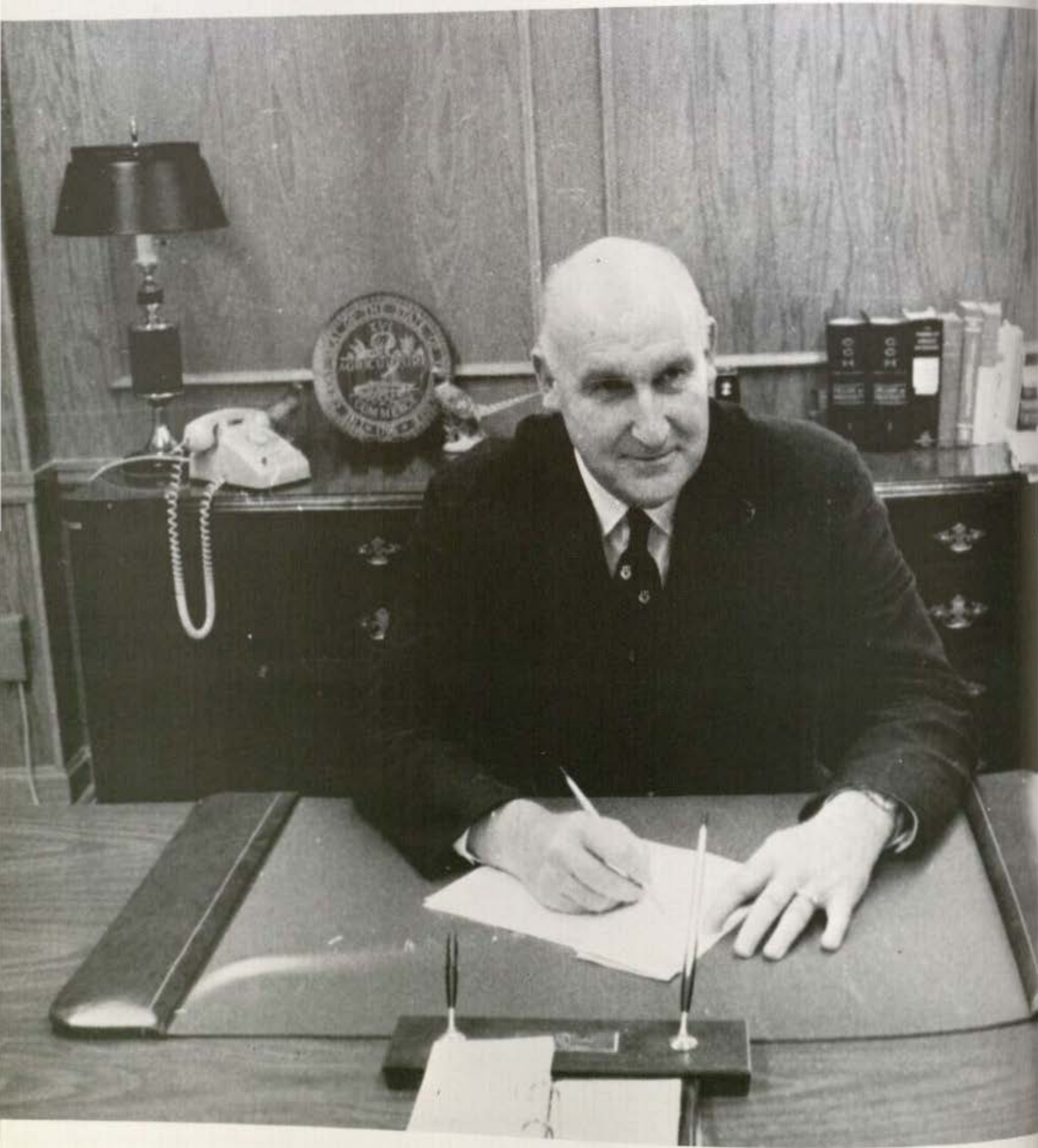
Dr. Walter Nelms, Dean of Instruction, has been very instrumental in improving the academic standard of the college. By providing a qualified faculty and developing firm policies he played a large part in the accreditation of Jackson State.

Dr. Joel Walton, Dean of Student Personnel Services, has worked diligently towards developing better student-faculty relations.

Jackson State's faculty has been very inspirational to students by giving excellent coverage of their subjects and by taking a special interest in each of their students.

To these people we express our sincere appreciation.





President Wright



Dear Students:

This school year of 1969-70 has passed so rapidly. I trust that this time has been pleasant as well as rewarding for you. I hope that as you leaf through this document and observe pictures of colleagues, faculty members, buildings, and group pictures that you will be stimulated to think of pleasant and happy days.

The administration and faculty count it a high honor to have been privileged to have had you as a student at this institution.

The school has an excellent motto "Education For Service." In the days ahead opportunities and responsibilities will come to you. During your stay at this college, I trust you have caught the spirit of service so that as the load of adult citizenship is placed upon your shoulders, you will seek to serve your fellow-man. By so doing you will bring honor to yourself and reflect credit upon Jackson State Community College.

Sincerely yours,

F. E. Wright
President



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Dean of Instruction



Dr. Joel P. Walton

Dean of Student
Personnel Services

Administration Staff



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and Reproduction
Room



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Business Manager



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PIERCE
Supt. of Buildings
and Grounds



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Coordinator of
Student Activities



DOROTHY FRYE, RN
School Nurse



Secretaries, vital to school functioning, are: Seated l. to r.: Judy Baskai, Genevieve Brooks, Ann Crossnoe, Martha Wallis. 1st row standing l. to r.: Jackie Bobbitt, Virginia Snipes, Shirley Joyce, Fannie Stoddard, Ann Morgan. 2nd row standing l. to r.: Wanda Akin, Judy Gurley, Onola Mullins, Ann Reeves, Francine Bobbitt, Charlotte Powell, Clementine Spencer. Not pictured, Martha Estes, Vickie Manley, Martha Wilson.

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Asst. Prof. of Agriculture
Business Technology

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Faculty



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Instr. of Mathematics



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Instr. of Mathematics



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Instr. of History



NORMA S. MUSE
Instr. of English

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Asst. Prof. and Dept. Head of
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Faculty



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OTTO R. RAHM
Instr. of Computer Sci. Tech.

VARNELL RANKIN
Asst. Prof. of English



JOSEPH M. RIDDICK
Instr. of English

JOHN P. RUKAVINA
Asst. Prof. and Head of the
Dept. of Mathematics



DOROTHY K. SPANN
Instr. of Home Economics

JAMES R. SWOPE
Instr. of Phys. Ed. and
Head Basketball Coach

Faculty



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Asst. Prof. of English

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ORVILLE R. WILLIAMS
Instr. of History

BETTY M. WINHUSEN
Instr. of English

PERSONALITIES

It is a great honor to be selected by the faculty or students to represent the school.

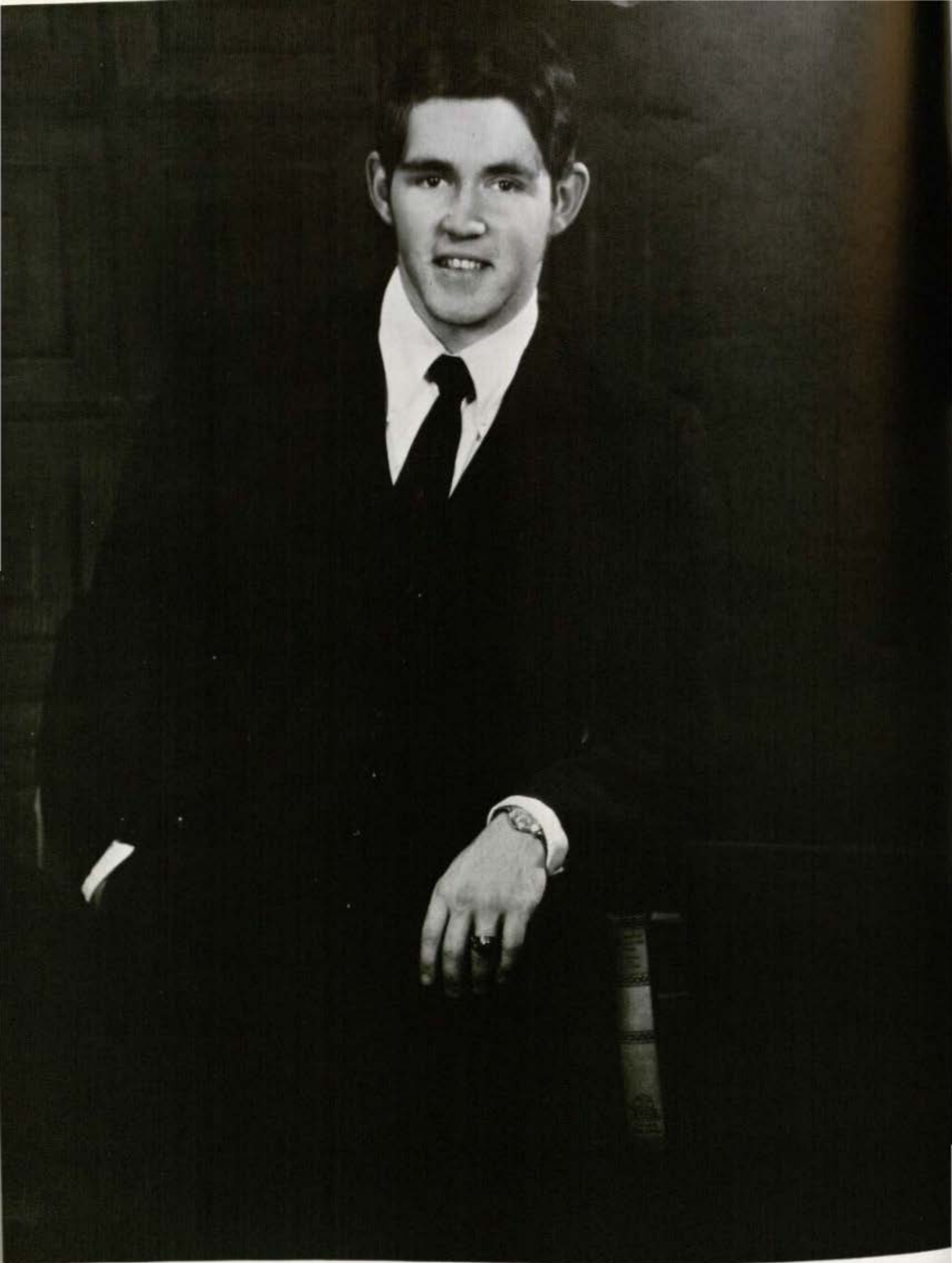
Mr. and Miss Jackson State are chosen by the faculty. These two students represent the best in students both academically and in extracurricular activities.

Five students are selected as Campus Beauties. These girls are chosen by a committee of student leaders coordinated by a chairman from the faculty.

Many friendships are made throughout the school year. Students have the opportunity to vote for Campus Favorites. Seven boys and seven girls receive this honor.

Everyone looks forward to Homecoming and the selection of the Homecoming Queen and her court. The students choose a sophomore queen. They also elect a freshman and a sophomore as attendants to the Homecoming Queen.

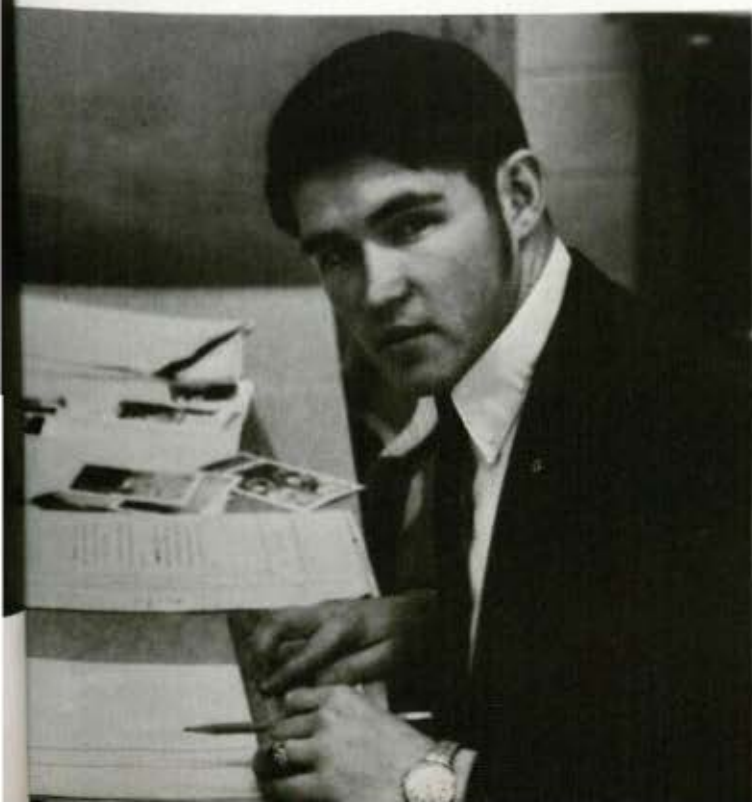
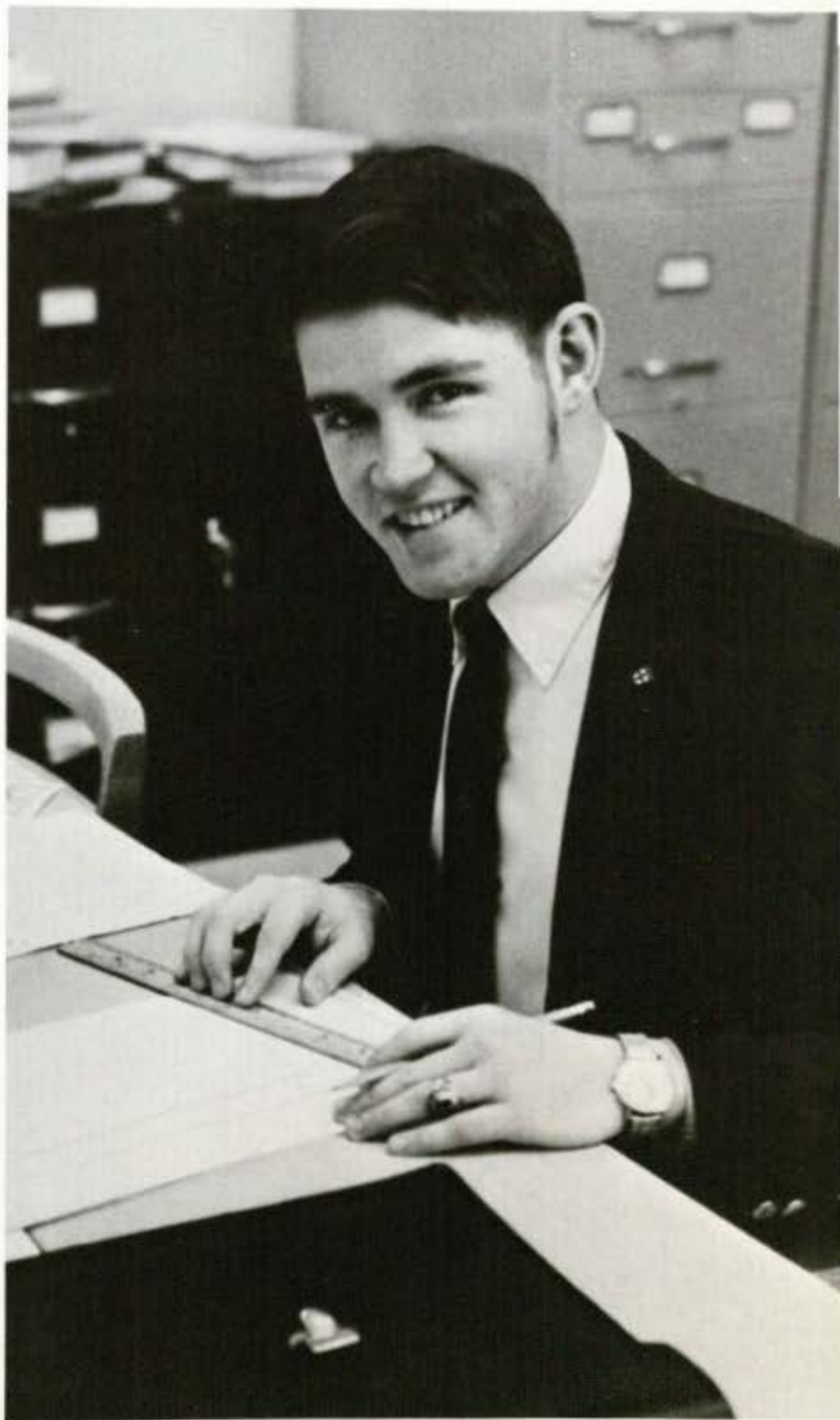




Mr. Jackson State



Larry Hearn is Mr. Jackson State for 1970. He served as photographer for the Pioneer last year and is editor of Gateways this year. Larry made the honor roll all three quarters as a freshman and also made the Dean's List as a sophomore. Larry enjoys photography, numismatics and sports. He will transfer to Union. A political science major, Larry plans to teach social sciences on the high school level.





Miss Jackson State



Miss Jackson State for 1970 is Sandra Mitchell. As captain of the cheerleaders Sandra is very active in college activities. She enjoys basketball, swimming, tennis, badminton and attending Sunday School. As a freshman Sandra was a member of the honor roll all three quarters. She plans to transfer to either Union or UTM upon graduation. Sandra plans to teach in elementary school.



Campus

Each year five girls are chosen to represent Jackson State as Campus Beauties. This year's beauties are Kathy Haney, Pat Henry, Minerva Williams, Debbie Meadows and Ann McBride. We are proud of these girls and believe that they are excellent representatives for our college.



Kathy Haney

Beauties



Minerva Williams



Pat Henry

Campus Beauties

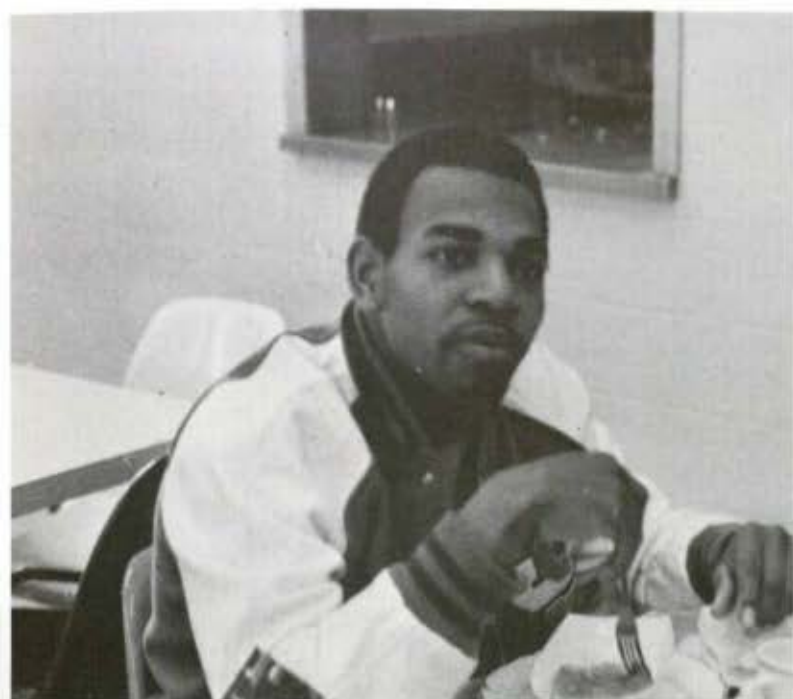


Ann McBride



Debbie Meadows

Campus Favorites



Roger "Skip" Jones



Julia Porter



Dennis Hammons

Campus Favorites



Debbie Meadows

Richard Townsend



Viola Walker

Campus Favorites



Ann McBride



Edward Pollard

Campus Favorites



Fred Sanders



Kathy Haney



Joe Powell

Campus Favorites



Vickey Little



Alvia Carter



Linda Sanders

Queen Kathy Reigns



Dr. Joel Walton crowns Queen Kathy Haney.



Calvin Bailey scores two.

Homecoming 1970 was an exciting time for Jackson State students. The students selected Kathy Haney as Queen and Julia Porter and Ann McBride as Attendants. Queen Kathy was crowned before the ball game. After the crowning ceremonies, the royalty was escorted to the stage where they enjoyed a 66-61 Homecoming victory over Cleveland State. Following the game, Jackson State students and their dates enjoyed a dance in the student center.

at 1970 Homecoming

The scoreboard shows the outcome.



Students enjoy the Homecoming Dance.



THE HOMECOMING ROYALTY

ORGANIZATIONS

Organizations are a very important facet of school life. Some organizations were founded with the school while others are still being established.

The publications' staffs did an excellent job of recording the school year for the students.

Several new clubs have been formed at Jackson State this year in addition to the ones that were organized in previous years. The clubs are providing a service to the school by creating activities for the students.



Gateways Staff



Mr. Smothers, yearbook advisor, and Larry Hearn, editor, discuss pages for the final deadline.



Kay Buchanan, Assistant Editor



Debbie Meadows
Assistant Editor

Gateways Staff

There is much more to compiling a yearbook than putting pictures on a page. Selling ads, planning, and worrying about deadlines are all a part of the effort that it takes to put a yearbook together. These are the people who have shared in the making of 1970 Gateways.



Dan Beard
Freshman Assistant



Nelda Paratore, *Freshman Assistant*



Sandy Wilson, *Sophomore Assistant*

Gateways Staff



Sandra Mitchell
Sophomore Assistant



Alice Davidson, *Freshman Assistant*



Janie Kelley, *Sophomore Assistant*

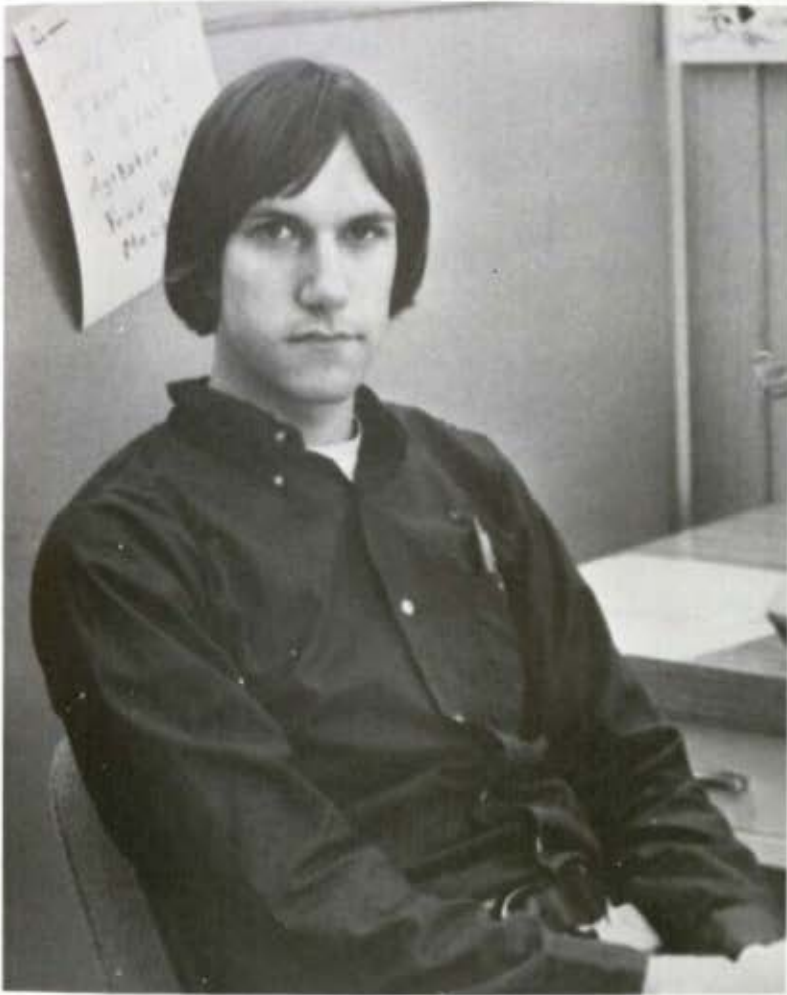


Debbie Sikes
Sophomore Assistant



Minerva Williams
Freshman Assistant

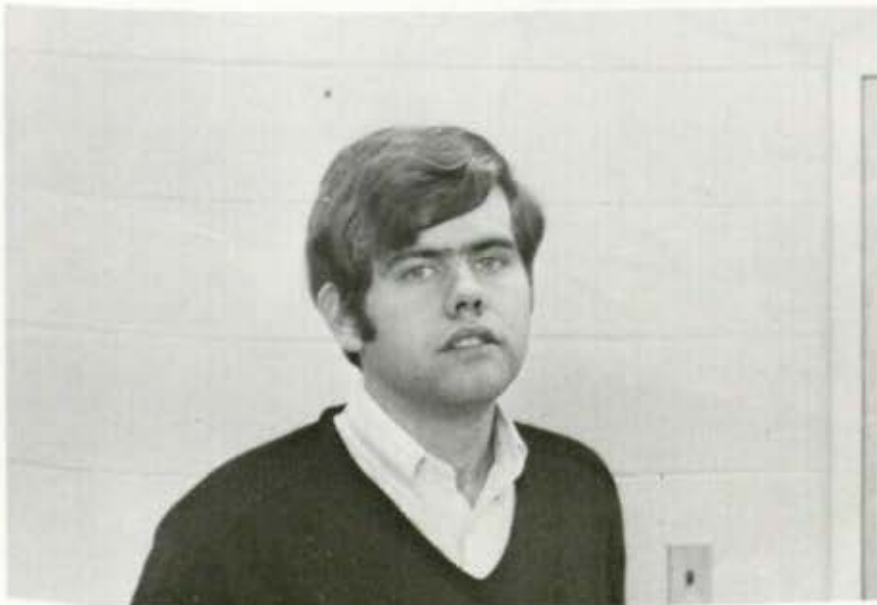
Pioneer Staff



David Oliver, *Editor*

The Jackson State Pioneer is the college newspaper. Published by the students, the Pioneer covers all facets of college life at Jackson State.

Under the leadership of Editor David Oliver and Managing Editor Gerald Ketchum, the staff works hard to publish a newspaper of which the students can be proud.



Wally Hammer, *Reporter*



Gerald Ketchum
Managing Editor

Pioneer Staff



Becky White, Proofreader



Richard Townsend, Reporter



Greg Knapp, Reporter



John Mott, Reporter

Pioneer Staff



Don Manasco, Reporter



Judy Rhodes, Artist



Vicky Williams, Reporter



SEE NO
EVIL

HEAR NO
EVIL

PRINT NO EVIL

Student Government Association



Some of our SGA members pose for a picture.



Vickey Little, SGA President



Students enjoy one of several dances sponsored by the SGA.

Baptist Student Union



The BSU officers are: seated, left to right: Sara Jean Pearce, Becky White, Nancy Priddy, Ruth Raines and Patty Hopper. Standing: Mike Stewart, Larry Turner and Bill Hollingshead. Not pictured are Deneshia Bailey and Lyle Smith.



President Larry Turner presides over a meeting.



Mr. Cagle
Faculty Advisor

Pictured here are some of the BSU members who attended the weekly meetings.



Jackson State Choir



The Jackson State Choir continued to perform well. Specializing in religious songs, the choir provided music at numerous assemblies. The members practice many hours to improve their timing and ability. They are under the direction of Donnie Adams. Mrs. Brenda DePriest is the accompanist.

SNEA



Standing: Joe Pugh, vice president; Ralph Larkins, treasurer. Seated: Nancy Victory, president; Janie Kelley, reporter; Minerva Williams, secretary.



Miss Oakley, Sponsor



Miss Betty Watson, one of the many speakers, with Dan Beard and Mike Stuart.

Pat Henry giving a report to a meeting of the SNEA.



A few of the members who attended the regular monthly meetings.

Television Production



Mrs. Corley
Coordinator of
Instructional TV

Television production advanced this year under the able leadership of Mrs. Corley and Mr. Cagle. Students gained valuable knowledge in the field of television by filming basketball games, assemblies and other campus activities.



Mr. Cagle
Instructor of
TV Production

Collegiate Civitan



Skip Jones purchases a Homecoming mum.

The Collegiate Civitan is a club designed to promote citizenship on college campuses. Some of the club's activities included a car bash and selling mums at Homecoming.

Christian Student Center

The Christian Student Center is a new club at Jackson State. The director is Wendell Bloomingburg. The CSC objective is to help students grow morally and spiritually, while experiencing intellectual growth during college years. Regular devotionals, discussions, study groups, counseling and a variety of fellowship activities help to achieve this.



Home Economics Club



The officers of the Home Economics Club are Patty Hopper, secretary; Christine Shaw, president; Deneshia Bailey, vice-president; and Brenda Corley, treasurer.



Mrs. Dorothy Spann,
Advisor

Brenda Corley, treasurer, serves refreshments to other club members before the meeting starts.



Mrs. Spann explains the purpose of the Home Economics Club to the members.

Chamber Singers



An addition to the Jackson State music department is the Chamber Singers. Under the direction of Donnie Adams, the Chamber Singers specialize in folk music. They are a welcome addition to Jackson State music-making.

STUDENT BODY

A school is made up of many varied aspects, but the most important facet of the school is the student body. At Jackson State students can be seen rushing to classes, cramming for exams, playing cards in the student center or just chatting with their friends.

When a student comes to Jackson State he finds many changes from high school. He witnesses changes in the college during the time he is here. Although he doesn't always realize it, the college brings changes in the student also. As Tennyson said, "I am a part of all that I have met." Thus, when a student leaves Jackson State, he leaves behind a part of himself—and takes a part of the college with him.





Brenda Adams
Jerry Alexander
David Allen
Jane Allen

Gibson
Dyersburg
Jackson
Bemis



Melvin Atwater
Benny Austin
Shelia Avery
Calvin Bailey

Jackson
Savannah
Guys
Gleason



Jimmy Bailey
Ola Bailey
Vickie Bailey
Mike Baker

Lexington
Yuma
Bells
Bolivar



William Barnes
Gerald Barnett
Alan Barnwell
William Beard

Jackson
Humboldt
Medina
Jackson



Betty Belew
Stephen Bell
James Benson
John Berry

Jackson
Beech Bluff
Ridgely
Humboldt



Scott Berryman
Kathy Bickerstaff
Linda Bickerstaff
Justin Bingham

Cottage Grove
Jackson
Jackson
Scotts Hill



Billy Black
Charlie Blanchard
James Blankinship
Claudette Bond

*Memphis
Memphis
Milan
Bells*



Wilmont Bond Jr.
Mona Boren
Nathan Boyd
Odell Boyd

*Denmark
Jackson
Bernis
Jackson*



W. C. Boykin
David Bradford
Donnie Bradford
Doris Bradford

*Humboldt
Humboldt
Humboldt
Humboldt*



Willie Bradley
Larry Bridges
Luther Britten
Winston Brooks Jr.

*Jackson
Jackson
Jackson
Jackson*



Jerry Brower
Carolyn Brown
Clarence Brown Jr.
Michael Bryant

*Lexington
Brownsville
Jackson
Whiteville*



Kay Buchanan
Edd Burk
Ricky Burks
Charlie Burns

*Kenton
Lexington
Memphis
Pinson*



Elizabeth Butler
Dannie Byrd
Jimmy Cagle
Charles Callis

Jackson
Humboldt
Lexington
Dyer



Milton Canovan
Fred Carnal
Catherine Carney
Tim Carothers

Jackson
Jackson
Brownsville
Savannah



Alvia Carter
Richard Carver
Sara Casey
Hazel Chatman

Nashville
Bolivar
Alamo
Jackson



Jimmie Chism
Willie Sue Chism
Jerry Cisco
Dean Clanton

Selmer
Jackson
Jackson
Humboldt



Sandra Coatney
Willet Coffman
Larry Cogdell
Bill Cole

Bemis
Lexington
Lexington
Jackson



Eddie Cole
Linda Cole
Rudy Collins
Charles Cooper

Bells
Jackson
Beech Bluff
Ripley



Phillip Cooper
Mike Corder
Brenda Corley
Ginny Covey

*Dyer
Humboldt
Jackson
Savannah*



Jack Cowan
Debbie Cox
Felix Crawford
Jean Creasy

*Atwood
Holladay
Jackson
Jackson*



Gordon Crenshaw
Kay Crick
Patricia Currie
James Curry

*Dyer
Jackson
Brownsville
Jackson*



Judy Daily
Charles Darty
Alice Davidson
Lula Davidson

*Jackson
Medina
Jackson
Lavinia*



Jean Davies
Bobby Joe Davis
Bonnie Davis
Carolyn Davis

*Lexington
Bolivar
Decaturville
Jackson*



Glenn Davis
Robert Day
Steven Dean
Perry Deaton

*Memphis
Lexington
Lexington
Jackson*



Daniel Deming
Billy Dickson
Maurine Dickenson
Katharine Dill

Bolivar
Reagan
Brownsville
Huntingdon



Barbara Dodd
Ronald Doss
Cathey Drake
Susan Driver

Memphis
Memphis
Milan
Jackson



Frank Duke
Eddie Dunavant
Jimmy Dunn
Greg Eads

Milan
Decaturville
Milan
Lexington



Debra Ellis
Danny Earls
Neil Ervin
Linda Essary

Nashville
Humboldt
Pinson
Henderson



Allen Exum
Scottie Finley
Nancy Flanagan
Randy Flanagan

Selmer
Jackson
Memphis
Jackson



Alfred Flowers
Robert Forbess
Robert Ford
Mary Jo Forsythe

Memphis
Adamsville
Milan
Brownsville



Sharon Franks
Michael Freeland
Jimmy Freeman
Patricia Freeman

Savannah
Camden
Jackson
Jackson



Robert Fruchey
Shirley Gaines
Johnny Gamble
Guy Garner

Napoleon, Ohio
Denmark
Dyersburg
Henderson



Shelia Garner
Jo Anne Gary
Donald Gatlin
Cathy George

Henderson
Pinson
Dyersburg
Jackson



Lewis Gentry
Tim Gentry
David Giffen
James Gilliam

Memphis
Medina
Jackson
Lexington



Bridget Glover
Joe Graves
Lonnie Gray
Margaret Green

Savannah
Medina
Jackson
Reagan



Joseph Griffen
Shelia Grogan
David Gurley
Bill Halliburton

Somerville
Clarksburg
Jackson
Bolivar



Larry Hammer
Wally Hammer
Dennis Hammons
Chuck Hancock

Jackson
Atwood
Bolivar
Jackson



Marc Handleman
Kathy Haney
Kenneth Hardee
Walker Harmer

Memphis
Jackson
Jackson
Holladay



Deborah Harris
Darryl Haynes
Jane Haynes
Teresa Hazlewood

Jackson
Humboldt
Jackson
Jackson



Larry Hearn
Phinehas Hegmon
Billy Hendricks
Michael Henry

Jackson
Jackson
Memphis
Bolivar



Mike Henry
Pat Henry
Leland Hensley
Gail Hester

Jackson
Jackson
Jackson
Clarksburg



Mike Hester
Edwin Higgins
Kenneth Hill
Richard Hollin

Westport
South Fulton
Humboldt
Milledgeville



Ray Holifield
Bill Hollingshead
Patricia Holt
James Honneycutt

Gadsden
Brownsville
Atwood
Brighton



David Hooker
Elaine Hooper
Patricia Hopper
Darius Hoskinson

Jackson
Brownsville
Jackson
Jackson



Carolyn House
Gene House
Sam Inman
Ben Jackson

Jackson
Martin
Atwood
Jackson



Kenneth Jackson
David James
Glenda James
Dwayne Jennings

Red Boiling Springs
Jackson
Jackson
Atwood



Paula Wain
Joe Doris
Gwendolyn Johnson
Halvern Johnson

Jackson
Bolivar
Brownsville
Memphis



Jimmy Johnson
June Johnson
Lawrence Johnson
Patsy Johnson

Jackson
Jackson
Saltillo
Bethel Springs



Patricia Joyner
Chip Jones
Debra Jan Jones
George Jones

Lavinia
Jackson
Jackson
Jackson



Nancy Jones
Roger Jones
Shirley Jones
Beverly Jowers

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Lexington



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Jerry Lott
Garry Malone

Gadsden
Jackson
Finger
Gibson



Don Manasco
Tommie Lee Marshall Jr.
Carol Marcom
Richard Martin

Humboldt
Jackson
Brownsville
Bemis



Margie Mays
Debbie Meadows
Ray Melton
Betty Merriwether

Jackson
Luray
Henderson
Jackson



John Miller
Ronald Miller
Jackie Mitchell
Sandra Mitchell

Jackson
Jackson
Scotts Hill
Jackson



Michael Montgomery
Gary Mooney
James Moore
Jimmy Moore

Lexington
Jackson
Humboldt
Lexington



Mary Elizabeth Morgan
Gary Morrison
John Mott
Louise Murchison

Jackson
Guys
Jackson
Jackson



Doyle Murphy
Ronald Murphy
Debra Murray
Mike Mynatt

Milledgeville
Jackson
Jackson
Maryville



Ann McBride
James McClain
Tony McCollum
Roger McCormick

Jackson
Jackson
Jackson
Rogers Springs



Janice McCourt
Billy Ray McCay
Steve McCullough
Stephen McDaniel

Jackson
Jackson
Munford
Wildersville



Ronald McGhee
Terril McLean
Robert McLemore
Joe McLemore

Jackson
Jackson
Medina
Medina



Mary Nabors
Troy Warren Nelms
Pana Newman
Michael Nichols

Ramer
Brighton
Jackson
Paris



Larry Nicholson
Joseph North
David Oliver
Annie Owens

Trenton
Ramer
Jackson
Brownsville



James Owens
Nelda Paratore
Nathaniel Parham Jr.
Barry Parlow

Jackson
Jackson
Lexington
Alamo



Samuel Parsons
Danny Patterson
Harold Patterson
Sara Jean Pearce

Somerville
Medon
Jackson
Brownsville



Roger Pearson
Keith Perry
Helen Phillips
Bette Piercey

Shelbyville
Henderson
Bells
Jackson



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Nothing like a field trip to the campus pond.



Gradin' papers ain't no fun.



Well, it's my birthday cake!



Who's that hiding behind the big fur collar?



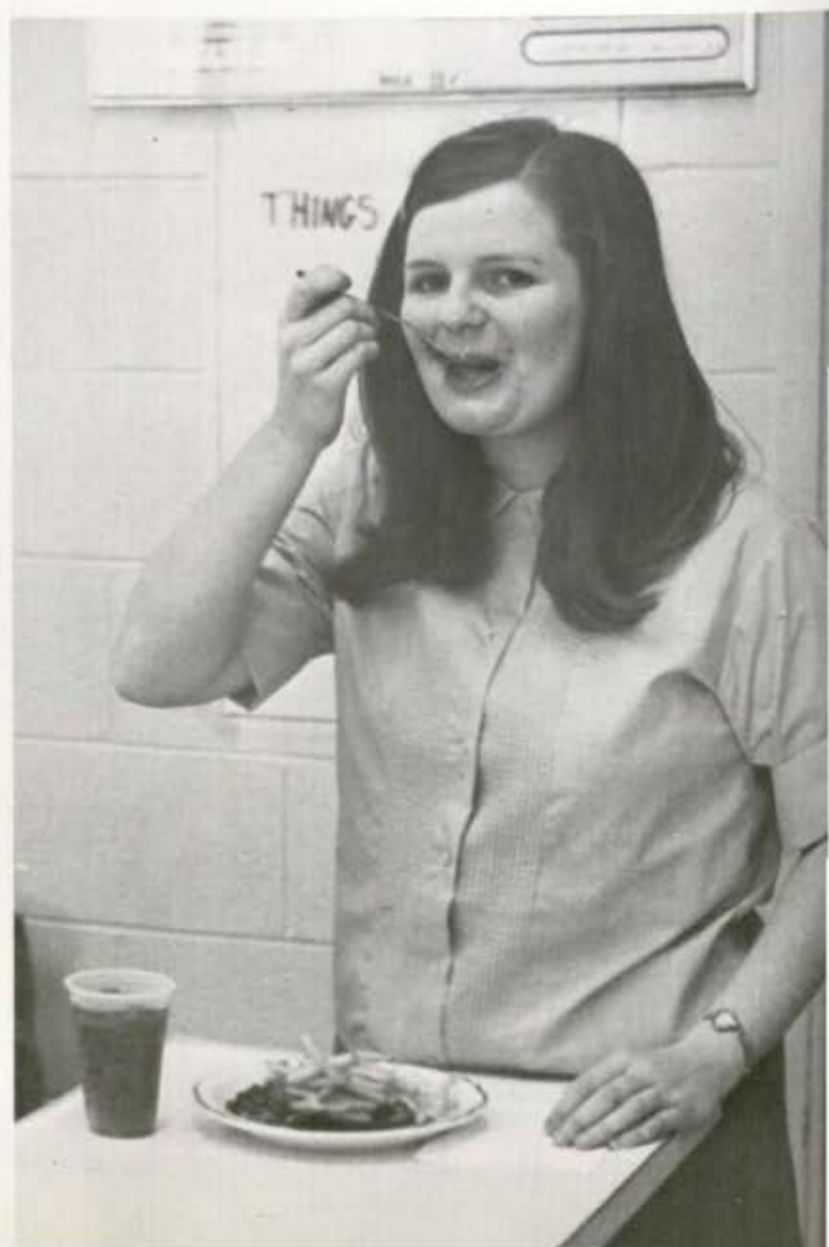
I know this looks bad, but I didn't do it.

Did I dial a four or a five?





"Well, the way I see the problem . . ."





What did Dean see?



The "Soul Dimensions" played at the Homecoming dance.



Do you wanna dance?

Graduation



Students and faculty socialize during the reception for the graduates.

Graduation is a variety of happenings under one title. The graduate is not only awarded his particular degree, but he is also given the privilege of attending several exciting events which are held in his honor. Jackson State Community College made no exception to these rules for its first graduation. The graduates spent their last days at Jackson State attending receptions, dances, rehearsals and finally the commencement exercises.

The 1969 graduating class was given a privilege that no other class will receive. It is honored in the college's history as the first graduating class.

The 60 graduates left a wrought iron sign as a gift to the school in their memory. It is located at the entrance to the school.



The Jacksonians and Farris Lanier "Do their thing."

Happenings



George McHan, Grand Marshal, leads the graduates and faculty to the Commencement exercises.



State Commissioner of Education J. Howard Warf addresses the graduates.



Dr. Larry Black presents Milton Armstrong the "Contributions to Jackson State" award. This award is presented to the student who, in the opinion of the faculty, has contributed the most to the advancement and betterment of Jackson State.

ATHLETICS

Jackson State's athletic department has continued to prosper under the fine leadership of our able coaches.

Our basketball team made an excellent showing this year as it has in the past. The Generals can always be counted on to provide fast, exciting basketball action.

Our baseball team, rebounding from a tie for first place in the conference last year, shows great prospects for this year.

In addition to basketball and baseball, tennis has become a part of Jackson State's athletic competition this year.

Intramurals give the students an opportunity to compete with each other in sports.

The cheerleaders deserve recognition. At each basketball game they provide the sideline support that helps a team to win.



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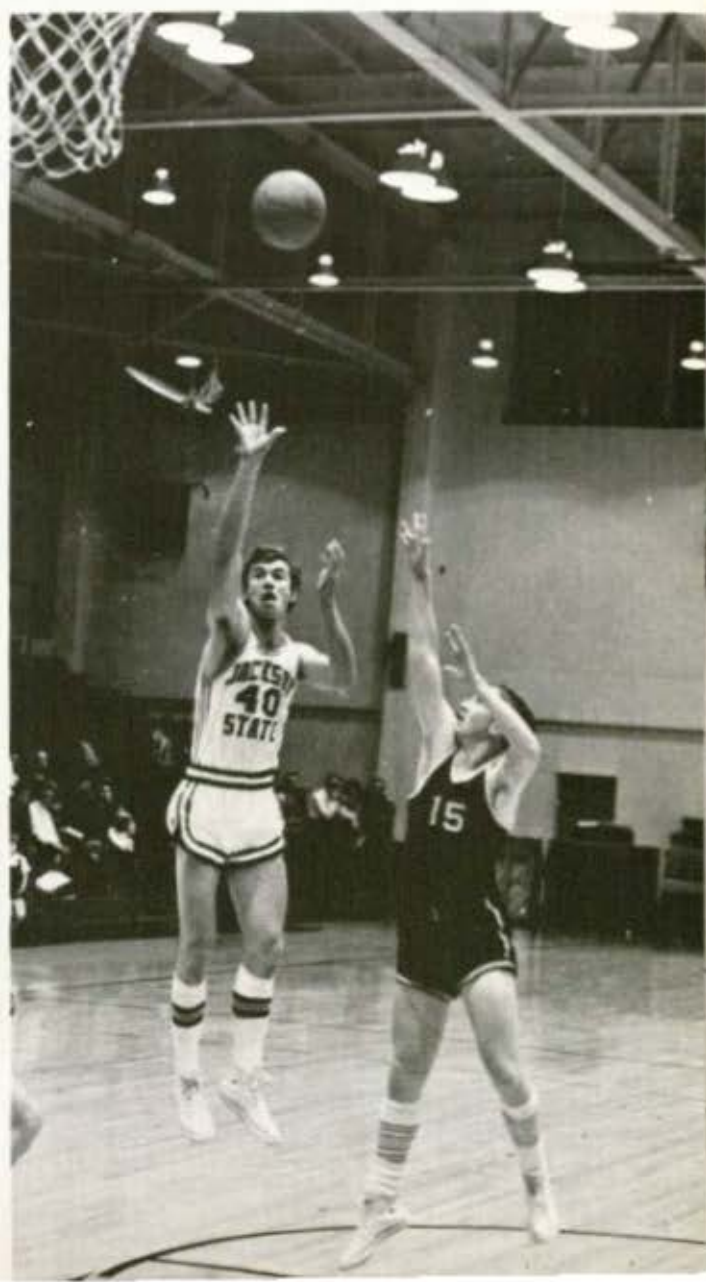




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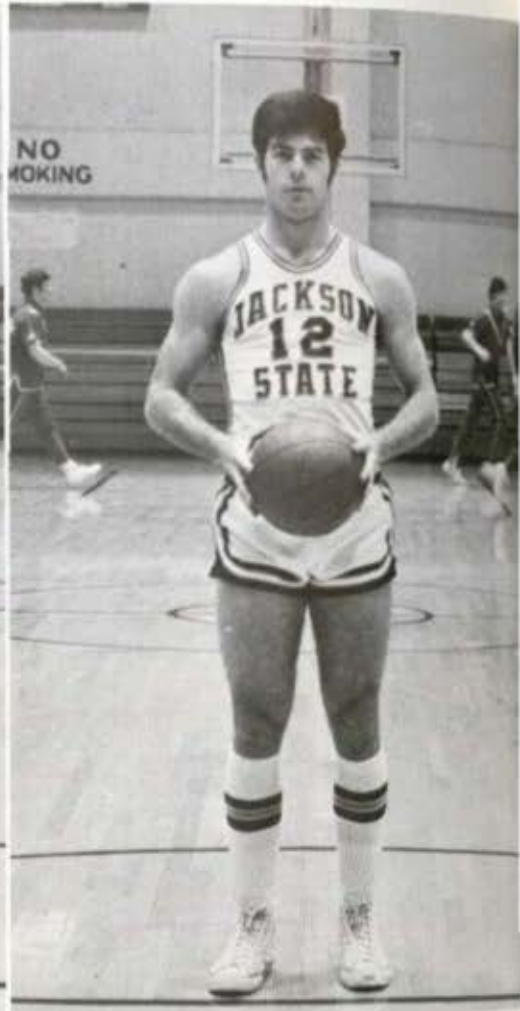




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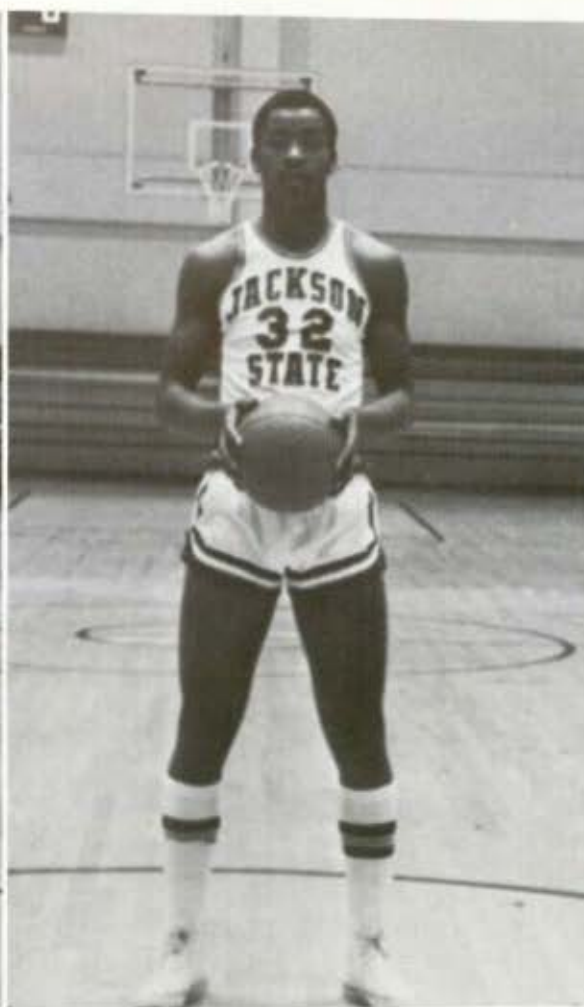
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Jackson State	88	Northeast, Miss.	54
Jackson State	76	Freed-Hardeman	85
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Jackson State	85	Columbia State	76
Jackson State	73	Memphis State J.V.	66
Jackson State	88	Northeast, Miss.	63
Jackson State	72	Freed-Hardeman	61
Jackson State	89	Martin College	87
Jackson State	87	Motlow State	94
Jackson State	83	Memphis State J.V.	105
Jackson State	136	Dyersburg State	77
Jackson State	69	Cleveland State	84
Jackson State	73	Hiwassee	77
Jackson State	92	UTM J.V.	88
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Jackson State	82	Hiwassee	73
Jackson State	81	UTM J.V.	71
Jackson State	88	Morristown	75
Jackson State	107	Cumberland	73
Jackson State	73	Columbia State	91
Jackson State	76	Cumberland	90
Jackson State	66	Cleveland State	61
Jackson State	64	Dyersburg State	54
Jackson State	94	Morristown	77

RECORD 16-8

1969-70 Generals



The 1969-70 basketball season was a good one for the Generals. It was marked by several school records. The Generals scored the most points in one game (136) and recorded the most victories in one season (16). Individually, Roger Jones set a record for most points in one game with 39 and Calvin Bailey established a record of 27 rebounds. The Generals entered the tournament with a 16-8 season record.

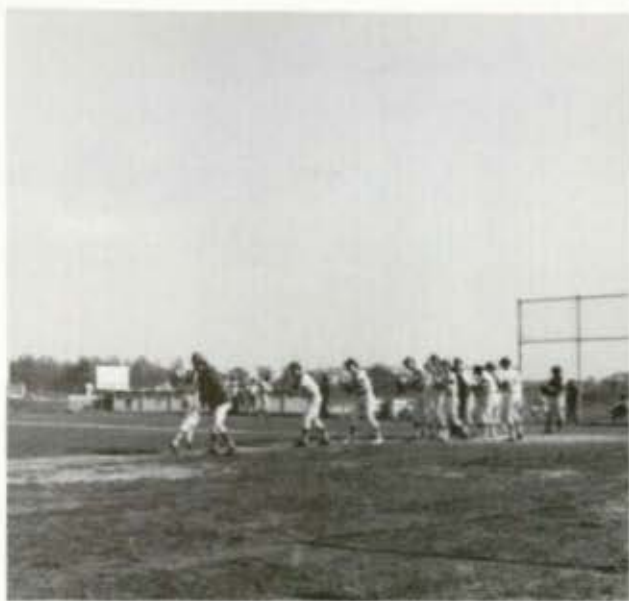
The 1968-69 Generals Baseball Team



Kneeling: Rick Sullivan, Rudy Moore, Milton Canovan, David Sykes, Ricky Burks, Jerry Franklin, Charlie Blanchard, Barry Barnett.
Standing: Coach Goodson, Chuck Hancock, Bob King, Steve Davis, Ronnie Roberts, Ross Grimsley, Ray Melton, David Thrailkill.



Our defense.



Our offense.



Our coach at work.



Ross Grimsley hurls a fast ball.



David Thraikill hits a big one.



Our reserves.

Generals Finish First

In only their second year of competition the 1968-69 Generals surpassed all expectations. Besides compiling a 14-4 season record, the Generals tied for first place in the conference. There were many individual stars on the team, but the team as a whole was the real star. Considerable credit should go to Coach Marsh Goodson for his fine leadership. Congratulations, Generals!

1968-69 SCOREBOARD

JSCC	2	Martin	0	JSCC	13	Cleveland	0
JSCC	1	Columbia	9	JSCC	4	Cleveland	0
JSCC	14	Rendlake	1	JSCC	9	Martin	4
JSCC	18	Rendlake	2	JSCC	14	Ole Miss	10
JSCC	4	Freed-Hardeman	0	JSCC	3	N. W., Ala.	1
JSCC	3	Paducah	5	JSCC	1	Hiwassee	4
JSCC	4	Columbia	1	JSCC	6	Hiwassee	0
JSCC	6	Cumberland	3	JSCC	5	Cumberland	0
JSCC	2	Paducah	3	JSCC	12	Freed-Hardeman	0

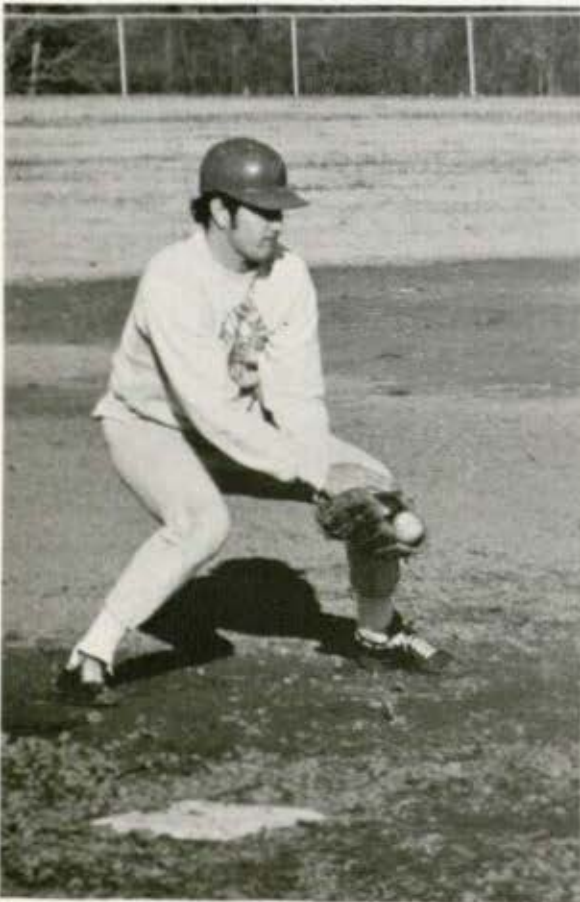
SEASON'S RECORD

14-4

1969-70



Ballplayers loosen up with a hot game of pepper.



Bouncing off a tie for first place in the conference last year, the Generals began training hard in an attempt to retain their title. Under the leadership of Coach Martin, the Generals show great promise for this season.

Baseball

Coach Martin hits a round of infield practice.



David Glover demonstrates his ability as a catcher.

J.S.C.C. Cheerleaders



SANDRA MITCHELL (sophomore)



VIOLA WALKER—above (freshman)



SARA JEAN PEARCE (sophomore)



PIPER SWOPE—below (mascot)



KATHY HANEY (left)
Sophomore

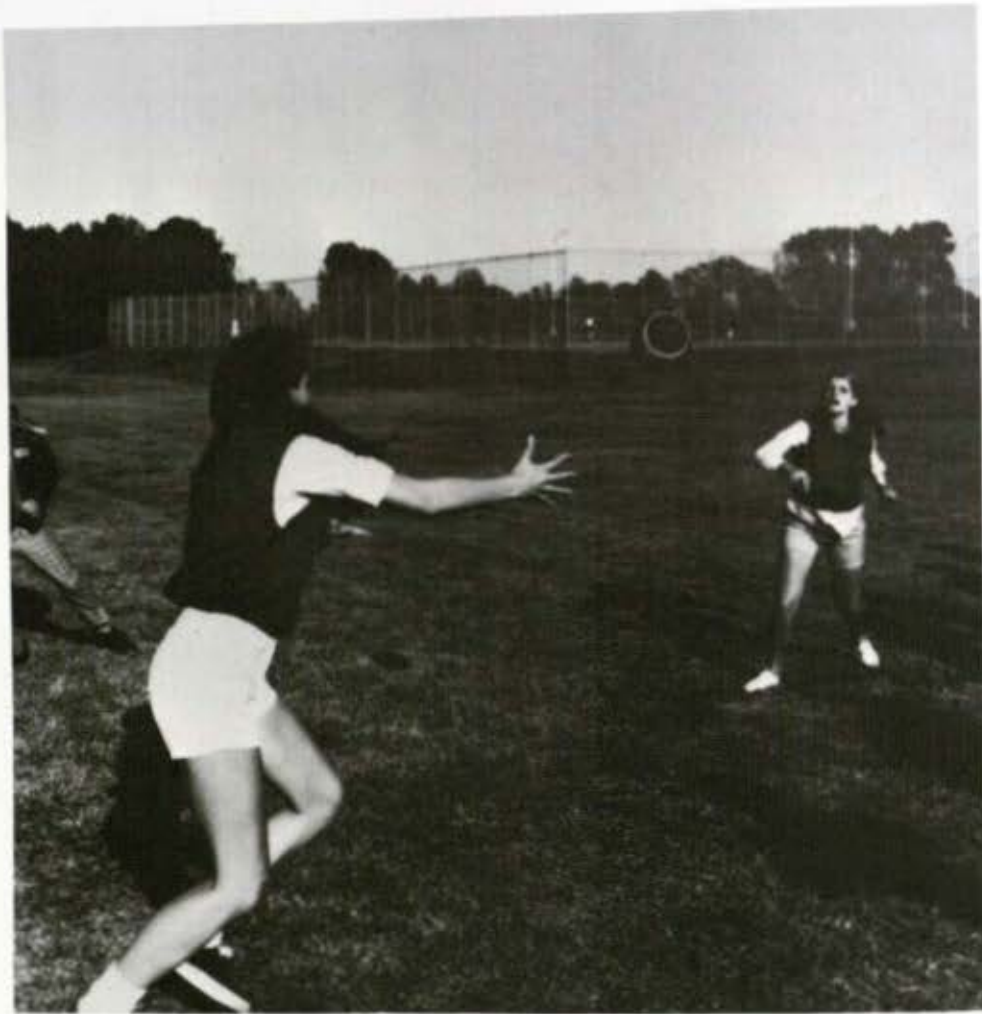


ANN McBRIDE (right)
Freshman



Standing in back (from left to right): Capt. Sandra Mitchell; Mascot Piper Swope; Viola Walker. In front (from left to right): Ann McBride; Kathy Haney; Sara Jean Pearce.

Students Participate



A pass from Mary Ann Nance to Debbie Meadows results in a long gain.



When you have to punt, you have to punt.



Pictured here are the intramural football champions.

in Intramurals

Intramurals expanded this year under the able leadership of Miss Betty Watson. They included touch football for men and women, basketball for men and women, three-on-three basketball, bowling, cross-country and various other sports. More students participated in intramurals than ever before. Miss Watson is to be commended for her untiring efforts.



Miss Watson
Director of
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The new auditorium in the science building.



Coach Swope scores two against Martin.

THOUGHTS FROM THE EDITOR—

A lot of hard work has gone into producing this year-book. We have tried to record accurately the past year at Jackson State. We hope that we have produced a year-book of which the college can be proud, but this decision is left to the students.

Already we see changes that we would like to make. But the time has come when we must stop worrying and go to press. If, years from now, you look at this book and remember pleasant times at Jackson State, then we will have succeeded in our purpose. With this in mind, we are proud to present to you—

1970 GATEWAYS

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Larry Hearn, Editor



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JACKSON STATE 1970

I was talking with a 1969 graduate the other day, and he asked me, "Is it true what they say about Jackson State? Has it really gone down as much as they say?"

The 1969-70 college year at Jackson State was marked by many changes. But these changes brought improvements to the college. Granted, we had our share of problems, but this is to be expected at any institution of higher learning. A brief look at Jackson State 1970 will show some of the progress of the college.

Improvements in the cafeteria food service were fully realized. Breakfast foods and short orders were served in addition to plate lunches. The food was tasty and the prices were very reasonable. Mr. Hodge and his staff are to be commended for the fine job they did.

The academic highlight of the year was the opening of the new science building. The audio-tutorial program, allowing students to progress at their own speed, was initiated and helped to raise the academic standard of our college.

Several new clubs were organized this year. As Coordinator of Student Activities Mr. Nunn provided invaluable assistance to the students. The three-act musical, "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," was presented. Believe it or not, students began to show a touch of school spirit.

The number one story of the year has to be our accreditation. In less than three short years Jackson State Community College was Accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Our sincere appreciation goes to our administrators for the part they played in securing accreditation for our college.

THE EDITOR

