



# Panther Tales of 1950



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Dr. II 273



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# *Panther Tales*

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Business Manager

# *Dedication*



To Mr. Harold Phillips, our principal, the 1950 PANTHER TALES is affectionately dedicated. More than twelve years of service have made him a part of the soul and body of this school. To everyone he is known as a punctual man. His students regard him as a patient and kind principal, always ready to give freely of his time and of his knowledge in helping them to solve their problems. His faculty members know him to be a gentleman and a sympathetic supervisor.

Some men—a rare few—by their Christian way of life, their manner of speech, their personal integrity are tagged as true Americans in the finest sense of the word. Among these few is Mr. Phillips. Because we feel that he represents the true spirit of Stevenson High School, we the Senior Class of 1950, proudly dedicate this edition of PANTHER TALES



*The*

**FACULTY**

# Faculty



HAROLD PHILLIPS  
Principal

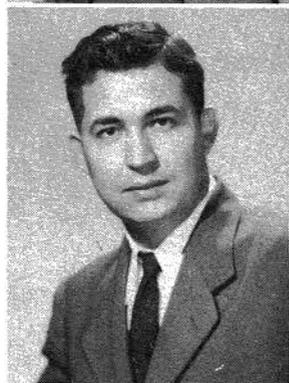
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Social Studies



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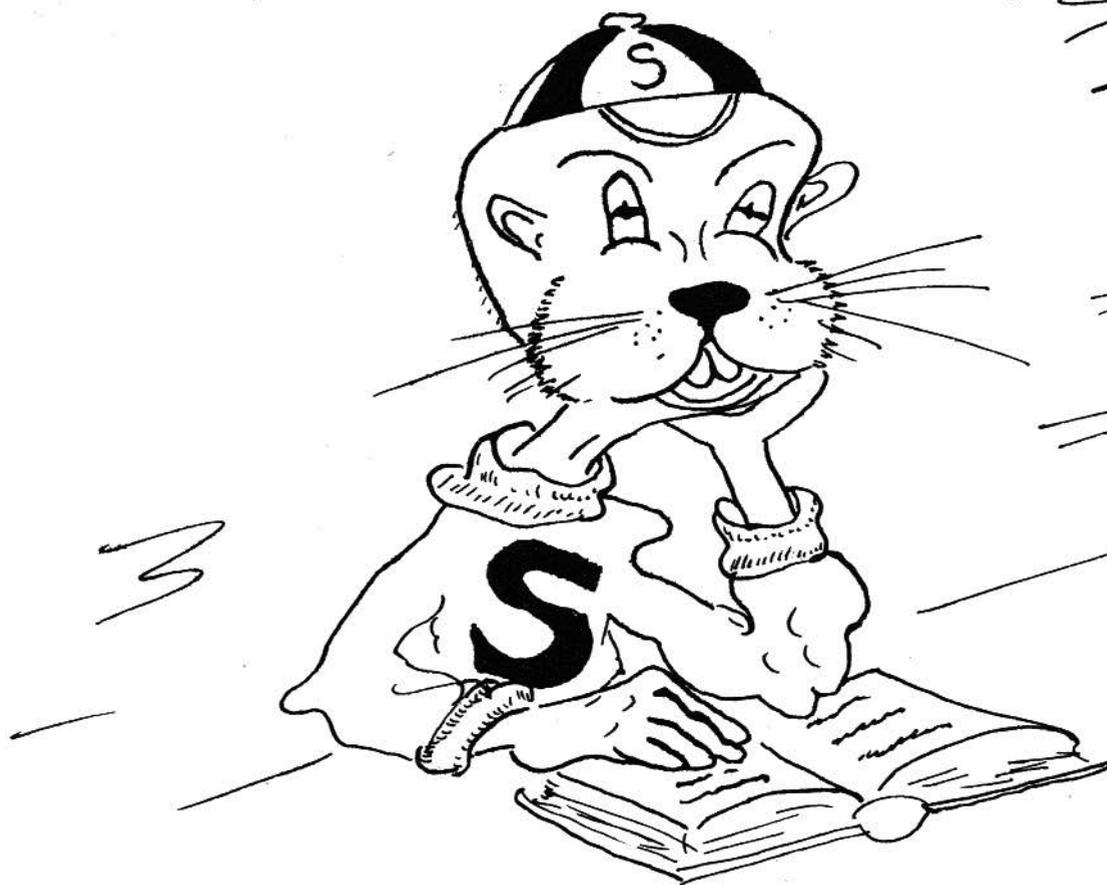
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Home Economics

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C L A S S E S

# Seniors



PEARL ALLEN

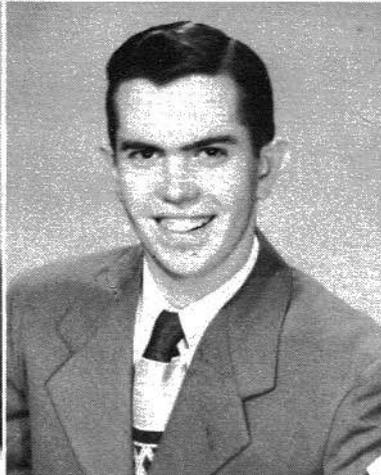
"He wears his faith but as the fashion of his hat."

Secretary, Senior Class; F.F.A.; Senior Who's Who; Annual Staff.

FORRESTINE ALLISON

"It seems to me (said she) that you are in some brown study."

Junior Play; Business Manager of Panther Tales; Treasurer, F.H.A. '50.



DAVID ALLISON

"Smooth runs the water where the brook is deep."

F.F.A. '48-'50; Football, '46, '47, '49; Annual Staff.

DON ARNOLD

"Here is a dear and true industrious friend."

Mr. Stevenson '49; Junior Play; "S" Club '49; S.O.S. Club '49; Football Manager '44-'50; Basketball '48, '49, '50; Annual Staff.



LOREITA BAILEY

"The fair, the chaste, and unexpressive she."

F.H.A. Vice-President '49; Annual Staff.

MARY CATHERINE BRAMLETT

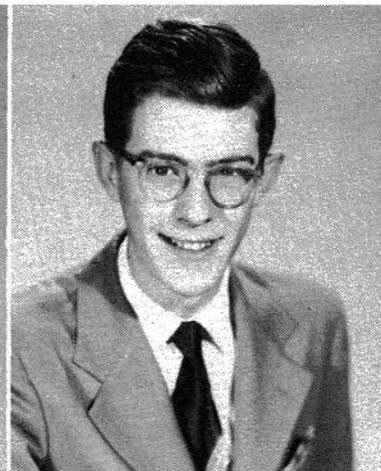
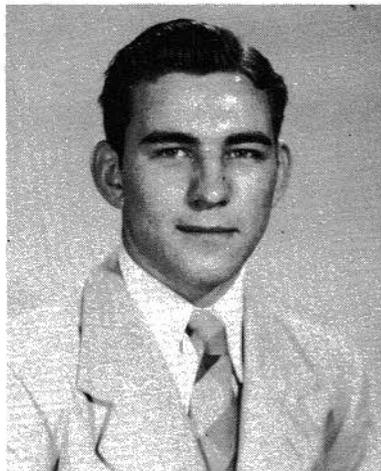
"Infinite riches in a little room."

Editor-in-Chief, Annual Staff; Junior Play; Junior Class Officer; F.H.A. President '47-'49; Reporter, F.H.A. '50; Cheerleader '48, '49; Miss Stevenson '48; 4-H Club '44-'46.

BENNY JO CAMERON

"Rich with the spoils of nature."

Vice-President, Senior Class; 4-H Club '45-'47; "S" Club '49; Junior Play; Annual Staff; Football '47-'49; Basketball '48-'49-'50.



GENE CAMPBELL

"The laugh that wins."

Mr. Stevenson '48; 4-H Club '44-'46; F.F.A. '47-'50; "S" Club '48; Oratorical Contestant '47; Football Manager '48; Annual Staff.



JIMMY CAPERTON

"He is as full of valour as of kindness."

F.F.A. Reporter '50; F.F.A. State Farmer Degree '47; Treasurer, Senior Class; First Prize in Fat Cattle Show '49; Annual Staff.

PAULINE HAWES

"A good heart's worth gold."

4-H Club '47-'48; F.H.A. '48-'50; Football Queen '48; Junior Play; Annual Staff.



WILMA HOUSER

"Her voice was ever soft, gentle, and low; an excellent thing in women."

President, Senior Class; Miss Stevenson '49; Junior Play; Annual Staff; F.F.A. Queen '49; F.H.A. Vice-President '50; 4-H Club '44-'46.

PEGGY PEARSON

"Though she be but little, she is fierce."

Class Favorite '50; Junior Play; 4-H Club '46; F.H.A. '47-'50.



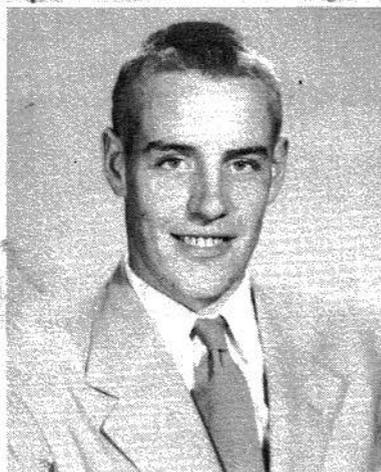
BESSIE ROGERS  
 "A merry heart goes all day."  
 F.H.A. '47-'50; Annual Staff.

BOBBY RUSSELL  
 "Talkers are no good doers."  
 Junior Play; Annual Staff; "S" Club '48-'49; F.F.A. '47-'50; Football '48-'49; Basketball '48-'50.



BETTY CAROLYN RUSSELL  
 "A wilderness of sweets."  
 Junior Play; Annual Staff; 4-H Club '43-'46; F.H.A. '47-'50.

AILEEN STEELE  
 "The fairest garden in her looks, and in her mind the wisest books."  
 Junior Play; Annual Staff; Citizenship Girl '50; Cheerleader '48; District Dairy Food Winner '48; S.O.S. Club '49; 4-H Club President '48-'50; Oratorical Contestant '48; Music Class '45-'49.



BILLY HUGH STEELE  
 "A grain of manhood."  
 Annual Staff, County Champion in Fat Cattle Show '47; F.F.A. '47-'50; Football '48-'49.

BETTY ANN STEPHENS  
 "The bright consummate flower."  
 Annual Staff; Usher at Junior Play; F.F.A. Queen '50; Football Attendant '49; Secretary, F.H.A. '47-'48; 4-H Club '45-'47.

LOUISE TALLY

"She that was fair and never proud, had  
tongue at will and yet was never loud."  
Junior Play; Annual Staff; F.H.A. '47-'50.

JACK WANN

"Sober, Steadfast, and Demure."  
President, Junior Class; Junior Play; An-  
nual Staff; F.F.A. President '47-'50; F.F.A.  
State Farmer Degree '49.



HOWARD ANDERSON

Enrolled too late to get a picture, is an old  
student who has returned to join our  
number.

## *Class History*

One sunny September day in 1943 amidst the sounds of world strife the Class of '50 had its auspicious entrance into a school of higher learning, Stevenson High School. It was on that day that about eighty-nine boys and girls assumed the role of students which we were to portray for the next six years at S.H.S. Under the capable direction of our teachers we were steered through three turbulent years of junior high school.

The next year our school life took on a different aspect, for in that year we became an integral part of senior high school. Our junior year was an important year in our lives. There were representatives in our class in many school activities. There was the Junior-Senior Banquet which we had looked forward to for so long a time. There was also the junior play to be launched.

In the fall of '49 we, the remaining members of that grade, together with new members gathered along the way, began our final year of High School. This was to be a year of fun and work as we soon found out.

And now the last days are at hand. We recall the pleasant memories the years have brought and will cherish them as we depart into the land of life. Through travail and through tribulation we, the class of '50 have at last attained our objective. We have emerged triumphant in the end over home work, term-papers, themes, and examinations. These pitfalls for the unwary have not caught us, though escapes from such dangers have been many and narrow.

Betty Carolyn Russell, Historian

## *Last Will and Testament*

We, the members of the Senior Class of Stevenson High School, County of Jackson, State of Alabama, in the year of our Lord 1950, being the middle of the century, being of sound mind, body and what have you, and having no hard feelings toward the faculty, do hereby make and declare this to be our LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.

To Mr. Phillips, we bestow the responsibility of supervising S.H.S. without our inspiring and able assistance.

To the Junior Class, we bequeath our outstanding dignity, our good behavior and quiet manners and all the supposed privileges of the Senior Class.

- I, Pauline Hawes, will my ability to get a man to Patti Bowles.
- I, Peggy Pearson, leave my shortness to Lula Frances Smith and Erline Pritchett.
- I, Louise Tally, will my freckles to Shirley Mattox.
- I, Jack Wann, will Jimmy Ray Allison my cowlick.
- I, Betty C. Russell, will my typing ability to Freida Steele
- I, Forrestine Allison, will my ability to chase men to Betty Jo Bean and Margaret Adams.
- I, Aileen Steele, will my ability to twist and catch the men's eye to Billie Thomas and Maxine Haswell.
- I, Mary C. Bramlett, will my fat to Jane Caperton.
- I, Loreita Bailey, will my slim willowy physique to Una Kate Peters.
- I, Don Arnold, leave my ability to talk to all the girls I can to Johnnie Rudder and Dewey McAlister.
- I, David Allison, will my curly hair to John Allen and R. V. Garner.
- I, Bessie Rogers, will my driving ability to Mack Gamble and Bill Vinson.
- I, Pearl Allen, will my weakness for women to Vernon Grider and Bedford Lovelady.
- I, Benny Jo Cameron, will my loud mouth to Maudie Thornton and Tom Bradford.
- I, Gene Campbell, will my ability to play hookie to Jimmy Frank Bell.
- I, Jimmy Caperton, will my success in agriculture to Charles Matthews.
- I, Wilma Houser, will my office ability to Carolyn Allison and Betty Ann Williams.
- I, Bobby Russell, will my never still tongue to Edward Brown and James Roberts.
- I, Howard Anderson, will my big feet to Rena Mae Matthews and Mary Elizabeth McCrary.

Wilma Houser

### ALMA MATER

On the city's southern border,  
Reared against the sky;  
Proudly stands our alma mater  
As the years go by.

(Chorus)  
Forward ever be our watchword,  
Conquer and prevail;  
Hail to thee, our alma mater  
S.H.S. all Hail!

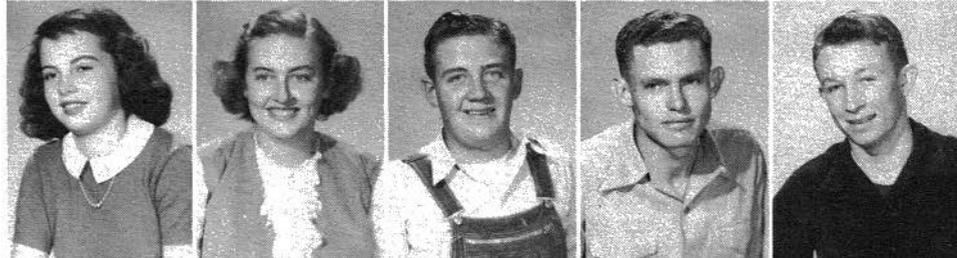
Cherished by our sons and daughters,  
Sweet the memories throng  
Round our hearts, our alma mater,  
As we sing this song.

# Juniors

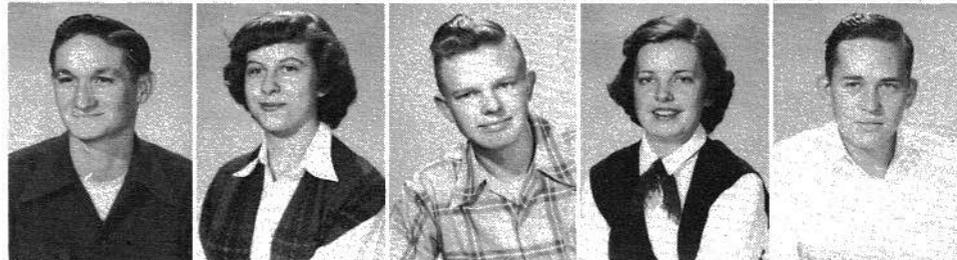
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 Carolyn Allison  
 Jimmy R. Allison  
 Betty Jo Bean  
 Tom Bradford



Patti Bowles  
 Jane Caperton  
 Mack Gamble  
 R. V. Garner  
 Vernon Grider



Bedford Lovelady  
 Maxine Haswell  
 Dewey McAllister  
 Shirley Mattox  
 Charles Matthews



Mary E. McCrary  
 Rena M. Matthews  
 Una K. Peters  
 Johnny Rudder  
 Lula F. Smith



Freida Steele  
 Billie Thomas  
 Maudie Thornton  
 Billy Vinson  
 Betty A. Williams

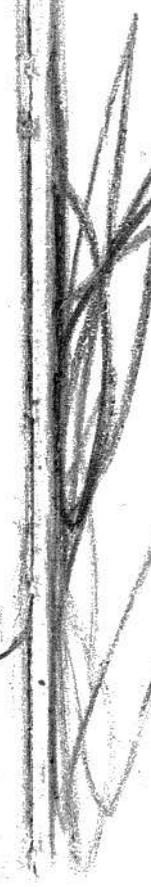


## CAMERA SHY JUNIORS

John Allen  
 Jimmy F. Bell  
 Edward Brown  
 James Roberts

## CLASS OFFICERS

President ..... Vernon Grider  
 Vice-President ..... Jane Caperton  
 Secretary-Treasurer ..... Betty Jo Bean



# Sophomores



David Smith, Pres.  
 Juanita Houser, Sec.  
 Frances McMahan, Treas.  
 Nina Berryhill  
 Ruby J. Blizard



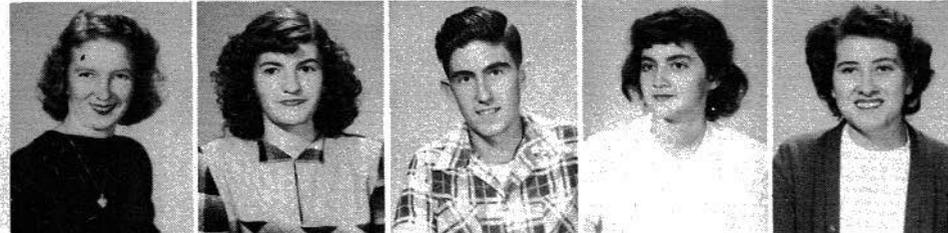
Kenneth Brooks  
 Jean Burton  
 Marie Curtis  
 Carthell Guess  
 Ethel Guess



Sanford Lancaster  
 Faye Loyd  
 Una Rae McCrary  
 Marvin Meeker  
 Jimmie Morris



Edna Peters  
 Nancy Precise  
 Erline Pritchett  
 Lorraine Reynolds  
 Elbert Roberts



Margaret Roberts  
 Betty Jo Rogers  
 James Ed Rudder  
 Elizabeth Sizemore  
 Kathleen Sizemore



Franklin Smith  
 Howard Smith  
 Mary E. Steele

## CAMERA SHY SEPHOMORES

Stanley Holder  
 Thomas Guess  
 Hugh Rudder  
 Mary Lou Summers  
 Eugene Wooden

# Freshmen

Madge Payne, Pres.  
 Donald McCrary, V.-Pres.  
 James Stewart, Sec.  
 Jack Parks, Pres.  
 Doyle Adams

Dean Arnold  
 Mary Sue Bearden  
 Lurah Ann Blount  
 Josephine Burton  
 R. D. Brown

Jean Caperton  
 Dot Cloud  
 Martha Lee Gamble  
 Nellie Gass  
 Beatrice Goff

Marie Goforth  
 Mae Hess  
 Lila Mae Houser  
 Geraldine Jones  
 Una Jones

Betty Lillard  
 Bill Jack Loyd  
 Orpha Loyd  
 Sue Meeker  
 Boyd McCrary

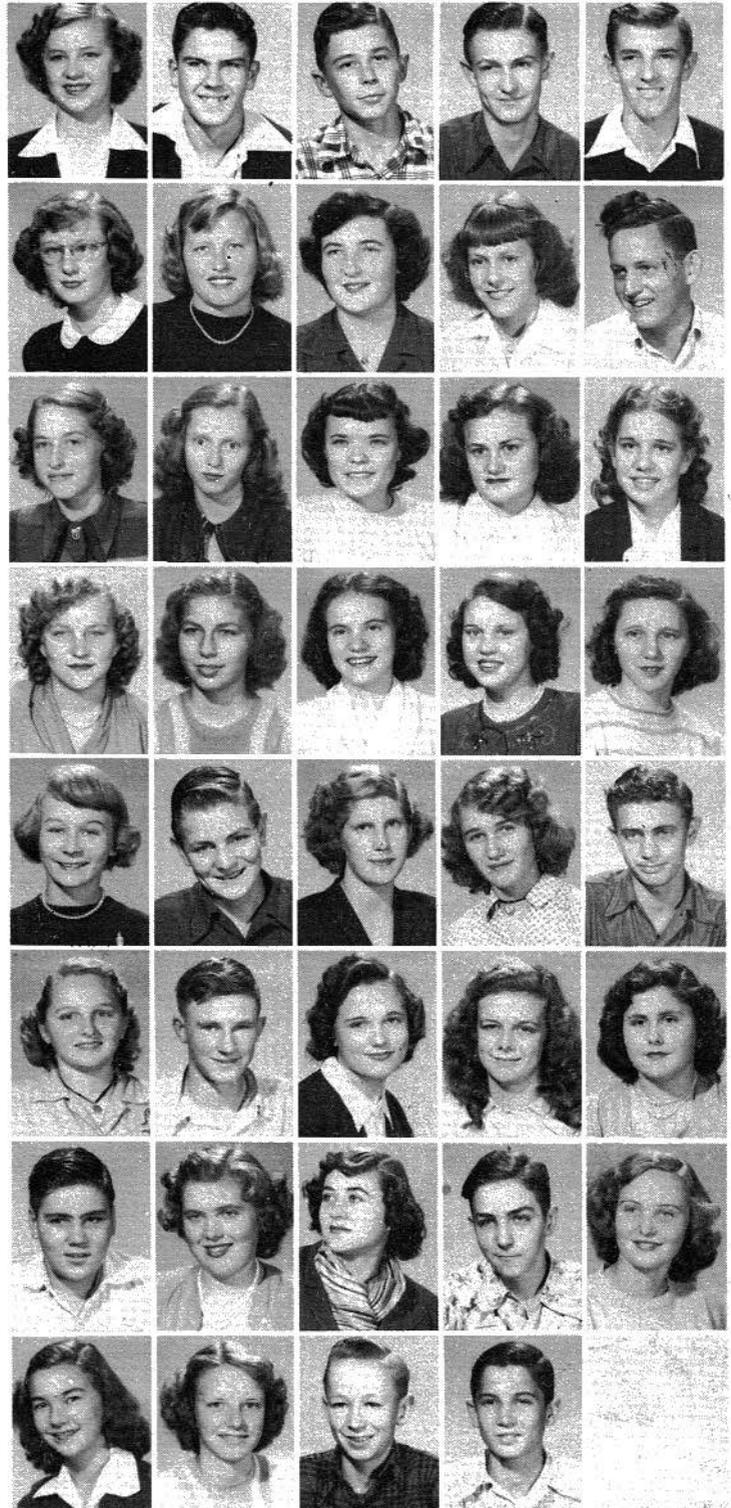
Stella McCoy  
 Roy McDonald  
 Bethel Morris  
 Mary R. Potterfield  
 Joyce Russell

Donald Stephens  
 Mary Shrader  
 Shirley Steele  
 Kenan Timberlake  
 Ora Bell Vinson

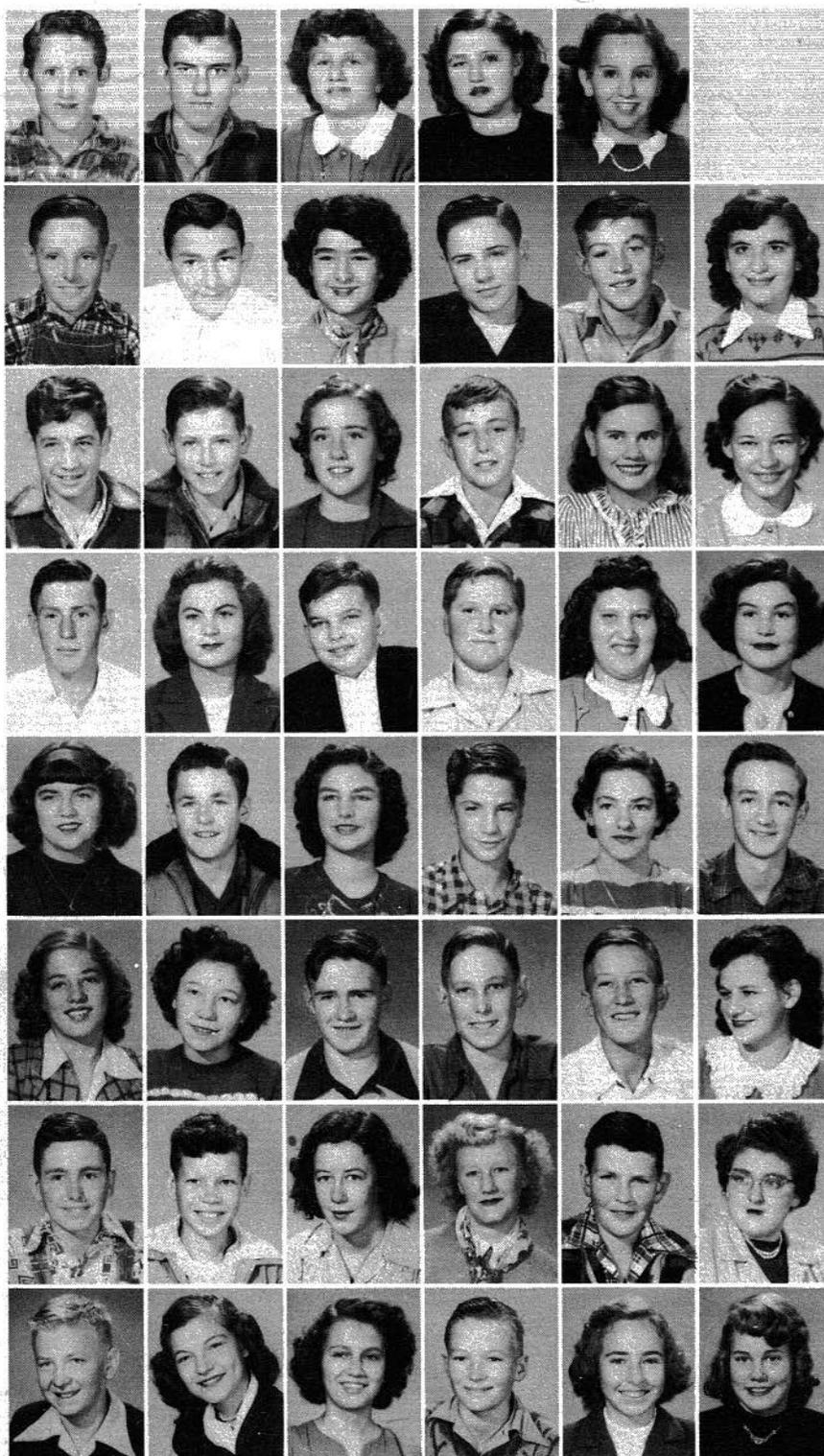
Mary Ann Williamson  
 Imogean Venable  
 J. W. Wilkerson  
 Loyd Phillips

CAMERA SHY  
 FRESHMEN

J. T. Allison  
 Franklin Coffman  
 Dorothy McAllister  
 Emmett Poe



# Eighth Grade



L. D. Adams  
G. Allen  
A. Allison  
M. Arnold  
R. Blizzard

L. Brooks  
M. Brown  
I. Clark  
D. Carroll  
J. Cates  
N. C. Gamble

B. J. Garner  
K. Garner  
M. N. Gonce  
J. Grider  
I. M. Guthrie  
E. Henninger

R. Hicks  
B. M. Johnson  
J. Lindsay  
C. A. Lusk  
R. Kirk  
B. McCallie

J. McCrary  
J. Nevils  
L. Owens  
B. Owens  
A. M. Peters  
E. Phillips

B. M. Phillips  
K. Phillips  
J. Pittman  
E. Reece  
C. Roberts  
B. J. Rudder

C. Sartin  
C. Smith  
J. Smith  
M. Stallings  
H. Stewart  
M. Tidwell

C. Timberlake  
D. Thompson  
C. Walker  
C. Ward  
R. R. Wooden  
P. Wynn

## CAMERA SHY EIGHTH GRADERS

M. Allison, J. Arnold, B. Coffman, J. Crawford, B. R. Grider, J. Guinn, B. J. Johnson, J. Lovelady, E. Marlow, J. Rogers, S. Rudder, M. Russell, O. Smith, N. Westmoreland, J. Willis, J. Wynn.

# Seventh Grade

E. Adams  
B. Garner  
J. Allison  
B. Allison  
S. Allison

S. A. Arnold  
K. Arnold  
B. Bell  
R. L. Bowles  
N. Bradford  
N. Bradford  
A. L. Brewton

H. Brown  
M. Brown  
B. Cagle  
J. Cargile  
A. Chisenall  
C. Coffman  
O. Davis

M. Gamble  
L. Gass  
G. Goforth  
B. Grider  
S. Grider  
D. Guess  
W. Hargraves

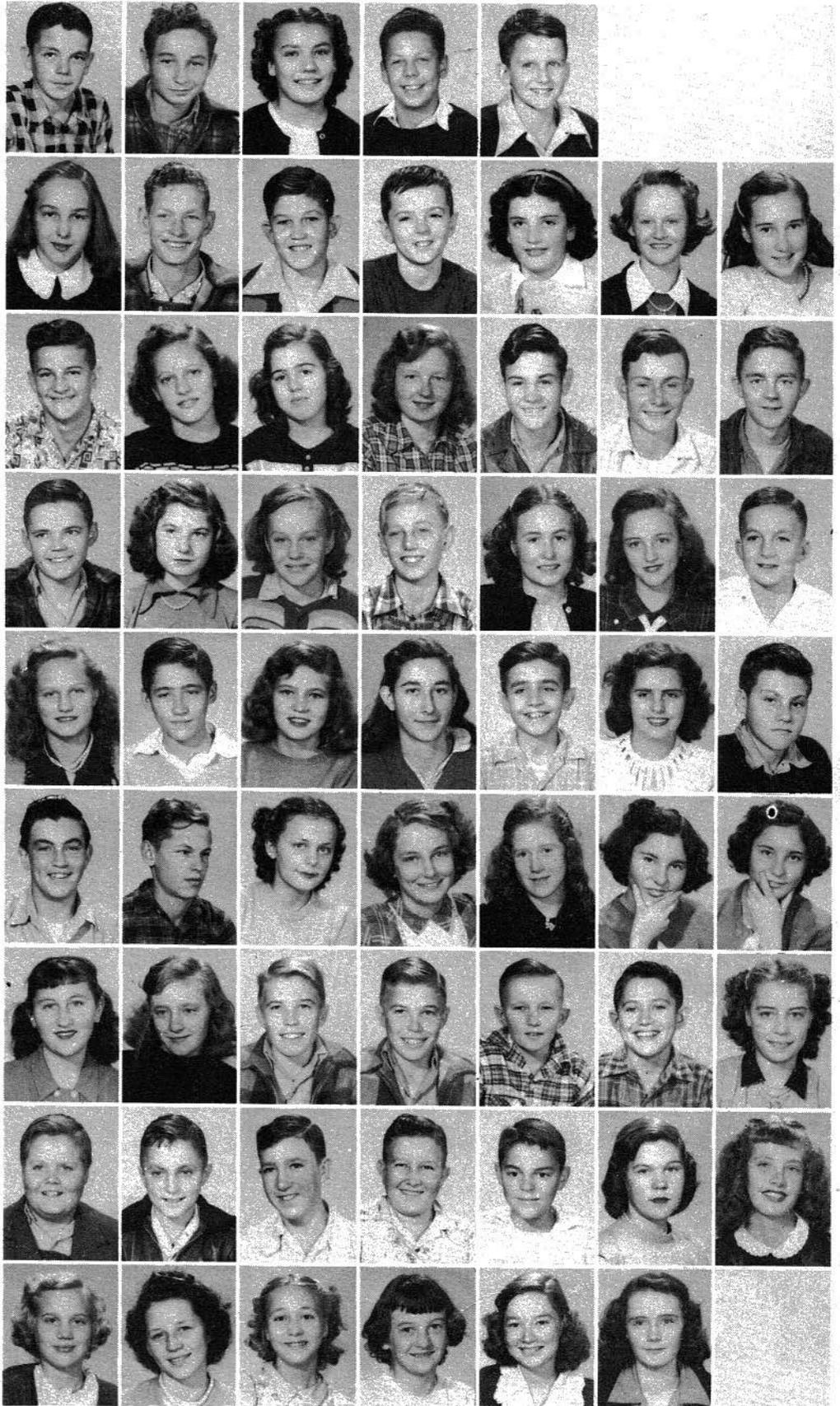
E. Harshaw  
A. Henninger  
R. Holder  
M. R. Ivey  
R. Jackson  
H. Johnson  
J. Kirk

J. Kirk  
B. Long  
P. Lovelace  
B. Loyd  
N. Loyd  
B. Matthews  
B. Matthews

G. McAllister  
J. McAllister  
M. McCrary  
M. McCrary  
R. McCrary  
J. Meeker  
B. Poe

D. Poe  
R. Reece  
D. Roberts  
J. Roberts  
J. Rogers  
B. Rowe  
L. Sampley

J. Shrader  
B. Smith  
I. Williams  
M. Willis  
M. Williamson  
B. Wright



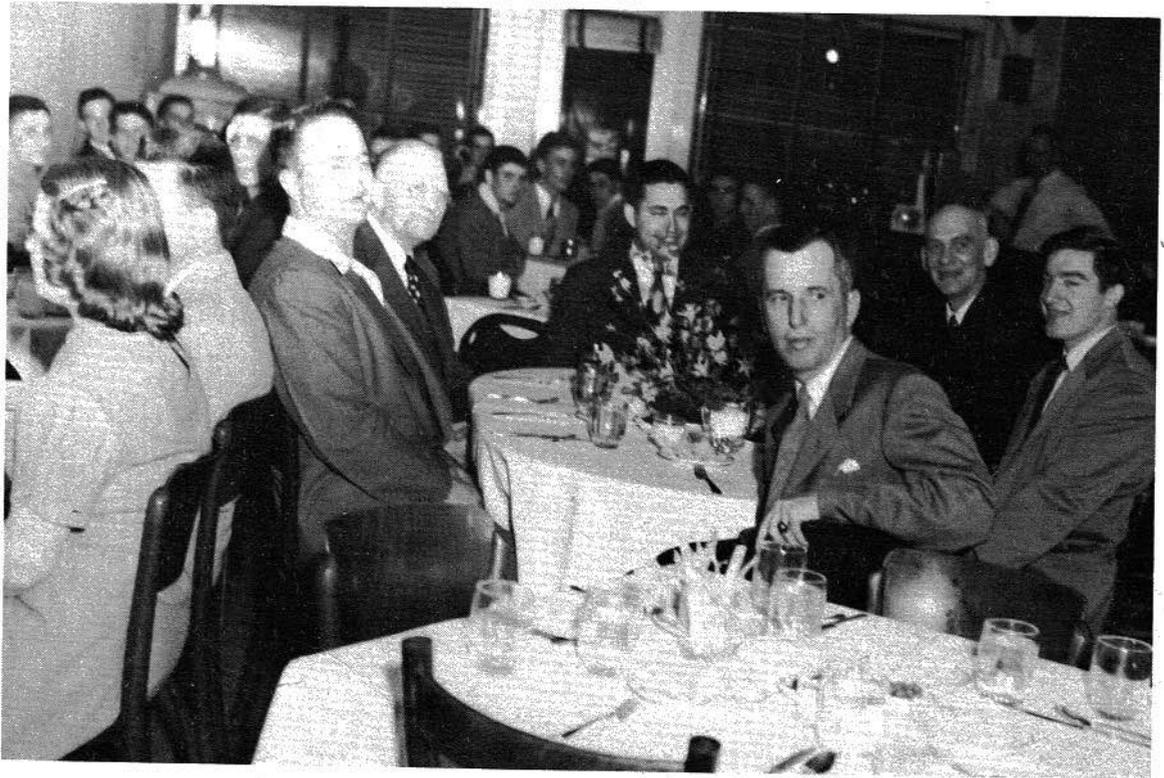
\* THERE ARE 27 CAMERA SHY SEVENTH GRADERS



### *Our Cheer Leaders*

LEFT TO RIGHT: Mary C. Bramlett, Shirley Mattox, Madge Payne, Billie Thomas, Patti Bowles.

FOOTBALL BANQUET January 26, 1950.





# A T H L E T I C S

## *Football Schedule-1949*

### September

1	Gurley .....	0	Stevenson .....	6
8	Blountville .....	0	Stevenson .....	12
15	Chattanooga High .....	0	Stevenson .....	51
23	South Pittsburg .....	13	Stevenson .....	0
29	Boaz .....	8	Stevenson .....	0

### October

6	Whitwell .....	12	Stevenson .....	0
20	Ider .....	0	Stevenson .....	6
27	Trenton .....	0	Stevenson .....	26

### November

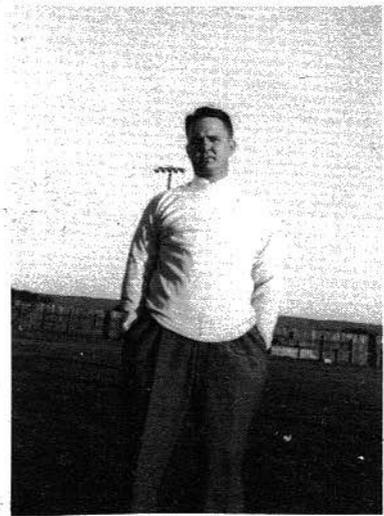
4	Jasper .....	0	Stevenson .....	6
24	Bridgeport .....	9	Stevenson .....	0

# Football Team



## COACH SMALLWOOD

His first year as Coach at S.H.S., Coach Smallwood took a group of inexperienced boys and made a good team.



## COACH "ZIP"

Assistant Coach—He coached the line and the midgets.

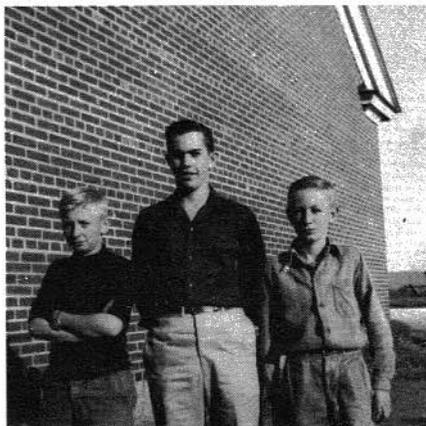
Not Pictured:

"DOC" MAUPIN

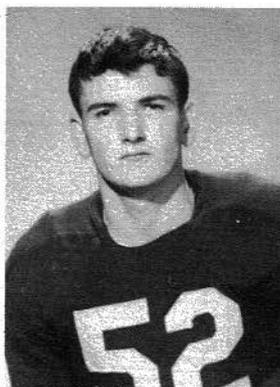
He was an essential part of the football team serving as team doctor and trainer. We were fortunate to have him. "Thanks 'Doc'!"

## MANAGERS

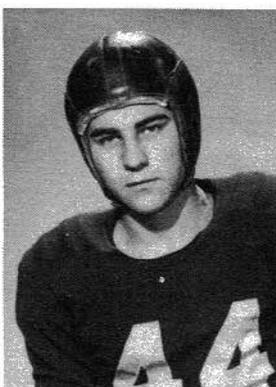
Charlie Timberlake  
Don Arnold  
"Peanut" Wilkerson



TOM BRADFORD  
Co-Captain. Fullback. 174  
lb. 5 ft. 11 in. Junior. Letter-  
man, one year.



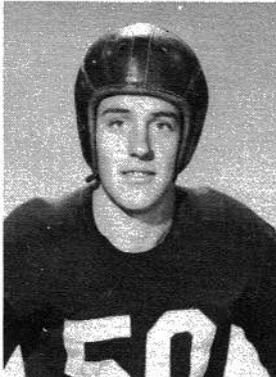
BENNY JO CAMERON  
Co-Captain. Right Guard.  
170 lb. 5 ft. 7 in. Senior.  
Letterman, three years.



VERNON GIRDER  
Left End. 130 lb. 5 ft. 8 in.  
Junior. Letterman, one year.



BILLY H. STEELE  
Right End. 160 lb. 6 ft.  
Senior. Letterman, two years.



SANFORD LANCASTER  
Left Guard. 145 lb. 5 ft. 8  
in. Tenth Grade Letterman,  
two years.



DAVID SMITH  
Center. 150 lb. 5 ft. 7 in.  
Tenth Grade. Letterman, two  
years.



JIMMY R. ALLISON  
Left Tackle. 180 lb. 6 ft. 1  
in. Junior. Letterman, one  
year.



JOHNNY RUDDER  
Right Tackle. 165 lb. 5 ft.  
8 in. Junior. Letterman, two  
years.



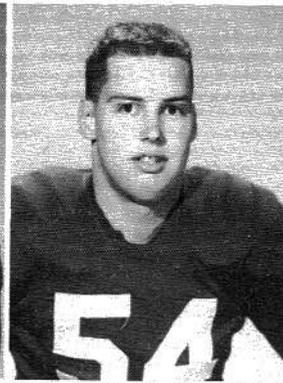
DON McCrARY  
Right Halfback. 135 lb. 5 ft.  
8. in. Ninth Grade. Letter-  
man, two years.



THOMAS GUESS  
Left Halfback. 135 lb. 5 ft.  
6 in. Tenth Grade. Letter-  
man, two years.

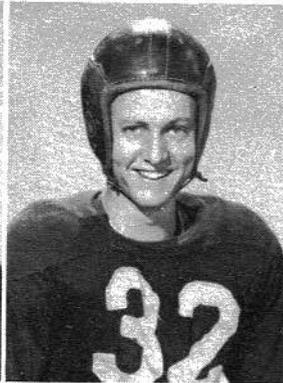
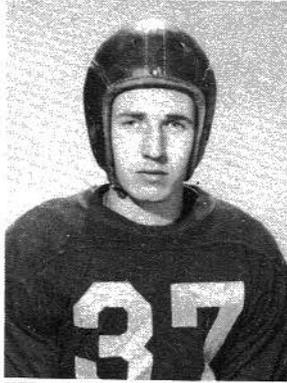


**BOBBY RUSSELL**  
 Quarterback. 145 lb. 5 ft.  
 7 in. Senior. Letterman, one  
 year.



**DAVID ALLISON**  
 Tackle. 185 lb. 6 ft. 8 in.  
 Senior. Letterman, three  
 years.

**CARTHELL GUESS**  
 Guard. 145 lb. 5 ft. 8 in.  
 Tenth Grade. Letterman,  
 one year.



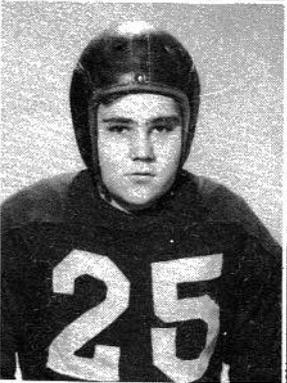
**R. D. BROWN**  
 Tackle. 155 lb. 5 ft. 8 in.  
 Ninth Grade. Letterman, one  
 year.

**JACK PARKS**  
 Right End. 130 lb. 5 ft. 9 in.  
 Ninth Grade. Letterman,  
 one year.



**JOHN PITTMAN**  
 Right Guard. 160 lb. 5 ft. 8  
 in. Eighth Grade. Letterman,  
 one year.

**DONALD STEPHENS**  
 Tackle. 160 lb. 5 ft. 5 in.  
 Ninth Grade. Letterman, one  
 year.



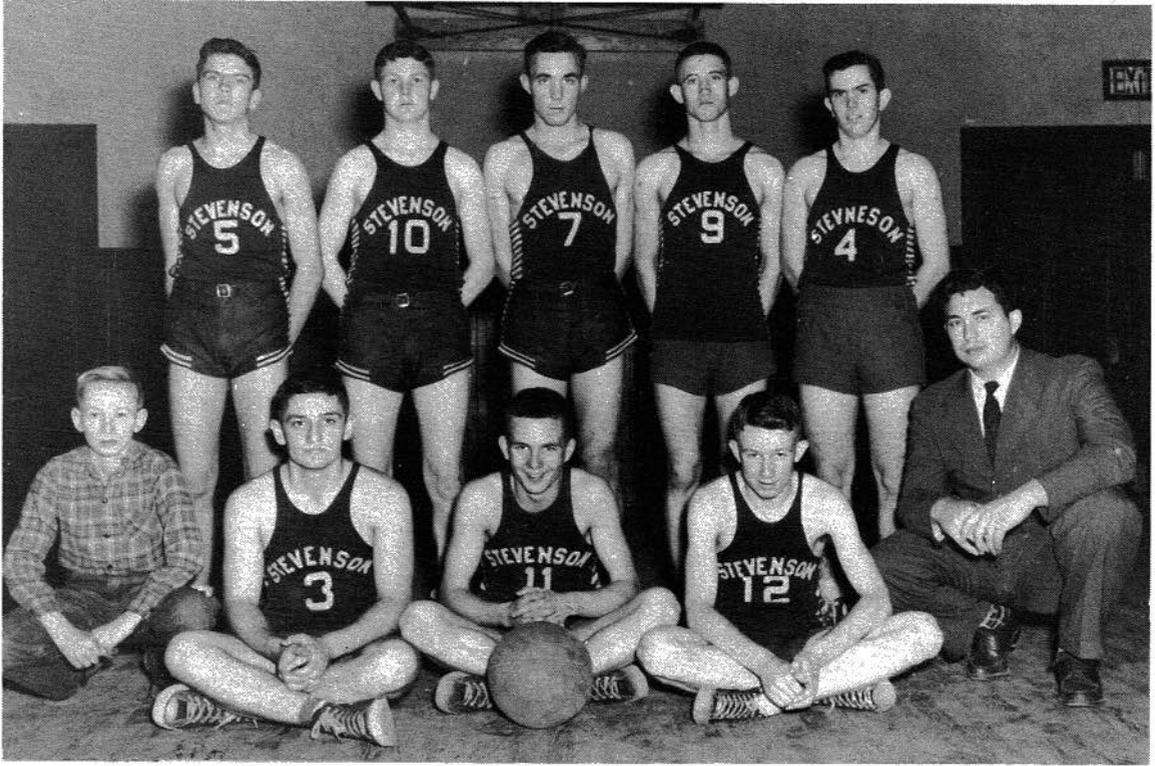
**ALBERT CHISENALL**  
 Tackle. 140 lb. 5 ft. 10 in.  
 Seventh Grade. Letterman,  
 one year.

**WEYMON R.  
 SMALLWOOD**  
 Coach



**STANLEY HOLDER**  
 Left Halfback. 140 lb. 5 ft.  
 8 in. Tenth Grade. Letter-  
 man, two years.

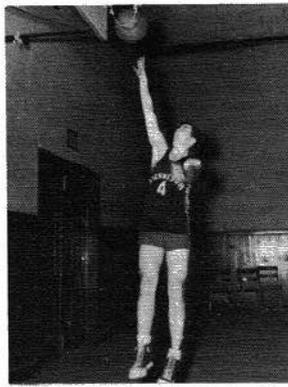
# Basketball



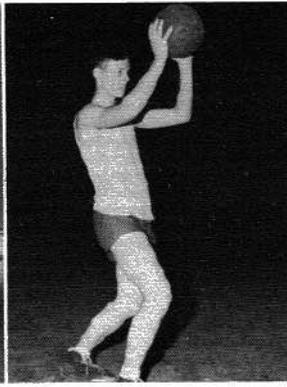
"A" Team

"B" Team





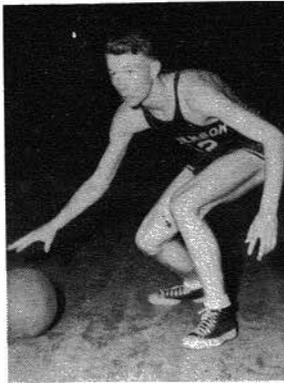
DON ARNOLD



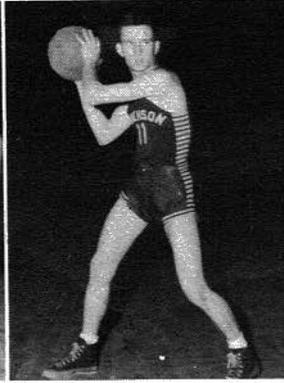
R. D. BROWN



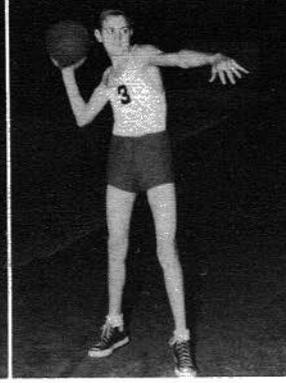
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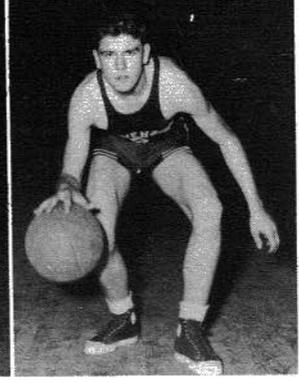
VERNOR GRIDER



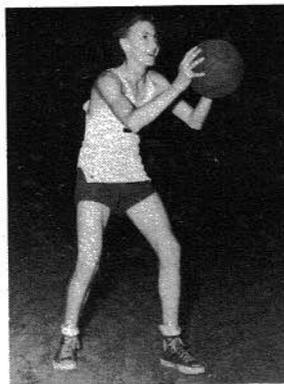
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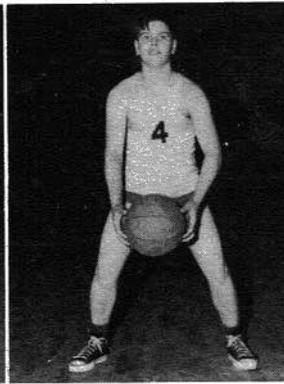
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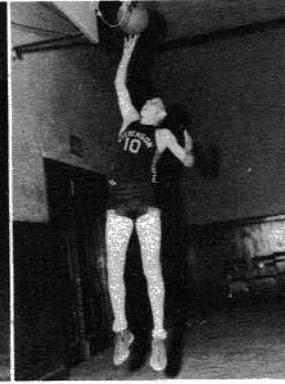
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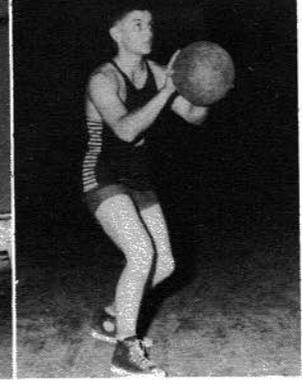
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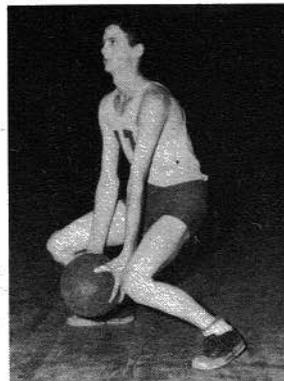
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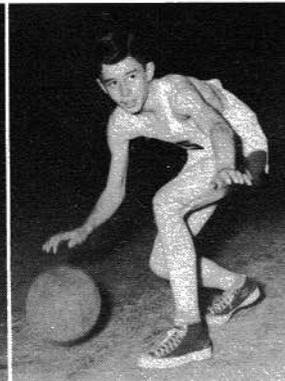
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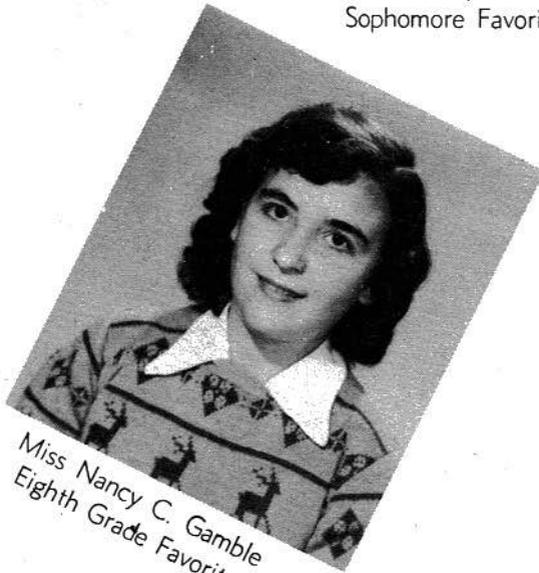
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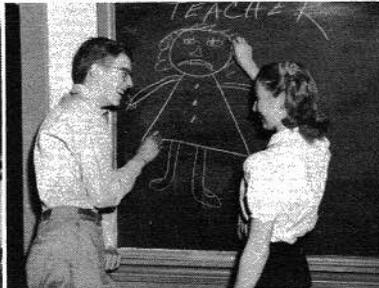
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### PLEDGE

I-pledge my head to clearer thinking, my heart to greater loyalty, my hands to larger service, and my health for better living to my club, my community, and my country.

All 4-H Club girls are required to complete one home economics project a year in one of the following: Foods, Food Preservation, Clothing, Home Improvement, Home Management, or Personal Relations, and older ones are encouraged to complete others such as Gardening, Livestock, Poultry, Forestry, Landscaping or Truck Crops.

All 4-H Club boys have as their projects: Gardening, Livestock, Poultry, Forestry, Landscaping or Truck Crops.

The 4-H Clubs at Stevenson High School are made up of the three junior grades with a few senior high school students. Several of the girls and boys enter their calves in the Fat Cattle Show each year, and win many ribbons on them. Each year the 4-H Club boys and girls have a booth at the County Fair. This year Stevenson 4-H Club booth won first prize, which was fifty dollars.

The work of these organizations continue to be an inspiration to boys and girls at Stevenson High School.



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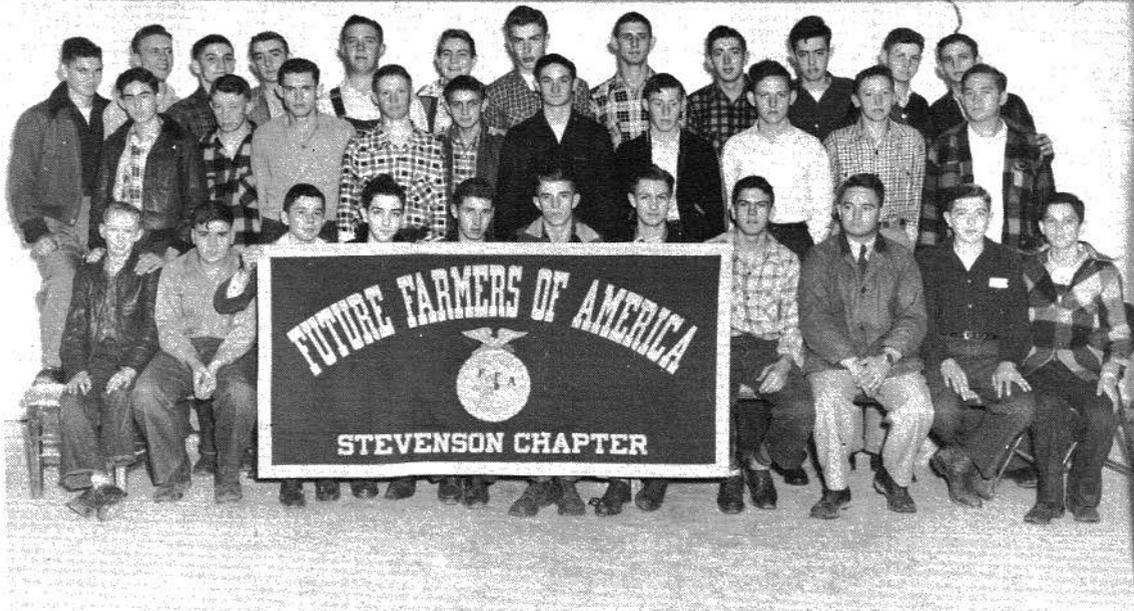
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The Future Home Makers of America is the National Organization of pupils studying homemaking in high schools. As an integral part of the program of home economics, it offers opportunity for the further development of pupil initiative in planning and carrying out activities related to homemaking.

The Club meets once a month with programs planned to promote the purposes of the organization which are as follows:

1. To encourage democracy in home and community life.
2. To work for good home and family life for all.
3. To promote a growing appreciation of the joys and satisfactions of family life.
4. To foster the development of creative leadership in home and community life.
5. To further interest in home economics.

Four degrees of achievement may be obtained by members who declare their intention for each, and meet the requirements of work in each.



## *F. F. A.*

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The primary aim of the Future Farmers of America is the development of agricultural leadership, cooperation, and citizenship. The specific purposes for which this organization was formed are as follows.

1. To develop competent, aggressive, rural, and agricultural leadership.
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3. To strengthen the confidence of all farm boys and young men, in themselves and their work.
4. To create more interest in the intelligent choice of farming occupations.
5. To encourage members in the development of individual farming programs and establishment in farming.
6. To encourage members to improve the farm home and its surroundings.
7. To participate in worthy undertakings for the improvement of agriculture.
8. To develop character, train for useful citizenship, and foster patriotism.
9. To participate in cooperative effort.
10. To encourage and practice thrift.
11. To encourage improvement in scholarship.
12. To provide and encourage the development of organized rural recreational activities.

The F.F.A. at Stevenson High is an active organization and its standards are so that each boy strives to become a member.

## Snaps Around the Shop



Pearl Allen and his corn plot.



Billy Vinson examining soil for corn project.



Agriculture lab plot



Mr. Oscar Matthews, school farmer.



Getting ready to spray orchard.



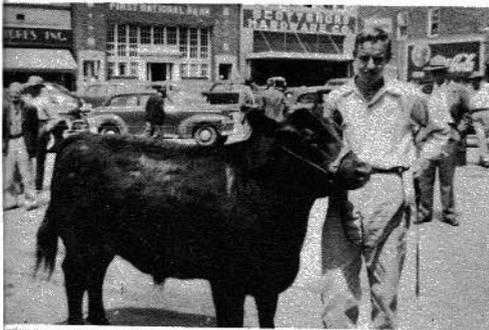
Pruning orchard.



F.F.A. boys.



Show ring at Milky Way.



County Winner '48.  
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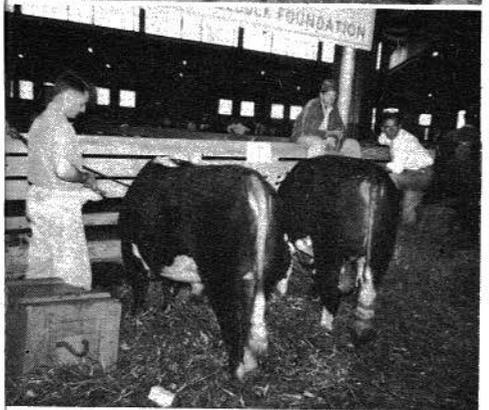


County Winner '49.  
Jimmy Caperton.



Cattle show in Scotts-  
boro.

Seniors take a trip to  
Milky Way Farms. Bull  
sold for \$65,000.



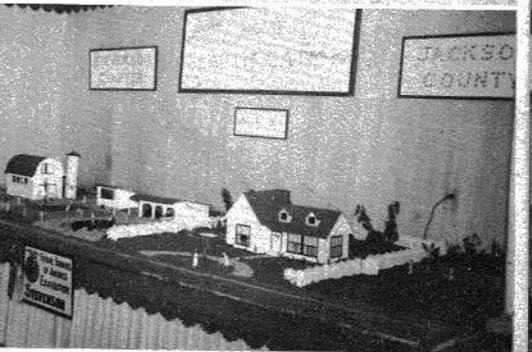
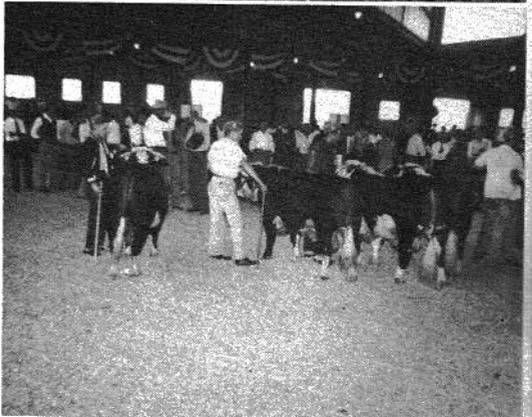
Bull that Sears Roebuck  
gave to F.F.A. Chapter.  
Jack Wann, F.F.A.  
Pres., holding the bull  
at State Fair.

Showing Roebuck bull  
ready for the judges.

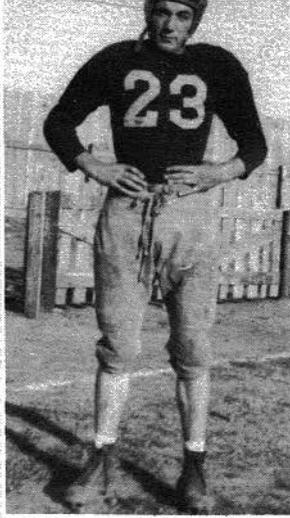


Worming pigs.

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