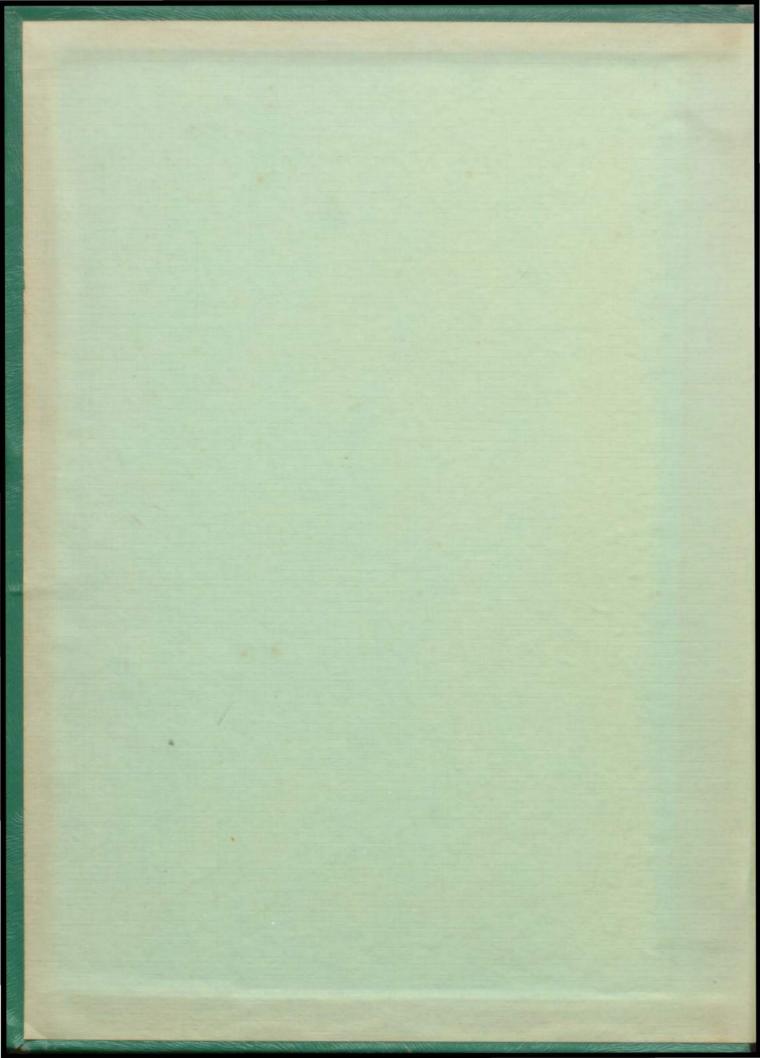
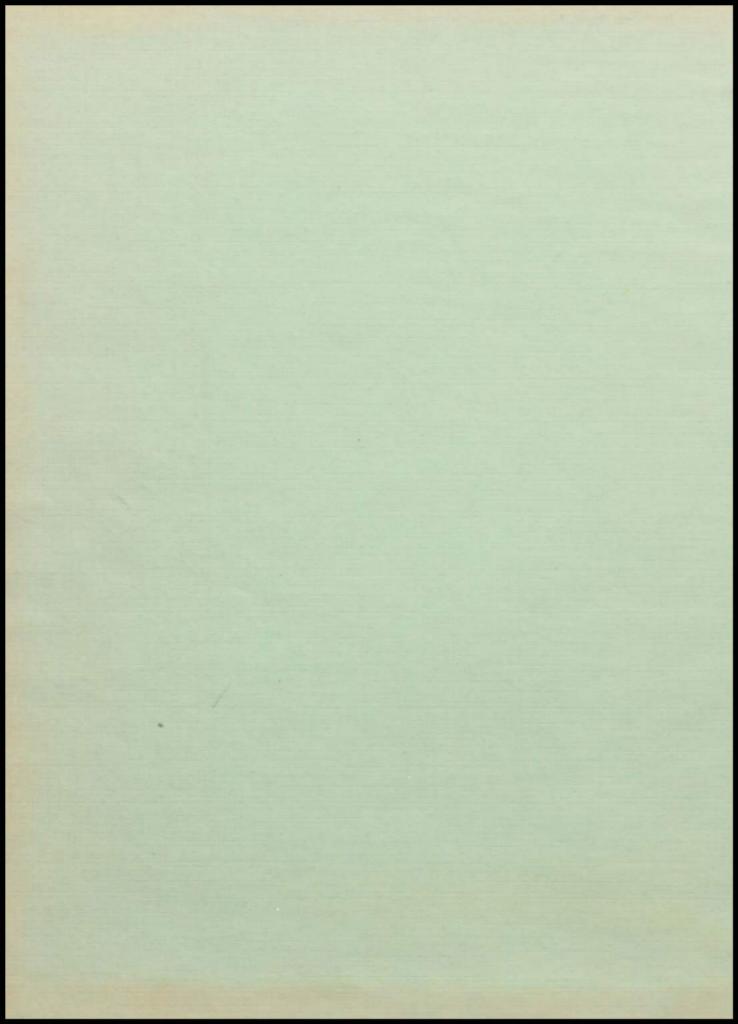
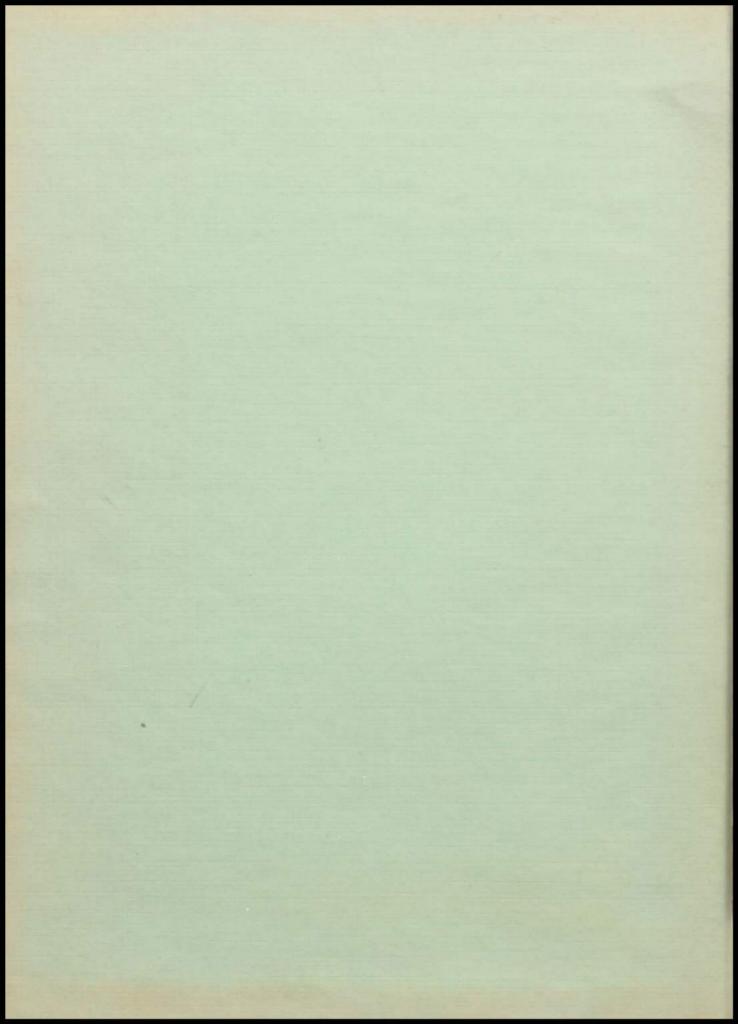
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Valdosta, Georgia

In the pages of the 1957 Sandspur

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

Editor Pam Paulk, Assistant Editor Alan Pendleton, Business M mager Al Forthe, and Assistant Business Manager George Bennett enjoy a walk in the park after working on the 1957 SANDSPUR.





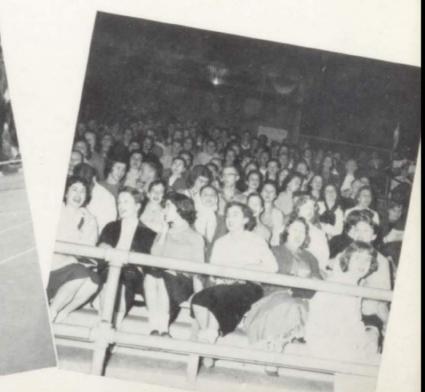
We greatly anticipate the completion of our new science building.

The football boys make use of their new dressing rooms.

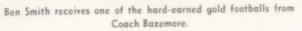
We find moments to remember

The girls like practicing on their new courts.

Football spectators enjoy a better view from the new, improved stadium.









The Student Council and the staffs of the Outlook and the Sandspur were honored at a Christmas dinner in the lunchroom.

in the awarding of honors . . .

Mrs. Ogletree presents Chandler with the DAR Good Citizenship Award.

The graduating members of the band receive sweaters for their hard work.







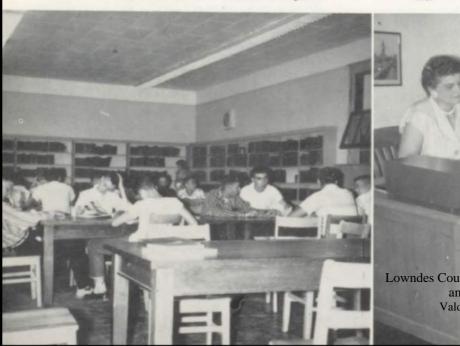
Mrs. Hall helps us develop our typing skil.s in first year typing.

Mrs. Small's art class uses originality in painting their masterpieces.

. . in attending

All students enjoy going to the library to use the reference books, to select a good book, or jurt to look at a magazine.

Miss Ford, the guidance counseler, talks to Hal about college life.





Claudette performs an experiment as part of her yearly chemistry project.

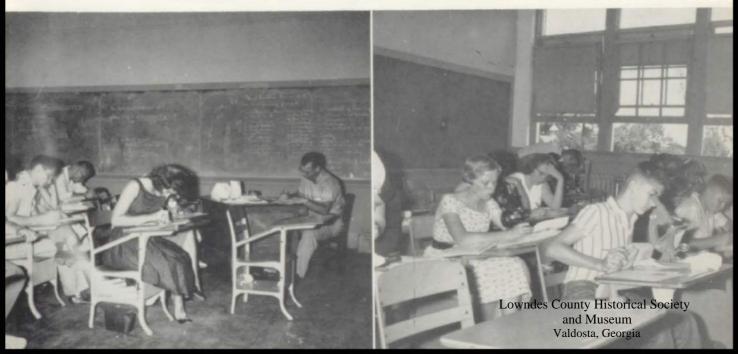


Mr. Davis assists Melanie and Linda with an experiment in his Physics class.

the various classes . . .

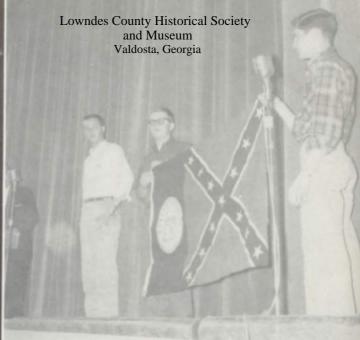
The Solid Geometry class struggles with one of Mr. Davis' famous tests.

The strong emphasis on science seems to be taking effect in Mrs. Massey's Biology class.





The Student Directories, published by the Student Council as a service project, were a great help to everyone.



The Valdosta Chapter Order of DeMolay present our school with a new state flag.

in participating in activities . . .

Jimmy and Ralph register the college delegates on College Day.



Rod checks Jerry's hall permit at lunch, thus carrying out his job for the Beta Club.





At the Freshman March, Lyle sang "Don't Be Cruel" to the upper classmen.



Wilbur presents Cornelia and Bethay with their Christmas gifts from the student body.

Phyllis and Tommy participate in one of Mr. Bacon's many plays.

in the entertaining chapel programs . . .

Mr. Odom's drum playing was a pleasing "extra" on the band chapel program.

Dr. Buckner Fanning, renowned Evangelist, and Pam discuss his booklet, "Day by Day Christian Living."





Seniors burn the Merit Scholarship backlets after completing the test.



Mr. Martin displays one of his unusual talents for the 48 lunch classes.

The student body enjoys the Christmas edition of the Outlook.

in the unusual and

Odie and Gwen sell "slaves" for the D. E. Club's Slave Day.

Ralph, Alan, Wilbur and Cay composed the debate team which won first place in the state.







Jimmy, Mike, and Joan receive instruction on Parliamentary procedure from Mrs. Burns while she helps with this Beta Club project.

Ollie gets instructions on how to pose for her school pictures.

exciting moments .

The students enjoy a "picnic" lunch on the campus.

Sammy decorates the Christmas tree in the lunch room which adds to our Christmas spirit.



Laverne receives her Sports Club award in chapel.



The cheerleaders prepare to burn T'ville in effigy.



first girl golfer.

in the

many sports . . .

A long waiting line on the bench backs up the first team.

The sponsors enjoy the Waycross game from the sidelines.

The mighty Wildcats bow in a moment of prayer before each game.



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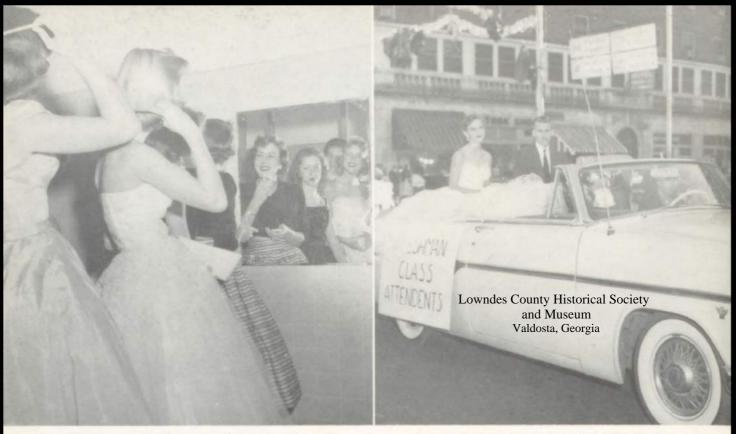
Mr. Davis gets a "beauty treatment" from his "slaves" on Slave Day. The railing along the breezeway furnishes a place of relaxation during the lunch hour.

in the familiar scenes . . .

Miss McKinney, perched on her favorite stool, gets a better view of her classes.

Between halves Coach Bennett demonstrates techniques.



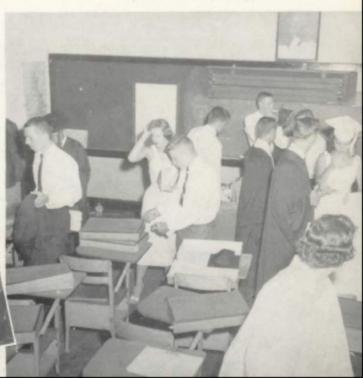


Behind the scenes at the Homecoming Dance, the girls crowd around the mirror for last minute primping. Even the Freshmen become important during the Homecoming festivities.

in the Homecoming festivities . .

The Senior edition of the Outlook records events of the year in story and pictures. The Seniors' last minute in their homeroom is the time that they turn in their caps and gowns.







A popular Elvis Presley song provides the theme for a Homecoming float.

The spirit of V.H.S. burst forth at the big pep rally before the Homecoming game.

and in the closing of the school day.

Homecoming festivities are begun with a shirt-tail parade the night before the big game with Thomasville.

Going home-a moment we all remember.



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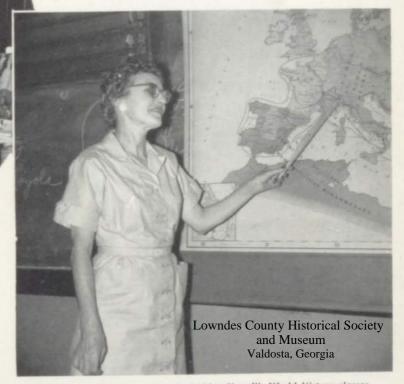
Mrs. Hollie Howell

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The Seniors lovingly dedicate our 1957 Sandspur to Mrs. Hollie Howell

Because of her understanding and friendliness; her unfailing guidance and interest in all our activities; and her untiring efforts, we dedicate this, the 1957 **SANDSPUR**, to Mrs. Hollie Howell.

Mrs. Howell completes some work in her "private office"her pet name for her classroom.



The maps play an important role in Mrs. Howell's World History classes.

FRIENDLY PEOPLE

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At a Valentine tea, Mr. Martin presents our Teacher of the Year, Miss Kubye McKinney, with a gift from the faculty.

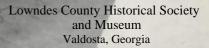
Create Moments to Remember



Spring "locker-cleaning" causes confusion in the hall.

At lunch the boys gather on the grass for a gossip session.

Jimmy Blanchard explains his display at the Science Fair.



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The guidance of the Board of Education .

Our Board of Education strives constantly toward the development of a better school system so that our educational opportunities may be second to none. We are truly grateful to them.

Members of the Board of Education at graduation. They are, Left to Right: Mr. Clement Greene, Mr. Homer Eberhardt, Mr. S. L. Mason, Mrs. Christie Patterson, Mrs. D. L. Burns, Dr. Ralph Thaxton, Dr. F. G. Eldridge, Dr. Conrad Williams, Mr. Eddie Laws.

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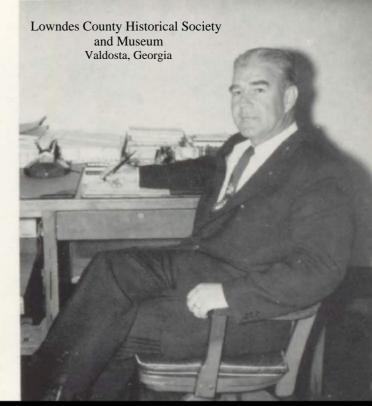


MR. W. G. NUNN Superintendent

B.S., Auburn; M.S., Auburn; Additional Graduate work at University of Alabama, Southern Methodist University, Duke University, University of Georgia.

Mr. W. G. Nunn, our superintendent, has shown untiring effort in promoting our school spirit and activities. His friendliness and understanding have endeared him to everyone at V.H.S., as he strives to improve our educational facilities.

the direction of the administration . .



MR. HOWELL C. MARTIN Principal

B.S., Georgia Teachers College; M.Ed., Mercer University; Additional Graduate Work at Duke University.

Mr. Howell C. Martin, our principal, has shown interest in all our problems, large and small. He is a very capable man and has worked persistently to better our school program.





Miss Adams and Mrs. Hall pose in the Commercial Department.

Mr. Odum and Mr. Bacon compare "notes" during graduation practice.

the training, interest,

Miss Herring and Miss Hambrick choose patterns for their Spring wardrobe.

Mr. Harrison and Mr. Glenn compare the D.C.T. and the D.E. Program.





Miss Ford, Mrs. Howell, and Miss Ogletree read books on History found in our library.

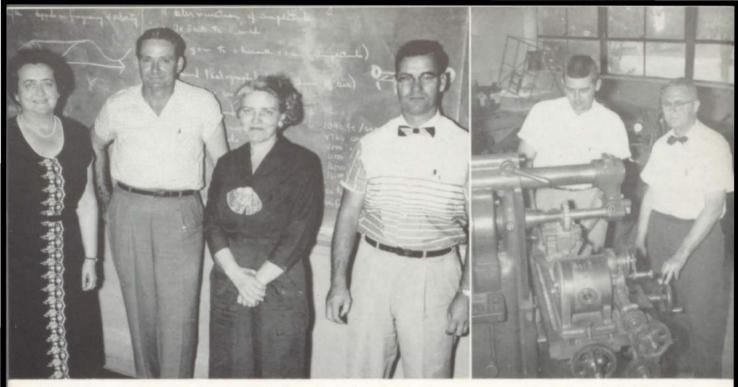
Mrs. Hamill and Mrs. Barthlow discuss the buoks which are required for their English courses.

understanding and advice . . .

A display of pictures pertaining to English are observed by Mrs. Smith, Miss McKinney, and Mrs. Anthony.

Mrs. Mathis gives some advice about books on languages to Mr. Miller.





Mrs. McClure, Mr. Love, Mrs. Evans, and Mr. Davis discuss the principles of mathematics.

Mr. Dechau and Mr. Wilson check equipment in the shop.

given to us by

Mrs. Touchton, Mrs. C. Massey and Mrs. B. Massey pause after a tour of the Science Building.

Mrs. Johnson takes time out from P. E. to pose for us.





Coaches Bazemore, O'Neal, Bennett, and Davis display two of the many trophies earned in the various sports.

Miss Hightower relaxes for a moment as she takes time out from her Visiting Teacher duties.

the V.H.S. faculty .

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Mrs. Carruthers and Mrs. Gulliver make up the school's efficient office staff.

Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Forrest handle the records in the lunch room.







MISS FREDEVA OGLETREE

make Moments to Remember.

Here, we, the Editors of the 1957 **SANDSPUR**, pause to say a special thank you to our dear friend, Miss Fredeva Ogletree. During this, her last year as advisor to the **SANDSPUR** staff, she has been able to call upon knowledge and experience gained through fourteen years of service in this capacity, and she has benevolently and patiently given hours of guidance which have made this yearbook possible. We shall always be grateful to her for a job well done!

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Fannie Lee Asbell





create wonderful

moments . . .

Don Atchison

Paul Balalis

Joyce Beauchamp

Charles Alexander





Pauline Beck

Gwen Bennett

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Frances Bennett

Dan Blanton

Jo Ann Blanton







PUBLIC HEALTH

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Chest X-Rays tell the seniors whether they have T.B. or not.

La Quita Blanton

Tracey Blanton











Donna Boone







Jo Ann Box



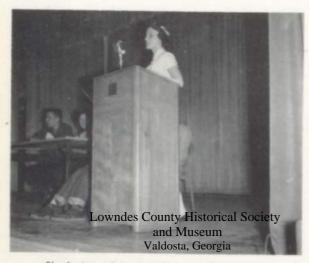
Julia Bray

Jo Brett

David Brooks

Lysbeth Brooks

for their classmates



Phoebe enters into campaigning enthusiastically.





Howard Broomberg

Jimmy Carroll

Harriett Browne

Helen Chadwick



Elma Jean Bryan



Bobby Burnette



Jane Cannington







Steve Chitty



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Marie Converse /

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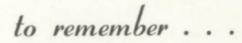
Sandra Cowart







Gerald Culpepper





Ben has waited a long time for the time when he could be measured for his cap and gown.

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Myra Dasher

Peggy Davidson







Jerry Davis



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Phyllis Davis

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Gwendolyn Dollar

Doris Duncan

Wilma Ellenberg

Lawrencene Evans

Pat Davis

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Lenora Feazell

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Cloudette Finley

Al Forthe







Betty Fussell

Billy Garrett

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Joyce Green





getting invitations .

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Miss McKinney and Mr. Gienn neip the seniors get their invitations.

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John Guess

Roberta Haas

Farney Harrison



Tom Haskin

Edna Hawes

Eddie Herndon

Ruth Hightower

winning awards . .



Chandler and Claudette receive an award for their outstanding work on the OUTLOOK staff.

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

Phoebe Humphries

Lounette Jackson



V











Jean Holmes 🖌

Robert Johnson

Marilyn Hughes

Johnny Jones















Laurice Kalil



Brian Killeen



Lorimer Kirby

William Kirby

Michael LaHood

planning for



The seniors plan for the future on Career Day.

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia



Marsha Lear





Marilyn Lee



Joyce Kirkland



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Faye Lanier

Eleanor Leonard

Hazel Lee Law

Nellie Lokey



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Elaine McDonald



Carolyn McGee

Helge McGee

Nellie Jean McGee

Shirley Long

Arthur McLane

Gayle Luke





Tim McLeod



Bobby Mayer

Alton Mock









The Elks' Leadership and Scholarship winners receive their checks proudly.

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

Sara Maris Moses

Susan Newham











Tommy Nichols



Lucile Nix

William Norsworthy

Joel Norwood

Melvin Osborne

Tommy Newsom



Dorothy Overby

Margie Owens

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Wayne Overstreet

Ginna Parramore

Gwyn Parrish



Pam Paulk

Alan Pendleton











receiving high honors



Mr. Nunn presents Claudette with the Most Outstanding Senior Award.





Joan Peterman

V

Jerwann Phillips



Junior Phillips



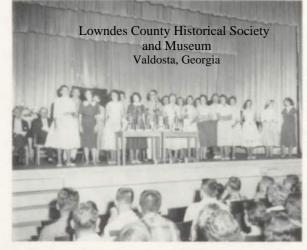
Glenda Pittman 🔑

Kitty Rabon

Joan Reames

Dorothy Reeves

and recognition . . .



The Honor Graduates receive recognition on Honors Day.









Sue Ann Rehberg

Fred Riggs

Dorothy Roberts







John Songster









Ferrell Scruggs

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Carreen Shapiro



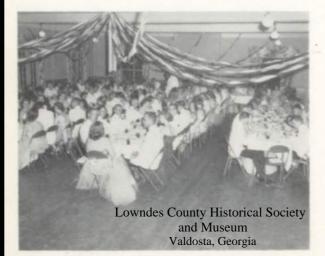
Jimmy Shaw

LaTrelle Sirmans

Ben Smith

Beverly Smith

socializing together . .



The Senior Banquet, held at the Country Club, was a fitting prelude to the Junior-Senior dance.





Julie Smith

Elaine Studstill





Virginia Smith

Carolyn Suggs



Julius Southall







Shera Sterling









Joe Tinsley



Mary Lou Tomlinson



Everett Tumblin

Patsy Viar.

Bill Voigt

leading the grand march



The Junior-Senior Grand March was fun-even though it was slightly confusing.

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Gay Warwick y

Beverly Walker

J. W. Warren





Mike White



Earl Wicker

Sara Wilkerson











Margaret Ann Wilkes







Penny Williams



Odie Wilson

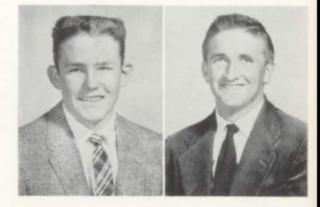
and participating in the last chapel program.



Cay made the first farewell speech at the last chapel of 1957.

Sonny Wisebaker

Dennis Wood



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ADKINS, TOMMY

ALEXANDER, CHARLES

Student council 4; District Meet 4; Boy's Essay 4; Honor Graduate.

ASBELL, FANNIE LEE Glee Club 1; Library Staff 4.

ASBELL, GWEN

ATCHISON, DON

BALALIS, PAUL

DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4, Chief Observer 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; Jr. Police 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Track 3, 4.

BEAUCHAMP, JOYCE

Bond 1, 2; Commercial Club 3; D. E. 4, Tri-Hi-Y 1.

BECK, PAULINE

Commercial Club 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 3, 4; Girls' Sports Club 2; Ground Observer Corps 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 4, Secretary 4; Office Staff 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Delegate to State Library Meet 4; Second Place Beouty Contest 4.

BENNETT, FRANCES GREEN

BENNETT, GWEN

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; D. E. Club 4; F. H. A. 1; Tri-Hi-Y 2; Basketball 2, 3; District Meet Typing 4.

BLANTON, DAN

Hi-Y 1, 2; Ground Observer Corps 2, 3; Jr. Police 4; Football 1.

BLANTON, JO ANN

D. E. Club 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Band 1, 2.

BLANTON, LAQUITA

D. E. Club 4; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, 4.

BLANTON, TRACEY

Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Project Chairman 3; F. H. A. Club 1; Dramatic Club 1; Office Staff 4; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3; Student Council 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; All Star Team 4; Girls' State 3; Honor Graduate.

BOONE, DONNA

F.H.A. Club 1, 2; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;

BOONE, GENE Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Jr. Police 2, 3; V. Club 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4.

BOX, JO ANN

Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4.

BRAY, JULIA

F.H.A. Club 1, 2; Girls' Club 2, 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

JO BRETT

Entered from Jacksonville, Florida 4; Commercial Club 4; Glee Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4; Third place Beauty Contest 4.

BROOKS, DAVID Glee Club 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Key Club 3, 4; V Club 3, 4; Jr. Police 1; Football 1, 2, 3.

BROOKS, LYSBETH

F.H.A. Club 1; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 4.

BROOMBERG, HOWARD D. E. Club 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK 4; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4, Asst. Chief Observer 3; Hi-Y 3; Dramatic Club 3.

BROWNE, HARRIET

F. H. A. Club 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

BRYAN, JEAN

D. C. T. Club 4, Vice-President 4; F. H. A. Club 3, 4; Library Staff 4; Girls' Sport Club 2, 3.

BURNETTE, BOBBY

Beta Club 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4, Asst. Business Mgr. 3; Business Manager 4; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; SANDSPUR 4; Basketball 1, 2; Most Outstanding Engineering Senior 4; State Runner-up National Merit Scholar-ship 4; Honor Graduate.

CANNINGTON, JANE

D. E. Club 3, 4; F. H. A. 1.

CARROLL, JIMMY

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Key Club 3, 4; V Club 3, 4; Basketball 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4.

CHADWICK, HELEN

D. E. Club 3, 4; F. H. A.

CHITTY, STEVE Ground Observer Corps 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, Secretary 2; Key Club 4; SANDSPUR 4; V Club 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Football 1.

CHRISTIAN, CHANDLER Beta Club 3, 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4, Co-Editor 4; Dramatic Club 3; Ground Observer Corps 3; Library Staff 2, 3; SANDSPUR 2; Student Council 4, Secretary 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 2, Chaplain 4; Junior Class Treasurer; Cheerleader 4; 2nd place in UDC Essay Contest 3; Top 15 Beauty Contest 4; DAR Good Citizen-bio Award 4; Honor Graduate ship Award 4; Honor Graduate.

CLANTON, WYNDELL

D. E. Club 3, 4.

CODY, JAMES

D. E. Club 3, 4; State First Vice-President 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK 4; Jr. Police 1; Key Club 3, 4, Parliamentarian 4; SANDSPUR 4; Football 1, Co-Captain; Boys' State 3, City Secretary and House of Representatives.

COLEMAN, DAN

Ground Observer Corps, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, Vice-President 2; Key Club 3, 4.

CONVERSE, MARIE

Beta Club 2; Commercial Club 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, Treasurer 2; Dramatic Club 3; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 3, 4, Activities Editor 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Chaplain 2; Treasurer of Freshman Class; Cheerleaders 3, 4; Basket-ball 1, 2; Top 15 in Beauty Contest, Honor Graduate.

COOPER, LARRY

COPPAGE, RUBY LEE

D. E. Club 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, President 3.

COPPEDGE, JO ANN

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 4; Basketball Mgr. 2, 3, 4.

COWART, MADELON

Commercial Club 4; D. E. Club 3, 4; Secretary 4; F. H. A. 1; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, Glee Club 1, 2.

COWART, SANDRA

Commercial Club 3, 4, Treasurer 4; F. H. A. 1; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 3, 4; Girls' Sports Club 2; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2.

CRANFORD, CAY

CRANFORD, CAY DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Editorial Editor 4; F. H. A. 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Ground Observer Corps 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 2, President 3, 4; SANDSPUR 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader Alternate 3; District Meet 2, 3, 4; Debate Team 2, 3, 4; District Play 2, 3, 4; Girls' Reading 2; Valdosta Times Journalism Award 3; Winner of Jaycee "I Speak for Democracy" Contest; Honor Graduate.

CULPEPPER, GERALD

Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

DASHER, MYRA

Beta Club 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2; Vice President 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Vice-President 3, President 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; SANDSPUR 4; Science Club 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer 4; District Meet 4; Ready Writing 4; U. D. C. Essay Award 3; D. A. R. American History Award 3; Winner of National Merit Scholarship 4; Most Valuable Student Award 4; Salutatorian.

DAVIDSON, PEGGY

DOSTA OUTLOOK 4; Ground Observer Corps 2, 3; Library Staff 4; SANDSPUR 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 4.

DAVIS, JERRY Commercial Club 3, 4; D. E. Club 4; F. H. A. 3, 4; Girls' Sports Club 3; Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4.

DAVIS, PAT

Football 3, 4.

DAVIS, PHYLLIS

Girls' Sports Club 2, Band 1, 2; Library Staff 4, Treasurer 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

DOLLAR, GWENDOLYN D. E. Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

DUNCAN, DORIS

Entered from Gainesville, Florida 4; F. T. A. 4; Glee Club 4; Office Staff 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4; Government Club 4.

ELLENBERG, WILMA

Honor Graduate

EVANS, LAWRENCENE Commercial Club 4; D. E. Club 4.

FEAZELL, LENORA

Commercial Club 4; F. H. A. 1, 2; Girls' Sports Club 2; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 3.

FINLEY, CLAUDETTE

Beta Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3, Secretary 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK 2, 3, 4, Reporter 2, Managing Editor 3, Co-Editor 4; Student Council 1, 3, 4, President 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2, Chaplain 3; Secretary of Junior Class 3; Basketball 1, 2; Honor Graduate.

FLOWERS, BUDDY D. C. T. 3, 4, President 4.

FORTHE, AL

BETA CLUB 2, 3; D. E. Club 4, Reporter 4; Ground Observer Corps 2, Hi-Y 1, 2; Jr. Police 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4; SANDSPUR 3, 4, Assistant Business Manager 3, Business Manager 4; President of Freshman and Sophomore Classes, Basketball I, 2; D. E. Speech Contest Winner 4; D. E. Math Contest Winner 4; American Legion Citizenship Award; Honor Graduate.

FOUNTAIN, LETHER

Commercial Club 3; D. E. Club 4; F. H. A. Club 2, 3; Girls' Sports Club 2.

FUSSELL, BETTY

GARRETT, BILLY D. E. Club 4; Jr. Police 4; Football, Jr. Varsity 1, 2; Track 2.

GRANT, FAYE

GREENE, JOYCE D. E. Club 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3.

GUESS, JOHN

D. C. T. 4, Historian 4; Football 1, 2.

HAAS, ROBERTA

Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4.

HARRELL, JOHN D. C. T. Club 3, Reporter 3; Basketball 1.

HARRISON, FARNEY

HASKIN, TOM Football 1, 2, 3, 4.

HAWES, EDNA

Beta Club 3, 4; Library Staff 3, 4; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 3; Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Honor Graduate.

HERNDON, EDDIE

Baseball 2, 3, 4.

HIGHTOWER, RUTH

Commercial Club 4; Library Staff 3, 4, Secretary 3; Secretary of Senior Class; Homecoming Attendant 3, Homecoming Queen 4; First Place in Beauty Contest 4; Honor Graduate.

HOLMES, JEAN

Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, Treasurer 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 4.

HUGHES, MARILYN

DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Journalism Club 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 2, 3, 4; Head Majorette 4.

HUMPHRIES, PHOEBE

Beta Club 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Feature Editor 3, Managing Editor 4; F. H. A. 3; Ground Observer Corps 3; SANDSPUR 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Honor Graduate.

JACKSON, LOUNETTE

D. E. Club 4; F. H. A. 2; F. T. A. 2.

JOHNSON, NANCY

DOSTA OUTLOOK 4, Bookkeeper 4; Girls' Sport Club 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; Treasurer of Senior Class, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4, All-State 4, Girls' State 3; Tennis 2, 3; Honor Graduate.

JOHNSON, ROBERT

Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4, Best Back 3, 4, Most Valuable Player 3, Best All Round Player 4; All State 4, Atlanta Touchdown Back of the Week 4; Track 1, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Key Club 3, 4, Vice-President 4; V Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President of Sophomore Class.

JONES, JOHNNY

Baseball 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; All State Mention 3, All State 4; Atlanta Journal & Constitution AA Lineman of the Year 4; A. P. Co-Captain All State Team 4; All South Georgia 4; All Southern Mention 4; All American Mention 4; Best Lineman V.H.S. 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4; V Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4.

JONES, EARLENE

D. E. Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

KALIL, LAURICE Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

KILLEEN, BRIAN

Hi-Y 1, 4.

KIRBY, LORIMER Football 2.

KIRBY, WILLIAM

Entered from Clyattville, Georgia 4; Hi-Y 4.

KIRKLAND, JOYCE

Entered from Pinetta, Florida 3, Football 3.

LAHOOD, MICHAEL

DOSTA OUTLOOK 4; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Library Staff 3, 4; V Club 2; Football Manager 2.

LANIER, FAYE

Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, 4; Reporter 3, President 4; Ground Observer Corps 3; Girls' State 3; SANDSPUR 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3, President 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; All State 4; Winner of the U. D. C. Essay Contest 4; Honor Graduate.

LAW, HAZEL LEE

Beta Club 2; D. E. 3, 4; F. H. A. 2; Vice-President 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3.

LEAR, MARSHA

Entered from Quitman, Georgia 2; DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Art Editor 3, 4; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 3; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Honor Graduate.

LEE, DONNIE

F. H. A. Club 1; F. T. A. Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Library Staff 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

LEE, MARILYN Basketball 2, 3, 4.

LEONARD, ELEANOR

F. H. A. Club 1; Ground Observer Corps 3; Government Club 4; Tennis 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

LOKEY, NELLIE

Commercial Club 3; D. E. Club 4; F. H. A. 2, 3; Girls' Sports Club 2; Perfect Attendance for Twelve Years.

LONG, SHIRLEY

LUKE, GAYLE

Beta Club 2, 3, 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK 3; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Second Honor Graduate.

McDONALD, ELAINE

Commercial Club 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2; Ground Observer Corps 3; Glee Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

McGEE, HELGE

Entered from Wheeler Field, North Africa 3; Band 3, 4; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4.

McGEE, NELLIE JEAN

D. E. Club 4; F. H. A. Club 2.

McLANE, ARTHUR DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Ground Observer Corps 2, 3, 4; Asst. Chief Observer 4; Jr. Varsity Football 1; Track 4.

McLEOD, TIM

Football Manager B Team 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2; Jr. Police 2, 3. MASSEY, J. W.

Entered from Clinch City High School 4; Glee Club 4; Dramatic Club 4.

MAYER, BOBBY

D. E. 3, 4; State Vice-President of Public Relations 4; Ground Observer Corps 3, Jr. Police 4.

MIXER, LEON

Entered in January, 1957 from Webb School, Tennessee.

MOCK, ALTON

D. E. Club 3, 4

MOORE, CHARLES

Shop 1, 2, 3, 4.

MORRIS, MARILYN

Dramatic Club 3; F. H. A. 1, 2; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

MOSES, SARA MARIE Dramatic Club 3; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3, Presi-dent 4; F. T. A. 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Glee Club 1, 3; Ground Observer Corps 3; Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4.

NEWHAM, SUSAN

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

NEWMAN, MIKE Entered from Lake Park 3.

NEWSOM, TOMMY Entered from Lake Park 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK, Sports 4; Hi-Y Treasurer 4; Vice-President of Senior Class; Government Club 4; Homecoming King; Winner of American Legion Oratorical Contest; Valdosta Times Journalism Award 4.

NICHOLS, TOMMY

Ground Observer Corps 2, 3, 4; Jr. Police 2, 3, 4, Driver 3, 4.

> NIX, LUCILLE Library Staff 4.

NORSWORTHY, WILLIAM

Entered from Echols County 4.

NORWOOD, JOEL

Basketball 1, D. C. T. 3, 4; Secretary 3.

OSBORNE, MELVIN

OVERBY, DOROTHY FOUNTAIN D. E. 4; F. H. A. 1.

OVERSTREET, WAYNE Dramatic Club 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Ground Observer Corps 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 4; SANDSPUR 3; District Meet 4; District Play 4.

OWENS, MARGIE

D. E. Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

PARRAMORE, GINNA

Dramatic Club 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-Presi-dent 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Top 15 in Beauty Contest 4.

PARRISH, GWYN

Commercial Club 4; F. H. A. 1; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

PAULK, PAM Beta Club 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3, President 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK 4; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 1, 4; Editor 4; Student Council 2, 3; Secretary of Freshman and Sopho-more Classes, Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 4; Top 15 in the Beauty Contest 3; Valedictorian.

PENDLETON, ALAN

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; SANDSPUR 3, 4; Asst. Editor 4; Science Club 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Student Council 4, Vice-President 4; District Meet 3; Alternate for Debate Team 3, Debate Team 3, 4, First Place State Affirmative 4.

PETERMAN, JOAN

F. H. A. 1, 2; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4, Parliamentarian 3, Secretary 4; D. E. Club 3, 4, Secretary 3, Vice-President 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Girls' Sport Club 2

PHILLIPS, JERWANN

Band 1, 2; Girls' Sports Club 3; Tri-Hi-Y 3.

PHILLIPS, JUNIOR

PITTMAN, GLENDA

Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1; Glee Club 1; Library Staff 4; Girls' Sports Club 2; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

RABON, KITTY

REAMES, JOAN

Commercial Club 3, 4; Office Staff 4; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3; Tri-Hi-Y 2; Basketball 2.

REEVES, DOROTHY

Commercial Club 2; Library Staff 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4.

REHBERG, SUE ANN

F. H. A. 2; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Library Staff 4; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

RIGGS, FRED Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Key Club 3, 4, President 4; V Club 2, 3, 4; President of Junior and Senior Classes; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Best Sportsman Award 4; Elk's Leadership Award 4.

ROBERTS, DOROTHY

Commercial Club 3, 4, Vice-President 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 4; Office Staff 4; SAND-SPUR 3, 4; Girls' Soprts Club 2, 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Top 15 in Beauty Contest 3, 4.

ROBINSON, ROBERT Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; Honor Gradunte.

SANGSTER, JOHN D.C.T. 4.

SCALA, ANNE

DOSTA OUTLOOK 4; Ground Observer Corps. 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 3; SANDSPUR 2, 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Graduate.

SCHROER, JOAN

Entered from Pine Grove 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Girls' Sports Club 2; Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4.

SCHROER, WALTER

Ground Observer Corps 4; Hi-Y 1, 2; Junior Police 4.

SCRUGGS, FERRELL

Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Key Club 4; V Club 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Homecoming Attendant 4.

SHAPIRO, CARREEN

Entered from Homerville High School 4; DOSTA OUT-LOOK 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4; Basketball 4; Homecoming Atten-dant 4; Sponsor for Waycross Football Game 4.

D.E. 4; Basketball 1.

SIRMONS, LATRELLE

Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Publicity Chairman 4; Library Staff 3, 4, President 4; Girls' Sports Club 2; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Honor Graduate.

SMITH, BEN

Ground Observer Corps 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Police 3, 4; Key Club 3, 4; V Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4, Manager; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; All South Georgia 4; Honorable Mention All State 3, 4; All Region 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4.

SMITH, JULIE

Beta Club 3; DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Dramatic Club 3; SANDSPUR, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, President 2, 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Head Cheerleader 4; District Meet 4, One-Act Play.

SMITH, BEVERLY Commercial Club 3, 4, President 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Ground Observer Corps 2, 3; Office Staff 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

SMITH, MILTON

SMITH, VIRGINIA

D.E. Club 4, Miss D.E. Sweetheart.

SOUTHALL, JULIUS

STEVENSON, ELSON

STERLING, SHERA

Commercial Club[®]3, 4; Office Staff 4; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

STUDSTILL, ELAINE Beta Club 2, 3; DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; F.H.A. 1; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; Library Staff 2, 3; Office Staff 4; SANDSPUR 2, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 1; Vice President Freshman Class; Sponsor for Waycross Game 4; Key Club Sweetheart 3; Youth Assembly Delegate 2; Honor Graduate.

SUGGS, CAROLYN Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 2, 3; Ground Observer Corps 4; Dramatic Club 3, 4; Government Club 4; Library Staff 3; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 4; Top 15 in Beauty Contest 4.

TART, DAVID

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Key Club 4; V Club 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4.

TINSLEY, JOE V Club 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball Manager 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3.

TOMBERLIN, JANICE

F.T.A. 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Library Staff 2, 3, 4; Science 3, 4; Recording Secretary 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3.

TOMLINSON, MARY LOU

Entered from Miami, Florida, 4; D.E. Club 4; Award for D.E. Scrapbook 4; Second place in D. E. Speech Contest.

TUMBLIN, EVERETT

Entered from Anchorage, Alaska, 2; Hi-Y 3, 4, Vice Pres-dent 4, 12th Georgia Youth Assembly 4; Government Club 4; Key Club 4; SANDSPUR 4; Science Club 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4.

VIAR, PATSY Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, 4, Vice President 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 3; Tennis 4; Homecoming Atten-dant 2.

VOIGT, BILL

D.E. 3, 4; Ground Observer Corps 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2; Football 1, 2.

WALKER, BEVERLY

Commercial Club 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Ground Observer Corps 3; Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4.

WARREN, JAMES

D.E. Club 3, 4.

WARWICK, GAY Girls' Sports Club 2, 3, 4; President 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Golf 4.

WELCH, WAYNE

Ground Observer Corps 4; Hi-Y 1; Basketball Jr. Varsity 1; Football Manager 4; Track 4.

WHITE, MIKE V Club 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Most Valuable Player 4.

WICKER, EARL

Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; SANDSPUR 4; Track 4.

WILKERSON, SARA

Commercial Club 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4.

WILKES, MARGARET ANN

Dramatics Club 3, 4; Library Staff 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; District Meet Play 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Most Outstanding Girl Basketball Player 4.

WILLIAMS, JOHNNY

Entered from Quitman 3.

WILLIAMS, PENNY Beta Club 2, 3, 4; DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; F.H.A. 1; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader—Assist-ant Captain 4; Honor Graduate.

WILLIAMSON, TOMMY

Entered from Greenville, Mississippi, 4.

WILSON, ODIE

D.E. Club 4; President 4; Office Stoff 2.

WISENBAKER, SONNY

Entered from Baylor School for Boys 3; Hi-Y 3, 4.

WOOD, DENNIS

Ground Observer Corps 4; Hi-Y 1; Jr. Police 2; Football 2, 3, Manager 3; Track 4.

WORLEY, HAL

DOSTA OUTLOOK 3, 4; Ground Observer Corps 3, 4; Hi-Y 4; Jr. Police 1, 2, 3, 4, Lieutenant 4; Football 1, 2.

WRIGHT, MARY LOU

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1; Excellent rating in music festival.

WYNNE, CAROL

Commercial Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 4; Perfect Attendance 1, 3, 4.



Most Dependable DORIS DUNCAN and ALAN PENDLETON

Who's Who

Most Courteous PAM PAULK and DAVID TART Most Intellectual MYRA DASHER and CHARLES ALEXANDER

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia



Wittiest JULIE SMITH and DAN BLANTON



Prettiest and Best Looking RUTH HIGHTOWER and JIMMY CARROLL

Best Figure and Physique PENNY WILLIAMS and MIKE WHITE



Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

Best Personality

ELAINE STUDSTILL and EVERETT TUMBLIN





Most Athletic NANCY JOHNSON and ROBERT JOHNSON

Best Sport FAYE LANIER and JOHNNY JONES

as selected by

Cutest Couple

CARREEN SHAPIRO and GENE BOONE





Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

Friendliest MARIE CONVERSE and PAT DAVIS

the Senior Class

Most Jalented CAY CRANFORD and BILL VOIGHT

> Most Popular GINNA PARRAMORE and BEN SMITH

Most Versatile TRACEY BLANTON and TOMMY NEWSOM



Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia As the Senior "children" gathered in the auditorium each was anxious to show his toy or costume.



The underclassmen learned what the Seniors had left them as Ginna, Chandler and Elaine read the will.

Kids' Day

was fun !

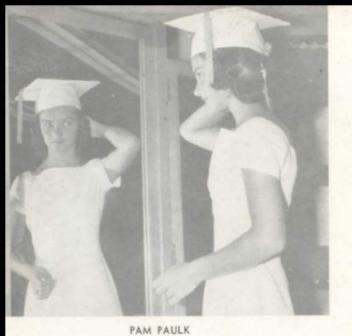
Johnny and Pauline hurried through the rain to join their playmates.

A game of "Ring Around the Roses" preceded the traditional "Kids Day" program.

Even the nearness of Mr. Martin's office did not restrain Dorothy's and James' playfulness.

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

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CACAN PENDERTON



These OUTSTANDING SENIORS were selected by the faculty for their exceptional abilitial leadership, scholarship, personality, ambition, and achievement.

> Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

NANCY JOHNSON

BOBBY BURNETTE



CHANDLER CHRISTIAN







MARIE CONVERSE

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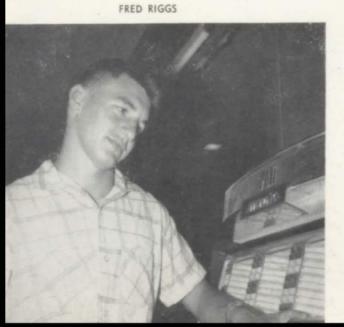
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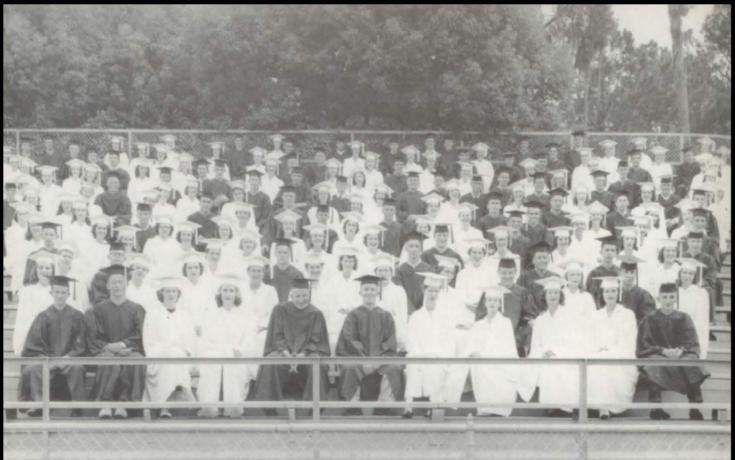


TRACEY BLANTON

MYRA DASHER







Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1957.

The Senior Class of 1957 will always

Rev. Frank King advised the Seniors "Be above the Average" at the Baccalaureate held on Cleveland Field.



Mr. Frank Hughes, Secretary of the G.E.A., was the speaker at Graduation.





Margaret Ann Wilkes receives her diploma from Mr. Martin.



Myra Dasher, Salutatorian, welcomed our friends and parents to Graduation.

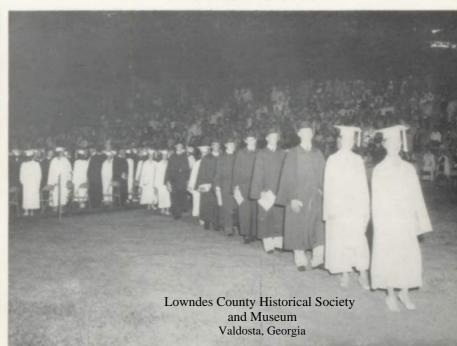
remember June 3, Graduation Day



Gayle Luke, Second Honor Graduate, and Trophy.

Pam Paulk bade the Seniors farewell and wished them lots of luck in her Valedictory. Carcl Wynne leads the Recessional as the Senior Class marches off Cleveland Field for the last time.





Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

The Juniors remember

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Treasurer																	











Fred Anderson Gloria Bland

Jimmy Arnold **Charles Blanton**

Lowndes County Historical Society

Raymond Abney

Eston Barber

Carolyn Bennett

Eloise Allbritton

Sandra Amos George Bennett

Bucky Anderson Joe Ann Bennett



and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

the moments when

Coon, Wilbur, Jim and Dickie pick up their invitations to the Junior-Senior from Margaret.



Howard Bolen **Billy Burgess**

Melanie Boone Le Gary Busby

Linda Brinson Margaret Butler Harlmon Brooks Yvonne Cagle

Mary Jo Browne Sally Campbell

























Doreen Carter Faye Christie

Libby Carter Jean Clelland

Steve Carter Dee Ann Clifford







William Carter Linda Coffee

Nannette Caswell

Wade Coleman



Comer Cherry Vivian Cothron

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

they received their rings . . .

Linda, Dee Ann, Joe Ann, and Elizabeth admire their new class rings.





Ginger Culpepper Charles De Vane

Ollie Dasher Patsy DeVane Hope Davis

Lynwood Davis Carl Eggersdorf

Jack Dawson Barbara Ellis

























Judy Ellison Sandra Ford





Tootsie Foy



Joanne Faircloth Johnny Garrett





Franklin Fender Joni Gerlando

Ed Floyd Bill Gooch

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia



decorated for

coming events ...

Glue splashes and glitter flies as the decorating committee prepares for "The City Under the Sea."

Ronnie Gray Saundra Hardin Beverly Ann Greene Gerald Hargrove

Charles Greene Tom Harnage

Pat Griffin Betty Sue Harris Ramon Griffin Marsha Harris

Virginia Gunter Nancy Henry

























Sylvia Herndon Marilyn Johnson





Bobby Hodge

Gayle Jones









Jerry Ivey Margaret Knowles

Jerry Jackson Ben Landey

William Jackson Sandra Lee



Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

ran for Student Council...

Campaigning for Student Council, Ralph Murphine amuses everyone with his interpretation of "Is That What's Worrying you, Cousin?"

Billy Lloyd Johnny McIntyre

Betty Lofton Martha McLeod

Patricia Luke John McLeod

Howell Martin Gloria Mederer

Bill Mattox Marylee Middlebrooks Rainer McGee Anne Moore































Brenda Moore Nic Nichols Jerry Moore Gloria Nobles Virgil Moore Jimmy Noell



Sidney Morris Mary Nussbaum



Ralph Murphine Bill Oliver Jimmy Nichols Tom Parmenter

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

received honors .



Gloria is thrilled to receive the D.A.R. American History Award.

Itty Bitty Parramore Linda Register Vivian Partin Carole Rice Mack Peace Dwyane Rice Mary Ann Pennington Jo Ritch Barbara Pitts Mildred Ritter Sammy Reaves Tommie Lee Roberts



























Charlotte Robinson Albert Schroer









Jack Ruffer Robert Sheffield



Lee Rykard

Ray Shirley





LaFern Sanders Claire Simms



and those shining nights . . .

Cheering at the "Has Been" Game Gloria yells, "We got a team and we gonna shout it!" Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

Alta Faye Singletary Betty Jo Stewart Dot Simmons Arthur Storm Keith Skiles Dale Taylor Gary Smith Tommy Thomas

Lin Jimn

Linda Smith Jimmy Tillman Joe Snellgrove John Tomlinson



























Lana Jean Turner Billy Warwick

Dale Vickers Frances Warwick

Louis Wachsmuth James Watson



Jce Waldron Jchnny Welch





Wilbur Warner Clara Wetherington

Virginia Warren Paul Wilkerson

filled with moments to remember . . .

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

The Decorating Committee carries out the theme "Moonlight and Roses" for the Beauty Contest.



Di Anne Williams

Joe Williams

W. T. Wilson

Abbie Jean Yeomans

Kathleen Yeomans













THOSE NOT PICTURED

Arthur Anderson	Melvin Erwyn	Robert Herrin	Lynell Owens	Dorothy Simmons
James Earl Bass	Fay Garner	Winston Holtzclaw	Duane Partin	Albert Smith
Robert Bennett	Billy Gay	Bubber Knight	Martin Phillips	James Smith
Joe Bland	Joe Gheradini	Larry LeGette	Jimmy Powell	Lloyd Starling
Lamar Brinson	Dick Goodson	Ronnie Lynch	Bobby Register	Boyce Street
Marie Courson	Eddie Hagan	J. B. Martin	Bennie Lou Rhodes	Billy Tomlinson
Elwyn Davis	Barbara Harp	William Meadows	Albert Saunders	Imogene Wiggins
Delma Dinkins	Jimmy Harrington	Joan Mills	Mike Scott	Donald Wilson
Donald DeLoach	Ellis Hasty	J. A. Monk	Elena Screws	Rufus Yeomans
Jimmy Dykes	Ernest Hendricks	Mary O'Neal	Phillip Sellers	

the Junior - Senior

The Juniors and Seniors enjoy dancing in "The City Under the Sea."





Winners of the 1956 Beauty Contest were, Third Place: Jo Brett. First Place: Ruth Hightower. Second Place: Pauline Beck.

and the Beauty Contest.

The top fifteen were: Clara Wetherington, Carol Hall, Marie Converse, Chandler Christian, Ginna Parramore, Carolyn Suggs, Gloria Bland, Saundra Hardin, Dorothy Roberts, Jo Brett, Ruth Hightower, Pauline Beck, Beverly Smith, Barbara Pitts and Marsha Harris.





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Alec, Jimmy, Ben, and Lane are to be commended for the fine leadership they have shown this year in their class.

Sophomores have moments to remember . . .

First row, left to right: Carlton Allen, Barbara Anderson, Barbara Ann Anderson, Gaye Atkinson, Peggy Autrey, Philip Barr, Darleen Bazemare. Second row: Denice Bennett, John Bennett, Jimmy Blanchard, Melba Blanton, Carolyn Bloodworth, David Bowden. Third row: Jimmy Brady, Maxine Brantley, Geraldine Bussey, Tommy Butler, Robert Byrd. Fourth row: Chester Cameron, Lida Carroll, Ann Chadwick, Theron Chambers, Charlie Clark, Lonna Clark.





Front row, left to right: Butch Clelland, Edna Cook, Kitty Coppage, Margaret Corn, Emily Courson, Billie Cowart, Virginia Cribb, David Crockett. Second row: Billy Dasher, Doug Davis, Ruby Davis, Mary Dickey, Horace Dinkins, Shirley Dupree. Third row: Junior Drew, Mike Esterman, Wade Flythe, Bill Folsom, Kathleen Fry. Fourth row: Emory Futch, Bruce Garner, Maxine Gay, Sharon Gay, Barbara Ann George, Mary Helen George, Joyce Godwin.

when they realized they will soon be upper classmen . .

Front row, left to right: Everett Goff, Charles Goodloe, Norman Greene, Mike Grier, Peggy Halstead, Joe Harnage, James Harrell. Second row: Tommy Hatcher, Vonnie Hiers, Diane Higgingbotham, Jack O. Howell, William Ivey, Edna Johnson, Elwin Jolley. Third row: Linda Jones, Johnny Kemp, Paul Layton, Sammy Lee, Wade Lehman, Linda Lewis, Jerry Luke. Fourth row: Lila McClenny, Hugh McIntyre, Geraldine McLain, Gail McLeod, Billy Martin, Bill Mashburn, Henry Mathis.





First row, left to right: Carolyn Meadows, Betty Miller, Charles Mock, D. E. Moore, Gene Morris, Joe Moses, Jerry Norman. Second row: Camielle Odom, Charles Oliver, Linda O'Neal, Martha Owens, Alac Parramore, Jimmy Parrish, Nancy Patterson. Third row: Austin Phillips, Jeanette Phillips, Johnny Porter, Ann Powell, Carol Purl, Ruth Rigdon, Joe Rhoden. Fourth row: Hayward Rizer, Raymond Roberson, Patricia Rogers, Wayne Ross, Clarence Ryan, Jeanette Rykard, Larry Sanders.

when they campaigned for Student Council ...

First row, left to right: Elizabeth Schroer, James Sears, LaVerne Sewell, Mary Virginia Shelton, Pepper Shirah, Cissie Shepard, Betty Jo Spicer. Second row: Ben Stanaland, Betty Joyce Stephenson, Jimmie Strange, Jack Taylor, Martha Templeton, Angela Terry, Bozey Thomas. Third row: Joyce Thomas, Jarrell Tillman, Merrie Tindall, Sylvia Tomlinson, Johnny Tucker, Gerald Tyson, Vivian Veatch. Fourth row: Tim Vinson, Joy Voight, Mary Virginia Watkins, Nita Faye Weeks, Lynda Wells, Gary Whitfield, Gloria Wilkerson. Fifth row: Sara Williams, Anne Williamson, Lane Winston, Carolyn Wood, Jack Wood, Gloria Yarbrough, James Yarbrough.





Jimmy, Davy, Norman, Everett, and Jimmy look over

trophies we won this year.

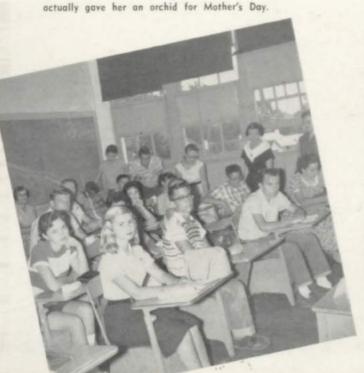
when they took part in cheer-leader tryouts . . .

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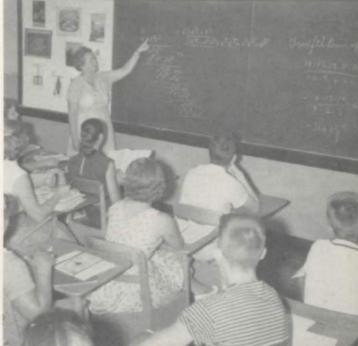
Marsha, Anne, Elaine, Ruby, and Linda went all out

when we had cheerleader try-outs.

Mrs. Massey and her extra special homeroom. They



Mrs. McClure's math class works hard hoping to pass her exams.





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Freshmen have moments to remember . .

First row, left to right: Rodney Addison, Ronald Alderman, VirginiaAnderson, Jeweldine Arnold, Betty Avery, Beth Bagley, George Bank. Second row: Clyde Barber, Callie Beauchamp, Peggy Beck, Billy Becton, Jenny Belcher, Geneva Bennett. Third row: Helen Blakeman, Rosemary Blakemore, Mary Kate Blanton, Schuyler Blanton, Leroy Bloodworth, Rosie Bogle, Billy Bolen. Fourth row: Nancy Bonner, Wendell Boutwell, Johnnie Bostick, Patricia Bowen, Ike Boyette, Jimmy Bracewell, Susan Branch, Emmett Bridges.





First row, left to right: Mickey Bright, Mike Brooks, Bonnie Brown, Pauline Brown, Tom Brown, Jackie Browning, Jimmy Buckholtz, Bingley Burdick. Second row: Mary Burgess, Benny Carter, David Carter, Sherry Castleberry, Albert Chambers. Third row: Julia Cheek, Lera Chitwood, Sandra Clayton, Randy Clements, Esca Clifford, Buddy Coleman, James Connell, Linnis Cook. Fourth row: Betty Ann Copeland, Samuel Cothron, Myra Courson, Mary Faye Cowart, Barbara Cox, Noel Croom.

when they were lost that first day of school ...

First row, left to right: Linda Daniel, Ronald Dasher, Shirley Ann Davis, Bill Dawson, Al Dean, Nelson DeLoach, Freeman Dennis. Second row, Jimmy Dewar, Peggy Dollar, Shirley Dollar, Buddy Dorminey, Margaret Douglas, Roger Douglas. Third row: Bob Elder, Byra Ervin, Geraldine Exum, Victor Findley, Jimmy Finney, Buddy Flowers, Edward Fussel. Fourth row: Billy Garbutt, Betty Jean Gibson, Reginald Giddens, Nelson Giles, Betsy Gillespie, Sue Nell Girardin, Kay Lee Goff.





First row, left to right: Ann Geer, Shannon Green, Jimmy Green, La.ry Greene, Sarah Greene, Sylvia Griner, Bobby Guess. Second row: James Hall, Priscilla Hall, Herschel Hamby, Rennie Hardy, Bobby Harrell, Ronald Harrell, Judy Harris. Third row: Karen Harris, Donald Hart, Beth Hartley, Elizabeth Helms, Bob Herd, Joe Herike, Tommy Herring. Fourth row: Ilene Hogan, Angela Holland, Lucian Holtezendorff, Jane Horner, Rip Hotch, Elaine Humphries, Pat Hutchins, Emmalene Edge.

when they at last became a part of U.H.S.

First row, left to right: Carol Javins, Billy Johnson, Joe Johnson, Sue Johnson, Terry Johnson, Doug Jones, Nelda Jones. Second row: Bill Kelly, Ronnie Kendrick, Frank King, Butch Kirkland, Brenda Lee, Emily Leonard. Third row: Joe Logan, Sam Long, Shirley Lowe, Carmen Lynn, Johnnie McCallum. Fourth row: Cecil McCann, Charles McCann, Brenda McColough, Jack McDonald, Jimmy McKinney, Butch McKey, Tyson McLane, Beth McRee.





First row, left to right: Kaye Maddux, Bruce Mann, Sandy Mars, Helen Marshall, Dan Martindale, Charles Mathis, Beverly Meacham. Second row: Marion Miller, Dianne Morre, Lavonne Moore, Judy Monrad, Bobbie Newman, Brenda Newman, Lyle Nichols, Freddie Nijem. Third row: Stephen O'Brien, Ray O'Neil, Billy Oliver, Franklin Parrish, Gloria Paulk, Charles Pendleton. Fourth Row: David Phillips, Gloria Phillips, Randolph Phillips, Ray Phillips, Jerilynn Pike, Joyce Pitts, Dara Jean Platt, Nona Player.

when they made their first speech in assembly ...

First row, left to right: Hayle Rabon, Sandra Reaves, Sylvia Reddick, Sylvia Redding, Juanita Register, Larry Rice, Raymond Ritter. Second row: Ester Rivers, Jane Rowe, Mike Russell, Dale Rykard, George Samples. Third row: Gretchen Schroer, Kenneth Scruggs, Victor Shapiro, Nancy Sheffield, Lundie Smith, Russell Smith. Fourth row: Nancy Spell, Eugene Spencer, Marie Squires, Larry Starkley, Janice Starling, Cherry Suggs.





First row, left to right: Gayle Thomas, Maxine Tillman, Merrill Tindall, Tommy Tomberlin, Peggy Tomlinson, Freddie Twiggs, Louise Tyson. Second row: Judy Vinson, Julie Vinson, Geraldine Warren, Eugene Watson, Bobby Welch, Ruth Welch, Mike West. Third row: Wayne Wilburn, Billy Wilkins, Mary Catherine Willis, Catherine Wilson, Joan Wilson, Robert Winter, Rosaline Wisenbaker. Fourth row: Selina Wisenbaker, Mickey Wood, Sonny Woodham, Elizabeth Wynens, Danny Wynne, Norman Yale, Eddie Zant.

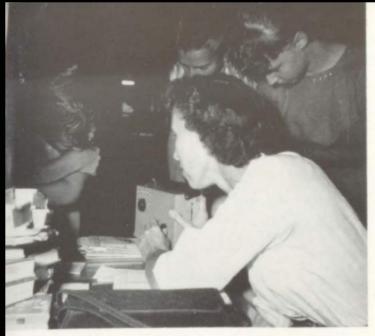
when they elected their first class officers . . .

We shall never forget Nancy's "Boy I'm really glad to be here" speech for the Freshman March.



Mr. O'Neal tests Al's hearing.





What is this? Mrs. Wade's English class worked hard preparing their homework for the day of the world series game.



Ronnie proved the freshmen had talent by winning third place in the annual Beta Club Talent Show.

when they served at the Junior - Senior

No, you aren't seeing double. It is only the Vinson twins giving their campaign speech for student council.



The freshman girls take a minute off from their duties of serving at the Junior-Senior.



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INTERESTING ACTIVITIES

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Create Moments to Remember

Candidates of city of fices campaign on th courthouse steps as th students prepare to tak over the city for a day

The Rhythmaires was first place in the Bett Talent Show.

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> Sara Marie presents the Sr. Hi-Y "beauties" with their trophies.



Left to right, first row: P. Davidson, F. Lanier, T. Foy, P. Paulk, A. Pendleton, M. Converse, M. Dasher. Second row: R. Winter, L. Holtzendorff, J. Parrish, G. Mederer, E. Tumblin, Miss Ogletree, S. Chitty, G. Luke, J. Smith.

The Sandspur records

Blood, sweat, and tears—that's what it takes to publish a **Sandspur**. It takes a lot of hard work on the part of the staff to preserve those memories of school days, yet the workers get a real thrill from being a part of this endeavor, and feel great pride in their accomplishment.

Marie and Myra give instructions to Lucian before he takes a picture. Confusion reigns in the Sandspur room as the 1957 edition goes to press.

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Pam, Alan, and Miss Ogletree get ideas from the 1956 Sandspur.



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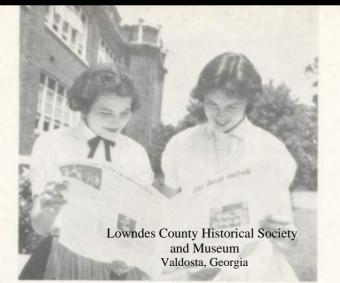
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Many long hours of work are spent before the Outlook goes to press.

The Dosta Outlook provides

Editorials, features, and news items—all are found in our own paper, the **Dosta Outlook**. The saying "The best things in life are free" is true here, because students do not have to pay

for their treasured **Outlooks.** Instead, the staff finances the voice of V. H. S. by selling advertisements in the **Outlook** and programs at football games.



Left to right, first row: M. Hughes, T. Newsom, J. Cody, C. Christian, C. Finley, P. Humphries, J. Smith, C. Cranfard, M. Lear, P. Williams. Second row: M. LaHood, C. Cherry, A. Scala, L. Smith, C. Rice, Mrs. Smith, P. Luke, S. Campbell, D. Roberts, R. Murphine.



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BOBBY BURNETTE, Business Manager leaves school to sell ads for the Dosta Outlook.

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Marsha sells programs at the football game.

ALAN PENDLETON, Vice President CLAUDETTE FINLEY, President

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Everybody's got troubles, troubles, troubles —but it's just because they didn't take them to the Student Council. This versatile group of people have to be salesmen, journalists, organizers, and politicians as well as problem solvers. They are elected to office by the entire student body and always live up to their responsibilities. This year they sold fire-'extinguishers, sponsored and organized Homecoming, and published a student directory.

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The Student Council leads by helping others

Left to right, first row: R. Murphine, C. Christian, A. Pendleton, C. Finley. Second row: C. Alexander, J. Nicholes, W. Warner, M. Harris, N. Patterson, J. Blanchard, L. Helms, A. Dean, Mrs. Hollie Howell, advisor.





Left to right, first row: P. Paulk, C. Finley, B. Greene. Second row: E. Hawes, P. Williams, S. Ford, J. McLain, E. Screws, E. Cook, G. Luke, F. Lanier, T. Blanton. Third row: L. McClenny, L. O'Neal, C. Odom, R. Jenkins, B. Dasher, J. Eldridge, Mrs. Marvin Evans, advisor.

The Beta Club encourages scholarship and good character . .



PAM PAULK President



Off to Atlanta go the delegates to the State Beta Convention!

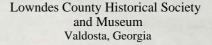
Oh, the rewards of the erudite! People whose grades and character come up to standards are invited into the Beta Club where they have opportunity to lead by serving others. Some of the outstanding projects of this group are: a parliamentary procedure class, polishing trophies, serving as hall monitors, placing flowers in the hall, and attending the Beta Club Convention.



GLORIA MEDERER, Vice-President CLAUDETTE FINLEY, Secretary BEVERLY GREENE, Treasurer



Beta members polish trophies for Homecoming.



Left to right, first row: R. Murphine, J. Blanchard, R. Davis. Second row: B. Gooch, D. Duncan, E. Johnson, C. Shepard, M. Dickey, N. Patterson, E. Leonard. Third row: Mrs. McClure, P. Barr, J. Eldridge, M. Esterman, B. Landey, B. Martin, M. Grier, W. Overstreet. Not pictured: Miss Ford, advisor.

The Government Club sponsors a city election ...



"And if elected, I promise a good deal to all or something like that." Excitement ran high in V. H. S. as the entire student body participated in the election of city officials. This project of the newly-formed Government Club was informative as well as enjoyable.

RALPH MURPHINE, President; JIMMY BLANCHARD, Vice President; RUBY DAVIS, Secretary; KITTY COPPAGE, Chaplain.







Doris casting her ballot at the Court Hause.

Where is the busiest place in Valdosta High School? Why, the business office, of course. Here problems are solved, supplies are obtained, and those precious dollars in club treasuries are kept separate. Mrs. Gulliver does a fine job, and is a friend to all confused, lost, or just plain unoccupied students.



Gloria and Jarrell are busy selling supplies.

The Office Staff aids in administration .

Left to right, first row: G. Luke, S. Newham, D. Duncan, E. Studstill, M. Converse, P. Paulk, D. Roberts, M. Lear, B. Smith. Second row: Mrs. Gulliver, G. Mederer, T. Foye, J. Peterman, G. Parramore, S. Sterling, P. Williams.





Left to right, first row: C. Christian, P. Humphries, E. Hawes, G. Parramore, F. Lanier. Second row: G. Parrish, C. Wynn, S. Cowart, J. Schroer, P. Beck, H. Browne, D. Roberts, D. Duncan, E. Leonard, Mrs. Touchton. Third row: P. Davis, L. Feazell, J. Bray, B. Smith, J. Brett, M. Converse, R. Haas, Miss McKinney. Fourth row: J. Coppage, D. Reeves, C. Finley, M. Lear, J. Smith, M. Wilkes, E. Studstill, C. Cranford, S. Moses. Fifth row: E. McDonald, G. Pittman, P. Davidson, S. Sterling, M. Morris, T. Blanton, A. Scala, C. McGee, M. Hughes. Sixth row: G. Luke, D. Boone, S. Newham, C. Suggs, J. Holmes, P. Williams, P. Paulk.

The Gamma Tri-Hi-Y sets Christian ideals...



To "create, maintain, and extend high standards of Christianity" is the purpose of the Gamma Tri-Hi-Y. To this end, they supplied magazines to hospital patients, and sponsored campaigns for honesty and good sportsmanship. Their most important moneymaking project was sponsoring buses to out-of-town football games.

Miss McKinney and Mrs. Touchton give aid when it is needed.



FAYE LANIER, president; GINNA PARRAMORE, vice-president; EDNA HAWES, secretary; PHOEBE HUMPHRIES, treasurer.



Elaine checks up as Marilyn and Michael board the bus,

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia Riding the bus was always an enjoyable experience.





MELANIE BOONE, President; TOOTSIE FOY, Secretary; MARSHA HARRIS, Chaplain.

"Honesty is the best policy."

"Let's have a sensible Halloween."

With campaigns pushing slogans such as these, the girls in the Alpha Tri-Hi-Y urged practical Christianity. They also sponsored an Easter Egg Hunt for underprivileged children.



CAROLYN BENNETT, Treasurer; ANNE MOORE, Vice-President.

The Alpha Tri-Hi-Y upholds Christian standards . . .

Left to right, first row: M. Harris, C. Bennett, T. Foy, A. Moore, M. Boone. Second row: S. Warwick, G. Bland, S. Amos, S. Campbell, B. Parramore, B. Pitts, L. Turner, O. Dasher, M. Brown, L. Brinson. Third row: T. Roberts, P. Luke, L. Smith, K. Schmidt, C. Rice D. Vickers, G. Mederer, D. Carter, N. Caswell, M. Middlebrooks, B. Ellis, J. Cle Ilan. Fourth row: M. Nussbaum, S. Ford, V. Gunter, J. Ellison, G. Culpepper, J. Rich, B. Moore, S. Lee, M. Butler, D. Simmons, M. McLeod, B. Greene. Fifth row: Mrs. McClure, Mrs. Anthony.





KITTY COPPAGE, President; LANE WINSTON, Vice-President; LINDA LEWIS, Secretary; MARY DICKEY, Treasurer.

The Junior Tri-Hi-Y is a club for girls in the freshman and sophomore classes who are interested in living good Christian lives. These girls participated in projects designed to build their character. Some of these projects were a clean-up campaign for the school and taking books to children confined to hospital beds.

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The Junior Tri-Hi-Y molds character .

Left to right, first row: K. Coppage, L. Winston, L. Lewis, M. Dickey, G. McLain. Second row: S. Girardin, D. Gay, R. Davis, M. Douglas, C. Willis, L. McClenny, M. Tillman, S. Green. Third row: B. Gillespie, S. Green, R. Bagle, D. Higginbotham. A. Williamson, E. Zant, M. Templeton, N. Patterson, F. Guess, M. Corn, C. Shepard, L. Carroll, C. Suggs. Fourth row: N. Spell, B. McRee, J. Pike, L. Helms, A. Powell, K. Goff, L. Bennett, E. King, E. Johnson, N. Weeks, B. Meacham. Fifth row: L. Chitwood, E. Humphries, G. Schroer, K. Maddux, L. O'Neal, L. Rogers, M. Blanton, H. Lawery, G. Wilkinson, E. Wynens, C. Odam, J. Cheek. Sixth row: J. Register E. Leonard, A. McGlamery, H. Blakeman, A. Burney, C. Beauchamp, G. Belcher, W. Cowart, N. Croom, D. Platt, M. Lovering, S. Reddick, K. Harris, S. Wisenbaker, S. Reeves, B. Cox. Seventh row: N. Bonner, G. Thomas, G. Exum, J. Tillman, R. Welch, V. Beatch, Mrs. Wade, B. Lee, Mrs. Hamill, S. Branch, S. Johnson, C. Meadows, A. Geer, M. Broomberg, B. Bagley, J. Brazil.





Left to right, first row: D. Tart, E. Tumblin, J. Jones, T. Newsom. Second row: W. Caleman, N. Nichols, D. Brooks, J. Williams, W. Warner, R. Murphine, C. Cherry, B. Smith. Third row: B. Gooch, A. Pendletcn, E. Wicker, J. Nichols, R. Griffin, F. Riggs, J. Dawson. Fourth row: H. Worley, H. Martin, B. Oliver, J. Waldron. Fifth row: W. Overstreet, B. Burgess, B. Killeen, J. Noel, B. Anderson. Sixth row: Mr. Love, G. Bennett, J. Roberson, W. Kirby. Picture in circle: Mr. O'Neal.

The Senior Hi-Y maintains Christian



EVERETT TUMBLIN, Vice-President; DAVID TART, President.

When a group of outstanding boys dedicate themselves to Christian living, other people are inspired to live for Christ. The Senior Hi-Y is the center of interest for such boys. Since they do not consider Christianity to be a long-faced religion, they collaborated with the F.H.A. in a hilarious moneymaking project, a "beauty" contest.

These were some of the "beauties."



fellowship . . .



TOMMY NEWSOM, Treasurer; JOHNNY JONES, Secretary.

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia Freshman and sophomore boys who are interested in the promotion of Christianity have the opportunity to serve through the Jr. Hi-Y. The boys in this club worked hard this year. They sponsored the "Thought for the Week" given in chapel and helped with honesty and Church attendance campaigns.



JERRY NORMAN, Chaplain; TOMMY HATCHER, Treasurer; JIMMY BLANCHARD, Secretary; TIM VINSON, Vice-President; ALEC PARRAMORE, President.

The Junior Hi-Y helps to develop

cooperation . . .

Left to right, first row: Tommy Hatcher, Alec Parramore, J. Blanchard. Second row: J. Eldridge, I. Boyette, A. Dean, K. Scruggs, M. Bright, M. Esterman, J. Moses, J. Luke. Third row: R. Clements, B. Burdick, J. Bennett, T. McLane, J. Kemp, D. Davis, G. Tyson, J. Parrish. Fourth row: Mrs. B. Mathis, C. Clark, J. Norman, B. Martin, T. Chambers, J. Taylor, J. Dewar, Mr. Dechau.





Left to right, first row: L. Chitwood, S. Girardin, G. Belcher, A. Geer, M. Lovering, K. Maddux, N. Croom, B. Gillespie, B. McRee, M. Guest, L. Helms, J. Pike, B. Copeland, M. Brocks. Second row: R. Bogle, S. Green, P. Brown, B. Brown, B. Cox, L. Owens, V. Cothron, S. Johnson, M. Squires, G. Thomas, S. Branch, B. Lee, D. Martindale, W. Overstreet, E. Bloodworth, J. Roberson, D. Brooks, R. Phillips. *Third row:* F. Anderson, N. Yale, J. Johnson, R. Giddens, S. Dollar, L. Maore, G. Owens, G. Jones, M. Hughes, B. Rhodes, B. McKey, L. Blocdworth, S. Cothron, B. Bolen, T. Johnson, T. McLane, J. Connell, B. Mann.

The Glee Club presents



"Okay, shift your chewing gum and let's sing this thing!" If this phrase sounds as if the members of the Glee Club enjoy this activity, then it sounds exactly right. The rest of the student body enjoys the fruits of their labor, but the singing students get more fun out of the practice sessions. As far as they are concerned, the combination of good music and good humor found in Glee Club is a wonderful experience.

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Jerry plays as the Glee Club sings in chapel.

Elaine and William won first place in girls' and boys' solo at District Meet.

Mr. Bacon at the piano.

beautiful music . . .

Left to right, first row: S. Long, J. Bostick, J. Porter, J. Bennett, J. Pike, W. Warner, J. Blanchard, M. Grier, G. Bennett, J. Massey, B. Meadows. Second row: D. Vickers, B. Pitts, C. Cranford, A. Moore, V. Warren, K. Yeomans, D. Duncan, T. Foy, L. Smith, M. Cowart, E. McDonald, L. Kalil, P. Luke, B. Smith, G. Culpepper, M. Johnson, N. Bonner. Third row: V. Harrison, G. McLain, V. Shelton, P. Rogers, L. Rogers, L. O'Neal, M. Middlebrooks, J. Rich, N. Caswell, E. Dollar, J. Bennett, C. Simms, E. Johnson, E. King, R. Davis, C. Meadows, M. Broomberg, J. Clelland, A. Singletary, M. Spicer.



FAYE LANIER	÷	ł		2	÷		4			President
DONNA BOONE .	×	÷	6		į.	÷			÷	. Vice-President
GERALDINE McLAIN										Secretary
JOAN BOX		1						×.		Treasurer



Priscilla models bermudas in the fashion show.



Are you informed as to the latest in spring fashions? If not, it is no fault of the Sports Club. These girls annually work hard to present the latest in styles for spring. This, however, is only one of the many interesting things the members engage in as a part of their activities. Tournaments and matched games with clubs from other schools furnish enjoyable, healthful recreation.

The Sports Club emphasizes fairplay .

Left to right, first row: F. Lanier, G. McLain. Second row: A. Chadwick, L. Sewell, M. Owens, L. Tyson, C. McGee, E. Screws, B. Walker. Third row: A. Terry, G. McMillan, N. Screws, J. Jackson, M. Tindall, R. Welch, G. Bennett, Mrs. Johnson.





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The V Club recognizes accomplishments . .



JOHNNY JONES President ROBERT JOHNSON Secretary



"Ooooooh, have you seen those scrumptious jackets? I'm going to wear one of those!" Obviously, this is the way that the female half of our student body regards the members of the V Club. Naturally, membership in this club requires a lot of effort—the earning of a letter in athletics.

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FRED RIGGS Vice-President JIMMY CARROLL Treasurer





Left to right, first row: F. Riggs, R. Johnson, J. Jones, Mr. Bennett. Second row: N. Nichols, W. Coleman, J. Carroll, W. Warner, R. Murphine, C. Cherry, R. Jenkins. Third row: J. Noell, D. Coleman, S. Chitty, J. Nichols, C. Greene, J. Dawson, B. Smith. Fourth row: F. Anderson, J. Blanchard, B. Anderson, A. Parramore. Fifth row: H. Martin, E. Tumblin, D. Tart, B. Gooch.

The Key Club stresses good citizenship . . .



President ROBERT JOHNSON Vice-President The keys to the future are held by the outstanding young men of today. That is why this group of boys, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club and chosen because of outstanding ability and achievement, is called "The Key Club." Big events on this club's calendar for '56-'57 were the Sweetheart Dance and the Christmas tree sale.

LINDA SMITH-Sweetheart, 1957



RAY SHIRLEY Secretary JOHNNY JONES Treasurer



CAY CRANFORD, President BILLY MARTIN, Vice-President



Valdosta, Georgia

JOAN PETERMAN, Secretary SANDRA AMOS, Vice-President

The Dramatic Club fosters talent

Have you seen dizzy angels lately? I guess we never will see any more quite as dizzy as Lizzy Helms was in the play that the freshman half of the Dramatic Club presented. Since the Dramatic Club divided into two parts, a freshman group and an upper-classman group, we have looked forward to plays presented by both groups. We see great things in the future for some of these budding actors and actresses.

Left to right, first row: L. Helms, B. Lee, N. Bonner, S. Johnson, G. Thomas, C. Cranford, S. Amos, J. Peterman, B. Martin. Second row: J. Vinson, J. Vinson, S. Lee, R. Bogle, B. Pitts, L. Brinson, M. Dickey, M. Broomberg, J. Tillman. Third row: N. Croom, V. Anderson, D. Roberts, P. Beck, C. Suggs, A. Scala, K. Schmidt, A. Chadwick, V. Shelton, B. Anderson. Fourth row: M. Esterman, J. Henke, W. Overstreet, B. Burdick, J. Tucker.





So you think you have headaches? Suppose someone asked you to "recheck that book I had last week—the one with the red cover on it. No, I don't remember the name of it. If the members of the Library Staff get the urge to kill, they don't show it, but keep right on serving their school and fellow students. Many of them decide to make their career library work.

PAULINE BECK, Secretary; PHYLLIS DAVIS, Treasurer; LATRELLE SIRMONS, President.

The Library Club reveals the literary world . . .

Left to right, first row: P. Davis, P. Beck, L. Sirmons, D. Roberts, P. Davidson, J. Holmes. Second row: A. Forthe, J. Voight, S. Rehberg, L. Nix, M. Wilkes, J. Tomberlin, R. Hightower, J. Bryan, S. Lee, E. Haws, D. Lee, O. Dasher, Mrs. Mathis, D. Reeves, G. Pittman.





Left to right, first row: M. Dasher, J. Tomberlin, A. Pendleton, G. Mederer. Second row: B. Gooch, J. Eldridge, Mrs. C. Massey, M. Esterman, R. Jenkins, J. Taylor, J. Parrish. Third row: R. McIntyre, Mrs. B. Massey, M. Grier.

The Science Club explores new worlds . . .



GLORIA MEDERER, President ALAN PENDLETON, Vice-President

JANICE TOMBERLIN, Secretary MYRA DASHER, Treasurer "Hey, is it going to blow up? Boy, I'm getting out of here if it does!" These are typical comments as budding scientists enjoy the programs planned for their meetings. Projects on electricity, experiments with rats, and the development of films were some of the interesting and informative presentations of the members.





nes and Bobby, our state officers, discuss plans for the state D. E. Club.



Al and James register at the state convention.



ODIE WILSON, President; JOAN PETERMAN, Vice-President; MADELON COWART, Secretary; JOAN BLANTON, Treasurer; CHARLES EXUM, Parliamentarian; BILL VOIGHT, Sergeant-at-Arms; AL FORTHE, Reporter.



Robert Johnson was crowned King Ugly.

"Money, money, in the jar, Who's the ugliest boy that are?"

Terrible poetry and terrible grammar maybe, but this project of the D. E. Club provides a lot of fun for everyone in school. Besides having fun, the D. E. Club accomplished many worthwhile things this year. One of their most outstanding achievements was succeeding in getting James Cody elected first state Vice-President. Bobby Meyer was elected to the office of Vice-President in Charge of public relations. James Cody was one of the four in the state to receive a free trip to the national D. E. Convention in Oklahoma City.

The D.E. Club strives for job efficiency .

Left to right, first row: B. Meyer, Mr. Glenn, J. Cody. Second row: J. Peterman, M. Cowart, A. Forthe, C. Exum, O. Wilson, B. Voight. Third row: R. Coppage, D. Overby, G. Dollar, L. Jackson, W. Clanton, E. Stephenson, D. Rice, J. Buckholts, D. Partin, C. Blanton. Fourth row: J. Green, N. McGee, M. Willis, L. Evans, V. Smith, A. Mcck, J. Warren, H. Broomberg, L. Brinson, F. Fender. Fifth row: H. Chadwick, H. Law, E. Jones, M. Owens, L. Blanton. Sixth Row: L. Coffee, B. Harp, F. Christie, M. McLeod, W. Wilson.

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MYRA DASHER, Vice-President SARA MARIE MOSES, President

BETTY SUE HARRIS, Secretary MARY GEORGE, Treasurer

"Hello there. My name's Susie Jones and I'm from Sometown." One of the nicest phases of F.H.A. work is the opportunity to meet people from all over the state and exchange ideas about home, school, and community projects. Girls in this national organization not only learn how to cook and sew, but also how to get along with others.

The J. H. A. promotes interest in home

economics . . .

Left to right, first row: S. Moses, M. Dasher, B. Harris, M. George. Second row: C. Wetherington, A. Singletary, B. Moore, B. Spicer, J. Rykard, E. Dollar, J. Bennett. Third row: G. Yarbrough, P. Dollar, W. Cowart, B. George, J. Thomas.





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Left to right, first row: B. Smith, S. Cowart, D. Roberts. Second row: B. Walker, M. Converse, J. Brett, L. Feazell, J. Bray, P. Beck, B. Harris, C. Bennett. Third row: R. Hightower, G. Pittman, J. Reames, Miss Adams, G. Bennett, C. Wynne, L. Turner.

The Commercial Club makes career plans . . .



SANDRA COWART, Treasurer; JOAN PETERMAN, Secretary; DOROTHY ROBERTS, Vice-President; BEV-ERLY SMITH, President.

"Have you bought your chrysanthemum for Homecoming? Well, you'd better hurry up and get it, because the time limit will soon be up." The student body as a whole feels that this is one of the traditions of our high school. The Commercial Club is composed of our future secretaries, stenographers, and businesswomen. Diversified Cooperative Training is a new and practical field in education. It gives students an opportunity to continue their education while receiving on-the-job training in various fields.



JEAN BRYAN, Vice-President; JOHN GUESS, Historian; JOE SNELLGROVE, Secretary; JIMMY DYKES, Treasurer; JERRY IVY, Parliamentarian; BUDDY FLOWERS, President.

The D.C.J. Club

joins school and industry . . .

Left to right, first row: B. Flowers, J. Bryan, J. Snellgrove, J. Dykes, J. Guess. Second row: J. Harrell, J. Bass, B. Tomlinson, J. Jackson, E. Barber, R. Sheffield, G. Hargrove, J. Sangster, J. Norwood. Third row: E. Floyd, D. Atchinson, J. Monk, Mr. Harrison.





Left to right, first row: B. Becton, J. McDonald, D. Williams, J. McLeod, R. Alderman, B. Smith, P. Balalis, Lt. Johnson. Second row: J. McIntyre, J. Bennett, J. Sears, A. Strom, D. Blanton, B. Warwick. Third row: R. Robinson, N. Yale, T. Nichols, J. Garrett, W. Schroer.

The Junior Police urges careful driving .

"Tweet! Wait a minute, lady, there's a kid trying to cross this street in time to get to school before the late bell rings."

"Wait a minute, boy, didn't you see that car that almost ran over you?" With phrases such as these and faithful attendance to duty, the boys in the Junior Police prevent many tragic accidents.

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JOHN McLEOD, 1st Lieutenant; BEN SMITH, Sergeant; PAUL BALALIS, Captain; HAL WORLEY, 2nd Lieutenant.



Hal helps Tracey and Faye cross the street safely.



Left to right, first row: M. Dasher, D. Duncan. Second row: M. George, S. Moses, R. Haas, M. Guest, J. Tomberlin, D. Lee, R. Welch.

The J. J. A. recruits members for the teaching profession . . .

> "Would you like some of my crackers at recess? Hey, come sit by me and look on my book!" This was the reception the members of the F. T. A. met when they went to Sallas Mahone to observe teaching methods used in elementary schools. Other projects were substitute teaching, a Pink Prom, and a year-long service project. The members of the club who recorded as much as forty hours service to teachers were recognized on Honors Day.



Myra answers questions while substituting for Mrs. McClure.



SARA MARIE MOSES, Treasurer MARY HELEN GEORGE, Secretary JANICE TOMBERLIN, Vice-President MYRA DASHER, President



The band marches in a football parade.

"Hey, that's the most! That band is really cool!" This is the way the students of Valdosta High School feel about our band. We feel that it is really **ours** too, for it plays music for **us**, music that **we** like. We just can't imagine how we'll get along next year without Mr. Odum's rhythm and humor.

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The Band keeps

Left to right, first row: E. Humphries, P. DeVane, V. Cagle, J. Horner, J. Ellison. Second row: S. Morris, J. Wright, J. Eldridge, M. Watkins, C. Odum, E. Harrell, G. McLeod, S. Reeves. Third row: H. Martin, J. Waldron, P. Barr, V. Veatch, B. Cowart, J. Deakins, J. Hutchinson, S. Warwick, J. Harrell, H. Bolen, G. Culpepper. Fourth row: D. Davis, M. Wright, K. Skiles, M. Tindall, C. Wood, M. Hughes, B. Martin, R. McGee, S. Greene. Fifth row: N. Croom, R. Griffin, J. Bland, R. Douglas, W. Meadows, B. Varnedoe, J. Kemp, V. Shapiro. Sixth row: T. Harnage, W. DeVane, Mr. Odum, H. McGee, J. Harnage.





Left to right: Judy Ellison, Marilyn Hughes, Patsy DeVane, Elaine Humphries, Sister Warwick, Katie Schmidt.

our feet tapping . . .

Marilyn Hughes, Head Majorette practices her strutting.

Mr. Odum at the drums.

EXCITING SPORTS

create moments to remember

The football captains present three trophies to the schooladditions to our well-filled trophy cases.

> The shot and then there is a mad scramble for the rebound.

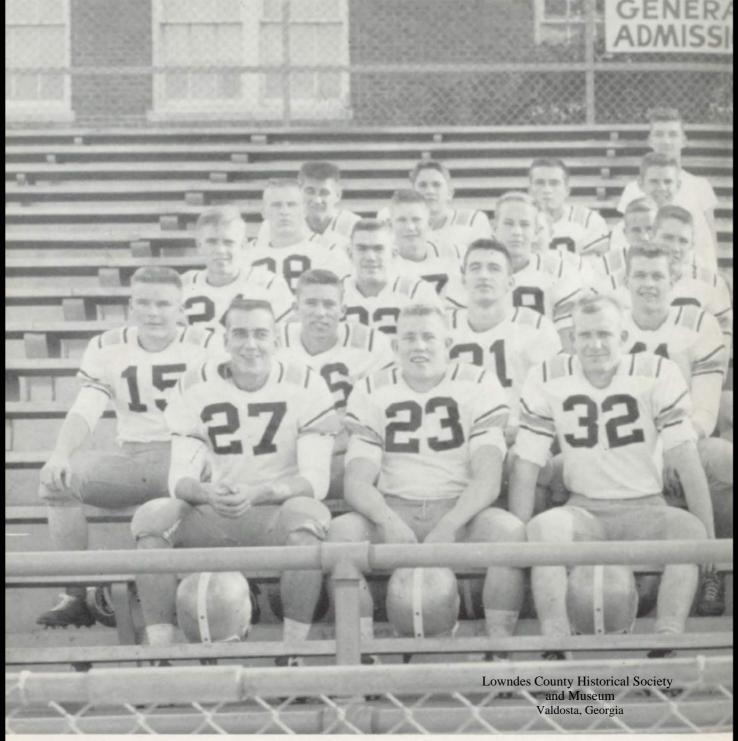
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Bucky, who won state in singles, displays his ability.





The Georgia Football



First row, left to right: Co-Captains Johnson, Smith, Jones. Second row: Tinsley, Welch, Riggs, Boone. Third row: Haskins, Thomas, Dawson, Brooks. Fourth row: Greene, Warwick, Luke, Hatcher. Fifth row: Harrell, Parramore, Noell, Mgr. Welch. Sixth row: Mgr. Nichols. 1956

AA Champions



Coaches Hamill and Bazemore.

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First row, left to right: Coaches Bazemore, Davis, and O'Neal. Second row: Hodge, Fletcher, Davis, White. Third row: Carroll, Anderson, Sears, Garrett. Fourth row: Williams, Yeomans, Bennett, Strom. Fifth row: Cherry, Brady, Stanaland. Sixth row: Mgr. Lundie Smith.

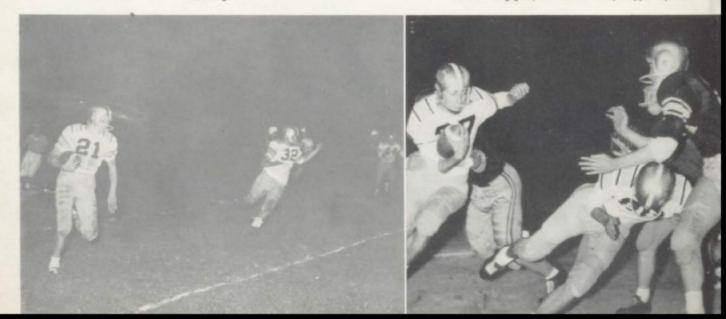
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Left to right: Riggs, Boone, Carroll, White, Jones, Hodge, Fletcher. Backfield: Strom, Johnson, Smith, Welch.

through mighty first

Fletcher runs around end while Jones and Hodge lead the blocking.

After a long gain, Johnson is finally stopped by Rose.





Bozey drives determinedly against Nashville.

Dale goes for a long gain with Tinsley leading the interference.

and second teams . . .

Left to right: Dawson, Bennett, Greene, Cherry, Brooks, Sears, Anderson. Backfield: Davis, Williams, Tinsley, Haskins.



and Museum Valdosta, Georgia



JOHNNY JONES Guard Wt. 180



JIMMY CARROLL Guard Wt. 165



ARTHUR STROM Halfback Wt. 160



DALE WILLIAMS Quarterback Wt. 150

through individual

JACK DAWSON End Wt. 160

DAVID TART End Wt. 160





JOHNNY WELCH Halfback Wt. 165



JAMES SEARS Tackle Wt. 190





FRED RIGGS End Wt. 175



OTIS FLETCHER End Wt. 175





BEN SMITH Fullback Wt. 170

CHARLES GREENE Guard Wt. 150

lettermen

COMER CHERRY Center Wt. 145

TOM HASKINS Halfback Wt. 130





GENE BENNETT Tackle Wt. 170



JIMMY NOELL Quarterback Wt. 150



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ROBERT JOHNSON Quarterback Wt. 175



JOE TINSLEY Halfback Wt. 155





GENE BOONE Tackle Wt. 180

HARLMON BROOKS Guard Wt. 150

through determination

BUCKY ANDERSON End Wt. 145



MIKE WHITE Center Wt. 170



PAT DAVIS Halfback Wt. 160



BOBBY HODGE Guard Wt. 170





JIMMY NICHOLS, Mgr.



BILLY WARWICK End Wt. 150



WAYNE WELCH, Mgr.

and excellent coaching . .

EARL O'NEAL





WRIGHT BAZEMORE Head Coach

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia BILL BENNETT



Gene comes in for a tackle against Druid Hills in the State Championship game. Johnny and Fred team up to stop a Thomasville play.

made a perfect record and . . .

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STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

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Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

Managers Wayne Welch, Lundie Smith, and Jim Nichols.





ROBERT JOHNSON Best Back V.H.S., ALL STATE, Martin Theaters Most Popular Player, Best All-Round V.H.S. Athlete.



JOHNNY JONES Best Lineman V.H.S., ALL STATE CO-CAPT., All So. Ga., All Southern H. M., A. P. Lineman of Year, Nat. High School ALL AMERICAN.



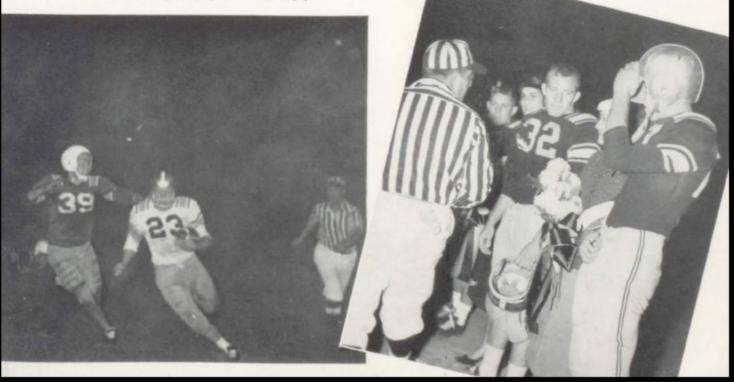
BEN SMITH Most Improved V.H.S., ALL STATE H. M., ALL SO. GA.

earned honors for the standouts.

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The sponsors, Careen and Elaine, are escorted to the center of the field by the Co-Captains.

Ben eludes a Fitzgerald player and heads for paydirt.





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Left to right: Carolyn Suggs, Penny Williams, Diane Walker, Julie Smith, Marsha Harris, Chandler Christian, Marie Converse, Ginna Parramore.

Our vivacious cheerleaders



The cheerleaders warm up before the game.

JULIE SMITH, Captain





CHANDLER CHRISTIAN

DIANE WALKER

PENNY WILLIAMS Co-Captain



GINNA PARRAMORE

encourage a fighting spirit . . .

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MARIE CONVERSE

CAROLYN SUGGS

MARSHA HARRIS Co-Captain

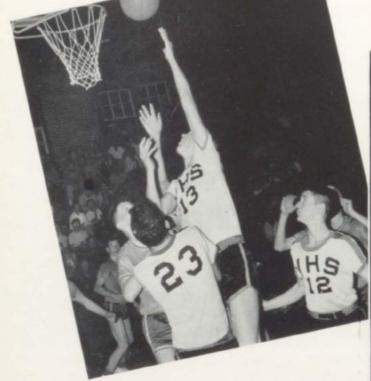


Front row, left to right: Vinson, Williams, Riggs, Johnson, Ross, and McIntyre. Second row: Kirkland, West, Coach Bennett, Mitchell, Newham and Tinsley. Not shown: Nichols and Parramore.

which the Boys Basketball Jeam

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Dale comes in hard for a lay-up.



Nichols shoots for two against Quitman.





DALE WILLIAMS Guard



Wayne displays his fine shooting ability against Quitman.

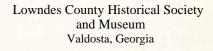
displayed in action



JIM NICHOLS Center

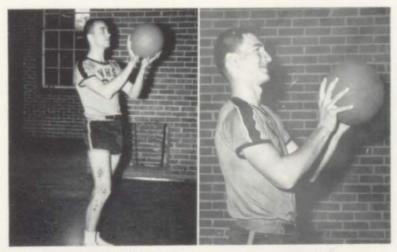


WAYNE ROSS Forward—Albany All-Tournament Team





JOHNNY McINTYRE Guard



ROBERT JOHNSON Co-Captain

FRED RIGGS Forward—Co-Captain





TIM VINSON Guard



BILL MITCHELL Forward

Fred lays one in against Cook.





The team has a moment of prayer before each game.

and in record.

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Front row, left to right: M. Boone, Wilkes, Shapiro, Johnson, T. Blanton, Lanier, Carter, Viar. Second row: Nobles, Stephenson, Wisenbaker, Harris, Bazemore, D. Boone, M. Blanton, Cook, Williams. Lowndes County Historical Society

The Girls Basketball Jeam

Tracey shoots against Alma in the Region.

Libby fights for a rebound against Quitman.

and Museum

Valdosta, Georgia





TRACEY BLANTON, Forward



FAYE LANIER, Forward



NANCY JOHNSON, Guard



CAREEN SHAPIRO, Guard MARGARET ANN WILKES, Guard



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LIBBY CARTER, Forward







MARILYN LEE, Forward



JO ANN COPPEDGE, Manager

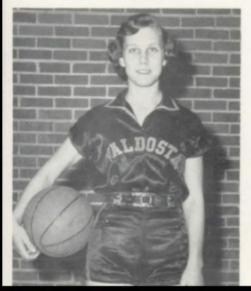


PATSY VIAR, Guard



EDNA COOK, Forward

GLORIA NOBLES, Guard

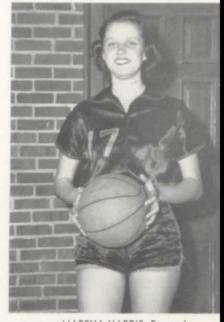


MELBA BLANTON, Forward

Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

winning their





MARSHA HARRIS, Forward

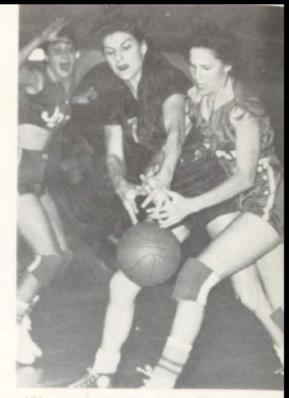
MELANIE BOONE, Guard





Margaret Ann rushes to get the ball from Nancy.

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Libby scraps for the ball in the State Championship game

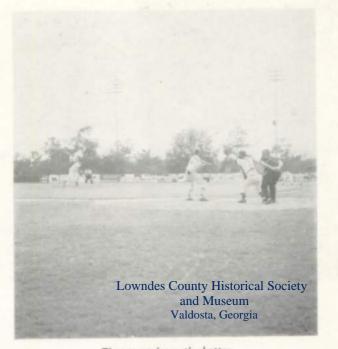
first State Championship

Nancy and Tracey present the trophies to the student body. The State Championship was a dream come true.



1957 SCHEDULE
"Kittens" Opponents
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50 PINE GROVE
57 HOMERVILLE
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62 PEARSON
60 COOK
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79 MORVEN
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SUB-REGION PLAYOFFS
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REGION PLAYOFFS
70 BACON
51 JEFF DAVIS





Thomas works on the batter.

The Baseball Jeam



Left to right, first row: Smith, Vinson, Folsom, Chitty, Roberson, Tinsley, Williams. Second row: Manager Ferrell Scruggs, Tumblin, Crockett, Mitchell, Johnson, George, Pike, Thomas.



BILL FOLSOM 18



TOMMY THOMAS



JIM ROBERSON

2B



DALE WILLIAMS

3 B



EVERETT TUMBLIN

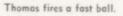


DAVID CROCKETT

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showed improvement

Everett watches the pitch.









JOE TINSLEY



ROBERT JOHNSON



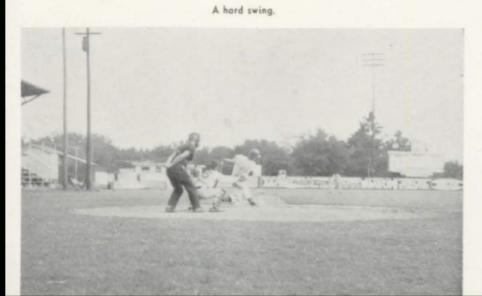
STEVE CHITTY

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and ability.



MANAGER SAMMY REAVES







TIM VINSON

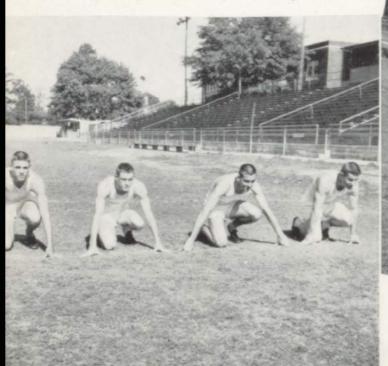
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Left to right, first row: Coaches O'Neal and Bennett, J. Dawson, Thomas, McDonald, Strom, Shirley, Smith, Jones, Jahnson. Second row: J. Williams, Price, Balalis, Elder, L. Greene, Tart, Woods, B. Dawson, Welch. Third row: J. Nichols, McLane, Tyson, Bayette, Haskins, C. Greene, Brooks, N. Nichols, Stanaland, D. Williams.

The Track Jeam

Arthur, Larry, Robert, and Ben practice starting.



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Johnny demonstrates his Region-winning form.

Robert ran the 440 for our track team.

Ben displays his top form.

won the Region Crown.

Track coaches O'Neal and Davis.

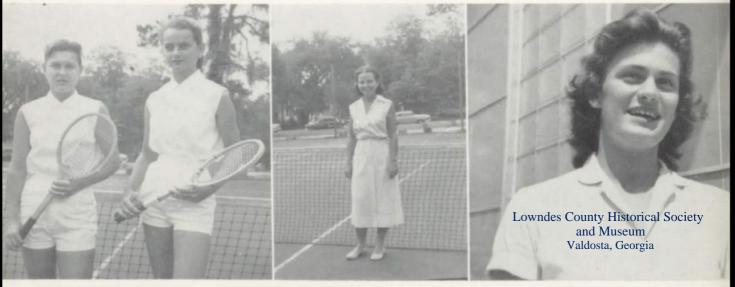
Arthur and Robert display the Region trophy won by the track team.





Left to right, front row: Beverly Walker, Donna Boone, Eleanor Leonard, Pam Paulk. Second row: Melanie Boone, Lila McClenny, Linda Rogers, Peggy Davidson.

The popularity of tennis was shown by The Girls . . .



DONNA BOONE and PAM PAULK Doubles MRS. JOHNSON Coach MELANIE BOONE Singles



BUCKY ANDERSON Singles State Champions

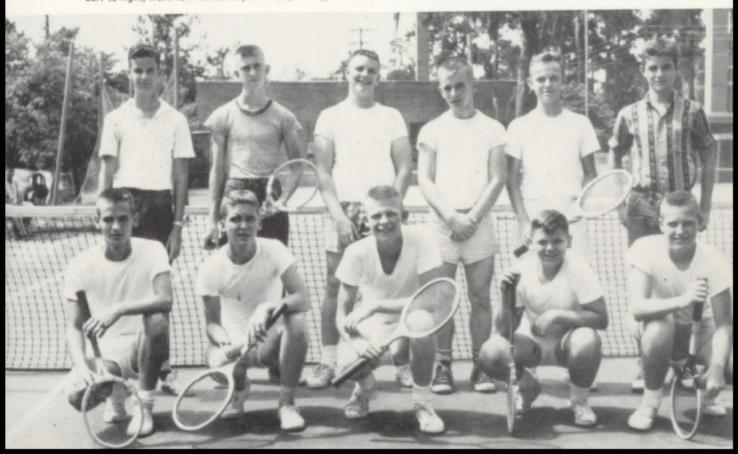


WADE COLEMAN and COMER CHERRY Dcubles State Champion

and the Boys won two State Championships.

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Left to right, front row: Anderson, Coleman, Cherry, Howell, Dewar. Second row: Taylor, Smith, King, Zant, Wright, Kemp.







WILBUR WARNER Captain JIMMY BLANCHARD



CHARLIE CLARK

Our Young

BILLY OLIVER

Golf Jeam won State Co-Championship.

Left to right: Tommy Hatcher, Charlie Clark, Jimmy Blanchard, Al Dean, Billy Oliver, Gay Warwick, and Wilbur Warner.





Robert presents the Region track trophy.



Margaret Ann proudly displays her jacket.



Robert Johnson—V.H.S.'s "Athlete of the Year" —gains yardage against Jesup.

eview

Coach Bazemore solemnly accepts the keys to his new car after winning the South Georgia Championship.



Our Co-State Champion Golf team—Billy, Charlie, Wilbur, Jimmy.

Coach Bennett explains faults during time-out.



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Lowndes County Historical Society and Museum Valdosta, Georgia

King Tommy and Queen Ruth ride through the business section of town-the home of most of our advertisers.

Create Moments to Remember

Anne prepares herself for future secretarial work.

> Charles and his friends leave for their jobs.

> Mr. Ricks, one of our advertisers and our photographer, prepares to take a picture.

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