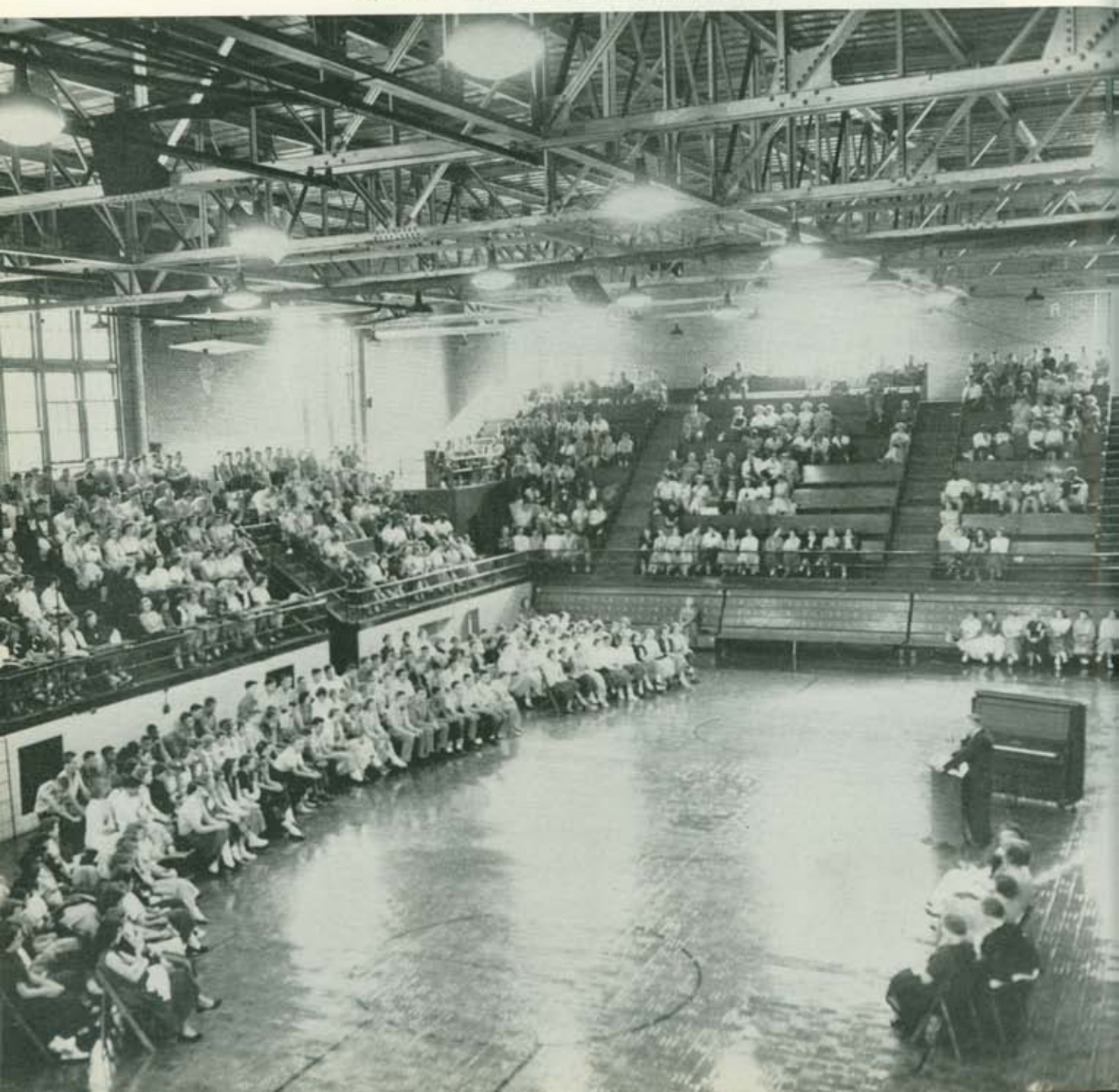


A NEW SCHOOL YEAR

September 1953 marked a warm welcome for the new sophomores.



"Now is the time for all good men to come
to the aid of their school."



"A stitch in time saves nine."

STUDY TIME

"The happier the time, the quicker
it passes."



TIME FOR FUN

GAME TIME

Dave Rush grabbed a rebound from two Clinton stalwarts.



Billy Miles skirted his left end pursued by four Purple Eagles.



Assemblies throughout the year brought diversion.

TIME FOR THOUGHT



MR. MERRILL E. ELLIOTT, Deceased, May 31, 1953

"Time has laid his hand
Upon my heart, gently, not smiting it,
But as a harper his open palm
Upon his harp to deaden its vibration."

Longfellow

Death has taken our beloved teacher from us, yet time shall preserve his memory in our hearts. As the years go by, we who knew him shall recall his deep devotion to both students and friends.

He had a heart that was immense. He was continually striving to help others with no thought of himself. He was a quiet and unassuming man, but one who could never be overlooked. His pupils and friends could always turn to him in times of trouble or sorrow and find him ready to help them in any way possible.

He taught science in a way that all of his pupils could understand. His theories were readily grasped and will never be forgotten by his pupils, just as he will never be forgotten. His love of science was second only to his love of mankind.

There is a place in the hearts of all of us for him which can never be filled by another. We cannot say that he is gone for he lives in our memories.