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THE SENIOR CLASS


## JOHN GRAHAM HIGH SCHOOL <br> Warrenton, North Carolina

"We are what we make ourselves"


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Mascots



FRANKIE WAYNE HAITHCOCK

## Senior Class History

Only a few years ago we, the dignified seniors (?), were merely green freshmen. Miss Allen and Mrs. Martindale, our homeroom teachers, helped us change our boisterous ways into those of more refined students. Some of our boys and girls went through a horrible initiation to become members of the F. H. A. and F. F. A. clubs. A few of our boys and girls participated in sports and we were proud to have a freshman girl as a cheerleader and one on the "Seer" staff.

Sophomores!! The second year found us advanced to the rank of sophomores. Mrs. Stewart and Miss Boyd were our homeroom teachers that year. Most of the boys and girls participated in sports. That year seven of the girls were tapped for the Beta Club. Miss Boyd, our beloved teacher, resigned and we presented to her a silver bon bon dish.

In the eleventh grade our new homeroom teacher was Mrs. Frank Banzet. The high lights of our junior year included the Junior-Senior Banquet with a Dutch motif, and the thrill of having seven of our girls serve as commencement marshals. Two girls in the junior class became members of the Beta Club.

When we began our final year, we found that, instead of sitting back and enjoying our role of seniors, there was much work to be done before graduation. Our first thrill was the arrival of our class rings. One of the big jobs was preparing for the publication of the annual. Next came the task of choosing invitations and the presentation of the play, "Don't Darken My Door," under the direction of Miss Minnie Warren.

And now, with farewell tears in our eyes and precious memories in our hearts, we leave dear old J. G. H. S. where we have built many pleasant memories for the future.

Betty Jean Egerton<br>Historian



In fond memory of PETE PATTERSON and OLIVE FAULKNER

## IN THE END

> All that could never be said, All that could never be done;
> Wait for us at last Somewhere back of the sun.

We will not change now
After so many years;
Life has not broken our ties With parting or tears.

Death did not alter it
The spirit still lives on
In all our thoughts of you
Since you have gone.


ROBERT VINCENT ALLEN
Baseball 2-3-4; 4-H Club 1-2-3-4, Songleader 4; FFA 1-2-3-4; Monogram Club 4.

JEANNETTE GAYNORE ARRINGTON Basketball 1-2-3-4; Softball 1-2; 4-H Club 1-2-3; FHA 1-2; Monogram 1-2-3.

MARVIN KENNETH AYCOCK, JR. 4-H Club 1-2-3-4, Vice President 4; FFA 1-3, Reporter 3; Student Council Representative 2, Treasurer 3, Committee Chairman 4; Class Treasurer 4; Senior Superlative; Seer Staff 3; Football 3-4; Basketball 2-3-4; Baseball 4; Monogram Club 3-4, Vice President 4; Assistant Business Manager of Warrentonian 3, Manager 4.

LESSIE MAE AYCOCK Service Club 4.


SHIRLEY DAPHINE BLEDSOE 4-H Club 1.

HERBERT CHARLES DAVIS
Baseball 1-2-3-4; Football 1-4;
Basketball 4, Manager 1-2-3; Monogram Club 2-3-4; FFA 1.

BETTY JEAN EGERTON
4-H Club 1-2-3-4; FHA 1-2-3-4; Historian 3; Beta Club 2-3-4; Corresponding Secretary 3 ; Commencement Marshal 3; Senior Superlative.

## BETTY JEAN FLEMING

4-H Club 1-2-3-4, Songleader 3, President 4; FHA 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3; Monogram Club 4; Cheerleader 3-4; Seer Staff 3-4; Student Council Committee Chairman 3-4; Senior Superlative.


NANCY PATRICIA GAMBLE Class Secretary 1, Reporter 2; 4-H Club 1; Glee Club 2-3; Student Council Chairman 3; Monogram Club 3-4; Cheerleader 3-4; Seer Staff 1-2-3-4; Senior Superlative 4; Library Club 4.

MILDRED JEAN GARRETT 4-H Club 1-2-3-4; FHA 2; Basketball 2-3-4; Monogram Club 3-4.

SHIRLEY ANN GUPTON
Class President 1-2, Class Reporter 3, Class President 4; Basketball 1 -2-3-4, Captain 4; FHA 1-2-3-4; Cheerleader 2-3-4, Chief 3-4; Monogram Club 1-2-3-4, Secretary 3, Treasurer 4; 4-H Club 1-2-3-4, Vice President 3; Chief Marshal 3; Student Council Representative 2, Secretary 4; Beta Club 3-4; Correponding Secretary 4; Seer Staff 2-34, Assistant Editor 3, Associate Editor 4; Senior Superlative; Softball 3; Student Council Committee Chairman 3; Dramatics Club 3.

W ALTER JACKSON HARRIS
4-H Club 1; Dramatics Club 3; Student Council Representative 4; Senior Superlative; Library Club 3-4, Presi-
 dent 4.


WILLIAM EDWARD HAWKINS
Baseball $1,3,4$; Football $1,3,4$, Captain 4; Basketball 3,4; Monogram Club 3, 4, President 4.

## ETHEL HILLIARD

Class President 1,3, Secretary 4; Glee Club 2, 3, President 3; Student Council 3,4 ; FHA 3, 4, President 3,4 ; Basketball 1,3,4; Beta Club 3,4, President 4; Senior Superlative 4; Seer Staff 3; Editor of Annual 4 ; Commencement Marshal 3; Monogram Club 3,4.

ALPHEUS JONES, JR.
Student Council 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Football 2, 4, Co-captain 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Captain 4; Baseball 1, 3 .

SHIRLEY ANNETTE JOYNER
Class President 1, Secretary-Treasurer 2, Vice-president 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, Reporter 1; FHA 2, 3,4; Beta Club 3,4; Commencement Marshall 3; Glee Club 2, 3; Student Council 4; Seer Staff 4; DAR Good Citizen 4.


RICHARD GRAY KIDD
Football 3,4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA
1; Monogram Club 2, 3,4.

## HERBERT GLENN KING

FFA 1; Cheerleader 1; Basketball Manager 1, 4; 4-H Club 1; Football Manager 2, 4; Class Vice President 3; Student Council 2, 3; Seer Staff 4; Monogram Club 1, 2, 3,4; Business Manager 3,4; Senior Superlative, Giftorian.

MARTHA GREENE KING
4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3; Basketball 1 .

FRED EUGENE KING
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1.


LOUISE DORSEY KING
Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3,4 ; FHA 2, 3 .

BARBARA JONES KINTON
4-H Club $1,2,3$; FHA 1, 2, 3,4, Secretary 3; Library Club 2, 3; Beta Club 3, 4, Secretary of Junior Class 3, Senior Superlative; Commencement Marshal 3.

MARY CONNIE MAY
4-H 1, 2, 3; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice President 3; Seer Staff 3,4; Student Council Committee Chairman 4.

LORRAINE HILLIARD MAYNARD
4-H Club 1, 2; Class Vice President 2, Seer Staff, Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4.



SHIRLEY STUART MILLER
Beta Club 3-4; FHA 1-2-3-4, Song-
leader and Vice President 3, Songleader 4; County Historian 4; Class Vice President 1, President 2;
Cheerleader 3-4, Basketball 1-2-34; Commencement Marshal 3; Glee Club 2-3; Band 3-4; Library Club 2-3; 4-H Songleader 1-2; Senior Class Poet, Senior Superlative; Monogram Club 1-2-3-4; Seer Staff Humor Editor 2-3; Annual Staff Typist 4.

ROY CLEVELAND NEAL, JR.
Football 1-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4;
FFA 1-2; Monogram Club 3-4;
Baseball Manager 3-4.

KATHERINE ANN ODOM
4-H Club 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3; Service Club 1-2; Warrentonian Staff Typist 4.

MARY DONNA OVERBY
Glee Club 2-3; 4-H Club 1-2-3-4;
FHA 3-4; Parliamentarian 4; Monogram Club 3-4; Basketball Manager 3-4; Seer Staff 4 .



## SAM PHILIP PITCHFORD

FFA 2-3-4; Bus Driver 3-4; Baseball 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2; Football 2-3-4; Monogram Club 2-3-4; Senior Superlative; 4-H Club 1.

NORMA BLANCHE PITTARD
Class Secretary 1, Class Treasurer 3; FHA 1-2-3-4, Historian 4; 4-H Club 1-2-3-4; Library Club 4; Senior Superlative; Student Council Representative 3, Committee Chairman 3, President 4; Cheerleader 34; Monogram Club 4, Secretary 4; Beta Club 3-4, Vice President 3-4; Senior Play 4; Commencement Marshal 3: Homecoming Queen 4; Basketball 4.

RACHEL DELL POWELL
FHA 1-2-3-4; 4-H.Club 1-2-3-4.

FRANKLIN R. RIVERS
4-H Club 1-2-3-4; FFA Club 2-3-4, President 4; Senior Superlative.


BILLY ROBERTSON
FFA 1-2-3-4; 4-H Club 1-2.

CLARA SODEN SCOTT
FHA 1-2-3-4, Reporter 4; 4-H Club 1-2-3-4; Service Club 2; Band 3-4; Student Council Committee Chair$\operatorname{man} 4$.

LOTTIE MAE STALLINGS
FHA 3-4; 4-H Club 1-2; Service Club 2.

SHIRLEY ANNE THARRINGTON Class Secretary 1, 4-H Club 1-3; FHA 3-4, Vice President 4; Beta Club 3-4.



GID O. THARRINGTON
FFA 1-2-3-4; 4-H Club 1-2; Bus Driver 2-3-4.

GLEN EDWARD THOMPSON
FFA 1; Library Staff 1 ; Service Club 2; Senior Superlative 4.

JACK HUNTER WHITBY
Baseball Manager 1-2-3-4; Football Manager 1-2-3-4; FFA Club 1-2-3-4; Monogram Club 2-3-4.

LAURA BURT WILLIAMS
4-H Club 1; FHA 1-2-3-4; Beta Club 3-4; Glee Club 2-3; Seer Staff 4; Class Reporter 2; Student Council Committee Chairman 4, Parliamentarian 4; Commencement Marshal 3.


HATTIE PEOPLES WILLIAMS
4-H Club 1-2; FHA 2-3-4; Class
Reporter 1-4; Glee Club 2-3, Secretary FHA 4; Basketball 3-4; Seer Staff 4; Senior Class Testator.


Superlatives

Wittiest


JEAN FLEMING-EDW ARD THOMPSON


## Most Popular



ALPHEUS JONES-SHIRLEY GUPTON

## Cutest



ALPHEUS JONES-NANCY GAMBLE



JACK HARRIS-BETTY EGERTON


ALPHEUS JONES-SHIRLEY GUPTON

Best Personality


NORMA PITTARD-KENNETH AYCOCK



SHIRLEY GUPTON-HERBERT KING


BETTY EGERTON-FRANKLIN RIVERS


We the Senior Class of John Graham High School, of the state of North Carolina and the County of Warren, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifty-three leave a wonderful school and hope it continues to be so. We go with the knowledge learned from John Graham ever before us.

## ARTICLE I

To the Faculty, the teachers who have helped us through the years, go our deepest thanks for the help we received.

## ARTICLE II

To the Juniors, we leave the title "Dignified Seniors," and we hope they will keep and honor this title. To the Sophomores, we leave them the joy of knowing that the Junior and Senior years are the best years of their school days. To the Freshmen and under graduates, we leave them (we hope) and hope they will enjoy their high school days as much as we have ours.

## ARTICLE III

## TO PARTICULAR PERSONALITIES

The following Personalities make these their last will and testament:

Ethel Hilliard leaves her neatness and good grades to Anne Reavis. Her love for basketball she carries with her.
Martha King leaves her sparkling eyes and fashionable shape to Joanne Serls.
Nancy Gamble leaves her pretty clothes to Barbara Britton.
Jack Harris leaves his reserved executive ability to Milton Carroll. His love for Katherine, he carries with him.
Edward Thompson leaves his flirty ways and freshness to William Wilson.
Betty Jean Egerton leaves her quietness to Betty Haithcock.
Jean Fleming leaves her witty ways and cheerleader skirt to Ellen Scott Shearin. Her love for Kerney, she carries with her.
Lorraine Maynard leaves her natural curly hair to Anne Harris. Her love for Earl she carries with her. Mary Donna Overby leaves her ability to get by without studying to Audrey Loyd. Her love for a certain boy she carries with her.

Billy Robertson leaves his height to Clarence May and his bus No. 15 to anyone who has patience. Alpheus Jones leaves his ways with the girls to Bobby Jones.
Franklin Rivers leaves his school bus No. 10 to Mary Helen Tucker. (Good luck Mary Helen.)
Sam Pitchford leaves his lazy ways to Julius Banzet. His bus to s nyone who wants it.
Shirley Miller leaves her Cheerleader's ability to Doris Wilson, Fier love for Harnett County shecarries with her.
Bill Ed Hawkins leaves his conduct grades to Lon Jones and his ability to play ball to Howard Jones. Jack Whitby leaves (he hopes) his manager's ability to anyone who hates to work.
Fred King leaves John Graham only to return again if he doesn't try harder.
Herbert King leaves his conceit and big mouth to Earl Limer and his love for the opposite sex, he carries with him.
Clara Scott leaves her quiet ways and respect for the teachers to anyone who needs them.
Mildred Garrett leaves her many absences from school to anyone who can find that many excuses. Herbert Charles Davis leaves his carefree ways to Bernard Williams and his athletic ability to Joe Davis. Shirley Joyner leaves her popularity to Anne Frazier and her love for Vernon she carries with her. Connie May leaves her artist's ability to all persons who love pictures and don't know how to draw. Roy Neal leaves his cute remarks to Alvin Spain.
Bobby Allen leaves his ability to roam to Al Mustian.
Gid Tharrington. leaves his good manners to Alvin Maynard.
Barbara Kinton leaves to wash her milk bottles.
Jean Arrington leaves her blond curls and basketball ability to Sylvia Capps.
Kenneth Aycock leaves his ability to drive a school bus to Tommie Peoples.
Shirley Gupton leaves her charming smile and cheerleader ability to Louise Harris.
Louise King leaves her happy-go-lucky ways to Esther Hardy.
Lessie Mae Aycock leaves her freckles to Janet Whitford.
Rachel Powell leaves her flirty ways to Mary Burwell Davis and bus 19 to anyone who wants it.
Richard Kidd leaves wondering why.
Laura Williams leaves taking her freedom of speech with her.
Norma Pittard leaves her love for driving to Anne League.
Katherine Odom leaves to keep up with Jack.
Shirley Tharrington leaves her stately height to Anne Aycock.
Shirley Bledsoe leaves her love for the dime store to Particia Alston.
Lottie Stallings leaves her love for Miss Warren to the Juniors. Her love for Wilbur, she keeps.

## Senior Class Prophecy

Ten long years after graduating from good old John Graham, the senior class of 53 has finally borrowed, stolen, and (last of all) earned enough money to take that long awaited Washington trip. The bus has been chartered and all plans made. The big day has finally arrived. Just before getting into the bus, our class president, Shirley Gupton, gives a speech of gratitude for the help and co-operation of the school in making this trip possible: For if the school had let us make the trip when we were seniors, we would never have had this opportunity. After the speech of gratitude, Charles Davis, who is now a Methodist Bishop, offers a short prayer in hopes that at least half of the participants of this trip will get back alive. It is most interesting to find out what each senior of 53 is doing, or has been doing for the last ten years.

Artist, Connie May has been made famous by her excellent individual pictures of the seniors of 53 , which are now hanging in the rogues' gallery.
Bill Ed Hawkins is now teaching Latin and is chief assistant to John B. Palmer.
Nancy Gamble is married and living in New York.
Kenneth Aycock is a famous pianist scheduled to play in Carnegie Hall in two weeks. Rachel Powell is a famous lecturer, touring the country trying to inform all of the ignorant people about Inez.
Fred King is making brand new Buicks out of old T model Fords.
Richard Kidd is managing Leggetts Department Store.
Shirley Gupton is happily married and having lots of little "Kids."
Shirley Joyner is an airline mistress.
Jean Arrington and Mildred Garrett are running the biggest cigarette factory in Henderson.
Ehel Hilliard is a famous New Yourk model.
Billy Robertson, after his great role as Alec in "Don't Darken My Door," is in Hollywood playing the famous role of Pa Kettle.
Sam Pitchford is manager of City Electric.
Clara Scott is nurshing at Duke Hospital.
Norma Pittard is married and is teaching Bible in her spare time.
Mary Donna Overby is an old maid, but still trying.
Jack Harris has a motorcycle shop in Macon.
Katherine Odom is married and living in Macon.
Lorraine Maynard now owns most of the Warren Furniture Exchange.
Gid Tharrington is test driving Dodge trucks.
Herbert King is a North Carolina Highway Patrolman and is letting the state "push water."
Edward Thompson is managing Caledonia Prison Farm and raises snakes as a hobby. Jean Fleming is married and settled in Warrenton.
Laura Williams is married and living in California.
Franklin Rivers owns a big tobacco warehouse in Warrentor.
Roy Neal is taking Hege's place teaching agriculture at Norlina.
Bobby Allen has a big dairy farm in Warren Plains.
Jack Whitby is manager of the New York Giants.
Betty Egerton is head nurse at Warren General.
Martha King is keeping books for Peck Manufacturing Company.

Shirley Bledsoe is teaching school in Florida. Lottie Stallings is married and living in Richmond. Shirley Tharrington is an officer in Citizens Bank. Lessie Aycock is now teaching home economics at John Graham. Shirley Miller is a famous radio and TV star.

As for me, well, if I get back from Washington alive, I'll go back to running Boyce Drug Co. out of business.

Alpheus Jones
Class Prophet

## Class Poem

We have come to the end of a long, long trail, And our lives stretch out before us;
We have studied hard, and we did not fail For we had good friends to guide us.

On this stage tonight we face you here, Happy and sorrowful, too;
For we know that our last class night is near, And a life that is strange and new.

We give to our parents our hearts of love For all that they gave to us;
We'll remember they taught us of God above, And to think, and be fair, and just.

We owe to our teachers for all our success,
In book knowledge; co-operation;
So here we acknowledge and duly express Our heartfelt appreciation.

Our tasks through the years have not been small, Our troubles have not been few;
But we have done our best in one and all
John Graham, because of you!

Classmates! Farewell! The past has been fun!
The future shines bright and clear!
So bravely facing new lives just begun
We shall reach our goals without fear!


## Iunior Class Officers



PATRICIA ALSTON


DOROTHY AYSCUE


ANNE AYCOCK



MACON JONES
JOHN KERR
NORMAN KIMBALL
MARTHA LEE

ANNE LEAGUE
WILLIAM LIMER
BOBBY MAYNARD
NORMA JEAN MERRILL

AL MUSTIAN
JIMMY MUSTIAN HUNTER PEOPLES



## Sophomores

First row: Annie Laura Bugg, Ellen Scott Shearin, Emma Jean Stallings, Marie Atkinson, Joyce Cox, Frances Deal, Betty Haithcock, Margaret Davis, Mrs. W. G. Coleman, Sponsor.
Second row: Jimmy Ayscue, Hunter Morris, Harold Harris, Carlton Algood, L. C. King, Graham Overby, Fenner Peoples, William Wilson.
Third row: Patricia Fleming, Winnifred Hudgins, Irene Hester, Ann Frazier, Shirley House, Betsy Hayes, Carolyn Carroll, Myrtice Gibson, Betty Jean Overby, Frances Faulkner, Shirley Dickerson.
Fourth row: John Pendergrass, Bobby Ayscue, Herman Riggan, Clarence May, Bernard Williams, Elton Gupton, Andrew Smiley, Fred Hunter, Robert Reavis, Warren Hilliard.
Fifth row: Earl Limer, Hamilton Carroll, Jimmy Tucker, Peggy Lyles, Mary Helen Tucker, Annie Evans, Virginia Stegall, Lois Kimball, Jimmy Coley, Tommy Peoples.



## Freshmen

First row: Sylvia Capps, Barbara Britton, Ann Reavis, Shirley Jean Peoples, Anne Harris, Virginia King, Janet Whitford, Mary Brantley, Thommy Davis.
Second row: Sidney Smith, Shirley Daniel, Mary Burwell Davis, Fan Daniel, Nancy Stevenson, Fannie Kimball, Vernell Pittman, Juanita Clary, Robert Shearin.
Third row: Mrs. Leete, Sponsor; Peggy Mustian, Joanne Serls, Geraldine Coleman, Charles Miller, Emma Jane Limer, Freddy Bartholomew, Loney Mae Walker, Merle Fleming, Audrey Loyd, W. C. St. Sing, Pete Stallings, Margaret Pegram, Anton Reid
Top row: Billy Frazier, Bailey Neal, Charles Faulkner, Norman Pinnell, Jimmy Childers, Jerry Norwood, Jack Felts, Miss Bullock, Sponsor; Betty Patterson, Marvin Harris, Juanita King, Bobby Jones, Virginia Edwards, Tommy Lee, Rosa Wilkes, Leroy Pittman.



## Eighth Grade

First row: Mrs. Hannah Crockett, Sponsor; Randolph Rudd, Janet Loyd, Patricia Hardy, Patsy Maynard, Jean Browning, Betty Short, Jane King, Martha Thompson, George Parks, Jr., Coach King, Sponsor. Second row: Theresa Harper, Billy Frazier, Carl Fleming, Barbara Arrington, Anne Dillard, Mary Cameron, Peggy Pendergrass, Joan Rooker, Vance Atkinson, Harold Garrett.
Third row: Louise Peoples, Shirley Gunter, Yvonne Patterson, Ola Mae Stevenson, Mary Frances Kearse, Barbara Pittard, Carol Dixon, Magdalene O'Neal, Shirley Roberson.
Fourth row: Doris Felts, Ruby Dickerson, Robert Williams, Ronald King, Roy Edmonds, Bettye Gupton, Lessie Mae Patterson, Myrtle Dickerson, Esther Ayscue.



## Seer Staff

First row: Advisor, Mrs. W. G. Coleman; Herbert King; Assistant Editor, Barbara Barlow; Co-editors, Lorraine Maynard, Shirley Gupton; Nancy Gamble; Annie Laurie Bugg; Anne League; Mildred Crinkley.
Second row: Peggy Mustian; Audrey Loyd; Mary Donna Overby; Connie May, Shirley Joyner; Barbara Britton; Lon Jones; Janet Whitford; Laura Williams; Geraldine Coleman; Betty Haithcock; Ellen Scott Shearin; Jean Fleming.


## Annual Staff

First row: Advisor, Mrs. W. G. Coleman; Assistant Business Manager, John Kerr; Assistant Editor, Mildred Crinkley; Editor, Ethel Hilliard.
Second row: Business Manager, Kenneth Aycock; Typists, Katherine Odom, Shirley Miller; Assistant Business Manager, Julius Banzet.


## Beta Club

First row: Secretary, Barbara Barlow; Mildred Crinkley.
Second row: Kenneth Barlow; Laura Williams; Elizabeth Shearin; Shirley Tharrington.
Third row: Shirley Joyner; Anne League; Billy Fleming; Shirley Miller; Norma Pittard.
Fourth row: Treasurer, Jules Banzet; Shirley Gupton; Lon Jones; President, Ethel Hilliard.
Fifth row: Branch Bobbitt, John Kerr.
Advisor, Miss Elizabeth Allen, not shown.

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First row: Advisor, Miss Elizabeth Allen; Secretary-Treasurer, Shirley Gupton; President, Norma Pittard; Vice-president, Mildred Crinkley; Reporter, Barbara Barlow.
Second row: Tommy Davis; Robert Shearin; Geraldine Coleman; Sylvia Capps; Jack Harris;
Ethel Hilliard; Shirley Joyner; Alpheus Jones; Betty Haithcock. Third row: Tommy Peoples; Ann Riggan; Jules Banzet; Elizabeth Shearin; Esther Hardy; Joe Davis; Fenner Peoples.



First row: Shirley Tharrington, Vice President; Mary Donna Overby, Parliamentarian; Shirley Miller, Song Leader; Norma Pittard, Historian; Ethel Hilliard, President; Hattie Williams, Secretary; Louise Harris, Pianist; Ellen Scott Shearin, Treasurer; Clara Scott, Reporter.
Second row: Frances Deal, Betty Haithcock, Margaret Davis, Shirley House, Ann Aycock, Betsy Hayes, Louise King, Martha King, Lottie Stallings, Irene Hester.
Third row: Patricia Fleming, Winnifred Hudgins, Joyce Cox, Marie Atkinson, Jean Fleming, Shirley Gupton, Mary Helen Tucker, Annie Evans, Mrs. Leete, Sponsor.
Fourth row: Ann Frazier, Myrtice Gibson, Anne Riggan, Frances Faulkner, Annie Laura Bugg, Shirley Daniel, Shirley Jean Peoples, Nancy Stevenson.
Fifth row: Emma Jean Stallings, Virginia Stegall, Laura Williams, Rachel Powell, Peggy Mustian, Sylvia Capps, Betty Jean Egerton, Juanita Clary, Virginia King, Juanita King.
Sixth row: Fan Daniel, Audrey Loyd, Emma Jane Limer, Connie May, Shirley Joyner, Ann Harris. Seventh row: Myrtle Hilliard, Martha Lee, Norma Jean Merrill, Mary Brantley, Lois Kimball, Anne Reavis, Geraldine Coleman.


## F.F.A.

First row: Mr. Swann, Sponsor; Merle Fleming, Hamilton Carroll, Hunter Morris, Marvin Harris.
Second row: Charles Miller, Clarence May, William Faulkner, Billy Frazier, Norman Pinnell, W. C.
St. Sing, Warren Hilliard, William Wilson, Jack Felts, Bailey Neal.
Third row: Graham Overby, Reporter; Fred Hunter, Carlton Algood, Sam Pitchford, Jerry Norwood, Leroy Pittman, Tommy Lee, Bobby Ayscue.
Fourth row: Fred Bartholomew, Jack Whitby.
Fifth row: Bernard Williams, Bobby Jones, Earl Limer, Brooks Davis, Treasurer; Gid Tharrington, Tommy Peoples, Jimmy Ayscue, Vice President.
Sixth row: Bobby Allen, William Stallings, Milton Carroll, Jimmy Tucker, Robert Reavis, Lawrence Edmonds, Franklin Rivers, President.
Seventh row: Bobby Maynard, Jimmy Coley, Rooker Carroll, William Limer, Billy Robertson.
Not shown: Hunter Peoples, Secretary.


## Glee Club

First row: Pianist, Mildred Crinkley; President, Rachel Abbott; Janet Whitford; Martha Lee. Second row: Anne Harris; Myrtle Hilliard; Norma Merrill; Myrtice Gibson; Carolyn Carroll; Anne Reavis. Third row: Juanita King; Juanita Clary; Ruby Harris; Audrey Loyd; Virginia Edwards; Ann Aycock; Director, Miss Jeannette Parker.


## Library Club

First row: Advisor, Miss Warren; Ruby Harris; Louise Harris; President, Jack Harris; Esther Hardy; Joyce Pope; Nancy Gamble; Jean Fleming. Second row: Norma Pittard; Peggy Lyles; Irene Hester.


## Cheer Leaders

Left to right: Barbara Barlow; Nancy Gamble; Betty Haithcock; Norma Pittard; Chief, Shirley Gupton; Sylvia Capps; Shirley Miller; Louise King; Jean Fleming.


## Monogram Club

First row: Mary Donna Overby; Shirley Miller; Ethel lilliard; Norma Pittard; Nancy Gamble; SecretaryTreasurer, Shirley Gupton; Jean Fleming. Second row: John Kerr; Sam Pitchford; Herbert King; Alpheus Jones; Kenneth Aycock; Billy Fleming. Third row: Al Mustian; Richard Kidd; President, Bill Ed Hawkins; Bobby Allen; Fred King; Advisor, Fate King.


## Football



## حeam

Front: Coach, Fate King.
First row: Jimmy Qualls, Herbert Charles Davis; Jimmy Mustian; Joe Davis; Roy Neal; Richard Kidd; Kenneth Aycock; Macon Jones; Billy Fleming.
Second row: Freddy Bartholomew; Hillman Floyd; Alvin Maynard; John Kerr; Fenner Peoples; Owen Robertson; Kenneth Barlow; Howard Jones; William Limer.
Third row: Managers, Al Mustian, Jack Whitby; Bernard Williams; Graham Overby; L. C. King; Co-Captains, Bill Ed Hawkins, Alpheus Jones; Anton Reid; Peter Stallings; Billy Frazier; Leroy Pittman; Managers, Brooks Davis and Herbert King.


## Girls,



## kasketball

First row: Captain, Shirley Gupton; Shirley Miller; Jean Arrington; Mildred Garrett; Martha Lee; Ethel Hilliard.
Second row: Betty Haithcock; Margaret Davis; Connie May; Nancy Gamble; Annic Laurie Bugg.
Third row: Manager, Mary Donna Overby; Betsy Hayes; Norma Pittard; Mary Carroll; Coach, Fate King.


## Boys'



## kasketball

First row: Joe Davis; Herbert Charles Davis; Kenneth Barlow; Captain, Alpheus Jones; Billy Fleming; Jimmy Qualls.
Second row: John Kerr; Kenneth Aycock; Macon Jones; Bill Ed Hawkins; Roy Neal.
Third row: Hillman Floyd; Branch Bobbitt; Graham Overby; Owen Robertson.


## Baseball



First row: Sam Pitchford; Carey Wilson; Herbert Charles Davis; Bill Ed Hawkins; L. C. King; Richard Kidd. Second row: Graham Overby; Hillman Floyd; Alpheus Jones; Branch Bobbitt; Kenneth Barlow; Owen Robertson.
Third row: Jimmy Ayscue; John Kerr; Macon Jones; Bonnie Stevenson; Joe Davis; Jimmy Qualls.


## Band



Majorettes: Shirley House, Sarah Ann Miles, Annie Laurie Bugg.
First row: Jules Banzet, Drum Major; Martha Thompson; Barbara Pittard; Carol Hardy; Carol Reams; Brenda Welborn; Saralee Drake; Deane Joyner; Peggy Mustian; Clara Scott.
Second row: Norman Gene Pinnell; Leroy Pittman; Billy Frazier; Howard Daniel; Tasker Polk; Billy Overby; Edward Ranes; Merle Fleming; Hunter Peoples; Mr. Robert Macon Davis, Director.
Third row: Linwood Thompson; John Felts; Sam Cheek; Bill Henry Burwell; Harriet Daniel; Tommy Davis; Shirley Daniel.
Fourth row: T. V. Adams; Jimmie Childers; William Limer; Charles Miller; Sidney Smith; Peggy Collins; Tommy Miles.
Not shown: Shirley Miller, Fred Hunter.



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