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We dedicate this "Chief" to the boys wearing the black and gold of Ahoskie High who won the North Carolina State Class A Football Championship, the right to wear the Albermarle Conference Crown, and ten of their twelve games.

Our team has given us spectacular play to watch, fighting spirit to encourage, victories to celebrate and sportsmanship and triumplis to be proud of. We have supported our team, but more than that, our team has supported our faith in them.

This year we owe to more than one person the honor which this dedication represents, therefore we are dedicating the 1952 "Chief" to the pride of Ahoskie High School, the mighty Ahoskie High School Indians.

# Craculty <br> Taught to the tune of a hickory stick 

I was your bashful, barefoot beau



## RUSSELL P. MARTIN, SUPERINTENDENT

Jamesville High School, Jamesville, North Carolina; A. B. Duke University; M. A. Wake Forest; World War II Veteran; Principal of Seaboard High School; Principal of Windsor High School; Superintendent of Hertford County Schools.


MRS. MARY AGNES HARRELL 12-H; Danville, Va.; Schoolfield High School, Schoolfield, Va.; Biology, Chemistry, Science; B.S. in Ed., Longwood College, Farmville, Va.; Univ. of N. C.

MISS DEBORAH MARY BROWN 12-D; Woodland, N. C.; Corinth Academy, Ivor, Va.; English; A. B., Guilford College; Univ. of Virginia; Columbia Univ.


MRS. LOIS HALL BRETT
11-L; Kerr, N. C.; Franklin High School; Social Science, English, Campbell College; B.S., Wake Forest College.

MR. LANSING C. PEACOCK Roper, N. C.; Roper High School; Agriculture; B. S., N. C. State College.


MR. JOHN WESLEY YOUNG, JR. 11-J; Burnsville, N. C.; Tipton Hill High School; Social Science, Physical Ed.; Brevard College; B.S., E.C.T.C.; Northwestern Univ.; Appalachian State Teachers College.

MRS. EMMA A. MARTIN
10-E; Marshville, N. C.; Marshville High School; French, English, Wingate Junior College; A.B., E.C.T.C.; Wake Forest College.

MISS FRANCES GREY 10-G; Trenton High School; Trenton, N. C.; Health, English, Library; Peace College; A.B., E.C.C.


## FACULTY

MISS FRANCES ELIZABETH NEWBY $9-\mathrm{N}$; Hertford, N. C.; Perquimans County High School; Home Economics; E.C.C.; Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S.C.; A.B.

MR. JULIAN PIT TMAN FREEMAN 9-J; Gates, N. C.; Gates High School; Math, Geography; Campbell College; A.B., A.C.

## MR. JOSEPH J. LASSITER

9-L; Conway, N.C.; Conway High School; Science, Algebra, Physics; E.C. C.; M.A.

MISS MARTHA JEAN MODLIN Rich Square, N. C.; Rich Square High School; Public School Music; A.B. Meredith College.


MISS MILDRED SMITH
Kittrell, N. C.; Zeb Vance High School; Typing, Book-keeping; W.C.U.N.C.; B.

MR. ROBERT WILSON BROWN
Rich Square, N. C.; Rich Square High School; Band; Wake Forest College; Mus.


## SENIORS



## CLASS OFFICERS

Anne Hill . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Vice President
Gene Nichols . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . President
Betty Jane Harris . . . . . . . Secretary-Treasurer


ESTHER M. BALLENTINE
4-H, 1,2,3,4; Reporter 2; Latin Club 3,4; Beta Club 3,4; Marshal 3; Annual Staff 4; Circulation Manager; Pow-Wow, 3,4; Office Assistant; Senior Play Cast 4; Beta Play Cast, 3.

MARGARET EDITH BRACY
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Secretary, 4; Glee Club; Pow-Wow Circulation Manager, 4; May Court Attendant, 3.


## School days, school days



## You wrote on my slate '】 love you so'

 When we werb a couple of kids.

## Seniare



CHARLES STEVE COGGINS 4-H, 1,2,3,4; Football Manager, 1; Varsity Club, $1,2,3,4$; PowWow, 4; Photographer.

MARY LOU DILDAY
4-H, 1,2; Library Assistant, 1,2, 3.


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## ETTA LUCILLE FELTON

"Tootsie"
Transferred from Mars Hill, 1; Library Assistant, 3.

## DREXEL FORSYTH <br> "Rex"

Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H, 1; Latin Club, 3,4 ; Beta Club, 3,4 ; Marshall, 3; Band, 3; Pow-Wow, 1,4; May Court Attendant, 3.

## Seniars



## BETTY JANE HARRIS "Jane"

Class Sec.-Treas., 4; Glee Club, 1,2,3,4; Latin Club, 4 ; Beta Club. 3,4; Marsha1, 3; Basketball, 1,2, 3,4 ; Varsity Club, 3,4 ; Office Assistant, 4; Band Majorette, 2,3; Annual Staff, 4 ; Pow-Wow, 1,2,3. 4; Student Council, 2,3,4; Beta Play 3; Senior Play, 4.

HATTIE ANNE HILL
"Aunt Hattie"
Class Vice Pres., 4; Glee Club, 1 , 2,3,4; Latin Club, 3,4 ; Pres., 3; Beta Club, 3,4; Chief Marshal, 3; Basketball, 1,2,3,4; Captain, 3; Co-Capt., 4; Varsity Club, 1,2,3, 4; Pres., 3; Band, 2,3,4; Annual Staff, 4, Business Manager; Student Council, 2,3,4; Vice-Pres., 3; Beta Play, 3; Intramural President, 3.

JAMES DUDLEY GODWIN "Beans" "Ducklegs" Class Vice President, 3; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; President, 4, Vice President, 3; 4-H, 2,4; Beta Club, 3; Student Council, 3; Bus Driver, 3 . 4.

GLADSTONE HARRELL, JR.
"Happy"
Football, 2,3,4; Varsity Club, 3 , 4.

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## IONA HILL <br> "Shorty"

Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 3,4; Marshal 3; Office Asst. 4; Cheerleader 3,4; Pow-Wow 2,3,4; Varsity Club 3,4 .

## DAVID L. HOLLOMAN <br> "Valentino"

F.F.A. 3,4; Reporter 4; 4-H 1,2, 3,4; Vice Pres. 4 ; Baseball 2; Annual Staff 3,4; Art Editor; PowWow 3,4 ; Art Editor; Asst. Bus Driver 3,4; Senior Play 4.


## Seniare



ROBERT ELMER JOHNSON "Bonecrusher"
F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Tres. 4; 4-H 1,2, 3,4 ; Football 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Stage Manager Senior Play '52.

## PATRICK WAYNE JORDAN

 "Hank"Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Capt. 4; Basketball 1,4; Baseball 1,2,3.4; Varsity Club $1,2,3,4$; Pow-Wow 4 ; Business Manager.

FRANKIE LASSITER

## "Pie

F.H.A. 1,2,3; Glee Club, 1,2,3,4; 4-H, 1,2,3; Library Assistant, 1; Band, 2,3,4.

WILLIAM EDWARD LEARY
"Big Bill"
4-H, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club, 3,4; Football, 1,2,3,4; Basketball, 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club, $1,2,3,4$; Band, 1,2 , 3; Annual, 4; Sports Editor; Senior Play, 4; Bus Driver, 3,4 ; Baseball 4.


## Seniare



DORIS REBECCA LEE
Blondie
Library Assistant, 3.

BEN ROSS MCKEEL
"Mac"
4-H, 4; Basketball, 3,4; Baseball 3; Varsity Club, 3,4.


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MATTIE ELIZABETH MCKEEL "Chicken"
Student Council, 2,3.

LOIS GENEVA MILLER
"Sleepy"
F.H.A., 1; Glee Club, 1; 4-H, 1, 2,3; Library Assistant, 1.


## Seniars



## WALKER RANDOLPH MODLIN

"Mole"
Transferred from Harrellsville 2; F.F.A., 4; Football, 3; Baseball 1 2,3,4; Basketball Manager, 3 ; Varsity Club, 3,4 ; Pow-Wow, 4; Reporter; Bus Driver, 3,4.

## CAROLYN NEWSOME

Glee Club, 1, 2,3,4; 4-H, 1; Latin Club, 3,4 ; Beta Club, 3,4 ; Varsity Club, 4 ; Cheerleader, 4; Annual Staff, 4, Business Staff; PowWow, 2, Circulation; Senior Play Cast, 4;

HAZEL LOUISE MINTON Scotland Neck, 2,3; 4-H, 1,2; Library Asst. 3.

JAMES G. MODLIN<br>"Pete"<br>4-H, 1, 2,3,4.



## 1952

## CURTIS NICHOLS "Red"

F.F.A., 1,2,3,4; 4-H, 1,2,3,4; Bus Driver, 3,4.

## GENE SHERWOOD NICHOLS

"Bifocals"
Latin Club, 3,4 ; Band, 1, 2, 3,4; Annual Staff, 4, Circulation Staff; School Projectionist, 2,3,4; Senior Play Cast, 4; Class President, 4; Class Secretary-Treasurer, 2.



## DEWEY C. PARKER. JR.

"Deacon"
F.F.A., 1,2; 4-H, 1,2,3,4; President, 4; Baseball, 1, 2, 3,4 ; Football, 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club, 2,3,4; Bus Driver, 3,4.

## JULIA POE PARKER

Class Treasurer, 3; Glee Club, 1, 2,3,4; Latin Club, 4; Beta Club, 3,4; Basketball, 2,3,4; Varsity Club, $2,3,4$; Vice President, 3 ; Office Assistant, 4; Band, Majorette, 1,2,3; Cheerleader, 4; Annual, 4; Sports Editor; Pow-Wow, 1,2,3,4; Circulation Manager, 1,3 ; Student Council, 4; Senior Play, 4.

## Seniard



MARTHA RANDOLPH PEARSON Secretary, 1; Glee Club, 1, 2,3,4; Beta Club, 3,4 ; State Secretary, 4; District Secretary, 4; Secretary, 4; Marshal, 3; Basketball, 1; Band, 1,2,3,4; Pow-Wow, 1,2,3,4; Circulation Manager, 2; Student Council, 4; Beta Play, 3; Senior Play, 4; Miss Alma Mater, 4.

ROSA JEAN PHELPS
Transferred from Murfreesboro, 1 ; F.H.A., 1; Library Assistant, 1,2; $4-\mathrm{H}, 1$.


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CAROL LOUISE POPE Library Assistant, 4.

WILLIAM CHARLES POWELL "Hunko"
Class President, 3; 4-H, 2,3,4; Vice President, 3; BetaClub, 3,4; President, 4; Football, 1,2,3,4; Basketball, 3; Baseball, 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club, $2,3,4$; President, 4; Vice President, 3; Band, 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff, 4; Senior Play, 4.

## ELLA MAE RUFFIN

F.H.A. 1,3,; 4-H, 1,2; Library Asst. 2; Pow-Wow 4.

CHARLIE CLARENCE SESSONS JR. "Sessmo"
Class Pres. 2; Class Sect. 3; Latin Club 3,4; Sect. 4; Beta Club 3,4; Football $1,2,3,4$; Basketball 3,4 ; Baseball $1,2,3,4$; Varsity Club 1 , $2,3,4$; Sect. 3,4 ; Band 1,2,3,4; Pow-Wow 4; Feature Editor 4; Student Council 4; President 4.


## Seniars

## JAMES G. SULLIVAN

"Jimmie"
Class Vice Pres. 2; Beta Club 3, 4; Marshal 3; Annual Staff 3,4; Junior Editor 3; Assistant Editor 4; Pow-Wow 4; Student Council 3; Beta Club Play 3.

## ALBERT LEE VAUGHAN

 Class Vice Pres 1; 4-H 1, 2, 3,4; Pres. 1; Sect. 3; Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club $1,2,3,4$.1952

E. ANN WHITE

Glee Club 1; Office Asst. 3,4; Pow-Wow 2,3,4; Co. Editor 3; Editor 4; May Court Attendant 2,3; Band 3.

KENDRED C. WILLIAMS
"Sunshine"
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Reporter 3; 4-H 1,2; Bus Driver 4.


Dee Hughes Secretary

## Zuniars



Pat Greene
Treasurer


Chester Rogerson President Raleigh Baker Vice-President

Maggie Alston Sally Ann Barber Ella Mae Barnes Randolph Bracy

Billy Bridgers Dottie Britt M. T. Britton Thelma Burden

Joyce Coker Carroll Credle Lamar Dilday Horace Downs

Margaret Dukes Robert Earley Thomas Edwards Roy Francis

Linda Futrell
Joyce Godwin Bettie Jane Greene Bobbie Guy




Al Pierce Vice-President

Dickie Newsome Reporter


David Leary President


Elvie Jean Harris Curtis Howard Eugene Hughson Walter Jeffreys Mary Ann Jeter

## BILLY JENKINS

T. J. JERNIGAN

CHARLES RAY JOYNER Joe Keining ham J. C. LASSITER

THOMAS LEWIS WAYNE LILLY BILLY LIVERMAN ELIZABETH MATTHEWS RICHARD McKEEL

TOMMY MITCHELL JANET MITCHELL DOROTHY MIZELLE BLANCHE MODLIN EVELYN MORRIS

BARBARA MOSELY HARRY PARKER JOHN PERRY
EARNESTINE PRITCHARD HARRELL RUFFIN

JO ANN SEXTON MILDRED SEXTON BOBBY SMITH EARLE SMITH JO ANN SPARKS

JANE STORY MAURICE SULLIVAN JANET SUMNER JANICE SWAIN LYNN TAYLOR

JEAN VAUGHN mable reid vaughn CAROLE WHEDBEE ADA LEIGH WHITE TOMMY WILLIAMSON

CHARLES WILLIFORD CHARLENE WILLOUGHBY JIMMY WILLOUGHBY SIIIRLEY WILLOUGHBY



## FRESHMEN



CHARLES MADDREY President


SALLY MOORE Vice President


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GERALD DAVIS
JOYCE DAVIS
IMOGGENE DILDAY
MARY ANN DILDAY
JUDSON EURE

MERRILL EVANS
PATSY FAISON
SOPHIE ANN FAISON THOMAS SENTER FAISON GLORIA FRETWELL

JANE FRETWELL KATHERINE GODWIN LEORA GODWIN WILLIAM GREENE CARLTON HALL

RAMON HARMAN WILLIAM HARRELL JIMMY HILL LIBB Y HOBBS KAY HOLDER

MARY ALICE HOLDER ARTHUR HORTON HENRY HORTON JOHN HUGHSON Emilie Jernigan

KENNETH JOHNSON BARBARA ANN JONES bernie jones RAY LASSITER JOHNNY LIND

COBIN LIVERMAN RICHARD LOWE MARY JANE MATTHEWS MARY MAXHAM THOMAS MINTON

ELSIE MIZELLE
haZel mizelle JAMES MODLIN JOYCE MYERS Jane mcGee

JOSEPH NICHOLS RANDOLPH NICHOLS RICHARD ODOM BETTY POWELL CAROLYN RIDDICK



BILLY ROGERSON
BILLY ROSE
BILL ROSS
ALBERT SUMNER
TOMMY TREVATHAN

DIANNE UPCHURCH BETTY WILLIAMS MILDRED WILLIAMS JACKIE WILLOUGHBY ROBERT WILLOUGHBY

ESTHER LEE WINSLOW PAIGE WOOD LARRY WYNNS RANDOLPH JERNIGAN NOT PICTURED: BILLY ARRINGTON ELLIS DONALDSON JERRY UNDERWOOD

## JUNIOR HIGH



## EIGHTH GRADE



## MRS. N. E. GODWIN'S SECTION

1st Row: Billy Bracy, Durwood Coker, Barbara Ann Doughtie, Al Benthall, Sidney Futrell, Mrs. N. E. Godwin. 2nd Row: Duke Askew, Fred Bracy, Betty Lou Brett, Molly Belch, Emily Askew, Emily Edwards. 3rd Row: Clarence Barnes, Johnnie Johnson, Gay Harrell, Peggy Bracy, Louise Faircloth, Barbara Harrell. 4th Row: Venice Mae Blow, Iris Harrell, Syvillia Horton, Bernie Credle, Pat Britton, Dickie Garrett. 5th Row: Robert Copeland, Earl Holloman, Jack Bunch, Billy Asbell, Ray Brabble.


## MISS EARLINE WHITEHURST'S SECTION

1st Row: James Oliver Rountree, James Jordan, Bill Smoak, Richard Tillery, Miss Earline Whithurst. 2nd Row: Dixie Lee Puckett, Mary Rose Sullivan, James Joyner, Faye Lewis, Stuart Williams, Ralph Willoughby, Oliver Proctor. 3rd Row: Billy Sparks, Dan Ross, Sylvia Jenkins, Shirley Mathews, Joan Overton, Paul Jones. 4th Row: Shirley Woodley, Mitchell McKeel, Jackie Whedbee, Edna Speight, Barbara Overton, Joe Matheson, Hal Liverman. 5th Row: Jo Ann Linkous, Jean Willoughby, June Morris, Lenora Mitchell, Paul Lassiter, Tommy Wheeler, Eley Newsome.

## SEVENTH GRADE



MISS MARTIN'S SECTION
1st Row: Anna Gatling, Robert Blowe, Sidney Harmon, Richard Lee Askew, Joan Dunlowe, Margaret Byrd, Billy Boone, Billy Wayne Dilday, Miss Hilda Ruth Martin. 2nd Row: Betsy Freeman, Anne Beal, Chuck Edwards, Charles Hall, Rachel Blowe, Margaret Cowan, Jimmy Frances. 3rd Row: Mary Ann Fretwell, Jimmy Early, Marie Burkett, G. L. Jernigan, Betty Lou Fretwell, June Howard, Lloyd Earl Alston. 4th Row: Earl Smith, Tommye Ann Hughes, Barbara Byrd, Ed Robert Evans, Jimmy Blowe, Mollie Hurst, Wayne Conner. 5th Row: Nancy Faucette, Geraldine Godwin, Randolph Britton, Floyd Bryan, Arthur Brown, Bruce Holloman, Eugene Davis.


MRS. WHITEHEAD'S SECTION
1st Row: Jean Ross, Robert Ward, Ruby Jean Hughes, Betty June Davis, Burleigh Hill, Faye Lee, Mrs. Annie Laurie Whitehead, 2nd Row: Jeanette Nickols, Steve Harris, Dwight Kirkland, Bernard Jones, Delores Barnes, Suzannah Parker, Joann McLeod, Ruth Perry. 3rd Row: Paul Wall, Maxine Wise, Jean Murry, Margaret Overton, John Littlewood, Arthur Moore, Henry Matthews, 4th Row: Betty Jo Lassiter, Charlie Williamson, Robert Williams, Edith Perry, Jimmie Williams, Philip Modlin, Mary Jo Vaughan, Susie Tillery. 5th Row: Everette Livermon, Betty Smith, Shirley Schumaker, Betty Sue Ray, Mary Elizabeth Smith, Donald Harrell, James Smith, C. C. Rowe.
NOT PICTURED: Fred Nichols, Eddie Lawrence, Jimmie Raynor, Nancy Whedbee, Donna Roundy.

## School days, school days

## Good old golden rule days

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You wrote on my slate When we were a coupl


## Staff of the 1952 Chief



Julia Poe Parker, Carolyn Newsome, William Leary, Gene Nichols, Dee Hughes, Esther Ballentine, Standing. Charles Powell, Jimmie Sullivan, Ann Hill, Charles Dunn, David Holloman, Betty Jane Harris, Miss Deborah Brown, Mrs. Lois Brett, Seated.

## "The Chief"

Editor-in-Chief . . . . . . . Charles Dunn Associate Editor. . . . . . . Jimmie Sullivan Junior Editor . . . . . . . . . Dee Hughes Circulation Staff . . . . . . Esther Ballentine Gene Nichols Charles Powell
Business Staff . . . . . . . . . Anne Hill Betty Jane Harris Carolyn Newsome
Sports Staff . . . . . . . . . William Leary Julia Parker
Art Editor
Davíd Holloman
Sponsors.


At Work -

## THE AHOSKIE HIGH SCHOOL BAND



FLAG BEARERS: Margie Pritchard, Betty Jo Kiff, Mildred Williams, Barbara Mosely, Imogene Dilday. MAJORETTES: Bobby Guy, Martha Pearson, Katherine Godwin, "Dee" Hughes, Shirley Woodley, Paige Wood, Jackie Willoughby. CLARINETS: Harold Mitchell, Joe Matheson, Ralph Willoughby, Randolph Nichols, Merrill Evans, Pete Willoughby, Chuck Edwards, C. C. Rowe, Lloyd Alston, Stuart Williams, Charlene Willoughby, Dennis Nichols, Jimmy Early, Arthur Brown, Douglas White, Janice Alston. SAXAPHONES: Steve Lipsitz, Robert Lee Gatling, Fred Miller, Jennings Ruffin, Richard Odom. TRUMPETS: Charles Dunn, Gene Nichols, Wayne Lilly, J. B. Beamon, Jr., Charles Maddrey, T. J. Jernigan, Charlton Hall, Jimmy Hill, Grafton Beamon, L. K. Godwin, Jr. TROMBONES: Anne Hill, Horace Downs, Frankie Lassiter. BARITONES: Billy Bridgers, Floyd Bryan, Thomas Faison. FLUTES: Carol Whedbee, Sophic Faison. CYMBALS: Tommy Brown. DRUMS: Mildred Sexton, Katherine Odom, Jo Anne Sexton, Janet Mitchell, Robert Story, Charles Williford. HORNS: Betty Lou Brett, Barbara Overton, Margaret Cowan, Edna Speight, Joan Overton. BASSES: Bobby Smith, Sally Anne Barber, Richard Loive. BELLS: Mary Ann Jeter, Joanne Sparks, Gay Harrell.

BEFORE THE GAME


## THE MAJORETTES



1st Row: Bobbie Guy, Chief Majorette. 2nd Row: Shirley Woodley and Dee Hughes. 3rd Row: Paige Wood and Katherine Godwin. 4th Row: Jackie Willoughby and Martha Pearson.

## "WHO'S SHOWING WHO?"


"Thus is how it's done with DUNN" as Dırector Robert Browngives a lesson to one of his 90 pupils.
"I MEAN BUSINESS!"


Sterling Ruffin, a 45 lb . bundle of music and rhythm, the four year old son of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Ruffin, who has been a major attraction with the bandsince he first appeared with it on September 7, 1951.

## THE GLEE CLUB



Miss Martha Jean Modlin, Director. 1st Row: Jane McGee, Gloria Fretwell, Julia Godwin, Sally Moore, Martha Pearson, Iona Hill, Joanne Sparks, Agnes Byrum. 2nd Row: Jean Vaughan, Ann Gray, Judy McKeel, Joyce Coker, Sally Anne Barber, Carolyn Newsome, Betty Jo Kiff, Cora Mae Blowe, Pat Greene, Mildred Williams, Patsy Faison. 3rd Row: Anne Hill, Drexel Forsyth, Julia Parker, Betty Jane Harris, Frankie Lassiter, Margaret Dukes, Jeanette Bell, Emily Jernigan, Leora Godwin. 4th Row: Kerrae Stallings, Carolyr Riddick, Bobbie Guy, Joyce Godwin, Myra Phelps, Margie Pritchard, Dee Hughes, Mary Ann Dilday, Jean Holden.

## PRACTICE BEFORE THE "BIG NIGHT"



## OFFICE STAFF



Mrs. Myrtle Overton, Secretary to Principal (Seated), Iona Hill, Margaret Sumner, Ann White, Judy Mckeel, Julia Poe Parker, Betty Jane Harris, Dottic Britt, Margaret Dukes.

## LIBRARY ASSISTANTS



Seated: Dianne Upchurch, Jean Vaughan, Rachel Harrell. Standing: Charlene Willoughby, Louise Pope, Julia Godwin, Anne Burch, Miss Frances Gray, Librarian.

## The Pam-Wam



## The Staff of the Dam-Wam

Seated: Ann Gray, Assistant Feature Editor, Iona Hıll, News Editor; Charlene Willoughby, Associate Editor; Ann White, Editor; Charles Dunn, Sports Editor; David Holloman, Art Editor. Standing: Charles Sessoms, Feature Editor; Steve Coggins, Photographer, Drexel Forsythe, Assistant Circulation Manager; Edith Bracy, Circulation Manager; Jean Clark, Assistant Business Manager; Pat Jordan, Business Manager; Ben McKeel, Assistant Sport Editor; Mrs. M. A. Harrell, Advisor.


Seated: Betty Jane Harris, Julia Poe Parker, Randolph Modlin, Janet Mitchell, Reporters; Mrs. M. A. Harrell, Sponsor; Bessie Horton, Reporter. Standing: Esther Ballentine, Dorothy Mizelle, Reporters; Al Pierce, Assistant Circulation Manager, Ella Mae Ruffin, Reporter.

## The Beta Clula



1st Row: Chester Rogerson, Vice-President; Martha Pearson, Secretary; Mrs. Emma Martin, Sponsor; Dee Hughes, Treasurer; Charles Powell, President. 2nd Row: Carolyn Newsome, Drexel Forsyth, Betty Jane Harris, Julia Poe Parker, Margaret Dukes, Pat Greene, Anne Hill, Betty Jo Kiff, Jimmy Sullivan. 3rd Row: Esther Ballentine, Dottie Britt, Edith Bracy, Sally Ann Barber, Anne Taylor, Sara Willoughby, Shirley Ward, Frances Jones. 4th Row: Gladstone Harrell, Steve Lipsitz, Bobbie Guy, Katherine Odom, Joyce Godivin, LaMar Dilday, Harold Mitchell. Insert, Lower Left: Charles Sessoms and Iona Hill.

## Wark of the A.H.S. Betas



Ahoskie High School's Beta Club is affiliated with the national honor organization based on leadership, scholarship, and character. The thirty members of high school Beta Club are juniors and seniors who have maintained an average of 90 or above, throughout high school. Martha Pearson, local secretary, is also 1951 1952 District and State Beta Secretary.

MARTHA PEARSON

## Student Cauncil



Seated: Mr. Joe Lassiter, Advisor; Pat Greene, Vice President; Charlie Sessoms, President, Dickie Newsome, Secretary; Miss Deborah Brown, Advisor. Standing: Anne Hill, Anne Taylor, Betty Harris, Betty Ann Askew, Steve Lipsitz, Elbert Pritchard, Maurice Sullivan, Charles Maddrey, John Hughson, Martha Pearson, Julia Parker, James Modlin, Richard Odom, Bobby Guy, Katherine Godwin, Carol Whedbee, Dorothy Cobb, Jean Vaughan.

## Latin Clul



1st Row: Bobbie Guy, Jessie Asbell, Billy Liverman, Joe Keiningham, Robert Story. 2nd Row: Steve Lipsitz, Vice President, Katherine Odom, J. B. Beamon, III, Horace Downs, LaMar Dilday, Myra Phelps, Shirley Willoughby, 3rd Row: Charlie Sessoms, Secretary, Pat Greene, Assistant Secretary, Dickie Newsome, Bill Dunn, Margaret Dukes, Drexel Forsyth, Penelope Freeman. 4th Row: Dee Hughes, Program Chairman, Mary Ann Jeter, Carol Whedbee, Treasurer, Barbara Moseley, Reporter, Blanche Modlin, Ann Gray, Janet Mitchell. 5th Row: Betty Jo Kiff, President, Joyce Godwin, Betty Jane Harris, Esther Ballentine, Julia Parker, Jane Story, Carolyn Newsome. Standing: Anne Hill, T. J. Jernigan, Miss Deborah Brown, Sponsor. Not Pictured: William Leary, Gene Nichols.

## BUS DRIVERS



Kneeling: Len Taylor, Ray Doughtie, Curtis Nichols, Dudley Godwin, Dewey Parker. Standing: M.T. Britton, Sidney Mitchell, Curtis Howard, Robert Dilday, Randolph Modlin, William Leary.

## DRIVERS' EDUCATION



## Future Fomemakers of America



1st Row: Shirley Dilday, Linda Futrell, Sally Anne
 Barber, Maggie Alston, Sarah Willoughby, President; Ella Mae Barnes, Vice-President; Edith Bracy, Aln Gray, Treasurer; Anne Taylor. 2nd Row: Jeanette Bell, Dorothy Cobb, Agnes Bryum, Secretary; Sally Moore, Patsy Faison, Mary Ann Dilday, Miss Frances Newby, Advisor。3rd Row: Elizabeth Matthews, Janet Sumner, Imogene Dilday, Elsie Baily, Betty Ann Askew, Jane Fretwell, Mildred Williams, Gloria Fretwell, Mary Alice Holder. 4th Row: Dorothy Mizelle, Rachel Harrell, Jessie Rae Asbell, Evelyn Morris, Emily Jernigan, Leora Godwin, Kay Holder.


Ann Maynette Peterson Mascot


AT WORK

## Future Farmers of stmerica



1ST ROW: J. C. Lassiter, David Holloman, Reporter, Randolph Bracy, Secretary, Robert Early, Ray Doughtie, Billy Burch, Arthur Lee Horton, Thomas Minton, John Hughson, McCoy Britton, Tommy Barnes, Gerald Davis, Kenneth Johnson. 2ND ROW: Mr. L. C. Peacock, Adviser, Ray Cooke, Eugene Hughson, Raymond Harmon, Shirley Brown, Merrill Belch, William Greene, Larry Wynns, Billy Rogerson, Harold Ruffin, William Harrell, Craig Castello, Elbert Pritchard, Vice-President, Thomas Lewis, Billy Jenkins, Cobin Livermon, Billy Rose, Joseph Nichols. 3RD ROW:: Bobby Belch, Dank Hudson, Fred Downs, A. J. Harrell, John Perry, Didney Mitchell, Curtis Howard, Robert Dilday, M. T. Britton, Kendred Williams, Randolph Modlin, Carl Brown, Elmer Johnson, Treasurer, 4THROW: Frances Benthall, James Conner, Bernie Jones, A. T. Byrum, Bobby Williford, Tommy Trevathan, Dudley Codwin, President.

## In the Warkshop




## 4-7 Clule

FIRST ROW: Ann Taylor, Charles Dunn, Sara Willoughby, David Holloman, Barbara Mosely, Dewey Parker, Thomas Edwards, Sally Moore, Chester Rogerson, Imogene Dilday. SECOND ROW: Kendred Williams, Raleigh Baker, Bill Dunn, M. T. Britton, Robert Story, Bobby Dickerson, Elmer Johnson, William Leary, Judy McKeel, Joyce Coker. THIRD ROW: Curtis Nichols, Pat Jordan, Ben McKeel, Curtis Howard, Len Taylor, Sideny Mitchell, Jimmy Holloman, Esther Ballentine, Ella Mae Barnes, Linda Futrell. FOURTH ROW: James Modlin, Billy Bridgers, Steve Coggins, Horace Downs, Thomas Faison, Johnny Lind, Eugene Hughson, Robert Earley. FIFTH ROW: Ray Doughtie, Dudley Godwin, Charles Powell, Pete Willoughby, Henry Horton, Dorothy Mizelle, Janet Sumner, Evelyn Morris, Sally Ann Barber, Carolyn Riddick. SIXTH ROW: Agnes Byrum, Mary Ann Dilday, Katherine Godwin, Paige Wood, Dorothy Cobb, Mary Jane Mathews, Elsie Mizelle, Mary Alice Holder, Janice Alston, Peggy Bracy. SEVENTH ROW: Rachel Harrell, Betty Ann Williams, Jeannette Bell, Jane McGee, Dianne Upchurch, Gloria Fretwell.


## Cheerleaders



Iona Hill, Carolyn Newsome, Julia Poe Parker, Earle Raynor, Dottie Britt, Jean Vaughan, and Pat Greene. During football season "Dank" Hudson and Bobby Belch.

## The Cafeteria



CAFETERIA WORKERS
1ST ROW: Mrs. Berta Barber, Supervisor; Mrs. Beulah Byrd, Mrs. Mary Parker. 2ND ROW: Mrs. Nina Rogers, Mary Eason, Leola Brown.


## A Viem of the Athletic Field



The "Press Box" and the section of permanent bleechers that was built this past season. In the near future this type of bleechers will surround the field.

## The Campus



A view of the Ahoskie High School Campus, looking south west. The picture shows the north wing and the main building.
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## School days, school days

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## N.C.H.S.A.A. CLASS "A" CHAMPIONS--1951



1ST ROW: Harding Wood, Charlie Sessoms, Charles Powell, Raleigh Baker, Elmer Johnson, Jimmie Holloman, Chester Rogerson, William Leary, David Leary. 2ND ROW: Dickie Newsome, Albert Vaughan, LaMar Dilday, Bobby Dickinson, James Travis, Carl Brown, Carroll Credle, Francis Benthall, John Perry, Dewey Parker, Junior Hoggard. 3RD ROW: A1 Pierce, Pat Jordon, Gladstone Harrell, Kenneth Johnson, T. J. Jernigan, Bill Dunn, Linwood Daniels, Tommy Mitchell, Joe Keiningham.

## THE SEASON REVIEWED



Coach Freeman

Ahoskie High School's mighty 1951 gridiron Indians fought through a nine-game schedule and three post-season games to capture the conference championship and the State Class A championship. The team as a unit was determined to be champions and this they did with flying colors.

With the help of our great coaches and the unfaltering team spirit, our mighty team molded into a unit which could not be stopped. This they did not do in just a day. It took long hours and a lot of hard work from the players and the coaches to do what they accomplished.

The team was not a team of one or two stars, but one of which every man was a star. With this and the ability to block and tackle, the team left behind a record which will long be remembered as one of the greatest teams in the history of sports at Ahoskie.


Coach Young


## SCORING

The mighty Indians scored during the season a total of 286 points while only allowing the opponents a total of 62 . The Indians crossed the goal line 42 times and made good on 18 of 42 extra points.

Leading the individual scoring for the mighty Indians were Backs, Harding Wood and Albert Vaughan, with 119 and 72 points, respectively.

Third in the scoring parade was Dickie Newsome, quarterback, with a total of 25. Fourth in scoring and tops among the pass-catching ends, William Leary scored three touchdowns and two extra points. Following the first four high scorers were Al Pierce with 18, Tommy Williamson 12, and Pat Jordan, Jimmie Holloman, and Dewey Parker each had six points.

## INDIAN IN ACTION



Raleigh Baker Guard

The mighty lndians opened the 1951 Season on September 4, by traveling to Scotland Neck. The first game was notout standing, because even though the defensive unit was stong the offensive was shaky. Nevertheless they brought home victory, with a 14 0 score.

## RICH SQUARE

The first home game was played the following week, when the Indians scalped the Rich Square Devils 24-7.

## SCOTLAND NECK

Rich Squre Devils 24 -

Jimmie Holloman Guard; Co-captain; All Conference; Honorable Mention All-State.

## "ON THE WARPATH"



## SPRING HOPE

The Spring Hope Raiders got their revenge with a 7-6 victory over the Indians on the Raiders home Field. The defesnive unit played its usual good game, but the offensive had butter fingers, which hindered in the progressive movements.

## PERQUIMANS

After the first defeat the lndians couldn't seem to get back into the winning column. The Perquimans Indians with a little addition help defeated the lndians 15-6. Even though the score seemed a little one sided, both teams played football the way it should be played.
"The Leary Brothers" David and William; Ends; The Latter made Honorable Mention All-State.

Charles Powell Tackle


## "ALL EASTERN IN THE MAKING"



TARBORO
On October 5, the Indians shifted into low gear with a victory over the Tarboro Tigers by a score of $28--14$.

## CENTRAL HIGH

The Indians had a easy slip into second gear when they scalped Central High of Elizabeth City 31-0.


Lamar Dilday End

Carroll Credle End


Dewey Parker and Charlie Sessoms Ends


## PULLING A "HANK SNOW"



PLYMOUTH
Now the mighty Indians have shifted into high gear. In this game the lndians showed that they were well drilled on the fundamentals of blocking, tackling and running. By these things the Indians came home victorious with a score of 33-7.

## COLUMBIA

The previously undefeated Columbia eleven was stumped by the Indians on their home gridiron with the final score of 35-0.


Chester Rogerson
Tackle: All-Conference


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Linwood Daniels Tackle


Bobby Dickerson
Tackle; Honorable Mention All-State

## HOW DID THEY GET THERE?



WILLIAMSTON
The high-light of the season was when the Indians played their homecoming game with Williamston, who went down to defeat 12-0. This game put the Indians in a three way tie for the Albermale Conference Title.

Carl Brown Center


PLAY -OFF WITH RICH SQUARE
In the second encounter of the season with Rich Square, the Aboskie eleven defeated the Red Devils 33-6 for the Northeastern Championship.


Tommy Mitchell and Ilarding Wood
Backs; The latter make Honorable Mention All-State; AllConference.


Elmer fohmson Center

## HE WENT ALL THE WAY!




Dickie Newsome

Back; Honorable Mention All-State

## MASSEY HILL

In the Eastern play-offs Ahoskie met and defeated a very rough and aggressive Massey Hill team 12-6. This game made Ahoskie the Eastern Class A Champions and gave them the right to play Walnut Cove the Western Champions for the State Championship.


Pat Jordan, Back

## WALNUT COVE

Climaxing a great football season the Indians proved their power by defeating the Walnut Cove Wildacts 52-0, in the Class A North Carolina Championship on the Ahoskie Athletic field.

## 1951 JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL SQUAD



Pictured from left to right. FIRST ROW: Fred Bracy, Joe Blowe, Pat Britton, Fred Miller, Pete Willoughby, Jack Bunch, Richard Lowe, Ray Lassiter, Jimmy Early. SECOND ROW: Dan Ross, Jimmy Hill, Billy Rogerson, Carlton Hall, Charles Maddry, Richard Odom, William David Harrell, Floyd Bryan. THIRD ROW: Ralph Willoughby, Bernie Credle, Joe Mathewson, James Modlin, Charles Howell, Henry Horton, Hal Liverman. NOT PICTURED: Johnny Johnson, Larry Wynne, Joseph Nichols, Randolph Nichols, Ralph Harrell, Tommy Trevathan, Billy Bunch, McCoy Britton.

## JAYVEE'S SEASON REVIEWED



Ahoskie High School hadits first Junior Varsity football team this year and like the first season for any activity, the season was spent in laying the foundation for future operations. The first few weeks were devoted to conditioning exercises and getting the squad organized so as to begin practicing football fundamentals. The squad was only partially equipped for the first several weeks and that held back the heavier drills until about mid-season when everyone became moreor less outfitted. It obtained fifteen new uniforms and with several that had previously been used by the varsity, the squad was pretty well equipped. With only a few weeks remaining in the season the squad began preparing for its first game which was to be played with Rich Square. They lost that game, 2l-0 and were later defeated, 25-13 by the Franklin, Va. Junior Varsity.

## Bayd Basketball 7eam



FIRST ROW (left to right): Coach Young, Harding Wood, James Travis, Albert Vaughan, Carroll Credle, William Leary, Charlic Seesoms. SECOND ROW (left to right): Al Pierce, Pat Jordan, Dickie Newsome, David Leary, Ben McKeel, Bobby Belch.

INDIVIDUAL SCORING
Player
Points
Albert Vaughan 314
William Leary 292
Harding Wood 151
Charlie Sessoms 108
James Travis 106
Carroll Credle 94
Bobby Belch 46
Pat Jordan 44
David Leary 27
Ben McKeel 25
Dickie Newsome 19
Al Pierce 14
Jimmy Holloman 11
T. J. Jernigan

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## Seasan Reuiemed

The Ahoskie High Indians maintained their good coaching and athletic ability in the 1951-52 basketball season. The team left in the score books records of 17 victories many of which will long be remembered at Ahoskie High, and seven defeats.

The Indians scored a total of 1252 points during their 24 game season while allowing the opponents only 911.

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CHARLIE BESOMS
center

HARDING WOOD guard

ALBERT VAUGHAN guard
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WILLIAM LEARY forward

## High Flying 7eam

The Ahoskie Indians maintained its good coaching and athletic ability in the 1951-52 basketball season. The Indians left in the score books the record of 17 victories, many of which will long be remembered, and seven defeats.

After only five days of practice the Indians opened their season against Gatesville. The Ahoskie quintet showed they were the "team" that was going to be hard to beat, by defeating Gatesville 38-28. Next the Indians met and defeated Gaston 63-10.

The Ahoskie team won the Ahoskie Holidav Tournament during the Christmas Holidays by defeating Roxobel-Kelford 67-27; Bear Grass, 40-36; and Conway, 40-34.

Coming back from the Christmas Holidays, the Ahoskie Indians received their first setback of the season. "With the help of their football experience $"$, Scotland Neck defeated the Indians, 40-30. Following the defeat at the hands of the Scots, the Indians again tasted defeat, this time at the hands of Roanoke Rapids, by the score, 41-39.


What is he up in the AIR about?

## The Game is an

In the next game the Indians got revenge by defeating the Scotland Neck team by a smashing score of 59-43. The Indians were again put in the loss column by another two points decision at the hands of Roanoke Rapids, 42-40. Then the Indians rolled back into high gear by defeating Bath, 73-45, W'illiamston, 51-36, and Murfreesboro, 6639. Roxoboro gave the Ahoskie tearn its next taste of defeat with a 56-48 score.

Bethel (65-51), Perquimans High of Hentford (55-51), and Williamston (47-31) fell in succession before the Indian massacre. Next, the Ahoskie quintet traveled to Bethel and came home with the short end of a 6744 score.

The Ahoskie squad hit the win column again by defeating Rich Square 39-35. Durfreesboro followed suit and fell 58-54. Salemburg completed the Indians regular season with the Indians winning 57-55.

In the District Four State Class A Playoffs held in Ahoskic, the Indians fell in the first round to Janesville 39-33.



David 1,eary, center


HERE'S HOPING

## 1951-52 Maidens Baskethall Team <br> ANNE HILL Forward <br>  <br> JULIA POE PARKER Forward <br> 

BETTY JANE HARRIS
Guard
JEAN CLARK
Forward

## Seasan Reuiemed

The Maidens have now completed one of the outstanding years of girls basketball in Ahoskie High School; even though they did not win all the games,


EARLE RAYNOR
Guard

## Good Suck to the 7eam of 1952-53

MARGARET DUKES
Guard

BETTY HARRIS Guard

The next defeat came from Rich Square, one of the better teams of this section. In a return game with Murfreesboro the Maidens got their revenge by beating them two points that were made in the last seconds of the game. In the final game of the season the Maidens were defeated by Windsor, Even though they were defeated, they made the highest score of the season in the game.

To the first three forwards and one guard, who are Seniors, we say "thanks", because you played the game with fine spirit and played for the team and not for yourselves. To the team of next season--GOOD LUCK!


## 1951-52 Games

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Ahoskie 24
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Ahoskie 19
Ahoskie 32
Ahoskie 54
Gatesville ..... 33
Gaston ..... 24
Scotland Neck ..... 55
Roanoke Rapid ..... 67
Scotland Neck ..... 50
Roanoke Rapids ..... 38
Columbia ..... 36
Hertford ..... 52
Gatesville ..... 22
Williamston ..... 30
Murfreesboro ..... 34
Bethel ..... 28
Hertford ..... 27
Williamston ..... 26
Bethel ..... 41
Rich Square ..... 45
Murfreesboro ..... 30
Windsor ..... 69

## Indiuidual Scoring

PLAYER
ANNE HLL
JEAN CLARK
JULIA PARKER
ANNE GRAY
EARL RAYNOR
MARGARET DUKES
DOTTIE BRITT
MILDRED WILLIAMS
BETTY JANE HARRIS
JEAN VAUGHAN

JEAN CLARK

## Edé Note!

These girls, Anne Gray, Jean Vaughan, Mildred Williams, Myra Phelps, Betty Jo Kiff, and Carolyn Riddick, were also members of the 1951-52 Ahoskie girls basketball team who should have had their pictures in the annual. but because of the lack of photographs, we were unable to include these.
JULIA PARKER

## School days, school days

## Good old golden pule days

## Readin' 'n' 'nitin' 'n' 'rithmetic



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## AROUND AND ABOUT A.H.S. IN SNAPSHOTS



## HAVE YOU EVER?

## SNAPSHOTS cont.



## School days, school days

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## I was your bashful barefoot beau

## You were my gal in calico



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