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Superintendent, Alexander Consolidated Schools,  
1916-20; Principal, Ransom Rural High  
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position since 1923

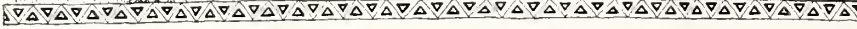
Director Normal Department; Chairman of Library Committee, since 1924;  
Supervised organization of Library;  
Registrar since 1927

Despite his nativity, we dedicate this book to Professor C. O. Douglass  
for his perseverance and friendliness





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May 30, 1931

Dear Seniors:

As we think of your leaving, our first emotion is one of sadness and regret at your going. But, this is overshadowed by our joy at the opportunity that is now yours of venturing into a larger sphere. Our best wishes will go with you.

Here are a few things that we hope your life at Wesleyan has meant to you:

1. Increased knowledge of God and increased reverence for Him and all things holy.
2. Increased knowledge of yourself—your capacities, and capabilities, also your limitations.
3. Increased knowledge of the world about you, the elements that compose it and the forces that govern it.
4. Increased appreciation of your fellowman and your relation to him.
5. Increased power in dealing with yourself and with the forces of man and of nature.

Sincerely,

JAMES L. ROBB.

~ TENNESSEE WESLEYAN



ATHENS, TENNESSEE ~

# SENIORS



**EARL L. HENRY** "Leviticus".  
Copperhill, Tennessee.  
President Senior Class, President P. L. S. '31, Secretary H I T.  
Pan Hellenic Representative, sports editor.

**FRANK HOBACK, JR.** "Abie".  
Cowan, Tennessee.  
Football '28-'29-'30, Vice President Senior Class '31, Student Council '29,  
Nocatula Staff '30 and '31, Phi Pi Delta, Sigma Delta Chi, Glee Club, Mem-  
ber of Discipline Committee (Honorary).

**RUBY JANE HART** "Jane".  
Elizabethton, Tennessee.  
Secretary Senior Class, Secretary-Treasurer Junior Class '29, Ambassador  
K. L. S., Secretary-Treasurer Alpha Gamma, Nocatula staff.

**SAM ADKINS.**  
Knoxville, Tennessee.  
President Y. M. C. A. '30 and '31, Glee Club '30 and '31, Sigma Delta Chi,  
Debating Team '30 and '31, Secretary P. L. S. '30 and '31, Nocatula Staff,  
Secretary Wesleyan Brotherhood '31.

**MILDRED ARMSTRONG.**  
Athens, Tennessee.  
President Gamma Gamma '31, Vice President Pan Hellenic '31, President  
S. L. S. '31, Nocatula Staff '31, Orchestra '29, Treasurer Senior Class.

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Charleston, Tennessee.  
Debating Club, A. L. S.

**CLYDE BEARDEN.**  
Haleyville, Alabama.  
Treasurer P. L. S., Debating Club, Alabama Club.

**GRACE BIRD.**  
Inskip, Tennessee.  
President P. K., K. L. S., Orchestra, Y. W. C. A., Pi Nu Lambdas, Art Club,  
W. Club.





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**LILLIE CANNON "CHARLIE".**  
 Knoxville, Tennessee.  
 K. L. S. '30-'31, President Sigma Tau Sigma '30-'31, Secretary-Treasurer Pan Hellenic Union '30-'31, Pianist of Glee Club '30-'31, Nocatula Staff, Moffitt Music Club '30-'31, Assistant Librarian '30-'31, 'Banjo Eye's Roomie'.

**EMMA CLARK "Em".**  
 Mount Zion, Georgia.  
 President S. L. S. '31, Secretary-Treasurer Pi Nu Lambdas '31, Glee Club, Queen Esthers, Y. W. C. A., Assistant Librarian.

**ROBERT CLAYTON "Clobert Rayton".**  
 Athens, Tennessee.  
 Editor Nocatula '30, Assistant editor '31, Student Council, Honor Roll, Assistant editor Year Book, Salutatorian.

**PAUL COCHRAN.**  
 Etowah, Tennessee.  
 Football, basketball, baseball, Phi Pi Delta, Sigma Delta Chi, Vice President A. L. S., Glee Club, W Club.

**VIRGINIA CONNER "Jennie".**  
 Roanoke, Virginia.  
 Y. W. C. A., Reporter P. K., Custodian K. L. S., Service Club, Pi Nu Lambda, Home Economics Club.

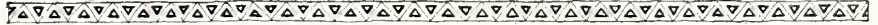
**ARKIE COOK "Cookie".**  
 K. L. S., and P. K. Club.  
 Hemp, Georgia.

**EDNA MAE CORRELL "Eddie".**  
 Soddy, Tennessee.  
 Pi Nu Lambda, K. L. S., Y. W. C. A., Queen Esther, Glee Club.

**RUTH CROCKER "Crocker".**  
 Cedartown, Georgia.  
 K. L. S., President Queen Esthers '30, Home Economics, Glee Club, Short Story Prize '30, Representative Student to W. H. M. S., Jubilee '30.



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**JESSIE V. CROWDER** "Pee Wee".  
 Mosheim, Tennessee.  
 Vice President Student Body '31, Captain Basket Ball '31, President K. L. S. '31, President Pi Nu Lambda '31, Y. W. C. A., Glee Club, Queen Esther, P. K., Nocatula Staff.

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 Litton, Tennessee.  
 Y. W. C. A., K. L. S., Basket Ball.

**JOHNNIE DODSON.**  
 Athens, Tennessee.  
 S. L. S.

**J. NEAL ENSMINGER** "Radical".  
 Athens, Tennessee.  
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**EDYTH FINNELL** "Finn".  
 Cleveland, Tennessee.  
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**CARRIE LOU FOSTER** "D. D."  
 Harriman, Tennessee.  
 Basket ball '30 and '31, W Club, S. L. S., S. H. C.

**WALTER FRANKLIN** "Teno".  
 Cleveland, Tennessee.  
 Secretary-Treasurer Phi Pi Delta, President Commercial Club, Nocatula Staff, Business Manager Year Book.

**REUBEN R. GODSEY** "Sport"  
 Decatur, Tennessee.  
 A. L. S., Sigma Delta Chi, Baseball '31, Tennis '31.



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**GRACE GREENE "Green".**  
 Ronda, North Carolina.  
 President Debating Club '31, Chaplain Pi Nu Lambda, Y. W. C. A. Cabinet,  
 Yell Leader, K. L. S., Queen Esther, Student Volunteer, W Club, Service  
 Club, Glee Club, Basket ball, President N. C. Club.



**WILLIAM HAIRRELL "Bill".**  
 President A. L. S., '31, Business Manager Nocatula '31, Secretary Y. M. C.  
 A., Phi Pi Delta, Honor Roll.



**VIVIAN HARRIS.**  
 Boaz, Alabama.  
 Secretary K. L. S., Secretary Alpha Gamma, President Y. W. C. A., Service  
 Club, Music Club, Orchestra.



**CHRISTINE HARRISON "Chris".**  
 Mt. Zion, Georgia.  
 Debating Club '30, Basket ball '31, Glee Club, Queen Esther, Y. W. C. A.,  
 ? Club '29, Reporter, Critic, Chaplain, and Secretary-Treasurer S. L. S.  
 Reporter Moffitt Music Club '31.



**MILDRED HOLBROOK "Banjo-Eyes".**  
 Traphill, North Carolina.  
 Sigma Tau Sigma, K. L. S., Basket ball, Vice President W Club, '31, Noca-  
 tula Staff, Art Club, "Charlie's Room Mate."



**IRENE JACKSON "D. D."**  
 Tyner, Tennessee.  
 Secretary-Treasurer Alpha Gamma, S. L. S., S. H. C.



**THELMA JOHNSON "Jay".**  
 Oakdale, Tennessee.  
 Alpha Gamma, Representative to Pan Hellenic Council, Treasurer K. L.  
 S., Y. W. C. A., W Club, Secretary Glee Club, Sunday Cook.



**JESSIE LEE "Smiles".**  
 Pikeville, Tennessee.  
 Glee Club, W Club, K. L. S., Pi Nu Lambda, Y. W. C. A., Queen Esther.



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MARY ESTHER LEE "Lee".  
Fairfield, Iowa.  
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Queen Esther, Art Club, Y. W. C. A., Glee Club, Service Club.

VIVIAN LYONS.  
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Commercial Club, Secretary S. L. S., Glee Club, Y. W. C. A.

RUTH McALISTER.  
Calhoun, Tennessee.  
S. L. S., Art Club.

EDZA McBRAYER.  
Englewood, Tennessee.  
S. L. S., Home Economics Club.

LUCILE McCRAY.  
Cleveland, Tennessee.  
S. L. S.

MADGE McKAY.  
Cleveland, Tennessee.  
Vice President Y. W. C. A. '23, Secretary Bradley Club '23.

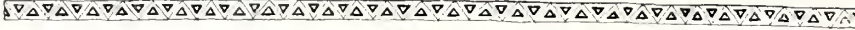
GERTRUDE E. McKENNEY "Trudie".  
Jacksonville, Florida.  
S. L. S., Y. W. C. A., Glee Club, Moffitt Music Club, P. K.

EDNA MAUNEY.  
Fairmount, Georgia.  
S. L. S., Georgia Club.





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CHARLIE D. MEHAFFEY "Preacher".  
Maggie, North Carolina.  
President Wesleyan Brotherhood '30 and '3-, President Junior Class '30,  
Student Council '31, P. L. S.



FAY MAUNEY.  
Kings, Mountain, North Carolina.  
K. L. S., Alpha Gamma. Art Club, Debating Club, Y. W. C. A.



WILEY RAY MAUNEY.  
Fairmount, Georgia.  
A. L. S., Georgia Club.



ELIZABETH MILLARD "Goldenrod".  
Athens, Tennessee.  
Sigma Tau Sigma, S. L. S., Bayless Prize Debate, Patten Oratorical Con-  
test, Representative in oratory at Southern Association of Speech, Debat-  
ing Club '30.



SAMUEL ESTELL MULLINS "Moon".  
Decatur, Tennessee.  
A. L. S., W Club, Basket ball, Baseball, Best Athlete Freshman Class '30.



GLADYS SUE NEWMAN "Toots".  
Cleveland, Tennessee.  
Vice President Alpha Gamma '30, Chaplain K. L. S., '30, Glee Club '30 and  
'31, Y. W. C. A. '31.



J. THOMAS POWELL.  
Cleveland, Tennessee.  
Football Letterman, Secretary-Treasurer Commercial Class '30, A. L. S.,  
Chairman Foods Committee at Petty '31, Vice President Phi Pi Delta '31.



VIOLET B. PLANK "Plank".  
Athens, Tennessee.  
K. L. S., Art Club, Home Economics Club, Y. W. A.





# SENIORS



**JULIA POSTON "Judy".**  
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 K. L. S., Alpha Gamma, Y. W. C. A., Pryor Home Club, Glee Club, Queen  
 Esther, Service Club.

**MARIAN PRIOR.**  
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 President Pi Nu Lambda '31, Valedictorian, K. L. S., Y. W. C. A., Glee Club,  
 Florida Club, Honor Roll.

**EUGENE FRANKLIN ROBERTS "Gene".**  
 Decatur, Tennessee.  
 A. L. S., Baseball '31.

**EDNA ROGERS "Ed".**  
 Loudon, Tennessee.  
 Secretary-Treasurer Sigma Tau Sigma '31, K. L. S., Nell's room-mate '30-  
 '31.

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 Williamston, North Carolina.  
 Eta Iota Tau, P. L. S., Dining Hall Committee, Y. M. C. A., Wesleyan  
 Brotherhood.

**HANNAH SCOTT.**  
 Etowah, Tennessee.

**JOHN EARL SIMS "Joan".**  
 Athens, Tennessee.  
 Editor Nocatula '31, Editor Year Book '31, President Phi Pi Delta, President  
 A. L. S. '30, H. M. D. C., Football '30 and '31, Student Council '31, H. R. C.'s.

**OLLIE MAE SMITH "Holly".**  
 Hagens, Virginia.  
 Vice President Debating Club '31, Secretary Service Club '31, Reporter Pi  
 Nu Lambda, K. L. S., Y. W. C. A., Corres. Secretary Queen Esthers '31,  
 Glee Club, Bayless Prize Debate '31, Pee Wee's room-mate.





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NELLE STILL "Bootiful".  
Cleveland, Tennessee.  
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WINTHROP STIVERS "Windy".  
Chattanooga, Tennessee.  
President P. L. S. '31, Vice President H. I. T., Orchestra, Student Council.



WILMA STEWART "Bill".  
Wadley, Alabama.  
Pi nu Lambda, Y. L. S., Glee Club, Y. W. C. A., Queen Esther, Alabama Club.



GRACE TAYLOR.  
Calhoun, Tennessee.  
Secretary-Treasurer Gamma Gamma '31, Rep. Pan Hellenic Council '31, ? Club '30, S. L. S., Glee Club '30, Music Club '30.



NAOMI TAYLOR "Tacmi".  
Rockwood, Tennessee.  
K. L. S., Y. W. C. A., Assistant Director Glee Club, Alpha Gamma, P. K.



CATHERINE THOMPSON.  
Athens, Tennessee.  
S. L. S.



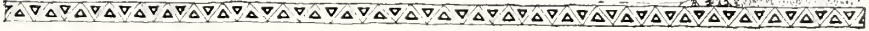
GERALDINE TROWBRIDGE "Gerry".  
Fort Lauderdale, Florida.  
S. L. S.



VESTA WALKER.  
Athens, Tennessee.  
S. L. S.



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ELLEN WALKER "Pinkie".  
Athens, Tennessee.  
S. L. S.



CHARLIE R. WARREN "Worm".  
Abingdon, Virginia.  
President P. L. S., H. I. T.



LUCILE WRIGHT "Red".  
Athens, Tennessee.  
Home Economics Club, Art Club.



ELBERT L. WILLSON "Eb".  
Athens, Tennessee.  
Football '27-'29-'30, Basket ball Manager '31, Student Council '30, Secretary  
A. L. S. '31, Nocatula Staff, Most Valuable Player Football '30.



JAMES B. WILSON.  
Chattanooga, Tennessee.  
Treasurer and Chaplain P. L. S., Wesleyan Brotherhood, Y. M. C. A., Judge  
Clem Jones English Prize '30.



J. C. DUCKWORTH.  
Decatur, Tennessee.





# SENIORS

## GANGSTERS

The gang gathered in on September 5, 1929 and after a quiet exchange of bombs between "Windy" Stivers and "Hoss" Wright settled down to the rattle of machine guns and revolvers, with an occasional explosion from sawed off shot-guns. In this comparative quiet Charles Mehaffey, the chairman pro-tem, managed to get an election over. The gang then had brilliant ideas concerning a reformation, so they elected as "leader" or "big boss," the Reverend Charles D. Mehaffey, and carried the steps toward reformation still farther by electing the Right Reverend Samuel Adkins as Charlie's right hand man. As secretary and holder of the loot they selected that noble personage, Jo-an Sims. After the election they retired to each of their respective strongholds, and all was quiet along the front yard.

November came drifting along with Armistice Day and the Tennessee-Kentucky football game.

It was about this time that the cops, under the leadership of some person named Robb, descended upon the gangsters. However, after a terrific third degree Reverend Charles was found to be still in charge of his cohorts and his cohorts holding subornly on to their precinct. A few of the gang dropped out, but the majority of them were still in the field, chunking bombs and smiling.

After the Christmas holidays a smaller clan which had been driven from the Centenary on account of poor business condition; joined, and the peaceful riots continued.

One rival gang, led by a ferocious blonde, one H. L. Davis, Jr., who called his cronies "Seniors," disputed their right to operate in their chosen territory. After considerable discussion the "cops" promised, on account of their long, devoted, and destructive service, to give certificates of distinction to the Seniors and allow them to retire. In honor of their retirement the "Gang" on a night in February gave a blowout at the Robert E. Lee Hotel with cannons (not Pistol), machine guns,

shot guns, bowie knives, daggers, bombs and all revolvers above 32's barred.

Somewhere about June 2, 1929, the "cops" issued the certificates to the Davis mob, and declared a three months truce. The "gangsters" were glad to accept it as it gave them a chance to recover from wounds, and sore feet (and heads). Once more all was quiet in the hall ways.

Returning to the field of conflict in September of 1931 with J. Neal Ensminger as general boss, Jessie Crowder as his assistant, and Jo-an Sims as publicity agent, the gang had given up all idea of reformation and consequently elected Earl Henry as "boss" with none other than Frank (Abie) Hobbak, Jr., and Ruby Hart as his assistants, and sent "Windy" Stivers and Mary Esther Lee to the general council.

They had diminished somewhat in size, but the craftiness which comes with experience was a satisfactory substitute for the "gangsters" gone.

The going was easier this time, and the "clan" went through its first conflict without the loss of a single gun and very little ammunition.

But history must repeat itself. A crowd who called themselves "Juniors" and who were led by a young upstart, J. Mac Ray, challenged them for the right to carry on in the territory where they had so long held sway. To avoid a battle, they accepted the same terms they had forced upon the Davis mob to accept, and soon stepped up and received their certificates, after which they retired or go to find another battle ground.

But they have had their day and are ready to go. Two whole years they have sat in chapel listening to college presidents, lawyer, doctors, and preachers talk in the vain hope that one of them would be Al Capone in disguise.

But after all, they may not be so tough. A crowd that is so unselfishly conscientious in their work of destruction must have a few in their midst who are true, and will be a credit to the nation; so all hail the Gangsters. May their tribe increase!

—Earl Henry.



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## CLASS WILL

We, the class of 1931, in 69 individual and distinct parts, being about to pass out of this sphere of education in full possession of a crammed mind, well-trained memory, and almost super human understanding, do make and publish this, our last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all former wills and promises by us heretofore made.

As to such rank as it has pleased the Fates and our strong hands and brains to win for us, we do dispose of the same as follows:

We leave unto the class of '32 our co-operative ability.

Unto the faculty we leave our sincere regrets for unprepared lessons, cut classes, and inattention.

I, Earl (Hissself) Henry, do will to Charles Biddy my Mormon instinct.

Unto Elizabeth Cooper, I, Nelle Still, do will my loud tom-boyish ways and undignified manners.

I, Thelma Johnston, will my cheerful disposition to Dot Jones to accompany her good looks.

I, Jessie Lee, will my ability to tell the most unreasonable things in school to Junanita Grant.

I, Moon Mullins, leave to Sylvian Overby my success in basketball.

Lillie Cannon wills to all of the girls of next year, who so desire, her ability to sing, play, act, and power of keeping two men in her reach.

I, "Billy" Bates, do will to Fred Puett my debating prowess.

I, William Hairrell, leave to H. E. Walker my dignity and quiet ways.

Unto Jewell McCall, I, Gertrude McKenney do will my athletic ability and graceful movements, and hope that she may acquire that desired form.

I, Mary Esther Lee, leave all the toys in my room to the Practice School.

I, "Joan" Sims, do will to Harold Gastman my literary and tree-climbing abilities, and to Earl Arp my round trip tickets to Copperhill.

I, Celia Cumins, leave my studious ways to Thelma Lee. May her record be a good as mine.

I, Julia Poston, bequeath my place in chapel to Grace Womac.

I, Eb Willson, leave to T. W. C., the distinction of having had me as a student.

I, Paul Cochran, bequeath unto Knox Williams, my athletic abilities, and my honorary membership in the Discipline Committee.

I, Edyth Fennell, will my sister to take my place with Sue White.

I, Toots Newman, will my title as Knighto May Queen to Verna Belle Ferguson.

I, Charlie Mehaffey, do will to "Jim" Franks my horse-laugh.

I, Edna Rogers, being in full possession of my right mind, do will and bequeath my dramatic

talent and my acquired knowledge of "Chromosomes" to Theodessia Robitzsch.

I, Fay Mauney, will my good looks to Anna Todd.

I, Edna Mae Correll, will my dignity to Era Hubbard. I request that this worthy gift be not abused.

I, Wilma Stewart, will my ability to be quiet to, Cecille Crockett.

I, Neal Ensminger, do will to Mack Ray my ability to manipulate the cow's husband.

I, John Lillard, do will to the entire junior class my ability as an argumentative person.

I, Dan Ivins, do will to Harold Hall my smashing abilities.

I, Vivian Lyons, do will the taking care of "Handsome" Hannon to Katherine Copeland.

I, Robert Clayton, do will to Labe Gregory my quiet and reserved manners.

I, Slim Rogerson, will to Earl Arp my ability for packing grub.

I, Grace Greene, gladly will my sophisticated airs to Kay Carpenter.

I, Pee Wee Crowder, will Fred Mitchell to Willodean Maggart, upon consideration that she baby him as I have.

I, Teno Franklin, do will and bequeath to Edwin Costner my indifference to the ladies.

We, the Senior Boys, confer upon the Junior Boys the privilege of addressing "Brushy."

I, Naomi Taylor, will my job as dish washer to Emma Marcum.

Ollie May Smith and Virginia Conner will the Practice School children to Zoe Dell Little and Ethel Higgs. Do not reprimand them.

I, Ruby Jane Hart, will my heart to Harvey Poyer.

I, Arkie Cook, being trustworthy and capable of directing the girls of Bennett Hall in this great Christian Institution, do will my ability as assistant matron to Mariette Myers.

I, Christine Harrison, will my ability to play basket ball to Jessie Cooke.

Jerry Trowbridge leaves her title as heavy weight champion to Elise Flowers.

I, Ellen Walker, leave all my freaks and pets to some interested member of the Junior Class.

I, Ruth McAlister, bequeath my dignity to Ruth Peacock.

I, Lucille McCray, bequeath my promptness and scholarship to Elizabeth Anne Mahery.

I, Marian Prior, leave my place as Sunday cook to Jewell Smith.

I, Vivian Harris (in company with Sam Adkins) will our place at the flag pole to Blair Allen and Drannon Elliott.



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## *Class Poem*

### L' ENVOI

There's a burning fire in the heart of us,  
And the gleam of it's in our eye:  
And there is a will in the soul of us,  
And we who pass you by,

Shall now go where the strong winds blow,  
Where no other feet have trod,  
In the Great Unknown, with a rendezvous  
To keep with Life and God.

Aye; We know that the trails are long and steep;  
Ere we reach our rendezvous,  
There's many shall faint; there's many shall fall,  
But not the ones you knew!

For there is a will in the soul of us,  
And we carry a talisman,  
A memory, ever in the heart of us,  
The Spirit of Wesleyan!

—John Earl Sims.



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## NOCATULA STAFF

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### YEAR BOOK STAFF

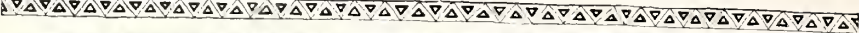
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Walter Franklin	



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## JUNIOR CLASS

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Secretary .....	Mary Elizabeth Ketrone

## WHO'S WHO IN SENIOR CLASS

### BOYS

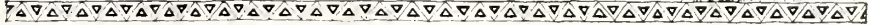
### GIRLS

Best All Round .....	Neal Ensminger
Second .....	Joan Sims
Best Athlete .....	"Moon" Mullins
Second .....	Paul Cochran
Best Student .....	Robert Clayton
Second .....	(none)
Most Popular .....	Joan Sims
Second .....	Neal Ensminger
Best Sport .....	Charles Warren
Second .....	Winthrop Stivers

Best All Round .....	Edyth Finnell
Second .....	Peewee Crowder
Best Athlete .....	Peewee Crowder
Second .....	Edyth Finnell
Best Student .....	Marian Prior
Second .....	Celia Cummins
Most Popular .....	Mildred Armstrong
Second .....	Edyth Finnell
Best Sport .....	Pee Wee Crowder
Second .....	Celia Cummins



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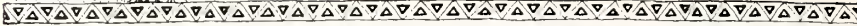
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Secretary..... James B. Wilson

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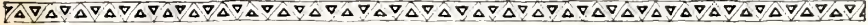
The 1931 debating season was perhaps one of the most successful seasons ever enjoyed by a Tennessee Wesleyan College team, either forensic or athletic.

The Affirmative team, composed of Clyde Bearden, Fred Puett, and William Bates, debating at home, made a very creditable showing to support the travelling Negative Team. The latter, made up of J. Neal Ensminger and Sam Adkins, brought back from their first tour the Junior College Championship of Tennessee and North Caro-

lina, and, by winning from Milligan College, a high standing in the Smoky Mountain Conference.

Miss Lillian Danielson, the coach, then entered her charges in the Southern Tournament of the Southern Association of Colleges, held in Atlanta, Georgia. Although the only Junior college in the tournament and by far the smallest school represented, Wesleyan annexed Second Place by eliminating three Southern Intercollegiate Conference teams: Louisiana State University, U. of Florida, and North Carolina State. U.

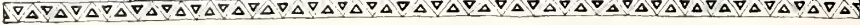
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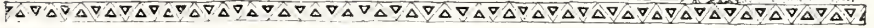


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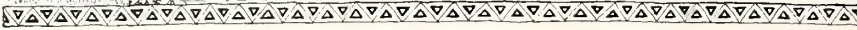
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### FOOTBALL SQUAD

#### CLASS WILL

I, Hilda Peters, will my quiet and dignified ways to Evelyn Edwards.

I, Abie Hoback, do will and bequeath to Leroy Groover my talent for playing anything with strings on it.

I, Gene Roberts, do right cheerfully pass on to Roy Lynch my collection of bell-clappers.

We, Carrie Lou Foster and Irene Jackson, will our ability to stick together to Jewell Smith and Edna Mae Scarbrough.

I, Ruth Crocker, will my place as chaperon at Ritter to Ruby Davis.

I, Catherine Thompson, bequeath my friendlessness to Elizabeth Moses.

I, Lucille Wright, bequeath the right of making little "friendly visit..." to the one who may be on good terms with Mr. Currier.

I, Worm Warren, herewith give up to Lawrence Donaldson all rights to my girl and my seat at the Upper-Arch.

I, Edza McBrayer, bequeath my "petiteness" to Dorothy Steffen.

I, Emma Clark, will my place in the library to Voncille Jackson. May her knowledge never become booked.

I, Sam Adkins, freely pass on to Albert Adkins my ability to "grin and bear it" in Chapel. He'll need luck.

I, Clyde Bearden, hereby leave to Liston Malpass my position on the Wesleyan "All-Prettifful Team."

I, Grace Bird, will my sarcastic ways and violin, but not my bow, to Edith Lamons.

I, Grace Taylor, bequeath my popularity with the opposite sex to Grace Whittaker.

We, Johnnie Dodson, Madge McKay, Hannah Scott, Vesta Walker, and J. C. Duckworth, bequeath our ability to increase knowledge and to enlighten students to all the teachers who may enter T. W. C.

We, Edna and Ray Mauney, leave our studious character to whom it may concern.

I, Elizabeth Millard, bequeath all my legal papers and other phases of oratorical fame to Lillian Cagle.

I, Reuben Godsey, bestow upon Fred Mitchell my art of studying at Robeson. I wish him luck.

We, Walter Franklin and Tommy Powell, the Siamese Twins of Cleveland, bequeath our "ole stand bys" to Bruce Ingram and Robert Thomas.

Unto Elizabeth Cooper, I, Mildred Holbrook do will my sparkling blue eyes and captivating power in the hopes that there may be a "Banjo Eyes" on the campus next year.

I, Windy Stivers, will to He Walker my ability to do all the right things at the wrong times.

I, Mildred Armstrong, leave my ability to be nonchalant under all circumstances to Edith Shields.

I, James B. Willson, leave my ministerial training and ability to Edsell Clark.

We, the Senior Class of Tennessee Wesleyan College, do hereby declare this to be our last will and testament.

Signed:

Mildred Armstrong

Jessie Lee

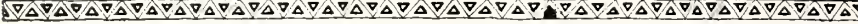
Thelma Johnson

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X Winthrop Stivers (his mark)



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 President..... Edyth Finnell  
 Pianist..... Lillie Cannon





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## ORCHESTRA

Director.....Miss Catherine Colston  
 Assistant.....Raul Menendez

### TO THE STUDENT BODY:

In a very short time now the old college bell is going to ring the farewell note and we are going to separate. Some of us will pick up our studies in a new field of education and others of us will begin an application of that knowledge we have acquired, but I firmly believe that wherever we may go and whatever we may do if we only keep the spirit that we now have we will conquer all our obstacles and will find achievement close at hand.

As I look around about me and know the struggles I have undergone, in a way I feel despondent but when I read the Council records and note our passed measures for the school's benefit I am glad, yes, even happy.

No one knows better than I, how far short I have fallen in accomplishing all I would like to have accomplished, but I have given you my best and I

can retire knowing that in every action taken by the Council I followed what I thought was the best plan for all concerned.

And as we part after the year's work I am asking each of you to take this little message with you as a token of my sincere appreciation of the office you had so graciously given me. Although I have been on the topmost round of the ladder, I know who held the ladder in place and I know who boosted me. IT WAS EACH STUDENT CONTRIBUTING HIS OR HER PART.

I am thanking you for your co-operation. I appreciate the attitude you have had throughout the year and now I include every student when I say "Friends, together we have had a good year and in the future I wish you well."

Sincerely,

J. Neal Ensminger,

President of the Student Body.

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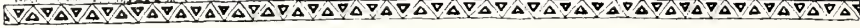
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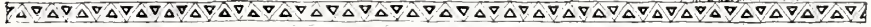
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