

Front Row: Len Oswald, Charles Williams, Jack Cheney, Monte Maniz, Bryce Coffee. Row 2: Pete Fellows, Bob Hargis, George Moton, Ron Miller, Jay Baumgartner. Row 3: Coach Boyle, Neil Nostrand, Ray Silvas, Bob Ghiglieri, Lou Ferrario, Chris Greene, Earnie Sutton, manager.

Mustang Basketball

The 54-55 season turned out to be one full of surprises for the SC Mustangs. Jack Cheney, all-conference guard last year, was Coach Boyle's only returning letterman.

After a sparkling season of play featuring many brilliant upsets by the 'Tangs, the team was nosed out of the Big Eight Conference championship by the West Contra Costa Comets. The team was led by such outstanding cagers as Cheney, Len Oswald, Ray Silvas, George Moton, and Lou Ferrario, each of whom topped the 200 point mark.

The season's performance can be classified only as "outstanding" and is one that should make each player proud.



Frank Boyle
Coach



Bryce Coffee



Jack Cheney



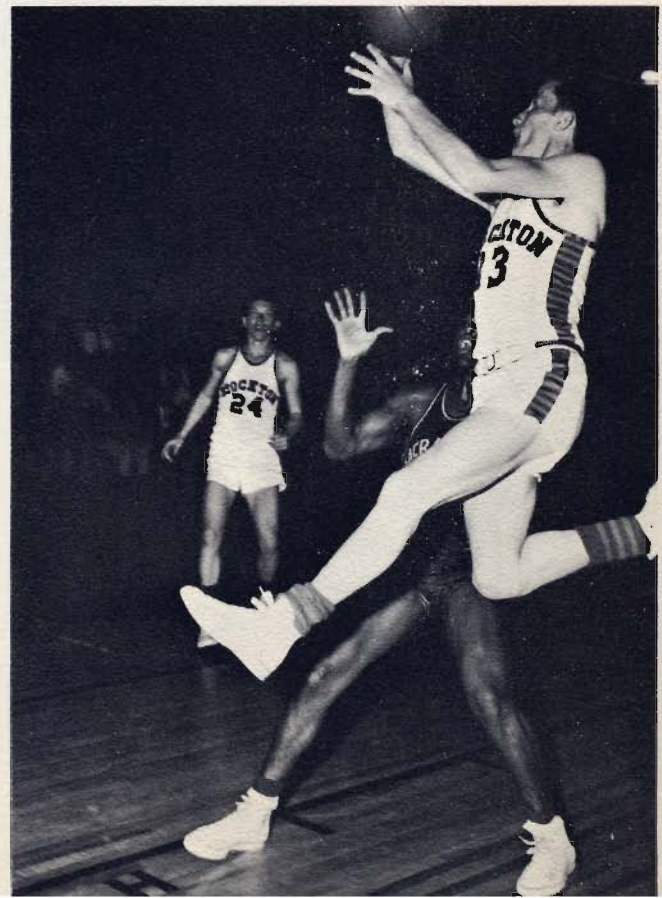
Len Oswald



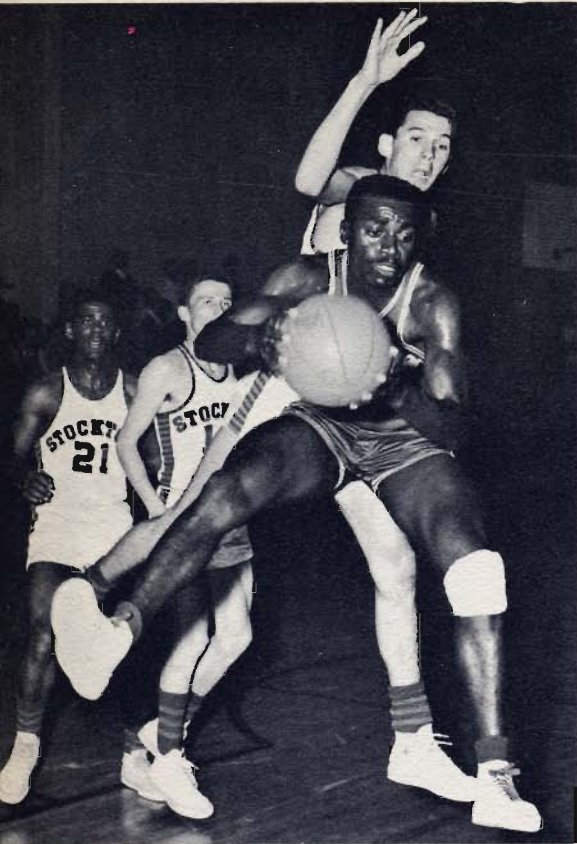
George Moton



Ray Silvas



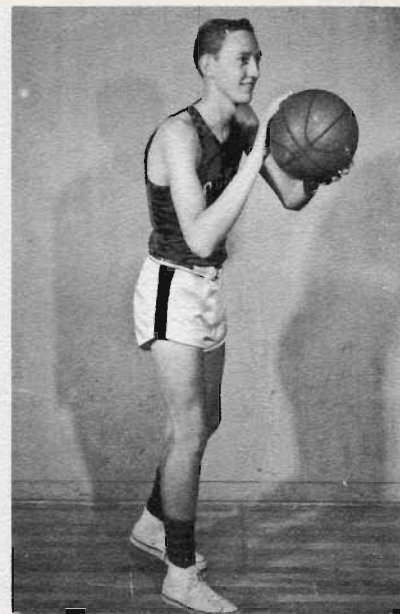
Jack Cheney, No. 13, the Mustang's "fire-ball" guard, leaped up to sink another 2 points, as Len Oswald, number 24, looked on with evident satisfaction.



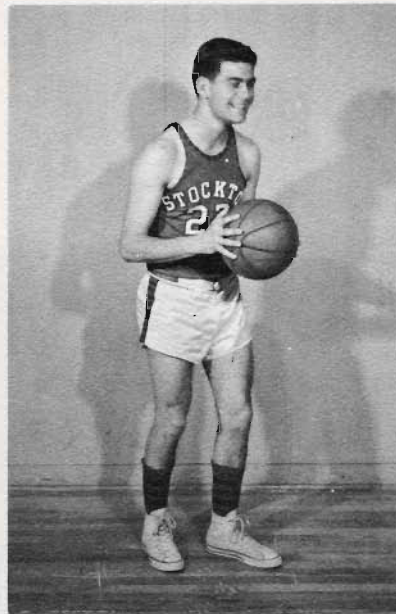
George Moton, No. 21, and Jack Cheney stood gaping as Ray Silvas hovers over his man.



Peter Fellows



Gary Ricks



Monte Maniz



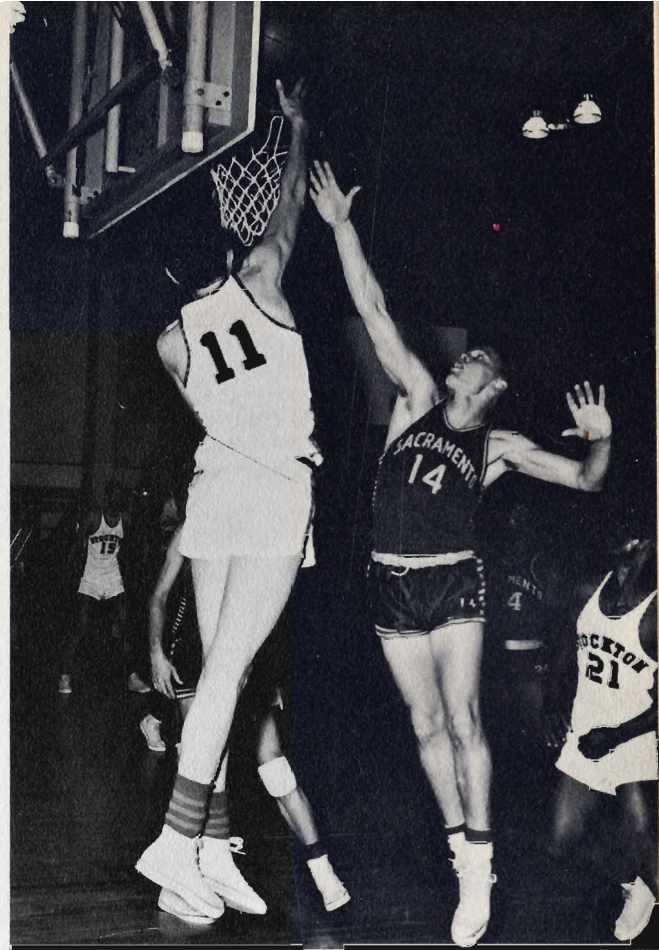
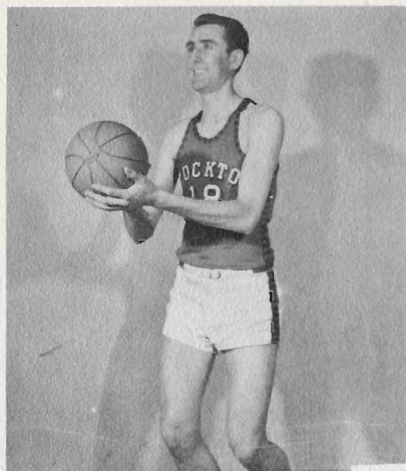
Jay Baumgartner

Season Record

SC	Opponents	
63	Oakland	38
72	Santa Rosa	67
71	Modesto	52
59	San Mateo	62
66	CCSF	60
77	Sacramento	71
61	West Contra Costa	50
73	Oakland	48
83	Santa Rosa	62
73	Modesto	52
67	San Mateo	62
59	CCSF	55
76	Sacramento	62
63	West Contra Costa	78



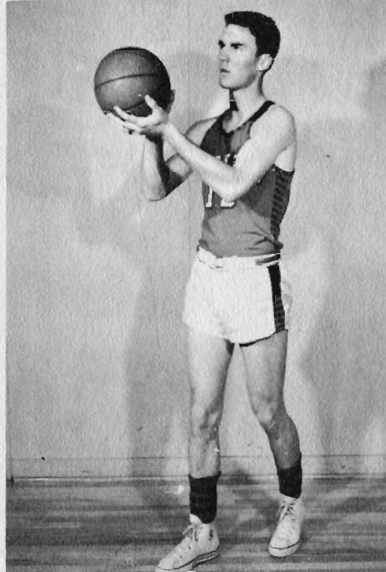
Batch Williams



"Lanky Lou" Ferrario, No. 11, looped in a difficult shot from behind the backboard as George Moton, No. 21, and Ray Silvas, No. 15, looked on.

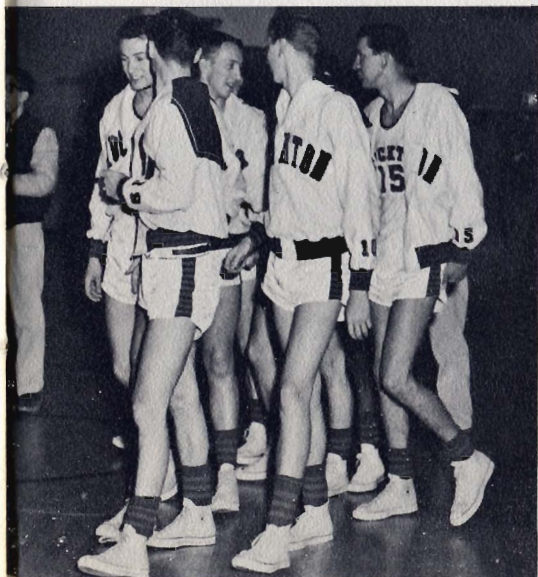


Lou Ferrario



Neil Nostrand

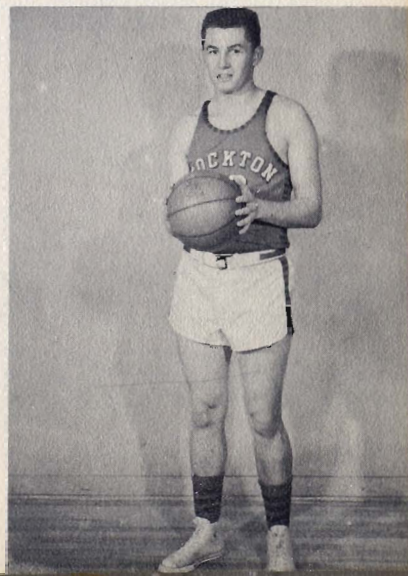
Happy 'Tang players talked over the plays that helped beat Sacramento JC.



Ron Miller



Bob Ghiglieri
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Carl Peregoy
Coach

Colt Basketball

The Colt hoopmen put forth a tremendous amount of energy this past season. Coach Peregoy greeted but one returning varsity man, Sylvester Aguilar. In league play, the team finished with a seven win-six loss record in fourth place through the consistent efforts of such cagers as Bob Pedersen, Roger Warrick, and Wilson Johnson. The season, though not as successful as hoped for, ended happily when the Colts doused the Lodi Flames in the final game of the season.



Front Row: John Morris, Bill Crandall, Pete Catlett, Brent Grimm, Bob Mingram. Row 2: Manuel Hernandez, manager; Sylvester Aguilar, Bud Washington, Phil Smith, Ron Brown, Don Seras, Fred Suarez, manager. Row 3: Coach Peregoy, Bob Pedersen, Bundy Green, Gill Gilfillan, Roger Warrick, Tom Means, Dale Walker, Wilson Johnson.

The Record for the Season

SC	Opponents	SC	Opponents
44	Sacramento 38	31	Grant 38
7	Lodi 52	48	Turlock 53
50	McClatchy 52	51	Woodland 42
46	Modesto 55	50	Turlock 54
64	El Camino 36	53	Modesto 40
47	Downey 31	52	Downey 40
		62	Lodi 54



Tom Means



Gill Gilfillan

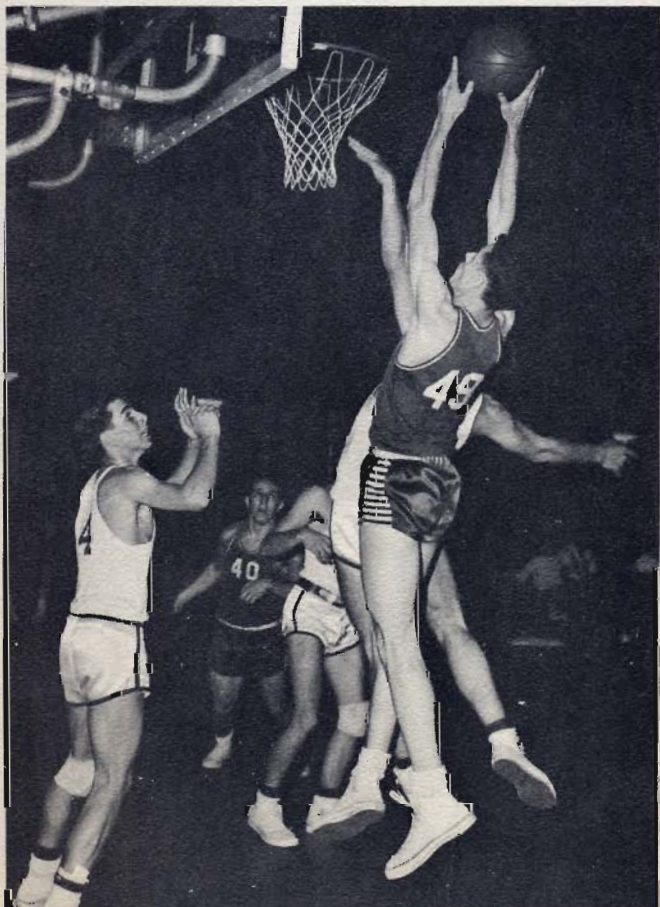


Bob Pedersen



Bill Crandall

Bob Pedersen, the Colt's "standout" center, nabbed the rebound as Brent Grimm, No. 40, came to assist.



Wilson Johnson



Brent Grimm



Pete Catlett



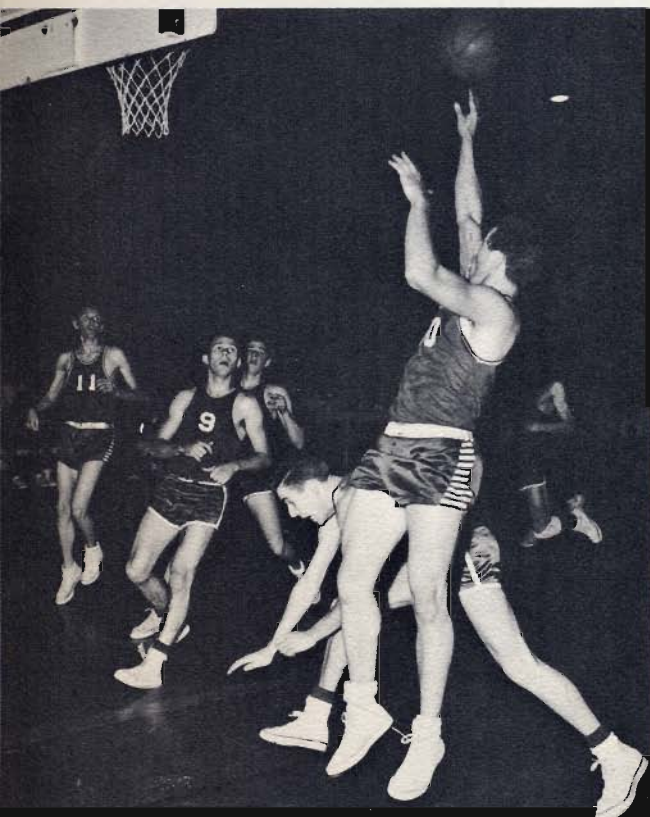
John Morris



Phil Smith



Ray Claveran



Brent Grimm fires one from the side. No. 11 is Tom Means.
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Dale Walker



Bundy Green



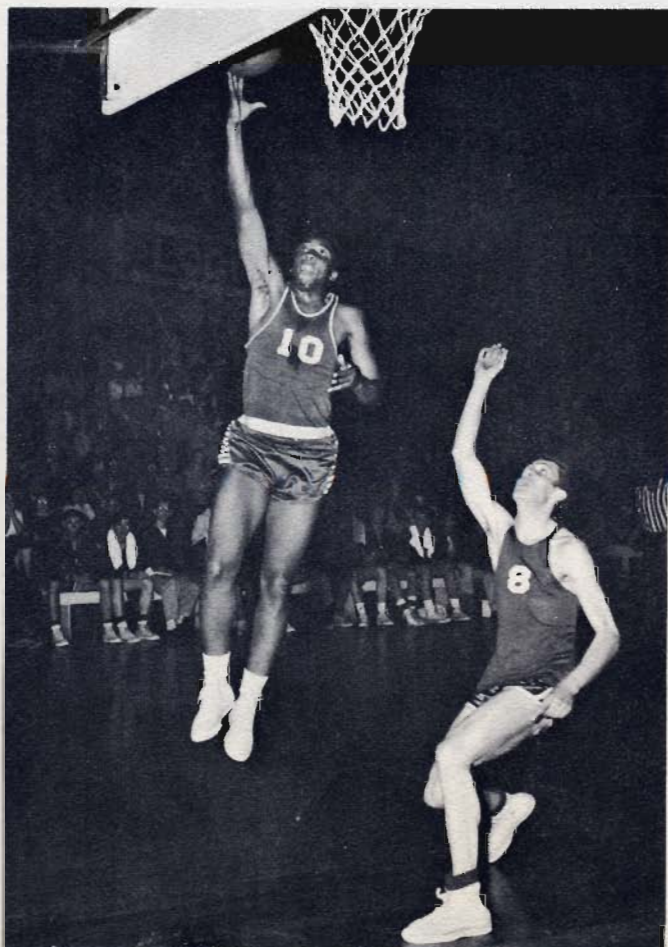
Bob Mingram



Sylvester Aguilar



Roger Warrick



Roger Warrick, No. 10, sailed high into the air as he laid the ball against the backboard for two against Lodi.

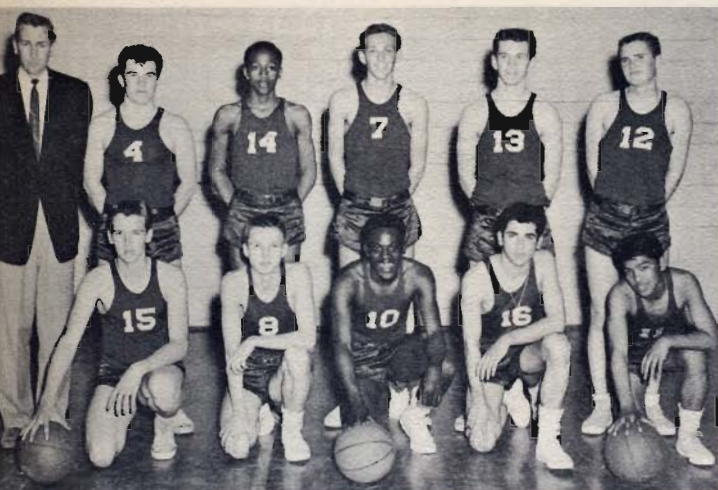


Bud Washington



Ron Brown

Colt Bee's



Front Row: Doug Ratto, Don Kibby, Bill Young, Al Del Prato, Bob Rugnao.
Row 2: Bob Thomas, coach; Al Crandall, Dixie Frazer, Dee Lambert, Chuck Novotny, Steve Weesner. Benny Gonzales is not pictured.

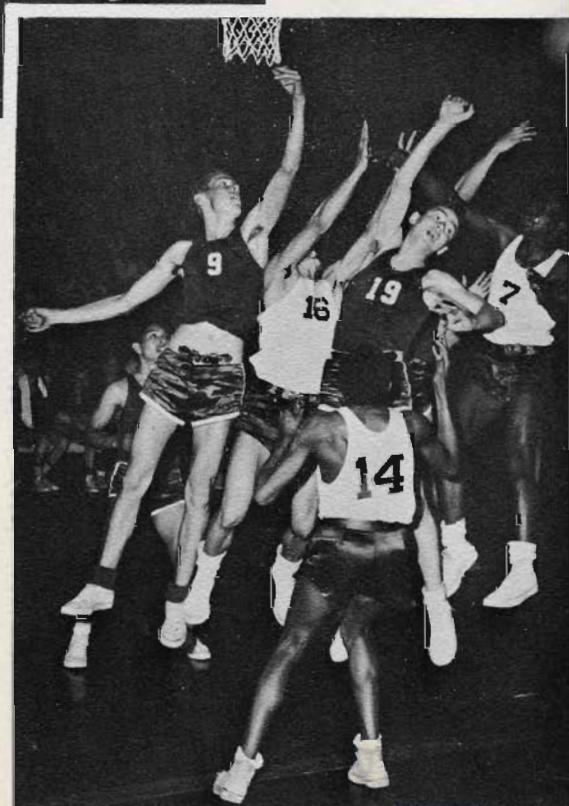
Coach Bob Thomas' Bee Team turned in an outstanding performance this year. In spite of being the shortest team in the league, the squad placed second in the league, even beating top-place Grant 46-40 in a non-league game near the end of the season. Dee Lambert was unanimously selected as the most valuable player on the team.

Season Record

SC	Opponents	
49	Sacramento	40
38	Lodi	33
57	McClatchy	47
38	Modesto	39
54	El Camino	32
56	Downey	32
29	Grant	34
28	Turlock	36
39	Woodland	48
42	Turlock	30
57	Modesto	46
60	Downey	41
41	Lodi	63

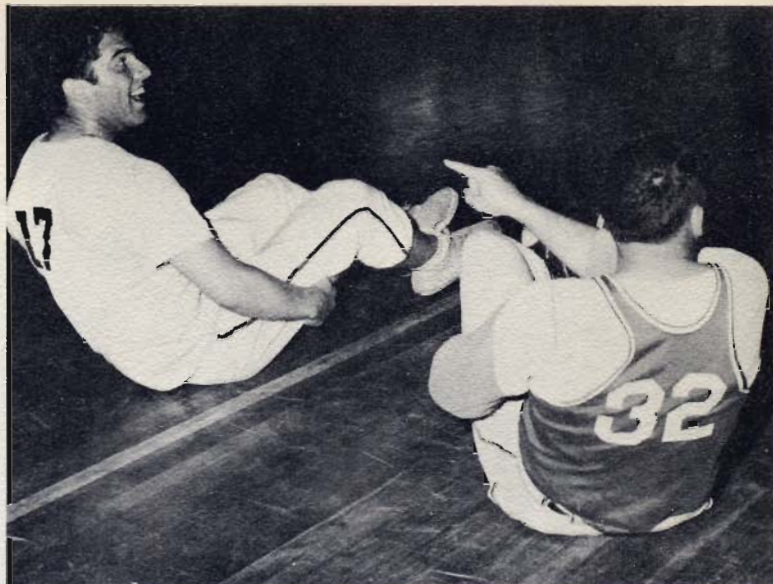


Bill Young, No. 7, tried to charm the ball into his hands.



Practically everybody got into the act as Dixie Frazer, No. 14, Al Del Prato, No. 16, and Bill Young, No. 7, struggled for the rebound.

Faculty - Block S Basketball Game



The fickle finger of fate singled out Don Miniaci. Coach Harry Kane, owner of the finger, found out that football rules worked better in this game than anything else.



Referee Julio Bortolazzo hands ball to Howard Jackson with instructions to take five or six free throws.

Block S letter-winning athletes met in annual March powwow decked out in battle togs, their sole aim to avenge last year's defeat. The faculty, out to prove their superiority once more, induced Dr. Julio Bortolazzo to be head referee and Mike Garrigan to double check on things. 47 to 45. Faculty, of course.

Two more for the faculty as lengthy Howard Pearce flips one in.

