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## DEDICATION



Because of his unfailing efforts to teach us sportsmanship, fair play, and school spirit, and because he stands as an example to us all, we respectfully dedicate this volume of "Footprints" to our coach-Hal Bradley.


We, the Senior Class of 1953, wish to thank our principal, Mr. H. H. Hamilton, for his deep understanding, wise counsel, and interest in ourselves, our work, our progress, and our future. He has been a wonderful inspiration for all of us.
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## HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY



Mr. John Blackmon
Agriculture
Mr. Hal Bradley Coach, Physical Ed.

## Miss Cathryn Creasman

Social Studies

Miss Belle Hockaday French, English

Mrs. Flora O'Quinn Science

Miss Helen Russell Home Economics
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2. Ralph Gregory
3. Faye Matthews
4. Marianne Murchison
5. Bobby McKinney

6 C. H. Brock, Jr.
7. Jean Marsh Blalock
8. Doris Brown
9. Ruby Jackson
10. Dorothy Ann Matthews
11. Frances Lewis
12. Mildred Clayton
13. Sara Hatley
14. Doris Jean Hester
15. Leo Kelly, Jr.

SUPERLATIVES



## SUPERLATIVES



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Most Athletic
DORIS BROWN-LEO McDONALD

## SUPERLATIVES



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Best Looking SARA HATLEY-BONNY BALLARD


## HISTORY

"Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And, departing, leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time."

Four years ago approximately fifty of us in our caravan landed on what seemed to be dry desert sands. That seemingly unconquerable desert was a four year journey through sixteen units of required work, among them such obstacles as geometry, French, and English. The ultimate goal was the oasis-graduation. As we traveled we left behind us footprints, marks that showed others what we had accomplished in our journey.

During our freshman year our way on these sands led into three directions-down to Mr. Blackmon for Agriculture, up to Mrs. Walker for English and Algebra, and out to Miss Enzor for Home Economics. All of the fifty in our Class worked very hard under the leadership of these three teachers and at the end of the year realized we had imprinted our first set of footprints in the sands of time.

Our second year of footprints were imprinted on the "Sophomore Lands" and found us all together under the leadership of Miss Cathryn Creasman. We were exceedingly proud to see members of our class obtain positions on the Lillingtonian Staff, Footprints Staff, the basketball, baseball and football teams, and become members of the Beta Club. This year, Mildred Clayton, representing our room, won the popularity contest at the Halloween Carnival.

At last we had reached the "Junior Lands," with a smaller number, only thirty-three, but with plainer footprints. Again we were under the leadership of Miss Creasman. We elected our class officers as follows: President, Leo MacDonald; Vice-President, Mildred Clayton, Treasurer, Dorothy Anne Matthews; and Secretary, Jean Blalock. This year proved to be an exciting one. We gave our play, "There Goes The Bride," sold cards and magazines to raise money for the banquet, and gave the Seniors a beautiful banquet at the Community Center, based on the theme "Moonlight Bay." We participated in Commencement and furnished the marshals. They were Jean Blalock, Chief; Sara Hatley, Marianne Murchison, Leo Kelly, and Leo McDonald. We were very proud of Doris Brown's being voted the outstanding basketball player in the tournament.

The class of 1953 finally reached the "Senior Lands" and opportunity to leave clear and well defined footprints behind us. Hardly had the year begun, when we started making plans for graduation. We were again under the leadership of Miss Creasman. The class made the following selections: colors, red and white; motto, "A Little Farther Every Day And The Goal Is Won;" flower, the red rose. One of our students wrote our class song to the tune of "Stardust." Our Senior class officers are: President, Leo McDonald; Vice-President, Jean Blalock; Secretary, Dorothy Anne Matthews; Treasurer, Doris Hester. This year, Bonny Ballard, representing our room, won the popularity contest at the Halloween Carnival.

Although we hate to say goodbye to our classmates, teachers, and school, we are proud to say we have achieved our goal. Surely as we look back over our footprints growing dimmer on the sands, we realize the glory we have achieved.

During all four years of our high school education we have been guided and helped by wonderful leaders. We, the Senior Class of 1953, wish to express our appreciation to all, who have helped us achieve our goal.

## JUNIORS



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JUNIORS



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## JUNIORS



JUNIOR MASCOTS


DEBBIE MATTHEWS


GLENN HOOD

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LORRAINE BLEVINS

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PEGGY GILES
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GENE SHAW

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BARDEN YOUNG CLACK

February 25, 1935
November 17, 1952

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WILMA BASS
PEGGY BELL JOE BIGGS
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ODELIA BLANCHARD WILLIE JEAN BOWLING
FLOYD BROCK
WESLEY BYRD
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## ELEMENTARY FACULTY



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## ELEMENTARY



EIGHTH GRADES


ELEMENTARY


## SEVENTH GRADES



## ELEMENTARY



FIFTH GRADE


FOURTH GRADE

## SIXTH GRADE

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## FIFTH GRADE

FOURTH GRADE


THIRD GRADE

SECOND GRADE


FIRST
GRADE

ELEMENTARY

## THIRD GRADE



SECOND
GRADE

FIRST
GRADE


## SNAPSHOTS



## ACTIVITIES



JEAN BLALOCK, Chief SARA HATLEY DOROTHY ANN MATTHEWS MARIANNE MURCHISON

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C. H. BROCK, JR.

LEO McDONALD

## BETA CLUB



President
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Treasurer
DOROTHY ANN MATTHEWS

The Beta Club in cooperation with the second year typing students publish the school paper, "The Lillingtonian," as a service project.

## GLEE CLUB



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JANE CRANFORD
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## ATHLETICS




## ATHLETIC SNAPSHOTS



## BASKETBALL




JEWEL BAIN


JOAN JOHNSON


Coach
MISS VIRGINIA RIDDLE
Co-Captains
DORIS BROWN \& SARA HATLEY


BETH ADCOCK



## GIRLS' SOFTBALL



First row: Joan Johnson, Lib Yow, Doris Brown, Sarah Kelly. Second row: Barbara Womble, Dot McLean, Shirley Thomas, Sue O'Briant, Lillie Horton, Bettv Lou Frazier.

BASEBALL


First row: James Howington, Charles McDonald, Stacy Whittington, C. H. Brock Jr., Leo McDonald. Second row: Wayne Coleman, Frank Farrell, Marion Phelts, Darrell Kelly, Jack Long.

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