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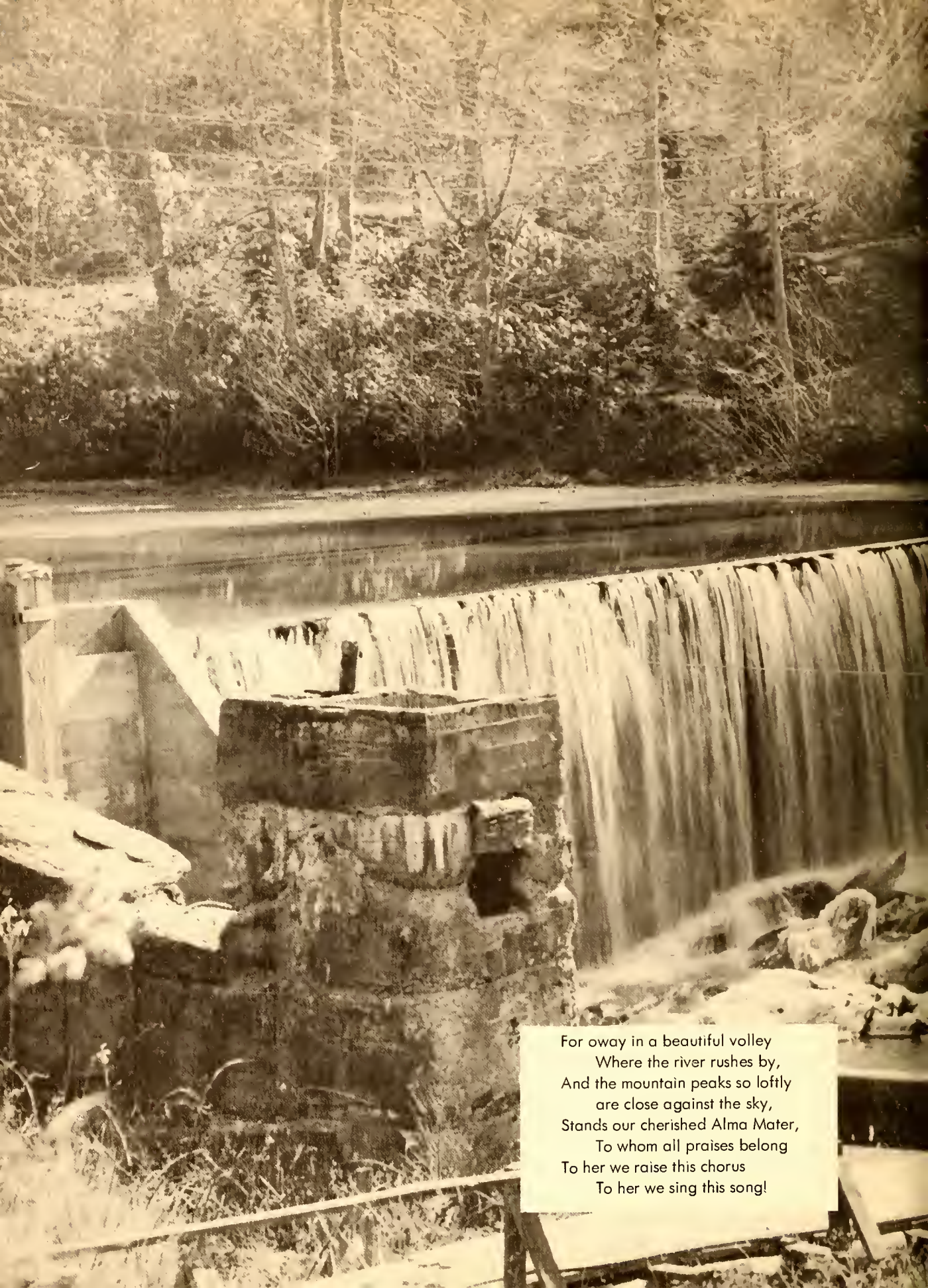
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For oway in a beautiful volley
Where the river rushes by,
And the mountain peaks so loftly
are close against the sky,
Stands our cherished Alma Mater,
To whom all praises belong
To her we raise this chorus
To her we sing this song!



And when the time comes for parting
And we say our final goodbye,
And we go out into Life's Conflict
Where'er our pathway may lie.
Let us take these high ideals with us;
They will help us the evil to shun;
And when we end Life's journey
May we hear the plaudit, "Well Done".



MISS MARYBETH HURST

Dedication

With her quiet but dynamic personality, she has won the love of all those who know her. It is through her untiring effort, hard work, and ever present help with the medical secretaries that the school has the distinction of offering one of the best courses in this field. Not only is she dear to the medical secretaries, but to the entire student body. It is with sincere appreciation that we, the students of Lees-McRae College affectionately dedicate this 1948 "Ontaroga"

to

MISS MARYBETH HURST

Foreword

In this 1948 "Ontaroga", we, the staff, have tried to retain fond memories of our sojourn at Lees-McRae. We hope that through the years you will look through these pages and recall the diligent study, good times, and pleasant memories experienced at our Alma Mater.

It is through the cooperation of the faculty, administration, and students that we owe the success of this book. May we extend an appreciative "thank you" to everyone who has made this yearbook possible.

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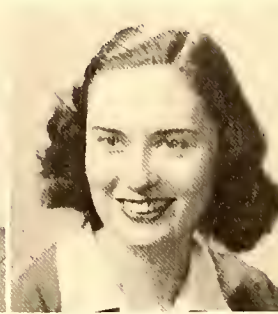
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B.A.

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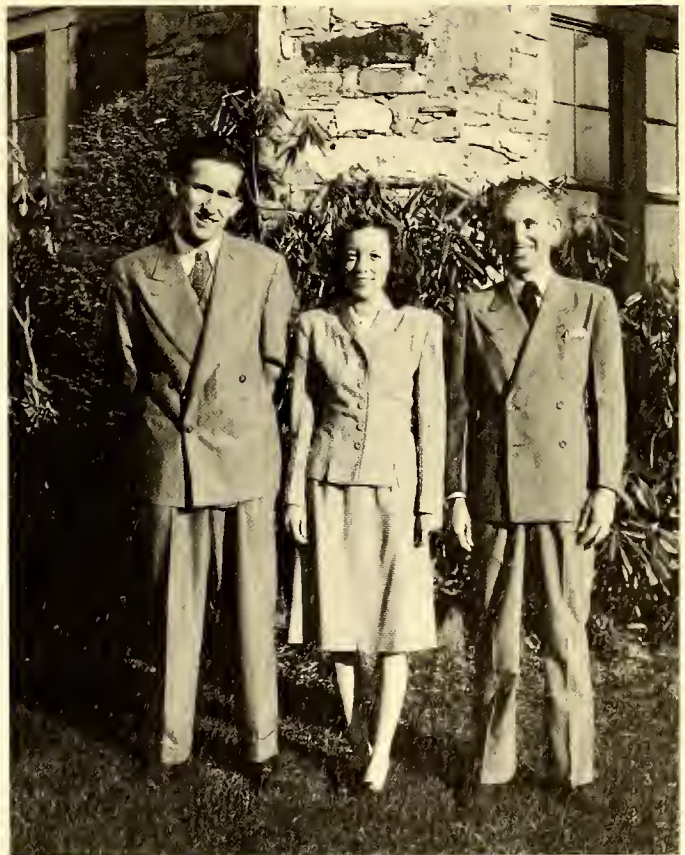


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MARIE BACH
Roanoke, Virginia

"Always courteous and kind,
ne'er her equal shall we find."

Choir 1; Bobcat Tales Staff 2;
Ontaroga Staff 2; Sullivanian Sar-
ority 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2;
Sec.-Treas. 2; Superlative 2.



ROBERT LEWIS BEAL
Lincolnton, N. C.

"His work and ambitious aim in
this world will win him fame."

Pres. Freshman Class '44; Skiing
Zeta 1, 2; Christian Council 1, 2;
Pres. 2; Demastheneon Club 1, 2;
Camera Club 1, 2; Veteron's Club
1, 2.



DORIS ATHEGENE BELK
Kannapolis, N. C.

"Rest first and then work."

Christian Council 1; Green and
Gold Masquers 1, 2; Ontaroga
Staff 2.



MARY FRANCES BELK
Kannapolis, N. C.

"She doesn't put things off, she
puts them over."

Phi Theta Kappa 1, 2; Pres. 2;
Choir 1; Christian Council 1, 2;
Green and Gold Masquers 1, 2;
Ontaroga Staff 2; Editor 2.



BETTY BENSON
Kannapolis, N. C.

"Always going out somewhere,
or else just coming in."

Choir 1, 2; Moy Court 2.



RALEIGH RUTHERFORD
BIGGERSTAFF
Cliffside, N. C.

"A cheerful grin will let you in
where the knacker is never known."

Christian Council 1, 2; Camera
Club 1, 2; Chair 1; Treas. 1; Folk
Dance Club 2; Pres. 2; Phi Theta
Kappa 2; Ontaroga Staff 2; Bab-
cat Tales Staff 2.



PEGGY BLACKWELDER
Concord, N. C.

"Sunshine and happiness in her personality are found."

Sullivanian Sorarity 1, 2; Skiing Zero 1, 2; Bobcat Tales Staff 2; May Court 2; Superlative 2.



JOHN KEARFOOT BOYD
Burlington, N. C.

"A rare mixture of seriousness and frivolity."

Choir 2.



VANCE BUCHANAN
Minneapolis, N. C.

"So much to do, so little done."



ROMA LEE BURLESON
Minneapolis, N. C.

"If you have a thing to do, do it right."

Choir 1, 2; Folk Dance Club 2.



DENBY EUGENE CADICK
Evansville, Indiana

"A tall, comely, lad with plenty of grit, far any storms or trials he's fit."

Bobcat Tales Staff 2; Skiing Zero 1, 2; Treas. 2; Demasthenean Club 1, 2; Treasurer 2; Managram Club 1, 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Folk Dance Club 2; Klan 1; Basketball 1, 2; Co-captain 2; Superlative 2.



MILDRED ETHEL CANNON
Banner Elk, N. C.

"Oh, the heart is a free and fetterless thing."



VERLON EDWARD CARTER
Murphy, N. C.
"Still waters run deep."



WILLIAM SIEMON
CLEMENTS, JR.
Charlotte, N. C.

"Chatter chatter all through the day; tis na wander the teachers hair is gray."

Green and Gold Masquers 1, 2; Chair 1, 2; Sec. 2; Managram Club 2; Klan 1; Phi Rho Pi 2; Football 1, 2.



RALPH HENRY CONRAD
Thomasville, N. C.

"I put all my troubles in the bottom of my heart, then sit on the lid and smile."

Klan 1, 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Treas.



ANNA MAE COOK
Valle Crucis, N. C.

"Her voice was ever soft, gentle, and low."



EDWARD H. COOPER
Minneapolis, N. C.

"A man every inch and six feet tall."



FRANCES CRUNKLETON
Highland, N. C.

"The world belongs to the energetic."

Folk Dance Club 2.



JAMES M. CUNNINGHAM
Greensboro, N. C.

"Born to excel."

Demosthenean Club 1, 2; Pres. 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Pres. 2; Freshman Class Treas. 1; Phi Theta Kappa 2.



WILLIAM R. EASTRIDGE
Spindole, N. C.

"Let us have wine, women, and laughter. Sermons, and sodo water the day after."

Faatball 1, 2; All-state 2; Co-Captain 2; Green and Gald Masquers 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Mono-gram Club 1, 2; Klan 1; Wild Life Club 1, Pres. 1.



RICHARD FORD ELLIS
Roan Mountain, Tenn.

"Wha daesn't love wine, women, and sang; remains a fool his whale life lang."



WALTER CLARK GARDNER
Kannapolis, N. C.

"A good spart, all way round."

Football 1; Managram Club 1, 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Treasurer 1; Camera Club 1, 2; Skiing Zera 1, 2; Demosthenean Club 1, 2; Student Council 2; Vice-President 2; Superlative 2; Ontaraga Staff 2.



HARRY GARLAND
Linville, N. C.

"Without music life would be a mistake."

Chair 1, 2; Vice Pres. 2; Falk Dance Club 2; Camera Club 2; Phi Theta Kappa 2.



JOHN ARTHUR GOODE
Pikesville, Md.

"It's good to live and learn."

Choir, 1, 2; Veteran's Club 2; Demasthenean Club 1, 2.



CHESTER PAUL GREER
Bonner Elk, N. C.
"Honor lies in honest toil."
Veteran's Club 1, 2.



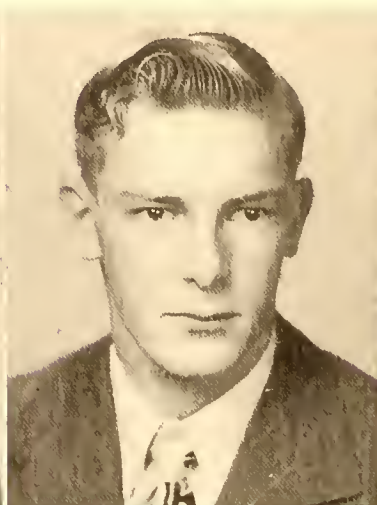
MARTHA ADELAIDE HARPER
York, S. C.
"Merry, vivacious, and nice, the kind that you like, and the kind we like."
Sullivanian Sorority 1, 2; Vice Pres. 2; Woman's Athletic Association 1, 2; Pres. 2; Student Council 2; Ontaraga Staff 2; Skiing Zeta 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Co-Captain 1; Captain 2; Superlative 2.



MILDRED LEE HENSON
Miami, Florida
"She's just the kind whose nature never changes."
Babcat Tales Staff 2; Asst. Editor 2.



JEAN HEWITT
Swoope, Virginia
"A friend in work, in play, in sorrow; the same yesterday, today, tomorrow."
Woman's Athletic Association 1, 2; Treasurer 2; Christian Council 1, 2; Treasurer 2; Sullivanian Sorority 2; Skiing Zeta 2; Basketball Manager 2; Annual Staff 2; Chair 1.



GILBERT HOLSHOUSER
Linville, N. C.
"Good nature is the sign of a large and generous soul."
Babcat Tales Staff 2; Demosthenean Club 2.



JEANNIE HORTON
York, S. C.
"Ready, willing and able."
Sullivanian Sorority 1, 2; Student Council 1; Woman's Athletic Association 1; Phi Rho Phi 1; Intercollegiate Basketball 1, 2; Phi Theta Kappa 2; Ontaraga Staff 2; Assistant Editor 2; May Court 2.



ROBERT C. HOWELL
Green Mountain, N. C.

"Dependability is the key to success."

Camera Club 1, 2; Pres. 1; Delta Psi Omega 1, 2; Sec. 2; Folk Dance Club 2; Green and Gold Masquers 1, 2; Chair 1, 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Ontaraga Staff 1, 2.



ROBERT RALSTON HUNTER
Huntersville, N. C.

"I love fool's experiments; I am always making them."

Veteran's Club 1, 2; Football 1, 2.



HAZEL MARIE JOHNSON
Saluda, N. C.

"Leave silence to saints. I am but human."

Choir 1, 2; Folk Dance Club 2.



ANDREW RAY JONES
Plumtree, N. C.

"Let the other fellow worry."



JEAN KREHBIEL
Clifton, Virginia

"On the spur of the moment—this is her rule."

Folk Dance Club 2.



EMILY JANE KRIDER
Cancord, N. C.

"She moves like a gaddess and looks like a queen."

Green & Gold Masquers 1, 2; Sullivanian Sorority 1, 2; Christian Council 2; Vice President 2; Basketball 2; Delta Psi Omega 2; Superlative 2.



GROVER RAY MARTIN
Charlotte, N. C.

"Today the world claims his services."

Student Council 1; Christian Council 1, 2; Manogram Club 1, 2; Delta Psi Omega 2; Cheerleader 1, 2; Phi Rho Pi 1, 2; Green and Gold Masquers 1, 2; Bobcat Tales Staff 2; Vice-Pres. Freshman Class 1.



LEO RAYMOND MARTIN
Evansville, Ind.

"The test of a man is the fight that he makes."

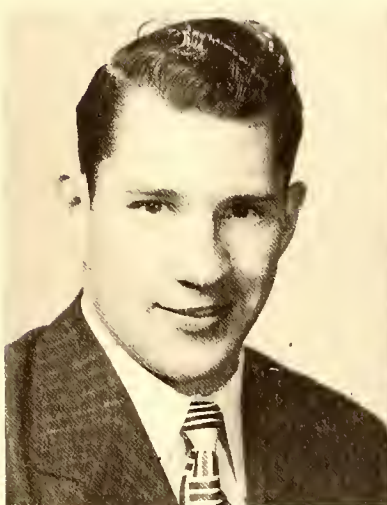
Bobcat Tales 2; Editor 2; Basketball Team 1, 2; Co-Captain 2; Manogram Club 1, 2; Pres. 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Demasthenean Club 1, 2; Phi Theta Kappa 2; Ontaraga Staff 2; Klan 1; Superlative 2.



DOUGLAS V. MASSEY
Mount Airy, N. C.

"Happy am I, from care I'm free, why aren't they all contented like me."

Faotball 2; Monogram Club 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Klan 1; Wildlife Club 1.



ROBERT LEE MAST
Rominger, N. C.

"O why should life all labor be?"



CALEB W. MELTON
Maunt Airy, N. C.

"From the crown of his head to the tip of his toe, he is all mirth."

Student Council 2; Demasthenean 2; Manogram Club 2; Faotball 2; Skiing Zero 2; Camera Club 2; Falk Dance Club 2; Wildlife Club 1; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Klan 1.



WETA IRENE MOORE
Chapel Hill, N. C.

"Yaur heart is ah sa very big, though very very small is she."

Camera Club 1, 2; Treas. 1; Sec. 2; Ontaraga Staff 2; Chair 1.



MARGARET ALEENE McCRAY
New Smyrna Beach, Florida

"It's better to love one little boy
lots than love lots of boys little."

Phi Theta Koppo 1, 2; Treas. 2;
Class Sec.-Treas. 1, 2; Bobcot Toles
Stoff 2; Ontarogo Stoff 2; Super-
lative 2.



EDWARD CLARENCE
McDONALD

Callege Park, Go.

"A world where nothing is hod
for nothing."



BETTY JEAN McFARLAND
York, South Carolino

"No more nor less than just her-
self with her winsome woy of
noturolness."

Sullivanion Sorority 1, 2; Christion
Council 1, 2; Sec. 2; Green ond
Gold Mosquers 1, 2; Basketball 2.



JAMES A. McPHERSON
Cameron, N. C.

"He is greeat enough that he is
his own master."

Demostheneon Club 1, 2; Mono-
grom Club 2; Veteron's Club 1, 2;
Football 1, 2; Klion 1, 2.



MARTHA PERRY
Cancord, N. C.

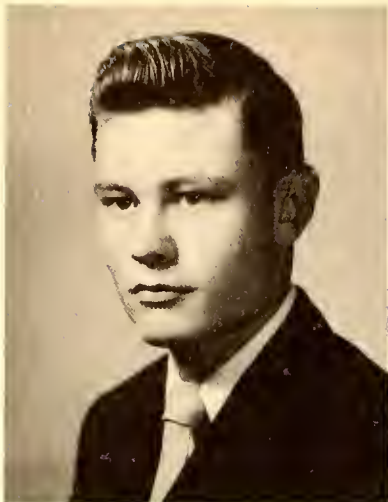
"Our youth we can have but
today; We moy always find time
to grow old."

Choir 1, 2.



MARY LOU PIERCY
Newland, N. C.

"Reedy in heart ond reedy in
hond."



JAMES ERNEST PUCKETT
Banner Elk, N. C.
"A man good and true."



ROSS RAY
Fort Mill, S. C.
"God nature is the sign of a
large and generous soul."
Veteran's 1, 2; Demastheneans 1,
2; Christian Council 1, 2.



SAMUEL DOOLEY REA
Newport, Tennessee
"Take it easy, have your fun,
and let the old world flicker on."
Wildlife 1, 2.



MARJORIE BELLE RICHMOND
Kingsport, Tenn.
"She is made to be the admirat-
ian of everyone, and the happiness
of one."
Chair 1; Christian Council 2; Sul-
livanian Sorority 2; Folk Dance
Club 2.



RUTH MARIE RIDENHOUR
Durham, N. C.
"In her very quietness, there is
charm."
Camera Club 1, 2; Chair 1;
Christian Council 1; Phi Rho Pi 1,
2; Sec.-Treas. 2; Folk Dance Club 2;
Ontaroga Staff 2.



JOHN THOMAS ROBERTS
Mount Airy, N. C.
"Carefree, talkative and eager
characterize John."
Klan 1, 2; Demasthenean Club 1,
2; Babcat Tales Staff 2.



EUGENE BANKS ROSS, JR.
Charlotte, N. C.

"Good nature and good sense make a fellow that his friends like."



GEORGE EDWARD SALEEM
Wilmington, N. C.

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Skiing Zero 2; Green and Gold Masquers 1, 2; Vice-President 2; Delta Psi Omega 1, 2; President 2; Managram Club 2; Treasurer 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Secretary 2; Folk Dance Club 2; Ontaraga Staff 2; Klan 1; Cheerleader 1, 2; Football 1; Babcat Tales Staff 2.



VIRGINIA SCARBORO
Kannapolis, N. C.

"Capable, clever, and sweet with a kind word for all she meets."

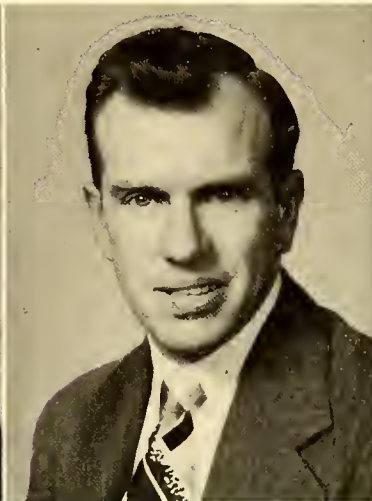
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MARY KATE STOCKNER
Welch, West Va.

"Every inch a queen."

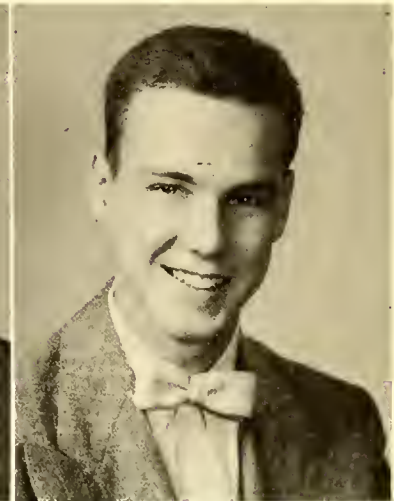
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HERVEY PAUL TROXLER
Greensboro, N. C.

"A willing worker, full of mirth; We need more like him on this earth."

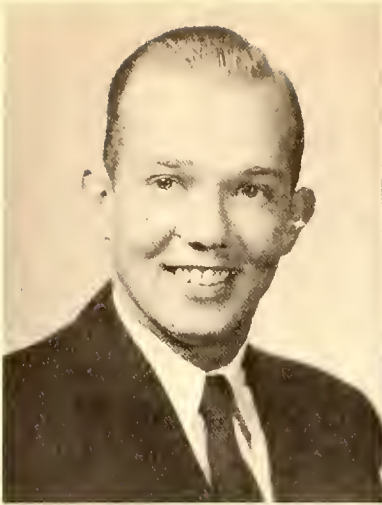
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WILLIAM DARCY TROXLER
Greensboro, N. C.

"My father calls me William, my mother calls me Will, Dink calls me Willie, the fellows call me Bill."

Chair 1; Camera Club 1, 2; Ontaraga Staff 2; Babcat Tales 2; Football 1, 2; Managram Club 2.



BASIL MARION TUCKER
Leaksville, N. C.

"He's o jolly good fellow."
Klon 1, 2; Skiing Zero 1, 2;
Veteron's Club 1, 2; Superlative 2.



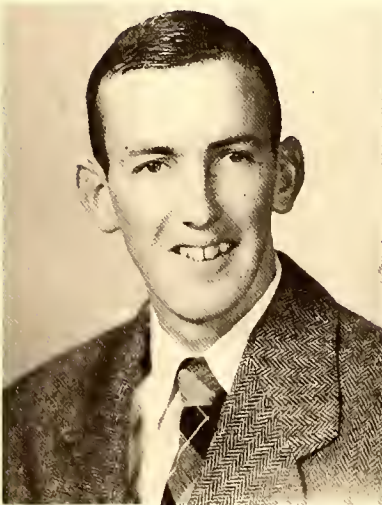
REUBEN J. WALLACE
Bartow, Florida

"Worth makes the mon, ond wond
of it the fellow."
Demostheneon Club 1, 2; Presi-
dent Senior Class 2; Superlative 2;
Christian Council 1, 2; Ontorogo
Stoff 1, 2; Business Manager 2;
Comero Club 1, 2; Veteron's Club
1; Choir 1.



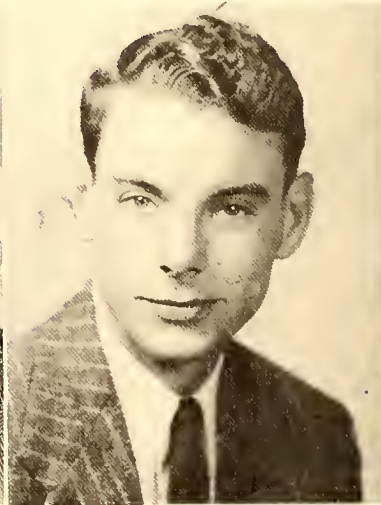
MARY LOUELLEN WARD
Besemer City, N. C.

"Meet her, know her, ond you'll
never forget her."
Choir 1, 2; Woman's Athletic As-
sociation 1, 2; Treasurer 2; Comero
Club 2; Folk Donce Club 2; Christ-
ian Council 1; Sullivonion Sorority
2; Basketball 1, 2; Coptain 1; Co-
Coptain 2; Delto Psi Omega 2;
Green ond Gold Masquers 1, 2;
Phi Theta Koppo 2; Superlative 2;
Ontorogo Stoff 1; Bobcot Toles
Stoff 2.



GEORGE DONALD WAYNE
Hallsboro, N. C.

"To make the world o friendly
plove, one must hove o friendly
foce."
Green ond Gold Masquers 1, 2;
Delto Psi Omega 2; Bobcot Toles 2.



ERNEST THOMAS WHITE
Concord, N. C.

"It is learning music that many
youthful hearts learn to love."
Demostheneon Club 2; Choir 1,
2; President 2; Christian Council 1,
2; Comero Club 1, 2; Vice-President
2; Veteron's Club 1, 2.



DOROTHY WHITT
Spray, N. C.

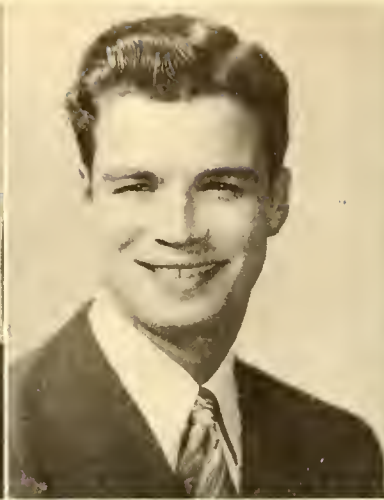
"My heart's content when I'm on
mischief bent."
Choir 2.



JERRY R. WHITT
Spray, N. C.

"I believe in work but I'm not in favor of it."

Klan 1, 2; Comero Club 1, 2; President 2; Choir 1, 2; Veteron's Club 1, 2; Folk Donce Club 2.



JOHN THOMAS WILLIAMS
Charlotte, N. C.

"My only books were women's looks and folly is all they've taught me."

Bobcot Toles Stoff 1, 2; Business Monoger 2; Ontoroga Stoff 1, 2; Skiing Zero 1, 2; Vice President 2; Camero Club 1, 2; Demostheneon Club 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2; Choir 2; Folk Donce Club 2.

SPECIAL STUDENTS



PEGGY LONG
West Jefferson, N. C.

"We ore chormed by neatness of person."

Sullivanion Sorority 2.



HUBERT EDENS
Wilmington, N. C.

"The way to make friends is to be friendly."

Cheerleoder 1, 2; Choir 2; Green and Gold Masquers 1, 2; The Klon 2; Veteran's Club 1, 2; Monogram Club 1, 2; Delto Psi Omega 2; Demosthenegns 3; Folk Donce Club 2.



GWENDOLYN BOYCE
Seaford, Delaware

"It is well to think well; it is divine to oct well."

Choir 2; Ontorogo Stoff 2; Folk Dance Club 2; Phi Theto Koppo 2.

Interns





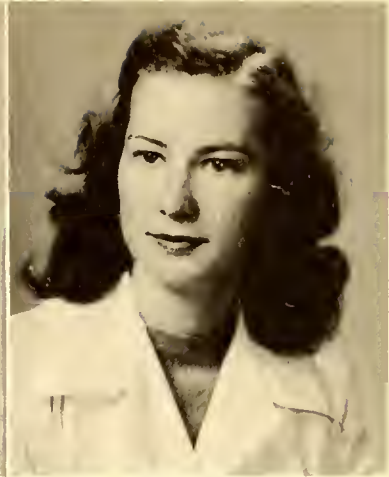
EDNA ARRINGTON
Franklin, Georgia

"Responsibility walks hand in hand with capacity and power."
Christian Council 2; Sullivanian Sararity 2, 3; Phi Theta Kappa 2, 3.



MURIEL COFFEY
Banner Elk, N. C.

"With countenance demure and modest grace."



RUBY DELLINGER
Clarissa, N. C.

"Wit makes its own welcome, and levels all distinction."
Phi Theta Kappā 1, 2, 3; Vice President 1, 2; Waman's Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Treasurer 2; Sullivanian Sararity 2, 3; Superlative 2.



VIRGINIA DOWNS
Lenair, N. C.

"As full of spirit as the month of May."
Christian Council 1, 2; Secretary 2; Sullivanian Sararity 1, 2, 3; Secretary and Treasurer 2; Phi Rho Pi 1, 2, 3; President 3; Chair 1; Secretary 1; Green and Gold Masquers 1, 2, 3; Secretary 3; Student Council 1, 2; Clan of Skiing Zero 2, 3; Scribe 3; May Court 3; Bobcat Tales 3.



JEWEL DRAKE
Hendersanville, N. C.

"Well arranged time is the surest mark of a well arranged mind."
Waman's Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Camera Club 2, 3; Chair 2.



FAYE KERLEY
Taylorsville, N. C.

"The useful and the beautiful are never separated."

Christian Council 1, 2; Phi Theta Kappa 1, 2; Treasurer 1, 2; Chair 1.



BERTHA MOORE

"Graceful to sight and elegant to thought."

Vice President Freshman Class; Christian Council 1, 2; Ontaraga Staff 1; May Court 2; Sullivanian Sorarity 3; Clan of Skiing Zeta 2, 3.



MARTHA ROTHROCK
Walnut Cove, N. C.

"Reserve is the truest expression of respect toward those who are its subjects."

Woman's Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Christian Council 1, 2; Vice President 2; Phi Theta Kappa 1, 2, 3; President 2; Chair 1, 2; May Court 3; Ontaraga Staff 3; Intercollegiate Basketball 3.



ELAINE WARD

"All grand thoughts came from the heart."

Chair 1, 2; Sullivanian Sorority 3.



JO ANN WHITE

New Smyrna Beach, Florida

"The perfection of outward loveliness is the soul shining through its crystalline covering."

Phi Theta Kappa 1, 2, 3; Secretary 2; Sullivanian Sorority 1, 2, 3; Elder 3; Student Council 1, 2; Secretary 2; May Court 1, 2; Queen 2; Christian Council 1, 2; Clan of Skiing Zeta 2, 3.

Freshman Class



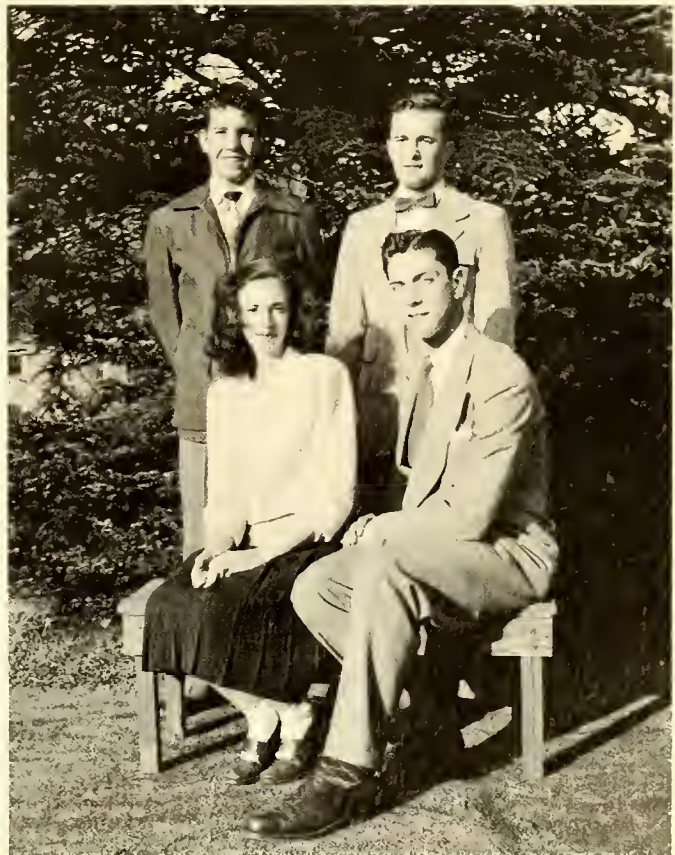
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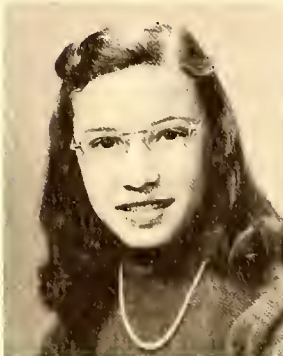
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Wallace, N. C.



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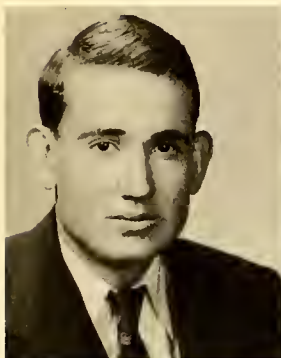
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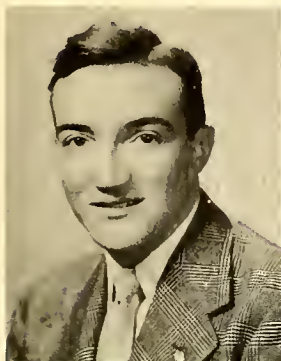
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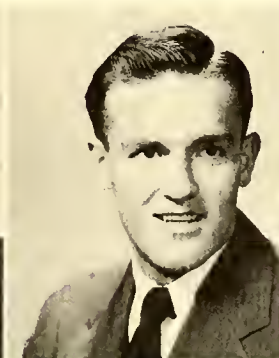
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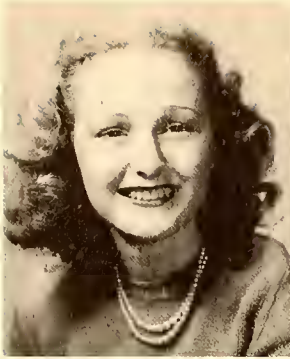
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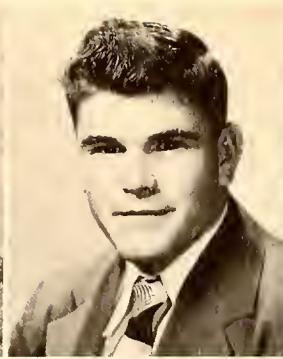
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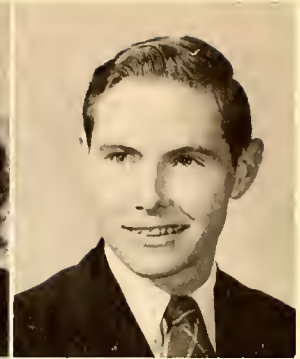
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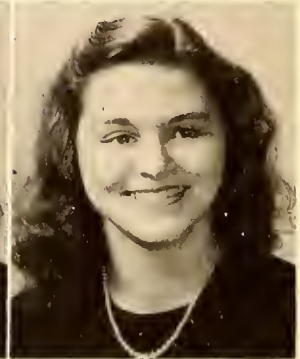
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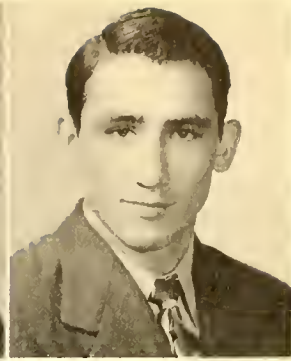
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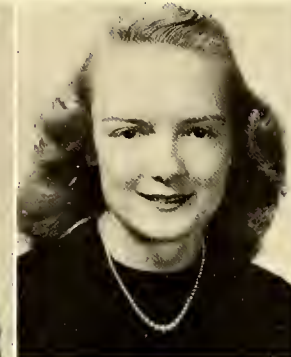
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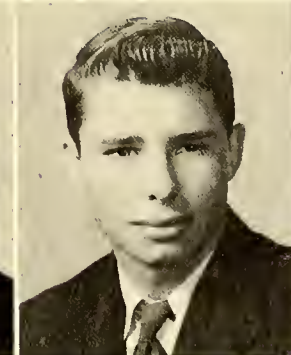
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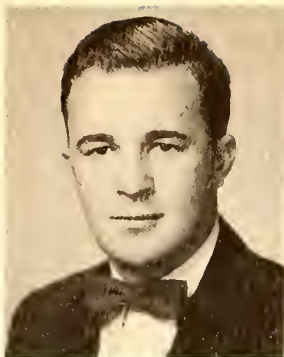
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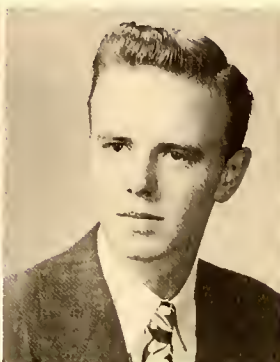
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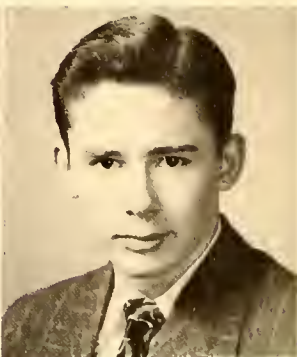
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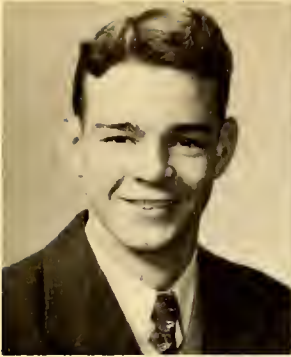
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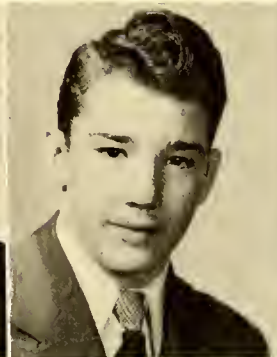
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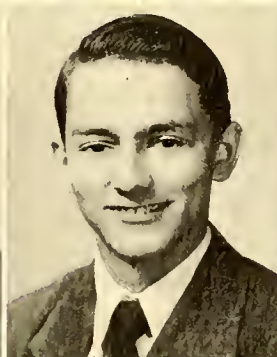
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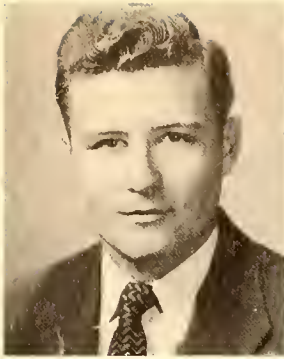
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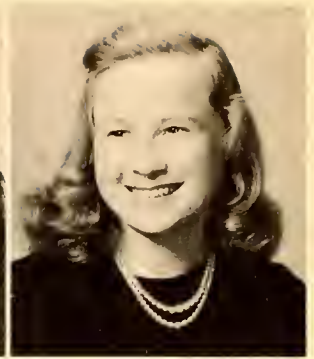
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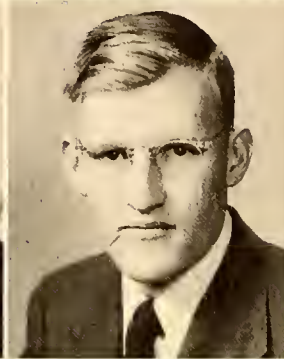
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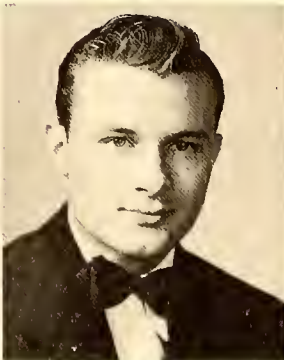
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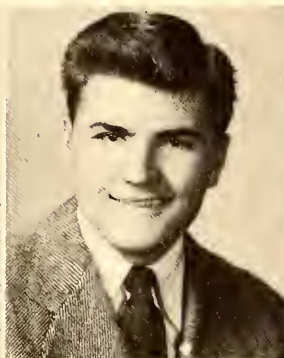
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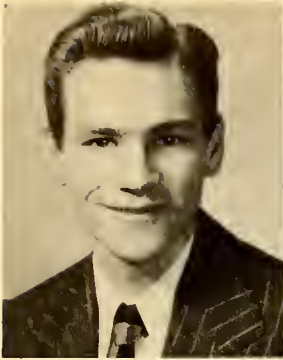
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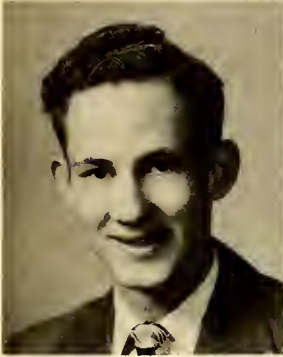
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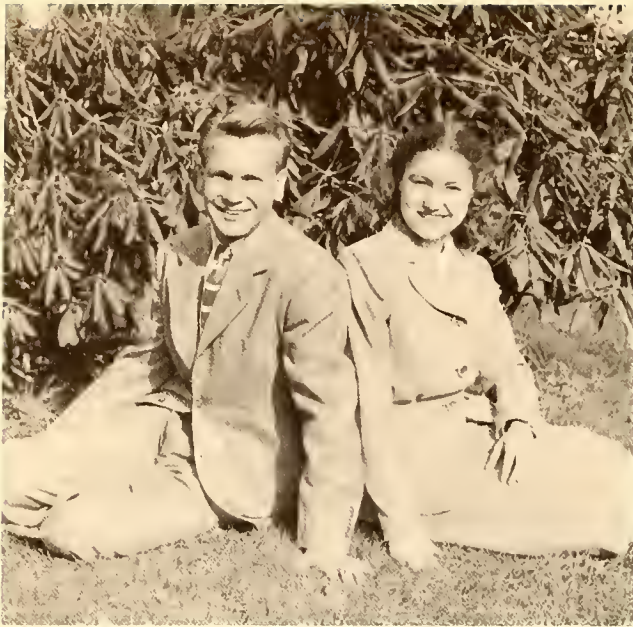
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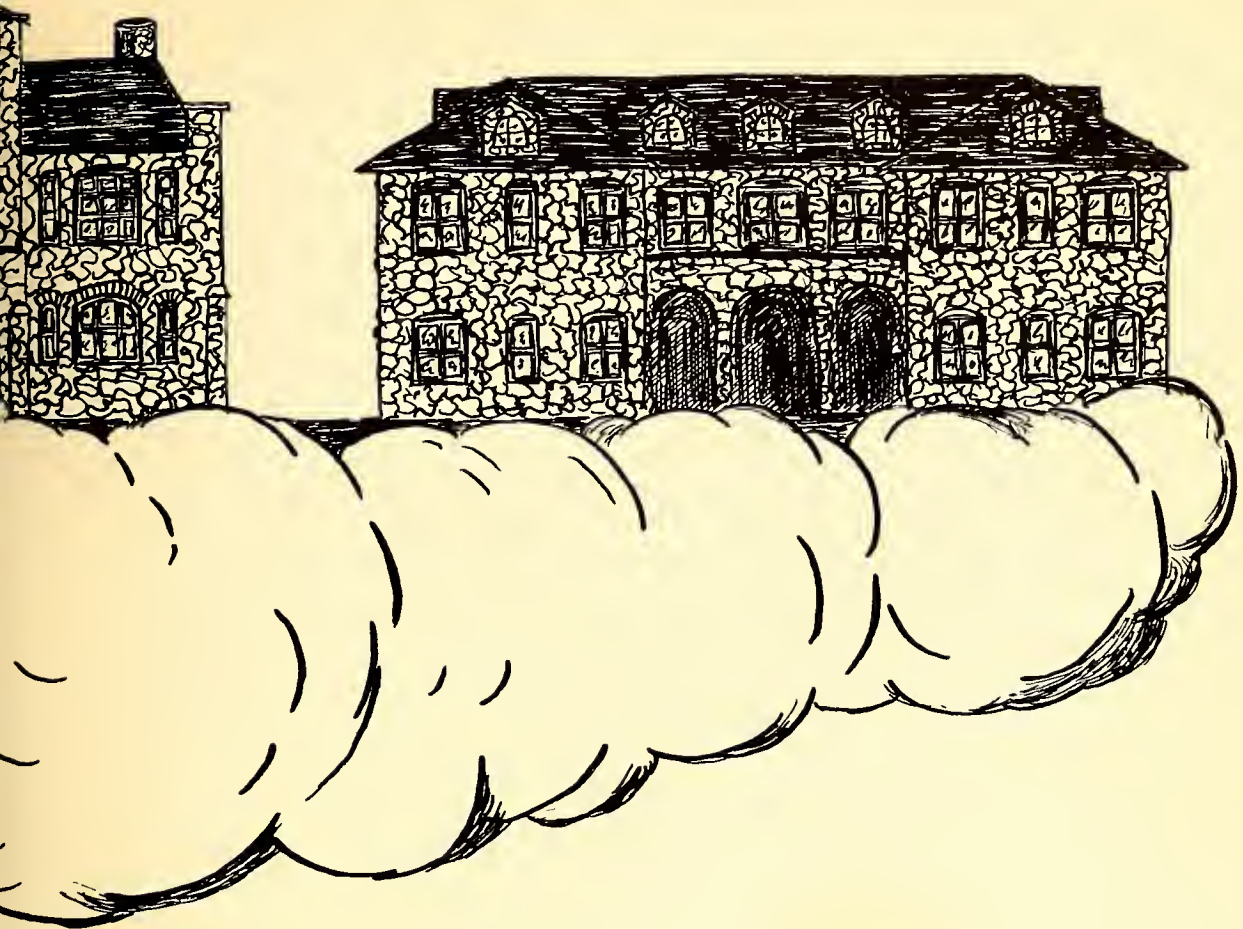
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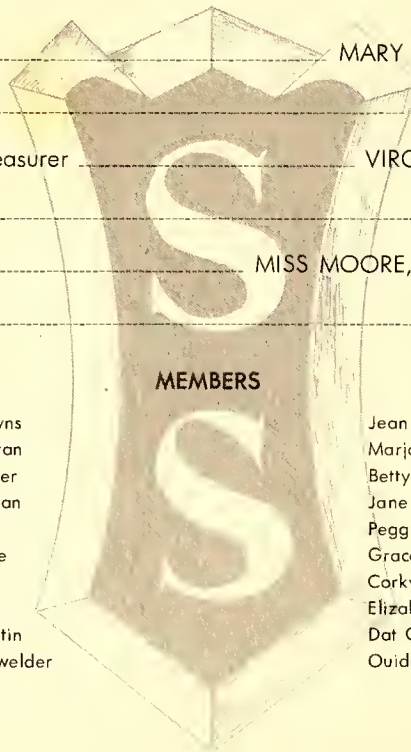
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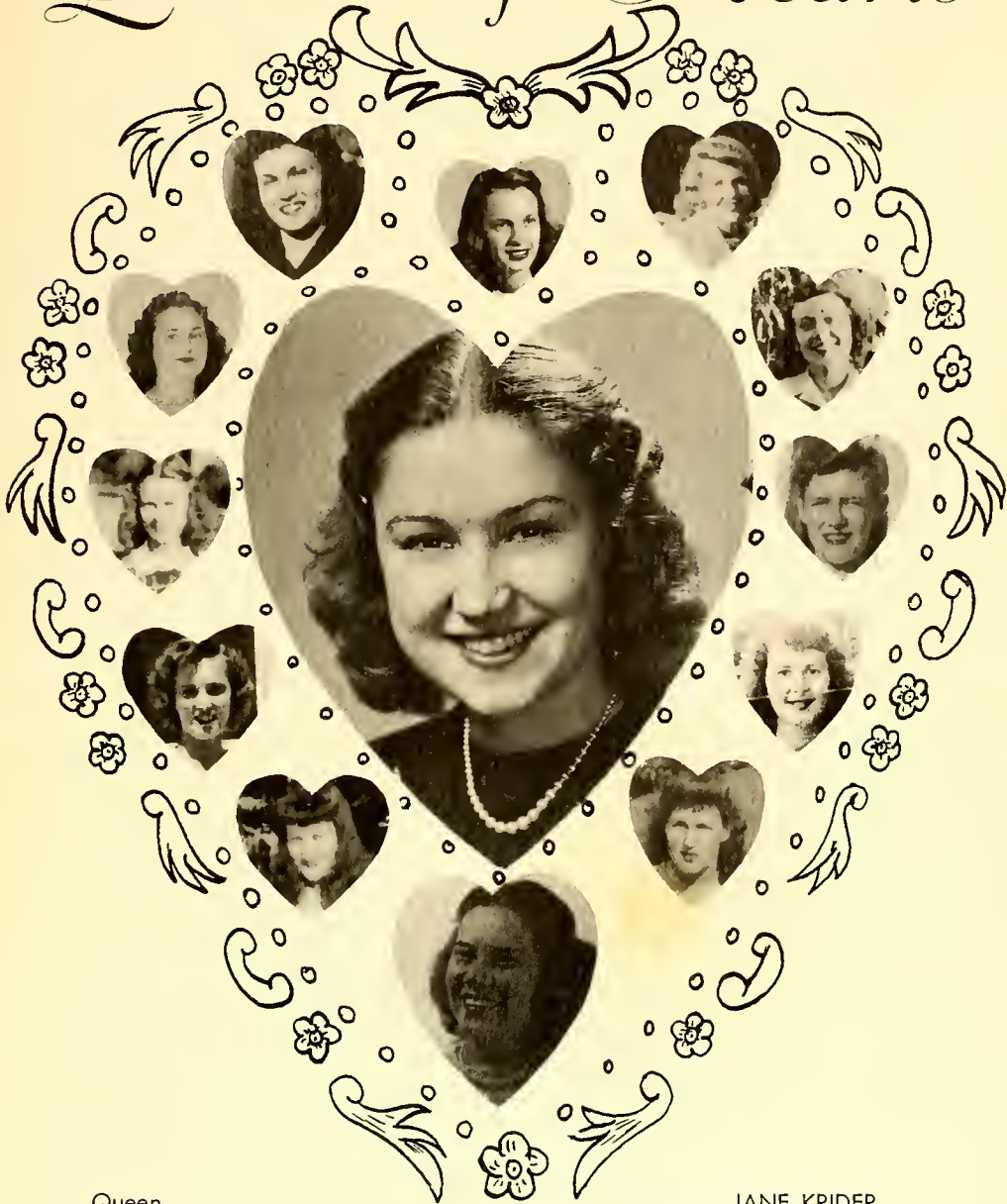
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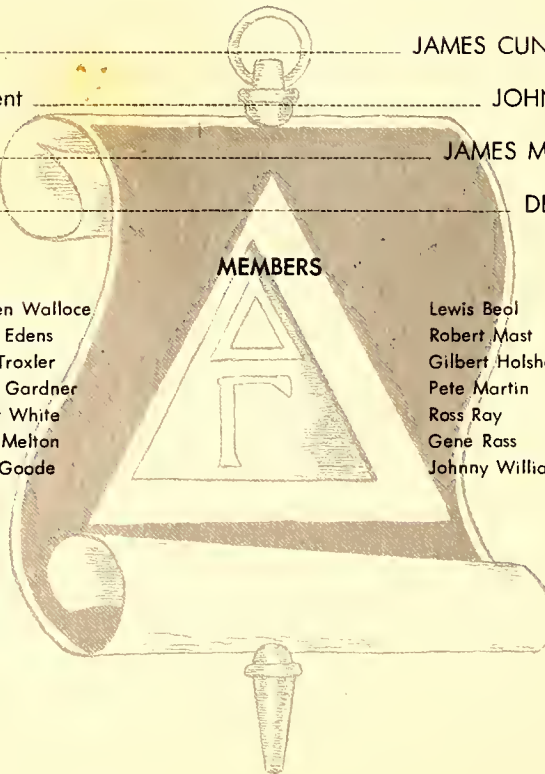
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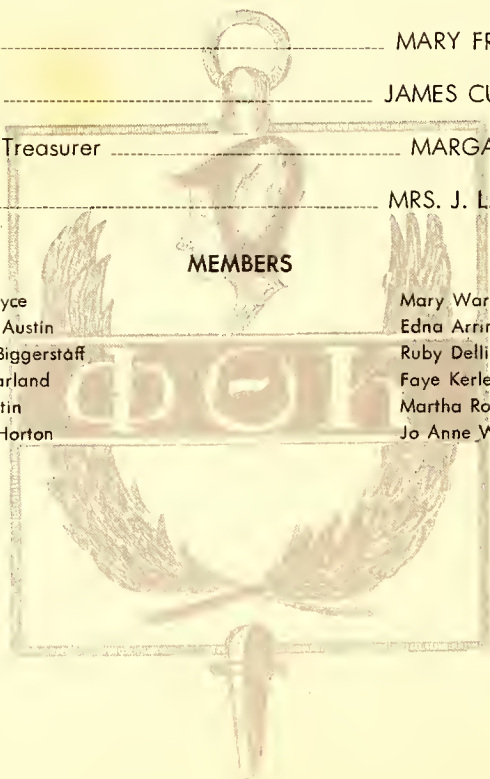


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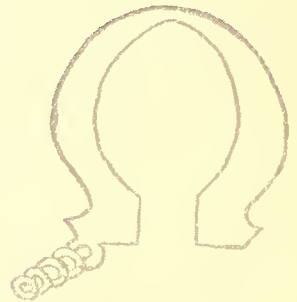
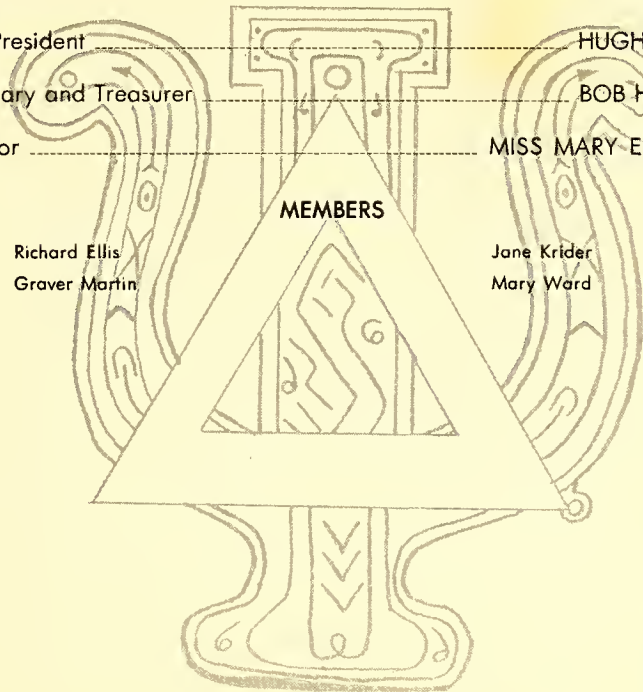
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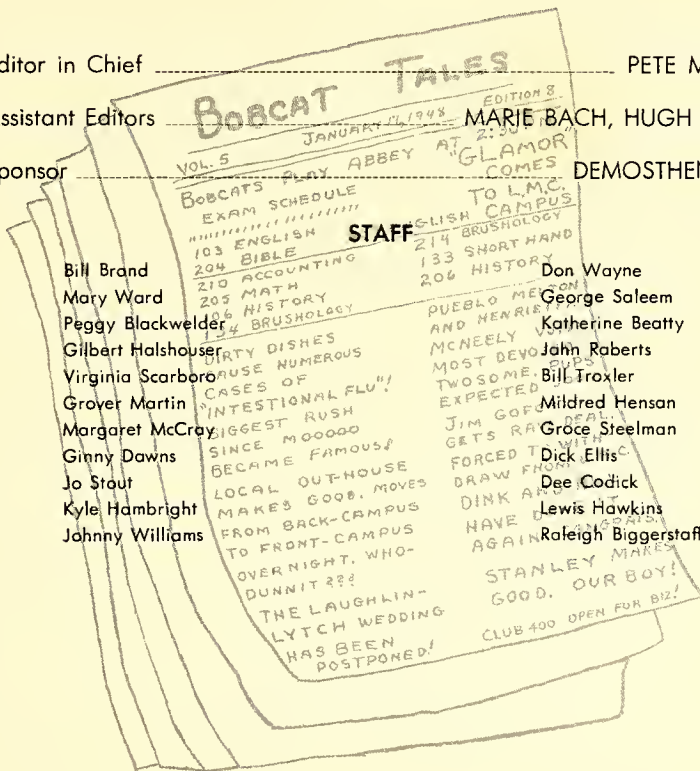
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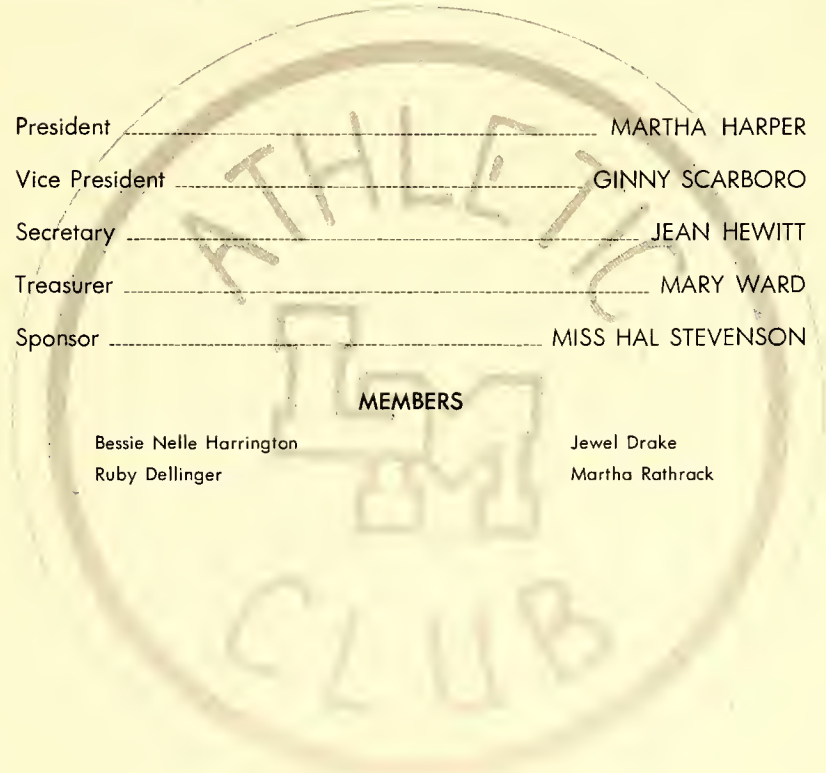
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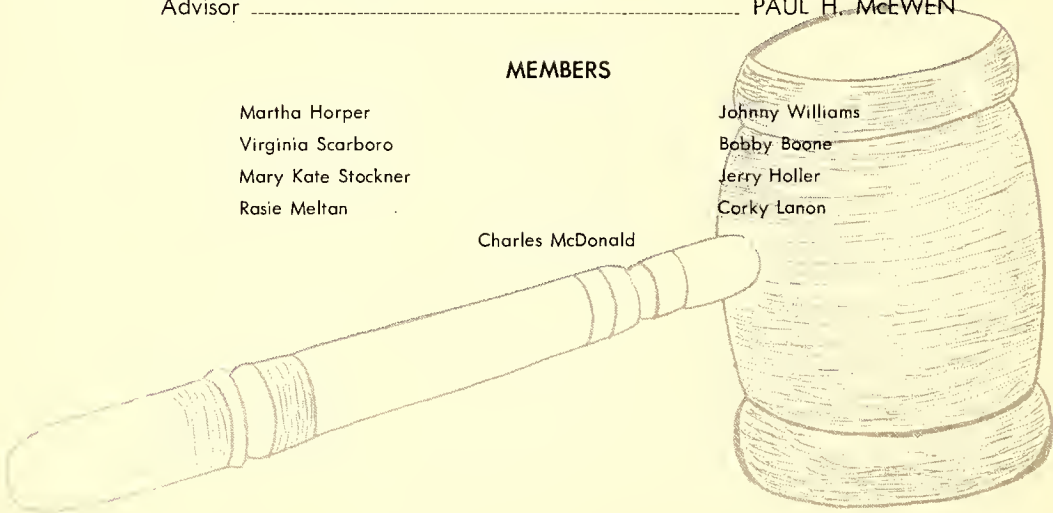
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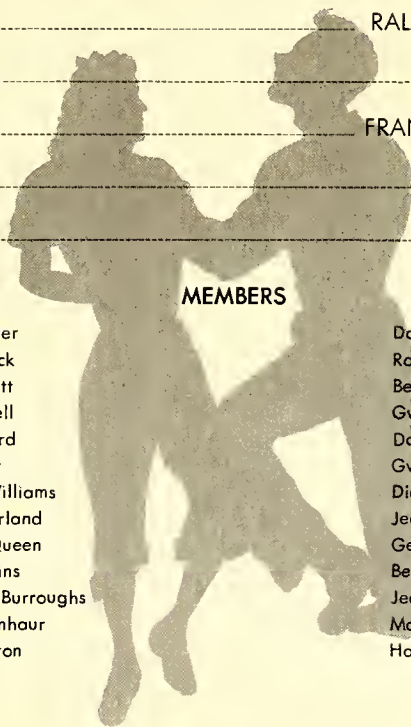
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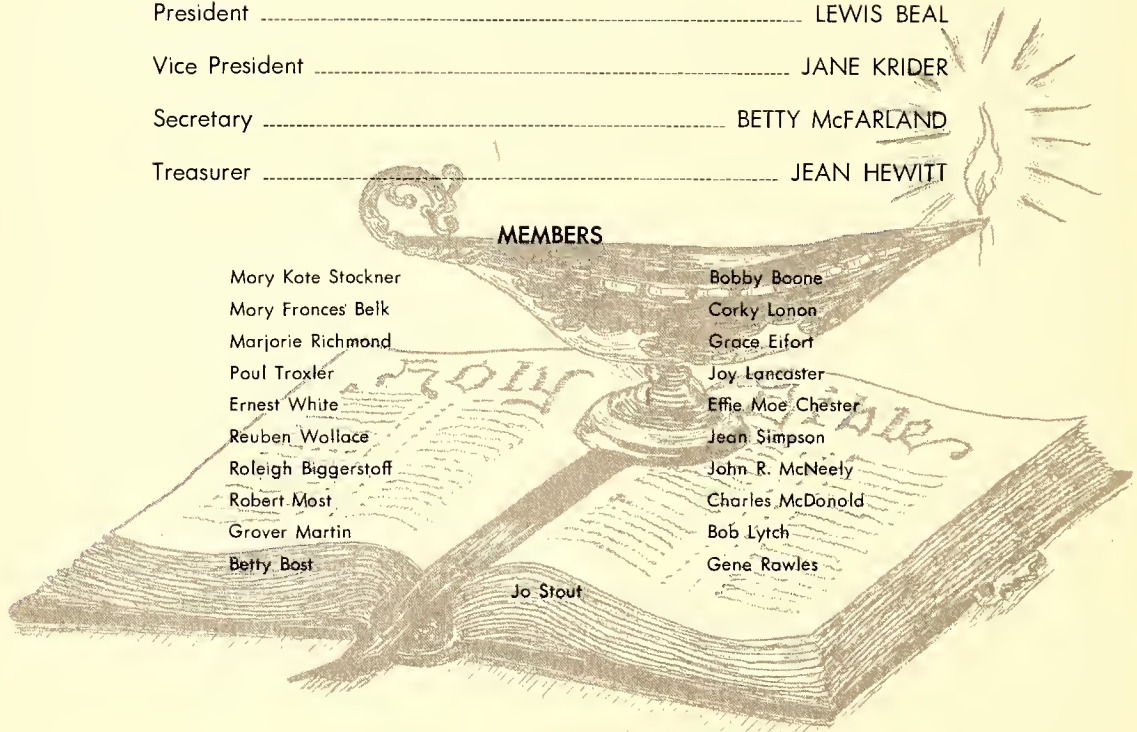
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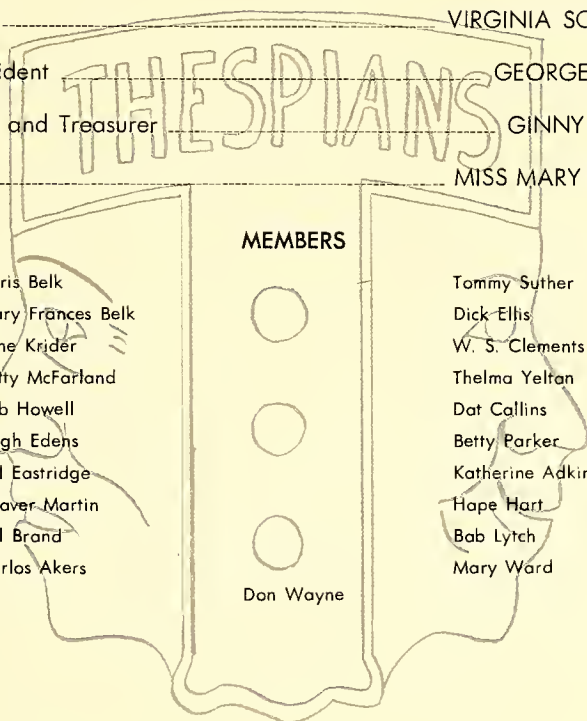
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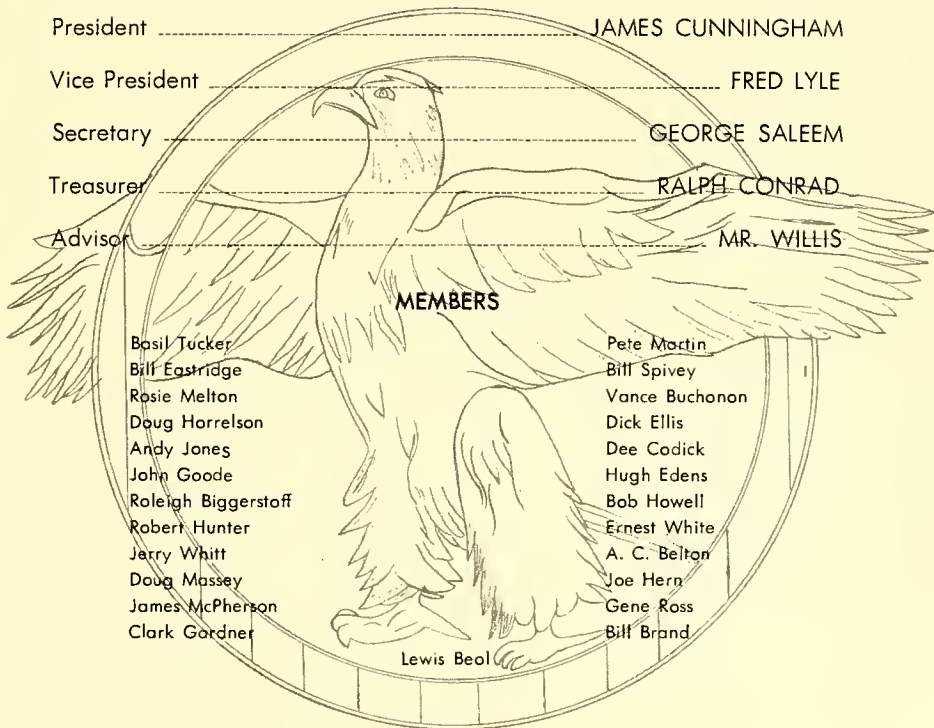
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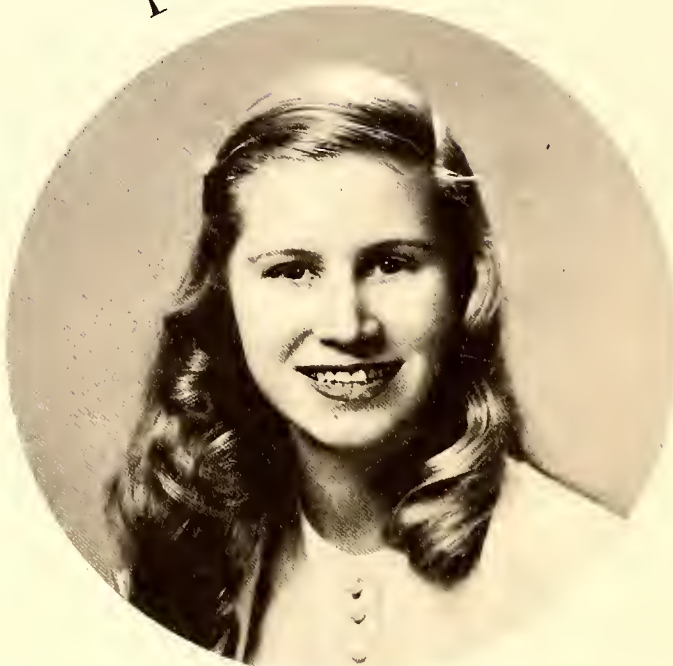


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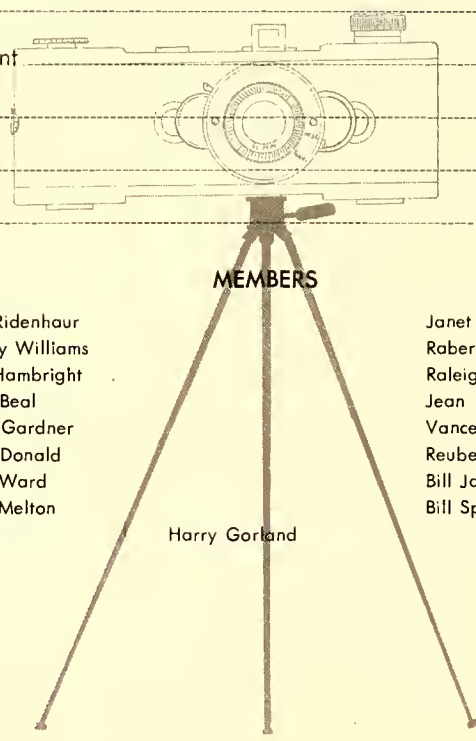


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Sports



Lees-McRae 1947 Football Season

The small and very light Lees-McRae Bobcats had a fighting spirit which carried them through a nine game schedule with one win, two ties, and six losses. Despite the season record, the Bobcats had a hard driving, fast, and shifty football squad and always displayed a will to win despite the heavy odds. The Bobcats were a well drilled team under the capable leadership of Fred I. Dickerson. Cooch Dickerson took an inexperienced and light squad with only two returning lettermen and molded them into an efficient and experienced squad. This was proven in the latter part of the season when Lees-McRae blanked its arch rival, the Mors Hill Lions, by a score of 13-0.

September 20, in the initial tilt of the season, the Bobcats and the Brevard Tornadoes fought to a hard-fought, scoreless deadlock. The fast charging offense of the Tornadoes was stopped cold near our goal several times by the excellent defense, the outstanding kicking of Bill Eastridge marked the Lees-McRae opening test.

September 27, the Bobcats traveled to Gardner-Webb for a game with the "Bulldogs." Our boys lost a 7-0 heart-breaker on a wind swept field. The Bulldogs scored on a 50 yard runback of a kick. The Bobcats, thinking the Bulldogs safety man had stepped out of lines, made no attempt to tackle him; however, the officials ruled otherwise. Two scoring thrusts by LMC were stopped deep in Bulldog territory on the 9 and 12 yard lines respectively, by pass interceptions. Good defensive play featured the closely fought game.

October 4, the Asheville-Biltmore Bulldogs defeated the Bobcats in Memorial Stadium by a score of 12-6. It was a hard fought battle with two pass interference penalties, against the Bobcats, setting up the two Bulldog TD's. The game was featured by clean sportsmanship on both sides. Covington scored only Bobcat touchdown on a five yard drive.

October 11, Lees-McRae played host to the Belmont Abbey Crusaders on Lees-McRae field, in the annual homecoming game. The game featured beautiful defensive playing, but our Bobcats rocked-up one first down to the Belmont squads four. The Bobcats could not get their offense started and were on the defensive during most of the game. Rosie Melton broke through the Crusader's line to tackle a Belmont back behind his goal for a safety. A bad pass from center set up the first Abbey score when Bill Eastridge elected to run with the ball and was thrown for a loss. Minutes later, Abbey scored and the conversion was good. A pass play set up the second score as Braun of Abbey took the ball some seventy-seven yards for the second touchdown. Melton, Bond, Eastridge, Akers, Ozment, and Church played outstanding ball for the day. Due credit should also be given to all those who participated in this hard fought game.

October 17, the Bobcats journeyed to Davidson to clash with the Davidson "B" squad. The Bobcats began in the game as the underdogs against the Wildcats who boasted a team weighing 170 pounds in the line and backfield. Luck was with the LMC squad during the first half and fumbles were made constantly, yet the Bobcats were able to play in Davidson territory most of the first half. With only a few minutes left to play in the first half, Lackhard, of the Davidson team drove through center for the only score of the first half.

During the second half, the Wildcats switched to an aerial attack for two more TD's. The final score: Davidson 18—Lees-McRae 0. Bill Eastridge, Don Roberts and Satch Lyle played a swell game in the line with Ozment and Covington spork-plugging in the back field.

October 25, the Bobcats played host to the Campbell "Camels", one of the strongest Junior College eleven's in conference. The Camels got off to a fast start in the first half and scored 19 points before the half ended. However, the Bobcats came back strong and played inspired ball to remain on even terms with the Camels for the remainder of the game. The Bobcats got underway in the second half and drove deep into Campbell territory on Ozment's posses, but were halted by a pass interception.

November 1, on a windy, rain-soaked gridiron, the highly favored Bobcats were held to a scoreless tie by a hard fighting, underdog, the Blue Ridge Hilltopper eleven, at Hendersonville. It was in this tilt that the Bobcats sprang their hidden ball play on which right guard Lyle ran 43 yards before being stopped short of a touchdown.

November 8, P. J. C. of Maxton, N. C., won one of the toughest football games of their season, from the Bobcats. The Bobcats would not be denied their ability to stand their ground on the water-

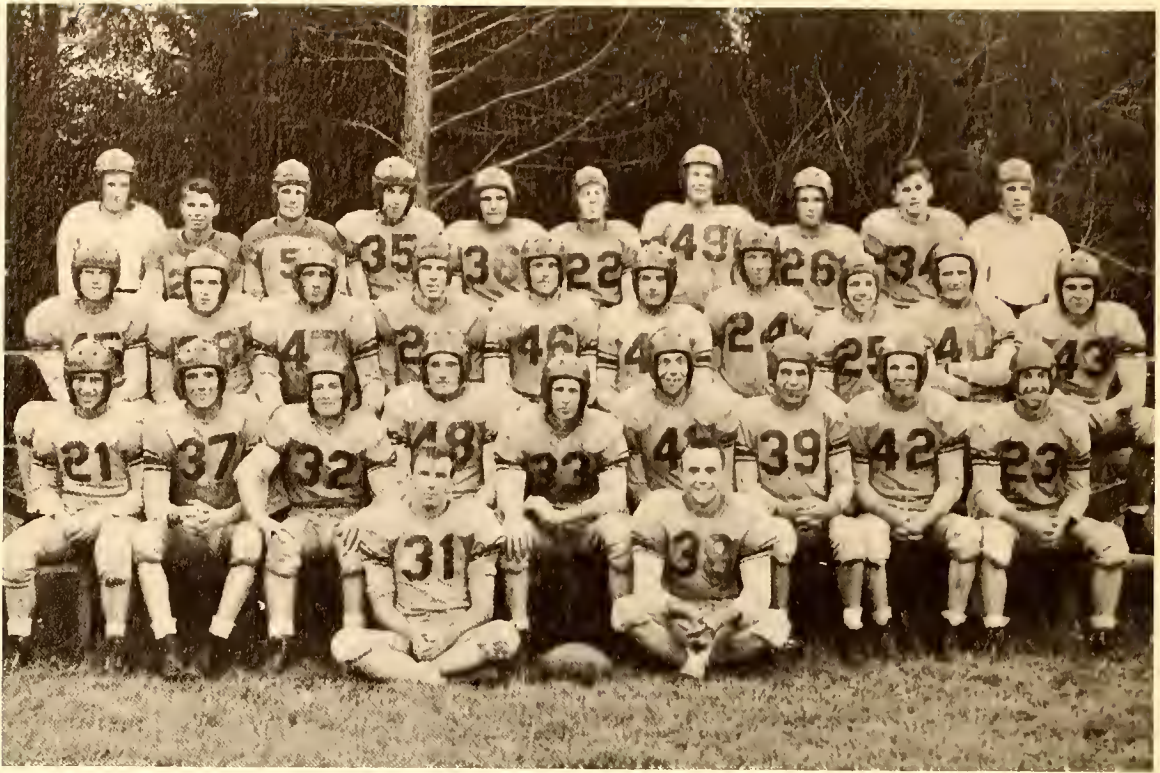
soaked field of LMC. It was not until the last four minutes of the game that the situation was altered. At that point, McPherson, not knowing he was on his own goal line, attempted to return a punt from the end zone but was trapped. This break for P. J. C. was the first and only one during the hard fought game. Throughout the earlier part of the game, both sides gave a brilliant show of defense. McPherson lugged the pigskin in true die-hard spirit while Satch Lyle, Don Roberts, Bill Eostridge, Rasie Meltan diverted many threatening attempts into harmless channels to stop P. J. C. cold.

November 15, in the classic of the 1947 football season, the Babcats trampled their arch rival, Mars Hill Mountain Lions, by the count of 13-0 for their first victory of the season. The first half featured a Babcat drive to the Lion's ten yard line which was abruptly halted; however, the important drive came about as a result of a borroge of posses. The climax of the drive came when "swiveled-hipped" Massey drove the remaining one yard to score lying down. In the second half, the Babcats come back stronger with Ozment and Cavington passes hitting their targets with Eastridge catching and scoring from 15 yards out. Pandemonium broke loose when Eastridge trucked down the field with final touchdown pass. Ed McDonald, Bill Eastridge, W. S. Clements, Bill Troxler, Doug Massey, Rasie Meltan, James McPherson trudged from the field of honor to hang up their playing tags for the last time as Coach Dickerson embraced his brave warriors.

The Co-captains were chosen at the conclusion of the 1947 season and were Bill Eostridge and Ed McDonald (the only two returning lettermen). Fred Lyle and Banks Ozment were chosen to captain the 1948 football squad. Fred Lyle was voted "the most outstanding player on the 1947 football team" by his teammates. Bill Eastridge and Fred Lyle gained conference recognition by being named on the first All-Conference team.

The men who lettered for this season were as follows: Bill Eastridge, Rosie Meltan, Tammy Jackson, Ed McDonald, Carlos Akers, Tammy Suther, Fred Lyle, Banks Ozment, James Covington, John W. McNeely, Mock Wolfe, Don Roberts, Dearl Gorland, Bill Brand, Sam Roberts, Curt Davidson, James McPherson, Doug Massey, W. S. Clements, and Bill Traxler.



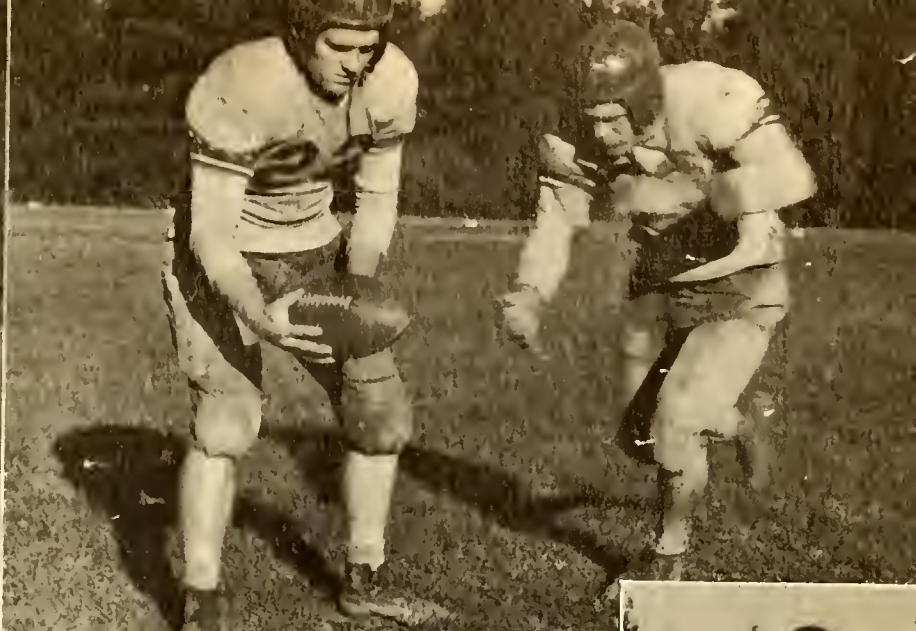


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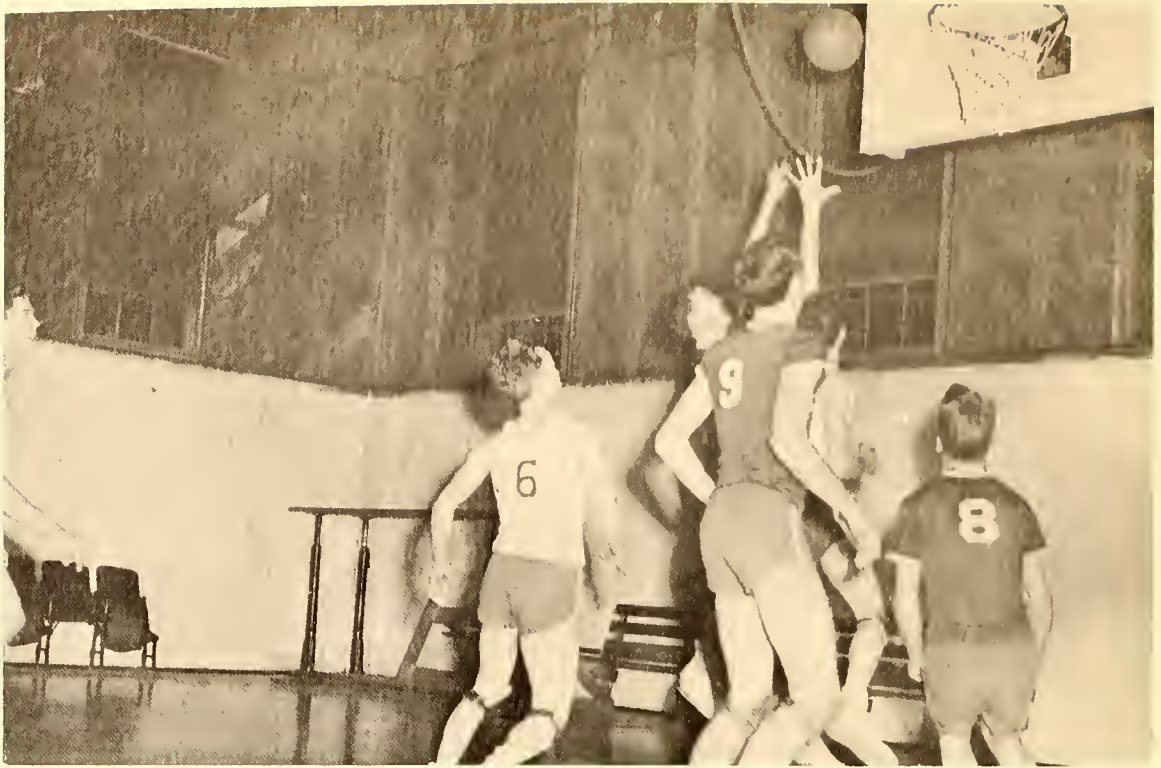
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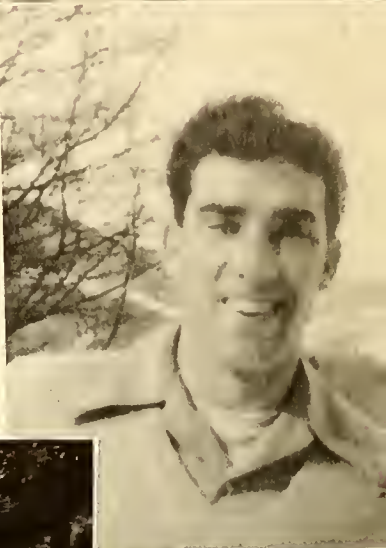
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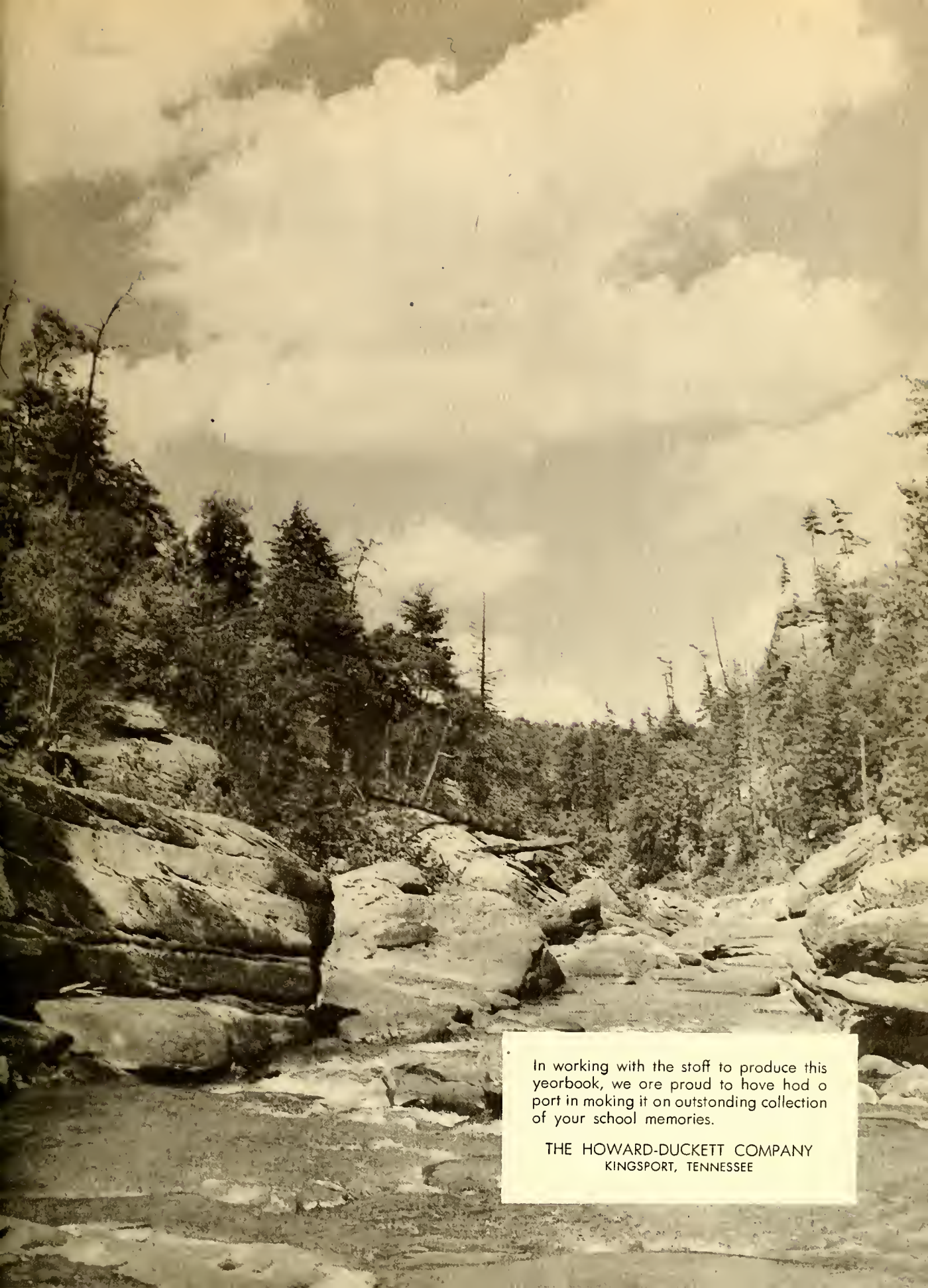
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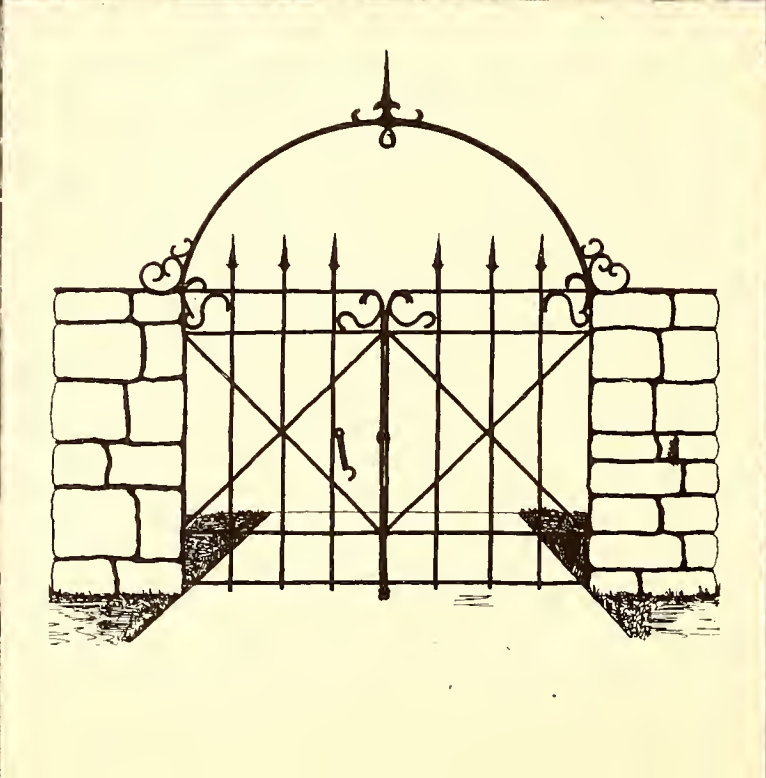
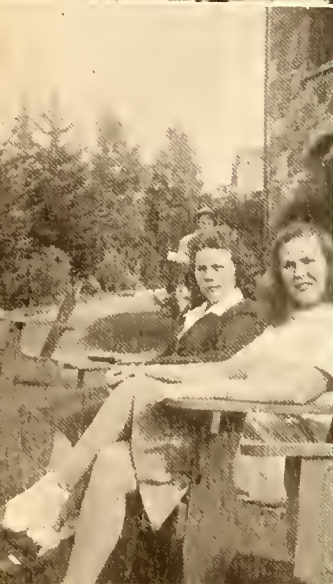






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