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The Senior Class

Clayton High School

1951

Charles Stewart Editor Gilliam Underwood Business Manager



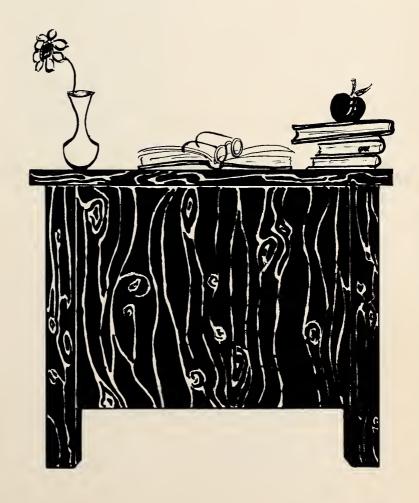


Dedication

We, the senior class of 1951, dedicate our annual to Mrs. Janie Gulley, who is better known to us as "Miss Janie", for her love and efforts in starting many of us in school. Most of us remember, with deep gratitude the patient and unending help that she gave us in the first grade, and the many noble years of training that she has given countless children in her hometown, Clayton.



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MARGARET McMILLAN Science-Home Economics



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NORVELLE BRYAN Music

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Mrs. Madaline Sanders



Mrs. Clifton Poole



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Treasure Of Memories

Awake dear Senior Class, our day has dawned, The day for which we all have longed. We started out twelve years ago, Not realizing how fast they would go.

Each year we learned something more, Of the earth's wonders galore. Some things we learned we like to boast, Others we just like to hold close.

Fun, we've had that too, By doing things we were taught to do. Grade school days now are o'er, In High School we must study more.

With fifty two on our roll, The bell for our ninth year did toll. Something new had been added now, Basketball we learned to play and how!

We worked very hard and at last, Our ninth year had passed. To the tenth grade, oh happy day, But we had lost some on the way.

Even so, we've got our goal, The Daisy Chain for the Seniors we must hold. To the eleventh grade now look our way, We got our class rings today.

And now the day is here, As the Senior Class we fill so near. We've learned to love each other dear, Their memories will always be near.

But our teachers we've not forgot, We owe them such a lot, For teaching us and being our friends, For sticking with us to the end.

Now to Dear Old Clayton High, We must say goodby. Some of us will laugh, some will cry, But in this world to do our best, we'll try.

> Betty Jean Harper Class Poet

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SENIORS





Senior Class Officers



WHIT BAIN Treasurer



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President



BETSY ANN CANADY Secretary



LEXINE THOMPSON
Reporter



CHARLES STEWART Vice-President

CLASS COLORS
Blue and White

CLASS FLOWER Pink Carnation

CLASS MOTTO
"With the ropes of the past we'll
ring the bells of the future."



TROY NORRIS, JR.

"Nothing cooks your
goose quicker than a
boiling temper."

4-H Club 1,2; Junior
Play 3; Safety Patrol 4.

RUTH SHERRON

"Red"

"Hair so red-shining bright, That Ruth
Sherron is quite a
sight."

Glee Club 3,4; Beta
Club 3,4; Marshal
3; Junior Play 3.





CHARLOTTE
TRUELOVE
"Smilie"
"She's full of pep,
she's full of glee,
Where there's a smile
she's sure to be."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Home
Ec. Club 1,2,3; Hi Lite
Staff 2,4; Co-Captain
3; Softball 1,2; Annual
4.



LAURA LEE
BARBOUR
"Though friends may
go, and friends may
come, you'll never
find a truer chum."

JIMMY BARBOUR
"To worry little, to
study less, this is
my idea of happiness."

Baseball 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Glee
Club 2,3,4; Hi Lite
Staff 4; May Court 2.





JIMMY GORDON
"To be happy is to enjoy friendship in life."
Basketball Team I;
Oak Ridge 2.

VIOLA WHEELER
"Bee"
"Quiet, yet happy,
ambitious and sweet,
she makes friendship a wonderful
treat." Home Ec.
Club 1,2,3; 4-H
Club 1.



WHIT BAIN
"Don't do today what
you can put off 'till
tomorrow."
Glee Glub 2,4; Beta
Glub 2,3,4; Baseball
1,2,4; Treasurer 4;
May Court 2; VicePresident 1; Hi Lite
Staff 4.





JOYCE ELLIS
"When Joyce overturns her tickle box,
she laughs and laughs
until the rafters rock."
Home Economics 2;
Spanish Friend Club 3,
4; Glee Club 4; Marshal 3; Class Historian
4.

BETTY EDWARDS
"Betty's smile is
something which
seems to say-You
are my friend and
I like you more each
day."
Home Ec. Club 1,2,
3; Softball 1,2.





ALICE TALTON

"Alice gives us her sparkling wit, with laughter enclosed in her own special kit."

Home Ec. Club 1,2;
Glee Club 1,2.

MARJORIE FORD
"Making my life
worthwhile by giving others a smileall this and friendliness too." Glee
Club 1,2,3,4; Home
Ec. Club 1,2; Annual
Staff 4.





MARY LEE JOHNSON
"With eyes so blue-complexion fair--She
caught her man, when
he stopped to stare."
Home Ec. Club 1,2;
President Home Ec.
Club 2; Secretary Class
3; Beta Club 3,4; Glee
Club 3,4; Junior Play
3; Chief Marshal 3;
News Editor Annual 4.



REX LEE
"Be On Time".

JEAN DAUGHTRY
"All good things
come around to her
who will but wait."
Home Ec. Club 1,2;
Home Ec. Club Reporter 2; Junior Play
3; 4-H Club 1,2,3.





BETTY JEAN HARPER
"Tootsie"
"Dependable, quiet,
and sweet, Makes a
lovely lady quite complete."
Home Ec. Club 2;
Junior Play 3; Glee
Club 4.

lub 4.
CLAUDIA CARROLL
"Tee"
"Life, dear child,
is what you make it."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4;
Home Ec. Club 1,2;
Basketball 1.



LEXINE THOMPSON
"To live today the
life, you plan for tomorrow."
Glee Club 3,4; Beta
Club 3,4; Marshal 3;
Reporter 3,4; Treasurer 1,2; Cheerleader
2; Junior Play 3; Editor of Hi Lite 4.





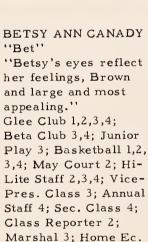
JANIE STEPHENSON "Snux"

"What's that packagesmall-of little height? Why, gracious, Janie Stephenson--dynamite!" Home Economics 1,2,3; Cheerleader 3,4; Junior Play 3; Class Reporter 1.

T. G. BARBOUR
"Do as you are
told, not as I have
done."







Club 1,2.



CHARLES STEWART
"You can do almost
anything, if you try
hard enough."
Beta Club 2,3,4; Glee
Club 2,3,4; Hi Lite
Staff 1,2,3,4; Treasurer 3; Vice-President 4; Annual Staff 4;
Junior Play 3; Marshal 3.



GILLIAM
UNDERWOOD
"Always be Happy"
Basketball 1,2,3,4;
Class President 1,
3,4; Baseball 1,2;
Beta Club 2,3,4;
President of Beta
Club 4; Glee Club
2,3,4; Annual Staff
4; Hi Lite Staff 3,4;
Marshal 3; Junior
Play 3.

Class History

We, the Senior class of 1950, looking backward through the long years of our history in school, feel that we really have a great deal of appreciation to express to our parents, our teachers, and to Mr. Welch, who showed so much thoughtfulness and patience in setting the sails for our long voyage in life.

The year 1939, we were a group of little children, beginning our struggle up the ladder of school years-twelve long years. Miss Janie Gulley and Miss Massey were our first teachers, the ones who really had a great deal to do with putting our feet on the right path. We will always be grateful to them for the many patient hours they gave to us.

We traveled along well in school, and each year found us with a new room and a new teacher, most of whom we liked.

We lost Jimmy Gordon in the third grade, but when we reached the fifth, we gained Jimmy Barbour, Whit Bain, and Ruth Sherron, who proved to be grand additions to our class.

We climbed our ladder through Grammar School and finally reached grade eight, where we gained Marjorie Ford, Cleo Jones, and Mary Lou Catlett. There we had Mrs. Otho Gulley for a teacher; she broadened our outlook on life and prepared us for high school.

The fall of 1947 found a group of fifty very green freshmen entering high school. We had that year, Miss Elizabeth Spears, as our homeroom teacher. By her able assistance, along with the help of Miss Ferrell, Miss Layton, Mr. Crutchfield and Mr. Welch we finally came through.

We were very happy our first year in high school to be able to join clubs and take part in other high school activities, which made us feel a little less "green".

It was with glad hearts that we arrived in the tenth grade, knowing that we had really accomplished something. Although we were not sure exactly what, we decided it was passing Algebra that first year.

Miss Godley, a new member of the faculty, was our teacher. She taught us a lot of Chemistry and left such lasting impressions on the girls as how to be good housekeepers. Miss Reel, Mrs. Young, Miss Majette and Mr. Crutchfield also taught us our other very interesting subjects.

Our greatest thrill of the tenth grade came when we carried the rose chain for the Seniors at graduation.

The expression "Jolly Juniors" really applied to us in grade eleven. We felt that we had really climbed in high school, although we had lost Whit Bain, Mary Lou Catlett, Cleo Jones and Kenneth Brown, who had moved away to other schools. We also lost Joseph Capps, who left school to join the U.S. Air Force, but Jimmy Gordon came back to be one of us.

With Mrs. Mary Young as our able instructor, we had a successful year. Under her guidance we gave our Junior Play, "The Girl from Missouri", which everyone seemed to enjoy. Then too, we entertained the Seniors at a banquet, the theme of which was "Hitch Your Wagon to A Star"; it took a lot of work, but we all enjoyed playing host to the Seniors.

Looking ahead to our last year of high school, we happily passed from grade eleven.

At last the long awaited day arrived! Hurrah! We are Seniors. We have climbed the ladder, we have reached the top, and as all Seniors we are very proud of that fact.

This last year we were twenty-three in number, having gained Laura Lee Barbour, who we were very glad to have join our class.

Miss Aileen Reel, our much admired Senior teacher, has helped us a great deal more than we know. She was a great source of advice while we were working on our annual for 1951. She was also the director of our Senior Play "Deacon Dubbs", which we presented with a great deal of enthusiasm, even though it took a lot of practice.

We cannot forget our other teachers of this last year, Miss Majette, Mr. Hicks, Mr. Stephenson, and our principal, Mr. Welch, who were strong staffs for us to lean upon, when we needed advice or aid.

This last year has been filled with a great many different activities, but we have come smiling through. We are looking forward to our long awaited trip to Washington, D. C. We know it will be a trip we Seniors will enjoy very much, even if it will be the last one we Seniors will take together.

As it comes time for us to part, we are made very sad to think that we have finished our history of school years, but we know that we have only begun our life's history, which we hope will be a happy one to brighten the world for other school children to come.

Joyce Ellis Class Historian

Prophecy

Again it is time to drop the present and think of the future. Let us look at the things the seniors of '51 are contributing to the modern world of 1975.

First, we find in the principal's office, the secretary, Viola Wheeler, who tells us that we may speak with the principal, Alice Talton, in a few minutes!

Whoever thought Rex Lee and his wife, Betty Harper would live in sunny Florida all winter. Oh well he can, he owns Bartex Spinning Company.

Science indeed was an asset to Laura Lee Barbour. She is now one of the laboratory technicians at Walter Reed Hospital.

We see on the school bulletin board a sign which proudly announces, "President Gilliam Underwood will address the Beta members of the Clayton chapter Monday, November 23, 1975."

Mrs. Charles Stevens, the former Betsy Canady, takes a great interest in the school. I guess it's because they have twelve children attending!

Well, here we find poor Charles Stewart concentrating on his plans for an oxygen bomb. He has been working on it for seventeen years.

My, what a car! This is Jimmy Gordon's original hot rod, however, he is designer for General Motors.

Jean Daughtry, our thought to be nurse, changed her mind and is now modeling for Macy's in New York.

A glance into the 1975 newspaper and we read, "Marjorie Ford, soloist, gives her seventh concert in the Metropolitan Opera." Tickets are on sale now at Jimmy Barbour's Music Shop on Fifth Avenue.

Miss Reel, our former English-Spanish teacher, has retired and Mary Lee Johnson has taken her place.

Ruth Sherron is now playing the main role in MGM's "Return to Clayton." I hear that Senator Joyce Ellis and Ambassador T. G. Barbour have been attending quite a few dinners at Joyce's home in New York.

Lexine's future turned out quite differently, although she finds being a maid for the president a pleasant job.

The president of the Grey Hound Corporation, Troy Norris, is recuperating in Rex Hospital from a heart attack. His nurse, Claudia Carroll is standing by his side.

Whit Bain, one of the best druggists in the U.S., is resting up after visiting his drugstores in Chicago and San Francisco.

Betty Edwards, who after twenty years of teaching decided that marriage is good, even in old age.

We read now in the newspaper that Charlotte Truelove and Mr. H. E. Jones are honeymooning in Florida after twenty seven years of courtship.

Janie Grace is modeling for Jean's in Raleigh. You'd never guess that she only models Jantzen bathing suits.

So ends the prophecy for the Seniors of '51. Seriously, whether we are doing these things in 1975 or not we are wishing each other a successful future.

Lexine Thompson

Prophet



Most Athletic

Gilliam Underwood
Charlotte Truelove



Cutest
Janie Stephenson
Rex Lee



Most Courteous
Claudia Carroll
Troy Norris



Mascots
Tommy Barbour
Carol Ann Beard



Most Studious

Mary Lee Johnson
Charles Stewart



Wittiest
Alice Talton
Troy Norris



Rest Dressed
Ruth Sherron
T. G. Barbour



Most Handsome & Prettiest
Ruth Sherron
Jimmy Barbour



Best all around

Betsy Canady Gilliam Underwood



Most Dependable

Jimmy Gordon Betty Harper



Most Likely To Succeed

Lexine Thompson Charles Stewart



Most Popular

Whit Bain
Janie Stephenson

Last Will and Testament

State of North Carolina County of Johnston City of Clayton Clayton High School May 21, 1951

We, the Senior Class of 1950-51 of Clayton school realize that our school days will soon come to an end. We feel that members of our class are endowed with many valuables, so we will and bequeath them to the following people, who we think will use them to the best advantage.

ARTICLE I

We, the Seniors, leave our most sincere thanks and gratitude to our mothers and fathers, our principal, our teachers, and to all the others who have made possible this much of our education.

ARTICLE II

Section 1. To the Juniors we leave our homeroom teacher and our enjoyment of many senior activities with her.

Section 2. To the Sophomores we bequeath our co-operative ways and quiet manners.

Section 3. To the Freshmen we bequeath three more happy years of school.

ARTICLE III

- Section 1. Joyce Ellis bequeaths her happy thoughts to Sam Beddingfield.
- Section 2. Mary Johnson bequeaths her beautiful blue eyes to Jeanette Hill.
- Section 3. Betsy Canady bequeaths her love for Charles Stevens to Betsy Ragland and Billy Hinton.
- Section 4. Jimmy Gordon bequeaths his ability to keep the newest style cars to Proctor Lee.
- Section 5. Betty Jean Harper bequeaths her poetic ability to Joe Barbour.
- Section 6. Janie Stephenson bequeaths her ability to get along with Gilliam Underwood to Ann Austin.
- Section 7. Alice Talton bequeaths her blond curls to Camilla Wall, providing Camilla will not peroxide them.
- Section 8. Charlotte Truelove leaves her basketball shoes to Adair Whisenhunt-Adair guard those girls!
- Section 9. Rex Lee bequeaths getting to school on time to Mary Alice Canady.
- Section 10. Jimmy Barbour bequeaths his pretty black hair to Phillip Fish, providing Phillip will keep it combed.
- Section 11. Viola Wheeler bequeaths her brotherly love affair to Frances Barbour.
- Section 12. Troy Norris bequeaths his "On the Side" subject to Larry Ross.
- Section 13. Claudia Carroll bequeaths her make-up kit with the directions to Janice Crumpler, hoping that she will win the title of "Miss Clayton" next year.
- Section 14. Jean Daughtry bequeaths her cute ways and winning smile to Annie Ruth Strickland.
 - Section 15. T. G. Barbour bequeaths his shortness to Ellen Dale Byrd.
 - Section 16. Whit Bain bequeaths his winning personality to Dan Knott.
 - Section 17. Betty Edwards bequeaths her ability to clerk to Shirley Hill.
- Section 18. Marjorie Ford bequeaths her ability to learn Chemistry to Harold Lee Hicks.

Section 19. Lexine Thompson bequeaths her "Baby Talk" to Clark Davis. Section 20. Ruth Sherron bequeaths her friendly and sweet disposition to Hazel Jones.

Section 21. Gilliam Underwood bequeaths his ability of leadership to Elbert Clay Newton.

Section 22. Laura Lee Barbour leaves her quiet ways to Doris Daughtry. Section 23. Charles Stewart leaves his studious ways to Jesse Harrison.

Now that each senior has left one of his important valuables to someone else, we begin to hear a bell of the future. As the bell gets louder and louder, we realize that we have come to a new phase in life. May every one of the Seniors pick a useful place in life in which he will be proud to live.

Alice Talton Class Testator



Not crazy - just a little off the handle!



We'll be in the city by midnight; we can be married.



Rawdon Crawley, you are my prisoner!



Curtain call - Whole cast, including Village Singers.

Senior Play

The Senior play, "Deacon Dubbs," directed by Miss Aileen Reel, was presented Friday evening February 23, 1951. The laughable adventures of the Deacon furnished a highly successful evening of fun. The following made up the cast:

| Danner Dubba | 4 1 ** 1 | |
|-------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Deacon Dubbs | | |
| Amos Coleman | Young Lawyer | Charles Stewart |
| Rawdon Crawley | | |
| Major McNutt | | |
| Deuteronomy Jones | Country Lad | Troy Norris |
| Rose Raleigh | | |
| Philipena Popover | | |
| Emily Dale | | |
| Trixie Coleman | | |
| Yennie Yensen | | |

Senior Play



OH, THE MAJOR'S GOT A RED EAR - CHOOSE YOUR GIRL!

Deacon Dubbs



FOLKS, LET'S HAVE A LITTLE MORE MUSIC, WHILE WE FINISH THE HUSKING.

JUNIORS







SAM BEDDINGFIELD President



DAPHENE ALLEN



ANN CHARLES AUSTIN BARBOUR



FRANCES BARBOUR



JOE BARBOUR



BETSY RAGLAND Vice-President



LEAMON BENSON



LEONA BENSON



HAROLD CRABTREE



MARGARET CROWDEN



MAMIE DAVIS



MARY ALICE CANADY Secretary



PHILLIP FISH



BETTY HAMILTON



FRANCES HARPER



LEXINE **JONES**



SELMADINE KING



DORIS DAUGHTRY Treasurer



DAN KNOTT



LEONARD MOORE



TROY PAGE



DONALD **PHILLIPS**



LARRY **ROSS**



ELLENDALE BYRD Reporter



ELBERT CLAY DOUGLAS NEWTON



HARRISON



JESSE HARRISON



CAMILLA WALL



ADAIR WHISENHUNT



"Looking Back Ten Years"

Can we really have become so grown-up in just ten short years? What were we little Queens and Kings of the second grade thinking of that day? That photographer must have truly charmed us!

Now look at Alice, doesn't she look contented. I guess maybe she didn't get a spanking that day.

But what about Betsy, she looks lost, as if her best friend had just stolen her sweetheart.

But oh Mary Lee! what secret do you know?

Gilliam, why must you frown so, there'll be another day.

I should think Charlotte is making goo-goo eyes at the cameraman.

Charles Stewart and Jimmy Gordon are so serious. They're probably thinking of some spelling word they missed day before yesterday.

What fun and memories this old snapshot brings back to the seniors as they reminisced. Fellow students and parents, did we really look like this?

SOPHOMORES







Helen Austin



William Bagley



Elmona Benson



Marilyn Blinson



Janice Crumpler



Anna Belle Cole



Peggy Faison



Larue Harrison



Bobby Dodd President



Judson Pulley Vice-President



L. B. Wall Secretary



William Sherron Treasurer



Tom Duncan Reporter



Emily Barden



William Bedford



Bobby Blinson



Raymond Capps



Clark Davis



Mildred Deans



Martha A. Harrison



Jeanette Hill



Shirley Hill William Holder Jack Holt Billy Johnson Hazel Johnson Hazel Jones



Duke Jones Ruby Jean Jones Lamar Lee Larry Johnson Josephine Medlin



Edna Minns Beatrice Pounds Mary A. Stephenson Shirley Stephenson Betty Stewart

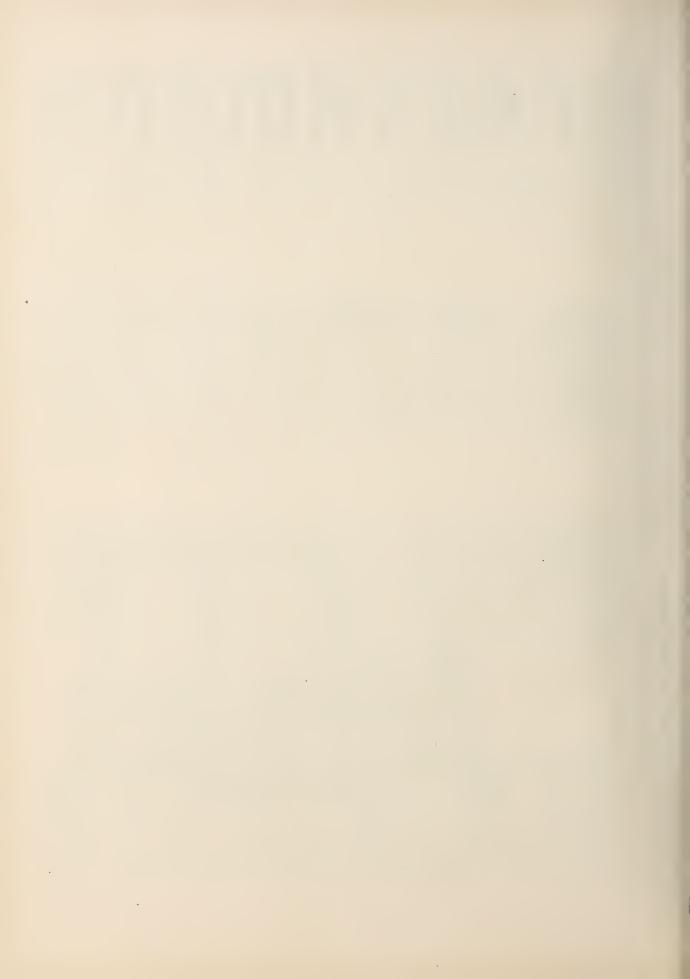


Annie R. Strickland Belvia Tolbert Jean Welch

Johnny Welch Lee Ray Worley

FRESHMEN







Bobby McClaine President



Joe Myres Vice-Pres.



Winford Hall Secretary



Peggy Nicholas Treasurer



Jimmy Moore Reporter



Charles Adams



Janet Allen



Ray Barbour



Iris Beasley



Billy Bennett



Edward Benson



Stanley Brinkley



Swade Callahan



Barbara Clayton



Treasure Coats



Kenneth Edwards



Charles Gordon



Harold Hicks



David Hill



Patricia Hockaday



Shirley Hogg









Katherine Howell

Iona Johnson

Spencer Johnson Dorothy Jones



MARTHA JONES



JOYCE LAMBERT



BETSY LEE



MAX LEE



PROCTER LEE



FRANCES MITCHELL



BETSY MOORE



CAROLINE NELSON



A.C. PENNY



FRANCES POLLARD



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MARY POWELL



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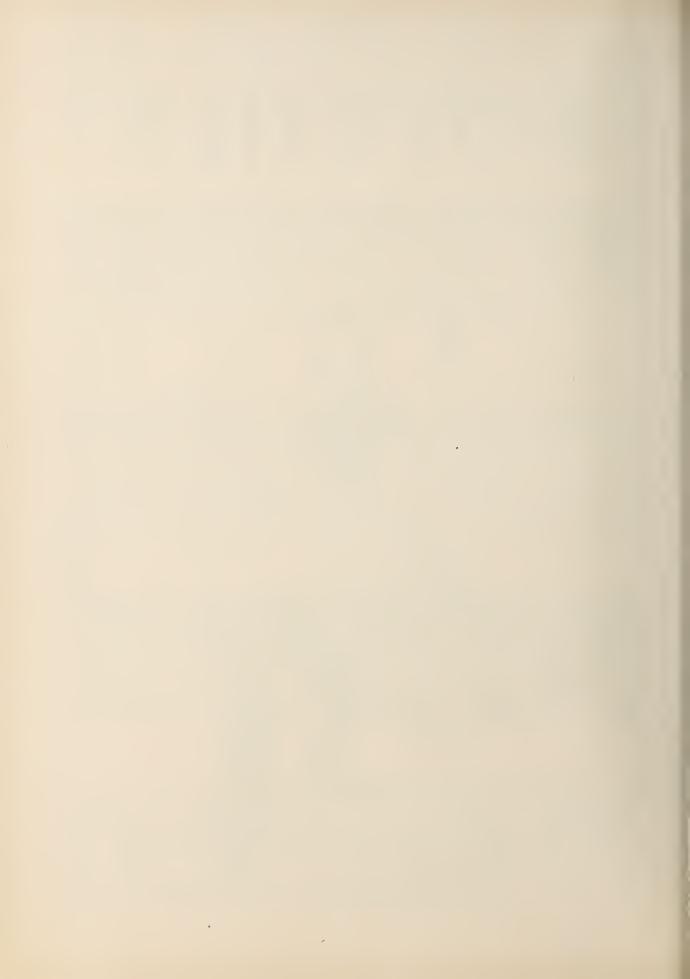
DOROTHY WOOD



JACKIE YATES

ACTIVITIES







Beta Club

The Beta Club, a National Scholastic Club, has three outstanding points for membership: achievement, leadership, and character. For the 50-51 year we have chosen a "Youth Rally" as our project to furnish entertainment for our Clayton Youth.

Emily Barden-Treasurer Lexine Thompson-Secretary Gilliam Underwood-President Betsy Ragland-Vice-Pres.

FACULTY ADVISERS

Miss Reel Miss McMillan



Home Economics Club

President-Martha Harrison Secretary-Shirley Stephenson Reporter-Jeanette Hill Treasurer-Shirley Hill

Faculty Adviser-Miss McMillan
Project-----Redecorating Home Economics Department



Safety Patrol

Captain-Gilliam Underwood

Lieutenant-Charles Stewart

The Safety Patrol was formed last year with the help of Mr. E. E. Snipes, the representative of the local P.T.A. which sponsors the patrol composed of twenty members.

The patrol was rewarded last year for its excellent work by a trip to Washington, \mathbf{D} . \mathbf{C} .



Glee Club

The Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. Norvelle Byran, consists of fifty-five high school students: twenty boys, baritone; twenty girls, soprano; and fifteen girls, alto.

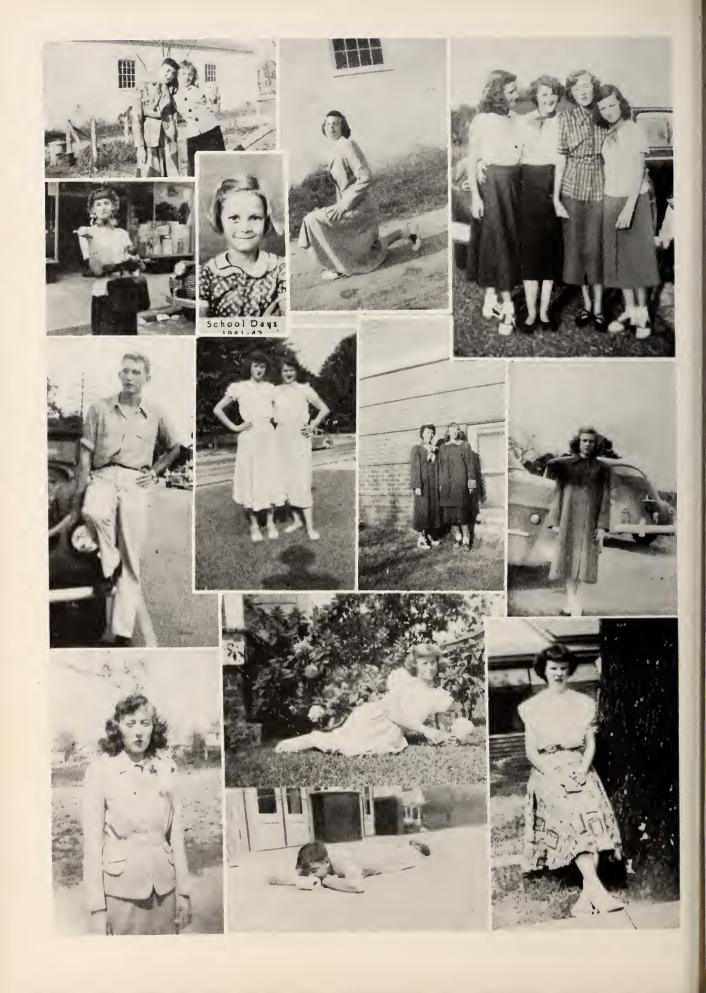
The Glee Club will participate in the graduating exercises in the spring.



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The Hi Lite, our school paper, is published monthly by the following staff members:

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SPORTS





Yea Blues

YEA BLUES! YEA WHITES! YEA TEAM! FIGHT - FIGHT - FIGHT SHOOT 'EM HIGH - SHOOT 'EM LOW COME ON TEAM, LET'S GO.



CHIEF CHEERLEADER-TOM DUNCAN

Janie Stephenson Lexine Jones Mary Stephenson

William Bedford Shirley Hill Betsy Lee



Clayton Comerettes

Clayton's Comerettes, co-captained by Mary Alice Canady and Mamie Davis were a much improved team over last year. With only two seniors on the squad, Charlotte Truelove and Betsy Canady, the team promises great things in future seasons. By early January they had won nine games and lost only three.

Left to right: Marie Stallings, Janice Crumpler, Treasure Coats, Mary Alice Canady, Betty Hamilton, Marilyn Blinson, Charlotte Truelove, Jackie Yates, Camilla Wall, Anna Bell Cole, Betsy Canady, Helen Austin, Dorothy Jones, Jesse Pucket, Martha Jones.

Not Pictured: Ellendale Byrd, Betsy Ragland, Mamie Davis. Coach: Joe Hicks; Manager: Anne Austin.



Clayton Comets

Minus the services of last year's stars, Bobby Poole and Clifton Bagley, among others, the Blue Comets, paced by two seniors, Gilliam Underwood and Jimmy Barbour, Co-Captains; nevertheless have shown up well in the 1950-51 season. Winner of the Pine Level Tournament for the second consecutive year, they had won ten games and lost four in early January, with promise of improvement.

First Row, left to right: Dan Knott, Leamon Benson, Joe Barbour, Larry Ross, Gilliam Underwood, Johnny Welch.

Second Row: Sam Beddingfield, Manager; William Bagley, Bobby McCranie,

Lamar Lee, (Liberty) Wall, Troy Page, Jr., Jimmy Barbour, Joe Hicks, Coach.

Not Pictured: Bat Robertson, Charles Gordon, Bobby Blinson, Bobby Dodd.

"Glimpses At The Ball Players"

BETSY ANN CANADY - "Crip"
Pastime - Slipping Around
Center Forward - 46 Points

CHARLOTTE JEAN TRUELOVE - "Smiley"
Pastime - Dating Eskridge
Right Guard

MAMIE MARTIN DAVIS - "Hadacol"
Pastime - Snooping
Right Forward - 236 Points

MARY ALICE CANADY - "Brainstorm"
Pastime - Keeping up with Joe
Left Guard

ELENDALE BYRD - "Coosie"
Pastime - David
Left Forward - 109 Points

CAMILLA WALL - "Boney"
Pastime - Peroxiding her Hair
Genter Guard

BETSY ANN RAGLAND - "Sneaky Pete"
Pastime - Skipping School
Left Forward - 98 Points

BETTY HAMILTON - "Rooster"
Pastime - Riding "Velvet"
Left Guard

ANNA BELLE COLE - "A.B."
Pastime - Playing Basketball
Center Forward - 352 Points

MARILYN BLINSON - "Pug" Pastime - Playing Basketball Right Guard

HELEN AUSTIN - "Lizzie"
Pastime - Taking Music
Forward

JANICE CRUMPLER - "Tink"
Pastime - Listening to the Radio
Guard

JACKIE YATES - "P.F."
Pastime - Sleeping
Right Forward - 26 Points

TREASURE COATS - "Dump"
Pastime - Playing Basketball
Center Guard

DOROTHY JONES - "Twin"
Pastime - Sewing
Forward

JESSIE PEARL PUCKETT - "Shorty"
Pastime - Reading Good Books
Guard

MARTHA JONES - "Twin"
Pastime - Cooking Candy
Forward

MARIE STALLINGS - "Pee Wee"
Pastime - Eating
Guard

ANNE AUSTIN - "Lefty"
Pastime - Eating Ice
Manager

GILLIAM UNDERWOOD - "Frog" Pastime - Being Fatherly to Girls Guard, Co-Captain 257 Points

JIMMY BARBOUR - "Bull"

Pastime - Going to Selma

Forward, Co-Captain - 132 Points

DAN KNOTT - "Lover"

Pastime - Learning ABC's

Guard - 127 Points

LEAMON BENSON - "Squeezer"
Pastime - Shooting Pool
Forward - 110 Points

TROY PAGE - "Junior, Una, Unrue"
Pastime - Dating Beauty Queens
Center - 19 Points

LARRY ROSS - "Pulpwood"
Pastime - Basketball
Forward - 107 Points

JOE BARBOUR - "Josephus" Pastime - Dating Mary Alice Forward - 17 Points

WILLIAM BAGLEY - "Red"
Pastime - Dating the Doctor's Girl
Center - 256 Points

LIB WALL - "Sure Shot"
Pastime - Dancing
Guard - 58 Points

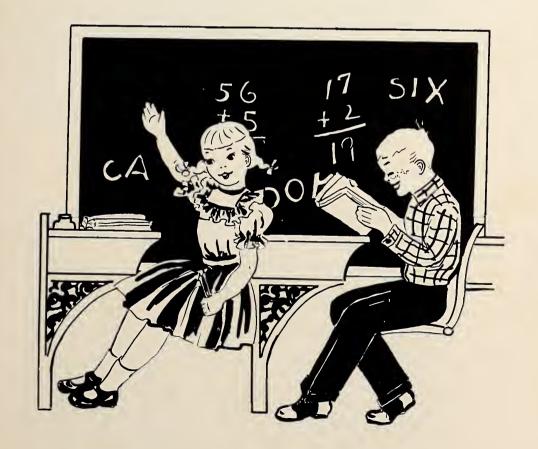
JOHNNY WELCH - "Captain Ringeye"
Pastime - Devilishment
Guard - 7 Points

LAMAR LEE - "Chicken"
Pastime - Basketball
Forward - 3 Points

BAT ROBERTSON - "Dick Groat"
Pastime - Avoiding Girls
Forward - 3 Points

CHARLES GORDON - "Fowler"
Pastime - Chasing Girls
Guard - 2 Points

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