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## FOREWORD

Realizing that "one appreciates moat the thing she works hardest for," The Annual Staff has put forth atrenuous effort to make this, the 1958 edition of the "Ram", a memoir for all our readers.

This edition gives you an accurate account through pictures of the academic and extra-curricular activities that go on in the school.

The members of the staff hope that as youturn these pages now and in years to come, you will recall the time spent here as the most important and enjoyable of your life.



Mr. John H. Lucas, Sr.
Because of the standards which you have set before us, your endeavors in aiding us to reacb our potentials, your generosity and loyalty to the school, we the members of the yearbook staff dedicate this, the 1958 edition of "The Ram" to our friend, principal, and consultant, Mr. John Harding Lucas, Sr.

## DEDICATION



## SANDRA NICOLE SCOTT

As a token of our appreciationforyour four years of tireless devotion to the yearbook staff and your effort to make the 1958 edition the very best, we, the members of the staff also dedicate this edition of "The Ram" to our editor-in-chief, Sandra Nicole Scott.



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Our task:
The Development of Learners and the lmprovement of our Com munity.'

Neitherbegins nor ends with high school experience. Both need your comtixuing contributions.

Mr. C. W. Duggins. Superintendent

## ADMINISTRATION

W. L. Vaught

Not pictured
Mr. J. Harding Lucas, Principal

Our school must continue to atrive to be so organized and constructed that if provides for the child a "place of iiving and learning't a school which helps to build character, develops a keen mind, and is sensitive to changing human needs.


## SUPERVISOR

## KNOW YOUR ARITHMETIC

Therois a growing emphasis on mathematics and science in the nation's schools.

Mathematics is oftenreferred to as the "Queer of the Sciences," as it plays such an important part in the work of every science.

A knowledge of arithmetic is the basis for all mathematics. All higherbranches of́mathematics, such as algebra, geometry, and trigonometry depend largely on a knowledge of arithmetic. A complete mastery of the basicskills inarithmetic is very essential.

The abovenumber chart is a handy tool for the complete mastexy of multiplication and division facts.

Dr. Ol an Petty, of the Depart ment of Education, Duke University, conelucted a Workshop in Arithmetic for Teachers, and recommended the chart. It is being used effectively by teachers in our schools.


Mrs. Mary W. Gant

## ADMINISTRATIVE AIDE

Mrs.B. L. Parker, Secretary


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Harris, Henrietta
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Holman, Shirley Hunt, John Jeffers, Ethel Leatherberry, Danny Lewis, Dottie Lyons, Davis

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Shells, Vivian Steed, Robert Smith, Bruce Taborn, James Taylor, Etta Taylor, Marie

Feryy, Artis Thomas, Dorothy Thornton, Earlene Thorpe, Henry Tyler, Billy Tyler, Joan

Warren, Clarica White, Carolyn Williams, Julia Wilkerson, Effie Young, Robert





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Mitchell, Mary
Morgan, Barbara

Morgan, Ralph
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Peace, Lonnie

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Taborn, Evelyn
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Taylor, Shirley
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Thomas, Allen Thomas, Maggie Thorpe, Eddie

Ward, Betty
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## EIGHTH GRADE



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Hunter, Bobby Jeffers, Delaine Jones, Barbara Jones, Ceorge Jones, George C.

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Lyons, James Lyons, Roland Mack, Barbara Marable, Wallie McGhee, Barbara

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Oakley, Geneva Oakley, John Owens, Eva Parker, Thomas Peace, Lizzie

Rice, Leon
Rogers: Harold Rogers, Juanita Russell, Mary Sims, Emma

Slaughter, Allen Speed, Shirley Strater, Carolyn Taborn, Edward Taylor, Arcelia

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Wilson, Charies
Wilson, Cora

Wilson, Lillian
White, Shirley
Wright, Roy
Yancey, Nannie L.

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Allen, Paul
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Alstor, Samuel Anderson, Catherine Archie, Arthu: Blackwell, Shirley

Bobbitt, Marcellus Bullock, Nathaniel Bullock, Willie Bumpass, Ernest Colbert, Frances Cook, Carl

Cooper, Betty Cross, McArthur Daniels, Annie Davenport, Frank Davis. Charlie Davis, Edward

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Fields, Cornelius Fields, Emmett Fields, Eugene Fuller, John Garrett, Hazel Garrett, Mary

Gregory, Pearline Gregory, Thomas Griffin, Gladys Hanks, Mary
Hanks, Susie
Hargrove, Mildred

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Hawkins, Martha Hawkins, Phyllis Henderson, Louis Herndon, Carlton Higgs, McArthur

Jackson, James Jones, Edward Jones, Melvin Jordan, Catherine Lewis, George Little, William

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Allen, Jerry
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Atkins, Jacqueline

Bass, James
Betts, Floyd Bobbitt, Mary
Bowder, Rose
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Brown, Robert Bullock, Annie Bullock, James Chandler, Toney Chavis, Herman

Cheatham, Marvin Cheatham, Stella Clark, William Cozart, Ernestine Crews, Frank

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Owens, James Palmer, Marion Parke:, Louis Paschall, Warlene Peace, Clarence

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Ragers, John Rogers, Mary
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Stater, Shirley
Taylor, Robert

Terry, Elizabeth Thornton, Helen Thorpe, Louls Walker, Latetia
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Webb, Gloria
White, Rosa
Whise, Sadie
Wilkerson, Howard
Wilkin, Carl

Williams, Alexander
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Williams, Charles
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## DAY BY DAY WE ROAM THE HALLS OF THE SCHOOL WE LOVE

In the English class these sixth grade students a re learning how to study with a definite purposein mind.


Through their study of good health habits it is hoped that these students why grow up to be strong healthy adults.
addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division are all a part of a day's arithmetic class.

Ihrough their study of the launching of Sputniks I and II the members of this class are being challenged to prepare for their own possible activities in outer space.



Spelling of practical and technical terms is taught to the enrollees in Junior High. Vocabulary building occupies a prominent spot in Junior High growth.

Parts of speech, grammatical construction of sentences, and paragraph buiding make up part of the school day for Junior High division.

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Through supervised study, this class is learning how to zecognaze the important items in the lesson.

This group of students is mixing its social studies with the current events of the day. Notice the news items on the bulletin board.


Asthis class prepares for an assemblyprogram, it is being guided in the at of public speaking.

This group of scientific-minded eighthgraders studies plant and animal life.


This alert class stucies arithmetical operetions and the value of practical mathematics.


Formulas and equations - all help to shampen the minds of the geometry students.

Hert is a typical kay's scene at Mary Potter - - a group of stuacnts. alert, poised, and anxious for the day's work to begin.


Whoknows? Perhaps great American scientist lurks among this grown of studenta who, through experiments, are probing the depths of Chemistry


This ninth grade boys health class is leazning good health habits.


Understanding the world today by stuciying the events of yesterday is a real challenge to the students of the World history class:



Speed and accuracy .- the ever present goals of the typing students.

These boys know that scientific farming and successful farming go hand in hand.


Many a boy has decided uponhis life's work while in the shop class. Here agroup of boys try their skills a* brick masonry.

Thisgroup of hard working sttdents has made Mary Potter prond of it many times -- especially at Christmas and Spring Concert.


Mastering the art of cooking.

Beautifying the home,

and sewing are some of the skills of the girls in home economics.




The Student Councilis an organization of students, elected by students, to serve as their official representatives in all matters of concern to the entire school. It is a training ground for leaders and followers. It provides opportunity for high school students to do the things which a good citizen does, the reby teaching good citizenship.

The aims and objectives of the Mary Potter High School Student Council are:

1. Encourage the practice of good citizenship
2. Provide a training ground for both leaders and followers
3. Prepare students for intelligent participation in school affars
4. Give students practical knowledge about living cemocratically
5. Promote better understanding between students and faculty
6. Uphold the traditions of the school
7. Develop qqualities of leadership
8. Create better school spirit
9. Promote better scholarship
10. Develop high ideals of personal conduct
11. Help each student reach his maximum development Projects:
12. Assist with assembly
13. Organize an Honor Study Hall
14. Assist in all community campaigns
15. Delive: baskets of Christmas cheer to aged and needy of the school community
16. Co-operate in PTA Athletic Lights Project
17. Print and distribute a School Handbook
18. Co-operate with Safety Patrol
19. Sponsor a Religious Emphasis Weck
20. Send student council delegates to North Carolina Student Council Convention - New Bern, N. C.
21. Set up voting critezia for membership and elections
$=11$. Improve students" dress and courtesy
22. Assist with Coronation and Homecoming

## - Membership

National Association of Stucent Councils
North Carolina Association of Sudent Councils
Sponsoring Committee:
Mrs. B. B. Redding, Adviser
Mrs. N. E. Boston
Mrs. L. F. Thomas
Mrs. J. C. Baptiste
Mrs. S. R. Wilson
Mr. R.J. McNeil
Mr. W. T. Moten
Mr. R. A. Hunt

Stuedent Council Officera James Morgan - President Decosta Lincsey - Vice President Sandra N. Scott - Secretary

Brenda Anderson - Assistant Secretary
Luke Witherspoon - Treasurer
Thomas Redding - Pariamentarian
Marian Moore - Reporier


The Crown \& Scepter Club
The 1957-58 school year witnessed the reorganization of the Crown and Scepter Club, an honor society, at the Mary Potter High School. Twelve outstandingstudents were tapped for this organization, and after a brief period of initiation, were made official members in an impressive installation ceremony.

Membership in the Crown \& Scepter Club is based upon Excellence in Scholarship, Service to the School, and High Moral Character. This means that before a student is eligible for membership, he must be a junior or senior with an accumlative average of "B": his moral character must be unquestionable; and he must be active in service to the school. Without a doubt, being selected as a member of this organization is the highest honor that a high school student may receive.

Every Mary Potter student should set the Crown and Scepter Club as his goal and work diligently to attainit. Formembership in this club means being a student of the very highest calibre and the epitome of what every other Mary Potter student would like to be.



## GAZETTE STAFF



The Gazette Staffis composed of interested students whohave a desire to inform the school, community, and other schools and colleges of up-to-date happenings of the school and community.

Its primary objective is to present news affecting the entire school and community. Thus, the paper provides information pertinent to the total community.

The paper is published semi-annually.


## LIBRARY CLUB



The objectives of the Library Club are:

1. To increase interest among stadents in making more practical use of materialsin the library.
2. To stimulate reading interest
3. To create interest in library service
4. To improve library services in the school

Outstanding Accomplishment of the Year

1. A program entitled, 'What's My Title?'presented during National Children's Book Week
2. Attractive bulletin boards and displays

The officers of the club are President, Arlene Harris; Vice-President, Brenda Anderson; Secretary, Ethel Jeffers; Treasurer, Joan Tyler; Reporter, Rendell Howell; Sponsor, Roberta E. Howell.



## DRAMATICS CLUB



The members of the Thespian Club were soenergetic that they broke out into dramatic action even when making plans for future club activities. This dramatic energy and talent paid off, however, in the ataging of the one-act play entithed "Mama's Getting Married" and a threeact play later on in the year.

Officers of the Thespian Club for 1957-58 were:
President - Decosta Lindsey
Vice-president - Sandra Scott Recording Secretary - Beverly Burwell Corresponding Secretary - Yvonne Hester

Treasurer - Alice Duncan
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## CARVER CHEM CAM



In a democracy like ours it is particularly important that people as a whole should, as far as possible, understand the aims and achevements of modern science, not only because of the value of such knowledge to themselves, but because research directiy, or indirectly depends upon popular appreciation of its methods. The specialist is a layman in every science except his own and he needs to have new things explained to him in non-technical language. Scientific progress is so rapld and revolutionary these days that no one can keep up with it without some means of keeping in close contact with its new ideas and discoveries.

The aims of the Carver Chem Club are:

1. Toincrease our knowledge of science
2. To learn to perfect our skills in science
3. To give service to our community and nation
4. To uncerstand the importance of science in our lives
5. To help carry out the program of the Science Clubs of America

Our club officers are President, Mary Jo Younge; Vice-President, Edward Spencer; Secretary, Delots Norman; Assistant Secretary, Marian Tyler: Treasurer. Samull Graham; Reporter, Carolym White; Assistant Reporter, Ruth Brown.
"Science is strength". "Today's youth are tomorrow's scientists".

## PATROL FORCES



PATROL FORCE, HIGH SCHOOL

The Patrol Force is designed to fulfill that portion of the child's school life which deals with safety, responsibility, alertness, and authority. The selection of pupils from each class eliminates afull scale training program each school year and helps to maintain a reliable group.

The Junior High Safety Patrol was recently organized here at Mary Potter wath twenty-four boys and girls as members.

The following officers were elected to serve for the 1957-1958 school term: Captain, Louis Parker; Lieutenant, John Fuller; Reporter, John Fuller.

The members enthusiastically perform duties assigned them. They serve as monitors in the cafeteria during the lunch period; patrol the corridors during the recess period as well as the areas in front of Wells Hall and the new building; they serve in the gymnasium where ice cream is sold and assist in loading the busses at the close of the school day.

## PATROL FORCE, ELEMENTARY



## FUTURE TEACHERS



The purpose of our club is to orient the members with the basic qualities for teachers, which are as follows:

1. A strong desire to lear
2. A strong desire to teach
3. An interest in people, especially young people
4. The ability to get along well with people, especially young people
5. Good character

The officers of the Future Teachers are President, Elizabeth Davis; Secretary, Ruth Brown; Treasurer, Alice Baskerville, Reporter, Beverly Burwell; Sponsor, Helen T. Wilson.


## THE



The Mary Potter Glee Club got under way in September with a total of seventy-eight members.

We joined the Dramatic Club in a Christmas musical and it was a tremendous success.

At present we are making preparations for the District Music Festival and our Spring Concert.

Our repertoire includes numbers from such composers as Handel, Gounod, Bach, Mozart and many others.

The officers are as follows: President, Mable Hicks; Vice-President, Rachel McGimpsey; Secretary, Maggie Thomas; Assistant-Secretary, Grace Chavis: Treasuref, Barbara Anderson; Reporter, Erma Thomas.

 .... PRESENTS....

## A Christmas Musical

## Thaluulat A (Ghitid Jx Thurn

Five o'clock Sunday evening December 15, 1957 found the Mary Potter titgh Sctuoo Music and Dramatic Departments presenting a Christmay Musheal antithe *Behold: A Child Is Borm." The Cint'in Chorus and the H. S. Davis Ensemble combined to present the music which incluted such ongs as "O. Come Emanwel", "Silent Night", "Co Tell It On The Mountain", and "Sweet Litthe Jesus Boy". Secured especially for this one performance was a beautiful new piano and


 "The Adoration of the Chmist Child". The musicat was broug is to a briliant chmax with the singing of the "Hallelujat Chorus" from Hamdel's Aessian".
Portrayers in the Christmas story were:

> Carolyn Bibby - Mary
> Thoma Chavis-Joseph
> RobertSteect - Innkeeper
> Willam Shells - Gabriel
> Hayes Easkervalle - Wisemen
> Angelo Holman
> Gartand Feace
Elnora Belle - Angel Choir
Alice Dxancan
Yvonne Hester
Shitley Taylor
Spencer Hedgepeth - Shepherds
Josemh Mitcherer
Elajah Strater
Whuam Smith
MARY POTTER HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
Sunday Evening, December 15, 1957
At Five O'clock

Directed By
Mrs. Gloria J. Farmer
Mrs. Nagmi E. Boston
Miss Gwendolyn McCallum
Mr. Cornell C. Powell
Mr. Charlie Gregory


THE MARY POTTER BAND.

## THE H.S. DAVIS ENSEMBLE



The present H. S. Davis Ensemble has grown from a quartet of boys in 1948 who were interested in singing to a group of more than thirty-five young men. Theidea of aboys'chorus was conceived by Mr. C. C. Powell in 1950 to meet the needs of that large number of boys who wanted to sing. The ensemble was named in honor of Dr. H. S. Davis, who was at that time principat of Mary Potter Academy.

The group has been acclaimed by many masic critics as one of the most promising male choruses in the state of North Carolina. This ensemble has takenfirst placehonor rating for five years straight at the Durham Music Festival and has given many concerts since ite organization.


## $y$-Jeens



The aims of the Y -Teens of Mary Potter School are

1. To strive to build a better community in which to live
2. Toestablish good relationship at home, at school, and in the community
3. To become better citizens and in doing so, help build a better world



## HI-Y CLUB

The Mary Potter Hi-Y organization got off to a very good start this school term. There were 23 fellows initiated during the first semester, which is one of the largest numbers of students to come into the club at any one time.

The final ceremonies were highlighted by an address given by Mr. W. R. Eason, a teacher of the Angier B. Duke School. Mr. Eason spoke mainly on the four principles upon which the Hi-Y is built: clean living, clean speech, clean character and scholarship.

Everyone is sthl talking about the Pre-Christmas Dinner Dance giver by the Hi-Y on December 18,1957 in the Mary Potter Cafeteria. Our guest speaker was Mr. D. O. Leatherberry who brought an inspiring talk to the members and guests.

Following the dinner, the members and guests retirec to the gymnasium for dancing.
The members of the Mary Potter Hi-Y organization are as follows: James Morgan, Billy Tyler, George Wright, William Anderson, Bruce Smith, Roy Morton, Edware Spencer, Braxton Peace, John Cates, Marshall Anderson, Robert Long, James Long, Grant Peace, Wesley Cates; Ira Graham, Luke Witherspoon, Cornell Hamme, Thomas Redding, Garland Peace, James Hicks, George Crews, Calvin Currin, Edward Strater. Sponsors - R. A. Hunt and C. C. Powell.



The Varsity Club is composed of those students who have made one or more of the varsity teams and have been awarded a certificate or letter to signify this achievement.

## Purpose:

The purpose of the Varsity Club is to promote a greater interest in the respective athletic teams and to discuss ways in which athletics may become more stimulating to the entire student body here at Mary Potter High School and the community. However, our objectives have been more specifically outlined as routes by which we reach our goal.

Objectives:

1. Scholarship

It is safe to say that a wide participation in club actirities such as the Varsity Club has a beneficial effect on scholarship. This improvement comes indirectly rather than dissipates it.
2. Group Spirit

The feeling of unity that the various athletic team members develop among all the individuals belonging to the school is always considered as a praiseworthy feature of varsity competitors.
3. Social Contact:

The students are given the chance to meet other individuals of their own callber. Such an experience in group relations help to give a person a broad view-point; to make one a better judge of the character of their associates: and to express meaning of loyalty and cooperation.
4. Permanent Interest in Sporta

Here lies the importance of the school's promotion of a wide variety of athletic activities that can be continued after one's school days are over. The play spirit once acçuired will continue to demand expression.



## FOOTBALL SQUAD



Left to right: First row - Grant Peace, End; Nathaniel Dickey, Center; Rober: Young, Halfback; George Crews, Guard; Charles Harris, Guard; Otis Greenwood, Halfback; Henry Thorpe, Quarterback; Ed Spencer. Halfback; Willie Winston, Halfback.

Second row - Spencer Hedgepeth, Tackle; Roger Anderson, Tackle; Garland Peace, Guard; Larry Leatherberry, End; Robert Long, Tackle; Braxton Peace, Quarterback and Halback; Edward Strater, End; James Long, Tackle; Ira Graham, Center; Luke Witherspoon, Fullback; Crawford Webb, End; Roy Morton, Halfback.

Not Pictured - Thomas Redding, Guard; James Morgan, Quarterback; Fred Crews, Tackle; John Watson, Guard; Henry Stewart, Guard; Joe Overby, End.

Co-Captains: James Long, Ira Graham, Luke Witherspoon
Coaches: F. D. McNeill, W. T. Moten


## BOYS' BASKETBALL

Left to right - Ronald Gregory, Co-Captain, Cuard; Henry Thrope, Guard; James Taborn, Center, Co-Captain; Henry Hall, Forward; David Lyons, Forward. Not in picture - Joe Taborn, Center; Robert Young, Guard; William Smith, Forward, Tommy Royster, Forward; Winford Howell, Guard; George Betts, Guard; Leon Mayes, Forward; Willie Hargrove, Center. Coaches - W. T. Moten, F. D. McNeill.
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## GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Seated - Louise Lewis, Gladys Allen, Annie Downey, Carolyn Bibby. Kneeling - Mary Mitchell, Ella Mallory, Dottie Lewis, Mary Spencer, Magnolia Cheatham, Delois Norman, Effie Allen, Willie Parker, Lizzie Hawkins, Sandra Scott, Maggie Thomas, Gracie Cheatham. Standing - N. E. Boston, Coach, Jessie Banis, Trainer, Bettie Ward, Alice Watson, Nannie Rose, Mamie Hunt, Louise Parker, Delois Crews, Ruth Brown, Annie Powell, Carolyn Jordan, Patricia Fleming, Severia Davis, Carolyn White, J. C. Baptiste, Coach.


A. Harris, Charles
B. Wright, George
C. Peace, Braxton
D. Hedgepeth, Spencer
E. Clayton, Elvin
F. Hicks, James
G. McCrea, Exzelia
H. Currin, Calvin
I. MeNeill, R. J., Coach
J. Hunt, R. A., Coach
K. Anderson, William
L. Winston, Willie
M. Cates, Wesley
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O. Webb, Crawford
P. Strater, Ed
Q. Graham, Ira
R. Gregory, Ronald
S. Craft, Walter
T. Morton, Roy


Hamme, Cornell


Graham, Ira


Witherspoon, Lake

Thorpe, Henry



Peacm, Braxton


Morgan, James


Winston, Willie

Strater, Ed



## CHEERING SQUAD

If it's spirit that the team needs - We have it! You see, It's the Rams! It's the Ram! It's the Rams!

The Mary Potter Cheerleaders have given their full support and spirit to the Mary Potter Rams in victories and defeats.

We did not have certain positions on the field, but definitely around the field,
We accompanied our team on all football trips and tried to make a showing that would represent you and Mary Potter School.

Help us to always cheer our teams to wictory
Nine cheerleaders composed our squad: Captain, Delois Norman, Co-Captain, Brenda Anderson. Standing to right: Gloria "Peggy" Holman, Brenda Anderson, and Delois Norman. Standing to left: Mable Hicks, Gracie Cheatham and Barbara Anderson, Cheerleaders not pictured are Lizzie Hawkins, Delia Hicks and Gwendolyn Moore.

## FOOTBALL SNAP



TROPHIES AND AWARDS


HOMECOMING


QUEEN AND PRINCESS






Yvonne Hester
Yvonne Hester Sandra Scott Joy Jeffers

Lizzie Hawkins Gracie Cheatham
Sandra Scott Delois Norman Yronne Hester Willie Parker

Alma McGhee Gracie Cheatham
Delois Norman Rose Morgan Yyonme Hester Lizuie Hawkins Joy Jeffers

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## WE MEET THERE AND EAT THERE

## Monday

Meat loaín
縕的: sauce
Rice and gravy
Green beans
Cheese biscuits Milk
Bread
Butter


OUR DUTIFUL LUNCH STAEF

> Weanesday
> Chicken pie
> Peaseane carrots
> Rice and gravy
> Milk
> Bread
> Butter

## WE LOVE TO GOTHERE TO NAT



Tuesday
Lima beans
Turnip greens
Apple ple -
cheese strips
Peanut butes
Egebread
Loat bread
Milk
Butte:


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