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Wildcat
1931**

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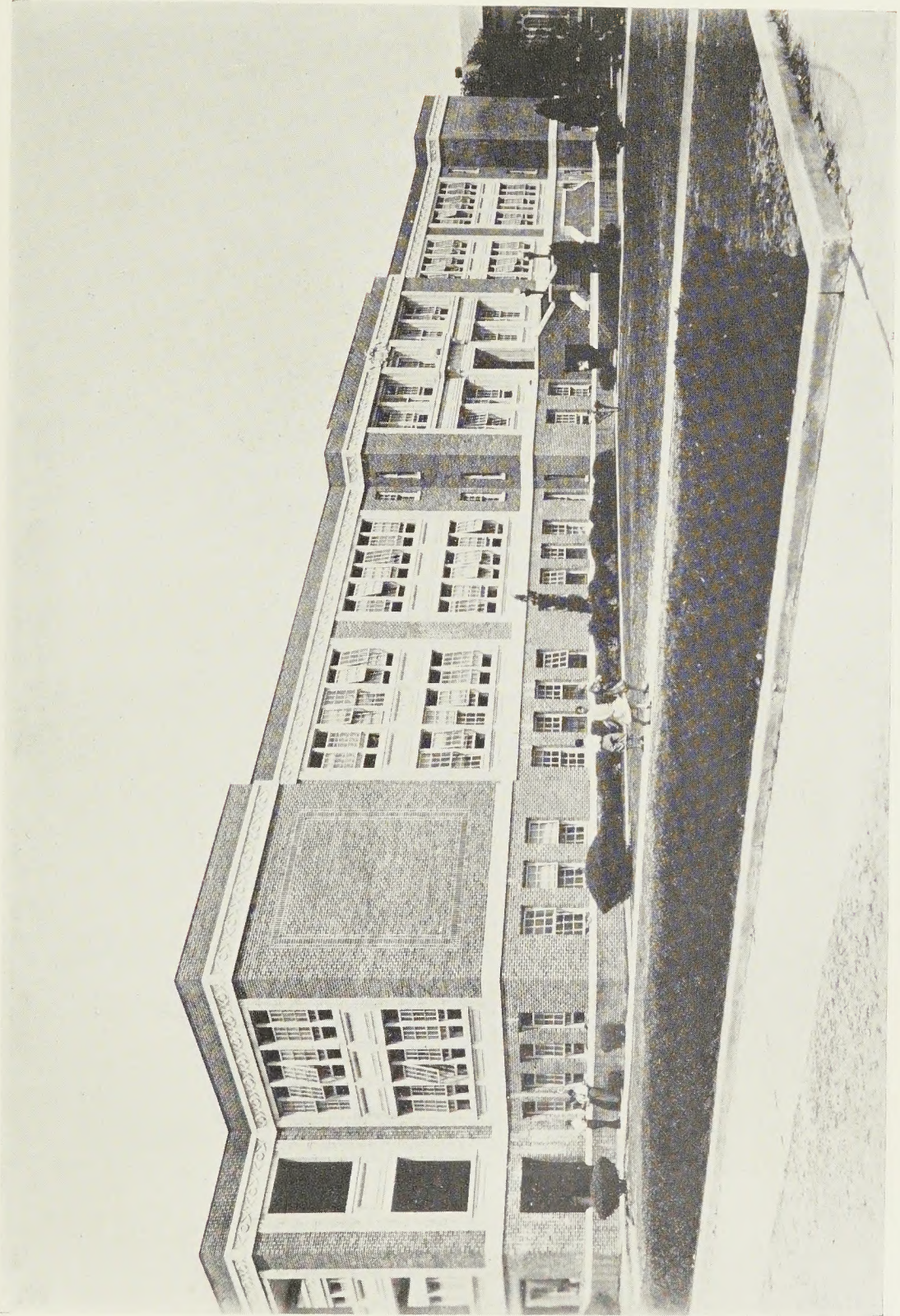
FOREWORD

IF, in future years, through this Annual, we are able to cherish past reminiscences of our happy high school days while students at N. H. H. S.; to recall our friends and classmates, who, by the hand of fate, might become separated from us, but who will always linger in our memories; to remember our beloved teachers who have so patiently striven to prepare us for our later life; and to leave to our posterity, the high school students of later years, our loving thoughts as the Class of '31, the authors of this book will have achieved success.



THE staff of THE WILDCAT wishes to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to John Schiller, who so patiently and willingly aided us in our photographic work; to Miss Hester Struthers, who served as faculty advisor, and who greatly aided us by advice and deed in the preparation of this book, and to the merchants of Wilmington, who by advertising in our book made the publishing of this volume possible.

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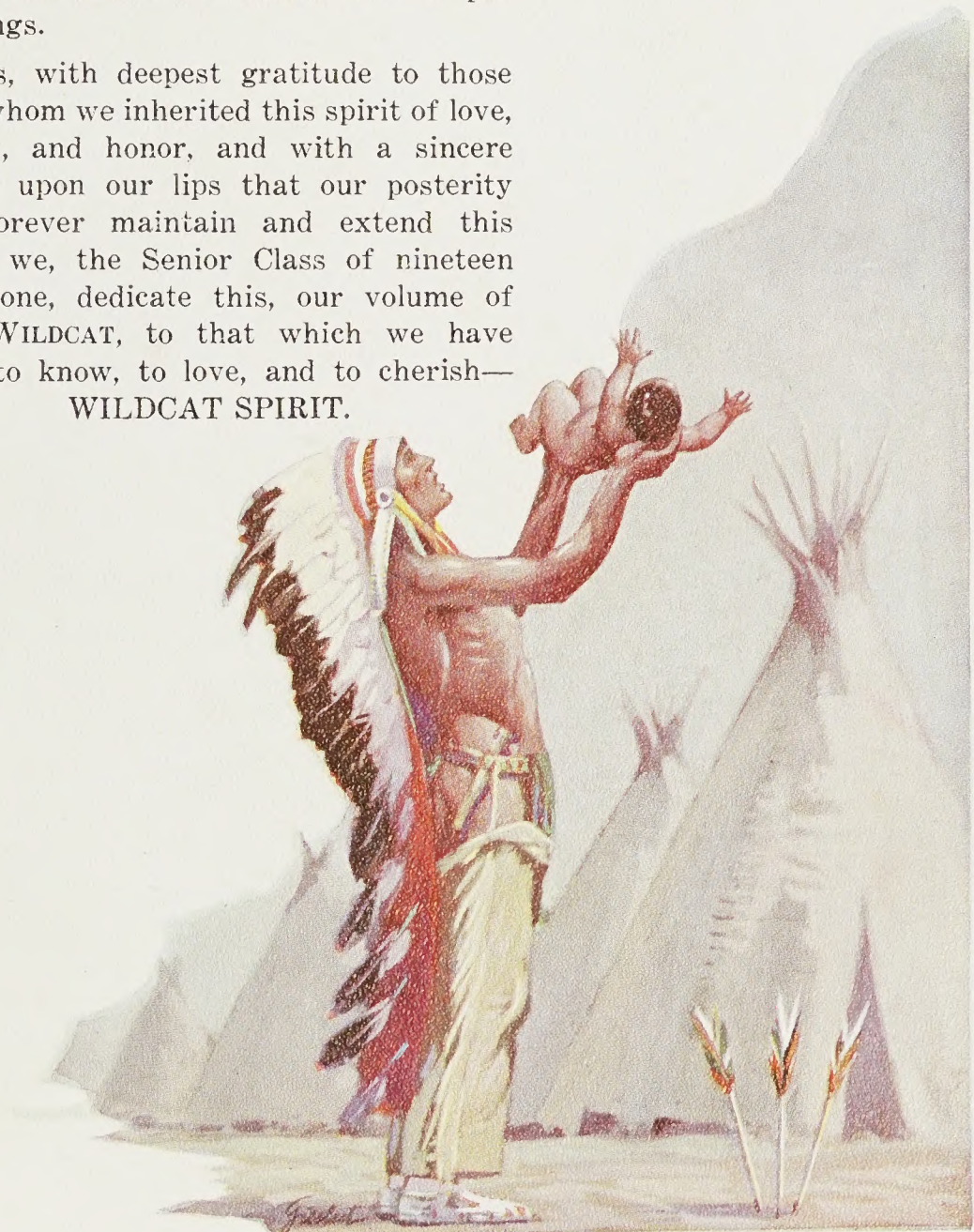


DEDICATION

IT is with a pang that we, the Class of '31, let go our connections with New Hanover High School. For five years we have struggled within her walls to equip ourselves with knowledge and learning so that we might serve our fellowmen, glorify the name of our school, and reach high attainments for ourselves

During these five years we were inspired by something that we could feel, but were unable to see. It is beyond human ability to put into words that which might describe this feeling. But this we know: through this feeling we were inspired to do nobler and finer things. In our lessons we were encouraged, in our activities we were enlightened, and life as a whole became more beautiful with deeper meanings.

Thus, with deepest gratitude to those from whom we inherited this spirit of love, loyalty, and honor, and with a sincere prayer upon our lips that our posterity will forever maintain and extend this spirit, we, the Senior Class of nineteen thirty-one, dedicate this, our volume of **THE WILDCAT**, to that which we have come to know, to love, and to cherish—
WILDCAT SPIRIT.





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DR. W. O. HAMPTON, *Principal*

W. O. Hampton



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*With fondest memories
D.L. Schick*



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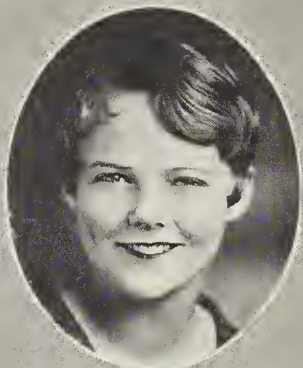


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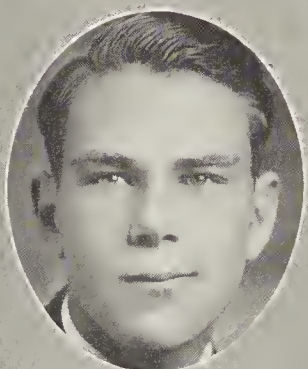


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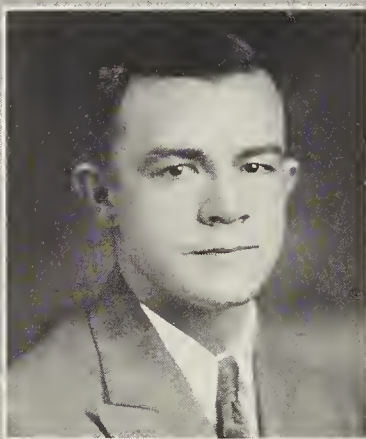


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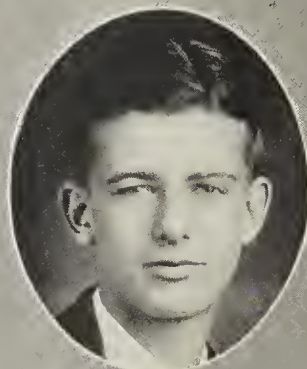
*Look to your right.
The Staff
is
young.*



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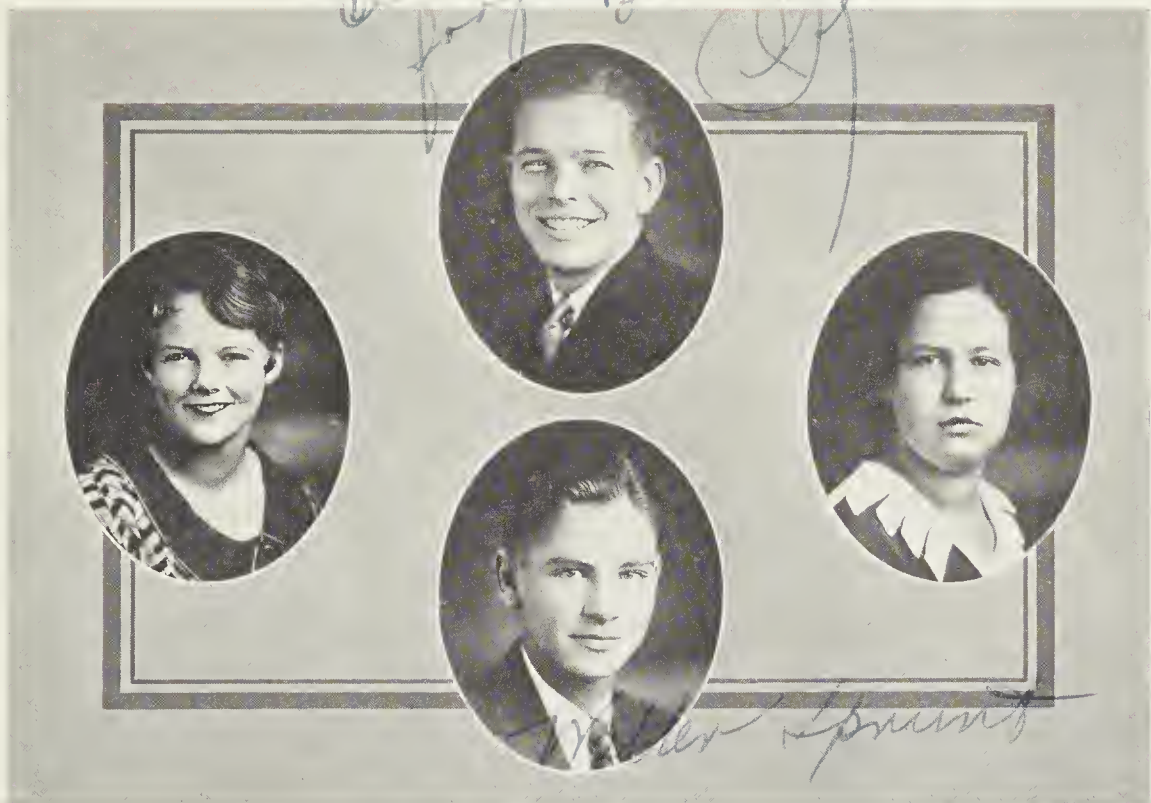
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Small, smart, sweet and shy

O. Henry Literary Society, 3, 4; Honor Society, 3, 4; Scribblers Club, 4.

BENJAMIN ADAMS, *Scientific*
Full of life and fun

Football, 2, 3 (Manager, 4); Pi Sigma, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3, 4; Glee Club Play, 4; Basketball, 2, 3.

MARY ADELAIDE AHRENS, *General*
Pretty as a picture

Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 1.

NANCY ALBRIGHT, *General*
Lavender and old lace; Ed.

Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3; Glee Club, 3; Athletic Association, 2; Homeroom Chairman, 2, 3; Tennis Tournament, 4.

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Studios, quiet, and ready for service

Spanish Club, 4.

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Unassuming, dignified and a gentleman

WILLIAM CALVIN ANDERS, *General*
A lady-killer, and who could resist?

Track, 1; Pi Sigma, 2, 3, 4 (President, 2).

WILLIAM H. ANDREWS, JR., *Scientific*
Enough compliments are hard to find for him

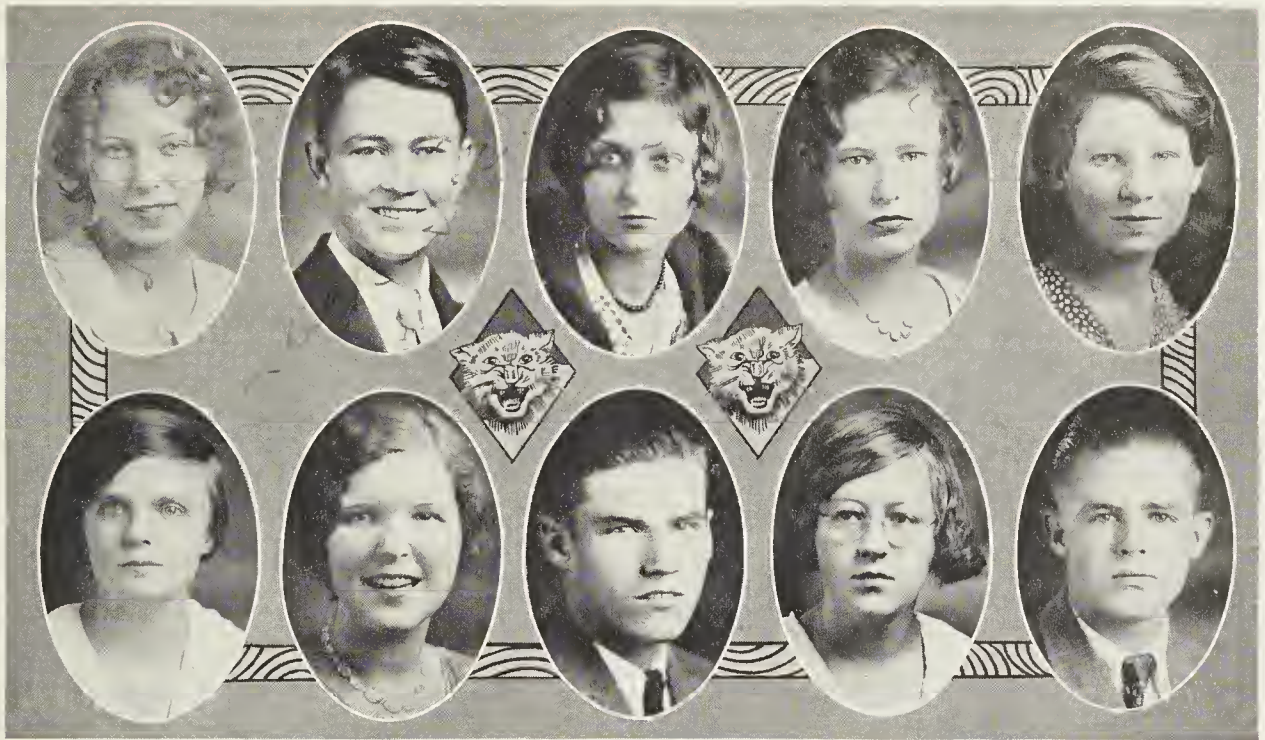
Hi-Y, 4; Basketball, 3, 4.

CALDER ATKINSON

Schoolgirl complexion; Apollo, Leather Jackets
Football, 3, 4; Hi-Y, 4; Pi Sigma, 3; Mu Sigma Delta, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3; Junior Play, 3.

ITALYNE BAGGETT, *General*
Clever; friendly and a good pal

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VERA DOLORES BAGWELL, *General*
No rose could bloom any sweeter

JUANITA G. BEACH, *General*
A perfect lady—no more need be said

JOSEPH WADDELL BAKER, *General*
Witticisms, democratic, and a peach of a fellow

ELEANOR BEASLEY, *Commercial*
Sweet, shy and bashful

ANNIE LINERIEUX BARBER, *General*
None could be sweeter or prettier than she
 French Club, 2.

WILLIAM CLARK BELLAMY, *Classical*
Nouchalant, Don Juan, athletic feats
 Football, 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society, 3, 4;
 Student Council, 2, 3; Hi-Y Club, 2, 3; Track
 Squad, 3.

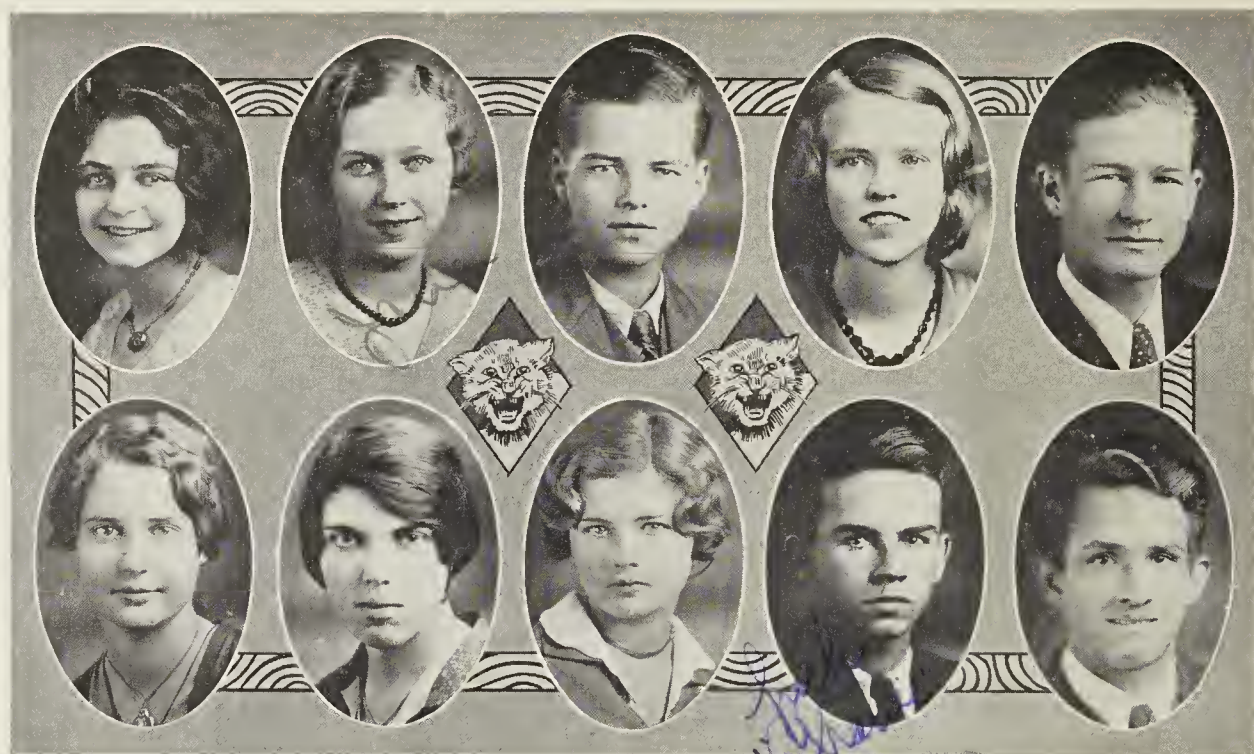
LEAH ABERNETHY BAREFOOT, *General*
Crazy, blonde curls, and oh, what grades!
 Senior Play, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4;
 Science Club, 4; Athletic Association, 4; Latin
 Club, 4; Art Club, 4; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Junior
 Play, 3; Girl Reserves, 1, 2; Dramatic Club, 1.

MARY CATHRYN BENTON, *General*
Roses are red, and so are her cheeks
 Girl Reserves, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club, 3, 4;
 French Club, 2; O. Henry Literary Society, 4.

MARY H. BATSON, *General*
Down at Wrightsville Beach; good fellow
 French Club, 1, 2; Spanish Club, 1, 2; Dramatic
 Club, 2.

HENRY BENTON, *General*
A real scholar and a Math. wizard

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ANNA MAE BERRY, *General*
Lips and hair to be envied

ELIZABETH ALOYSIUS BLACKHAM, *General*
A merry light gleams from her eyes

JANE YOUNG BEERY, *General*
Buicks; Woodbury; small and sweet
O. Henry Literary Society, 3, 4; Junior Play, 3.

BESS CATHERINE BLAKE, *General*
Her grades are hard to beat
Latin Club, 4; National Honor Society, 4.

BENJAMIN BIGGS, *General*
He's a cute little trick

ALICE LONDON BOATWRIGHT, *General*
*Heaven such grace did lend her that she might
admired be*

LILLIAN KATHERINE BIGGS, *General*
Small, blonde and sweet
Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis Club, 4; Glee Club,
2; Girl Reserves, 1; Dramatic Club, 1; French
Club, 1; Athletic Association, 4.

Athletic Club, 4; Dizzy Dozen, 4; French Club,
4; Student Council, 2 (Vice-President, 4); Scrib-
blers Club, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 1 (Secretary, 4);
Honor Society, 3, 4; O. Henry, 3, 4; Junior
Play, 3.

GEORGE LAUDER BISHOP, *General*
Reserved, clever; a certain Bagwell

CHARLES G. BOGAN, JR., *General*
John Gilbert, soda-jerker, blondes and brunettes
Pi Sigma, 3, 4; Cotillion Club, 3, 4; Tennis
Club, 4; Junior Play, 3.

ELLIOT LEE BOONE, *General*
A quiet guy with an air of dignity
Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band, 2, 3, 4; Spanish
Club, 3.

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*Good luck
to an old pal,
Margaret*



MARY EDITH BOWDEN, *Commercial*
She who speaks simplest is wisest

MARGARET NEIL BOYLAN, *Classical*
Brains, honor and purity
Student Council, 1; Scribblers Club, 3, 4; National Honor Society, 3, 4; Girl Reserves, 3.

DOROTHY BREEDEN, *Classical*
Attractive, sweet and freckles
Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3 (President, 2); Latin Club, 4.

ELIZABETH HEYWOOD BRIDGERS, *General*
Good fellow, good pal, and good natured
Athletic Association, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4; Dramatic Club, 4.

EARL W. BROWN, *General*
Quiet a sheiky egg

ELOISE BROWN, *Commercial*
Tall, and a lady through and through

LOUISE E. BROWNE, *General*
Showed her versatility in Center, Colorado
Dramatic Club, 4; Spanish Club, 4; Basketball Squad, 4.

EUGENE BULLARD, *General*
A man of inches and every inch a man

MYRTLE BURRISS, *General*
If nightingales could sing like you—
Glee Club, 2, 3, 4.

ROSA BYRD, *General*
Hair to be admired—brain seldom tired

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Handwritten notes:
Dad
Sub. C.
B...

Handwritten notes:
Best...
L...
B...

EUNICE CALLIHAN, General
Petite, dark and brainy

ANNE ELIZABETH CHADWICK, Commercial
Such popularity must be deserved

KATHLEEN MURIEL CAPPS, Classical
As quiet as a mouse, but she'll surprise you yet
Latin Club, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4;
Chemistry Club, 4; National Honor Society, 4.

JOSEPH HUGH CLENDENIN, Scientific
Good looks: oh girls, be careful!

EVA MARIE CARTER, General
The pride and joy of all who know her
Spanish Club, 3, 2; O. Henry Literary Society,
4; Dramatic Club, 1; Girl Reserves, 2, 3.

CAROLYN CHRISTIE, General
It's a great life! Goo'ness me, pal!
Student Council, 1; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4;
O. Henry Literary Society, 1; Tennis Tournament,
2; Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Snappy Six, 3; Junior
Play, 3; Homeroom Chairman, 2; Chemistry Club,
4; Dizzy Dozen, 4; Glee Club, 3, 4.

JAMES D. CARR, General
Baby face; that schoolgirl complexion
Football, 4; Hi-Y Club, 4.

THOMAS COFER, Scientific
Aviation; athletics, and oh, what eyes
Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 2, 3; Baseball,
1, 2.

RACHEL WELLS CARROLL, Classical
Crazy, friendly and always smiling
Spanish Club, 2, 3; Latin Club, 4; Glee Club, 3,
4; Dizzy Dozen, 4; Cheerleader, 4; Junior Play, 3;
Student Council, 3, 4; Athletic Association, 2, 3, 4;
Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Scribblers Club, 2, 3, 4;
Chairman Homeroom, 2; Dramatic Club, 2, 3;
Senior Play, 4.

GENEVIEVE CORBETT, General
Ye gods, has she got brains, and how!
Orchestra, 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Scribblers' Club, 2, 3, 4
(Secretary, 3); Student Council, 8, 4; Honor So-
ciety, 3, 4 (President, 4); President of Latin
Club, 4; Junior Plays; Junior Ring Committee, 3;
Sandspur Staff, 2, 3; ANNUAL Staff, 4; String
Quartette, 3, 4.

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DORIS MEADE COUNCIL, *Classical*
Her hair is her crowning glory

GLAVENN CRAIG, *General*
She is tiny, bright haired and lovable

IDA H. CREWS, *Commercial*
Lots of her to love

DOROTHY N. CLENDENIN, *General*
Basketball, dark hair, and good pal
Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Tennis Tournament, 1, 3, 4; Athletic Association, 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club, 3; Girl Reserves, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 2.

NANETTE HILDRED CURRIE, *Commercial*
Naughty, but nice; no, no, Nanette

WILLIAM B. DANIELS, *General*
A man of inches, but every inch a man
O. Henry Literary Society, 4; Chemistry Club, 4; Spanish Club, 4; National Honor Society, 4.

BEATRICE JANE DAVIS, *Commercial*
She who has kind words for all is the winner in the end

LULA ELIZABETH DAVIS, *Classical*
Unassuming, smart, and wee
Girl Reserves, 1; Latin Club, 4; French Club, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4; National Honor Society, 3, 4.

LEROY A. DAVIS, *General*
He sure does know his groceries

HARRY THOMAS DIXON, *General*
Daddy Long Legs: long and thin, but sense within
Chemistry Club, 4; National Honor Society, 4.

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OLIVE LOUISE DIXON, *General*
Moorish queen; beautiful brunette

DOROTHY DLUGIN, *Commercial*
Dainty, dark, and adorable
Dramatic Club, 4.

WILHELMINA GADE DOCK, *Classical*
Ye olde tennis player, and howe
Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 1, 4; Latin Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Tennis Tournament, 3, 4.

ZULA DONNELL, *General*
Man, how that girl can sing! She's also plenty eute.

OLIVE ANN DOWNS, *General*
None but heaven blessed her with such hair
Glee Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Chemistry Club, 4.

MYRTLE SUE EARP, *General*
Tall, dark and sweet; also freckles

EMILY PFAFF EDWARDS, *General*
Her heart is ever filled with song
Dramatic Club, 1; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Art Club, 4; Chemistry Club, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4.

EDYTHE ELLEN ELLIS, *Classical*
Even her failings lean to virtue's side
Glee Club, 3, 4; Basketball, 4; Athletic Association, 4; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Dramatic Club, 1; Latin Club, 4.

WILLIAM GREY EVANS, *General*
Chevrolets; crazy; smiles
O. Henry Literary Society, 1; Tennis Tournament, 1, 2; Chairman Homeroom, 2; Glee Club, 3; Cotillion Club, 3; Wildcat Band, 4.

JAMES MARION FEAGLE, *General*
Freckles; brown eyes; Einstein
Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Wildcat Band, 2, 3.

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IVON ELDRIDGE FERGUS, General
Fish markets, trucks, girls and Junior fight

PANSY FISHBURN, General
She's got IT, and it does her plenty of good

SUSIE E. FLYNN, Commercial
Popularity, good looks and good times

EDWARD FONVIELLE, General
Adonis, blonde god; Hercules, and crazy
Student Council, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2; Secretary-Treasurer of Student Council, 4; Vice-President Junior Class, 3; Chairman Homeroom, 1, 2, 4; Junior Play, 3; Tennis Club, 4; Football, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club, 2, 3, 4; Secretary Hi-Y Club, 4; Wildcat Band, 1, 2.

CLAUDIA FOY, General
Bills and green cars; pleasingly plump

AGATHA ANGELIA GARRISON, Commercial
I would rather be than seem to be
Dramatic Club, 1; Glee Club, 2, 3, 4.

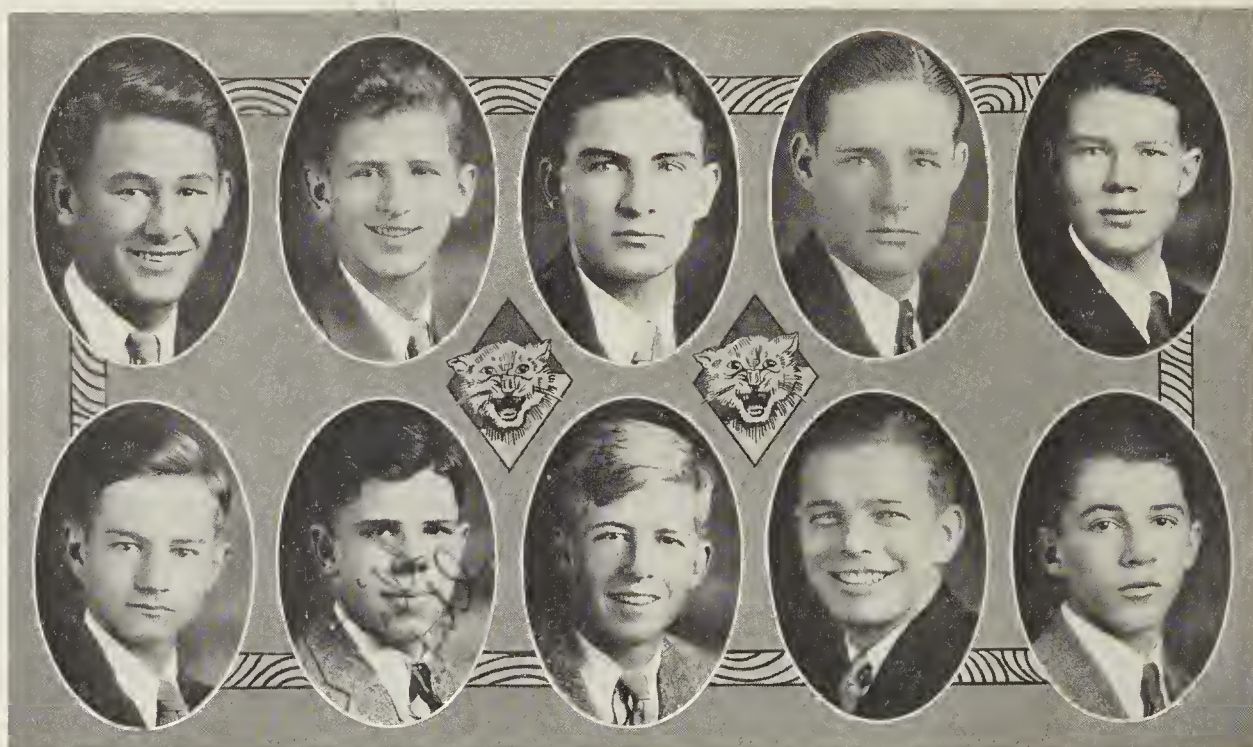
MILDRED VIRGINIA GIBSON, General
You are the flower of my heart, sweet—Mildred

HARRY W. GILLIARD, General
Witticisms, football, and brown eyes
Football, 3, 4; Track Team, 3; Glee Club, 3.

HENRY MENDUL GOLDSTEIN, General
A smile for all; not the least bit tall
French Club, 4; Latin Club, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4; National Honor Society, 4.

CHARLOTTE MURPHY GORMAN, General
Quiet in appearance, neat and kind
Dramatic Club, 1, 4; Latin Club, 4; Girl Reserves, 4; Glee Club, 3; Tennis Club, 4.

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CLAIBORNE GRAY, General

Nonchalant and indifferent—but how he puts it over
Hi-Y Club, 4; Football, 3, 4; Track, 3, 4.

LINWOOD GREEN, Scientific

Personality personified; tapping; jazz
Student Council, 1; Vice-President Hi-Y, 3, 4; Spanish Club, 2; French Club, 4; Junior Play, 3; Cheerleader, 4; Wildcat Band, 1, 2, 3; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Glee Club, 4; Glee Club Play, 4; Orchestra Play, 3; Homeroom Chairman, 2; Dramatic Club, 2.

ROBERT JACKSON GRIFFIN, JR., General

Strength and honor are his clothing
Football, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Glee Club, 4.

EMORY GRUBBS, General

Quiet and unobtrusive; goodnatured and tenor

LENWOOD WHITFIELD HALL, General

Blonde, crazy and devilish
Glee Club, 4; Spanish Club, 3.

PHILIP FRANKLIN HALL, General

Small and stout; his manner devout
Spanish Club.

WILLIAM FITZHUGH HALL, Classical

For he's a jolly good fellow
Hi-Y, 3, 4; Mu Sigma Delta, 3, 4.

OSCAR A. HAMILTON, Scientific

Congeniality; carefree; likable
French Club, 4; Scribblers Club, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4.

RIVERS HANSON, General

Good athlete, good boy, good pal—just good in general
Vice-President Class, 1; Football, 1, 2, 3, 4 (Captain, 4); Tennis Champion, 4, 5; President of Class, 4; Vice-President Student Council, 4; Hi-Y Club, 3, 4; Tennis Club, 4.

MEARES HARRISS, General

Toad frogs, fish stories, loads of laughs

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DELMAS DENNIS HASKETT, General

*Listerine tooth paste adv.; basketball—
a good sport*

Track, 2, 3, 4; Football, 3, 4; Basketball, 4;
Baseball, 3; Chemistry Club, 4.

ELEBY HAYES, General

Quiet, congenial and good natured

CYNTHIA POWERS HEAD, Commercial

Optimistic, democratic, lovable, good natured
Basketball, 3; Tennis Tournament, 3, 4.

ANNE PARK HENDERSON, General

None but herself can be her parallel

Chairman Homeroom, 1; Dramatic Club, 4;
Glee Club, 3, 4; Chemistry Club, 4.

LOUISE HENDERSON, General

What should one do but be merry

HOWARD CURTISS HEWETT, General

Quiet, good boy, happy medium

LOUISE HIGHSMITH, General

High in mind and high in character

Glee Club, 2, 3 (Business Manager, 4); Dra-
matic Club, 2, 3; O. Henry Literary Society, 3;
Student Council, 2; Chairman Homeroom, 1; Girl
Reserves, 1, 2, 3 (Secretary, 2); President
Class, 2.

GRACE MARIE HINTZE, General

One of those good looking blondes

FREDERICK HOBBS, General

Freckles, specs, old pal

ROBERT GARNETT HODGKIN, JR., General

*A newcomer at N. H. H. S., but he is proving his
worthiness, and how—just try to guess*

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John Hoggard
JOHN HOGGARD, General

He's tall, dark and handsome—Ooooooh!
 Football, 3, 4; Basketball, 3, 4; Tennis Tournament, 1, 4; Track Team, 3; Glee Club, 4.

DOROTHY HOLMAN, General

Boy crazy, Venus, jazz
 Girl Reserves, 3; Spanish Club, 3.

WILLIAM HOLMES, General

Strange to say, he wore a bashful look

DEXTER HORNADAY, General

Bashful, blushes and good looks

ELIZABETH HORNE, Commercial

She toots her own horn

*Art Club 4
 (President 4)*

Classical

CLAUDE HOWELL, General

Knee breeches, bookbags, and how he can draw!

ROBERT HUGHES, General

Stop talking, Robert; tennis fan

VIRGINIA ELIZABETH HUBAND

Commercial

How calm and peaceful is she

RUTH HUHN, General

Constant quiet fills my peaceful breast
 Girl Reserves, 2, 3 (Treasurer, 2).

HUGH HUMPHREY, General

Noisy, dances, girls; ole good time Hugh

*Glee Club 1, 4
 O. Henry 3, 4
 (Chairman - of P.C. 4)
 Scribbler's Club 3, 4
 (President 4)
 Dramatic Club 3
 Junior Play
 National Honor Society 3, 4*



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LLOYD WESCOTT JACKSON, General
Left-handed; tennis, and Math. class

RUTH ELLEN JAMES, General
Spelling matches; Girl Reserves and Girl Scouts
Girl Reserves, 1; Dramatic Club, 1; Art Club, 4.

EMILY ELIZABETH JENKINS, General
Serenity; versatile; quiet little mouse
Spanish Club, 3; Homeroom Chairman, 2.

JACK JOHNSTON, Commercial
Small in stature, but large in sense

HERBERT CLAYTON JONES, Scientific
Hercules, sheik, and slow and easy
Homeroom Chairman, 1; Football, 4; Track Team, 3; Junior Play, 3.

ELIZABETH JONES

She is as sweet as she looks, and that's nuf sed
O. Henry Literary Society, 4; Girl Reserves, 4;
Chemistry Club, 4 (President); National Honor Society, 4; Student Council, 1.

CAROLINE JOSENHANS, General
Long hair, good natured and sweet

MAE ALLEN KEELS, General
Long tresses; basketball—Capt'n May; good fellow
Basketball, 2, 3, 4 (Captain, 4); Chemistry Club, 4; Girl Reserves, 1; Dramatic Club, 1; Spanish Club, 3; Athletic Association, 1, 2, 3, 4; Track, 4; Tennis Tournament, 3.

BESSIE CLEAPOR KING, General
Dependable, smart and good natured
Spanish Club, 3.

CHARLES DUSHAN KING, General
Well liked, and no wonder—to those who can claim him as a friend
Hi-Y Club, 3, 4.

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EMILY LOUISE KING, *Classical*

Carrot top; attractive personality, nine miles out
Latin Club, 4; Girl Reserves, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 1, 4; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Art Club, 4.

JOSEPH KING, *General*

Pee Wee; Big Boy, amiable

KATHRYN ELLETT KING, *Commercial*

Madeira hankies, blonde tresses, peaches and cream
Girl Reserves, 1, 2.

LILLIAN KING, *General*

Cute, cunning, small, and a good dancer

MARGUERITE ELLA KING, *Commercial*

It's a pleasure to know her
O. Henry Literary Society, 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association, 1, 2, 3; Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Art Club, 1, 2.

VIVIAN L. KING, *General*

We have all confidence in her future success

WEIL SOLOMON KING, *Scientific*

There's a difference; girl shy
Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council, 1, 2; Latin Club, 4.

WILHELMINA AUGUSTA KUHL, *Classical*

Current events; quiet and reserved
Latin Club, 4; Spanish Club, 3; Girl Reserves, 1, 2.

JOHN KUHLEN, *General*

Football; athletics, and a sheik with girls
Football, 3, 4; Track, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3.

MARY CATHERINE LAMB, *General*

Cutest girl in N. H. H. S., and how!
Girl Reserves, 1, 2; Dramatic Club, 3, 4; Dizzy Dozen, 4; Basketball Squad, 4; Chemistry Club, 4; Spanish Club, 4; Athletic Association, 4.

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TOM H. LEVER, *Scientific*

A ready smile; short and good natured

RUTH J. LANEY, *Commercial*

We can find none as reliant as she
Girl Reserves, 1, 2.

WILLIAM JOHN BRYANT LIVINGSTON
General

Fectness; autos, and dances at Lumina
O. Henry Literary Society, 4; Latin Club, 4;
Chemistry Club, 4.

FRANK ROYAL LOYD, *Scientific*

He-man; breaker of feminine hearts
Junior Play, 3.

ALLEN B. LOVE, JR., *General*

Silence is the surest sign of wisdom

HELEN LOWENSTEIN, *General*

Sweet young thing; unobtrusive and lovable
Dramatic Club, 1; Spanish Club, 2.

ANNA LOUISE LOWRIMORE, *General*

Days of olde; modesty
Spanish Club, 4.

CATHERINE MARTINDALE, *General*

Blonde, but not dizzy; talkative

ELOISE MCLEAN MATTOCKS, *General*

Smiles, good humor, no wonder she is well loved
Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Club, 4; Tennis
Tournament, 4.

RUBY LILLIAN MAYER, *Commercial*

A genuine jewel

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FLEURETTE MERRITT, *Commercial*
Now, I ask you, can you possibly find better?
Homeroom Chairman, 1.

EVELYN FRANCHAN MILLER, *General*
Dancing; smart and sweet
Spanish Club, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4;
Orchestra Play, 3.

EDITH MONTFORD, *General*
Charming personality and lovable character

PEARL MORGAN, *General*
Flaming youth; the usual line

EDITH MORTON, *General*
Elocution; witticisms

GEORGE B. MURRAY, *General*
Studios and entertaining; fun and frolic

GERTRUDE B. MURRILL, *General*
She's an angel. What do you think?

ISABELL MCCART, *Commercial*
'Tain't no sin to love a girl like she

CLAYTON E. MACFAYDEN, *General*
Tow headed; baby face and girl shy

HUGH A. MCGOWAN, *General*
Violins; orchestra leader; girl shy
Hi-Y, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Chemistry Club, 4.

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SHEPARD MCKEITHAN, *General*
G'wan girl; basketball, and ukeles

LOUISE MCGLOUGHAN, *General*
Lolly pops; high velocity

HILDA MCPHERSON, *General*
Sober, steadfast and demure;
Small, kind, and pure

MARTHA VIRGINIA NEAL, *General*
Sweet young thing; romance and star light

MARY FRANCES NESBITT, *Classical*
Still they gasped and still their wonder grew,
That one small head could carry all she knew.
 O. Henry Literary Society, 4; French Club, 4;
 National Honor Society, 4.

EVELYN G. NEWTON, *Commercial*

A poise and stature to be admired
 Glee Club, 2, 3; Athletic Association, 1, 4; Girl
 Reserves, 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Junior
 Play, 3; Basketball, 4.

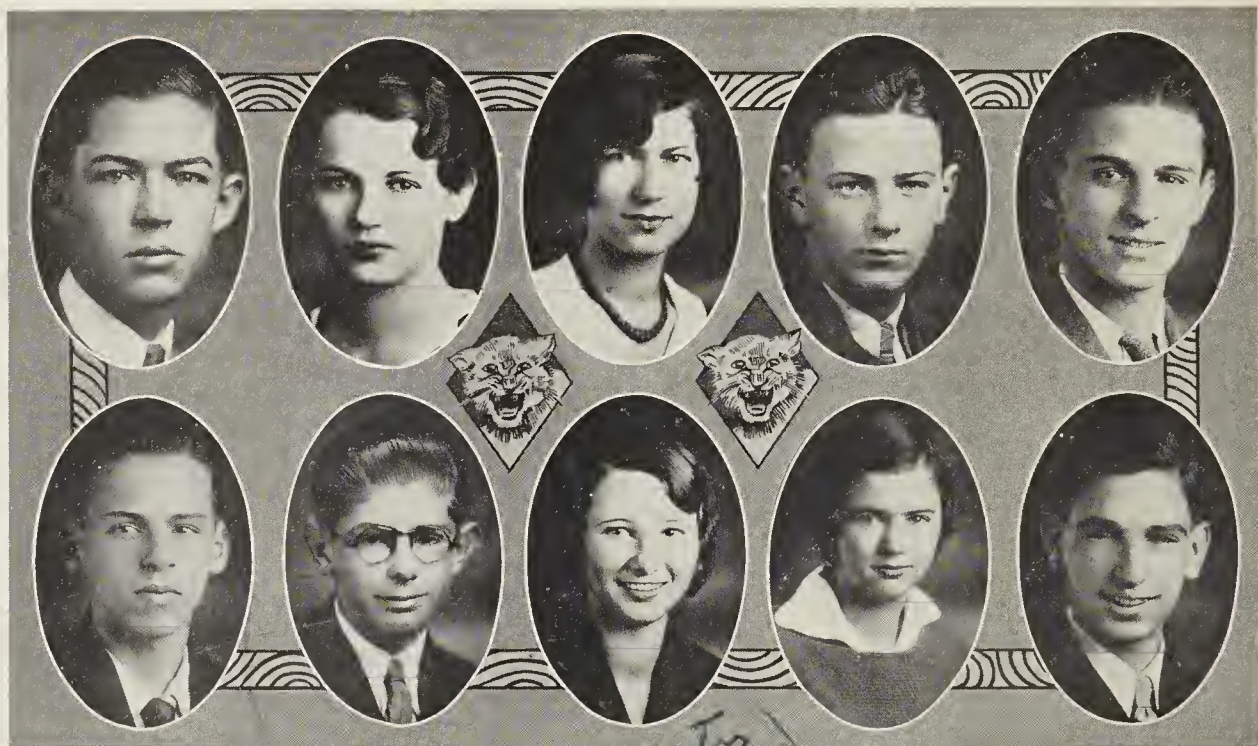
JOSEPH S. NEWTON, JR., *Scientific*
Brown Fords; quiet and good tempered
 National Honor Society, 4.

LUCILE M. NEWTON, *General*
Vanity Fair; peaches and cream

KITTY H. NICHOL, *General*
Blonde waves; music at twilight
 French Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 1; Glee Club
 Accompanist, 3; Latin Club, 4; Athletic Associa-
 tion, 4.

HERBERT ORMAN, *General*
Witty, gentleman, and a scholar

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NAPOLEON J. OWENS, General
A man of solid worth
 Chemistry Club, 4.

MILTON M. PECK, General
Dock Street; sheik and girls
 Glee Club, 4; Track, 1, 2.

MARGUERITE PAGE, General
She walks in beauty

WILLIAM PECK, General
One grand tennis player

LOUISE PAGE, General
Unobtrusive and quiet, but plenty lovable
 O. Henry Literary Society, 4.

ADELAIDE PEIFFER, General
A shy little violet, but a smart one, too
 Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3, 4 (Vice-President, 4);
 Chemistry Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Homeroom
 Chairman, 3, 4; Latin Club, 4.

HARRY EUGENE PAYNE, Scientific
Saxophone; sainted devil; absolutely capable
 Secretary Hi-Y Club, 3; President Hi-Y Club,
 4; Constitution Committee, 4; Pi Sigma, 3; Dra-
 matic Club, 4; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Orchestra,
 1, 2, 3, 4; Wildcat Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Chairman
 Homeroom, 1; Assistant Editor Annual, 4; Jun-
 ior Play, 3; Senior Play, 4.

AGNES MACRAE PESCHAU, Scientific
Another of beauty's daughters
 O. Henry Literary Society, 3, 4; Secretary Latin
 Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Chairman Homeroom,
 3; Athletic Association, 4.

LONNIE PECK, General
Glee Club; hair brush; stringing

GILBERT PICKARD, General
Motor boats and races; a son of the sun
 Hi-Y Club, 4; Hi-Y Minstrel, 4; Golf Tourna-
 ment, 4.

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JACK POOL, *General*

Politics; school spirit; Whitchcad; reliable
 Vice-President F-Y Club, 1; Advisor F-Y, 2, 3;
 Managing Editor *Sandspur*, 2; Editor-in-Chief
Sandspur, 3; President E. C. Older Boys' Confer-
 ence, 2; Secretary State Hi-Y Congress, 2; Sec-
 retary Journalism Club, 2; O. Henry Literary So-
 cietv, 2; Cotillion Club, 2; Homeroom Chairman,
 2; Winner District School Oratorical Contest, 2, 3;
 President Class, 3; Junior Play, 3; Student Coun-
 cil, 3; Joe Schraeder Memorial Cup, 3; President
 North Carolina Older Boys' Conference, 3; Presi-
 dent State Hi-Y Congress, 4; President Student
 Body, 4; Editor-in-Chief of ANNUAL, 4; Mu Sigma
 Delta, 2, 3, 4; Chairman Constitution Commit-
 tee, 4; Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4.

THURSTON POWELL, *Classical*

Tow headed, baby face and girl shy
 Latin Club, 4; Orchestra, 2, 3; Spanish Club,
 2, 3, 4.

GERDA L. QUELCH, *General*

*A perfect woman, nobly planned;
 To warn, to comfort, and command.*

BILLY REHDER, *General*

Cotton top; silver slipper; jester
 Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Contest Winner Trumpet
 Solo, 3; Wildcat Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club, 4;
 Pi Sigma, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 4; Homeroom Chair-
 man, 2; Tennis and Golf Tournament, 4; Basket-
 ball, 4.

HENRY RHODES, *General*

He's made of the real stuff

EARL ROBINSON, *General*

Wrightsville Beach; football star; Page

RELMON ROBINSON, *General*

Curly top; a certain member of the fair sex
 Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Track, 1, 2, 3, 4; Homeroom
 Chairman, 2; Hi-Y, 4; Basketball, 4; Spanish
 Club, 2.

CARRIE ELIZABETH RUARK, *General*

Chryslers; blonde waves; lovable
 Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Chairman Homeroom, 2;
 Basketball, 1; French Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 2,
 4; Chemistry Club, 4.

ROBERT CHESTER RUARK, *Classical*

*World's best pal; cartoonist; brown eyes and
 curly hair*
 Baseball, 1; Pi Sigma, 3, 4; Junior Play, 3;
 Art Editor of ANNUAL, 4; Senior Play, 4.

WILLIAM HOUSTON SALLING, *General*

He has a weakness for girl basketball captains

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ALICE FLORENCE SCHADT, *Classical*
Such individuality is not to be copied
O. Henry Literary Society, 4; Latin Club, 4;
Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3, 4.

JOHN TAYLOR SCHILLER, *General*
I hear you're a devil with women
Scribblers Club, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4;
Tennis Tournament, 4; Golf Tournament, 4; Jun-
ior Play, 3; Chairman Homeroom, 1.

LILLY LANORA SCHROEDER, *Commercial*
As her name, she reminds us of flowers

NATHAN SCHWARTZ, *General*
The man who learns is the man who gains
National Honor Society, 4; Chemistry Club, 4;
Latin Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; French Club, 4
(Vice-President, 4); O. Henry Literary Society,
3, 4; Chairman Homeroom, 2; Scribblers Club, 2.

HELEN SCOGGINS, *Classical*
A bright and intellectual lady
Orchestra, 3, 4; Latin Club, 4; National Honor
Society, 4.

DAVID HAMILTON SCOTT, JR., *Classical*
Baby face; plus fours; fairy castles
Junior Play, 3; Tennis Tournament, 4; Golf
Tournament, 4; Basketball, 4.

MARIE C. SCOTT, *General*
She walks in beauty

LORA IMOGENE SELL, *General*
Fair lady, prithee, continue thy bright ways

ERNEST R. SHINN, *General*
There is a mischievousness in his eyes

KATHERINE SHIVAR, *General*
She is her own self, and no other

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JOE SIMON, *General*
Small, dark and handsome

R. THOMAS SINCLAIR, *Scientific*
Oh, Tommy, be good
Treasurer of Class, 2; Chemistry Club, 4.

ELEANOR DEVAUGHN SMITH, *General*
Tall and slender, kind and tender
Chemistry Club, 4; Spanish Club, 3, 4.

FRANCES SMITH, *Classical*
Slow draws, and smart as a whip
Homeroom Chairman, 1; Athletic Association, 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 3, 4; Girl Reserves, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3 (President, 4); Chemistry Club, 4 (Vice-President); Honor Society, 3 (Vice-President, 4); Spanish Club, 3; Track, 4; Senior Play, 4.

GRAYCE NICHOLS SMITH, *Commercial*
Fair, blonde, and pretty is she
Athletic Association, 1; O. Henry Literary Society, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Track, 4; Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 4; Tennis Club, 4.

MILDRED E. SMITH, *Scientific*
Crazy and full of fun; talk, talk, talk
Glee Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 2; Dizzy Dozen, 4; Athletic Association, 4; Girl Reserves, 1; Latin Club, 1.

HELEN C. SMITH, *General*
One of beauty's daughters

WALTER SPRUNT, JR., *General*
Nowhere is there a better man
Hi-Y Club, 2, 3, 4 (President Minora Chapter, 4); Football, 3, 4; Junior Play, 3; Treasurer Class, 4; National Honor Society, 3, 4; Tennis Team, 4; Mu Sigma Delta, 2, 3, 4; Pi Sigma, 3; Chairman Homeroom, 1, 2, 3.

ELIZABETH SUSAN STRUTHERS, *General*
Many envy her vivacious personality
Glee Club, 2, 3; Athletic Association, 4.

LEILA LAWRENCE STACK, *General*
A fair exterior is a silent recommendation

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MARIE SAINT AMAND, *General*

Attractive; congenial; Buicks

Girl Reserves, 1, 3 (President, 1); Snappy Six, 3; Dizzy Dozen, 4.

JOSEPHINE D. STANLAND, *Commercial*

As near perfect as any

FLORENCE ELIZABETH STANLEY, *General*

She carries that aristocratic poise

French Club, 1; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Girl Reserves, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 4.

WINFRED STEVENSON, *General*

Congeniality; reliant and good natured

LUCILE STEWART, *General*

Sweetest flower that grows

ALMA BEVERLY STOKLEY, *Classical*

Wrightsville Sound; sweet and lovable

Dramatic Club, 4; Art Club, 4; National Honor Society, 3, 4; Latin Club, 4; Girl Reserves, 2, 3, 4 (Treasurer, 4).

CHARLES R. TALLEY, JR., *Classical*

Phaetons; nonchalant and girl killer

Hi-Y Club, 4 (Vice-President, 4); Pi Sigma, 3, 4; Business Manager ANNUAL, 4; Homeroom Chairman, 4.

EDWARD TENNENT TAYLOR, *Scientific*

We're all proud to know him

Football, 3, 4; Hi-Y, 4; Mu Sigma Delta, 3, 4; Hi-Y Minstrel, 4; Tennis Tournament, 4.

MARY JAMES TAYLOR, *General*

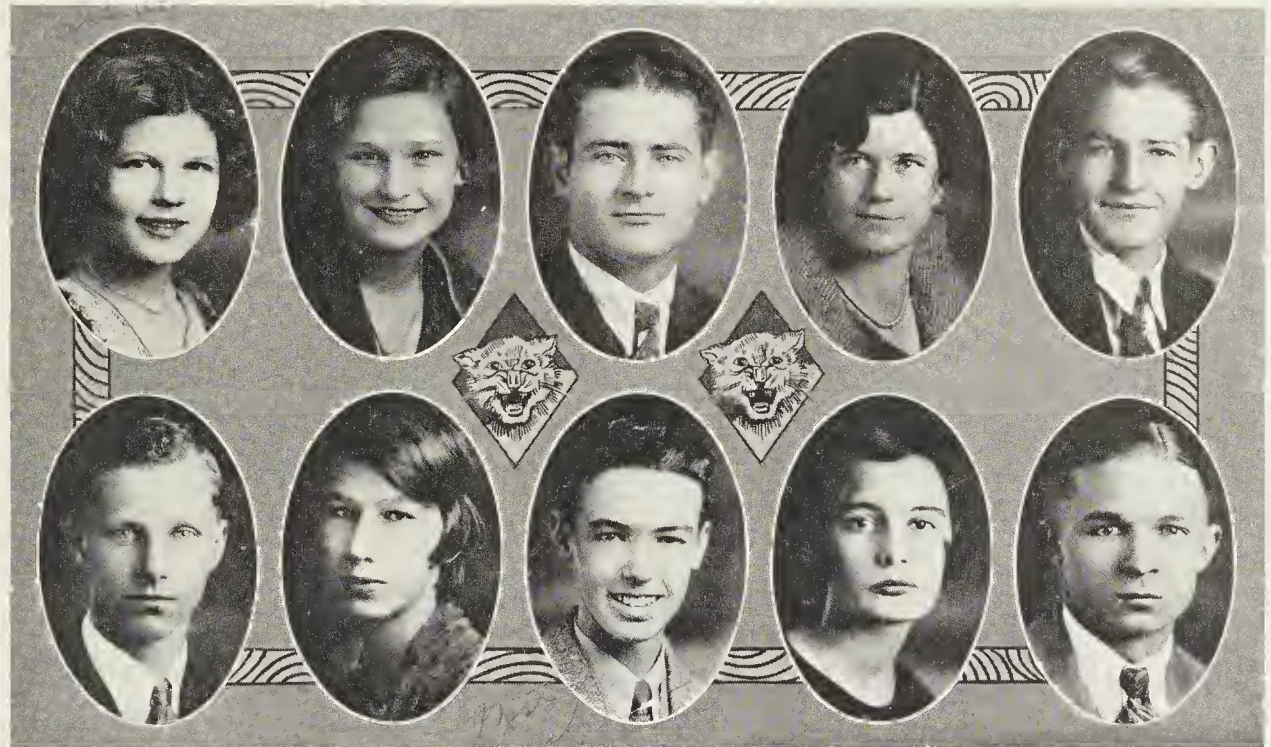
*A cute girl—mighty sweet,
Quite a beauty, we all repeat.*

Vice-President Class, 4; Assistant Editor ANNUAL, 4; Cheerleader, 4; Basketball, 4; Senior Play, 4; Dizzy Dozen, 4; Athletic Association, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play, 3; Snappy Six, 3; Tennis Tournament, 2; Dramatic Club, 1, 2; Spanish Club, 1; Homeroom Chairman, 1.

LOU ELLEN TEACHEY, *Commercial*

Gaiety in her manner; seriousness in her thought

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BLANCHE PADDISON TURNER, *Classical*
Golden ringlets; flat heeled shoes; tennis
 Basketball, 4; Track, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Tennis, 3, 4; National Honor Society, 4.

L. STEADMAN VICK, *General*
Devil may care; a good boy
 Track, 1; French Club, 1, 2.

ELEANOR VIRGINIA TURRENTINE, *Classical*
The hair of an angel, and the disposition, too
 Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club, 1; Dramatic Club, 1.

ANNA ELAINE VON OESEN, *General*
Tall; basketball; old pal
 Girl Reserves, 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 2, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 4; Art Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 1.

LINWOOD TODD, *General*
A man of character

ARRINGTON WALLACE, JR., *General*
"Arlington"; congeniality; none could be nicer
 Homeroom Chairman, 1; Track, 4; Secretary Chemistry Club, 4.

CLARA VANDERWAL, *General*
Why not call her the "It" girl?

KATHERINE LOUISE WALSH, *General*
Easy to get along with; good natured; good girl
 Dramatic Club, 1, 4; Spanish Club, 2, 3; Girl Reserves, 2, 3; O. Henry Literary Society, 4.

CLIFTON B. VANN, *General*
Woman hater; a man clear through
 F-Y, 1; Football, 3; Rifle Club, 2, 3; Chemistry Club, 4.

ROBERT WARWICK, *General*
Not too serious and not too gay

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DOROTHY WATTERS, *Commercial*
Jest and youthful jollity

ROSALIE BURBANK WATTERS, *General*
Full of fun and a smile for all
Latin Club, 1; Dramatic Club, 1, 4; Athletic Association, 1, 2, 4; Junior Play, 3; O. Henry Literary Society, 4.

HAROLD WELLS, *General*
The fashion plate of N. H. H. S.
Student Council, 1; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 2; Hi-Y, 3, 4; Pi Sigma, 3; Spanish Club, 3, 4 (Secretary, 3); O. Henry Literary Society, 4; Chemistry Club, 4.

LANDIS H. WELSH, *Scientific*
Wit is as quick as a greyhound's mouth, it catches
Pi Sigma, 4; Hi-Y, 4 (Secretary, 4); Glee Club, 3; Glee Club Play, 3; Band, 3; Assistant Advertising Manager ANNUAL, 4; Tennis, 1, 2, 3.

MILDRED F. WEST, *General*
So neat, so fair, and always on the square

DORIS V. WESTBROOK, *General*
Ever a smile; never a tear
Latin Club, 4; Senior Play, 4; O. Henry Literary Society, 3, 4.

ELLA WETTIG, *General*
She is armed without who is innocent within
Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4.

VIOLA MAE WHITE, *Commercial*
She's loads of fun

CLYDE WHITE, *General*
Hear me, for I shall speak

PAUL WILLIS, *General*
A great ole boy with lots of ability
Sandspur Staff, 2, Mu Sigma Delta, 4.

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JAMES ELBERT WILSON, JR., *General*
Curly top; good looks; reliant
 Latin Club, 4.

DOROTHY WOOLLERTON, *Commercial*
Wisdom, I bless thy gentle way
And ever, every will obey.
 Glee Club, 2; Girl Reserves, 2, Track, 4.

JANE WILLIAMS, *General*
Cupid, cute, cunning and coy
 Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Glee Club, 4 (Vice-President, 4); Secretary Class, 3; Snappy Six, 3; Dizzy Dozen, 4; Glee Club Play, 4.

ALBERT WOOTEN, *General*
Wooten Brothers; gentleman; quiet
 French Club, 1; Spanish Club, 4.

TOM WOOD, *Classical*
I've that English accent, don'tcha know
 Junior Play, 3; Senior Play, 4.

KENNETH GREGORY WOOTEN, *General*
Wooten Brothers; pleasant and reliant
 French Club, 1; Glee Club, 4; Track, 2; Chemistry Club, 4.

THOMAS K. WOODY, JR., *General*
Tall, dark and congenial

FANNIE MAE ZELLARS, *Commercial*
Somebody's stenog; ever friendly, ever gay

LLEWELLYN EASTERLING WOODBURY, JR., *General*
He's the berries, and how!

Dramatic Club, 1; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Homeroom Chairman, 3; Sandspur Staff, 3; Junior Play, 3; President Pi Sigma, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club, 3, 4 (Treasurer, 3); Mu Sigma Delta, 4; Advertising Manager ANNUAL, 4.

DWIGHT MCEWEN, JR., *Scientific*
Flying Deacon
 Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4 (President, 3); Glee Club, 2, 3, 4, 5; Pi Sigma, 4.

"Flying Deacon" M. Ewen

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AFTER THE DIPLOMA

. . . then what?

*The clock of life is wound
but once*





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Class Poem

Long live old thirty-ones,
Our class we hold so dear,
We'll ever love and cherish
That fair name which we hear.

We pledge to you our loyalty,
Unending, firm, and true;
And may our lives in coming years
Bring honor and fame to you.

To thirty-one forever
We pledge our hearts anew,
United by ties of deep friendship,
Our purpose staunch and true.

N. H. H. S. to you we owe
A never-ending debt;
The happy days we've spent with you
We never will forget.

We will cheer for the Black and Orange
Until the fight is done;
And here's a shout forever for
Our dear old thirty-one.

—LEAH BAREFOOT.

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CLASS DISTINCTIONS



MARY TAYLOR JACK POOL RACHAL CARROLL
MOST OUTSTANDING



CLARK BELLAMY GENEVIEVE CORBETT RACHAL CARROLL RIVERS HANSON
MOST INTELLECTUAL MOST POPULAR



RIVERS HANSON MAE ALLEN KEELS JACK POOL GENEVIEVE CORBETT
BEST ALL-ROUND MOST INFLUENTIAL



JAMES FEAGLE EDITH MORTON RIVERS HANSON JANE WILLIAMS
MOST ORIGINAL FRIENDLIEST



OSCAR HAMILTON CYNTHIA HEAD JACK POOL GENEVIEVE CORBETT
MOST OPTOMISTIC MOST AMBITIOUS



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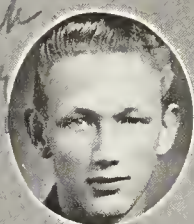
CHARLES BOGAN
BEST LOOKING



GERDA QUELCH



MARY LAMB



TOM BURCH
MOST ATTRACTIVE



BEN BIGGS



MARY LAMB
CUTEST



NANCY ALBRIGHT



CLARK BELLAMY
MOST NONCHALANT



SHEP MCKEITHEN



BESSIE KING
MOST BASHFUL



MARGUERITE PAGE



BILLY WELLS
BEST DRESSED



HARRY GUILLARD



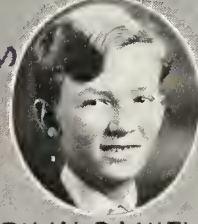
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TOMMY COFER
BIGGEST FLIRT



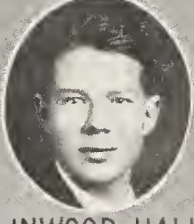
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CLASS BABY



BLANCHE TURNER



MILDRED SMITH



LINWOOD HALL
CRAZIEST

Billy Daniels

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Prophetical?

Any Ole Place, July 25, 1956.

Dear Wee Willie:

Man, man! What news I have to tell you. Give me your undivided attention and clean your ears out, for I know what I have to say will be of interest to you. I have just returned from a visit to Wilmnigton. Yes, dear old Wilmington, and while there I saw a great number of our old classmates who graduated with us in the beloved class of '31 at New Hanover High School, home of wildcat spirit. But let me tell you about it.

On the first of the month I landed a job with the Clark Bellamy Shoe Company, and John Hoggard, sales manager of the firm, instructed me to go down to Wilmington and try to get a contract from Ed. Taylor, the biggest footed man in the two Carolinas. Was I tickled? I hadn't seen or heard of Wilmington since I graduated from New Hanover in '31. Well, as the next day was the glorious Fourth, I set out for the city by the sea very much enthused.

I arrived in Wilmington about 9 a. m., but I got in bad at the very beginning. I came upon the city limits before I knew it, and as I was making around a hundred miles per in my new Wootten Brothers Roadster, who should catch me for speeding but my old friend, Joe Simon, who is head speed cop down that way now. I immediately went to see Judge Meares Harriss, and after putting him in a good humor by giving him some Robert Ruark chewing tobacco, he let me go free. I parked my car at the Bill Hall garage, caught a bus driven by Herbert Jones that belonged to the Oscar Hamilton and Clyde White Transit Co., which was built by the Robert Warwick Motors Co., and came on in to Wilmington and put up at a swell hotel owned by Jack Johnson and Thomas Woody. As I entered the lobby of this magnificent hotel I was shocked into hysterics. There was Claude Howell peddling cigars behind a cigar stand that was owned by the George Murray Cigar Chain. Upon observing Claude's wares I noticed that he was still loyal to his former classmates, as he was selling Florence Stanley's vegetable compounds, James Feagle's trick toothpicks, Napoleon Owen's rat poison, and books written by the well known authors, Margaret Boylan and Kathleen Capps.

I left Claude and his stand and went over to register. But behold! There were head clerks Ben Adams and Arrington Wallace engaged in a fast game of jack rocks. After interrupting this absorbing game I regis-

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tered and called for a bell boy. Lo! There was no such animal, for out came running the bell girls, Marguerite Page, Carolyn Christie, Elizabeth Jenkins, Elaine von Oesen and Italyne Baggett. Boy, they were belle girls, too, and what a loud ring they made. They grabbed my luggage and escorted me into an elevator operated and agitated by Skipper Genevieve Corbett, and we flew up to the sixty-third story. (I always did know that Genevieve would go high up in this world.)

My room was swell, and as I was tired I threw myself on the bed, hoping to get a little rest. I had only been asleep for what seemed a few seconds when I was awakened by the consarndest noise I ever heard. I jumped up and looked out the window. There was a wonderful parade passing by commemorating Independence Day. It was being led by Louie Woodbury, who was the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of the city by the sea. Behind the leaders, with long steps and an important look, came Mayor Billy Wells. Came next, a loud and huge brass band that was led and directed by Weil King. This was the noise that had awakened me. There was a vast number of pretty floats in the parade that had been decorated by Edith Morton. I thought that the Susie Flynn floral float was the prettiest, although the Evelyn Newton and Gertrude Murrell milliner shop float was a close second. Along about the middle of the parade was a special imported clown from England performing antics that were amusing to the kiddies. This was none other than the talented and well known artist, Sir Thomas Fanning Wood. Bringing up the rear of the parade were the police and fire departments. The law enforcers were led by Royal Loyd and the fire fighters were headed by Chief Lloyd Jackson.

After the parade had passed I decided that I would take a stroll down the street and take in the sights. Has Wilmington changed? What a skyline the old city by the sea has now? The tallest building of all is the Hugh Humphrey Chess building, but it only overlaps the Winifred Stevenson Manufacturing skyscraper by a few yards.

After strolling around for about an hour I suddenly discovered that I was lost. I didn't know which end was up nor why. I saw a cop a few blocks away and lit out to catch him. As I had on a pair of Phillip Hall's rubber bottoms I soon overtook him. Imagine my surprise when I discovered that he was none other than William Peck. Well, he showed me the direction to my hotel and I started home. I soon came upon the waterfront. Was I startled? All I could see was boats, ships, yachts, liners, steamers, and what not. There were piers and even some state

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owned terminals. Later I learned that Governor Emory Grubbs and Attorney General Nathan Schwartz had led the fight in putting this bill over. As I looked out upon the water I saw two tugs of the Peck Brothers Towage Co. anchored by a ship belonging to the Elliot Boone and Linwood Todd Steamship Line. Also there was a freighter belonging to the Adelaide Peiffer and Mildred West Tiddely Wink Co. coming into port to discharge its cargo of checkers and ping pong balls belonging to none other than Dexter Hornaday. I was certainly pleased to notice that Wilmington was still progressing, and that a dredge belonging to the Thomas Cofer and Clara Vanderwal Dredge Co. was digging a canal to connect the James Carr Pool Ball Manufacturing Co. with Joe Clendenin and A. B. Love Fertilizer Co. After taking in a few more sights I started to go, but seeing a United States cruiser heave into sight I waited until it had docked. I was pleased to discover that none other than Claiborne Gray was admiral of the boat. He told me that the cruiser had been constructed by the Robinson Brothers Shipbuilding Concern. By the way, it had two high powered airplanes on deck that had been designed by Ben Biggs and Dwight McEwen.

On my way back to the hotel I was attracted by a huge crowd gathered around a platform. It was all that State Patrolmen Joseph Allard and Eleby Hayes could do to keep the crowd in check. I hastened towards the mob to find out what the excitement was all about, and can you imagine my astonishment upon discovering U. S. Congressman Jack Pool speaking to this mob. He was the main speaker on the Independence Day program. In his address, he brought out the wonderful progress the Wilmington people had made in the last decade, he also eulogized the spirit of the Wilmington people.

Soon I returned to my hotel and entered the dining room to eat. Boy, what a swell eating house! I was served by Head Waiter Linwood Hall, assisted by Linerieux Barber, Catherine Shivar and Aloysius Blackham. As for the food, it was swell. I learned later that it had been prepared by the delicatessens Agnes Peschau, Katherine Biggs and Elizabeth Bridgers. After I had finished this delicious meal I spied my old friends, Mary Taylor and Mildred Gibson, who were hostesses of the joint. I asked them to dance with me and we twirled to the music rendered by Hugh McGowan's Syncopating Serenaders. After the dancing a swell program was given. Charlotte Allard and Henry Benton were masters of ceremonies. First, a chorus composed of Dot Holman, Marie Scott, Helen Smith, Marguerite King, Elizabeth Hancock and Louise Henderson appeared. They



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were swell and did some mighty clever dancing and stepping. Following this number appeared Linwood Green and Josephine Stanland, who gave a tap dance specialty. Jane Williams then entertained with a few solos and popular numbers written by Eleanor Beasley and Juanita Beach. They were published by the Alice Schadt and Billy Salling Howling Music Publishing Co. Being very fatigued I went to get my coat, which I had checked with Mary Bowden, Rosa Byrd and Pansy Fishburn. They informed me that old Joe Baker was operating a radio station on the roof of the hotel.

As I entered the lobby to return to my room I ran into Billy Rehder, age five, color, white, who was selling papers. I purchased the Navassa Gazette from him and retired to my room to read it. This paper was edited by Eunice Callahan and owned by Leah Barefoot, and had some mighty interesting articles in it. I turned to the want ad page and this caught my eye: "Lost: my voice. Reward, if returned before sundown to Mildred Smith." Another snappy ad was this: "We have the finest hearses in town. People are just dying to ride in them. The Agatha Garrison and Lora Sell Funeral Parlor." I was very interested in the next ad: "For sale—paint. Especially for high school students who think that they are in prison and would like to tell it to the world. The Charles King and James Craig Paint Co." On another page was an interesting political statement: "I wish to thank all my friends who voted for me to be garbage inspector in the recent election. Signed, Calvin Anders." I then turned to the sports section, edited by Robert Griffin. Here were pictures of the world champion athletes, Ed. (Hercules) Fonvielle, strongest man in the world; Tom Lever, ping pong champion; Billy Andrews, barnyard golf champion; Lauder Bishop, backgammon artist and champion. Becoming tired of reading I cast the paper away and turned on the radio made by the Cathryn Benton Loud Speaking Company.

Through the static I heard the voice of Calder Atkinson arguing that the United States Government should take measures to prevent married women from using an excess of lip stick and rouge. He was answered by Walter Sprunt and his lawyer, Eugene Bullard. Sprunt was in the lip stick-rouge business and was afraid that his business would be hurt. The next rendition on the air was an advertisement of the Doris Council snore stopping compounds. This program was in charge of Rivers Hanson and Leila Stack, well known physicians, who were making a determined fight to cure snoring in the bed. After this program the mellow voiced Nanette Currie told a few bedtime stories. Suddenly came the voice of the

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star announcer, Claudia Foy. She announced that a terrible catastrophe had taken place in the western part of the state. A strike had occurred in all the large cotton mills. However, it was pleasant to know that an organization of relief workers headed by Helen Scoggins, with her assistants, Harriet Abel, Louise Browne, Eva Carter and Dorothy Clendenin, were on their way to help the strikers who were starving to death. After this announcement the program was resumed. Next came a debate between Harry Gilliard and Henry Goldstein. Harry was upholding the affirmative of the question, which was, "Resolved, that a lollypop is better than an ice cream cone." With this I turned the radio off and laid down to rest.

Then it dawned upon me. I knew that I had forgotten all about Wrightsville Beach. I hastily jumped up, snatched my coat, and went down to catch one of the Paul Willis Power Company electric cars. As the car hadn't arrived I went in the Viola White drug store and purchased a dose of the Cynthia Head mixture as I had a headache. At length the car arrived and imagine my amazement when I saw that the conductors were none other than Shepherd McKeithan and Wm. Livingston. I was soon on my way to the beach, and to pass away the time I began reading the Ida Crews car advertising cards. There were two ads that I was particularly interested in, the Marie Saint Amand chewing gum ad, indorsed by several of the most prominent old maid school teachers of New Hanover High School. Among them were Catherine Martindale, Wilhelmina Kuhl, Mary Francis Nesbitt, Ruth Laney, Louise Page, Eloise Brown and Hilda McPherson. The other ad was a large placard advertising the Eldridge Fergus fish markets.

I spent the rest of the time noticing how built up the countryside was. There were quite a few tourist camps over by the highways that I understood were run by Ernest Shinn and Anna Berry. At one of them I noticed Charles Talley was parked and pitching camp. Charles was making a tour of the western hemisphere in search of ancient relics for a circus. I noticed in one cage there was a monkey man, Landis Welsh, caged in. His trainer, Wm. Evans, was feeding him peanuts and pop corn manufactured by Tom Sinclair. A little further down the way I noticed a handsome brick building. Upon inquiring I was informed that this was the Elizabeth Struthers night club, and it was here that the noted gangster and gunman, Curtis Hewett, hung out. Curtis Hewett had built up a wonderful racketeer gang composed of Beverly Stokley, Herbert Orman, Ruth Ellen James and Billy Holmes, and was making a big attempt to



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run the other bootlegger, Fred Hobbs, out of business. Soon we came to the sound. Good gee! Here again I noticed the wonderful progress that the old home folks had made. It was wonderful. There were pretty boulevards running up and down the sound, which I understand were constructed by the Adelaide Ahrens Construction Company. There were five causeways, all owned by LeRoy Davis, connecting the mainland and Wrightsville Beach. There were wonderful yachts cruising up and down the inland waterways and just perpetual lines of barges owned by the Lowenstein Barge Corporation, which I understand was about to run the Lowrimore Railroad line out of business.

As we neared the beautiful Shore Acres the first thing that caught my eye was a huge entertainment pavilion operated by Thurston Powell. Its program for the evening was advertised to the public by a huge electric sign erected by the Earl W. Brown Electric Co. I noticed that the features for the evening's entertainment were a song and dance specialty to be rendered by the Smith Sisters (not makers of cough drops), composed of Grayce, Francis and Eleanor. These girls were straight from the Dorothy Dellinger School of Dancing. Following this was to be an act by the hoola-hoola girls, straight from Hawaii. The names of these celebrities were Vera Bagwell and Dot Breeden. Following this specialty was to be a red hot romance on the screen, starring Zula Donnell and Charles Bogan.

Going across Banks Channel I noticed a large sign telling the world that here were the noted alligator and goldfish farms of Mary Lamb. I left the car at station No. 1 to witness the boat races being staged under the auspices of the Feagle Tooth Pick Co. In the race I noticed that the contestants were speed kings Katherine King, Emily King, Vivian King. Lillian King was driving a boat built by the Joseph King Boat Co. and Gilbert Pickard had a Bessie King engine on his speed craft. After the boat races were over I walked over to the beach back of the Clifton Vann hotel. I saw a big mob gathering around someone on a soap box. Upon investigating I discovered that it was Louise McGloughon lecturing on the subject, "How to catch, clean and eat the fish known as the sandperch." My attention was next attracted by Miss Ada Cole, world famous automobile speed queen, who was driving her speeding runabout manufactured by Olive Downs. She was attempting to set a world's record. I noticed John Schiller, star photographer of the Mayer News Reel, attempting to secure a movie of Miss Cole.

I walked on down the beach to observe a beauty contest being staged under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, with

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President Louise Highsmith directing it. I recognized Gerda Quelch, Alice Boatwright, Elizabeth Jones and May A. Keels as participants in the contest.

All of a sudden practically every person on the beach began running towards a U. S. rumchaser that was towing some boat in. Following the crowd I soon discovered that Captain Ella Wettig was in charge of the rumchaser, and that she had captured a rum runner owned by the notorious bootlegger, Fred Hobbs. Among the crew of the rum runner I saw such notorious characters as Katherine Walsh, Dorothy Woolerton, Elbert Wilson and Robert Hughes.

After this exciting episode was over I hung around for a while longer, and then decided to go down to the southern end of the beach. On the way down I was attracted to a pavilion where a prize fight was being waged. World's flyweight champion, Olive Dixon, was fighting the world's heavyweight champion, Mary Batson. Lucile Stewart was the referee. I resumed my journey. As I was passing another hotel I went in to get a cold drink and was told by the house detective, Anne Chadwick, that the tired business people were holding a convention. I sat in on this convention for a little while. Among the delegates to this convention I noticed Dexter Hornaday, Caroline Josenhans and Harry Payne. They were having a splendid program. Entertainers from the home for the feebleminded gave a skit. On this number appeared David Scott and Robert Hodgkins. Next the deaf and dumb quartet composed of Nancy Albright, Catherine Blake, Jack Farmer and Henry Rhodes whistled a few numbers. After the entertainment was concluded I left.

As I arrived at Station No. 7, where the McCart dancing pavilion was located, I noticed that the Fannie Mae Zellers Carnivals were located and performing. Of course I took them in. I first went in and saw John Kuhlken training his pet monkeys. He and Glavenn Craig, widely known flea trainer, put on an act together with their pet monkeys and fleas. Afterwards though, John had to use Farrow powder, special flea poison, to get the trained fleas off his monkeys. I went into the freak shows next. Here fire eater Billy Daniels was performing, and I witnessed the champion snake charmers, Rachel Carroll and Edythe Ellis, hypnotize a few reptiles.

I next went out on the beach again in front of Lumina. Here were lifeguards Virginia Huband and Edith Montford on duty. After conversing with them a few minutes I decided that it was time I was returning to Wilmington, so I caught the next car back.



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As the car pulled in down at Front and Princess I noticed a large crowd making a big noise. I soon found out that it was a homecoming celebration for Alice Wescott, noted explorer, who was just returning from an expedition down in South America. Among Explorer Wescott's party I noticed Calvin Dickinson, Beatrice Davis and Elizabeth Horne. The special welcoming committee appointed by Mayor Wells was composed of Kitty Nichols, Virginia Neal and Elizabeth Davis.

I then went to a picture show at the Mattocks' Theatre and by the time I got out it was time to retire and I went to my hotel and drifted off to sleep dreaming of the wonderful days and wonderful times I had at the finest school in the world, N. H. H. S.

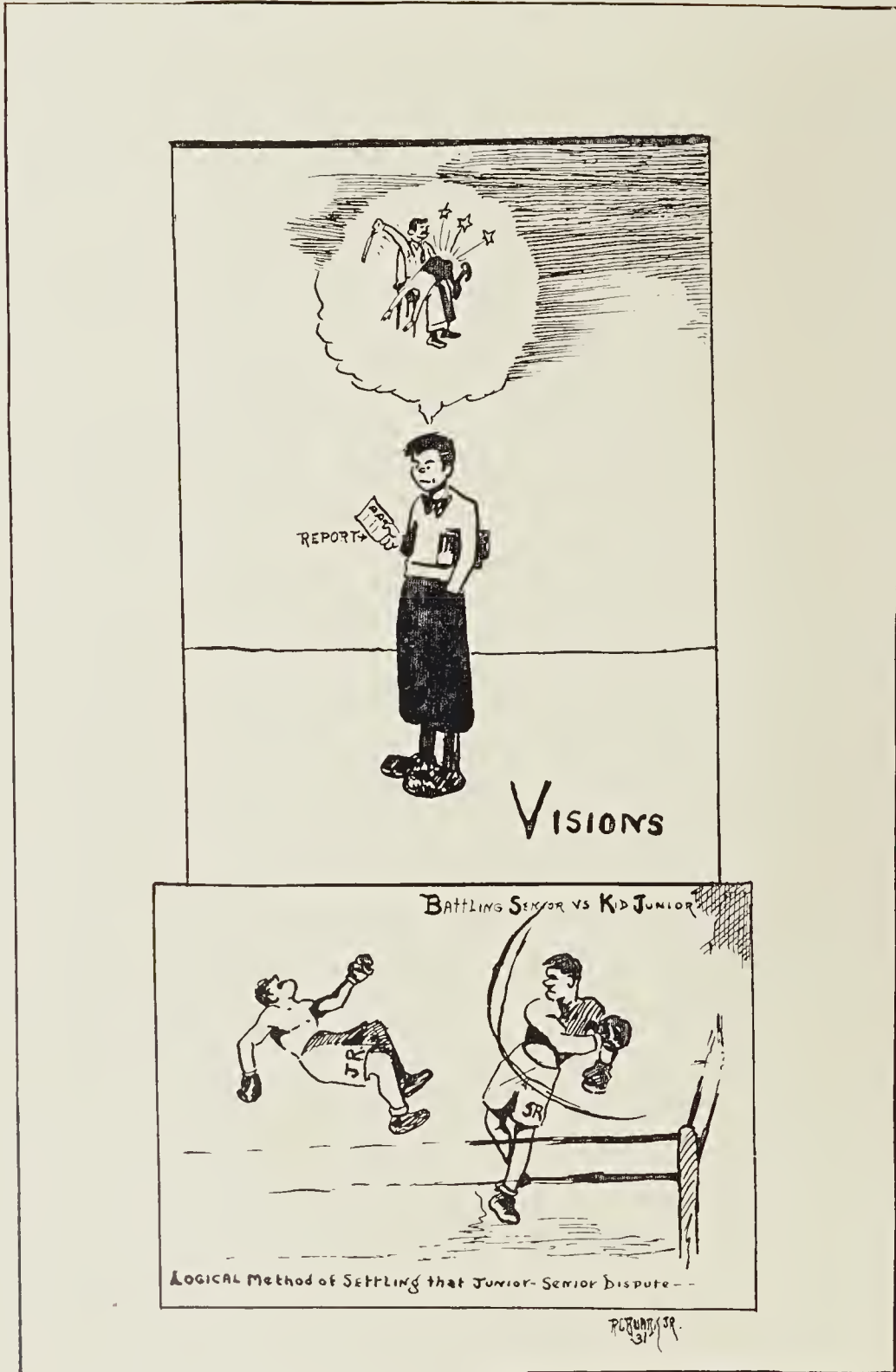
Your friend and ex-fellow Wildcat,

P. WILLIE JONES.

P. S.: Needless to say, I secured the shoe contract from the big footed Taylor.



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History

Composed of two classes to make up the Fresh,
Predestined foes thus becoming one flesh,
The seventh and eighth grades combined into one
Completely upset all the fresh Freshies fun;
For those whom we hoped to look down on with scorn
Were merged into one with us—that was a thorn.
As Sophs we went lovingly around arm in arm
With those upon whom we had hoped to reek harm;
And now as proud Seniors we mount the front steps
In loving companionship with those same Preps.

Starting as Freshmen we did things so well,
One after another proud precedents fell.
The dignified Seniors were struck with dismay
To hear lowly Freshmen have something to say.
As Freshmen and Sophomores we helped them to stage
Successive state championships—pigskin and cage.
As Sophomores we placed many leaders; and my!
A Soph became head of the whole State Hi-Y.

The *Sandspur* was founded in our freshman year;
We helped with its struggles throughout its career.
The paper was almost turned over en masse
To be handled by us when a Junior Class.
As Seniors we saw it pass out of the picture,
And maybe you cheered (if it nocture and kicture).

As Juniors we put on a follies that took
Everybody by storm, and their sides fairly shook.
The teachers beheld with their very own eyes
Themselves on the stage—some smiles and some sighs.
The fashion show pulled by the womanless women
Was cure for the blues and left sober eyes swimmin'.
The banquet we served to the Seniors last year,
'Twas shocking to tell, and 'tis shocking to hear,
We served in our bathsuits; it caused a commotion;
But how could we help it? 'Twas served in the ocean.

Ho hum, we have come; heigh ho, now we go.
The scene will be changing for us soon we know.
We think they will miss us, but what a delusion!
We simply make room for a newer confusion.

On Juniors, on Sophomores, on Freshmen, on all!
Come take possession of old N. H. Hall.
Following our lead boost her up to the skies;
For now we go, leaving good wishes, goodbyes.

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Last Will and Testament

Whereas, we, the most highly exalted, efficient and dignified Senior Class of 1931 of N. H. H. S., having arrived at that state of mind considered as the highest attainable in high school due to the result of five (for some four) years of grinding labor and toil, and

Whereas, we are cognizant of our approaching demise from said N. H. H. S., and greatly saddened by the realization thereof, and

Whereas, we do so desire to will, bequeath, give and bestow upon those who follow after, such goods, powers and privileges, such eccentricities, individualities, traits, peculiarities and misfortunes as we may possess;

Therefore, we do make, declare, publish and present this, our last will and testament, declaring void any such instrument formerly made.

Wherefore:

We, the Senior Class, do bequeath to the Seniors of next year our brightness, our perseverance, and our reputation for being the most brilliant Senior Class to ever graduate from New Hanover High School.

We, the Senior Class, do will to the Juniors of next year our love for our teachers who so patiently strived to pound into our heads knowledge and learning.

We, the Senior Class, do bestow upon the incoming Sophomore Class our love for N. H. H. S., and the devotion and spirit we showed as students of New Hanover.

We, the Senior Class, do will, bestow, bequeath and give to the green Freshmen of next year all that we possess, our traits, our powers, and our knowledge, believing that before they leave school they will greatly need them.

I, Paul Willis, leave my heart and hand to Margaret Graham.

I, Charles Talley, leave my knowledge for "phaetons" to Leo Little.

I, Carolyn (Squirmy) Christie, leave my flapperish ways to Mickey Ford.

I, Ed. (Hercules) Fonvielle, leave my physical strength to Nank Love.

I, Ed. Taylor, leave my enormous and huge feet to next year's football team, believing they will sadly be in need of a firm foundation.



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I, Marie Saint Amand, leave my ability and art of chewing gum so gracefully to Lydia King.

I, Clark Bellamy, leave my ability to smoke a Murad to Steve Brown.

I, Linwood Green, leave my good humor to next year's annual editor, believing that he will badly need it.

I, Rosalie Watters, leave my art of making funny faces to Mary Meares Beery.

I, Thomas Fanning Wood, leave my famous and well known accent to Jimmy Huntington.

I, Harry Gilliard, leave my sheikish ways to Emmett Lewis.

I, Rivers Hanson, leave by pleasing personality to Pete Newcomb.

I, Jack Pool, leave the battered and torn constitution to the school.

I, Genevieve Corbett, leave my intellectual ability to Winifred Collett.

I, James Feagle, leave my powers of exploding great scientific theories to Miriam Croom.

I, Louie Woodbury, leave my ambitious reputation to Harry Doshier.

I, Meares Harriss, leave my ability to stay in good with the teachers to Ren Phillips.

I, Rachel Carroll, leave my bashful and quiet ways to Dot Manning.

We, the Senior Class, leave to dear old N. H. H. S. our promise to spread her fame wherever we go, to forever uphold the splendid ideals of the school, and to ever carry her memory imprinted upon our souls.

(Signed) JACK POOL,

RIVERS HANSON,

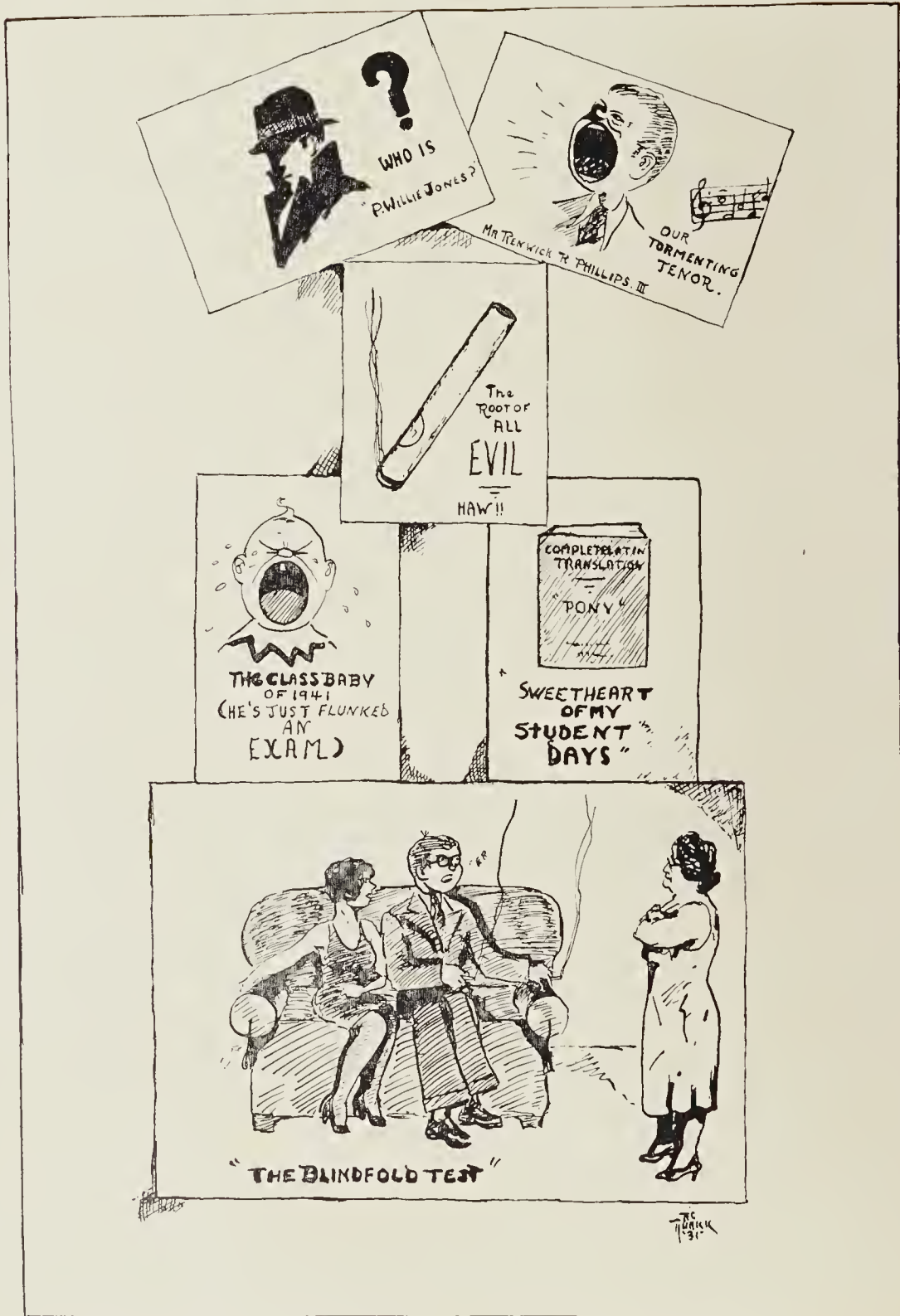
GENEVIEVE CORBETT.

May 11, 1931.

Wilmington, in New Hanover County, State of North Carolina, United States of America.



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ROBT. L. BLACK, *Director of Athletics*

Robert L. Black

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Football Squad

LEE
GRAY
BEASLEY
FERGUS
CHICK TAYLOR
HARRISS
LYNCH
CUNNINGHAM

ATKINSON
APPLEWHITE
SPRUNT
MOTTE
BAGGETT
"SNOOKY" TAYLOR
PEIFFER
TOMZ

COACH BLACK
COACH HARDEN
HANSON
FOX
GILLIARD
E. ROBINSON
ED. TAYLOR
WINSTEAD

BLACKSTOCK
JONES
HOGGARD
BELLAMY
R. ROBINSON
HENDERSON
KUHLEN
COFER

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Football

Although the 1930 football season at N. H. H. S. can not be called an overwhelming success from the standpoint of games won and lost, we can say that the spirit and brand of sportsmanship manifested by the Wildcats would be a credit to any team and school. It is with pride that every true Wilmingtonian reviews the past season, for every player did more than merely fight to win, and the work of these boys, their spirit and sportsmanship shown, and their general attitude towards the whole matter will forever be an inspiration to admirers of fair play and football lovers of N. H. H. S.

Greatly handicapped by graduation, ineligible players for various reasons, and the loss of their star and captain, Rivers Hanson, the boys, aided by the wonderful work of Coaches Black and Harden, set about to mold into shape a football team that would be a credit to N. H. H. S. Needless to say, their work was not in vain.

Quite naturally, the outstanding players proved to be the Robinson brothers, Earl and Relmon, veterans of experience and skill. These two were a source of great strength on the defense and offense, many times circling the ends and hitting the line for substantial gains. The other two members of the backfield, Bellamy and Henderson, were by no means slouches and were always a constant worry to the opposing team. They put up a wonderful brand of football all season, and no little credit is due to them for the success the team enjoyed. Fox and Winstead, first stringers in the backfield, were a great aid in the development of the Wildcat machine and should also come in for their share of credit.

In the line, Kuhlken and Hoggard very, very capably performed at the position of ends. These two vets of last season's play, nine times out of ten "got their man" and were no slouches at pulling down passes thrown to them by the versatile backs either. Sinclair Beasley and Ed. Fonvielle were by far two of the best tackles in the eastern part of the state, and proved a bulwark of strength both on the defense and offense. Harry Gilliard and Herbert Jones, playing their first year on the varsity, developed themselves into wonderful guards. Little, but plucky, they held down their positions in true Wildcat style. Ed. Taylor, who took the place of Jones when he was hurt in mid-season, in the games he played showed up exceptionally well and much credit is due to him. At center Jerry Blackstock made a name for himself. He held down the pivot position in great style and also was exceptionally outstanding in his snapping.

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We cannot fail to mention the wonderful work of the second team and scrubs. These plucky fellows went out to practice day after day and were a wonderful aid in the development of the team.

The team was efficiently coached by Fighting Bob Black, producer of two state championship elevens. He was ably assisted by Zack Williams and Pap Harden. The position of manager was held by Ben Adams, who performed his job in an efficient way, and the team is greatly indebted to him for his work in this capacity.

With many members of the first squad back next year, and with much good material coming from the second team, prospects for the '31 eleven are exceptionally bright.

Football Box Score

N. H. H. S.	26	Whiteville	0
"	0	Rocky Mount	0
"	18	Wilson	6
"	25	New Bern	0
"	0	Raleigh	13
"	6	Goldsboro	7
"	6	Fayetteville	6
"	6	Durham	7
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Basket Ball Team

H. MCKEITHAN

HENDERSON

MATTHEWS

COACH ZACK WILLIAMS

S. MCKEITHAN

ANDREWS

ROBINSON

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Basket Ball

Greatly handicaped by loss of men from graduation, and financial losses, New Hanover's basketball team managed to fight and claw all season so as to gain an even break in number of games won and lost in the eastern championship title race. Playing under handicaps in practically every encounter, the team was undaunted and each player attempted to give a good account of himself as a basketball player. Like the football team, the Wildcats displayed throughout the entire season a high brand of true Wilcat spirit, and through their show of superb sportsmanship and fair play they gained the praise and commendation of every opponent.

With the return of only two letter men, Coach Zach Williams set about to build practically a new squad. Matthews and Winstead capably took care of the forward positions and were a power on the offensive as well as putting up a good floor game. Holland McKeithan developed into a wonderful center, and no doubt will be a great asset to the squad of next year. Shep McKeithan and Billy Andrews exhibited a rare talent at the position of guards, and no doubt the loss of these two boys will be keenly felt by next year's squad.

This was Coach Zack Williams first year as coach of the basketball team, and despite the defeats, his work with the boys in molding themselves into basketball players might be termed successful, and with the return of three first stringers prospects for the 1932 squad are very bright.

Basket Ball Box Score

N. H. H. S.....	18	Y. M. C. A.....	42
“	10	Alumni	28
“	20	Trenton	33
“	12	Wilson	15
“	40	Modoc	9
“	16	Y. M. C. A.....	25
“	27	Goldsboro	21
“	11	Trenton	40
“	7	Durham	23
“	33	Rocky Mount	20
“	21	Raleigh	38
“	14	Fayetteville	3
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	229		297



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Girls' Basket Ball Team

PARKER

HAY

CARROLL

MANNING

COACH HELEN BARNWELL

TAYLOR

SMITH

KEELS

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Girls' Basket Ball

Although the girls' basketball team suffered a few defeats during the 1931 year, the season was by no means unsuccessful. Greatly handicapped by the loss of many players due to graduation, they managed to develop a strong quintet and were able to prove victorious in many of the games played.

The team had a new coach in Miss Helen Barnwell, who succeeded Miss Elizabeth Bray. Miss Barnwell gave freely of her time and experience, and made from fairly good material a well organized squad.

Following in the footsteps of the boy athletes, the girls fought not merely just to win but for higher ideals, and they had the satisfaction of knowing that they splendidly upheld the spirit, honor and sportsmanship of New Hanover High School.

Mae Allen Keels, star guard, served as captain during the current season, and on the court she was ably assisted by forwards Laura Hay, Dot Clendenin and Mary Taylor, and guards Rachel Carroll, Dot Manning, Frances Smith and Eleanor Turrentine.

Box Score

N. H. H. S.	19	Alumni	18
“	19	Stonewall	23
“	10	New Bern	35
“	25	Southport	9
“	20	Whiteville	26
“	11	Whiteville	20
“	26	New Bern	26
“	33	Mt. Olive	15
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	163		172



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Track Team

C. HENDERSON

GRAY

R. ROBINSON

E. ROBINSON

LYNCH

MATTHEWS

FARMER

KUHLKEN

COACH WILLIAMS

SHEPARD

TOMZ

H. LEE

CLARK

R. LEE

M. HENDERSON



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Track

Although failing to place very high in any of the track meets this year, the New Hanover High School track team was by no means unsuccessful. The team suffered severely from the loss of practically every veteran of last year's squad, and Coach Zack Williams bent his efforts towards building up a new team composed of mostly underclassmen. His work cannot be measured in terms of meets won and lost this season, but the fruits of his toil will be shown in future years.

The highlight of an uneventful season was in the interscholastic division of the Southern Conference Indoor Meet held at Chapel Hill, when N. H. H. S. managed to place third over a group of around forty entrants. The feature of the meet was the breaking of the seventy yard low hurdles record by Relmon Robinson.

Much credit is due the members of the team for their display of a stick-to-itiveness trait of character. Displaying perseverance throughout the season these boys worked hard to mold themselves into shape so as to make a name for themselves in the track world and bring fame to N. H. H. S. They truly displayed a fine example of Wildcat spirit and success is bound to be theirs in later years.





ORGANIZATIONS

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The Student Council

Purpose: To cultivate character, to develop initiative and leadership, to encourage scholarship, and to maintain high standards at New Hanover High School so as to enable each student to derive the maximum benefits from his career at N. H. H. S.

FACULTY ADVISORS

MISS MYRA BARRON and MISS HILDA WOLK

OFFICERS

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ED. FONVIELLE and ELIZABETH WHITEHEAD, *Secretary-Treasurers*

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Seniors

RIVERS HANSON
JACK POOL
ED. FONVIELLE
RACHEL CARROLL
GENEVIEVE CORBETT
ALICE BOATWRIGHT

Juniors

HARRY DOSHER
JOE CANADY
JIMMY HUNTINGTON
ELIZABETH WHITEHEAD
MARGARET GRAHAM
MARY M. BEERY

Sophomores

SAM ADAMS
MURRAY POOL
JIMMY WALLACE
FRANCES GOLDBERG
ADELINE EDWARDS
LOIS KING

Freshmen

CLARK JAMES
JOE YATES
RODNEY BREECE
LEILA WILLIAMS
FLORENCE PEARSALL
FRANCIS SOUTHERLAND

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Hi-Y Organization

Purpose: To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character.

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LANDIS WELSH, *Secretary*

CHARLES TALLEY, *Vice-President*

CHARLES KING, *Treasurer*

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WORTH SPRUNT
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RIVERS HANSON

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RELMON ROBINSON
ADAIR MCCOY
CRANMER HENDERSON

BILLY ANDREWS
SHEP MCKEITHAN
CLAUDE WINSTEAD
BILLY REHDER

KENNETH WELSH
REN PHILLIPS
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FRED NEWCOMB, *Secretary*

LINWOOD GREEN, *Vice-President*

FRED SMITH, *Treasurer*

Mr. JAMES STEBBINS, *Advisor*

Members

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STEVE BROWN
JAMES CARR
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ALEXANDER HALL
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HUGH MCGOWAN

BOB NORTHROP
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GARNETT SAUNDERS
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LOUIE WOODBURY
ED. TAYLOR
BILL HOWARD

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CALDER ATKINSON

JACK POOL
WALTER SPRUNT

CHARLES TALLEY
LANDIS WELSH



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Girl Reserve Club

Purpose: To find and give the best.

ADELAIDE AHRENS, *President*

ADELAIDE PEIFFER, *Vice-President*

CATHRYN BENTON, *Secretary*

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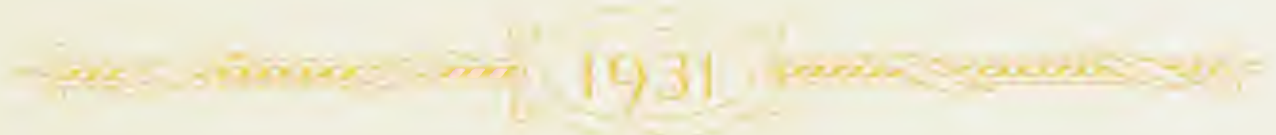
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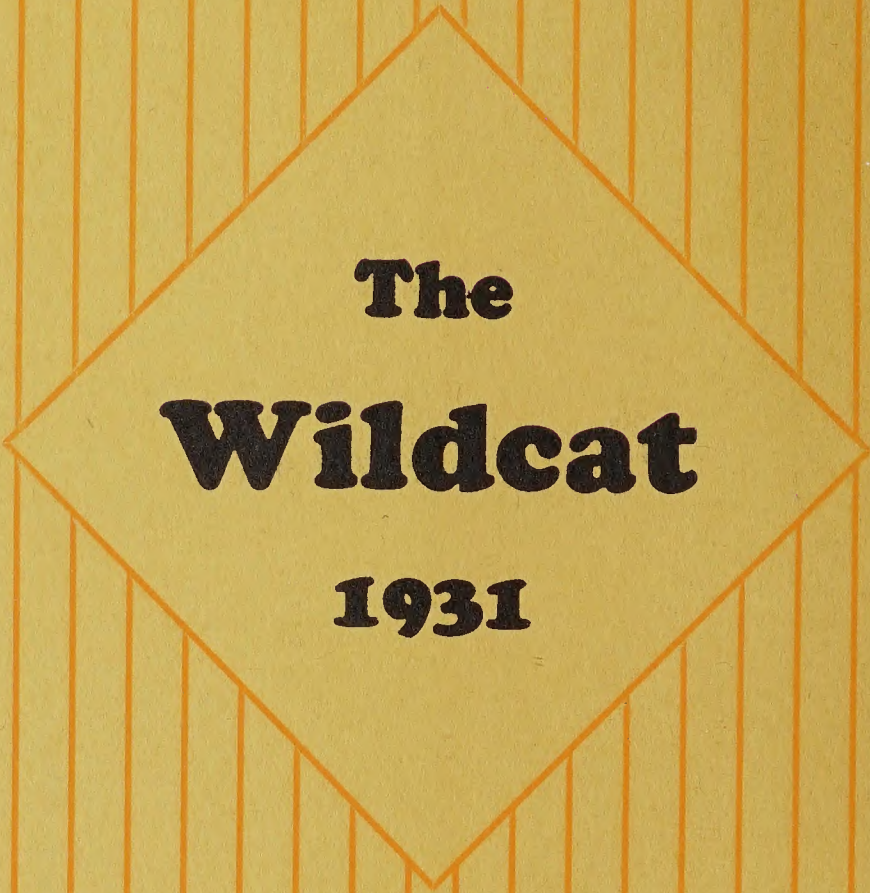


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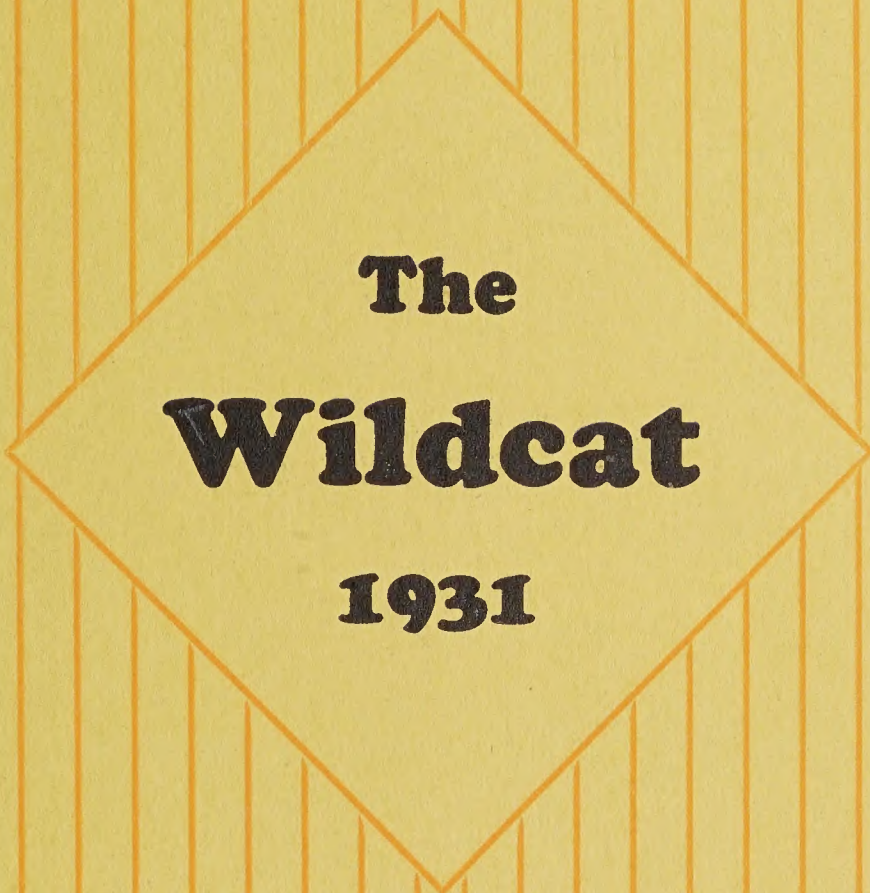
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