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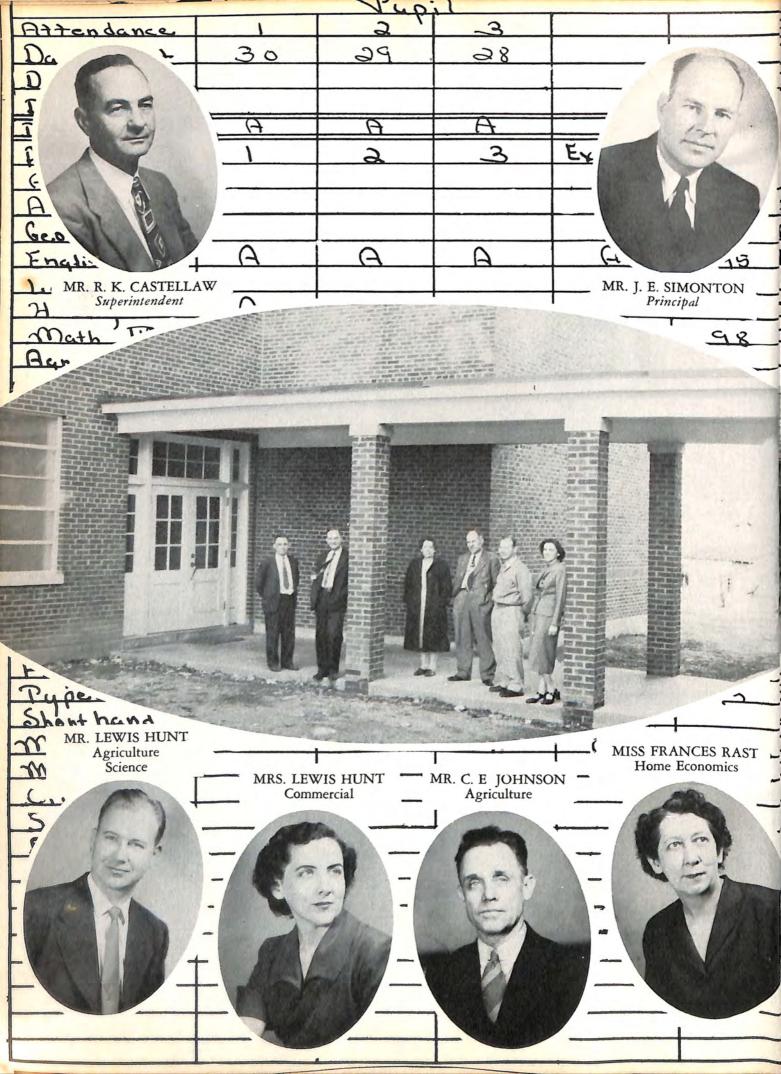
THE OLD SOUTH

BYARS-HALL HIGH

COVINGTON, TENNESSEE











BEGGE BES





KENNETH AKINS

Kenneth Akins has nicknames galore, Tiger, Digger, maybe more. To study engineering is his plan. He wants to fill the electrical demands.

Clubs: Latin Club 2, Math Club 3.



JULIUS BEASLEY

Jalker does marvelous things with a hammer. While in shop he raises quite a clamor, but we're sure some day he'll be a success, because he always does his best.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3-4, Football 1.



SYLVIA AMES

Sweet seventeen and pretty as well, if you don't believe me just ask Frizzell. Royalty has followed her throughout the years, but to be queen of the kitchen is to her more dear.

Clubs: FHA, Library 2-3-4, Commercial, Glee 1-2-3, Band, Librarian 2, Sec.-Treas. 4; Candidate for Band Queen 3, Class Rep. Strawberry Festival 2, Class Rep. for Homecoming 4, Football Queen 4, FFA Queen 1, Purple and Gold Staff 4.



MARY BARRON

If toward your friends you would bear no malice, then follow the pattern of Mary Alice. Sweet and gentle, ambition for college, as a schoolteacher she should distribute much knowledge.

Clubs: FHA 1, Commercial 4, Geogra, phy 4, Sec. 4; Basketball 2-3-4



PATRICIA BIRMINGHAM

Right now Pat's pet field is Home Ec. And photographs she likes to collect. From college she is hoping to float, into a career that includes a fur coat.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, Teen Timers, Band, Vice Pres. 2.



BEAUTON BOWDEN

Beauton would make a grand secretary, she could also be a wonderful wife. This shows her talents vary, which adds up to a happy life.

Clubs: FHA 1, Library 3-4, Glee 2-3, Commercial.



ANNE BOYD

To go with her husband to the Pacific would be an adventure most terrific. Her life as a wife will be much fun. She's certainly hooked the perfect one. Clubs: FHA 1-2-3, Glee 2-3, DE 4, Latin 2, Band 2-3, majorette 3, Miss Tipton County 2, Rep. to Strawberry Festival 1-3.



INEZ BILLINGS

We'll remember "Nez" by her blonde curls, which are the envy of all the girls. She looks well in a formal, or digging the ground. That's the reason she was chosen the Best All Around.

Clubs: FHA 1-4, Candidate Homecoming Queen 2, Basketball 2-3-4, May Day Court 3, Teen Timers 2, Senior Play 4, Annual Staff 4.



JOANNE BLACK

Joanne is very small in size, but in making friends she takes first prize. She'd like, someday, to teach phys-ed. We're sure, if she does, she'll come out ahead. Clubs: FHA 1-2-3, Commercial 4, DE 4, Teen Timers 1-2, Basketball 2-3.



WAYNE BRINGLE

Playing with electronics is strictly enjoyed. We know that someday Wayne will be employed. (When we hear a motorcycle jingle, we know it is Wayne Bringle.)

Clubs: Band 2-3.



JIMMY BURGESS

An excellent speaker, excels at football, too. A knowledge seeker, and a friend to you.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3-4, Math 4, C Club 4, Glee Club 3, Teen Timers 3, Basketball 1, Football 2-3-4, Best Blocker 4, Senior play 4.



ANN BURLISON

Ann's a member of the Beta Club, which proves she's really smart. She's never been known to flub-the-dub, she'll always do her part.

Clubs: FHA 1, Latin 3, Beta 3-4, Vice President, Purple and Gold Staff 3-4, Commercial 4.



NANCY CALHOUN

Nancy's a loyal companion, and an excellent friend, an earnest worker who is true to the end. For things artistic she has a definite yen.

Clubs: Latin 2-3-4, FHA 1-2-3-4, Treasurer 1, Commercial 4, Beta 3, Teen Timers, Math 3, Glee Club 1, President of Sophomore Class, Annual Staff 3-4, Purple and Gold 3-4.



BILL BURNETT

To fly a plane is Mickey's ambition after he finishes college. He's got the body, the remaining condition . . . Can he acquire sufficient knowledge? Clubs: FFA 1-2-3-4, Dairy Team Judge 2-3-4, Band 2-3-4, Glee Club 2-3, Teen Timers 3.



JIMMY BURLISON

Jimmy is always full of fun, whether telling jokes or carrying a gun. And you can bet your last buck or two, he'll always be a friend to you.

Clubs: FFA 1, DE 4, Band, Baseball.



MELISSA CARSON

To fly way up into the blue, and travel all around. This as a stewardess Melissa can do, but her talents may be best on the ground.

Clubs: Latin 1-2, FHA 1-2-3-4, Commercial 4, Math 3, Beta 3-4, reporter 4, Purple and Gold Staff 3-4, Assistant Editor 4.



CALVIN CREASY

Guess what Cal would like to be? Yes,

You're right, a fine M. D. And being

Gal he'll be one too, and when you're

ick he'll come to you.

Clubs: Glee 1, Latin 2, Math 3, Beta 3, Curple and Gold Staff 2-3-4.



CORRINNE CURRIE

Whenever you see Corrinne Currie you can bet she'll be talking and in a hurry. Expert at being a beauty queen, A prettier girl you've never seen.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, reporter 2, State President of FHA 3, Latin 2, Library Club 3, Sub District President of FHA 2, Teen Timers 1-2-3-4, Annual Staff 3-4.



JIMMY J. CHAPMAN

Big and brawny, but gentle as a lamb, he's dynamite at football, not so hot on exam. No one so popular and quick with the girls, he's always living in two different worlds.

Clubs: FFA 2, C Club 1-2-3, Teen Timers 1-2-3-4, Sophomore Class Reporter, May Day Escort, Football 1-2-3-4, Co-Captain 4.



REECE CORDER

Musical minded in voice and in horn, he'll preach from the pulpit every Sunday morn. A very talented young man is he, friendly and courteous and smart as he can be.

Clubs: Beta 3, FFA 1, Glee 2-3, Band 2-3-4, President 4, Math 3, Senior play.



ABNER DAVIS

Strong and handsome are his chief traits. This can be proved by all of his "dates." He's equally at home on a football field. When he enters the line the opposers must yield.

Clubs: C Club 3-4, Latin 2, Band 3-4, Annual Staff 4, Vice President of Junior Class, Football 2-3-4.



PHIL DUANE

Cap La-Dainty is quite fantastic. Some things he's done are mighty drastic. In spite of what you may believe, the time has come, he's going to leave.

Clubs: Latin 2-3, Glee 3, Math 3, Teen Timers 1-3-4.



FRANK FORTNER

Athletic, witty, and full of fun, Frank's made a friend of everyone. For a pretty girl he'd walk a mile, but it's seldom necessary with his smile.

Clubs: C Club 2-3-4, Math 3, Latin 2, DE 4, Vice President 4, Winner of Public Speaking Contest at West Tenn., DE Convention, Annual Staff, Vice President of Senior Class, Football 1-2-3-4, Captain Junior Varsity, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Senior Play.



DOROTHY DEVERELL

Dorothy's interest centers around a man. To be a housewife is her plan. Of dolls she has quite a large collection, and brown and white is her color selection. Clubs: DE 4, Glee Club 2, Commercial 4, FHA 1-2-3.



DONALD ERWIN

Donald is quite reserved and shy, although I really don't see why. His hobby is pitching a game of ball. After he is gone, he'll be missed by all.

Club: FFA 1-2-3-4.



LYNN EUBANKS

Daigo was wed on Christmas day. She couldn't bear to wait till May. On her honeymoon, of all the places, she wanted to go to the "wide-open spaces."

Clubs: DE, Secretary, Teen Timers 1-2, Cheerleader 4, Basketball 1-2-3.



YOLANDE FAULK

As a secretary Yolande will rank with the best. She will fill her job with ardor and zest. But if she decides a wife to be, whoever she chooses, how lucky is he.

Clubs: Commercial 4, FHA 1-4, Class historian 4.



GEORGE GRACEY

Bubba is his nickname and athletics is his forte, Shorty is his dog and good is his report.

Clubs: C Club 2-3-4, President C Club, President Latin Club, Beta 3, Math 3, Football 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3, President of Freshman class, Vice President of Sophomore class, Purple and Gold Staff 2-3-4, Annual Staff.



JAMES FAULK

James would like to travel and sell. We all know he'll do it well. But if he tries to do it in a stripped down Ford, we doubt if he'll be able to pay his board.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3, DE 4.



DAVID FERGUSON

At mechanical drawing he's unusually good, as careful as a workman can be. He'd like to have a ranch near the deep, deep woods, in the hills of Tennessee.

Clubs: Latin 2, Math 3, Football 1, Baseball 1, American Legion Ball 1, Purple and Gold 3-4, Annual Staff 3-4.



GILES FORBESS

We call him Buddy, but the teachers call him "Giles," He's everybody's buddy, greets us all with "Hi's" and smiles. Clubs: Band 2, Commercial 4, Teen Timers, Football 1, Manager 2-4, Latin Queen 1, Friendliest Boy 4.



SANFORD GILBREATH

At speaking Sanford is very good. In his lessons he is the same. Put pep in a party he always could, that goes with the Gilbreath name.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3-4, Public Speaking Winner 2 years, Basketball 1, 2.



BOB HAMMONS

A good sport in school and any game, to be a coach is Bobby's aim. If his players prove as good as he, he's sure to win a big trophy.

Clubs: DE 3, Treasurer 3, Math Club 3, C CLUB 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Baseball 1-2-3-4, Football 1-2-3-4, American Legion Baseball 1-2, Class Secretary-Treasurer 1, Class Secretary 2.



CHARLES FULLER

"Freak Jr." is right on the ball, in the basement or the study hall. His stories aren't quite humane, but his ambition is to fly a plane.

Clubs: Glee 1-2-3, Teen Timers 1-2-3, Purple and Gold Staff 2, Assistant Sports Editor 2.



MARYE JEANNE GLENN

It seems Mary Jeane was born to twirl. She swept in from Ark. and stayed in a whirl. She set her wedding for late November, which is a date she'll always remember.

Transferred from Camden, Ark. Clubs: Latin 2, Glee 3, FHA 3, Band 1-2-3-4, Majorette 2-3-4.



JERYL GRAY

At ping-pong he is quite a star. He reads more books than others by far. What will he do in years to come? May be a millionaire—may be a bum.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3-4, Teen Timers 3, Baseball 3.



MAURICE GWINN

Maurice would like to till the earth. He'll get from it all it's worth. A busy life he'll live always, gay and cheerful all his days.

FFA 1-2-3-4.



EMILY HARVEY

Em's our gal with personality and looks. The boys get ideas when they taste what she cooks. What her future holds even she cannot guess, but she'll have no failure—only success.

Clubs: Library 2-3-4, Glee 3, Commercial 4, Latin 2, FHA 1, Teen Timers 1-2-3-4, May Court Representative 2, Purple and Gold 2-3, Class Treasurer 4, Assistant Editor of Annual 4.



JIMMY GRIGGS

Another "cut-up" have we here, very mischievous, but nothing to fear. We know we can always count on Jim, that is if he doesn't lose his vim.

Clubs: FHA 1-2, DE 4, Junior Varsity 1.



JO HALL

Vivacious ways but inclined to blush, she likes to talk but knows when to bush. Has scatterbrain ways—but not too much.

Clubs: Math 3, FHA 1-2-3-4, President 1, Latin 2, Teen Timers 1-2-3-4, Candidate for Homecoming Queen, May Court, Cheerleader 3-4, Annual Staff 4, Purple and Gold.



ANN HARVEY

To be a teacher of phys. ed. is Ann's ambition, or so she said. To be married to a handsome man would be a better plan for Ann.

Clubs: Band 2-3, FHA 1-2, Glee 1-2-3, DE 4, Teen Timers 1-2-3.



JOE HILL

If some day you steal a quarter, in getting help you-must not loiter. The best lawyer in town will be J. O. He'll straighten you out if you give him some dough.

Clubs: Latin 2, Glee 3, Commercial 3, Math 3, Band 2-3, Teen Timers 1-2-3.



LESLIE A. HARVEY

Leslie Ann is quite efficient. To edit our paper is proof sufficient. To be a decorator is her desire. In this, much fame she will acquire.

Clubs: FHA 1-2, Convention Delegate, Latin 2-3-4, Reporter 2, Beta 3, Glee 1-2, Band 2, Math 3, Senior Play, Purple and Gold 3-4, Editor 4, Best Citizen, Basketball 1.



JIMMY HOPKINS

After Jimmy finishes here, he plans to be an engineer. To Paris he would like to go, for fun or money we'd like to know.

Clubs: Latin 2, Glee 2, Teen Timers 1-2-3, Math 3, Football 1, Band 3-4



LOUIS JETER

"Yetz" may not move as quick as whip. In geometry he's not an Einstein But if there is a place he'd like to slip he will never get left behind.

Clubs: Latin 2, Glee 3, Math 3, Foot ball 1-2, Basketball 2, Teen Timers 1-2 4, Independent Baseball 1.



MARGARET JOBE

Quiet, reserved, and demure, of Maggie's loyalty her friends are sure. Enchiladas are her favorite dish. To go to Hawaii is her secret wish.

Clubs: FHA 1, Delegate to Nashville, Latin 2, Representative to May Court 3, President of Commercial Club 4, Secretary of Senior Class, Class President FHA.



GEORGE LACKEY

Witty and laughing, always around; when you need a friend, Lackey can be found. His day as sheriff was his best day. He'll remember this when he's away.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3, DE 4, Treasurer, Band 2-3, DE Delegate to Nashville.



WANDA HOPKINS

Wanda, we know, will be a success. As a writer she is already best. She left a record almost perfect at school, and here the teachers you cannot fool.

Clubs: DE 4, Reporter, FHA 1-2-3, Beta 3-4, Commercial Club 4; Purple and Gold Staff 3-4, Annual Staff 4, Teen Timers 1-2, Basketball 3.



SHIRLEY KUYKENDALL

Shirley's interests is in things domestic. That makes a good future, none can protest it. She's industrious, fun-loving, full of life, altogether she's due to be a good wife.

Clubs: Commercial 4, FHA 1-2-3, DE 4.



PEGGY LEACH

Cute in stature, and very smart, a friend of all and kind at heart. A teacher she wants to be some day, and so she will somehow, some way.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, Library 4, Teen Timers 3-4, Band 4, May Day Representative 4.



EDITH LOCKE

Eky's idea of a wonderful life, is to be a good mother and a perfect wife. Here's her advice to ambitious girls, husbands don't like you pinned up for curls.

Clubs: Glee 3, Teen Timers 1-2, DE 4 FHA 1-2-3, Basketball Manager 4.



MARTHA MASSEY

Slim in feature, keen in wit, behind a desk she'll someday sit. With her ambitions and looks combined, a job won't be so hard to find.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, Glee 1-2-3, Commercial 4, Teen Timers 1-3-4.



CAMILLE KELLEY

Sweet in ways and smart in books, lovely face and friendly looks, Camille's as friendly as she seems, she looks at you with eyes that gleam.

Transferred from Messick High School. Clubs: FHA 1-2, Historian, Paper Staff, Y-Teens 2, Junior Red Cross Representative 2, Campus Sweetheart Maid 2, Thespians 3, Speech Council Vice President, Played in "Our Town" 2, Played in "Twixteen" 2, Senior Play. 4, Commercial Club reporter 4.



VIRGINIA MAHARREY

Virginia Maharrey is fond of Home Ec. She'll make a wonderful wife. The man she marries, she'll never henpeck. They'll both travel a happy life.

Club: FHA 1-2-3-4.



KENNETH McCLAIN

A happy smile and friendly hellos Kenneth speaks wherever he goes. He'very persistent and he proved it so, for years of football and never a foe.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3-4, C Club 4, Footbal 1-2-3-4, Baseball 1-2-3-4.



ELDON McDANIEL

"Rastus" works- at the Five and Dime, he has no future plans in mind. He was so good in the DE skit, he may replace Dagmar as a T.V. hit.

Clubs: Latin 2-3, Beta 3, DE 4.



JIMMY McDonald

Jim wants an automobile. A Pontiac convertible is his ideal. Three places he would like to go, Canada, China, and Mexico.

Clubs: Glee Club 2-3, Baseball 2.



JEANETTE MILLER

Lucky is Dudley who will be her mate. Her generous heart will make his cares abate. If she goes through her work with her usual ease, her future life will be a breeze.

Clubs: FHA 1, Glee Club 1-3, Library 2-3-4, President 3-4, Class Reporter 4, Annual Staff 4.



FRANK McIntosh

To read the history of the war of our State, is Frank's hobby and delight. He also likes to start a debate, although he's never involved in a fight.

Clubs: FFA 1-3, DE 4, Glee 1-2-3.



BOBBY McDIVITT

Whether dressed in trousers or sometimes a skirt, our Bobby is destined to be classed as a flirt. Hunting, fishing and dating, each is his hobby. Would rabbits, fish, or girls be most becoming to Bobby?

Clubs DE 4, Glee 1-2-3, FFA 1-2.



BETTY MCKEE

What do you think Betty McKee has always wished that she could be? A secretary sounds like lots of fun, but the best part about it, it brings in the mon.

Clubs: FHA 1, Commercial 4.



TOMMY MOOSE

Tommy Moose has brains galore, and as time goes on, she'll acquire much more. To be a secretary is her ambition, and we know someday she'll secure this position.

Clubs: FHA 1-2, Band 2-3-4, Beta 3-4, Commercial 4, Purple and Gold Staff 4.



JOE NAIFEH

Naifeb's been a manager of many a team. Up to his eyes in equipment he's seen. For making friends, he has a good start. Could this be because of his generous heart?

Clubs: Latin 2, Glee 3, C Club 3-4, Math 3, Football Manager 1-2-3-4, Basketball Manager 1-2-4, Boys' County 1, Annual Staff 4, Teen Timers 1-3-4.



DAN McLENNAN

Dan is a successful sportsman. He bags them in stream or fields. What's more, he's a clever farmer. Nature to him its produce yields.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3-4, Band 2-3, Glee Club 1, Teen Timers 1-2.



JUANELL MURPHY

Juanell's desire is to be a clerk. To a complish this will take hours of worl Hours of work will she gladly give, secretary to a T.V. star she can live.

Clubs FHA 1-2, Commercial 4.



PEGGY PARIMORE

5he doesn't want to set the world on fire. To be a nurse is Peggy's desire. Perhaps she'll settle for a spouse, some blue jeans, and a little white house. Clubs: FHA 1-2-3, Teen Timers 1-2-3, Band 2-3-4.



MATTIE LOU PITTS

Lu-Lu wants to be a nurse. Healing
portions she can disburse. Perhaps she'll
marry a patient she's cured. Fortunate
fellow—his fortune's insured.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3, Library 3-4, DE 4.



CARL PANNELL

He's excellent in lots of sports, almost any you can name. We feel that in the years to come, he'll be placed in the Hall of Fame.

Clubs: DE 3, Vice President C Club 1-2-3-4, Math Club 3, President Senior Class, President Junior Class, Treasurer Sophomore Class, Vice President Freshman Class, Football 1-2-3-4, Football Captain 4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Baseball 1-2-3-4, American Legion Baseball 1-2-3, Who's Who 3, May Day Court 3, All West Tennessee and All Big Ten Football 4, All Regional Basketball 4.



SHIRLEY PARR

Shirley's friends are sure of this, her bubbling fun they all will miss. This one thing they will surely know, wherever she is, she'll be on the go.

Clubs: FHA 1, Commercial 4.



ANNETTE POOLE

Energetic, capable, small as a flea, this all of her life she's bound to be. Don't confuse her efficiency with her size, wherever you put her she'll equalize.

Clubs: Library 4, Reporter, Commercial 4, FHA 1-2, Purple and Gold Staff 4.



GENEVA POOLE
"Poolie" may travel for a while, and if
she'll only keep her smile, she'll make
a friend for every mile.
Clubs: FHA 1-2, Glee Club 3, Commercial 4.



SHIRLEY ROSE

Rosie is her nickname, in blue she looks divine. Chicken is her favorite food, and pretty is her incline.

Clubs: FHA 1, Library 3-4, DE 3, Basketball 2-3-4.



RUTH SIMPSON

Another secretary we have here, efficient, cheerful, an absolute dear, married like many, and happy as can be. Modern Juno—or a reasonable facsimile.

Clubs FHA 1-2-3, Glee 1-2-3, Latin 2-3, 2nd place in West. Tenn. Latin tournament, Commercial 4, Beta 3-4, President 4, Convention 4, Purple and Gold Staff 4, Sophomore Representative in May Court 2.



MARY LOUISE RALPH
A singer she would like to be, and very
well equipped is she. Plenty of experience she has on hand. Maybe she'll
sing with the best in the land.
Clubs: Glee 2 3, Band 2-3, FHA 1,
Commercial 4, Teen Timers 3.



BETTY SACKS

You have always heard that still waters run deep. From a frie hip with Betty, a rich harvest you'll reap.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, Glee Club 1-2-3. Commercial 4, Treasurer.



JAMES SAGE

Imagine Scrubby as a US Marine. He'll be the best dressed soldier you've ever seen. He's sure to come back and farm all his life, and get Boots Eubanks to be his wife.

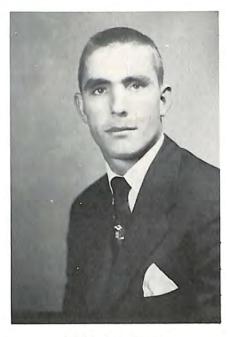
Clubs: FFA 1-2-3, Treasurer 3, DE, President. Vice President of West Tenn., Representative to State Convention at Nashville.



MARY AVELON SASSER

Mary likes her chicken fried, and some day she wants to be a bride. Be neat as a pin, we know she can, and her house is sure to be spic and span.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, State Degree 4, Library 4, Secretary 4, Commercial 4, Teen Timers 1-2-3-4, Purple and Gold Staff 4.



JAMES STAFFORD

All types of sports James likes to play. He wants to be a coach some day. The Navy will send him around the world, then he'll settle down cause he's got a girl.

Clubs: FFA 1-2, C Club 1-2-3-4, Secretary-Treasurer 4, DE, Sergeant-at-Arms, Annual Staff 4, Freshman and Junior Class Reporter, Football 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-4, Baseball 1-2-3-4.



SARA ANN SAGE

A singer Sara Ann is bound to be, Metropolitan, concert, or T.V. From Brighton to Byars-Hall she commuted by car. Such poise plus her good looks will carry her far.

Transfer from Brighton 3, Cheerleader 2, Freshman Queen 1, FHA 1-2-3, Song Leader 2-3, Teen Timers 3-4, Commercial 4, FFA Sweetheart 4.



WAYNE SELPH

Wayne's smart as he can be, says Canada he would like to see. Baseball is his joy and pride. He also likes his chicken fried.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3-4, Reporter 3, President 4, Beta Club 3-4, Vice President 4, Math Club 3.



LAVERNE SHANKLE

Seldom ever will you see as well equipped a girl as she. Personality plus—add on good looks, it sounds too good, but, boys, she cooks.

Clubs: Glee 1-2-3, FHA 1-2-4, Song Leader 4.



BETTYE SUE SMITH

This girl has eyes so big and brown, that seldom do you see her frown. To smile isn't hard for her to do, for friendly is Miss Bettye Sue.

Clubs: FHA 1-2, Commercial 3.



KEITH TANNER

The fates to Tissie have been kind. They endowed her with beauty and a brilliant mind. She was a drum major and she worked on the play. Last, but not least, she was Queen of the May.

Clubs: Math 3, Teen Timers 1-2-3, Freshman Representative for Homecoming Queen, Basketball 1-2-3, Basketball letter 2, 3, Drum Majorette, Band 3-4, Who's Who 3, Football Queen 3, Beta Club 3, FHA 1-2, Annual Staff 1, Purple and Gold Staff 2-3-4, Senior Play.



ROSE MARIE SLOVER

Rose Marie has no great ambition. She doesn't care for a high position. Married is what she wants to be, and maybraise a family.

Clubs: FHA 1, Historian, Teen Timer 1-2, Latin Club 2, Distinction in Wes Tenn. Latin Tournament, Annual Staf 4, Commercial 4, Beta 3-4, Treasure 4, Math Club 3.



DOROTHY SMITH

Efficient, sweet and sincere, good sports from all we hear. Has many be within her reach, this girl Dot is qui a peach.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3, Commercial 4, I 4, Teen Timers 1-2, Basketball 1-2-3



JO ANN SMITH

Wherever there is a job to be done, pleasant and efficient Jo Ann's the one. She'll work like a trojan 'til the job's complete, and when she is through, her work can't be beat.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, Commercial 4, Annual Staff 4.



CHARLENE STALLINGS

Noted for her beauty and industry, four years at Byars-Hall, busy as a bee. She's worked at Roper's, helped out at home; and now she has started one of her own.

Clubs: FHA, Commercial 4, Glee Club 3, DE 4, Band 2-3, Teen Timers 1-2.



BILLY WALK

Clever, witty, and on the ball, quite a fellow around Byars-Hall. Bill's good at sports, has lots of buddies. He gets by, but never studies.

Clubs: Math 3, Latin 2, C Club 2-3-4, Vice President 4, Junior Class Treasurer, Football 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Baseball 1-2-3-4, American Legion Baseball 1-2-3-4, Teen Timers 1-3.



MALCOLM SMITH

Zip and pep and a tongue that is witty sums up the personality of playboy Smitty.

Clubs: Latin 2, Teen Timers 3-4, Cheerleader 2-3, Baseball 2-3.



CHARLES STRICKLAND

Extremely quiet and reserved, he hardly ever says a word. To go to Hawaii and swim in the bay, is what he'd like to do some day.

Club: FFA 1-2-3-4.



ROBERT TURNER

Pee Wee is a farmer boy. He gets from life much zest and joy. On the Florida coast he would like to swim, and guess whom he will take with him.

Clubs: FFA 1-2-3, Judging team, DE 4, Band 2-3, Basketball 1-2-3, Football 1.



SHIRLEY WARREN

To go to Hawaii hopes Shirley Warren, to be a youth leader in this country foreign. Serious minded, she finds time for fun, but never until her school work is done.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, Parliamentarian 2, Purple and Gold Staff 4.



KATHRYN WOOTEN

Wooten is editor of our Wildcat 53, did a wonderful job as we all can see. Prissy, petite, but cute as they come, at commercial art work she'll make the buyers hum.

Clubs: Latin 2-3-4, Treasurer 3, President 4, FHA 1-2-3-4, Beta 3, Purple and Gold Staff 3, Teen Timers 1-2-3-4, Delegate to Girls' State 3, Annual 3-4, Editor of Annual 4, Senior Play 4.



ROSE ANN VEAZEY

She speaks just like Tallulah, and she blows a wicked horn. She types a rapid budget—In fact, a genius born!

Clubs: FHA 1, Glee 3, Commercial 4, Band 2-3-4.



RICHARD WHITEHORN

Whether his friends call him Skip Whitey, or Dick, his bank roll will be amazingly thick. He has the talent for all kinds of sports, but for his immediate future, it's planes, guns, and forts.

Clubs: FHA 1-2, C Club 3-4, Baseball 4, Basketball 1-2-3, Football 1.



MARY ELLEN WRIGHT

A sweeter girl you've never seen. The band was wise to choose her queen. And if some day she is a nurse, when we get sick we'll call her first.

Clubs: Commercial 4, FHA 1-4, May Court Representative 2, Band 3-4, Queen 4.



NINA YARBRO

Little and lively, smart as a whip, especially in typing she's full of zip. Nina as a secretary will be efficient, her Byars-Hall record is proof sufficient.

Clubs: Glee 1-2-3, FHA 1-2-3-4, Parliamentarian 3, Representative FHA Sub District 2-3-4, Beta Club 3, Commercial 4, Senior Play, Teen Timers 1-2-3.



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Clubs: Latin 2, Teen Timers 3, Senior Play Prop • Manager 4.



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Shoes and travel are her desire, both of these she will acquire. To accomplish this and keep it fair, she'll have to marry a millionaire.

Clubs: FHA 1-2-3-4, Song Leader 2, Secretary 3, DE 4, Glee 1-2-3, Commercial 4, Teen Timers 3.



JIMMY YATES

A good photographer is Jimmy Yates, He's always present with his camera plates. Jim has a wonderful speaking voice, but the profession of baseball has first choice.

Clubs: Latin, DE 4, Annual Staff 3-4, Purple and Gold 4, Baseball 2-3-4, American Legion Baseball 2-3.





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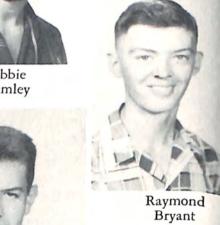
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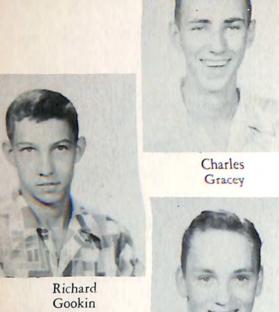
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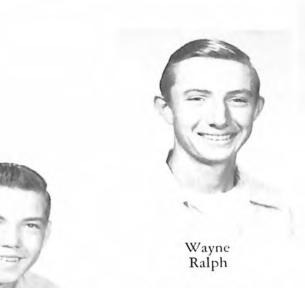




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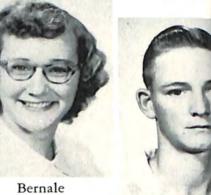
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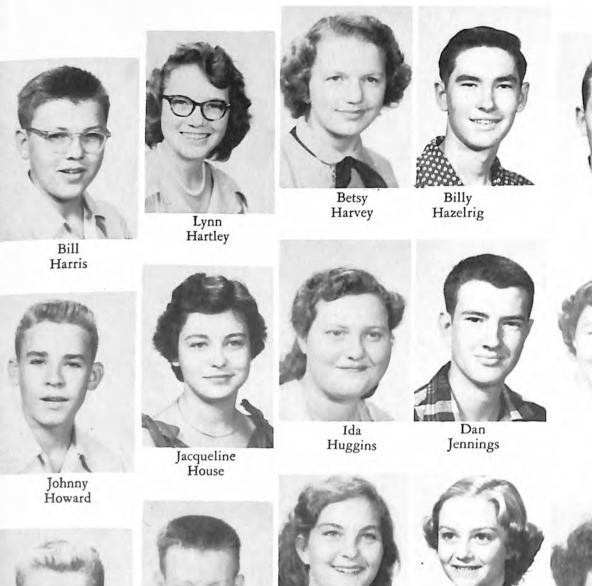


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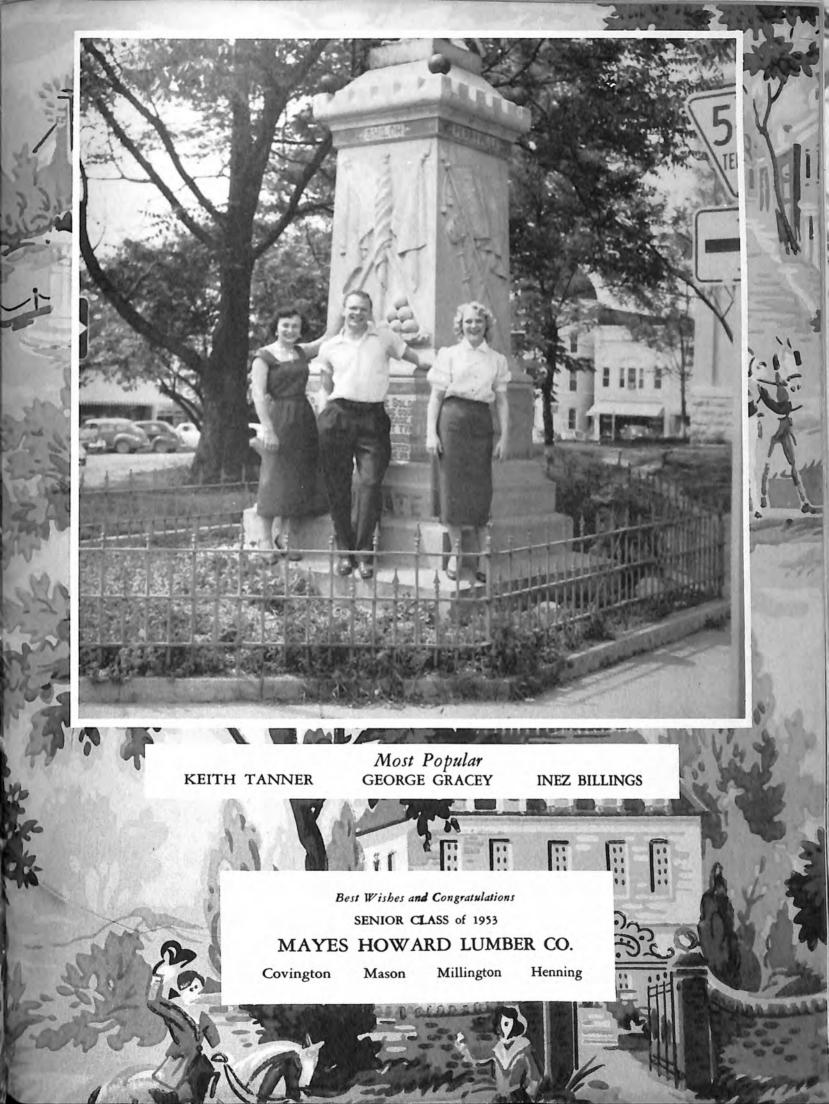
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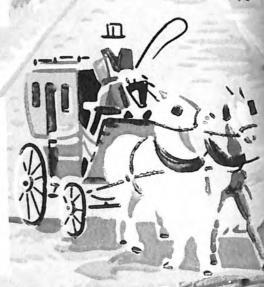


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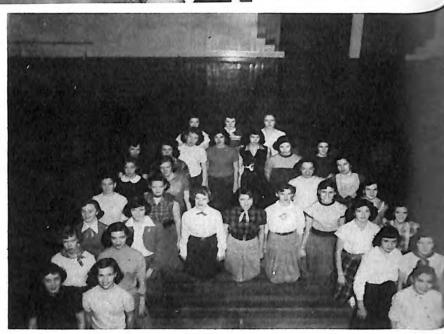
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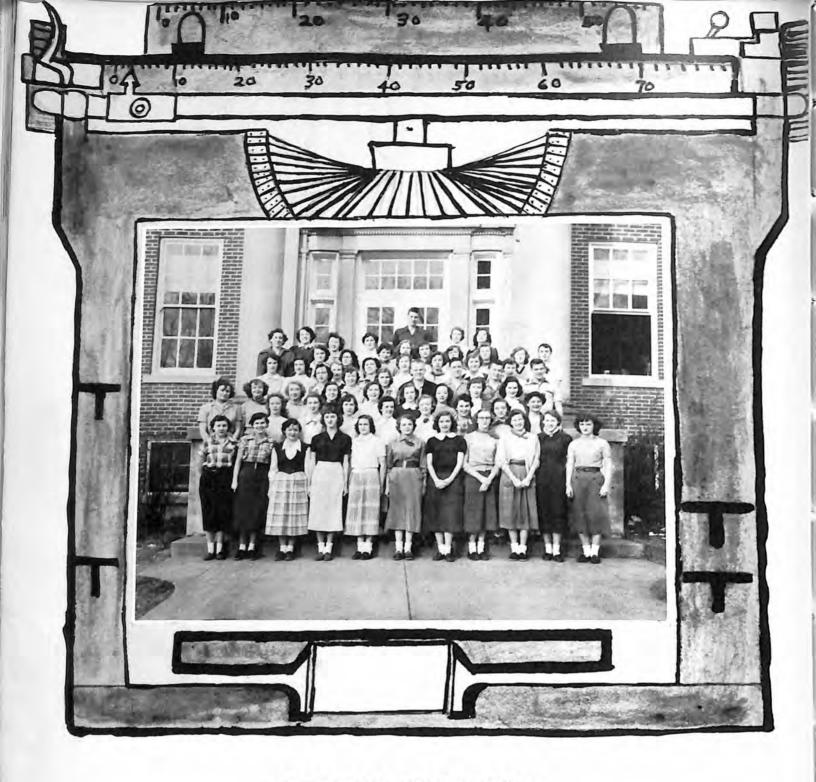
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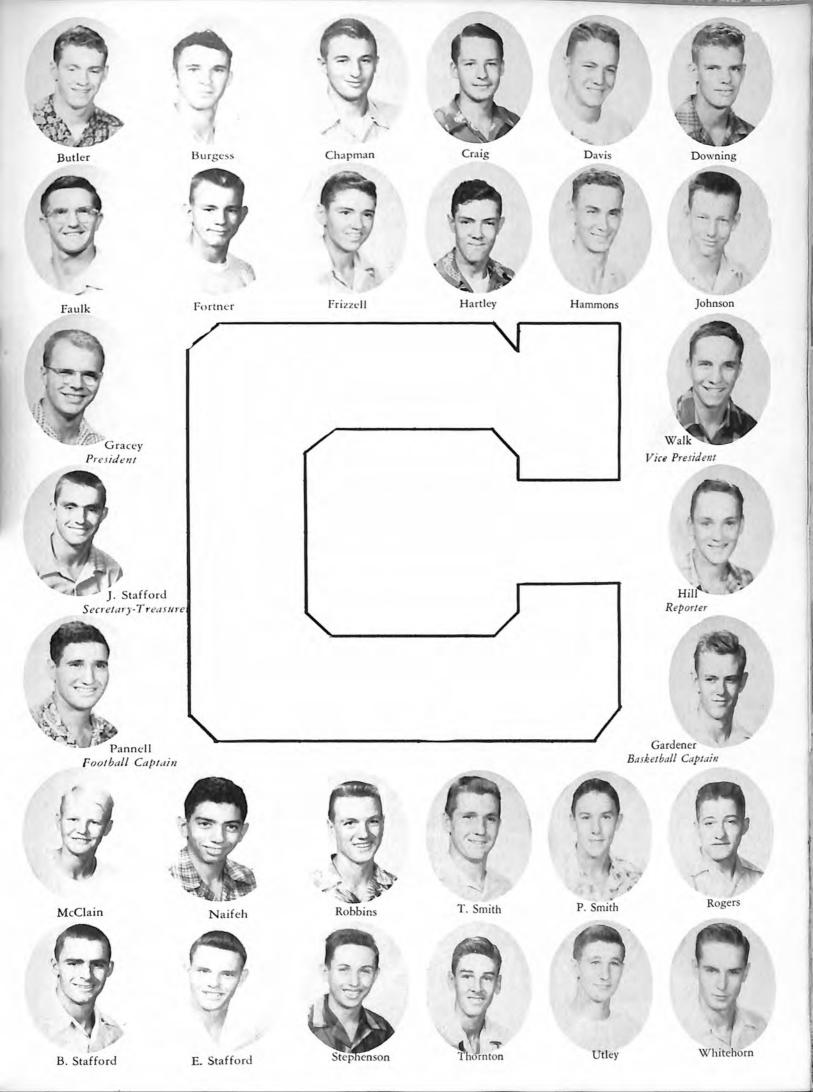
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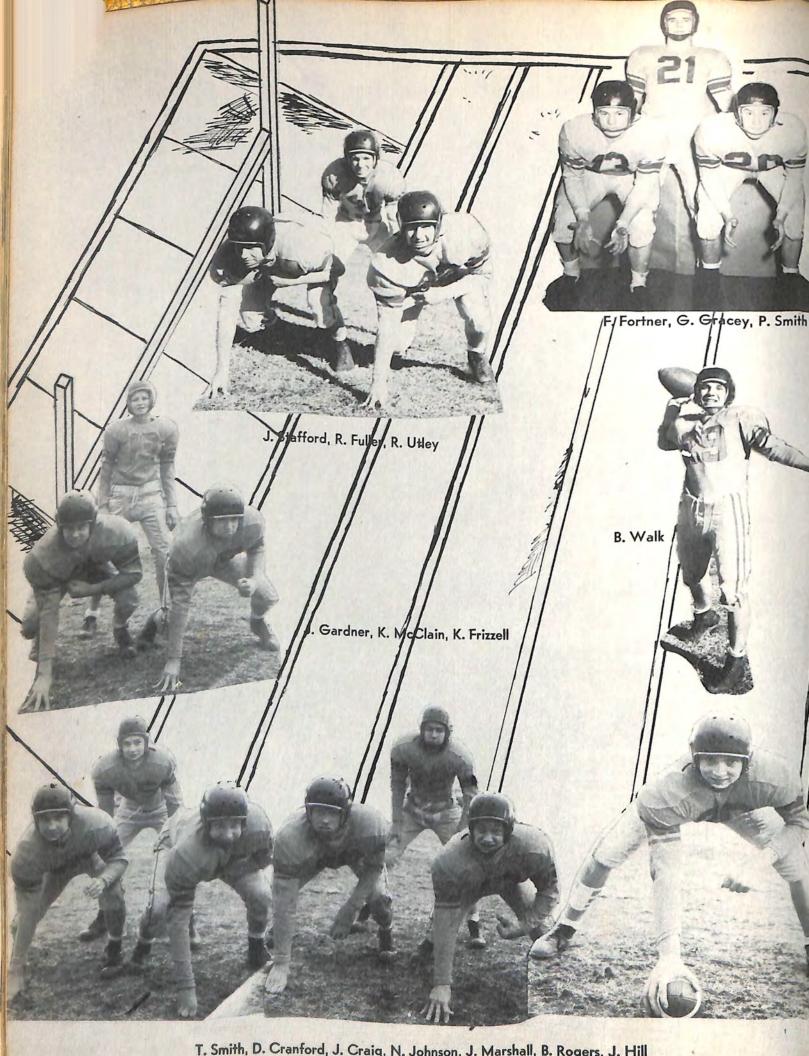
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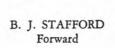
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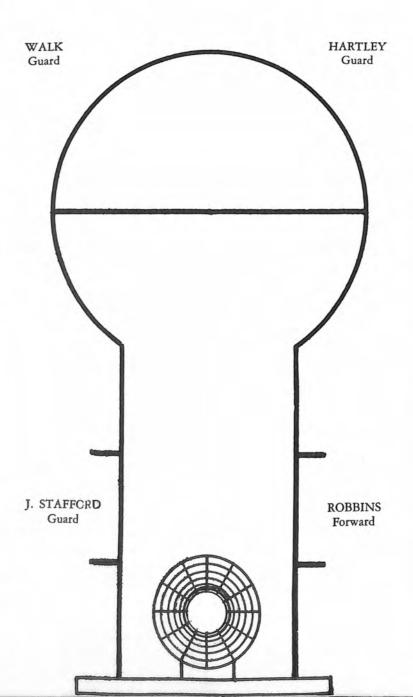


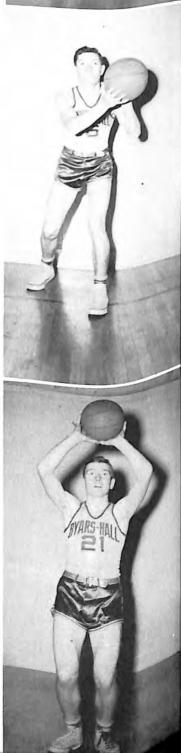


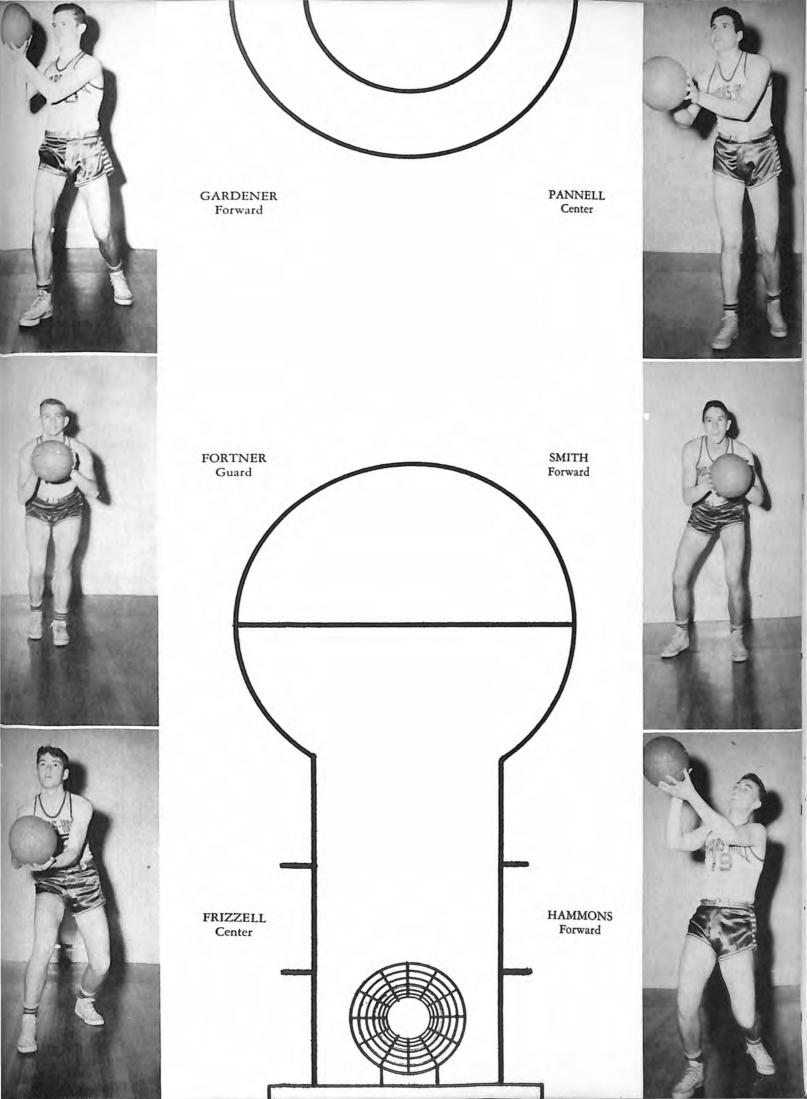


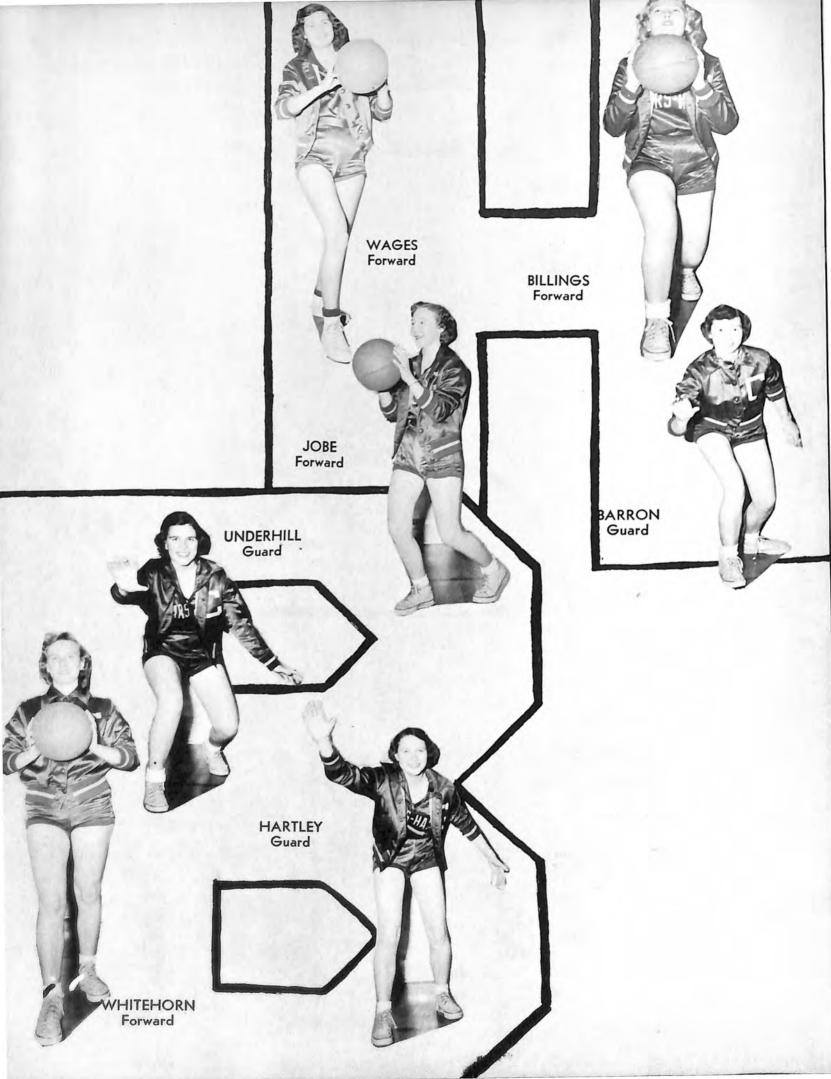


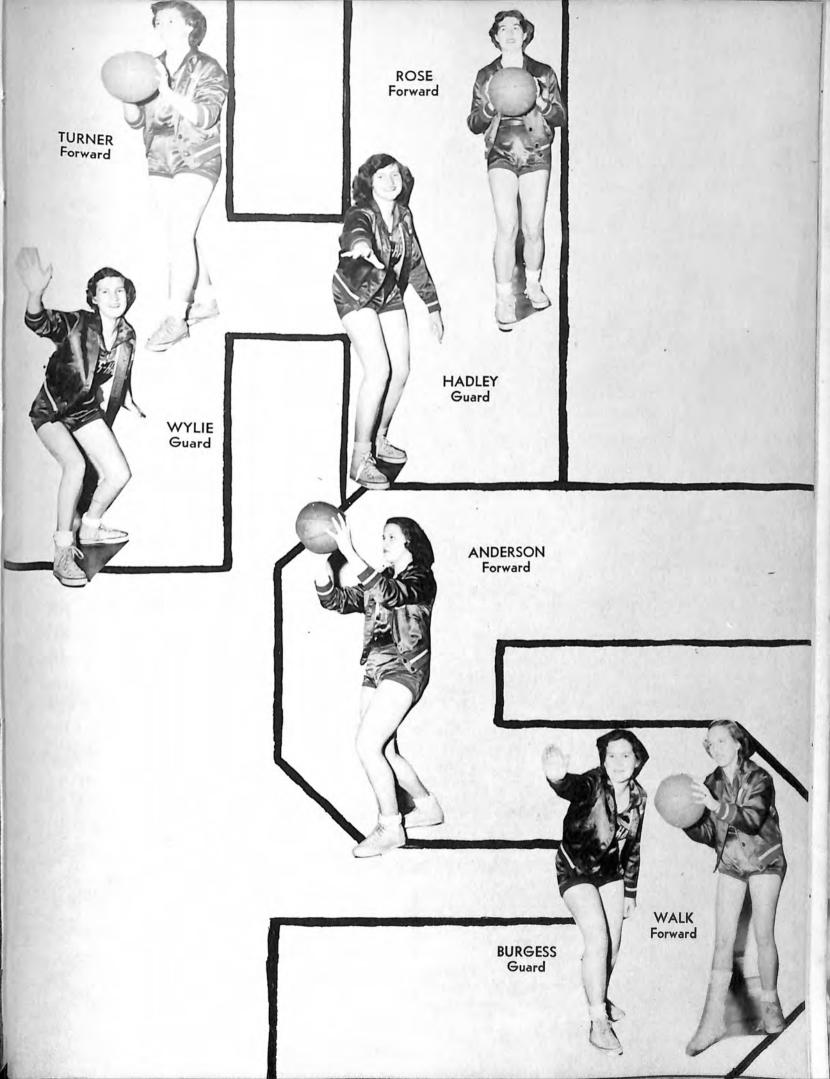






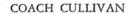








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32	Holy Names	34	41	Bemis	51
33	Bemis		55	Ripley	37
35	Sacred Heart	39	51	Brighton	
37	Ripley	58	63	Munford	
21	Brighton		47	Somerville	33
36	Munford		46	Halls	27
29	Somerville		55	Bemis	63
21	Halls	48	60	Ripley	42
55	Bemis	56	60	Dyersburg	
37	Ripley	51	64	Brownsville	49
27	Dyersburg	29	69	Halls	
22	Brownsville		65	Brownsville	
30	Halls		48	Brighton	
19	Brownsville	33	64	Munford	
28	Brighton		74	East High	
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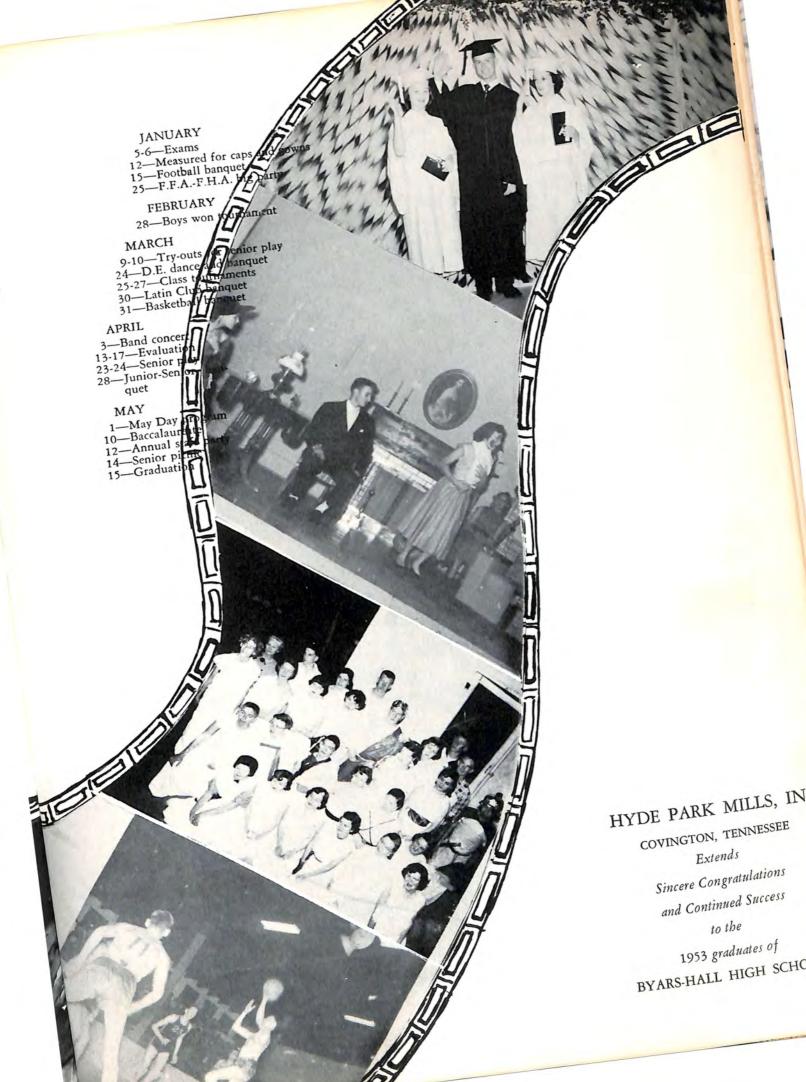
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George Gracey is the well-known Judge of the Circuit Court. Louis Jeter, Sheriff of Tipton County, has Kenneth McClain as his right hand man. Looking into the window of Phil Duane's drug store, we see his diploma which he received last year. Also, we see an advertisement for a magazine with a picture of Tissie Tanner, one of the nation's leading models, on the cover. Down the street we see Covington's new library. The librarians are Sylvia Ames and Beauton Bowden. The library was a gift of Joe Naifeh, former sports announcer of Station BHHS, now owner of a chain of grocrey stores.

Shirley Warren, B.S., M.S., now heads the Math Dept. at Byars-Hall. Down the hall we find Peggy Leach, B.S., M.S., Ph.D., keeping up with the family tradition. Naturally she's teaching senior English.

Across the campus we see smoke streaming out of the windows of the Vocational Building. After questioning a student we are informed that it is only Laverne Shankle teaching the Home Ec. classes to cook.

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ford is now a famous hair stylist. Jeanette Yarbro is his long-suffering model. She is always appearing with latest hair styles crowning her head. Carl Pannel is coach of the (still) victorious Harlem Globe Trotters.

Some of our alumni have wandered far from home. Shirley Rose seems to have flown the highest. She is a stewardess on one of the Trans-Pacific planes. Also, we hear that James Sage is a pilot. Mary Ellen Wright is the travel agent for Trans-Atlantic Airlines. Pat Birmingham is a sales woman for the Ipana Toothpaste Company. Reese Corder is still making a name for himself in the entertainment world as a musician. Frank Fortner is now in Hong Kong tracking down spies for the F.B.I. Eldon Mc-Daniel is the proprietor of a large resort in Florida. Calvin Creasy is still asking questions, only this time it's to the poor students at Southern California. Jimmy Chapman is still playing the game; now it's professional football. Bill Walk is managing the Gold Nugget Night Club in Las Vegas.

But, gracious, we have more than these to discuss, so let's come back to Covington and find out about the rest. Jimmy Griggs is demonstrating the new popcorn popper at Ben Franklin's. Leslie Ann Harvey is the new manager of Harvey and Daughter Gin.

Annette Poole and Lynn Blalack are making headlines for Covington. Annette is the author of a column entitled "Advice for Girls" which appears daily in all the big newspapers. Lynn is the author of a book called "The Child's Care." Lynn has also been elected the mother of the month. Betty Sue Smith is now managing the Business Woman's Club. Jimmy McDonald has a hillbilly band. They appear at all of the barn dances. Corrinne Currie is the head of the Speech Dept. at U.T. Emily Harvey is still touring Europe; she's flooding the mail with picture post cards. Bobby Hammons is the operator of a fashionable nightclub. Richard Whitehorn just came back from Australia with a boxing kangaroo. Betty Sacks is now the owner of Sacks' on Fifth Avenue. Ann Burlison and Juanell Murphy are employed as private secretaries to prominent lawyers in Memphis. Melissa Carson has taken Mrs. McGowan's place as dietitian in the lunchroom. Nancy Calhoun is now instructor of driving at Byars-Hall. Jimmy Yates is photographer for the New York Times. Shirley Parr is a champion lady wrestler. Mary Louise Ralph is a burlesque queen. Geneva Poole and Mattie Lou Pitts are visiting high schools trying to get new recruits for the WACS.

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Martha Jean Massey is a dancing instructor at Arthur Murray's Studio. Nina Yarbro has a thriving business as a seamstress in Mason.

If you hear a lot of people laughing these days you can be sure Bobby McDivitt and Frank McIntosh are in the crowd. They now have their own T.V. show. Jimmy Burlison is a salesman for the Lucky Strike Company. Julius Beasley, a Memphis architect, is doing quite well now. Shirley Kuykendall and Dorothy Deverell have taken over the management of the Covington Dime Store. Kenneth (TIGER) Akins is the owner of a race track and also a swanky restaurant. Betty McKee has started a new business in town, a delicatessen shop. Margaret Jobe is a successful model at Levy's. Kathryn Wooten is also a model; she models for the Bouncing-Walk Shoe Company. David Ferguson is a foreign correspondent for the "New York Times." Donald Erwin and Jimmy Hopkins are still going to schools-that is, they're photographers for Tooley Myron Studios. Inez Billings is Phys. Ed. director at Byars-Hall; the

boys are really interested in this course now. Virginia Maharrey is the head nurse at the Cat and Dog Hospital of Tipton County. Bill Burnett is the County veterinarian. Joe Hill is the pastor of the First Methodist Church of Piljerk. Tommy Moose is playing in an orchestra in Chicago.

Mrs. America of 1961 is our own Anne Boyd. Malcolm Smith, one of the most noted beauty judges of our times, was one of the judges. Two of our alumni are trying to make the world a happier place to live in; Dorothy Smith and Wanda Hopkins are managing the Lonely Hearts Club. Abner Davis is the official mayor of Mason. James Faulk, a race car driver, was given a ticket for speeding by highway patrolman Maurice Gwinn. Ann Harvey and Charlene Stallings are the owners of Covington's new Motel. Dan McLennan hunts tigers in Africa between his books. Wayne Selph is a professor at Columbia University. (Einstein just passed away.) We find Ruth Simpson enjoying the role of a perfect housewife.

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Jo Ann Smith is employed by the General Electric Company. She demonstrates their many products in all of the Southern States. Camille Kelly is now employed by the Red Cross, she is teaching first aid classes. Mary Avelon Sasser demonstrates new cars for the Ford Motor Company. She also assists the secretary Mary Barron is keeping up with all of her sales.

Joanne Black now has a professional girls' basketball team, the "Tennessee Plow Girls." Rose Ann Veasey is married to a Hollywood star. Yolande Faulk is campaign manager for Charles Strickland, who is running for President. Oh, yes, I forgot to tell you, President of the Athletic Association of Tipton County. Giles Forbess, a famous comedian of our times, is visiting Franklin Yarbro at his magnificent cotton plantation on the banks of the mighty Mississippi. Mary Jeane Crigger is busy raising a family. Sometimes her husband keeps her worried by going fishing. Charles Fuller is a new Edgar Allen Poe. He thrills and terrifies his readers every week.

And thus ends the saga of the class of 1953, and we sincerely hope that all graduating classes of Byars-Hall will turn out citizens as useful and successful as these.

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