

# 1949

# BALCOALA

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BALDWIN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL
BAY MINETTE, ALABAMA



I, Peter Potato, am

honored to dedicate the 1949 BALCOALA to the

future prosperity of Baldwin County. In

our county we have many things that make it a good

place to live. We have Industry, Agriculture, Forestry,

Cattle, Fisheries, and many other assets. But the

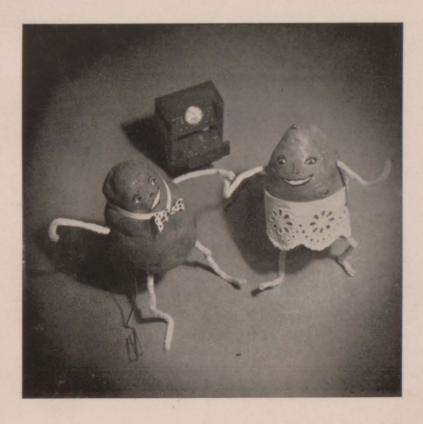
finest is our Young People, and it is a great

pleasure for me to introduce the Boys and Girls of

BALDWIN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

These Students will always enjoy remembering their happy . . .

# SCHOOL LIFE





THE BIG WHEELS

John Conway, Editor-John W. Wilson, Ass't. Editor

# A Word From the Staff

The staff has attempted this year to make the Balcoala more representative of our school and its students, and to promote student participation and concern for the affairs of the Balcoala.

The members of the staff have struggled harder than ever this year to give you this year book. With a debt hanging over us from last year and the fear of leaving a new one, we have racked our brains for money-making schemes.

Erwin Davidson, advertising manager, has used her charm and pleasing personality to advantage to fill the final pages with good advertisers to help make the book tally on the financial side.

Aside from the financial part of it, building a year book is no "gravy train." It takes literally hours of planning themes and layouts deciding on the size of pictures, pasting them in the copy book, choosing appropriate captions and headings, and finally writing the copy.

We hope that you will not be too critical, but will appreciate and cherish this volume as we do.

B A T. d W n 0 u n Y A L A b  $\alpha$ m a

# "Balcoala" Staff

Editor	John Conway
Assistant Editor	John Wallace Wilson
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### THE WRECK BEFORE THE WRECK

Myrtice Carr—President John W. Wilson—Vice President

# Student Council

President Myrtice Carr
Vice President John W. Wilson
Secretary Janice Cox
Treasurer Sabra Stough
Sponsors—Mrs. Milam, Mrs. Durant

The student council under the able leadership of Myrtice Carr, student body president, has intensified its efforts to represent the interests of the student body, striving to do everything possible to make school life happier and more worthwhile for each individual.

Several of its accomplishments this year have been: to join the Southern Assembly of Student Councils, to send two delegates to attend the annual Convention in Mobile, to give an assembly program, and to sponsor recreation nights at school.

Front Row—Balford Thompson, James Irwin, Allen Hayes, Billy George Cruitt, Milton Wilson, Buddy Prine, Tommy Bradley, Morgan Little, Cecil Jones, Freddy Postma. Second Row—Elva Lee, Mitzi Forte, Betty Jean Duck, Betty Reid, Joyce Grimes, Jean Burnette, Jimmy Jordan, Albert Blount, Jean Gilbert, Eunice Turner. Back Row—Myrtice Carr, Janice Cox, Janette Moorer, Elrena Jerkins, Faye Yarborough, Marrietta Barnes, Patricia Stacey, Nell White, Bobby Jean James, Annette Miller, Susie Waters, Jean Ballard, Vernell Eiland, Sabra Stough, John Wallace Wilson.



# Student Court

Judge Allen Hayes

Secretary Sue Harris

Representatives—

Senior III—Jack Davidson

Senior II—Sue Harris

Senior I-Wilbur Deer

Junior III—Bobby Postma

Junior II—Frank Propst

Junior I-Carolyn Gamble

Sponsors-Miss Matthews, Mrs. Lee



COUNTING THOSE DEMERITS!

Allen Hayes—Judge; Sue Harris—Secretary

The members of the student court this year have enjoyed what they believe was a well earned rest. There was a sharp reduction in the number of students who came before the court. This may have resulted from either increased laxness on the part of the teachers or of a real spirit of "behave myself" among the students. (We sincerely hope that it was the latter.)

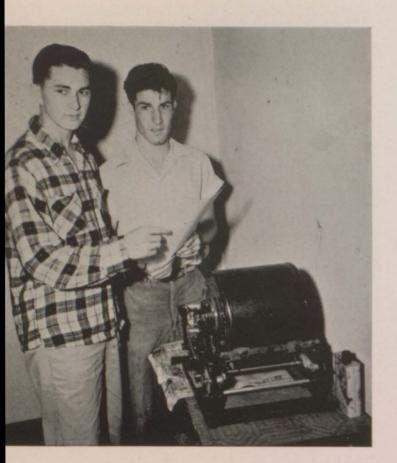


Left to right: Seated-

Miss Matthews
Carolyn Gamble
Jack Davidson
Sue Harris
Allen Hayes
Bobby Postma
Mrs. Lee

Standing-

Wilbur Deer Frank Propst



SPREADING PROPAGANDA

Thomas Boone-Editor; Dudley Howell-Advertising Mgr.

# "The Tiger Rag"

"To be or not to be"—that seems to have been the question concerning the publication of the **Tiger Rag** this year. Several changes have been made in the staff since the first of the year, but everything seems well under control now.

It would be extremely nice if they could have the newspaper style again, but it looks as if the mimeograph office style is here to stay. Anyway they manage to ferret out everyone's darkest and most amusing secret, even if it is a little hard to read at times.

### HOME ROOM REPORTERS

### Front Row:

Louise Bankester Carolyn White Joyce Minor Faye Yarborough

### Back Row:

Peggy Payne Joyce Brunson Julia Mashburn Jean Gilbert



# "The Tiger Rag" Staff

Editor	Thomas Boone
Business Manager	L. T. Weekley
Advertising Manager	Dudley Howell
Sports	Tiny Hall Walter Ward
Social Editors	Potter I ittle
Snooper	Guess Who?

Left to right, seated—L. T. Weekley, Mary Frances McDavid, Agnew Thompson, Tiny Hall, Betty Little, Billy Joe Griffin, Dudley Howell. Standing—Arthur Clement, Thomas Boone.





THE MIGHTY TOOTERS
John Wallace Wilson—President
Brooks McDill—Vice President

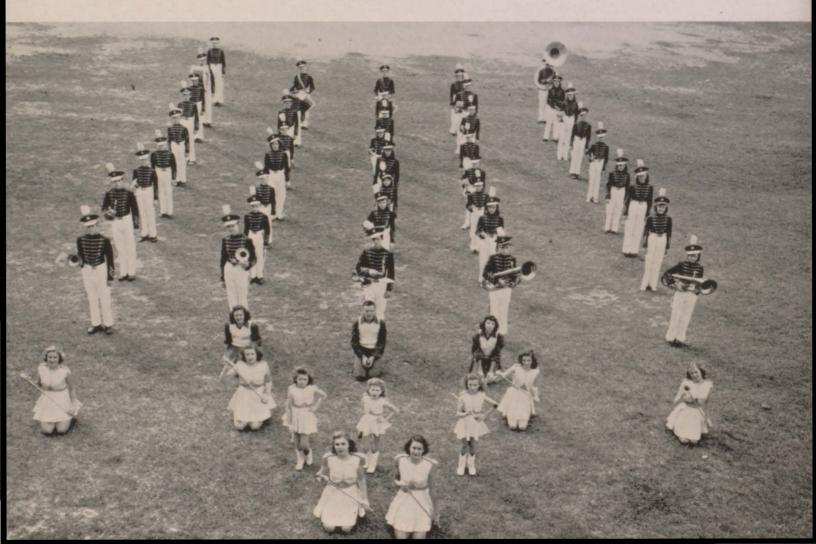
# Band

Slogan	Band's Activity Never Dies
Colors	Orange and Black
President	John Wallace Wilson
Vice President	Brooks McDill
Secretary	Gay McElhaney
Treasurer	Sue Harris
Sponsor	George Noonan

The Band Club, organized in September, 1948, has 11 members. The purpose of this club is to relieve the sponsor of some of his many responsibilities. B. C. H. S. is deservedly proud of its band. They won the County Contest on Armistice day at Foley. Their performance at football games was quite an added attraction, one of their most effective numbers being "blowing Bubbles."

The high light of the year was the parade at Mardi Gras where they put on a splendid performance.

POSING ON PARADE



### DRUM MAJORS

Charlotte Van Dyke

### MAJORETTES

Ann Humphries Ethel Van Dyke Carol Nall Bettye Ann Busbee Moonyene Stokley Wilma Durant Delores Bryars

### ACROBATS

Julia Mashburn

Bobby McGill Elaine Nall

### CLARINETS

Sue Harris Neal Presley Ritha Smith Neal White Archie Presley Jeanette McDill Jimmy Faulkner Ann Cain Rodney Johnson John McDuffie

Jean Ballard Billy Jones
D. C. McKinnley Vondell James Harvey Horn

### BELL LYRA

Perry Foster

### TROMBONES

Bobby Sam McDill Freddie Postma Balford Thompson James Cooper

Wynton Overstreet

### BARITONES

Carolyn White George Stough

### ALTO HORN

R. L. Morris

### BASS

Lamar Trawick

### SAXOPHONES

Brooks McDill John Wallace Wilson Buddy Prine

### DRUMS

Allen Hayes Bobby Postma Ginger Griffin Bobby Owen Joyce Davis

### FLUTES Bobby James Julliana Fail

TRUMPETS Betty Mann Gay Nell McElhaney Pat Byrne

Tommy Bradley James Mew Billy McDill Morgan Little Jullian Little Ray Peavy W. T. Barnes Bobby Taylor Ann McMillan Chubby Stough Clayton Harville Jerry Barnes Clyde Byrne

IS IT THAT BAD, BOOTSIE? WHAT WILL CAROLYN SAY?









BILLY ON KEY—HA! HA! Betty Jean Duck—Billy Little

Katherine Hammond
Perry Foster
Ann Humphries
Bobby Jean James
Fay Bell Lee
Helen Jones
Maxine Baggett
Carol Nall

Betty Jean Duck
Betty Ann Lee
Emogene Baggett
Sybil Clayton
Ann Benoist
Joyce Davis
Julia Mashburn
Bettye Ann Busbee

Mary Godwin
Barbara Boan
Bonnie Boone
Henry Neal Adams
Frankie McGill
Lamar Trawick
Miss Dennis
Agnew Thompson

Calvin Coots
Calvin Hayles
John Jones
Billy Weekley
Noma Quinley
Yvonne Quinley
Vernell Eiland

# Glee Club

President Betty Jean Duck

Vice President Billy Little

Secretary-Treasurer Agnew Thompson

The Glee Club welcomed a new sponsor this year, Miss Sara Dennis from Monroeville, Ala.

They gave a beautiful Christmas Cantata at the Methodist Church and presented a variety show composed of Latin and Old American numbers.

Their social events included a banquet at Mac's Place in November and a Christmas party in the Music Studio.



# Miss B.C.H.S.



Sabra Stough

# May Queen



Helen Smith

# May Court

Mary Frances McDavid Betty Reid



Janice Cox

Bobbye Fleming

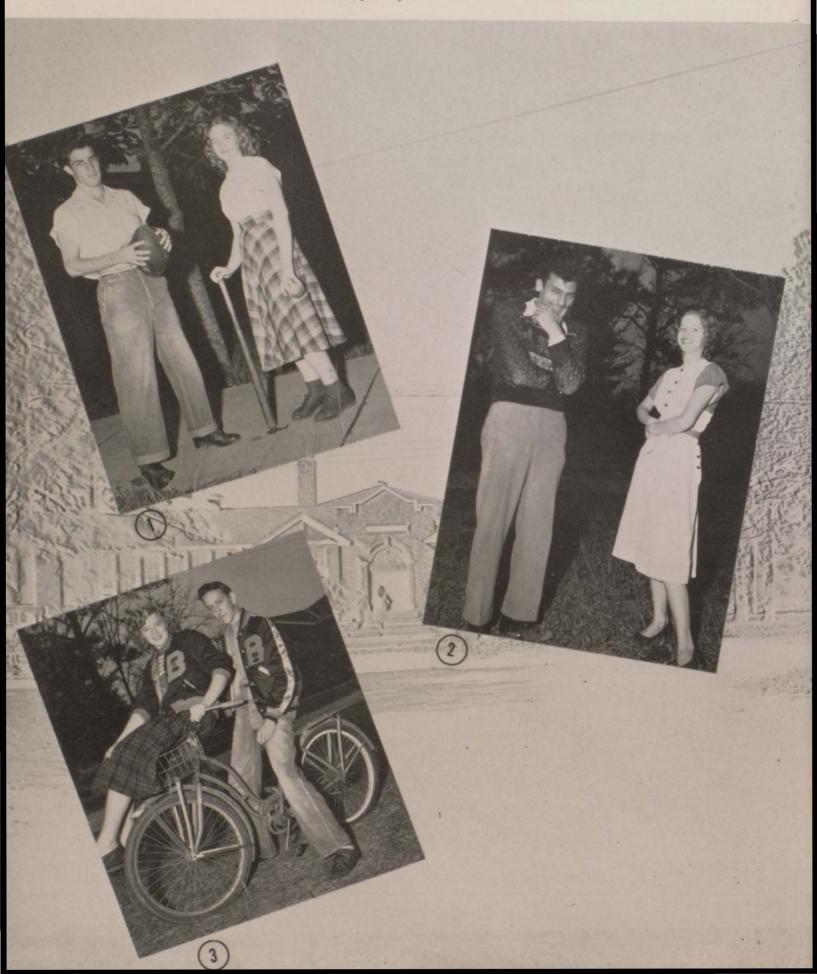
- 1.—Most Friendly—Peggy Guy and Herman Powell.
- 2.—Most Mischievous—Grace Weekley and John Earl Rasberry.
- 3.—Most Studious—Myrtice Carr and Jasper Stewart.





- 1.—Most Likely to Succeed—Helen Smith and John Earl Rasberry.
- Biggest Bluff—Betty Reid and Henry Pittman.
   Best Looking—Erwin Davidson and Shelby Langston.

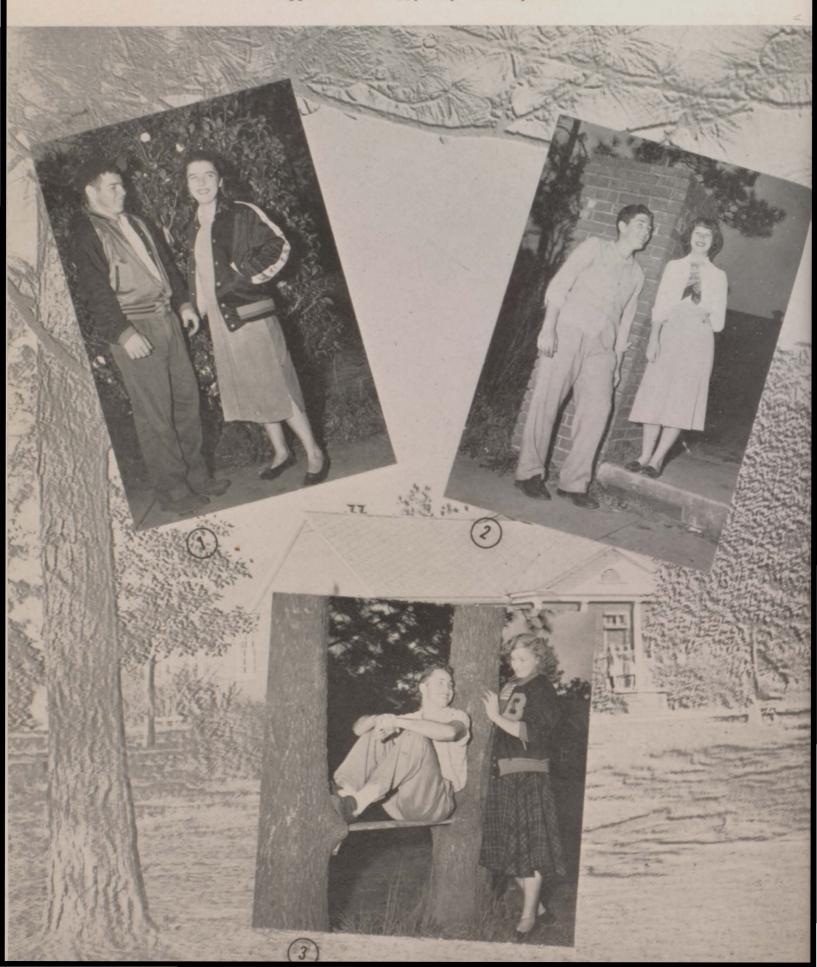
- 1.—Most Athletic—Myrtice Carr and Thomas Boone.
  2.—Wittiest—Grace Weekley and Wilson Chanove.
  2.—Cutest—Peggy Guy and Charles Weatherford.





Most Talented—Helen Smith and Agnew Thompson.
 Teacher's Pets—Jean Burnett and John Conway.
 Best All 'Round—Myrtice Carr and Denver Griffin.

- 1.—Most Popular—Susan Stephenson and Tiny Hall.
  2.—Loudest Mouth—Bobbye Fleming and Arthur Clement.
  3.—Biggest Flirts—Peggy Guy and Billy Little.



# Junior Who's Who

Top: Left to right—Best All-round—Bobbie Grimes, Billy Jones. Most Athletic—Betty Boan, Claude Byrd. Circle: Teacher's Pet—Betty Anne Busbee, Neal Presley. Bottom: Left to right—Most Popular—Julia Mashburn, Billy McMillan. Best Looking—Ethel Van Dyke, Tommy Hall.





Don't break it!"



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Bootsie's "Bad Beginners"



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junior grade

Work

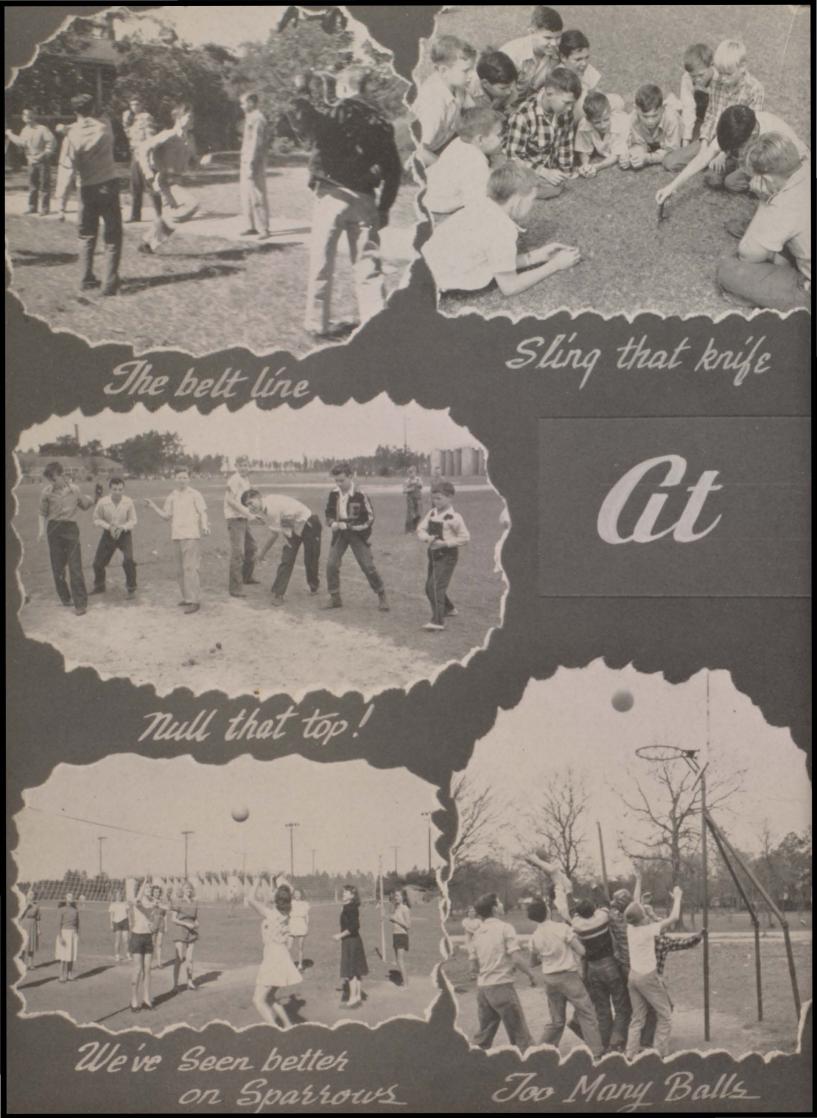


Oh! You beautiful doll



I know it will be Good!

Snood Domank





"Ozark Ike"

Foolish Scholors

# Play



The army takes Over

Who's the Champ?



Joo Many Mother.

"Crip"



"Good to the last lick"



"Lazy Bones"



Seniors in the Sun"



"Ladies Man"

"Gossipin"

Ease

"School Daze"

"Sittin" Pretty

"Stag Line"

They've got it bad!

"Baggy At



9 9 had legs like that! "One for all for One





Look Out Girls!

# Jean Wins! Random





"Sophomore Santa"



Many Students Participated in

# ORGANIZATIONS





### WHAT?-A FLAG WITH TWO POLES!

Betty Jean Duck-President: Shelby Langston-Vice President

# Beta Club

President	Betty Jean Duck
Vice President	Shelby Langston
Secretary	Helen Smith
Treasurer	Jack Morris
Sponsor	Mrs. Lee Smith

### BETA ACTIVITIES

The Beta Club started the year off "with a bang" by presenting the play, "Too Many Mothers." Already fifty strong, the doors of the club were opened twice during the year, taking in approximately thirty new Betas. After the fall induction of new members, the hilarious initiation day was held, a day greatly dreaded by all new Beta members. This was climaxed by the formal initiation and a dance several nights later in the auditorium. The annual May Queen Contest was also sponsored by the Betas. After two weeks of cut-throat campaign excitement, the contest ended with a May Queen Ball at which the Queen was crowned. The Betas sponsored the Who's Who election which is always one of their annual projects. Another annual project is to present a Good Sportsmanship award at the County Basketball tournament. This year it was presented to Fairhope.

Front Row—Jack Morris, Shelby Langston, Johnny Wilson, John Earl Rasberry, Billy Miller, Laurie McMillan, Lee Catreet, James Irwin, A. W. Ferguson, Allen Hayes, Albert Blount, Johnny Conway, Betty Jean Duck, Helen Smith. Second Row—Eula Lee Stewart, Suzie Waters, Peggy Pullen, Kathleen Jones, Emma Jean Jerkins, Betty Nell Byrd, Nell Ree Smith, Myrtice Carr, Joyce Steedly, Leola Yarbrough, Trez Van Lee, Jane Jordan, Charlotte Van Dyke, Margie Overstreet, Noma Quinley, Jeanne Burnett, Ann Willis. Back Row—Ruth Taylor, Erma Clyde Gentry, Georgia Mae Pittman, Joyce Mosley, Peggy Guy, Betty Trawick, Julie Minchew, Sabra Stough, Anna Lyle West, Gay Nell McElhaney, Jeanette Thompson, Gloria Sandburg, Lorie Marie Poston, Gloria Burch, Betty Reid, Annie Laurie Taylor, Sue Harris.





BETTY JEAN PRESENTS THE SPORTSMANSHIP TROPHY

## Peter Potato Peeps On The Conventioners

Eighteen B.C.H.S. Beta Conventioners left for Birmingham on the Humming Bird on March 10, accompanied by Miss Opal Powell. On arriving in Birmingham they were met by John Conway and Laurie McMillan who went through the country in Conway's car. Wilson, Hayes, Conway and McMillan stayed at the Tutwiler, the others at the Thomas Jefferson.

Friday morning everyone was up early to start the election campaign for "Wilson for President."

Betas from the four corners of Alabama began arriving in the lobby of the Tutwiler to register and get their banquet and dance tickets, and the B.C.H.S. Betas met new Betas and some old acquaintances of last year's convention. At four o'clock that afternoon there was a "Get Acquainted Party" in the Terrace Room of the Tutwiler, after which the first general session was held at Phillip's High School.

The hotels of Birmingham were plagued that night by Baldwin boys looking up their new acquaintances of the day.

The big moment came Saturday afternoon at the third general session—the election. The race was close and exciting, but happily Wilson won.

With this mission completed, the fun now began in earnest. The banquet began at 6 p.m. where John Conway made an elaborate toast to the girls and John Wallace Wilson made his acceptance speech. The last attraction for the Betas—the big ball—started at 9:30 and lasted till 12 o'clock. None of the Betas from Baldwin were caught asleep that night, but some were caught at the Vulcan. The next morning—the train ride home for the club, and the open road for Conway and McMillan.

#### STATE BETA OFFICERS





IT LOOKS REALISTIC — BUT IS IT?

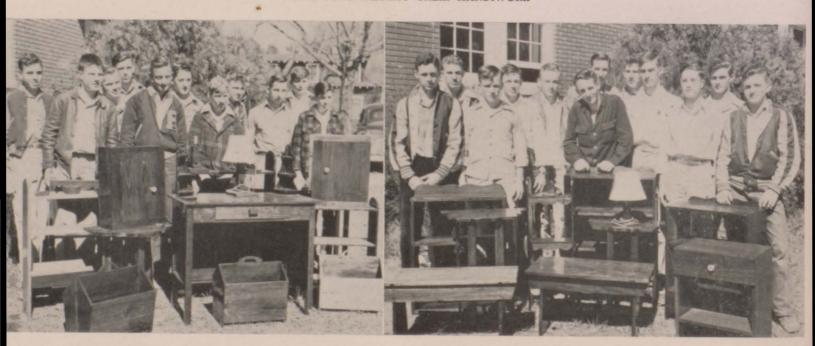
Lamar Trawick—President; Phil Dickman—Vice President

## F. F. A.

President	Lamar Trawick
Vice President	Phil Dickman
Secretary	Emanuel Quinley
Treasurer	Edward Helton
Reporter	Herman Harville
Watch Dog	Cleo Drew
Advisor	Mr. Montgomery

The main project of the F.F.A. this year has been to purchase four registered Duroc Jersey gilts. These gilts were issued to Emanuel Quinley of White House Fork, Raymond Wilson of Lottie, Otis Presley of Lottie, and W. C. Blair of Bay Minette. When these boys received their gilts they promised to let the F.F. chapter select two gilts from the first litter. These will in turn be given to two other F.F.A. boys who will follow the same procedure. The gilts were bought with the money made from the broilers which the F.F.A. raised in the shop of the Agricultural Building.

F.H.A. BOYS DISPLAY THEIR HANDIWORK





## Future Farmers of America

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Cleo Drew

Otis Presley

Edward Helton

Jack Morris

Henry Pittman

Lamar Trawick

Phil Dickman

Emanuel Quinley

Junior Harville

Wilfred Hale

Wilburn Chambless

#### Second Row

A. G. Flowers

Gladden Amos

Lamar Pittman

Orlan Allen

Norman Harris

Wallace Quinley

Eugene Vines

Y. C. Richardson

Sibley Rider

Glen Langham

Thomas Pettis

J. W. Tolbert

Randolph Watts

#### Third Row

Billy Thompson

Mabrey Long

Johnny Taylor

James Emmons

Aubrey Long

Elver Lee

James Irwin

Raymond Wilson

J. B. McDowell

Ivan Stewart

Rayford King

#### Back Row

J. T. Mosley

James Presley

Fred Dempsey

Elvie Blackmon

W. B. Overstreet

Lee Catrett

A. W. Fergerson

Adrian Thompson

Curtis Waltz

George Lee

Eugene Milstead

Herman Harville

Eugene Sanks



A PAIR OF QUEENS

Myrtice Carr—President; Betty Trawick—Vice President

## F. H. A.

President	Myrtice Carr
Vice President	Betty Trawick
Secretary	Jean Pullen
Treasurer	Emma Jean Duck
Reporter	Betty Jean Duck
Song Leader	Yvonne Quinley
Parliamentarian	Peggy Guy
Sponsor	Miss Waters

The F.H.A. is an organization for encouraging interest in home making. Membership has increased from 42 to 70. The theme of the programs for this year was "Selecting a Suitable Career." People representing different professions were invited as guest speakers. The club contributed to the State Scholarship fund. They had parties for recreation and cooperated in many programs that helped improve the school. The club agreed to adopt a Home Ec class in England.

#### F. H. A. INITIATION



## Future Homemakers of America

Myrtice Carr

Audrey Long

Flossie Marrow

Iris Stanton

Lulene Mixon

Betty Boan

Lucille Overstreet

Jesse Mae Williams

Yvonne Quinley

Gladys Irwin

Peggy Pullen

Amy Richardson

Julie Minchew

Peggy Guy

Ruby Mae Hammond

Leola Yarbrough

Lorie Marie Poston

Wynell Williams

Eileen Peterson

Miss Waters

Ollie Marie Graham

Betty Trawick

Ethel McDowell

Mazie Parker

Kathleen Jones

Betty Jean Duck

Erma Clyde Gentry

Eunice Philips

Grace Weekley

Betty Trawick

Thelma Lane

Jacqueline Gilbert

Barbara Boan

Eula Hadley

Lucille Tuck

Lyda Little

Bernice Middleton

Ruby D. Dorman

Eloise Chunn

Jimmie Dell Powell

Evelyn Mosley

Evie France

Rachel Purvis

Opal Thompson

Alletta Thompson

Emily Ruth Hammond

Virginia Griffin

Bobbie Grims

Nell White

Joyce Steedly

Suzie Waters

Laveda Thompson

Evelyn Downer

Georgia Mae Pittman

Eula Lee Stewart

Cecil Williams

Jane Jordan

Margaret Jones

Rena Mae Overstreet

Trez Van Lee

Alice Ruth Overstreet

Melvene Bell

Martha Clemons





"IN THE INTEREST OF SCIENCE"
Norville Davis—President; Janice Cox—Vice President

Benford Cruitt
John Conway
Grace Weekley
Norville Davis
Janice Cox
L. T. Weekley
Betty Reid

## Science Club

President	Norville Davis
Vice President	Janice Cox
Recording Secretary	Freddy Postma
Corresponding Secretary	Agnew Thompson
Treasurer	L. T. Weekley
Program Chairman	John Conway
Sponsor	Miss Lenard

The Baldwin County Science Club is composed of a group of students who are interested in advancing their own knowledge of science.

John Conway and Norville Davis entered the eighth annual Science Talent Search sponsored by Westinghouse, and also the General Gorgas Scholarship Award in Alabama. It is rumored that one of them is being seriously considered for the award.

A group of members are planning to attend the annual convention held in Troy this year, at which time they will enter their project for the year, a study of the principles of the photo-electric cell. A thesis will also be presented by some member of the club at the convention.

Gay Nell McElhaney
Mary Frances McDavid
Helen Smith
Gloria Burch
Patricia Heaton
Brooks McDill
Freddy Postma

J. B. Johnson
Odell Robinson
John Barton
Agnew Thompson
Laurie McMillan
Miss Leonard



## Camera Club

President	John	W. W	ilson
Vice President		Frank	Burt
Secretary		Janice	Cox
Treasurer		Betty	Reid

The Camera Club has had one of its most active years. This year's activities included many things other than the usual taking, developing and printing of pictures. The main project was to raise money for the enlarger fund. Two outstanding parties were given for this purpose. One was a masquerade ball which was well attended and greatly enjoyed, and the other was quite unique, being the first B.C.H.S. school party ever to use a night club as its theme. A very entertaining trip was made to Bellingrath Gardens on March 5. Altogether, they have had a very successful year with the promise of even greater success next year with the use of the new enlarger.

Frank Burt
Benford Cruitt
Odell Robinson
Grace Weekley
Janice Cox
Mary Frances McDavid
Jo Anne McKenzie
Erwin Davidson

Patricia Heaton
Miss Leonard
Gloria Burch
Gay Nell McElhaney
Sabra Stough
Ann Willis
Betty Reid
Allen Hayes



THEY MAKE, AS WELL AS TAKE, GOOD PICTURES

John Wallace Wilson—President; Frank Burt—Vice President

Leon Biggs
Cleo Drew
Julius Brown
John Earl Rasberry
Norville Davis
Agnew Thompson
Betty Jean Duck
Gene Bryant

Ed Levoy
George Burns
J. B. Johnson
Brooks McDill
Henry Pittman
Raymond Wilson
Johnny Wilson
Wilbur Deer
John Conway





BIG LEAGUERS

Myrtice Carr—President; Jean Pullen—Vice President

## Girls' Athletic Association

President Myrtice Carr

Vice President Jean Pullen

Secretary-Treasurer Ethel McDowell

Sponsor Miss Powell

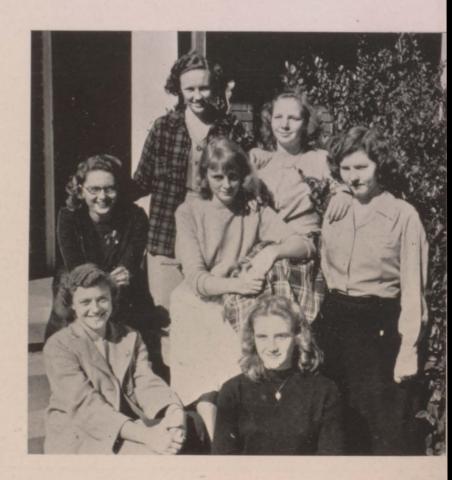
The Girls Athletic Association was composed this year of all girls from Jr. III's to Sr. III's. It was sponsored by the physical education teacher, Miss Powell.

Some of the Club's activities were: The printing and selling of the football programs; the sponsoring of Miss B.C.H.S. and the girl-break dance given on February 3.

Front Row-Jean Pullen, Myrtice Carr.

Second Row—Miss Powell, Lyda Little,
Julie Minchew

Back Row—Willie Mae Fleming, Evelyn Bohannon,



### "B" Club

President Billy Miller

Vice President Jack Davidson

Secretary John Jones

Advisor Coach Spear

The "B" Club under the leadership of their president, Billy Miller, and with the help of Coaches Spear and Williams have accomplished a very successful year. At the beginning of the year, new officers were elected and a new set of by-laws written. After football season was over they had four new members to join, bringing the total membership to 18. The following have received letters and have joined the club: Jack Morris and cheerleaders Bobbye Fleming, Susan Stephenson, and Jo Anne McKenzie.

They are planning a party with the money they now have in the treasury, which is about \$60.



Billy Miller—President; Jack Davidson—Vice President

First Row: Dudley Howell, Susan Stephens, Jo Anne McKenzie, Erwin Davidson, Billy Miller, Joe Shafer. Second Row: Denver Griffin, Shelby Langston, Leroy Coleman, L. T. Weekley, Alva Bush, Kenneth Trawick. Back Row: Tiny Hall, Booker Stuart, John Earl Rasberry, Marshall Killcrease, Jack Davidson, John Jones, Thomas Boone, Arthur Clement.





#### Ruth Weekley—President Herman Harville—Vice-President

Betty Gayle Henderson
Ardith J. Heaton
Faye Yarbrough
Earnestine Rabon
Eloise Tew
Gussie Jacobs
Mrs. Stough
Eloise Cooper

Myrtle Joyce Heaton
La Dell Barr
Kathleen Stiers
Ruth Weekley
Evie Mae Crabtree
Johnnie Ruth Ball
Shirley Moorer
Ollie Marie Graham
Joan Wren

## Library Club

Literary Centipedes

President Ruth Weekley

Vice President Herman Harville

Secretary-Treasurer Perry Foster

Sponsor Mrs. Stough

The members of the Library Club have contributed most of their time and effort to improving the conference room which is open to all organizations in school. For several days they were seen walking over buckets and under ladders with paint smeared from head to toe. They made new curtains, and these in addition to the new furniture, gave the room that "lived in look."

Another project of the Club was to arrange appropriate books and displays for the Library bulletin board on various themes and seasons.

Emma Jean Duck
Perry Foster
Jean Gilbert
Bettye Ann Busbee
Albert Blount
Billy Joe Coon
Faye Munn
Ruth Taylor
Jeanne Burnett

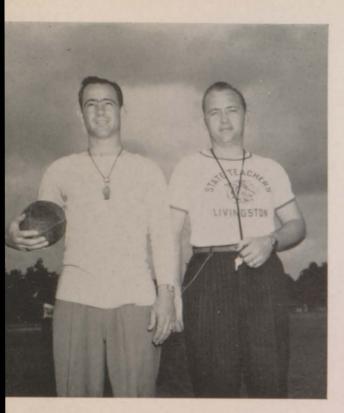
Eileen Peterson
Lois Allen
Maxine Page
Iris Stanton
Rita Thomley
Yvonne Quinley
Paul Floyd
Herman Harville



... and how we all went in for

# ATHLETICS





A PAIR OF ACES

Coach (Stooge) Spear—Coach (Pinky) Williams

### Football

For the first time in twenty-two years, the Baldwin County High School Tigers wound up their football season undefeated. The 7-7 tie with Atmore was the only mar on the Tigers' record. The Tigers scored 216 points while holding their opposition to only 69 points. This was a great year for the Tigers as there were nine who were playing for the last time. They hung up their uniforms on Thanksgiving to swap them for sheepskins on May 12. The team worked together better than any Tiger eleven has in many years. There were no standouts. Every man worked together for the benefit of the team and that is what it takes to make a winning team. The Tigers also had capable reserves. When one of the first eleven was injured, they could step in and fill up the position readily. This winning combination came by hard work and plenty of practice under the excellent tutorship of Coaches Spear and Williams. So we take off our hats to the 1948-49 Baldwin Tigers. who so courageously carried the flag of orange and black through ten battles, and at Thanksgiving, when the last battle was fought, the flag was still flying high.

Cheerleaders: Left to right—Dudley Howell, Susan Stephenson, Bobbie Fleming, Jo Anne Mc-Kenzie, Erwin Davidson, Charles Weatherford.



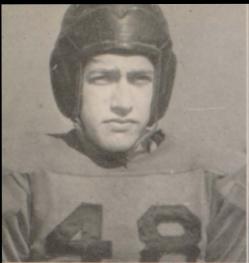
JUST PRACTICING



Front Row: Leroy Coleman, Tiny Hall, Donald Agerton, Thomas Boone, Denver Griffin, Joe Shafer, Billy Joe Griffin, Jack Morris, John Jones. Second Row: Pat Baggett, W. B. Overstreet, Adrain Thompson, Charles Chunn, J. W. Agerton, Claude Byrd, Curtis Waltz, Jimmy Reid, Shelby Langston, Gene Bryant, Edward Helton. Back Row: Coach Spear, Feulner Stuart, L. T. Weekley, Alva Bush, Marshall Killkrease, Sammy Pipkin, Elmer Phillips, Elvie Blackmon, Frank Windham, Neil Trawick, Coach Williams.

Cheerleaders and mascot, Sharon Wilson, at the Foley game.









Jack Davidson

Booker Stuart

Thomas Boone

### "Tigers Grab Easy Victory from Flomaton"

The B.C.H.S. Tigers opened their 1948 grid campaign with an impressive victory over a stubborn but outmanned Flomaton eleven, 27-0. Flomaton managed to get four first downs, three by way of penalties, and the other one against the subs.

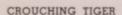
The Tigers started their scoring when Boone punted into the end-zone and Flomaton's safety man, taking a desperate gamble, was tackled behind the goal for two points.

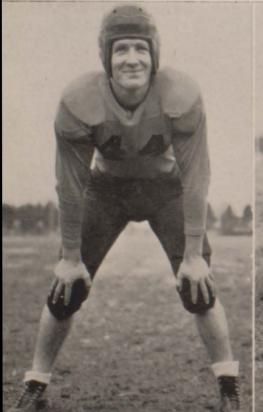
Then in the second quarter, the Tigers took over on their own 35, and marched 65 yards to their first touchdown. Stuart and Hall alternated in lugging the pigskin, with Stuart crashing over guard to climax the drive. Bryant's try for the extra point was blocked. Again, near the end of the second period, with the ball resting on Flomaton's 12 yard line, Waltz cut off tackle and hit pay dirt once more. Bryant's kick was wide by inches.

The Tigers couldn't get going in the third period but opened up again in the fourth quarter. Hall, on a fake reverse, skirted his own right end and raced 55 yards down the sidelines to another touchdown. Bryant's kick was good. This was a costly point, however, as Bryant's ankle was broken and he was lost to the Tigers for the remainder of the season. A few minutes later Hall crossed the double stripe again after receiving a 15 yard pass from Byrd and evading two Flomaton tacklers on a nice broken field run. Rasberry's try for the extra point was blocked. The game ended with the Tigers in possession of the ball.

JUST POSING

READY FOR THE OPPOSITION









## Season's Record

B.C.H.S.	27	Flomaton	0	Miller
B.C.H.S.	20	Miller	7	
B.C.H.S.	38	Monroeville	6	
B.C.H.S.	21	Fairhope	6	Weekley
B.C.H.S.	25	Robertsdale	6	
B.C.H.S.	20	E. Brewton	12	
B.C.H.S.	25	Semmes Tech	12	
B.C.H.S.	20	Foley	6	
B.C.H.S.	13	Frisco City	7	
B.C.H.S.	7	Atmore	7	
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Total	216		69	

Shafer

### Individual Points

Hall	56
Stuart	54
Griffin	36
Bush	24
Langston	19
Waltz	18
Shafer	6
Bryant	1

Langston

Coleman

BOOKER FLINGS ONE



Jones

Hall

Griffin









Jack Morris

Claude Byrd

Curtis Waltz

#### "Tigers Crush T. R. Miller"

For the first time in three years the Tigers not only scored on Miller, but completely crushed the up-staters by a 20-7 score. Neither team scored in the first quarter, although Miller got within the Tiger's fifteen. The stubborn Tiger forward wall, led by the guards, Miller and Weekley, crashed time and time against the rough Miller line to get the quarterback and completely baffle the offense.

The second period the Tigers began to roll. The first touchdown came when Stuart bucked the line from the four-yard line. Hall's kick split the uprights to enable the Tigers to lead 7-0 at the half.

Miller managed to make a six-pointer in the third period when they blocked Boone's punt and covered the ball in the end zone. They bucked the line for the extra point to tie it up at 7-7.

The Tigers came storming back in the fourth quarter to make two more touchdowns. D. Griffin made the second Tiger touchdown on an end around that covered about 15 yards. Hall's kick was wide. The Tigers kicked off and held four downs and took over to march to another touch-

down. Bush drove between guard and tackle to make the Tiger's final tally. Hall booted the extra point. The game ended with the Tigers whole second team on the field.

#### "Tigers Smother Monroeville"

The Tigers, with the 6-0 defeat handed them by Monroeville last year still fresh in their mind, scored at will to beat the Monroe County boys 38-6. The Tigers' second team saw as much or more action than the varsity. The victors went to work early to be enjoying a 20-0 lead at half time

Some of the finest running of the season was turned in by Bush who accounted for one of the touchdowns. Hall and Langston tied for scoring laurels, as Langston carried the oval over the goal line twice, once after receiving a pass and again on an end around. Hall scored twice, both times after receiving a pass from Stuart.

The whole forward wall played outstanding ball by opening holes on offense and crashing through on defense to bottle up Monroeville's plays. The Tigers didn't have to punt a time. Hall kicked one extra point and Langston snagged a pass for the other one.

TOUCHDOWN JAUNT

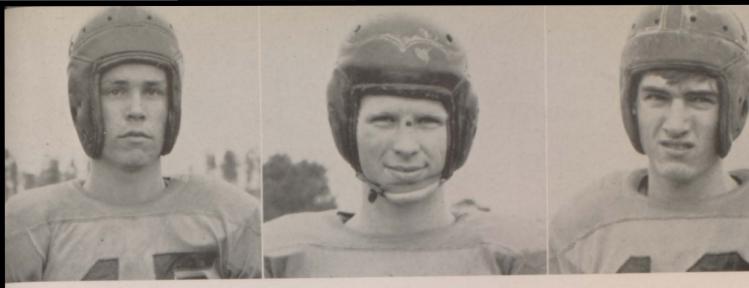
EAT 'EM UP, TIGER!

MORE POINTS









Alva Bush

Bill Joe Griffin

Frank Windham

## "Tigers Down Fairhope"

Before the second largest crowd ever to witness a football game at Simmons' Field, the B. C. H. S. Tigers humbled the scrappy Fairhope eleven, 21-6. The game was much better than the score reads, however, as the two teams played pretty even ball. The Tigers scored in the first quarter when Denver Griffin, on an end around, ran about 30 yards. Both teams played defensive ball the second quarter as neither offered a serious scoring threat.

The Pirates kicked off the second half. On the first running play from scrimmage, Stuart on a fake reverse cut over the middle of the line and raced 61 yards to score standing up. The Pirates came storming back and marched 60 yards to their touchdown. Hoffman and Davis took turns in carrying the ball down to the Tigers' four yard line, where it was first down and goal to go. The Pirates tried to go over the Tigers' line for three downs but in as many times the Tigers forward wall stiffened and didn't give a single inch. Then Hoffman, who played outstanding ball all night, went around end to score after being hit six times. They tried to pass for the extra point but failed. The Tigers then scored their final touchdown on an end around with Griffin again carrying the ball. Hall booted all of the extra points. Neither team scored in the final quarter.

## "Tigers Defeat Robertsdale"

Before a cheering crowd of some fifteen hundred spectators, the B.C.H.S. Tigers ran over a weak Robertsdale eleven, 25-6. Within six minutes after opening kickoff, Waltz cut off tackle and ran the ball about 40 yards to Robertsdale's two-yard line. He scored two plays later and the try for the extra point was no good. After Robertsdale wasn't able to go any place with the ball, they punted to Bay Minette, who again marched to a touchdown. This time it was Stuart who crashed over.

The Tigers marched to their third touchdown in the second quarter, with Langston taking a pass from Stuart to climax the drive. Hall then kicked his only extra point of the night. The Tigers couldn't score as Robertsdale was playing better defense ball.

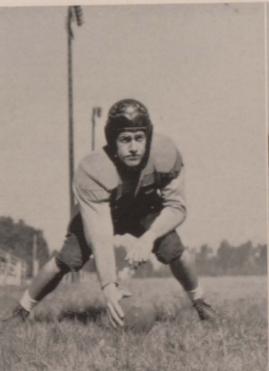
In the fourth quarter with the ball on the Tigers' 15 yard line, Hall sliced off tackle, cut to the sidelines and raced 85 yards to score standing up and not a man within 20 yards of him. Robertsdale came back and managed to score against the scrubs. Cooper went off guard and raced 50 yards to score. They tried to run over for the extra point, but the Tigers' line held. The game ended with the Tigers in possession of the ball on the midfield stripe.

TOE DANCING THOMAS

SITTING BULL

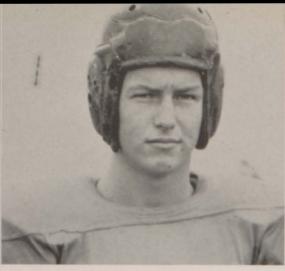
"SITTING PRETTY"













Agerton

Sammy Pipkin

Elmer Phillips

#### "Tigers Trim War Eagles" 20—12

After the first five minutes of playing time in which W.S. Neal scored, the Tigers came back to outlast the War Eagles, 20-12. W.S. Neal broke two records of the Tigers, however. The Tigers trailed the War Eagles, the first time this year that they were behind, and the boys from Brewton also drove a touchdown over the Tigers first string line for the first time this year. Neal took the opening kickoff and scored before the Tigers ever had possession of the ball.

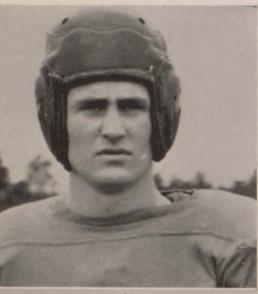
The Tigers came back in the second quarter with Stuart and Hall carrying the ball through holes in the line, which were made by the Tigers' forward wall. Stuart pushed the tally over. The Tigers scored again in this period when Denver Griffin, speed demon of the Tiger offensive runch, traveled 15 yards to go over standing up. Hall converted to give the Tigers a 13-6 lead at halftime.

In the third quarter again, the speed of Griffin proved too much for the opposition, and this time he took a handoff from Hall and skirted left end for 35 yards to the Tigers' third and final touchdown of the night. Hall converted. In the fourth quarter, the War Eagles staged a 62 yard march to score their final touchdown. They threatened again when they got down to the Tigers' four yard line and had four downs to make it. But the Tigers refused to yield and held them for four downs. The game ended right after Bay Minette took over.

#### 25-12 "Tigers Knock Wind Out of Tech Hurricane"

Before a majority of Bay Minette spectators, the B.C.H.S. Tigers defeated Semmes Tech of Mobile, 25-12. The inability of the Tigers to get their offense clicking, together with Lady Luck, who was running with the Purple Hurricane, held the score at half-time to a measley 6-6 tie. The Tigers received the opening kick-off and began to march. Tech got her first break then, when Hall, who was carrying the ball on an end sweep, let the pigskin squirt from his arms when he was tackled right into the arms of the Tech halfback who raced 85 yards to score. This took the fight out of the Tigers for a while and it was not until the opening minutes of the second quarter that they scored. Bay Minette took over on Tech's 45 yard line and marched to the three yard line. The Tiger line then ripped the Tech line open to enable Stuart to score. That was all the scoring in the first half, although the Tigers were within Tech's five yard line when the half whistle blew.

Tech struck early in the second half, when Hadley's pass to Biggs was complete on the Tiger's 20. Three plays later, Hadley drove off tackle to put Tech in the lead again. The Purple Hurricane failed to make either extra point. This was like pouring fire on the Tigers' line, and they began to play magnificent ball, the brand they have played all year. They shoved Tech all over the field, except out of the end zone. The Tigers received the kickoff on their own 30, and marched 70 yards to score. The backs could have gotten in trucks and driven through the holes that the Tigers' forward wall ripped open. Hall climaxed the drive with a one yard smash. His record attempt for the extra point was wide. The Tigers took over a few minutes later, after holding Tech on the latter's 45 yard line. Once more the Tigers line enabled the backs to carry the oval to the Tech's goal line, from where Waltz ran over for a touchdown. Hall's kick split the uprights. Tech received the kickoff, and having seen that they couldn't go through the Tiger line, took to the air. They carried to the Tigers 25 but bogged down. The Tigers took over here and scored two plays later. Hall, behind beautiful blocking, carried to Tech's 32. Hall was then substituted and Bush, who replaced him, cut off tackle for the touchdown. Hall missed his kick for the extra point. The Tigers piled up an amazing 300 yards on the ground, while Tech eked out 75 yards. The Tigers led in first downs, 17-12.









Kilkrease

Helton

# 20—6 "Tigers Get County Championship From Foley"

Before an overflow Armistice Day crowd, the Bay Minette Tigers grabbed the county championship from the Foley Lions, 20-6. The Tigers scored in the first quarter after recovering a Foley fumble and bringing the pigskin down to Foley's six inch line. Shafer dived over the mid-dle to pay dirt. Hall converted. Early in the third quarter, the Tigers recovered a Lion fumble on Foley's 48 yard line. The Tigers had to march over 100 yards to this score, as time and time they had long runs called back and pen-alized 15 yards. Hall finally crossed the double stripes on an off-tackle slant. Once more Hall sent the leather zooming through the uprights to lead 14-0. Foley received the kick-off and took to the aerial route. They lucked passes, catching them after Tiger men had batted them down, only to fall in the arms of a Foley player. They finally lucked a touchdown and Parks tried to crash over center for the extra point, but he was smothered. With two minutes left in the ball game Bay Minette had the ball on their own 32. A Foley guard jumped the gun and was in the Tigers' backfield before the ball was snapped. The head linesman immediately blew his horn, and the referee dropped his handkerchief. For an instant the two teams stood dumbfounded. Then Hall, who had received the ball, realized that he could run and took off. Foley, too, realized it then; and two of their boys took out after Hall, but couldn't catch him.

Foley's coach protested the play, but after arguing with the referees to no advantage, he made his boys come off the field. The final score was 20-6.

#### 13—7 "Tigers Halt Frisco City"

On water-drenched Simmon's Field with mud covering more than half the field, the Tigers were held to a 13-7 victory over Frisco City. The Tigers scored both touchdowns early in the first quarter, and then played defensive ball to hold "Frisco" scoreless till the last minutes of the game. The visitors scored, with the ball on their 30, when a pass was completed out in the flats and the receiver hugged the sidelines to score. They bucked over the center of the Tigers' forward wall for the extra point. The Tigers scored the second time they had the ball. D. Griffin, on an end around, raced 20 yards to score. The try for the extra point was no good. The Tigers were knocking on the goal lines a few minutes later, however, when Stuart climaxed a sustained Tiger drive by crashing over from the one foot line. Hall's kick for the extra point was good.

## 7—7 "Blue Devils Hold Tigers to Deadlock"

The Tigers wound up their 1948 football season with a 7-7 tie with Atmore. This was the Tigers first undefeated season since 1922. This game was played before the largest crowd ever to witness a football game at Atmore. The Tigers were helpless the first half, and the Blue Devils capitalized on a Tiger fumble on the latter's 44 yard line. After a series of line plunges Carl Madison went over to score. Emmons booted the extra point. The score at half time stood 7-0. But in the second half the Tigers changed from a single wing offense to a fast T. This completely baffled the Atmore squad as the Tigers drove them from one end of the field to the other, only to bog down on the goal line, time and again.

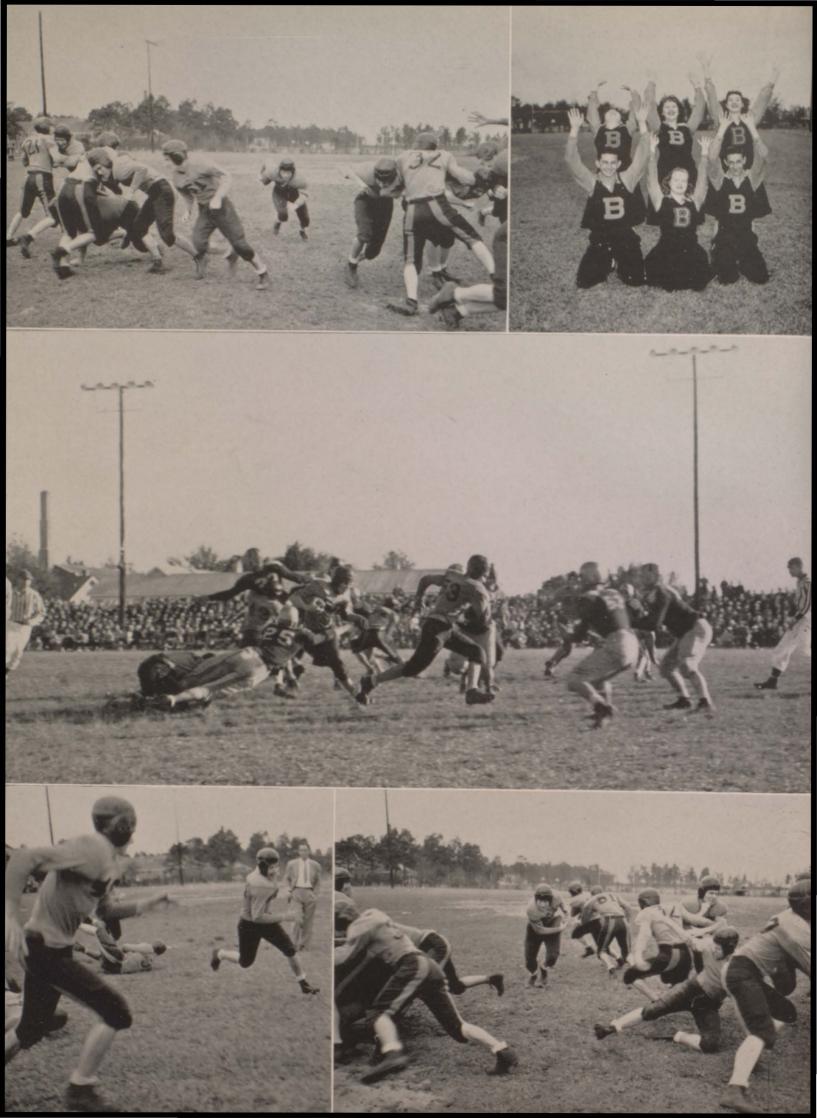
Atmore kicked off at the half, and Bay Minette lost the ball once on downs before they started a victory march. Stuart climaxed a 56 yard drive by smashing over to score. Hall split the uprights. The Tigers drove down to the goal twice again only to be held on downs. The game ended with the Tigers in possession of the ball on the Blue Devils' 34 yard line.

TOP—Cooking up a good one. CENTER—Lucky 13. BOTTOM—Stopped cold.











UPPER—Baby Tigers. LOWER—Baby Tiger Shakes Loose

UPPER-Midget Maneuvers. LOWER-Heads Up?

#### Starting Lineup

Griffin	Right End
Coleman	Right Tackle
Weekley	Right Guard
Davidson	Center
Miller	Left Guard
Jones	Left Tackle
Langston	Left End
Boone (Capt.)	Quarterback
Stuart	Left Half
Shafer	Fullback
Hall	Right Half

#### Substitutes

D. Agerton (E)	Blackman (G)
B. Griffin (E)	Helton (G)
S. Langston (E)	S. Pipkin (C)
J. Agerton (T)	J. Reid (C)
F. Windham (T)	Gene Bryant (
P. Baggett (T)	A. Bush (B)
E. Phillips (T)	C. Byrd (B)
A. Thompson (T)	C. Chunn (B)
Trawick (G)	J. Morris (B)
Killcrease (G)	C. Waltz (B)

OPPOSITE PAGE. Top, left—They can block too! Top, right—Praise Allah! Center—Foley game—pay dirt ahead. Bottom, left—Run, Denver, Run! Bottom, right—What a hole!



UPPER LEFT—Bay Minette turns out to see the Foley game. UPPER RIGHT—Don't fall Jo Anne!
—Praying for victory. LOWER LEFT—Midgets play tag—Let's don't get rough! LOWER RIGHT—
A tense moment in the Foley game.



VARSITY BASKETBALL PLAYERS

Front Row: Thomas Boone, Tiny Hall, Jack Morris, Feulner Stuart. Back Row: Shelby Langston, John Earl Rasberry, Coach Spear, Frank Windham, Donald White.

### Basket Ball

#### BAY MINETTE "A" TEAM **OPPOSITION** Semmes Tech B. C. H. S. 30 46 T. R. Miller B. C. H. S. 21 40 B. C. H. S. 52 Organic 29 B. C. H. S. 34 Fairhope ..... 47 Semmes Tech B. C. H. S. 25 41 B. C. H. S. 23 Frisco City 29 T. R. Miller B. C. H. S. 31 37 B. C. H. S. 42 Atmore 31 B. C. H. S. 21 Foley 34 B. C. H. S. 37 Fairhope 36 Atmore B. C. H. S. 25 46 B. C. H. S. 45 Organic \_\_\_\_\_ 10 B. C. H. S. 32 Robertsdale 28 B. C. H. S. 27 Robertsdale 28 B. C. H. S. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_13 Foley \_\_\_\_\_ 46 Frisco City 37 B. C. H. S. 24 Total 565 Total 482





ROBERTSDALE GETS THE TIP-OFF

DID IT GO IN? IT DID!

### INDIVIDUAL POINTS

Billy Miller	99
Donald White	88
John E. Rasberry	88
Thomas Boone	66
Shelby Langston	57
Jack Morris	48
Tiny Hall	31
Jack Davidson	29
Frank Windham	20
Balford Thompson	11
Booker Stuart	14





MORRIS MAKES ANOTHER BUCKET

MILLER RINGS A FREE SHOT



"B" TEAM

Left to right: Don Sydner, Jack Hall, Julius Brown, Curtis Waltz, Jimmy Reid, Walter Ward, Marshall Kilcrease, Gene Bryant, James Hickman, Murray Davis, Donald Agerton. Center: Coach Spear.

## "B" Team

#### Year's Record

#### Bay Minette Opposition Tigers 23 Semmes Tech 12 Tigers 22 T. R. Miller 20 Tigers \_\_\_\_ 38 National Guard \_\_\_\_\_ 15 Fairhope Tigers 23 21 Tigers 18 Semmes Tech 26 Frisco City Tigers 19 21 Tigers 27 T. R. Miller \_\_\_\_\_ 29 Tigers 36 Atmore \_\_\_\_\_7 Fairhope \_\_\_\_\_ Tigers 35 31 Tigers 26 Atmore 13 31 Robertsdale ..... Tigers Robertsdale 30 Tigers 35 Tigers 22 Frisco City \_\_\_\_\_ 16 Total Points 355 Total Points 245

#### Individual Points

J. B. Johnson	74
Murray Davis	52
Jack Hall	33
Gene Bryant	33
Curtis Waltz	27
Julius Brown	25
Marshall Kilcrease	21
Donald Agerton	22
Buster Ward	17
Gene Johnson	6
Freddy Postma	6



#### JUNIOR TEAM

Front Row: Edmund Smith, Sonny Powell. Second Row: Laverne Steedley, Frankie Nall, Charles Crabtree, Russell Stewart, George Newton. Back Row: Archie Presley, Charles Rider, Neal Trawick, Jimmy Jordan, Alton Johnson, Claude Byrd, Coach Williams.

## Junior Team

### Year's Record

B. C. H. S.	. 19	Loxley	_ 14
B. C. H. S.	. 21	Daphne	18
B. C. H. S.	. 20	Robertsdale	16
B. C. H. S.	4	Foley	38
B. C. H. S.	. 15	Perdido	23
B. C. H. S.	. 17	Summerdale	21
B. C. H. S.	. 19	Robertsdale	32
B. C. H. S.	. 28	Loxley	_ 25
B. C. H. S.	_ 23	Foley	46
B. C. H. S.	23	Daphne	24
B. C. H. S.	. 17	Perdido	24
Jr. Tournament	. 22	Daphne	31
Total	228	Total	312

#### Individual Scores

Byrd	99
Powell	51
Postma	22
Johnson	13
Jordan	22
Trawick	0
Newton	2
Langston	4
Smith	10
Scott	5

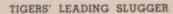


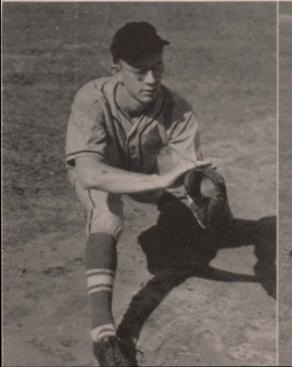
RETURNING LETTERMEN

Seated—Booker Stuart, Donald Agerton, Tiny Hall, Jack Hall, J. B. Johnson. Standing—John Earl Rasberry, Norman Harris, Donald White.

## Baseball at B.C.H.S.

WHAT A STRETCH!











#### ROOKIES

Seated—Gladden Bryars, Julius Brown, Marshall Kilcrease, Alva Bush, James Hickman. Standing
--Gene Johnson, Frank Windham, Buster Ward.

B. C. H. S. has had a baseball team for only the past three years since it was reorganized. In these three years, it has piled up a little over a .500 percentage mark, which isn't bad at all, considering that the first real baseball game in which some of them had ever played was the one the Tigers played three years ago.

Only three graduated from last year's squad. There are only three seniors on this nine; but all three play in the infield, which means that next year we'll have a new infield with one exception. The hitting of the team as a whole is not good, but its fielding is superb. We lost a hurler from last year's squad, but this hole was capably filled by a pitcher who is only a sophomore. We also have two new players this year who came to us from North Alabama.

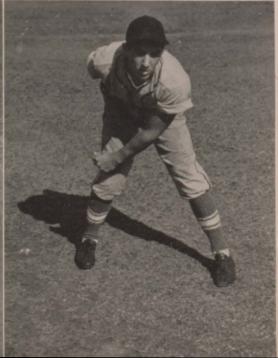
HOLDING HIM ON FIRST

COVERING THE HOT SACK

FAST BALL DELIVERY







... and to those who helped to make it all possible, our beloved

# FACULTY





MR. C. V. DANIELS, Principal B. S. Livingston, S. T. C. University, Alabama

## The Faculty

The B. C. H. S. Faculty under the able supervision of Prof. C. V. Daniels was composed this year of 25 members, ten of whom were newcomers, but who were soon initiated into the ways of B. C. H. S. We lost one of our members at the end of the first semester when Mrs. Killibrew resigned. Mr. Lee took her place. On the whole the faculty has enjoyed a cooperative and profitable year with only a few minor irritations.



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... First, I'll don my Freshmen togs and introduce the

# UNDERCLASSMEN



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Bertha M. Blair
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Merle Jones Shirley Moorer Margaret Overstreet Faye Middleton Gussie Jacobs Elnora Hosford

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Jewel Boyington
Nora Mae Cooper

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Willie Floyd Godwin Nathan Scott Calvin Burt Newburn Boutwell Helen Jones Fannie Mae Davis Mary Broughton Dorothea Rae Fleming

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Edna Johnson Ima Jean Trawick Lora Louise Little Annette Miller Dorothy Parker

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Frank Nall Richard Snyder Thomas Jaye
Junior Harville
Loyd Morrow



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Patty White
Ethel Van Dyke Frank Propst

Charles Rider Isaac White Roger Presnall George Wasdin Archie Presley Eugene Sims

John Thames Lavene Steedley Joe White Milton Wilson Huey Quinley Hannis Rider Carl Williams

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Lavada Thompson Annie Mae Tanner Cecil Williams Mrs. Stough Mrs. Busbee Mrs. Spear Betty Neal Bobbye Langham Yvonne Quinley

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Myrtle Foster

Nell Arington Retha Smith Viola Floyd Ruby Dean Dorman Helen Lilly
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Helen Lamberth Gwendolyn Watts
Thelma Allen Viola Vol Doris Neal Imogene Jerkins
Betty Boan
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Mary Willis

Viola Yarborough Myrtle Joyce Heaton Willie Mae Fleming Joyce Cassidy Georgia Langham Barbara Boan Martha Clemmons



## Ninth Grade Boys

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Leo Travis
Mrs. Busbee
Mrs. Spear
Mrs. Stough
Bobby McGill
on
Billy G. Cruitt

Neal Trawick
Y. C. Richerson
Cecil McLain
Mack Moorer
W. D. McDowell
David Conway
Kit
Gale Boykin

Neal Trawick
Donald Smith
Bobby Knight
Gene White
Gene White
Eugene Vines
Ray Clark
Lowell Walker
Lowell Walker
Billy McMillan
Billy McMillan
Jimmie Hinote
Eugene Trawick
Thomas Bailey
W. C. Blair



DOWN AMONG THE SHELTERING PALMS
J. W. Tolbert—President; Jackie Gilbert—Vice President

## Sophomores

President J. W. Tolbert
Vice Presidents Jackie Gilbert
Anna Lyle West
Joyce Mosley
Secretary Sammy Pipkin
Treasurer Charlotte Van Dyke
Sponsors Miss Leonard
Mrs. Milam
Miss Nichols

The outstanding event of the year for the Sophomores is their annual "Sophomore Hop" which was as usual a big success. Everyone reported a gala time. They made the money for this affair by selling cokes and hot dogs at football games.

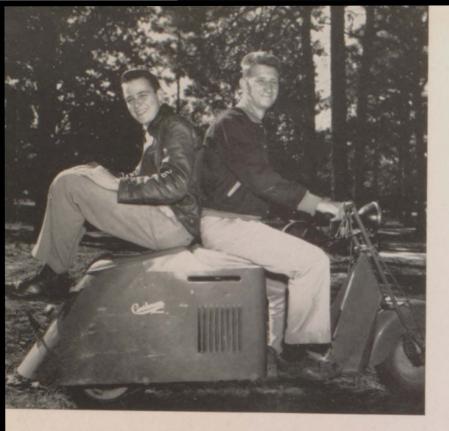
Standing: J. W. Tolbert, James Presley, Jackie Gilbert, Gay Nell McElhaney, Charlotte Van Dyke. First Row: Louise Nall, Beth Thames, Kitty Jones, Elizabeth Peterson, Dorothy Lee Sherrer, Sara Nell Skipper, Georgia Mae Pittman, Lois Allen, Doris Bryars. Second Row: Flossie Morrow, Iris Stanton, Ollie Marie Graham, Melvin Bell, Miss Nichols, Mrs. Milam, Miss Leonard, Ruby Emmanuel, Erma Broughton. Third Row: Myrtle Henley, Eula Hadley, Mazie Dean, Emily Ruth Hammond. Aletta Thompson, Opal Thompson, Oletta Durant, Lorie Marie Postom, Mitzie Forte, Maxine Page, Evie France, Rita. Thomley, Susie Waters, Donald Agerton, Alva Bush, Charles Chunn, Eugene Sanks, Robert Jaye, Sammy Crane, Gladyn Bryars, Curtis White, Mabry Long. Fourth Row: Faith Shiver, Annie Lou Wallace, Frankie McGill, Janice Peacock, Thelma Lane, Luvita Ann Tomlinson, Eunice Stuart, Margaret Phillips, Bettye Wright, Maureen Kervin, Lucille Overstreet, Maryland Jones, Audrey Long, Trez Van Lee, Allen Hayes, James Millstead, Pat Baggett, Curtis Waltz, Jimmy Reid, Gladys Amos, James Cooper, Frank Windham. Fifth Row: Ruth Little, Marie Little, Mary Jane Huggins, Randolph Watts, Johnny Taylor, Walter Ward, Wilbur Deer, Betty Trawick, James Erwin, Eunice Phillips, Joe Hall, Sammy Pipkin, Ann Humphries, Kathryn Hammond, Anna Lyle West, Marjorie Overstreet, Fred Dempsey, George Lee, J. T. Mosley, Murry Davis, Aubrey Long, Bobby Sam McDill, Balford Thompson.





## Sophomores

Left to right—First Row: Margaret Allen, Melvine Bell, Evelyn Bohannon, Gladyn Bryars, Mitizi Forte, Evie France, Jacqueline Gilbert. Second Row: Ollie Marie Graham, Allen Hayes, Kathryn Hammond, Ann Humphreys, Janes Irwin, Kathleen Jones, Marilyn Jones. Third Row: Trez Van Lee, Ed Le Voy, Ruth Little, Gay Nell McElhaney, Flossie Morrow, Lucille Overstreet, Margie Overstreet. Fourth Row: Janice Peacock, Eileen Peterson, Eunice Phillips, Sammy Pipkin, Noma Quinley, Jimmy Reid, Dorothy Sherrer, Faith Shiver. Fifth Row: Eula Lee Stewart, Betty Trawick, Charlotte Van Dyke, Walter Ward, Susie Waters, Anna Lyle West, Wynel Williams, Betty Wright.



#### TOOT, TOOT, TOOTSIE-GOODBYE!

Kenneth Trawick-President; A. W. Ferguson-Vice President

## Juniors

President Kenneth Trawick

Vice Pres. A. W. Ferguson

Sec'y-Treas. Erwin Davidson

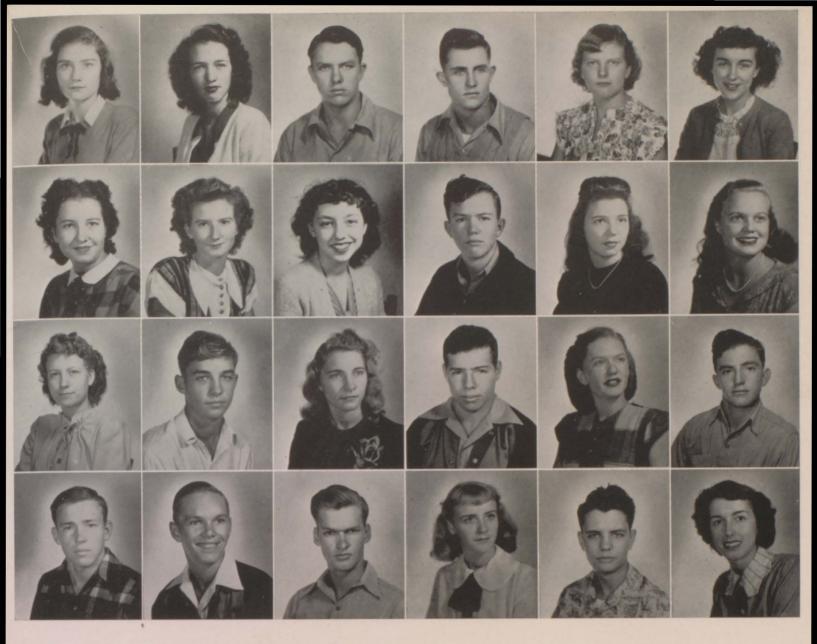
Sponsors Miss Matthews

Mr. Lee, Mr. Morris

The Junior Class has as usual had a busy year getting ready for their big annual event — The Junior-Senior Banquet. We hear rumors that it is to be a Prom this year instead of a banquet. We are confident, however, that whatever it turns out to be it will prove an exceedingly enjoyable affair.

Front Row: Lee Catrett, Wilfred Hayle, Freddy Postma, Lamar Trawick, Brooks McDill, Philip Dickman, D. C. Coleman, Cecil Coleman, Billy Thompson. Second Row: A. W. Ferguson, Deanie Langham, Tiny Hall, Susan Stephenson Joe Shafer, Mr. Morris, Mrs. Killibrew, Billy Joe Griffin, Mary Frances McDavid, Betty Reid, Kenneth Trawick. Third Row: Rena Mae Overstreet, Helen Chandler, Daisy Rotch, Lois Paul, Ruth Weekley, Lyda Little, Evelyn Mosley, Patricia Heaton, Johnnie Ruth Ball, Jean Burnett, Gloria Burch, Rachel Purvis, Gladys Irwin, Orlan Allen, Lamar Pittman, Otis Presley, Herman Harville, Jasper Stewart, Leon Biggs, Raymond Wilson, A. G. Flowers. Fourth Row: Bernice Middleton, Ann Willis, Betty Little, Jo Anne McKenzie, Betty Joyce Newton, Gloria Sandburg, Lucille Tuck, Gloria Little, Betty Jo Hall, Mollice Flowers, Delores Little, Ruth Taylor, Sue Harris, Joan Wilson, Johnnie Mae Morris, Benford Cruitt, Albert Blount, J. B. Johnson, Norman Harris, Arthur Harville, J. B. McDowell, Elvie Blackmon, Sabra Stough. Back Row: Evie Mae Crabtree, Nell Ree Coleman, Jean Pullen, Dorothy Neal, Elaine Coleman, Luverne Emmons, Jean Pope, Mildred Murphy, Bonnie Boone, Carol Broughton, Marjorie Reiben, Joyce Steedly, Annie Laurie Taylor, Julius Brown, Gene Bryant, Odell Robinson, John Wallace Wilson, Frank Burt, Donald White, Wilson Chanove, Adrian Thompson, Emanuel Quinley, Cecil Jones, Jimmie Dell Powell, Leon Morrow.





## Juniors

#### LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Johnnie Ruth Ball

Bonnie Boone

Elvie Blackmon

Gene Bryant

Gloria Burch

Jean Burnette

#### Second Row

Carol Broughton

Helen Chandler

Alice Jo Conway

Lee Catrett

Evie Mae Crabtree

Erwin Davidson

#### Third Row

Luverne Emmons

Wilfred Hayle

Betty Jo Hall

Tiny Hall

Sue Harris

Herman Harville

#### Fourth Row

Edward Helton

Cecil Jones

Elver Lee

Lyda Little

J. C. Long

Mary Frances McDavid



## Juniors

# First Row J. B. McDowell Brooks McDill Jo Anne McKenzie Bernice Middleton Evelyn Mosley

Mildred Murphy

# Second Row Betty Joyce Newton Freddy Postma Jean Pope Jimmie Dell Powell Rachel Purvis Betty Reid

Third Row

Marjorie Reiben

Daisy Rotch

Sabra Stough

Ruth Taylor

Billy Thompson

Kenneth Trawick

Fourth Row
Lamar Trawick
Lucille Tuck
Ruth Weekly
Raymond Wilson
Ann Willis
John W. Wilson
Joan Wilson

... and now across the stage walk the serious

## SENIORS





#### WHAT A PAIR!

Charles Weatherford—President; John E. Rasberry—Vice President

## Seniors

President Charles Weatherford

Vice. Pres. John Earl Rasberry

Sec'y-Treas. Helen Smith

Sponsors—Mrs. West, Mrs. Smith

First Row: Charles Weatherford, Peggy Pullen, Betty Trawick, Julie Minchew, Jeanna Mann, Carolyn Thomley, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. West, Eleanor McGill, Mildred Roley, Betty Bryars, Amy Richerson, John Earl Rasberry. Second Row: Billy Windham, Henry Pittman, Herman Powell, Agnew Thompson, Myrtice Carr, L. T. Weekley, Betty Jean Duck, Grace Weekley, Helen Smith, Janice Cox, Mazie Parker, Ethel McDowell, Loree Johnson, Nell Ree Smith, Betty Nell Byrd, Nellie Harris, Jean Phillips, Carlton Boutwell, Jack Morris, Jasper Stewart. Third Row: Morris Gilbert, Norville Davis, Shelby Langston, Feulner Stuart, George Byrne, Leroy Coleman, Arthur Clements, Betty Hadley, Doris Turner, Eloise Chunn, Erma Clyde Gentry, Eunice Turner, Ruby Mae Hammond, Juanita Neal, Jeanette Thompson, Faye Harville, Emma Jean Duck, Thomas Boone, John Jones, Billy Miller, Julian Mixon, Robert King, Fourth Row: John Conway, J. W. Agerton, W. B. Overstreet, Buddy Peacock, Denver Griffin, Billy Little, John Barton, Bryan Thompson, Donald Watts, Robert Stuart, Marshall Killcrease, Elmer Phillips, Dudley Howell, Jack Davidson, Laurie McMillan, Jack Hall, Ivan Stewart, Rayford King, James Emmons.



#### Senior Memories of 1948-1949

On August 25, we found ourselves beginning the year to which we had looked forward for eleven preceding years. At last we were having our fling at sophistication. What sophisticated seniors! To add to our dignity our class rings arrived. How important we felt!

Immediately the lunch room was taken over and carried on under the supervision of Morris Gilbert. Then Morris moved away and Emma Jean Duck took over the lunch room management. My! where did all the senior profit go? In February the highlight of our conversation was the Army-Navy Magazine Contest. The Army enjoyed a large box of candy as the result of their victory, and they are looking forward to being entertained at a picnic by the Navy in the near future. The lunch room and the magazine contest are the two annual projects of the seniors and the profit is presented as a parting gift from the class to its dear "ole Alma Mater." Everyone is wondering what the great surprise will be this year!

Hallowe'en night we were entertained by our room mothers, Mrs. Duck and Mrs. Barton, at a Hallowe'en party. The fortune teller seemed to know more about our life than we knew ourselves. We really had lots of fun!

Thanksgiving came before we knew it and with it the big football game of the year—the game with Atmore. Our undefeated Tigers tied and almost won. Of course, we believe that a good share of the credit for this undefeated season must be given to the nine members of the team who were from our senior class!

In and out among the highlights of the year are woven the numerous smaller memories little memories which we could never forget because they make the picture complete.

Remember the orange and black jalopy which belonged to James Emmons? One day it seems that about six of our seniors lost their "so-called sophistication" in a wreck in this car. How could they do such a thing to us? And it happened right in front of "ole" B.C.H.S. too. No one was hurt and they didn't get to miss one single class.

Then the blessed event occurred—"dear ole Arabella" had her face lifted. She changed drivers right in the middle of the school year. And who is Arabella? Just that faithful old conveyance which has brought Mrs. West to school so faithfully every day for the past 15 years. Yes, dear Arabella passed into the loving hands of Jack Davidson who promises never to speed while she is under his control. Smooth rolling, Jack!

As we look back over our classes, we see that they really weren't so bad. We always managed to have loads of fun. Miss Leonard will never forget her chemistry and physics students. The fond memories of the "Physics Five" will be surrounded by—you guessed it—the smell of Miss Leonard's gold fish frying! And here's to the geometry class of 1948-49, who so bravely survived the war every day at fourth period. We will our foxholes to next year's geometry class. It seems that the typing students always begged Mr. Morris to give them speed tests. Especially, John Earl Rasberry!

Frequent visitors to see us during the year are the representatives from the different colleges who questioned us about our future plans. Of course we all know what the girl's plan for the future are—a husband and a home. But they do try to fool us! Ruby Hammonds has already rung her goal. Congratulations, Ruby!

We really felt our heads swell the day we measured for caps and gowns. Several days later we selected our invitations. This also inflated our ego; that is, until Mr. Daniels told us that we had to pay as we ordered. Wow! What a let down!!!! We also were questioned about the way our John Henry should go on that piece of sheepskin which we hope to receive.

Then came Mardi Gras Day! Poor Mrs. West had only four seniors in her literature class. "Very boring day," she said. We all had loads of fun! The remainder of the week spent nursing sore feet!

Other memories of this busy senior year were the A.E.A. holidays (how unusual); Beta Convention in Birmingham (The Lost Week-End); Opening of the Night Club, "Coca-Cabana"; Mr. Lee's Economics; Science Convention in Troy. We are still looking forward to the exciting events at the end of school—the Junior-Senior Prom (we'll all be starry-eyed)—senior privileges, the all-day picnic at the Gulf, senior parties, and most of all we're looking forward to those final exams!

As we look back over the year we realize it has been a good one—"the **best year** of our lives."

Agerton Baggett Barton Boone

Brown Bryars Byrne

Byrd Carr Chunn Clement

Conway Cox Davidson Davis

B. Duck E. Duck Emmons Fleming

#### FIRST ROW

J. W. Agerton . . . "Bo"

Favorite expression-"Ain't got no more!" Favorite occupation—Eatin' F. F. A. '45, '46, '47

Douglas Baggett . . . "Doug"

Favorite expression-"Aw, go jump in the lake!" Favorite occupation—Singing F. F. A. '47, '48, '49 Camera Club '45, '46 Band '47, '48, '49 Dramatics Club '47, '48, '49 Glee Club '47, '48, '49

John Ed Barton . . . "B-H Jr."

Favorite expression-"Do unto others before you get did." Favorite occupation-Just moseying around Science Club '49 Beta Club '49

Thomas Boone . . . "Eagle"

Favorite expression-"Look out now!" Favorite expression— Look out no Favorite occupation—Sports
B Club '46, '47, '48, '49
Football '46, '47, '48, '49
Basketball '47, '48, '49
Student Council '46, '47, '48, '49

#### SECOND ROW

Carlton Boutwell . . . "Nibler"

Favorite expression-"Ah! Foot!" Favorite occupation—Singing F. F. A. '47, '48 Band '48

Dale Brown . . . "Sunshine"

Favorite expression—"You Scoundrel!" Favorite occupation—Fishing, Froging and Flunking F. F. A. '46, '47, '48

Betty Bryars . . . "Merl"

Favorite expression-"Well, I'll say!" Favorite occupation-Singing

George T. Byrne, Jr. . . . "G. B."

Favorite expression—"Now, Stop!"
Favorite occupation—Going to Mac's

#### THIRD ROW

Betty Nell Byrd . . . "Shorty"

Favorite expression-"My Cow!" Favorite occupation-Letter writing 4-H Club '46, '47 Beta Club '47, '48, '49 Balcoala Staff '48, '49

Myrtice Carr . . . "Mutt"

Favorite expression—"Shoot! I reckon!"
Favorite occupation—Studying
Student Council '48, Pres. '49
F. H. A. Song Leader '47, Sec.-Treas. '48, President '49
G. A. A. Sec.-Treas. '47, Vice Pres. '48, President '49
A.H. Chib. Pres. '47 4-H Club, Pres. '47

Eloise Chunn . . . "Kitten"

Favorite expression—"That do make it!" Favorite occupation—Selling popcorn F. H. A. '47, '48, '49 G. A. A. '46, '47, '48, '49

Arthur Clement . . . "Bubber"

Favorite expression—"Crazy Rascal!" Favorite occupation—Shooting pool

#### FOURTH ROW

John Conway . . . "Professor" Favorite expression—"Live high, die young!"
Favorite occupation—Pleasing Miss Leonard
Beta Club '47, '48, '49
Camera Club '47, '48, '49 Band '47, '48 Science Club, Parliamentarian '48, Program Chairman '49 Editor of Annual '49

Janice Cox . . . "Jane"

Favorite expression-"Goodness!" Favorite occupation—Riding with Helen
Camera Club '47, '48, Sec. '49
Science Club, Corres. Sec. '48, Vice. Pres. '49 F. H. A. '48 Sec. of Student Council '49

Jack Davidson . . . "Zonie"

Favorite expression-"You guys!" Favorite occupation—Loafing B Club '47, '48, '49 Football '47, '48, '49 Basketball '47, '48, '49

Norville Davis . . . "B. H."

Favorite expression-"Here today, gone tomorrow!" Favorite occupation—Pharmacy Science Club '48, Pres. '49 Camera Club '49

#### FIFTH ROW

Betty Jean Duck . . . "Pud"

Favorite expression—"Do help my soul and heel!" Favorite occupation—Going to conventions Camera Club '48, '49
Beta Club '47, '48, Pres. '49
F. H. A. Sec. '47, Vice Pres. '48, Reporter '49
Glee Club '46, '47, '48, Pres. '49

Emma Jean Duck . . . "Duck"

Favorite expression-"Shoot!" Favorite occupation—Working in the lunchroom F. H. A. '47, '48, Treas. '49 Library Club '48, '49

James Emmons . . . "Charlie" Favorite expression-"Goodness! Favorite occupation-Daydreaming

Barbara Fleming . . . "Bobbye"
Favorite expression—"Sugar!" Favorite expression—Sugar!
Favorite occupation—Going to ball games
F. H. A. '46, '47
Glee Club '46, '47
"B" Club '48, '49
Cheerleader '48, '49
Study Club '47, '48

Harville Hayles Howell Johnson Jones Ray. King Rob. King Langston

Little Mann McDowell McGill

Gentry Gilbert Griffin Guy

Hadley Hall

Hammond Harris

FIRST ROW

Erma Clyde Gentry . . . "Worm"

Favorite expression—"Golly Pete!"

Favorite occupation—Talking

Beta Club '48, '49

F. H. A. '48, '49

4-H Club '46, '47

Morris Gilbert

Favorite expression—"Shoot, I reckon!" Favorite occupation—Managing lunchroom

Denver Griffin . . . "Den"

Favorite expression—"Aw, now."

Favorite occupation—Playing ball in the jail yard

Football '47, '48, '49

Peggy Guy . . . "Guy"

Favorite expression—"Holy Cow!"

Favorite occupation—Drinking cokes and flirting
F. H. A. '47, '48, Parliamentarian '49

Beta Club '48, '49
G. A. A. '47, '48, '49

SECOND ROW

Betty Hadley . . "Shorty" Favorite expression—"Shoot!" Favorite occupation—Just having fun

Lonnie Jackson Hall . . . ''Jack''
Favorite expression—"For the love o'mike!"
Favorite occupation—Playing baseball
B Club '48
Baseball '47, '48, '49
Football '48
Basketball '48, '49

Ruby Hammond . . "Red" Favorite expression—"My goodness!" Favorite occupation—Playing the piano F. H. A. '47, '48, '49 G. A. A. '47, '48, '49

Nellie Harris . . . "Sally"

Favorite expression—"It's just a childish ambition!"

Favorite occupation—Secretarial work

THIRD ROW

Faye Harville

Favorite expression—"Don't be funny!"
Favorite occupation—Driving
G. A. A. '48, '49
F. H. A. '47, '48, '49

Calvin Hayles . . "Boogie"

Favorite expression—"Eat more, grow more!"
F. F. A. '46, '47, '48, '49

Glee Club '48, '49

Dudley Howell . . . "Dude"

Favorite expression—"Good-night!"
Favorite occupation—Annoying people
B Club, Cheerleader '49

Loree Johnson . . . "Fannie"

Favorite expression—"O.K., I'll admit, I'm wrong!" Favorite occupation—Secretarial work G. A. A. '48, '49

FOURTH ROW

John Jones . . "Available Jones" Favorite expression—"For a price!" Favorite occupation—Fishing and hunting F. F. A. '47, '48

Glee Club '49 B Club '47, '48, Sec.-Treas. '49

Rayford King . . . "Tutsie"

Favorite expression—"Well, I'll be!"

Favorite occupation—Playing ball

F. F. A. '47, '48, '49

Robert King . . . "Bob"

Favorite expression—"Like so much bull!"
Favorite occupation—Swimming

Shelby Langston . . . "Tub"

Favorite expression—"Gosh!"
Favorite occupation—Dating Ann
B Club '47, '48, '49
Beta Club '47, '48, '49
Student Council '47, '48, '49

FIFTH ROW

Billy Little . . . "Meatball"

Favorite expression—"Kid!"

Favorite occupation—Women

Glee Club '47, '48, Vice Pres. '49

Jeanna Dean Mann . . . "Jeanaling"

Favorite expression—"Dear, Dear!"

Favorite occupation—Clerk

Ethel McDowell . . . "Sunshine"

Favorite expression—"Good grief!" Favorite occupation—Laughing F. H. A. '48, '49 G. A. A. '48, Sec.-Treas. '49

Eleanor McGill . . . "Randy"

Favorite expression—"Aw now honey chile!" Favorite occupation—Playing Boogie Woogie G. A. A. '48, '49 4-H Club '46, '47

McMillian Miller Minchew Mixon

Morris Neal Parker Peacock

E. Phillips J. Phillips Pittman Powell

Pullen Rasberry Richardson Roley

H. Smith N. Smith Stuart Stewart

#### FIRST ROW

Laurie McMillan . . "Lollie"

Favorite expression—"I don't know!"

Favorite occupation—Dating Jackie

Beta Club '48, '49

Science Club, '48, '49

Student Council '48

Billy Miller . . "Billy"

Favorite expression—"Gaw-aw-lee!"

Favorite occupation—Working crossword puzzles

B Club '47, '48, Pres. '49

Beta '48, '49

Football '47, '48, '49

Basketball '48, '49

Julie Minchew . . "Judy"
Favorite expression—"Tacky!"
Favorite occupation—Recreation
F. H. A. '47, '48, '49
G. A. A. '47, '48, '49
Beta Club '47, '48, '49

Julian Mixon . . "Square Root"

Favorite expression—"Jeepers!"

Favorite occupation—Giggling

F. F. A. '46, '47

#### SECOND ROW

Jack Morris . . "Jacksone"

Favorite expression—"Geeze, you guys!"

Favorite occupation—Sports

F. F. A. '47, Pres. '48, '49

Beta Club '47, '48, Treas. '49

B Club '49

Football '49

Basketball '48, '49

Juanita Neal . . "Nita"
Favorite expression—"Oh! Gosh!"
Favorite occupation—Candy making

Mazie Parker . . "Sleepy Head" Favorite expression—"Slap her down, Maw!" Favorite occupation—Laughing

Augustus Peacock . . . "Buddy"
Favorite expression—"Heck!"
Favorite occupation—Flirting

#### THIRD ROW

Elmer Phillips . . . "Fudd"

Favorite expression—"Another day, another dollar; A million days, a million dollars"

Favorite occupation—Arguing
F. F. A. '45, '46, '47

Football '47, '48

Anna Jean Phillips . . "Blondie"
Favorite expression—"Shoot!"
Favorite occupation—Reading

Henry Pittman . . . "Chicken"

Favorite expression—"What're you're doi'n, writin' a book?"

Favorite occupation—Pickin' on people

Camera Club '48, '49

F. F. A. '47, '48, '49

#### Herman Powell . . . "Slick"

Favorite expression—"Oh! My goodness!" Favorite occupation—Shootin' spit balls F. F. A. '46, Vice Pres. '47 and '48

#### FOURTH ROW

#### Katheryn Louise Pullen . . . "Peggy"

Favorite expression—"Gee Whiz!" Favorite occupation—Swimming F. H. A. '47, '48, '49 G. A. A. '46, '47, '48, '49

#### John Earl Rasberry . . . "Razz"

Favorite expression—"Don't look at me, I didn't do it!"
Favorite occupation—Telling jokes
Vice President Senior Class '49
Beta Club '48, '49
Basketball, '48, '49
B Club '48, '49
Camera Club '47, '48, '49
Vice President Student Council '48
Baseball '47, '48, '49
Sports Editor of Balcoala '49

#### Amy Lee Richardson . . . "Red"

Favorite expression—Gosh-lee!" Favorite occupation—Art G. A. A. '47, '48, '49 F. H. A. '47, '48, '49

#### Mildred Roley . . . "Bonnie"

Favorite expression—"Are you kidding?"
Favorite occupation—Gossiping
Beta Club '46, '47, '48, '49
G. A. A. '46, '47
4-H Club '46, '47

#### FIFTH ROW

#### Helen Smith . . . "Sister"

Favorite expression—"Oh! Foot!"
Favorite occupation—Driving that Ford
Beta Club '47, '48, Sec. '49
Science Club '48, '49
Music Club '47, '48, '49
Study Club '47, '48, '49
Glee Club '47, '48

#### Nellree Smith . . . "Nellie"

Favorite expression—"Good night!" Favorite occupation—Smiling Beta Club '47, '48, '49 G. A. A. '48, '49

#### Feulner Stuart . . . "Booker"

Favorite expression—"Gol-ly!"
Favorite occupation—Visiting Atmore
B Club '47, '48, '49
Football '46, '47, '48, '49
Basketball '48, '49
Baseball '47, '48, '49

#### Ivan Stewart

Favorite expression—"By golly!" Favorite occupation—Playing ball F. F. A. '46, '47, '48, '49

Stewart Stuart Thompson B. Thompson J. Thompson Thomley Trawick D. Turner E. Turner Watts Weatherford G. Weekley

L. Weekley Windham Yarbrough

#### FIRST ROW

#### Jasper Stewart

Favorite expression—"Always do your best!" Favorite occupation—Studying F. F. A. '46, '47, '48, '49

#### Robert Stuart . . . "Bobby"

Favorite expression—"Good gosh!"
Favorite occupation—Roaming in a Chrysler

#### Agnew Thompson . . . "Sonny"

Favorite expression—"It ain't time to go home"
Favorite occupation—Singing
Comera Club '47, '48, '49
Science Club '48, Sec. '49
Glee Club '48, Sec. '49
Band '46, '47, '48, '49

#### SECOND ROW

#### Bryan Thompson . . . "Pete"

Favorite expression—"Shoot!"
Favorite occupation—Hunting and fishing
F. F. A. '47

#### Jeanette Thompson . . . "Net"

Favorite expression—"My cow!" Favorite occupation—Reading Beta Club '47, '48, '49 Science Club '49

#### Carolyn Thomley . . . "Thumbly"

Favorite expression—"Gee whiz!" Favorite occupation—Cooking 4-H Club '47, '48, '49 Beta Club '47, '48, '49

#### THIRD ROW

#### Betty Trawick

Favorite expression—"Great day!"
Favorite occupation—Talking to Orlan
F. H. A. '48, Vice Pres. '49
G. A. A. '47, '48, '49
Balcoala Staff, Jr. Reporter '48, Business Mgr. '49

#### Doris Olene Turner . . . "Red-headed Angel"

Favorite expression—"Aw, Shoot!" Favorite occupation—Making sodas

#### Eunice Turner . . . "Bug"

Favorite expression—"You're telling 1!"
Favorite occupation—Joking
G. A. A. '47, '48, '49
Student Council '49
4-H Club, Yell Leader '47

#### FOURTH ROW

#### Donald Watts . . . "Doc"

Favorite expression—"O, heck!"
Favorite occupation—Working in the lunch room

#### Charles Weatherford . . . "Charlie"

Favorite expression—"Shoot!"
Favorite occupation—Loafing
President Senior Class '49
Vice President Junior Class '48
B Club '49
Cheerleader '49

#### Grace Weekley . . . "Sprig"

Favorite expression—"Heck!"
Favorite occupation—Fixing others' troubles
Camera Club '47, '48, '49
Science Club '48, Sec. '49
Music Club '47, '48, '49
F. H. A. '47, '48, Song Leader '49
Glee Club '48

#### FIFTH ROW

#### Louis Thomas Weekley . . . "L. T."

Favorite expression—"Shoot"
Favorite occupation—Riding horseback
F. F. A. '47
Football '47, '48, '49
Science Club '48, '49

#### Billy Windham

Favorite expression—"Great day!" Favorite occupation—Skipping school F. F. A. '49

#### Leola Yarborough . . . "Lee"

Favorite expression—"Oh, my!"
Favorite occupation—Being monitor
F. H. A. '47, '48, '49
Beta Club '47, '48, '49

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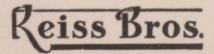
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