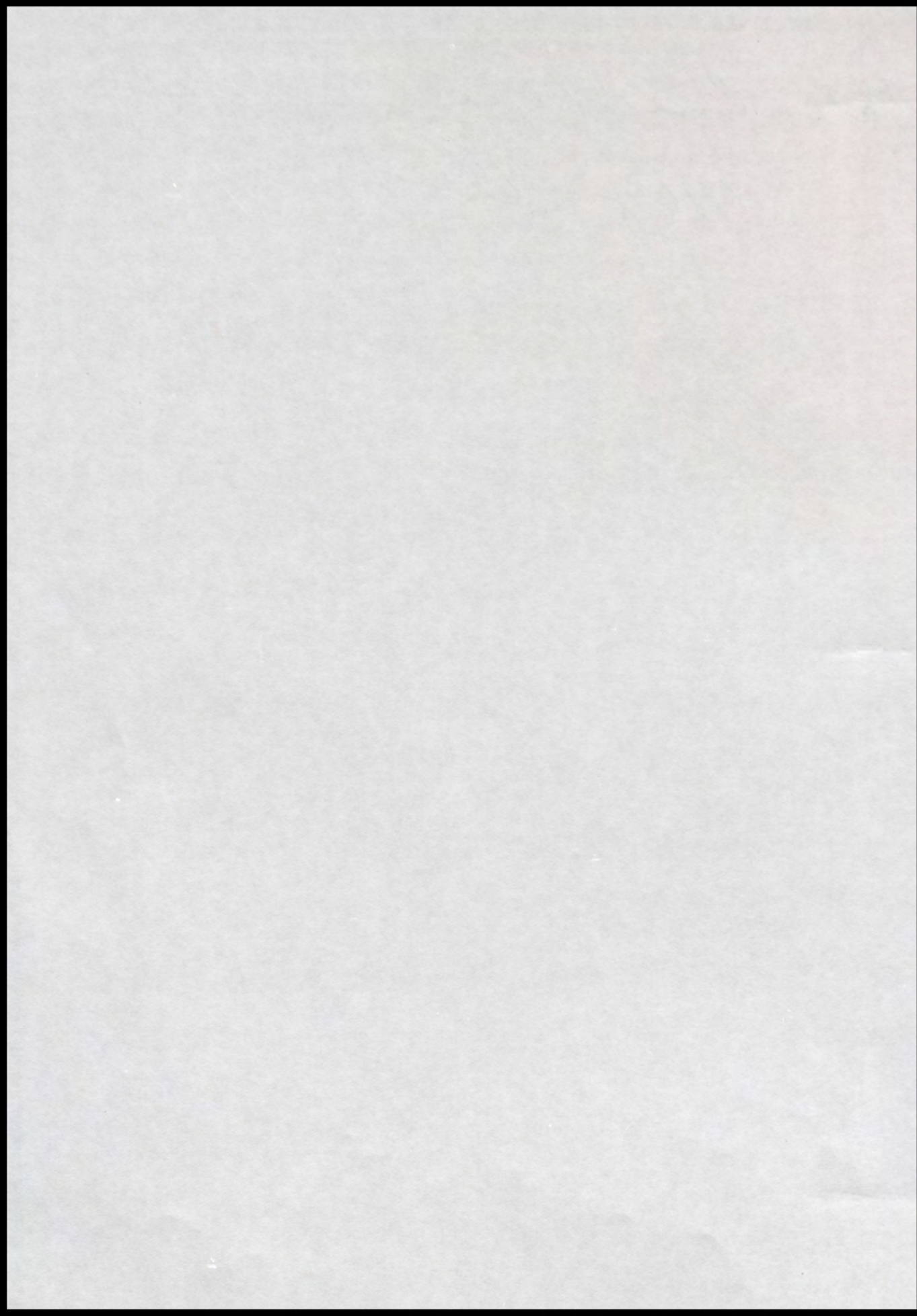


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Jay Weatherford
EDITOR

Lewis V. Smith
Business Mgr.

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FOREWORD

“For there is nothing either good or bad, but thinking makes it so.”

In this volume of the Tepee we have done our utmost to record the most important phases of the life of the Spiro High School students of 1924.

If in later years this Yearbook will help you to think of the year 1924, spent in Spiro High School, as one of the happiest and most profitable of your life, our aim will have been accomplished.

DEDICATION

To the one whom we wish to show our deepest regards, to the one who has given his all to the students of Spiro High, to the one who finds pleasure in knowing that he is helping others, by helping them to prepare themselves for life's great battle.

Principal George F. Blodgett

To him we dedicate this volume of the TEPEE of 1924.

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J. E. WALES A. B.
Superintendent of Schools

Mr. Wales became Superintendent of the Spiro Schools in 1922-23. During the two years of his Superintendency he has done much for the progress of our schools. Mr. Wales, with his fine personality and educational ability has made our school life very enjoyable. We owe much to his efforts.



Reading Left to right: W. G. Stockton—Jr. High; Miss Reginia Brown—Foreign Language; Miss Mildred Thompson—English; Mrs. T. W. Lanham—Expression; Miss Maymie Cravens—Music; Miss Edith Watts—Mathematics.

SENIORS

CLASS OFFICERS

President	:—:	:—:	:—:	:—:	Lela Raye
Vice-President	:—:	:—:	:—:	:—:	Ailsa Stumpff
Sec'y and Treasurer	:—:	:—:	:—:	:—:	Alma McDaniel
Sponsor	:—:	:—:	:—:	:—:	Mr. Blodgett
Colors	:—:	:—:	:—:	:—:	Blue and Gold
Flowers	:—:	:—:	:—:	:—:	Sweet Peas

SENIOR METHODS OF TRAVELING
THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL

On Good Looks	:—:	:—:	Chester Noblet
On Good Nature	:—:	:—:	Lela Munn
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On Acquired Ability	:—:	:—:	Finley Carlile
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Sure 'Nuf Work	:—:	:—:	Lucy Smith
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In A Ford Coupe	:—:	:—:	Jessie Irene Moore
Those Popularity Contests	:—:	:—:	Lois Bowman
Oh! Finley Help Me	:—:	:—:	Ailsa Stumpff
Just Being Good	:—:	:—:	Reola Webb

WHO'S WHO!

Class Historian	Lela Munn
Class Prophet	Alma McDaniel
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Class Orator	Chester Noblet
Class Poet	Jay Weatherford
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Most Popular Girl	Lois Bowman
Most Popular Boy	Chester Noblet
Prettiest Girl	Ailsa Stumpff
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Most Studious Boy	Lewis Smith
Best Athlete Girl	Lucy Smith
Best Athlete Boy	Everette Huff
Most Original Girl	Alma McDaniel
Most Original Boy	Jay Weatherford
Best All Around Girl	Lela Munn
Best All Around Boy	Lewis Smith
Wittiest Girl	Ailsa Stumpff
Wittiest Boy	Jay Weatherford
Optimist	Lucille Bowman
Pessimist	Everette Huff
Class Jelly Bean	Chester Noblet
Biggest Bluffer	Everette Huff
Chatter Box	Mary Ann Gordon
Best Sport	Jessie Irene Moore
Quietest	Veva Duncan
Best Natured	Lewis Smith
Most Apt To Succeed	Mary Ann Gordon
Cleverest	Lucille Bowman
Bossiest	Alma McDaniel
Most Bashful	Reola Webb
Best Singer	Mary Ann Gordon
Best Musician	Lela Munn
Most Attractive	Chester Noblet
Class Bride	Ailsa Stumpff
Class Bride Groom	Finley Carlile
Self Confident	Finley Carlile
Biggest Tomboy	Lela Ray



LEWIS VANCE SMITH

"Smitty"

"Romeo! Romeo! Wilt thou be mine?"
 Class Lawyer '23-'24
 Peptonian Literary Society '20-'21
 Track Team '21-'22-'23-'24
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MARY ANN GORDON

"Trixie"

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 Tepee Staff '23-'24

LOIS ANNA BOWMAN

"DodAnna"

"To be popular is one of my many
 ambitions"

Art Editor Tepee '23-'24

Dramatic Club-Athenian

JAY WEATHERFORD

Athenian Literary Society '22-'23
 Debating Club President '22-'23
 Dramatic Club '22-'23-'24
 Glee Club '22-'23
 Class Poet '22-'23-'24
 Literary Society '23-'24
 Editor Tepee '23-'24



CHESTER ARTHUR NOBLET

"Chet"

"You too can have a skin you love to touch"

- Peptonian Literary Society '20-'21
- Track Team '21-'22
- Athenian Literary Society '22-'23
- Glee Club '22-'23
- Dramatic Club '22-'23-'24
- Class Orator '23-'24
- Victorian Literary Society '23-'24
- Foot Ball Team '23-'24

LAURA LUCILLE BOWMAN

"Sis"

"My Kingdom for a houseboat"

- Peptonian Literary Society '20-'21
- Athenian Literary Society '22-'23
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REOLA ELLEN WEBB

"Re"

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- Basket Ball Team '22-'23-'24
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- Literary Society '23-'24

LELA MAY RAY

"Johnny"

"To be ambitious is to be wise"

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- Pres. Victorian Literary Society '23-'24



EVERETTE HUFF

"Ebb"

"My dear ladies, I came down"
 Jazzonian Literary Society '20-'21
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 Joke Editor Staff '23-'24
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 Class Joker '23-'24

AILSA JANE STUMPF

"Stumppy"

"I have Finley; I am content"
 Jazzonian Literary Society Sec '20-'21
 Music Class '21-'22
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 Glee Club '22-'23
 Dramatic Club Pres. '22-'23-'24
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LELA EUGENIA MUNN

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 Dramatic Club '22-'23-'24
 Literary Society '23-'24
 Assistant Editor of Tepee '23-'24
 Class Historian '23-'24
 Basket Ball Team '23-'24

ALMA MCDANIEL

"Allymo"

"Simplicity and Modesty are two of
 her many virtues"
 Peptonian Literary Society '20-'21
 Basket Ball Captain '20-'21
 Expression Class '21-'22
 Junior Class Pres. '22-'23
 Yell Leader '22-'23
 Excelsior Literary Society '22-'23
 Dramatic Club '22-'23-'24
 Senior Class Sec. '23-'24
 Calendar Keeper of Tepee '23-'24
 Class Prophet '23-'24
 Victorian Literary Society '23-'24



THOMAS FINLEY CARLILE

"Love isn't such a bad thing after all"
 Dramatic Club '23-'24
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 Glee Club '22-'23
 Basket Ball '22-'23-'24
 Foot Ball '23-'24
 Excelsior '22-'23

LUCY LORETTA SMITH

"Have you got a privilege"
 Athenian Literary Society '22-'23
 Victorian Literary Society '24
 Basket Ball '22-'23-'24

BARBARA VEVA DUNCAN

"Bevo"
 Jazzonian Literary Society '20-'21
 Music Class '20-'21-'22
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JESSIE IRENE MOORE

"Dolly"
 "Tis good just to win a smile from her"
 Glee Club '22-'23
 Dramatic Club '22-'23-'24
 Peptonian Literary Society '20-'21
 Athenian Literary Society '22-'23
 Sec Athenian Literary Society '23-'24
 Expression Class '22-'23
 Art Class '22-'23

CLASS HISTORY

"I have had playmates, I have had companions,
In my days of childhood, in my joyful schooldays;
All, all are gone, the old familiar faces."

(Charles Lamb)

In September, 1920, we, a group of young boys and girls, trooped into Spiro High under the title of "Freshmen." We provided ourselves with as much dignity and confidence as possible, preparatory to entering the hall, and squaring our shoulders, marched gallantly to our destination. But once within, all our hitherto provisions sank swiftly into oblivion and we were left,—a hopeless group, trying bravely to rise to the occasion. We received many looks of contempt and only the taunts of the remaining students could be heard above the din of voices. Not a sympathetic word was voiced, but soon, Miss Hailey, descending like a fairy into the midst of confusion, led us to an adjoining room for enrollment and in this manner the remainder of our strength and courage was spent.

All these were the tortures we enjoyed for many ensuing days, but there came a day when we learned to ignore all these things which came mainly from the Seniors, whom we had been taught, were very reserved and dignified.

Before long we found ourselves struggling bravely through the Freshman chain of study under the management of Mr. J. E. Garrett, Misses Nina Bell Hailey and Sadie Lee Parks, all of great intellectual ability. Our first superintendent, Mr. C. D. Caldwell, after a period of two weeks, tendered his resignation and was soon relieved by Mr. Garrett.

At the end of the term Corbie Aubry withdrew from the realms of our course to remain with the next Freshmen. Ethel Carter also quit the class to take up her profession as saleslady in one of our local stores.

Our next year of school life, we were joined by Lela Ray, who came from Poteau to add her ability to our forces. Jay Weatherford also enrolled with us, and we all came through with the honor of having taken another step in the great ladder of knowledge.

We were aided by our new instructors Mr. T. W. Lanham, Misses Mildred Wigley and Sadie Lee Parks. All three possessed wonderful intellect and we certainly appreciated the kind assistance given us by them, in our efforts to conquer the work assigned. Mrs. Lanham came with Mr. Lanham to reside here and thanks to that dear and noble woman who has given us much delight and pleasure through her genius.

In September, '22, we came back to enter in our Junior studies, to begin the usual routine of school life which seemed to hold many pleasant and untold realities.

An entirely new faculty was elected, including: Superintendent J. E. Wales, a man of much influence and intellectual power, assisted by the equal ability of Principal O. W. Hurst; Misses Mildred Thompson and Regina Brown, both who, with their splendid knowledge, guided us safely through English and History; Miss Nell Grant, Junior High, instructor, a woman of winning manners and a pleasing personality.

We began by organizing our class and Alma McDaniel was elected President; Lois Bowman, vice-president; Lewis Smith, Secretary and Treasurer.

The Juniors had the honor of entertaining the Seniors with a banquet, the first to be given pertaining to school life here, and was a great success. We are also proud of the fact that we named the "Tepee" and may it be the success in each year to come that the first volume was. These two things are the two happiest events we recall, that happened during the year.

We went steadily onward, learning many useful things and increasing our knowledge, each hour bringing us nearer our goal and at the end of the Junior term we were extremely proud of ourselves and of the fact that we would, very soon be full-fledged Seniors.

Only two of our nineteen members retired from our band, Rex Alexander traveled to the "Golden West" of California,—Ruth Ellison, responded to the impressive wails of Dan Cupid.

Thus, we came to our Senior Year in which we were guided by the capable supervision of Superintendent, J. E. Wales; Misses Brown and Thompson, also, members of Spiro faculty of '22; Mr. G. F. Blodgett and Miss Edith Watts, who hailed from the Mena faculty of '22 and who have both made strong and lasting impressions. Completing our faculty was Mr. W. G. Stockton, who through his never failing interest and humor, has won a host of friends in Spiro.

At the beginning of the Semester we welcomed Finley Carlile as a member of our class—we really don't know what inspired Finley—(?) We retained our old membership (with the exception of Amy Reed, who preferred the Juniors) and were seventeen strong in number.

We were very much infatuated at first, and were eager to begin our studies.

During the first few weeks, we organized, elected being: President, Lela Ray; Vice-president, Ailsa Stumpff and Secretary and Treasurer, Alma McDaniel.

We won in our trials of putting out an annual, which is the second volume of the "Tepee." May it someday be one of the best, if not the best in the State!

We have spent many pleasant hours in our studies this last year and have had no time to think of the end but now as it has arrived, it is with mingled joy and sadness that we attain our goal which has inspired us ever onward.

Dear Classmates, let us remember all of the instructors who have made our pathways brighter, have inspired in us, so much confidence, and have given readily, so much encouragement. Also, when we go out into the world for a career, may we always hold most sacred in our hearts and cherish fondly, the many delightful days spent in dear old Spiro High.

L. E. M.

CLASS PROPHECY

THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1924.

Last week a friend from the Orient sent me a mystic globe, and if you will follow me, I shall give you the pictures it presented to me.

First I saw Chester Noblet, a big, clean-hearted man, giving from the pulpit the gospel and messages of love of our Saviour, and from the multitudes gathered in front of him we find him to be their shepherd. We follow him in his daily work and always find him ready to lend a helping hand. Schools and institutions receive his aid and, why not? Just true characteristics of Chester.

We have now in view a beautiful building, which by its stately halls and large campus we find to be a school. Fifty white-middied and black-bloomered girls run forth from the building led by their instructor. Their rhythmic exercises cast a favorable impression upon us and we want to see the instructor. We find her to be none other than our old classmate—Reola Webb. She is, indeed, a noble woman leading others to a greater appreciation of life.

The scene now shifts to the brilliant surroundings of the Orient where we see a man and woman buying silks and jewels at a street shop. They start away and we recognize Veva Duncan but we find that she is no longer Miss Veva as she introduced her husband, a Mr. Burke.

A large hospital comes into view. A sick-room is portrayed. We see the doctor as he turns away for the last time but the nurse remains, a splendid example of courageous devotion. We see her face—our chum Lucy Smith, who has been a nurse for several years.

Jay Weatherford, now a prominent man in the field of Journalism comes into view. He is now Editor of the Twentieth Century Magazine. Jay looks older but still, that hair! We shall always remember that.

We then are shown a large theater, a garden scene, Japanese, a beautiful girl is playing a Japanese love-song while two Japanese maids flit to and fro. We discern these to be Mary Ann Gordon and Lucille Bowman, noted dancers and the accompanist is Lois Bownman, a celebrated pianist.

We are changed to the crowded conditions of a city street. We follow a car straight down the street and on into the suburbs. We see it stop at a new bungalow. This we learn is the home of the man in the car, Finley Carlile and his wife, Ailsa Stumpff. Their two children run to meet him. Finley is an Architect in the city.

The globe revolves and our friend Lewis Smith is seen smiling as usual. After taking several degrees at Harvard he is now practicing law with the largest law firm west of the Mississippi River. He is also active in politics being now a member of the State Legislature and a Candidate for Congressman.

Jessie Irene Moore has, too, realized her dream as she is today Head of the Home Economics Dep't of the University of Oklahoma. She is endeavoring to teach the young women of the State the real art of Home-making.

We see a large Studio with luxurious furnishings. A small sign near the door tells us that this is the Studio of Lela Ray, Director of a School of Fine Arts. She is the same charming girl as we knew her in High School.

It seems that the members of our class have drifted into every walk of life in the various parts of the world. We find Everette Huff, the leading man in the Lasky Studios. He has long since reached the highest success in his profession. His adept acting in High School foretold the ultimate attainment which he has now reached.

Lela Munn is a very busy woman. She is Sec'y to the Governor of our State and has already published a book and several articles to our leading magazines.

The mystic globe of the Orient moves once more and we gaze upon a far-removed scene. It is an orphanage, we see lots of little children gathered around a chair. We look again and recognize Alma McDaniel our friend of High School days. She is the matron of the Sunshine Orphanage and is a very capable one too. Alma finds much enjoyment in her life's work and it is a noble one.

CLASS WILL

We, the Seniors of Spiro High School, of the town of Spiro, County of LeFlore, State of Oklahoma, being of sound mind and understanding, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be our last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and cancelling all other and former wills and codicils by us at any time made, to-wit:

First: We direct that all of our virtues and faults be left for the Student Body of Spiro High School.

Second: All the rest, and remainder of our property, and personal natures and virtues, we give, devise, bequeath and appoint to these following persons, as stated by the benefactors.

- I, Finley Carlile, will my love for Ailsa Stumpff to Amasa Smith.
- I, Chester Noblet, will my handsome features to Malcolm Stephens.
- I, Everette Huff, will my egotism and wit to Corble Autry.
- I, Jay Weatherford, will my "Flunkyism" to Martin Ward.
- I, Mary Ann Gordon, will my success in life to Agnes Dickerson.
- I, Ailsa Stumpff, will my fondness for puppies to Florence Berry.
- I, Veva Duncan, will my cosmetics to Pearl West.
- I, Lois Bowman, will my popularity to Jim Gilliam.
- I, Lucille Bowman, will my bright intellect to Clara Belle Falconer.
- I, Lucy Smith, will my sweet temper to Hester Dorris.
- I, Jessie Irene Moore, will my freckles to Mynice Kolb.
- I, Lela Munn, will my ability as a musician to Frank Ward.
- I, Lela Ray, will my mathematical brain to Jeptha Tyler.
- I, Reola Webb, will my long flowing skirts to Myrtle Casey (alias Mother Bell).
- I, Alma McDaniel, will my blonde bobbed hair to Eula Maxwell.
- I, Lewis Smith, will my own ability for never being on time to Charles Linam. (Absolutely).

We, direct further and authorize that the Faculty of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four, shall always have the success and good feeling they have enjoyed this past and forever gone year.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 1st day of May, 1924.

(Signed) Lewis Smith.

On this 1st day of May, 1924, at this town of Spiro of LeFlore, State of Oklahoma, the foregoing instrument was signed and declared by Lewis Smith the lawyer for the Senior Class of Spiro High School, to be their last will and testament, in the presence of each of us, who were present at the same time, who thereupon, at their request, in their presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Attest:

J. E. Wales, Spiro, Okla.
George F. Blodgett, Spiro, Okla.
W. G. Stockton, Spiro, Okla.

CLASS WILL

We hereby declare that all the rights and titles to the said body...

And we hereby declare that all the rights and titles to the said body...

- 1. The said body shall be known as the said body...
- 2. The said body shall be organized and conducted as follows...
- 3. The said body shall have the following powers...
- 4. The said body shall have the following duties...
- 5. The said body shall have the following officers...
- 6. The said body shall have the following members...
- 7. The said body shall have the following advisors...
- 8. The said body shall have the following committees...
- 9. The said body shall have the following sub-committees...
- 10. The said body shall have the following staff...

And we hereby declare that all the rights and titles to the said body...

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 1st day of May...

The said body shall be organized and conducted as follows...

I, J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

JUNIORS

CLASS OFFICERS

Sponsor	:—:	:—:	Miss Watts
President	:—:	:—:	Hester Dorris
Vice Presideth	:—:	:—:	Walter Derryberry
Sec. and Treasurer	:—:	:—:	Martin Ward



Amasa Smith—"Ain't I handsome?"

Martin Ward—"Wanna buy a paper?"

Hester Dorris—"Aw! you Sucker."

Frank Ward—"Merry Green Fields of Bolden."

Pearl West—"Lawdy! Is that you?"

Florence Berry—Quietness personified.

Eula Maxwell—"O Where is Amasa?"

Minyce Kolb—"Running Doc a race. Got a monkey for
the Zoo."



Malcolm Stephens—"Gee! but I'm bashful."

Walter Derryberry-The Sheik. "Come here Dumovitch."

James Gilliam—Reformed. Knows his stuff.

Jeptha Tyler—Long Distance.

Clara Belle Falconer—An A 1 Student. Keeps Lee up
in the air

Agnes Dickerson—She alienated Walter's affections.

Myrtle Casey—Knows about telephones.

Thelma Daniels—Ola's Running Mate.

Class Poem

NOTHING SO GRAND AS A JUNIOR

Between the Sophomore and Senior,
 In the prime of his school career,
 Comes the time in the life of the student
 That is known as the Junior Year.

You can hear in the class rooms around you
 The tramping of many feet;
 And the chatter, when the doors are thrown open,
 Of voices determined and sweet.

You can see any time when its day light,
 Descending the broad hall stair,
 Forms tall and forms short, stout and slender,
 Some with dark, some with golden hair.

A whisper and then a silence;
 You can tell by their studious eye.
 They are studying and working together
 To win some alluring prize.

A sudden rush from the class room;
 A quick step march through the hall;
 Through every door in the building
 They come at the class bell's call.

They hurry into their places;
 They scramble after a chair;
 If you tug to pass out, they surround you;
 They seem to be everywhere.

They a'most drown every lesson;
 Their brains to some altitudes climb,
 They make you think of Mr. Wales,
 And the wise men of every time.

Do you think, O you grave, reverend Seniors,
 Because you have grown so tall,
 Such a wonderful class as the Juniors
 Is not more than a match for you all?

We have all the wisdom of ages
 And we never will leave it behind
 But will lock it away for ever,
 In the store house of our mind.

By Amasa Smith.

CLASS PROPHECY

The Junior Class is one of the hardest working Classes in school. Always up and doing. We elected Hester Dorris, "the Idol of Calhoun" our President with Miss Watts as Sponsor. Our first big affair was the Weiner Roast on the Hill, a very enjoyable affair. Our Play "A Kentucky Belle" was well received. We have been on hayrides and parties and are going to feast the Seniors at the Annual Junior-Senior Banquet. We'll be Seniors next year.

SOPHOMORES

CLASS OFFICERS

President	:—:	:—:	Ola James
Vice-President	:—:	:—:	Myrtle Collins
Secretary	:—:	:—:	Lola Mixon
Sponsor	:—:	:—:	Miss Thompson.



Carl Claridy—Ichabod.

Ola James—"Give me a man."

Myrtle Collins—Never says much.

James Ainsworth—"Got to get me a Ford."

Viola Shockley—Alas! Her curls are gone.

Lethal Hamby—"Let's go to the Show."

Nola Huff—Ambition in life to be Chief Giggler.

Lola Mixon—An actress that shines in every show.

SOPHOMORE REFLECTIONS

Yesterday, they called us "Freshies"
Scorned and jeered us daily,
But today we have advanced a step
And seem to take life gaily.

Although there are only ten in number,
We are very proud of our line;
We push our every effort
And are always here on time.

Some Seniors call us foolish
But just listen to the Profs:
"This is a class that can do it.
These are the brilliant Sophs."

L. H.

CLASS OFFICERS

FRESHMEN

CLASS OFFICERS

President	:—:	:—:	Vivian Smith
Vice-President	:—:	:—:	Lois Lowrie
Secretary	:—:	:—:	Victor Overstreet
Treasurer	:—:	:—:	Jeems Merryman
Sponsor	:—:	:—:	Miss Brown

The Seniors, Juniors, and Sophomores
 Have plenty fun at our expense
 They chase us in and out the doors
 And laugh and say we have no sense
 "We are the Freshmen."

Because we're new they say we're green
 Hang signs on us "Keep off the grass."
 No matter where or when we're seen.
 They trample us before they pass.
 "We are the Freshmen."



Alice Avery

Victor Overstreet

Edna Gideon

Vallie O'Connell

Delmer Ferguson

Aaron Mixon

Priscilla Tharel

Cloren Henley

Medora Hickman



Iva Perrin

Theo Richison

Clifford Weatherford

Brown Sullivan

Virginia Derryberry

Lora Weatherford

Grace Collins

Lois Lowrie

Vivian Smith

JUNIOR HIGH



Reading Left to Right.

Top Row: Tom Autry, Leo Ellis, Jeff Dunnam, Raymond Ellis, Murphy McDaniel, Tom Frank Tibbitts, and Ossie Allen.

Second Row: Bernice Dickerson, Thelmatine Wade, Rachel Garr, Pauline Dunnam, Pearl Webb, Euna Maxwell, and Zenita Hoilingsworth.

Bottom Row: Ruth Humes, Waymond Noble, Hale Trollinger, Wyatt Falcorer, W. G. Stockton, Marvin Payton, Edgar Weatherford, and Aileen Tharel.



Reading Left to Right.

Top Row: Jack Gordon, David Redwine, and Kermit Richison.

Second Row: Maggie Lou Slack, Dora Strain, Millard Stinoff, Tommy Alewine, Marcella Fitzgerald, and Alverda Slack.

Botton Row: Maggie Shockley, Joe Falconer, W. G. Stockton, Jim Tibbitts, and Kathryn Beckett.

Junior High School

The Junior High School is a recent part of school systems. It was found that the gradual change of a student from the grades to the High School was desirable in place of the abrupt change at the conclusion of the eighth grade.

Our Junior High School under Mr. Stockton's direction has functioned in good style. We trust it will continue to grow.



Sixth Grade
Teacher - Lydia Greer

1923-24

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Coach

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Chester Noblet—Half.

Fast as the wind but the jinx was after him. First an injured leg and then a nose.

Tommie Fitzgerald—R. E. and Quarter.

Tom is little but around here. He ran the Mansfield ends to death. Watch Tommy go!

Everette Huff—Quarter.

Quick to diagnose the play. Light but fast. Slow-ed up the Quinton game.

Walter Derryberry—Left Tackle.

The heavy of the left side. Sure tackle.



Lee Smith—Half.

A whiz on offense. Lee is a go-getter.

Lewis Smith—Half.

A consistent player. Fitting where needed most.

Marvin Payton—Left Guard.

The infant of the bunch but Gee! what a guard.
Watch "Cotton" shift.

Murphy McDaniel—End.

"A little slow but always there"



Hester Dorris—Full back.

“Old Sucker.” Big and heavy. An all around good player. The main cog of the machine.

Malcolm Stephens—Right Tackle.

Always a hole where Malcolm hit.

Amasa Smith—Center.

A fine defensive player. Always through for the tackle.

Frank Ward—Half.

Started in the line but moved back for more action. The “ox” hit ’em hard. He played every game.

FOOT-BALL

This is the First Foot-ball team Spiro High ever had. Pretty good team at that. We won two games out of the nine on our schedule. We consider this exceptional since it was our first year. With the available material we are going to go strong from now on.

NOTE:

Harry Butler—Guard.

No picture available.

BASKET-BALL

1924



Coach Blodgett

Hester Dorris

Malcolm Stephens

Lee Smith

Amasa Smith

Finley Carlile

Everette Huff

The crying need of the Spiro Schools is a gymnasium. Our Basket-ball court was a sea of mud all winter. We have excellent material and need a place to play. We lost two games to Quinton, won two from Panama and one from Bokoshe.



Miss Watts, Coach

Cloren Henley

Reola Webb

Pearl Webb

Ica Self

(Capt.) Lethel Hamby

Eula Maxwell

Nola Huff

The Girls' Basket-ball team of 1923-24 played a number of interesting games. We played McCurtain, Poteau, Calhoun and Bokoshe. We didn't win all games played but we learned the value of team-work and learned to appreciate the merits of defeat.

TRACK AND FIELD

The County track and field meet was held at Po-teau April 4 and 5 with nearly every school in the County participating.

Spiro was represented in every event and gained considerable recognition.

With a gymnasium and a track we are sure we will be as good as the best.

LET'S BUILD A GYM!

ACTIVITIES



EXPRESSION

Reading Left to Right.

Top Row: Lloyd Grigsby, Aaron Mixon, Victor Overstreet, Paul Williams, Jim Tibbitts, David Redwine, Ossie Allen and R. L. Redwine.

Second Row: Miss Watts, Cooper Redwine, Howard Redwine, Nola Huff, Lola Mixon, Vivian Smith, Alverda Slack, Mrs. Lanham, Vallie O'Connell, Maggie Lou Slack, Lela Ray, Ailsa Stumpff, Medora Hickman and W. G. Stockton.

Bottom Row: Lillie Gideon, Beatrice Ailstock, Grace Conn, Grace Adams, Juanita Statham, Kathryn Beckett, Rhoda Marie Slack, Reba Payton and Vermelle Falconer.



MUSIC

Reading Left to Right.

Top Row: Thelmatine Wade, Thelma Daniels, Florence Berry, Harold Dickerson, Bruce Ailstock, Ruby Maxwell and Beatrice Ailstock.

Second Row: Miss Snyder, Ruth Humes, Vivian Smith, Lola Mixon, Mrs. Ailstock, Alice Avery, Edna Gideon, Rachel Garr and Miss Cravens.

Bottom Row: Marguerite Snyder, Lois Kirkpatrick, Walter Derryberry, Lena James, Grace Conn and Irene Noblet.



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 Lois Bowman—Art Editor
 Lewis Smith—Business Mgr.
 Mary Ann Gordon—Ass't Business Mgr.
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 Ailsa Stumpff—Feature Editor
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 Lela Munn—Ass't Editor
 Clara Belle Falconer—Junior Class
 Lola Mixon—Sophomore Class
 Vivian Smith—Freshman Class



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* (Non Member)

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Chester Noblet

Everette Huff

Lucille Bowman

Ailsa Stumpff

Alma McDaniel

Mary Ann Gordon

Ola James

Lois Bowman

Jay Weatherford

Malcolm Stephens

Frank Ward

Lola Mixon

Jessie Irene Moore

Lela Ray

Veva Duncan

Lewis Smith

Hester Dorris

Miss Thompson



COUNTY MEET

Rhoda Marie Slack—Grade girl's voice

Kathryn Beckett—Grade girl's Reading

Priscilla Tharel—Girl's voice

Lola Mixon—Girl's Reading

Victor Overstreet—Boy's voice and oration

Harrel Dickerson—Grade boy's voice

Ruth Humes—Grade Piano

Ola James—Piano

David Redwine—Grade boy's oration

Vallie Connell - Spelling

*(to the Editors) When a whole high school
gets "turned down" by a few
They get revenge by
Leavin' out yobe jibb
By Gosh!*

Class "A" visit
T. N. Barkley was shopping
with Saturday
Mrs. J. M. Robinson and
Miss Lois of Fort Smith
the Leaden, Miss
and Mrs. Herman Redwine an-
nounce the birth of a son
Mrs. M. J. Scott
Miss Thula Scott arrived in Jenny Lind
a short visit at the home of her
other, Dr. M. J. Scott.
Mrs. Ben Moody spent Friday visiting
Huntington.
Dr. Hall of Greenwood was a Jenny
and visited Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Martin announce
the birth of a daughter Sunday, March 17.
Miss Lindy Neighbors was shopping in
Fort Smith Saturday.
Mrs. T. N. Barkley made a business trip
Greenwood Monday.
Miss Alice and Miss May Long spent
a week-end in Greenwood.
Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Carter and Miss
Wendine Walker spent Sunday in Bo-
pana at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L.
Lechman.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Elliott and children
of Paris spent Sunday in Jenny Lind.
Bert Hendrix of Excelsior was in
Jenny Lind Wednesday.
Mrs. Ot Phillips was a Greenwood
visitor Wednesday.
Mrs. W. R. Dodson and Mrs. Harvey
Waylock visited in Greenwood Monday.
Judge John Holland was in Jenny
Lind Sunday.
Dr. and Mrs. Scott and Miss Thula
went motored to Huntington Saturday
afternoon.
W. E. Templeton of Fort Smith was a
Jenny Lind visitor Saturday.
Mrs. R. L. Pearson and son and
daughter of Panama were visiting at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanson
Saturday and Sunday.

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Chief Nut—Lucille Bowman

Chief of the Larder—Martin Ward

Chief Gumpus—Theo Richison

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Beecher Terrel

Maymie Cravens

Walt Smith

Harry Terman

Andy Gump

Senator Lodge

Cathryn Beckett

Ceasar Grigsby

Major Hoople

Malcolm Stephens

Marcella Fitzgerald

John Doe

Barney Google

and

Victor Overstreet

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THE MIRROR

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"THE-LOVE-SLIDE"

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of
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LEAP
YEAR

BETWEEN A
ROCK-AND-A
HARD-PLACE



AFFECTED "WHAT-IS-HOME-WITHOUT-A-SONG?" HEARTS



HEART



THROBS

A-CHAPERON
WITH-A-HEART-

TRUE LOVE



DOWN



"The General"

"WHITEY"



A Hard BUNCH



BOBBED



Old Sucker KID

THE



Jupie

AINT



WHO LET 'EM OUT

WE CUTE

Baby Lucille





A HARD FIGHT
DONT U THINK?

A TRUE SHOT

WHERE?

WHO?

WHOSE?

SUNNING

JUNIOR SHIEKS

UP IN THE AIR

TURN ME OVER.

UP?

Heap Much!



"SAM"



SCANDAL



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What is it?



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VAM-



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FARE



Beech NUTS



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of
IT



Three of a kind



CUTE
A-ZI-WE-



"ARKANSAS"
TRAVELER



"COME-ON-
DOWN"



"AINT-



NATURE



WONDERFUL"



SMILE-WITH-US



"T-
-MAY-
R-
-UP?"



"TEENY"



BABY Dear

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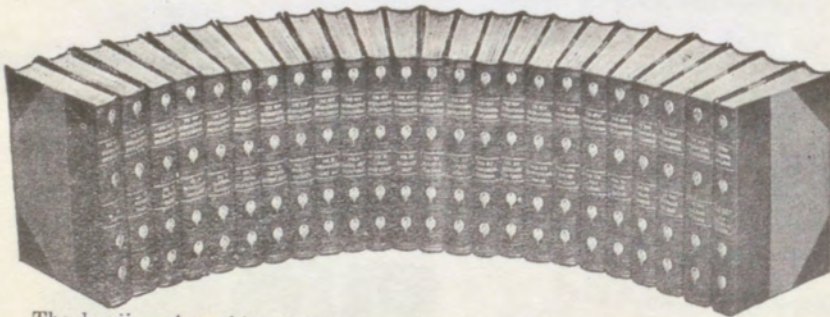
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HALF-WITS

Prof: "Amasa, you look sleepy this morning, were you out late last night,"

Amasa: "I had to sit up with the baby, sir."

Prof: "Oh, I see.,How old was the baby?"

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Lewis: "Where's the funny paper?"

Dad: "Today is not Sunday. I told you not to take that bath last night.

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Adv: "Keep that Schoolgirl complexion."

Run on the Drug Store—Sold out.

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Walter: "Agnes, are you trying to make a fool out of me?"

Agnes: "No, I never interfere with nature."

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Corble: "Dad, can you write with your eyes closed?"

His Dad: "Yes Son, why?"

Corble: "Close your eyes then and sign my report card."

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Mr. Blodgett: "What bones are in your hands?"

Frank: "Dice."

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Ola: "What's the meanest animal in the world?"

Him: "I don't know, what?"

Ola: "A camel, its always got its back up."

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Tom: "My girl ate four quarts of ice cream last night."

Lee: "Well arithmetic teaches that four quarts make one gal."

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Clarence: "Mrs. Duncan, your daughter has promised to be my wife."

Mrs. Duncan: "Well, what could you expect hanging around here five or six nights a week."

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Mr. Doe: "They found a skeleton of a woman today."

Mrs. Doe: "How did they know it was a woman?"

Mr. Doe: "Its mouth was open."

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Ed Butler: "What makes that dog spotted?"

Grigsby: "Spots."

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A prominent merchant: "Could you loan me a couple of pennies. I want to buy a stamp and don't want to break a nickel."

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"A fellow sat on a box-car

His feet dragged the ground."

Harry Terman.

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Proud Father: "Yes, that girl of mine is educated. All she needs is a course of electrocution to kinda finish her off, like."

Question in Arith. test: "Find sum of x, y, z."
 Edgar Weatherford: "I found some of it but don't know whether its the right part."

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Lucille: "What's the scrub team for?"
 Pearl: "They scrub the players when they are muddy."

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Bozo: "Do you take an active interest in athletics?"
 Some people: "Oh, yes I always read the sport page."

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The 100th Commandment: "KNOW THY LESSON!"

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Goof: "Did you ever hear that tale about the crude oil?"
 Tuff: "No."
 Goof: "It's not refined."

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Miss Watts (going in bank): "I want to open an account."
 Cashier: "How much do you want to deposit?"
 Miss Watts: "I don't want to deposit any, I want to open up a charge account like the big stores have."

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Mr. Blodgett: "Name a conifer, Mary Ann."
 Mary Ann: "Ice Cream because it has Ice Cream cones on it."

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Mr. Wales: "Everytime I get up here some fool donkey talks!"
 Then he wondered why they laughed.

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Jeptha: "Oh, look the circus has come to town."
 Dorris: "Shut up, you fool, that's Mr. Stockton."

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Lee: "Cotton, What kind of backie do you use."
 Cotton: "I use smokeless."
 Lee: "What kind is that?"
 Cotton: "Chewin."

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Mr. Wales: "Ossie, don't you know bet'er than to tell me a lie, do you know what they do with little boys who tell lies?"
 Ossie: "Yes sir when they get big enough they make lawyers out of them."

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Mr. Blodgett (in Science Class): "What is it that is slower than a terrapin?"
 Lucille: "Oh, that is Jay Weatherford."

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Clara: "Minyce, Tommie was the Goal of my ambition, but,
 Minyce: "But what?"
 Clara: "My father kicked the goal."

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You: "Haven't I seen you some where before?"
 Them: "I expect so, I've often been there."

CAN YOU IMAGINE

1. Lela Ray in love?
2. Chester Noblet playing hookey?
3. Lucille Bowman big and fat?
4. Alma flirting with the Profs?
5. Lewis Smith on time?
6. Finley without Ailsa?
7. Jay Weatherford taking advice?
8. Jessie Irene saying (dreen drass)?
9. Ailsa Stumpff's thoughts away from Old Town?
10. Veva Duncan riding in anything except a Dodge?
11. Why Mary Ann never talks?
12. Lois Bowman ever contented?
13. Reola Webb lost in Math?
14. Ebb Huff acting sensible?
15. Lucy Smith a weakling?
16. Lela Munn with the measles?
17. The Senior class agreeing with Prof. Wales?

FAMOUS PEOPLE AROUND SCHOOL

1. Hester Dorris (Wool Expert).
2. Frank Ward (Big Singing Convention Man).
3. Lloyd Grigsby (Noted Shakespeare Authority).
4. Prof. Wales (Dental Floss Exponent).
5. Cotton Payton (Shifting Artist).
6. Jim Gilliam (Famous Soloist in Jr. Minstrel).
7. W. G. Stockton (Notorious Ladies Man).
8. Clifford Ellis (Of Hokus Pokus Fame).

WANT ADS

1. Victor Overstreet—A new doll.
2. Harry Terman—Reinforced pants.
3. Miss Watts—A man.
4. Seniors—More time to study.
5. Miss Thompson—A Social Secretary.
6. Minyce Kolb—More Cosmetics.
7. Vallie O'Connell—A diet recipe.
8. Spudge Autry—An Asthma cure.

Jim: "Mary, I am going to name my horse after you."

Mary: "Why, Jim?"

Jim: "Well, you see it is so ugly and awful fast."

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Mr. Wales: "Martin, do you like to go to school?"

Martin: "Yes, I like to go and I like to go home; but I don't like to stay there between times."

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Carl: "Mrs. Bowman, I want to marry Lucille."

Mrs. Bowman: "Boy take her. I thought that you were going to ask for a pension."

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She: "Could you go over that dam without hurting yourself?"

Malcolm: "I don't know. Why?"

She: "Other fish do."

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Jay: "Dad and I are stockholders on a big cattle ranch. He holds the stock while I milk them."

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Finley: "Marriage is a great institution."

Ebb: "So is a penitentiary."

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Eugenia: "Whew, I just took a test."

Lora: "Finish?"

Eugenia: "No, Spanish."

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Mr. Stockton (In History): "Did the South have any Stock?"

Ossie Allen: "They lost 'em at Bull Run."

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Mrs. Moore: "Dr. Work, Hows your patients?"

Dr. Work: "About exhausted (patience) but maybe Dolly will marry me after a while."

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Lee Smith was caught in the rain one night as he came from across the railroad. He thought he was a Rainbow (rain beaux).

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Hester: "You have seen uglier fellows than I?"

She: "I was just thinking."

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Grace: "Did you ever take chloroform?"

Cloren: "No, what period does it come?"

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Prof. Bloodgett: "Name the year and give the amount of exports from the United States."

Martin: "1492—None."

A dairy-maid was milking a goat
 And panting she paused to mutter
 I wish you brute you'd turn to milk
 And the animal turned to butter.

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Mary had a little lamp
 It was well trained, no doubt
 For every time that John came in
 The little lamp went out.

Martin Ward

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Lucille: "I think I have a cold or something in my head."
 Lois: "Probably a cold."

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Jay: "The cold weather just chills me to the bone."
 Lewis: "Better buy a thicker hat."

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Miss Thompson (coaching play): "Alright now—run up the curtain."
 Huff: "What do you think I am—a squirrel."

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Linam (in physiology): "A skeleton is a guy with his insides out and his outsides off."

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Some of our girls have the galloping consumption, eat and run.

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Jay: "Ebb, there is one thing you can't say about me. I am not two-faced."
 Ebb: "I know it, for if you was, you would leave that one at home."

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Catherine: "Mr. Stockton, why does Mr. Blodgett have so much hair?"

Mr. Stockton: "He does lots of thinking."

Catherine: "What makes you bald-headed?"

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Nut: "What is the definition of a Woman?"

McNut: "One of nature's agreeable blunders."

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(Signed)
 Joke Editor and Office Boy.

HIGH SCHOOL CALENDER

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SEPTEMBER

Monday 3; Registration Day! ! !

Tuesday 4; Establishment of daily school routine.

Wednesday 5; The High School Students (especially the girls) are trying to make a good impression on the new members of the Faculty.

Thursday 6; Nuthin' doin'.

Friday 7; An unusual noise in the back of the Study Hall caused quite an excitement before it was located—JAY WEATHERFORD WAS ASLEEP! ! !

Monday 10; We find bobbed heads—or should I say bobbed hair? to be the most popular thing of the day.

Tuesday 11; Corble Autry has a sore hand—Poor Corble! But, I am afraid most of us would exchange hands with him. This is Exam Week!

Wednesday 12;

Thursday 13; The Foot Ball Team is organized. Watch Spiro go.

Friday 14;

Monday 17; Beginning of Constitution Week.

Tuesday 18; The foot ball suits arrive. I think the girls would like to play foot ball too—I forgot to say Mr. Blodgett is the Coach.

Wednesday 19;

Thursday 20;

Friday 21; Foot ball boys go to Potecu—Spiro suffers a defeat.

Monday 24; Class meetings, Lela Fay and Hester Dorris are Senior and Junior "Bosses"—and it is whispered that (?) but, thats just school gossip.

Tuesday 25; Walter Derryberry takes up a new study—Agnes Dickerson.

Wednesday 26; Mr. Wales demonstrates the use of Dental Floss.

Thursday 27; Sallisaw Foot Ball Boys come tomorrow!

Friday 28; All the girls have curled hair and smiling faces.
10:30 Pep Meeting! ! !

Nothing but excitement, Our first day for Foot Ball. !

11:30 Sallisaw Arrives! !

3:30 Men on the Field. Spiro's Victory! !

15 R A W S For Spiro! ! !

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OCTOBER

- Monday 1; Signs of,
—Keep off the grass—
Above found in the Freshman Pew, it is not known whether lack of courage or lack of Signs, kept the Freshies from passing them.
- Tuesday 2; With all thoughts of teachers vanished, a bunch of Literature students were enjoying a lively conversation, and the girls were aiding Mother Nature in beautifying their complexions, when Mr. Blodgett's sweet voice rang out in our midst—"Get it on straight, Eula"—But the shock was so great the poor girl failed.
- Thursday 4; Found, 10 cents worth of chewing gum under a desk, Owner may have same by cleaning from Alma's skirt.
- Friday 5; Foot Ball boys go to Vian—another defeat.
- Monday 8; The Seniors order rings—Good looking? U BET.
- Tuesday 9; Something is going to happen, watch your step. The Juniors have their heads together.
- Wednesday 10; It did happen! They (the Juniors, of course) invited the seniors to a weenie roast.
- Thursday 11; Juniors entertained the Seniors royally—The crowd enjoyed a regular "spread." Thanks to the Juniors, they are a peppy bunch.
- Friday 12; Spiro defeats Mansfield Foot Ball Boys 7 to 6, Lee Smith brings his arm home in a sling. We hope to see him on the field soon. Poteau Basket Ball Girls defeat our girls on home court; 22 to 13.
- Monday 14; Every girl in High School wants to join the Basket Ball team, Mr. Stockton takes such an interest in the girls team.
- Tuesday 16; In Physiology class Jessie Irene asks Mr. Wales—"Is it correct to use, 'aint' and 'haint'?" Mr. Wales, "It certainly is not." Jessie Irene, "Oh! I just wanted to know, I have heard you use it so much."
- Wednesday 17; Several Seniors stepped out in "go away costumes." No Mr. Wales, it isn't a side show. That's the question? ? ?
- Thursday 18; The High School welcomed Jeptha Tyler as a Junior. As a student body we wish him to enjoy the year's work with us.
- Friday 19; The Juniors ordered Class Pins today. The Dramatic club meets tonight.
- Monday 21; Nothing Much! !
- Tuesday 22; Ailsa goes to English Literature without her shadow—Finley.
- Wednesday 23; Lucy announces herself to be "hard boiled." Ola and Miss Brown, from their "looks" seem to be Goddesses of Sunshine. Meeting of Annual Staff.
- Thursday 24; A Carnival is being planned by the High School.

Friday 25; Alma Foot Ball Boys come to Spiro, a brilliant game but Spiro lost 24 to 18;

Saturday 26; Students present "A Matrimonial Advertisement."

Monday 28; The Junior High School's passport is a funny paper. Just any kind.

Tuesday 29; Found—a number of "bluffers" in Geometry Class. But there is a bet up that our "Geometry shark" can work any Proposition.

Wednesday 30; Mr. Blodgett sick abed upstairs, with his feet hanging out of a window.

Thursday 31; Same thing—readin', 'riting and 'rithmetic!

NOVEMBER

Friday 1; "Let it come! !" "What." "Just anything for excitement!"

Monday 4; The Seniors find Mr. Wales to be guilty of believing in ghosts.

Tuesday 5; "Lucille cut out that chin music," Lucille consulted the dictionary but to her disappointment found chin music was not present.

Wednesday 6; Found—In Frank Ward's locker a number of dog-eared song books.

Thursday 7; The Senior girls write invitations for the Pie Supper.

Friday 8; Pie Supper. The Seniors are very popular.

Monday 10; Mr. Stockton grins.

Tuesday 11; We have decided that Martin looks real well with his hair combed,

Wednesday 12; Lela Munn and Reola Webb have a bad case of the "Giggles"—

Friday 14; Hurray! Two days of Freedom!

Monday 17; Mr. Stockton frowning—we wish he would smile. The girls have decided he looks better smiling.

Tuesday 18; He smiled today.

Wednesday 19; Boy: Page, Hester Dorris! Hester Dorris! Hester Dorris! "Where?"
To Lela, of course, You Stupid!

Thursday 20; Practice on burlesque for Carnival. "What ye gonna do now huh"—

Friday 21; Foot Ball Boys go to Poteau to play ball. It is rumored that Mr. Blodgett and Burnie ? ? ?

Monday 24; Senior favorite delivering spuds. Some job, I say!

Wednesday 26; Class Meeting and for a wonder Everette and Lewis fail to fuss, but very meekly agree with the rest of the class.

Thursday 27; Lest we forget the Carnival—Wanted, mop pusher and moving van.

Friday 28; Mr. Blodgett organizes a dumb-bell class! Malcolm and Martin being the first enrolled.

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DECEMBER

Monday 1; Miss Watts receives a class pin from the salesman who took the order for Junior Pins. That school girl "blush" works its charm on all men.

Tuesday 2; Mr. Blodgett preached today.

Wednesday 3; Another real sermon.

Thursday 4; Gala Day in Junior Class! The Pins arrive.

Friday 5; The Dumb bell Class is progressing nicely; thank you!

Sunday, Special, very, very special! Senior Rings have come.

Monday 10; Reola is teaching this week—we wonder if she needs help?

Tuesday 11; We wonder why Chester is so popular. Perhaps Florence could tell us.

Wednesday 12;

Thursday 13; Ailsa in Hospital—Poor Finley—You certainly have our sympathy.

Friday 14; We have decided that Miss Thompson is falling in love with Mr. Stockton.

Monday 17; The Saints preserve us! The Seniors are looking very pale—Mr. Blodgett is checking up our credits.

Tuesday 18;

Wednesday 19; The contact of Walter's trousers and a protruding nail in a chain—caused the Geom. students to suffer the loss of an explanation of a proposition today.

Thursday 20;

Friday 21; The entire student body rebel and declare they will remain at home until next year!

Tuesday 25; Miss Brown writes letters to Santa Claus and asks for a smile and a box of Zeros (O)s. Poor Lewis and Lucille.

So 'long—Old Calendar!

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JANUARY

Wednesday 2; We find every student resolved to do better. And here are some of the results:

Jessie Irene to quit annoying Mr. Blodgett by chewing gum like a goat.

Lethel to comb her hair every day.

Lucille to improve her looks by wearing an artificial complexion.

Mary Ann to wear long skirts.

Lucy to throw over all temptations of using slang.

Veva to use Dental Floss.

And better still Lewis Smith to become a brilliant and graduate from the Dumb-bell Class

Thursday 3; The mingling together of many different perfumes presents a very sensational contrast.

Friday 4; Three cheers for the Black and Orange! Foot Ball Boys receive sweaters.

Monday 7; We must admit that the members of the Spiro High School Faculty are very brilliant, for instance: Lela Ray: "Why was I bald headed when I was a baby?" Miss Watts: "Cause you didn't have any hair I suppose, Lela."

Tuesday 8; The Ides of March are come.

Wednesday 9; Exams! Exams! Exams! ! Cram! Cram! Cram!

Thursday 10; Just a general discovery of our poor knowledge.

Friday 11; Recuperating

Monday 14; The Spanish Class was royally entertained today py Jessie Irene and James Ainsworth in a Comb Duet—The select numbers were: "Yes, We have no Bananas" and "Barney Google."

Tuesday 15; Ossie Allen cavorts a little.

Wednesday 16; The Senior Pet—Lela Munn—carries on her right cheek the finger prints of Miss Edith Watts.

Thursday 17; The English Literature Class is very thankful that Shakespeare did not live to write another "Hamlet."

Friday 18; We find Miss Thompson is "rushed" this season. Some of the Seniors might volunteer their help.

Monday 21; Ainsworth succumbs to the wiles of a Leap Year Proposal. The unlucky figure is Lola Mixon. (Perhaps I should have said lucky).

Tuesday 22; We thought Charlie Linam was bashful, but it may be—

Wednesday 23; The jinx has us?

Thursday 24;

Friday 25; Everybody looks moon-eyed, wonder why?

Monday 28; Miss Brown tearfully gives advice to long-haired girls against the horror of Barber Shops—

Tuesday 29; Can you imagine Lois and Mary Ann forgetting to reserve a seat in class for Jim? Poor Jim! !

Wednesday 30; Caught, Miss Watts chewing gum in class! !

Thursday 31; Powder, paint and smiles galore! Reason? "Mugs took for Rogues Gallery."

FEBRUARY

Friday 1;

Monday 4; One by one Myrtle Collins shows some effect of Barber Shop—wonder if it was Eutis.

Tuesday 5; Lewis has a middle part on his head, wonder what will happen next?

Wednesday 6; We can't understand Everette. The Junior section holds quite an attraction for him.

Thursday 7; "Charlie has a new girl." "How do I know?" "Don't ask me, inside information."

Friday 8; Caught Miss Brown in study hall reading Beauty Hints and Useful Recipes in the Household. Reason unknown.

Monday 11; Seniors give aid to suffering families and enable children to attend school.

Tuesday 12; "Oh! M'Gosh!" "What's the matter, Jeptha?" "Just another English Test."

Wednesday 13; We think Lola Mixon needs a head-band.

Thursday 14;

"If you'll be my Valentine

Here's what I'll do, b'gosh

I'll let you read a novel

While I do the family wash."

This Valentine was found in the office and it is debated if Jeptha or Mr. Stockton is the owner.

Friday 15; Go! Going! ! Gone! ! ! Ainsworth has fallen!

Monday 18; Mary Ann has a new red sweater.

Tuesday 19; A tragedy occurred today when Ailsa and Finley were forced to separate for a period of 45 minutes. Such a pity too, they are so devoted to one another.

Wednesday 20; Lois and Mary Ann have a five round bout—"Hair pulling Specialty"—Exciting but not alarming!

Thursday 21; Chester failed to shave this morning, no one knew him.

Friday 22; Nothing is impossible, Alma was exempt in Geometry!

Monday 25; Jeptha, the Junior Hero, is back in school after a few days illness.

Tuesday 26; Who's Who? Contest in Senior Class. Seniors get a good introduction to themselves. "Oh Chester! Where art thou?"

Wednesday 27; "She is master of her fate, She is Captain of her Soul" Who? Not Ailsa!

Thursday 28; Finley had to work down in town today—"Cheer up, Ailsa he'll be in school tomorrow."

Friday 29; Senior's plan falls through, as "Kloompv spills the beans."

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MARCH

- Monday 3; Something is in the air—Careful Mary—
- Tuesday 4; Seniors Singing—"Tomorrow, Tomorrow, How happy I shall be."
- Wednesday 5; Senior Picnic—Only a Senior can tell the story—
- Thursday 6; Seniors footsore and weary, but happy—attend classes.
- Friday 7; Teachers' meeting—Seniors lucky, (2 in 1) two holidays in one week.
- Monday 10; Teachers cranky wonder if they got it at Poteau?
- Tuesday 11; Mr. Wales tells story in study-hall, we like his stories much better than his lectures.
- Wednesday 12; Every one is in love with Mr. Stockton. Mr. Wales and Mr. Blodgett are jealous, so we think.
- Thursday 13; Martin gave us a lesson in Aesthetic dancing this A. M. in History Class.
- Friday 14; Miss Watts stages a one act comedy in the study hall, entitled—"The infatuation of playing hands." The hero is forgotten.
- Monday 17; Proof pictures come, and as a result students wear long faces "Oh why can't we all be good looking."
- Tuesday 18; Lewis and some other members of the Zoology class give some demonstrative definition concerning tables and etc.
- Wednesday 19; Mary Ann: "The upper part of the arm is the humerus bone." Lucille: "That's the reason they call it the funny bone isn't it Mr. Blodgett."
- Thursday 20; Miss Brown goes home, Lela entertains all the Spanish Classes by singing La Paloma—Some of the students escaped torture by going to sleep.
- Friday 21; Juniors take snapshots for Annual.
- Monday 24; Civics Class holds election.
- Tuesday 25; Boys training for Track and Field Meet.
- Wednesday 26; Candidates give stump speeches to Student body—Election tomorrow.
- Thursday 27; Election nothing exciting.
- Monday 31; Play books arrive, "And Billy Disappeared."

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APRIL

- Tuesday 1; All Fools Day! The most of us are celebrating—Seniors decide not to run off. Lela has measles, so we can't have Dramatic play.
- Wednesday 2; Agnes and Mynice are fond of dogs. Poor Walter he may suffer. Dramatic Play. Miss Thompson plays that she is Lela.
- Thursday 3; A turkey fight in a neighboring poultry yard caused quite an excitement, several students were slightly injured by the onrushing crowds to the back windows of the study hall.
- Friday 4; All stuff. Someone always taking the joy out of Life. We have another Note Book to make up.
- Monday 7; Veva always wears a smile on Monday—I wish all we Seniors could begin practice on play.
- Tuesday 8; Some people are never satisfied. Lucille at a class meeting declares she wants caps and gowns for graduation, after voting against them a half dozen times.
- Wednesday 9; Invitations arrive! Again must the art of begging and pleading for money be exercised.
- Thursday 10; Juniors and Seniors have test on Spelling—grades run from 0 to 100. Wonderful success is reported in obtaining money for invitations—They are beautiful.
- Friday 11; Seniors go on a Fishing Party. Mr. Wales a fine Chaperone.
- Monday 14; "Hush! sh, sh, Lucy have you any gum?" "Yes, Veva but you wouldn't want it, the sweet is all chewed out of it."
- Wednesday 16; We have decided Martin looks real well with his hair combed.
- Friday 18; "Careful there! Measles back in school. (Lela, both of 'em).
- Monday 21; High School entertained by Rev. Blaylock and Mr. Kirby.
- Tuesday 22; Miss Thompson organizes a singing class.
- Wednesday 23; Seniors have class meeting which is turned into party. Don't worry they had to pay for it, were you in the study hall the last period?
- Thursday 24; The Board of Education was applied to someones physiology this morning but the study hall was unable to find out who was the victim.
- Friday 25; Seventh grade goes picnicking.
- Monday 28; Invitations received for Junior-Senior Banquet.
- Tuesday 29; General discussion concerning the Banquet.
- Wednesday 30; Its a Beautiful Day!

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MAY

Thursday 1; Juniors put in full day promenading over town. The Banquet is an excuse.

Friday 2; The Day has Dawned! Only a poet could explain the Beauty and Splendor of the Banquet. The Juniors are wonderful in the art of entertaining.

Monday 5; Seniors plan for graduation.

Wednesday 7; More plans.

Thursday 8; Preparing for Senior play.

Friday 9; "And Billy Disappeared." Senior Play.

Saturday 10; Juniors decorate Church for Baccalaureate Sermon.

Sunday 11; All Hail! the Sweet Girl Graduate! Baccalaureate Sermon.

Wednesday 14; Class night.

Friday 16; Junior High and Senior High School graduation exercises.

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