

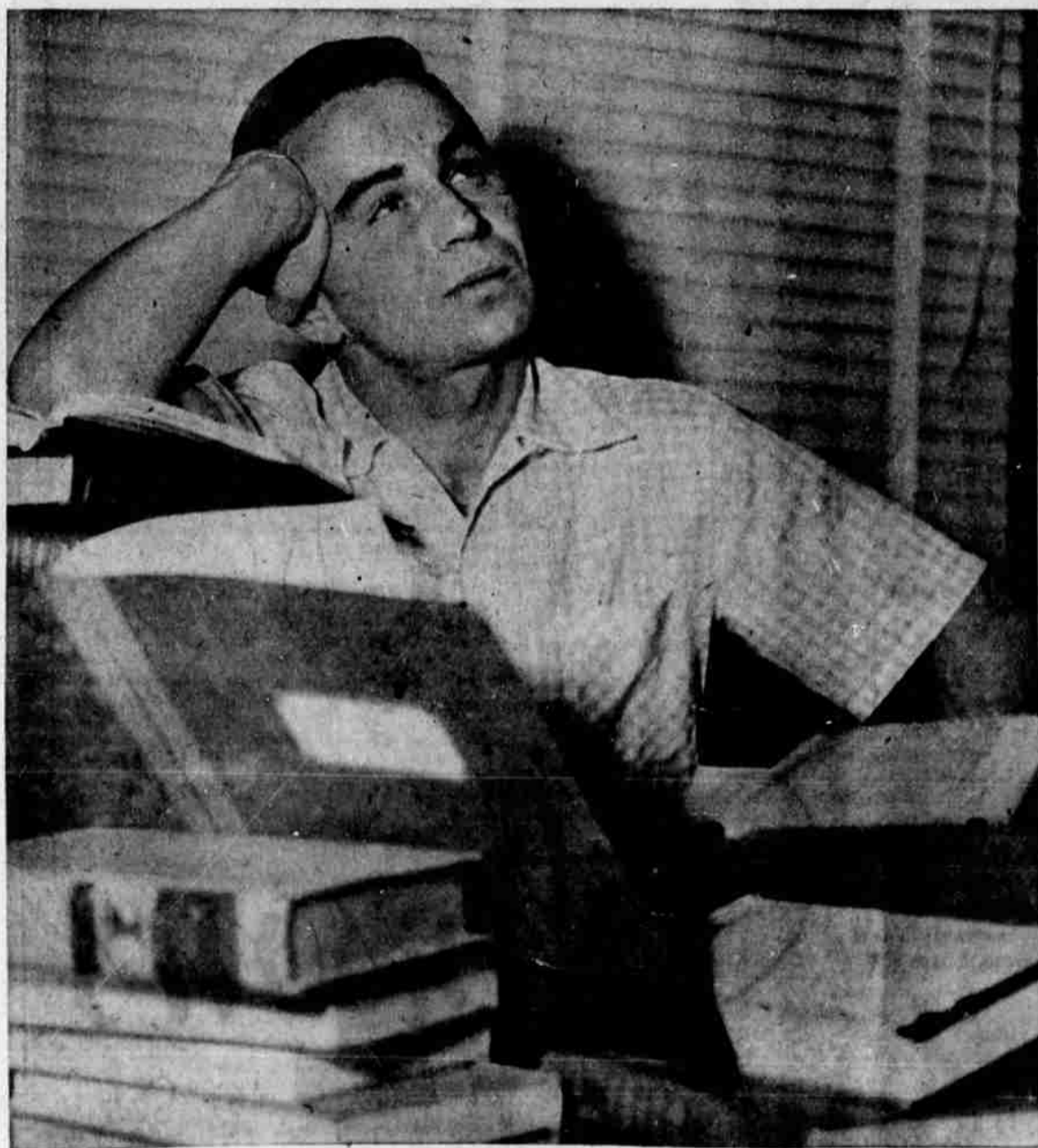
## "Back to School" Days



"But it fit last year," says Sarah Lou Booster who, with her mother, Mrs. Lucille Booster, 1285 N. 25th St., is trying to prepare clothes for the new school year. The skirt she would like to wear and which was a favorite last year, has apparently been shrunk in the last cleaning. Doubtless the same thing has happened to the sweater. Mrs. Booster, who has been able to perform miracles in dressmaking for her ninth grade daughter before, looks dubious about her job this year.



Aw gee, coach, it's not too MUCH too big is it?" asks Wayne Baker, 15, who aspires to the quarterback position on Salem high's football team but who apparently has a little way to grow first. Surrounded by somewhat heftier members of the team, Fenton Lockenour, a six foot three inch 190 pound guard, left, and Dave Cundiff, six foot three inch, 230 pound tackle, Baker is the object of the eye of coach Lee Gustafson who apparently is leery of the shape of things to come. The team has already started scrimmaging in preparation for fall games, scheduled soon after the opening of school.



Preparing for his role of teacher at Parrish Jr. High School, is Bob Voigt who evidently, at the moment at least, has other things he'd rather think about. Voigt admits it's no easy matter to give up summer activities to study a wealth of books on math and social studies. Sometimes, he says, "enriching the mind," looks like more of a job than it's worth. However, Voigt couldn't object too much for he's been doing the same work for six years.



Summer's really over as far as these boys are concerned, when they have to take leave of their ball and bat, their fishing paraphernalia and their dog, for school. Leading his younger brother off to a second year in school, is Loring "Bucky" Schmidt, left, himself a ninth grader. Bobby seems reluctant to leave and the dog, "Rocky," seems just as unhappy. "Rocky" actually is a neighbor dog, owned by Billy Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Brown. But since Billy and Bucky and Bobby and Rocky have played together all summer it is no longer a matter of importance who technically owns what.