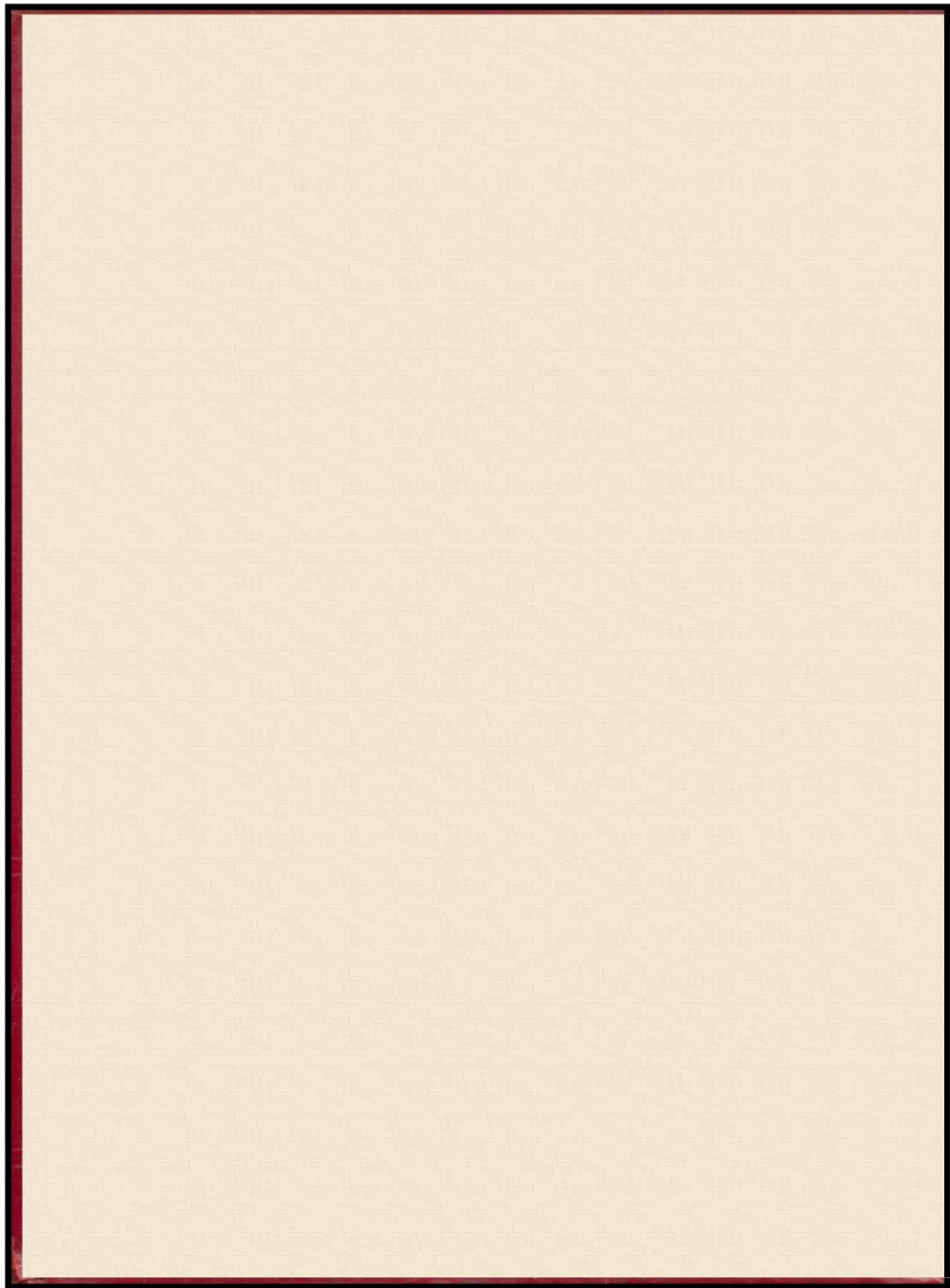
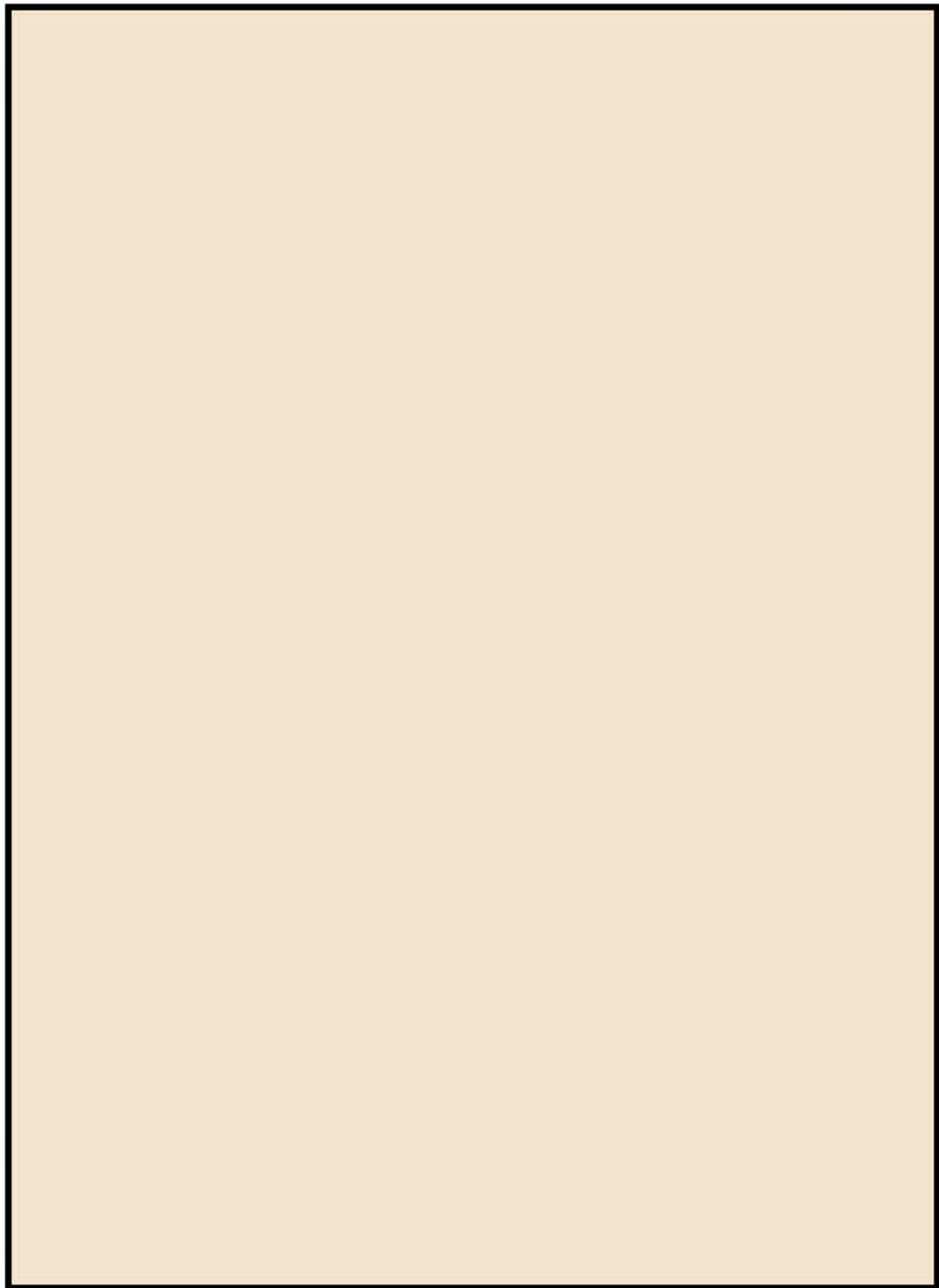


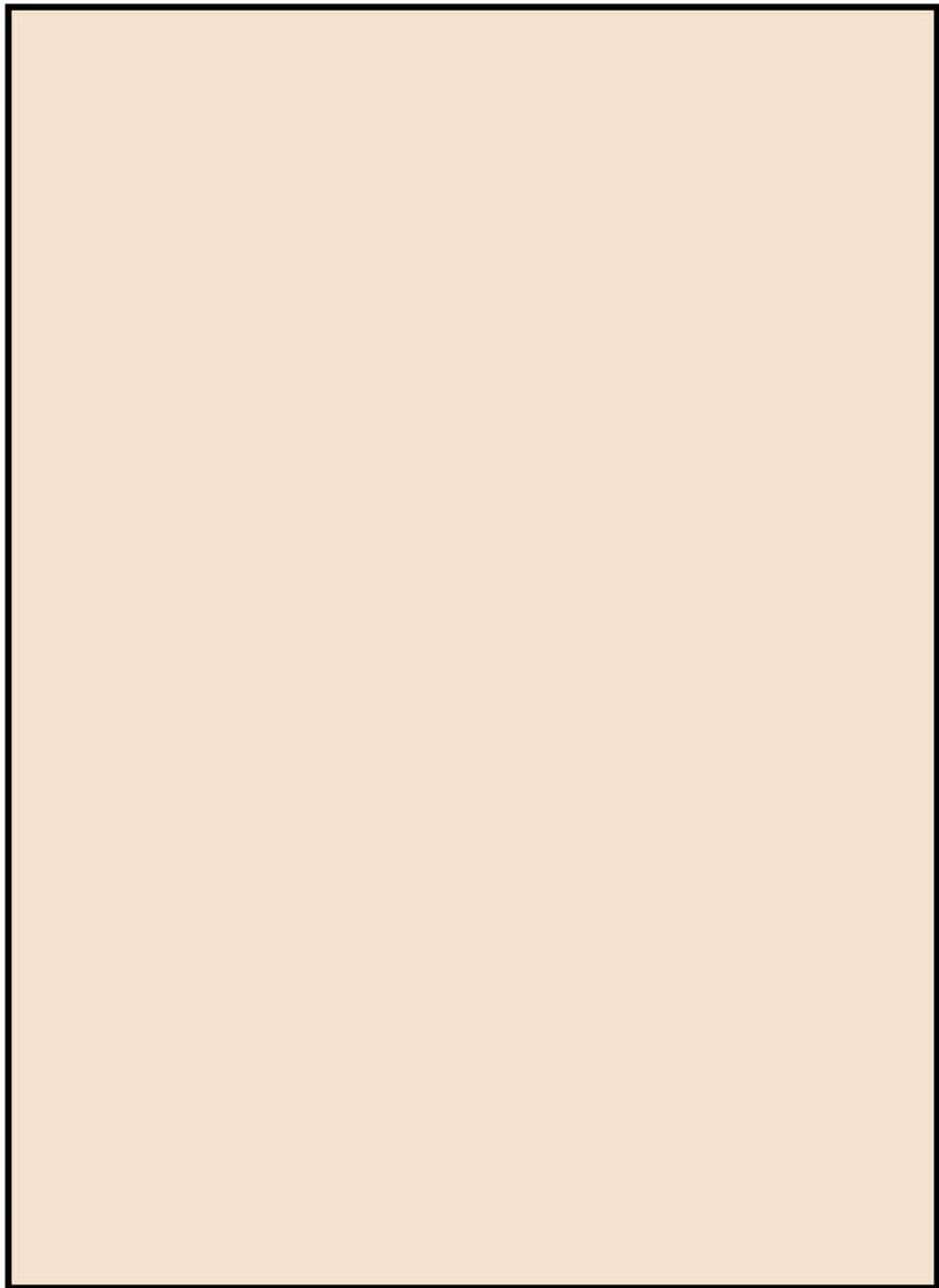


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## Foreword



The Annual Staff of '56

Hopes you will find much fun

When looking at the things so true

As our efforts here bring to you.

The year's best work with joy we give,

The "Ups and Downs" that you have lived;

The stirring spirit, this year's great pride,

And scholastic standings have been our guide.

When in your future years you find,

That memories have grown so faint in mind;

Just open then, this book and cast your eyes

To the carefree life, this treasured book revives.





## *Dedication*

The Staff, in dedicating this yearbook, took into consideration a warm and understanding personality and one who has assisted in our school activities.

In expressing our heartfelt gratitude to MERLE LAW, we dedicate this 1956 MAROON.



Editor-in-Chief  
FREDDIE CAMERON



Sponsor  
MR. JIMMY ALDRIDGE



*Jane*

Business Manager  
JANE COOK

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Senior Class Editor  
RENA JO DUPREE

Sports Editor  
GEORGE JACKSON

Special Feature Editor  
CALVIN DICKINSON







## *Assistants to the Staff*

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Junior Class Editor - - - - - JOHN NOEL PATTERSON

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Freshman Class Editor - - - - - RITCHARD POWELL

## *In Memoriam*

My people shall dwell in a  
peaceful habitation, and in sure  
dwellings, and in quiet resting  
places.

Isaiah 32:18



CLIFFORD RAMSEYER

The acquirement of knowledge will no longer weary  
Every capacity increased, every faculty developed free,  
The grandest enterprise will not exhaust or be dreary,  
As the highest aspirations are reached for thee.

Ada Maud Cameron



It is with a great deal of pride and pleasure that I congratulate the editor, the sponsor, and the entire staff for publishing a yearbook that I know the faculty, the students, and the patrons will say is the finest one ever published in the Atlanta High School.

Thank you for a job well done.

Very truly yours,

*B. H. Hudspeth*

B. H. Hudspeth  
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Math







*To Nancy  
Best of Luck  
Always  
Mrs. Wiseman*



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*Senior Class Officers*

- President - - - - - JOHNNY HOWE  
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Secretary - - - - - GWEN NICHOLS  
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Reporter - - - - - PATTI ROGERS  
Sergeant-at-Arms - - - - - RICHARD McCASLAND



ALBERT ADY

Transfer from Roy High School,  
Roy, New Mexico.



JULIAN BENTLEY

Band 6 Years; Speech 1 Year;  
Trumpet Quartet 2 Years; Spanish  
Club 2 Years; Swing Band 3 Years.



SAMMY BICKHAM

Baseball 4 Years; Track 1 Year;  
Football 2 Years; Queen's Court  
1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years;  
Cheerleader 1 Year; Spanish Club  
Officer 2 Years.

THELMA BIRDSONG  
Maroon Jackets 4 Years; FHA 2  
Years; Physical Education 1 Year.

GRADY BLIZZARD  
Band 3 Years; Maroon Jackets 1  
Year; Concession Stand 1 Year;  
FFA 2 Years.

ANN BLUE  
Maroon Jackets 4 Years; FHA 4  
Years; FHA Officer 1 Year; Choral  
2 Years; Choral Club Officer 1  
Year; Octet 1 Year; Library Club 1  
Year; FHA Quartet 1 Year; Library  
Quartet 1 Year; Spanish Club 2  
Years.







MOLLIE BUKHAIR

Band 6 Years; Band Secretary; Junior Play; Klicker Club 1 Year; FHA 4 Years; Choral 1 Year; Clarinet Quartet 3 Years; Usher for Senior Activities; Spanish Club 1 Year; Speech; Usher for Coronation.



JERRY BURSON

Football 4 Years; Track 4 Years; Queen's Court 1 Year; Usher for Coronation.



FREDDIE CAMERON

Band 6 Years; Swing Band 3 Years; Orchestra 2 Years; Student Conductor 3 Years; Maroon Staff 3 Years; Usher for Senior Activities; All-Regional Band; Spanish Club 2 Years; Senior Class Favorite; Debate; Speech; Editor of '56 Maroon; Declamation.

HOWARD CARNEY

Football 3 Years; Track 3 Years; Band 3 Years; Spanish Club 1 Year; Declamation; Usher for Queen's Court 1 Year; Queen's Court 2 Years; Usher for Senior Activities; State One-Act Play; Debate; Speech; Extemporaneous Speaking.

BETTY JO CATES

Maroon Jackets 4 Years; FHA 4 Years; One-Act Play; Physical Education 2 Years; Speech; Choral.

ROGER CLAUS

Football 1 Year; FFA 3 Years; Cheerleader 1 Year; Baseball 3 Years; Basketball 1 Year; FFA Officer 2 Years.







TOMMY CLAYTON

FFA 3 Years; FFA Officer 2 Years; FFA Delegate to District Meet.



JANE COOK

Band 6 Years; Majorette 2 Years; Drum Major 1 Year; Queen's Court 3 Years; Junior Play; Class Favorite 2 Years; Class Officer 3 Years; Annual Staff 1 Year; Usher for Senior Activities; All-Regional Band; Honey Bunnies 3 Years; FHA 3 Years; Atheneum Club Winner.



WINSTON COULTER

Band 3 Years; Swing Band 2 Years; FFA; FFA Officer 1 Year; FFA String Band 4 Years; FFA Delegate to District Meet; Band Officer 1 Year; Football 1 Year; Orchestra 2 Years.

CALVIN DICKINSON

Band 6 Years; Band Officer 1 Year; Class Officer 1 Year; Debate 2 Years; Usher for Senior Activities; Spanish Club 2 Years; Senior Class Favorite; Swing Band 3 Years; YAC; Annual Staff 2 Years; Speech; Queen's Court Entertainment 1 Year.

RENA JO DUPREE

Cheerleader 3 Years; FHA 3 Years; Maroon Jackets 2 Years; Class Officer 2 Years; Spanish Club 2 Years; Annual Staff 1 Year; Junior Play; Senior Class Favorite; Basketball Pep Squad 3 Years; Usher for Queen's Court 2 Years; Usher for Senior Activities.

WAYLON ENDSLEY

FFA 3 Years; FFA Officer 1 Year; Concession Stand 1 Year.





WYNELL ENDSLEY

FHA 4 Years; Maroon Jackets 3 Years; Library Club 4 Years; Library Club Officer 1 Year; Physical Education 2 Years; Speech.



J. L. FITTS

Football 3 Years; Football Captain; Baseball 2 Years; Track 2 Years; Senior Class Favorite; Queen's Court 1 Year; Usher for Coronation; Annual Staff 1 Year.



JOHNNIE DEENE GILMORE

Transfer from Magnolia High School; Maroon Jackets 2 Years; FHA 3 Years; Physical Education 3 Years.

MOZELLE GORMAN

Maroon Jackets 2 Years; FHA 3 Years; Library Club 2 Years; Library Club Officer 1 Year; Choral 1 Year; Speech; Physical Education 3 Years; Spanish Club 1 Year.

NANCIE GROGAN

Band 5 Years; Majorette 3 Years; Honey Bunnies 3 Years; Assistant Drum Major 1 Year; Spanish Club 1 Year; FHA 2 Years; Basketball Pep Squad 1 Year; Queen's Court 3 Years; Swing Band Vocalist 3 Years.

CHARLES HALE

Transfer from Barnwell, S. C.; Football 1 Year; Basketball 2 Years; Baseball 1 Year; Track 2 Years; Speech.







LARRY HALE

Football 1 Year; Football Manager 2 Years; Track 1 Year; Basketball 2 Years; FFA 3 Years; FFA String Band 1 Year.



RANDY HARDY

Football 3 Years; Track 3 Years; Queen's Court 3 Years; Usher for Senior Activities; Band 1 Year; Basketball 1 Year; Baseball 1 Year; State One-Act Play; Representative to Boys' State.



JIMMY HAW

Band 6 Years; Band Officer 1 Year; Swing Band 3 Years; Orchestra 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; Court Herald 1 Year; Kicker Club 2 Years.

THELMA HENRY

Band 3 Years; Maroon Jackets 3 Years; FHA 3 Years; Physical Education 1 Year.

JOHNNY HOWE

Band 5 Years; Spanish Club Officer 2 Years; Orchestra 2 Years; Swing Band 3 Years; Band Officer 2 Years; Debate 2 Years; Junior Play; Octet 1 Year; Class President 2 Years.

WAYNE HOWELL

FFA 3 Years; Concession Stand 1 Year.







**JAMES LEWIS HUNT**

FFA 4 Years; FFA Officer 3 Years; FFA Delegate to State Convention; Basketball 1 Year; Concession Stand 1 Year; Physical Education 2 Years.



**GEORGE JACKSON**

Football 3 Years; Basketball 3 Years; Baseball 4 Years; Track 4 Years; Queen's Court 4 Years; Class Officer 3 Years; Class Favorite 2 Years; Football Captain; Maroon Staff 1 Year; All-District Football Team; Junior Play; Usher for Senior Activities; Tennis.



**EUGENE JACKSON**

Transfer from Austin High School, Houston, Texas.

**MARY NELL JOHNSON**

Band 5 Years; Band Treasurer 1 Year; Clarinet Quartet 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; Choral 1 Year; Honey Bunnies 2 Years; FHA 2 Years.

**WAYNE JOHNSON**

Band 5 Years; Swing Band 2 Years; Orchestra 1 Year; Band Officer 3 Years; Spanish Club 1 Year; Class Favorite 1 Year; Class Officer 2 Years; Basketball 2 Years; State One-Act Play; Declamation 1 Year; Junior Play; Youth Act for Christ; Debate.

**EDWARD JONES**

Football 1 Year; Track 1 Year; FFA 3 Years; Basketball 1 Year; Speech.





JOHN ALLEN JONES

Football 1 Year; Football Manager 1 Year; Basketball 3 Years; Baseball 1 Year; Speech; Track 4 Years; One-Act Play; Debate.



PATSY KIRKLAND

Band 5 Years; Majorette 2 Years; Head Majorette 1 Year; Junior Play; Class Favorite 2 Years; Class Officer 2 Years; Queen's Court 3 Years; Klicker Club 2 Years; Honey Bunnies 3 Years; Usher for Senior Activities; FHA 4 Years; Spanish Club 1 Year; Junior High Sweetheart.



PEGGY LADEN

Band 4 Years; Speech 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; Honey Bunnies 2 Years.

BOBBY LEE

Band 4 Years; Band Officer 2 Years; Swing Band 1 Year; Orchestra 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; Speech 1 Year Spanish Club Officer 1 Year.

DWAYNE LEMMON

Football 2 Years; Track 1 Year; Baseball 2 Years.

DAVID LESTER

FFA 2 Years; Basketball 1 Year; Concession Stand 1 Year.







MARGARET LIVERMAN

Football Sweetheart; Band 1 Year; Maroon Jackets 2 Years; FHA 2 Years; Junior Play; Queen's Court 1 Year; Usher for Queen's Court 2 Years; Usher for Senior Activities.



ANN LIVINGSTON

Maroon Jackets 3 Years; Physical Education 2 Years; Klicker Club 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; Choral 1 Year; Library Club 3 Years; Library Club Officer 2 Years; Maroon Jackets Officer 1 Year; YAC 1 Year.



DONALD LOPER

Football 4 Years; Track 3 Years; Declamation 1 Year; Debate 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; Speech 1 Year; FHA Beau.

ANNE LUMMUS

Maroon Jackets 3 Years; FHA 4 Years; Librarian 2 Years; Choral 2 Years; Library Club Officer 1 Year; Usher for Senior Activities; Speech 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; District VI FHA Officer; District TALA Officer 1 Year.

ROBERT MAYNOR

Band 6 Years; Band Officer 2 Years; Swing Band 3 Years; Debate 1 Year; Orchestra 3 Years; One-Act Play; Junior Play; Court Jester 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; Spanish Club Officer 1 Year; Klicker Club 1 Year; Baseball 1 Year; Usher for Senior Activities.

SARAH MOONEYHAM

Band 4 Years; Spanish Club 2 Years; Basketball Pep Squad; Choral 1 Year; FHA 1 Year.





**RICHARD McCASLAND**

Football 3 Years; Track 3 Years; Basketball 3 Years; Tennis 2 Years; Class Officer 2 Years; Class Favorite 2 Years; All-District Team 2 Years; Annual Staff 1 Year; Speech 1 Year; Baseball 1 Year; Queen's Court 3 Years.



**JOANA McDANIEL**

Transfer from El Dorado, Kansas; FHA; Maroon Jackets; Basketball Pep Squad.



**HUGH McWILLIAMS**

Football 4 Years; Track 3 Years; Baseball 1 Year; Usher for Queen's Court 2 Years; Basketball 3 Years; Tennis 1 Year; Court Jester 1 Year; Speech.

**GWEN NICHOLS**

Band 6 Years; Class Officer 2 Years; Class Favorite 2 Years; FHA 4 Years; Queen's Court 4 Years; FHA Officer 2 Years; Spanish Club 2 Years; Spanish Club Officer 1 Year; Choral 1 Year; Klicker Club 2 Years; Speech; Honey Bunnies 2 Years; Girls' Octet.

**FRANCES O'KELLEY**

Maroon Jackets 5 Years; FHA 1 Year; Library Club 1 Year; Cafeteria 1 Year; Physical Education 2 Years.

**MYRTLE LOU PHARR**

Maroon Jackets 3 Years; FHA 3 Years; FHA Officer 2 Years; Most Loyal Maroon Jacket; Queen's Court 1 Year; Usher for Queen's Court 1 Year; Klicker Club 1 Year; Usher Senior Activities; Library Club 2 Years; One-Act Play; Librarian.







DORIS ANN PIERCE

Maroon Jackets 2 Years; FHA 3 Years; Physical Education 1 Year.



TREACA POWELL

Band 6 Years; Band Sweetheart 1 Year; Swing Band 3 Years; Junior Play; FHA Officer 1 Year; FHA 4 Years; Speech 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; All-Regional Band; Pianist for Senior Activities; Band Librarian.



EDWIN PRATOR

Football 1 Year; Baseball 1 Year; Track 1 Year; Speech; Shop.

MARY ANN RAGSDALE

Choral 2 Years; Choral Club Officer 2 Years; Queen's Court 1 Year; FHA 3 Years; Maroon Jackets 3 Years; Physical Education 2 Years; Speech; Basketball Pep Squad 3 Years; Basketball Cheerleader 2 Years.

MIKE RICHEY

Band 2 Years; Swing Band 3 Years; FFA 2 Years; FFA String Band 4 Years; FFA Officer 1 Year; Football 1 Year; Track 1 Year; Basketball 2 Years; Queen's Court 1 Year; Junior Play.

SALLIE ROACH

Band 4 Years; Maroon Jackets 1 Year; Klicker Club 2 Years; Spanish Club 2 Years; FHA 3 Years; Usher for Queen's Court 3 Years; Usher for Senior Activities.





PATTI ROGERS

Band 6 Years; Junior Play; Band Librarian 3 Years; Debate 2 Years; Class Officer 1 Year; Usher in Queen's Court 2 Years; Usher for Senior Activities; Klicker Club 2 Years; Swing Band 3 Years; Spanish Club 2 Years; Tennis 1 Year; Sax Quartet 3 Years.



HAROLD SANDERS

FFA 3 Years; Concession Stand 1 Year; Maroon Jackets 1 Year.



NORMA SHERMAN

Choral Club 2 Years; Choral Club Officer 1 Year; Maroon Jackets 3 Years; Speech; FHA 3 Years; Physical Education 1 Year.

ARTHUR SOUTHERLAND

Transfer from Rankin High School; Band 1 Year; Octet 1 Year; Speech.

SAM SPEARMAN

Football 1 Year; Band 5 Years; Basketball 1 Year; Usher for Senior Activities; Queen's Court 1 Year; Spanish Club 2 Years; Band Officer 2 Years; Swing Band 2 Years; Orchestra 1 Year.

SHELBY JEAN STALCUP

FHA 2 Years; Spanish Club 1 Year; Cafeteria 2 Years; Choral Club 1 Year; Maroon Jackets 3 Years; Physical Education.







HUGH STEGER

Football 4 Years; Track 4 Years; Basketball 3 Years; FFA 3 Years.



SHARON SWINT

Maroon Jackets 4 Years; FHA 2 Years; Maroon Jacket Officer 1 Year; Speech; Choral 1 Year; Library Club 2 Years; Library Club Officer 1 Year; District Typing Meet.



LAVELLE TABLER

Band 6 Years; FHA 3 Years; Honey Bunnies 3 Years; Spanish Club 1 Year; Speech; Basketball Pep Squad 2 Years.

LAURA THOMAS

Library Club 2 Years; FHA 2 Years; Maroon Jackets 4 Years; Library Club Officer 1 Year; Physical Education 3 Years.

RAY TURK

Transfer from Vivian High School, Vivian, Louisiana; Band 3 Years.

BETTY WATKINS

Maroon Jackets 4 Years; Library Club 1 Year; Physical Education 1 Year; Cafeteria 3 Years; FHA 3 Years.





BARBARA WILEY

Class Officer 1 Year; Physical Education 1 Year; Maroon Jackets 4 Years; FHA 2 Years; Library Club 1 Year; FHA Officer 1 Year.



JOHNNIE RUTH ZILKS

Cheerleader 2 Years; Spanish Club 2 Years; Maroon Staff 2 Years; Senior Class Favorite; Usher for Queen's Court; FHA 3 Years; Usher for Senior Activities; Maroon Jacket Officer 2 Years; Basketball Cheerleader 3 Years.

CLASS FLOWER

Yellow Rose

CLASS COLORS

Yellow and White

CLASS MOTTO

To think clearly, love sincerely, act purely  
and to trust in God and Heaven securely.

FOUR THINGS

Four things a man must learn to do  
If he would make his record true:  
To think without confusion clearly;  
To love his fellow-men sincerely;  
To act from honest motives purely;  
To trust in God and Heaven securely.

Henry van Dyke





*Seniors*





*Junior Class Officers*

President - - - - - ALMOS BOLT  
Vice President - - - - - PAUL BAKER  
Secretary - - - - - MARY MAXWELL  
Treasurer - - - - - CAROLE McCAIN  
Reporter - - - - - SHIRLEY LEE



FREDA ALLEN  
 PETE ALLEN  
 JAMES PAUL BAKER  
 ALMOS BOLT  
 FRED BREWER



BARBARA BURTON  
 BETTY LOU BURTON  
 MABLE JEAN BYRUM  
 JOE CALLICOATTE  
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 LESTER FARRIS  
 MARY FITTS



SARA LEE FLINT  
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 MARTHA ANN HANCOCK  
 FLO HARDEN  
 MARTHA RUTH HAYNES



DONALD HOWE  
 SALLY BETH KIMMONS  
 JAMES KNOX  
 MARTHA LAWRENCE  
 SHIRLEY LEE







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MARY GALE MAXWELL  
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JUDY LU McCLUNG



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JOHN NOEL PATTERSON



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JOAN PITTS  
JAMES POWELL  
JERRY POWELL  
ANITA RAMSEY



ETTA RAMSEY  
DORIS RICHARDSON  
RICHARD RICKETTS  
DOYLE ROGERS  
SALLY SCOTT



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KAY SHEPPARD  
BARBARA SMITH  
BARBARA SQUYRES  
GEORGE TOLLESON



GEORGE TORRANS  
JANE ANN WALLER  
GEORGE WALL  
MINNIE JO WALL  
JOY WESTMORELAND



AVIS WILLIAMS  
BETTY JO WILLIAMS  
MATTIE RUTH WILSON  
SYLVIA WILSON  
PATRICIA ZYLKS





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### *Sophomore Class Officers*

- President - - - - - Dan Nichols  
Vice President - - - - - Jimmy Garrett  
Secretary - - - - - Gretchen Oden  
Treasurer - - - - - Jerry Swinney  
Reporter - - - - - Joann Dupree



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 Carol Armstrong  
 Mary Ann Baker  
 Bobby Avery  
 Gene Bearden



Gary Bickham  
 Jo Linda Blakey  
 Ted Brabham  
 Elouise Camp  
 Freddy Carroll



James Earl Cates  
 Roy Chapman  
 Robin Chesser  
 Jimmy Clayton  
 Linda Collom



Becky Coney  
 Tommy Cowgill  
 Sandra Curlee  
 Deanna Dalrymple  
 George Dickinson



William Dotson  
 David Draper  
 Charles Dunlap  
 Joann Dupree  
 Dorothy Durmon



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 Neil Ferguson  
 Pollyanna Florence  
 Winnie Forbes  
 Charlotte Fore



Bonnie Frazier  
 Charlette Gage  
 Jimmy Garrett  
 Janet Gholson  
 Marjorie Gilbert







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Barbara Gleason  
Maxine Goynes  
Jesse Bill Griffin  
Dickie Grogan



Lyssa Jean Grogan  
Ernest Grumbles  
Floyd Hampton  
Cecille Harper  
Lanny Hawkins



Johnny Hogan  
Lena Horne  
Nola Mae Ing  
Bobby Jones  
Betty Jo Kirkland



W. D. Lance  
Gail Law  
Linda Little  
Willie Love  
Paul Lyle



Nancy McCall  
Joyce McLain  
Joe Tom McClung  
Jeff McCombs  
Ronnie McKenzie



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Sandra Mooneyham  
Dickie Moore  
Mary Lee Morris  
Sadie Musgrove



Calvin Newkirk  
Dan Nichols  
Gretchen Oden  
Pat Owens  
Gail Patterson



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 Charles Pruitt  
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 Tommie Jane Redman



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 Henry Watson  
 Alice Williams



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 Vernon Wommack  
 Beckie Wood  
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### *Freshman Class Officers*

President - - - - - Kenneth Torrans

Vice President - - - - - James Knowles

Secretary - - - - - Ann Jackson

Treasurer - - - - - Lou Ann Jordan

Reporter - - - - - Judy Sartor



Wayne Adcock  
Virginia Alexender  
Jerry Avery  
Bonnie Jo Baker  
Janice Beene



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Goldman Blizzard  
Ruth Blizzard  
Nancy Bolt



Kathleen Brooks  
Louise Brown  
Jeri Ann Burleson  
Gloria Burson  
Linda Kay Martin



Glendora Cannon  
Charles Cauley  
Larry Chamblee  
Sue Gilmore Clayton  
Sue Cobb



Gloria Cross  
Danny Dawson  
Joy Lynn Davis  
Patty Decker  
Beverly Dell



Nicky Dellinger  
Robert Dotson  
Don Early  
Kenneth Echols  
Almeta Endsley



Velma Farris  
Benny Garrett  
Donald Gibson  
Betty Golden  
Dennis Gunn



Velma Maxine Hale  
Tressie Hall  
Jan Hanner  
Robert Hawthorne  
Johnie Ruth Hill



Urba Hill  
Alfred Horne  
Glenn Hughes  
Robert Ing  
Ann Jackson



Joe Jones  
Clara Jett  
Lou Ann Jordan  
Freddy Kimmons  
Carolyn Kennamer



James Knowles  
John Knox  
Mary Laney  
Orville Laney  
Sarah Johnson



Carolyn Lee  
Calvin Lynn  
Harry Maris  
Jimmy Maxwell  
Dean McDuff



Patsy McGough  
Carolyn McWilliams  
Linda Jo McWilliams  
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Nancy Nelson



Suzanne Newkirk  
Janice Parker  
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Judy Sartor



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Elementary



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MR. LLOYD GUNN



*Eighth Grade*



MR. WAYNE NORRIS



*Seventh Grade*



MRS. MARY MOONEYHAM







Seventh Grade



MR. JACK HAMNETT



Sixth Grade



MRS. BURTON MOORE



Sixth Grade



MRS. MARIE ODEN



*Fifth Grade*



MRS. KATYE CARROLL



*Fifth Grade*



MRS. FRED SELF



*Fourth Grade*



MRS. HOUSTON GARRISON

*Miss Garrison*







*Fourth Grade*



MISS MATTIE McCONNELL



*Third Grade*



MRS. RHEVA NORRIS



*Third Grade*



MRS. TILMAN McGEE



*Third Grade*



MISS ONEITA SCOTT



*Second Grade*



MISS BEULAH KIRKLAND



*Second Grade*



MRS. LANELLE PRITCHARD







*Second Grade*



MRS. ROYCE TEAGUE



*First Grade*



MRS. GLADYS GLASS



*First Grade*



MISS LENORA MORRIS



*First Grade*



MISS ANNIE LOU SHINE



*Cafeteria Staff*

MRS. IRENE DOTSON - MRS. WELDON YATES - MRS. ELSIE MONDAY





Favorites





*I love you!  
Jane*

*Most Popular Seniors*

JANE COOK - GEORGE JACKSON



*Best All-Around Seniors*

FREDDIE CAMERON - RENA JO DUPREE





*Prettiest and Most Handsome*

PATSY KIRKLAND - J. L. FITTS



*It's a cute bright  
girl with a  
smile! — How,  
Gwen*

*Seniors Most Likely to Succeed*

GWEN NICHOLS - CALVIN DICKINSON





*Most Athletic Seniors*

JOHNNIE RUTH ZILKS - RICHARD McCASLAND



*Most Popular Juniors*

CAROLE McCAIN - ALMOS BOLT





*Most Popular Sophomores*

GWYN PRUITT - SHERMAN PHARR



Lots of luck  
to a real swell  
guy!  
I love you,  
Randy

*Most Popular Freshmen*

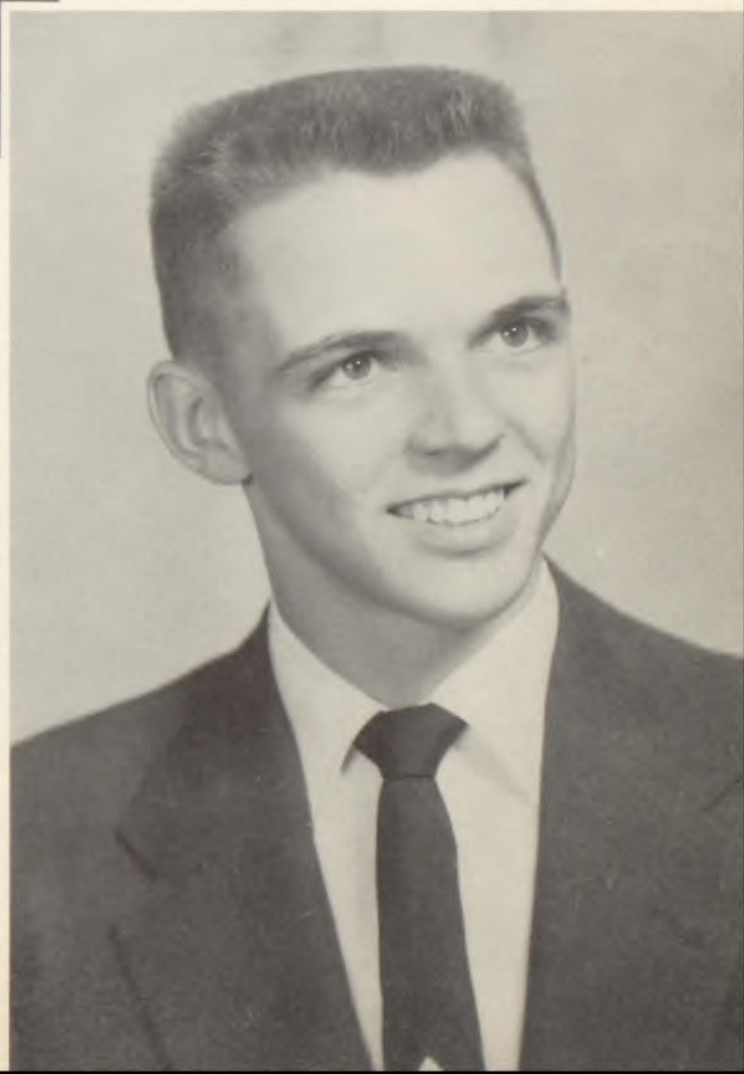
JUDY SARTOR - KENNETH SHELBY





*F.F.A. Sweetheart*

LINDA LITTLE



*F.H.A. Beau*

DON LOPER



### *Football Sweetheart*

The Rabbits of '55 chose as their Football Sweetheart, MISS

MARGARET LIVERMAN, lovely and popular senior. Margaret was

chosen from the entire student body for this high honor.





# Athletics





*Coaches*

RICHARD JOHNSON- - - - - Head Coach Football, Track  
B. B. LAWSON- - - - - Head Basketball, Baseball, Assistant Football Coach  
CAVER JOHNSON- - - - - Junior High Coach, Assistant Coach Track

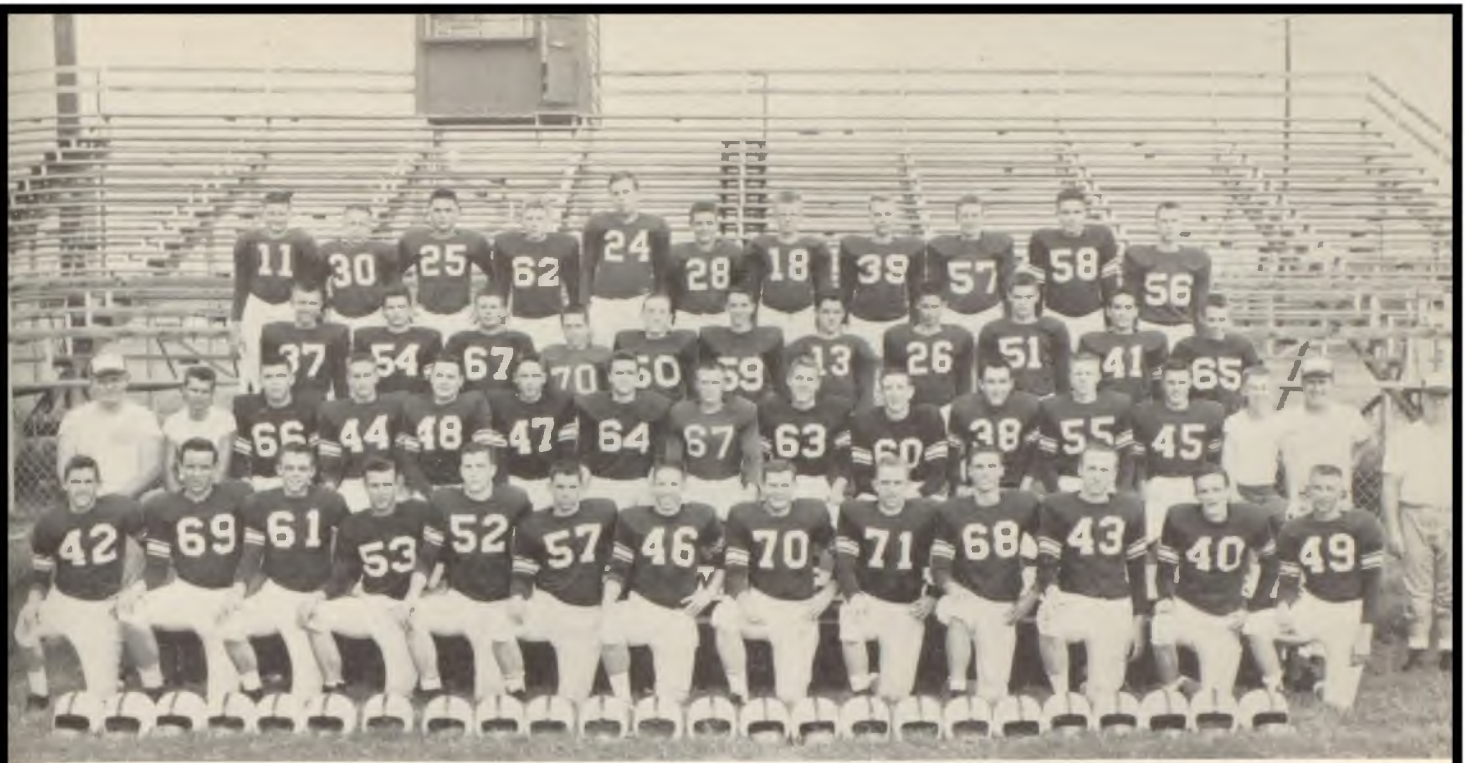


*Team Captains*

GEORGE JACKSON

J. L. FITTS





*Atlanta Rabbits*



*All-District*

- GEORGE JACKSON- - - - - First Team
- J. L. FITTS- - - - - First Team
- RICHARD McCASLAND- - - - - Second Team
- HUGH McWILLIAMS- - - - - Second Team
- LANNY HAWKINS- - - - - Honorable Mention



GEORGE JACKSON  
Senior - Back  
3 Year Letterman

HOWARD CARNEY  
Senior - Back  
1 Year Letterman

STEVIE ODEN  
Junior - Back  
2 Year Letterman

LANNY HAWKINS  
Sophomore - Back  
1 Year Letterman

ATLANTA 7 - MT. VERNON 13

The Atlanta Rabbits opened the 1955 season by dropping a close game to the strong Mt. Vernon Tigers. The Rabbits took the opening kick-off and marched 70 yards with George Jackson going over from the three yard line for the only Rabbit score. Lanny Hawkins passed to Jackson for the extra point. The Rabbits held the seven point lead until the fourth quarter when Mt. Vernon scored twice to jolt the impressive Rabbits.

Game Captains: J. L. Fitts and Richard McCasland

ATLANTA 7 - ARKANSAS HIGH 46

The Rabbits dropped their second start of the season to a speedy and determined team from Texarkana. J. L. Fitts scored on a jump pass from Lanny Hawkins. Richard McCasland ran the extra point over. Texarkana struck hard and fast to score four touchdowns in six minutes to stun the Rabbits and to lead 26 to 7 at the half. Arkansas added three more touchdowns in the last half to make the final score 46 to 7.

Game Captains: Hugh McWilliams and Sherman Pharr

JERRY SWINNEY  
Sophomore - Back  
1 Year Letterman

JOE TOM McCLUNG  
Sophomore - Back  
1 Year Letterman

DAN NICHOLS  
Sophomore - Back  
1 Year Letterman

JOHNNY SHARRER  
Sophomore - Back  
1 Year Letterman







SAMMY BICKHAM  
Senior - Back  
Reserve

BUDDY CANNON  
Junior - Back  
Reserve

PAUL BAKER  
Junior - Back  
Reserve

J. L. FITTS  
Senior - End  
3 Year Letterman

ATLANTA 13 - MT. PLEASANT 0

Team work, hard tackling, and hard blocking were the features of the Rabbits' first victory of the '55 season. The Rabbits scored early in the first quarter with Lanny Hawkins bulling his way over from the two. Hawkins kicked the extra point to make the score 7 to 0. Midway in the second quarter Hawkins ran a Mt. Pleasant punt back 40 yards to the two yard line. He went over on the next play to make the score 13 to 0. The second half was scoreless, but featured a strong Rabbit line.

Game Captains: Hugh McWilliams and Richard McCasland

ATLANTA 6 - NEW BOSTON 7

The Rabbits dropped their first district game to a determined crew from New Boston 7 to 6. The Rabbits outplayed the Lions but failed to cash in on several scoring opportunities. The Rabbits' score came with Lanny Hawkins going over from the twelve after a 45 yard scamper by Jackson. The Rabbits held the Lions to one first down the last half, but failed to score for themselves.

Game Captains: George Jackson and Jerry Burson

EDWARD JONES  
Senior - End  
1 Year Letterman

ALMOS BOLT  
Junior - End  
1 Year Letterman

ERNEST GRUMBLES  
Sophomore - End  
1 Year Letterman

JOHN PATTERSON  
Junior - End  
Reserve





JOHNNY HOGAN  
Sophomore - End  
Reserve

KEN ALEXANDER  
Sophomore - End  
Reserve

RICHARD McCASLAND  
Senior - Tackle  
2 Year Letterman

JERRY BURSON  
Senior - Tackle  
2 Year Letterman

ATLANTA 46 - HOOKS 0

Using all the fundamentals of football, the Rabbits crushed the Hooks Hornets 46 to 0. The Rabbits playing one of their best games of the season allowed Hooks only four first downs. George Jackson scored four touchdowns and three extra points. Stevie Oden added another score and extra point. Hawkins scored on a 2 yard plunge and Ernest Grumbles scored on an intercepted pass. Hale, McCasland, McWilliams, Burson, Jackson, and Fitts led the defense.

Game Captains: Richard McCasland and Jerry Burson

ATLANTA 13 - DAINGERFIELD 14

The Rabbits could not get their offense clicking in the first half and failed to muster enough points in the last half to stop the determined Tigers. Daingerfield scored first and led at the half 7 to 0. George Jackson scored for the Rabbits on a 10 yard jaunt and ran the extra point. Daingerfield scored again and took the lead but Atlanta countered with Jackson going over from the 7 yard line. The try for the extra point failed and the Tigers won 14 to 13.

Game Captains: J. L. Fitts and Stevie Oden

JIMMY GARRETT  
Sophomore - Tackle  
1 Year Letterman

DAVID FROST  
Junior - Tackle  
Reserve

DON LOPER  
Senior - Tackle  
Reserve

HUGH McWILLIAMS  
Senior - Guard  
2 Year Letterman







**JAMES POWELL**  
Junior - Guard  
1 Year Letterman

**PETE ALLEN**  
Junior - Guard  
1 Year Letterman

**SHERMAN PHARR**  
Sophomore - Guard  
1 Year Letterman

**MIKE SCOTT**  
Sophomore - Guard  
Reserve

**ATLANTA 22 - JEFFERSON 8**

The Rabbits looked more impressive than the score indicated, as they played every man on the squad. Jackson opened the scoring with a 4 yard plunge in the first quarter. The try for the extra point was wide. Stevie Oden went over from the 8 yard line and Jackson split the up-rights to make the score 13 to 0 at the half. Jackson scored again on an 8 yard dash. J. L. Fitts tackled a Jefferson player in their end zone for a safety. Outstanding on defense were Fitts, McCasland, Jackson, Hale, and Burson.

Game Captains: George Jackson and Stevie Oden

**ATLANTA 19 - LINDEN 6**

Coach "Bull" Johnson's fighting Rabbits not only rocked but rolled over the district leading Tigers 19 to 6. Hawkins scored from the one for the first score. Later in the first half Hawkins skirted left end for 9 yards and another score. Jackson scored the last touchdown to put the game on ice for the Rabbits. McCasland's punts and fine defensive play along with Fitts, Jackson, and McWilliams kept the Tigers in the hole most of the night.

Game Captains: Richard McCasland and Hugh McWilliams

**BOBBY JONES**  
Sophomore - Guard  
Reserve

**TED BRABHAM**  
Sophomore - Guard  
Reserve

**JESSE GRIFFIN**  
Sophomore - Guard  
Reserve

**CHARLES YATES**  
Sophomore - Guard  
Reserve





SAM SPEARMAN  
Senior - Guard  
Reserve



JOE CALLICOATTE  
Junior - Guard  
Reserve



GEORGE TORRANS  
Junior - Guard  
Reserve



HUGH STEGER  
Senior - Center  
1 Year Letterman

#### ATLANTA 14 - DEKALB 25

The Rabbits were bounced by the district leading DeKalb Bears 25 to 14. The Rabbits took the opening kick-off and marched 78 yards with Jackson going over from the 6 yard line. DeKalb cashed in on costly errors to lead 12 to 7 at the half. Lanny Hawkins tossed a 30 yard pass to Jackson in the end zone for another score. The Bears tallied twice more to stop the Rabbit rally. Outstanding on defense were Fitts, Jackson, McCasland, and Carney.

Game Captains: Jerry Burson and Stevie Oden

#### ATLANTA 30 - CLARKSVILLE 26

The stubborn Rabbits made a brilliant comeback by scoring four touchdowns in 10 minutes to win their last game of the season. An error in downs gave the game to Clarksville, but it was corrected after the game. Scoring for Atlanta was done on a run by Jackson, a pass from Hawkins to Fitts which covered 40 yards, a pass from Hawkins to McCasland, a 2 yard run by Jackson, and a 6 yard run by Oden. Burson and Fitts were outstanding on defense.

Game Captains: Burson, Fitts, McWilliams, McCasland, and Jackson

CHARLES HALE  
Senior - Center  
1 Year Letterman

DOYLE ROGERS  
Junior - Center  
1 Year Letterman

BYRON VAUGHN  
Sophomore - Center  
1 Year Letterman

PAUL LYLE  
Sophomore - Center  
Reserve







EDWIN PRATOR  
Senior - Guard  
Reserve



WILLIE LOVE  
Sophomore - Guard  
Reserve



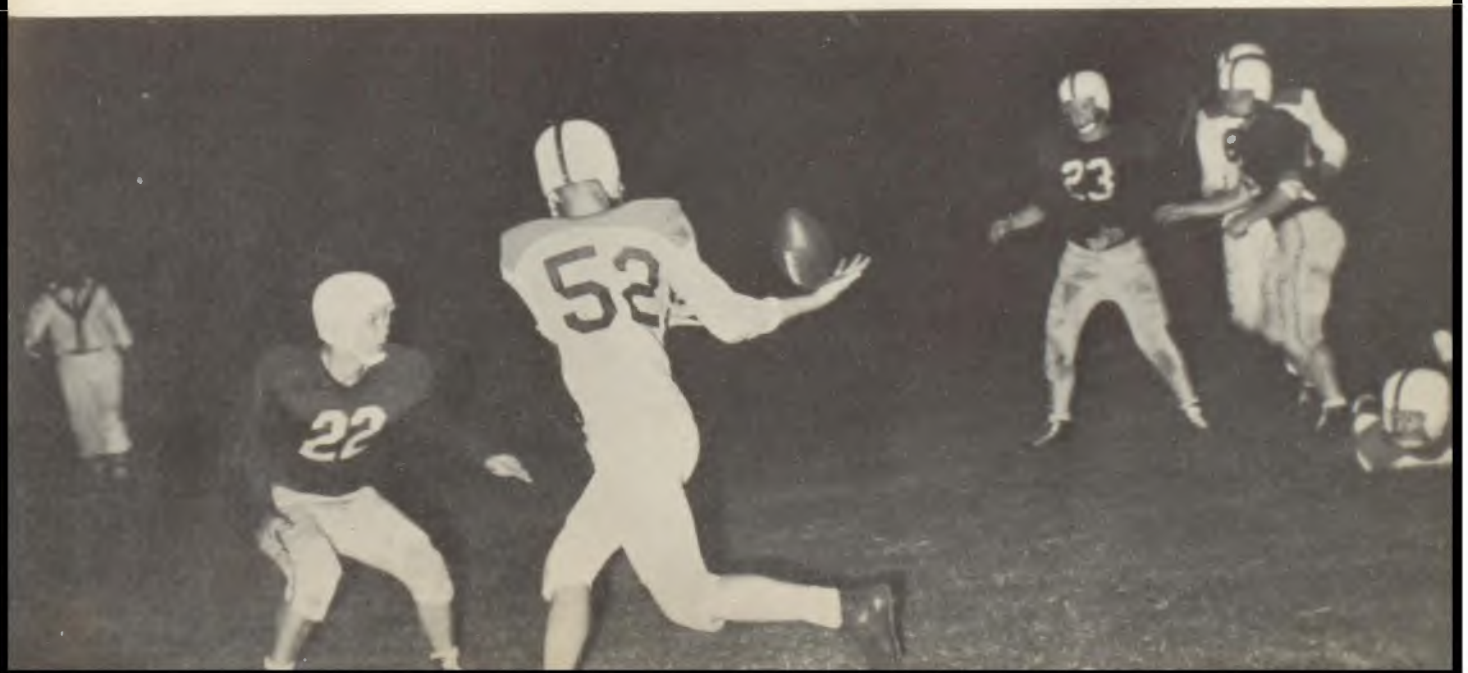
DICK MOORE  
Sophomore - Guard  
Reserve



MASCOT  
Dennis Joe Stanley



MANAGERS  
Hugh Taylor, Larry Hale





*High School "A" Team*



*High School "B" Team*





GEORGE JACKSON - Senior  
Guard - 5'7"



CHARLES HALE - Senior  
Center - 6'3"



STEVIE ODEN - Junior  
Guard - 5'10"



GENE CARLISLE - Junior  
Forward - 5'11"



BUDDY J. CANNON - Junior  
Guard - 5'7"



LANNY HAWKINS - Junior  
Guard - 6'



RICHARD McCASLAND - Senior  
Forward - 5'11"

1955-1956  
Basketball  
Scores

Atlanta	36	Paul Pewitt	39
Atlanta	58	Gladewater	50
Atlanta	47	Marshall	63
Atlanta	43	Gladewater	63
Atlanta	77	Queen City	55
Atlanta	40	Daingerfield	58
Atlanta	65	Clarksville	68
Atlanta	66	Hooks	65
Atlanta	38	Texarkana, Arkansas	90
Atlanta	64	Avinger	41
Atlanta	67	Hooks	59
Atlanta	49	James Bowie	61
Atlanta	59	New Boston	57
Atlanta	42	Linden	45
Atlanta	64	Mineola	55
Atlanta	38	London	53
Atlanta	49	Paul Pewitt	60
Atlanta	59	DeKalb	72
Atlanta	63	Jefferson	65
Atlanta	62	Daingerfield	63
Atlanta	68	Clarksville	50
Atlanta	71	Hooks	59
Atlanta	81	New Boston	75
Atlanta	88	Linden	73
Atlanta	75	DeKalb	73
Atlanta	63	Jefferson	82
Atlanta	61	Daingerfield	51
Atlanta	64	Mt. Vernon	82

Even though this year's team finished fourth place in the district, the team's average conference score was two points higher than their district opponents.





*Baseball Team*



*Track Team*



# Atlanta Junior High Rabbits



First row: David Wommack, William Glass, Robert Hicks, Kenny Jansen, Orville Peacock, Jackie Watkins, Joe Griffin, Jerry Jones, Johnny Sullivan, Mike Davis, Charles Nelson.

Second row: Larry Patterson, Manager; David Sims, John Hudspeth, John Pattillo, Nicki Dellinger, Robert Ing, Waylon Whittington, Charles Combs, Kenneth Shelby, Mike Nelson, W. L. Sherman, Ben Nichols.

Third row: Coach Caver Johnson, Benny Garrett, Larry Chamblee, Richard Powell, Dexter Powell, Jack Lummus, L. W. Boland, Kenneth Torrans, Freddie Kimmons, Donald Echols, Dennis Gunn, Coach Wayne Norris.

Fourth row: Wesley Blakey, Jobie Richards, Jackie Moseley, Jackie Miller, George Welch, Nolan Prator, George Waller, Leslie James, Ronnie Harrist, Hershall Goynes.

## RECORD

Atlanta - - - - -	2	Pittsburg - - - - -	0
Atlanta - - - - -	20	Pewitt - - - - -	7
Atlanta - - - - -	0	New Boston - - - - -	24
Atlanta - - - - -	7	Daingerfield - - - - -	14
Atlanta - - - - -	0	Hooks - - - - -	14
Atlanta - - - - -	0	Linden - - - - -	13
Atlanta - - - - -	13	Jefferson - - - - -	6
Atlanta - - - - -	20	Clarksville - - - - -	0
Atlanta - - - - -	7	DeKalb - - - - -	7



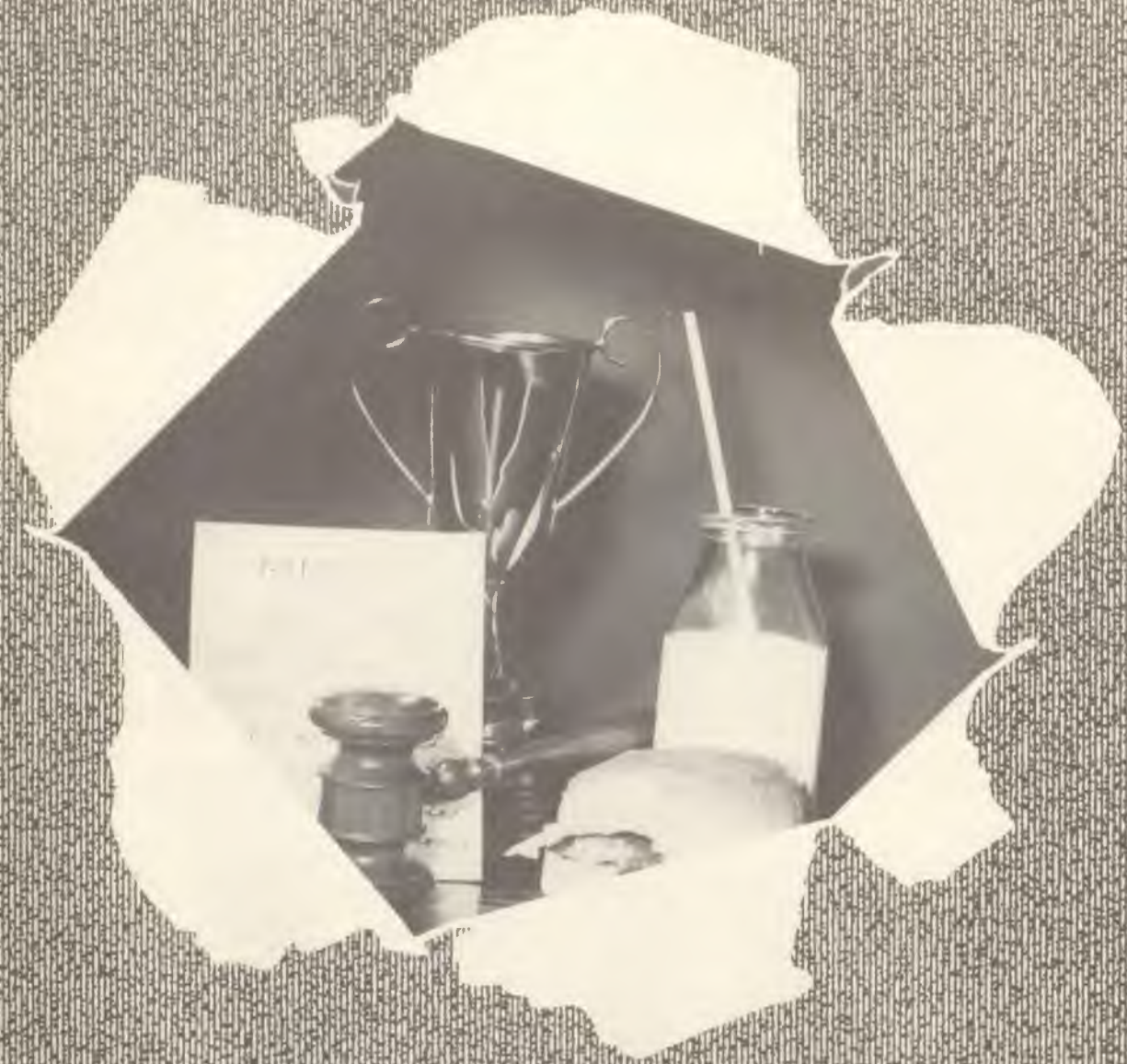


*Ninth Grade Basketball*



*Eighth Grade Basketball*





# Organization





## *Maroon Jackets*

### OFFICERS

President- - - - - Myrtle Lou Pharr  
 Vice President- - - - - Barbara Burton  
 Secretary- - - - - Gwyn Pruitt  
 Reporter- - - - - Sharon Swint  
 Activities- - - - - Ann Livingston  
 Mascot- - - - - Gloria Jean McCasland

### CHEERLEADERS

Rena Jo Dupree- - - - - Senior  
 Johnnie Zilks- - - - - Senior  
 Joann Dupree- - - - - Sophomore  
 Gretchen Oden- - - - - Sophomore  
 Ronnie Duke- - - - - Senior  
 Roger Claus- - - - - Senior

Sally Kemmons  
 Judy Meredith  
 Carole McCain  
 Janet Gholson  
 Lyssa Grogan  
 Cecelia Pilant  
 Mary Gale Maxwell  
 Shirley May  
 Ann Livingston  
 Martha Hancock  
 Barbara Wiley  
 Thelma Birdsong  
 Myrtle Pharr  
 Sallie Roach  
 Ann Blue  
 Barbara Burton  
 Mable Byrum  
 Frances O'Kelly  
 Judy Pritchard  
 Doris Ann Pierce  
 Thelma Henry  
 Betty Watkins  
 Jo Ann Dunlap

Jan Hanner  
 Tommie Jane Redman  
 Rebecca Watkins  
 Linda McWilliams  
 Edna Faye Blakey  
Marie Lou Ellis  
Gwyn Pruitt  
 Mary Ann Baker  
 Mary Lee Morriss  
 Karen Stewart  
 Betty Scott  
 Mozelle Gorman  
 Wynell Endsley  
 Laura Thomas  
 Sadie Musgrove  
 Charlette Gage  
 Patricia Zylks  
 Lynn Williams  
 Patsy McGough  
 Ruth Wilson  
 June Reese  
 Glenda Cannon  
 Ruth Blizzard

Beverly Dell  
 Maxine Hale  
 Sylvia Wilson  
 Ann Sanders  
 Erta Ramsey  
 Norma Sherman  
 Anita Ramsey  
 Betty Golden  
 Betty Lou Burton  
 Minnie Jo Wall  
 Cecille Harper  
 Velma Faye Farris  
 Elouise Camp  
 Sarah Johnson  
 Lynn Davis  
 Jerrie Burleson  
 Shirley Turner  
 Maxine Goynes  
 Clara Jean Jett  
 Elga Wommack  
 Betty Williams  
 Mildred Whittington  
 Sharon Swint

Bonnie Baker ✓  
 Kathleen Brooks  
 Doris Williams  
 Joan Pitts  
 Bonnie Frazier  
 Patsy Stalcup  
 Pollyanna Florence  
 Sue Clayton  
 Henri Jo Graham  
 Jo McDaniels  
 Becky Coney  
 Linda Little  
 Pat Owen  
 Meda Lou Richards  
 Joyce McClain  
 Nola Mae Ing  
 Anne Lummus  
 Barbara Gleason  
 Mary Ann Ragsdale  
 Linda Clayton  
 Jane Ann Waller  
 Nancy Bolt  
 Louise Brown

*Most Loyal  
Maroon Jacket  
1955-56*

MYRTLE LOU PHARR

In selecting the MOST LOYAL MEMBER of the MAROON JACKETS, the club unanimously chose MYRTLE LOU PHARR. Much has been added to the organization by "Mert's" vivaciousness and school loyalty. She is also president of the MAROON JACKETS.



*Cheerleaders*

ROGER CLAUS, GRETCHEN ODEN, RENA JO DUPREE,  
JOHNNIE ZILKS, JOANN DUPREE, RONNIE DUKE

Mascot

GLORIA JEAN McCASLAND





## Speech

### First Row

Wynell Endsley  
 Bill Ragsdale  
 Norma Sherman  
 Patsy Kirkland  
 Gwen Nichols  
 Mollie Bukhair  
 Peggy Laden  
 Linda Clayton

### Second Row

Flo Harden  
 Judy McClung  
 Patti Rogers  
 Jane Cook  
 Mozelle Gorman  
 Martha Haynes  
 Treaca Powell  
 Anne Lummus  
 Jane Ann Waller

### Third Row

Nancie Grogan  
 Lavelle Tabler  
 Freddie Cameron  
 Bob Lee  
 Larry Hale  
 Edward Jones  
 Hugh McWilliams  
 Edwin Prator  
 Martha Hancock  
 Sharon Swint

### Fourth Row

Calvin Dickinson  
 Charles Hale  
 John Jones  
 Julian Bentley  
 Donald Loper  
 Harold Sanders  
 J. L. Fitts  
 Arthur Southerland  
 Johnny Howe

### SPEECH ACTIVITIES

Debate

One-Act Plays

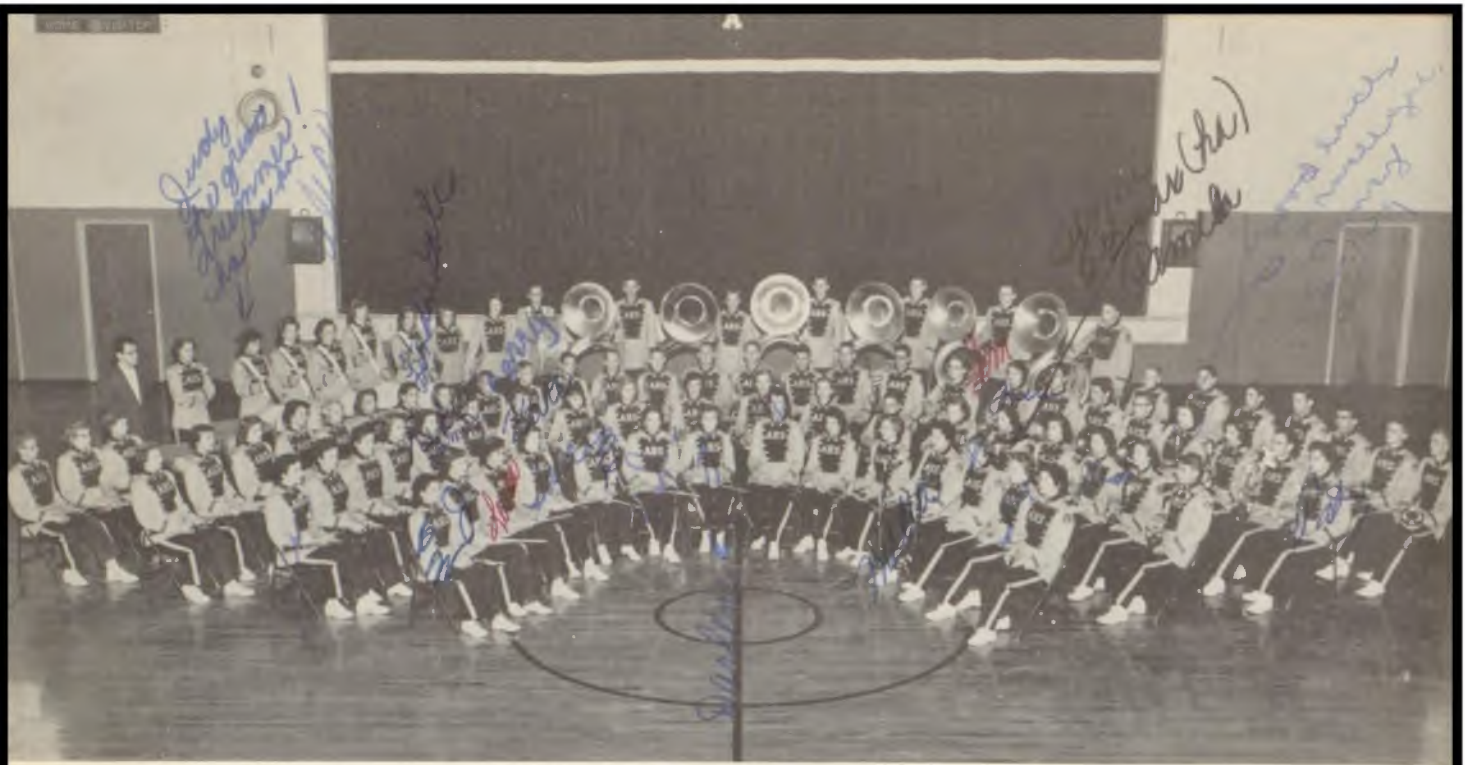
Declamation

After Dinner Speaking

Original Oration

Extemporaneous Speaking

Coach - MRS. GEORGIANA WISEMAN



## *Atlanta High School Concert Band*

**First row:**

Beckie Wood  
Jane Cook  
Linda Collom  
Sara Francis Sims  
Nancy Newkirk  
Robin Chessar  
Darlene McCasland  
Peggy Laden  
Joyce Coulter  
Linda Bowen  
Mollie Bukhair  
Lavelle Tabler  
Sue Cobb  
Jo Linda Blakey

**Second row:**

Gwen Nichols  
Mary Nell Johnson  
Nancy Grogan  
Kay Sheppard  
Nickie Bryant ★  
★ Billie Kay Cochran  
Kate Mears  
Ruth Lawrence  
Ann Jackson  
Susan Newkirk  
Judy McClung  
Sarah Mooneyham  
Donnie Brackman  
Carolyn McWilliams

**Pamela Stephens**

Janice Parker  
Dianne Stamps  
Flo Harden  
Freddie Cameron

**Third row:**

Sandra Mooneyham  
Martha Lawrence  
Deanna Dalrymple  
Sara Flint  
Sidney Slocombe  
Mary Ruth Roberts  
Linda O'Quinn  
Sonja Hall  
Jerry Burton  
Freddy Smith  
Chuck Pilant  
John Knox  
James Knowles  
Julian Bentley  
Arthur Southerland  
Calvin Newkirk  
Jimmy Haw  
Calvin Dickinson  
Linda Martin  
Treaca Powell  
Wayne Johnson  
Ray Turk  
Douglas Stamps  
Nancy Nelson

**Lou Ann Jordan**

Rob Maynor  
Patti Rogers

**Fourth row:**

Fred Brewer  
Betty Jo Kirkland  
Winnie Forbs  
Patsy Kirkland  
Judy Sartor  
Freda Tibbits  
Mary Jane Smith  
Sallie Scott  
Alice Williams  
Charlotte Gleason  
Barbara Squyres  
James Knox  
Neil Ferguson  
Bob Lee  
Mike Nelson  
Mike Eubanks  
Grady Blizzard  
George Walls  
Randy Dawson  
Winston Coulter  
Earnest Motley  
Mike Richey  
Kenneth Echols  
George Dickinson  
Johnny Howe



# Band Officers

Director



D. J. ROTONDO

*D. J. Rotondo*

Major



WAYNE JOHNSON

Captains



JOHNNY HOWE, ROBERT MAYNOR

*Rob*

Student Conductors



PATTI ROGERS, FREDDIE CAMERON

*Patti Rogers*  
*Freddie Cameron*

Lieutenants



BOB LEE, WINSTON COULTER  
JIMMY HAW, CALVIN DICKINSON

## *Majorettes*



Patsy Kirkland, Nancie Grogan, Billie Kay Cochran  
Judy McClung, Sara Flint, Kay Sheppard, Flo Harden.

## *Color Guard*



Flo Harden, Sue Cobb, Dianne Stamps





*I'm really going to miss leading our band - I love all of you so much!  
Jane*

## Drum Major

JANE COOK

Miss JANE COOK, popular and talented senior, has served on the Flag Row one year and the Majorette Row 2 years. To climax her senior year she was chosen Drum Major for 1955-1956. Besides being tops in the twirling field she is first flute player in the band and was selected to play in the All-Regional Band this year.

## Band Sweetheart

TREACA POWELL

The Atlanta Band chose as its 1955-1956 Sweetheart, Miss TREACA POWELL, a popular senior with six years of loyal band membership to her credit. Treaca plays first chair baritone saxophone and was selected to play in the All-Regional Band this year.



*This really makes me feel good! Thanks a lot!  
Treaca*

## Honey Bunnies



Alice Williams  
Sandra Mooneyham  
Sara Sims  
Sara Flint  
Deanna Dalrymple  
Lavelle Tabler  
Billie Kay Cochran

Lou Ann Jordan  
Sue Cobb  
Gwen Nichols  
Peggy Laden  
Linda Collom  
Judy McClung  
Barbara Squyres

Kay Sheppard  
Flo Harden  
Martha Lawrence  
Dianne Stamps  
Ann Jackson  
Mary Jane Smith  
Beckie Wood

## Officers



Major Jane Cook, Director Mrs. Helen Rotondo

Captains Nancie Grogan, Patsy Kirkland





### *Swing Band*

DIRECTOR: D. J. Rotondo; SAXOPHONES: Treaca Powell, Rob Maynor, Freddie Cameron, Dianne Stamps, Patti Rogers; TROMBONES: George Dickinson, Johnny Howe, Wayne Johnson, Kenneth Echols; TRUMPETS: Calvin Dickinson, Jimmy Haw, Julian Bentley, Calvin Newkirk, James Knowles; PIANO: Winston Coulter; GUITAR: Mike Richey; BASS: Neil Ferguson; DRUMS: Alice Williams.



### *Dance Orchestra*

LEADER and ALTO SAX: Freddie Cameron; TENOR SAX: Rob Maynor; TRUMPET: Jimmy Haw; TROMBONE: Johnny Howe; PIANO: Winston Coulter; GUITAR: Mike Richey; BASS: Neil Ferguson; DRUMS: Wayne Johnson.



Choral Club





### *Octet*

Ann Blue, Barbara Burton, Edna Faye Blakey, Linda McWilliams, Arthur Southerland,  
Mike Eubanks, Johnny Howe, Mike Nelson.



### *Girls' Trio*

Linda Jo McWilliams, Jan Hanner, Edna Faye Blakey

ACCOMPANIST  
Beverly Dell



## *Future Farmers of America*

James Powell- - - - - President  
 David Frost- - - - - Vice President  
 Paul Baker- - - - - Secretary  
 Roger Claus- - - - - Treasurer  
 Buddy Cannon- - - - - Reporter

Bobby Avery- - - - - Sentinel  
 Almos Bolt- - - - - Parliamentarian  
 Gary Bickham- - - - - Historian  
 James Hunt- - - - - Second Vice President  
 George Torrans- - - - - Third Vice President

Linda Kay Little- - - - - Sweetheart  
 Joann Dupree- - - - - Co-Sweetheart  
 Mr. Oren Young- - - - - Advisor

Wayne Adcock  
 Bobby Avery  
 Jerry Avery  
 James Paul Baker  
 Gary Bickham  
 Almos Bolt  
 Ted Brabham  
 Buddy Cannon  
 Freddie Carrol  
 James Cates  
 Charles Cauley  
 Larry Chambley  
 Roy Chapman  
 Tommy Cowgill  
 Roger Claus  
 Tommy Clayton

Danny Dawson  
 Nicky Dellinger  
 Billy Dotson  
 Bobby Dotson  
 David Draper  
 Charles Dunlap  
 Lester Ferris  
 David Frost  
 Jimmy Garrett  
 Robert Gilmore  
 Johnny Hogan  
 Glenn Hughes  
 James Hunt  
 Joe P. Jones  
 W. D. Lance  
 Harry Marris  
 Dicky Moore

Dean McDuff  
 James Powell  
 Jerry Powell  
 Richard Powell  
 Joe Richards  
 James Ricketts  
 Richard Ricketts  
 Larry Stalcup  
 George Tolleson  
 George Torrans  
 Kenneth Torrans  
 Harry Walls  
 George Walls  
 Henry Watson  
 Waylon Whittington  
 Charles Yates  
 Vernon Wommack





## Future Homemakers of America

Ann Blue - - - - - President  
Marie Lou Ellis - - - - - Vice President  
 Barbara Wiley - - - - - Secretary  
 Mary Ann Baker - - - - - Treasurer  
 Treaca Powell - - - - - Historian

Gwen Nichols - - - - - Song Leader  
 Myrtle Lou Pharr - - - - - Parliamentarian  
 Barbara Burton - - - - - Reporter  
 Miss Mary Wood - - - - - Advisor  
 Miss Doris Strauss - - - - - Advisor

Donald Loper - - - - - Beau

Donnè Jo Baker  
 Mary Ann Baker  
 Thelma Birdsong  
 Edna Faye Blakey  
 Jo Linda Blakey  
 Ann Blue  
 Nancy Bolt  
 Kathleen Brooks  
 Mollie Bukhair  
 Jerri Burleson  
 Mable Byram  
 Betty Jo Cates  
Robin Chessar  
 Sue Clayton  
 Sue Cobb  
 Jane Cook  
 Deanna Dalrymple  
 Jo McDaniel  
 Beverly Dell  
 Jo Ann Dunlap  
 Rena Jo Dupree  
Marie Lou Ellis  
 Almeta Endsley

Wynell Endsley  
 Fay Farris  
 Sara Lee Flint  
 Winnie Forbes  
 Pollyanna Florence  
 Mozelle Gorman  
 Maxine Goynes  
 Henri Jo Graham  
 Ida Faye Green  
 Maxine Hale  
 Jan Hanner  
 Cecille Harper  
 Martha Haynes  
 Ann Jackson  
 Sarah Johnson  
 Sally Kimmons  
 Betty Kirkland  
 Patsy Kirkland  
 Carolyn Jean Lee  
 Margaret Liverman  
 Anne Lummus  
 Patricia Luse  
 Shirley May

Gail Law  
 Mary Gail Maxwell  
 Judy Meredith  
 Sandra Mooneyham  
 Mary Lee Morris  
 Carole McCain  
 Patsy McGough  
 Carolyn McWilliams  
 Linda Jo McWilliams  
Nancy Nelson  
 Gwen Nichols  
 Janice Parker  
 Myrtle Lou Pharr  
 Treaca Powell  
 Judy Pritchard  
 Tommie Jane Redman  
 June Reece  
 Meda Lou Richards  
 Doris Richardson  
 Sally Roach  
Judy Sartor  
 Betty Scott  
 Kay Sheppard

Reva Sharrer  
Sara Sims  
 Jane Sirmans  
 Mary Jane Smith  
 Barbara Smith  
 Patsy Stalcup  
 Dianne Stamps  
 Pamela Stephens  
 Karen Stewart  
 Sharon Swint  
 Laura Thomas  
 Freda Tibbit  
 Shirley Turner  
 Minnie Jo Walls  
 Joy Westmoreland  
 Barbara Wiley  
 Avis Williams  
 Doris Sue Williams  
 Ruth Wilson  
 Elga Wommack  
 Barbara Burton  
 Glenda Cannon  
Linda Kay Martin





### Spanish I Clubs

Wayne Johnson	----- Presidents -----	George Dickinson
<u>Marie Lou Ellis</u>	----- Vice Presidents -----	Carrol Tomblin
Gwyn Pruitt	----- Secretaries -----	Gretchen Oden
Beckie Wood	----- Treasurers -----	Dan Nichols
Alice Williams	----- Reporters -----	Sue Clayton
Calvin Newkirk	----- Sergeants-at-Arms -----	Joe Tom McClung

Sponsor----- Mrs. F. Sharrer



### Spanish II Club

President-----	Stevie Oden	Secretary-----	Flo Harden
Vice President-----	Judy McClung	Treasurer-----	Kay Cochran
Reporter-----	Patricia Zylks	Sergeant-at-Arms-----	Norman Griffin

Sponsor----- Mrs. F. Sharrer





*Klicker Club*

President - - - - - Donald Howe



*Teen-Age Library Club*

President - - - - - Wynell Endsley	Reporter - - - - - Ann Livingston
Vice President - - - - - Sharon Swint	Historian - - - - - Mozelle Gorman
Secretary - - - - - Jane Ann Waller	Parliamentarian - - - - - Laura Thomas

Sponsor - MRS. JEAN PRATT

*Junior High Sweetheart*



LINDA JO McWILLIAMS



*Junior High Cheerleaders*

Sandra Blue, Lyn Youngs, Nicki Bryant  
Darlene McCasland, Kate Mears, Margaret Manning





# Activities



*Queen Judy McClung*







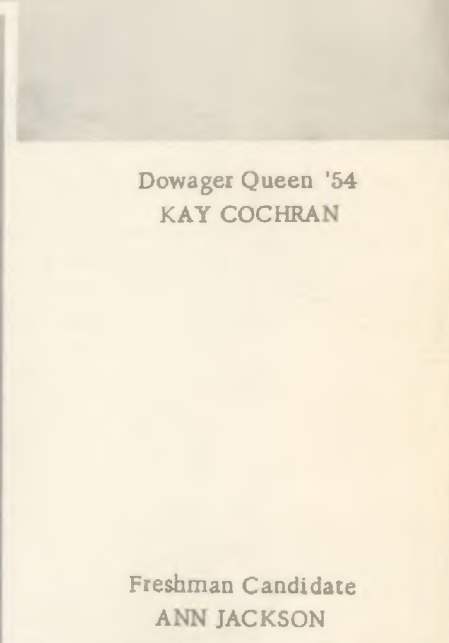
Dowager Queen '55  
SARA FLINT



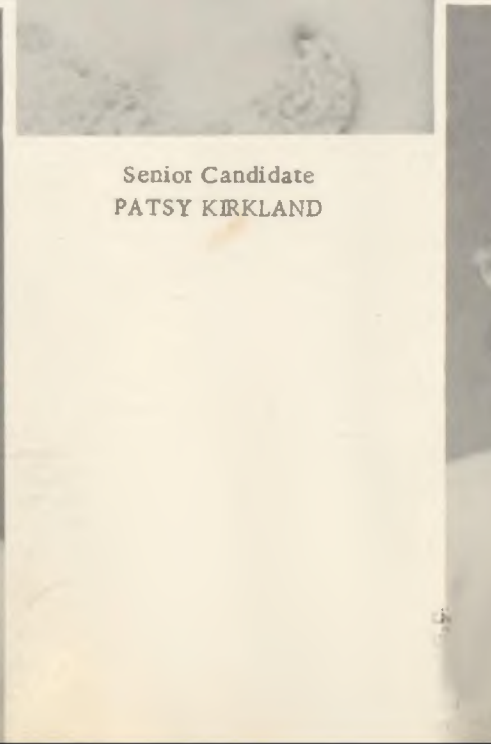
Dowager Queen '54  
KAY COCHRAN



Sophomore Candidate  
BECKIE WOOD



Freshman Candidate  
ANN JACKSON



Senior Candidate  
PATSY KIRKLAND





Jessie

Jane

Beth S.

Sue

Alma

Barbara

Frances

Elizabeth

Football Queen's Court



QUEEN'S COURT

Queen - - - - - Judy Lu McClung  
 King - - - - - David Frost  
 Prime Minister - - - - - Richard McCasland  
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 Escort to the Sweetheart - - - - - George Jackson  
 Mascot of the 1955-1956 Football Team - - - - - Dennis Joe Stanley  
 Mascot of the 1955-1956 Maroon Jackets - - - - - Gloria Jean McCasland  
 Dowager Queen of 1954 - - - - - Sara Lee Flint  
 Escort to the Dowager Queen - - - - - Stephen Oden  
 Dowager Queen of 1953 - - - - - Billie Kay Cochran  
 Escort to the Dowager Queen - - - - - Joe Callicoatte

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 Carole McCain - - - - - Almos Bolt  
 Beckie Wood - - - - - Joe Tom McClung  
 Gretchen Oden - - - - - Dan Nichols  
 Jo Ann Dupree - - - - - Lanny Hawkins  
 Ann Jackson - - - - - Waylon Whittington  
 Lou Ann Jordan - - - - - Robert Ing  
 Linda Jo McWilliams - - - - - Kenneth Torrans  
 Crown Bearer - - - - - Mark David Mays  
 Flower Girls - - - - - Bessie Marie McDonald, Jill Hughes  
 Train Bearers - - - - - Marsha Beth Mays, Nalga Jane Price

LADIES IN WAITING TO THE QUEEN

LORDS OF THE QUEEN'S COURT

Flo Harden - - - - - Sherman Pharr  
 Henri Jo Graham - - - - - John Noel Patterson  
 Barbara Squyres - - - - - James Powell  
 Sallie Scott - - - - - Gary Bickham  
 Herald - - - - - Jimmy Hunter Haw  
 Page - - - - - Jan Hanner  
 Court Jester - - - - - George Torrans  
 Court Pianist - - - - - Treaca Powell  
 Escort to the Pianist - - - - - Donald Loper

USHERS FOR THE QUEEN'S COURT AND ESCORTS

Betty Lou Burton - - - - - Doyle Rogers  
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 Rena Jo Dupree - - - - - Ted Brabham  
 Nancy McCall - - - - - Edward Jones  
 Martha Lawrence - - - - - Sammy Bickham  
 Sallie Roach - - - - - Jerry Burson  
 Myrtle Lou Pharr - - - - - Paul Lyle  
 Patti Rogers - - - - - Ernest Grumbles, Jr.  
 Cecelia Pilant - - - - - Buddy Joe Cannon  
 Johnnie Ruth Zilkes - - - - - Hugh McWilliams  
 Mollie Bukhair - - - - - Jerry Swinney  
 Barbara Smith - - - - - Jessie Bill Griffin

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 "Deep Purple" - - - - - Atlanta High School Octet  
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*Pat*

*John*  
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*Pat*

*M*

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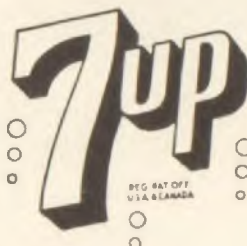
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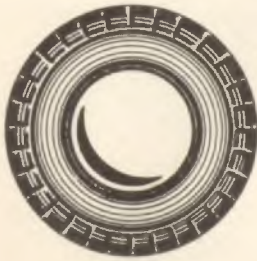
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