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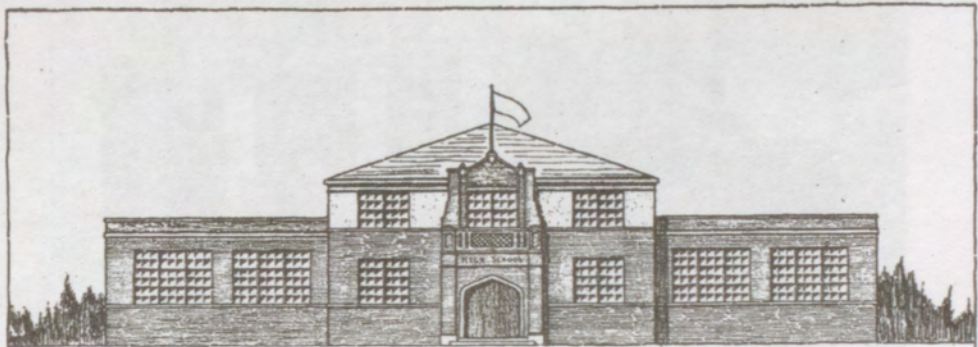
VOLUME I

FOREWORD

We, the Senior Class of 1923 wish to say that we have done our utmost to portray the true life and customs of the Spiro High School in a dignified manner, devoting it to the school as a whole and not to any individual person or organization. If we have succeeded we feel that our efforts were not in vain. If we have not succeeded, at least it will be of use to the future students who indulge in such efforts.



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EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"KNOWLEDGE IS POWER"

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

BAPTIST CHURCH



Administration

DEDICATION

To Superintendent J. E. Wales.
The inspiring teacher, the wise
adminstrator, the progressive educa-
tor, whose fine personality and deep
devotion to the highest interests of
the students and to the largest ser-
vice of the Spiro High School, have
enshrined him in the hearts of all.



SUPT. J. E. WALES

THE BOARD

The Membership of the Spiro School Board is composed of the following men: J. O. Terrell, Pres. Watt Phillips, Member and E. A. Moore; Clerk.

Mr. Terrell, a successful business man of Spiro has served on the Board for three years and was re-elected at the recent election for a period of three more years. Mr. Terrell is Pres. of the Spiro State Bank, one of the successful institutions of the town, and his knowledge of finances is of great assistance in carrying on the schools. He is eager to see them progress and is always willing to give his time to that purpose.

Mr. Phillips is now serving his second year, has been a strong advocate of better schools, and believes that they are the most important institutions of the town. Mr. Phillips is owner of the Ford Agency, besides many other enterprises which he directs.

Mr. E. A. Moore has been serving for years as a member of the Spiro School Board, which shows that the people have faith in his ability.

Mr. Moore has extensive business interests that demand much of his time, but he is never too busy to give his attention to any matters that pertain to the improvement of the school. He is a former college man, and really understands the worth of an education.

The entire membership of the Board has given much time and attention to the voting of the bonds for the new high school, and the building of the same.

The new school will be ready for the 1923-24 term of school.

The present student body appreciates very much all that has been done for the Spiro schools by the Board, this year.



J. O. TERRELL

WATT PHILLIPS

E. A. MOORE

THE BOARD

J. E. Wales, Superintendent

Principal

O. W. Hurst

English Mildred Thompson- B. S. E.

Piano Mrs. Sam. A. Neely

Foreign Languages Regina Brown

Art and Expression Mrs. T. W. Lanham-B. S.

Principal of Junior High

Nell Grant



FACULTY

Top row: Mildred Thompson O. W. Hurst Nell Grant
Bottom row: Regina Brown Mrs. T. W. Lanham Mrs. Sam A. Neeley

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1922-1923

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ANNA WEBB

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AGNESS EVANS

Society Editor
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FERGUSON, REDWINE, RYAN, SMITH, EVANS, WEBB, SHOCKLEY,
LOOPER, EVANS.



MRS. J. R. REDWINE

Parent Teachers Association

The Parent-Teachers Association for the Spiro School District was organized in November, 1922., Mrs. J. R. Redwine being elected President, Mrs. Gertrude Bowman, Vice-President, Mrs. T. W Lanham, Secretary and Mrs. L. R. Moore, Treasurer.

That the parents fully appreciate the value of such organization was shown in the very beginning by the number present at the organization and the enthusiasm with which they entered into their work. This association meets first Friday of each month and by the exchange of ideas at such meetings, the school has derived many benefits.

This association has continued to grow since its organization and it goes without saying that it will always be a valuable asset to this school.



E.A.B.

SENIORS

Senior Class Officers

President.....Ethel Evans
Vice President.....Agness Evans
Secretary and Treasurer.....Pauline Stephens
Sponsor.....Miss Grant
Colors.....Cream and Rose
Flower.....Sweet Peas
Motto.....Not on the heights, but climbing.



EDITH PALMER "Jake"

"A friend worth having."
Excelsior, '22-'23
Class Cartoonist, '22-'23
Debating Club, '22-'23
Girls Relay, '22
Basket Ball Team, '21-'22-'23
Basket Ball Captain, '23

ETHEL EVANS "Bill"

"Little, but none the less a Senior."
Senior Pres'dent, '22-'23
Dramatics Club, '23
Tennis Club, '22-'23
Spanish Club, '22-'23
Athenians, '22-'23
Basket Ball Team, '21-'22-'23
TEPEE Staff, '22-'23

FAULINE STEPHENS "Pleena"

"It's enough just to be good."
Feptonian, '20-'21
Excelsior Sec. and Treas. '22-'23
Spanish Club, '22-'23
Senior Sec. and Treas., '22-'23
Spelling at Poteau, '21
Music, '20-'21-'22
Valedictorian, '23



LUCY RYAN

"To be a second Paderewski."
Peptonian President, '20-'21
Athenian, '22-'23
Glee Club Pianist, '22-'23
Class Pianist, '22-'23
Music at Poteau, '21-'22-'23
Expression, '22-'23
Mus'c. '19-'20-'21-'22-'23
TEPEE Staff, '22-'23

EDNA LOOPER "Mary."

"When she sings, soon she brings
listeners from every cot."
Peptonian, '20-'21
Glee Club, '22-'23
Spanish Club Vice President, '22-
'23,
Athenian, '22-'23
Vocal, at Poteau, '22-'23
Debating Team, '23
TEPEE Staff, '22-'23
Class Songbird, '22-'23

PAULINE REDWINE

"A hting of beauty is a joy forever."
Peptonian, '20-'21
Debating Team, '23
Junior President, '21-'22
Class Reader, '22-'23
Music, '21-'22
Dramatic Club, '22-'23
TEPEE Staff, '22-'23
Excelsior President, '22-'23
Reading at Poteau, '23



FLORA FERGUSON "Flo"

"I am lovely. How are you?"
 Jazzonian Secretary, '20-'21
 Junior Sec. and Treas., '21-'22
 Spanish Club President, '22-'23
 Dramatic Club Treas., '22-'23
 Basket Ball Team, '22-'23
 Basket Ball Business Manager,
 '22-'23
 Music, '20-'21-'22
 Class Poet, '22-'23
 Tennis Club, '22-'23
 TEPEE Staff, '22-'23
 Composition at Poteau, '21
 Salutorian, '23

PAULINE SMITH. "Polly"

"A cool and calm collected girl. Her
 mind is never in a whirl."
 Athenian President, '22-'23
 Dramatic Club, '22-'23
 Glee Club President, '22-'23
 Class Will '22-'23
 TEPEE Staff, '22-'23

ANNA WEBB.

"She seems from all care free."
 Feptonian, '20-'21
 Excelsior, '22-'23
 Spanish Club Secretary, '22-'23
 TEPEE Staff, '22-'23
 Class Prophet, '22-'23



AGNESS EVANS. "Dinah"

"Always the same sweet friend."
Senior Vice President, '22-'23
Athenian, '22-'23
Spanish Club, '22-'23
Basket Ball Team, '22-'23
TEPEE Staff, '22-'23

RAY WADE

"Senior's Pet"
Basket Ball Team, '21-'22-'23
Basket Ball Captain, '22-'23
Debating Club, '22-'23
Peptonian, '20-'21
Excelsior, '22-'23
Tennis Club Manager, '22-'23
Clec Club, '22-'23

ELSIE WINKLE

"Oh! if her brain were only shared!
For she is always ready to answer
prepared."
Peptonian, '20-'21
Excelsior, '22-'23
Spanish Club, '22-'23



BESSIE SHOCKLEY. "Shorty".

"To be wise, is one of my many ambitions."

Peptonian, '20-'21
Athenian, '22-'23
Class Historian, '22-'23
Spanish Club, '22-'23
Dramatic Club, '22-'23

NETTIE GREENWOOD. "Jo"
Post Graduate

"Noted for her wit; feared for her pranks."

Jazzonian, '20-'21
Excelsior, '22-'23
Debating Club, '22-'23
Spanish Club, '22-'23
Basket Ball Team, '22-'23
Salutatorian, '22
Felay at Poteau, '22
Class Poet, '21-'22
Senior Play, '21-'22

History of Senior Class

We the Seniors of Spiro High School in this the year of 1923, wish to say, in coming to graduate, that we possess a mingled feeling of joy and sorrow. We enjoy saying, "We have reached the goal that we have worked so hard and so long to reach." And we are very sad to have to now be separated from each other, our many and dear friends, and lastly, from Old Spiro High School, which we have come to love so devoutly during our long stay here.

On September 5, 1919 a great class of Freshmen, (twenty-two strong) marched through the "Portals of Spiro High School," for the first time. We were soon pointed out and made fun of, because of our GREENNESS. But fortunately, a kind Senior came our way and relieved us of a great burden, by saying, "you are Freshmen and green, but you must look forward to the time when you will be a SENIOR."

Mr. Nelson, a man of great understanding, and Miss Daisy M. Peck, a small woman, but none the less a teacher, guided the Freshmen safely through their year of struggle. At the end of our first nine months of travel through this wonderful land where we drank at the fountains of knowledge, known as; Latin, English, and Algebra they both departed from us.

We came back to this great place to seek more knowledge after a few months vacation, and began our work again in September, the year of 1920. Only seventeen Sophomores enrolled and Miss Ora Wright of Shady Point was a new girl who joined us on this journey.

Mr. C. D. Caldwell of Kentuckey, came here to be our Captain, and guided our feet along. In two weeks he decided he had too great a burden on his shoulders, and quietly withdrew from us.

Mr J. E. Garrett came to take his place, this man of learning and a great believer in athletics, aided by a young daughter of great learning, Miss Nina Bell Hailey, and the strong and fearless Miss Sadie Lee Parks.

All Sophomores in the "New Dignity of Their Promotion," remembered the days of their own greenness, and "Did unto the Freshmen as the preceeding Sophs did unto them."

At the end of our journey in Sophomore Land we regretted and mourned the loss of Miss Hailey and Mr. Garrett (members of our faculty.) We also lost Amy Perrin, (Dan Cupid smote her;) and Bessie Parham, who was just tired of school; Ora Wright, left us to become a student of Poteau High School, and as fate would have it, the Sophs lost Jay Weatherford, but we were proud to learn that he just wished to change classes.

Miss Parks the self-made woman, stayed to be one of the mighty trio of leaders in '21 and '22. Two more came to help her take charve of all the pupils of this land. They were: Mr. T. W. Lanham, a man of great thoughts and high ambitions, and Miss Mildred Wigley, a teacher of great learning, influence, and possessor of a very sweet and lovable disposition.

All in one accord we struggled on in Junior Land.

On our journey in this beautiful land we were joined by Anna Webb, a '21 Junior, who took a rest the year before, and so continued the journey with us. Agnes and Bill Evans hailed from Millerton, Oklahoma to see this "land of Juniors" of which they had heard such beautiful and vivid "Myths," and also, Edith Palmer and Fern Lytle of Panama joined our happy company.

All Juniors hailed commencement night of '22, for there they each realized that the highest land or "Senior Land" was left uninhabited and no one else but Juniors of '22 would be allowed to sojourn in that land in the year of 1922 and 1923.

With many smiles and more tears, we were forced to say farewell to the faculty of '21 and '22. We also lost Fern Lytle and James Harlan, at the end of that term.

Mr. J. E. Wales of East Central State Teachers College, a man of ability, and ambition, whose reputation was, "If efforts are used, as have been used to promote work, as was in East Central, where ever he goes, that school will be of the best," was superintendent in our Senior year. Mr. O. W. Hurst, a man of quietude, but of much experience and learning, Miss Regina Brown, a woman with winning manners, and a great personality, Miss Mildred Thompson, a woman of much learning, and Miss Nell Grant, a perfect penman, went to make up the rest of the force.

With all of these to watch over and guide us, we have had a very pleasant Senior Year.

Muskogee lost and Spiro won, when Pauline Smith sojourned here in Senior Land.

Counting our new member and "fellow-sufferer" the Seniors of the '23 class were thirteen in number.

Miss Nettie Greenwood, a '22 Senior, came back to see that we missed none of beauties of Senior Land and, thanks to her, for she certainly proved to be a very good and useful guide as well as helper in carrying the Senior burden.

We met a week after school began and organized. We elected Ethel Evans President, Agness Evans Vice-President, Pauline Stephens Secy. and Treas., and Miss Grant was chosen Sponsor. We did not consider the color of her hair, but it was the impression she made during our short acquaintance with her.

We worked and put out an annual which the Juniors named "Tepee". No class before us has worked harder than we have during our last year. We each have boosted for the new High School building and have done our very best in everything we have undertaken.

We now stand ready to receive the great reward for which we have worked so long and each of us feel that we can say, "Well done".

We must now say farewell to our friends and each other, as well as to Spiro High School.

Some will be here and some there, but may we ever look back and hold dear all the memories of our years spent here together and hold sacred the friendship of each class mate.

Class mates, let us resolve to ever hold sacred the memory of the days spent in our High School and also the memory of the friends and teachers who have made our school life happy.

B. S. '23.

CLASS WILL

We, the Seniors of the city of Spiro, Oklahoma, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, publish and declare this, our last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by us made.

We will all the dignity to the Juniors, all the bad luck to the Sophomores, and all the brightness acquired in these long years to the Freshmen (of which they are in painful need.)

Anna Webb wills her powder puff and other cosmetics to Veva Duncan.

Edna Looper wills her voice to Jay Weatherford. (He will be able to entertain the Seniors, in the ensuing year.)

To Mr. Wales, Flora Ferguson wills her sense of criticism.

Pauline Redwine wills her way of charming men with her dimples to Ruth Ellison.

Pauline Stephens wills her broad intellect to Lucile Bowman.

Bessie Shockley directs that all her knowledge of History and Spanish go to the students remaining in Spiro High School.

Elsie Winkle wills her sun-shiny disposition to Lucy Smith.

Ray Wade wills his jealousy for Katherine Smith to Malcolm Stephens.

Lucy Ryan wills her talent in dancing to Chester Noblet.

Edith Palmer (Jake) wills her INQUIRING disposition to Clara Falkner.

Bill Evans bequeaths her long flowing skirts to Alma McDaniel.

Agnes Evans wills her modulated tone of voice to Jessie Irene Moore.

Pauline Smith leaves her promptness and unusual intelligence in phycology to Florence Berry.

To Mr. Wales, Miss Nellie Rebecca Grant, Miss Regina Brown, and Mr. Oliver Wendall Hurst, we leave an open field for them to install all the Ada principals that they deem necessary. (We are thinking there will be many.)

And to Miss Mildred Thompson, we leave the privilege to grind into the grey matter of the future S. H. S. students, the new ARKANSAS pronunciation of difficult words. e. i. Leg-is-la-ture.

In witness whereof we, the Seniors, have to our last will and testament consisting of two sheets of paper, subscribed by name this twenty sixth day of April nineteen hundred twenty three.

Witnesses

Nell Grant,

O. W. Hurst

J. E. Wales

CLASS PROPHECY

It was the eighteenth day of May, nineteen hundred and twenty eight, and also my last day of school. I had grown fond of the little kiddies during the term of teaching, but as the time for farewell drew near, my heart grew sad; but I was to begin my world-wide tour, the coming week and that should be a great consolation.

Thus the sad day ended, and the day for the beginning of my tour came. The first day of travel I had decided to visit an old school friend of mine, Mr. Ray Wade. Now the Hon. Ray Wade had been the only boy in our graduation class back in the dear old "Hi" school days of '23 and naturally, all the girls were fond of him. He was now in Washington, D. C. and upon my arrival, I gained admittance to his office at once. After a short interview, what was my surprise upon hearing that the day before, he had been appointed Prime-Minister to France, and was to sail the following day. I at once decided to sail with him to Paris France, as I wished to do some shopping. Arriving in Paris, I visited several shops of noted designers. On leaving the last shop, and while standing at the entrance, I glanced across the street and gazed upon one of the most magnificent buildings I had seen while there, and over the arch entrance, I read this sign: "Madamoselle Redwine, exclusive designer of Paris." I hurried across the street at once, and was greeted by the owner of the shop, who was no other than Pauline Redwine, an old school mate of '23; while here I told her of my wish to visit the Museum of Natural History and she consented to go with me. She informed me also that while here I would meet another one of my Spiro friends, Mrs. Jim Barton, nee, Miss Agness Evans, who had just returned from South Africa where she had been on an expedition in research work. After arriving at the museum, the rest of the evening was spent talking about by-gone days; a stranger entering the room where we were would have heard the oft-repeated words: "remember this" or, "remember that time"—and of course we all remembered.

The following day I bade Agness and Pauline good-bye and sailed for Barcelona Spain. As I landed at Barcelona I perceived at once that the city was all in commotion, small boys were running about the landing crying "Extra Extra," "Una corrida de torres." Upon buying a paper, I learned at once the reason for this great excitement. A Bull Fight! in Spain, the national amusement. I purchased a ticket at a near-by tobacco store, and proceeded to the Plaza, or the scene of the Bull Fighting. As I entered the Plaza I saw coming toward me a man and woman. At a second glance I perceived she was an American girl. She walked up to me and introduced the man as her husband, Senior Garcia, and beaming with laughter exclaimed, "Anna, do you not recognize me, as Elsie Winkle?" After conversing a short time with her, the grand performance began and a loud noise roared through the mass of people. My companion was of a very delicate nature and the strain of the excitement was too great; she fainted away and fell against the rock platform and had to be taken to the hospital immediately. I went with her and upon our arrival a room was assigned us, and a nurse was sent to our room. As the door opened and she entered, I was sur-

prised and glad to recognize her as Miss Pauline Smith, or Senorita Smith, a graduate nurse in one of the very best hospitals of Spain.

I spent several days in Barcelona, waiting for the recovery of my companion. Upon her recovery we continued our journey. My next destination was China. While there in the quaint old city of Shanghai, we visited several shops, first engaging an interpreter. But at one of the shops we did not need an interpreter for the proprietor was none other than Bill Evans. She was now a great exporter of silks. We had been in the shop only a short while when we heard low guttural sounds, seeming to come the front of the building. Bill and I hurried in to see what the trouble was. A Chinaman stood before the counter talking to one of the clerks, making peculiar gestures and exclaiming low words in his native tongue. The interpreter explained to us the trouble. The customer owed a large debt and would not pay it. Thus he was protesting he was unable to pay, having no money.

Much excitement was aroused and finally a suit was brought about; Miss Evans sued the customer. The best lawyer in the city was called to plead the case,—of course, I was not surprised to find it was no other than Miss Flora Ferguson, a great diplomat, because in the dear old high school days she had always entered into an argument with heated force. After spending a few days in China with my friends, I returned to Paris and bid Mr. Wade and Miss Redwine good-bye, and left immediately for the dear old states. Upon my arrival in New York I was greeted at the landing, by two friends: the Misses Edna Looper and Lucy Ryan, who informed me that they had signed a contract with the Metropolitan Opera House. They were to perform the coming evening. One, was a noted singer and the other a great pianist. They invited me to attend the performance but it was impossible for me to do so, and declining the said invitation. I left that night for home. But on the way, I happened to unusual luck. Hard, in the beginning, but it did not seem so hard after I learned that I was in the same city with another of my school mates, of '23. We were on a fast train going through Virginia and were bumped off by a heavily loaded freight. The accident did not cause any loss of lives but it took some time to repair the rails and engine. I stopped at a hotel to spend the night and I planned to take a new start for Oklahoma in the morning. I noticed in a paper that Miss Bessie Shockley was elected President of one of the most fashionable finishing schools for women, in Virginia, and was doing splendid work there. I did not have time to call upon her but I was glad to hear that she had reached such an honorable place in the world.

I had to be home in time to sign a contract for a position as teacher in the Oklahoma University, which opened the coming week. Two of the other teachers employed in that school were Miss Pauline Stephens, teacher of English and Miss Edit Palmer, history teacher. I planned to dine with them the next day and tell them of my experience, as I have told you.

SENIOR FAVORITES

Class Examiner.....	Agness Evans
Class Fool.....	Ray Wade
Class Reader.....	Pauline Redwine
Class Prophet.....	Anna Webb
Class Will.....	Pauline Smith
Class Poet.....	Flora Ferguson
Class Cartoonist.....	Edith Palmer
Class Songbird.....	Edna Looper
Class Beauty.....	Pauline Redwine
Class Pianist.....	Lucy Ryan
Biggest Flirt.....	Anna Webb
Most Popular.....	Ethel Evans
Biggest Bluffer.....	Bessie Shockley
Most Religious.....	Elsie Winkle
Self Confident.....	Edna Looper
Most Studious.....	Pauline Stephens
Best Athlete.....	Ray Wade
Biggest Gossip.....	Edith Palmer
Chatterbox.....	Ethel Evans
Best Natured.....	Pauline Smith
Ode to Juniors.....	Elsie Winkle
Wittiest.....	Ethel Evans
Optimist.....	Lucy Ryan
Biggest Tomboy.....	Flora Ferguson
Bossiest.....	Bessie Shockley
Class Bride.....	Agness Evans

SENIOR PLAY

"LITTLE WOMEN"
A COMEDY IN FOUR ACTS

By
MARION DE FOREST

ADAPTED FROM THE STORY BY LOUISA M. ALCOTT

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mr. March	Ray Wade
Mrs. March	Lucy Ryan
Jo	Ethel Evans
Meg	Edith Palmer
Amy	Edna Looper
Beth	Pauline Redwine
Aunt March	Agnes Evans
Mr. Lawrence	Bessie Shockley
Laurie	Netty Greenwood
Professor Bhaer	Pauline Smith
John Brooke	Anna Webb
Hannah Mullett	Flora Ferguson

HIGH SCHOOL CALENDER

SEPTEMBER

- Monday, 4; We're here because we're here.
- Tuesday, 5; The rooms are so small that the desks are painted on the walls. Only slender boys and girls allowed on this floor, on account of the scarcity of room. Old students too polite to rush new ones, so all the new ones were registered first. There was much rushing by "Freshies."
- Wednesday, 6; All back from summer flirtation. We have found that absence makes the head grow rounder.
- Thursday, 7; The faculty holds the first meeting to prepare the torture for the coming year.
- Friday, 8; Lucile gets "28" for laughing in Geometry class. Mr. Hurst threatens to put her in front of him, so there will be nothing for her to see. Miss Brown failed to have her hair partd.
- Monday, 11; Mr. Wales held an indignation meeting to instruct the faculty to have the Seniors instructed to instruct the Juniors to insiruct the Sophomores to feed the "Freshies" more prunes.
- Tuesday, 12; Senior meeting to choose officers. Every fellow votes for himself.
- Wednesday, 13; Pauline and Lucy chose members for the Literary Societies: Excelsior and Athenian.
- Thursday, 14; Now is'nt it strange that so many are making an excellent impression on our new faculty by chewing gum?
- Friday, 15; All the Seniors wear "Sunday clothes," 'cause it's Friday.
- Monday, 18; Something must be wrong in Spiro. "It ain't rained yet"
- Tuesday, 19; Great Ceasar. Mr. Wales ordered desks from "Judge Slovia."
- Wednesday, 20; Spanish II had verbs today. Anna knew her lesson.
- Thursday, 21; Ray Wade went to sleep in chapel. Well, who blames him Excelsior gave a program.
- Friday, 22; Jay Weatherford put out a new song, entitled, "The Spiro cows don't give milk, you have to take it from them."
- Monday, 25; Dr. Hill spoke at a special chapel. Lewis Smith took his semi-annual bath.
- Tuesday, 25; Chester Noblet springs an absolutely new joke in History class.
- Wednesday, 27; Jake appears in a new coat; Ruth steps out in new shoes.
- Thursday, 28; Ailsa distinguishes herself by agreeing to make all the wedding cakes for the Senior girls. (She may soon be called upon to make one for herself, if indications mean anything.)
- Friday, 29; Ray Wade was chosen for the second time, as captain of the Basket Ball team.

OCTOBER

- Monday, 2; Iela Rave puts in her weekly howl about something that has gone wrong.
- Tuesday, 3; Some Junior girls caught in the hall, cutting chapel.
- Wednesday, 4; Lucy "lands" her second date this year. Does anybody know who he is?
- Thursday, 5; So said a certain lady member of the faculty: "It is so unusual to find a man so refined, so talented along musical lines, so charming in every way, who still retains "All" his masculinity without seeming, in the least effeminate, like that charming Mr. ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?"
- Friday, 6; Bessie Shockley is ready to "give up the ghost" today.
- Monday, 9; Rains all day. Ray carries an umbrella.
- Tuesday, 10; Day before examinations. Day of rest. Who rests? Nobody but the faculty.
- Wednesday, 11; Who said, "What you don't know, don't hurt you?"
- Thursday, 12; At the suggestion of some energetic boy, a shower bath has been installed.
- Friday, 13; Ruth, in geometry class said she wished Mr. Hurst's head was on her shoulder, during exams, "Lost for the want of one second."
- Monday, 16; Anna looks in her teacup and sees "The Lion disappears." Just another chance gone. Anna.
- Tuesday, 17; Ebb gets pulled for flirting with wax figures in the store-fronts, uptown.

Wednesday, 18; Ray says Senior class is just as he likes it. Thelve (12) girls to one boy.

Thursday, 19; The first litter in Senior aisle was yellow Chrysanthemum petals. Who was the guilty party? Tattle-tale told Faculty.

Friday, 20; Veva stumps her toe and falls. No injury, but her feelings.

Monday, 23; Following the motto, "Never do today, what you can do tomorrow" the Seniors take a holiday.

Tuesday, 24; The girls basket ball team got stuck in the mud going to Cowlington to play ball.

Wednesday, 25; "Tepee Day." Everybody get your money. They need it.

Thursday, 26; Ray got a hair cut.

Friday, 27; Juniors are all saying, "I don't know" when Jay ask them what "No Sabe" meant, and he can't find one but who says, "I don't know."

Monday, 30; Hurrah! Carnival at high school. Gold Fry was wounded. Walter and Dewey held a boxing match for the worlds heavy weight championship. Walter won— fifteen raws for him.

Tuesday, 31; THE MORNING AFTER THE NIGHT BEFORE.

NOVEMBER

Wednesday, 1; Same old grind. Why could'nt some one else cut down a cherry-tree?

Thursday, 2; Confetti all over the place, even yet.

Friday, 3; Good—Two days rest. Calendar keeper out of a job.

Monday, 6; All Seniors must check up credits. Anna has no Freshman credits. Why? ? ? ? ?

Tuesday, 7; Ethel and Agness Evans walk to school today, Ford wants a rest. Or else they are reducing.

Wednesday, 8; Mrs. J. P. Dunklin was made honorary member of the "Espanolas Mozas Club."

Thursday, 9; Ethel and Edith decide to talk to Everette.

Friday, 10; We wonder where Lois's chewing gum is today.

Monday, 12; Wonderful six weeks exams are here again.

Tuesday, 13; "Buster, Buster come here my lad. Agness is now calling thee."

Wednesday, 14; "You'd be surprised." The Juniors named the annual "Tepee."

Thursday, 15; Amy Reid was playing on the stairs and fell and hurt her. I should say so!

Friday, 16 Jay is now proving a great help to the Juniors and Seniors in special Geometry class. Jay, watch out. you'll be teaching the teacher.

Monday, 18; B. Bob why did you fail? You were working so hard to play ball.. We miss you off the court.

Tuesday, 19; My head; My head; It is feeling so very light from lack of ? ? ? ? something ? ? ? ?— I've thought so much.

Wednesday, 20; Everette, you must stay at your seat and let Bill studv.

Thursday, 21; "Tommy! Tommy! Where art thou? Why are ye not here?

Monday, 24; Let the Seniors look for something to do besides talk.

Tuesday, 25; Miss Thompson is hard boiled today. We wonder why?

Wednesday, 28; Lucy, I am astonished at you for taking up the "Brown" style of hair dress.

Thursday, 29; Junior-Senior aisle strewn with peanut hulls and candy papers. Who did it? —Nobody—Who do you suppose?

Friday, 30; Another month gone. Good bye, Nvember 1922, we will never meet you again.

DECEMBER

Monday, 11: Some vacation on account of "Flu."

Tuesday, 12; Get to work! Get to work! Says the old hall clock.

Wednesday, 13; Unlucky day. Finley you must not talk to her on the thirteenth.

Thursday, 14; A lecture must be placed for the day. High school students are merely educated rats and dogs.

Friday, 15; Ninth wonder of the world. Seniors had a regular style show.

Monday, 18; Goody! The new desks have arrived at last.

Tuesday, 19; Basket Ball—Spiro vs. Howe. Pep shown over fields and by fans.

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JUNIORS



LOIS BOWMAN

"She is gentle, she is shy,
But there's mischief in her eye."

JAY WEATHERFORD

"A Junior of whose work the whole
class is proud."

AILS A STUMPF

"Afraid of mice and men."

MARY ANN GORDAN

"A Terrible spendthrift of her
tongue."

EVERETTE HUFF

"If I stay single, 'tis not my fault."

ALMA McDANIEL

"Merit was ever modest known."



CHESTER NOBLET

"Bashful! You don't know Chester like I do."

VEVA DUNCAN

"Where Dame Fashion leads, she follows."

JESSIE IRENE MOORE

"God bless the boys! I love them all."

LEWIS SMITH

"I cannot love: I am too young."

LELA RAYE

"She never does wrong except when permitted to have her own way."

LUCILLE BOWMAN

"A don't care, happy go lucky piece."



AMY REED

"Made beautiful by nature's own red and white."

REOLA WEBB

"Merry as the day is long."

RUTH ELLISON

"Happy I am. from care I'm free.
Why arn't they all like me?"

LELA MUNN

"Just a dainty little primrose."

LUCY SMITH

"Tail to the basket ball queen."

Jolly Juniors

On September 13, 1923, the Junior Class met, and under the sponsorship of Miss Mildred Thompson, organized and selected the name of "Jolly Juniors."

The Junior class is one of the strongest in the High School and splendid is its work of '22 and '23.

The thing of which we are most proud, is the naming of the annual. "Here's to the TEPEE, long may she live."

Another important event is our play, "When A Man Needs A Wife," given April 16, at the Theatre.

The Juniors have played a large part in the Dramatic Club, one of the most popular Clubs in school, the Literary Societies, the Glee Club, Athletics, and we are proud of the fact that one of our boys is on the Debating team.

We have endured many hardships and struggles, through our High School career, but counting every stumbling block as a boost, we are working for the betterment of our school with a jolly school spirit and we are looking forward with eagerness to our Senior year.

President.

Class Poem

The Ambition of the Junior Class

My ambition is not high,
As Jupiter or Mars;
But let me tell you why
Its not among the stars.
My ambition is with me
Upon the earth down here.
My ambition I can see,
To me, it's always near.
Why was I born upon this land,
And reared and bred to manhood?
Why did my people make their stand
And die where they had stood?
Why did they spend their time,
And work so hard for me?
Why did they give their lives for mine?
What did they think I'd be?
They've willed to me a share
Of this great world down here.
No other planet can compare
With this old world so dear.
My ambition is to care,
And help mankind progress.
And to promote my share
Of this world that I possess.
My people have paid the price
For my share of this universe,
And if my work will not suffice,
I've called upon myself a curse.
My ambition is not high,
As Jupiter or Mars,
But I have told you why.
It's not among the stars.

O. J. W.

The Junior Class Role

If you are reducing, and laughing makes you fat, don't read this.

EATS

Lois says she wants to be an interior decorator. That is "sensible talk." Most girls want to decorate their exterior.

TEACHING

Lucy says she wants to teach school. Wonder if she will teach it to read and write.

FINLEY HAS OUR SYMPATHY

Ailsa says she is fond of dogs. Poor fellow, he will lead a dog's life.

A FREAK OF NATURE

Jessie Irene says she likes to study. ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?

ACTING

Lela Munn says she wants to act. Act like what?

BALLOONING

Lucile says she wants to live a high life. We can't see anything to hold her down.

SINGING

Mary Ann says she wants to sing. She sings "Bear-tone."

MORE SINGING

Amy says she wants to sing. She sings "Soap-----ran-----o?"

MATH. TEACHERS

Ruth says she wants to teach mathematics. Wonder where she got her inspiration.

FEATURES

Chester says he wants to be a business man. Success has smitten him in the face.

POCKET BOOK

Veva says she wants to be a fashion leader. It is all most girls can do to keep up.

WELL QUALIFIED

Lewis says he wants to be a lawyer. He should make good, for the words, lawyer and liar are synonymus.

COMICAL

Reola says she wants to be a movie star. Would'nt that make you laugh?

HIS CAREER

Everette says he wants to keep books. If he ever gets his hands on 'em he'll make good.

AMBITION

Jay says he wants to be a millionaire. If he had another dollar, he would lack only \$999,999.

WATCH DOGS

Lela Raye says she wants to teach expression. Have you any Bull-terriers?

ELASTIC

Jay wants to be burried in a rubber coffin, so he will go bouncing through H-----.

FLAPPER

Alma wants her hair bobbed before she is burried, so that she will not be bothered with the grave-robbers.



SOPHOMORES

Sophomore Class Officers

President.....Malcolm Stephens
Vice-President.....Martin Ward
Secretary and Treasurer.....Clara Bell Falconer
Sponsor.....Mr. Hurst
Colors.....Black and White
Flower.....Daisy
Motto.....Jog On



MARTIN WARD
 "When I speak; listen."

PEARL WEST
 "A still tongue maketh a wise head."

CLARA BELL FALCONER
 "Simplicity is the keynote of her life."

AMASA SMITH
 "My kingdom for a woman."

MALCOLM STEPHENS
 "Behold a strong athlete."

FREDA KOBEL
 "Give me liberty."

THELMA DANIEL
 "Smile and the world smiles with you."

FINLEY CARLILE
 "The lady's man."



FLORENCE BERRY
"Sweet and dainty."

HARRY BUTLER
"Too busy to work."

CARL REYNOLDS
"As idle as a painted ship on a painted sea."

EULA MAXWELL
"I can always find sunshine."

AGNESS DICKERSON
"I ain't nobody's darling."

BOB BECKETT
"Take me to the land of Jazz."

WALTER DERRYBERRY
"The woman hater."

GRACE CHAPMAN
"Always ready to do her part."

MYRTLE CASEY
"Where beauty reigns."

Wednesday, Mr. Hill is looking at English High school was
Thursday, The class has finished the selection of the HIGH SCHOOL
STUDENTS
Friday, Last night they had a grand and glorious ball. We had the
ball.

JANUARY

Monday, The girls were busy and the New Year
Wednesday, The class had a grand ball. The girls were
Thursday, The girls were busy and the New Year
Friday, The girls were busy and the New Year
Saturday, The girls were busy and the New Year
Sunday, The girls were busy and the New Year

Sophomore Report

At the opening of the school Sept. 4, 1922. our class numbered eighteen, about equally divided as to boys and girls.
A few days after the opening of school, we met and organized, electing the following officers;

- Malcolm Stephens.....President
- Martin Ward.....Vice-President
- Clara Falconer.....Secretary and Treasurer

Mr. Hurst was chosen sponsor

We have tried to do our part in taking care of the many school activities and believe that all will agree that the "Sops" are right in the "Middle" of everything that goes toward making our school better.

We hope that our little band may safely pass the "finals" and be admitted in a body to the "Fraternity" of Juniors. "Ubi ibi volunta est, ibi est via."

HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR

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Wednesday, 20; Edith is teaching at Knubbin Ridge this week.
Thursday, 21; The Giant slide has arrested the attention of the HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.
Friday, 22; Good night! Ain't it a grand and glorious feeling? We get ten days holiday.

JANUARY

Tuesday, 2; Hello every body, and also New Year.
Wednesday, 3; Editing Staff chosen for "Tepee."
Thursday, 4; Be quiet students, the high school inspector is here.
Friday, 5; Seniors are all such good "writers," they do not need penmanship.
Monday, 8; Flora missed her dinner on account of rain. Too bad.
Tuesday, 9; Such a beautiful day, and yet Mr. Hurst is determined to take the joy out of the Seniors life. I guess he is smart—he said he was.
Wednesday, 10; Bessie got a bath today, (going home)
Thursday, 11; Panama beats our boys. Don't be so blue. Cheer up. Fifteen raws for Jessie Irene, she knew her lesson.
Friday, 12; Edna, our song bird, is ill with sore throat.
Monday, 15; A class in etiquette today. Great Scott! What for? No we don't need it.
Tuesday, 16; "My said the flapper, "school is very dull."
Wednesday, 17; Mr. Wales is endeavoring to break up hornets nest in Junior-Senior corner.
Thursday, 18; Walter Derryberry, (Buster) announced today that he is now and always will be, a woman hater. My! she must have thrown him down.
Friday, 19; Think a bit, Seniors. we must scheme for some money.
Monday, 22; Seniors are SMART but CAN fail on exams.
Tuesday, 23; Mr. Wales's hat received an impression. J. I. M.
Wednesday, 24; Dear Anna! Have you absquandered? (absconded.)
Thursday, 25; "Mr. Hurst looks so winning, when he is grinning."
Friday, 26; Malcolm, you rude boy. Why did you step on Clara's toe on purpose and then say, "Pardon me" so innocently?
Monday, 29; Absent two days. No one seemed to know her, (Elsie) when she returned.
Tuesday, 30; Harry Butler nicknamed "Sailor Boy." Why
Wednesday, 31; Nettie is at home, nursing a sprained ankle.

FEBRUARY

Thursday, 1; Work! Work! for Bill must win.
Friday, 2; Senior "Hobo Day."
Monday, 5; Excitement over popularity contest. \$259.72 made.
Tuesday, 6; Ditto yesterday.
Wednesday, 7; Note Johnnie Redwine. The least develish GENTLEMAN in our school.
Thursday, 8; What happened when the music room had been turned into a dance hall? I think it was something about a board.
Friday, 9; A regular "up-town" school today. Every one ready to have their pictures made. Ray has a new shirt.
Monday, 12; We were disappointed by the photographer Friday. So here we are again. Finley and Ebb in overalls.
Tuesday, 13; Greenies (Freshmen) can't have their pictures made at all for they are so frightened.
Wednesday, 14; Seniors. take off your shoes for you are on soft muddy ground.
Thursday, 15; The proofs of our picture were brought out and Amasa was so much like himself that he grew angry.
Friday, 16; A new club was organized. "The Jelly-Bean club." Members: Messrs Harry Butler, B. Bob Beckett, Amasa Smith, Myron Sands, Finley Carlile, and Malcolm Stephens.
Monday, 19; Buster Derryberry, Marion Alewine, and Everette Huff are rebels to "Jelly-Bean Club" and also women haters. I don't believe it do you?
Thursday, 20; Nothing doing.

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H.O.S.

FRESHMEN

Freshmen Class Officers

President.....Myrtle Collins
Vice-President.....Mary Hartshorne
Secretary and Treasurer.....Ola James
Sponsor.....Miss Brown
Colors.....Green and White
Motto.....Green but growing
Flower.....Violet



LOLA MIXON JAMES AINSWORTH

VIOLA SHOCKLEY

OLA JAMES JOHN REDWINE

NOLA HUFF

GLADYS CARLILE CARL CLAR-
IDY

MARY HARTSHORNE

LETHAL HAMBY MARION ALE-
WINE

Freshman Thoughts

In September of 1922, we entered High School as "Freshies." They placed us in seats in the center of the Great Big Study Hall. We had been regarded by the grade school the year before, as students of importance; but now we sank into oblivion. The teachers stared at us with a hopeless expression which seemed to say, "Goodness help us, this is a terrible predicament." But we could not help it. Our spirits were hopelessly crushed by the taunts of the Seniors. Added to that were the pitying glances of the Juniors, which were still more maddening. The Sophomores were not so bad, because I think, they remembered more distinctly how they felt when they were Freshmen. At nine o'clock when the bell rang, Mr. Wales gave us a lecture in tones that made our knees knock "Home Sweet Home." After that we were assigned to our classes and under the steady flow of questions our heads might as well have been vacuums. We got over the scare and part of our bashfulness in a few weeks but we were still very meek. However, during our Freshman year we learned many things. One great fact is, that the faculty is not actually so grim and unfeeling as it looked on that first morning. (Teachers really have hearts.) We have learned also that the Seniors are not nearly so learned and important as we formerly believed. And we know that the Juniors are not wise. They are only putting on a big bluff. We fully comprehend that the Sophomores are the less sweet natured group on earth. We learned positively that algebra is awful; that foreign languages are terrible; that ancient history is horrible; and that English is not so very bad, but there is no real joy there.

In our hearts we are all longing for the time when we will be Seniors. Then we, too, will have a lot of power. But we also hate to give up the title of "Green Little Freshies." For one thing we are thankful and that is, we can tease the next year's Freshmen to our hearts content.

Secretary

Eighty Credits
Sixty Credits

Junior High School

The new Junior High School, located on the corner of Adams Street and Washington Street, was opened in the fall of 1911. It is a modern building with all the latest conveniences. The school is under the supervision of the Board of Education and is open to all children of the city.

Eighth Grade



Top row: Lloyd Rigsby, Brown Sullivan, Aaron Mixon, Clifford Weatherford, Theo Richison, Jeams Merryman, Edward Butler, Charles Lowrie.
Bottom row: Lora Weatherford, Lois Lowrie, Vivian Smith, Miss Thompson, Oleta Smith, Cathryne Rigsby, Vallie O'Connel.

Seventh Grade



Top row: Hale Trolinger, Laura Knox, Ica Self, Pearl Webb.
Second row: Wilma Self, Wilma Peters, Rachel Garr, Neil Nelson, Bernice Elizabeth Hickman, Ruth Hume.
Bottom row: Luther Waldrop, Woodie Beasley, Wyatt Falconer, Ossie Allen, Edgar Weatherford.

Junior High School

The Junior H. S. was opened this year and everybody was pleased with the beginning.

Our Supt. Mr. Wales, spent much time visiting other good junior high schools last year, in preparing to open the school here. In this way we were given many advantages that have helped to make the school a success.

The general plan of the Okmulgee system was adopted, which will be briefly explained.

The Junior H. S. is run in connection with the Senior H. S. work, with teachers of the two schools alternating in the class work of the schools.

The Junior students are given four periods of work per day as follows:

Mathematics; English, (which includes reading, spelling and Grammar); Citizenship; (which includes geography, history, and civics.)

A fourth subject is offered every nine weeks, which is called the "Broadening and Finding Course." This Course is made up from the Senior H. S. curriculum, and is offered for the purpose of giving the child a chance to understand something of what he is to do in the coming year's work.

We feel that the Junior H. S. is a great improvement on the old method, and know that the boys and girls of this department enjoy the work more than under the old system.

EXPRESSION

FINE ART

The fine art program at the University of Wisconsin is one of the most comprehensive in the country. It includes a wide range of disciplines, from traditional painting and sculpture to contemporary media and digital art. The program is designed to provide students with a strong foundation in the history and theory of art, as well as practical experience in the studio. The faculty consists of leading artists and scholars, and the facilities are state-of-the-art. The program is highly regarded and has produced many successful artists and art historians.

EXPRESSION



EXPRESSION CLASS 1922-1923

Top row from left to right:

Eugenia Moore, Lucile Bowman, Pauline Redwine, Jessie Irene Moore, Dora Chrestman, B. Bob Beckett, Lewis Smith, Mary Ann Gordon, Lucy Ryan, Lola Mixon, Medora Hickman, Lela Raye.

Second row:

Ruby Nell Sands, Grace Conn, Viola Shockly, Mary Hartshorne, Robbie Redwine, Mrs. T. W. Lanham, (teacher), Vivian Smith, Wilma Peters, Virginia Derryberry, Aaron Mixon, Morris McMath.

Bottom row:

Vermell Falconer, Virginia Hickman, Cathryn Beckett, Rhoda Marie Slack, Irene Noblet, Zoe Louise McCann, Eloise, Starkey; Elberta Starkey, Cecil McMath, Tommie Yarbrough.

EXPRESSION CLASS

The Expression Class under the direction of Mrs. T. W. Lanham, has had an enrollment of thirty-five members this term. These pupils have done splendid work and some very fine talent has been developed. They have always been ready and willing to take part or assist in the entertainments given by the school, and two members of this class, Vivian Smith and Aaron Mixon, won honorable mention at the County Meet, at Poteau, this Spring.

They have added sixty-seven volumes to their class library, and these books are in constant use.

Music-Piano



MUSIC CLASS

First row left to right:

Pauline Stephens, Clara Falconer, Thelma Daniels, Mrs. Neeley, Eugenia Moore, Florence Berry, Myrtle Casey.

Second row :

Neal Nelson, Thelmatine Wade, Alice Avery, Lola Mixon, Ailsa Stumpff, Dora Chrestman, Lucy Ryan, Vivian Smith, Vallie O'Connell, Elizabeth Hickman.

Third row :

Grace Conn, Toonsy Merryman, Jessie Avery, Marcella Fitzgerald, Vermelle Falconer, Rachel Garr, Francis Phillips, Irene Noblet.

ART



THE ART CLASS

This Class is composed of Lois Bowman, Oleta Smith, Robbie Redwine, Alverda Slack and Mrs. Durward Daniel and is supervised by Mrs. T. W. Lanham.

For beginners they have done fine work and have finished some very pretty pictures in charcoal, water colors and oil. These studies are from still life nature.

Oleta Smith was awarded one first and one second prize on her paintings at the County Fair.

Misses Lois Bowman and Oleta Smith did all the art work in the annual.



ORGANIZATIONS

DRAMATIC CLUB

The Dramatic Club met September 13, 1922, and organized under the sponsorship of Miss Mildred Thompson.

A meeting, in the order of a kid party, was held and the constitution and by laws were read and approved of by the members.

The following were initiated: Lucile Bowman, Ethel Evans, B. Bob Beckett, Mary Ann Gordon, Ruth Ellison and Lela Munn.

A social was given March 23 and each member dressed to suit his ambition and each was required to compose a poem explaining his ambition.

A play—"Mr. Bob" is planned to be given later.

The Dramatic Club is one of the most popular in Spiro Hi. As the club is just newly organized and we have not yet fully understood our work, so much has not been accomplished this year. But by real work during the next year, we intend to excel in dramatic work and make it better known.

OFFICERS

LELA RAYE—President

CHESTER NOBLET—Vice-President

LOIS BOWMAN—Secretary

FLORA FERGUSON—Treasurer.

LEWIS SMITH—Business Manager

Miss Thompson-----Sponsor.

CHARTER MEMBERS

Alma McDaniel, Everette Huff, Ailsa Stumpff, Pauline Smith Pauline Redwine, Lela Ray, Lewis Smith, Chester Noblet, Jay Weatherford, Lois Bowman, Flora Ferguson, Jessie Irene Moore, Veva Duncan, Bessie Shockley.



Top row: Bessie Shockley, Lela Munn, Flora Ferguson, Ruth Ellison, Jessie Irene Moore, Mary Ann Gordon, Veva Duncan.

Second row: Pauline Redwine, Lucile Bowman, Pauline Smith, Lela Raye, Miss Thompson, Bill Evans, Ailsa Stumpff, Lois Bowman, Alma McDaniel.

Bottom row: Jay Weatherford, Lewis Smith, B. Bob Beckett, Everette Huff, Chester Noblet.

GLEE CLUB

OFFICERS

Miss Nell Grant.....Director
Lucy Ryan.....Accompanist
Pauline Smith.....President
Lois Bowman.....Vice-President

The Music Club met and began work on the first week of school. First we organized as a Chorus and later, we developed into a very interesting club of about twenty voices, being known as the "Glee Club."

Though we have not been as strong along this line of work as we would like to have been. We feel that we have many good voices among our group and hope those who have worked so diligently will continue again next year with renewed energy and we feel that there will be a "Glee Club" made up of strong and pleasing voices.



Top row: Frank Ward, Chester Notlet, Lewis Smith, Ray Wade, Everette Huff, Lucile Bowman, Harry Butler, Amasa Smith, Walter Derryberry, Carl Reynolds, Finley Carlile.

Second row: B. Bob Beckett, Reola Webb Amy Reed, Lethal Hamby, Edna Looper, Miss Grant, Dora Chresiman, Lois Bowman, Mary Ann Gordon, Veva Duncan, Jay Weatherford.

Bottom row: Pauline Smith, Goldia White, Edna Gideon, Viola Shockley, Ailsa Stumpff, Lucy Ryan, Ola James, Jessie Irene Moore.

DEBATING CLUB

President.....Jay Weatherford
Vice-President.....Harry Butler
Secretary.....Lucile Bowman
Treasurer.....Lewis Smith
Sponsor.....Mr. Hurst
Color.....Red and White
Flower.....Red Rose
Motto.....To debate as well as Henry Clay
Mascot.....Bull Dog



Top row: B. Bob Beckett, Carl Reynolds, Marion Alewine, Jay Weatherford, Ray Wade.

Second row: Flora Ferguson, Lucile Bowman, Ruth Ellison, Mr. Hurst, Lela Raye, Pauline Redwine, Edna Looper, Lela Munn, Harry Butler.

Tennis Club

OFFICERS

General Mgr.-----Ray Wade
Secretary-----John Redwine

MEMBERS

Eula Maxwell Florence Berry Miss Thompson Tommie Fitzgerald
Lewis Smith Flora Ferguson Miss Cobb Ruth Ellison
Miss Roberts Aaron Mixon Lois Bowman Miss Neeley
Ray Wade John Redwine Ethel Evans Oleta Smith
Clara Falconer Mr. Hurst

Spanish Club



President.....	Flora Ferguson
Vice-President.....	Edna Looper
Secretary.....	Anna Webb
Treasurer.....	Nettie Greenwood
Sponsor.....	Miss Brown
Colors.....	Red and Black
Flower.....	Red Poppy
Motto.....	There is no elevator to success; take the stairs
Mascot.....	Eagle

HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR

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- Wednesday, 21; Walter and Ray are practicing on the relay. Walter is helping his mother relay carpets and Ray is relaying the garden fence.
- Thursday, 22; Everybody who believes that Ruth loves a part of the faculty, please stand on your head.----- (They all did it.)
- Friday, 23; Freshmen have put up a sign, "Keep off the grass." We think that means protection for them.
- Monday, 26; Everybody talks again.
- Tuesday, 27; Lucy is learning a piece to beat Poteau with. We think she will do it.
- Wednesday, 28; Another day nothin' doin'.
Agness, Flora and Lois are all busy for once. Doing what? I don't know.

MARCH

- Thursday, 1; We girls are trying to take good care of our mascot. (Ray)
- Friday, 2; Pauline Smith is talking again. About the annual, of course.
- Monday, 5; Blue Monday, raining. Sleeping Freshies and Sophs.
- Tuesday, 6; Faculty determined to torture the Seniors, just because they want to sleep.
- Wednesday, 7; Juniors are going to give a play April 16.
- Thursday, 8; Mr. Hurst, much to everyones amazement, called Lois down for talking.
- Friday, 9; Mary Anne's got the numps.----- I mean the Flu.
- Monday, 12; Please, teachers, have a heart, on this exam.
- Tuesday, 13; Unlucky day, why don't you stay away, American Literature Exams? Some failed, of course.
- Wednesday, 14; The "Great God" makes it stormy outside and the "Faculty" makes it stormy inside today.
- Thursday, 15; Ray, Lucy, Nettie and many others, ate candy in study hall today.
- Friday, 16; Seniors gathered into room number 4 and ate pop corn during the first period. Who? How many?
- Monday, 19; Flora needs a stenographer. Pauline Smith accepted, to save expenses.
- Tuesday, 20; Pauline is now bothered. Her greatest worry is her pay. Who said it?
- Wednesday, 21; A trip out in the meadow, daisy picking, would be good pastime for any "Romeo" and "Juliet" this day.
- Thursday, 22; Two young people in S. H. S. are very near the brink of the sea of matrimony, I see. (No names need be printed.) Yank!
- Friday, 23; "Espanoles Mozas Club" have their pictures ready for the annual at last.
- Monday, 26; After two days rest. we are here. But Veva is cross today. Imagine it!
- Tuesday, 27; Alma had her hair curled. My! what will happen next?
- Wednesday, 28; Lela Munn is real proud that it is spring again so she can wear her apron, sandals, and sunbonnet to school.
- Thursday, 29; Spring has come at last. Last summer suits are very much in evidence.
- Friday, 30; Rev. Ailstock accents invitation to deliver Baccalaureate Sermon, and Rev. Evans, the commencement address.

APRIL

- Monday, 2; The "House" and then some, talk in charel.
- Tuesday, 3; The "Afterwards of Junior-Senior Fool Stunts." (Picnic I mean) No dunce caps used.
- Wednesday, 4; Ruth. stay in and don't wet your new shoes muddv.
- Tuesday, 5; Lucile, "Carl hasn't called me today. I am afraid he has met foul play."
- Friday, 6; Ebb, Chet, Jay, Walter and Miron wet their spring hair cuts.
- Monday, 9; Lucy Ryan answers a question in History and causes a great commotion.
- Tuesday, 10; Three girls look happy. Three boys are dressed up.
- Wednesday, 11; After two-thirty P. M. several S. H. S. most favored boys and girls leave for parts unknown, like—
- Thursday, 12; Many girls had dates last night. They are only twenty-five cents a box now.
- Friday, 13; Certain unknown individuals (?) raided a poultry farm and stole some chickens and eggs last night. That candv he had tasted just like chicken.
- Monday, 16; Agnes wins two cakes on Track and Field Meet.

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Athenian Literary Society

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Life Members
Fellowship Members
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Student Members
Faculty Members
Community Members
Guest Members
Life Members
Fellowship Members
Associate Members
Student Members
Faculty Members
Community Members
Guest Members

Athenian Literary Society

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President.....Pauline Smith
 Vice-President.....Edna Looper
 Sec. and Treasurer.....Ethel Evans

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Freida Kobel Lee Smith Everette Huff
 Eugenia Moore Ola James Myrtle Collins

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Harry Butler Lucille Bowman Katherine Rigsby
 Lucy Ryan Finley Carlile Agnes Evans

Colors.....Black and White
 Flower.....Shasta Daisy
 Motto.....Ever Higher

MEMBERS

Edna Looper	Oleta Smith
Agnes Evans	Aaron Mixon
Bill Evans	Goldie Smith
Anna Webb	Priscilla Tharel
Jessie Irene Moore	Brad Baker
Chester Noblet	Alice Avery
Jay Weatherford	Lorita Fry
Rex Alexander	Edward Butler
Everette Huff	Grace Chapman
Lucile Bowman	Bob Withrow
Clara Falconer	Jeems Merryman
Frieda Kobel	Floyd Rigsby
Amasa Smith	Lee Smith
Amy Reed	Elizabeth Hickman
Florence Berry	Thelmatine Wade
B. Bob Beckett	Hale Trollinger
Myrtle Casey	Tommie Fitzgerald
Lilia Tobler	Tom Frank Tibbets
Ola James	Dewey Steele
Ainsworth Moore	Clifford Weatherford
Marion Alewine	Tom Autry
Duel Casey	Ossie Allen
Jim Ainsworth	Leo Ellis
Nola Huff	Clifford Ellis
Harry Butler	Lucy Smith
Lois Lowrie	Lola Mixon
Eugenia Moore	Gold Fry
Rebecca Halcomb	Virginia Derryberry
	Finley Carlile

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HIGH SCHOOL CALENDER

(Continued from page seventy-six.)

- Tuesday, 17; Oh! look how green everything is. As examination time draws near, you see many now not only look green, but feel green.
- Wednesday, 18; The days are getting longer, Pauline Stephens is putting on a longer face. (We all know it is just a habit.)
- Thursday, 19; We have been driven all the way thru, said a certain Senior. My! But it is growing tiresome.
- Friday, 20; Reola is as frisky as the April shower today. Wonder who he was that caused her to dress up.
- Monday, 23; Ailsa, Jessie Irene, Lucile, and Mary have rebelled. Reasons for rebellion: tired of American History.
- Tuesday, 24; Malcom, Pearl, Clara, Thelma, Freida and Agnes have seceded from the Sophomore class on account of disagreeableness,
- Wednesday, 25; The Seniors have agreed to always disagree.
- Thursday, 26; Well, one hundred sixteen days of this year have passed. What have we done to brag about?
- Friday, 27; Showers! April showers, are just as welcome as May flowers.
- Monday, 30; Seniors days are numbered. Only a few more of them.

MAY

- Tuesday, 1; Mr. Wales. "Seniors you must get out now!"
Seniors: May we sing one song before we go?"
Mr. Wales: "Yes."
Seniors, rising tearfully, began to sing, "Farewell Forever."
- Wednesday, 2; Wishing that the invitations were all mailed out and out of the way.
- Thursday, 3; Send for some smelling salts and the Doctor. Some Senior has fainted away.
- Friday, 4; Prepare ye for the judgment, for it is near at hand.
- Monday, 7; "There was weeping and wailing and nashing of teeth, and many prayed that easy questions should fall on them and hide them from the faces of the angry faculty"
- Tuesday, 8; Exams are terrible. Let us slip away to some corner and consult our books.
- Wednesday, 9; Rain! Rain! Go away, and come again some other day. For the Seniors Want to play.
- Thursday, 10; Teacher. "Pupils, what day is this?"
Senior, "DAY OF ASCENSION."
Correct.
- Friday, 11; Longest day of the year.
Long days, long exams, long faced teachers, long faced pupils.
- Monday, 14; Simple quiet day. Nothing to say. 'Twas all written up in Exams.
- Tuesday, 15; Girls and Ray took farewell roam about school house and ground.
- Wednesday, 16; My! How gay the Juniors and how sad the Seniors chapel. Seniors prayed last prayer in THEIR S. H. S. class night.
- Thursday, 17; Every Senior is nervous now. Tonight they get their Sheep-Skins.
- Friday, 18; S. H. S. picnic. Seniors entertained.
Ho! There goes Ruth, Lucy and Bill off to Ada; Edna and Anna off to Stillwater for summer school, yelling "Good Bye" to Spiro.
- Dear readers, may you be blessed with a better calendar-keeper for 1923-24. My best wishes to "Tepee" and '24 Seniors.

B. S.
'23

History of Spiro, Oklahoma

Spiro was founded in the fall of 1890, when the Kansas City Southern Railroad was being built through the area.

It is situated about one mile north of the town of Muskogee, in the Cherokee Indian Territory.

In making arrangements for the new town, a great many names and interesting facts were obtained from the people of the town.

TALENT

The first school was opened in 1892, and the first church was organized in 1893.

The town was named in honor of the town of Spiro, Georgia.

About 1894, the United States Government purchased all the lands in the town and built the town of Spiro, Oklahoma.

The money for the purchase of the lands was paid out to the Indian people.

The town has since grown to a village, and is now a thriving community.

It has a fine school system and a good water system, and is doing well.

W. A. O.

FRIENDSHIP

When you are down hearted
And think you have no friends,
And wish your life departed
From all these worldly ends;
You've been deceived.

When friends you have many,
So friendly to you,
You may not have any
Real friends; they are few.
You've been deceived.

When you are downhearted,
And think that death's a bliss,
And wish you and life parted,
You just think of this;
You've been deceived.

Your friends are the giver,
And you're the receiver.
Their plots they deliver,
But you're the deceiver.
You've been deceived.

O. J. W.

History of Spiro, Oklahoma

Spiro was founded in the fall of 1897, which was about the time, the Kansas City Southern Railroad was being built through this section of the Indian Territory.

Spiro is situated, about one mile and one half, west of Skullyville. The name Skullyville, in the Choctaw Indian Language, means money-town. Skullyville was the oldest, inland town, in the Indian Territory.

In making excavations for the Kansas City Southern Railroad, a great many curios and interesting Indian relics, were found in the Indian mounds, north of Spiro. Some of these relics are now in the museum of the Capitol Building of Oklahoma City.

The first depot was an old box car, and was situated about one mile up the track, from our present depot which is a modern brick. At this time the population consisted of the depot agent and one family.

The town was named for a Jew's wife, whose maiden name was Spiro. He was one of the first merchants.

About 1900, the United States Government had the town site surveyed off in blocks and lots, and in 1902, the Daw's commission appraised all the lots. The same year the Dawe's commission, for the United States Government and the Indians, sold the lots at public auction, always giving the party who had improvements on the lots or a legal claim to a lot, the preference right of purchase.

The money for the sale of the lots, went into the Indian Treasury and was afterwards paid out to the Indians per-capita.

Spiro, situated on a prairie, surrounded by fertile lands, naturally began to grow. Spiro's first church was organized, in 1901, by Rev. Hamilton a Methodist minister. The first school was also established, about this time, and was a private subscription school.

It now has three protestant churches and a good school system, and in addition is going to construct a new High School Building. It is the largest agricultural shipping point in Eastern Oklahoma.

Vivian Alberta Smith.

The Ideal School

Let us not, I beseech you, sirs, deceive ourselves longer. We have done everything that could be done, to avert the storm which is now coming on. Yet, the school come—and the teachers. We must be quiet now and do as we are bidden, by this faculty. Their petitions we have slighted; our jabbering has produced additional violence and insult, and at last, they are SORE. There is no longer any room for hope. If we wish to have rest; if we expect to have any peace of mind; if we expect to graduate without any broken bones, we must reform! I repeat it, sirs. We must reform!

An appeal to Mr. Wales, the teachers and to the God of Hosts, is all that is left us.

Students may cry "dance," "parties"—but there is no time for play. The school is actually begun! The next gale that sweeps from the north will bring to our ears the clash of resounding switches. Mr. Wales is already in the forest. Why stand here idle? Why do we not study and make the men of ourselves that we should be? Do we want to stand and be "beat up?"

Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not, what course others may take, but as for me—Give me a QUIET school room or—

Well, if we don't, we are gona get the DICKENS!
P. H. S.

THAT AWFUL TALE

God made a man,
And he made him out 'o mud.
Before this man
No man had ever stood.
God took the man
And he stood him out to dry.
Why he was'nt made of stone——
I don't know why.
God took the rib of the man
To make for him a mate.
He laid the rib upon the ground,
But wait there—God's too late—
For soon a dog came chasing by
And stole the rib away.
This made God very angry
To be bothered on this day.
For he was very anxious
To make this man a mate,
But, as I have said before,
Our God was just too late.
For he ran as fast as man can run.
He ran and ran and ran,
He ran until his tongue was out
And had to stop and fan.
While God was sitting resting,
The dog was resting too;
God was glad as glad could be
For he thought his race was through.
He ran on down the narrow lane
As most wise men do.
He caught hold of the dog again,
As the dog was going through.
He saw that he was just too late,
So he made one more trial for life
And tried the knife upon the tail
Of this brave thief of strife.
Well, he failed to get the muddy rib
And got the cur's tail instead.
He said if he didn't make a mate
His race would soon be dead.
So—
As the dog jumped through the fence
And his tail was cut from thence,
The dog growled long and loud,
And God started working hard,
To make a mate,
Tho he was too late for the rib,
He could use the tail.
And he was made a mate
Who was very great,
(Well, it's all to fate,
For God was too late,
And it is not the "mate"
To whom we should howl,
For staying behind
And wanting to growl.)

Pauline Smith.

"LOVE"

Why so you stand aghast
And stare at me that way?
I am a man of the past
With just a word to say.
You know who I am, my friend;
The man who died for you,
Who went to France and met the end,
But won for the Red, White and Blue,
While I lay on the field
A pain was in my back,
But I was your shield,—
My head lay on my pack.
My wounds throbbed and hurt.—
A gash was in my head
And partly filled with dirt—
I wished that I was dead.
But then, I thought of you,
The people of my land.
I raised myself an inch or two
And crawled the blood-stained sand.
In my throat I felt a thirst,
My eyes could hardly see.
I thought my head would burst.
A bullet struck my knee.
I thought of you back here,
The people that I love.
It was then I felt the fear
That came from up above.
I raised my head upon my hand—
(The enemy's trench was near)
I thought of the people of my land,
For them, it was my fear.
An attack came from the foe.
They were going to kill my comrades,
But I managed to throw
Them one of my gernades.
It happened in a flash—
My life left with the foe.
We left our bodies, to dash
From this old world of woe.
For you, my friend, I gave my life
And suffered deaths untold.
For you, my friend, I made the strife
That left my body cold.

O. J. W.

LITERARY

The District Track and Field Meet came on April six and seven at Poteau Oklahoma. Students of Junior High School and Senior High School began their work with much enthusiasm and interest. We readily saw that we had splendid material by which we could gain a few honors. The contestants showed that much had been done along the line of Literary work. The winners in the Literary events, were as follows:

First Prizes:

High School

Voice—Edna Looper

Piano—Lucy Ryan

Penmanship—Lois Bowman

Junior High School

Spelling—Valley O'Connell

Second Prizes:

Junior High

Piano—Vivian Smith

Sewing—Lois Lowrie

Third Prizes:

High School

Composition—Pearl West

Junior High

Penmanship—Priscilla Tharel

Girls Reading—Vivian Smith

Boys Oration—Aaron Mixon

We hope to enter again next year, and carry home many honors.

THE FRESHIE

Down on fifth aisle
A modest "Freshie" grew.
It's back was bent; it hung it's head
As if to hide from view.
And yet it was a lovely "Freshie,"
It's face so sweet and pure,
It might have graced the "Senior corner"
Instead of hiding there.

Yet there it was content to bloom
In modest tints arrayed,
And there it studied lessons hard
Within the silent shade.
Then let me to this aisle go,
This pretty "Freshie" to see
That I might also learn to study
In sweet humility.

L. M.



POPULAR GIRL

It is the custom each year to select the most popular girl in school, and there was much rivalry between Junior and Senior High Schools. The candidates were chosen and the contest continued for one week. The race was very close and all students grew eager for the finals. Miss Eugenia Moore won first honor from Junior High and Miss Mary Hartshorne won first honor from Senior High.

We believe the Student body did well in their choice of young ladies.



MARY HARTSHORNE



EUGENIA MOORE

A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD

The sermon ended. The minister
Asked those to take his hand
Who wished to pledge sincerely
Their faith to Jesus' band.

In all of that vast multitude
Not one came forward; then
The men glanced at the women
Who in turn glanced at the men.

Each waiting for the other one
To lead them down the carpeted aisle
Each looking to his neighbor.
And the choir sang meanwhile.

A second time the minister
Repeated the fervent call.
He looked about him as he heard
A slight stirring by the wall.

And out from the mass of people,
While her eyes with rapture shown,
An innocent little maiden
Came walking all alone.

She stepped up to the minister
And put her hand in his.
Oh! what a wonderful thing is faith,
If that's what true faith is!

And then the shame faced multitude
Pressed 'round and grasped his hand
And smiled on the little maiden
Though she didn't understand.

Then the minister stepped to the pulpit
And asked them his words to heed.
All that he said was this
"A little child shall lead."

M. C. H.

Boys Basketball



L.A.B.

ATHLETICS

Boys Basket Ball

RAY WADE—Captain—Left Forward—Wade was the steadiest player on the field, and he never failed to do his duty. He was a good, clean, fast and quiet player. All these qualities and his fine sportmanship made him one of the best captains of S. H. S. He set an example for managing and playing that is hard to beat. We are sorry to lose Ray, but we will never forget him.

MALCOLM STEPHENS—Stationary Guard—This was Malcolm's first year out but you couldn't tell it. He never left his post and if a man dribbled by him it was a mere accident. He will be with the team two more years. We believe he will develop into the best stationary guard in LeFlore County.

FINLEY CARLILE—He wasn't so very tall, yet he out-jumped all of his opponents, and when he started to the goal you just couldn't make him stop. He worked hard and conscientiously all season, always ready to do whatever coach asked him to do. He was one of the best natured men on the team. He will be with them two more years.

EBB HUFF—Right Forward—Ebb is least in size but not in importance. He has scored more points than any man on the 1922-23 team. He was the best shot on the team. It made little difference to him whether he was in the middle of the field or under the basket, he seldom missed a goal. He will be back again next year.

DEWEY STEELE—Guard—When it came to hard playing Dewey was right there. He was a good forward, but we had a wealth of material at forward, but was shy at guard so he was put there. When told to do a thing one way he carried out the instruction to the letter, and that is the reason he made good as a guard.

AMASA SMITH—Substitute—Altho "Masa" was only a substitute this year he is an on-coming star. He was the best utility man on the field. His guarding was close his passing was steady and his dribbling was clean. He will be with the team two more years.

LEE SMITH—Guard—Lee was just naturally a demon on the defense. Many an opposing player was baffled by his clever work. He would not leave his territory at any time unless the referee called the game out. He is one of those fellows who fights to the end, and never gives in."

GIRLS BASKET BALL TEAM

BOYS BASKET BALL TEAM



MALCOLM STEPHENS, FINLEY CARLILE, AMASA SMITH, LEE SMITH,
RAY WADE, EVERETTE HUFF, DEWEY STEELE.

GIRLS BASKET BALL

OFFICERS

Captain.....	Edith Palmer
Business Mgr.....	Flora Ferguson
Secretary.....	Ruth Ellison
Coach.....	Miss Thompson

FIRST TEAM

Ruth Ellison.....	Guard
Flora Ferguson.....	Guard
Ethel Evans.....	Side Center
Reola Webb.....	Jumping Center
Edith Palmer.....	Forward
Lethal Hamby.....	Forward

GIRLS BASKET BALL TEAM



GIRLS BASKET BALL TEAM

County Track Meet

The Track and Field teams had a local tryout on March 19th and 20th, for the purpose of finding the most competent ones to represent the school in the annual Track and Field Meet held at Poteau April the 6th and 7th, 1923.

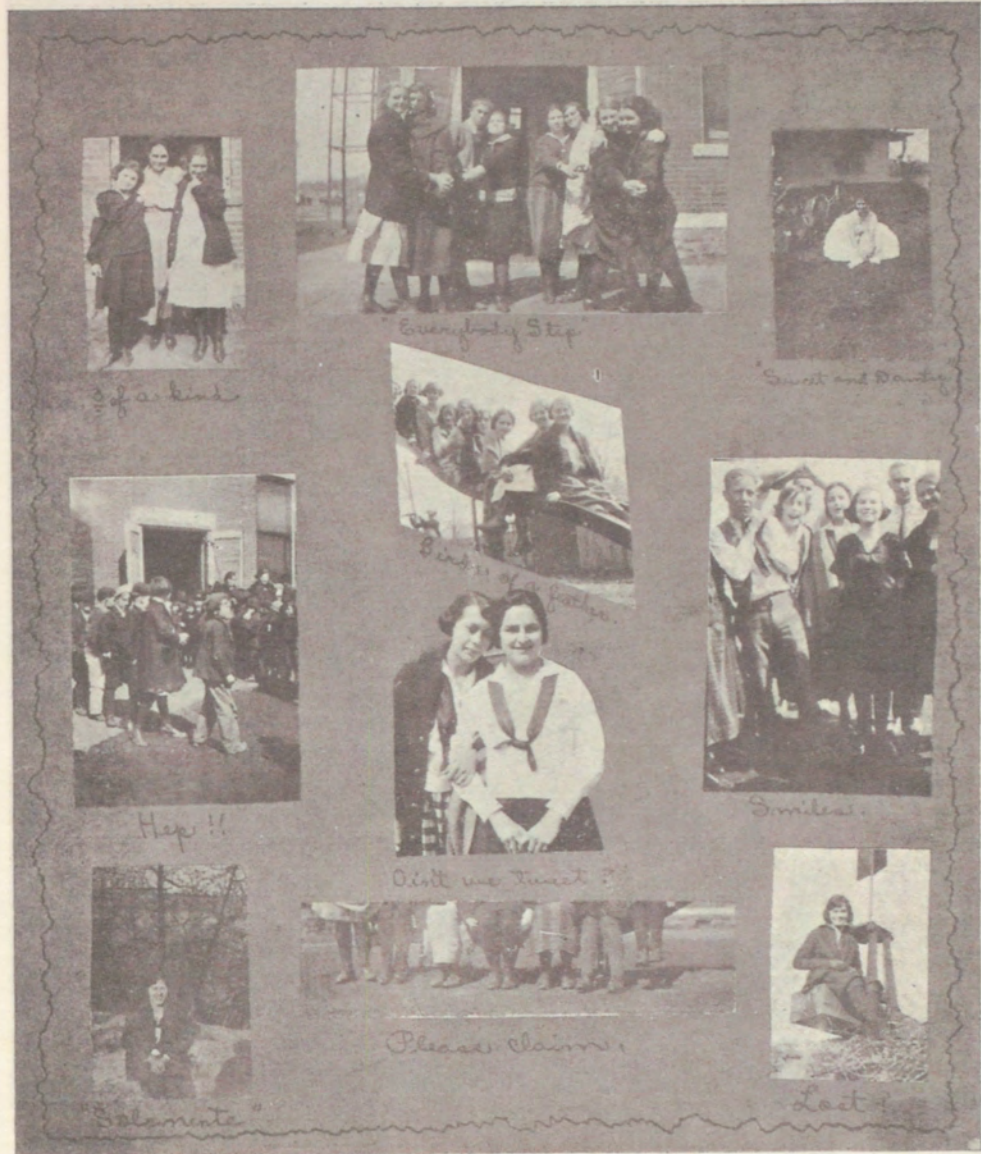
The following contestants were selected: 100 Yd. dash; Lewis Smith, Malcolm Stephens. 220 Yd. dash; Lewis Smith. 440 Yd. dash; Lewis Smith, Everette Huff. 880 Yd. run; Lewis Smith, Everette Huff. Mile run; Lewis Smith, Everette Huff. Running broad jump; Amasa Smith, Malcolm Stephens. Running high jump; Amasa Smith, Walter Derryberry. Standing high jump; Walter Derryberry. Shot put; Malcolm Stephens, Everette Huff. Discus; Malcolm Stephens, Walter Derryberry. Pole vault; Walter Derryberry.

Lee Smith represented the Junior High School in the boys Track and Field Events. Jessie Avery was a representative for the girls.

This was a new experience for most of the contestants. But the latent talent was brought to light. It proved that they were capable of competing with larger towns and were able to carry off several medals and high honors.

KODAKERY











J. S. Butler



Mrs. R. H. Moore



Mrs. S. Thomas



R. L. Richards



Wm. M. Lane



J. S. [unclear]



J. W. [unclear]



A. S. [unclear]

SENSE AND NONSENSE

Doctor to Lewis Smith—"I'll be back tomorrow but I'll leave the medicine; so if you feel any pain in the interim you can take it."

Lewis—"Just where is my interim located?"

Lucy Ryan—"What makes gasoline so high?"

Jay—"It's refined."

Miss Brown—"No, No, you can't add two unlikes. What would you get if you added a cow and a dog?"

Harry—"A bull dog."

Thelma Daniel to Everette Huff—"How are your grades this month?"

Ebb—"They would be good but for one thing."

Thelma—"What's that?"

Ebb—"They are rotten."

Failed in Latin, flunked in math,
I heard his savagely hiss;
I'd like to find the guy who said
That ignorance is bliss.

Edna Looper—"We are going to try a new hymn at choir practice tonight."

Reola Webb—"I can't come. I am going to give a new him a trial myself."

Miss Grant—"Wilma, would you say a woman looked bad or badly?"

Wilma Peters—"It would be according to how she looked."

Mr. Hurst—"Why did you leave the room?"

Corble—"Because I couldn't take it with me."

Mr. Wales—"Lewis, I'm afraid I will have to give you zero."

Lewis—"That means nothing to me."

Mr. Hurst—"What causes hardness of water?"

Alma McDaniel—"Freezing, of course."

Mrs. Neely—"What makes you keep time to the music with your foot?"

Clara Bell—"It's music in my soul I guess."

Miss Thompson—"Why did you post those letters when you knew they were not addressed?"

Miss Brown—"I thought you didn't want any one to know whom they were for."

She Was A Liar
(and beautiful)

She Was A Hypocrite
(and kissable)

She Was A Tyrant
(and adorable)

She Was A Cheat
(and bewitching)

Yet no one lifted a hand against her—

WHY?

She is

"THE FLIRT"

Mr. Hurst—"Lois why are you late to class?"

Lois—"Why-er-Mr. Hurst the bell rang just before I got here."

Lucy—"Gee!How came this button in my salad?"

Lewis—"Oh, I bet that's from the dressing!"

Dolly—"Eugenia, I wish you would please hurry and get through eating that apple."

Eugenia—"Why?"

Dolly—"Because, I want to go to sleep."

Mr. Wales—"Have you seen a boy going down the street with one eye named Tom?"

Jay—"I don't know. What was the other eye named?"

Miss Brown—"Why Miss Thompson, the fifteen minute bell has rung. Haven't you your hair combed?"

Miss Thompson—"Combed? Well I guess not. I haven't found it all yet."

Miss Grant—"Ray, what is conscience?"

"No reply—"

Miss Grant—"Oh, you know. What is it that tells us when we've done wrong?"

Ray—"Mr. Wales."

Lewis Smith—"I lost my dog, Chet, what am I going to do?"

Chester Noblet—"Why don't you advertise for him?"

Lewis—"Sure, my dog can't read advertisements."

Myron to Mrs. Bowman—"Mrs. Bowman, your daughter has promised to become my wife."

Mrs. Bowmar—"Well don't come to me for sympathy; you might have known something would happen to you, hanging around here five nights a week."

Lela Raye—"Did you tell anybody about my pies?"

Walter Derryberry—"Oh, yes! I had to tell the physician what ailed me."

Harry—"All is lost, the ship will sink."

Amasa—"DID YOU HEAR THAT? The ship will sink?"

Harry—"Well, let it sink. What do we care? We don't own it."

Rev. Starkey was horrified one Sunday to see Harry Butler in the gallery of the church pelting his hearers in the pews below with paper wads. As the good man looked up, Harry cried out: "You tend to your preaching, mister; I'll keep them awake."

It was Malcolm's first trip to the city. As he stood on the sidewalk, shaking his sides with laughter, a policeman walked up and said:

"What's the fun, sir?"

"Fun," said Malcolm, "Can't you see it? Just look how that thing (pointing to a watering cart) leaks. Why, the idiot won't have a drop left when he gets home."

Bob Beckett was running the lawn mower when the minister stopped at the house.

"Is your mother in, Bob?"

Bob—"Do you think I would be cutting this grass, if she wasn't?"

Ola James—"Mother, are we all descendants of monkeys?"

Mrs. James—"Gracious no, our folks came from whales." (Wales)

Ailsa—"Finley has never done a day's work in his life!"

Mary Anne—"How does he live?"

Ailsa—"He is a night watchman."

Returning from the dentist's where he had gone to have a loose tooth drawn, Martin Ward reported as follows—"The doctor told me before he began that if I cried or screamed it would cost me a dollar, but if I was good, it would only be fifty cents."

"Did you scream," ask Ray.

"How could I? Father only gave me fifty cents."

Dressmaker—"Did you say, Miss Lucy Ryan, that I did poor work when I made that dress of yours?"

Lucy—"No indeed, when it ripped under the arm at Pauline's party I merely said it was on account of the seam stress."

Prof. Wales—"Don't you know that Washington never told a lie?"

Corbel—"Sir; I only heard it."

Miss Brown—"Chester, give me your current event."

Lewis Smith. "Oh, Miss Brown, let me give mine. I've been saving it for a month."

Miss Thompson—(in English). "Amy, what is an abstract noun?"

Amy Reid. "Something you can see and can not touch."

Miss Thompson. "Give an example."
Amy. "A red hot poker."

Jay Weatherford—"What is the frown about, Polly?"

Pauline Smith. "Why, I just can't understand why it is my 'short' beau won't stay at home and sleep, when I take my 'tall' beau to the show."

Dutch Butler—"Mr. Hurst, do you think a boy should believe everything his father says?"

Mr. Hurst—"Yes, Sir!"

Dutch—"Well, this morning Dad told me I would never amount to anything."

Mr. Wales—"Harry, come into my office. I'll give you a whipping."

Harry—"I won't do it. I wouldn't go in there for TWO whippings."

Mr. Wales—"I like good jokes. Always have a good collection of good jokes and they will make your life happier."

Pauline Redwine—"Mr. Wales, may I add YOU to my collection?"

Amasa Smith—"Harry, what is the matter with your hands?"

Harry Butler—"They are full of pin-feathers."

Jessie Irene Moore—"Oh Chester, you look just like Rudolph Valentino."

But Chester didn't take the hint.

We know a girl who can't keep up with her tooth-brush. She should marry a man with a stubby mustache.

One day Frank Ward had a tender passion and took Elsie Winkle some flowers.

"How kind of you," said Elsie, "to bring me these lovely flowers. They are so beautiful and fresh. I think there is some dew on them yet."

"Yes," said Frank, greatly embarrassed, "there is, but I'm going to pay it off tomorrow."

Lois Bowman (before Senior Play); "Can you give me two good seats in the coolest part of the house?"

Miss Thompson—"Yes; here are two in Z row."

Lela Munn—"Healthy place here. When I came here I couldn't stand alone."

Ruth Ellison—"Really?"

Lela—"Yes I was born here."

Pauline Redwine—"Veva has built for herself such a dear little bungalow. It is so neat."

Jessie Irene Moore—"Neat? I'll bet she had every nail in it manicured."

Lucile Bowman—"I always sleep with my gloves on. That's why my hands are so soft."

Pauline Smith—"Do you sleep with your hat on also?"

Agent:—"But mum, it's a shame to let your husband's life insurance lapse."

Mrs. Wales—I'll not pay another cent. I've paid regular for eight years, an' had no luck yet."

Jake Palmer—"Mr. Hurst, will you come up here with us tonight to practice?"

Mr. Hurst—Silent.

Jake—"Well, I'm not coming up here by myself."

Mr. Hurst—"I didn't like the study of Astronomy."

Mr. Wales—(surprised) "I didn't know you had been married."

We will long remember Mr. Wales

For the work that he has done.

In his task, he never fails;

And hard work he never shuns—

If it benefits his students.

Mr. Hurst is a man.

Not a man who can't,

But a man who can

And always will———paint.

He paints up so keen.

With him it's an art,

To paint up his bean

To win some fair heart.

Mr. Hurst is a man.

Not a man who can't

But a man who can.

And always will———paint

Bill came down to breakfast very late and her mother scanned her severely.

"Did that young man kiss you last night?"

"Now mother, you don't suppose he came all the way out here to hear me sing."

Mr. Redwine—"John, where were you last night?"

John—"Out riding around with the fellows."

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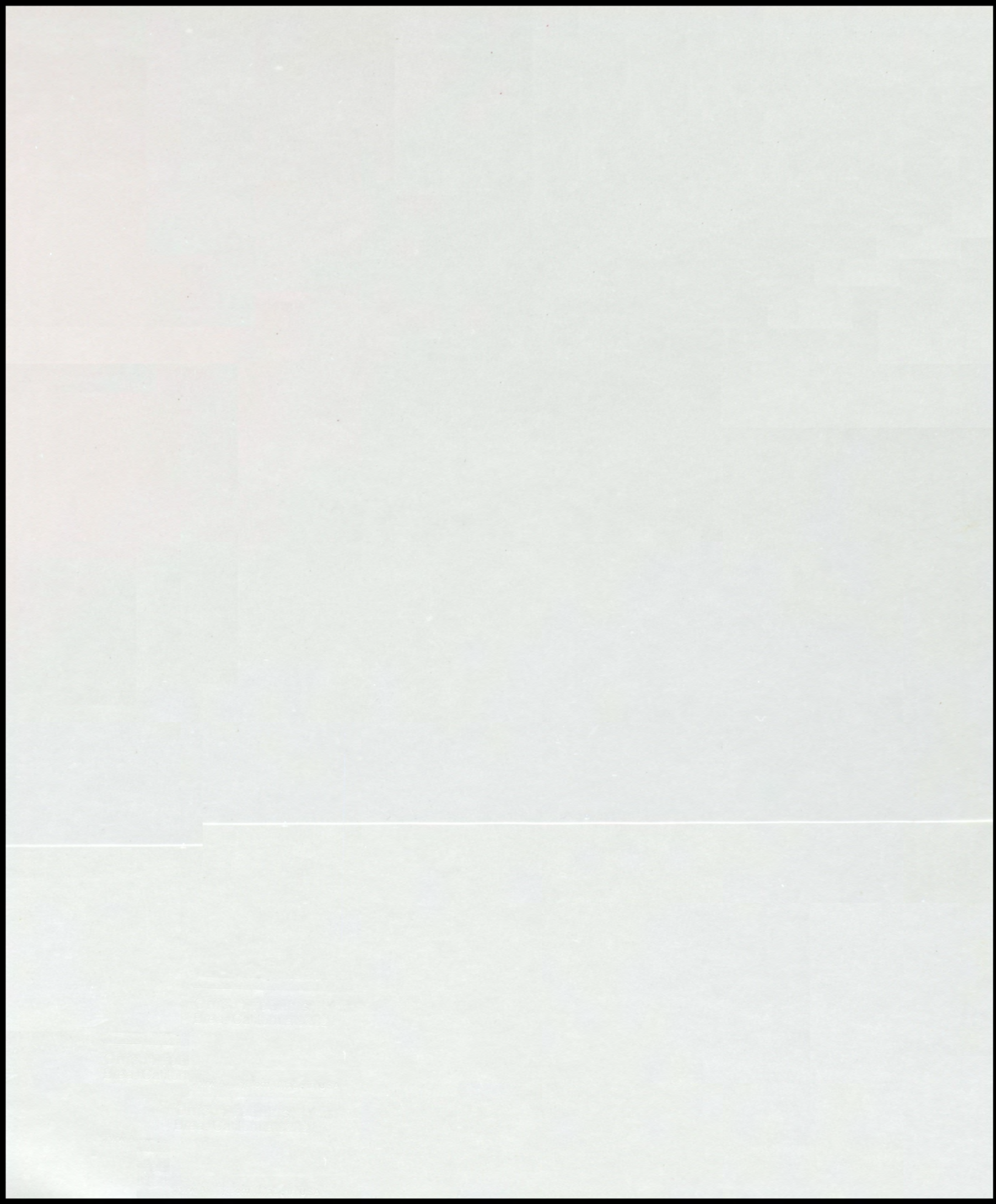
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