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## D E D I C A T I O N

Through zealous and ardent endeavor, the medical staff of JOHNSON C. SMITH UNIVERSITY has shown the members of this "Smith Family" the ways of healthful living and the maintenance of their well-being.

In due respect to their tireless efforts, we dedicate to DR. RUDOLPH WYCHE and NURSE BERNICE MCKEE this issue of the yearbook, as a tribute to unrelentless medical service.

THE BULL STAFF OF 1954





A MESSAGE  
FROM  
OUR PRESIDENT

As I write this, I am still influenced by reflections incident to our Eighty-Seventh Founder's Day observance.

I wish to greet all 1953-54 Smith students, with special greetings for the Class of 1954. To the latter, let me say that this is an important year for you. It is important, not only because it is the year of your graduation, but also because 1954 is a most critical and determinative year in the history of our times. It is a year that has seen the perfection of weapons of destruction that can wipe out civilization. It is a year when the peace of the world is being tested as never before, and a year in which momentous decisions affecting your and my citizenship are being shaped. Well might you reflect upon the significance of your coming to graduation at a time like this.

I should like to leave with the senior class and all Smith students one question. How do we come to be HERE? The answer to that question is that you are HERE because somebody was THERE to help you. You are HERE because, over the years, others have been and are HERE in person or through their means. My hope is that, in the decades ahead, the youth of our land will say of you that you were THERE with inspiration, information and helpfulness as they sought to meet the problems of their times.

H. LISTON, President



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**BOOK I**

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## SENIOR CLASS

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*Biology*

*"To seek, to strive, to accomplish all that is within my power, educationally, economically, and religiously."*

French Club 1950-52; Pyramid Club 1951; Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild 1951-52; President Game Club 1954; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority 1951-54; Co Dean of Pledges 1952-53.

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*Social Science*

*"Education is good within itself."*

Varsity "S"; Manager of Football; History Club; French Club.

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*Physical Education*

*"Thinkers are as scarce as gold; but he whose thoughts embrace all his subjects, and who pursues it uninterruptedly and fearless of consequences is a diamond of enormous size."*

Football; Basketball; Intramural Sports; Varsity "S" Club; German Club; S.C.A.

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*"There will be better days ahead if we will help correct the evil influences that surround us."*

F.T.A.; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Vogue Club.

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*Physical Education and Psychology*

*"Music hath charms to soothe the savage beast."*

S.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; German Club; Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild; Bell Staff; University Student Staff; Varsity "S" Club; Lampados Club; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Varsity Basketball; Photography Club; Psychology Club.

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RUTH AURORA BRISTER  
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*Biology and Psychology*

*"There is a bond that makes man great and no one walks his way alone, whatever we put into the lives of others comes back into our own."*

Secretary Ivy Leaf Club 1951; S.C.A.; Secretary Society for the Study of Psychology; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 1951-54; Tamiochus 1953-54.

SOPHONIA PATTERSON CAMPBELL  
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*Elementary Education*

*"Fame comes only when deserved, and then it is inevitable as destiny, for it is destiny."*

ESTHER ALEASE CHAPMAN  
72 Line St., Charleston, S. C.  
*Biology and General Science*

*"Life does not consist in the mere possession of organs or tools, but in the use of them."*

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; S.C.A.; Cabinet; Hazen Committee 1953-54; Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild; Freshman Reception Committee 1952-53; N.A.A.C.P. 1953; University Student Staff 1952-54.

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26 E. Taylor Homes, Wilmington, N. C.

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405 W. Main St., Rock Hill, S. C.  
*Social Science and Economics*

*"All that I am and all that I hope to be, I owe it to my dear mother and father."*

S.C.A.; Vogue Club; Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild.

JOHN GREELY CORRY  
R.F.D. No. 1, Kings Mountain, N. C.

*French*

*"Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you."*

Knowledge Expansion Club 1947-48; Omega Psi Fraternity 1949-54; Parliamentarian and Editor to Oracle 1953-54; Make-Up Editor University Student 1953-54; Associate Editor Butta 1949-50; Copy Editor 1953-54; Vogue Club 1953-54; N.A.A.C.P.; S.C.A. 1947-49; President Le Cercle Français 1953-54; Commandant Veterans Club 1953-54; Treasurer Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild 1953-54; U.S. Army 1951-53; Lam pados Club 1948.

TALMIJADE VASHTI COWAN  
10 Sykes Ave., Wadesboro, N. C.  
*Elementary Education*

*"Quo Vadis?"*

Attendant to Miss Vogue 1952; Attendant to May Queen 1953; President of Drama Club 1952-53; President Vogue Club 1953-54; Secretary Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild 1953-54; German Club 1952-54; F.I.A.V.; Freshman Reception Committee 1953-54; Judicial Board of Duke Hall 1952-54.



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 1927 Washington Ave., Charlotte, N. C.  
*Religious Education*  
*"Strive not equal but to excel."*

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 206 W. McClanahan St., Oxford, N. C.  
*Social Science and Sociology*

Pyramid Club 1951; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority 1951-54;  
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 Dramatic Guild.

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 Box 943, Hendersonville, N. C.  
*Biology and General Science*

"Look not mournful into the past; for it comes not back again. Wisely improve the present and go forth into the shadowy future, not for just today, but for tomorrow because tomorrow is forever."

S.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; German Club; Veterans' Club.

**GWENDOLYN L. CURRENCE**  
 104 Adam St., Clover, S. C.  
*French*

"Life leads us only one way—that is forward."

French Club 1951-54; Spanish Club 1952-53; Dramatic Club; University Student Staff 1952-54; Pyramid Club 1951-52; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority 1952-54; University Band 1952-53.

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"Live today as though you are going to die tomorrow. Work as though you are going to live forever."

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*Mathematics*

"There is no royal road to anything. Careful planning, hard work, determination to reach an objective—that is the path to success."

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority 1951-54; Mathematics Club 1952-54; Pan-Hellenic Council 1953-54; S.C.A. 1950-54; Miss Duke Hall 1952-53; Freshman Representative and Secretary of Judicial Board; Secretary to Editor of *University Student* 1952-53.

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*English*

"This above all, to thine own self be true and it must follow as the night the day. Thou canst not then be false to any man."

Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild 1951-54; University Choir 1951-54; Leaf Club; Miss Sphinx Club 1951; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 1952-53; University Student Staff 1953-54; Free-man Reception Committee 1953-54; Pan-Hellenic Council 1953-54.



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*Chemistry*

"He who waits until the time is ripe often waits until it is rotten."  
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; French Club; S.C.A.; Math Club; World Relations Committee; Vice-President of Sunday School Class 1953-54.

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*Elementary Education*

"The man who is able to grit his teeth and smile in the face of difficulties and keep moving is sure to conquer the world."

Ivy Leaf Club 1951; Assistant Secretary Freshman Class; Attendant to Mis AKA 1951; Attendant to Miss J. C. Smith 1952-53; Representative in the Christmas Carousel 1953; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 1951-54; F.T.A.; N.A.A.C.P.

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*Mathematics*

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*Physical Education*

"A woman can accomplish anything she wishes if she proceeds with persistence and good humor as well as wisdom."

Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild 1953-54; Secretary, Vogue Club 1953-54; University Choir 1951-54; Charm Club 1953-54; S.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Student Assistant in the Dept. of Physical Education.

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160 S. Leak St., Southern Pines, N. C.

*Psychology and General Science*  
"To err is human, to forgive is divine."

German Club 1949-52; Psychology Club 1953; Dramatic Guild 1952; S.C.A. 1949-51; P.K. Klub 1949-52; Chemistry Club 1950; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity 1950-54; Veterans' Club 1953-54.

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*Elementary Education*

"Life is like a mirror, smile at it and it will smile back at you."

Lamplada Club 1951-52; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity 1952-54; Vice-President F.T.A. 1952-53; President 1953-54; Business Manager of Junior Class 1952-53; Chairman of Junior Prom Committee 1952-53; President of Senior Class 1953-54; Member of German Club 1951-54.



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*Religious Education*  
*"Seek and ye shall find."*

Hazen Foundation Committee 1952-53; University Choir; President Male Glee Club; President Senior Sunday School Class; S.C.A.; Sphinx Club; Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity.

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*"Our deeds shall follow us from afar, and what we have been makes us what we are."*  
Reporter Ivy Leaf Club 1951; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 1952; Alpha Beta Club 1953-54; German Club 1950-52; University Choir 1950-53; F.T.A.; Freshman Reception Committee 1951-52; Treasurer Senior Sunday School Class; Hazen Foundation Committee 1952-54.

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*"To err is human; to forgive divine."*

Dramatic Guild 1950-54; Vice-President 54; N.A.A.C.P.; French Club; Vogue Club; Lampados Club 1952-53; Track Team 1953.

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*English*

*"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you."*

University Choir 1950-54; Le Cercle Francais 1950-51; Crest Club 1951; Phi Beta Sigma 1951-52; Key Club 1951; Psi Scholarship Medal 1951; Listed in "American College Student Leaders" 1952; Vice President Rho Sigma Omicron Sigma Debators Society 1952-53; President Junior Sunday School Class; University Choir 1950-54; President 1953-54; Religious Life Committee; Hazen Committee 1953-54; Reporter *University Student* 1950-53; Assistant Editor *BULLI* Staff 1953-54.

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*Psychology and Social Science*

*"Live happily, successfully, and religiously today at the same time make adequate preparation for tomorrow."*

Lampados Club; Reporter to the Oracle; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; N.A.A.C.P.; Society for the Study of Psychology Club; History Club; S.C.A.; French Club; Sigma Rho Sigma Honorary Society; Debating Club.



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"Look not mournful into the past, for it comes not back again. Wisely improve the present and go forth into the shadowy future, not for just today, but for tomorrow because tomorrow is forever."

F.T.A.; Pyramid Club; N.A.A.C.P.; German Club.

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*Psychology and Social Science*

"I am only one, but I am one, I cannot do everything, but I can do something. What I can do, I ought to do; and what I ought to do, by the Grace of God, I will do."

Vice-President Freshman Class; Representative N. C. State Student Legislature 1951-52; Executive Member of Freshman Sunday School; S.C.A. Cabinet; Interracial Intercollegiate Council 1953-54; President-Elect Student Council 1953-54; President Society for the Study of Psychology 1952-53; Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society; Debating Society; Student Representative Religious Research Committee; Chairman Program Committee Senior Class; Religious Life Activities Committee 1952-53.

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*Biology*

"To err is human, to forgive is divine."

Pyramid Club 1951; Treasurer Delta Sigma Theta Sorority 1951-54; Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild; University Student Staff 1953; Mathematics Club 1953; Freshman Reception Committee 1952; Attendant to May Queen 1953; S.C.A.

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"Every life has its actual blanks which the ideal must fill up, or remain bare and profitless forever."

Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity; History Club; Debaters Club; French Club 1951; Intramural Football, Basketball and Softball.

F.T.A.; Pyramid Club; N.A.A.C.P.; German Club.

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"Success is sweet, but the secret of success is work."  
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"Look for the best; prepare for the worst and take what comes."

A.K.A.; Choir; Cheering Squad; F.T.A.; Band; Lyceum Committee; Hazen Foundation; Vogue Club; Basketball; Dramatic Guild.

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"Around the curve shines the light."

F.T.A.; German Club.



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### Social Science

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Secretary Ivy Leaf Club 1951; Grammateus Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 1951-54; Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild; History Club; Alpha ARVA; Chairman, Picnic Committee Council 1953-54; Senior Class Secretary; Lady in Waiting to Miss J. C. Smith 1951; Attendant to May Queen 1953; BULL Staff; Forum Committee; Secretary N.A.A.C.P. 1952-53.

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*"Continuous striving yields success."*

S.C.A.; Football 1951-54; Varsity "S" Club; Lampados Club; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Junior Varsity Basketball 1951-54; Reporter Beta Kappa Chi Scientific Honorary Society; Vice-President Senior Class; Hazen Committee; Freshman Reception Committee.

## WYNIA G. YVONNE MARSHALL

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### Mathematics

*"He is best who does his best and leaves the rest."*

Ivy Leaf Club 1951; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 1951-54, Sentinel 1952-53, Epistles 1953-54; Vice-President Beta Kappa Chi Scientific Honorary Society; Secretary Student Council 1953-54; Hazen Committee; Freshman Reception Committee 1953; Mathematics Club; President Sophomore Sunday School Class; Vice-President Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society; Miss Johnson C. Smith 1952-53; May Queen 1952; Miss Lampados 1951-52; BULL Staff; Recipient of Kappa Alpha Psi Honor Award 1951; Attendant to Miss Berry Hall 1950-51; Berry Hall Judicial Board.

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321 Earle St., Charlotte, N. C.

### Elementary Education

*"All that I am or hope to be, I owe to my dear mother."*

F.I.A.

## DOUGLAS JAMES MILLER

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### Biology

*"Strive to excel."*

BULL Staff; Varsity Basketball 1950-54; University Student Staff; Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; Varsity "S" Club; Manager Football Team 1954.



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*Mathematics*

"Absence of occupation is not rest; a mind quite vacant is a mind distressed."

Secretary Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society; Secretary Beta Kappa Chi Scientific Honor Society; Pyramid Club 1951; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority 1953-54; Corresponding Secretary 1952-53; Dean of Classes 1953-54; Mathematics Club; President Spanish Club 1952-53; Home Committee; Photography Club; University Student Staff 1952-54; Pan-Hellenic Council; Judicial Board of Duke Hall 1952-54.

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*Social Science*

"Never declare an emergency, take what life has to offer in stride."

Football Team 1951-52; History Club; Treasurer 1953-54; Lampados Club; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Escort to Miss Senior Class.

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"Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore, get wisdom; and with all your getting, get understanding." Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity; S.C.A.; Lampados Club.

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*Physical Education and Health*

"A promise neglected is an untruth told."

Omega Psi Phi Fraternity 1951-54, Co-Dean 1952-54; Lampados Club 1951, Vice-President; Varsity Football 1951-53; CIAA 1954; Varsity "S" Club 1951-54, Treasurer 1952-53; Student Council 1952-54, Vice-President 1954; S.C.A. N.A.V.C.P.; University Student, Business Manager 1953-54; BULL Staff, Junior Editor 1952-53, Editor 1953-54; Parliamentarian Junior Class; Parliamentarian Senior Class; Freshman Reception Committee 1952-54; Guidance and Counseling Committee 1953-54.

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*Biology*

"Endeavor to know and understand Hearts and Souls as well as books."

Foothall; Manager Track Team; Editor-in Chief of University Student; Board of Athletic Control; Cabinet Member Student Council; Varsity "S" Club.



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"A man's goal cannot be reached in one day. For it takes patience and labor before he can achieve his ultimate desire."

S.C.A. 1950-54; Cabinet Member 1952-53; Second Vice-President 1953-54; University Choir 1950-54; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 1951-54; Hodegus 1952-53; Dean of Pledges 1953-54; Secretary Senior Sunday School Class; University Student Staff 1952-54; Secretary to Sports Editor 1952-53; Typist 1953-54; Attendant to Miss Berry Hall 1951; Lady-in-Waiting to May Queen 1952; Miss Junior Class; Member of Religious Life Committee 1953-54; Hazen Committee 1953-54; Junior Counselor 1952-53; Attendant to Miss Johnson C. Smith 1953-54.

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Social Science and Sociology

Secretary Pyramid Club 1951; Secretary, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority 1951-54; Sigma Rho Sigma Honor Society; Judicial Board; Miss Kappa Alpha Psi 1952-53; Attendant to Miss Delta Sigma Theta.

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Psychology

"I believe everything right implies a responsibility; every opportunity an obligation; every possession a duty."

Student Council, Secretary 1952-53; President 1953-54; Representative to the Student Legislative Assembly 1952-53; BULL Staff 1953-54; University Student 1951-52; S.C.A. Assistant Secretary 1951-52; Dramatic Guild 1951-54; Freshman Reception Committee 1952-53; Miss Johnson C. Smith 1953-54; Religious Life Committee 1952-54; Vogue Club; Miss Berry Hall 1951; Miss Dramatic Guild 1952; Judicial Board 1952.

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Football Team 1951-54; Varsity "S" Club; President Sphinx Club 1951-52; President Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity.

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"Vouloir C'est Pouvoir."

Sentinel Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 1953-54; Treasurer and Reporter Ivy Leaf Club 1951-52; Spanish Club 1952-53; N.A.A.C.P.; Photography Club 1952-53; Secretary Le Cercle Francais 1952-54; Attendant to Miss AKA 1953; S.C.A.; Phi Kappa Alpha Honorary Society 1954.

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"Ah, but a man's reach should exceed his grasp or what's a heaven for?"

Ira Aldridge Dramatic Guild; Sigma Rho Sigma Debaters Club; Spanish Club 1952-53; Lampados Club; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Radio News Caster of "Campus News" 1953-54.

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S.C.A.; University Choir; Chaplain Lampados Club; Chaplain Omega Psi Phi Fraternity 1954; Journalist Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society; Parliamentarian Carter Hall Dormitory Club 1953; N.A.A.C.P.; Parliamentarian Smith Debaters' Society 1953; Hazen Committee; Monitors' Staff 1952-54; Journalist History Club 1954; S.C.A. Cabinet 1954.

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Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Basileus 1953-54, Vice-Basileus 1952-53; Football 1950-51; Track 1951-52; Basketball 1951-52; Tennis 1954; S.C.A.; University Student Editor 1952-53; Pan-Hellenic Council; Vice President 1952-53; Lampados Club; Parliamentarian 1951; Class President 1950-53; Varsity "S" Club; Spanish Club; Business Manager Senior Class; Freshman Reception Committee; Material Editor of the BULL.

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Pyramid Club 1951-52; F.T.A.; S.C.A.; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Corresponding Secretary 1953-54; Debating Club; Freshman Reception Committee 1953-54.



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**BOOK II**

# **ACTIVITIES**





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**BOOK III**

# **ATHLETICS**

1953



The men behind the team. Coaches Crudup, Jackson and Brayboy.

The 1954 Edition of the "Golden Bulls" started the season off with a pulverizing attack that had all opponents dumb-founded. The one-platoon system seemed to benefit us most in our endeavors this year.

Under the leadership of "Stonewall" Jackson, the spirited Bulls ran through, around and over their first five opponents and were the class of the C.I.A.A. Due to injuries to key men, our attack was slowed down and we could not withstand equal opposition in the latter stages of the season. Nevertheless, the "Golden Wonders" emerged with a 5-3 record that was good for a fifth place tie and first division honors in the strong C.I.A.A. conference.

Long remembered will be our seniors who are passing on to greater heights. We say "so long" to Robert "Country" Steede, Howard "Bill" Petty, Ruffin "Toughy" McNeill, Leon "Tuck" Anderson, Kenneth "Houdini" Williams and Marty "Crazy-Legs" Penn. It will be a task to replace such stalwarts as these who have toiled faithfully for their beloved Alma Mater. The student body, faculty and alumni join hands in saying this was the best team ever!

Good luck, fellows, and come to see the team next year that you have your hearts with—"The Golden Bulls."

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ROY McILWAIN  
Quarterback  
Mr. "T"

JAMES VINCENT  
Center  
"Mr. C"

MARTY PENN  
Halfback  
"Crazy-Legs"



# FOOTBALL

Smith	25	Smith	7
St. Paul	7	N. C. College	47
Smith	14	Smith	6
St. Augustine	0	Morehouse	12
Smith	20	Smith	6
Delaware State	0	Shaw	13
Smith	20	Smith	13
Winston-Salem	19	Howard	0



George Watkins  
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Hemphill Pride  
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Milton Hardison  
Cecil Adderly  
Andrew Allen  
Marty Penn  
Hazel Howard

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Andrew Rodgers  
Robert Ray  
John Roberts  
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Charles Curry  
Ernest Fleming  
Ralph Williams  
William Partlow  
Otto Johnson  
Leon Anderson  
Roy McIlwain  
Henry Eily  
Fab Camp  
Robert Steede  
Douglas Miller, *Manager*  
Rudolph Worsley, *Trainer*  
Dwight Cardwell, *Medic*





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RODGERS, WILLIAM  
JONES, CRAWFORD  
HOLT, HAROLD

HUMES, SIMEON  
FISHER, HERBERT  
SCHELL, NATHANIEL  
DOCKERY, RONALD

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Cecil Adderly  
Henry Eily





# BASKETBALL

Smith	80
Bluefield	83
Smith	56
Winston-Salem	85
Smith	71
Va. State	89
Smith	62
Va. State	68
Smith	64
A & T	57
Smith	66
Fayetteville	69
Smith	58
Fayetteville	76
Smith	79
A & T	75
Smith	81
Shaw University	49
Smith	77
Delaware	60
Smith	76
Howard University	58
Smith	71
Bluefield	68
Smith	82
St. Augustine	73
Smith	80
Winston-Salem	65
Smith	49
St. Augustine	60
Smith	62
Shaw University	46



JACK BRAYBOY, Coach

## C.I.A.A. TOURNAMENT

Smith	70
Va. Union	76

## SQUAD

Robert Welles	Charles McNeill
Claude Saunders	Douglas Miller
James Ramseur	Ralph Williams
James Vincent	Oscar Trice

William Partlow

*Not pictured: Robert Babbs*







**BOOK IV**

**FEATURES**



## *Homecoming Queen*

*Miss Johnson C. Smith*

1953-1954

CLEMENTINE M. RIGGSBEE

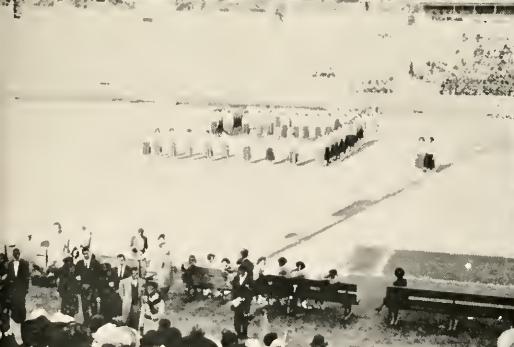
# *Attendants*

MISS MARGARET JOHNSON

MISS BETTYE RAPHAEL

MISS EVELYN JACKSON

MISS ELLEN C. G. KING



# *Our Spring Queen*

*Miss Sallie F. Stevenson*



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Anti-Basileus  
Grammateus  
Taniocleus  
Epistoleus  
Sentinel  
Hodgesas  
Dean of Pledges  
Parliamentarian  
Ivy Leaf Reporter  
Pan-Hellenic Council Representative  
Pan-Hellenic Council Representative  
Alternates  
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MURIAL DOCKERY  
MARY ENG  
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NANCY GREENE

ALTIEA HARRIS  
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Vice-Basileus  
*Keeper of Records and Seals*  
*Keeper of Finance*  
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