

1947

1947

1947

1947









DEDICATION

We, the Senior Class of 1947, dedicate this annual to those classes who will follow in our path. It is our hope that they may benefit by our experiences and profit by our mistakes, for "we can count our generation a success only as it paves the way for a better generation to follow."



FACULTY



Mr. R. K. Castellaw Superintendent

Mr. J. E. Simonton Principal, Girls' Basketball Coach, Physics



Miss Elizabeth Beck
Commercial

Miss Doris Boyd
Social Studies

Mrs. Hughes Bringle
English, Spanish



Mrs. John Green
Biology, General Science

Mr. W. H. Hazel
Boys' Physical Education,
Boys' Football and Basket-
ball Coach, General Science

Miss Mary Jarman
English

Mr. C. E. Johnson
Agriculture



Miss Nelle Luckey
Mathematics

Miss Blanche Oakley
Girls' Physical Education

Mrs. W. W. Parkinson
Latin

Miss Frances Rast
Home Economics



Mr. R. E. Scott
Shop, Mechanical Drawing

Mrs. Stanley Shoaf
Librarian

Miss Ann Tipton
Mathematics

Mrs. T. A. Utley
English, Social Studies

W. Hazel

*Best teacher
Blanche Oakley*




ANNUAL STAFF

Editor	Mary Belle Alston
Associate Editor	Bob Cannon
Business Manager	John Tipton
Assistant Business Manager	Jack Alston
Art Editors	{ Marianna Gracey { Martha Hughes Bringle
Dedication	Gene Owen
Class Will	{ Jean Parkinson { Frank McBride
Class Prophecy	{ Doris Easley { Mary Jean Tracey
Characteristics of Seniors	{ Velma Thompson { Laura Miller
Achievements of Seniors	{ Martha Lee Estes { Betty McBride

Class Poet	Mary Frances Henley
Junior Class Representative	Nell Rhea Gray
Sophomore Class Representative	Harold Watkins
Freshman Class Representative	Blanche Baltzer
Sports (Girls)	Jeanette Walker
Sports (Boys)	Jack Boyd
Eventful Happenings	Nancy Nevils
Clubs	Beth Rector
Who's Who	Joe Fuller
Booster Pages	Jane Harris
Snapshots	{ Paul Harrington { Arden Butler
Faculty Advisers	{ Mrs. Hughes Bringle { Miss Mary Jarman





BYARS-HALL

There is a place we know,
Where ambitions reach the skies,
How sturdily it stands today
Before our city's eyes.

It is the school which shared with us,
Our joys and our tears,
And shares our hopes and aims to come,
In the future years.

Because of friends we leave behind,
And teachers, too, you know;
They have become a part of us.
That's why we hate to go.

Some of us may sail the "seven seas,"
The world may know our name;
Some will know the road of sacrifice,
And never walk the halls of fame.

It makes no difference where we are,
If we be great or small;
Our hearts will skip a beat or two
When we think of Byars-Hall.

So to the school we all hold dear,
We pledge ourselves today,
To make a better world for all,
At home and far away.

—Mary Frances Henley

A SENIOR SIGHS

I cannot think of any words, however hard I try.
That I can write, and make you know, the thought behind a sigh.
A sigh from some proud senior, when graduation's here.
He knows he should be happy, and yet, there is a tear.

'Tis just as though he owned two hearts, or maybe three or four,
And one was sad, another gay, and two were not so sure.
He smiles, he sighs, he smiles again, then suddenly in his eye
There comes a sad, a longing look, and then another sigh.

The people gather, voices mix, fond mothers proudly smile;
That senior youth so sturdy, was yesterday her child,
While all around his classmates stand, adorned in caps and gowns.
Are their hearts, too, remembering those old familiar sounds?


The music starts, that same old song, that in the days gone by,
Rang out for other seniors, drowned other longing sighs.
"God of Our Fathers, Known of Old," the sounds of voices ring.
But he must slowly bow his head—his heart's too full to sing.

So step by step they reach their seats, and then the music dies.
He looks about and wonders at the joy before his eyes.
No other faces look so sad, their eyes are all aglow.
They're happy for his fortune. Why shouldn't he be so?

And so he smiles, and tries to stop the pounding in his breast,
And boasts that he has finished those dreadful six-weeks tests!
He tells himself of all the dreams, he now may make come true,
And finally his heart is light, an honest smile breaks through.

And so he sits in gladness, and breathes a gayer sigh,
His eyes upon the speaker, his mind in castles high,
For now his heart is happy, forgotten are his fears.
And so it is until the close when good-byes bring more tears.

—Kathryn Kidd

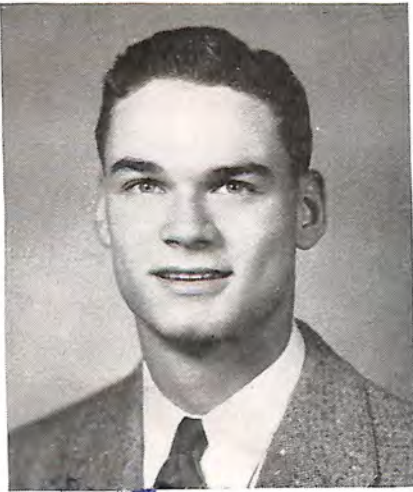


angle



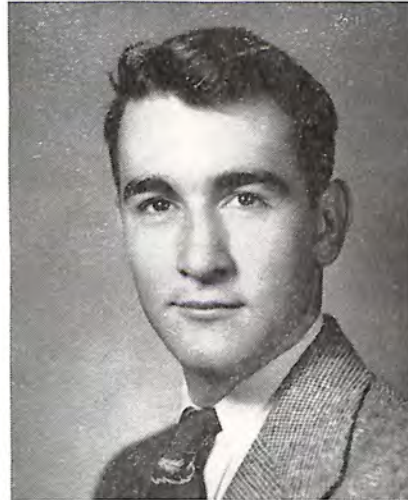
SENIORS
FUTURE
STRAIGHT
AHEAD!

Jack Boyd



JACK BOYD

President of Senior Class; President of Freshman Class; Vice-President of Junior Class; Student Council Representative; President of "C" Club; Captain of Football Team; Latin Club; "C" Club; Purple and Gold Staff; Annual Staff; Football; Basketball.



BOBBY DAVIE

Vice-President of Senior Class; Secretary of F. F. A.; Treasurer of F. F. A.; Treasurer of Civics Club; Vice-President of "C" Club; Captain of Basketball Team; Alternate Captain of Football Team; Attended Boys' State; F. F. A.; "C" Club; Civics Club; Football; Basketball.

JEANETTE WALKER

Secretary of Freshman, Sophomore, Junior and Senior Classes; Secretary of Beta Club; Representative on Student Council; Purple and Gold Staff; Annual Staff; Latin Club; Beta Club; Spanish Club; Library Club; Home Ec Club; Glee Club; Basketball.



MARIANNA GRACEY

Treasurer of Junior and Senior Classes; President of Dramatic Club; Vice-President of Beta Club; Assistant Editor of Purple and Gold; Annual Staff; Beta Club; Dramatic Club; Spanish Club; Library Club; Glee Club; Latin Club; Science Club.





MARY BELLE ALSTON

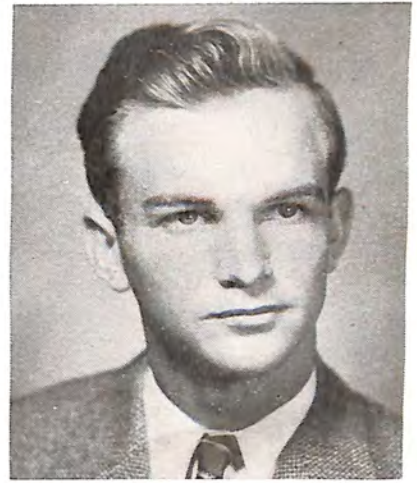
Secretary-Treasurer Student Council; Class Representative; Reporter for Senior Class; Cutest Girl; Cheerleader; Best Girl Citizen; Staff Purple and Gold; Editor Annual; Latin Club; Home Ec Club; Glee Club; Spanish Club; Library Club; Beta Club.



E. E. ANDERSON JR.

F. F. A.; Science Club; Basketball

E. E. Anderson Jr.

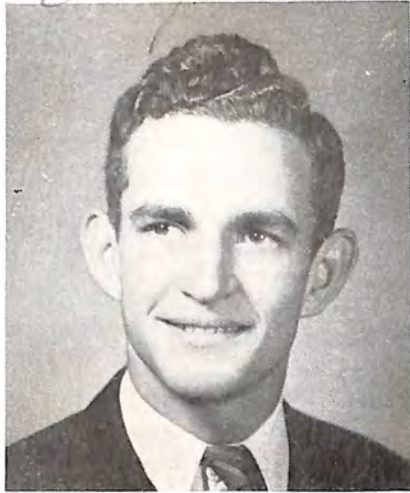


R. W. ANDERSON

Reporter F. F. A.; Secretary Science Club; Alternate Basketball Captain; Alternate to Boys' State; Manager Football Team; "C" Club; F. F. A. Club; Science Club; Basketball; Football; Softball.

R. W. Anderson

Venoy Anderson



VENOV ANDERSON

F. F. A. Club; "C" Club; Science Club; Football; Basketball; Softball.



DAN BEAVER

Veteran; F. F. A.; "C" Club; Football.

Dan Beaver

JULIA BISHOP

Home Ec Club; Glee Club; Commercial Club.



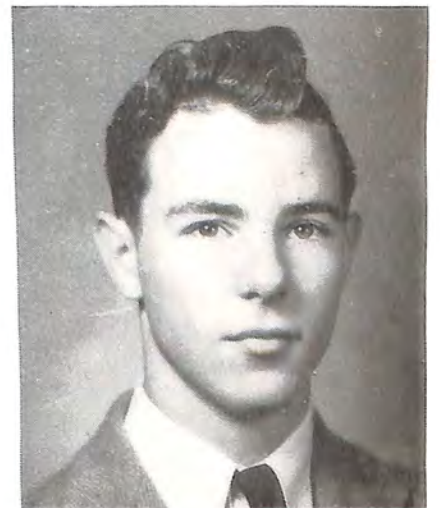
EMOGENE BLACK

Home Ec Club; Beta Club; Commercial Club.

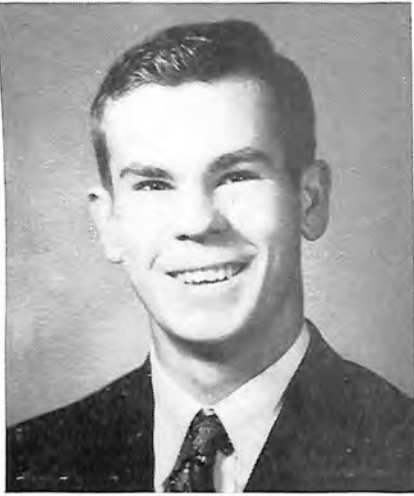


DONALD BOWDEN

Alternate to Boys' State; F. F. A. Club; Softball.



Dudley Bowden (Block)



DUDLEY BOWDEN
F. F. A.; Football; Basketball.



MARY BRADSHAW
President of Civics Club; Vice-President of Civics Club; Purple and Gold Typist; Home Ec Club; Science Club; Basketball.



MARTHA BRADSHAW
Secretary of Civics Club; Home Ec Club; Science Club; Civics Club.



LOIS BRAMMER
Home Ec Club; Commercial Club; Science Club.



ANNE BRINGLE
Purple and Gold Typist; F. H. A. Club; Science Club.

BOB CANNON

Purple and Gold Staff; Assistant Editor of Annual; Beta Club; "C" Club; Latin Club; Science Club; Football; Basketball.



ED CHAPMAN

President of Home Room; Vice-President of Home Room; Manager of Boys' Basketball Team; Latin Club; "C" Club; Science Club; Football; Basketball.



ROSEMARY COTHRAN

President of Commercial Club; Home Ec Club; Commercial Club; Beta Club.





JEANNE COTHRAN

Home Ec Club; Science Club;
Glee Club.



MARIJO COLE

Vice-President of Civics Club;
Social Director of Commercial
Club; Civics Club; Home Ec Club;
Commercial Club.



JEANNE DICKEY

Treasurer of Home Ec Club;
Vice-President of Home Room;
Secretary of Science Club; Co-
Queen of School Carnival; Latin
Club; Glee Club; Home Ec Club;
Library Club; Science Club; Span-
ish Club; Basketball.



BEATRICE ERWIN

Home Ec Club.



MARTHA LEE ESTES

Vice-President of
Home Ec Club; Secre-
tary of Home Room;
Vice-President of Home
Room; Secretary of
Science Club; Cheer-
leader; Annual Staff;
Most Beautiful Girl;
Latin Club; Home Ec
Club; Beta Club; Span-
ish Club; Science Club;
Glee Club; Basketball;
Library Club.

DORIS EASLEY
Commercial Club Reporter; An-
nual Staff; Home Economics Club;
Glee Club; Commercial Club.



JOHN ROBERT FAUGHT

F. F. A. Club.



GARNETT FAULK

President F. F. A.; F. F. A.
Club; Football





JIMMY FAULK
F. F. A. Club.



ROY FAULK
Veteran; F. F. A.



WILLIE MAE FRYER
Home Ec Club; Latin Club.



JOE FULLER
F. F. A.



HUGHFORD GASSON
Secretary F. F. A.;
F. F. A. Club

JIMMY GEORGE

Student Council Representative;
Cheerleader; Veteran; "C" Club;
F. F. A.; Science Club; Basketball.



Jimmy George

BOB GIFT

Veteran; "C" Club; Science
Club; Spanish Club; Civics Club;
Basketball.



HELEN HADLEY

Science Club; Biology Club;
Home Ec Club.





JACK HALL

"C" Club; F. F. A. Club; Football.



WINFIELD HALL

Secretary of Civics Club; Civics Club.



PAUL HARRINGTON JR.

Annual Staff; Civics Club; F. F. A. Club; Camera Club; Science Club; Softball.



JANE HARRIS

Secretary Home Ec Club; Vice-President Home Ec Club; President Home Ec Club; President Civics Club; Vice-President Home Room; Annual Staff; Wittiest Girl; Home Ec Club; Glee Club; Civics Club.



FRANCES HENLEY

Home Ec Club; Glee Club.

DOROTHY JOHNSON
Vice-President Home Ec Club; Glee Club; Reporter Civics Club; Home Ec Club; Civics Club; Science Club.



KATHRYN KIDD

Latin Club; Home Ec Club; Glee Club; Science Club; Spanish Club.



VIRGINIA KURTS

Glee Club; Home Ec Club; Science Club.





BETTY LEE McBRIDE

Secretary-Treasurer Spanish Club; Secretary-Treasurer Glee Club; Reporter Library Club; Purple and Gold Staff; Annual Staff; Latin Club; Spanish Club; Home Ec Club; Library Club; Beta Club; Glee Club; Science Club.



FRANK McBRIDE

President Biology Club; President Home Room; President Beta Club; Purple and Gold Staff; Annual Staff; Beta Club; Science Club; Latin Club; Manager Football.



WAYNE McGOWAN

Boys' State; Beta Club; F. F. A. Club; "C" Club; Latin Club; Football.



REBA McINTYRE

Commercial Club.



LAURA MILLER

Commercial Club Treasurer; Home Ec Club; Annual Staff; Commercial Club.

NANCY NEVILS

Vice-President Science Club; Annual Staff; Purple and Gold Staff; Home Ec Club; Science Club; Beta Club; Glee Club.



WILMA ANN OVERALL

Home Ec Club; Latin Club; Spanish Club; Science Club; Basketball.



CHARLIE OWEN

F. F. A. Club; "C" Club; Football.



Charlie Owen

Gene Owen



GENE OWEN

Secretary-Treasurer of "C" Club; Beta Club; "C" Club; Purple and Gold Staff; Annual Staff; President of Science Club; Student Council Representative; Science Club; Latin Club; Football.



JEAN PARKINSON

President Junior Class; Vice-President Home Room; President Latin Club; President Library Club; Editor Purple and Gold; Annual Staff; Glee Club; Spanish Club; Beta Club; Latin Club; Library Club.



CHARLENE PINKSTON

Glee Club; Commercial Club; Spanish Club; Home Ec Club.

ANNE CAROLYN RALPH

Home Room Secretary; Reporter Dramatic Club; Reporter Science Club; Dramatic Club; Science Club; Glee Club; Latin Club; Spanish Club; Home Ec Club.



BETH RECTOR

President Spanish Club; Treasurer Beta Club; Home Room Secretary; Home Room President; Purple and Gold Staff; Annual Staff; Latin Club; Glee Club; Home Ec Club; Library Club; Science Club; Beta Club; Spanish Club.

CATHERINE RICHARDSON

Home Ec Club; Science Club; Commercial Club.



RUTH ROACH

Secretary Commercial Club; Home Ec Club; Science Club; Commercial Club; Purple and Gold Staff.



EDWARD ROGERS

F. F. A. Club.





CARL ROSE

F. F. A. Club; Football; Basketball.



THOMAS RUFFIN

F. F. A. Club; Science Club; Football.



JOSEPH SACKS

Latin Club; Spanish Club.



AILEEN SIMONTON

Purple and Gold Staff; Spanish Club; F. H. A. Club.



VELMA THOMPSON

Vice-President Commercial Club; Beta Club; Commercial Club; Annual Staff.

JOHN H. TIPTON

Vice-President of Freshman Class; President of Sophomore Class; Student Council Representative; Purple and Gold Staff; Annual Staff; Latin Club; Spanish Club; Beta Club; "C" Club; Football.



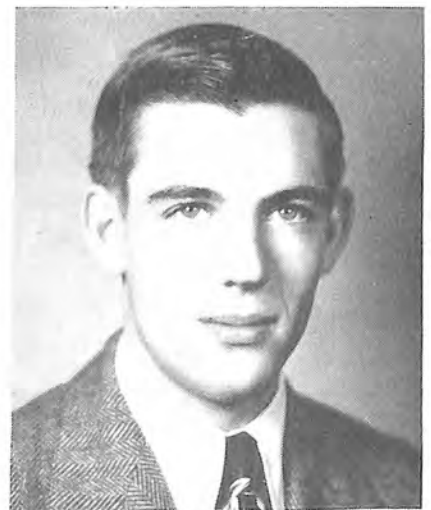
MARY JEAN TRACEY

Reporter of Beta Club; Vice-President of Spanish Club; Secretary of Home Room; Purple and Gold Staff; Annual Staff; Spanish Club; Science Club; Beta Club; Home Ec Club.



THURMOND WATKINS

F. F. A. Club; Science Club.



LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Class of 1947, being of as sound mind as we are ever likely to be, do declare this our last will and testament and hereby make the following dispensation of our possessions.

Article I — To The Faculty

- ITEM I: To Mr. Castellaw, we voice a sincere tribute for his untiring patience and understanding sympathy toward us and our problems.
- ITEM II: To Mrs. Bringle, our class sponsor, we express our sincere appreciation for her advice and guidance in our many activities during this, our senior year.
- ITEM III: To Miss Boyd, we leave room for another senior class hoping that it will not prove as provoking as we were.

Article II — To The Junior Class

- ITEM I: We leave to you our love of Byars-Hall and hope that you will do your part to make it an even greater high school.
- ITEM II: We also leave you our books and hope that you will use them a little more than we have.
- ITEM III: To you, we reluctantly yield our senior dignity, if you can find it—we can't—and the right to the esteemed title "Ye Ole Seniors."
- ITEM IV: We leave you any of our class who have been victims of that dreadful disease, "Too-Many-F's."

Article III

To our friends, the underclassmen, we will and bequeath the following:

- Mary Belle Alston's vim, vigor and vitality to Martha Rye.
- Dan Beaver's deportment slips to Mr. Huffman to start fires with.
- Marianna Gracey's smiles to Mr. Castellaw.
- John Tipton's and Gene Owen's love of "Cherries" to Walker Tipton.
- Emogene Black's dignity to Martha Hughes Bringle.
- Jack Hall's loud shirts to Sammy Wright.
- Jean Parkinson's position as editor of the Purple and Gold to Jack Alston.
- Frank McBride's knack of getting to school just as the last bell rings to George Ray.
- Mary Jean Tracey's industriousness to Mary Goddard.
- Bob Gift's love of women to Ralph "Roger" Miller.
- Jane Harris' wisecracks to Dorothy Whitehorn.
- Jack Boyd's superman physique to Buddy Lowenhaupt.
- Kathryn Kidd's poetic ability to Hurley Morton.
- Some of Anne Bringle's sweetness to the faculty.
- Jimmy George's jitterbugging genius to Bob Overall.
- Virginia Kurts' shyness to Virginia Bucey.
- Reba McIntyre's gum-chewing proclivities to Bill Jacques.
- Aileen Simonton's love of the Navy to Ann Shoaf.
- Joseph Sacks' studiousness to brother Philip.
- Helen Hadley's long black hair to Beth Howard.
- Bob Cannon's "study-hall walk" to Bill Ginn.
- Ruth Roach's typing achievements to Peggy Pleasants.
- Willie Mae Fryer's co-operative spirit to Barbara Cherry.

- Edward Rogers' nonsense to Ralph Cummins.
- Anne Ralph's flirtatious ways to Sue Mitchell.
- Junior Anderson leaves Gwenn James to his brother, Bobby.
- Thomas Ruffin's "hay stack" hair-cut to Mr. Simonton.
- Nancy Nevils' school spirit to Peggy Price.
- Donald Bowden's coiffure to Milton Ralph.
- Jeanette Walker's "drape-shape" to Mary Cage.
- Ed Chapman's "Who-got-my-Twinkies?" look to Robert Earl Klutts.
- Martha Lee Estes' radiant blond beauty to Edna Earl Eubanks.
- Venoy and R. W. Anderson's athletic ability to next year's basketball squad.
- Lois Brammer's quiet dignified ways to Monteen Anderson.
- The Faulk Boys—Jimmy and Roy—leave their curly hair to Charles Corder.
- Catherine Richardson's tall, slim figure to Clara Parr.
- Laura Miller's dependability to Jane Ann Johnson.
- Winfield Hall's bashfulness to Harold Love.
- Frances Henley's friendliness to Margaret Paine.
- Doris Easley's sophisticated ways to Joy Davis.
- Charlie Owen's "way with women" to brother Billy.
- Julia Mai Bishop's loquacity to Patsy Cherry.
- Beatrice Erwin's thoughtful quietness to Jane Shoaf.
- Betty McBride's cheerful disposition to Sara Emily Whitley.
- Carl Rose's "silent man-ism" to Billy Hogan.
- Velma Thompson's curly hair to Mary Lois Parimore.
- Beth Rector's love of gossip to Peggy Forbess.
- Wilma Overall's love troubles to Miss Luckey.
- Wayne McGowan's No. 1 position with Mr. Johnson to Roy Clay Turner.
- Dorothy Johnson and Charlene Pinkston leave their inseparable friendship to Bobby Deverell and Betty Griffith.
- John Robert Faught's cough drops to Myrtle Adkinson.
- Dudley Bowden's stubbornness to Coach Hazel.
- Marijo Cole's "slow Southern drawl" to Jeannine Carleton.
- Paul Harrington's mechanical genius to Harold Watkins.
- Joe Fuller's genius at bull-shooting to Billy Willis.
- Mary and Martha Bradshaw's domestic traits to Miss Rast's freshman Home Ec girls.
- Garnett Faulk's saying (i.e., "S-s-s-certainly is!" and "Wheeeeeee") to Mr. Scott.
- Bobby Davie leaves Sara. (But he'll be back!)
- Thurmond Watkins leaves with great difficulty.
- Jeanne Dickey leaves her way with boys to Lois Lowenhaupt.
- Jeanne Cothran's ability to sing hillbilly songs is left to Eleanor Walker.
- "Hoot" Gasson leaves his swarthy complexion to Shirley Davis.
- Rosemary Cothran leaves a fraction of her hair to Elizabeth Beasley.

In conclusion, we, the Class of '47, leave.

CHARACTERISTICS OF SENIORS

Name	Nickname	Where Usually Found	Wants To Be	Likely To Be
Mary Belle Alston	"Van"	Ball Game	Somebody Important	Nobody Important
E. E. Anderson Jr.	"U U"	Ball Game	A Good Ball Player	A Scrub
R. W. Anderson	"Dub"	Down A Dark Alley	A Multi-Millionaire	A Poor Farmer
Tilford Venoy Anderson	"Anoy"	Some Dark Road	A Fisherman Or Hunter	A Farmer Or Merchant
Dan Beaver	"Danny"	Pool Room	Rich	Broke
Julia Mai Bishop	"Sara Jane"	At Kuhn's	Secretary	Secretary
Emogene Black	"Gene"	Top Hat	Airline Stewardess	Secretary
Donald Bowden	"Roger"	Pool Room	Prince	Pauper
Dudley Bowden	"Flash"	Romping Around	Million Dollar Farmer	Bum
Jack Boyd	"Twect-Tweet"	Cherry Residence	An Ardent Lover	An Idiot
Mary Bradshaw	"Zulu"	Day Dreaming	Beautician	Lady-In-Waiting
Martha Bradshaw	"Mot"	With Waymon	Business Woman	Housewife
Lois Brammer		With Jeanne and June	Millionnairress	A Stenographer
Ann Bringle		Nowhere	Wife Of Clark Gable	Disappointed
Beb Cannon	"Bon Swan"	Anywhere But Home	In Retirement	At Work
Ed Chapman	"Twenkee"	Running Around	Hobo	Soda Jerk
Marijo Cole	"Jo"	Day Dreaming	Telephone Operator	Old Maid
Jeanne Cothran	"Janice"	At Church	Radio Star	Housewife
Rosemary Cothran	"Rosie"	With Reba and Catherine	Housewife	College Graduate
Bobby Davie	"Davie"	Studying Hard	A Success	A Failure
Jeanne Dickey		Drug Store	A Graduate	With Dan
Doris Easley	"Jenny"	With Velma and Ruth	Traveler	Librarian
Beatrice Erwin	"Bee"	At A Movie	Typist	Bookkeeper
Martha Lee Estes	"Lee Lee"	Post Office	A Good Cook	A "Cook"
John Robert Faught		Anywhere	Successful Business Man	Farmer
Garnett Faulk	"Garrett"	At School	Mechanized Farmer	Old Bachelor
Jimmy Faulk	"Jim"	Pool Room	Millionaire	Bum
Roy Edward Faulk Jr.	"Curley"	In Stanton	Successful Business Man	Unsuccessful Business Man
Willie Mae Fryer	"Billie"	Show	Nurse	Married
Joe Fuller	"Joe"	Guttman's Emporium	Somebody	Department Store Manager
Hughford Gasson	"Hoot"	On The Go	A General	A Private Forever

James George Jr.	"Fly"	Pool Room	Traveler	Average Man
Bob Gift	"Sniff"	Drug Store	Husband Of Rich Woman	Husband Of Poor Woman
Marianna Gracey		At Home Playing Piano	Librarian	A College Graduate
Helen Hadley	"Cedy Jane"	Home	A Millionaire's Wife	Old Maid
Jack Hall	"Bullet"	West Of Covington	With Jean	With Jean
Winfield Hall	"Windy"	In Boiler Room	Winfield Hall	Winfield Hall
Paul Harrington	"June"	Ruffin Theatre	Lighthouse Keeper	Just A Millionaire
Jane Harris	"Mert"	Loafing	Mrs.. "Kilray"	An Old Maid
Frances Henley	"Fran"	Reading	Heiress	School Teacher
Dorothy Johnson	"Dot"	In Car With Leon	Telephone Operator	A Wife
Kathryn Kidd	"Kat"	Ripley	Teacher	Lady-In-Waiting
Virginia Kurts	"Gin"	Ritz Theatre	Typist	Housewife
Betty Lee McBride	"Maekey"	With Anne	Laboratory Technician	A Scrubwoman
Wayne G. McGowan		At School	A Rich Man	A Sharecropper
Reba McIntyre	"Bob"	In Byars-Hall	Secretary	Old Maid
Frank McBride	"Elmer"	Sleeping	Hobo	Hobo
Laura Miller	"Bett"	Movie	Lucky	Heartbroken
Nancy Nevils	"Nan"	Day Dreaming	Nurse	A Cashier
Wilma Ann Overall		Looking For Someone	An Air Stewardess	School Teacher
Charlie Owen	"Charlie the Cat"	Pool Room	Pool Shark	Rack Boy
Gene Owen	"Ooha"	South Maple Street	Grease Monkey	Ford Dealer
Jean Parkinson		Running Around	President	A School Teacher
Charlene Pinkston	"Pinky"	With J .R. Or Naney	A Model	A Housewife
Anne Carolyn Ralph	"A. C."	With Betty "Mac"	Physical Education Teacher	Old Maid
Beth Rector	"Prunes"	Running Around	Raising Apples	A Typist In Memphis
Catherine Richardson	"Cat"	With Rosie Or Reba	A Stenographer	An Old Maid
Ruth Roach	"Skeets"	With Doris And Velma	A Florist	A Stenographer
Edward Rogers Jr.	"Jake"	Working In Store	A Rich Merchant	A Merchant
Carl Rose		School	An Inventor	A Farmer
Thomas Ruffin	"Tom"	In Stanton	A Tramp	A Millionaire
Joseph Sacks	"Joe"	Around Home	A Successful Business Man	A Clerk
Enid Aileen Simonton	"Peanut"	At A Typewriter	A Journalist	A Housewife
Velma Thompson	"Squeak"	Between Ruth And Doris	Wanted	Disappointed
John H. Tipton	"Tip"	Frog Pond	Married To An Heiress	In French Foreign Legion
Mary Jean Tracey		Running Around	Artist	Secretary
Jeannette Walker	"Ugly"	In A '47 Oldsmobile	An Interior Decorator	Housewife
Thurmond Watkins	"Peter"	Pool Room	Merchant	Shoe Dog

CLASS PROPHECY

New York City
April 30, 1957

Dear Doris,

Today while glancing through a "New York Herald," I saw several familiar names from Byars-Hall's graduating class of 1947. It was very interesting to read of some of the accomplishments made by those students. Since you and I were graduates of that class, I am going to relate to you the progress some of our classmates have made in the past ten years.

At Romanoff's, Jeanne Dickey looked as pretty as when she was a movie star. She's quite content to be Mrs. Daniel Beaver, wife of the Broadway playwright.

Frank McBride, tester of Beauty-Rest mattresses, has been seen on all the finely-feathered upholstery in the Park Avenue windows.

Marianna Gracey, pianist for the New York Symphony, has been offered a movie contract because of her sparkling smile.

Gene Owen, president of the Ford Company in Pennsylvania, has made steady progress with his production of aero-fords. Lois Brammer and Willie Mae Fryer are employed as two very competent stenographers to Gene.

Wayne McGowan has been kept very busy advising young men how to spend money wisely.

Martha Lee Estes, night club singer, has been photographed lately with Bobby Gift, All-American football player.

Lanky Junior Anderson was named to pitch the first three innings for the "Chicago Cubs" today. The "Cubs" are determined to give their fans plenty of action with Junior on the mound.

Mary Bradshaw, owner of the Beauteous Salon on Madison, suffered considerable loss when her home on Long Island burned last week.

Winfield Hall, explorer in the jungles of Burma, has discovered a lost tribe of cave men.

Julia Mai Bishop, prominent woman lawyer, has won many a case by her methods of famed oratory.

Carl Rose, inventor and scientist, is in Germany studying the operation of the rocket ship.

Ruth Roach has won the honor of being the most perfect and efficient secretary in the city of New York.

Joseph Sacks, lecturer on child psychology, made a very important speech at the Women's Club on Monday.

Jack Boyd has recently constructed a large

factory for the purpose of producing "loud" shirts.

There is a close race between Mary Frances Henley and Kathryn Kidd, each eligible for the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1957.

Venoy Anderson's plane, "The Lucky Lady," crashed near Salt Lake City, Saturday. Due to the level headedness of stewardess Wilma Ann Overall, all passengers escaped serious injury.

Ed Chapman, champion jitterbug, has a broken hip bone. He is convalescing at the St. Matthew's Hospital.

Jack Shelton Hall, professor of Greek, has accepted a position at Brenau College for Young Women.

R. W. Anderson, prominent Chicago doctor, is enjoying a delightful vacation on the sandy beaches of Florida.

Velma Thompson is reported to be doing excellent work as interviewer for "The New York Times."

Bob Cannon, a member of the New York Stock Exchange, suffered a loss of two million dollars when cattle prices dropped. Bob can be reached for business transactions at the Sleeping Valley Rest Home, where he is recovering from shock.

Mary Belle Alston, one-time journalist for "The New York Times," has been acting as secretary at the World Peace Conference.

John Tipton has joined the French Foreign Legion. He will leave for France immediately.

Edward Rogers, missionary in North Africa, has established a mission in the Sahara Desert hoping to convert the natives.

Garnett Faulk, admirer of Richard Halliburton, has been missing three months since he ventured to cross the Pacific Ocean in a beer barrel. (half full)

Catherine Richardson and Beatrice Erwin, Powers' models, appear on the front of this week's edition of "Life" magazine.

Radio correspondent, Jimmy Faulk, has reported all the latest news on the riots in Japan. Jimmy is well-suited to his job since he summarizes only the most sensational news.

When we were seniors, we never realized we would be in the news. I enjoy reading about the boys and girls I went to school with.

I hear Mrs. Bringle, our class sponsor, is in Mexico. She probably needed the rest after we graduated. She did an excellent job as sponsor and we all appreciated her efforts.

Yours,

MARY JEAN TRACEY

Covington, Tennessee
May 5, 1957

Dear Mary Jean,

I enjoyed your interesting account of our former classmates. Some of the graduates have not reached national prominence, but in Covington and the surrounding territory they are outstanding citizens. For your information I answer your letter with news of the rest of the class of 1947.

Bobby Davie, one-time alternate captain of the "Wildcats," is now coaching at Byars-Hall.

Thomas Ruffin gave a banquet March 19 at his beautiful plantation home in the honor of Aileen Simonton. Aileen recently published a best seller on the people of Alaska.

Paul Harrington has bought the chain of Ruffin theatres. He is so energetic that he operates his own projector at the theatre in Covington.

Jean Parkinson, still worrying about the last edition of the "Purple and Gold," is editing "The Covington Leader."

After his return from the Army, Hughford Gasson established himself in the manufacturing of dress forms. He always was good at figures.

Emogene Black, throaty blues singer of the Top Hat Club, was spotted by a MGM talent scout and has received a contract from that studio.

Joe Fuller and Thurmond Watkins visited St. Louis last week to purchase some new merchandise for Guttman's Department Store.

John Robert Faught is expanding his business. He has recently bought a large store in Brighton. The Faught's grocery stores are all super-markets.

Beth Rector is enjoying life with her husband, "Hamp" Porter, at Fairview Farm in Newbern, Tenn. Fairview Farm is noted for its fine apple orchards.

Charlie Owen recently lectured at the Grammar School on the subject of "How To Be A Good Listener." Charlie appeared to be well versed on the subject.

All Covington is excited over the interior decorating of Roy Faulk. He is a well known authority on wallpaper.

Dudley Bowden is the new sociology teacher at Byars-Hall this year.

Helen Hadley, a sultry brunette, poses for shampoo ads for the "Good Housekeeping Magazine."

Donald Bowden is sheriff of Tipton County at the present time. He makes a very efficient officer.

Miss Marijo Cole is secretary to a steamship company in New Orleans. She is making considerable progress with her new methods of shorthand.

Martha Bradshaw, now Mrs. Baskins, gave a delightful party at her home near Gilt Edge last evening. The party was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Shoaf who flew from the Philippines last week for a short visit. Mrs. Shoaf is the former Rosemary Cothran.

Anne Carolyn Ralph has completed her new book on child psychology and plans to begin another real soon.

Jimmie George is working for a degree from Lambuth University. Jimmie will probably make a splendid minister.

Jane Harris is manager of the Covington telephone exchange. Her long distance operators are Virginia Kurts and Ann Bringle.

After years of hard work and sacrifice, Betty McBride has become head nurse at the Methodist Hospital in Memphis.

Jean Cothran now has her own radio show. She is gifted with a voice for ballads.

The former Dorothy Johnson is living in Memphis with her husband, Leon Wilson. The "Journal" selected them as the typical Mr. and Mrs. America of today.

Reba McIntyre is working in the First State Bank as bookkeeper. It is rumored that she will be a favorite in the next election for the position of president of the Business and Professional Women's Club.

Charlene Pinkston owns and operates the Covington Drug Store. She is enlarging the store and adding a place for the teenagers to dance.

Laura Miller is employed at the County Agent's office. Since she has a degree from U. T. College, she is planning to teach Home Economics this fall.

Nancy Nevils has obtained the position as dietitian expert at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville.

Jeanette Walker took time out from her news roundup in Washington last week to fly home and check up on Harold Willis. Jeanette is editor of "The American Newspaper."

Now we both know a little about each of our classmates from Byars-Hall High. If we could all take time out from our routine of life, don't you think it would be grand if we could gather once more around the front steps of the Alma Mater, throw open the doors and march in? If only we could put behind us the past ten years of our lives, and be once again the same group of high school seniors who walked out May 13, 1947.

Sincerely Yours,

DORIS EASLEY



- 1. Marge And Pam Haven't Grown Up
- 2. Get To Work
- 3. Happy Blendship of Friendship
- 4. Charles Atlas (?)

- 5. Martha Lee And Beth Of Yesterday
- 6. Nancy And The Kid
- 7. Coca-Cola Was There
- 8. Did He Really Go To The Army?



♥ Juniors





JUNIOR CLASS

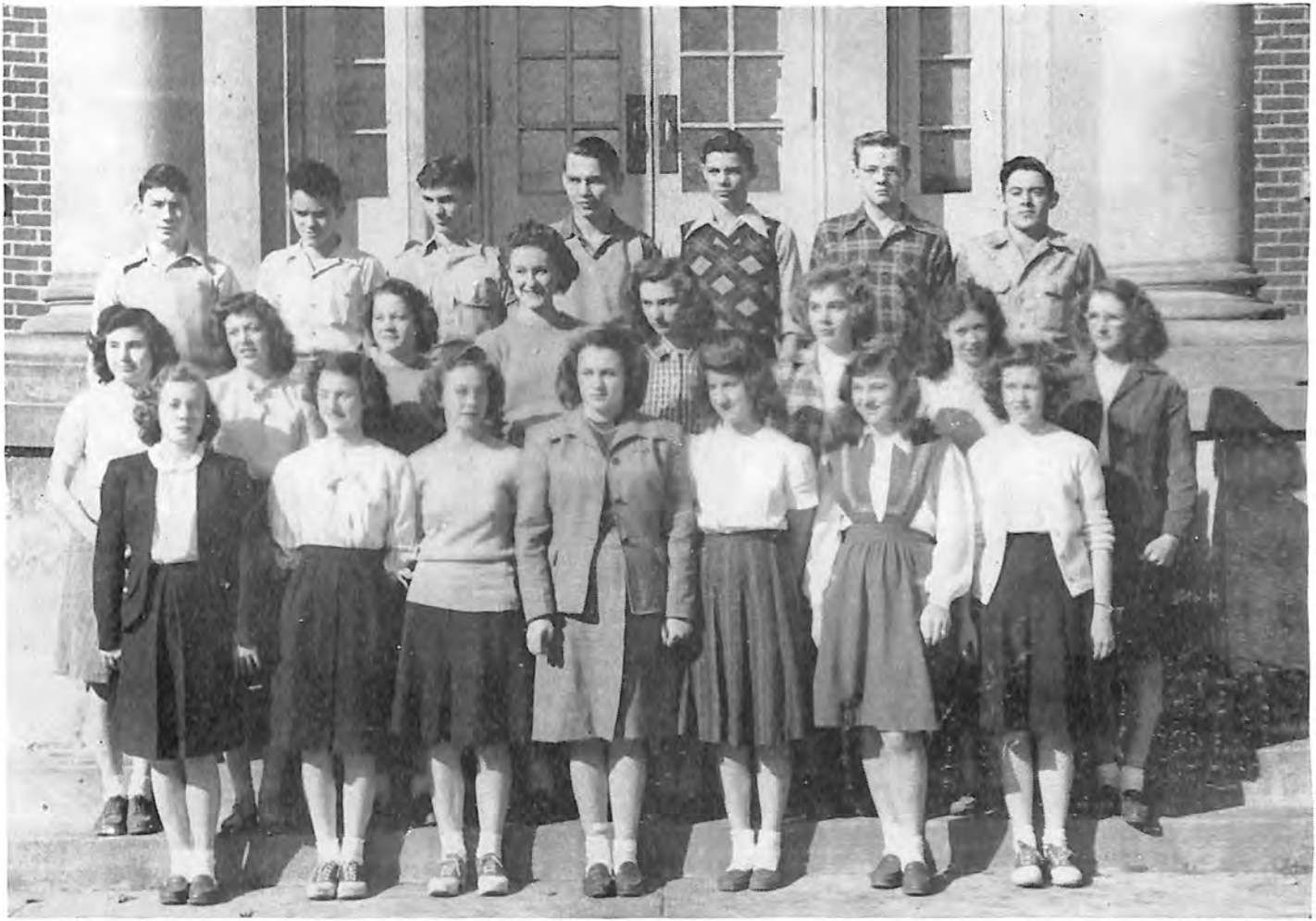
First Row: (left to right) Jean Talley, secretary; Mary Goddard, treasurer; Wanda Townsend, reporter; Nell Gray, vice-president; Roy Clay Turner, president.

Second Row: Jean Cody, Martha Bringle, Barbara Cherry, Verzeal Adams, Karen Dawson, Jean Gatlin.

Third Row: Doris Edmiston, Bobbie Deverell, Ida Mai Cole, Lula Forgey, Joy Davis, Elizabeth Beasley, Bettye Blankenship.

Fourth Row: Robert Daugherty, Gene Byars, Albert David, Jack Alston, Dalton Byrd, Eugene Coley.





JUNIOR CLASS

First Row: Margie McDonald, Betty Griffith, Kathryn Hanks, Barbara Huffman; Melba Forbes, Robbie Marshall, Peggy Liles.

Second Row: Bertie Lowery, Dorothy Johnson, Gwendolyn Lavelle, Bessie Hise, Mary

Kidd, Lois Lowenhaupt, Rubye Glynn, Eunice Howard.

Third Row: Bobby Hensley, John Lackey, Bobby Grugett, Neil Harrington, Bill Ginn, Gene Hadley, Richard Huffman.





JUNIOR CLASS

First Row: Evelyn Pence, Beverly Rose, Helen Parker, Laureata Warmath, Georgia Work, Elaine Owen, Ann Rice, Jeannine Carleton.

Second Row: Miss Frances Rast, sponsor; Martha J. Rhodes, Mary Gene Rogers, Sara Roper, Peggy Pleasants, Mary Ruth Norvell,

Ruby Moose, Martha McPeak.

Third Row: Bobby Witt, J. L. Yarbro, Jimmy Portis, Wallace Shoaf, J. P. Selph, Malcolm Strickland, Thomas Yarbrough, Billy Willis, Richard Overall, James Peeler.

Not. Pictured: Bill Jacques.



SOAPS





SOPHOMORE CLASS — GROUP ONE

First Row: Walker Tipton, president; Carolyn Fleming, vice-president; Joyce Roberts, secretary; Peggy Lee Pennel, reporter; Mary Brammer, Lillian Byrd, Monteen Anderson, Bertha Bryson.

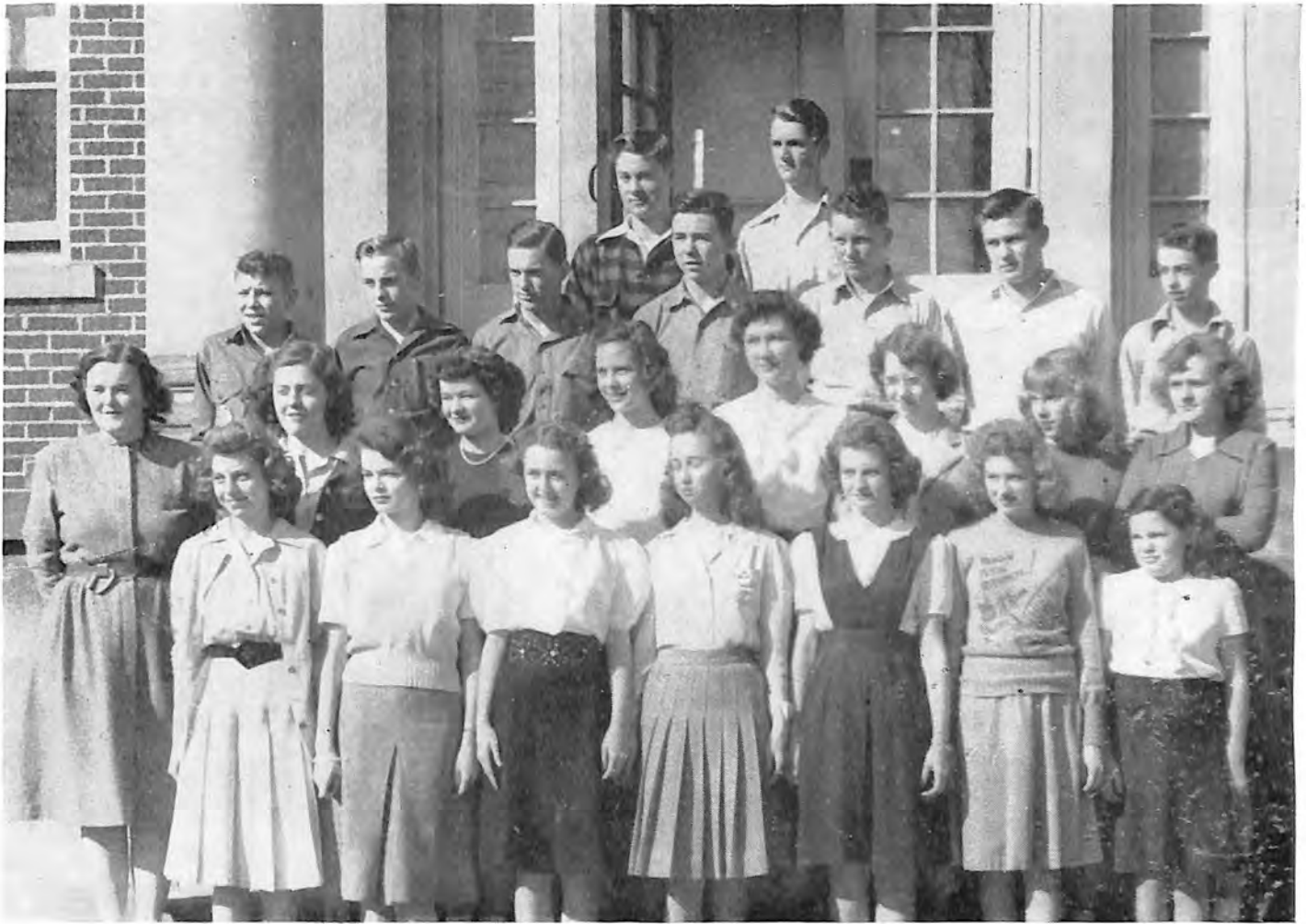
Second Row: Miss Ann Tipton, sponsor;

Ruth Fryer, Mary Cage, Jeanne Brammer, Ellen Davis, Virginia Bucey, Myrtle Atkinson.

Third Row: Thomas Byrd, Glenn Gilbreath, Lydie Bringle, Arden Butler, Steve Dennis, Rayburn Faulk, Eugene Earwood.

Fourth Row: Wade Castellaw, Charles Corder.





SOPHOMORE CLASS — GROUP TWO

First Row: Joan Lewis, Mary Wilson Harvey, Gwen James, Margaret Payne, Doris Ann Hensley, Laverne Nolan, Clara Parr.

Second Row: Joy Massey, Helen Hall, Katherine Johnson, Mary Lois Parimore, El-

wanda Parham, Joann Henley, Bettye McCormick, Virginia Pace.

Third Row: Bobby McBride, David Hadley, Ivo Posey, O. T. Marshall, Edward Glenn, Don Max, Jimmie Jacques.

Fourth Row: Billy Hogan, Jerry Jacques.





SOPHOMORE CLASS — GROUP THREE

First Row: Willie Jo Shelley, Jo Ann Slover, Ann Shoaf, Betty Sue Ralph, Martha Shoaf.

Second Row: Janice Sprayberry, Dorothy Whitehorn, Helen Roach, Peggy Price, Sara Emily Whitley, Martha Rye.

Third Row: Milton Ralph, Allen Yarbrough, Kenneth Weir, George Ray, Arnold Vandergrift, Harold Watkins, John Twisdale.

Fourth Row: Elton Thomas, Leon Rose, Philip Sacks, Sammy Wright, Jerry Puckett, L. C. Thornton, Harold Love.

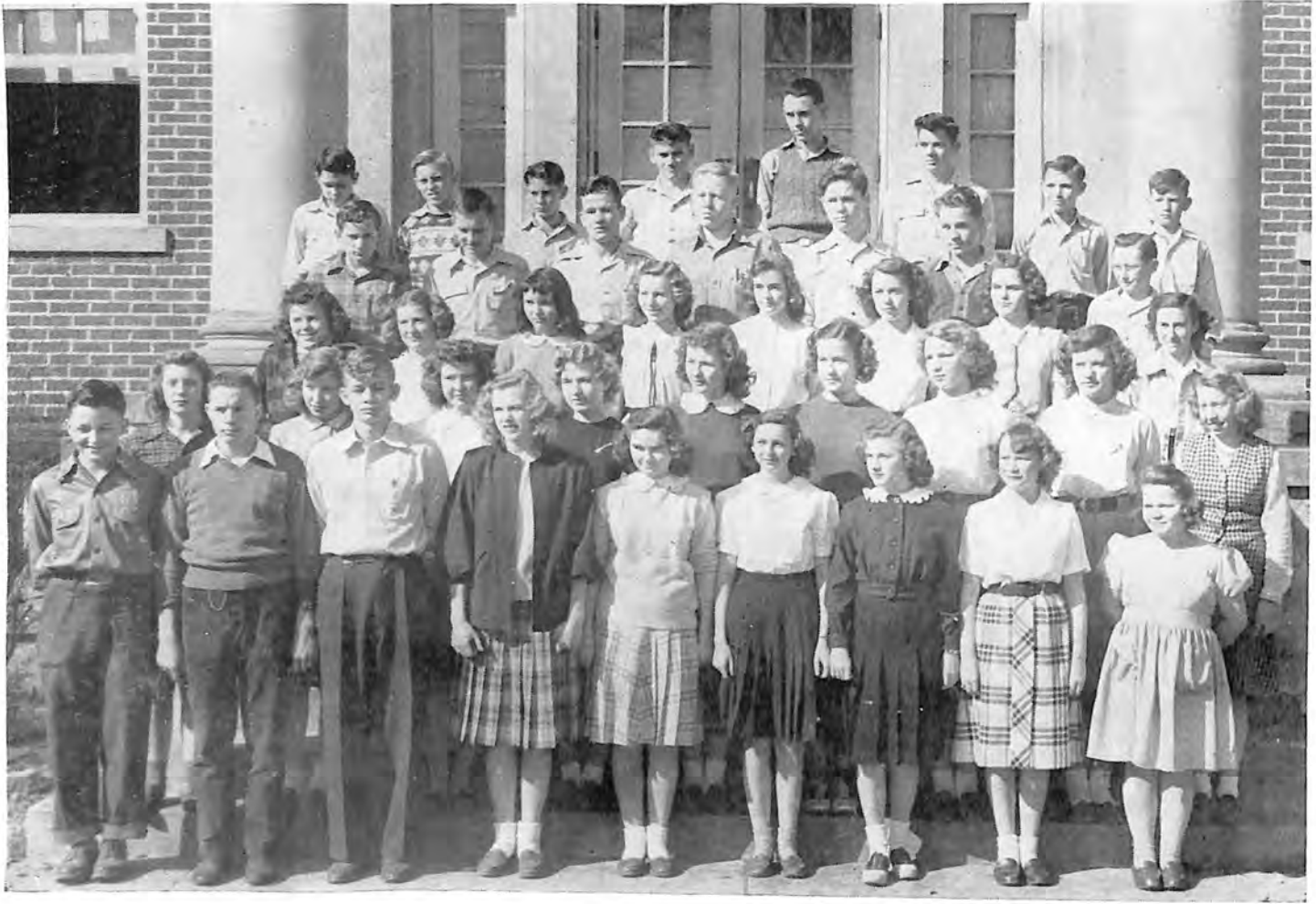


FRESHMEN SCHEDULE

SUBJECT	TEACHER	PERIOD
English I.	Mrs Bringle	6 th
Latin I.	Mrs Peckham	2 nd
General Math.	Mrs. [unclear]	3 rd
General Science	[unclear]	7 th
Physical Education	[unclear]	[unclear]



MB



FRESHMAN CLASS — GROUP ONE

First Row: John Tom Vaughan, secretary; Whit Fortner, vice-president; Robert Klutts president; Ina Klutts, reporter; Patsy Cherry, Irma Wright, Sue Mitchell, Dorothy Williamson, Janice Riley.

Second Row: Martha Ann Ruffin, Mary Ann Ross, Cherry Simpson, Jane Shoaf, Eleanor Walker, Julia Walker, Bobbie Cooper, Jean Wright. Gwen Sherrod.

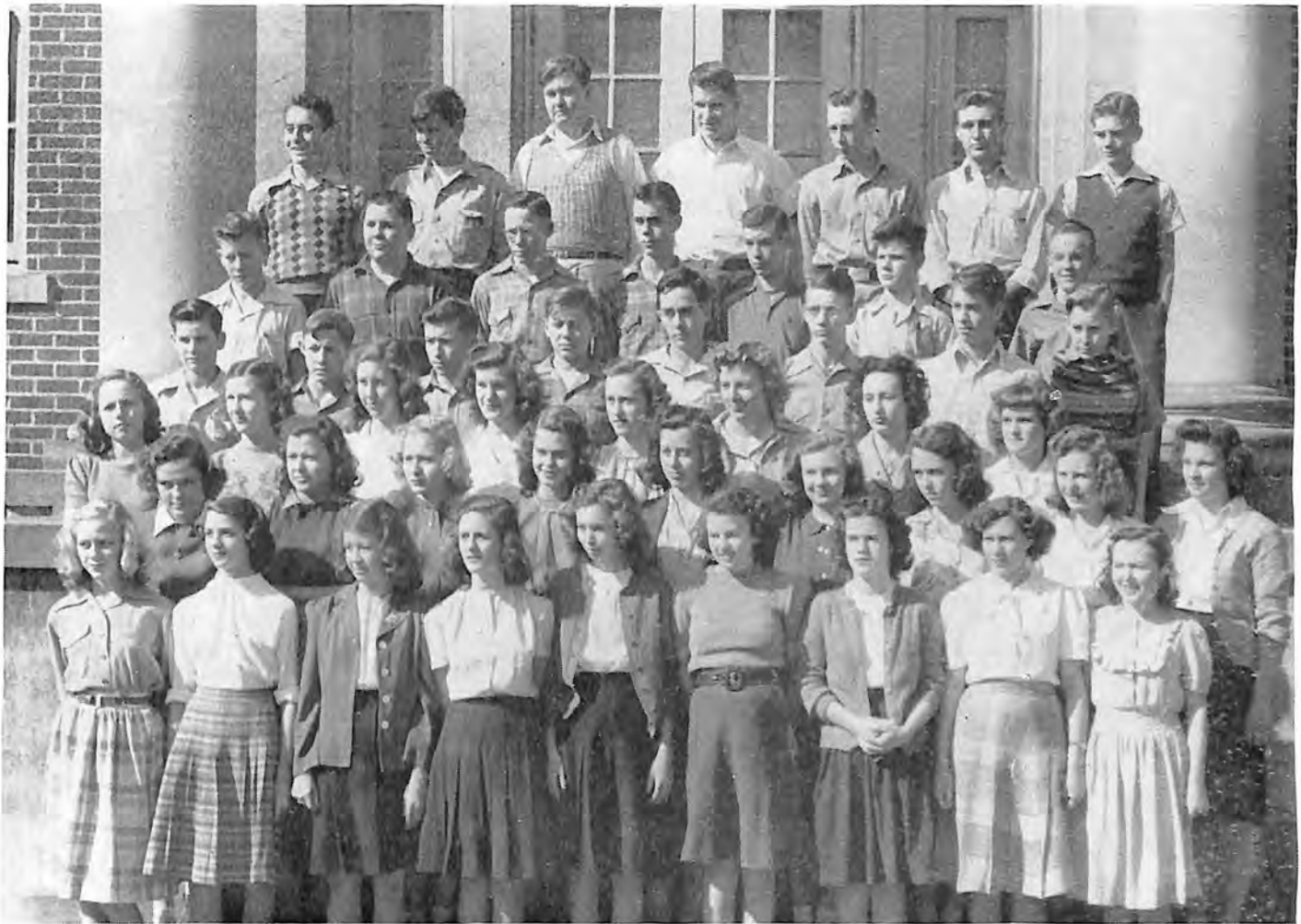
Third Row: Patsy Sharpe, Virginia Shel-

ley, Frances Talley, Juanita Creasy, Blanche Baltzer, Ann Wilson, Doris Rice, Yvonne Roberts.

Fourth Row: Jere Dobson, Bobby Anderson, L. C. Erwin, Bob Overall, Jimmy Hendrick, Wade Cates, Ralph Dawson.

Fifth Row: Ralph Cummins, Ralph Miller, Billy Williams, Thurmond Glenn, Wilson Cothran, Sam Easley, Edwin Bryson, Wayne Dobson.





FRESHMAN CLASS -- GROUP TWO

First Row: Shirley Davis, Velma Dawson, Eva Edmiston, Mary Ann Bringle, Peggy Butler, Betty Johnson, Joyce Burlison, Mary Vandergrift, Jean Dawson.

Second Row: Ellen Blackman, Bernice De Vaughn, Jeanette Davis, Patsy Harrington, Aileen Daniel, Betty Hadley, Olean Branch, Hazel Billings, Peggy Forbes.

Third Row: June Alsup, Jane Bradshaw, Martha Gordon, Peggy Crihfield, Alpha Beas-

ley, Linnie Gay, Mildred Crook, Mary Jane Gwinn,

Fourth Row: Junior Glass, S. A. Kidd, Jere Mayfield, Richard Gay, Charles Ammons, Joe Bailey, Clyde Gibson, Buddy Lowenhaupt.

Fifth Row: J. C. Black, Harry Hilmus, John Eubank, Carrick Hill, Robert Stewart, Earl McKenzie, Dan Hadley.

Sixth Row: Jimmy Hurt, Jimmy Farrell, Lawrence Gray, Andy Luttrell, Eugene Boswell, Ruben Armstrong, Billy Wilson.





FRESHMAN CLASS — GROUP THREE

First Row: Emma Rogers, Norma McWherter, Edna Eubanks, Barbara Martin, Lavelle Johnson, Gail McBride, Robbie Walton, Mary Wilson, Carol Stevens, Joyce Faulk.

Second Row: Dorothy Pinner, Juanita Webb, Carol Cole, Ruth Smith, Julia Moseley, Gwen Thornton, Shirley Thompson, Betty Pannell, Rose Ella Overall.

Third Row: Robert Lee White, Billy Rice, Billy Owen, Joy Deverell, Juanita Morris, Sara Click, Faye Fleming, Beth Howard.

Fourth Row: Charles Roach, Woodrow Smith, Bill Pleasants, Marion Miller, J. C. Thornton, Neil Mills, Larry Myers, Conrad Thompson, Enoch Ward, Nels Tanner.

Fifth Row: Stanley Rose, Ernie Petree, Jerry Whitehorn, Wayne Moore, David Yarbrough.

Sixth Row: Bobbie Travis, Gerald Veazey, Jerry Roark.

Not Pictured: Gwendolyn Ralph, Velma Bennett, Mary Virginia Hensley, Geraldine Overton, Ann Walton, John McDonald, William Patrick.



Organizations
Features
Clubs



Who's
Who

WHO'S WHO



MARY BELLE ALSTON

Most Likely To Succeed
Best All Around
Most Popular
Friendliest
Cutest



JEAN PARKINSON

Most Intellectual



SARA ROPER

Most Athletic



JEANNE DICKEY

Most Beautiful



MARTHA LEE ESTES

Most Beautiful

WHO'S WHO



GENE OWEN
Most Likely To Succeed
Most Intellectual



JOHN TIPTON
Most Intellectual



BOBBY DAVIE
Best All Around
Friendliest
Most Athletic




JACK BOYD
Most Popular
Handsome
Most Athletic



BILLY WILLIS
Wittiest




JOE FULLER
Wittiest



EVENTFUL HAPPENINGS

Enrolled
Simonton Elected Principal
Manual Training, Mechanical Drawing, Economics Added
To Study Course
Hazel, Luckey, Jarman, Oakley, Boyd, Beck, Tipton
Utley Added To Faculty
Jack Boyd Elected President Senior Class
"C" Club Organized
Glee Club Formed
Commercial Club Organized
Alice Locke Marries
Florence Patrick Marries
Hogan, Alston, Roper, Estes, Klutts Elected Cheerleaders
First Football Game—Dyersburg 6, Covington 6
Holiday for Students—Teachers' Meeting
Beta Pledges Initiated
Beta Scavenger Hunt and Hot Dog Feast
Commercial Club-F. F. A. Scavenger Hunt, Hayride, Wiener Roast
Football Season Ends
School Pictures Taken
Government Lunch Program Begun
Seniors Get Class Rings
Senior Class Receive Senior Pictures
Doris Jennings Marries
Jimmy George and Bob Gift Return to School
Jacques and Grugett Box in Golden Gloves
Mary Belle Alston is D. A. R. Award Winner
Owen, Tipton, Parkinson, Alston Take Pepsi-Cola Scholarship Test
Book Week
"Hoot" Gasson Joins Air Corps
Basketball Tournaments
R. W. and Robbie Announce Their Marriage
Class Basketball Tournaments
Nell Gray Selected To Go To Girls' State
Beta Members Attend Memphis Convention
Senior Play
Junior-Senior Banquet
May Day Program
Annual Published
Exams
Baccalaureate Sermon
Commencement
Honor Roll Announced
Seniors Receive Diplomas





PURPLE AND GOLD STAFF

Editor-in-Chief	Jean Parkinson
Assistant Editor	Marianna Gracey
Business Managers	{ Bob Cannon Neil Harrington
Circulation Managers	{ Jack Boyd Bill Jacques
Exchange Editor	Beth Rector
Feature Editors	{ Martha Bringle John Tipton Nancy Nevils
Make-up Editors	{ Mary Belle Alston Mary Jean Tracey
Society Editor	Jeanette Walker
Humor Editor	Lois Lowenhaupt
Sports Editors	{ Jack Alston Barbara Cherry
Proof Readers	{ Betty McBride Mary Goddard Sara Whitley Jane Ann Johnson
Typists	{ Aileen Simonton Ruth Roach Anne Bringle Mary Bradshaw
Sponsor	Miss Blanche Oakley



BETA CLUB MEMBERS

First Row: Laureata Warmath, Velma Thompson, Lula Forgey, Joy Davis, Doris Edmiston, Beverly Rose, Evelyn Pence, Betty McBride.

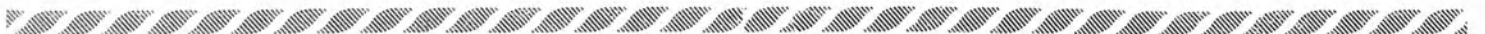
Second Row: Emogene Black, Rosemary Cothran, Mary Jean Tracey, reporter; Beth Rector, treasurer; Jeanette Walker, recording secretary; Frank McBride, president; Marianna Gracey, vice-president; Mary Belle Alston, corresponding secretary; Mary Gene Rogers,

Peggy Pleasants, Martha Hughes Bringle.

Third Row: Barbara Cherry, Gwendolyn Lavelle, Karen Dawson, Mary Kidd, Betty Blankenship, Mary Ruth Norvell, Jean Parkinson; Martha Lee Estes, Mary Goddard.

Fourth Row: Miss Tipton, sponsor; Richard Overall, Neil Harrington, Bob Cannon, Wayne McGowan, Gene Owen, John Tipton, Jack Alston, Nancy Nevils.

Nell Rhea Gray not shown in picture.





GLEE CLUB

First Row: Jean Carol Cole, Eva Edmiston, Margie McDonald, Irma Wright, Martha Anne Wilson, Frances Henley, Mary Goddard, Hazel Billings, Gwendolyn Sherrod, Gwen James, Joyce Faulk, Clara Parr.

Second Row: Peggy Forbes, Betty McBride, Anne Ralph, Martha Gordon, Mary Lois Parimore, Mary Gene Rogers, Ina Claire Klutts, Juanita Webb, Lula Forgey, Mary Wilson Harvey, Melba Forbes, Emma Rogers.

Third Row: Dorothy Williamson, Beth Rector, Betty Pannell, Carolyn Fleming, Julia Mai Bishop, Juanita Morris, Dorothy Pinner, Sara Emily Whitley, Peggy Liles, Ruby Moose.

Fourth Row: Kathryn Kidd, Eunice Howard, Ann Shoaf, Kathryn Kurts, Jane Brad-

shaw, Peggy Pleasants, Sue Mitchell, Martha Hughes Bringle.

Fifth Row: Bobby Deverell, Jean Cothran, Katherine Hanks, Martha Rye, Gwen Thornton, Lois Lowenhaupt, Nell Rhea Gray, Norma Jean McWherter.

Sixth Row: Jeanne Dickey, Aileen Daniel, Nancy Nevils, Marianna Gracey, Peggy Crihfield, Jean Parkinson, Joann Henley.

Seventh Row: Elaine Owen, Dorothy V. Johnson, Dorothy Johnson, Julia Moseley, Elwanda Parham, Jane Harris, Ellen Davis.

Eighth Row: Charlene Pinkston, Martha Lee Estes, Sara Click, Katherine Johnson, Miss Doris Boyd, sponsor; Miss Mary Jarman, sponsor.





LIBRARY CLUB

First Row

Jean Parkinson, president
 Martha Hughes Bringle,
 secretary
 Betty McBride, reporter
 Jeanne Dickey

Second Row

Martha Lee Estes
 Beth Rector
 Marianna Gracey
 Margie McDonald
 Mrs. Sheaf, sponsor
 Sara Roper
 Mary Belle Alston
 Jeanette Walker
 Gwen James

Nell Gray, vice-president,
 not pictured.

DRAMATIC CLUB

Seated Around Table

Martha Ann Rice
 Gwen James
 Patsy Cherry
 Sara Roper, vice-president
 Marianna Gracey, president
 Martha Hughes Bringle,
 secretary
 Wanda Townsend
 Ann Shoaf
 Peggy Lee Pennel

Standing

Lois Lowenhaupt
 Mary Goddard, treasurer
 Bobby Hensley
 Dalton Byrd
 Jane Ann Johnson, reporter
 Barbara Cherry, not pic-
 tured.



SPANISH CLUB

Seated

Joseph Sacks
 Mary Belle Alston
 Jean Parkinson
 Marianna Gracey
 Mary Jean Tracey,
 vice-president
 Beth Rector, president
 Martha Hughes Bringle,
 secretary
 Joy Davis, reporter
 Peggy Liles
 Gwen James
 Walker Tipton

Standing

Aileen Simonton
 Wilma Ann Overall
 Martha Ann Rice
 Ruby Moose
 Lois Lowenhaupt
 Sara Roper
 Carolyn Fleming
 Martha Lee Estes
 Jeanette Walker
 Katherine Kidd
 Jeannine Carleton

Nell Gray not pictured.



LATIN CLUB



First Row

Helen Hall
 Jean Cody
 Bessie Hise
 Jimmie Portis
 Arden Butler
 Sara Emily Whitley
 Gordon Claire Williams
 Jane Ann Johnson
 Peggy Pennel

Second Row

Joann Lewis
 Melba Forbes
 Willie May Fryer
 Neil Harrington
 Hurley Morton
 Harold Watkins
 Jimmie Jacques
 Martha Rye
 Ann Shoaf
 Mrs. Parkinson



F. H. A.

First Row: Martha Jean Dawson, Velma Dawson, Patsy Sharpe, Joyce Faulk, Carol Cole, Jeanne Dickey, Mary Gene Rogers, Sara Roper, Martha Lee Estes, Carolyn Fleming, Peggy Penel, Myrtle Atkinson, Monteen Anderson, Joann Lewis, Shirley Davis, Eva Edmiston.

Second Row: Gwendolyn Sherrod, Dorothy Williamson, Irma Wright, Doris Ann Hensley, Willie Jo Shelley, Betty Hadley, Joann Slover, Emma Rogers, Lillian Byrd, Patsy Cherry, Ann Wilson, Yvonne Roberts, Hazel Billings, Norma Jean McWherter.

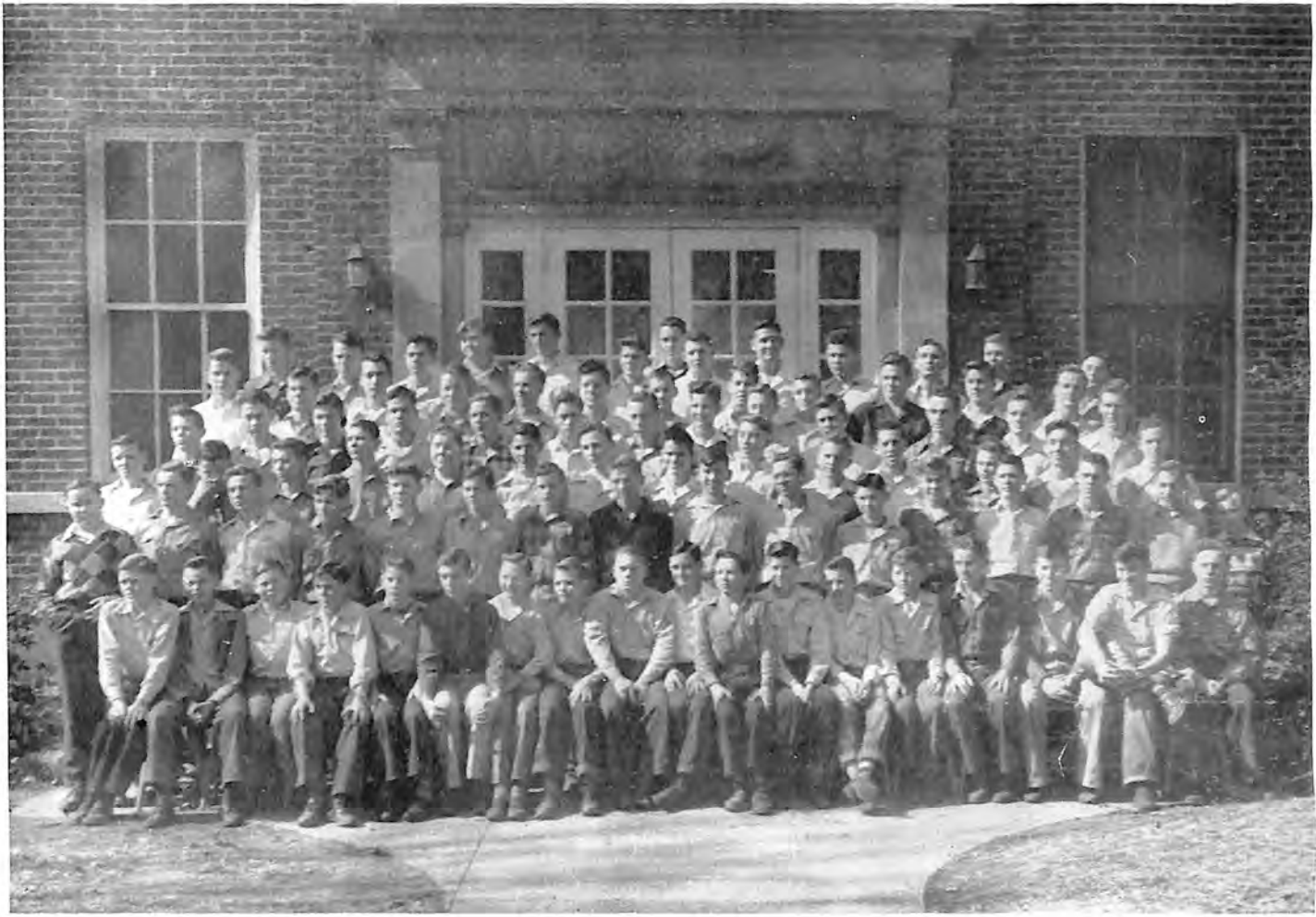
Third Row: Beth Howard, Margie McDonald, Mary Vandergrift, Frances Talley,

Juanita Creasy, Juanita Webb, Blanche Baltzer, Mary Brammer, Jane Shoaf, Patsy Harrington, Bettye McCormick, Peggy Ann Crihfield, Frances Henley.

Fourth Row: Betty Pannell, Mary Wilson Harvey, Jane Bradshaw, Alpha Anne Beasley, Peggy Forbes, Ellen Davis, Jean Brammer, Dorothy Pinner, Jeanette Davis, Sara Emily Whitley, Ann Shoaf, Ann Bringle.

Fifth Row: Miss Rast, Bobbie Cooper, Julia Claire Walker, Rose Ella Overall, Linnie Gay, Jane Harris, Eleanor Walker, Ina Claire Klutts, Joyce Roberts, Virginia Pace, Cherry Simpson.





F. F. A.

First Row: Neal Mills, Glenn Gilbreath, Thomas Byrd, Billy Rice, Billy Williams, Robert Louis Stewart, Royce Dawson, Edwin Bryson, Enoch Ward, Larry Myers, Milton Ralph, Junior Glass, Billy Owen, Wayne Dobson, Wade Cates, John Twisdale, Thurmond Glenn, Allen Yarbro.

Second Row: Conrad Thompson, Ivo Posey, Richard Overall, S. A. Kidd, Woodrow Smith, Charles Roach, Jere Dobson, Bobby Travis, Bill Pleasants, Thomas Yarbro, Marion Miller, Richard Gay, J. L. Yarbro, Carrick Hill, James Peeler, Ralph Miller.

Third Row: John Robert Faught, John Tom Vaughan, Jerry Mayfield, Joe Bailey, Harry Hilmus, Ernie Petree, Nels Tanner, John Lackey, Jerry Roark, Lydle Bringle, Arnold Vander-

grift, J. C. Thornton, Harold Love, Roy Faulk.

Fourth Row: Donald Bowden, Leon Rose, Stephen Dennis, L. C. Erwin, David Yarbro, Elton Thomas, Eugene Boswell, Stanley Rose, Albert David, Donald Max, Venoy Anderson, Garnett Faulk, Junior Anderson.

Fifth Row: Andy Luttrell, Dudley Bowden, Bobby Davie, Edward Glenn, Jimmy Faulk, Dalton Byrd, Bobby Anderson, Clyde Gibson, Rayburn Faulk, Gene Byars, Billy Hogan, R. W. Anderson.

Sixth Row: Jerry Whitehorn, Gerald Veazey, Sam Easley, Lawrence Grey, J. P. Selph, L. C. Thornton, Wilson Cothran, Roy Clay Turner, Wayne McGowan, Wallace Shoaf, Ruben Armstrong, Kenneth Weir, Richard Huffman.





COMMERCIAL CLUB

First Row

Julia Mai Bishop
 Velma Thompson,
 vice-president
 Catherine Richardson

Second Row

Emogene Black,
 program chairman
 Doris Easley, reporter
 Laura Miller, treasurer

Third Row

Lois Brammer
 Ruth Roach, secretary

Fourth Row

Miss Elizabeth Beck, sponsor
 Rosemary Cothran, president
 Reba McIntyre

CIVICS CLUB

First Row

Encch Ward
 Georgia Work
 Janice Sprayberry
 Martha Bradshaw, secretary
 Bob Overall, reporter
 Mary Bradshaw, president
 Marijo Cole, vice-president
 Dan Hadley
 Mrs. T. A. Utley, sponsor

Second Row

Robert Lee White
 Glenn Gilbreath
 Larry Myers
 Betty Jean Johnson
 Myrtle Atkinson
 Neal Mills
 Joy Massey
 Margie McDonald
 Earl Wayne McKenzie

Third Row

J. C. Black
 Dorothy Johnson
 Thurmond Glenn
 Peggy Carihfield
 Robert Earl Klutts
 Billy Wilson
 Wade Cates
 Rupert Armstrong
 Bernice DeVaughn



First Row

Billy Willis
Venoy Anderson
Sammy Wright
John Tipton
Gene Owen, sec. and treas.
Jack Boyd, president
Charles Corder
Walker Tipton
R. W. Anderson
Bob Cannon
Lydle Bringle



Second Row

Dan Beaver
Arden Butler
Roy Turner
Bobby Davie, vice-president
Wayne McGowan
Bob Gift
Ed Chapman
Wade Castellaw
Jimmy George
Garnett Faulk
Charlie Owen
Mr. Billy Hazel

Not pictured, Jack Hall,
sergeant at arms.

"C" CLUB

CARNIVAL ROYALTY



CO-QUEENS

Jeanne Dickey
(senior representative)

Lula Forgey
(junior representative)

MAIDS

Gordon Claire Williams
(sophomore representative)

Eleanor Walker
(freshman representative)

GYM



LAB

LIBRARY



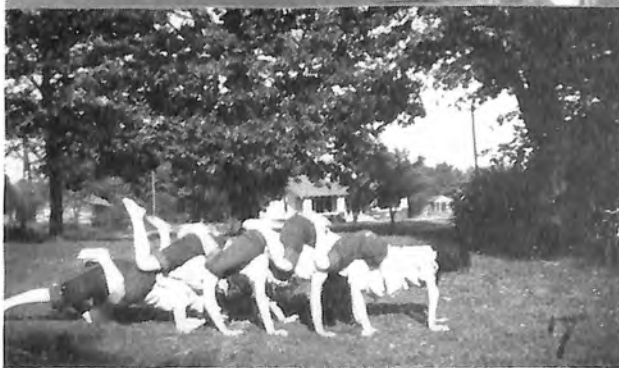


SHOP

HOME-EC



CAFETERIA

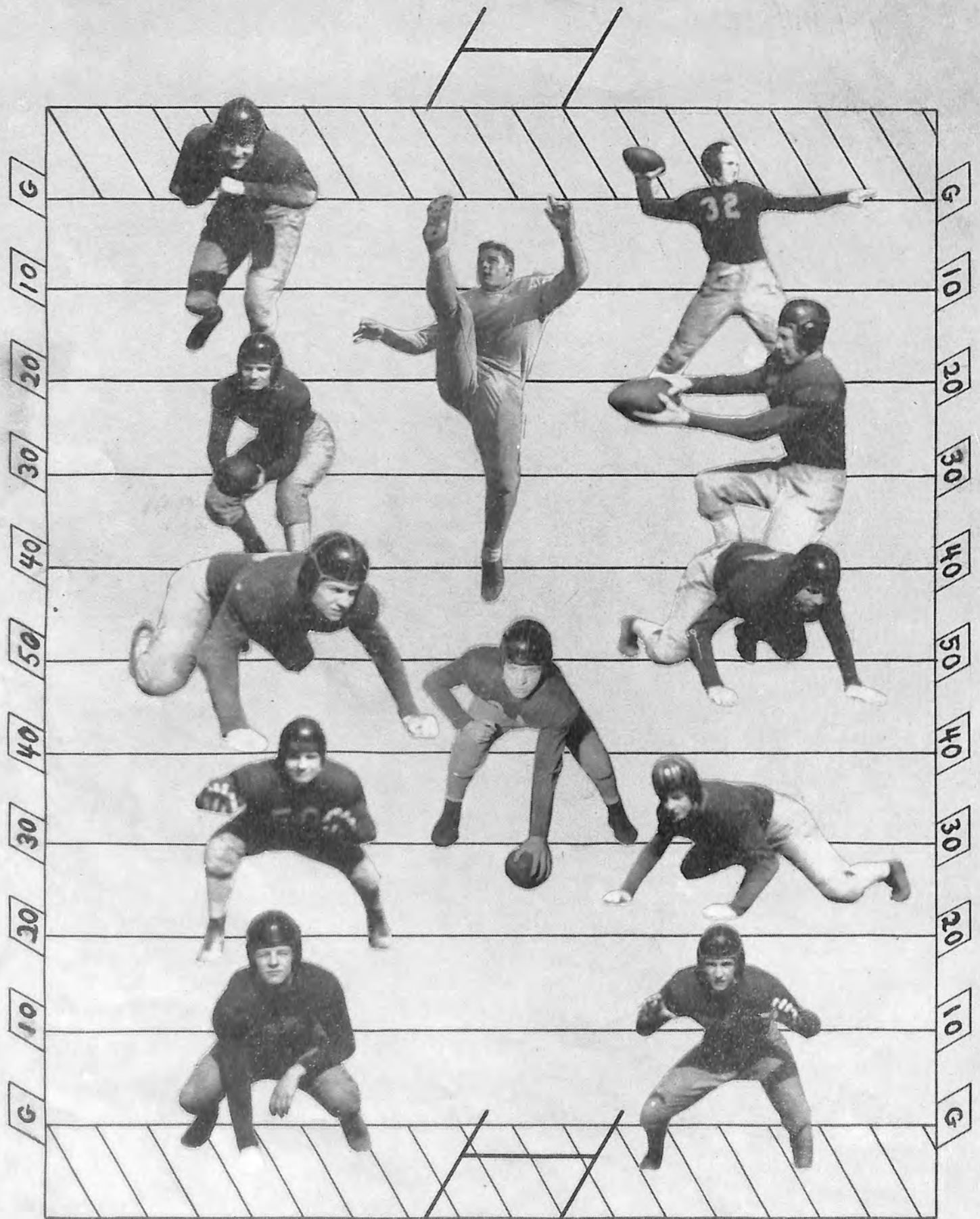


1. Caught In The Act
2. Assorted Nuts
3. Brr-rr!
4. Touhey Takes Off

5. Barber Of Seville
6. Pat Parades
7. What Is It?
8. Senior Vice-President Likes Watermelon
9. Honolulu Bound

SPORTS







BYARS-HALL FOOTBALL SQUAD

First Row: Roy Turner, John Tipton, Walker Tipton, Gene Owen, Jack Hall, Bill Willis, Charles Corder, Dan Beaver.

Second Row: Bobby Davie, Bobby Grugett, Bob Cannon, Ed Chapman, Jack Boyd, Jimmie Portis, O. T. Marshall, Garnett Faulk.

Third Row: Philip Sacks, Dudley Bowden, John Vaughan, Ivo Posey, Venoy Anderson, Arden Butler, Herbert Parr, Junior Anderson.

Fourth Row: Wayne Moore, Billy Wilson, Hurley Morton, Jim Farrell, Wade Castellaw, Lydle Bringle, Gerald Veazey, Bobby Travis, Whit Fortner.

Fifth Row: Charlie Owen, Sammy Wright, Bob Overall, Jerry Whitehorn, Bill Jacques, Ernie Petree, Joe Bailey, Charles Ammons, Sam Easley, Bill Ginn.

Sixth Row: Bill Pleasants, manager; Coach Hazel, R. W. Anderson, manager.

FOOTBALL RECORD

This year, the Byars-Hall Wildcats had a fair season, winning three, tying one, and losing five games. Jack Boyd was chosen captain and Bob Davie was the alternate captain. The scores for the season were:

Byars-Hall	Opponents	
0	Millington	12
6	Dyersburg	6
0	Ripley	30
3	Union City	7
13	Halls	7
25	Trenton	13
12	Bartlett	19
13	Somerville	33
25	Brownsville	12
100	Totals	139



BOYS' BASKETBALL

First Row: Venoy Anderson, Bobby Davie, captain; Jack Boyd, Jimmy George, R. W. Anderson, alternate captain.

Second Row: Ed Chapman, manager; Ivo Posey, Philip Sacks, Waiker Tipton, Bill Ginn, Coach W. H. Hazel.

BOYS' BASKETBALL SCORES

Byars-Hall	Opponents	
79	Maury City	21
66	Halls	23
56	Ripley	26
50	Munford	19
35	Brighton	21
43	Messick	42
42	Somerville	60
39	Central	47
46	Humboldt	44
43	Halls	24
49	Messick	43
46	Ripley	34
49	Munford	44
43	Humboldt	44
37	Brighton	32
42	Somerville	43

THIRD DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

44	Ripley	33
42	Somerville	34

DIVISIONAL TOURNAMENT

52	Alamo	51
23	Messick	49

Our Total Points — 926

Opponents Total Points — 734

Games Won — 15

Games Lost — 5



GIRLS' BASKETBALL

First Row: Joyce Roberts, Virginia Pace, Jeanne Dickey, Blanche Baltzer, Jeanette Walker, alternate captain.

Second Row: Gwendolyn Thornton, Jean Talley, Eleanor Walker, Bessie Hise, Sara Roper, captain; Ina Claire Klutts, Peggy Pleasants.

SCHEDULE OF GIRLS' GAMES

Byars-Hall	Opponent	
42	Maury City	9
33	Halls	38
47	Ripley	29
44	Munford	21
61	Brighton	62
44	Somerville	41
45	Humboldt	31
45	Halls	29
31	Ripley	21
57	Munford	32
41	Humboldt	22
46	Brighton	53
28	Somerville	30

THIRD DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

59	Brownsville	11
45	Munford	15
46	Somerville	30
41	Brighton	35

FIRST DIVISION TOURNAMENT

50	Maury City	25
64	Halls	34
38	Brighton	42

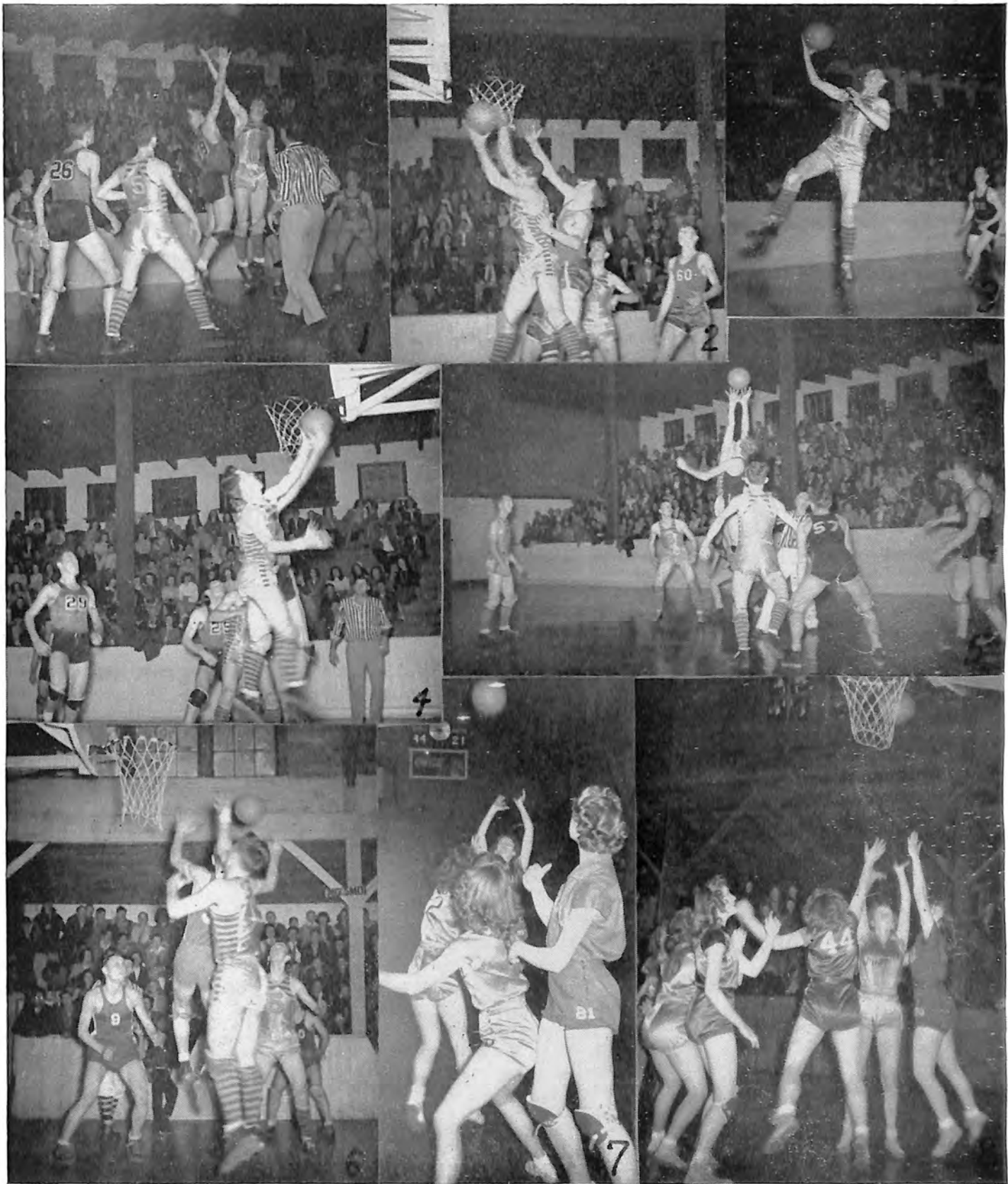
Our Total Points — 907
 Opponents Total Points — 600
 Games Won — 15
 Games Lost — 5



CHEERLEADERS

Martha Lee Estes (Senior)
Robert Earl Klutts (Freshman)
Sara Roper (Junior)
Billy Hogan (Sophomore)
Mary Belle Alston (Senior)





1. Tipton Jumps With Messick
2. Boyd Takes Ball From Backboard
3. Two More For Venoy
4. Turner Grabs Too

5. R. Anderson, Turner And V. Anderson Watch
6. Davie—A 32-minute Player
7. Hise Waits For Pass
8. B. H. H. S. Guards In Action



ADVERTISEMENTS

<p>For Neat Appearance See Bailey & Ralph Barber Shop</p>	<p>Spotless Cleaners We Appreciate Your Patronage Phone 543</p>	<p>EBER'S Store of Friendly Service</p>
<p>COMPLIMENTS JACK GUTTMAN North Side Square</p>	<p>R. A. Baxter & Son LUMBER — FRIGIDAIRE Phone 718</p>	<p>Stephenson Furniture Company</p>
<p>Get Your Work Done At Palace Barber Shop</p>	<p>COMPLIMENTS Western Auto Store Phone 475</p>	<p>COVINGTON STEAM LAUNDRY CLEANERS 627 — Phone — 627</p>
<p>COVINGTON DRUG STORE PAUL MARSHALL, Prop.</p>	<p>See The NEW Pictures At The NEW GEM Theatre</p>	<p>UNION DRUG CO. The REXALL Store Accurate, Effective Prescription Service Every ingredient we use in your pre- scriptions meets U. S. Government standards. PHONE 711 WE DELIVER</p>
<p>COMPLIMENTS Greer's Market and Grocery Phone 414</p>	<p>GRACEY, BEASLEY & SAGE CO., Inc. Home of Nationally Known Brands "Congrats To The Grads" G. B. & S. Co., Inc</p>	<p>Firestone HOME AND AUTO STORE Phone 677 "A Business Fair Dealing Built"</p>
<p>M. A. WALKER & CO. Hardware — Furniture</p>	<p>WIGGLY NELSON'S DRY GOODS SHOES — CLOTHING</p>	<p>J. G. BADDOUR DRY GOODS Covington, Tenn.</p>
<p>Compliments of H. SILVERSON JEWELER Covington, Tenn.</p>	<p>McCormick Drug Store Prescription Druggist East Side Square Covington, Tennessee Seafest Ice Cream</p>	<p>Compliments of S. G. BADDOUR Phone 726 We Deliver</p>

COMPLIMENTS OF
Jorkin Beauty Parlor

**Lowenhaupt
Hardware Company**
Good Hardware Since 1897

GET IT FROM
THE ROPER BOYS

DARDEN-SMITH
JEWELERS
Diamonds, Watches, Silverware
Phone 745

KUHN'S

Modern Beauty Parlor

Ideal Beauty Shop
Phone 703

**Heber Lindquist
Furniture Co.**
Records — Radios — Repairs
Covington, Tenn. Phone 662

**Excelsior
CLEANERS**

Ben Franklin Store
Claud Whitaker
Manager

CRESCENT BEAUTY SHOP

ONEY J. NAIFEH
"EVERYTHING GOOD TO EAT"



Shelton
Service
atisfies

COMPLIMENTS
MAYES-HOWARD
Lumber Co.

Phone 731

Compliments of

Compliments
Ruffin Amusement Co.
Operating
West Tennessee's Finest
Theatres
Ruffin and Ritz
Covington, Tenn.

Martin's
DEPARTMENT STORE
★ PHONE 641 ★

<p>COMPLIMENTS Coleman Motor Co.</p>	<p>Dawson Shoe Service</p>	<p>GILT EDGE GIN</p>
<p>Compliments of C. T. Poindexter Co. Home of Quality And Service Mason, Tennessee</p>	<p>TAYLOR DRUG CO. We Appreciate Your Business Phone 35 Mason, Tenn.</p>	<p>Compliments of Bank of Mason Mason, Tennessee</p>
<p>Yarbrough and Mosley Groceries — Fresh Meats Hardware Mason, Tenn. Phone 18</p>	<p>J. M. MARSHALL COTTON BUYER</p>	<p>Edward Rogers Grocery Mason, Tenn.</p>
<p>W. B. DAVIS Esso Gas And Oil Phone 42 Mason, Tenn.</p>		<p>THORNTON'S "Covington's Finest Restaurant" Phone 498</p>

BOOSTERS

Mrs. J. J. Mann
 Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fletcher
 Mrs. Fred Murphy
 Wanda Fletcher
 Winford Dawson
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Talley
 R. M. Burlison
 J. L. Alston
 Margaret Ruth Harris
 Nancy Ann Harris
 P. Sacks
 B. G. Buford
 Bertha Jackson
 R. C. Baskin Jr.
 Maclin Riley
 B. J. Transou
 Allen Sanders
 Mrs. M. E. Jackson
 Cecil Marshall
 Allen Williams
 Edna Naifeh



