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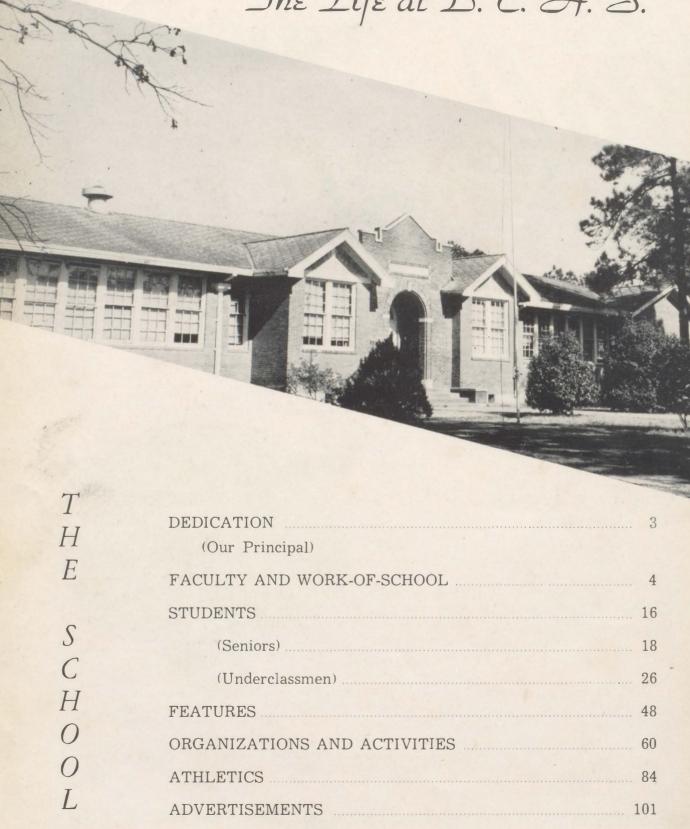
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TO YOU...

The Life at B. C. H. S.

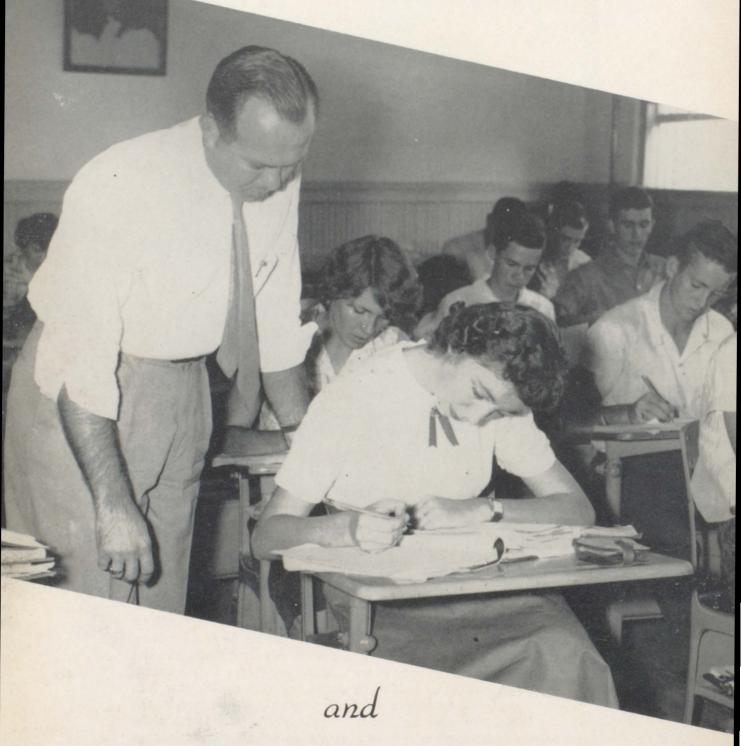


DEDICATION



The staff of the 1954 Balcoala, on behalf of the student body of B.C.H.S. dedicates this publication to a deserving man, our principal, Colombia Valparasio Daniels. At times his efforts to educate us were not appreciated; but as we grew older, we realized that all of his work and decisions were for us, the students. Many times we forgot that he was a man who loved his family and his T. V. set. We didn't think of the time he spent with us after school hours—at football games, basketball games, baseball games, dances, and other school events. He was always the first there and the last to leave. At the end of a dance, we usually found him with a broom in his hand; picking up coke bottles, or arranging chairs. We saw him ever present at out-of-town games; ready to answer any question in the best way he could. We saw him ready to give advice, and to calm the troubled waters of high school life. He is a man we all admire; a man whose life is devoted to young people. We will never forget his many efforts to make our school a better institution in every way. We will never forget our principal, C. V. Daniels.

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WORK OF SCHOOL





ABOVE:

C. V. Daniels, Principal—B.S. Livingston State Teachers College; M. A. University of Alabama.

Wallace R. Williams, Assistant Principal — B. S. Livingston State Teachers College.

Robert Campbell, Coach — B. S., M. A. Mississippi Southern.

BELOW, TOP—Edward Barlow, social studies, physical education—B. S. Troy State Teachers College. Miss Doris Beech, commercial—B. S. Livingston State Teachers College. Mrs. Amelia Bennett, English, social studies—University of Alabama. Mrs. Clara Bolon, science, physical education—B. S. Alabama College. Wiley Bowers, history—B. S. Jacksonville State Teachers College; M. A. University of Alabama.

BOTTOM—Mrs. Thelma Busbee, social studies—A. B. Huntingdon College. C. F. Echols, science, democracy—B. S. Howard College; M. A. University of Alabama. Mrs. Margaret Hearn, physical education—B. S. Troy State Teachers College. Mrs. Doris Hodgson, home economics—B. S., A. P. I. Adolphus Jones, diversified occupations instructor—B. S., A. P. I.



Administration and Faculty











ABOVE:

Mrs. Linda Jones, music — Troy; Birmingham Southern.

Miss Lillian Leonard, science — B. S. Brownville College; M. A. University of Alabama.

Miss Marjorie Matthews, mathematics— University of Chicago; Daphne Normal School.

Elison McDuffie, mathematics — B. S. Troy State Teachers College.

Paul McKinney, English—M. A. Emory University.

RIGHT:

Mrs. Bessie Milam, mathematics—B. S. Livingston State Teachers College.

BELOW, TOP:

B. H. Nall. vocational agriculture—M.A.

A. P. I. Wilford Nealey, commercial—B. S. Livingston State Teachers College. Miss Gladys Nichols, English—B. S., M. A. University of Alabama. Mrs. Julia Noonan, mathematics— A. B. Alabama College. D. E. Papenbrock, band—B. S. St. Ambrose College; M. A. Northwestern University.

BOTTOM: Mrs. Ella Mae Smith, English—A. B. Huntingdon. Mrs. Mary A. Stough, librarian—A. B. Alabama College. Mrs. Mary A. West, English, French—A. B. Morningside College. Miss Ruth West, English, Spanish—A. B. Huntingdon, National University of Mexico; M. A. University of Texas. Mrs. Inez Zehner, science—Alabama College. CAMERA SHY: Miss Estelle Rountree, music—B. S. Judson.





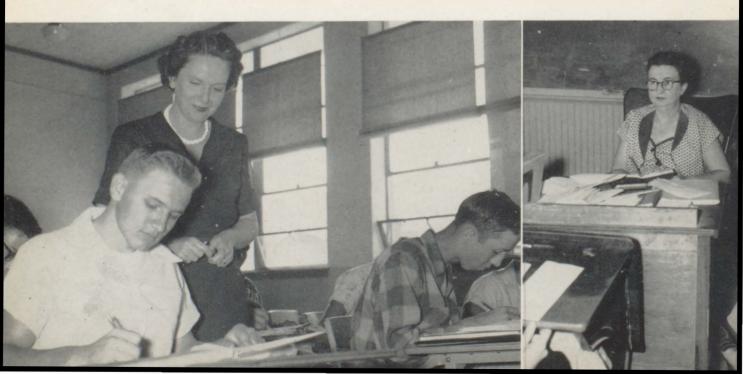


Senior Science

Those who wish to take science in senior high are well trained by Mrs. Zehner, who teaches junior high science. She is shown demonstrating an experiment to one of her classes. After the excellent tutoring of Mrs. Zehner, the students who wish to continue may do so under Miss Lillian Leonard, who teaches biology, chemistry, physics, and mechanical drawing, or Mr. Echols, who teaches senior science, a course for those who wish a well-rounded curriculum. The student who plans to major in some branch of science in college plan to take biology during his sophomore year, chemistry during his junior year, and physics during his senior year.

Senior Mathematics

Our math department is headed by Mrs. Noonan who teaches algebra 2 and geometry, and Miss Matthews who teaches algebra 1. For students planning on attending college, math is a must. A good fundamental base to build on is a great help for future engineers, teachers, and even a housewife has to know how to measure! It is definitely an advantage for all of us to know that x plus y equal z. Mathematics is a difficult subject for many of us, especially anything more complicated than two plus two equals four. As you see in the picture below, Raymond Day and Edmund Hare seem to be doing just fine, so it really must not be too hard. The rewards of perserverence and determination are many in the field of mathematics.





Senior English

The wonderful teachers who attempt to teach English to the senior high students of B. C. H. S. are Miss Gladys Nichols, Mrs. Harry West, and Mrs. Ella Mae Smith. Mrs. Smith teaches the sophomores, starting them off on the long road of Shakespeare, verbs, clauses, phrases, and themes. Next, Mrs. West who teaches the junior class. She continues with studies of American literature, verbs, clauses, phrases and themes. Last is Miss Nichols, who gives the students a sound basis for stepping into the world by teaching more Shakespeare, verbs, clauses, phrases and themes. Miss Nichols also teaches some tenth grade classes, and Mrs. Smith teaches some ninth grade classes.

Foreign Language

There are two foreign language courses offered at Baldwin County High School. These are French, taught by Mrs. Harry West, and Spanish, taught by her daughter, Miss Ruth West. These courses are not required; therefore the classes are smaller.

Library

Mrs. Stough, our popular librarian in B. C. H. S. is always glad to render any assistance to students in search of theme material or interesting books. A wealth of knowledge awaits you in the library and is available to anyone who desires it.





Vocational Home Ec and Agriculture

Vocational Home Economics and Agriculture are taught by Mrs. Bob Hodgson and Mr. Nall. In Home Economics, Mrs. Hodgson teaches the girls the fundamentals of good grooming, personal home management, serving, cooking, and growth of the child. This course is offered for the three years of senior high. Vocational Agriculture is offered for three years also, and is mainly for the boys who plan to make a career in agriculture. Agriculture is the study of pastures, livestock, insect control, soil type, and crop growing. Also in the last year of agriculture, elementary surveying is introduced. These courses offer much practical knowledge that can be used in all walks of life.

Commercial

The commercial department of Baldwin County High School plays a major part in many students curriculum. Shorthand is offered under the direction of Miss Doris Beech. The one year course equips many girls for the position of stenographer, and is interesting besides being useful. During the first semester the student is acquainted with the shorthand characters and the second semester the emphasis is on dictation and acquiring speed. Mr. Nealey and Miss Beech are instructors in the two years of typing offered. The first year the keyboard and fundamentals of typing are taught. In the second year, practices necessary in the business world are learned. Bookkeeping, a one year course, gives the basic principles of keeping books, and

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Commercial (Continued)

business mathematics. The commercial department prepares many of our students for positions in business and plays an important role in much of our school. Mr. Jones is director of the Diversified Occupations, which is a cooperative program between the school and the business men and merchants of Bay Minette. He instructs students in their chosen occupation at school and they put their knowledge into practice at a related job. The commercial department prepares many students for a variety of well-paying positions. All the courses in this department are elective; therefore the more effort a students puts into his work, the greater his rewards will be. Life in the business world offers many opportunities for advancement.

Senior History

The history department of senior high at B. C. H. S. is headed by Mr. Echols and Mr. Bowers. Mr. Bowers teaches the juniors American History. Mr. Echols teaches the seniors a combined course of economics and democracy. These subjects are required and rightly so. Varied subjects are studied under these two subjects. They are taught to give a basic, sound understanding of the world of yesterday in order to understand the problems of today and the future. Through the study of democracy, the student learns to face life squarely; to meet problems with sound thoughts; in short, to become an American citizen, with the responsibilities of an American citizen.





Junior Physical Education

Mrs. Hearn and Mr. Barlow were the excellent physical education teachers in junior high. These classes were taught to give the students a knowledge of sports, and to teach good sportsmanship, and body and mind co-ordination. On days that were sunny, it was possible to see the groups of students playing softball, basketball, volley ball, and football. At times they would do organized exercises. Physical education not only helps a student physically, but also gives him an idea of fair play and honesty in the every-day world. This subject is required during the three years of junior high and may be taken by students in senior high, if they so desire.

Junior English

English is a required subject for all six years at Baldwin County High School. Because of this, the preparatory years of junior high are very important. The teachers, Miss Ruth West and Mr. McDuffie realize this and work hard to instill in the students a desire to learn more about their native language. The student is taught the basic principles of grammar, literature, composition, and spelling. English cannot be over emphasized. People must be able to express themselves well in order to be able to make their wishes and plans known. How else can successful business and social interaction be carried on than by having an appliable knowledge of the English language?









Junior Mathematics

All math in the seventh, eighth, and ninth grades is simply taught as a sound basis for two types of students; those who plan to continue with math in senior high and college, and those who are planning to take no math after the ninth grade. For those who plan to discontinue math, the courses offered by Mrs. Milan and Mr. Barlow give the student a general knowledge of business and economic math. Students who wish to continue mathematics are prepared for the more technical courses, such as algebra and plane geometry. Math is a great help in the study of chemistry, physics, and mechanical drawing. Math is very necessary, and therefore required, subject for junior high students.

Junior Social Studies

Mrs. Clara Bolon, Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Thelma Busbee are the well-though-of teachers of social studies in junior high. Mrs. Bolon teaches the seventh graders; Mrs. Bennett, the eighth graders; and Mrs. Busbee, the ninth graders. As the students study the various subjects in social studies, gradually some knowledge of our world, its beginning and present situation, penetrates the growing brain of the student. Mrs. Busbee, the civics teacher of the ninth grade, teaches the "good citizenship" rules necessary to every potential American citizen. This course is very definitely a sound background for the course in democracy and economics taught in senior high.







Piano

We find a number of piano students who are studying for a career. Then there are the average students who are taking it for the enjoyment and cultural background.

Daily practice is required for each pupil, while the yearly program is made more interesting by combining classical music with popular music.

Office

Mrs. Nealey, our popular secretary, is always glad to take our dimes and nickels in exchange for badly needed, but not particularly wanted paper and pencils. The office is a sought after haven for naughty boys who seek refuge from books and teachers.

Band

In the above picture, our band director, Don Papenbrock, is helping Neil White figure out something on that music sheet. The band not only has a good time at Mardi Gras but also gains a great deal of knowledge of music.

Glee Club

Miss Estelle Rountree taught four different choral groups. This type of public school music is offered in order to give the beginning student knowledge of the fundamentals of music, and to give the more advanced student a chance to study and sing some of the better selections.





STUDENT



Left to right— First row: Herbert Mills, Carolyn Gamble, Catherine Earle, Bob Reid. Second row: Julia Bristow, Sue Martin, Faye Black, Betty Bryant, Ruth Lambert, Johnny Chason, Billy Johnson, Ann Reid, Betty Carpenter, Faye Prestwood. Back row: Neil White, Fred McKinney, Tommy Langley, A. Jones, Thomas Hand, Tony Gibson, Earl Stevens and Faye Yarbrough.

COUNCIL

They were Herbert Mills, president; Bob Reid, vice-president; Catherine Earle, secretary and Carolyn Gamble, treasurer. Before the election the candidates chose campaign managers and ran on stated platforms. Each student who wished to vote had to pay a poll tax of one cent. One of the projects was collecting food and clothing for the Christmas Cheer drive, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce of Bay Minette. Each homeroom in B. C. H. S. had a representative who attended each of the monthly meetings; then reported the plans and projects of the council back to his room. Another purpose of the individual room representatives was to bring the problems and plans of the students to their faculty's and governing body's attention. In this way, the student council succeeded in trying to bring the faculty and student body to closer cooperation.

Right: A. Jones, sponsor; Bob Reid, vicepresident; Herbert Mills, president; Catherine Earle, secretary; and Carolyn Gamble, treasurer. Mr. Adolphus Jones, the diversified occupations instructor, was the faculty advisor for the student council of 1954. During the last six weeks of 1953 new officers were elected for the following term.



STUDENTS SENIORS UNDERCLASSMEN

















GLENN AARON—Key Club—'53, '54; Science Club—'53, '54; Library Club—'52, '53, '54; F.F.A.—'52; Football—'52.

BOBBIE JEAN ALLEN (Muscogee)—Beta Club—'52, '53, '54.

JACK ALLEN (Muscogee)—Beta Club—'52, '53, '54; Science Club —'53, '54.

DARRELL ARNETTE (Perdido) F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54,

MARY LOUISE BANKESTER (Hurricane) — Beta Club—'52, '53, '54 (project committee chairman); Music Club—'53, '54 (historian); F. H. A.—'52; F. T. A.—'54 (parliamentarian); Senior Class Executive Committee—'54,

MARIETTA BARNES—Beta Club
—'52, '53, '54; Music Club '54;
Glee Club—'52, '53, '54; F. T. A.
—'54 (secretary); Annual Staff
—'54 (helper); Cheerleader—'53
(football), '54 (football and basketball); "B" Club—'53, '54.



Right:

ANN BENOIST—Beta Club—'52, '53, '54; Music Club '52, '53 (reporter). '54 (president); F. T. A. —'54 (librarian); Camera Club—'53; Library Club—'52.

BERTHA MAE BLAIR (Steelwood)—Library Club—'52; Glee Club—'53.

ANN BOLON — Beta Club—'52, '53. '54 (secretary); Camera Club—'53, '54 (treasurer); Science Club—'54; Music Club—'52, '53, '54 (secretary); Band Club—'54.

AUDREY NELL BOUTWELL — F. H. A.—'52, '53, '54.



BETTY BRYANT (Stockton) —
Beta Club—'52, '53, '54; F. H. A.
—'52, '53; Majorette—'53, '54;
Student Council — '54; Annual
Staff — '52 (bookkeeper), '53
(bookkeeper), '54 (salesman);
Senior Class Executive Committee—'54.

RAYFORD BRYARS (Perdido)— F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54; Science Club—'54.

JULIA FAYE BRYANT (Stockton) — Beta Club—'52. '53, '54 (recording secretary); F. H. A. — '52, '53; Annual Staff — '53 (salesman), '54 (bookkeeper).

JEAN BURT—Science Club—'52; D. O. Club—'54.

PAT BYRNE — Beta Club—'52, '53. '54; Key Club—'52, '53, '54; Science Club—'54: Camera Club—'54; Student Council—'53; Rand Club—'52: Band—'52: Football—'54: Vice-president Senior Class—'54; Annual Staff—'54 (helper).

NORMAN CARR (Perdido)—Key Club—'51, '52; F. F. A.—'52, '53.



JIMMY CHANCELLOR — Key Club—'52, '53, '54; Vice-president Junior Class—'53; Baseball—'52.

FLORENCE CHUNN — Library Club—'52, '53; Piano—'53; D.O Club—'54 (secretary;) F. H. A. —'52; Glee Club—'52, '53.

GLADYS COLEMAN—Glee Club—'53, '54; "B" Club—'54; Cheerleader—'54 (football and basketball).

JEAN COTTONGIM—F. H. A.— '52; Beta Club—'52, '53, '54.



































GERALDINE DANIELS—F. H. A. —'52, '54; Band Club—'54; Band —'53, '54.

RAYMOND DAY (Stockton) — F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54.

BARBARA JEAN DEAN (Perdido) — F. H. A.—'52, '53; Glee Club—'54.

MACK DUCK — Library Club—'52, '53, '54; Science Club—'54,

CATHERINE MASON EARLE (Blacksher) — Beta Club—'52. '53, '54 (president Baldwin Beta Ass'n.); Science Club—'52, '53 (president). '54 (president); Music Club—'53. '54: Camera Club—'52; F. T. A.—'54 (historian); Student Council—'54 (treasurer): Sonhomore Class Secretary—'52; Junior Class Secretary—'52; Junior Class Executive Committee—'54: "B" Club—'54: Cheerleader—'54 (football and hasketball); Annual Staff—'52 (salesman). '53 (salesman); '54 (Assistant Editor).

CHARLES EARLE (Blacksher)—
Reta Club—'52, '54; Key Club—
'52, '54; F. F. A.—'52; Annual
Staff—'52 (salesman), '54 (Assistant Business Manager).



RODNEY EDDINS—Camera Club —'53, '54; D. O. Club—'54.

WALTER EMMANUEL (Stockton)—F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54.

JULIANA FAIL—Beta Club—'53. '54; F. H. A.—'53 (reporter), '54 (parliamentarian).

ELSIE MAF FOSTFR—Glee Club
—'52; F. H. A.—'54.

Below:

CAROLYN GAMBLE—Beta Club—'52. '53, '54; Science Club—'52, '53, '54 (vice-president); Mu-

sic Club — '52, '53 (secretary), '54; Camera Club—'52; F. T. A. —'54 (president); Glee Club—'54; Student Council—'54 (treasurer); "B" Club — '54; Cheerleader—'54 (football and basketball); Annual Staff—'52 (coliterary editor); '54 literary Editor).

HARRY CHARLES GILBERT —

Beta Club—'52. '53. '54: Kev

Club—'53, '54; F. F. A.—'52, '53;

Football—'52, '53.

ELEANOR GLOVER—Music Club
—'54)vice-president): F. T. A.
— '54)vice-president): Glee
Club—'54: Beta Club—'54; Annual Staff—'54 (helper).

JOYCE GRIMES—"B" Club—'53.
'54; Camera Club—'53: Music Club—'52, '53. '54: Rand—'52; Band Club—'52: Glee Club—'52. '53. '54: F. T. A —'54 (songleader): Cheerleader—'53 (football), '54)football and basketball—head cheerleader).

MARILYN GUNTER—Music Club —'52. '53. '54; Rand—'52. '53. '54: Glee Club—'52; D. O. Club —'54

TOMMY HALL—Key Club—'53' '54': Junior Class Vice-president —'53': "B" Club—'52', '53', '54' (secretary): Football — '52', '53' '54': Baskethall — '52', '53', '54': Baseball—'52', '53', '54'.

Left:

EDMUND HARE (Muscogee) — Beta Club—'52. '53. '54: F. F. A. —'52, '53, '54 (reporter).

CLAYTON HARVILLE (Hurricane)—F. F. A.—'52: Football—'52. '53, '54; Baseball—'52, '53, '54.

BILLIE JEAN HAYES—Library Club—'54; F. H. A.—'52.

ARDITH JUNE HEATON—Beta Club—'52, '53; F. H. A.—'52.



































JOSEPH MONROE HELTON (Stockton)—Student Council—'53; F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54; Glee Club—'53, '54; Sophomore Class Vice-President—'52; "B" Club—'52, '53, '54; Football—'52, '53, '54.

LEWIS HOBBS—F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54.

WILLIAM JACKSON—F. T. A.— '54; "B" Club—'52, '53, '54 (vice-president); Football — '52, '53, '54.

VONDELL JAMES—F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54; Band—'52, '53, '54.

FLORENCE JAYE (Stockton) — F. H. A.—'52, '53, '54.

HERMAN JENKINS — Science Club—'54.



Right:

EULA MERLE JONES—F. H. A. —'52; Library Club—'54.

RALPH KING (Perdido)—F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54.

BETTY ANN LEE—Beta Club—'52, '53, '54; F. H. A.—'52, '53, '54; F. T. A.—'54; Glee Club—'54.

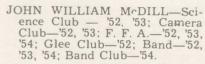


MORGAN STANTON LITTLE—Beta Club—'52, '53, '54; Science Club—'52, '53 (treasurer). '54 (parliamentarian); Camera Club—'52, '53 (president), '54; Key Club—'52, '53, '54 (vice-president); Glee Club—'52, '53: Band Club—'52, 53: Band—'52, 53, '54; Annual Staff—'52 (photographer), '53 (photographer), '54 (Editor-in-chief).



BILLY ELDRIDGE LONG—Key Club—'52, '53 (secretary-treasurer). '54 (president and State governor); Science Club — '52, '53. '54; Band—'53; Cheerleader—'54 (football); "B" Club—'54; President Senior Class—'54; Annual Staff—'54 (Business Manager).

JOAN MARTIN (Loxley)—F. H. A.—'52, '53, '54.



FRED McKINNEY — Student Council—'54; Science Club—'53, '54; Kev Club—'53, '54; Football — '53, '54; "B" Club—'54.

EDWARD MILSTID (Perdido)— F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54 (president).

VELOISE MILSTID (Perdido)— F. H. A.—'52, '53, '54.



PEGGY JOYCE MINOR — Beta Club—'52, '53, '54; F. H. A.—'54; Glee Club — '52; Student Council—'53 (treasurer); Majorette—'53.

WINSTON MOSLEY—D. O. Club
—'53, '54.

SHIRLEY MORER—F. H. A.— '52, '53, '54; Library Club—'52; Glee Club—'52, '53, '54.

ROBERT PANNONE (Stockton)
—F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54; Student
Council—'53; Science Club—'53,
(treasurer): Baseball — '53, '54;
Football—'52, '53, '54; "B" Club
'53. '54)vice-president); Annual
Stall—'54 (salesman).



































BOBBY PAUL (Rabon) - D. O. Club—'54; Baseball—'53, '54.

DALPHUS RAY PAUL (Latham)

MATTIE LUCY PIPKIN (Stockton)-F. H. A.-'53, '54; F. T. A. -'53; Library Club-'53.

ERVIN POWELL-F. F. A.-'53: Camera Club-'52, '53.

JOHN POWELL-"B" Club-'52, '53, '54 (president); Football— '52, '53, '54; Basketball—'52, '53, '54; Baseball—'52, '53, '54; Sophomore Class Vice-president -'52; Senior Class Secretary -

JULIAN PRINE-Beta Club-'52, '53, '54 (president); Key Club-'52, '53, '54 (secretary-treasurer); Junior Class President -'53; Senior Class Treasurer-'54.



LAVON HAMILTON PROPST-Library Club - '52; Student Council-'53; D. O. Club-'54 (treasurer).

SARAH PROPST—Beta Club — '52, '53, '54; Library Club—'52; Glee Club-'52; F. H. A.-'52, '53 (vice-president); '54.

ERNESTINE RABON (Rabon) -Beta Club-'52, '53, '54; F. H. A. -'52; Music Club-'52 (treasurer); Glee Club—'52; Library Club-'52.

HURLEY RIDER (Hurricane) -F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54; Football —'52, '53, '54.



Left:

A.—'54.

WINFORD ROLTY (Perdido) -F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54; D. O. Club-'54.

SUE RUSSELL — Band—'52, '53; Glee Club-'52; D. O. Club-'54 (reporter).

LEONARD SANDBERG-F. F. A. —'52, '53.

GERALD SEAY - Football-'52, '53, '54.

JAMES SIMS-F. F. A.-'52, '53, '54.

EDDIE FRANKLIN STANTON (Stockton)-F. F. A.-'52, '53, '54 (vice-president); Beta Club — '52, '53, '54; F. T. A. — '54 (treasurer); Football — '52, '53,





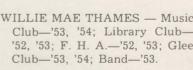
J. L. STEWART (Rabon)-F. F. A.—'52, '53, '54 (sentinel); Beta Club-'52, '53, '54; Science Club —'54.

JEAN STEWART (Rabon)-F. H.

FELTON STEWART (Rabon)

WILLIE MAE THAMES — Music Club-'53, '54; Library Club-'52, '53; F. H. A.—'52, '53; Glee Club-'53, '54; Band-'53.







































GAYLE THOMPSON (Stockton)—F. H. A. —'52, '53, '54; Beta Club—'53, '54; Glee Club—'53; Band—'52, '53; Band Club—'52, '53.

JOYCE THOMPSON (Stockton)—F. H. A. —'52, '53, '54.

ARCHIE TRAWICK (Perdido)—Beta Club —'52, '53, '54; F. F. A.—'52, '53.

FERN JOHNSON TRAWICK—Glee Club—'52; Beta Club—'52, '53, '54; Library Club—'54.

BENNIE BARBARA VAUGHN (Perdido) — '52, '53 (vice-president), '54 (year-book); Senior Class Executive Committee— '54.

JAMES WALLACE (Stapleton)—F. F. A. —'54; D. O. Club—'53.

Left:

MARGARET MACON WEAVER—Band—
'52; School Orchestra—'52; Music Club
—'52, '53 (historian), '54; Science Club—
'52, '53, '54 (recording secretary); Beta
Club—'52, '53, '54.

BENNETT WILSON (Perdido)—F. F. A. —'52, '53, '54 (treasurer); Baseball—'53, '54.

BERNICE WILSON (Perdido)—F. H. A.— '52, '53, '54.

FAYE YARBROUGH — Beta Club—'52, '53, '54; Student Council—'54; Senior Class Executive Committee—'54.

CAMERA-SHY SENIORS:

JAMES BLACKMAN (Rabon)

FRANCES BRYARS (Stockton)

JOHNNY COWSER

CHARLES FICKLING (Perdido)

GUSSIE JACOBSON

EDGAR LONG (Perdido)

HERBERT MILLS

HELEN MARTIN (Stockton)

SHIRLEY MIXON

ROBERT MURPHY

NORMA SELLARS — Beta Club—'53; Glee Club—'53.

"Never thought we would get these!" remarked William Jackson and Edmund Hare as Mr. Daniels issued them their cap and gown.



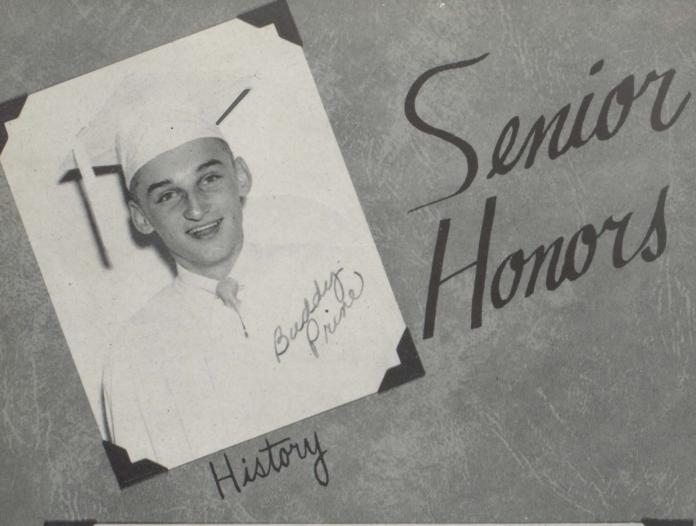


Class officers: Pat Byrne, vice-president, Buddy Prine, treasurer; Billy Long, president and Sonny Powell, secretary (not shown).

Senior Memories

Have you seen the movie, "Class of '54"? You haven't! Well, let me tell you about it. The show opens with a view of a group of proud seniors finding their homerooms. They made it at last. To be in Mr. Echol's, Mrs. Smith's, OR Mrs. West's homeroom gave them a mark of distinction. The plot of the movie was not too exciting at first, except for a few terrific shots of football games. The main players in these scenes were the football boys, among whom were quite a few seniors, and the cheerleaders, of whom all were seniors except two. Then came the great day in late September. That scene was truly dramatic—the seniors received their classrings. Ah, the envious sighs of the bit players (underclassmen). The plot plodded along until after the Christmas holidays. Then the seniors came back to B. C. H. S. for their last semester. Some of the senior girls were shown flashing diamonds; some were flashing TWO rings. Then the scene shifted to Mrs. West's room — 101 seniors crowded in to choose their invitations. Then an exciting episode—the magazine contest. This showed good directing on the part of the group captains, Buddy Prine and Pat Byrne. The class of '54 outsold all former classes. Next, the camera moves to the weiner roast and skating party at Robertsdale. This was the result of the magazine contest. The dialogue of this scene consisted of, "Fix me a hot dog!", and "Bring me a coke!".

Time marched on and so did the seniors—they played their parts to the hilt during the last six weeks (senior privileges). The set for the shots of the senior prom were beautiful. The theme for the banquet was May Day. Then the last scene—the most dramatic, the most touching of all —GRADUATION! Here the seniors outdid themselves as they solemnly listened to the speakers—then each actor had his bit of glory—the great moment when he received his diploma. And on this solemn note the picture ended, with the seniors marching off stage to "Land of Hope and Glory".





Agriculture

Home Economics



Commercial



Diversified Occupation



English



Good Citizenship Science



JUNIORS

ACTIVE IN SCHOOL AFFAIRS

The junior class at Baldwin County High gave the sophomore class a hard battle for the title of most active class in school. The juniors were really beginning to realize that their time at B. C. H. S. was getting shorter and shorter. With this in mind, they seemed to be out to cram a lot of living in their remaining two years. They weren't quite as unsure of themselves as the sophomores. They knew their way around and they took advantage of that fact. They looked forward to becoming seniors, but first they must have a successful year as being juniors. Time went slowly the first semester; things really began popping during the second semester. One main event, and a very inspiring one at that, was the choosing of their class rings. This gave them definite proof that they WOULD be seniors next year and NOT in a couple or three years. This year—the year the junior-

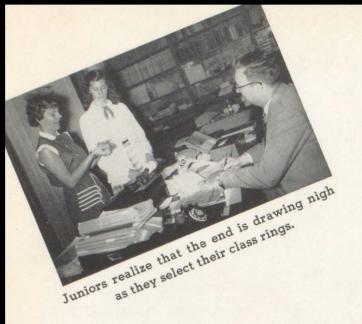
senior banquet and prom was their responsibility—not something for them to sit back and enjoy. They were the brains, work and realization of the lovely banquet and prom. They truly worked on the theme of "May Day". Months before the actual day, the girls and boys were working on the miniature May pole dancers used as decorations on the tables at the banquet. A group of the students practiced to give a real May pole dance as part of the entertainment at the prom. So, after the prom, the juniors watched the flurry of activity as the seniors graduated. The thoughts running through their minds were these, "That'll be us a year from now-we'll be walking down the aisle to hear the baccalaureate address on Sunday afternoon, we'll be marching solemnly on the football field to receive our diplomas; we'll be seniors."



Left: Class president, Ann McMillan and secretary-treasurer, Glennes McGill, discuss the class problems. Officers not present were: vice-presidents Marvin Boone and Wilbur Richerson.

Right: Active D. O. Club member, Johnny Windham receives training as a printer at The Baldwin Times.





Junior Class supplies baseball stars for the team--Julian Scott, Donald Boan, and Junior Garner.



Morgan's prize-winning shot of an attractive junior girl.
Alica Fraser—just posing!



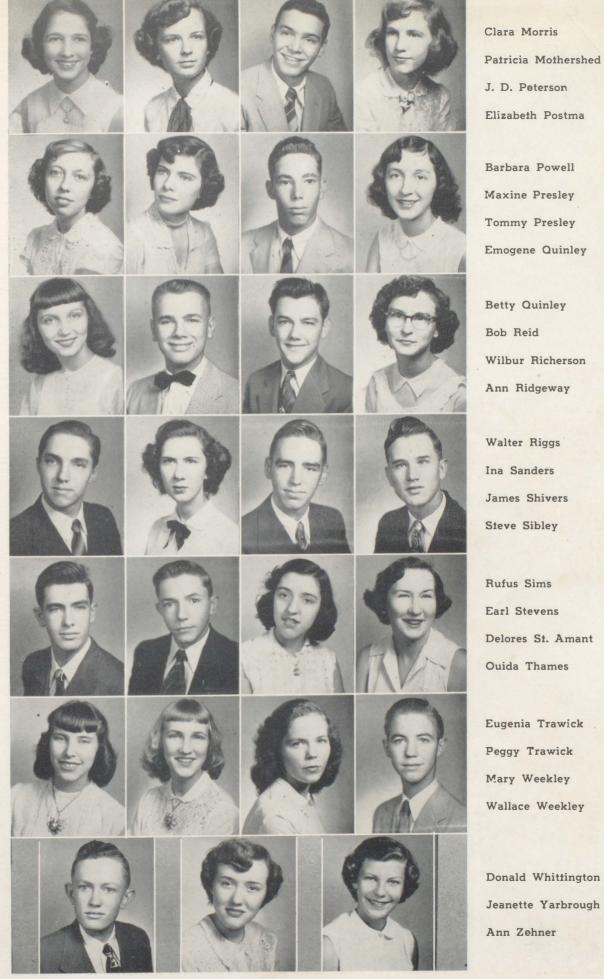
Junior Class has state winner at Science Convention. Martha Earle was also elected secretary of the Ala. Jr. Academy of Science.



Junior Class honors Senior Class with annual Banquet and Prom.



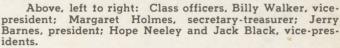






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Middle: Sophomore girl, Mary Pedone, models in Fashion Show.

Below: Talented sophomore clarinet player competes in Talent Show.

With the influx of students from Perdido. Stockton and Stapleton, the sophomores became a large and active class. Everything they entered into they entered wholeheartedly. There were not many school activities that they didn't play a major and a necessary part in. They were under the leadership of a group of energetic and ingenuous class officers. They easily became adept in the ways of senior high life. They joined the many clubs with alacrity. They became active members at once. They were definitely out to enjoy their first year in senior high. The big event of the year (in the soph's life) was the Sophomore Hop. The theme for the Hop was Silver Bells. Any one can guess how the theme was carried out. Everywhere there was anything going on, there was bound to be a sophomore either as the instigator or as the on-looker. In either case, being as energetic as possible. Truly, the sophomore class constituted a big part of school-life at Baldwin County High School. The sophomore boys were quite active in the Key club, one of the most civic-minded clubs at B. C. H. S. As the year closed for the sophomores, they looked back on a busy, happy, and successful year. They took all adjustments in their stride and made much headway in the halls of learning. They hope they will continue to do as well in the next two years of senior high as they did in their first year.





Mary Pedone
Wayne Post
Henry Postma
Carolyn Prestwood

Judy Rabon
Ann Reid
Ann Richardson
Sarah Richburg

June Rieben
Vivian Schram
Irma Steedley
Elizabeth Stewart

Faye Stewart

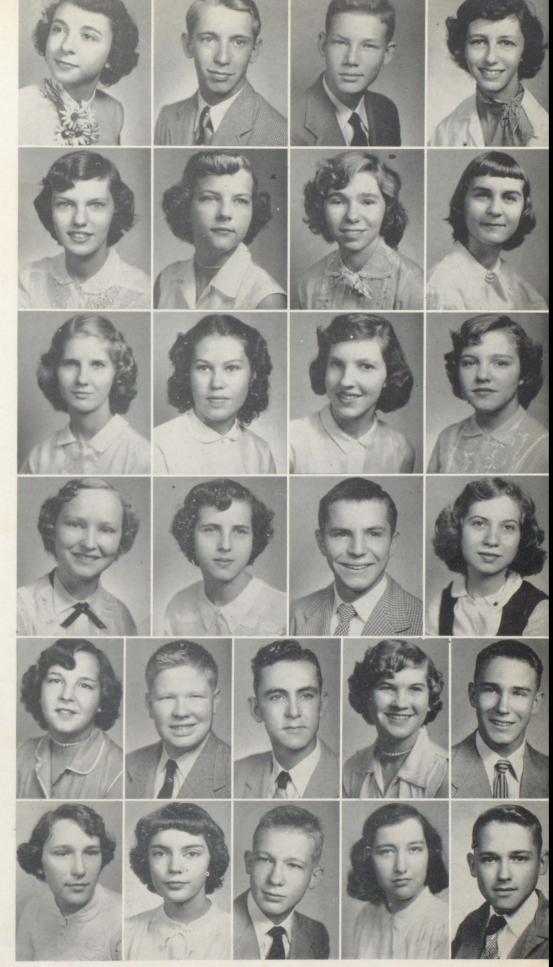
Velta Stewart

William Stough

Mattie J. Strickland

Ruth Sutton
Billy Walker
Doyle Weekley
Barbara West
Neil White

Betty Wiggins
Leila Wiggins
Ben Willis
Myletto Willis
Frank Yarbrough







FUTURE OF B. C. H. S.

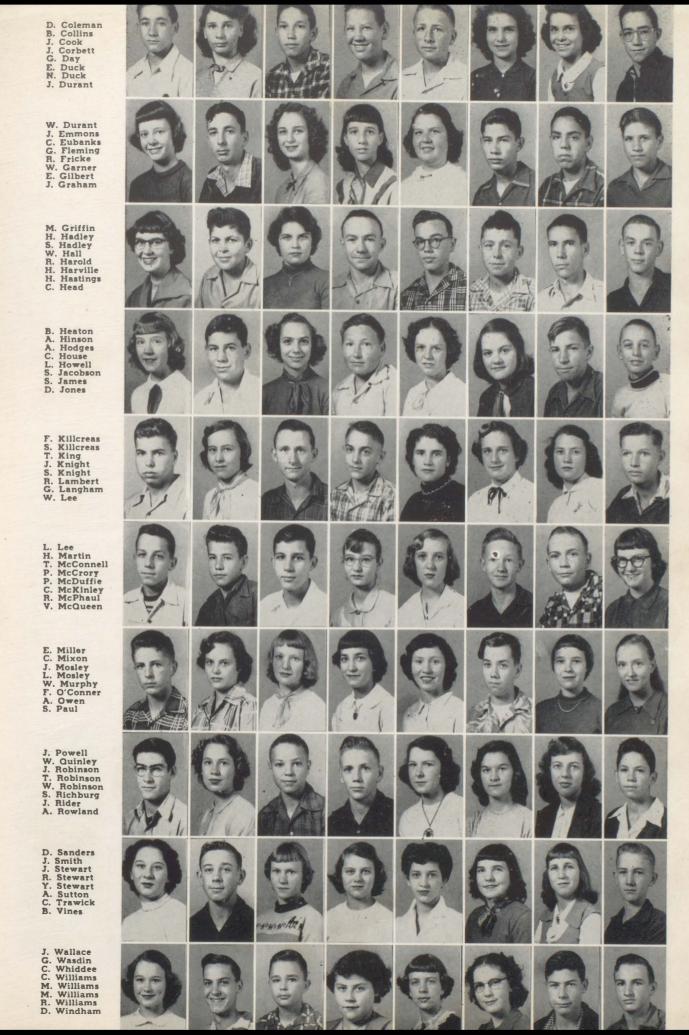
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What will transpire within the next three years of Baldwin County High School history? No one knows, but if the past year for the freshman class is any model for future years, ole B. C. H. S. will really be popping. The freshmen sat back quietly and took notes on the actions of the sophomores, juniors, and seniors. They watched with open eyes, for they intended to get the most out of their life during their next three years at Baldwin County Hi. Under the able leadership of the class officers-Carol Head, president; Ruth Lambert, vicepresident; Wilodene Robinson, secretary;

and Patsy McDuffie, treasurer—the freshmen did very well. They worked very hard during the second semester for their annual dance, the Freshman Frolic. The theme for the dance this year was "April Showers". This is the second year this dance has been held by the freshman class. The freshmen had planned to go to Little River State park for their end-of-the-year picnic, but this was cancelled because of the out-break of polio near Uriah. In the hands of this class lies the future of B. C. H. S.—from their past record they will do a good job.

- J. Allen Allen Amos
- Ballard P. Bell
- J. Berry T. Bodden J. Bolon
- M. Broughten Caprara Catrett Chancellor
- D. Brown S. Bundy E. Chastang M. Clark







They call it Study Hall!

EIGHTH GRADE Neither Fish Nor Fowl

To be in the in-between stage, the eighthgraders did remarkably well. They were no longer in the seventh grade (beginners) and they weren't ninth graders. But they filled their time with many activities, taking advantage of the opportunities open to them. They had their two representatives in the Student Council. These representatives went to each meeting, carrying their suggestions and grievances; they came back to tell their homerooms of the plans of the Student Council. Another club that it was possible for them to join was the library club. Several members of the class were mem-

bers of the club. Under the leadership of the class officers—Paul Lyles, president and Edgar Jackson, secretary-treasurer—the eighth grade planned and gave a wonderful Christmas party. The class participated in every drive and did exceptionally well in all of them. In the eighth grade American history classes, the students listened to older students and Explorer Scouts give talks on conservation and trips to be made in Baldwin County. The eighth grade had planned and end-of-school party, but this was cancelled because of polio.

- R. Anderson P. Arrington
- E. Barr
- N. Beasley
- E. Bell H. Bell
- L. Bell C. Bray
- L. Brown
- J. Buck R. Byrd
- B. Carpenter











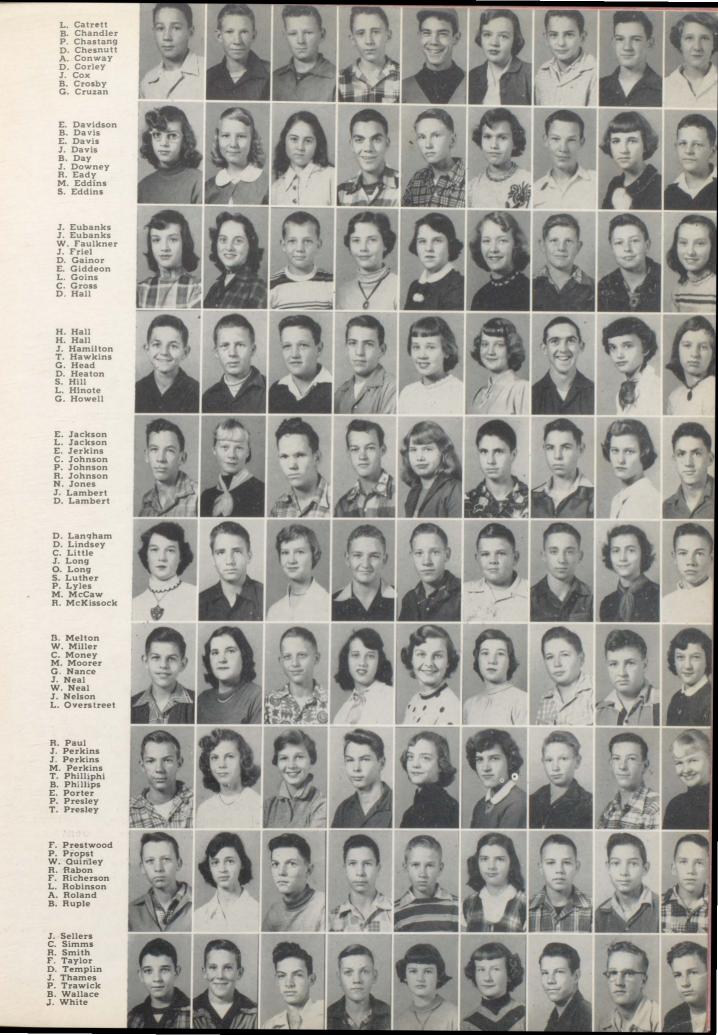


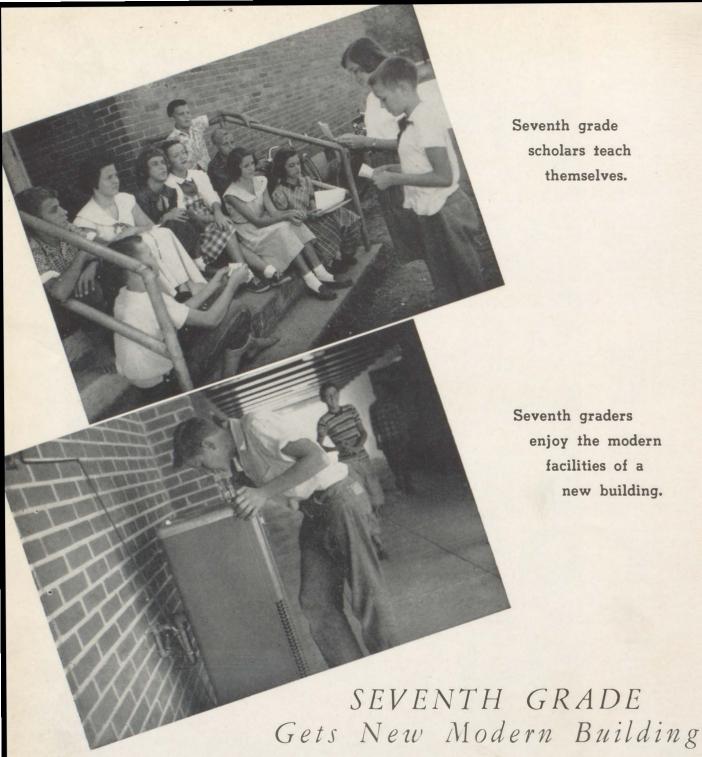












Not only were the seventh graders scared to death when the doors of B. C. H. S. opened last fall, they also had a new building to get used to. The new five rooms at the rear of the high school building were completed right before the beginning of school—just in time to confuse the seventh graders. The confusion of learning the new way of school organization, of learning their way around the old and new rooms, of meeting old and new students, of taking courses entirely different from any others that they had taken would have, perhaps, daunted a class with a less strong constitution.

But this class of seventh graders came to B. C. H. S. with open minds and open eyes. They were here to learn, therefore, to lessen the confusion known only to seventh graders. They organized themselves, electing class officers and sending representatives to the Student Council. Each civic drive that asked the cooperation of the high school, always looked for the seventh graders to give a lot of support. This large class never let them down. As the years progress, the seventh graders will become eighth graders, then ninth graders, and so on until they become seniors; when they will look back and remember when . . .

N. Baggett
L. Conway
N. Davidson
J. Davis
F. Davis
V. Davis
P. Day
C. Dean T. Dees T. Donald R. Dorman H. Duck R. Durant
J. Elliott
D. Emrick
G. Eubanks F. Feminear B. Fowler R. Fowler E. Fox G. Gilbert H. Godwin J. Godwin D. Greene J. Grimes
B. Hadley
R. Hall
T. Hammond
M. Harville
T. Hasford
J. Hastings
R. Henry W. Hinson D. Hinote L. Hoffman D. Hinote
L. Hoffman
P. Jackson
K. Jaye
B. Johnson
C. Johnson
C. Johnson C. Johnson C. Johnson
L. Kerby
D. King
S. Langham
S. McDill
J. Moore
F. Penrey
P. Rider MINES B. Robertson
K. Robinson
N. Rogers
J. Roszell
D. Rowland
H. Scoggins
C. Seay
M. Seay L. Simpson
C. Steele
A. Stewart
C. Stewart
L. Stewart
R. Stewart
P. Taylor
H. Tillman R. Tolbert
J. Trawick
J. Trawick
L. Trawick
G. Turner
L. Vines
C. Walker
S. Weatherford D. Weekley
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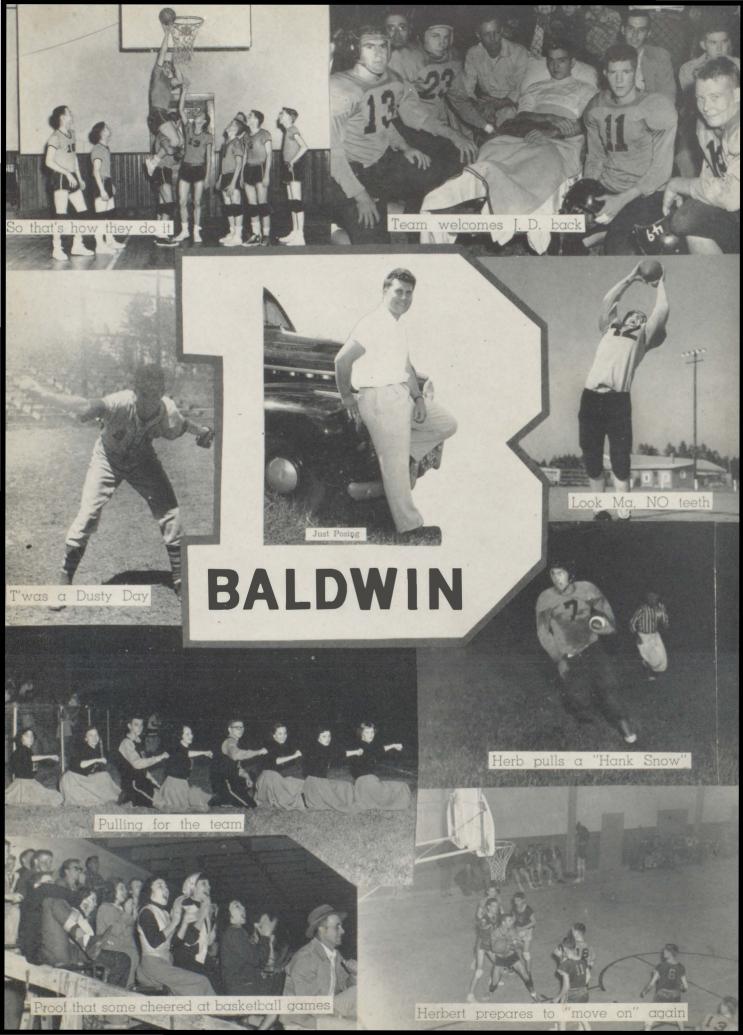




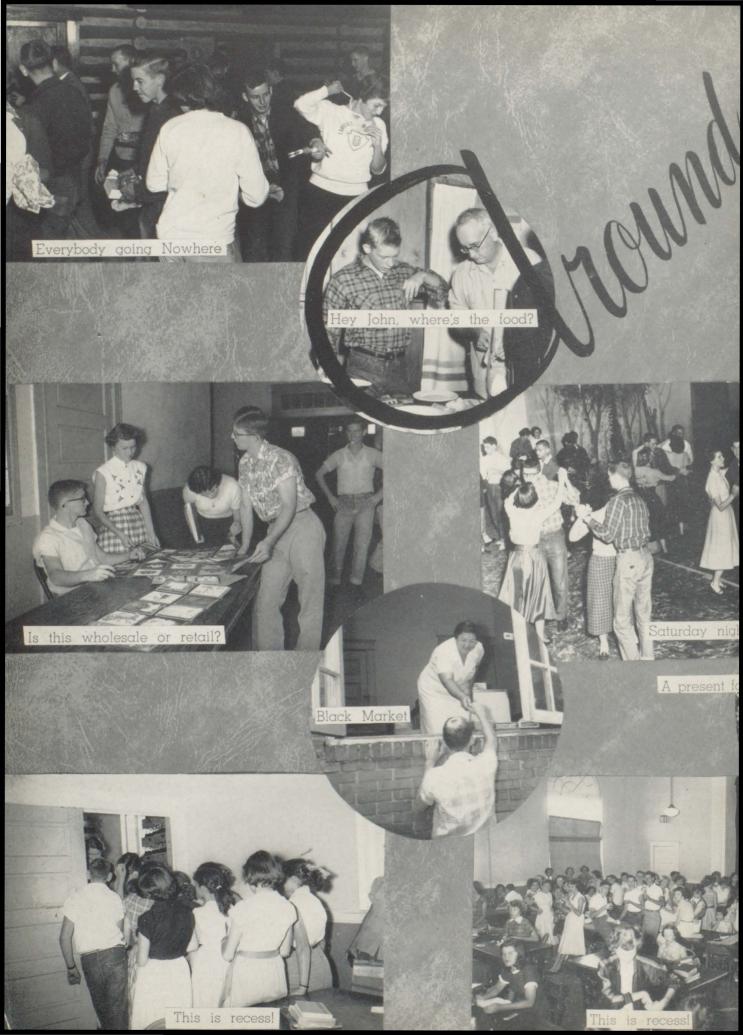








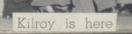






teacher, boys?





We've seen better on Jay Birds

11:55 handicap

What some people will do for an education

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basketball ?

Some do study





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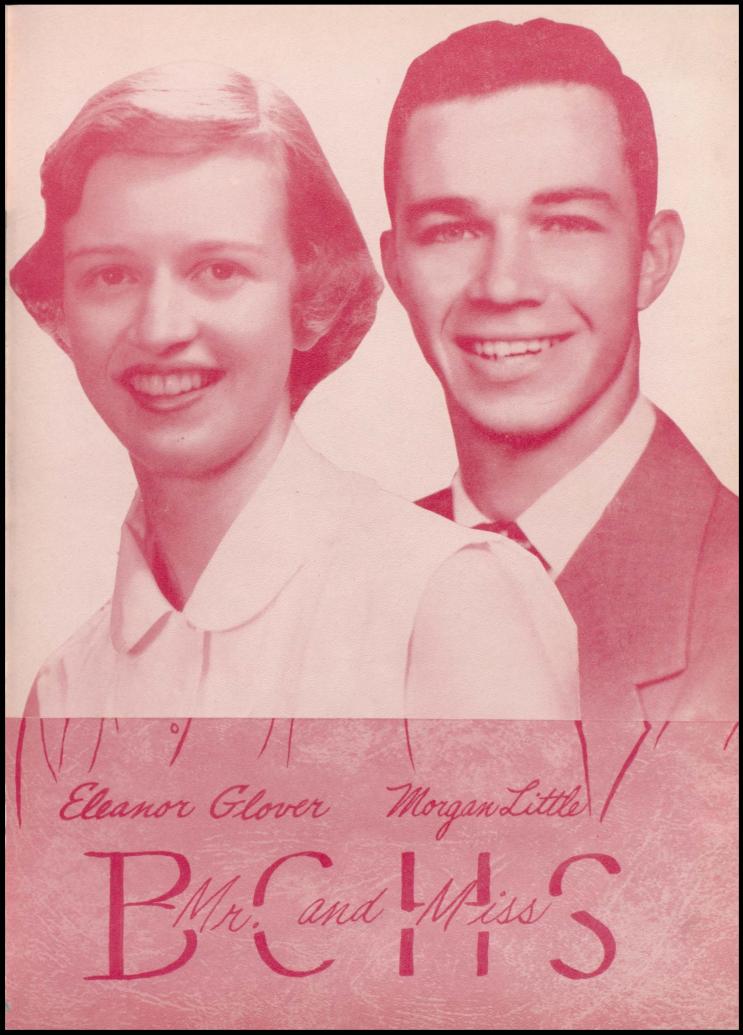
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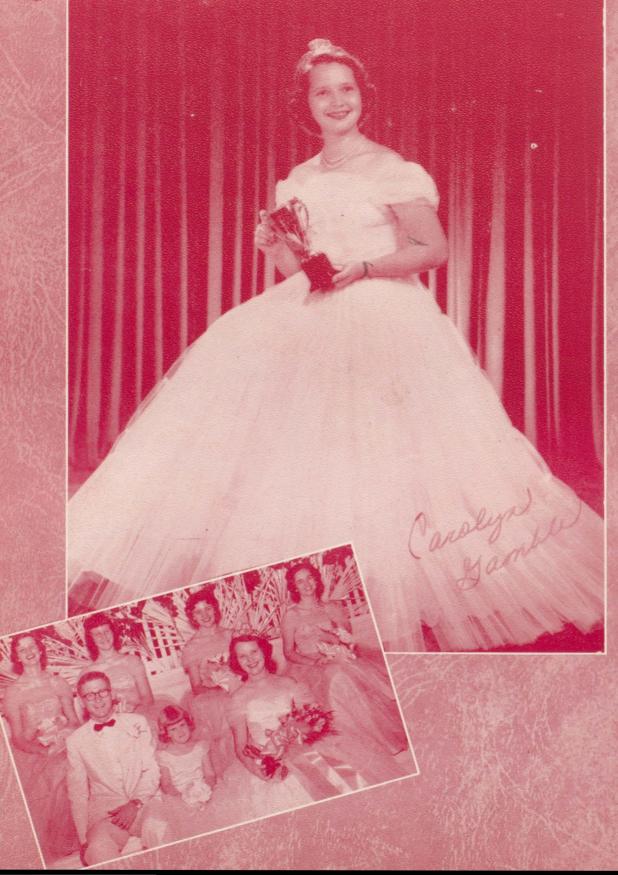




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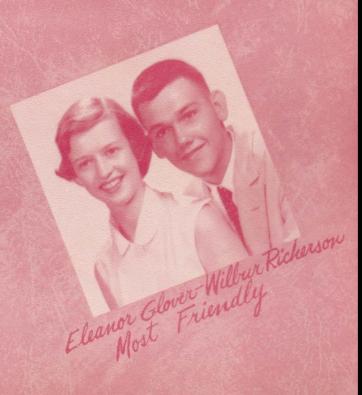








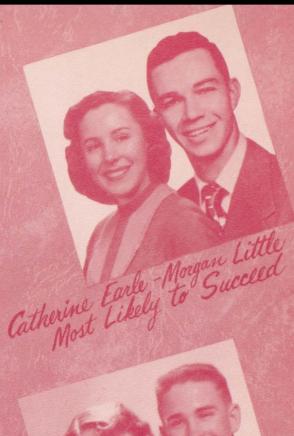
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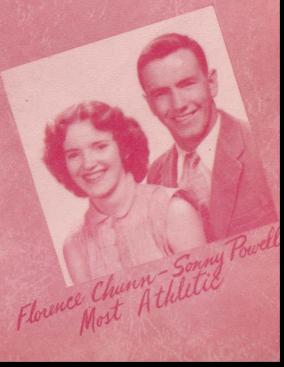
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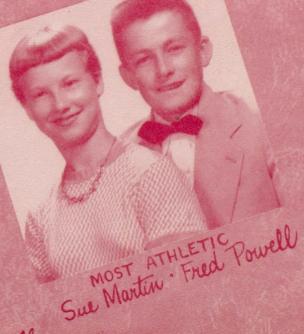
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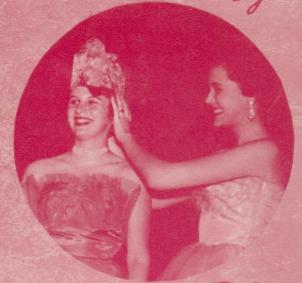
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County Miss F.H.A.



Valentine Queen Marietta Barnes-Pat Byrne



State Miss D.O. Marilyn Gunter

Scarecrow Catches Cake Thieves

Ex-Hot Rod Driver

We'll Do Once!
Anything Once!

Future Mode

Shorthand

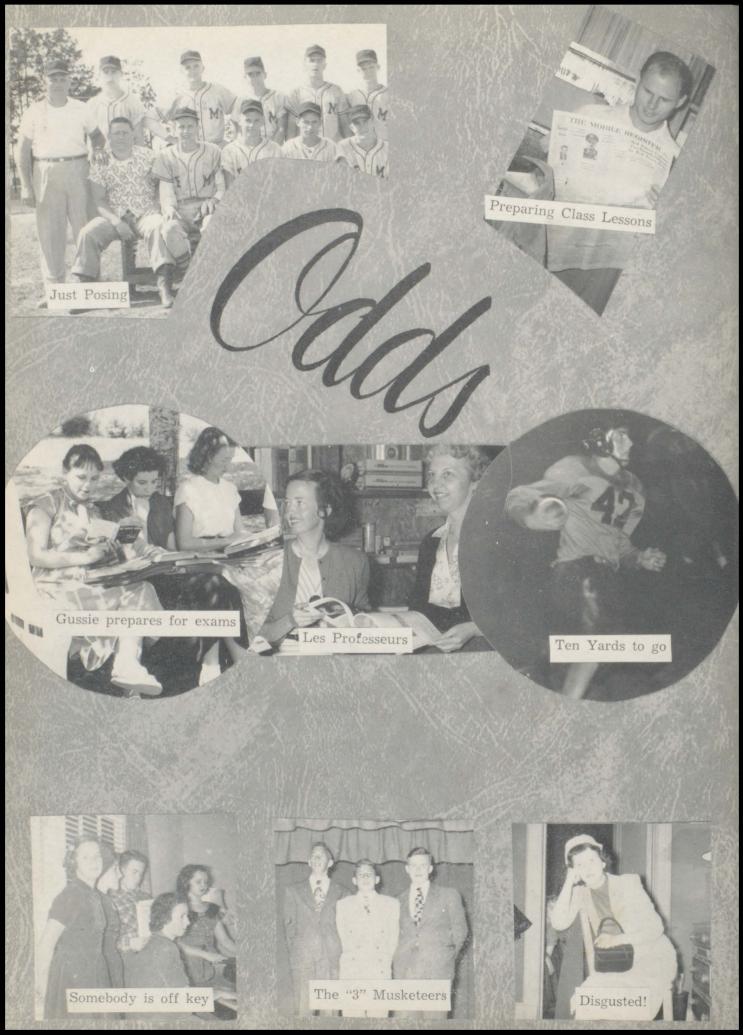
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Second Childhood

Pool Shark



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What some people will do for an education

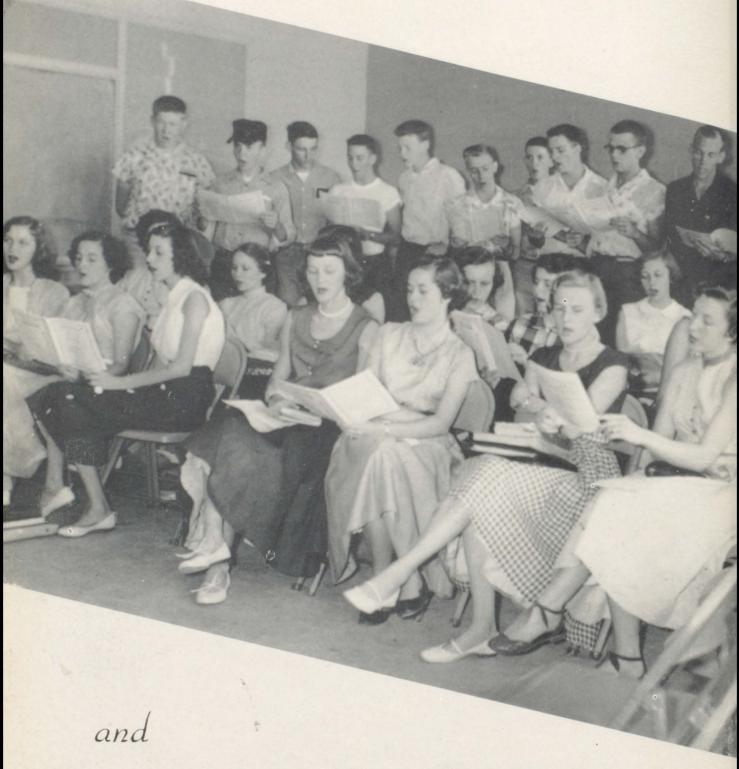
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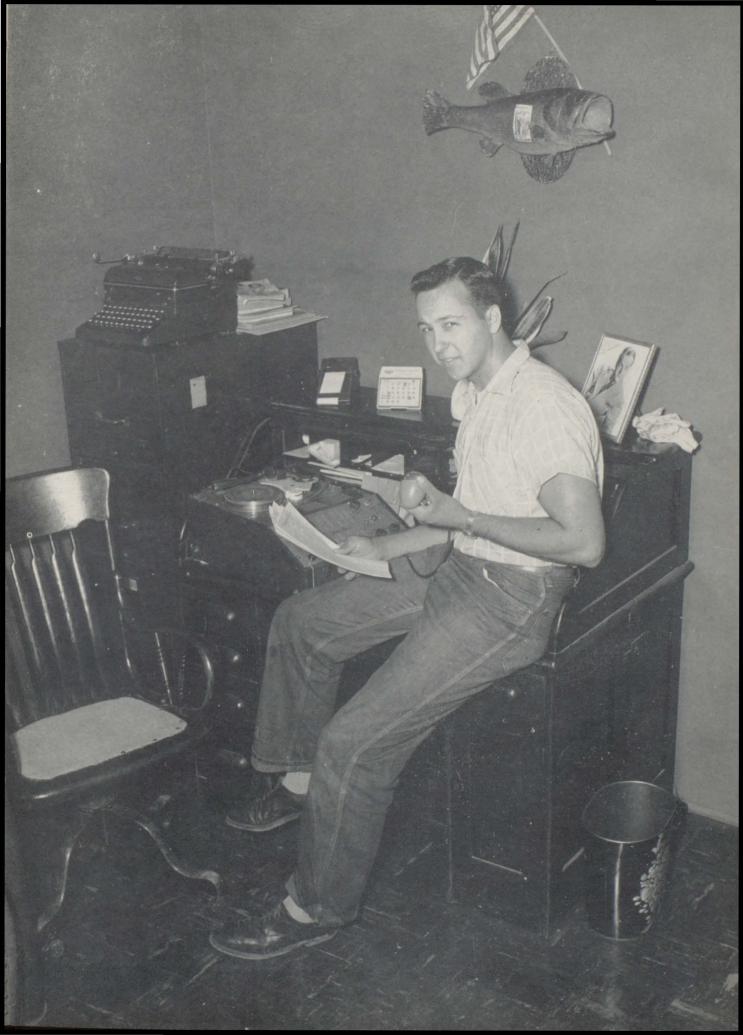
What a nice ... Tan!

Patched up!

ORGANIZATIONS



ACTIVITIES





BETA National Honor Club

The Baldwin County High School still has one of the largest Beta Clubs in the State with approximately ninety members for the 1953-

54 school termn.

The club's main propect was the school annual, the Balcoala. Morgan Little and Catherine Earle were chosen editor and assistant editor, respectively. The club helped raise funds for this project by sponsoring a square dance, the annual Who's Who Dance, the Valentine Dance and the May Queen Dance. The work of the year was successfully carried out under the able leadership of the officers: Buddy Prine, president; Ann Zehner, vice-president; Julia Bryant, recording secretary; Ann Bolon, corresponding secretary, and Earl Stephens, treasurer.

March marked the month of the long-awaited Beta Convention in Birmingham. Miss Gladys Nichols, co-sponsor, chaperoned the delegates. Mrs. Ella Mae Smiith, sponsor, and Miss Nichols were able and interested advisors for the club.

During the year, Catherine Earle served as County Beta Association prexy.

Martha Earle was elected secretary for next year in the County.

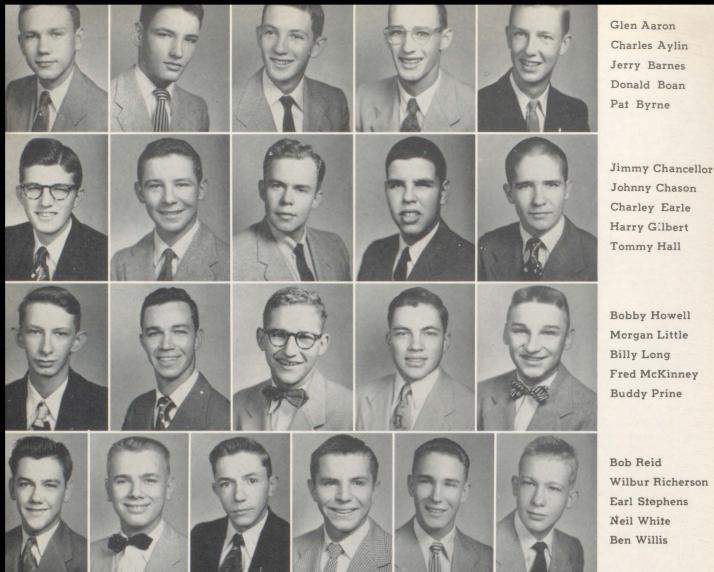
Earl Stephens will serve as club president next year and John Mc-Duffie was chosen editor of the annual for 1954-55.

Top, left to right: Officers, Julia Bryant, recording secretary, Ann Zehner, vice-president; Earl Stephens, treasurer; Buddy Prine, president, and Ann Bolon, corresponding sec.

Middle: County Beta Installation.

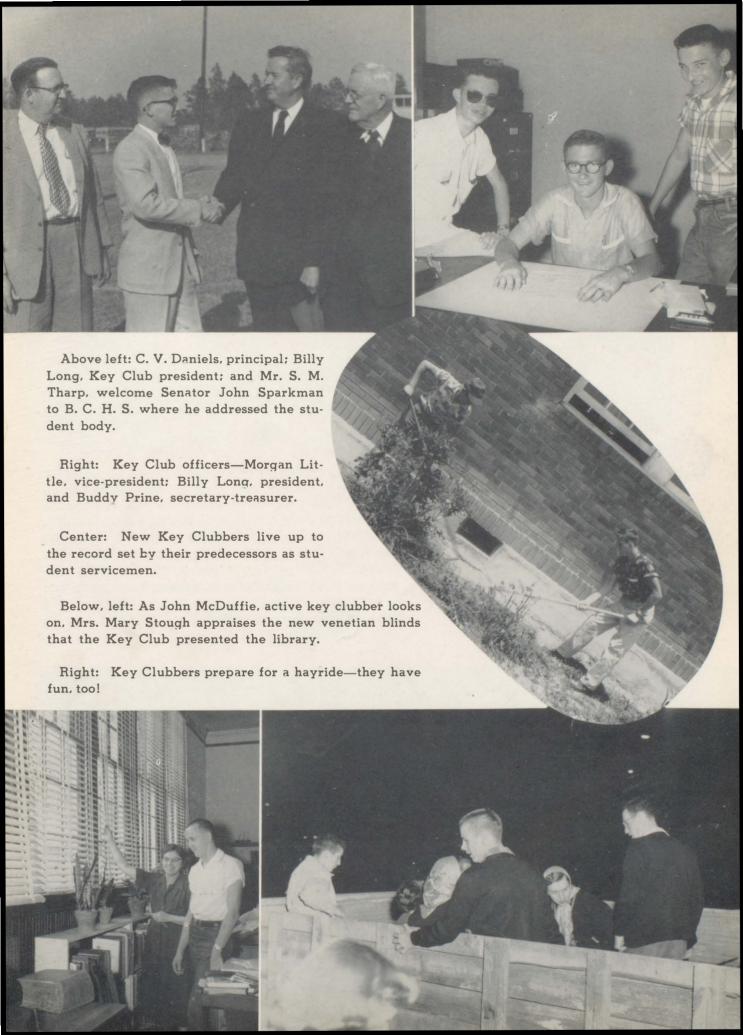
Bottom: Successful project of Beta Club was Christmas play.

Bobbie Jean Allen Jack Allen Charles Aylin Joyce Ballard Mary L. Bankester Jerry Barnes Marietta Barnes Ann Benoist Fay Black Ann Bolon Betty Bryant Julia Bryant Murray Bryant Pat Byrne Johnny Chason Lunel Duck Nancy Durant Catherine Earle Charles Earle Martha Earle Myrtle Eddins Juliana Fail Alice Fraser Carolyn Gamble Harry Gilbert Eleanor Glover Pearl Godwin Edmund Hare Barbara Harwood Margaret Holmes Nora Johnson Betty Langham Betty A. Lee Elizabeth Lee Morgan Little Vermell McDill Ann McMillan Joyce Minor Sylvia Mosley Wayne Post Barbara Powell Carolyn Prestwood **Buddy Prine** Sarah Propst Betty R. Quinley Emogene Quinley Ernestine Rabon Judy A. Rabon Ann Reid Steve Sibley Frank Stanton Earl Stevens J. L. Stewart Mattie J. Strickland Gayle Thompson Archie Trawick Fern Trawick Peggy Trawick Billy Walker Margaret Weaver Ben Willis Myletto Willis Faye Yarbrough Jeanette Yarbrough Ann Zehner



KEY CLUB School's Most Active Club

The name of the most active, the most civic-minded, the most loyal club at Baldwin County High School? The Key Club, naturally. To the Key Club goes the credit for collecting state-wide honors (twice), for contributing in many ways to the beautifying of the school campus, for, in general, going places fast. What were the state-wide honors? Billy Long and Jerry Max Barnes—of course, they weren't the state-wide honors, but they were the recipients of them. Billy Long was the governor of Alabama Key Clubs for the year of 1953-54. Jerry Max Barnes will be secretary of Alabama Key Clubs for the year of 1954-55. Beautifying the school and campus? Yes, in two ways. The Key Club bought much-needed venetian blinds for the library windows. Just in time for the seniors to enjoy them (during senior privileges), the Key Club bought concrete benches for the front campus. Going places fast? Yes, indeed—to Los Angeles, California, last summer and to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, this summer. Billy Long, Morgan Little and Buddy Prine, accompanied by the club's popular sponsor, Mr. John White, went to the national convention in LA. Buddy Prine, Billy Long, "Chubby" Stough, Neal White, Johnny Chason, Jerry Max Barnes, Jyon Corbett, Kenneth White, Bob Reid, accompanied by Mr. John White and Mr. George Stough went to the '54 national convention in Philadelphia. See what is meant when the Key Club is called the most active, the most civic, the most . . .



Officers, left to right: Carolyn Gamble, vice-president; Margaret Weaver, recording secretary; Martha Earle, corresponding secretary; Catherine Earle, president and Bobby Pannone, treasurer.





SCIENCE CLUB ...takes State Honors

To get off to such a bad start, the Science Club of B. C. H. S. ended up with a bang. It seemed that the year book would NEVER get printed. Finally after the combined efforts of the club members, it was printed in February. The club studied, as a group, the different branches of science, such as physics, chemistry and biology. Each program consisted of a talk on a science and a talk on some man famous in that particular field. Came the great day when the delegation from the Baldwin County High Sience Club went to Huntingdon College in Montgomery, Alabama, for the AJAS convention. Miss Lillian Leonard, sponsor of the club, was named "Science Teacher of the Year". Martha Earle also took top honors. So, after all the B. C. H. S. Science Club did itself proud.



N. Durant
C. Earle
M. Earle
C. Gamble
H. Jerkins

M. Duck

G. Aaron
J. Allen
A. Bolon
A. Brannon
N. Bush
P. Byrne

M. Little
V. McDill
F. McKinney
B. Pannone
A. Zehner



CAMERA

OFFICERS

President Bob Reid

Vice-President Wallace Weekley

Secretary Martha Earle

Treasurer Ann Bolon



FANS

The Camera Club got off to a good start during September by electing an energetic bunch of officers: Bob Reid, president; Wallace Weekley, vice-president; Martha Earle, secretary; and Ann Bolon, treasurer. All during the year the Camera Clubbers were studying developing, printing and enlarging of pictures. The members were given use of the school darkroom in Miss Lillian Leonard's laboratory. Miss Leonard was the club's sponsor and gave the members many helpful suggestions. In the latter part of the last semester, the Camera Club sponsored a showing of the Eastman Kodak Company prize winning photographs. These photos were entered in the NSPA National School Photographic Contest. They were displayed in the library. From studying these photographs, the Camera Club members gained much information. During the month of April Miss Leonard took the club on a field trip to her cabin at Orange Beach. They all took picnic lunches and spent all day at the cabin. So ended a profitable year for the Camera Club fans.



Jean Burt Florence Chunn Rodney Eddins Irene Ferguson Marilyn Gunter Winston Mosley

Bobby Paul J. D. Peterson Lavon Propst Walter Riggs Winford Roley Sue Russell

D. O. CLUB

. . . takes State Honors

The D. O. Club is for students who are enrolled in the Diversified Occupation Program at B. C. H. S. in which all student-learners are required to spend one-half of the regular school day in organized work experiences on the job under the joint supervision of the school and the employer. In addition to the required time spent in acquiring job experience, each student devotes, each day, two of the regular school periods to the study of technical and related subjects on a correlated basis, under a qualified related subject teacher. For this, he receives two units of credit per year. After all this, a D. O. student definitely needs some recreation,

and that is the purpose of the D. O. Club. The sponsor, Mr. Adolphus Jones, for the club is also the co-ordinator for the D. O. Program at B. C. H. S. One member of the D. O. Club brought quite a bit of honor to B. C. H. S. This was Marilyn Gunter, who was selected as Miss D. O. of Bay Minette, sent to Jackson, Alabama, to represent B. C. H. S. in the district contest, won there and went on to cop the title of Miss D. O. in the state-wide contest held in Tuscaloosa at the University of Alabama. At the end of the year, the D. O. Club had a banquet to which it was possible for them to invite their parents and employers.

Below: Mr. and Miss D. O. of B. C. H. S., Marilyn Gunter and J. D. Peterson, are shown receiving awards from A. Jones, sponsor.



OFFICERS

Raymond Long	President
J. D. Peterson Vice	-President
Florence Chunn	Secretary
Lavon Propst	Treasurer
A. Jones	Sponsor

LIBRARY CLUB Student Service Body

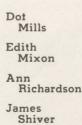
The library club is one of the most important and interesting clubs at Baldwin County High School. During 1953-54 it had one of its most successful years. Mrs. Stough, librarian at B. C. H. S. was sponsor for the club and helped the club with various projects. Under the able leadership of the officers, Nancy Durant, president; Ann Richerson, treasurer; Dot Mills, vice-president; and Myrtle Lou Eddins, secretary, the club undertook many projects. One of them was the book exhibit held for the P.-T. A. during the month of November. During the month of April, the library club held open house in the library at B. C. H. S. in honor of the Pilot and Key Clubs for the gifts of books they had presented to the school library. At the last of school, the club presented a skit written by a B. C. H. S. club member, Mariane Wurst. The skit was about Lois Lenski's books. After one of their most active years, the library clubbers feel that it was a most successful year.



OFFICERS

Nancy Durant	President
Ann Richardson	Vice-President
Myrtle Lou Eddins	Secretary-Treasurer
Mrs. Mary A. Stough	Sponsor

Glenn Aaron Nancy Durant Myrtle Lou Eddins Billie Jean Hayes Merle Jones



Delores St. Amant



Doyle Weekley





Left to right, first row: Sararose Huggins, Mariana Wurst, Alice Cox, Doris Smith, Delores Coleman, Audrey Chandler, Velma Phillippi, June Rider, June Zellers, Drucella Rider, Pat Bell, Margaret Fulner, Nyla Duck. Second row: Ann Blackburn, Maxine Stewart, Sue Killcreas, Sh'rley Caprara, Clarise Chafin, Jane Jerkins, Nettie Lou Roberts, Georgia Oaks, Judy Lambert, Patsy McDuffie, Pat Rider, Mary Clark.

JUNIOR HIGH GLEE CLUB

The junior glee clubs were made up entirely of girls. There were two classes of girls because of the large number of girls who wished to take this course. Miss Estelle Rountree was the instructor. The two groups added their talent to the senior high glee club for the Christmas Concert held at the Grammar School Auditorium. Each group sang individual numbers, then for the finale all groups combined to give a rendition of the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's "Messiah". During the second semester they worked steadily for the Spring Concert. Again

the two junior high groups joined the senior high club for the finale, in which they sang Irving Berlin's "Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor". During April, the junior groups accompanied the senior high club and the mixed chorus to the District Music Festival at Vigor High in Prichard, Alabama. The new members in these clubs had to learn how to read music and how to follow Miss Rountree as she lead them. All in all the junior glee clubs feel that they had a successful year and are ready to begin work as senior glee clubbers next year.

Left to right, first row: Jean White, Marie Eddins, Linda Hinote, Faye Prestwood, Dorothe Nell McDill, Pat Presley, Nancy Durant, Jeanette Yarbrough, Myrtle Lou Eddins. Second row: Matt'e Strickland, Marjorie Wood, Naomi Bolding, Carol Little, Carol Perkins, Jane Bolon, Jean Friel, Judy Ann Rabon. Back row: Lottie Graham, Pearl Godwin, Betty Ann Lee, Ann Richardson, Elma Chastang, Ann McKinley, Carol Mauldin, Ruth Lambert, Patsy Catrett.





Left to right, first row: Myletto Willis, Joyce Ballard, Mooneyne Stokeley, Marietta Barnes, Gladys Coleman, Martha Earle, Betty Langham, Vermell McDill, Jerry White, James Allen, Wayne Post. Second row: Dot Mills, Betty Wiggins, Carolyn Gamhle, Mary Baggett, Shirley Moorer, Doris Day, Ann Zehner, Alice Fraser, Ann McMillan, Hope Neeley, William Stough, Henry Postma, Billy Walker. Back Row: Betty R. Quinley, Emogene Quinley, Eleanor Glover, Anna K. Brannon, Nancy Friel, Elizabeth Postma, Joyce Grimes, Gayle Thompson, Joe Helton, Bob Reid, Jerry Barnes, Charles Aylin, Neil White.

SENIOR HIGH GLEE CLUB

The senior glee club was made up of boys and girls from the tenth, eleventh and twelfth grades. From this group, Miss Rountree picked students for their range and quality of voice. These students composed the group known as the special chorus. The mixed chorus met every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, leaving Tuesdays and Thursdays free for the special chorus. At the first of the year, the students began working on songs suitable for the Christmas Concert. They also worked on some songs that they sang at the Spring Concert. For the Christmas Concert, held at the Grammar School Auditorium, the senior glee club sang some Christ-

mas spirituals, "Jingle Bells", and two choruses from Handel's "Mes the District Music Festival at Mo- Ann Zehner, Wayne Post, Bob Reid. bile, Alabama. There, the group sang three songs and was graded on their rendition of them. Then, for the Spring concert, the group sang "All Things Come Home", "The Whiffenpoof Song", "I Love a Parade", some Negro spirituals, and many others. For the finale all the groups joined in singing "Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor". The special chorus sang at the Easter Sun-rise service. The pianists for this group were Ann Zehner and Martha Earle. At the end of the year, the group went on an all day picnic to Pirate's Cove on Perdido Bay. At the first of the year, the group was a little disorganized, but as time

progressed, so did the senior glee clubbers. By the end of the year, they had learned co-operation; their voices were more atuned to the others; they had learned to follow Miss Rountree, with a few discrepancies, naturally. Many members were seniors, so this was their last year as songsters at dear ole B. C. H. S. Many students who (as the old saying goes) weren't able to carry a tune in a paper sack at the beginning of school were able to sing lustily along with the best of the others. This was due to the best of teachers, Miss Rountree.

siah". The next time the group was

Hope Neeley, Joyce Grimes, Jerry Barnes, Charles Aylin, Neil White, Henry ARCAPELLA CHOIR, left to right, top row: Mary Baggett, Nancy Friel, called on to perform in public was Postma. Bettom row: Mooneyne Stokeley, Mar etta Barnes, Martha Earle,





OFFICERS

President Sonny Powell
Vice-President William Jackson
Second Vice-Pres. Bobby Pannone
Secretary Herbert Mills
Treasurer Tommy Hall
Sponsor Coach Bob Campbell

MIGHTY "B" CLUB

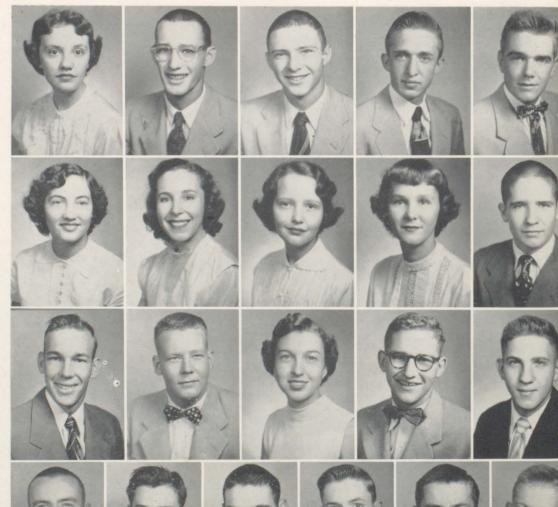
The "B" Club WAS mighty, but to have seen them at the first of the year, they looked mighty feminine. Of course, the new members were only being initiated. But then there were the cheerleaders, honorary members, some of whom were definitely feminine. The "B" Club is made up of boys who have lettered in any one of or all of the three major sports, football, basketball and baseball. This year the "B" Club sponsored a dance at which a basketball queen was chosen. The queen was Joyce Minor.

Marietta Barnes Donald Boan George Bcan Marvin Boone Neil Bush



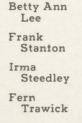
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Catherine
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Carolyn
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Future Teacher's of America Club Organized at B. C. H. S.

For the first time in the history of Baldwin County High School, those interested in teaching as a profession were organized into a Future Teachers of America Club. Mrs. Bennett, who had been affiliated with club work of this sort before, was the sponsor for the club. At each meeting, the group would study some phase of the teaching profession. At several of the meetings, Mrs. Bennett would talk to them and ex-

plain various college catalogs. Mr. Taylor was invited to speak at one of the meetings. This being the club's first year, they received a charter from the National F. T. A. during the last semester. The charter members of the club feel that they had a very successful "first" year, and they hope that the club will continue to do as well.

OFFICERS

Carolyn Gamble	Preisdent
Eleanor Glover	Vice-President
Marietta Barnes	Secretary
Frank Stanton	Treasurer
Catherine Earle	Historian
Mrs. Amelia Benr	ett Sponsor





OFFICERS

Elizabeth Lee	President
Glennes McGill	Vice-President
Ann McMillan	Secretary
Maxine Presley	Treasurer
Barbara Powell	Reporter
Gloria Hart	Historian

F. H. A. B.C.H.S. Homemakers!

The Future Homemakers of America Club is an organization which encourages interest in homemaking. The girls who belong to this club either are taking home economics under Mrs. Bob Hodgson or have taken the course before. Mrs. Hodgson not only teaches the three year course, but also acts as sponsor for the F. H. A. club. The club offers opportunities for the development of the girls' initiative in planning and carrying out activities related to homemaking. This past year, Joyce Minor was chosen as Bay Minette's Miss F. H. A. She went on to win the Baldwin County compeition. The club and B. C. H. S. were quite proud of Joyce. The members who graduated this year sincerely hope the club continues to be as successful as it has in years past.

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W. Emmanuel V. James J. Simms

F. F. A. B. C. H. S. Farmers!

The Future Farmers of America club is a very active counterpart of the F. H. A. The primary aim of the club is to further the development of agricultural leadership, cooperation, citizenship and patriotism. The club has strived toward that aim under the guidance of their sponsor, Mr. Nall, who also teaches vocational agriculture at B. C. H. S. After the senior class had voted to give money for additional seating in the stadium, it fell to the ag. boys to build the new additions. They worked far into the summer. During the year the boys worked on lawn furniture and they made some beautiful cedar chests. After all is over with now, the boys look back and feel that they had a good year.

OFFICERS

Edward Milstid	President
Frank Stanton	Vice-President
Donald Boan	Secretary
Bennett Wilson	Treasurer
J. L. Stewart	Sentinel
Edmund Hare	Reporter







The Beethoven Music Club under the careful eye of Mrs. Jack Jones, the sponsor for the club, studied for the year 1953-54, the "Music Masters". At each meeting during the year the club would listen to someone give a report on Gilbert and Sullivan, Chopin, Beethoven and Brahms and others. After the report, individual members would bring renditions of numbers composed by the above authors. The club sponsored a barn dance during January that was one of the most popular dances of the whole schol year. Many seniors left the club this year. In leaving it, they hope it continues to be as successful as it has been in years past.



OFFICERS

Ann Benoist	President
Eleanor Glover	Vice-President
Martha Earle	Pianist
Ann Bolon	Secretary
Patricia Mothershed	Treasurer

B. C. H. S. SENIOR PIANISTS



Center circle: Mary Ann Wurst, promising junior pianist, plays in recital. From top (clockwise): Mary L. Bankester, Ann Bolon, Martha Earle, Alice Fraser, Patricia Mothershed, Pearl Godwin, Ann Reid, Ann Zehner.

Among the music lovers of B. C. H. S. are the piano students. Along with the band and glee club, the piano instruction completed a well-rounded music program.

Mrs. Linda Jones, the instructor, presented her students in two recitals during the school term. The recital held in January introduced many new students into the music field, displaying much new talent. The May recital proved just how much can be accomplished in a short while with practice, practice, and more practice.

Mrs. Jones, who also sponsored the Beethoven Music Club, is very proud of the interest the students have shown in the musis club and piano music. She hopes this interest will grow.

BALDWIN HIGH'S OWN BAND-LOYAL



BAND - LOYAL TO SCHOOL

Of course, B. C. H. S.'s own band was ALWAYS loyal to the school. At every school function requiring a band or parts of a band, it was there. They played at football games; they gave wonderful half-time shows that showed hours of grueling practice after school; they played in all school parades; they played at pep rallies on Thursday nights. A new addition was asked of them when they were asked to play at basketball games. They played at P.-T. A. meetings. They were, indeed, loyal to B. C. H. S.

BAND - LOYAL TO TOWN

The Baldwin County High School band is first and foremost loyal to its own town, Bay Minette, Alabama. The band first performs its civic duties; then accepts invitations to perform at out of town functions. Some of the Band's important civic duties are to play at political rallies, and to play on the square during the Christmas holidays. The band was always punctual in performing these duties.



STUDIOUS!

But before the B. C. H. S. band could be so loyal, it was necessary to undergo long hours of study, work and practice, as is evidenced in the pictures below. During football season, to perfect the half-time drills, it was necessary to practice almost every afternoon after school. plus regular lessons, and concert practice. Behind these practice sessions lay hours of practice at home. But after all of these practices were accomplished facts, the band was able to present to the public an almost perfect band. The practice payed off in a good public opinion of the Baldwin County High School Band. The really grueling practice. though, was that of getting ready for Mardi Gras. Each day the band would march two and three miles, getting in shape for the parades in Mobile.



DONALD "Don" PAPENBROCK
B. C. H. S. Band Director



But even the hard hours of practice could not have done much good without an excellent band director. The B. C. H. S. band had just that in Don Papenbrock. Without his encouragement (sometime bawlings out) the band could have gotten nowhere fast. He was always there, ready to help in any way possible—even to driving that erratic vehicle known as the "Band Bus". The combination of Don and his students MADE the band.







MAJORETTES





CIVIC-MINDED

Director — Don E. Fapenbrock
Drum Major — Judy Lambert

Majcrettes — Wilma Durant, Linda Hinote, Sue Killcres, Carol Maulden, Marianne McCaw, Glinda Nance, Ramona Owen, Pat Presley, Jenny Thames.

Flute Toni Bodden

Oboe Jean Reid

Jean Kei

Clarinet
Ann Bolon
Jane Bolon
Julia Bristow
Dorothy Coriey
Geraldine Daniels
Margaret Holmes
Nancy Friel
Ruth Lambert
Sharon Langham
Patsy McDuffie
Patricia Page
Miriam Russell
Myrna Jean White
Neil White
Ruby Yarbrough

Alto Saxophone Anna C. Brannon Myrtle Lou Eddins Jean Friel Bob Reid Judy Skinner

Tenor Saxophone Charles Aylin Sharon Richerson

Cornet
Jerry Max Barnes
Clyde Byrne
Patsy Catrett
Earl Chancellor

David Chesnutt Roslyn Dyess Clauae Gross Billy Johnson David Lindsey Tim McConnell Sylvia Mosley billy Scoggin Chubby Stough

Franch Horn Marie Eddins Norma Howell

Baritone Ileen Lee Billy McDill

Trombone
Patricia Bell
Jyon Corbett
Hope Neely
Frank Yarbrough

Sousaphone Vondell James Robert Murphy Baritone Saxaphone

Wallace Weekley
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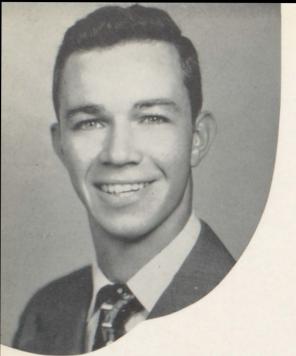
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MORGAN S. LITTLE Editor-In-Chief

from the EDITOR

Well, good people, here it is, the 1954 BAL-COALA, the climax of months of hard work. Before I go any farther, I must thank the people who made this publication possible. First on the list is my most able assistant, Catherine Earle, who has spent most of her vacation going back and forth from Bay Minette to Blacksher. She is responsible for most of the fancy lay-outs and shares equal credit with me for this school record. I feel no editor before me has received more help and cooperation from an assistant. Thanks again, Catherine, for taking over during my recovery from the accident, and keeping the work going on during my absence. Second on the list is Carolyn Gamble, who has spent a lot of her vacation at the typewriter working on the write-ups. Third, Billy Long, who worked so hard on the ads, thanks a million. Fourth, Martha Earle, who always had a swell and novel idea for a poster, advertising dances and events. Hats off to Jerry Max Barnes and Bobby Panonne, who were "real gone" when it came to selling annuals. Thanks to my other salesmen and helpers, Ann Zehner, Alice Fraser, Eleanor

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Glover, Marietta Barnes, Judy Ann Rabon, Hope Neeley, Joyce Grimes, Charles Earle and Pat Byrne. Let's all give a hand to John McDuffie for the jam-up sports and to Betty Bryant who acted as secretary, and to Julia Faye Bryant, bookkeeper. Thank you, Mr. Daniels, for letting us out of class and school when it was necessary to do so. Thanks to Mrs. Nealey for her many favors. Thanks to the teachers for their cooperation.

Hats off again to Phil Sokol for taking pictures during my absence; the Baldwin Times for the use of their camera and dark room; Mr. S. Blake McNeely, and Basil McNeely for their extra effort on our year book; and Mr. O. P. Dix, our printer, for his understanding and patience. Last but not least, we thank our advertisers. Without their help, this book would not be possible. If I have forgotten anyone, thanks to you, too.

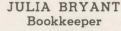
As you can see, this book was not a one man job. It tok many people, much time, and money to make it what it is. I am proud to have been editor. I feel I have gained much from the experience and I will never forget it. Good luck to next year's editor, John McDuffie.

I hope you, the students, like this book. I await your comments with eager ears.

MORGAN S. LITTLE, Editor-in-Chief



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from the Assistant Editor

At the beginning of the 1953-54 school term, I came to a startled realization (after being reminded by Morgan several times) that Morgan and I were responsible for publishing the BAL-COALA. I took it lightly at first—until I realized that an annual couldn't be published by sitting down.

Things started happening—but quick! All the activities through which the annual is partially financed were in full swing, and we were right in the middle-up to our necks. Had it not been for the wonderful cooperation of the Beta members, I would hate to imagine the re-

Our problems have been replicas of any high school yearbook editors, perhaps a little more complicated: about the time things were taking shape our Editor met with a terrible accident. Adjustments had to be made before progression could again be realized. This accounts for our late edition.

I wish to thank Morgan for being such an understanding Editor (it has been a pleasure!); the entire staff for doing their assigned jobs efficiently, on time, and without having to be reminded again and again, while Morgan was hospitalized; the faculty for being so understanding and cooperative, particularly Mr. Daniels and Mrs. Neeley, our beloved office secretary; Mr. S. B. McNeely and Mr. Basil McNeely for the many things that aren't engravers jobs; Mr. O. P. Dix, our printer; Mr. Phil Sokol for taking pictures; the advertisers who made this book possible; and anyone who helped in even a small way (for we must remember that "Little grains of sand make the mighty land") to make this book possible.

Since school has been out, Morgan and I have worked practically every day striving for an annual you would like. Having completed the BALCOALA, we can truthfully say that it is a tremendous undertaking but a most enjoyable and educational one. Now it comes to you, the readers—the 1953-54 BALCOALA with no apologies.

Today as students and graduates of B. C. H. S. you perhaps cannot realize what an old school annual can do to reawaken pleasant memories of the "best years of our life." It is our desire that this annual will keep the record of high school days alive and important in the hearts

and minds of the 1954 student body.

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SPORTS



BASKETBALL

BASEBALL ATHLETES





Above: Captain Herbert Mills and Co-Captain Sonny Powell, receive the County Championship Trophy from County Beta prexy, Catherine Earle.

FOOTBALL

Although the team lost a lot of top senior players last year, and was faced with building a new team containing many players without previous experience, the 53-54 gridiron came through with a fifty-fifty season. That is, the team lost five games—won five. Even though the team was slightly under-manned, through the combined efforts of Coaches Bob Campbell and W. R. "Pinky"

Williams they came through with a successful season.

After losing the first three games the boys were even more determined to do better. They got out of the dog house by taking the County Championship. This proved the team was giving their all and was power-packed.

Several men from the Tiger squad were placed on the All-County team. Mills and Powell were unanimously chosen as participants.

The prospects for next year look fair in spite of the loss of thirteen seniors, many of them star players. There is a lot of raw material left in the junior, sophomore and freshman classes. Surely next year's team will make up for the loss of players and will come back fighting with renewed vigor and a determined spirit.

Graduating Senior Fooltball Players, left to right: Herbert Mills, Sonny Powell, Gerald Seay, Joe Helton, Tommy Hall, Fred McKinney, John Durant, Pat Byrns, Frank Stanton, Bobby Pannone, William Jackson, Hurley Rider, Clayton Harville.



Won Five - Lost Five

B.C.H.S. - MILLER

The Baldwin Tigers' opening game with T. R. Miller at Brewton was a thriller. Even though Baldwin lost, it was enjoyable.

T. R. Miller took the opening kick-off and didn't give up the ball until they scored.

B. C. H. S. came back with two quick scores. Herbert Mills passed. It was intercepted by Donald Boan who stepped into the end zone for the first touchdown. Powell put the Tigers ahead by intercepting another pass from Mills and scoring.

The hard driving Miller team was not to be stopped so easily, however, and came back with two scores. The score at the half was 19-13. Miller scored again in the last half to make the final tally—Miller 26, B. C. H. S. 13.

B. C. H. S. — U. M. S.

The Cadets from U. M. S. furnished Baldwin the second loss of the season. The Soldiers got off to a good start by scoring early in the first quarter. Baldwin took the kick-off and pushed down the field to score. It was Powell who went over the line from inside the five yard line. The point was missed, and at the half B. C. H. S. trailed 7-6.

The second half was all U. M. S.—the Cadets, who led by Byrd, scored twice more to make the final score U.M.S. 20, B. C. H. S. 6.



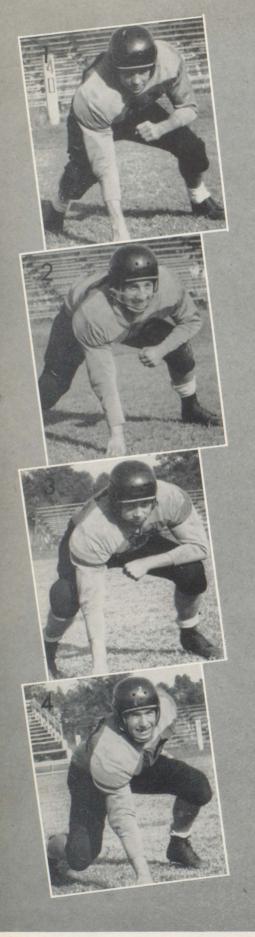
Left to right: B. C. H. S. basketball coach, Edward Barlow and football coaches Bob Campbell and W. R. "Pinky" Williams.

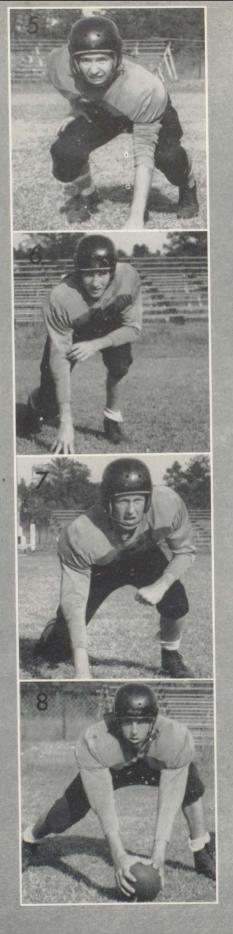
Left: Williams says to Campbell, "We can't win them all!"

Opposition		B.C.H.S.	Opposition		B.C.H.S.
T. R. Miller	26	13	Walnut Hill	7	56
U. M. S.	20	6	W. S. Neal	0	13
Jackson	12	0	Foley	24	7
Fairhope	6	13	Monroeville	13	7
Robertsdale	6	20	Atmore	41	6

Front row, left to right: Charles McKinley, Wayne Post, Jimbo Berry, Johnny Chason, Chubby Stough, Hurley Rider, Bobby Pannone, Johnny McGill, D. C. McKinley, Tommy Hall, Murray Bryant, Pat Trawick. Second row: "Pinky" Williams, Coach, Clayton Harville, Jack Black, Gerald Seay, Ben Willis, Junior Garner, Henry Postma, Billy Joe Feminear, Murton Middleton, Carol Head, Frank Stanton, Kenneth White, George Robinson. Back row: Donald Boan, Sonny Powell, Herbert Mills, Neil Bush, William Jackson, Joe Helton, John McDuffie, Marvier Boone, Fred McKinney, John Durant, Pat Byrne, Bobby Taylor.









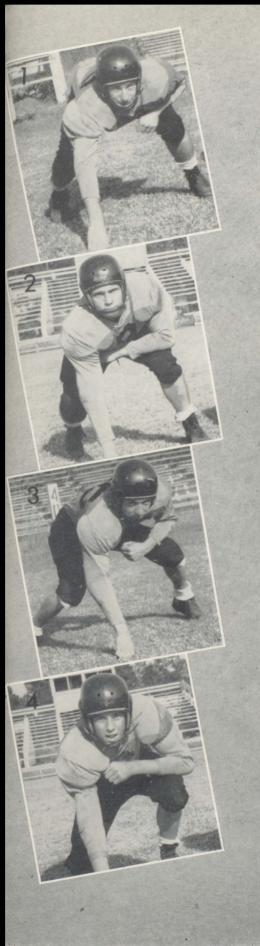
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7—P. Byrne 8—J. Durant

9—H. Mills 10—C. Harville

11—W. Jackson 12—G. Seay







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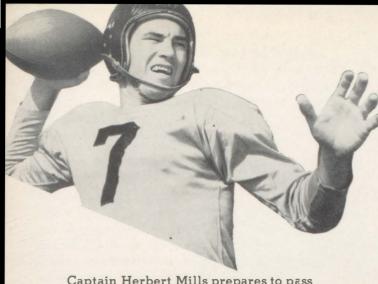
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7—W. Stough 8—D. C. McKinney

9—J. Chason 10—J. McGill



Captain Herbert Mills prepares to pass

B. C. H. S. - JACKSON

Bay Minette lost game number three when they traveled to Jackson for the third game of the season.

Jackson scored twice, and held the Tigers scoreless. Even though Mills passed well and the team fought hard, Baldwin could never quite push over for a touchdown. Thus they came up on the short end of a 12-0 score.

B. C. H. S. - FAIRHOPE

B. C. H. S. became winner as they played their first county game with the Fairhope Pirates.

Tommy Hall and Sonny Powell accounted for the Tigers' scores. They both pushed over from inside the ten yard line after long drives.

Even though Baldwin won their first game on this night, they suffered a tremendous loss early in the first quarter. Tackle J. D. Peterson received a broken leg and was finished for the season

B. C. H. S. — ROBERTSDALE

Baldwin defated their second county opponent, Robertsdale High, in the fifth game of the season.

Powell scored from the two yard line after a long march down field for the first tally. Billy Joe Feminear set up the second score with a long run after taking a pass from Mills. Feminear was stopped inside the five yard line and Mills passed to Boan for the score. Mills provided the final Baldwin tally by dashing forty yards with an intercepted pass. The final tally was B. C. H. S. 20, Robertsdale 6.

B. C. H. S. — W. S. NEAL

The Tigers upset W. S. Neal for their fourth consecutive victory. Powell led the attack, scoring both touchdowns.

The first touchdown was set up when Mills passed to Hall who carried the ball inside the five yard line. From there Powell went over for the score.

Baldwin scored again in the final half when Mills passed to Powell who made the score, giving B. C. H. S. a 13-0 victory.

Anxious eyes await action in exciting Atmore game

And another Tiger bit the dust





B. C. H. S. — FOLEY

The Baldwin Tigers defeated Foley 24-7, giving them a "clean-sweep" of all county opposition and securing for themselves the county championship. This victory also marked their fifth consecutive win.

B. C. H. S. scored early when they recovered a Foley fumble, and on their first play from scrimmage, Powell raced off-tackle for the touchdown. They scored after a long march downfield highlighted by Mill's passes. A fumble and a punt attempt by Foley deep in their own territory, recovered by John Durant, set up the third tally when Powell smashed over from the one yard line. Powell scored the final touchdown in the last half. None of the extra points were good.

Foley's only score came in the second quarter on a pass from Everett to Wirth.

B. C. H. S. — MONROEVILLE

B. C. H. S.'s streak of luck, five consecutive victories, was broken when they were defeated by the Monroeville Tigers.

Baldwin kicked off and held Monroeville for four downs. Their punt was blocked by Baldwin's Joe Helton, and recovered inside the ten yard line. From this point it took only two carries for Tommy Hall to score. Powell added the extra point. Monroeville came back to tie the score at 7-7 when Sirmon scored from the one yard line after a seventy yard drive.

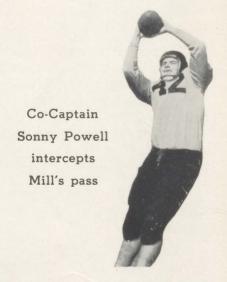
Boan finds an open field as he makes a yard-eating run

The first half ended in a 7-7 tie. Monroeville charged ahead in the fourth quarter on a pass from quarterback Jones to end Finklea to put Baldwin again on the short end of a 13-7 score.

B. C. H. S. — ATMORE

Bay Minette's traditional rivals, the Atmore Blue Devils, handed the Tigers their worst defeat of the season. Atmore led by All-State Kennedy scored after the opening kickoff when Kennedy raced over from the fifteen yard line. B. C. H. S. came back immediately by taking the kickoff and going on to score with Powell driving over. Atmore led 7-6 when the storm broke and the Tigers yere lost in a flood of Blue Devil scores.

The storm ended with a final score of 41 to 6.



Hooded monsters cheer over victory





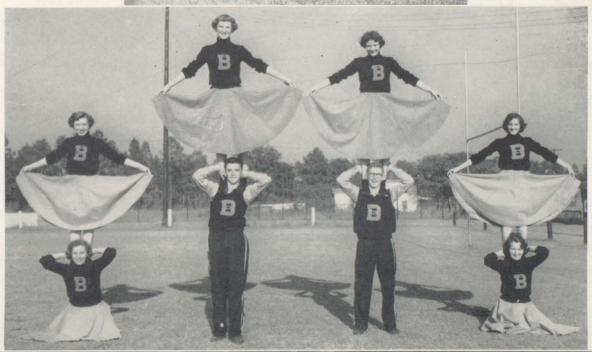
CHEER

Cheerleaders - those instigators of noise, cheers, and school spirit at football and basketball games! Last year the football team had eight mouths to fire up the spectators with spirit. They were Joyce Grimes (head cheerleader), Marietta Barnes, Carolyn Gamble, Catherine Earle, Gladys Coleman, Betty Langham, Billy Long and Wilbur Richerson. The basketball cheerleaders were the same with the exception of the two boys. The football cheerleaders attended every home game and followed the



LEADERS

team to every out of town game. The basketball cheerleaders made every home game. This was the first year in the history of B. C. H. S. that there were basketball cheerleaders. The inspiration behind this idea was Ed Barlow (basketball coach) and Mrs. Jack Jones, who coached the girls in basketball yells. On each Thursday night, before a football game the cheerleaders would lead groups of students in yells on the Courthouse Square. On Fridays, the "c. l.'s" would yell at recess during school.





BASKET

ON THE HARDWOOD!

Under the able leadership of Coach Edward Barlow, Baldwin High produced one of its most successful basketball teams of recent years. Although they came out of the district tournament with no honors, the team made their way into the quarter finals by defeating a strong Robertsdale team. Even though the Tigers were beaten in the quarter finals by a powerful Vigor team, this year marks the greatest advance in recent years by a Bay Minette team in the tournament.

There was a close battle for individual scoring honors between Sonny Powell and Bill Hadley with Powell coming out on top. Herbert Mills was voted by the players as the most valuable player on the team. Along with Hadley, Mills, and Powell, Tommy Hall and Donald Boan rounded out the starting five.

Four seniors will be lost from the Tigers next season, but they have five returning letter-men and some capable men on the "B" team. B. C. H. S. should provide a team to be proud of for next season.

Baldwin's season record was twelve games won—six lost.

TOURNAMENT

Opposition		B. C. H. S.
Robertsdale	53	67
Vigor	66	52



Bill Hadley, a leading scorer on the starting five, shows how he made All-District Team.

Left to right, back row: Coach Edward Barlow, Donald Boan, Bill Hadley, Herbert Mills, Earl Stevens. Front row: Tommy Hall, Sonny Powell.



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SENIOR "A" TEAM SCORES

Opposition		B.C.H.S.
Frisco City	57	52
Uriah	48	56
Citronelle	35	62
Flomaton	52	53
W. S. Neal	53	50
Frisco City	58	71
Foley	68	72
Flomaton	58	61
W. S. Neal	58	54
Fairhope	63	56
Theodore	45	61
Foley	41	55
Citronelle	63	80
Fairhope	45	41
Theodore	45	61
Uriah	56	69
Robertsdale	56	57
Robertsdale	64	60
	865	1071

SENIOR "A" TEAM INDIVIDUAL SCORES

Sonny Powell	375
Bill Hadley	310
Herbert Mills	166
Donald Boan	102
Tommy Hall	69
Earl Stephens	. 35
Neil Bush	7
Johnny McGill	6
George Boan	4

TOURNAMENT INDIVIDUAL SCORES

Bill Hadley	43
Sonny Powell	37
Tommy Hall	19
Herbert Mills	11
Earl Stephens	9

Top: "Where will it go?" is the thought in the minds of the players at this instant.

Middle: Donald Boan prepares to chalk up another two points.

Right: Future varsity tips-off and prepares for score.







"B" TEAM

The "B" team this season was not quite as successful as the "A" team, but they showed good prospects for following seasons. Their record was nine games lost and nine games won. George Boan was the leading scorer with 175 points and Ed Stewart was second with 148 points.

If these boys continue to improve, B. C. H. S. has a bright basketball future.



MANAGERS—Walker and White check equipment.

SENIOR "B" TEAM SCORES

Opposition		B.C.H.S.
Frisco City	58	34
Uriah	43	28
Citronelle	27	37
Flomaton	25	30
W. S. Neal	76	44
Frisco City	28	42
Foley	44	37
Flomaton	35	43
W. S. Neal	54	37
Fairhope	25	29
Theodore	24	36
Foley	34	27
Citronelle	42	57
Fairhope	26	51
Theodore	44	62
Uriah	34	22
Robertsdale	45	38
Robertsdale	50	39
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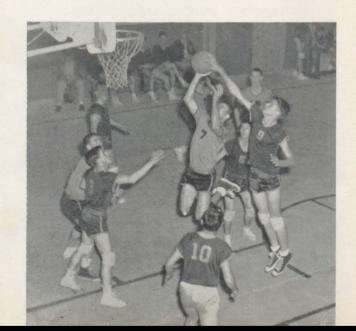
Right: "A" team sets fast pace for "B" team as Mills prepares to sink one.



Left to right, first row: Don Perkins, Tommy Langley, Jack Black. Top row: Neil Bush, George Boan, Ed Stewart, Johnny McGill.

SENIOR "B" TEAM INDIVIDUAL SCORES

George Boan	175
Ed Stewart	148
Johnny McGill	115
Tommy Langley	113
Neil Bush	85
Earl Stephens	17
Jack Black	12
Tommy Hall	8
Kenneth White	7
Don Perkins	6
Doyle Weekley	4





Left to right, first row: Joe Trawick, manager; Duron Cox, Harold Hall, Fred Powell, Howell Hall, Red Wilkins, Sherman James, Coach W. R. "Pinky" Williams. Back row: Charles McKinley, Pat Trawick, Leroy Bell, Luther Smith, Julian Davis, Tony Gibson, Tommy Hawkins... and Camera shy Wade Faulkner.

JUNIOR BASKETBALL

JUNIOR TEAM SCORES

Opposition		B. C. H. S.
Summerdale	33	16
Loxley	57	13
Foley	55	6
Perdido	39	14
Stockton	46	21
Foley	48	23
Perdido	38	23
Summerdale	49	25
Loxley	16	31
Stockton	30	37

The Baldwin Junior High Basketball players had a rather unsuccessful year. Coach W. R. "Pinky" Williams was faced with building a team from a group of inexperienced boys. Even though the team lost more games than they won the boys enjoyed the year. They gained a knowledge of the game which is most important as they are the future basketball team of B. C. H. S.

Future Star!!





On the DIAMOND

Above: Managers
Sid Weatherford and Jerry Trawick

The Bay Minette baseball team this year was quite successful. They finished the season with a record of seven games won and three games lost. They also went to the district finals where they were defeated by Leroy five to four. Baldwin stayed in the lead throughout the game only to see Leroy score four runs to defeat them.

Much of the success of the team was due to the outstanding pitching of Herbert Mills and Bill Hadley. The hitting of Powell, Seay, Hall and Wilson was also a contribution to the teams record. Of course, the alert guidance of Coach W. R. "Pinky" Williams was essential to the team.

Many of these boys are graduating but we still expect great things of next year's team. Let's hope our next year's team will live up to the record of their predecessors—perhaps excel it!

Left to right, front row: Manegers Trawick and Weatherford. Second row: Coach Williams, Ben Willis, Bobby Paul, Howard Garner, Bobby Pannone, Tommy Hall, Mack Paul, Wilbur Richerson, Ronnie Dyess, Gerald Seay. Back row: Bobby Taylor, Herbert Mills, Donald Boan, Neil Bush, Bill Hadley, James Blackmon, Bennett Wilson, Sonny Powell, Clayton Harville, Julian Scott.



INDIVIDUAL SCORES

Sonny Powell	12
Gerald Seay	5
Tommy Hall	4
Bennett Wilson	4
James Blackmon	3
Ronnie Dyess	3
Clayton Harville	2
Bobby Pannone	2
Ben Willis	2
Wilbur Richerson	2
Herbert Mills	2
Bill Hadley	1

GAME SCORES

GAME	DOOM	
Opposition		B.C.H.S.
Robertsdale	3	1
Atmore	4	6
Fairhope	4	6
Robertsdale	1	2
Foley	0	3
Vigor	4	0
Fairhope	0	3
Vigor	3	6
Atmore	9	7

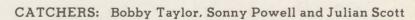


Leading scorer Powell, is also star catcher.

INDIVIDUAL TOURNAMENT SCORES

Tommy Hall	5
Clayton Harville	5
Sonny Powell	5
Ben Willis	4
Wilbur Richerson	4
Bennett Wilson	4
Herbert Mills	3
Gerald Seay	2
Bill Hadley	

PITCHERS: Neil Bush and Bill Hadley.



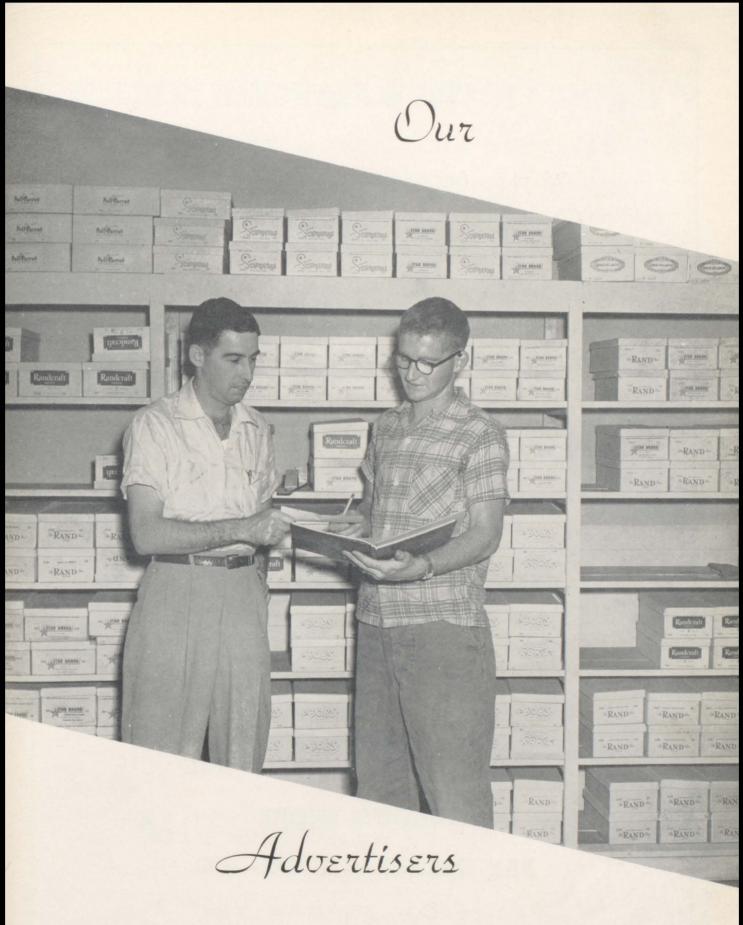






TOURNAMENT

Opposition		B.C.H.S.
Evergreen	2	19
W. S. Neal	3	10
Leroy	5	4



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