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Every dayd of our \$ives there comes to us the wishing moments she whe whe the be otherwise or other
 of us would ask hot weamight live our lives over again? And how monys when asked for a reason, would answer in terms that meant a desifet drecover lost opportunities . . . to recapture memories whithotertang been fargotten ... or to renew our youth?

The mbadems not thit such wishergome, but that we do not know their fulfilment is offered us.

1t is the sincerest hope of the Amual Staff that with this edifion of the "TWIG" will come the "h fulfilled af a new life with new opportunities, recovered mporiespaeeper meaning, and multiplied pleasures.


For her explicit understanding of equity through her undefiled and undaunted character－her unprejudiced assistance in all our work，accompanied by dependa－ bility，efficiency and co－operation－and the many hours which have made THE TWIG a success in past years－yes，for these and numerous other reasons， we dedicate the 1955 edition of the TWIG to ．．

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## MASCOTS

JENNIE CRANFORD
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GRADUATING CLASS OF NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIVE

CLASS FLOWER

Yellow Rose

CLASS COLORS
Yellow and Green

CLASS MOTTO
Upward Ever, Backward Never!

## OUR MONUMENT TO FAIR GROVE

We will build a monument,
Firm and reaching toward the sky;
An everlasting monument
For Fair Grove High;
We will find materials,
That through the years will be Standing indestructable until eternity.

We will build it of the truth,
Which time cannot destroy;
For we will build it of the lives
Of each Fair Grove girl and boy;
We will pass through life, in knowing
That in each deed are we,
Building the foundation of a monument to be.
Thus, we will build a monument
To Fair Grove High;
An everlasting monument;
One that will never die,
To succeed through life's endeavors, Will ever be our aim;
Because our years at Fair Grove
Were not filled with loss, but gain!
Nancy Copple
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## CLASS HISTORY

A thunder storm? No! but fifty-three strong, robust freshmen came bursting through Mrs. Kenneth Murphy's and Mr. Bill Garrison's classroom doors on September 4, 1951. Like all other classes of Freshmen we seemed to think that the entire high school belonged to us, but, after many trips to Mr. Kearns' office we learned it was to be shared with three other grades. During this year we settled down quite a bit and we are proud to boast that several girls and boys played on Fair Grove's basketball team.

Still striving toward new goals we entered Mr. John Cox's tenth grade with a much smaller group, but a strong determination that we would not be stopped. But we did hit a snag when we were handed our biology books for the first time. This subject, as many others, required a great deal of studying. After many class parties, wiener roasts, and Mr . Cox still declaring that we were the noisest class he had ever had, we moved up another step.
Again Mrs. Kenneth Murphy was called upon, but this time alone, to guide the Junior Class in the right direction and to help us raise much needed funds. One of the most exciting moments of our entire Junior year was on the morning of April 1, 1954. On this date we received our long-awaited class rings. Naturally there were no more lessons that day, with new rings to show.

Another exciting experience for us was on April 23, 1954, when a group of scared Juniors went on the stage for the first time. We are very proud to boast about our play, DEAR PAPA, a wonderful success, under the direction of Mrs. Eula Ivey.

April 30, 1954, was the long-awaited date, the one night to be ours, to be looked back upon as one of the most enjoyable nights we could ever hope to have, The Junior-Senior Banquet. Although many of us had to work to make our banquet a success, we are looking forward to another year when another group will be honoring us.

The doors of Fair Grove swung open again September 5, 1954, and twenty-six determined Seniors marched into Mrs. Clarence Fowler's twelfth grade. Although we are a small group, we have a strong determination to go forward; and we will see Washington in the spring.

Many of us have been discouraged but have kept coming back as if there were a magnet drawing us. I guess there is, and this magnet is our love for our school and its surroundings. In twelve years we have never been ashamed of our school and in the many years to follow, we will lift our heads and proudly say, "We're from Fair Grove High School."

NORMA ALBRIGHT
Historian



BEST ALL AROUND
Tinia Embler Jimmy Newsom

## SENIOR




NEATEST
Shelva Miller
Jimmy Cline


MOST DEPENDABLE
Billy Lomax Maxine Harris

## SUPERLATIVES



MOST TALENTED
Bobby Harris Maxine Harris

## LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Senior Class of nineteen hundred and fifty-five, approaching our goal and last days at Fair Grove High School, do hereby make our last will and testament.

## ARTICLE I

To our principal, we leave our deepest thanks and appreciation for making our memories of FGHS pleasant and profitable ones.

## ARTICLE II

To the faculty, who have been so considerate and patient, we leave our sincere appreciation for helping make our school such a wonderful place in which to prepare for the future.

## ARTICLE III

To the Class of '56
Tinia Embler wills her typewriter to Eunice Gallimore.
Maxine Harris wills her ability to attend school every day to Patti Pierce.
Jimmy Newsom wills his ability to play basketball to Loyd Hepler.
Billy Lomax wills his football suit to Donnie Jarrett.
Arlene Hill wills her basketball suit to Ruth Ann Beusse.
Norma Albright wills her ability to use a typing eraser to Peggy Hughes.
Patricia Snider wills her chemistry notebook to Donnie Doby.
Jimmy Cline wills his drum major suit to Donald Segers. .
Shelby Proctor, Joyce Huskins, Nancy Copple, Frances Snyder and Frances Hamilton will their ability to sing to the Charmers.
Bobby Harris wills his artistic ability to Wade Davis.
And I, Shelva Miller, will my long hair to Betty Suggs.
To the Class of '56 and '57
We leave the wonderful times we have had in high school, in hope that you will enjoy them as well as we have.

To this, our last will and testament, the Senior Class of nineteen hundred and fifty-five, do set our seal on this, the twenty-third day of May nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

SHELVA MILLER, Class Testator

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## CLASS PROPHECY

Hi Shelva,
You asked me to send you the news about our classmates of '55 to publish in your newspaper, the "New York Times"-so here goes.

1 read a magazine story the other day about Bob Hope's new secretary, Norma Albright, and they're taking in all the night spots.

Yes, and I must tell you about Notre Dame's drum major, Jimmy Cline-boy, has he got rhythm.

Oh! did you hear about the night club Elizabeth and Joyce own? Soft music, chorus girls and Chinese food?

Paul Lowder has made head coach at Duke and has had a smashing season.

Bobby Harris and Kirby Clodfelter have built themselves a factory and are manufacturing "Real Gone Hot Rods."

Tinia is really flying high these days; she is an airplane hostess for Pan-American Airlines and the pilot happens to be Glenn Pierce. I bet they make a big hit up in the wide blue yonder.

Well, it's about time I was telling you about David Plummer's oil business. He's furnishing the majority of the world's oil, and man are those green bills rolling in.

Sherrill Floyd is really hitting high ranks these days. He has recently been promoted to a five-star general.

I bet you never realized that from the class of ' 55 would come the world's greatest hair stylist. Yes, it's true, Maxine is now in Paris and is an old-maid millionnaire.

Do you remember that bashful Frances Snyder? Well, believe it or not, she is now a big star in Hollywood and I hear she has
the men on the go, trying to make her acquaintance.

Patricia Snider has a big modeling school in Chicago, and is she popular with the Yankees!

Billy Lomax is playing guard on the All-American football team. I always thought he would make a great football player.

Layton and Ronald are working with the F. B. I. and I hear they have just broken one of the largest narcotics rings in the world.

Jimmy Newsom is practicing medicine in Florida. I hear he is in demand in every state in the U. S.

Frances Hamilton has a music school in Germany and pupils from all over the world go there to study.

Shelby Hunt has just signed a 100 years contract with "Metropolitan Opera House" in New York and the critics say she'll be the top soloist.

Nancy Copple has become a great poetess. She has just published a series of books and my guess is that she will make history.

Ronald Black is president of the General Motors' factory in Chicago. Man! what an easy life.

And Dorothy, Ronald Black's wife, is contented just to ride around in one of their new Cadillacs.

Shelby Proctor tops everything because she has become owner and star of the Ice Capades.

This is your chief news reporter saying so long for now.

## Love,

Arlene Hill
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## JUNIORS



Top Row: Bill Beck, Ruth Beusse, Dixie Black, Ruth Black Bottom Row: Wavel Bodenheimer, Carole Byerly, Jimmie Carpenter, Elizabeth Coman
Top Row: Shelby Cranford, Wade Davis, Donnie Doby, Eunice Gallimore, Bobby Gordon
Middle Row: Rachel Grubb, Douglas Hall, Loyd Hepler, Jesse Hill,
Peggy Hughes
Bottom Row: Lola Hunt, Donnie Jarrett, Joann Jones, Frances Loftin,
Emma Luther



Top Row: Faye Matthews, Jackie Money, Mary Myers, Lois Nifong Bottom Row: Patty Pierce, Peggy Plummer, Ruth Poole, Helen Reece

Top Row: Eddie Richey, Jerry Ring, Elgene Ritchie, Kenneth Sawyer,
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Middle Row: Donald Segers, Shirley Sluder, Gail Smith, Betty Suggs, Elsieohn Suggs
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Second Row: John Cox, Coach; Paul Lowder, Ronald Sechrist, Sherrill Floyd,
Jerry Ring, Wade Davis, Jr., Jimmy Newsom



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First Row: Anne Suggs, Arlene Hill, Carole Byerly, Joann Jones, Rosa Buie, Shelby Daniels
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The goal of the members of the PEP CLUB is to promote school spirit


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Fair Grove High School Students who have earned a letter in Baseball, Basketball, Football, Band, Majorette, or Cheerleader are eligible for membership in the Monogram Club.

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## THIRD GRADE



## SECOND GRADE

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## FIRST GRADE




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