


Marie Byers


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## IEEIICATIIN



By dedicating this, the 1954 edition of Whispering Pines to Mrs. John Burroughs, we wish to extend, in this small way, a token of our esteem and admiration to one who has faithfully and earnestly labored in our behalf.

Never will we forget the wise teacher and friend who has so often assisted us in the struggle for education and knowledge. In the years to come we shall reflect upon her outstanding patience, perseverance and guidance. Thusly, with these thoughts in mind of one who has been so grandly helpful, we the seniors of the class of 1954, do dedicate this edition of Whispering Pines.

## ADMINISTRATION


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Superintendent of Henderson County Schools
W. J. NESBITT

Principal


Edneyville Schools are standard and meet the requirements for entering colleges and universities throughout the State and Nation. Efficient Departments in English, the Natural Sciences, Vocational Home Economics, Mathematics, Social Sciences, Vocational Agriculture, Commerce and the extracurricular program make for the production of better equipped young men and women who may be successful in either a formal education for a profession or for preparation for the immediate life chores.


## HIGH SCHIOI. FACULTY

The proverb, "More is caught than is taught", may well be applied to our lives as we have been challenged to develop intellectually, morally, and socially under the guidance of a worthy faculty.


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Piano and Glee Club



X plus $Y=$ algebra and some tough problems..


Devotional -- also a
daily offair


Daily greetings being exchanged around
lockers ..............


Start of a very busy day ....


English, MacBeth, and Mrs. Burroughs-- also very tough


Physical Education--Plenty of exercise
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## STUIENTAT

Chores accomplished, homework finished, and then to bed---end of a hard day


Page Eight

Our valiant student engages in a tug-of-war



Completely absorbed in Chemistry .......


Cafeteria--Not soup, beans and macaroni again ......


Finding time after lunch for a stroll ..............


We love Paris but not the French language

# Eilleyvilite 



Preparing to be a good secretary by learning shorthand .............


Activity--preparing for an oration............




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## BILL BARNWELL

Professor - "Just for skill".
Key Club 1-4, Vice Pres. 2,3, Sec. \& Treas. 4; Delegate to Carolina Convention 3; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Science Club 1,2, Vice Pres. 1; Quill Staff 2, 3,4; Monogram Club 3,4, Pres. 3; Baseball 3,4, Scorekeeper 2,3; Basketball 4; F. T. A. 4; Advisory Council 2, 3,4, Treas. 3; Junior Play 3; Class Vice Pres. 3; Boy Scouts 1,2,3,4; Eagle Scout 1, 2, 3,4; Delegate to National Jamboree 2.

## JERRY BEDDINGFIELD

Bud - "Let's go for the cokes".
Monogram 3,4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3,4; Folk Duncing 4; Scoreboard Clock 4.

## MAVIS BRADLEY

Marvis - "That's nice".
Science Club 2,4; Library Staff 2; Speech Club 4; Folk Dancing 4, Pres. 4; Glee Club 2,3; F.H.A. 1,2.

## OLA ARTILIA BROWN

Tillie - "What do you think about it?"
Science Club 2,4; Glee Club 2, 3; F.H.A. 3; Library Staff 3; Vice Pres. Library Staff 3; Advisory Council 3; Folk Dancing 4; Speech Club 4; Bible Club 4.


PHYLLIS MARTIN COLE
Mrs. Roy Gordon Cole - "Is that so?"
Science Club 2,4; Glee Club 2,3; Bible Club 4; F. H. A. 1, 2; Library Staff 3; Sec. Library Staff 3.

## JEAN ANN CORIELL

Jan - "That's right, boy." Transferred from San Antonio, Texas 1,2; Glee Club 3; Speech Club 4; Folk Dancing 4, Pres. 4; Office Receptionist 4.



## VIRGINIA ANN ENLOE

Ginger - "I love you, too."
Class Pres. 1, Vice Pres. 2; Science Club 1,2, Sec. 1; F.H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 2; Beta Club 2,3,4, Vice Pres. 3; Advisory Council 1, 2,3; Glee Club 2, 3; Accompanist for Double Trio 2,3,4; Basketball 3,4; 4-H Club $1,2,3,4$, Sec. 2,3 ; Sec. $4-\mathrm{H}$ County Council 2; Quill Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Marshal 3; F. T. A. 4; Miss Hi Miss 4.

## EULANE E. FLYNN

Mrs. RalphD. Flynn - "Huh, what did you say?" O'Henry Society 1, 2; Lee Club 3; Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Pres. 4; Folk Dancing 4; Science Club 4; Annual Staff 4.

## FRANCES ETHELEEN FOWLER

Millie - "I'll give you to understand." Science Club 2; Glee Club 3; F.H. A. 3; Speech Club 2; Bible Club 4; Folk Dancing 4.

## DOLLENE FREEMAN

Doll - "Might as well be." Science Club 2; F.H. A. 1, 2, 3; Monogram 3, 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Winner of Bill Wilson Award 3; County All-Star Team.



## ELIZABETH FREEMAN

Liz - "It pays to be ignorant."
F.H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 3, 4; Science Club 2, 4; Annual Staff 4; Marshal 3; American History Award 3; Advisory Council 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 2, 3,4, Sec. 3, Vice Pres. 4; Glee Club 2, Sec. 2; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4, Vice Pres. 3; Junior Play 3; Speech Club 4.

## MILDRED FREEMAN <br> Til - "Ah, Shut up."

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Parliamentarian of F.H.A. 3; 4-H Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2; Beta Club 2, 3 , 4, Pres. 4; Marshal 3; Junior Play 3; Class Vice Pres. 4; Advisory Council 4.


FRANK HULL
Mister President - "Uhuh yeah."
Class Pres. 2, 3, 4; Advisory Council 2, 3,4, Vice Pres. 3, Pres. 4; Key Club 3, 4; Pres. of Key Club 4; Annual Staff 3,4, Editor 4; Science Club 1,2.

CUR TIS HOLBERT
Curt - "I'm late again."
F.F.A. $1,2,3,4$, Pres. 3; Glee Club 3, 4, Vice Pres. 3; Bible Club 4.

## BOBBY DEAN GRIFFIN <br> Dizzy - "Beats me."

Science Club 1, 2; F.F.A. 2; Monogram Club 3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3; Key Club 2,3.

## PEGGY HILL

Peg - "Oh! no, not that again." F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Science Club 2; Beta Club 2, 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Quill Staff 3,4, Editor of Quill 4; Chief Marshal 3; Citizen of the Year 3; Girls' State Representative 3; Advisory Council 4; Treasurer of Class 2,$4 ;$ F. T.A. 4.


## SENIIHS



WINONA HUDSON
Nonnie - "I hate to think it wasn't."
Cheerleader 1, 2, 3,4, Co-Captain 3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Science Club 2, 4; Folk Dancing 4; Speech Club 4; Glee Club 2, 3.

## BEATRICE JACKSON

Bea - "What makes you think so?" Glee Club 3; Science Club 2, 4; Library Staff 3,4, Pres. 4; Speech Club 4; F.H.A. 3; Bible Club 4; Advisory Council 4.

JACK JACKSON
Jackson - "I'm like you."
F.F.A. 1, 2,4; Folk Dancing 4; Science Club 2.

## MACK JACKSON

Mark-"What do you think about that, Frank?" F.F.A. 1, 2; Speech Club 3, 4 Vice Pres. 3; Vice Pres. of Science Club 2; Key Club 4.


## SYLVIA JONES

Jones - "You wouldn't know, would you?" F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Science Club 2; Quill Staff 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Monogram Club 4.

## BOB LANCASTER

Robert - "Ah heck."
Science Club 1,2; Baseball 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3, 4.

## JUNE LAUGHTER

Juin - "Aw, Shut up."
F.H.A. 1,2,4; Science Club 2; Beta Club 2, 3,4; Glee Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4.

## FRED LINDSAY

J. F. - "I'll beat you on the take-off." Key Club 2,3,4; Glee Club 2, 3,4; Folk Dancing 4; Science Club 1, 2; Quill Staff $2,3,4$.


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## SHIRLEY LYDA

Shirl - "Why no."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, Vice Pres. 3; Science Club 3; Beta Club 2, 3,4, Sec. 4; Quill Staff 3, 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Marshal 3; Apple Festival Representative 3,4 ; Cheerleader 3,4; Advisory Council 3,4 ; Speech Club 4; Monogram Club 4, Treasurer 4.

## LARRY LYNCH

Twister - "Aw, no stuff!
Science Club 2; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Folk Dancing 4.

## GAIL MAXWELL

Gailie Mae - "Don't get excited." Science Club 1, 2,4; Girls' Double Trio 1,2, 3,4; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3,4 ; Class Secretary l.

## J. Z. MAXWELL

Pee Wee - "I didn't do that."
Key Club 1, 2; F.F.A. 1; Folk Dancing 4; Explorer Scouts 1.


## ELENA ANN McMINN

Woog - "I feel so unnecessary."
Science Club 1,4; F.H.A. 2; Speech Club 4; Glee Club 3; Folk Dancing 4; Library Staff 3.

## BOBBY MESSER

Bob - "Let's do three or two of those." Key Club 2, 3,4, Treas. 3; Science Club 1,2; Monogram Club 4; Vice Pres. of Monogram Club 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Junior Play 3; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3,4; Treasurer of Class 3; Folk Dancing 4.

LOIS MERRELL
Blondie - "Law me." Science Club 2,4; Glee Club 2, 3; Bible Club 4; Basketball 3; F.H.A. 1, 2; Library Staff 3.

## KEITH MOSS

Moose - "Ah, shut up."
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Science Club 2,4; Basketball 2, 3; Folk Dancing 4.



CARROLL NEAL
Hot Rod - "I can't do that."
4-H Club 1; Science Club 1, 2; Speech Club 3, 4; Bus Patrol 3.

## PATRICIA ANN NEWMAN <br> Ann - "Guess who came to Five Points last night?"

Glee Club 2, 3; Science Club 2; F.H.A. 2; Speech Club 4; Folk Dancing 4.

JULIA OWENBY
Judy - "You old tick."
4-H Club 1 ; Science Club 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Secretary of Glee Club 3; Library Staff 3, 4; Speech Club 4; Bible Club 4.

## BETTY ANN RHODES

Bet - "You don't know, do you?"
F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 4; Beta Club 2, 3,4, Sec. 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Girls' Double Trio 3.


JOHN RHODES
John - "Let's don't."
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Science Club 2,4.

## BETTY JEAN RHYMER

Bet - "I'll say, I'd hate to think I couldn't." Beta Club 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Quill Staff 2, 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4; Sec. of 4-H Club l; Girls' Double Trio 3,4; Glee Club 3,4; Science Club 2,4; Monogram Club 3,4; Library Staff 2,3; Junior Play 3; Folk Dancing 4; Office Receptionist 3; County All-Star Team 3.

PEGGY SAUNDERS
Peg - "You think I care, don't you?" Science Club 2; F.H.A. 3; Library Staff 3; Glee Club 3; Bible Club 4; Speech Club 4; Folk Dancing 4; Office Receptionist 4.

## JIMMY STEPP

Jim - "What the 'eck."
Science Club 1, 2, 4;


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GLEN STEVENS
Shorty - "Oh me!"
Science Club 4; Glee Club l; Folk Dancing 4; Advisory Council 4; Science Club Pres. 4.

## JOAN WILSON

Jan - "Parlez-vous francais."
Basketball 1,2,4; F.H. A. 1, 2; Annual Staff 3,4; Advertising Manager 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Beta Club 2,3,4; Girls' Double Trio 2,3,4; Science Club 2,4; Sec. of Class 3; Monogram Club 3,4, Sec. 3,4; Advisory Council 3,4; Sec. of Advisory Council 3, 4; Marshal 3; Junior Play 3; Folk Dancing 4; Queen of Halloween Carnival 2; F.T.A. 4.


Virginia Ann Enloe

of FAME



## SENIIRS REMINISCE

 lacking in facilities. We did not have the modern high school building which we enjoy today; instead both the upper and lower grades were established in one overcrowded building. We were most unfortunate in not having a suitable auditorium, so our grammar grade "productions" were given in the inconvenience of the gymnasium. We were also lacking in commissary facilities, so we ate in the old building, remodeled into a lunchroom. Oh, those memories of struggling up the stairs to the old lunchroom!As the years passed in elementary school our classes became more crowded and we realized the desperate need for a new building. Then our opportunity came; and we, in our insignificant manner, helped to carry the school bond election. This was a goal we had been trying to achieve for such a long time that we could not allow it to slip through our fingers now.

Finally, when we were Sophomores in high school, our dreams had come true. We now had a new school building and an auditorium, something every other school in the county envied, and something we were extremely proud of due to our long need. But before this event we might do well to mention our entrance into high school. Who can describe the gay, giddy feeling that comes to every Freshman? Fortunately, some of us remained normal enough to counterbalance the irresponsibilities of the others. Perhaps the acquisition of a new building helped improve our morale and school spirit to some extent.

During our Junior year we were greatly saddened by the loss of our beloved homeroom teacher, Miss Mattie Sue French. Her untimely death was a great blow, and her memory will remain in our hearts forever.

After determining the cast and two weeks of hard work at rehearsing, we presented our Junior Play, "There Goes The Bride", under the direction of Mrs. Burroughs, who replaced Miss French as director of the play.

The play was quite a success, and we were able to give the Seniors one of the most elaborate banquets held up to that time.

Hawaiian Paradise was the theme, and the gymnasium was beautifully decorated to achieve that effect.

We now entered into our fourth and final year of high school as Seniors where amid fund raising campaigns, picture taking, Career Day, College Day, measuring for caps and gowns, and several difficult subjects we found complete absorption. Two other delightful episodes are worthy of being recorded here: namely, Senior Play and perhaps the most delightful of all our excursions, our educational trip to Washington.

As this period of school life draws to a close, we find it rather difficult to realize that we must leave the school of which we are so proud, the friends and classmates to whom we have become so close, and the faculty and principal we admire and respect. We have spent twelve years in preparation; now it is up to us to fulfill our class motto, "AIM HIGH AND HOLD YOUR AIM".

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We, the Seniors of the Class of '54, Edneyville High School, State of North Carolina, United States of America, being of reasonably sound mind, do hereby declare this our Last Will and Testament.

Bill Barnwell wills his outrageous laugh to Jim Bondurant. Jerry Beddingfield wills his knowledge of block laying to Gaither Stepp. Mavis Bradley wills her many hair colors to Catherine Rhodes.
Tillie Brown wills her charming smile to Betty Jean Rogers.
Betty Jean Clingenpeel wills her school-girl complexion to Doris Freeman.
Elizabeth Freeman wills her ha ha ha's to Jean Hill.
Amanda Corn leaves her neat black loafers to Ethel Byers.
David Corn and Frank Hill will their abilities to baffle Mrs. Burroughs during English class to Harris Pryor and Mack Brown.
Sue Dalton, Phyllis Cole, Lois Merrell, and Elena McMinn will their abilities to stay out of trouble to Joyce Kidd, Edith Paris, and Mary Ellen Lyda.
Joan Wilson wills her baby-like ways to Betty Brown.
Mary Jane Drake and Jean Coreill will their positions as office girls to Millie Corn. Virginia Ann Enloe wills her friendliness to Georgin Edney.
Eulane Flynn wills her artistic qualiries to Joan Jackson.
Etheleen Fowler and Peggy Saunders leave their quiet ways to Iris Laughter.
Mildred Freeman and Bobby Messer leave their title "Best All Around" to Mary Ada Gebe and Kenneth Justus.
Dollene Freeman wills her athletic qualities to Doris Lyda.
Jo Ella Garren and Winona Hudson will their positions as cheerleader captains to Peggy Hudson.
Viola Garren and Gail Maxwell will their beautiful clothes to Clara Mae Hoots and Carol Burch.
Dean Griffin leaves his worn-out broom to Gerald Rogers.
Peggy Hill wills her brilliant mind to Reginald Martin.
Curtis Holbert wills his knowledge of agriculture to Douglas Hill.
James McCraw bequeaths his pool-shooting ability to Donald Gentry.
Freddie Lindsay leaves his helpfulness with the Quill to Albert Alexander.
John Rhodes and Keith Moss leave their love for 'possum huntin' to Hal Edney and Johnny Warren.
Bobby Lancaster leaves his Saturday night hay rides to Fred Hoots.
Mack Jackson leaves his great sense of humor to Bill Corn and Frank Drake.
Larry Lynch wills his many freckles to Ted Davis.
J. Z. Maxwell wills his Plymouth to Ray Hyder.

Jack Jackson and Beatrice Jackson will their bashfulness to Jesse Duncan and Doris Engle.
Shirley Lyda and June Laughter will their love for the ball games to Carolyn Morgan and Janie Nix.
Sylvia Jones and Gwenn Burnett leave their knowledge of home economics to Jane Laughter and Shelba Jean Merrill.
Glenn Stevens and Jimmy Stepp will their knowledge of science to Richard Corn and Charles Freeman.
Ann Newman, Betty Jean Rhymer, and Julia Owensby leave their daily excuses to Dorsie Jones and Lula Belle Williams.
Betty Ann Rhodes wills her angora sweaters to Peggy Potts. Carroll Neal leaves his dried-up jokes to Weldon Nix.



Romeo and Juliet


Shall we call him,
"Teacher's Pet"?


Trophies to our Supersalesmen: Bill and Bob ... Camera for JoElla


## Handy Andy



Mr . Atom and Mr. Bomb


Our Jackson twins: Jack and Mack


Curtis, Champion Dairyman


Perfect Attendance

Others Among Us Who Have Had A Brush With Fame


Six pints make almost a gallon



## ... CLASS OF 1955 ...



## Juniors

Albert Alexander Betty Brown Mack Brown Carol Burch Ethel Byers

Bill Corn
Millie Corn
Richard Corn
Ted Davis
Frank Drake

Jessie Duncan Georgia Edney Hal Edney
Doris Engle
Charles Lee Freeman


## Sinhomintes

Janes Ball
Edward Barnwell Athleen Bradburn David Brevard Ann Clingenpeel Charles Corn

Lois Cox
Donald Edney Lillie Mae Edney
Paul Freeman
Marie Garren
James Gilbert

Betty Harrill Bill Hill
Charles Hill Donald Holbert Dixie Jackson Margie Jackson

Nallie Jones
Carroll Justice
Mary Justice Mildred Justice Dot King Jerry Lamb

Kay Laughter Barbara Lyda Wayne Lyda Arretta Lyons Kenneth McMinn Harvey Merrell

Kenneth Merrell
Sue Merrell
Randal Moon
Ronnie Moss
Jimmy Searcy
Robert Shipman

Jack Sinclair Eddie Sizemore Glenn Spicer Johnie Fae Stewart Elizabeth Taylor Joan Thomason

## Tommie Turner

Marguerite Wells James Williams Marita Williams



Freshmen
Ann Bradley Stanley Brigman Geraldine Bruce Marion Burgess Harold Cagle
Louise Clingenpeel
Louise Corn
Marlon Corn
Arthur Dalton
Porter Dalton
Margaret Dill
Geneva Duncan
Blaine Garren Jackie Gebe
Earl Griffin
Marie Griffin
Lonnie Harris
Henrietta Hensley
Barbara Hill
Betty Jean Hoots Pauline Hoots Kenneth Hudgins Gerald Jackson Joan Jackson

Ledford Jackson David Justus Kathleen Justice James Kesterson Edna Mae Laughter Clansy Lyons

JoAnn Martin Richard McCall Litten McCarson Virginia McMinn Mildred Merrell Shirley Middleton

Barbara Moore Billy Moore Donald Moore Wilma Moss Margaret Nix Opal Nix

## Barbara Oates

Tomasine Orr
Dan Pittillo
Lawrence Pittillo
Wayne Pittillo
Harry Raymer

Aurene Rogers
Ernest Ruff
Hal Sain
Doris Spicer
Evangeline Stevens
Patsy Sumner
Joyce Taylor Marie Walker
Shirley Ward
Harold White
Joyce Williams

## Elementary School

The nineteen teachers of the elementary school make a conscientious effort to give the six hundred thirty-six children the fundamentals of learning, a greater appreciation of the finer arts, and a sense of security in the day by day development of good citizens.

## Eighth Grade

Mrs. Amelia Duncan, Teacher

We intensify basic knowledge that willfunction in daily living through correlated subject matter, group projects, choral speaking, stressing self-reliance, and wholesome attitudes.

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Minor Wilson, Teacher
We intensify basic knowledge that willfunction in daily living through correlated subject matter, group projects, choral speaking, stressing self-reliance, and wholesome attitudes.

## Seventh Grade

Mrs. Doris Glass, Teacher
Through group units, physical education, and creative arts, we strive for fundamental proficiency by emphasizing the importance of accepting responsibility, sportsmanship, and self-reliance.


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H. E. Pryor, Teacher

Through group units, physical education, and creative arts, we strive for fundamental proficiency by emphasizing the importance of accepting responsibility, sportsmanship, and self-reliance.

## Sixth Grade

Mrs. Gladys D. Osborne, Teacher

We work diligently to make our grades pleasing to our parents and worthy of promotion to a higher grade. Active participation in speech and reading classes create interest, and in our other subjects we enjoy having our teachers use the modern aids to teaching.

## Sixth Grade

John H. Dickson, Teacher
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## Sixth Grade

Miss Marie Byers, Teacher
What? When? Where? How? Why? These we should all like to know; but in order to find the answer we must study, study, study.

## Fifth Grade

Mrs. Margaret Ann Lawter, Teacher
What? When? Where? How? Why? These we would like to know; but in order to find the answers we must read, read, read.

## Fifth Grade

Mrs. W. J. Nesbitt, Teacher

What? When? Where? How? Why? These we would like to know; but in order to find the answers we must read, read, read.

## Fourth Grade

Mrs. Mabel L. Brackett, Teacher
The objectives of the language arts are a continuation of those of the primary grades with more independence in reading and more emphasis on the practical outcomes. For the first time we have geography and health text books. Our boys especially enjoy the nature study.

## Fourth Grade

Miss Alletta K. Plank, Teacher
The objectives of the language arts are a continuation of those of the primary grades with more independence in reading and more emphasis on the practical outcomes. For the first time we have geography and health text books. Our boys especially enjoy the nature study.



## Third Grade

Mrs. Paul Pryor, Teacher
Perhaps the third grade is known as an age of collecting. It is interesting to see what our classmates bring to school each morning for the studies in science. We are also interested in health, art, penmanship, music, and reading.

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## Mrs. Lila M. Allen, Teacher

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## Secund Grade

Miss Opal Tompson, Teacher
After having had a year of working and playing together, we are now more independent as we continue to discover the fun in learning and doing.

## Second Grade

Mrs. Agnes M. Freeman, Teacher
After having had a year of working and playing together, we are now more independent as we continue to discover the fun in learning and doing.

## Second Girade

Inez McKillop, Teacher
After having had a year of working and playing together, we are now more independent as we continue to discover the fun in learning and doing.

## First Girade

Mrs. Elva P. Drake, Teacher
For the three R's the foundation we lay
With pictures, stories, music and play,
The three H's too, we must surely mention:
Healthy, Happy and Helpful demand daily attention.
Good habits, right attitudes, means of expression
Are aids to a start in the proper direction.

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Mrs. Leola Marlowe, Teacher
For the three R's the foundation we lay
With pictures, stories, music and play,
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## First Grade

Mrs. W. W. Worley, Teacher
For the three R's the foundation we lay
With pictures, stories, music and play,
The three H's too, we must surely mention:
Healthy, Happy and Helpful demand daily attention.
Good habits, right attitudes, means of expression
Are aids to a start in the proper direction.



Page Thirty-Four
This is the results of a day at the fair.

While the cat is away, how the mice will play.



Joan and her 64-page question ADS----MONEY----ANNUAL


Frank's RUSH to meet the deadline


Remember, Eulane, these are ghosted sketches


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A lot of determination and hard work with the combined efforts of the staff as a whole go into the making of the WHISPERING PINES.

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Shirley, Liz, and many pages of copy



Staff's goal: 200 annuals sold in '54. Peggy, are Bill's records nearing it?

Mary Jane and that "big business" of making pictures at E. H. S.
 lining up pictures for the dummy

## PEGGY HILL

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FREDDY LINDSAY Advertising Manager


Members of the Quill Staff meet twice a week at activity period to plan, assign, collect copy, type, type, type, proofread, mimeograph, assemble and deliver. At the end of each month this school paper, a monthly publication, will be read eagerly by approximately 500 families. On its pages they find the latest news of E. H. S., the reports of school progress, and whether Bill loves Mary or Joe is smiling at Sue---all this free, thanks to a hard working staff and cooperative advertisers.

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## Key

## Cluh

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The Library Staff provides someone on duty in the library to assist in helping at the circulation desk and in arranging books and displays.

## Library



Staff

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F. H. A.

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Membership in the F. H A. is voluntary. Any girl who has taken or is taking Home Economics may join this group which is striving to live better today in order that homemaking pupils' lives and those of their families may be better tomorrow.
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Glee Club membership consists of those interested in better music for Edneyville High School. This group works with Mr. Mainwaring two activity periods per week.

## Speech Cluh

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The Speech Club gives opportunity for oral expression in public speaking and dramatics.




## Girls'

Ilouble Trio

VIRGINIA ANN ENLOE
Pianist
BETTY JEAN CLINGENPEEL
MARY JANE DRAKE
BETTY JEAN RHYMER
JOAN WILSON
JoELLA GARREN
GAIL MAXWELL

The Girls' Double Trio under the direction of C. W. Mainwaring provides musical entertainment for public programs. This year the Double Trio is an all Senior group.

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Folk
Dancing Cluh Officers
Presidents............ Jean Corriell Mavis Bradley Vice Presidents. ....... .Weldon Nix Carolyn Morgan Secretaries.......... Peggy Hudson Mary Jane Drake

The aims of the Folk Dancing Club, organized this year for the first time, are to better acquaint the students with the art of folk dancing.

## Bihle Club

 OfficersPresident.............. Sue Dalton Vice President. . . . . . Curtis Holbert Secretary....... Betty Jean Rogers Treasurer......... Marguerite Wells Reporters................ Sue Merrill

Beatrice Jackson



The Bible Club stresses the truths of Biblical teachings. This club was organized this year and meets each week with Miss Flora A. Walhouser, a Bible Missionary of the Bible Club Society, an international organization. In addition to this work, Miss Walhouser teaches Bible in our Elementary school five full days a week.

This national organization is one consisting of those students aspiring to become the future teachers of America. Membership is open to Juniors and Seniors.


## F. T. A.

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Advisor - MR. LYDA


Cherrleaders
Winona Hudson, Barbara Lyda, Sylvia Jones, JoElla Garren, Betty Brown, and Shirley Lyda.

Boys' Coach: Ray Lyda
Tcam Captain: Harris Pryor


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Girls' Coach: Odell Griffin
Team Captain: Ruth Carter

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## Girls' Baskethall

First Row: Jean Hill, Doris Lyda, Captain-Ruth Carter, Dollene Freeman, Doris Freeman and Dorsie Jones.

Second Row: Marie Griffin, Barbara Hill, Joan Wilson, June Laughter, Virginia Ann Enloe and Coach-Odell Griffin.

Third Row: Henrietta Hensley, Ann Bradley, Shirley Ward, Carolyn Morgan, Pauline Hoots and Margaret Nix.

With an "E", with a "d", With a "ney", With a "v", with an " i ", With a "ll e" --
That's how you spell it; Here's how you yell it: EDNEYVILLE! EDNEYVILLE! YEA!


When you're up, You're up. When you're down, You're down.
When you're up against Edneyville, You're upside down! Yea!

Lean to the left, And lean to the right. Come on team And fight, fight, fight!


Razzle, Dazzle, Zazzle, Zip! Come on team And let'er rip!

## Hoys' Basketball

First Row: James Kesterson, Donald Gentry, Bobby Messer, Captain-Harris Pryor, Mack Brown, Albert Alexander, David Corn.

Second Row: Coach-Ray Lyda, Manager-Bill Corn, Harold White, Stanley Brigman, Hal Sain, Wayne Pittillo, Bill Barnwell, Kenneth Justus, Marian Burgess.



## Baseball Team

First Row: Bobby Lancaster, Albert Alexander, Mack Brown, Harris Pryor, Fred Hoots, Marion Burgess.

Second Row: Dean Griffin, Gerald Rogers, Bobby Messer, Jack Sinclair, Don Gentry.

## Monogram Cluh

First Row: Advisor-Odell Griffin, Fred Hoots, Joan Wilson, June Laughter, Sylvia Jones, Bob Lancaster, Kay Laughter, Barbara Lyda, Betty Brown.

Second Row: Dean Griffin, Don Gentry, Ruth Carter, Nellie Ruth Lyda, Dorsie Jones, Doris Lyda, Bill Barnwell, Peggy Hudson, Winona Hudson.

Third Row: Bobby Messer, Harris Pryor, Albert Alexander, Dollene Freeman, Doris Freeman, Joe Whitesides, Shirley Lyda, JoElla Garren.

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We the staff of the '54 Whispering Pines have tried to present a clear and concise picture of life at Edneyville High School. How well we have succeeded will be apparent later. Of course, there are many incidents that could be recorded here, but they are recorded in our memories never to be erased. We have tried, however, to record the highlights of our life at Edneyville as we lived them. It is hoped that the reader of this book enjoyed and will continue to enjoy it as we have enjoyed the production of it. It is hoped even more that all of us who have participated in these recorded events will in time to come find contained in this book delightful memories of the Golden Years that are gone, nevermore to return.

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