



THE 1955
WARRENTONIAN

Dear Mary Brodie,

Well, next year you'll be in high school, leaving us behind. We'll miss you.

It's been fun going out together on those week-ends!!! Especially when Nancy was here!!! I'll never forget R. Q. and B. C.

Well, this summer we will have a good time at the swimming pool, and other things. (Ha!) Maybe Nancy will come again.

I have enjoyed playing basketball with you and I wish you the best of luck next year on the court. You are a very good player.

I'll never forget shopping and practicing our two piano duos. It's fun isn't it?

Mary Brodie you are a very sweet, nice and pretty girl. Good luck always to a very, very good friend.

Lots of Love,
Suzanne Drake

P. S.

Good luck with you in your
school. R. Q. and B. C.

My Brodie, I can not seem to find you at the grocery store I can always find you and please to wait for my eye. It's good to see you. Love, Suzanne Drake

Mary Brodie Jones

Dear Mary Brodie,
I have enjoyed
knowing you for
these years.

Certainly have enjoyed
playing good luck with
you. You are a great
person and I hope you
are all well.

Best of luck always,
Carol H.

Dear Mary Brodie,

Best of luck all through your life. Best of luck with you, my friend.
It has been nice knowing you.

Love always
Kay Wilson

I'm sure you will
go places. All
friend with your love
Love
Sue King

I've enjoyed knowing
you Mary Brodie.
I'm waiting on you in
Winter Quays Co.
Best of luck to you
Love
Sue King

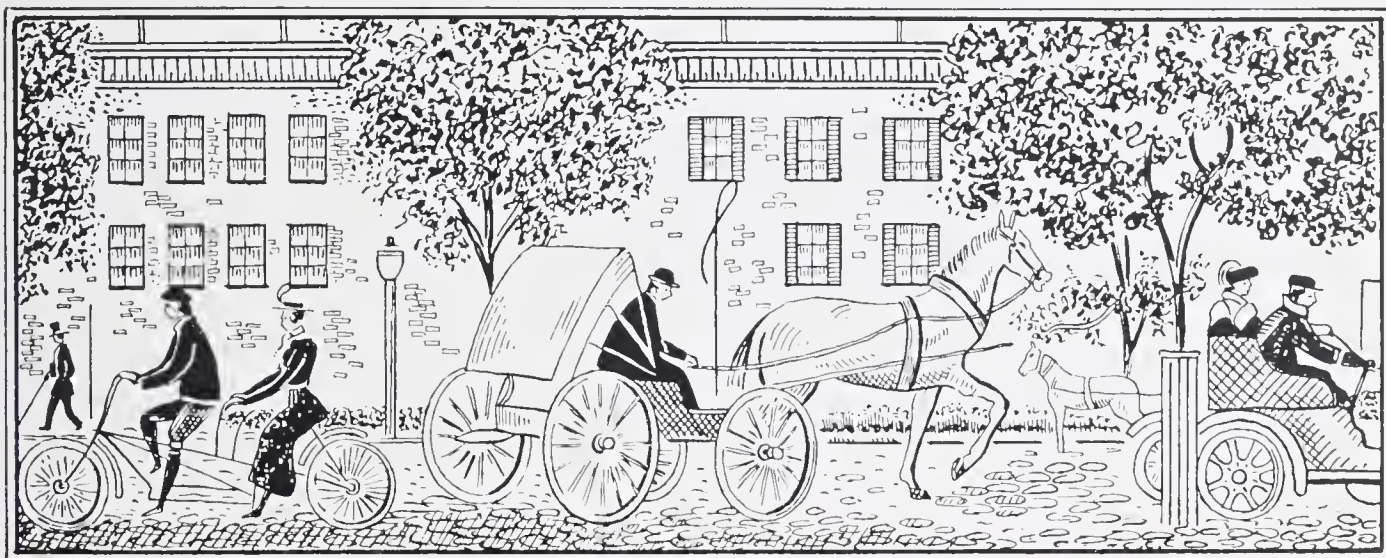


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John Graham High School

Warrenton, North Carolina

Alma Mater

We are here, dear John Graham High
To laud our glories to the sky.
Sons and daughters true,
And we'll stand by you.
We will wave our banners gay
As we go marching on our way.
So to you, our Mater dear,
We'll never fail, never fail,
Hip! Hip! Hooray!

Fill us with loyalty;
Alma Mater is your name,
Strong are we, brave and free,
Though to a far land
Our footsteps may wander,
Take, take our fealty,
So to you our names proclaim,
Ever more, rich or poor,
Your praises shall we acclaim,
Alma Mater, Alma Mater, Hail!



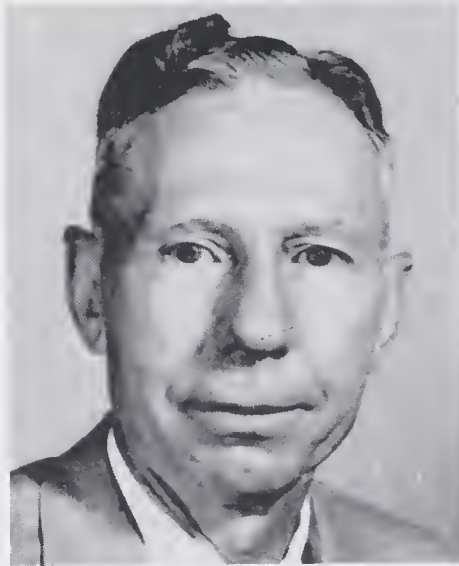
Dedication

They have understood our problems, assisted us with patience of steel, listened to our complaints, inspired us with confidence, encouraged us when we were disheartened, and enhanced our chance for success.

Their determined efforts to make us satisfied and happy shall always be remembered as one of our most precious high school memories. Words can't express our appreciation for their guidance in the past years; but to show how much we love, honor and respect them, we dedicate our 1955 WARRENTONIAN to Mrs. Emmy Lou Coleman and Mrs. Patricia Leete.

The Senior Class

Faculty



E. J. BULLOCK
Principal



EMMY LOU COLEMAN
Commercial



JENNIE MARTINDALE
English



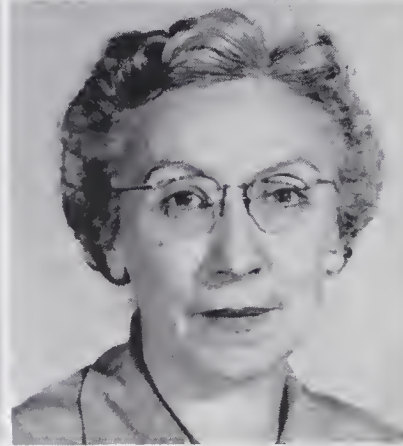
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Social Studies



ELBA M. BANZET
French - English



Bert King
B.L. King
B.L. KING
Eighth - Coach



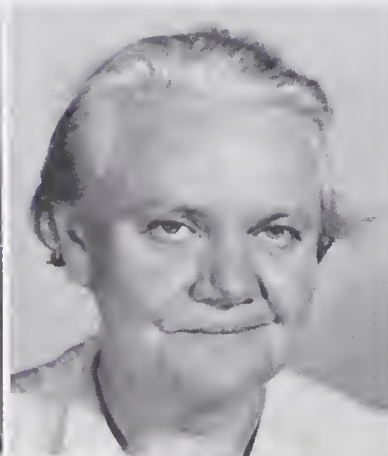
ERSIE B. STEWART
Science



PATRICIA LEETE
Home Economics



CLYDE SWANN
Agriculture



ANNIE B. BULLOCK
Mathematics



MARY R. PALMER
Cafeteria Manager



Senior Class Officers

MOTTO

"Find a way or make one."

COLORS

Black and White

FLOWER

Red Rose



JAMES RODWELL

Mascots



SUZANNE RUDD

History

It all began one fall morning in 1951, as the halls of John Graham echoed with the happy voices of students who were ready to begin a new year and ready to begin what seemed a new life--HIGH SCHOOL.

Our freshman year was a long-spent and happy one. Miss McElrath and Mrs. Coleman, our homeroom teachers, were among the many teachers who tried to help us, guide us, and keep us from harm. Some of the boys and girls were initiated into the FHA and FFA, and a few of the boys played sports.

The class of '55 gradually moved up in position. Finally, we were sophomores. By this time we were studying complicated subjects such as biology and history. Some of our boys played football, basketball and baseball. A few of the girls also played basketball. Our homeroom teachers were Miss Parker and Mrs. Coleman.

Bursting with joy and enthusiasm, we took our place as Juniors. Our class was well represented on the football, basketball and baseball teams. Some of our class were officers of the FFA, FHA, Student Council and Library Club.

The most outstanding part in our junior year was the Junior-Senior. In spite of the headaches and hard work and other difficulties, we put on a good banquet. Our homeroom teachers were Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Leete.

Then in September, 1954, we took command as Seniors. We had been looking forward to being a senior for a long time and we were also looking forward to wearing our class rings.

There was a lot of planning to be done. We had the Washington trip to plan, selection of cards and invitations, and putting on a senior play.

During the past four years we have had many people who have helped us move forward. This year Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Leete guided us through our work and down the aisle toward graduation.

It has been a difficult climb, and we thank all for those who have helped us along the way.

JIMMY AYSCUE, Historian

Seniors



JOHN CARLTON ALLGOOD

Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, Secretary 3; Senior Superlative; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice Pres. 4; Senior Play.



SADIE MARIE ATKINSON
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1;
Senior Superlative.



JIMMY RAY AYSCUE

Class Vice Pres. 4; Student Council 4;
Baseball 2; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; FFA
1, 2, 3, 4; Federation Vice Pres. 2;
Vice Pres. 2, 3, Pres. 4; Boys' State 3;
Historian; Senior Superlative; 4-H 1.

ANNIE LAURIE BUGG

Student Council 3, 4; Class Pres. 4;
Seer Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4;
Majorette 2, Chief 3, 4; Glee Club
3; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2,
3; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club
2, 3, 4; Business Manager 3; FHA
1, 2, 3, 4, Historian 3; Senior Super-
lative; Marshal; Senior Play.



MARIE CAROLYN CARROLL

FHA 3; Glee Club 2, 3; 4-H 1;
Softball 1, 2; Basketball 3, 4; Band
Majorette 4; Monogram Club 3, 4.



JOYCE ANN COX

4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee
Club 3.

NELLIE MARGARET DAVIS

Student Council 4; Class Sec. -
Treas. 2; Sec. 3; Seer Staff 3, 4;
Dramatics Club 1; Basketball 2, 3,
4, Co-Captain, 4; Cheerleader 3,
4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2,
3, 4, Vice Pres. 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4;
Marshal 3; "Miss John Graham High"
3; Senior Superlative.

LILLIAN FRANCES DEAL

Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3;
Glee Club 1, 3; 4-H 1, 2.

FRANCES EUGENIA FALKNER

FHA 1, 2; Glee Club 3; Senior Play.





PATRICIA ANN FLEMING
 Student Council 3; Class Treas. 3;
 Seer Staff 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee
 Club 3; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior
 Superlative; Class Poet; Marshal 3;
 Senior Play.

PATRICIA ANN FRAZIER
 Student Council 3; Class Sec. -
 Treas. 2; Cheerleader 3, 4; Mono-
 gram Club 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H
 Club 1, 2; Senior Superlative; Senior
 Play.

MYRTICE LOUISE GIBSON
 Softball 1, 2, 3; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee
 Club 2; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class
 Song 4; Senior Play.

ELTON RODGERS GUPTON
 Student Council 4; Baseball 3, 4;
 Monogram Club 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4,
 Vice Pres. 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2; Senior
 Play.



BETTY LOU HAITHCOCK
 Beta Club 3, 4; Reporter 4; Student
 Council 1, 2; Class Vice Pres. 2, 3;
 Seer Staff 2, 3, 4; Assistant Editor 3,
 Editor 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4, Co-Cap-
 tain 4; Softball 1, 2; Cheerleader 2,
 3, 4, Chief 3, 4; Monogram Club 2,
 3, 4, Sec. -Treas. 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4,
 Pres. 4; Delegate to Regional
 Convention 3; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4, Re-
 porter 2; Dramatics Club 1; Girls'
 State 3; Marshal 3; Class Testator;
 Senior Superlative; Senior Play.

HAROLD LOYD HARRIS
 Student Council 1; Football 3, 4;
 Baseball 4; Monogram Club 3, 4;
 4-H 1, 2; Senior Superlative; Senior
 Play.

FRANCES ELIZABETH HAYES

Seer Staff 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4;
Softball 1, 2; Monogram Club 2, 3,
4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Historian 4; 4-H
1, 2.



WARREN PEETE HILLIARD

Class Pres. 2; Student Council 3;
Baseball 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Sentinel
4; 4-H 1, 2.



IRENE CASTLE HESTER

FHA 1, 2, Secretary 2; Class Re-
porter 2, Treasurer 4; Library Club
2, 3, 4, Vice Pres. 4; Glee Club 3;
Marshal 3; 4-H Club 1.

SHIRLEY ANN HOUSE

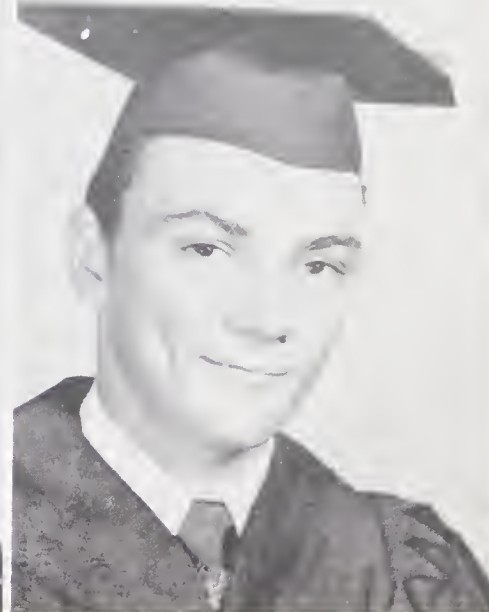
Student Council 1; Seer Staff 3, 4;
Band 2, 3, 4, Majorette; Basketball
3, 4; Softball 1, Monogram Club 3,
4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Superlative;
4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Prophet.

WINNIFRED LEA HUDGINS

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4;
Senior Superlative; Marshal 3.

GEORGE FREDERICK HUNTER

Band 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Baseball 3,
4; FFA 1, 2, 3; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Mono-
gram Club 3, 4; Senior Superlative.





LLOYD CLINE KING
 Football 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Basket-
 ball 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student
 Council 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Mono-
 gram Club 2, 3, 4, President 4; Busi-
 ness Manager WARRENTONIAN 3, 4;
 Senior Superlative; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3,
 4; Secretary 4; Class Officer 1, 2.

EARL RODGERS LIMER
 FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3.

PEGGY JOYCE LYLES

Class Reporter 2; Library Club 2;
 Basketball 3; Softball 1, 2; Mono-
 gram Club 3, 4; FHA Club 1, 2, 3,
 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Senior Superla-
 tive.

MACON HUNTER MORRIS

FFA Club 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3.



ALPHEUS JACKSON OAKLEY
 Football Manager 3, 4; Baseball Man-
 ager 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; 4-H
 1, 2.

BETTY JEAN OVERBY

CHARLES GRAHAM OVERBY

Class Pres. 1; Student Council 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Football 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Reporter 2, Secretary 4; Senior Superlative; 4-H 1, 2; Senior Play.



JOSEPH FENNER PEOPLES, JR.

Student Council 2, 4; Class Vice Pres. 1, Pres. 2, 3; Seer Staff 3, 4; Business Manager WARRENTONIAN 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4, Manager 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1; Senior Play



THOMAS ALMOND PEOPLES

Student Council 2; Class Officer 1; Football 4; Monogram Club 4; FFA 2; Senior Superlative; Senior Play.

ELIZABETH ANNE RIGGAN

Student Council 1; Library Club 3; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Parliamentarian 3; 4-H 1, 2; Softball Manager 1, 2.

ELLEN SCOTT SHEARIN

Beta Club 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary-Treasurer 1; Secretary 4; Seer Staff 1, 2, 3; Annual Staff 3, 4, Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 2, Pres. 3, County Reporter 3; Dramatics Club 1; Chief Marshal 3; DAR Good Citizen 4; Senior Superlative 4; Senior Play.



ANDREW JULES SMILEY, JR.

Monogram Club 4; Football 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 4.



ALVIN GILL SPAIN
 Student Council 4; FFA 1; 4-H 1;
 Marshal 3; Senior Play.

EMMA JEAN STALLINGS
 FHA 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3; 4-H 1;
 Marshal; Senior Play.

VIRGINIA RUTH STEGALL
 FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2.

JAMES LEWIS TUCKER
 Football 3; Baseball 2, 3, 4; FFA 1,
 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4; 4-H 1, 2,



BERNARD OTHO WILLIAMS
 Class Pres. 1; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Reporter
 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2; Senior Superlative.

WILLIAM ARTHUR WILSON
 Football 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Senior Play.

Superlatives



Most Studious
JIMMY AYSCUE - ELLEN SHEARIN



Wittiest
BERNARD WILLIAMS - MARIE ATKINSON



Cutest
TOMMY PEOPLES - SHIRLEY HOUSE



Best All-Round
L.C. KING - BETTY HAITHCOCK

Friendliest
CARLTON ALLGOOD
MARGARET DAVIS



Best Dressed
JIMMY AYSCUE
ANNE FRAZIER

Most Bashful
ALPHEUS OAKLEY
BETTY JEAN OVERBY



Best Personality
GRAHAM OVERBY
BETTY HAITHCOCK



Most Dignified
GRAHAM OVERBY - WINNIFRED HUDGINS



Most Talented
FRED HUNTER - PATRICIA FLEMING



Most Popular
L. C. KING - ANNIE LAURIE BUGG



Most Dependable
JIMMY AYSCUE - ELLEN SHEARIN



Prettiest - Most Handsome
ANNE FRAZIER - HAROLD HARRIS

Most Likely to Succeed
JIMMY AYSCUE - ELLEN SHEARIN



Most Athletic
L. C. KING - BETTY HAITHCOCK



Biggest Flirt
CARLTON ALLGOOD - PEGGY LYLES



Prophecy

A decade since we ended twelve wonderful years at John Graham High we are gathered here in the John Graham School auditorium to present to the Senior Class of '65 the up-to-date history of our class. It gives me great pleasure to present to you the members of our class.

You all remember Marie Atkinson, the wittiest girl of our class, who is now starring with Little Henry in the Durham Herald comic strip.

Annie Laurie Bugg is now keeping house on a college campus for Bill Ed.

Carolyn Carroll is a model in New York. You remember her John Graham strut.

Joyce Cox, having worked at the five and ten, is now in Florida selling peanuts to monkeys

Margaret Davis is an airline hostess for soldiers only.

Frances Deal is a famous model for the "LOOK" magazine.

Frances Falkner is a telephone operator in Virginia.

Anne Frazier is an actress playing with Harold in a new movie.

Patricia Fleming is a famous poetess.

Myrtice Gibson is a great pianist.

Betty Haithcock, who was voted the best-all-around, best personality, and most athletic girl in our class, is now a star on Broadway.

Betsy Hayes is now living in Texas and has her own horse ranch.

Irene Hester is a professional Bible teacher at John Graham.

Winnifred Hudgins is a beauty operator in New Jersey.

Peggy Lyles is married and is the assistant manager of Rose's.

Anne Riggan is a music teacher at John Graham.

Ellen Shearin is an English teacher at Mars Hill College.

Emma Jean Stallings has her own singing program on WTOD, Durham, N. C.

Virginia Stegall is now a model in Washington, D. C.

Carlton Allgood's freckles have all turned to pennies and he is now a millionaire.

Jimmy Ayscue is now a professor at Duke University.

Elton Gupton owns the world's largest tobacco warehouse at Macon.

Harold Harris, instead of running the movies, is now an actor in the new movie "Harold's Hideaway."

Warren Peete Hilliard is a famous ale distributor.

Fred Hunter, our most talented, is a dancer at the Whirlwind Night Club.

L. C. King is a famous coach for Carolina.

Earl Limer has his own new '65 convertible racing it at the Limer Bean race track.

Hunter Morris is married and is manager of Rose's.

Alpheus Oakley, being the most bashful boy, is now in Hollywood going with Marilyn Monroe.

Graham Overby is an agriculture teacher in Greenville.

Fenner Peoples is now the famous quarterback for the Washington Club.

Tommy Peoples is a great character in Hollywood.

Andrew Smiley runs his own little service station and is becoming rich very fast.

Alvin Spain is an artist at Chapel Hill.

Jimmy Tucker is a Latin professor at Columbia University.

Bernard Williams sells his special made "Hot rods" for 50 cents each.

William Wilson owns his farm in Texas where he sells long-horned steers.

Well, ladies and gentlemen, I have enjoyed telling you about my classmates of 1955.

There is only one left and that is I. I am a beautician trying my best to curl the straight hair on the heads of my female classmates.

SHIRLEY HOUSE

Prophet

Last Will and Testament

We, the Senior Class of John Graham High School, of the state of North Carolina and the county of Warren, in this year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifty-five, leave dear John Graham to seek our fortune and fame in a new and different life. Being of sound body and memory we do hereby declare this to be our last will and testament, to be executed in the following order.

ARTICLE I

To our parents who have given much encouragement and have made our education possible, we leave our sincere thanks and gratitude.

ARTICLE II

To our principal and teachers who have helped us master our studies, we leave our deepest appreciation and hope that all of your pupils will be as studious and well behaved as our Senior Class.

ARTICLE III

To the Juniors we leave the honor of being Seniors and the enjoyment of another year at John Graham.

To the Sophomores and Freshmen we leave the joy of knowing that the fun has just started and that the Junior and Senior years are the best.

ARTICLE IV

Individual bequests:

Carlton Allgood leaves his red hair and freckles to Robert Shearin. Jimmy Ayscue leaves his studious ways to "Poochie" Pittman. Elton Gupton leaves his stately height to Willoughby Harris. Harold Harris leaves his driving ability to Sidney Smith; his love for Anne he takes. Warren Hilliard leaves his ability to skip school and sleep on class to Jack Felts, Fred Hunter leaves his witty remarks to Sidney Jones and his knowledge of English to W. C. St. Sing. L. C. King leaves his position on the Student Council to Anton Reid and his love for Sylvia he keeps. Earl Limer leaves his sideburns to Tommy Davis. Hunter Morris leaves to get married; he takes Peggy with him. Alpheus Oakley leaves his position as football manager to Norman Haithcock. Graham Overby leaves his personality to Fred Bartholomew. Fenner Peoples leaves his carefree ways and his love for the teachers to Glenn Coleman. Tommy Peoples leaves his English grades and love for skipping school to Tommy Lee. Andrew Smiley leaves Bettye Gupton at John Graham but not for long. Alvin Spain leaves his good grades to Vance Atkinson. Jimmy Tucker leaves his bus to anyone who can drive under 20 m. p. h. Bernard Williams leaves his crazy remarks to Gilbert Hilliard; his love for Anne he takes. William Wilson leaves his nickname "Cannibal" to Billy Frazier. Marie Atkinson leaves her silly remarks to Mary B. Davis. Annie Laurie Bugg leaves her giggles to Barbara Pittard; her diamond she takes. Carolyn Carroll leaves her long hair to Anne Harris. Joyce Cox leaves her loud ways to Margaret Pegram; her love for "Prince" she takes. Margaret Davis leaves her friendliness to Martha Thompson; her love for crazy fun she takes. Frances Deal leaves her talkative ways to Barbara Brittain. (She doesn't need them, however.) Frances Falkner leaves her quietness to Janet Whitford. Patricia Fleming leaves her poetic ability to Anne Dillard. Anne Frazier leaves her good looks to everyone who needs them; her love for Harold she takes. Myrtice Gibson leaves her love for the piano and her red hair to Jane Floyd. Betty Haithcock leaves her cheerleading and basketball ability to Mary Wood; to all students goes her best-all-round ability. Betsy Hayes leaves her love for driving to Gertrude Rooker; her car she takes. Irene Hester leaves her quiet and ladylike ways to the Freshman girls. Shirley House leaves her cuteness to Janet Loyd; her shortness she takes. Winnifred Hudgins leaves her dignified ways to the Junior girls. Peggy Lyles leaves her flirty ways to Faye Lyles while she leaves with Hunter. Anne Riggan leaves her neatness to Irma Fleming. She takes Bernard if he passes. Ellen Shearin leaves her studious ways and red hair to Lorraine Harris. Emma Jean Stallings leaves her baby face to Juanita King. Virginia Stegall leaves her "slim" figure to Betty Peoples. Betty Overby leaves her bashful ways to Jane King.

In witness whereof, we the Senior Class of 1955 of John Graham High School, do set seal on this, the thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

BETTY HAITHCOCK
Testator

Poem

The time has come to leave our school;
We leave it without fear--
The last lap in our first long race
With life, so very near.

Our lives stretch out before us in
One endless search for right,
For we will lead tomorrow's world
Into new dawning light.

We cannot leave our tasks to chance
But do them with a will
And we must help the weaker ones,
Though they have done us ill.

The words, "Thank you," cannot express
The gratefulness we feel,
To those who kindly helped us on
To find that goals are real.

No matter what our goals may be,
If friends or happiness,
If we attain the prize we seek,
We'll owe you our success.

PATRICIA FLEMING





TOMMY DAVIS
Treasurer

EMMA JANE LIMER
Secretary

JUANITA KING
President

ROBERT SHEARIN
Vice President

Juniors



FRED BARTHOLOMEW



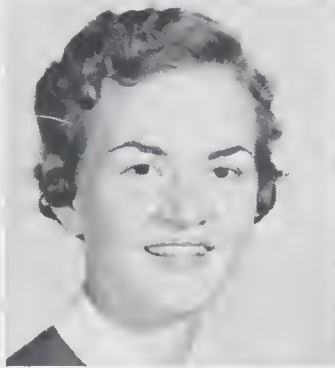
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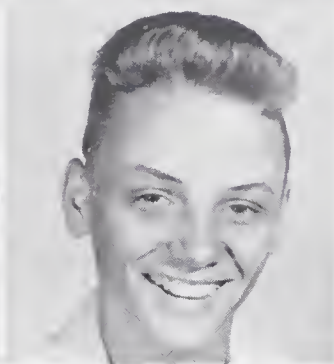
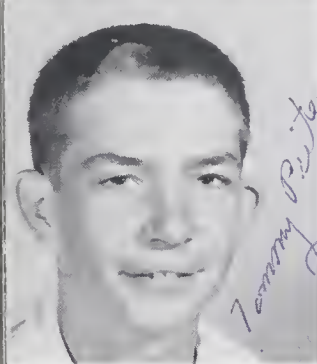
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TOMMY PEETE DAVIS

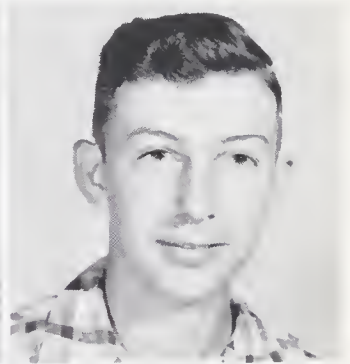
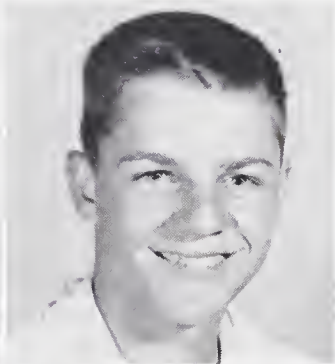
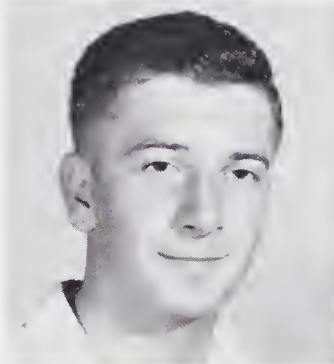
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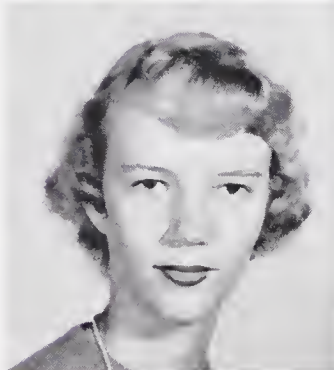
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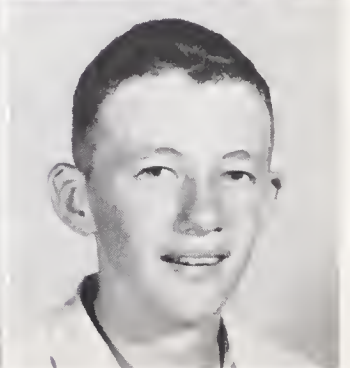
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TOMMY LEE





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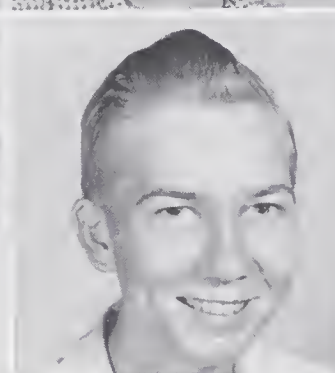
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PEGGY MUSTIAN

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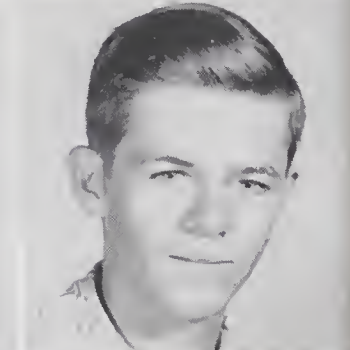
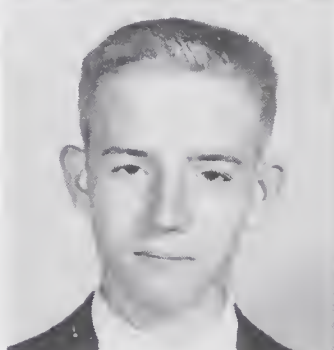
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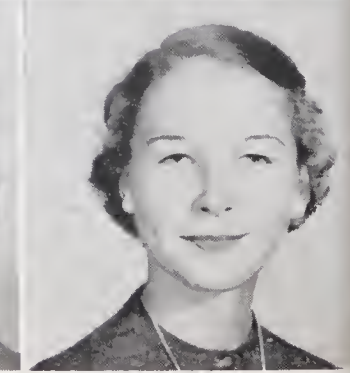
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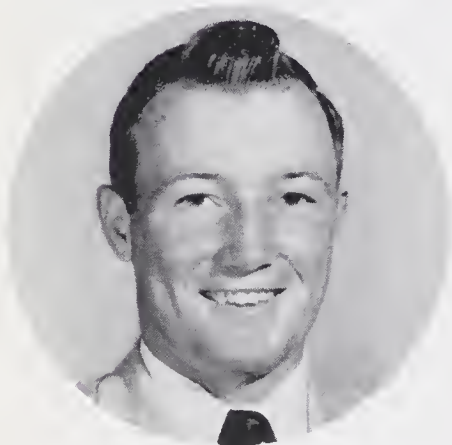
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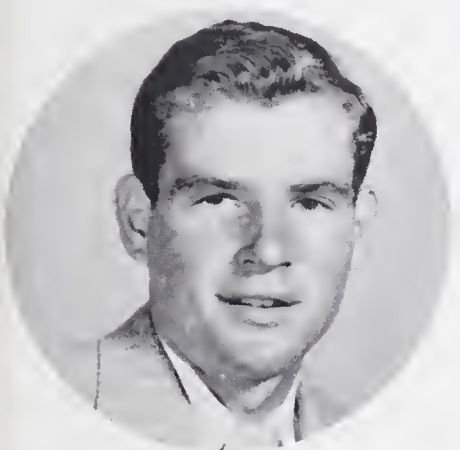
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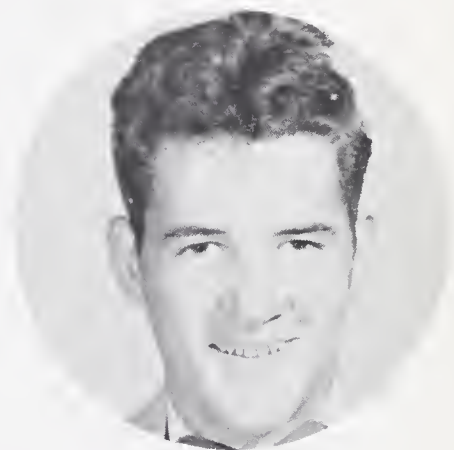
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October 4, 1936 - June 26, 1954

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His Classmates

Through the Years



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1. Margaret Davis. 2. Anne Ligon. 3. Anne Frazier. 4. Harold Harris and Shirley House. 5. Jimmy Ray Ayscue. 6. Joyce Cox. 7. Bernard Williams. 8. Virginia Stegall. 9. Patricia Fleming and brother. 10. Ellen Scott Shearin. 11. Fred Hunter. 12. Carolyn Carroll. 13. Harold Harris.



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1. Hunter Morris. 2. Peggy Lyles. 3. Jimmy Ayscue. 4. Annie Laurie Rugg. 5. Tommy Peoples, L. C. King, Ferner Peoples, Laurence Gaugh. 6. Marie Atkinson. 7. Eileen Scott Shearin. 8. Shirley House. 9. Myrtice Gibson, Irene Lester, Lois Kimball, Frances Deal. 10. Joyce Cox. 11. Ferner Peoples.

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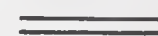
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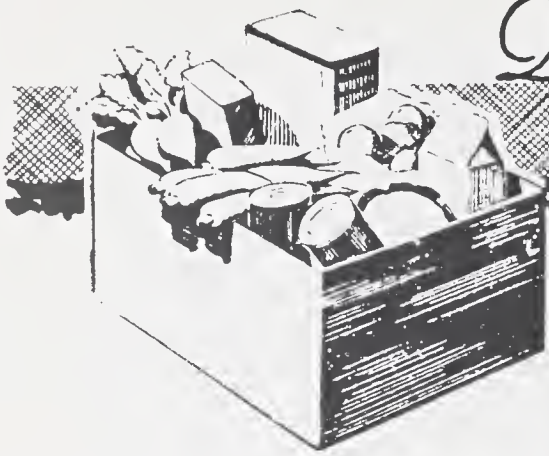
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to a very nice
B.W. Kiper.

Hi Brodie,
I had lots of
fun with you.
I only wish you
knew that you are a
pretty well girl and pretty
too.
Love always
Betty Kiper

Hi Brodie
I have enjoyed
knowing you and
best of luck to you always
Brenda W.

Mary Brodie,
It has been a great
pleasure being in the
same room with you
for the last eight years.
I know that the next
four years will be as
much fun.
Good luck to a very
nice and sweet girl.
Love always,
Elizabeth Davis

Best of luck
always to a very
nice girl.
I wish you
to have other
to more like
you.
Best of luck in high
school.
Tommy Pate



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1. Emma Jean Stallings, Patsy Hayes. 2. Cheerleaders. 3. Mrs. Martincale and Peggy Lyles. 4. Working in shop. 5. Virginia Stegall, Mary Helen Tucker, Irene Hester. 6. Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Leete at Junior-Senior. 7. Peggy Lyles, Walter Morris.



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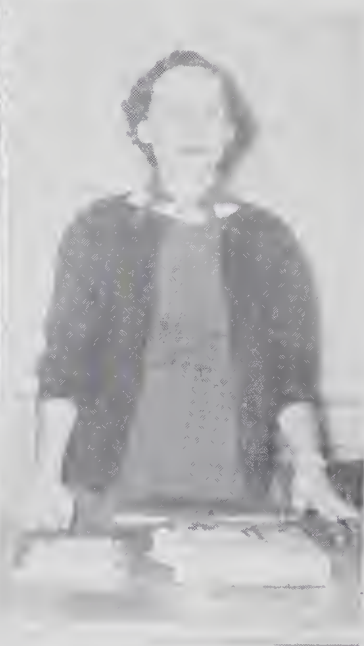
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1. Fred Hunter. 2. Margaret Lavis, Penner Peoples, and Betty Haincock at Junior-Senior. 3. Judy Wagon and friend. 4. Marie Atkinson. 5. Mrs. Coleman. 6. Shirley House and Frankie Aycock. 7. Vance Atkinson. 8. Warren Hilliard, Clarence May, Alton Cpton, Jimmy Ayscue, and girls.

Brodie,

Mary Brodie

I have enjoyed knowing you all these years. Keep up the practice and in a year or two you will be a good basketball player. Best of luck always.
Fred Bartholmees

So a nice girl
I wish good luck
and may we always
be good friends.
Billy Crow

Brodie,

I have enjoyed being in school and MY I with you this year. I hope you will learn to get there on time. Sidney Jones
P.S. Good luck in high school

Best Always,
Judith Adams

Mary Brodie,
Good luck always in basketball, high school and all other activities. Good luck with R. Q. and Orange - nice and cute girl.
Love always,
Ann White

Mary Brodie,
I want to wish you all the luck in the world and may the best always be yours.
Catherine H. Jones

Mary Brodie,

I have enjoyed being in classes these eight years. I hope we will be together all through high school. I wish you luck all through life, and I will remember you as the most dearest and best friend I have had. You are a very cute girl and I hope you have luck with boys. I know you will.
Love always,
Scott

Mary Brodie,
I have enjoyed being in
school with you even though
I was a grade higher. I am
looking forward to seeing you
in high school next year. Lots
of luck to a nice girl.

J.V. Adams

So a very sweet girl,
Luck Always
Elizabeth Low

Dear Brodie,

I'm not going having
to talk about school
a good time at school
with you because I haven't
had a good time in school.
I want to wish you many
happy hours this summer
at the Country Club,
Bowling, and all other
summer activities.

A true pal,
Bill Henry

Mary Brodie,

I certainly enjoyed
being in school with
you these last few
years. I hope the
next 3 will be as
enjoyable. Lots
of luck to a nice
girl.

Gary Fleming

Brodie,

I have enjoyed being with you
in school this year. You are a very
nice girl, smart, (but not a "goodie")
like some of the smart people. I hope
we'll have more fun in high school
than we did in the 8th. We had fun
this year but not when we were
in the class room. Lots of luck
to a cute girl.

Jim McDonald

Mary Brodie,
I have certainly
enjoyed being in school
with you. I hope
you will have
a good time in
high school. Lots
of luck to a nice
girl.
Bill Henry

