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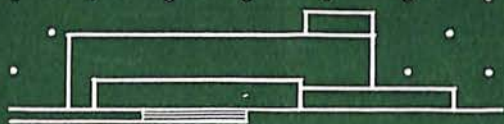
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DEDICATION

*Because we so greatly appreciate his help in the publication of our magazine, his interest in our school and activities in general; because we find in him our ideal citizen and friend; we, the Staff of '28, dedicate this, our final issue,*

TO

MR. EDWARD L. STONE









## PILGRIMS OF THE SKY



*While yet the dawn is thick with envious night,  
Some future hero guides an airship by;  
And nature, faultless stern, tries out the strength  
Of mighty oars and dauntless boasts raised high.*

*We, I think, are also pilots of a plane.  
Behind—now sad—enchanted childhood's frolic  
Gleams low, quaint land of long-forgotten love;  
Beyond—east realm, half-seen and exotic.*

*Above the hurtling world, high up, we cruise,  
Fantastic spheroids plunge across our courses,  
Sifting star-dust dims our over-eager eyes,  
Then, swinging low, we war with earthly forces.*

*Sky-pointed peaks, rock-barbed, sound mute defiance,  
Seas, abyss-black, hurl up their all-too-Lethe waves,  
The air breathes harsh with blind and blinding storm,  
Mad, evil dins leap up from demons' caves.*

*But on we move—still on—and soon we learn  
To laugh and, laughing, take delight in strife—  
Except, when now and then a mate must fall,  
And, smiling, dash beyond the realms of life.*

*Our goal is set—not vague, beyond the sky—  
But firm upon the highlands of our earth.  
Straight in the budding morning's path it lies,  
A mortal land of mingled pain and mirth.*

*Soon bravely upward sweeps the new-born sun  
And drives away the lingering shades of night.  
Upon our foreheads falls the crown of day:  
We rest, then onward wing away—again to fight!*

—CLASS POET, '28  
GEORGE SMITH

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### CHARLES AUBREY AARON

Aubrey claims membership in that ever-increasing section of the Senior Class, the commercial graduates. In his graduation, the commercial department loses what the business world will gain, a sincere chap of pleasing personality and business-like manner. We predict success in whatever he undertakes.

### ROBERT LESTER ABBOTT

*Football, '24-'25-'26-'27; Captain, Football, '27*

Bob, the reason for so many feminine smiles and lusty football cheers. Ole Hi will surely miss Bob next year, both on the gridiron and in classes. Alabama bound, may good luck stay with you, Bob.

### LIDA EVELYN ABELL

*M. W. L. S., '27-'28; G. C., '27-'28; F. C., '28*

Lida is the small blond that has just loads of intelligence, but tries to hide it with her laughing spirit of fun. Her good sportsmanship and loyalty make her a wonderful pal. May all your dreams come true, Lida.

### AGNES LOUISE AGULY

*President, G. A. A., '26-'27; Basket Ball, '26-'27-'28; Captain, B. B., '27; Booster Club, '28; Prefect Council, '28; Girls' Club, '26-'27-'28; M. W. L. S., '27-'28*

Busy here and busy there,  
You will find her everywhere,  
Cooking, dancing, out at play,  
Writing shorthand—G. A. A.  
Makes good grades and has fun, too.  
There's a lot that she can do,  
Yet from morn 'til day is done  
She has a smile for everyone.

### MARY KATHERINE ELIZABETH AKERS

*Glee Club, '27-'28; M. W. L. S., '27*

Who says we don't like red hair? Especially when it accompanies such a sweet disposition and likable girl. Katherine hails from Calloway Hi and, during one year, she has gained a host of friends. Here's to "Kat."



ROBERT HERNDON ALLEN

*Spanish Club*

Bob—who doesn't like that small Senior with brown eyes and a smile for everyone? He is never seen studying but usually makes very high grades. Although we hate to lose a loyal supporter we wish him success in whatever he undertakes.

JOHN THOMPSON AMBLER

*Treasurer, Senior Class, '27-'28; Hi-Y Cabinet, '27-'28; Hi-Y Club, '27-'28; Senior Representative, '27-'28*

Our Treasurer, can he collect? We mean he can. "Tom" goes to V. M. I. next year and from his record here we predict an excellent record for him there and more success after that.

HOWARD LACY ARMISTEAD

Howard's genial smile and good nature have won him a way into the heart of the teachers, as well as the students. He has a smile and a kind word for everybody. Here's to him at Roanoke College and in later life.

HESTER VIRGINIA ARTHUR

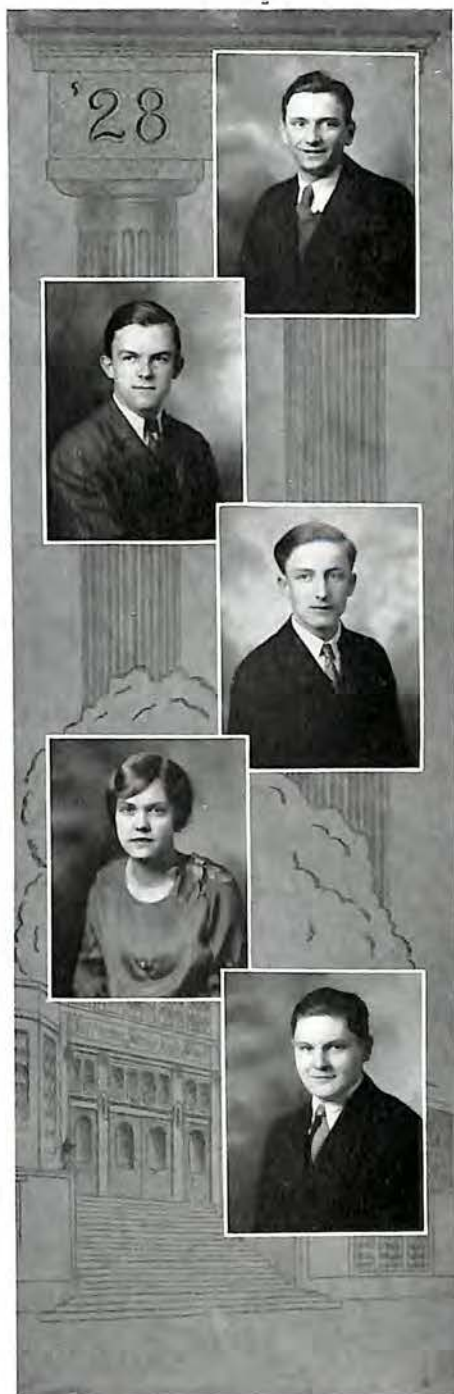
*G. C.; M. W. L. S.*

Helpful, energetic, sweet, trustworthy, earnest, ready—that is Hester, a true friend and good sport. What more could you say? Hester has planned a career. Wearing a big white apron, a tiny cap, and carrying a thermometer. Hi wishes her success.

ROBERT DE LA VERGNE AVERY

*Spanish Club, '27-'28; Glee Club, '27-'28*

A few good adjectives descriptive of Bob are: exuberant, exasperating, expository, anticipatory, improvisatory, incredulous and loquacious. Bob expects to enter V. P. I. to study for Radio Engineering. Soon Ole Hi will be boasting of a second Marconi. Hi's best wishes go with you, Bob.





## MERRILL AYERS

*Girls' Club*

A smile, a tear, and a heart full of comradeship—  
that is Merrill.  
Regal, jolly, bright and rare,  
Ever is this Senior fair;  
None with her can quite compare  
For she's always found right there.

## GEORGIA HELEN BARGER

*Girls' Club; M. W. L. S., '28*

Helen is chock full of fun and a great talker.  
One thing peculiar about Helen is her fondness  
for studying. She can be mean or act most  
angelic, however she feels. A fine sport and  
very much sought as a friend.

## DOROTHY CLETIS BATEMAN

Cletis is a girl that we are all proud to claim  
as our own. She has shown her loyalty in the  
Girls' Club. Cletis graduates from the com-  
mercial department and we know she will be a  
success as somebody's stenographer.

## FLORA McDONALD BARCLAY

*M. W. L. S.; G. C.*

If she will, she will, and you can depend on it.  
If she won't, she won't, and that's the end of it.

"Flo," our sunny-haired Scotch pal, the kind  
one dreams of, yet few ever find. Best o' luck  
at Farmville next fall, "Flo."

## ESTHER PAULINE BEAMER

Some chap said, "Gentlemen prefer blonds,"  
and we know why, too, after we've seen Pauline.  
Gee, you oughta see the pep she's got, and "it,"  
too. She's a "wow" of a stenographer and some  
day she'll rule Wall Street.





CHARLES KIRK BEARD

Some of his many acquirments, as we will mention—but what's the use? He has too many, and our vocabulary is only 50 big. Charles usually rates the highest in whatever he enters and we know he will make a success in the business world.

HATTIE MABEL BECK

G. C., '27-'28; G. A. A., '27-'28; Hiking Manager, G. A. A., '28

The sweetest little lady Ole Hi could ever boast of. She's been one of those whom we've always thought the most of. Athletic, full of pep, and a word for everyone. So here's to you, dear Hattie, from now 'til the world be done.

BEVERLY MAUD BECKER

G. C., '28; Decoration Committee, '27; Corresponding Secretary, '28; Varsity Basket Ball, '26-'27; Varsity Volley Ball, '27-'28; Class B. B. V. B.; Baseball, '26-'27-'28; Track, '27-'28; Apparatus, '28; Captain, Senior Apparatus, '28; Captain, Volley Ball, '26-'28; Manager, Baseball, '27; Student Council, '28.

Her record speaks for her. Here's to "Bev."

JOHN ALTON BELL

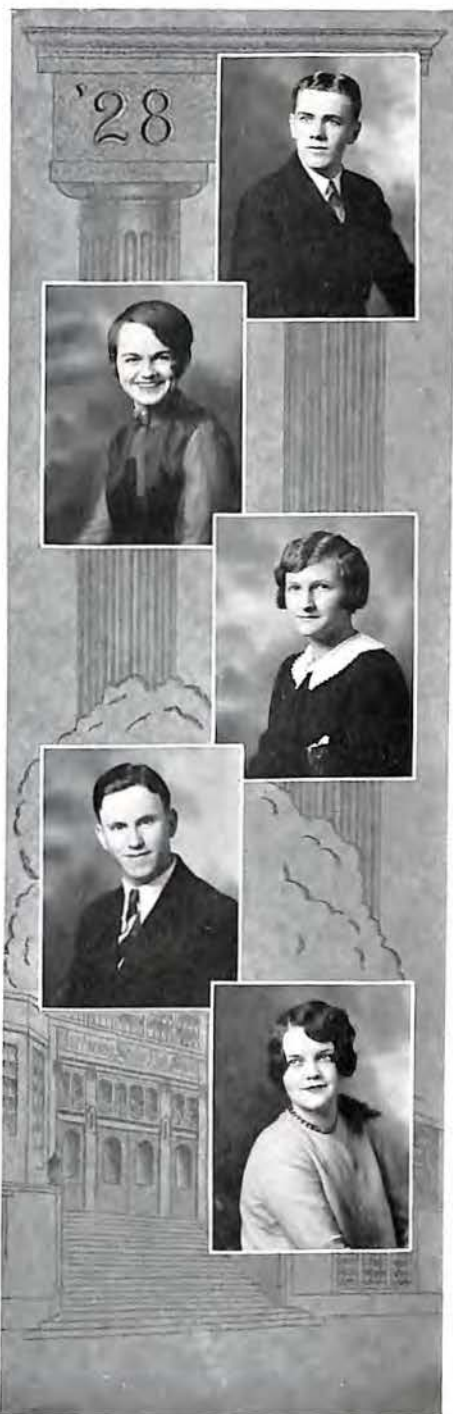
Hi-Y

John has an engaging personality and a winning smile. He not only makes friends easily, but has the enviable faculty of keeping them. He plans to take up the study of medicine at Emory and Henry. So here's luck to our future Dr. Bell.

SIDNEY HANSON BENTLEY

G. C., '26-'27-'28; Membership Committee, G. C., '27-'28; Glee Club, '26; M. W. L. S., '26-'27; Junior World-News Staff, '26-'27

"Sid"—always happy and full of pep, always ready for a good time, and one of the best sports ever—that's "Sid." She is very deeply interested in V. P. I. May success go ever hand in hand with our always happy "Sid."





#### PAULINE AGNES BENNINGTON

Pauline is just the kind of a friend you always want. Because of her loving disposition, she has won many friends in Ole Hi. Pauline is one of our commercial graduates. Although she has not definitely decided what she will do in the future, we know she will make a great success. We wish you best of luck always, Pauline.

#### MINNIE ESTELLE BERRY

*M. W. L. S.; G. C.*

Her sweet disposition and willingness to help others have made Minnie one of our most beloved Seniors. To know her is to love her. Minnie graduates from the commercial department and has made a good record. May success be hers in all her undertakings.

#### RUTH O'DELL BLANKENSHIP

Look at this picture. Say! It speaks for itself. A few words of description might seem a help. A bundle of mischief, originality, fun, good looks and sweetness. Why! I've just begun. Space is limited, so, oh well, let's make it snappy—here's to O'Dell.

#### ROBERT ANDREW BONDURANT

*Hi-Y, '25-'26-'27-'28; Secretary, '28; Student Council, '28; French Club, '28*

Capable, dependable, good looking and no woman-hater. "Bob" is sure to succeed on account of his winning personality. We are sorry to see him leave, but V. P. I. gets him next year. Good luck to you, Robert.

#### ROSE MARGARET BOVA

*Girls' Club*

A good sport, sweet, smart and jolly—sure that's Rose. She is a good, cheerful companion. Rose is planning to be a stenographer, but you never can tell, she may make someone a good cook. Best of luck to you, Rose.



MARY SHELOR BOWMAN

Mary is one of the prettiest and most attractive girls in the Senior Class. We all love Mary because of her sweet personality. We don't know what she intends to take up but we wish her the best of success. Here is to you, Mary.

REBECCA MARY BOWMAN

Well, who is this? Surely you know Rebecca. She is one of the sweetest and most lovable girls in the Class of '28. Rebecca expects to go in training for a nurse. Ole Hi wishes her the best of luck.

MARGUERITE ROBERTSON BOWERS

*M. W. L. S.; Spanish Club; Girls' Club*

Little, sweet and mischievous—that's our "Mag." Act? Sing? No, but, my heavens, she sho can talk—and how? Despite this she is known for her good grades and common sense. Here's best o' luck from '28.

ELIZABETH ERSKINE BRADLEY

*Booster Club; Girls' Club, '26-'27-'28; Program Chairman, G. C., '27-'28; Program Committee, G. C., '26-'27; Junior World-News Staff, '26-'27-'28; Editor-in-Chief, Junior World-News, '27-'28*

"Liz" is small but capable. A grand little sport and full of the joy of living. She has certainly proven her sterling worth while at Hi. Here's to our typical Senior.

UDELL NATHAN BRENNER

*J. L. S., '26-'27-'28; Junior World-News Staff, '28; Track Team, '28*

Udell is one of the most studious boys in the Senior Class and he surely does get good grades. He also takes an active part in school activities. We wish him best of luck in the University of Pennsylvania and in his future life.







## ELIZABETH HAMBRICK BRITAIN

Elizabeth—very much alive and getting more fun out of high school than almost anyone, that is how we will remember her. But then she makes splendid grades, too, and we will not forget her friendly helpfulness. May you always be successful, Elizabeth.

## ELSIE GERTRUDE BRITTS

*Social Committee, W. C., '25-'26; Membership Committee, G. C., '26-'27-'28; Chairman, Pin Committee, G. C., '27-'28; B. B. of S. C., '27; Chairman, Social Committee, S. C., '26-'27; Treasurer, S. C., '27-'28; Chairman, Pin Committee, S. C., '27-'28; Pianist, S. C., '26-'27.*

"Britts" is just an all-round girl, lots of personality, pep and musical ability. Here's to "Britts."

## NENA BELLE BROWN

Here's to Nena, the smiling blonde, with her sparkling blue eyes which reveal her thoughts. She is an all-round good student and loved by all who know her. May bad luck follow you, Nena, but never catch you, and your good dreams come true.

## KATIE RAY BROWN

Katie Ray is a true and loyal friend, admired and loved by all. Her light-heartedness in times of frivolity and conscientious effort in times of duty are sure to bring her success in whatever line of endeavor she may pursue.

## PEARLIE LOUISE BRYANT

With her sweet, cheerful disposition, Pearlle has won our hearts. She is a true friend to all who know her. We will miss Pearlle when she becomes someone's stenographer. May bad luck follow her always but never overtake her.



OSCAR MILLER BUCHANAN

Miller is one of the most likable boys in the Senior Class. He hails from Welch and has won many friends in the year he has been in Ole Hi. Miller expects to attend V. P. I. next year. Wherever he goes we wish him all success.

MARY WINIFRED BUCKLAND

G. C., '27-'28

Black hair, brown eyes, pleasant smile, describes "Winnie," whose genial disposition has won her many friends. She has not decided what she will do next year, but we wish her success in anything she undertakes.

EUGENIA OTTAWAY BUSH

*Wischefu Club, '25-'26; Good Fellowship Committee, Girls' Club, '26-'27; Chairman, Publicity, Girls' Club, '27-'28; Glee Club, '27-'28; Secretary and Treasurer, Glee Club, '27; Orchestra, '26-'27-'28; Reporter, Orchestra, '27; French Club, '28; M. W. L. S., '26-'27-'28.*

May you always succeed, "Gene," regardless of the task at hand.

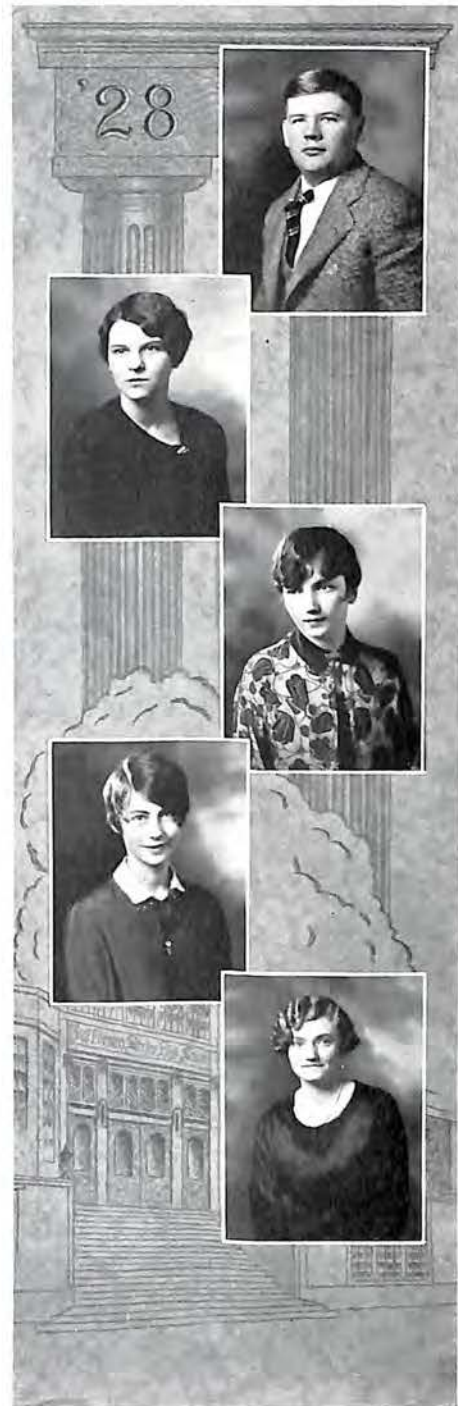
MARY FRANCES "SIS" BUTLER

*Boosters, '26-'27-'28; Secretary and Treasurer, Boosters, '27-'28; G. C., '25-'26-'27-'28*

They just naturally don't make girls any sweeter, more sincere or more attractive than Frances. Full of pep, good sport, and a charming personality. Without Frances' originality and enthusiasm Hi will be a lonesome place next year. May they love her at Converse as we do here. Here's to our "Booster."

THELMA PHYLLIS CANNADAY

Words are too feeble when one tries to describe Thelma with her sparkling eyes which reveal her thoughts. Her sterling qualities seem too numerous to mention and if there be any faults they have not been found. Here's to you, comrade, may your success continue.





## JAMES EARLE CARNER, JR.

*Baseball, '28*

Earle is a fine sport and a real friend. He has a quiet nature and makes good grades, apparently without effort. "Slim" expects to attend the University of Virginia and we are sure he will attain success there. Here's best of luck to you, Earle.

## WALTER CARPENTER

*Hi-Y, '25-'26-'27-'28; B. B., '27-'28;  
Baseball, '26-'27*

Walter is one of the most attractive boys in the class. He has taken an active part in high school clubs and has shown a marked athletic ability. We certainly will miss him next year.

## GRADY CALVIN CATES, JR.

*Hi-Y*

Grady is a very attractive young man who is quite popular with both the pupils and the faculty in high school. He expects to enter V. P. I. next year to take up engineering. He will certainly be missed at Ole Hi next year. Here's to Grady.

## VONICE KATHLEEN CHILDRESS

Everyone knows Vonice by her smile. She is usually happy, so she always smiles. She is one of our Christmas graduates and has already secured work in a lawyer's office. Best o' luck, Vonice.

## FRANCES JEWELL CLINGENPEEL

Coy, petite,  
Dimples sweet,  
Chatter saucy,  
Ideals lofty,  
Grades astounding,  
Good will abounding,  
What Miss is this?  
We all know it's Frances.



PHILIP CLORE, JR.

"Phil" is quiet, though friendly. He is capable, ambitious and original, and is inclined toward the literary field. "Phil" intends to study law at Roanoke College for two years, then at the University of Virginia. His presence in Ole Hi will be greatly missed next year when he's a Rat at Roanoke College.

THELMA ELIZABETH COFFMAN

Quiet and dignified. Elizabeth is one of our commercial graduates and will become someone's stenographer. All her friends will miss her and hope she succeeds in all her undertakings. May fortune smile on you, Elizabeth.

PETER BACOT COHEN

*Football, '27; Spanish Club, '26*

"Pete," one of our Christmas graduates, is well known because of the excellent way in which he held down an end on our football team. We know he will make some college a good athlete and student. "Pete," we are with you to the end.

NICKOLAS COSTANTEEN

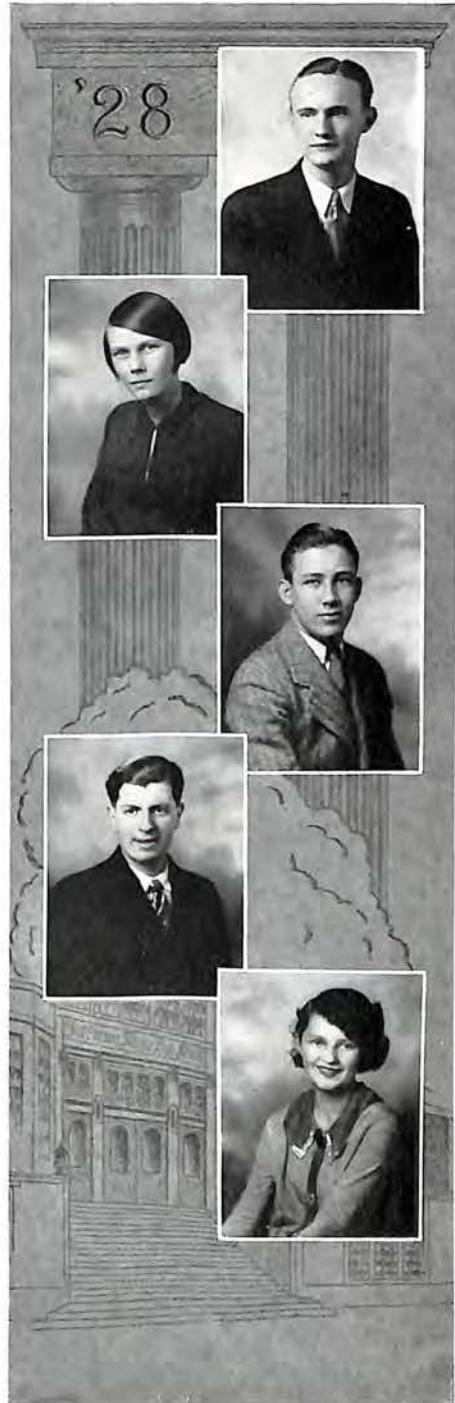
*Representative, Roanoke Roman, Fall, '25*

Nickolas is one of our Seniors who makes good grades. Personality a plenty. He is one of our studious Seniors. To give him up will be a loss to Ole Hi, because we all know him and appreciate his friendship. Hi wishes him great success in the coming years.

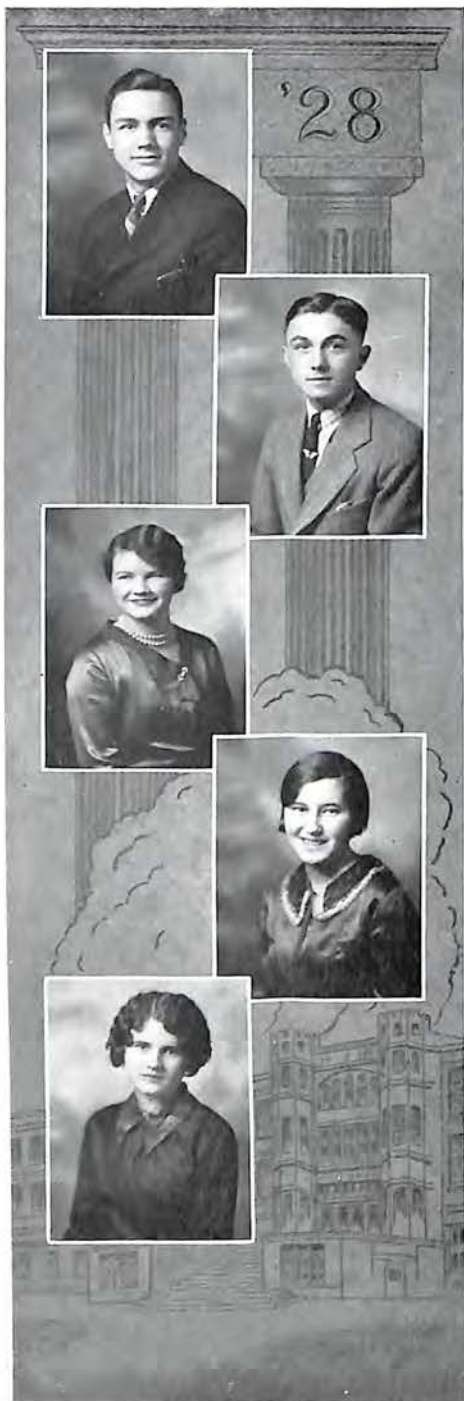
FLORENCE ELIZABETH COOK

*G. A. A.; G. C.*

Florence is just the little stenographer who isn't going to be a stenographer at all. We hear that she is going to steer her "craft" on other waters. Good luck to you, "Flo."







JOSEPH REEVES COON

Tall and dark—an ideal type of beauty, coupled with a striking personality. He's popular—and no wonder. His classmates realize what a fine fellow he is and wish him all the success in the world.

CHARLES RUDOLPH CRAMER

Though usually quiet, when he does speak he is heard—and heeded. With a fine record as a student, high school knows he will gain a huge success in all he does.

EVELYN ELIZABETH CRAWFORD

*Wischefu, '26; Girls' Club, '27-'28; Glee Club, '26-'27-'28*

Lovely auburn hair has she,  
Such natural waves you seldom see,  
The music she plays is very sweet,  
When it comes to piano she's hard to beat.  
Here's to Evelyn, may success be yours at Peabody.

THEODOCIA POLLARD CREASY

*Commercial Editor, Acorn; G. A. A.*

Lo! A gem, with the silver of speech, the gold of silence, the worth of rubies, the serenity of amber and the sparkle of crystal, may life enrich your treasure chest with all the jewels she holds in her hands.

MILDRED VALLEY CREWS

*M. W. L. S., '27-'28; G. C., '27-'28; Glee Club, '27-'28*

Mildred is one of our small Seniors. Wherever you see her, she is ready to greet you with a smile. A pleasing personality and a good sport—that's why "Milly" is so popular. We'll miss her next year. She has our best wishes for the future.





SAMUEL GIDEON CREWS

One of our Christmas graduates, "Sam" has certainly been missed since his departure. His many friends are with him in spirit in anything he may attempt.

DAVID EUGENE CROCKETT

Baseball, '26-'27-'28; Hi-Y Club, '28; Student Council, '28; R. C. Representative

"Pinky" is certainly well known around Ole Hi and all like him, students and faculty both, on account of his winning personality. V. M. I. will welcome him next year. The best of luck throughout your life, "Pinky."

VIVIAN ROSAMOND CUMMINGS

Girls' Club, '28; Spanish Club, '27-'28; M. W. L. S., '28

Vivian is tall, stately, attractive and amiable, these qualities have won her a host of friends since she came to us from West Virginia two years ago. Best wishes from the Class of '28 go with you, Vivian, in your future life, may it be one of great happiness and success.

GWENDOLINE LILWALL DANIEL

Assistant Editor, Roanoke Roman; Girls' Club; French Club; M. W. L. S., '26-'27; W'ischefu, '26; Orchestra; Latoka Art Club

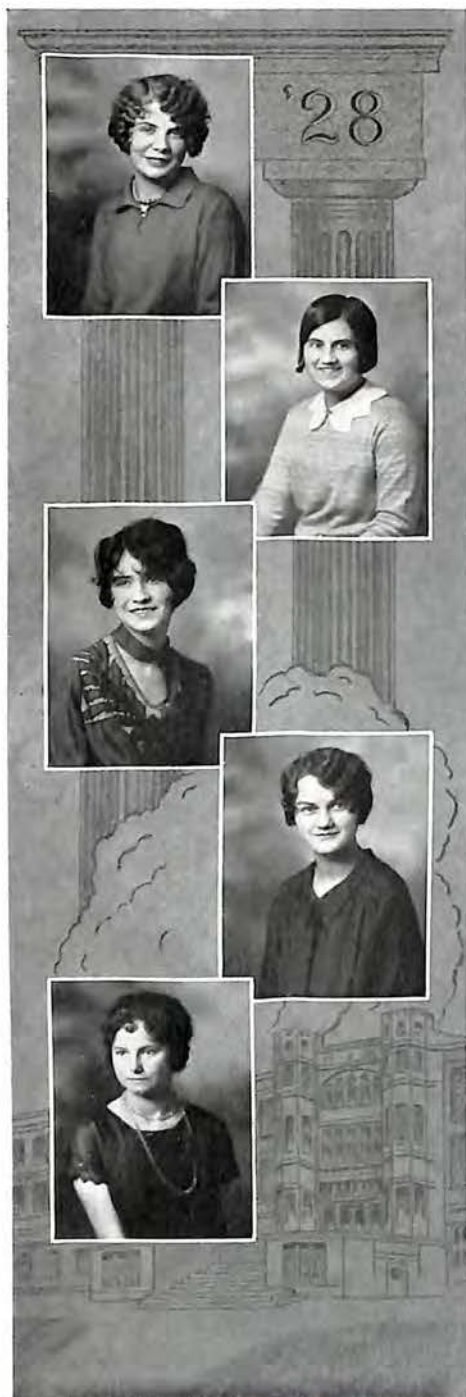
Here's to Gwendoline, one of the sweetest girls in Ole Hi, and she is liked by everybody. And grades—whew—I never saw such high ones. She always makes ninety and thinks nothing of it. Luck to you, Gwendoline.

THOMAS PITTMAN DAVIS

Big Brother Club, '27-'28; Baseball, '27; Football, '26-'27; Secretary, Senior Class, '28; Hi-Y Club, '26-'27-'28; Junior World-News Staff, '27; Acorn Staff, '28.

Actions speak louder than words of "Pitt's" popularity, worth and ability. Here's to a brilliant future.





SARAH PAYNE DAVIS

Happy-go-lucky, full o' pep, fun and mischief—that's Sarah. Speaking of study, that's beyond her, but she gets there just the same. Sarah expects to enter the commercial world, and best wishes of Hi go with her.

FRANCES GERTRUDE DAVIS

Gertrude is known to all by her keen, talking eyes. She is quiet and shy, but those who know her best appreciate her fun-loving disposition. Gertrude is going to enter the business world and we predict for her great success.

MARIE SAUNDERS DEYERLE

Who doesn't know Marie? She is one of the most attractive and sweetest girls in the Senior Class. She graduated at Christmas and has entered the Radford State Teachers' College. We certainly have missed her but wish her success in everything she undertakes.

GLADYS ANN DIXON

*M. H. L. S.; G. C.*

She is interested in many phases of high school life. She excels in the Home Economics Department, especially clothing. She has held office in the literary society and is capable, self-reliant and dependable. Yet, she is often the center of much mischievous merriment.

EULALIA ELIZABETH DILLON

Our Arkansas girl! She is a quiet little girl and always working. She is going to make a bookkeeper after she spends a while at the National Business College. Here's to her.



FAYE VIRGINIA DOOLEY

*Girls' Club, '27-'28*

A girl like Faye is hard to find,  
Sincere, sweet, lovable and kind.  
She'll always be a friend to you,  
When skies are either gray or blue.  
We're sure she'll succeed in whatever she does,  
'Cause she's the kind of girl that everyone loves.

VIRGINIA ELIZABETH DREW

*Booster Club, '26-'27-'28; G. C. Cabinet,  
'27-'28; M. W. L. S., '27; President,  
Utoka Art Club, '28*

A jolly good sport and a blond she is,  
Good looking and talented, and, oh gee whiz—  
Talk about drawing and acting—she rates!  
So best o' luck, "Jinna," from Class o' '28.

ANNIE LEITCH DUNCAN

Annie is one of those people that supplies  
knowledge for about a dozen others. Everybody  
knows her by her peculiar little walk. Say,  
Annie, there is no use hoping that fate will  
treat you good—she will do it anyway.

MAXINE ELLETT

Here's to Maxine, our petite Senior. And if  
you know her it is no need to say she is ambitious,  
but just the same she took both Latin and French  
at the same time, which means college next year.

IDA ISABELLE ELLIS

Irresistible,  
Sweet,  
Attractive,  
Bouyant,  
Energetic,  
Lovable,  
Loyal,  
Enthusiastic—  
Isabelle is all these and more,  
To know her is to love her.







## CHARLES EDWARD EVANS

Everyone knows "Ed" is one of the main factors around high school. A conglomeration of pep, personality, and needless to say—popularity. His propensity toward athletics has meant much to the Magicians. Shoot the goal of life, "Ed"—we'll back you.

## RUSSELL BENNETT FARLEY

Russell is known around Ole Hi by his sunny smile. He never keeps the midnight oil burning, but he makes good grades. Russell is expecting to attend Roanoke College next year. We all wish him the best o' luck.

## JOHN ROBERT FARIS

Quiet and contemplative—that's "Jack." But smart, well that's no name for it. Purdue will probably claim our curly-haired Senior next year. Here's wishing you luck, "Jack," in everything you undertake in life.

## IDA MARIE FARRIS

*G. C., '27-'28*

Our dignified Senior. She coöperates with the teachers, and is a good pal with the students. We predict success for her in whatever she undertakes. Here's to you, Marie.

## VERNA LEE FLESHMAN

*G. C.; G. A. A., '27-'28; Manager, Volley Ball, '28; Class Teams—Basket Ball, '28; Volley Ball, '27-'28; Baseball, '27-'28; Track, '28; Senior Privilege Committee.*

Verna is an all-round sport,  
 Yet she always has a good report.  
 She's cute, peppy and forever gay,  
 An ideal pal in every way.  
 To lose Verna Ole Hi hates,  
 She's one of the best of '28's.





HARRY MASON FLESHMAN

Here's to Mason, Hi's Senior, so short and small, big in heart, true in friendship. Mason is full of life, to say nothing of his ability as a student, especially in typewriting. Mason goes out from Hi to Tech. next fall. Success is assured by his winning smile. Hi's best wishes to you, Mason.

LOTTIE LOUISE FORBES

"Dignified Senior," we've all heard the term and it well applies to Louise—studious, very. She plans to attend East Radford to prepare to become a Math. teacher. Louise belongs to the Glee Club and the Girls' Club. Best o' luck, Louise.

SYBIL TINA FORMAN

*Girls' Club, '27-'28*

One of the sweetest and most attractive girls in the Senior Class, Sybil has made herself beloved all around the school. We do not know where she will continue her education, but we know she will be a success anywhere.

IRENE VIOLET FURBUSH

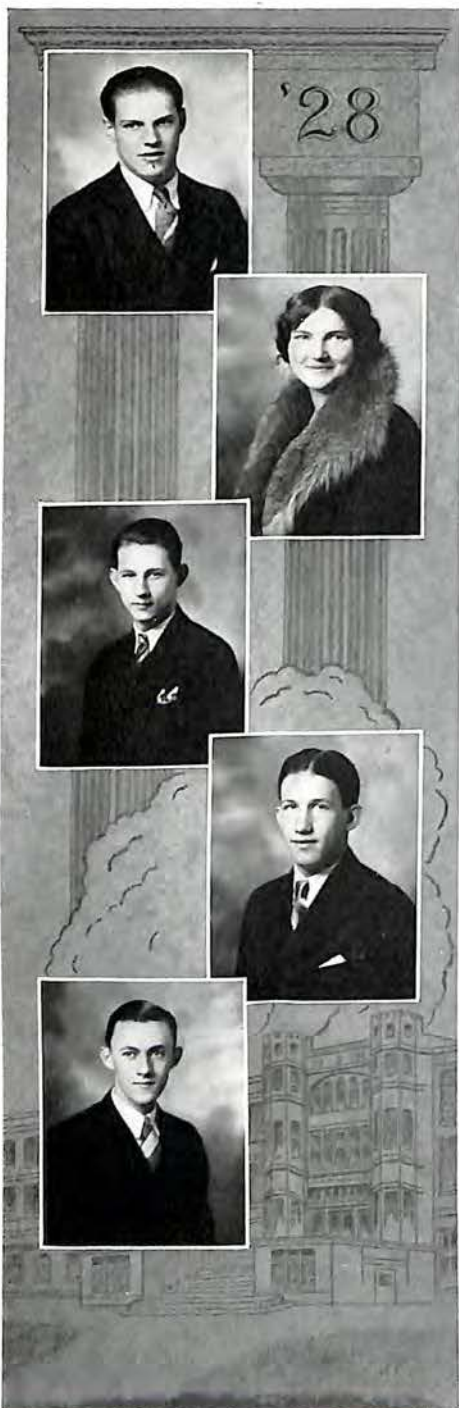
Irene is a Senior that's fair and square. She wins lots of friends both here and there. She has a smile that would melt anyone's heart. She is attractive, sweet, and very smart. Best of luck to you, Irene, in the business world.

MARY BURNER GAINES

*G. C.*

Little lady, call her that,  
'Cause everyone knows it's a fact.  
For everyone she has a smile  
And that is what makes life worth while.  
We know not what Mary will do,  
But we hope success will follow her through.





EDWARD SAUNDERS GAINES

Rather tall, blond and very quiet, "Ed" has made many friends in high school. Our best wishes for success go with him in anything he may attempt.

WILLIE FRANCES MILDRED GARLAND

*M. W. L. S., '27-'28; Spanish Club, '27-'28; Glee Club, '26-'27-'28*

Mildred is a fine friend who, until well known, seems rather quiet. Her three years in high school have won her a host of friends. She has made a good average in her work and will start for her B. S. next fall.

JAMES LINCOLN GIBBONEY

*President, Senior Class, '27-'28; Big Brother Club, '27-'28; Vice President, B. B. C., '27-'28; Hi-Y Club, '25-'26-'27-'28; Vice President, Hi-Y, '27-'28; Spanish Club, '27-'28; President, S. C., '27; Prefect Council, '28.*

Our president and most popular boy has a record that speaks for itself and we know that his success after he leaves us is assured.

GEORGE WILSON GISII

*Big Brother Club, '27-'28; Hi-Y, '26-'27-'28; Manager, Football, '27; Assistant Manager, Baseball, '27*

George is a good student with a fine disposition. Generous, kind—and always a friend indeed, reliable and trustworthy—lots of fun with just enough dignity to lend poise. May he prove as valuable to Roanoke College as he did to Ole Hi.

PAUL GODBY, JR.

*F. C.; Hi-Y*

Now, who is that tall, good-looking boy with that wonderful smile and personality? Do you not know him? He is no other than Paul, whom we all know. We wish him the best of luck and may he become a great architect.



SAMUEL CHRISTIAN GOENS

Everybody likes "Sam." His ready smile and cheerful personality have won him many friends among both boys and girls. "Sam" will graduate from the commercial department and we know that he will be a success in the business world.

HALLIE MEADE GRIGGS

*Spanish Club, '27-'28; G. C., '27-'28*

Ah! lovely maiden so fair,  
With your winning smile so rare,  
With an understanding heart and a hand ever ready,  
I am sure you'll have a great career  
With your own little Eddie.

LILLIAN CARY HALL

*G. C.*

Lillian has the ability to do many things and all well, especially cartooning. Her winning smile, congeniality and pleasant ways have won for her a place in the hearts of all. Lillian may attend Virginia College to study Art. Hi's best wishes go with her.

EVERETT SHERWOOD HANCOCK

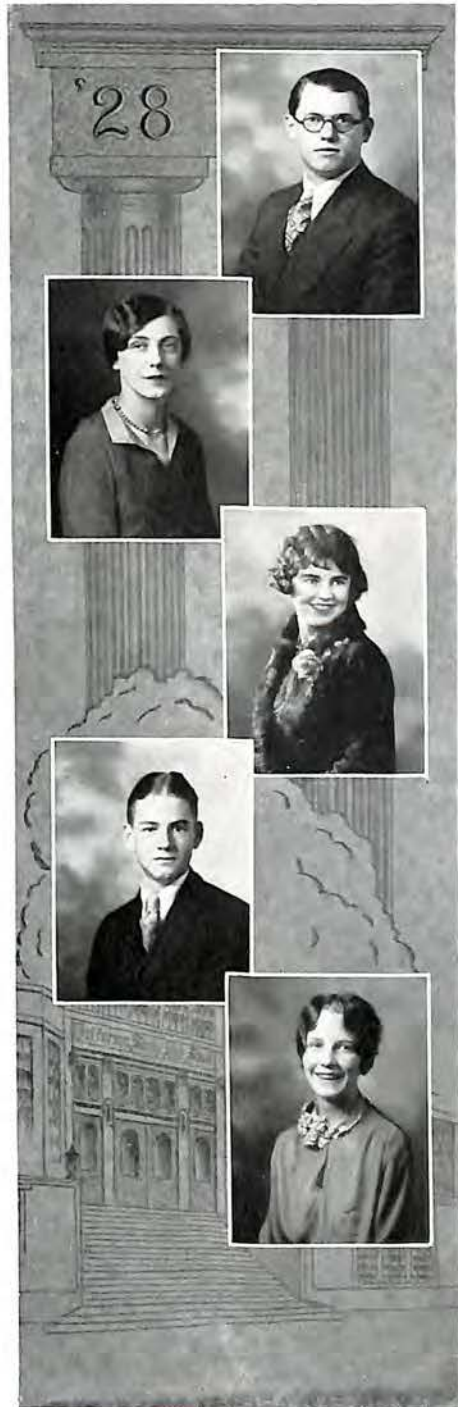
*Business Manager, The Acorn, '27-'28*

As our Business Manager, Everett has certainly been a success. A good worker and as good and true a friend as anyone could hope for. We surely hate to see him leave. He may go to Lawrenceville next year, but we know success is his wherever he may go.

MILDRED RUPERT HANCOCK

*G. C.; B. C.*

"Here she comes—there she goes." When you meet Mildred you feel that nothing more could be desired. A little bit dizzy, and just terribly sweet, full of enthusiasm, always on hand for a "big time" and on top of it all—the most sincere person we know. What more could we want?







MARY OPAL HARRIS

Opal Harris, that dignified, sarcastic, good-looking blond whose creed is "work hard and laugh between times." She is a graduate of the commercial department, is quiet and dependable and is now somebody's stenographer. Hi wishes you success, Opal.

HELEN CECELIA HART

G. C., '27-'28; M. W. L. S., '27-'28

A petite, golden blond—that's our Helen. A good commercial student, but a better artist. She intends to enter the Maryland Institute and become a full-fledged costume designer. Worlds of success to you, Helen.

MARY MARGARET HENRETTA

G. C., '27-'28; F. C., '28; "Latoka" Art Club, '27-'28

Margaret, with eyes of blue,  
To her a lot of praise is due,  
She's sweet, attractive, good-natured and gay,  
She's the kind that chases the blues away,  
Just a girl you can't forget,  
The kind you're awfully glad you met.

CAROLYNE CLAY HENSON

Decoration Chairman, Wischeju, '25-'26; Program Committee, Girls' Club, '26-'27; Reporter, Girls' Club, '26-'27; Exchange Editor, Acorn, '27-'28; Junior World-News Staff.

With a reputation for cleverness, originality, and wittiness, and with a willingness and the ability to work, "Sloppy" goes for being our ideal of an all-round girl.

MARGUERITE RAY HERBERT

M. W. L. S., '26-'27-'28; Jr. W.-N., '27-'28; G. I. A., '26-'27-'28; G. C., '27-'28; Program Committee, '27-'28; Chairman, Program Committee, M. W. L. S., '27; Recording Secretary, M. W. L. S., '28; Socii "Roanoke Roman" Staff, '26-'27; Volley Ball Team, '25-'26-'27; Apparatus Team, '26-'27; Baseball Team, '27; Debating Team, M. W. L. S., '28; Glee Club, '28; Commercial Basket Ball Team, '26-'27; Winner of Literary Letter, '27-'28; Winner of Athletic Letter, '27-'28.



FRED THOMAS HESLEP

A blonde, of medium stature, always smiling and joking. That describes Fred exactly. He certainly will be missed next year but he carries with him the most sincere wishes of his many friends for a brilliant future.

RICHARD CLARENCE HIATT

Clarence: We're sorry you're going away, We wish that you would stay, The commercial class will miss your splendid work and smiling face, That's forever cheering hearts of care. And remember to keep that smile in place, As smiles go everywhere.

MARTHA BROWN HIGH

G. C., '28

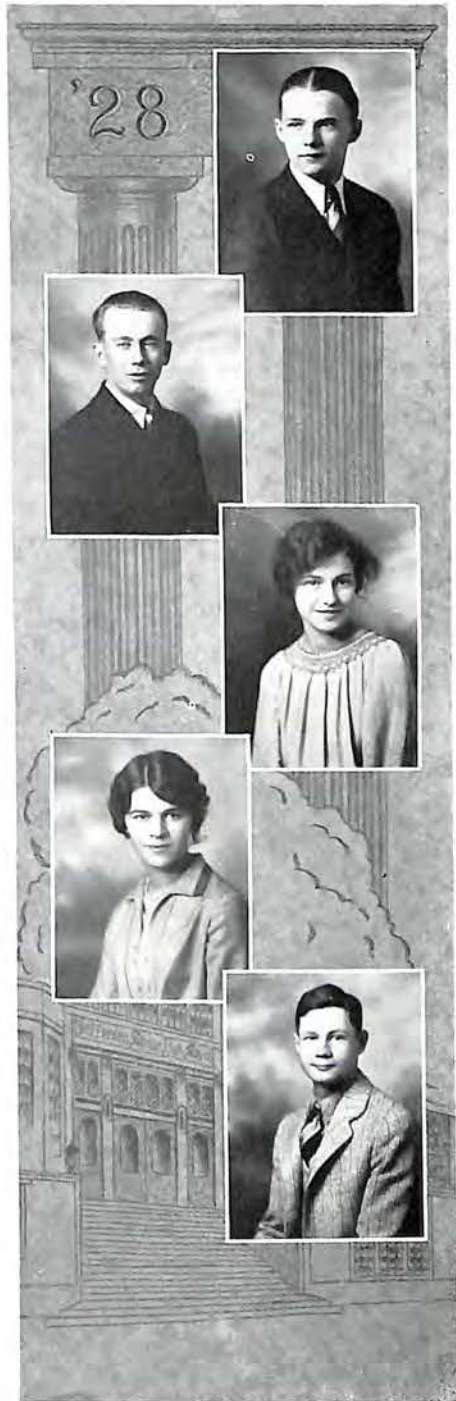
Who could it be but Martha? Adored and loved by everyone. Attractive! Well, I should say so! An ideal girl in every way, a true friend and a real sport always. Next year will see her a "Freshy" at Hollins.

VIRGINIA HINSON

Virginia is that attractive, brown-eyed Senior whose genuine personality has won for her a host of friends at Ole Hi. We hate to lose you, Virginia, but wish you the best of luck.

ROBERT GORDON HISEY

Gordon is the bright-eyed boy with dark hair and winning personality. He has a smile for everyone. He will succeed in life without an effort as good grades come to him without a bit of study. He has high ambitions, but has not yet planned his future. A good, all-round sport that Hi will never forget.





DORIS TATE HODGES

*Glee Club, '26-'27-'28; G. C., '27-'28*

Doris, how can we do without you?  
One who makes our school so bright,  
Reading, singing, studying, smiling,  
In all these, you are our light.  
Surely we must part—may luck be with you.

MARGARET VIRGINIA HODGES

If you see someone coming with a smile on her face, it's Margaret. She's a true friend and a good sport. Margaret has a host of friends in Ole Hi who will never forget her. We wish you the best of luck, old pal.

PEARL LILLIAN HOGAN

*Social Chairman, Wischefu, '25-'26; Treasurer, Girls' Club, '26-'27-'28; Booster Club; Short Story Editor, Acorn, '27-'28; Vice President, French Club, Historian, Booster Club, '28.*

Lillian is a grand sport and always known for her good nature. Besides, she's a "writer of no mean repute." Her personality and ability will always take her wherever she's headed.

GRACE NOREEN HOLCOMB

*G. C.*

Noreen is the type we all admire. Fun, pep, ability, popularity and charm. Noreen is ready for the business world and Ole Hi will miss her. We wish you "loads" of success, Noreen.

VIRGINIA NEAL HOOGE

*Girls' Club, '27-'28; M. H. L. S., '27-'28*

Gentleness and sweetness of manner, combined with vivacity—an unselfish, understanding friend—a charm that's hard to ignore. It is easy to understand why Virginia is popular.





ALICE RHEA HORSLEY

*Girls' Club; Wischegu Club; Secretary, French Club, '28; M. W. L. S., '26-'27-'28; Chairman, Credit Committee, M. W. L. S., '27; President, M. W. L. S., '28; Acorn Staff, '26-'27; Associate Editor-in-Chief, '27-'28; Student Council, '28.*

"Cheerio"

WILLIAM TERRILL HORTON

Better known as "Bill"—he is attractive and witty. "Bill" is such a good sport that everyone likes him. He is not going to college next year, but expects to attend Northwestern later. Just the best of luck to you, "Bill," ole boy.

THOMAS YANCEY HOCHINS

Thomas is one of our most energetic and capable Seniors. His good grades alone speak for him. He is genial, versatile and a real friend. "Tom" is interested in mechanical drafting and plans to attend V. P. I. Best of luck, "Tom," your friends at Hi will miss you.

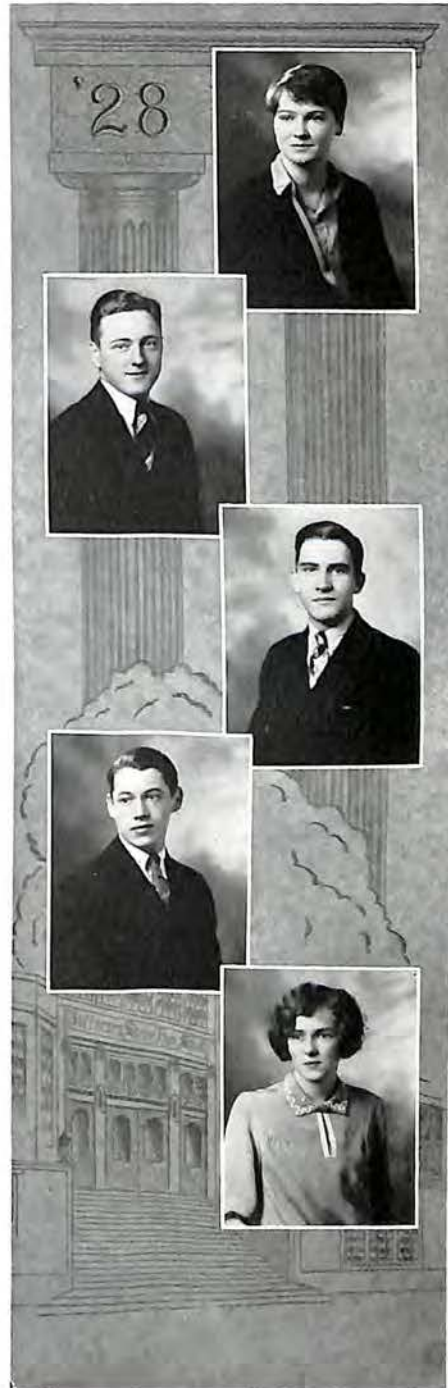
WARREN BERKELEY HUDDLESTON

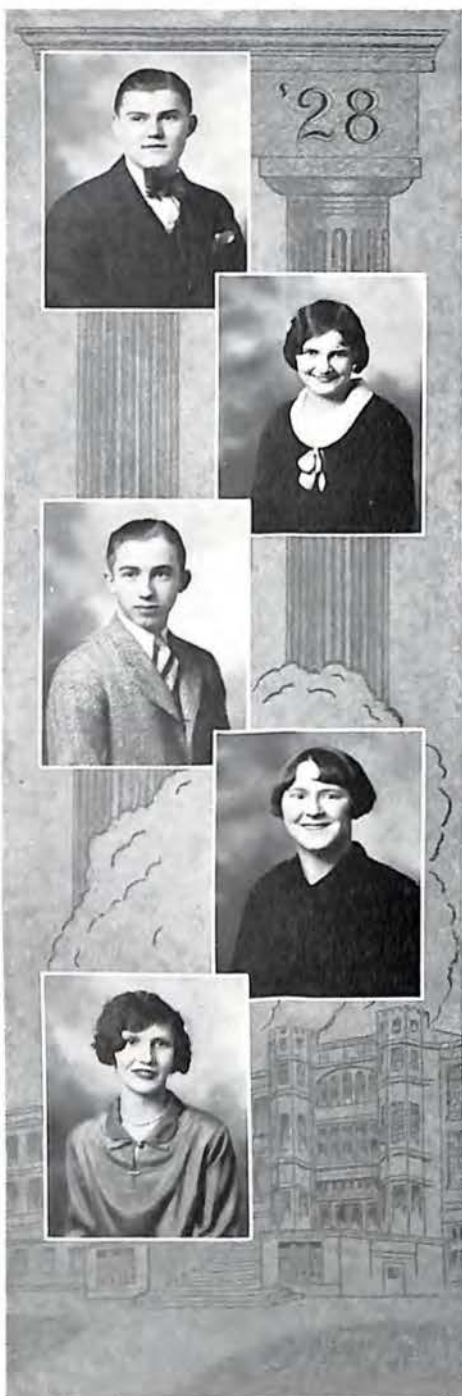
*J. L. S., '27-'28*

Warren, the dignified Senior, typical of Ole Hi. He is very original in his work and stands high in his classes. Warren is humorous and you rarely ever see him angry. He has not planned his future, but is interested in civil engineering. We know he will make a success.

LOLA ALVERDA HURT

Is she dignified? Well, I guess.  
Is she attractive? Oh, my yes.  
Sweet and pretty, call her that,  
Because everyone knows it's a fact.  
Hasn't decided what she'll do.  
Wish her success? 'Course we do.





### VIVIAN RANDOLPH HYLTON

Imagine an upheaval in high school without Vivian being connected. You can't, it's an impossibility! Vivian is an individual and he sho' is noticed. Yes—you guessed right the first time, "a ladies' man." The Class of '28 is proud to claim this regular fellow. Here's to you, Vivian.

### VIRGINIA MAE IKENBERRY

Demure of manner, pretty of face, that's Virginia exactly. There is no doubt about her success, for anywhere Virginia goes she will be a favorite. Lonesomeness for friendship, she will never know.

### ROBERT FLETCHER ISEMINGER

"Bob" is that tall, handsome, brown-eyed, dignified Senior who never has too much to say. He is industrious, energetic, sincere and full of capability. All who know him, know him as a good sport and a true friend. Best of luck, Robert.

### MARY E. JACKSON

*Girls' Club, '26-'27; G. A. A., '27-'28; Glee Club, '26-'27-'28; Varsity Volley Ball Team, '26-'27-'28*

Here's to Mary, one and only,  
When you're with her, you're never lonely.  
Joking, singing, always gay,  
And basket ball she surely can play—  
As a sport, she's hard to beat,  
A finer friend you'll never meet.

### LENNIE GARRETT JENKINS

*G. C., '28*

Lennie is that sweet, dark-haired girl who you find roaming the halls of Ole Hi with a smile for everyone. We extend our best wishes to you, Lennie, and know your future will be a success.



GERALDINE JENNINGS

Vice President, Girls' Club, '27-'28; Chairman, Membership Committee, Girls' Club, '27-'28; Chairman, Decoration Committee, Girls' Club, '27; Booster Club, '27-'28; French Club, '27-'28; M. W. L. S., '27-'28; Reporter, Wischefu, '25-'26; Basket Ball, '26-'27-'28; Volley Ball, '26-'27-'28; Apparatus, '28; Prefect Council, '28.

Dean is a true friend always, a loyal pal and a good sport.

BERNICE FRANKIE JONES

What! You don't know that awfully cute, dignified Senior? Quiet? Well I reckon, when the teachers are around, but otherwise, nix. She's plenty of fun, has a bright, sunny smile, is a good sport, a willing helper and, oh boy, how!

CATHERINE SIDNEY JOHNSON

G. C.; S. C.

They say that best of friends must part,  
But, "Kit," we haven't got the heart  
To bid good-by to one like you—  
A pal who's been so good and true,  
Instead, we'll just wish you happiness.

MAUDE FRANCES JOHNSON

Wischefu, '25-'26; G. C., '27-'28; F. C., '28; Program Committee, M. W. L. S., '27; Treasurer, M. W. L. S., '28

"A true friend in every way."

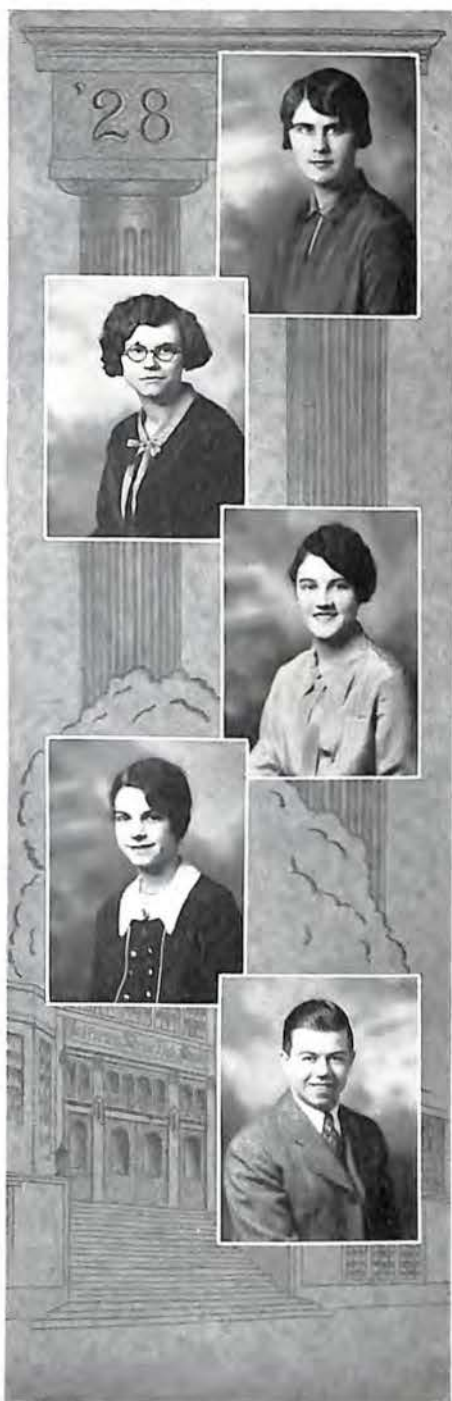
Maude is one of the sweetest girls in the Senior Class and a true friend to everyone. We are sure that she will be as successful at Farmville as she has been at Hi.

FRANK THOMAS KELLY

Spanish Club, '26

"Not too sober, not too gay,  
But a real fellow in every way."

Frank is one of our ambitious Seniors. His trend of thought is toward electricity and he expects to attend V. P. I. next fall to study electrical engineering. We wish him the greatest success.







JUANITA MAE KELLEY

G. C.

"Gentlemen prefer blonds," is often quoted,  
And Juanita is one, which we all have noted.  
She walks 'round the halls, smiling all day,  
But, alas! We hear our blond will soon be  
"Gray."

HOWARD EARL KERR

Hi-Y, '28

Tall, lively, good-natured, a boy who is  
liked by both girls and boys. This is "Red."  
His personality is a gift few can elude. Chemistry  
attracts him at Roanoke College.

EDITH MILDRED KINSEY

M. W. L. S.

Appearance—neat and sweet,  
Character—couldn't be beat,  
Eyes—round and brown,  
Disposition—nicest in town,  
Grades—my! how bright!  
As a whole—we think she's all right!

EVELYN KEYSER KOONTZ

G. C.; M. W. L. S.; Spanish Club

"Here she comes, there she goes"—that fits  
Evelyn. Popularity with Evelyn is the thing.  
Brown, curly hair and, oh! those brown eyes.  
"From all indications those are individual  
claims," but we hope Converse College gets hers.

EVA JORDAN KREBS

G. C., '26-'27-'28; Glee Club, '27-'28; Booster  
Club, '27-'28; W. C., '25; Junior World-  
News, '26

Girls of your type are rare!  
You make everybody sit and stare,  
You dance and swim, have hosts of friends,  
You're what you are and don't pretend.  
To you, Eva, dear, there 're wishes of success,  
From Ole Hi, that all love best.



BLANCHE ATTAWAY LAWRENCE

S. C., '26-'27; M. W. L. S., '27-'28

Blanche is a dignified brunette. She's rather quiet but a true friend. Capable, sweet and studious, but always ready for fun. Blanche is taking Domestic Science, we don't know why, but we can guess. Best o' luck.

RUTH ELIZABETH LAYMAN

Girls' Club, '26-'27-'28; Service Committee, Girls' Club, '27-'28; M. W. L. S.

Who doesn't know Ruth? By her frankness, loyalty and dependableness, she has made a wide circle of friends. Ruth is going to Bridge-water next fall. You have our best wishes for your success, Ruth.

HERMAN HUFF LE GRANDE

Big Brother Club, '27-'28; Baseball, '26-'27; Manager, Baseball, '28; Hi-Y Club, '26-'27-'28; Treasurer, Hi-Y, '28; Hi-Y Cabinet, '27-'28; Spanish Club, '26-'27-'28; Student Council, '28.

Always smiling and willing to help, Herman is well known and liked. Small in stature, but a real Big Brother. He will be missed next year by his host of friends. Best o' luck, ole topper.

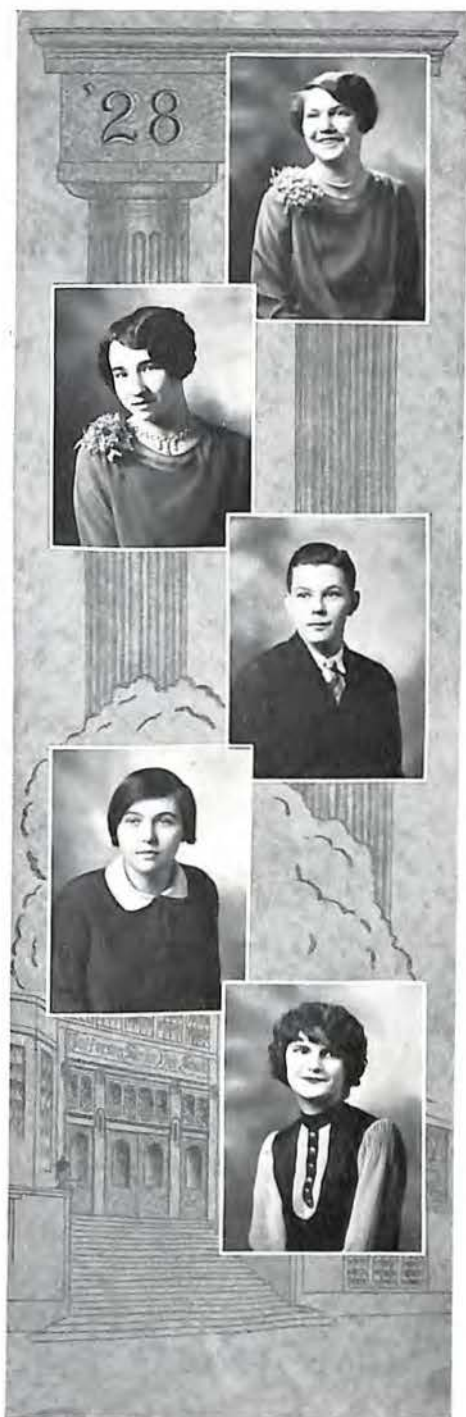
OLA MAY LEONARD

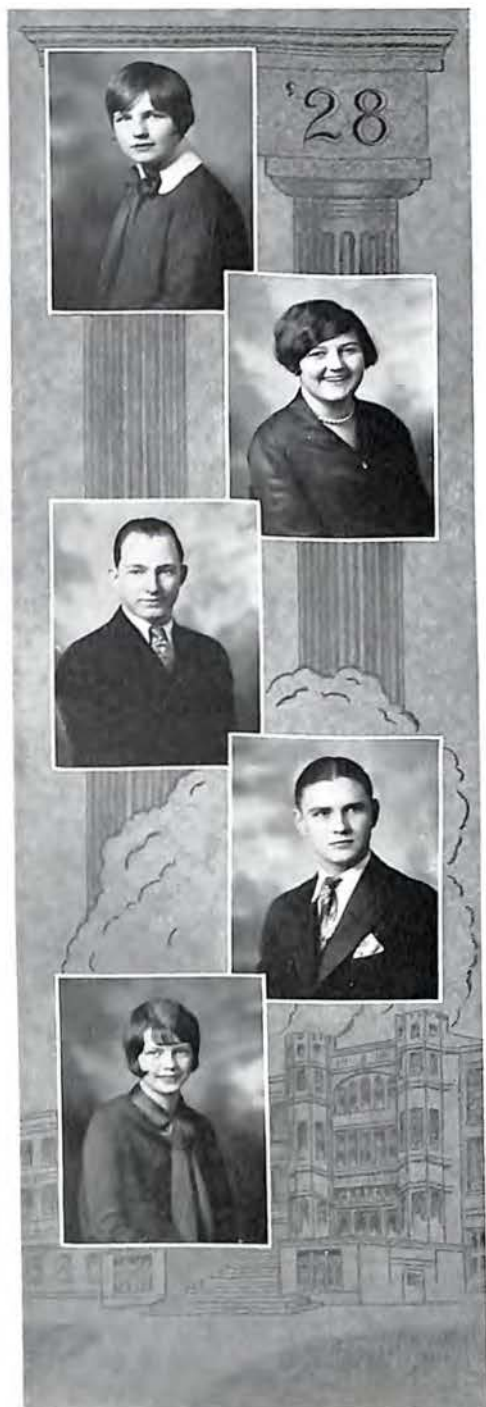
Ola is one of our quiet and dignified Seniors. She is capable, studious, and a true friend in every respect. Ola expects to teach in the future, but whatever she does we will join in the chorus of, "Ola, here's to you."

SADIE INEZ LEWIS

G. C.; M. W. L. S.; Secretary, Latoka Art Guild

Here is Sadie, that witty and optimistic Senior, who is always making someone laugh. Draw! I should say! A very accomplished girl. We are sure success awaits her in whatever she undertakes.





MARY FRANCES LEVELL

*G. C., '27-'28; F. C., '28; M. W. L. S., '27-'28; G. A. A., '26-'27-'28; Manager of Baseball, '28; Volley Ball, '26-'27; Basket Ball, '27-'28; Baseball, '27-'28; Good Fellowship Committee of G. C., '27-'28.*

Light hair, laughing blue eyes, a winning personality—that's Mary Frances. She's just about the best pal there is, and she sure can sing. We don't know what our Baseball Champion will do—but we know she'll succeed.

MARGARET ELIZABETH LITTLEJOHN

*G. C., '27-'28; W'ischefu, '26*

To know her is to love her,  
This sweet and jolly girl,  
As a friend, none can excel her,  
She is truly her mother's pearl,  
In M. W. L. S. and Spanish Club,  
She always does her part,  
And on the Junior World-News Staff,  
She proudly shows her art.

ROBERT SHERMAN LIT'TRELL

*Hi-Y, '25-'26*

Sherman is that attractive Senior that we all like. He doesn't burn the midnight oil studying but, nevertheless, he gets fine grades. Sherman has decided to study electrical engineering when he leaves Ole Hi and we all wish him the best of success. Luck to you, Sherman.

CARY FRED MANGUS

Fred is one of the main factors around high school. He has a pleasing personality, mixed with pep and humor, and flavored with plenty of wit. He is popular with the boys and girls both. He is sure to make his way with his winning disposition at Hampden-Sidney next year.

LOENA MARKHAM

*G. C.; S. C.*

Charming personality—the same pal to-day as yesterday—jolly, and full of pep; a true Jefferson High girl. Loena intends to enter the business world after leaving Hi. Our best wishes go with you, old pal.





CAROL WALTON MARTIN

J. L. S., '25-'26; Hi-Y, '25-'26-'27-'28;  
Spanish Club, '28

Carol is a friend to be proud of and is liked by all in Ole High. He has done splendid work while here and expects to go to Roanoke College next year. Here's to you, Carol.

JAMES CALVIN MARTIN

It is with much regret that we give Jimmy up just as we begin to know him. He came to us last fall from Rocky Mount High School. By his quiet air of determination he has won the respect of all. Jimmy expects to study medicine and ultimately to become a surgeon. Here's luck, Jimmy, we know you will succeed.

WILLIAM ARTHUR MARTIN

William is quiet and likable. Although he is not very studious, he always gets good grades. "Still waters run deep" and that describes William perfectly. He is good-natured and we will surely miss him when he goes to the U. S. Naval Academy. Good luck, William.

GLENNA CLARA MARTIN

Here we have a contradiction to the old adage, "Beautiful but dumb." Glenna is a member of the Girls' Club and Glee Club. Best of luck from the Class of '28 to this "favorite of the gods."

VIOLA DELORIOUS MASON

Spanish Club

Ambition, and a determination to fulfill it, characterize Viola. She is loyal, happy and a sincere friend, always ready to lend a helping hand in the time of need. The Class of '28 wishes her much success.





MARTHA MARCELLA MASON

*G. A. A., '27-'28; G. C., '26-'27-'28;  
B. B., '27-'28*

Here comes Martha, dashing through the hall,  
With a smile and a word to one and all.  
Cute, attractive and full of pep,  
There's no question about Martha's rep.

CLARINDA LEE MASON

*Vice President, M. W. L. S., '28; Treasurer,  
M. W. L. S., '27; G. C.*

Little and cute, dainty and sweet; that's  
Clarinda. She makes us all sit up and take  
notice when it comes to literary ability. We do  
not know Clarinda's plans for the future, but  
Hi extends best wishes to her little actress.

HESSIE MAUDE MAXEY

*G. C.*

Hessie is the Spanish type, sparkling black  
eyes and black hair. These, combined with her  
other estimable qualities, make an ideal girl.  
Hessie is planning on William and Mary next  
year. Best wishes of old Hi go with her.

EUNICE MILDRED McBRIDE

*H. E. C., '26-'27-'28; G. C., '27-'28;  
M. W. L. S., '27-'28; Student Council, '28*

Mildred, with those eyes so blue,  
Very sweet and attractive, too.  
In typewriting, as a rule,  
Mildred is the best in school.  
She's always true and does her best.  
J. H. S. wishes her loads of success.

HELEN ELIZABETH McCAULEY

*G. C.; B. B., '27*

Helen is one who never takes life seriously.  
However, she makes good grades. She talks  
incessantly and kept all her teachers busy. But  
she'll make a wonderful "Tillie" for some  
wealthy employer. '28 bestows best wishes.



CHARLES WILSON McCOWN, JR.

Hi-Y, '27-'28

Hush—here comes Charlie. He's ever so small but ever so clever. We like his grin; we like his grit; we know he's a fine boy; so, here's to him.

MARY AGNES McDONALD

Girls' Club, '26-'27-'28; French Club, '28

Of course you know her! That attractive Senior that has just plenty of pep. Mary is a loyal friend and a good sport. After graduating from High School she will continue her studies at Randolph-Macon.

JESSIE FRANCES McKENDRIE

Girls' Sport Reporter, Jr. W.-N., '27-'28; G. A. A., '26-'27-'28; G. C., '27-'28; M. W. L. S., '26-'27-'28; Volley Ball, '25-'26-'27; Commercial B. B. Team, '27-'28; Winner of Athletic and Literary Letters

J—ust a real friend—always gay,  
E—njoys sports in every way.  
S—illy, just a little bit,  
S—o we know she'll make a hit.

MABEL GERTRUDE McKENDRIE

President, Glee Club, '27-'28; Captain, Commercial Department Basket Ball Team, '28; Spanish Club; Winner Athletic Letter; Junior and Senior Basket Ball and Volley Ball Teams, '26-'27-'28; G. A. A.; Program Committee, G. C., '27-'28

Capable, talented, athletic, attractive. Her record speaks for itself. Mabel will study journalism at Ohio State. Best o' luck.

JULIA ELIZABETH FRANCES McNEIL

World Fellowship Committee of G. C.; Glee Club

Julia? Sure you know that "lil Irish gal." The most attractive girl in the Senior Class. "Pat's" wit and charm have won her a host of friends. And say, she is only a stenographer but she knows her word signs.







WILLIAM ANDERSON McNULTY

*Vice President, J. L. S., '27; Treasurer, J. L. S., '28; Hi-Y, '28; Student Council, '28; Reading Representative, '28; ACORN Staff; Roanoke Roman Staff*

Ladies, and what came with you, on this side is Bill. Bill is very quiet, studious and good looking, active in school activities and popular with the ladies, although he is very bashful. Bill is going to West Point and be a "soldier boy." Next!

ROBERT JOHN MEYBIN, JR.

*Hi-Y; J. L. S.*

Everybody knows Bobby, especially the ladies. Bobby is rather fickle but, as he says, it is easier to get a new girl than a new line. He seems to be very quiet but, then, some know him better than others, perhaps.

REBECCA CLAUDINE MILLER

"Becky" is one of those people who always have sunny smiles for everyone. She is well known around Hi and has many friends who wish her all sorts of good luck when she goes out into the world. Always willing to help.

BLANCHE GERTRUDE MILLS

Blanche is attractive, with lots of pep,  
And a good commercial backing,  
And when it comes to friends and rep,  
Hi knows there's nothing lacking.  
"Almost dignified"—'tis a fact,  
But she sure sets up when she hears "Ward" or  
"Cadillac."  
Best o' luck, Blanche.

JERE KYLE MONTAGUE, JR.

*Treasurer, J. L. S., '27; Vice President, J. L. S., '28*

Kyle is one of high school's most humorous boys. He says that his ambition is to reduce, and that his hobby is eating. Kyle has made a great record for himself in the Jeffersonian. This will probably lead to greater things in later life.



CATHERINE ELIZABETH MOORE

We all know Catherine—always smiling and pleasant and willing to help. A real friend, she carries with her the most sincere wishes of each of her many friends for many shining successes.

MASTON KLAIN MOORMAN

Whenever you see a tall, black-haired boy coming down the hall who reminds you of a preacher just say, it's Maston. He is an all-round good Senior who everyone admires because of his friendly qualities. Maston expects a business career. Here's wishing him the greatest success.

DOROTHY RUTH MORGAN

*G. C., '27-'28; Booster Club, '27-'28*

The perfect flapper—a synonym for good spirits, pep, vivacity. Dot has all the qualities to make her adored by all—and she is! Her "every ready" smile and dauntless spirit will be hard to forget.

JOHN PAUL MUDDIMAN

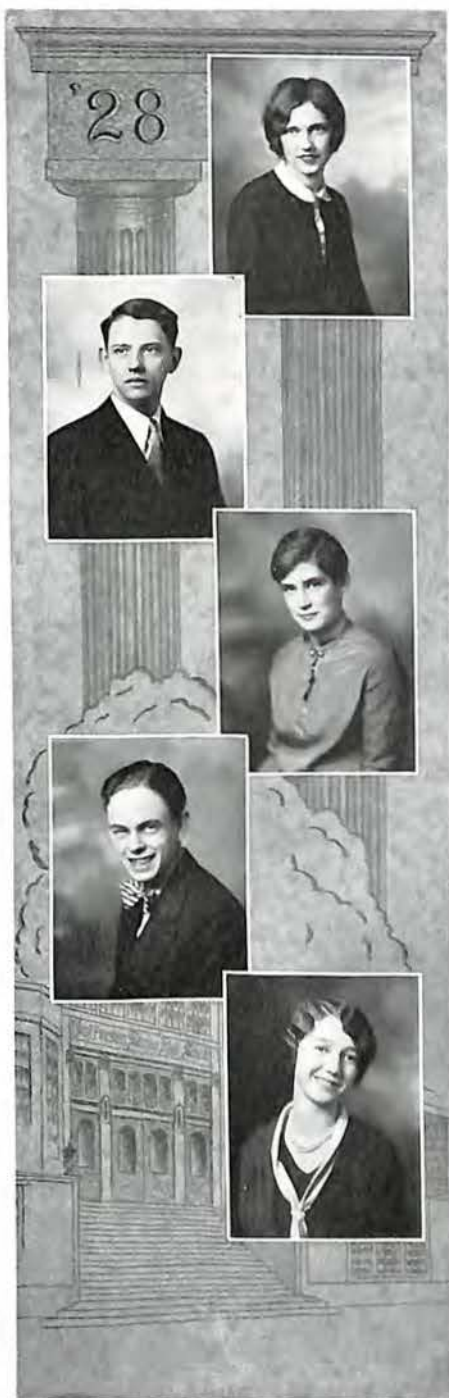
*S. C., '26-'27-'28*

Paul is one of those fellows you just can't help liking. He has a winning smile that manages to get him most anything he wants. Jefferson High will miss him next year. Classmate and pal, we, the Class of '28, wish you success in all your life's endeavors.

MARY EMILY MUNGER

*G. A. A., '27-'28; G. C., '27-'28; Volley Ball, '26-'27; Baseball, '27*

Who doesn't know Emily, one of Hi's sweetest girls? Her ready smile and cheerful personality has won for her many friends. She is indeed an ideal girl. May she be as successful everywhere as she has been at Ole Hi.





MAROE HOPKINS MUNSEY

G. C.

Big brown eyes and curly hair,  
That's "Cuddles."  
Generous-hearted, loves to share,  
That's "Cuddles."  
Her teachers love her—wonder why?  
Although she's sweet, she's rather shy.  
Our "Cuddles" graduates this spring,  
We'll certainly miss the "li" thing.

SARA ERNESTINE MYERS

G. C., '26-'27-'28; G. A. A., '28;  
M. W. L. S., '28

"Teeny"—a true sport in every way,  
Never weary, always gay.  
Attractive, charming and to me,  
She's adorable—as you can see.  
She can dance—oh, boy!—and how,  
I mean "Teeny's" quite a wow!

LOU ELLA MYERS

G. C., '28

Lou Ella is one of our cutest Seniors. We don't know for sure whether she is going to be a stenographer or bookkeeper, but we think she may be a ———keeper. Hi wishes her luck.

JAMES JOSEPH NAJJUM, JR.

"Jimmie" attended a private school before coming to us last year. Although new to the system, he soon acquired the Hi spirit. He will continue his studies at Roanoke College and we know that he will be as successful in his work as he was at Hi.

JOSEPH RICHARD NAJJUM

A friend that you can depend on, that's Joe,  
Handsome, dignified and always on the go;  
Is he heading for college? Of course, yes,  
And we all wish him loads of success.





LOIS MAXINE NININGER

Booster Club, '26-'27-'28; President, B. C., '27-'28; Treasurer, Sophomore Class, '25-'26; Treasurer, Junior Class, '26-'27; Vice President, Senior Class, '27-'28; Wischefe Club, '25-'26; Girls' Club, '26-'27-'28; Recording Secretary, G. C., '27-'28; Prefect Council, '28.

"Bunch."

EDWARD CLAGETT NININGER

J. L. S.; Roanoke Roman Staff; Junior World-News Staff

Here's to our English friend, *omnium rerum*—a lover of Thackeray. Edward will specialize in English and American Literature at the University of Richmond.

ELGIN HAMPTON NININGER

Hi-Y, '24-'25-'26-'27-'28; Treasurer, Hi-Y, '25-'26; Big Brother, '27-'28; Track, '28

Admiration, respect and a smile for everyone, speak louder than words could, of Elgin's worth and popularity in High School. His contribution to the social and athletic life of '28 will be sorely missed when he leaves, but we wish him the best of success in the future.

FOYE MABEL NISTON

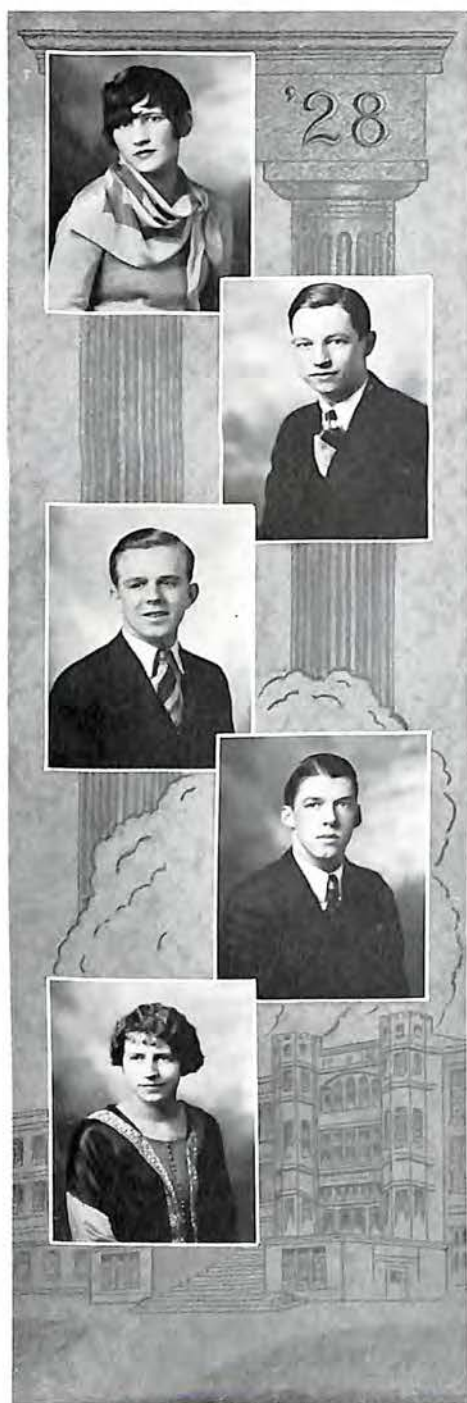
French Club, '28; Girls' Club, '27-'28

Who is that good-looking, dark-haired Senior? Why that's Foye. Always smiling, liked by everyone. An A-1 girl and a good sport always. Here's wishing her success in life.

RUTH PRESTON NEWMAN

Ruth is one of our quiet, practical girls who never lets people know all she can do. She will be remembered in school as a good sport and a good friend.





## DOROTHY OSSRY

*G. C.; F. C.*

"Not too sober, not too gay,

But a true, sweet friend in every way."

"Dot" really is a true friend in every way—amiable, ambitious and adorable. Dorothy's years at Hi have been a pleasure to all who have known her. We hate to give you up, "Dot."

## RICHARD OWENS

Dick, always happy and smiling and ready to help a friend, has won many of them since he has been in high school. We don't need to wish him success because we know he is bound to succeed regardless of what may happen.

## JAMES EDWARD OYLER

"Jim" is a quiet, good-natured fellow who is always glad to help a friend. He graduated and then took a post-graduate course. Jim has been a success in high school and we know that he will make a success of anything he undertakes to do.

## EPPA CLAUDE PACE, JR.

*Big Brother Club, '27-'28; Hi-Y Club, '26-'27-'28; Circulation Manager, THE ACORN, '27-'28; Hi-Y Cabinet, '27-'28; Choral Club, '26; Treasurer-Elect, Hi-Y, '27-'28; Track, '28.*

Claude, ever smiling, ever willing to help, we hate to see you go, but with you will always be our most sincere wishes for a brilliant future.

## STELLA MAY PATRICK

Stella says she isn't a star in anything but, somehow, she's never seen among the lesser luminaries. Always good-natured and ever ready to enjoy any fun. Our best wish—may her friends be as numerous in the future as at present.



JOHN WOODY PATTERSON

Quiet and dignified, but very much alive—that's John. His friends are numerous, and justly so, for he is sincere and helpful and such a good sport. And another thing, we hear the ladies like him.

VIRGINIA LOUISE PETTY

*Wischefu; World Fellowship Chairman, '24-'25; Program Chairman, '25-'26; Girls' Club; World Fellowship Chairman, '26-'27; Service Chairman, '27-'28; Coöperative Council, '25-'26; Student Council, '28.*

Attractive, friendly, capable—that's Virginia. Her pleasing personality and genuine service will be missed next year.

PHOEBE HENREE PHILLIPS

*G. C., '27-'28; G. A. A., '28*

A perfect blonde (those eyes of blue),  
A friend that's ever, always true,  
A girl attractive, thoughtful, sweet,  
All fall when once they Phoebe meet.  
Perhaps to Farmville she will go,  
They'll love her there; we'll miss her so.

WILLIAM STANTON PILCHER

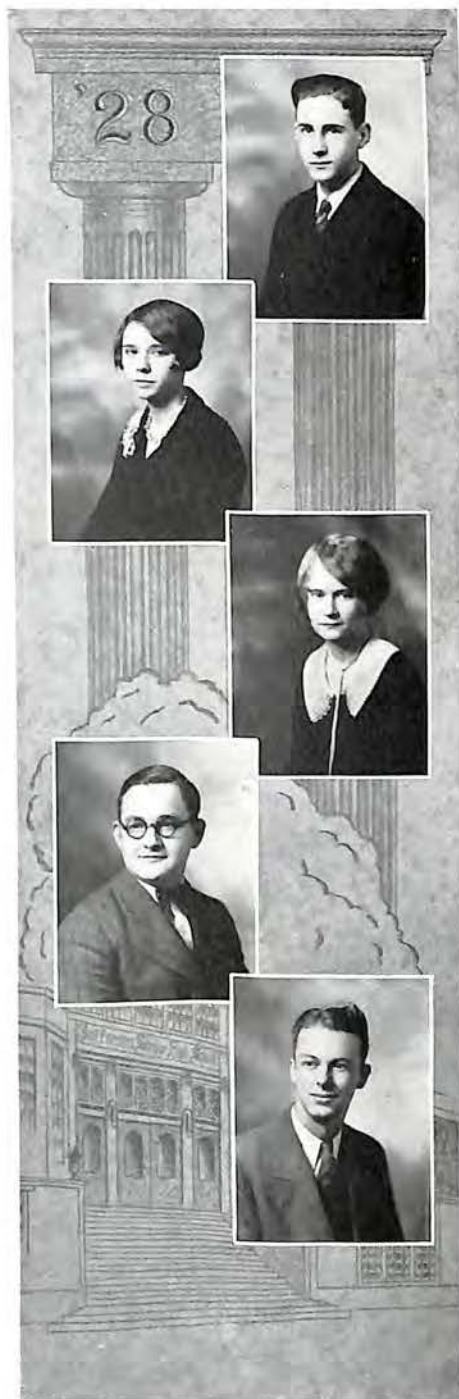
*Big Brother Club, '26-'27; Manager B. B. B. Team, '28; Hi-Y, '26-'27; Reporter, Hi-Y, '27-'28; Choral Club, '26-'27; Manager, Track Team, '28; Spanish Club, '26-'27*

Ole, good-natured Billy! His record shows what a genuine all-round sport he is.

WILLIAM SAMUEL PLYMALE, JR.

*Hi-Y; Choral Club*

An ideal Senior, Bill—a rare combination of the visionary and the practical. His grades—yes, in physics especially—are outstanding. Even better than this, during the short year he has been with us his unique personality has won our genuine admiration and friendship.







### JESSE COALTER POLLARD

Who is this business-like fellow,  
 With head so level?  
 It is Jesse going forth to take  
 His place in the world.  
 Success will meet him, we're sure,  
 For no one has been truer  
 To his tasks, or ranks higher in class.

### SARAH ELIZABETH POOLE

*Vice President, Spanish Club, '27; Basket Ball, '26-'27-'28; G. C., '28; G. A. A., '27-'28*

Sing a song of Sarah's, she's not like the rest,  
 Speaking of the fine ones, she's about the best.  
 Good in all athletics, basket ball her forte,  
 Witty, charming, musical, Sarah's our best sport!

### ZORA LEE POND

*G. C.; M. W. L. S.*

Here is Zora, good and true,  
 A jolly girl who's never blue.  
 Awfully sweet, and full of pep,  
 Zora, you know, has that rep.  
 Now what she'll do, no one knows,  
 But we do know she'll succeed wherever she goes.

### DORRENCE MARIE PRICE

*Girls' Club*

Blessings on thee, Dorrence, dear,  
 With hair so brown and eyes so clear.  
 Your heart is loving, kind and true,  
 Your temper is slightly peppery, too.  
 Ole Hi wishes you luck and joy,  
 She's glad you're you and not a boy!

### MARY DIBRELL RALEIGH

*G. C., '26-'27-'28; B. C., '27-'28; Editor, Junior World-News, '27; F. C., '26*

"A little bit good, a little bit bad, but she's first class company!" Because Mary is so human, lovable and understanding, we hate to think of her leaving. Such qualities could not go far unrewarded—so we know she will be successful and happy.

VIRGINIA LOUISE RAIKE

With winning ways and modest air,  
Virginia is loved everywhere.  
Sweet and charming, call her that,  
'Cause every one knows it's a fact.  
Always cheerful—never blue,  
The truest of pals—"Gin," here's to you!

EDGAR MORTIMER RICHARDSON

*Choral Club, '27-'28*

"The only way to have a friend is to be one." Mortimer is one of our quiet, dignified and studious Seniors who is always ready to have a good time. He will continue his good work at the University of Richmond next fall. May success be yours, Mortimer.

ARDETH INEZ RIDGEWAY

How one girl can be so jolly and sweet at the same time is a mystery to us. Ardeth is capable, sincere and a true friend and is always ready to lend a helping hand. She is entering the business world next year—a good stenographer for some one.

VIRGIE ALLEN ROBINSON

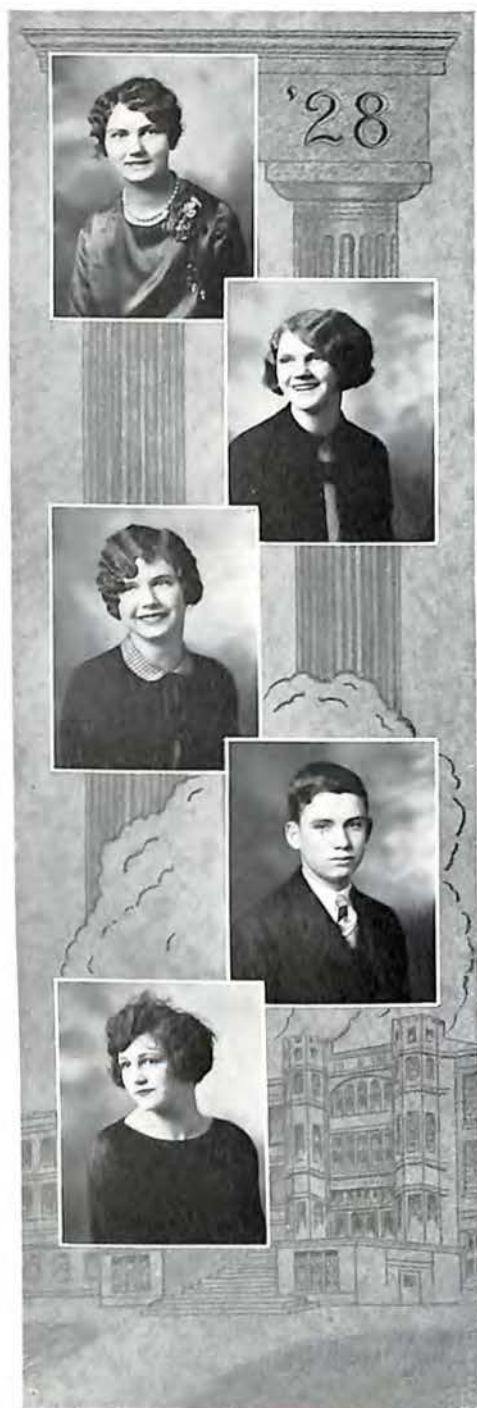
A friend, indeed—that's Virgie. A capable and charming personality and a sweet, lovable disposition makes a rosy pathway for her wherever she goes. A stenographer she expects to be, but we have our doubts! Here's luck from the Senior Class.

GLADYS HANNAH ROBERTSON

*G. A. A.; Girls' Club; Volley Ball, '25-'26-'27;  
Track, '27*

Our precious Tomboy! Gladys is athletic, a good sport and has plenty of earnestness of purpose and sincerity to go along with it. You have our best wishes and belief in your success, old pal.





PEARL CLEMENTINE ROBISON

Pearl is sweet, attractive, friendly and, in fact, she is modern. Pearl leaves us this year to enter the business world and we know that she will succeed. Best o' luck, Pearl, in whatever you attempt.

BESS ROOP

G. C.

Friendly, sweet and laughing, that is Bess. She is one of the best pals there is and we all love her for her pretty blonde hair and blue eyes. She is a favorite with her teachers and makes grand grades. You'll make a wonderful school ma'am. Bess, dear, best of luck from '28.

MARGARET ROSS

F. C.; G. C.; Glee Club

Margaret—known to some as "Peg"—you know her! Everyone does! One of the sweetest and most attractive girls at Ole Hi. Well, is she good looking? Just ask anyone at Virginia. She has won a host of friends, both in school and out. Her future is undecided. Best o' luck, Margaret.

WILLIAM TYLER ROSS

Bill is one of the most intelligent and capable boys of the Class of '28. Ambitious and industrious, he has won many friends around Ole Hi. He expects to attend V. P. I. where, we know, he will continue his excellent work.

LOUISE AMELIA RULE

Louise is one of our dark-eyed Seniors. She has a charming personality and is one of the sweetest girls in Ole Hi. Louise is a commercial student and is planning to enter the business world. Ole Hi wishes her the best of luck.





ALICE LEE SCHENK

*Glee Club; Orchestra; Girls' Club; M. W. L. S.*

Who wouldn't claim Alice Lee?  
She's full of pep and originality.  
Lovable, that's the word—  
Not sweet? That's absurd!  
R.-M. W. C. wants our willing worker—so do we.

RACELLA URASHIMA SAYERS

"Stony" has an inordinate sense of humor which makes her a most lovable pal. Her sincerity and sympathy also characterize her. "Stony" is one of the finest students High School has ever known. Her best wishes go with you, "Stony."

MARGARET ELIZABETH SEAVER

*M. W. L. S., '26-'27-'28; Glee Club, '26-'27-'28; G. C., '28; Junior World-News, '27-'28*

Peppy? Yes! Dumb? No!  
Bound for fame? We'll say so!  
Clever, funny? Yes, and how!  
Need a friend? She's there right now!  
Hi's best wishes? Oh, you bet!  
Go through life with Margaret.

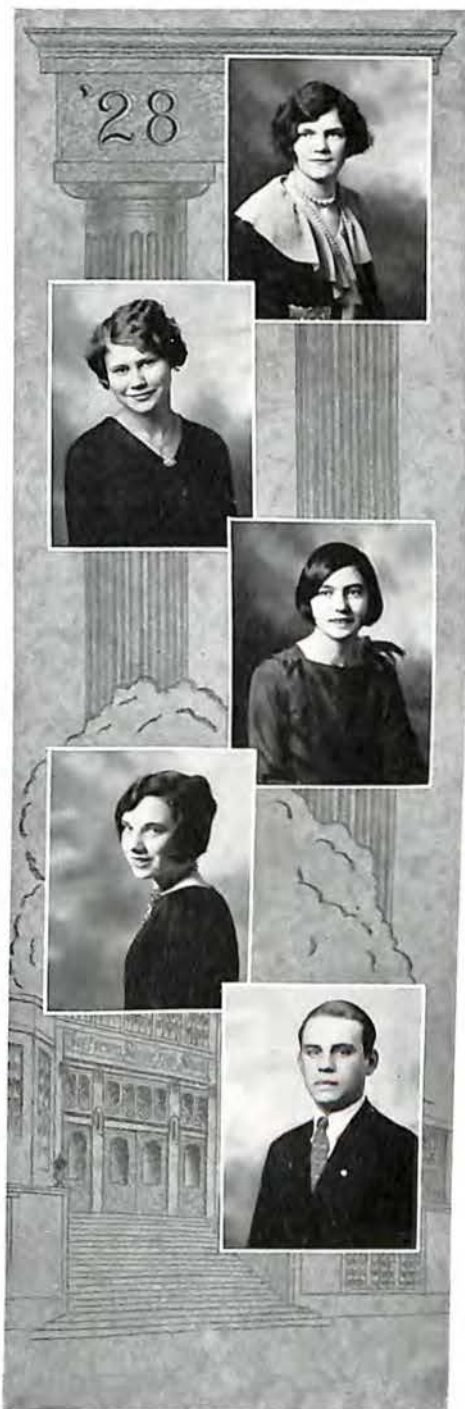
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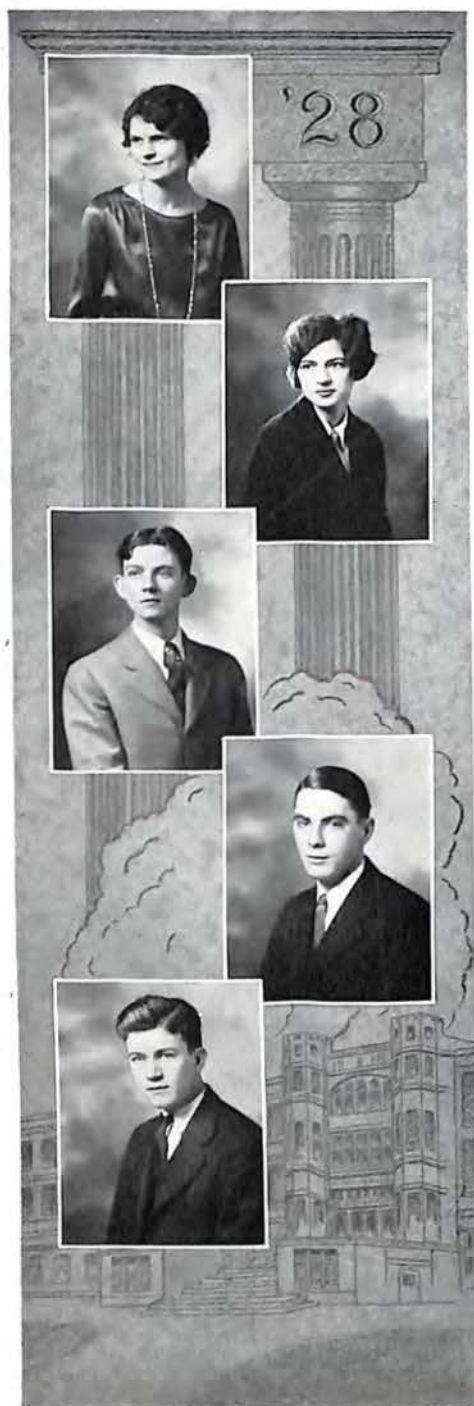
*G. C.*

Do we love her? Well, I'll say  
She's just a dear in every way.  
Attractive? Yes. And does she rate?  
Sure thing, and never late.  
Always smiling and always true,  
So here's to the girl with eyes of blue.

EVERETTE SINK

A serious, hard-working student whose loss next year will be keenly felt by all who know him. May success be yours, Everette, in all you undertake.





HELEN ISABELLE SLOUGH

Working always, and never shirking a responsibility, Helen will be missed by her many friends next year. Best o' luck, Helen.

CHRISTINE VIRGIE SMITH

*Girls' Club, '27-'28*

Always happy, never blue. Just a friend who's always true—that's Christine. She is a graduate of the Commercial Department and we know her future will be a success. Why? Just look at her grades. Best o' luck from the Class of '28.

GEORGE HERMAN SMITH

*Junior World-News (The Rationalist); Winner of THE ACORN Short Story Contest*

George is our aspiring author. He is interested in literature, especially in the modern short story, and believes, with Franklin, that "the pen is mightier than the sword."

NELSON CLARENCE SMILEY

The dark-haired boy of small stature who always has a pleasant word for everybody. Nelson is a good science student and we know he will succeed with his course at Virginia Tech next year.

SAMUEL KENT SNEDEGAR, JR.

Always joking and smiling, Sam is a fellow one is glad to be around. He makes good grades with no apparent mental strain so we know that he will have success and happiness in anything he may attempt. Here's to old "Sea Lapper."



MARY INEZ SNIDOW

G. C., '27-'28

Mary is that wonderful Senior who is always helping someone. She is small in stature, but what a big heart. Say, don't you think Hollins is lucky this year? How can such good grades be made with so little effort?

ROBERT HEBER SOURS

Bob goes along with that calm, peaceful air that inspires confidence. He is an ideal boy and yet, most exasperatingly human. With his personality and high ideals we know this pal of ours will be successful.

FLORRIE CALVIN SOUTHALL

G. C., '28; M. W. L. S., '28

Florrie is one of the quiet little Seniors who never say very much. She stands for the best in high school life and backs the school activities. Here's to the school that gets her next year.

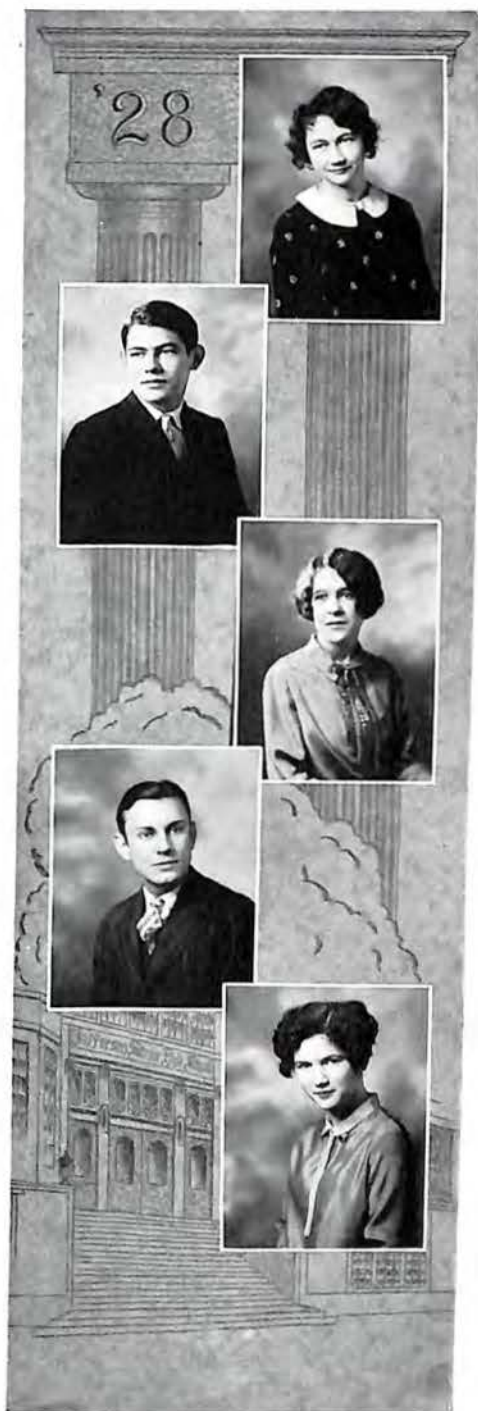
MINOR DAVIS STEWART

Minor—who doesn't know him? The best looking boy in the Senior Class. All the girls are crazy about him, and how! Minor has not decided what he will do when he leaves Ole Hi, but he surely will make a success. Here's to you, Minor.

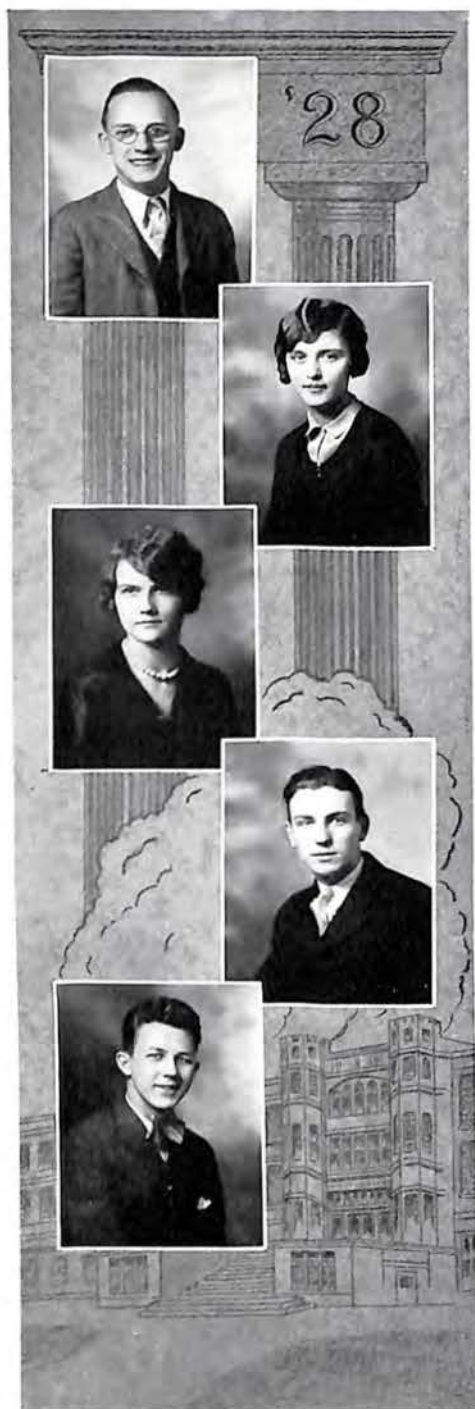
RUTH WYNNETTA STOKE

M. W. L. S., '26-'27-'28; *Junior World-News*, '26-'27-'28; G. A. A., '26-'27-'28; G. C., '27-'28; *Vice President*, M. W. L. S., '26-'27; *President*, M. W. L. S., '27-'28; *Corresponding Secretary*, M. W. L. S., '27-'28; *Assistant Editor*, *Junior World-News*, '27-'28; *Recorder Points*, G. A. A., '27-'28; *Captain*, *Baseball Team*, '27; *Volley Ball Team*, '27; *Good Fellowship Committee*; G. C., '27-'28; *Assistant Manager*, *Hiking*, G. A. A., '26-'27; *Class Prophet*.

Better known as Jack.







### WYNDAM "GONNIE" STOKES

"Stokes" is Hi's cutest woman-hater. He is attractive, clever and a good sport. His repartee is superb—ask Cleve!

### EDITH LORAIN STOPHEL

Edith is another one of our midwinter graduates; from the Commercial Class; who has already accepted a position. She is a quaint mixture of aloofness, punctuality and perseverance. These rare traits which have carried her through Ole Hi we hope foretells success for her in the business world.

### NATALIE JANE STULTZ

*M. W. L. S., '27-'28; G. C., '27-'28; F. C., '28; Girls' Club, '27-'28*

A grand sport and a real friend you'll find in "Natalie." She's quiet and dignified which only covers up a nature of fun and mischief. She'll always get there, no matter what path she takes.

### HUBERT JAMES THOMAS

One of our January graduates was Hubert, and to say we missed that curly headed boy with his great big smile is putting it mildly. He was one of our most popular Seniors, and is leaving us for the business world.

### GEORGE ALFRED TRIMMER

George—minstrel end man, cheer leader—well, we like to watch him perform. Needless to say, he gets it over niftily. We would like to have seen more of him in other school activities, but "A Lady Slipper" orchestra wouldn't let us. George's smile we all envy. Good luck and happiness to you! We can't imagine you not being successful.



FRANCIS WILSON TRIMMER

President, Jefferson Hi-Y Club, '27-'28; President, Virginia State Hi-Y Club, '27-'28; Senior Prefect of Prefect Council, '28; Vice President of Virginia State Older Boys' Conference, December, '27; Treasurer of Virginia State Hi-Y, '26-'27; Secretary-Treasurer of Big Brothers' Club, '26-'27; Hi-Y Club, '24-'25-'26-'27-'28; Big Brother Club, '26-'27-'28; Chairman, Religious Committee, Hi-Y, '26-'27; Advertising Manager, Roanoke Roman, '27-'28; Sophomore Representative, ACORN Staff, '25-'26; Roanoke Roman Representative, '25-'26; Football Squad, '26-'27; Basketball Squad, '27.

"Hank"—friendly, sincere, all-'round, idealistic.

ALMA MAURINE TURNER

Friends like her are very few,  
Forever happy, forever true.  
She's a member of the team  
Known as "Mildred and Maurine."  
A stenographer she expects to be,  
We have our doubts—wait and see.  
No matter what you may do,  
Our best wishes go with you.

PEYTON THOMAS TUTWILER

Big Brother Club, '26-'27-'28; Hi-Y Club, '26

Always pleasant, Tut will study aviation at Kelley Field, Texas, next year. Tut may you always fly high in life and at the finish make a successful landing. Contact!

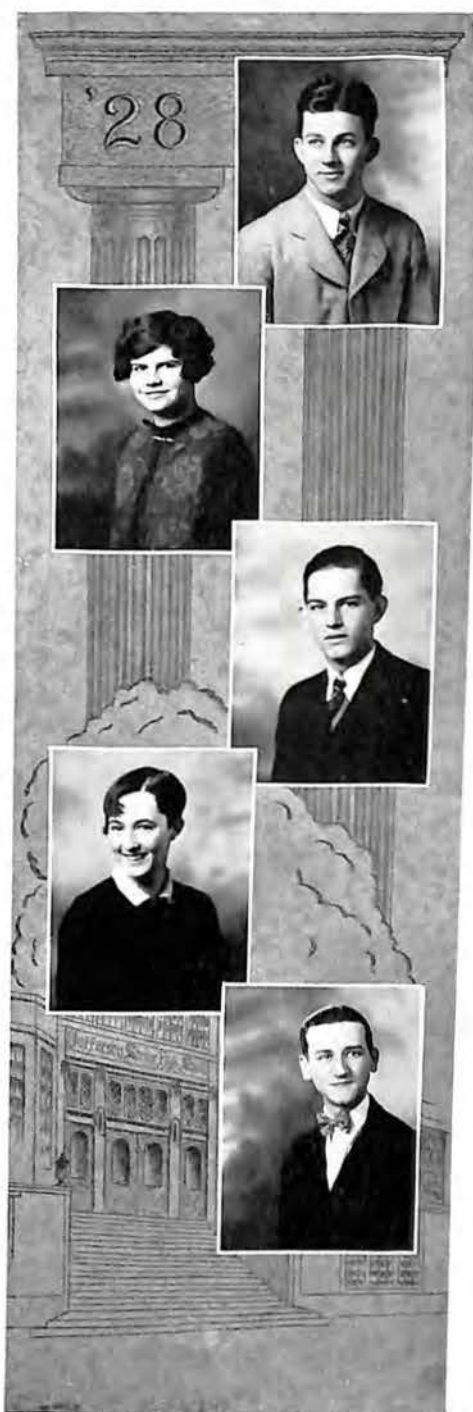
MILDRED MAY URQUHART

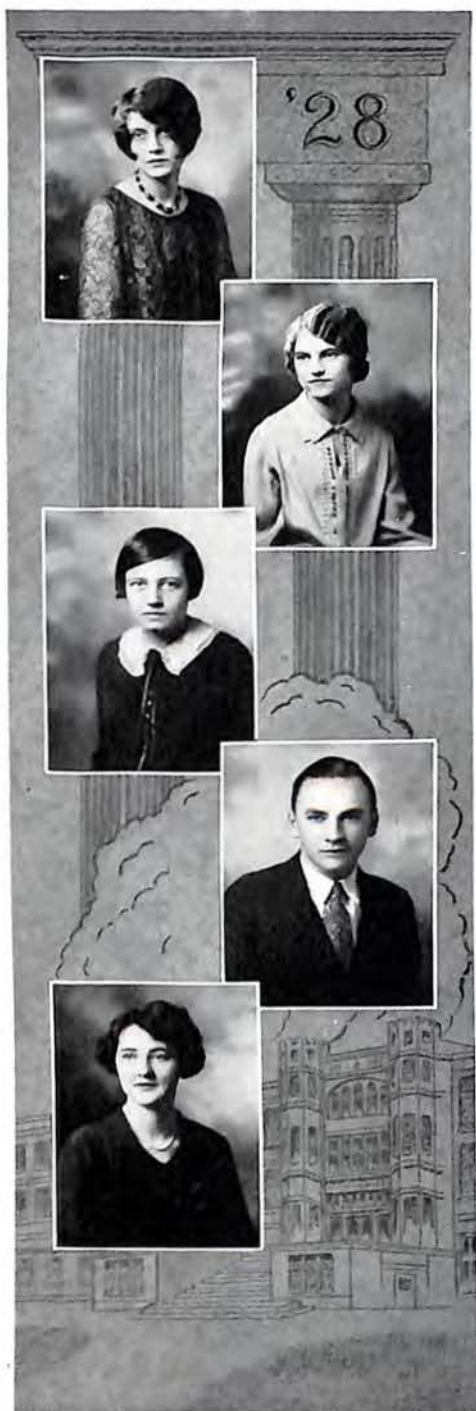
President, Girls' Club, '27-'28; Program Chairman, G. C., '26-'27; Booster Club; Basketball Team, '26-'27-'28; G. A. A., '26-'27-'28; M. W. L. S., '27-'28; French Club; Treasurer, Wischefu, '25-'26.

An all-round sport, a sincere friend, an amiable personality, an idealistic character. What more could words say of anyone?

RUSSELL JAMES URQUHART

Russell is one of our most original and versatile Seniors. He is not only a capable student, but a good sport and a dependable friend. He plans to attend the University of Richmond.





GLADYS PEARL VEST

A typical brunette, with dark-brown, wavy hair and brown eyes. By her sweet disposition she has won a host of friends. Gladys will be somebody's stenographer and we know that she will be a success. Best wishes, Gladys.

MARGARET BEATRICE WALKER

Blue eyes that make you sit and stare,  
 And as for being attractive, she's right there.  
 Plenty love her—every one.  
 High school, to Margaret, is lots of fun.  
 Sweet, sincere, true and petite,  
 The kind of a girl you'd like to meet.

EDNA MARIE WALLACE

*M. W. L. S., '26-'27-'28; Editor,  
 Roanoke Roman, '28*

Edna has an excellent record as a student. She is a sincere friend, always ready to help. She is active in the more literary phases of high school life, and capable in all.

WILLIAM BELVIN WARD

Although quiet, studious and industrious, Belvin has made many friends around high school. He will be greatly missed by all of them but we know that anyone as ambitious as Belvin will be successful in any phase of life.

MARY ELIZABETH WATKINS

*Girls' Club; French Club*

Mary has a smile for everyone and is bubbling over with good cheer. She is true to her friends and is never too busy to listen to a tale of woe and sympathize. Mary's charming personality has won many friends in Ole Hi. May happiness and success be hers.





ROBERT FRANCIS WATTS

Hi-Y Club, '25-'26-'27-'28; Big Brother Club, '26-'27-'28; Assistant Manager, Baseball, '26; President, Junior Class, '26-'27; Hi-Y Cabinet, '27-'28; Editor-in-Chief, THE ACORN, '27-'28; Cooperative Council, '26-'27; Spanish Club, '27-'28; Manager, ACORN Advertising Campaign, '27.

Bob, a pleasing personality, did hard work in every responsibility. We lose a lot when Bob leaves, but we wish him a brilliant future.

JAMES LEWIS WERTZ

Of all the Seniors, who is the best treater?  
Who is clean and keeps the neater?  
When he misses his lessons it seems to hurt?  
This is no other but James L. Wertz.

"Say it with Flowers"

FRANCES BARKSDALE WEST

French Club, '28; G. C., '27-'28;  
Wischefu, '25-'26

Frances is a pretty, blue-eyed blond—but, of course, you know her. Always smiling and making others smile by her witty remarks. A true friend and a good sport, that's Frances. We know success awaits her in whatever she undertakes.

FRANK RAYMOND WEST

Raymond is a "radiant" member of the Class of '28, a staunch friend, a good sport and a willing worker. In short, an all-round good fellow. Raymond's preference is the business world. We expect great achievements from you, old boy. Best wishes to a true friend.

THOMAS LEE WHATELY

Hi-Y Club; Football, '27; Basket Ball, '26-'27-'28; Big Brother Club; Monogram Club

Everyone in Hi is proud of our most "athletic" Senior. Tom is very popular, though he doesn't study much. Tom is a fine football player and one of the best forwards ever seen at Hi. V. M. I. is the lucky school and Ole Hi wishes you great success, Tom.





## ZENAS WILLIAM WHEELER

Z—ealous,  
E—nergetic,  
N—oble,  
A—rtistic,  
S—tudious.

A true friend, who is always willing to lend a helping hand. That's Zenas! Success to you.

## ANN CAMPBELL WHITE

Here's to Ann! A true and sincere friend. She is one of our quiet and dignified Seniors and everyone likes her. Ann is studious, too, and always makes good grades. Good luck to you, Ann!

## LUCILLE VIRGINIA WHITE

*Assistant Editor of Junior World-News, '27;  
M. W. L. S., '27-'28; Junior World-News,  
'27-'28; G. C., '28; F. C., '28*

Lucille possesses those rare attributes of friendship, sincerity and loyalty. She has high ideals and holds them inviolable. "Cyle" is going to Virginia Intermont next fall. With her splendid qualities we expect great things from her.

## LOUISE INA WILLIS

Louise possesses those fine qualities of loyalty, friendliness and sympathy that are so much admired everywhere. She has been a good pupil in the Commercial Department. We know her cheerfulness will carry her over the rough places in life. Here's to you, Louise.

## LALA MAE WILLIAMS

*G. C., '27-'28; Spanish Club, '27-'28*

What do we have here? Why, charming, sweet, true and independent Lala. An ideal girl in every way; the kind of friend you don't find every day. She manages to get good grades despite her interest in "friends." May success and happiness be with you at Hollins College.



VERA VICTORIA WILHELM

G. C.; M. W. L. S.; Vice President of Glee Club

A smile here, a smile there, being loved everywhere. How could we overlook a girl with such a sweet disposition and attractive personality. Here's to Vera, whom Hollins will win next year.

LOUIS HARLOW WILCOX

Spanish Club

Louis has a keen analytic mind and genius for keeping at a thing until it is finished. He is interested in science, especially in physics, and plans to become an electrical engineer.

MARY BURR WILSON

Here's to the girl that has that smile, That just seems to make our life worth while. She's so very sweet, kind and sincere, That we will love her thru all the coming years. Now, has our Mary got a "rep"? She's just plenty cute and full of pep.

SARA VIRGINIA WILLSON

G. C., '26-'27-'28; G. A. A., '28; M. W. L. S., '27

"Tedo"—with her winning ways, Has been the pride of our Hi days. Big, brown eyes and light, curly hair, When it comes to rating, she's right there. We jus' hate to say good-bye, 'Course we will miss you lots at Hi.

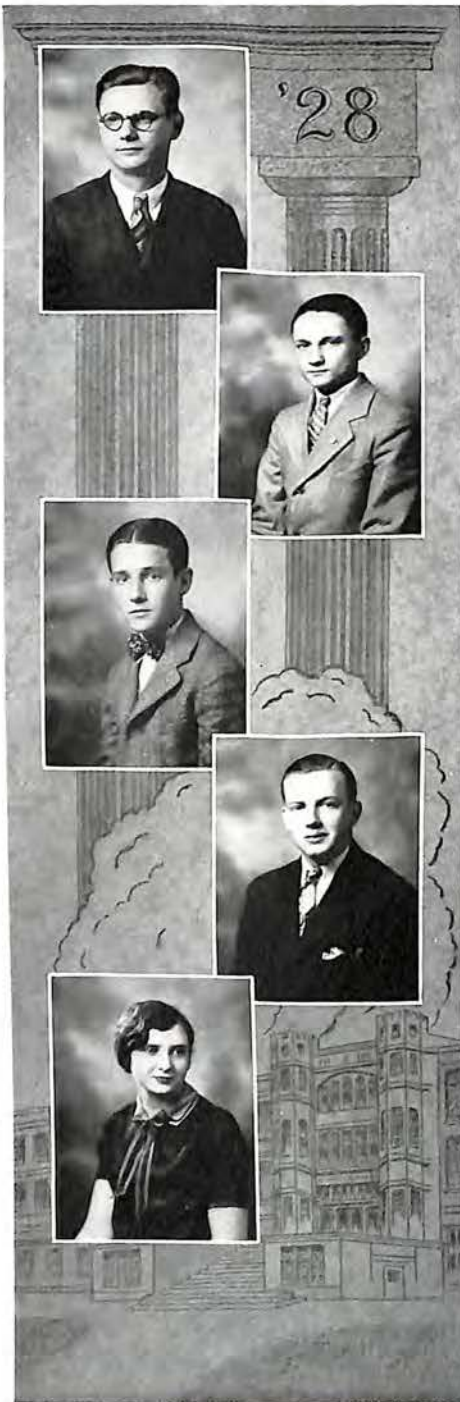
EDWARD BENNETT WOOD

Hi-Y, '26-'27-'28

In Bennett, one finds many enviable qualities—attractiveness, originality, friendliness. Who doesn't know that engaging smile under which is found no gloom? Hi will see him next year until Annapolis is lucky enough to have him enter her portals.







## JAMES LOCKWOOD WOOD

*Big Brother Club, '28; Hi-Y Club, '28; Football, '26-'27*

Known and liked by everybody, Jim will certainly be missed when he goes to V. M. I. next year. He carries with him the sincere wishes of all for success in anything he may attempt.

## CLARENCE EUGENE WRIGHT

*J. L. S., '27-'28*

One doesn't have to be a prophet to see that Clarence will succeed, if high school life is a factor to success. In everything Clarence has been asked to do he has come out with flying colors. Here's wishing he will find an interesting life work.

## WILLIAM ANGLE YOUNG

*J. L. S., '27-'28; Hi-Y, '28*

"Bill" is small in stature but has a large mind. He has a winning personality which makes him a friend to all. "Bill" has done good work in his time at Ole Hi and expects to go to Roanoke College next year. Here's to you, Bill.

## \*RICHARD PATRICK COLEMAN

*Glee Club, '27-'28; J. L. S., '26-'27*

Pat is one of the flaming haired members of the class with a personality as vivid as his hair. Pat is on his way to the top. The profession which receives him may consider itself fortunate. Best o' luck, Pat.

## \*HELEN HENRETTA CRUMPECKER

*Vice President, Orchestra, '25-'26; Librarian, Orchestra, '26-'27; Secretary, Orchestra, '28*

Here's to our violinist. She's jolly and sweet and always ready to lend a helping hand. To know her is to love her. She's going to teach so here's to our school ma'am.

*\*Too late for alphabetical insertion.*



\*LOUISE FISHBURNE FIREY

*Girls' Club; G. A. A.; Senior Basket Ball Team*

Jolly and cute and a sweet little package  
Chucked full of jokes and fun.  
No one can deny she's a treat to the eye;  
Her smile friends to her have won.

\*FRANCES FISHBURNE SHOWALTER

*G. C., '28; Service Committee, G. C., '28;  
G. A. A., '28; Basket Ball, '28;  
Apparatus, '28; Track, '28*

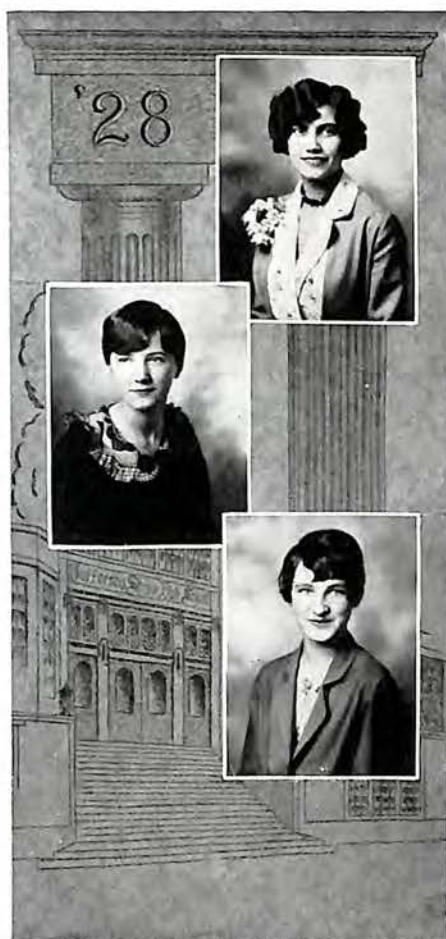
Frances is one of our small Seniors, but size  
is the only small thing about her. Peppy, original,  
a good sport and true friend—that's Frances.

\*BERNICE MARGURITE SPEESE

*G. C.; F. C.*

Who? Bernice. Her smiling face and  
friendliness will certainly describe her without  
mentioning her winning personality. She has  
plenty of pep and is well liked in Hi. She is  
going to William and Mary next year. Best o'  
luck, Bernice.

*\*Too late for alphabetical insertion.*



## DREAM PILLOWS

IT rested tranquilly on the beautiful pink spread of the mahogany four-poster bed. Its soft lacy ruffles and dainty satin ribbons tied gently in the little love knots rested luxuriously in its soft depths. Now it watched intently its mistress as she dashed madly from one object to the other in the handsomely furnished room. The tall, slender girl was happy as she gaily prepared for her morning canter.

The dainty little object on the bed spent a peaceful morning with its jolly company, a friendly Pekingese. Toward noon there was the sound of a soft thud of running feet and the girl dashed into the room, her beautiful face wreathed in smiles, "Hello, you dears on the bed," she called.

After an extended toilet, aided by an efficient French maid, the insouciant girl again stood in the middle of the room surveying herself in the long mirrors. After adjusting a strand of hair, she left the room ready for the luncheon at a quaint little tea room to be followed by a trip on the placid lake in a keen motor boat.

Around 5:30 she burst madly into the room and flung herself, face downward, on the chaise lounge. This time she had no gay little smile or cheery word for the creatures on the bed. She sobbed bitterly for about twenty minutes, then raising herself on her left elbow she muttered something to herself, her blue eyes flashing. For a few seconds she put up a brave fight, then gave way to torrents of tears.

Sadness reigned supreme in this small kingdom till she, the mistress, again put aside her grief and jumped up, heeding her maid's warning, ready to dress for dinner. She lifted her proud head, dabbled at her eyes, put her nose a little higher in the air and murmured, "The brute, I'll show him."

Again she descended the stairs and there was a strange silence in the room. The small creatures still on the bed wore grief-stricken looks. The silence was so oppressive they soon fell asleep.

About 9:30 the girl went into her room again to dress for the dance at the Country Club. This time she moved with a quiet dignity but there was a determined look, a look of battle on her face. Thus so quiet that she didn't disturb the peaceful sleep of the dog or his companion.

After midnight—a ripple of silvery laughter and they were being hugged by a pair of happy arms.

"Oh, darlings, I made him furious just as he made me angry this morning— (a pause) but we have made up now, oooh, and I'm so glad."

Thus are the many moods of a young girl seen by dainty dream-pillows, fluffy with lace ruffles and tiny bows. The pillow is wept upon—smiled upon, sharing alike the bitter sorrows and delightful joys of their lovely young mistress.

—LILLIAN HOGAN





## SEA CHANGE

### CHARACTERS:

AILLYN—A Cornish fisherman  
DAUNBRI—A sea maiden  
BRANGWANAINÉ—A Cornish girl

(The scene is laid on the Cornish coast. There is a stretch of sandy beach, a background of high dark rocks, coming close down to the ocean's edge, represented by the footlights, a cloudy, gray sky and over all, a strange green light. The sound of the dashing waves can be heard in a low undertone throughout the scene.)

(The curtain finds Aillyn, in dark-green conventional clothing of a fisherman, barefooted, seated on the ground, behind him a rock. Beside him is a large net to be mended.)

(There is a silence of a few seconds, during which time Aillyn seems busy, then he drops his work:)

AILLYN: 'Tis strange that I should be so sad of heart,  
And yet it is not strange—for she is fair—  
And beauty makes one sad.  
(Pause, while he dreams)  
And tho' she says

She does not love me now, I know 'tis false.

Ah! Brangwanainé, you shall love me, I swear!

(The green light seems to change and almost without realizing it, the audience is suddenly aware that the sea maiden has been standing behind Aillyn. She is beautiful—slender and lithe, her movements like those of the sea—quick and graceful. She, too, is dressed in green and her hair, long and light, is over-cast with the green light.)

Aillyn turns, and seeing the maiden, rises and goes quickly toward her.

AILLYN: I do not know you, fairest one, but you are Daunbri, maiden of the sea.

DAUNBRI (Suddenly kneeling beside him, as he sits on a rock): Oh! man,

From my bright home within the sea, I saw  
You weep; you are too beautiful to love  
A mortal maiden—however fair she is.  
Am I not fairer still? Love me! I'll give  
You kisses bitter as the sea—but sweet  
Withal; I'll hold you close—and let you weep  
Until you have forgotten her and your  
Meek love of her. And then you'll laugh and smile  
And you'll be mine! I'll give you love that's wild  
And passionate. Man-lover, come with me.

AILLYN (Catches her in his arms, kisses her lips, still wet with the sea):

Ah! see, I have forgotten her—look, now  
My tears are dried. I'm through with mortal love!  
I'll go with you and I shall always be  
Your own—and you will give me happiness.

DAUNBRI (Holding his head against her breast—her strange green eyes looking toward the sea):

Ah! yes, I'll give you happiness and love  
You'll not forget, tho' you should live for aye!

(During next speech, Brangwanainé slips in—she does not see Daunbri, who, to her, is invisible. She hears only Aillyn. She is slender and tall—with black hair and large, passionate, dark eyes.)



AILLYN: But always there will be a sadness in  
My heart—for love to me is sad and full  
Of pain. For I am filled with a desire  
That cannot be appeased—my longing is  
Too great for even you to bear—and live.  
And even when I feel the stars are mine—  
And must be mine!—I'll have it so—there comes a  
Desire not to be filled except I have  
The sun—it is so red and beautiful,  
And then my ecstasy is burned to ash  
And so, I cannot help but weep—I am  
So weak!

(Daunbri is gone—her place is taken by Brangwanaine, who now holds his head against her heart  
and caresses his hair.)

BRANGWANAINÉ (To herself): Can he be mad from love of me?  
Why does he talk so wildly? Can he  
Not see I love him?

AILLYN: So I have turned to you.

(He turns to her, forgets Daunbri at sight of her—but without surprise at the change.)

I love you, Brangwanaine,

BRANGWANAINÉ: And I love you.

He kisses her lips. She does not resist him, but, with a tender smile, holds him closer.)

AILLYN (Suddenly remembering Daunbri, he rises):

So this is but the love you promised me,

Oh! Daunbri, maiden of the sea.

BRANGWANAINÉ (Uncomprehending, rises, too, and catches both his hands): Yes, Love,

This is the love I promised you. Take it—

Oh! let me make you glad to live and love!

(As the curtain falls, Aillyn looks at her with a strange smile on his lips. He draws her to him—  
she seems to resist, then yields—happily.)

—ALICE HORSLEY, '28



## MOUNTAIN EVENING IN MAY

*Dark pines,  
A rose-gold sky  
And from green moss  
A butterfly;  
Black—  
With shimmerings of purple.*

—RUTH STOKES, '28

# Class Mirror

## MOST POPULAR

L. NININGER      GIBBONEY

## MOST CAPABLE

WALLACE      WATTS

## BEST ALL-ROUND

URQUHART      H. TRIMMER

## TYPICAL SENIORS

BRADLEY      PLYMALE







MOST TALENTED

HOGAN

TUTWILER

MOST ATHLETIC

AGULY

WHATELY

BEST LOOKING

MARTIN

STEWART

MOST ATTRACTIVE

McNEIL

DAVIS



SWEETEST

JENNINGS      LEGRANDE

CUTEST

STOKE      E. NININGER

NO BRAINS  
BUT—

HENSON      G. TRIMMER

BIGGEST  
CASES

GISH  
vs.  
BUTLER

EVANS  
vs.  
FIREY



## CLASS PROPHECY

Time: June 26, 1948.

Place: That's what I'm wondering.

Characters: Stellar lights in Class of '28 (and myself).

**R**AY Vision! The marvel of the Modern World," were the head-lines in the newspaper. "Invented by a hitherto unknown literary and scientific scholar, George Smith." I gasped and then, because I remembered George Smith as having been one of the High School graduates in '28, I became very interested in Ray Vision.

That afternoon I received a huge package containing—quite so, go to the head of the class! George had sent every member of the Class of '28 a Ray Vision Machine.

It was a cross between a Radio and a Television. You simply twisted the dial to a certain station and you saw the person who lived there. It was very simple. For example, you looked up the name Hayward and you found the number was 1283. You then turned the dial to each of these different numbers and, behold! in the mirror-like sheet before the machine was Miss Hayward, teaching "Hamlet" to your children.

I had received my Ray Vision Machine before any of the other class members as George had run out of postage stamps after fixing my parcel for the mail. I decided to revisit my classmates while they, unconscious of being watched, went about their tasks.

First, I gingerly turned the dial to 711, James Gibboney's number. There he was. Oh! he hadn't changed a bit! There was the same old friendly smile—but what was he doing? Hold your breath—he was writing original insurance policies, for he was the president of the Lafhard Life Insurance Company and was a go-getter. I wanted to stay and watch him, but there were others I wanted to see, too.

I turned the dial to 191 and "Liz" Bradley came into view. She was still her small, sweet self but, oh look, she was dressed in pink gingham, carrying a milk pail in her hand; she was just setting out to inspect the cow. Her adoring husband sat in the doorway watching her. (No, I won't tell who he was but he was rather tall.)

Again the dial turned, this time to bring "Bunch" Ninger into view, reigning over the most fashionable milliners shop in America. Ladies came into the shop with a frown and the wrong kind of complexion for their hats, but after a few minutes under Bunch's guiding influence and the deposit of one dollar (the rest to be paid in daily installments), they came out with smiles, hats and complexions blending beautifully.





I held my breath and turned the dial to see our hero, Minor Stewart, the best-looking boy in the Class of '28. He was still holding down that reputation, but what else was he doing? He was doing what so many handsome young men finally do—expert accountant work for a large business firm. There was a smile on his face, so I guess he enjoyed his work.

Then I saw Mildred Urquhart—President of the National Farmers Bank. She was hastening from a Directors' Meeting to another entangling problem.

At New York, I found "Bob" Watts. He had invented a new kind of fortune-telling machine and was now a most prominent figure on Wall Street, where he rushed around looking up figures on radium mines.

I saw Marguerite Herbert, Dean of Vassar and Physical Educator. You can't imagine a busier person. Just then she was planning an outing for her athletic association and was on her way to the bakery to buy rolls. I followed her with the Ray Vision and, lo! George Gish was the baker. The shock was almost too much, so I turned the dial.

An airplane hovered over a field in Texas. It glided down in perfect form to the back door of a small cottage and out climbed Dean Jennings. She went into the house after examining the flower beds.

I found Hank Trimmer living several miles away in a small shack on the lonely prairie. He had come here for a rest from the presidency of a dozen or so different organizations. He was writing when I saw him—writing a book of poems called "Cathedral Laughter."

I turned the dial and Beverly Becker came into view. She was instructing some girls in baseball and I learned, after watching her for a few minutes, that she had charge of the best camp for girls in the United States. I remembered her athletic work done in Jefferson High and knew it was true.

Edna Wallace was head of the Language Department at Columbia University. During each summer she organized a group of the best students and took them to Rome. She was said to be the best teacher at the University.

At Chicago, I saw two people. First, George Trimmer—a detective. He had his hands thrust deeply in his pockets and was beginning confidently, "Well, it's like this—" I hastily turned the dial, who was it? "Sloppy" Henson, matron in Chicago's largest orphan asylum. "Sloppy" was most popular with the children for she believed in lots of jam and airplane rides.

I saw Lillian Hogan, the society leader, in Illinois. Yes, she was married and you can't guess to whom! Oh, no, you don't know either. Lillian, at the time, was leader of the Philanthropic Movement for Sufferers from Cyclone.

In the same city, Dorothy Morgan and Frances Butler had the main office for their famous chain grocery stores.

In Richmond, Virginia, Herman LeGrande was a florist. I should have liked to have seen his wonderful wife he spoke of. While I was looking at his shop a gentleman entered and asked for two dozen roses for his wife. I was amazed,



but I found that his wife was Glenna Martin; no wonder he frequented the florist shop.

In Seattle, I saw Elgin Nininger, now a judge and the best-liked one in the state.

In the same city was Jim Wood, owner of a furniture store. Jim was also the inventor of several exercises called "Twice Daily Half-Dozen." The most important of which was the one in which you breathed evenly five minutes through the nose every morning before dressing.

I turned the dial back to see whether any of my friends were still in Roanoke. Yes, there was Agnes Aguly bending over a man who had just sprained his ankle. "I am a doctor," she told him and bent closer to listen to his ankle. I learned that she was the first woman doctor that ever practiced in Roanoke.

Alice Horsley was head of the English Department in Jefferson High's sister school, Wilson High. This school had been built about ten years after the Class of '28 had scattered to the various sections of the earth. Alice was faculty advisor of everything in the school that needed advising.

On the Rorer Avenue bus, Franklin Settle presided as bus driver. Frank had organized a glee club among the bus drivers and was president of it. His wife was—hold everything—Louise Firey.

Ed Evans was not dead but was a guide in the north woods and an authority on trout fishing.

At Nashville, Tennessee, I saw the greatest theatre in the South, owned by Sarah Poole and managed by William McNulty. There was a constant stream of people going in and out of the theatre. Among the crowd, I recognized Thompson Ambler, mayor of the city. He was given no preference in the surging crowd, but was pushed aside by Robert Bondurant, turnkey of the city jail. It seemed to be a gala day. Elsie Britts, Eugenia Bush, Odell Blankenship and Charlotte Coon, who were always having their pictures in the Sunday Times as the four social beauties of the city, were there. So were Virginia Drew, Mildred Hancock and Virginia Hooze, who had motored in from Washington where they were in charge of various phases of Y. W. C. A. work. Lucille White was explaining to Hattie Beck and Racella Sayers why children should not be chastised. Suddenly, I observed a familiar figure pushing back the crowd from the ticket booth and sternly ordering, "Take yer turn, take yer turn," it was Kyle Montague, a policeman.

At last I was able to see in the theatre. Tom Whately was head usher. I saw two more familiar faces in the audience: Elizabeth Brittain, just returned from diplomatic service in South America, and William Plymale, Chairman of the Nashville School Board. The show was the best I had ever seen, with Pitt Davis, Claude Pace and Peyton Tutwiler taking leading parts. There was also a special attraction—Jessie and Mabel McKendrie and Martha and Clarinda Mason in "Sister Acts." It was a scream, the whole thing was a riot of color and laughter.



When you hear who was at the head of the producing company you will not wonder at the success of the show; its president was none other than Everett Hancock.

Crash! I dodged a hard, black ball and the fragile Ray Vision Machine suddenly flew into little bits. "Foul ball," shrieked a small umpire outside the window.

—RUTH STOKE  
*Class Prophet*



## "ROAD SONG OF CRAZY ANDREW"

*It's travel, travel, travel by  
The beauties of the road;  
It's pass them up and heed them not,  
And let mind be heart's good.*

*But when I'd rest at dusk or dawn,  
My mind must master me  
For I remember things at dawn,  
In dusk's sincerity.*

*I heard a song not meant for me  
It soared, it shrieked, and low  
The swailing of desire burned through;  
I died that night, and so—*

*For fear lest I, remembering, hear  
The echoes of that song,  
It's madly laugh and gaily dance;  
It's travel, travel on.*

—RUTH STOKE, '28





## SOLITUDE AND SINGING

*O, I would sing like the hermit thrush  
And dwell, like him, apart—  
In solitude are the wild notes born  
That rise from out his heart.*

*I long to be all alone with my thoughts  
And the songs my spirit sings;  
I would fly away to the edge of day  
If only I had wings!*

—LOUISE C. TURNER, '29



## NIGHT'S CALL

*Night called to me—  
And I followed her to a mystic land  
Where the moon floated 'round on a purple sea,  
And the stars were an elfin band.*

*Night called to me—  
But Fear, on his midnight throne,  
Silenced her whispering voice—  
And I groped back to morning—alone.*

—JOSEPHINE FRENCH, '29

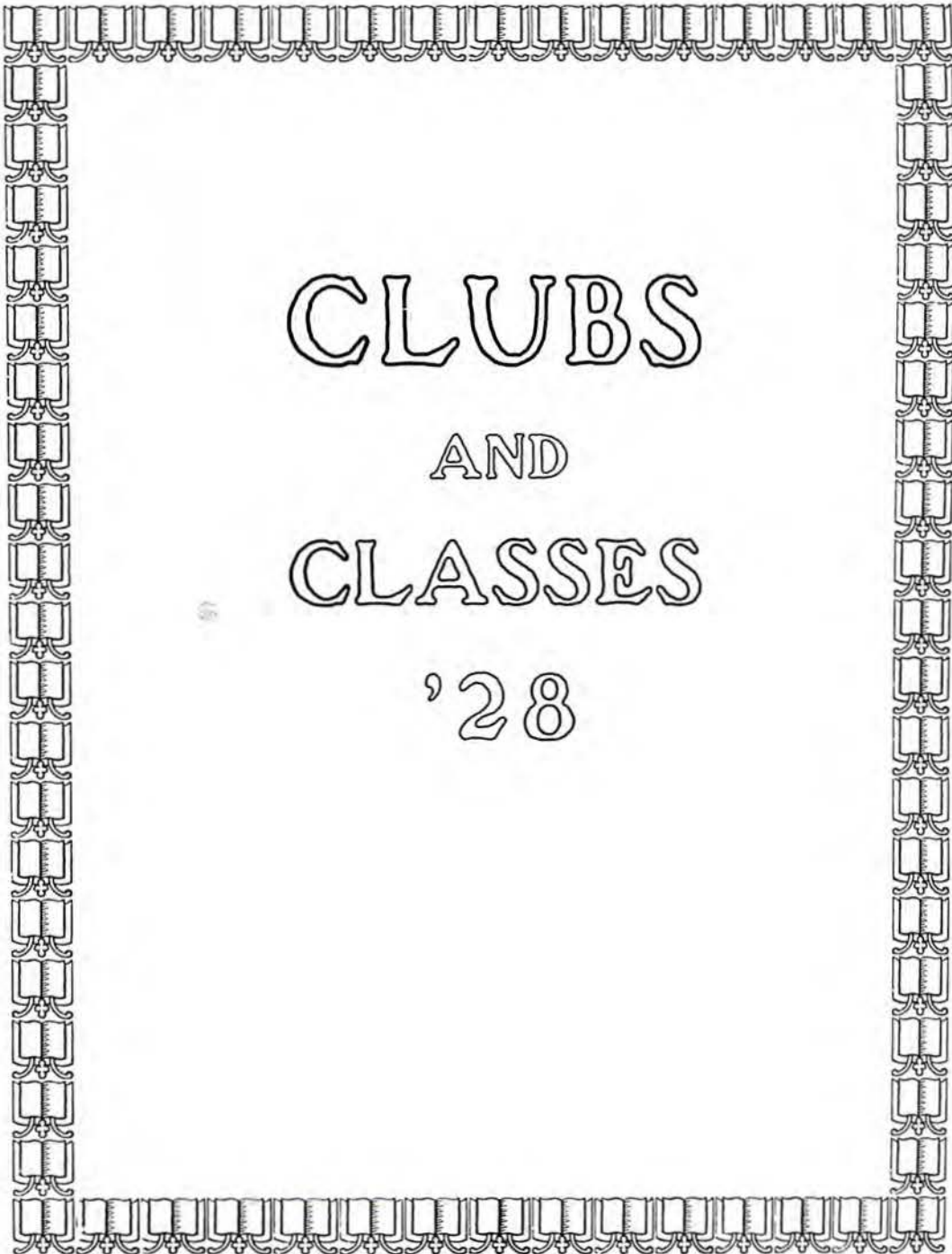


*We walk among the fields together,  
Beneath the trees we pass—  
The moonlight prints our changing shadows  
In long, slim pictures on the grass.*

*Only the little breezes heed us  
Soft in the grasses blowing;  
The gruff old moon who does not need us  
Laughs at us going.*

*We saunter up a hill together;  
The night is clear—the grass  
Is darkened where fall changing shadows—  
—Shadows that pass.*

—EDNA WALLACE, '28



CLUBS  
AND  
CLASSES  
'28



JUNIOR CLASS





SOPHOMORE CLASS



## JUNIOR CLASS

**EMERGING** from our "Rat" year we began to feel our importance, as all Juniors do. At the beginning of this year we elected our class officers as follows: Richard Edwards, President; Ranny Powell, Vice President; Norris Howell, Secretary, and Dorothy Lewis, Treasurer. We consider this a very capable group and think their selection was very wise.

When the Student Participation Movement was started we fell heartily in line with the movement and elected as our allotted four representatives the following: June Guthridge, John Copenhaver, Edward Hall and Ruth Willis. These people have done some excellent work on the Council and we are justly proud of them and what they have done in the name of the class.

In summarizing all of the work, we consider this a very successful year and we move on to our Senior year with high hopes of making the Class of '29 a credit to both our school and city.

—NORRIS HOWELL



## SOPHOMORE CLASS

**OVER** half of the enrollment of Jefferson High School is vested in the Sophomore Class. And what has the Sophomore Class contributed to High School?

With a "Rat" teacher, Miss Gaines, as advisor, and these officers: Dick Thomas, President; Le Baron Coleman, Vice President; Clayton Mitchell, Secretary, and John Noftsinger, Treasurer, we have attained much success.

According to THE ACORN staff and subscribers the Sophomore Class is the most high-brow class at High School.

And what of our football heroes? The sturdy center of Jefferson's eleven was none other than John Noftsinger. Mike Driscoll also hails from the "Sophs."

After careful consideration, Harvey Hall, Ben Smith, and Genevieve Camden were elected to represent us on the Prefect Council. During nominations for the Prefect Council, Mr. Parsons made the announcement in Assembly that the scholarship average of the Sophomore Class is above both the Junior and Senior Class.

And what of the future of this insignificant "Rat" class? One need not be even optimistic to look forward to a day when the Senior Class of '30 will be the last and best!

—GENEVIEVE CAMDEN





PREFECT COUNCIL

## STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN GOVERNMENT

In February, 1928, a group of students, under the leadership of Hank Trimmer, realizing the need of greater responsibility among the students, started a movement for Student Participation in Government in Jefferson High. This group with a few faculty advisors worked out a plan of government which was accepted by the students.

Then a Prefect Council in which was vested the legislative, executive and judicial powers of the organization was elected. They are—SENIORS: Hank Trimmer, Senior Prefect, Lois Nininger, Geraldine Jennings, James Gibboney, Agnes Aguly. JUNIORS: June Guthridge, Junior Prefect, John Copenhaver, Edward Hall, Ruth Willis. SOPHOMORES: Harvey Hall, Ben Smith, Genevieve Camden, Secretary. The Faculty Advisors are: Miss Duncan, Miss Moore, Miss Smithey, Mr. Humbert, Mr. Womack. A Student Council, consisting of one representative from each Roll Call, was elected. This Council acts as a medium between the Prefect Council and the student body.

The Council, with the aid of its advisors, drew up the Constitution. They are undertaking only three things this year: Prevention of cheating, order in assemblies and order in the halls.

April 22, 1928, Student Participation in Government was installed at Jefferson Senior High. May the inauguration of this system prove to be the beginning of a better citizenship for all who shall attend Jefferson High.

—NEWTON SHIELDS





BOOSTER CLUB



## BOOSTER CLUB

For five years the Boosters have been a valuable asset to the life of the school. They have lived up to their name and boosted the activities of Jefferson High. With the help of the Big Brothers they got up a special train for the Lynchburg-Jefferson High football game. They backed THE ACORN, not only by getting subscriptions but also by contributing articles for publication. Among other things they sold school stickers that were very unique.

They have pep and ability of no mean repute and are a splendid bunch of girls who have helped to keep archaic ideas from prevailing over the student body.

Under the leadership of their worthy president, "Bunch," they have held their shoulders to the wheel, trying to do their bit.

### OFFICERS

BUNCH NININGER .....	President
FRANCES BUTLER .....	Secretary
LILLIAN HOGAN .....	Historian
MISS SULLY HAYWARD .....	Faculty Advisor

### MEMBERS

AGNES AGULY  
 CARRIE BICKFORD  
 FRANCES BUTLER  
 ELIZABETH BRADLEY  
 VIRGINIA DREW

MILDRED HANCOCK  
 LILLIAN HOGAN  
 GERALDINE JENNINGS  
 EVA JORDAN KREBS  
 VIRGINIA LACY

DOROTHY MORGAN  
 MARY RALEIGH  
 MILDRED URQUHART  
 RUTH WILLIS  
 DOROTHY LEWIS



## AT MIDNIGHT

*Over the mountain  
 Mounts the moon,  
 Weaving fair fancies,  
 Propping the peaks  
 With little silken sails.*

*Over my mind  
 Mooves a vision,  
 Making strange magic,  
 Painting pictures  
 Of my love  
 Whom Death loved more.*

*But the cobweb sails, to join the moon,  
 Pant in vain against moorings of stone;  
 And still my soul is anchored  
 To earth and the dawn.*

—GEORGE H. SMITH, '28





BIG BROTHER CLUB



## BIG BROTHER CLUB

Not since the Club was organized, in 1925, has it enjoyed a more successful year than it experienced this year. Although beginning in the fall with only ten members remaining from last year's club, we have, through a slow process of development, reached our capacity which is twenty-five members. We organized in the fall of '27 with the following officers, which had been elected by the Club of '27, President, Bob Watts; Vice President, James Gibboney; Secretary-Treasurer, "Hank" Trimmer.

The following are some of the Club's activities since May, '27.

1. During the vacation months, gold footballs were bought and presented to the team of '26.
2. Advocated the election of cheer-leaders.
3. Sponsored several parades before Big Home Games.
4. Sold throughout the student body nearly five hundred megaphones.
5. Sponsored special train to Lynchburg when the football team played there for district title.
6. Sponsored the annual Big Brother Minstrel from which we cleared nearly \$300.
7. Donated \$100 to be used for buying books for the library.
8. We are making our plans now for the annual "J" Festival which is one of the most outstanding affairs in the school year.

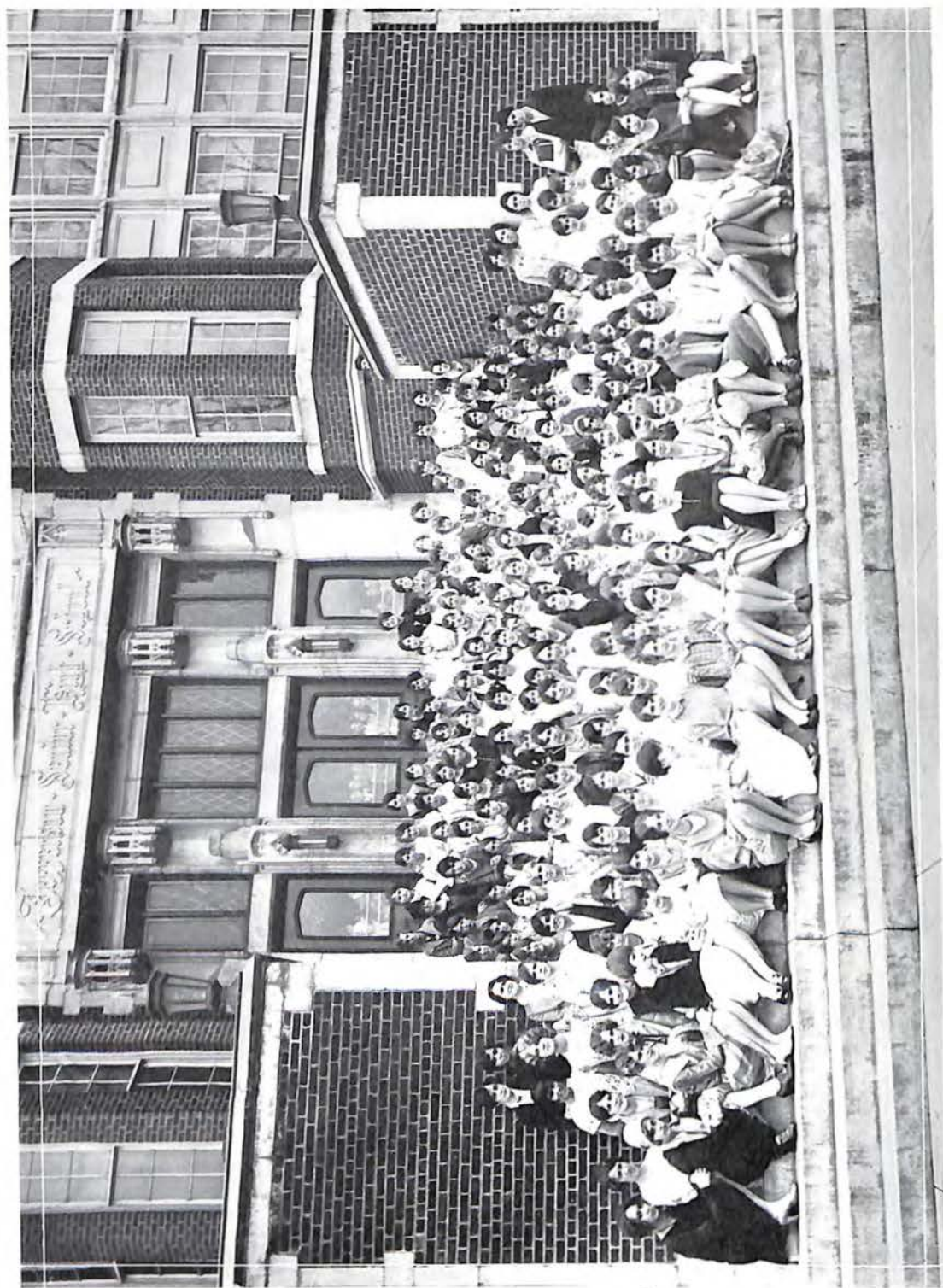
We hope, by the above actions, that the Big Brother Club has sufficiently justified its existence in Jefferson High School. We also realize that we have not entirely measured up to the standard which the student body has set for us, but we hope that with your assistance and that of the faculty that the clubs in the future will be able to make High School bigger and better than ever through their untiring efforts.



## THE ARCHITECT'S MISTAKE

*There is a window  
Nothing's seen through  
Because it's high in the wall;  
Too high to see the light  
Grieve over the mountains  
And sink—  
Inevitably—  
Beneath them;  
Too high to see even the trees  
On the hill where André lies  
Feeling the stars' hot shadow on  
the patient marble stone.  
But last night  
As I glanced at the window,  
Shuddering,  
For I thought to see blankness there,  
I saw  
The moon hung low on a silver thread,  
The stars sang,  
And as I swayed to their music  
The moon swayed too,  
And I heard André's voice—  
I love the window, now.*

—RUTH STOKE, '28



GIRLS' CLUB





# GIRLS' CLUB

The work of the Girls' Club this year has played a valuable part in the life of high school. Its influence among the girls being decidedly greater because this year the Club has been larger than ever before, having a membership of 250 girls. The theme for the year was the Treasure Chest. This was carried out by programs which have been symbolic of different treasures that a girl looks for in life. Programs, enabling the members to realize both serious and joyous phases of life, have been given at the meetings and banquets.

In order to raise money, the Club gave a circus in Highland Park. The Building Fund Pledge and Summer Conference Money were taken from the proceeds.

For the first time, the Girls' Club was hostess to a spring conference, at which time delegates from the clubs in Western Virginia came together. A great deal of interest was shown and all the girls seemed to derive something worth while from the conference. On May 3d, the Girls' Club had charge of the door-opening ceremony of the new Y. W. C. A. The year was brought to a close by the final banquet at the Patrick Henry.

We wish to thank our advisors who have helped in many ways to make the Club a success.

## OFFICERS

MILDRED URQUHART	.....	<i>President</i>
GERALDINE JENNINGS	.....	<i>Vice President</i>
LILLIAN HOGAN	.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
LOIS NININGER	.....	<i>Recording Secretary</i>
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HI-Y CLUB



## HI-Y CLUB

It has been the pleasure of our Club to hear practically all of Roanoke's outstanding pastors and business men. Our discussions have covered such subjects as: race, relations, war, and religion. We have always endeavored to keep Jesus at the heart and center of our club activities, and have looked upon Jesus as the greatest leader, teacher and example of any man in history.

Our club activities have included a splendid Freshman Assembly, at which time we tried to show them that we were interested in their training at high school. We have participated in a number of wholesome and influential discussions with the Girls' Club about the problems of life which we face.

We have held a very successful fathers' night, a happy mothers' night, an enjoyable faculty night, and a never-to-be-forgotten night devoted to our best girls. Besides this, we have had one or two very fine socials. We have entertained separately, the basket ball and baseball teams, manifesting our interest in clean athletics and sports.

We sponsored at the high school the Roanoke College play "Cappy Ricks," which was successful in amusing those present. At various times, we had out-of-town speakers at our assemblies or in the high school. We conducted a week-of-prayer, at which voluntary attendance outnumbered our expectations.

Finally, in order that the good work of this year's Hi-Y Club might be of service, we presented some 25 books, dealing with religion, to the high school.

### OFFICERS

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## MARTHA WASHINGTON LITERARY SOCIETY

The Martha Washington Literary Society started the year with much pep and interest. An intensive membership campaign secured the largest number of members the society has ever had. Work was begun immediately to obtain the very best representatives to send to the literary contest held annually at the University of Virginia.

The society, under the leadership of the new faculty advisor, Mrs. Kinzer, built up remarkably on the foundation laid so thoroughly by Mrs. Burt, the faculty advisor for so many years. The programs have been excellent and the girls' attendance all that could be expected.

At the present time, all our interest is centered on the University contest. The representatives have been chosen, have met Salem, where we won four out of six of the contests, and are preparing to go to the University.





The society has had an exceptionally successful year. Greater interest has been manifest by the student body as a whole, our members have developed their natural abilities and have gained experience and self-confidence. The order in meetings has been improved and parliamentary law enforced.

OFFICERS FOR 1927-1928

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JEFFERSONIAN LITERARY SOCIETY

The Jeffersonian Literary Society has just completed one of the most successful years in the history of the organization. The programs have been devoted, for the most part, to debates and public speeches. This division of the work is believed to be the most helpful and efficient in a literary society. For such effort about twenty "J's" are expected to be awarded.

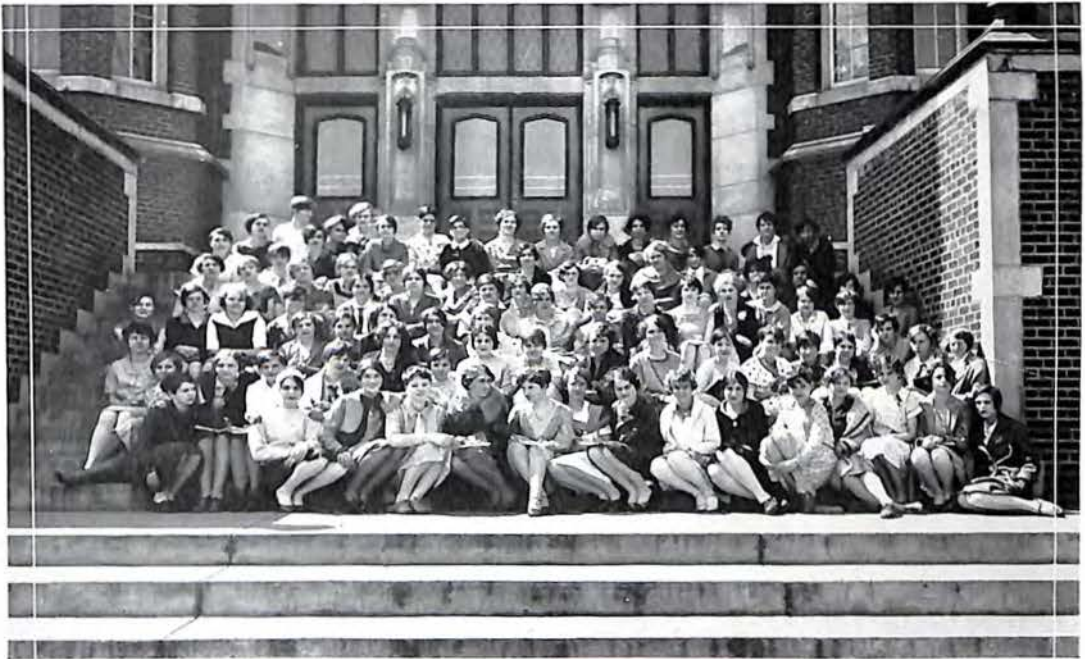
Among the outstanding activities have been: a joint meeting with the Martha Washington Literary Society, which was well attended; a membership contest between the two societies, which the Jeffersonians won on a technicality; following this, was a big party in the High School Gymnasium; complete revision of the constitution and by-laws; a literary meet with Salem, resulting in victories for Martin, debater, Schnurman, speaker, and McNulty, reader.

Under Mr. Fallwell, faculty advisor and critic, we feel safe in saying that the coming season will be even more successful than ever before.

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MARTHA WASHINGTON LITERARY SOCIETY



JEFFERSONIAN LITERARY SOCIETY



## FRENCH CLUB

Le Cercle Francais fut reorganise cette année. La liste des officiers est la suivante:

Présidente ..... LOUISE TURNER      Secrétaire ..... ALICE HORSLEY  
Vice Présidente ..... LILLIAN HOGAN      Trésorière ..... DOROTHY SNEDEGAR

Les membres de la Faculté "conseillers" sont Madame Fallwell et Mademoiselle Kern. Le comité des programmes comprend:

Chairman: ALICE POOL  
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MAUDE JOHNSON  
NATALIE STULTZ

Les programmes sont extrêmement intéressants. Les réunions sont conduites entièrement en français. On donne des pièces, on a des jeux, on chante! On apprend "La Marseillaise," on a des conférences de personnes ayant voyagé en France, on joue du violon, on danse! On voit de jeunes enfants venus du Jardin d' enfants de Rugby nous distraire avec "Il était une bergère" où "Il court, le furet!"—qu'ils reviennent!

Mademoiselle Kern, toujours très sérieuse, apporte des plaisanteries et de bons mots qui font bien rire—quand on les a traduits! Madame Fallwell, quand elle est excitée, caragouine dans son jargon natal, si vite, que seuls, Dieu et elle savent ce dont ils' agit! Tout le monde y met du sien. Et nous serons fiers plus tard de notre photographie où nous nous retrouverons avec nos souvenirs communs.

Rappelons le nous! "Tout homme a deux patries! La sienne et la France!"

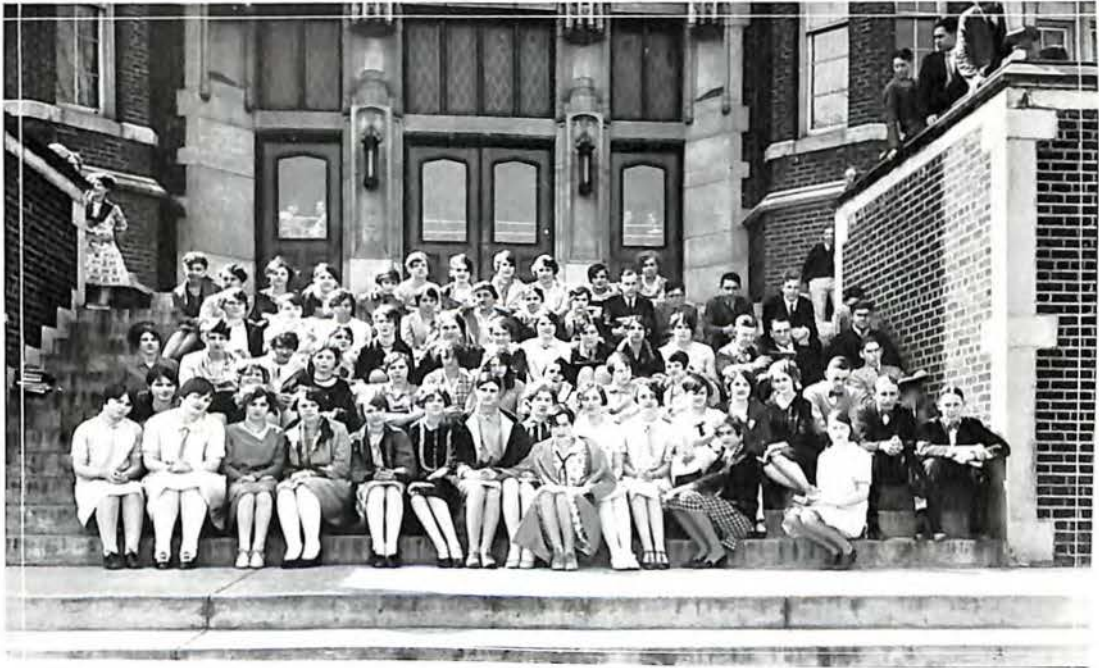


## REVERIE

*I stood on a mountain peak at early morning—  
Stood gazing across the sleeping valley.  
The little breeze had ceased its game of tag,  
Its playfellows, the trees, were stilled in breathless slumber.  
A silvery mist hung over a motionless stream,  
The cattle and horses stood like brown statues  
Defly carved from the brown and red soil:  
Even the frogs in the marsh  
Had been lulled by their own lullaby to sleep.  
Such times are for dreaming—  
But always the sun—the harsh, metallic sun—  
Swings upward and drives away my phantoms.  
Tell me—will fantasy forever  
Be shattered thus?*

G. SMITH





FRENCH CLUB



SPANISH CLUB





## GLEE CLUB

The Club is organized for the express purpose of fostering and teaching the art of good music, to help and instruct the gifted talent, and to urge those interested in the love of music to gain a better foundation for the mastering and appreciation of the art.

The instruction helps students to take part in musical plays and musical comedies. Do you remember "Historical Follies" and "Sailor Maids"?

The Club has a worthy constitution and by-laws. Much has been accomplished under the diligent and able teaching of Miss Blanche Hurley. Note-reading, writing, study of great masters, and group singing has been the past program.

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—MABEL G. MCKENDRIE, '28



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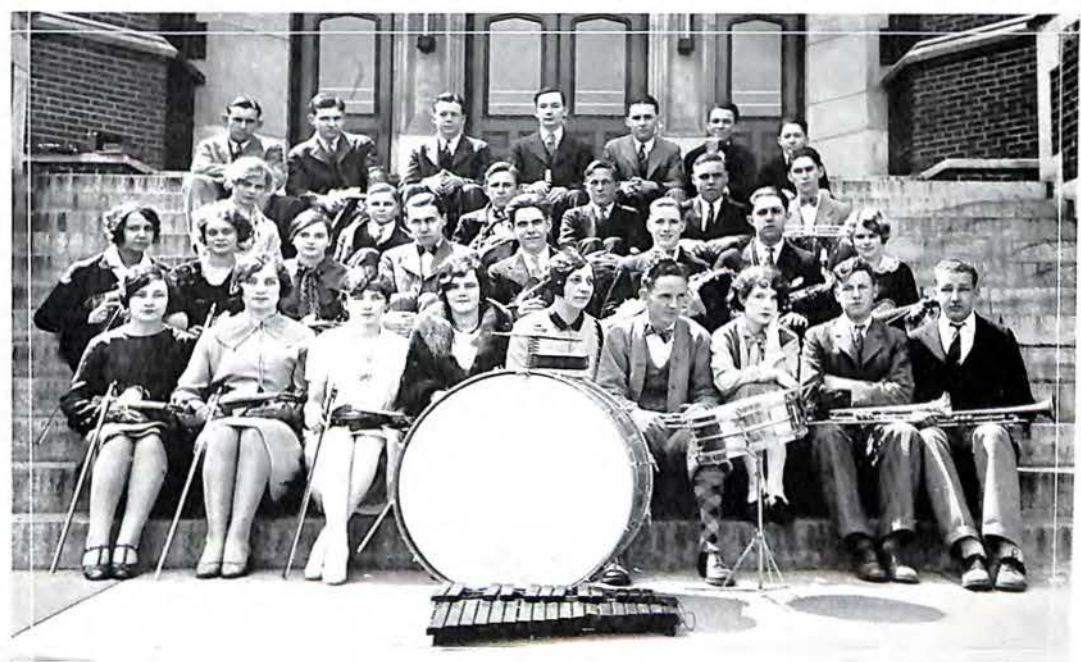
The orchestra is our main stand-by. It is a leading organization in our school. We boast that we have the best orchestra of any school in the State. Under the capable supervision of Miss Blanche Hurley, the orchestra is growing bigger and better. The orchestra now consists of thirty pieces. Each year it grows larger and larger—what will it be next year!

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## HISTORY OF THE CLASS OF 1928

THE Ancient Recorder sat at a long, worn table. Around him were great masses of books—voluminous, dust-laden histories of great deeds and small. He looked at the waning sand in the hour-glass as he finished a beautiful book of three chapters. Upon the cover were these words in gold: "Class of '28." The Chronologist turned again to Chapter I, under the head of "Freshmen, '26." He read:

"Jefferson Hi opened her doors this year with an increasing stream of bewildered 'Rats.' These newcomers, though ignored, dreamed of the future. They could dimly see themselves as Seniors of '28.

"After a while, the Class was organized with Virginia Peters as president, assisted by other able officers. Miss Ethel Jett gave much advice to this formative Group. She also helped with the election of Student Representatives to the Council.

"This Class was not long in seeing where improvements could be made. A donation was made toward stage furniture and the stage was fitted.

"During this year, the Freshmen became thoroughly adapted to the customs and traditions instituted by those higher up."

The aged Penman reached Chapter II, headed by a more assuming title—"Juniors, '27." Here are some excerpts as he read them:

"The Juniors, this year, showed great promise of developing into a record-making class. Hardly had the term begun before there was talk of class meetings and election of officers. A meeting was called and the ball began rolling when Bob Watts was elected President; Frank Settle, Vice President; 'Bunch' Nininger, Treasurer, and Edna Wallace, Secretary. Mr. Bartlett proved himself a great help with his timely suggestions.

"There was much discussion at each meeting with several resultant accomplishments: new rings, the first new ones in eight years, were chosen; the class coffers were opened and final installments on the stage furniture paid off, leaving some money to spare.

"Real magnanimity was shown when Julia Herringdon, the nominee for vice president, was taken by death. The class sent flowers and donated a page to her memory in the annual.

"Little by little, the minds were being molded into a more mature way of thinking. Long before the year was over, many looked up from their books and thought of next year!"

The Recorder slowly came to another division—the final chapter. Here the ink was fresh and new.

Written in bold type could be seen: "Seniors, '28." He scanned the pages:



"An assembly—the greatest ever—gathered in the auditorium to open another year. All had returned to find the grounds beautified and several new members added to the faculty.

"Jumbled masses of Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors were finally straightened out. The 'Where you belong?' was missing, but things became settled, nevertheless.

"The Seniors now had the auditorium—that much-coveted roll call. 'Until next spring' was soon the prevailing thought.

"Miss Hayward, ever helpful, again lent her hand to the Senior Class. As in preceding years, there began rumors of who would be the president. Would the Class elect a boy or a girl? When the Class came together, it was soon decided. Jim Gibboney was chosen to pilot '28 through her last year at Hi.

"Here the history took an important aspect—A Senior party, assemblies, fine speakers, class meetings! Committees were chosen to discuss plans and to select the motto and colors. They were duly heard from. Kidd's Studio was given the contract for the pictures.

"Vision of diplomas, caps and gowns were getting realistic. Suggestions arose concerning Commencement exercises. Mr. McQuilkin, our Superintendent, expressed his desire to let the Class conduct its own exercises. He met with hearty approval. The final night was approaching!

"From the beginning of the year, the urge for student government was evident. Outsiders spoke on the subject, students thought, and soon it culminated in one of the greatest assemblies—the installation of the Student Council! Every Senior felt the impressiveness—the importance—of the ceremony. That morning, they were exponential in laying a cornerstone to a monumental structure.

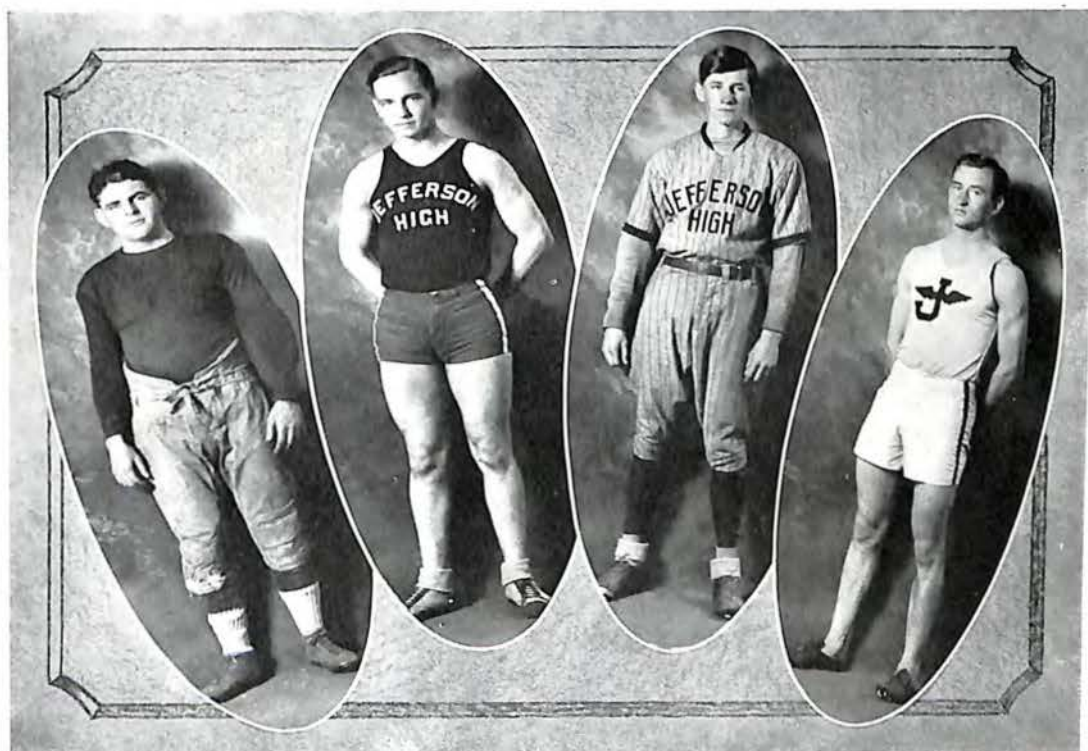
"The Class play next came into the limelight. All were wondering what it would be like. Rumors went their rounds, but the committee finally chose 'The Goose Hangs High.' The play afforded an opportunity to develop much dramatic talent.

"When the time came nearer, and the last month was growing short, many decided that leaving 'Ole Hi' was not so pleasant after all. Every member of the Class of '28 had come to love our Alma Mater. They were, after all, reluctant to leave, realizing that some of the best acquisitions of the three years were cherished memories of the faculty and school."

The sand had now dwindled away. The record of the Class of '28 was made. The Ancient Chronologist was loath to pass such a fine book. He looked again at the cover—and smiled!

—WILLIAM PLYMALE, '28

# ATHLETICS



## CAPTAINS, '27-'28

<i>Football</i> .....	ROBERT [BOB] ABBOTT
<i>Basket Ball</i> .....	FRANKLIN [SWEDE] SETTLE
<i>Baseball</i> .....	WILLARD OAKLEY
<i>Track</i> .....	ROBERT [BOB] OVERSTREET





## FOOTBALL, '27

The Maroon and White opened their football season with a green and untried team, playing host to Durham in the opener. This was perhaps the most thrilling game of the season and ended in a 6-6 deadlock, the Magicians having tied the score in the final two minutes of play.

Danville succeeded in winning from Jefferson for the first time in about ten years. Their only score was made on the opening kick-off when a Danville back returned the ball ninety yards for a touchdown.

Lynchburg defeated the Maroons in a hard-fought game in which the two teams were evenly matched. Roanoke was the victim of Old Man Hard Luck on this day, and got some terrible breaks.

The Magicians, in their final game, did something that no team had done for two years; namely, to cross the goal line of Woodrow Wilson, of Portsmouth. They were defeated, however, 26-7.

At the close of the season, Fred Urick was elected captain for 1928. Fred has played star football for two years and after one more year should develop into the greatest tackle ever turned out at Jefferson High.

Those in the picture, left to right, are: Standing, Powell, Cunningham, Siefert, Carpenter, E. Barnett, Settle, Davis, Whatley, Ferris, Rice, Robinson. Middle Row: Luck, Driscoll, Grimes, Mastin, R. Noftsinger, Abbott (C), Urick, Wood, J. Noftsinger, Cohen, Trimmer. Bottom Row: Moorman, Ass't Coach; Gish, Manager; Black, Ass't Manager; Hurt, Head Coach.

### THE SEASON RECORD

J. H. S.....	6	6.....	Durham
J. H. S.....	0	6.....	Danville
J. H. S.....	24	0.....	R. M. A.
J. H. S.....	18	6.....	Salem
J. H. S.....	7	7.....	Norfolk
J. H. S.....	6	13.....	Lynchburg
J. H. S.....	7	26.....	Portsmouth
J. H. S.....	68	64.....	Opponents



## BASKET BALL

The 1928 basket ball season was the most successful one Jefferson High has enjoyed in several years.

Coach Hurt developed a machine that swept aside every obstacle in its march for the State Championship only to be defeated in the finals by Woodrow Wilson. This was the only defeat the Magicians suffered, except two at the hands of the strong Viscose Independents and one by the V. P. I. Freshmen.

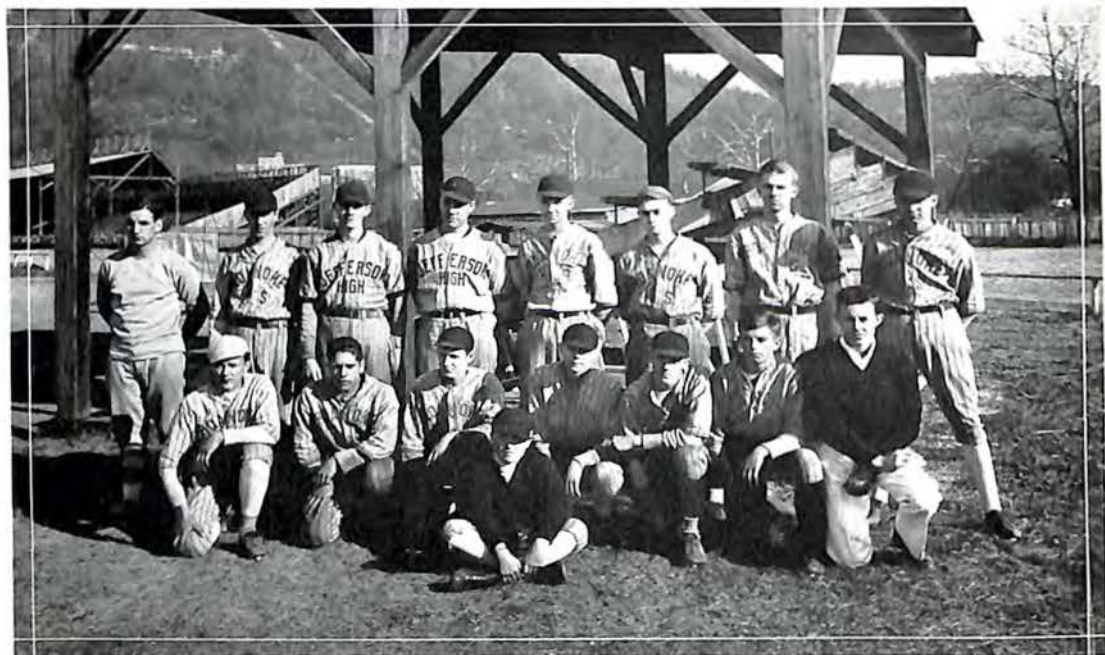
Houston Young, the tall center, who played his first year on the quintet was elected to lead the team for the 1929 season. He will have as team-mates, among this year's letter men, Ward, Turner, Rice and Urick. We, who make our departure this year, will look back next year and expect to see the 1929 Magicians crowned State Champions.



FOOTBALL SQUAD



BASKET BALL TEAM



BASEBALL SQUAD

## BASEBALL

The Baseball season is just getting under way as THE ACORN goes to press.

The Maroon and White sluggers have met the W. & L. and V. M. I. Freshmen and lost out by close scores in each instance. Ellis, the heavy-hitting shortstop, slammed out a home run in the game with the University rats.

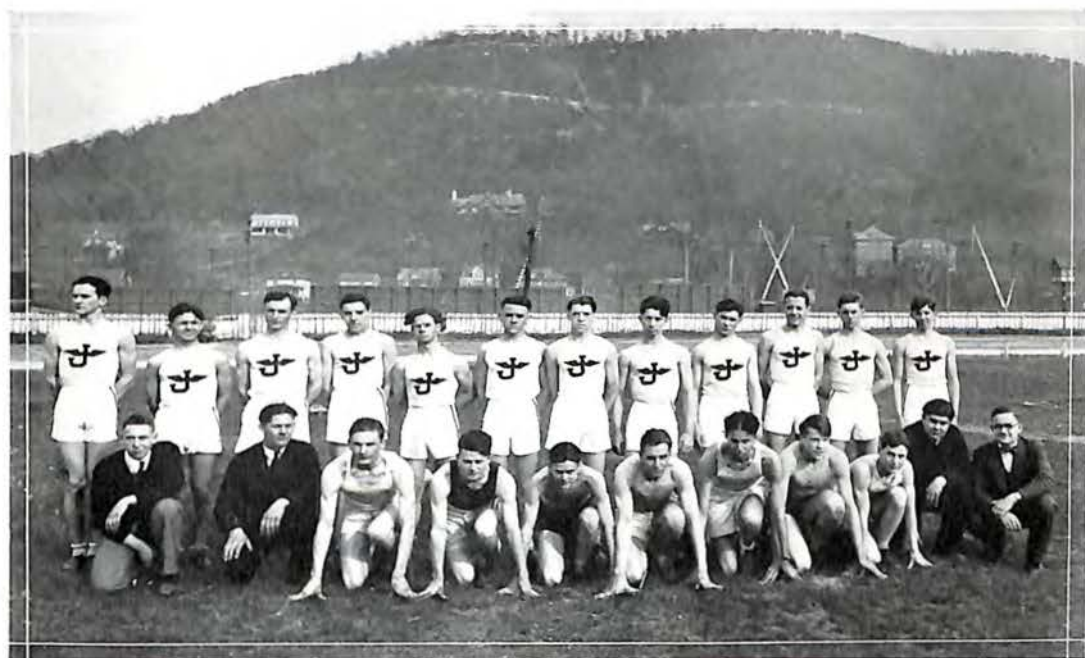
The Magicians met and defeated R. M. A. at Maher Field, 4-2. Ellis was the feature of this game also; his timely hit in the eighth inning winning the game.

Danville nosed out a 7-6 victory over the Maroons in the twelfth inning of the game, which was played at Danville. Raymond Rice, Magician third-sacker, slammed out a home run in the ninth to tie the score after his team had been trailing 6-5.

The remainder of the team seems to be made up of Turner, Carpenter, Crockett, Overstreet, Ellis, D. Barnett, E. Barnett, Luck, Captain Oakley, Carner and Hash.

—PITT DAVIS





TRACK SQUAD

## TRACK

The opening of the Track season found several of last year's stars lost by graduation. Rene Draper, Captain-elect of this year's team, failed to return to school and this left another hard place to fill.

Bob Overstreet was selected to lead the team in place of Draper, and as THE ACORN goes to press, the Magicians have entered only one meet although they have several more scheduled. This meet with W. & L. Freshmen was easily won by the "rats" but the Maroon and White track and field men expect to make another story when they meet teams in their class.

Besides Overstreet, some of the promising men are Duke, Nininger, Settle, Berry, Boswell, Pace, Ferris, Godby, Mosby and Kerns.

—PITT DAVIS



GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

## GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The G. A. A. is one of the most active clubs in the High School. The aim of the G. A. A. is to promote all phases of athletics not only in the Physical Education classes, but after school hours. It provides an opportunity for the individual to act in situations that are physically wholesome, mentally stimulating and socially sound.

This club was organized in the year '26 under the leadership of Miss Gertrude Rath, last year's Physical Director. A large number of girls joined the new club and entered into its activities enthusiastically. This year we have a larger membership and the Club is climbing quickly to the top.

We have this year a new director, Miss Page Harrison, who has entered into the activities of the Club with zeal and has helped our Club to a huge success.

### OFFICERS FOR 1928

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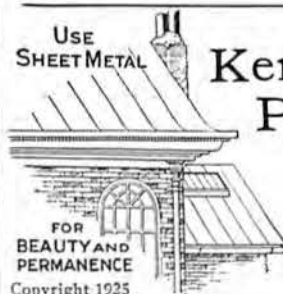
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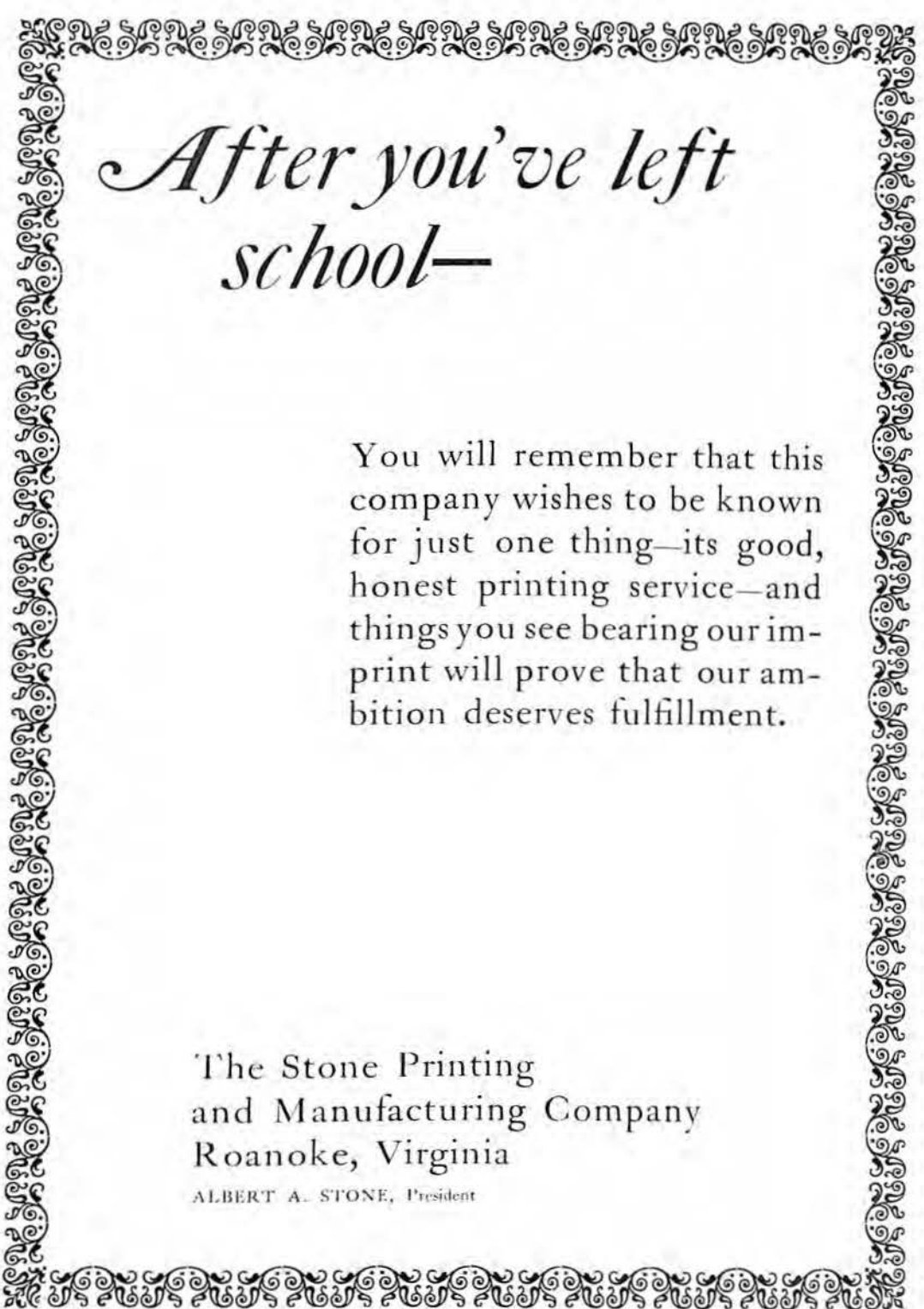
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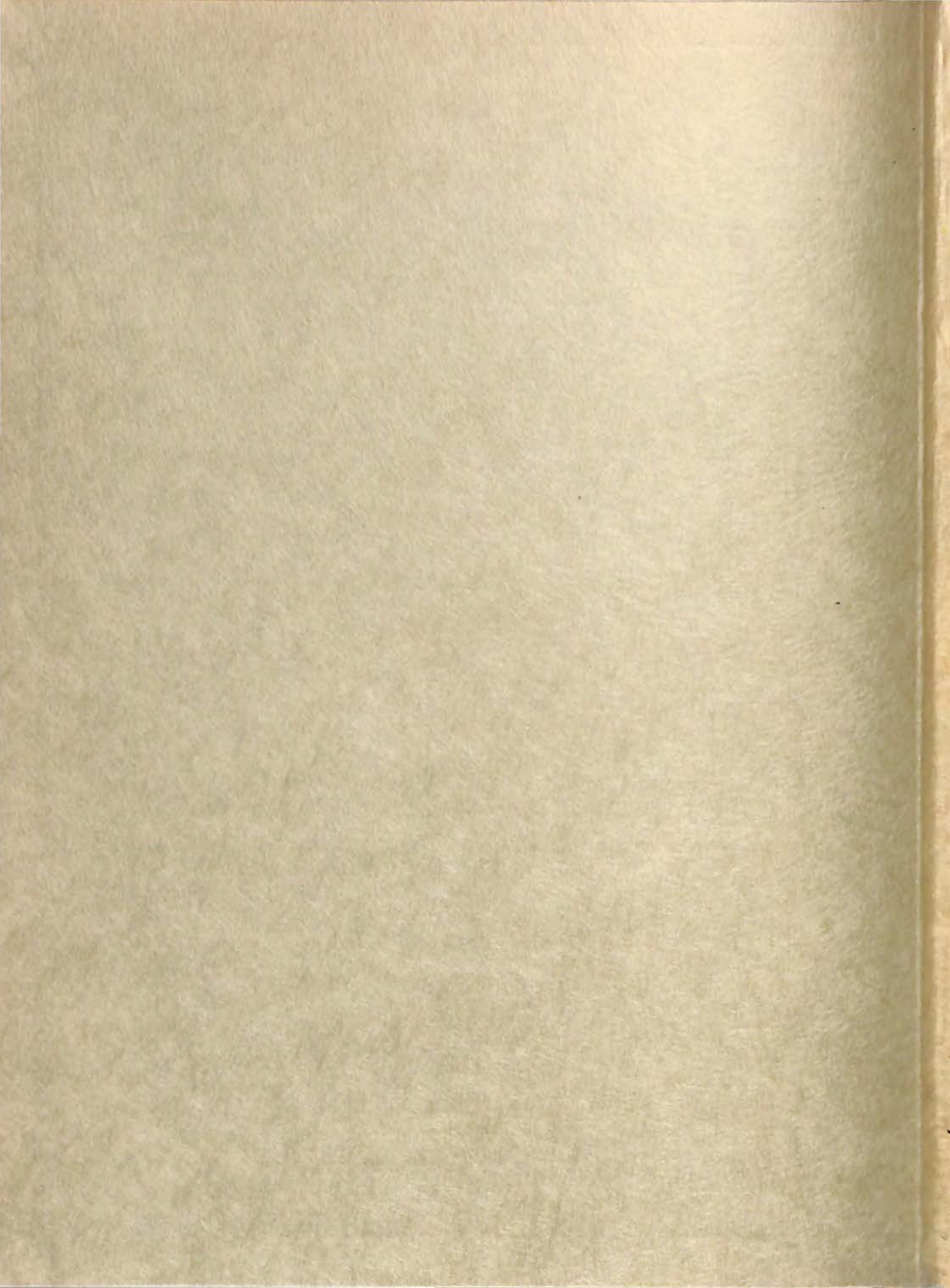
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