





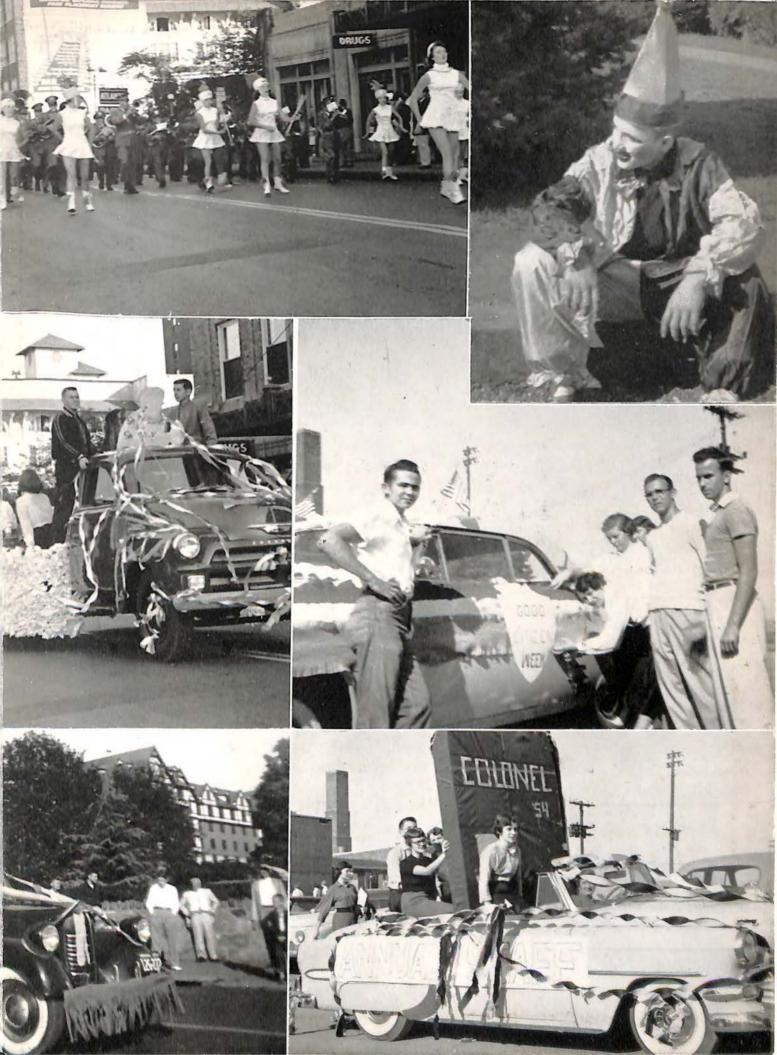




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Foreword

We, the students of William Fleming, are proud of our school. We are proud of the things that Fleming represents: the friendliness, the wholesome spirit, and the loyalty of everyone who has been a part of Fleming.

We are proud of the accomplishments in academic endeavors, literary events, sports, and club activities.

We are proud of the growth of William Fleming and look forward to greater achievements.

We hope that you will also be proud of this yearbook and treasure it for many years.

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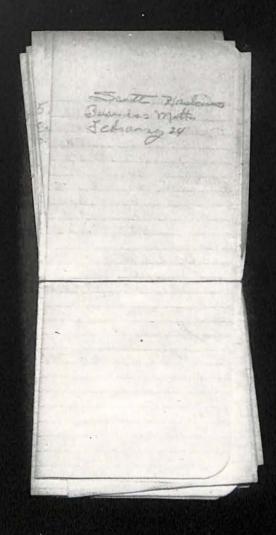


Mr. RAYMOND E. BERWALD

Dedication

To Mr. Raymond Berwald, the Band Director of William Fleming High School, we dedicate the 1955 COLONEL.

His enthusiasm, patience, and unselfish devotion of his time and talents have inspired the growth of the Fleming Band into one of which we are proud. Under his leadership these musicians have gained recognition as a vital part of the Fleming program and have received local, state, and national honors.



Claministration

We're Proud of Our Superintendent



THE SUPERINTENDENT OF ROANOKE CITY SCHOOLS DR. E. W. RUSHTON

We're Proud of Our Principal

THE PRINCIPAL OF WILLIAM FLEMING HIGH SCHOOL MR. W. A. COULTER





We're Proud of Our Teachers

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We're Proud of Our Teachers

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Fleming Students Have Many Interests

I—The choir caroling in the halls. 2—N. Albaugh, J. Edwards, and M. Sink are working hard. 3—Concentrated study by L. Pack, A. Keziah, and J. Elmore. 4—Painting scenery occupies M. Doyle, H. Cato, J. Rakes, S. Farrar, and J. Rector. 5—B. Newman, B. Hurst, and J. Taylor work on the annual. 6—An interested math class. 7—Look! Nobody's typing! 8—This mechanical drawing has to be exact. 9—Oh! Those chemistry tests. IO—A Jaycee member and Mr. Coulter present prizes for Junior Voice of Democracy contest to R. Reid and B. Baker. II—The band presents an assembly.

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All who have come and gone from Fleming have carried away with them a feeling of satisfaction for accomplishments and a feeling of gratitude for the guidance given them.

The pleasant memories of participation in school activities and the friendships formed will always remain with them. Even though the memories may become hazy or even forgotten, the "Fleming spirit", which is so contagious, will never die. If that intangible spirit is taken away, Fleming will continue to be a heritage of which everyone can be proud.

OFFICERS

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RICHARD EDWARD ADAMS Varsity Club; Football; Wrestling; Track.



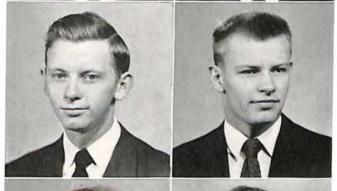
Annette Irene Anders Senior Y-Teens; Beta Club.

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Beta Club; Vice President,
Senior Class; Treasurer, Senior
Hi-Y.



RAYMOND CARLETON ASSAID Varsity Club; Track; Basketball.

John Richard Athan No Activities.



CHARLES EDGAR ATKINSON
Beta Club; Secretary, Varsity
Club; Football; Track.

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Myrna Lou Baldwin Secretary, Beta Club; President, G. A. A.; S. C. A.; Senior Y-Teens; Girls' Basketball Team.

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Program Chairman, Senior YTeens; G. A. A.



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Peggy Anne Bishop Senior Masque.



CHARLES PEYTON BOWLING No Activities.

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PHYLLIS JEAN BRUMFIELD F. B. L. A.; Beta Club; Red Cross; Choir; Senior Y-Teens.



WILLIAM ALLISON BURNETTE Manager, Football Team; Manager, Wrestling; Varsity Club; Senior Hi-Y; Track.

Nolan Hale Cassell No Activities.



Harlan Seigler Cato Senior Hi-Y; Literary Club; Senior Masque; Choir.

BETTY LEE CATRON Senior Y-Teens; F. B. L. A.



Louis Franklin Cochran Varsity Club; Art Club; Senior Masque; Senior Hi-Y.

MINNIE KATHRYN COLE
F. B. L. A.; Choir; Senior
Masque; Literary Club.

James Walter Conner

SARAH ELIZABETH COYNER

Beta Club; Senior Masque;
Senior Y-Teens; Literary Club;
Annual Staff.

No Activities.

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Master Key, Senior Y-Teens;
Secretary, Senior Class.

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Sybil Ann Cramer Senior Y-Teens; F. B. L. A.

RUTH MARIE DOWNARD
Senior Y-Teens; F. T. A.:
Secretary, S. C. A.; Choir; Beta
Club; Editor, Annual; Senior
Masque; Thespians.

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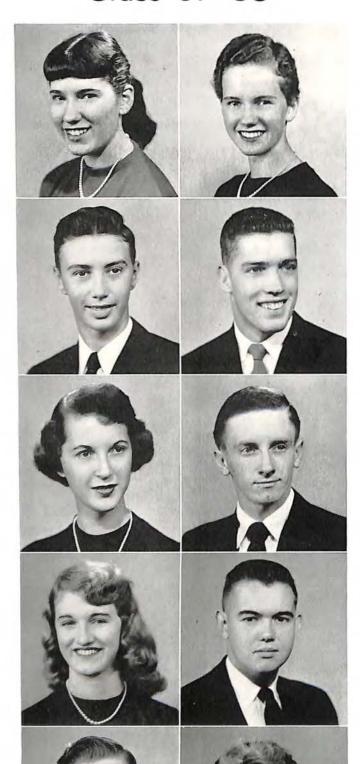
JANE LEE ELMORE Choir: Senior Y-Teens.

Donald Dennis Ferrell. No Activities.

JOYCE LORAINE FULK Senior Y-Teens; Red Cross.

LOLENE DOROTHY GIBSON F. B. L. A.

KENNETH WARRINER GLASS Track.



Mary Elizabeth Fagg Beta Club; G. A. A.; Editor, Newspaper; Cheerleader; S. C. A.; Thespians; Senior Masque; Senior Y-Teens.

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CHARLOTTE MARIE GRAY Beta Club; Senior Y-Teens.

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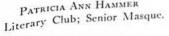
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PATRICIA ANN HAMMER

RICHARD SCOTT HASKINS Varsity Club; Senior Hi-Y; Treasurer, Art Club; Senior Masque; Track.

PHYLLIS FERRELL HICKS Senior Masque; Thespians; Senior Y-Teens.





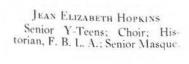


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ARTENNIS HALL G. A. A.; F. H. A.; F. B. L. A.; Senior Y-Teens; Girls' Basketball and Volleyball.

AURELIA FRANCES HART Senior Y-Teens; G. A. A.: Cheerleader; Senior Masque; Parlamentarian, F. B. L. A.

THEODORE HARMON HAUSER Varsity Club; Wrestling.



Edward Franklin Horton No Activities.



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Barbara Ellen Hurst Senior Y-Teens; Beta Club; Thespians; Senior Masque; Literary Club; Annual Staff.



GWENETTE HURST Senior Y-Teens; Literary Club; Senior Masque; Choir,

Barbara Ann Jennings Senior Y-Teens; Choir;



DOROTHY MULLEN JOHNS
F. H. A.; Senior Y-Teens;
G. A. A.; F. B. L. A.

Pete Thomas Johnson, Jr.
Varsity Club; President, Eighth
Grade; President, Junior Hi-Y;
President, Junior Class; Football;



Rose Mary Johnson F. B. L. A.

ALLEENE FIELDS JOHNSTON
Senior Y-Teens; Choir; Senior
Masque; Literary Club,



Mary Louise Keene Senior Art Club.

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Senior Y-Teens; F. T. A.;
Thespians; Beta Club; Senior
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F. B. L. A.; Senior Y-Teens;
F. H. A.

PEGGY ROSE LUCADO F. B. L. A.; Newspaper Staff.

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SARAH LEE MEADOR

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ROBERT HENRY NEWMAN III Band; Senior Masque; Rotas; Senior Hi-Y; Pep Band; Business Manager, Annual; Dance Band; S. C. A.







MARILYN WALKER MAIN Beta Club; Senior Masque; Senior Y-Teens; G. A. A.; Cheer-leader; Assistant Editor, Newspaper.

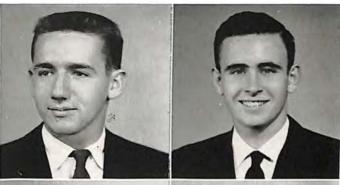
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RUTH NAOMI NANCE Senior Y-Teens; Thespians; Literary Club; Newspaper Staff.

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WILLIAM THEODORE PALMER Beta Club; Rotas; Varsity Club.



THEODORE SIDNEY PATTERSON Senior Hi-Y; Choir; Poetry Club.

DANIEL FRANK PETERS III No Activities.



CHARLES ALFRED PETERSEN President, Rotas; Senior Masque; Treasurer, Thespians; Science Club; Literary Club; Newspaper Staff.

ROBERT ALEXANDER PIRRUNG Varsity Club; Beta Club; Choir



Peggy Ann Powell
Senior Masque; Beta Club;
President, Senior Y-Teens; President, Junior Masque; President,
Red Cross, '54; Annual Staff;
S. C. A.

Donald Glenwood Prillaman Senior Masque; Poetry Club; Senior Hi-Y; Band; Pep Band; Dance Band; Rotas.



ROBERT LEWIS PUGH Varsity Club; Senior Hi-Y; Football.

IVA JEANETTE RAKES
Senior Y-Teens; Reporter,
F. B. L. A.



Sondra Jo Rierson Senior Y-Teens; F. H. A.: G. A. A.; Senior Masque.

James Oliver Roberson
President, Varsity Club; CoCaptain, Football Team; Beta
Club; Track; Wrestling; President,
Freshman Class; President, Sophomore Class.

SHELVA JEAN SARVER
G. A. A.; Beta Club; President,
F. B. L. A.; President, Commercial
Club.

HOWARD BLAINE SPRINKLE
President, Senior Class; Varsity
Club; Beta Club; Football; Wrestling; Track.

ROBERT ARNOLD STEVENS
Varsity Club; Co-Captain,
Basketball Team; Track.

JOHN WALLACE STULTZ No Activities.



Donald Wilson Sanders
President, S. C. A.; Band; Beta
Club; Rotas; Senior Masque;
Student Conductor, Band; Pep
Band; Director, Dance Band;
President, Junior Masque; President, Band, '54.

MARTHA CLAY SINK
Beta Club; Thespians; F. T. A.;
S. C. A.; Annual Staff; Senior YTeens; Vice President, G. A. A.;
Head Cheerleader; Senior Masque;
President, Junior Y-Teens.

ROBERT NEAL STAMBACK
Band; Assistant Choir Director;
Poetry Club; F. T. A.; Senior
Masque; Senior Hi-Y; Driecter,
Pep Band; Dance Band.

WILLIAM DONALD STEVENS
Varsity Club; Co-Captain,
Basketball Team; Red Cross;
Track.

James Gilbert Taylor Varsity Club; Vice President, S. C. A.; Football; Wrestling; Annual Staff.

VIRGINIA L. THOMAS
G. A. A.; Majorette; Senior
Y-Teens; F. B. L. A.; Senior
Masque,



Barbara Jean Thompson Senior Masque; G. A. A.; Vice President, Senior Y-Teens; Art Club; F. B. L. A.; Historian, Senior Class.

OLA CATHERINE TOLLEY
Senior Y-Teens; Beta Club;
F. B. I., A.; F. H. A.



Berta Arlene Toms Beta Club; Secretary, F. H. A.; Secretary, F. B. L. A.

LEON ODELL TURNER Varsity Club; Football; Wrestling; Track.



WILLIAM MELTON TURNER No Activities.

HATTIE VIRGINIA UMBERGER S. C. A.; Senior Y-Teens; Annual Staff.



Mary Jane Vaught Beta Club; Senior Y-Teens; Senior Masque.

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Head Cheerleader; Annual Staff;
Coach, Junior Cheerleaders.



JOHN WEBSTER WILLHIDE S. C. A.; Varsity Club; President, Beta Club; Thespians; Senior Hi-Y; Choir; Annual Staff; Football; Basketball; Track.

Thomas Eugene Williams No Activities.



Nancy Charlene Willis No Activities.

Bernard Anderson Wingo Choir; Annual Staff; Senior Hi-Y; Beta Club; Art Club.



Ann Bradley Wright
Senior Masque; Thespians
Choir; G. A. A.; Senior Y-Teens;
Head Cheerleader, Junior Squad,
'54.

EVA MAY YATES
President, Thespians; Senior
Y-Teens; Literary Club.



NOT PICTURED
REGINA JERMAIN MINTON
DAVID UPDIKE
CHARLES WILLIAM MARTIN
JOHN RAY WADE



Fleming Activities

I—A cold winter day. 2—A. Lanford and B. Hudson prepare for the Senior Play. 3—S. Haskins, A. Willis, and L. Pack deliver Christmas baskets. 4—J. Quinn and P. Slusser portray the Liberace brothers. 5—Teachers give a classroom scene at assembly. 6—R. Downard, D. McAllister, S. Brown, and J. Garland, attendants to the Snow Queen, L. Vest, at the Christmas Dance. 7—J. Basham, S. Meador, and R. Townsend organize F. T. A. tea. 8—Mr. Francis Ballard addresses the Senior Masque and Thespians. 9—L. Vest, R. Downard, J. Taylor, and D. Sanders installed as S. C. A. officers for 1954-55. 10—Home Economics class decorates for Christmas. 11—B. Stamback, drum major, and S. Hurt, head majorette, lead the marching band.



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CHARLES ARRINGTON CHRISTINE MILLER



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HARLAN CATO EVA YATES



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SCOTT HASKINS BARBARA THOMPSON



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MARTHA SINK JIMMY TAYLOR



MOST DEPENDABLE

CAROLYN AYERS JOHN GILBERT

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BEST ALL-ROUND
PEGGY POWELL DON SANDERS



MOST ATHLETIC

MYRNA BALDWIN

JIMMY ROBERSON

The activities of the Class of '56 began with the Junior Class Assembly on October 5th, which was a take-off on current popular recording stars.

During the year, the Class sponsored several hops and entered a float in the Homecoming Parade on which girls portrayed different scenes at the traditional Junior-Senior Prom.

The usual excitement was created by the ordering of Senior rings.

The Class of '56 climaxed the year with the Junior-Senior Prom.

OFFICERS

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RUTH TOWNSEND	
Joan Basham	Secretary
Max Fleming	reasurer
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N. Dority, M. Fleming, R. Townsend, J. Williams, J. Basham, Mrs. Brown

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Joan Basham Jeanette Belcher Norma Boblett Robert Bower Ronnie Bower

BOB BOWMAN HAROLD BRAY ELAINE BROWN ROBERT BROWN SUSIE BROWN

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MADELINE BURCH
DORA CAMPBELL

GLORIA CARTER LOIS CHANEY MEREDITH CLARKE IRA CLINGENPEEL RUTH CLINGENPEEL

BILLY COCHRAN IRIS COOPER JANICE COX REVA CRAWFORD HARVEY CREASY

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MARY LEE DEVERLE BETTY DOOLEY NORMA DORITY SALLIE DUNLAP JILL EDWARDS





PHYLLIS EDWARDS SHIRLEY ELMORE SANDRA FARRAR JUNE FERRIS MAX FLEMING

NANCY FOSTER RALPH FRINK JOYCE GATES DON GILMER FRANK GISINER

EUGENE GORDON RONNIE GRIFFIN JEAN GRIMES LEROY HALL BARBARA HANCOCK

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CAROL HUMPHRIES SHIRLEY HURT MARGARET HYLTON CHARLIE JACKSON CONNIE JENNINGS

DOROTHY JENNINGS
WALLY JOHNSTON
BETTY JONES
DARLENE JONES
RUTH JONES

Nancy Jo Karlet Peter Paul Kerr Richard Key Rosemary Kline Barbara Lewis

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DON RUCKER
DAVID RUNION
VELDA RUTLEDGE
EMELYN ST. CLAIR





Jo Anne Saunders Sandra Saunders Jack Simms Betsy Sink Jean Sink

GAIL HESSE SKEEN PHILIP SLUSSER BETTY JO SMOTHERS SHIRLEY SNYDER BETTIE STUBBS

CHRYSTELLA STULTZ CAROL THORNSBURY RUTH TOWNSEND BEVERLY TROUT PEGGY VANDERGRIFT

FERNE WEST
TOMMY WILEY
JOHN WILLIAMS
ADRIAN WILLIS
MARILYN WILMER

Gibby Wingfield Peggy Wood Martha Ann Woolwine

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JERRY FERGUSON
LYNN HARNSBERGER
HOWARD JONES
BOBBY KIRKNER
GEORGIA SINK
RONNIE SIZER
ALVIRA TANKERSLEY

BUSY JUNIORS

I—Juniors on the Annual Staff, F. Hill, P. Paul, R. Bower, M. Deyerle, N. Albaugh, N. Cundiff. 2—Songsters on Assembly, C. Thornsbury, L. McKinney, P. Edwards. 3—Planning for more activities, C. Pedigo, J. Nash, S. Dunlap, M. Burch, 4—Decorating Committee for a Junior Class hop, M. Deyerle, P. Owen, P. Edwards, L. McKinney, J. Basham, C. Thornsbury. 5—Time out for relaxation, S. McCue, P. McGuire, C. Jennings, B. Jones, S. Metts, S. Brown. 6—Decorating for Fleming-Byrd hop, N. Mitchell, A. Nichols, J. Gates, C. Pedigo, P. Owen, M. Deyerle.



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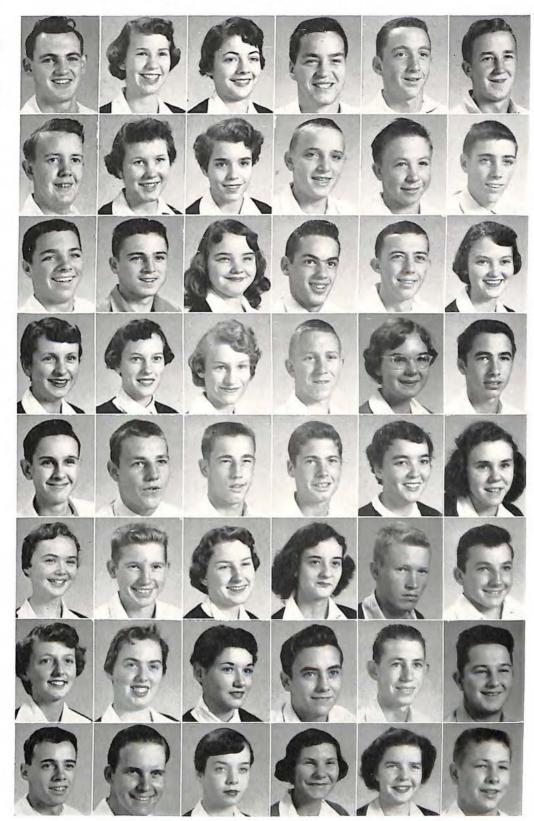
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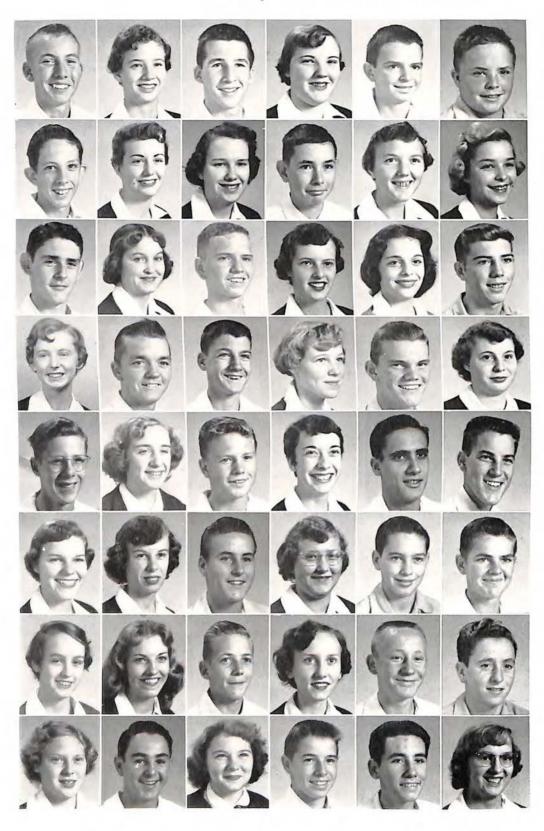
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CAROL BROWN

CAROLYN BROWN
ROY BROWN
MARTHA BUCHANAN
NORMA BURGER
DICKY BURCH
BING BUSH

NORMA CALDWELL PAT CALLAHAN BARBARA CARR JIMMY CARROLL DAVID CARTER CECIL CHITTUM

ELLSWORTH CLARKE
DON COFFMAN
BETTY COLE
OLA COX
BETTY CRAIG
DAVID CRAIG





KENNETH CRAMER PEGGY CREASEY DAVID CREASY SHIRLEY CROFT GEORGE DAVIS KENNY DAVIS

VERSAL DEARING
JOYCE DILLON
GLORIA DIVERS
GEORGE EANES
SUE ELLIS
PATTY ENGLEMAN

ROBERT ENLOW PEGGY EVERS JAMES FAGG JEAN FALLS IRIS FASSETT JIMMY FERGUSON

TRILBIE FERRELL LEROY FERRIS BAKER FLEENOR DEANNA FOLEY PHILLIP FRACKER IRIS FROST

ROBERT FUGATE
JOYCE GAY
TOMMY GIBSON
LINDA GILES
BOBBY HALE
DON HALL

BETTY HAMBRICK SYLVIA HARPER RAY HARRIS PATRICIA HARTH DON HARTMAN BUDDY HAUSER

BETTY HENDRICK ANNETTE HICKS BUTCH HOFFMAN SHIRLEY HOLCOMB FREDDIE HOLT VIRGIL HORTON

SUSAN HOWELL
TOMMY HURLEY
SUE ISENHOWER
PAUL JACOBS
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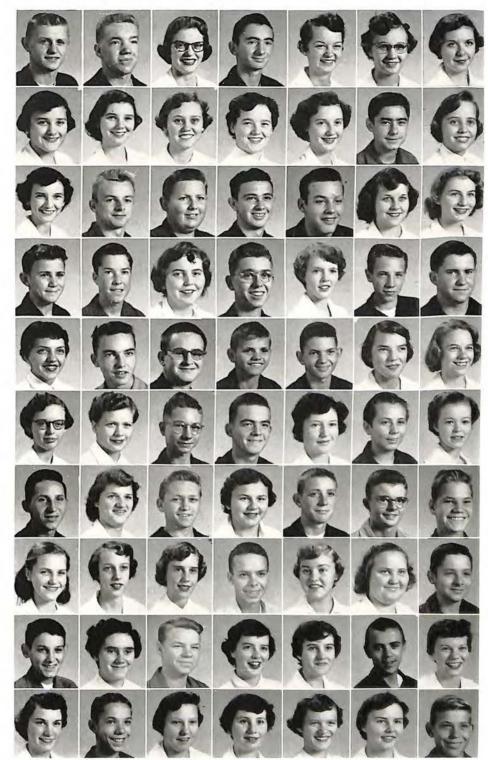
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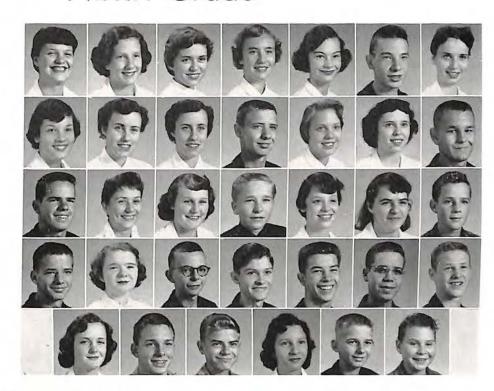
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Benny Reed Wayne Reedy Mary Ann Richards Steve Saniga Peggy Sharp Barbara Shufflebarger Joan Shepherd Mavis Sink

Phyllis Sledd Roscoe Snow Roger Spicer Gary Spiers Howard Spites Don Stafford Ron Stafford Danny Starkey

Mike Steele Michael Stevens Barbara Stewart Roy Stubbs Virginia Stump Leon Sweeney Joan Teass Ann Terrill

Juanita Thomas Douglas Tolley Joyce Trent Matthew Tyree Alice Updike Kenny Vance Ronnie Vandergrift Linda Wagner

Mike Waltz Bonnie Ward Jeanette Weaver Edgar Webster Don Weeks Evelyn Wellborn Jimmy Whitley Charles Weidner

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Douglas Brammer Joyce Ganas Geary Hedrick Tommy Kessler Jackie Petree Warren Peters Viola Rucker Opal Rucker Nelson Shibley Winston Sink Jo Weidner Don Wheeler

May Day Memories-1954



I—Queen and court—Front: M. L. Deyerle, D. McAllister, M. Sink, Stewart Twins, J. Carter, J. King, S. Johnston—Back: L. Vest, S. Whitehead, S. Kelley, E. Dye, Maid-of-Honor B. Thompson, Queen P. Shafer, M. Main, L. McKinney, S. Hayden, N. Albaugh. Carrying out the theme, E. Hambrick was Narrator. 2—1948—"Gay Nineties" by E. DeLong and B. Bowser. 3—1947—"Fairyland"—Wishing Well Fairy, N. Smith; Memory Queen, S. Rierson. 4—First May Day Dance—P. Shafer and D. Jamison. 5—1952—"The Changing Year," Winter Wonderland by P. Virts, S. Craft, V. Thomas, and A. Keziah. 6—P. Shafer crowned by B. Goldsby. 7—1953—"Songland"—Don't Let the Stars by D. O'Brien, M. Fagg, P. Creasey, N. Karlet, P. Edwards. 8 and 10—"The Changing Year," Yankee Doodle Dandy by J. Crawford, P. Owen, B. Hudson, and S. Hurt. 9—Memory Court in original dresses, S. Brown, 1947; R. Downard, 1949; J. Hicks, 1952; M. Church, 1950 (queen's dress); C. Ayers, 1948; L. Potts, 1953; C. Wood, 1951.



Sports



Mr. Kenneth French, Mr. Fred Smith, Mr. Phil Crabtree, Mr. Con Davis

We're Proud of Our Coaches

Fleming has every reason to be proud of this year's Coaching Staff. The coaches have done much to make Fleming well known throughout the state. Their influence reaches not only the athletes at our school but also every student as well.

Coach Smith, as athletic director, head football, wrestling, and track coach, carried the brunt of the job, and as usual came through with champion teams. The "Gray Fox" has made himself known as a fine coach and a fine man.

Coach Crabtree has made one of the finest records in the state. In two years as head basketball coach, he has brought Fleming two District and two State Championships. Also serving as line coach in football and assistant track coach, he has made as fine a beginning in his coaching career as any young coach could desire.

Coach Davis, as backfield coach in football, produced one of the best all-round backfields in the area. Since he helped in basketball and track, he had a hand in all athletics at Fleming. Through his work, champions were developed.

One of the most important jobs fell to Coach French, which was coaching the Junior Varsity football. It is well known that good J. V. coaching produces good varsity teams in later years. His coaching of the J. V. football team and helping with varsity wrestling and track, made him an important person on our Coaching Staff.

We pay tribute and give thanks to these men for our successful teams.

Follow the District Champs



I—Co-Captains Fisher and Roberson meet Pulaski Co-Captains before the Homecoming game. 2—Action during Pulaski game. 3—Sprinkle leads with a right. 4—Managers: W. Parks, B. Burnette, D. Updike, J. Lucas, R. McFarland. 5—Suspense!! D. Davis, Coaches Smith and Crabtree, D. Brewer, S. Haskins, L. Turner. 6—Let's go, you bums! Coach Smith, D. Brewer, J. Willhide, Coach Davis.



J. Roberson, Fullback Co-Captain, All City-County

D. FISHER, Guard Co-Captain, All City-County

E. Adams, Guard

E. McAllister, Halfback

H. Sprinkle, Halfback

District Six Football Champions

Fleming's 1954-1955 football team helped to accomplish a feat that no other team in the history of the school has ever done. They won the District Six Championship for the third consecutive year. It is a fitting thing that they did win, for next year, the Blue and Gold will go into Group I competition.

The return of seventeen lettermen from the previous year's squad boosted the hopes for a good team and helped to make this possible.

The first game of the year was with Jefferson, who defeated the Colonels in the last thirty seconds by a desperation pass. The Colonels dropped the game 7-6 which was one of the biggest heartbreakers in the history of the school.

The Blue and Gold rebounded strongly and bumped off an outmanned Appomattox team 45-0 in the first home game.

For the second straight year, the Colonels were tied by their Group I rival, George Washington of Danville. This year after a slow first half the teams battled to a o-o tie.

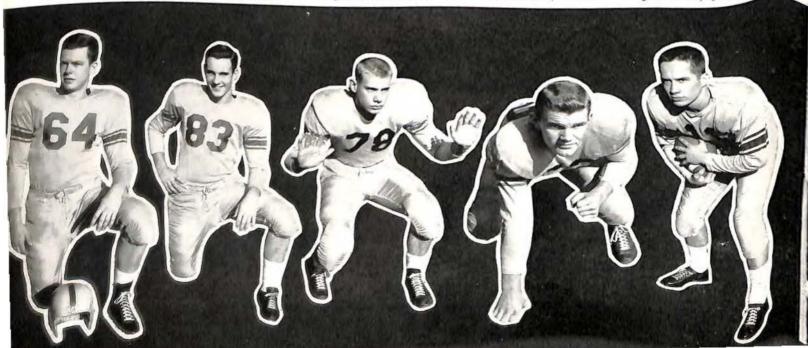
L. TURNER, Tackle

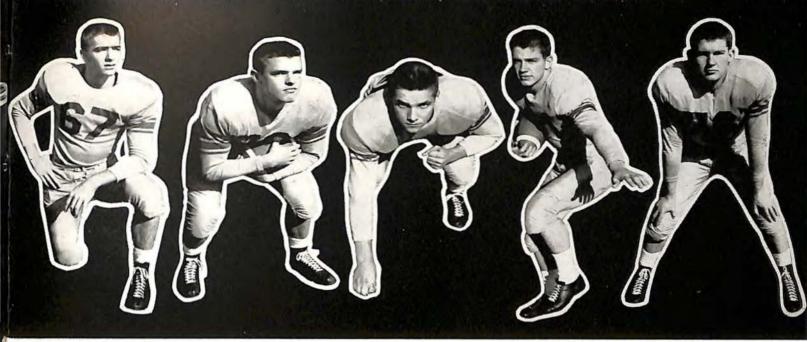
S. HASKINS, Guard

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P. FRACKER, Tackle

J. Taylor, Quarterback





D. RADFORD, End

D. BREWER, Halfback

D. PRICE, End

G. WINGFIELD, Quarterback

H. Cox, Guard

We Are Proud of Our Team

Again facing Group I competition, the Colonels rolled over City-County rival Andrew Lewis by a 20-6 score.

The Blue and Gold began their title defense in District 6 by battering Martinsville down to a 33-6 defeat. The next week, inspired by the Homecoming celebration, they swamped the Orioles of Pulaski by a 39-12 score.

However, the Colonels met defeat, 13-7, when they played E. C. Glass at Lynchburg.

Again returning to District Six opponents, the Blue and Gold rolled over William Byrd 13-0, and trampled Blacksburg 51-13, to win the Championship.

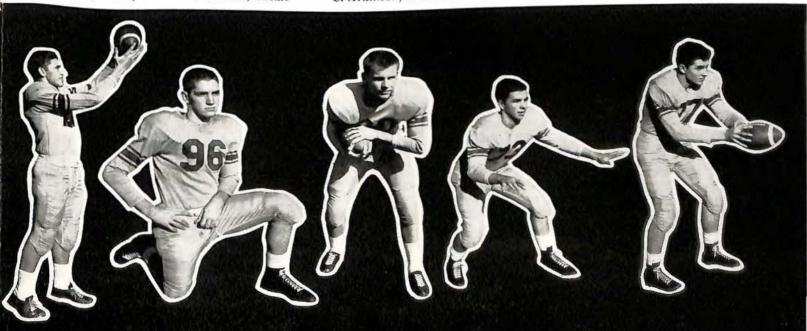
D. UPDIKE, End All City-County

D. Basham, Tackle

C. ATKINSON, Halfback

B. Aveson, Center

P. Johnson, Fullback





Top Row: H. Bowling, Halfback; T. Rowe, Center; R. Jones, Tackle; B. Noel, Halfback; D. Martin, Center

MIDDLE Row: R. Harper, Tackle; L. Ferris, End; D. Woolwine, Halfback; R. Fisher, Guard; G. Cunningham, Tackle; R. Sutphin, Tackle

BOTTOM Row: M. Fleming, Halfback; J. Arthur, End; B. Pugh, Center; M. Groft, Tackle; J. Dunkley, End

Varsity Football

1954 SCHEDULE

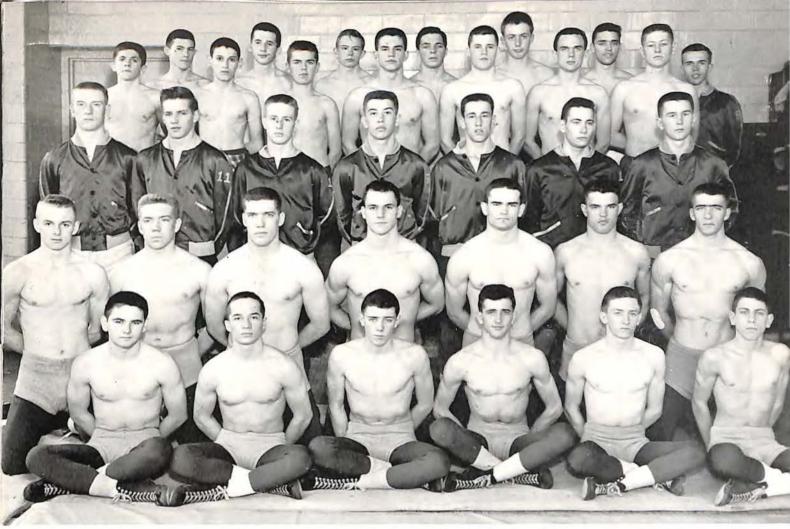
		We	They			We	They
	10—Jefferson		7	OCTOBER	22—Pulaski	39	12
	17—Appomattox	45	0		29-Lynchburg		13
	24—Danville	0	0	NOVEMBER	5-William Byrd	13	0
OCTOBER	ı—Open				12—Blacksburg		13
	8—Andrew Lewis	20	6				
	15—Martinsville	33	6		Тотац	214	56

First Row: B. Noel, H. Bowling, H. Sprinkle, E. Adams, E. McAllister, D. Updike, D. Radford, L. Ferris, D. Price
Second Row: J. Lucas, P. Johnson, H. Cox, J. Willhide, S. Haskins, G. Wingfield, J. Roberson, D. Fisher, P. Fracker, D.
Basham, C. Atkinson, L. Turner, H. Creasy

Third Row: Coach Davis, D. Brewer, R. Wade, L. Barger, R. Sutphin, G. Pritchard, J. Arthur, D. Creasy, J. Smith, B. Wade, B. Pugh, B. Aveson, J. Ferguson, B. Burnette, Coach Booth

FOURTH Row: Coach Smith, Coach Crabtree, M. Fleming, D. Woolwine, R. Harper, M. Croft, D. Martin, B. Brammer, J. Dunkley, R. Jones, T. Rowe, R. Fisher, J. Taylor, R. McFarland





First Row: T. Rowe, J. Taylor, B. Aveson, B. Bowman, D. Geiser, M. Ruddo
Second Row: H. Bowling, R. Fisher, D. Fisher, J. Roberson, H. Sprinkle, D. Brewer, D. Radford
Third Row: R. McFarland, B. Wade, B. Woodson, G. Wells, K. Brammer, M. Fleming, D. Woolwine
Fourth Row: D. Rucker, C. Givens, B. Hauser, G. Wingfield, H. Creasy, I. Clingenpeel, D. Craig
Fifth Row: C. Hurley, D. Creasy, W. Pegram, B. Aveson, L. Harnsberger, Managers D. Uplike, B.
Burnette

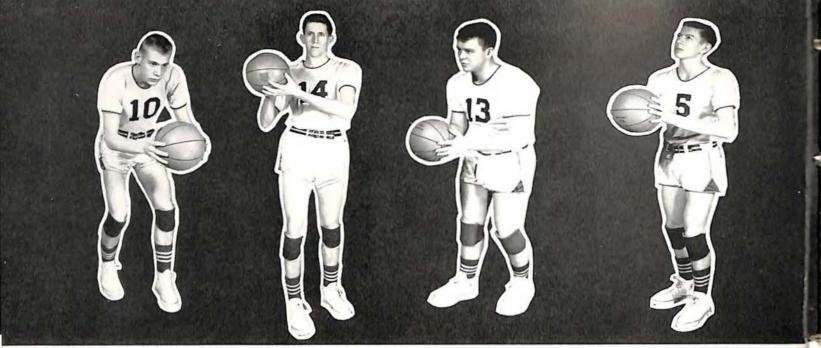
We Are Proud of Our Wrestlers

With only five lettermen returning, the matmen had to work hard to match last year's team. Even though the competition was tough, eight out of eleven matches were won.

The Colonels won fourth place in the State Tournament. Jimmy Roberson triumphed as the first individual State Champion from William Fleming.

SCHEDULE-1955

		We	They
IANUARY	12—Danville	41	3
***************************************	15—Jefferson	36	1.1
	22—Beckley	23	1.1
	24-Warwick	17	25
	25—Granby	18	27
FEBRUARY	3—Danville	36	25
	10-V. M. I	20	6
	12—Beckley	2.2	1.1
	16— Jefferson	3.2	13
	18—Norview	23	26
	10—S. Norfolk.	25	19
	FEBRUARY 25-26-State Tournament Fourth Place		



J. WILLHIDE, Forward

Bob Stevens, Center Co-Captain

L. Turner, Forward

D. WEDDLE, Guard

1954-55 Basketball Schedule

		We	They			We	They
DECEMBER	10—Danville	43	39	FEBRUARY	15—Andrew Lewis	41	35
	14—Blacksburg	54	33		18—Fieldale	52	47
	17—Bassett	41	28		23—Jefferson	52	61
JANUARY	7—Martinsville	42	55		25—Radford	86	52
	11—Andrew Lewis	60	43		28-Franklin	61	47
	14—William Byrd	63	38				
	17—Jefferson	48	80		DISTRICT TOURNAMENT		
	21—Radford	62	45	March	3—Fieldale	63	37
	25—Blacksburg	68	43		4—Blacksburg	54	37
T	28—Martinsville	50	52		5—Martinsville	65	55
FEBRUARY	r—Bassett	54	35				
	4—Fieldale	56	46		STATE TOURNAMENT		
	5—Lynchburg	34	44	March	10—Coeburn	68	42
	8—Franklin	77	39		11—Churchland	73	5.3
	11-William Byrd	64	30		12—George Mason	53	32
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J. Morey, Guard

BILL STEVENS, Forward Co-Captain

P. Johnson, Forward

L. FERRIS, Guard



We're Proud of Our District Six and State Basketball Champions

Following their old habits, Fleming's 1954-55 basketball squad, for the third consecutive year, captured the District Six Championship and for the second successive year, won the State Championship. Having lost twice to Martinsville in regular season play, the Colonels came through and defeated the unbeaten Bulldogs in the finals of the District Six Tournament. From there they went to the State Tournament, defeating George Mason of Falls Church in the finals.



B. MILLER, Guard

P. FRACKER, Forward

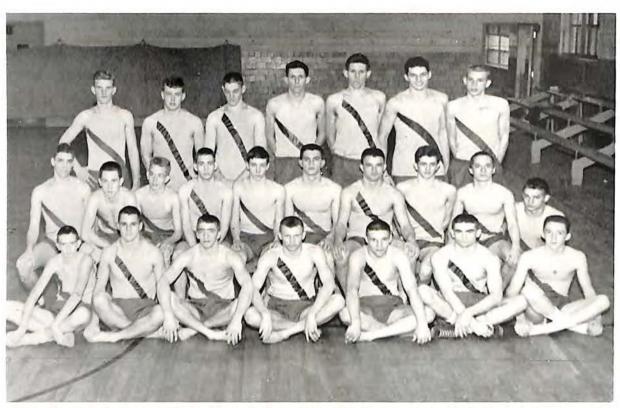
R. GRIFFIN, Center

C. Assaid, Center

C. Rogers, Guard

Coach Phil Crabtree had probably one of the tallest teams in the state. Although having a potentially great team the Colonels started the season slowly as their offense did not really begin to click until about midway through the schedule. As the season progressed, team play developed which resulted in victories. Team spirit rose and as Fleming entered the District Tournament, they hit their peak, walking away with all the honors.

This year's team is one of which the student body and all of its supporters can truly be proud. It not only played well, but it held high the tradition of sportmanship of which Fleming is so proud. It will always be remembered as a Championship team in every respect.



First Row: G. Davis, J. Roberson, D. Radford, C. Atkinson, D. Price, H. Sprinkle, L. Barger
Second Row: D. Updike, C. Jackson, W. Pegram, M. Fleming, B. Aveson, G. Wingfield, D. Brewer
B. Bowman, J. Taylor, R. Wade

THIRD Row: P. Fracker, L. Turner, D. Basham, B. Stevens, B. Stevens, P. Johnson, J. Willhide

We're Proud of Our 1954 District Track Champions

For the second straight season the Fleming thinclads have added another District Championship to the record. The 1954 team again dominated all District Six opposition. Added to their District laurels was a second place in the City-County Meet and a second place in the Group II State Meet.

Having a well-rounded team, the Colonels lost only twice. Both losses were in Group I competition. The Colonels lacked only three points of being Champions at the State Meet. As this yearbook goes to press, the 1955 Fleming harriers are in the midst of another successful season.

	SCHED	ULE		
9—Jefferson 14—Blacksburg 21—Byrd			We 761/2 722/3 281/2 941/2 98 43	They 41½ 45⅓ 84½ 23⅓ 20 70
CITY-COUNTY MEET—APRIL 24 Fleming Jefferson Andrew Lewis. Byrd	33 78 24 1/2	DISTRICT SIX Fleming Blacksburg Byrd Radford Pulaski		

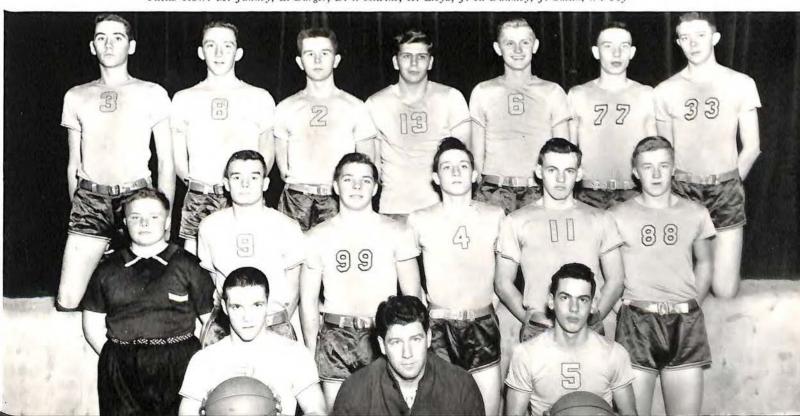


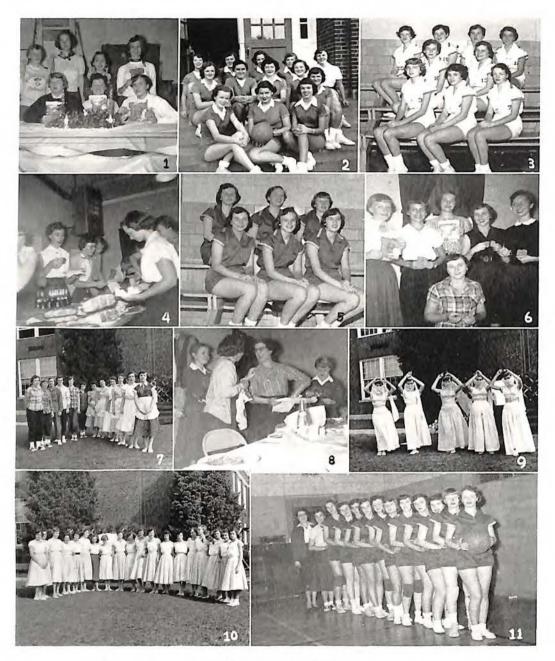
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Second Row: Coach French, B. Whitmore, C. Jackson, J. Carroll, J. Ferguson, J. Beheler, W. Wills, B. Brammer, G. Davis, B. Newman, B. Bowman, L. Martin, J. Christley, D. Creasy, K. Davis
Third Row: B. Miller, B. Allen, H. Creasy, B. Woodson, J. Smith, K. Lloyd, B. Aveson, I. Clingenpeel, G. Wells, B. Bowman, K. Brammer, L. Marine, B. Walker, C. Bradley

Junior Varsity Football

Junior Varsity Basketball

First Row: D. Price, Coach Booth, J. Beheler Second Row: K. Davis, B. Trinko, B. Aveson, R. Key, R. Sutphin, G. Pritchard Third Row: M. Janney, L. Barger, D. Woolwine, K. Lloyd, J. R. Dunkley, J. Smith, W. Toy





Lady Colonels' Capers

1—Award winners at Christmas party: R. Townsend, D. Jones, C. Rakes, J. Gates, M. McDaniel, C. Pedigo, L. McKinney. 2—Ninth grade volleyball team. 3—Gold volleyball team. 4—Pot-luck supper. 5—Blue volleyball team. 6—Award winners at pot-luck supper: R. Townsend, F. Hart, A. Hall, C. Rakes, M. Deyerle, P. Edwards. 7—May Day dancers, Virginia Reel. 8—Mrs. Boyd and Miss Martin receive gifts at Christmas party. 9—May Day dancers, Arabian dance. 10—May Day dancers, May Pole dance. 11—Blue basketball team.

The Flemin' Women

Girls' sports included volleyball, basketball, paddle badminton, and softball. The volleyball teams were very successful, rating fourth and fifth places in the league. The ninth grade team did not win any games; however, the team enjoyed playing and really demonstrated good sportsmanship. Not once did they lose their spirit, and, in spite of defeats, were always eager for the next game.

The basketball team played ten games during the season. It proved to be a tough team to beat. Carolyn Rakes, for the third year, held the high scoring Championship.

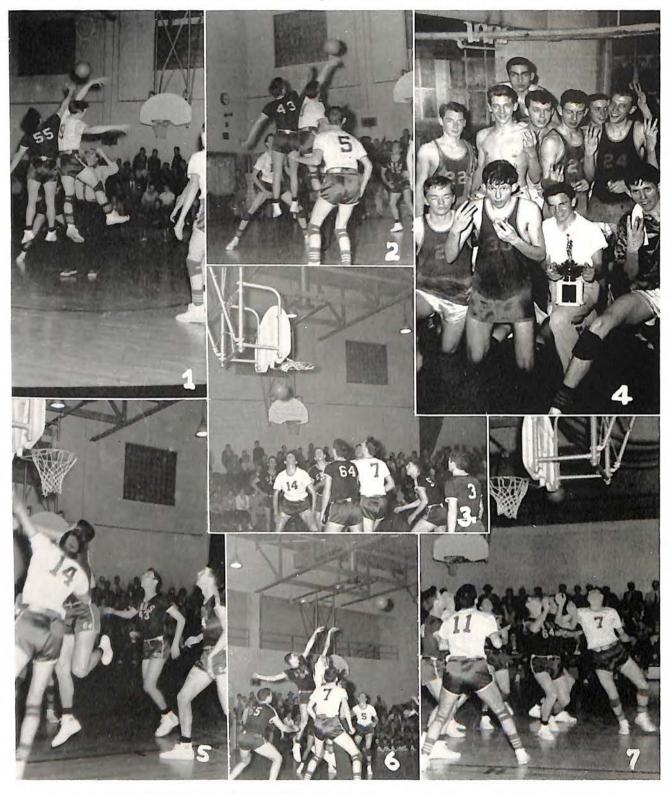
When spring came the Flemin' Women moved out of doors for softball. The girls were divided into squads, according to grade, and played each other for the Championship.

This year has been successful in more ways than one. The G. A. A. organization, which was organized in 1951, had more members this year than any other year. The club sponsored concession stands at many of the football games. The club entered a beautiful float in the Homecoming Parade on which girls portrayed May Day scenes and various gym class activities.

The following girls earned 500 points this year and received their G. A. A. letters: Carolyn Rakes, Ruth Townsend, Connie Pedigo, Joyce Gates, Darlene Jones, Loretta McKinney, Sarah Meador and Bettie Lou Stubbs. Stars were awarded to Artennis Hall, Carolyn Rakes, Ruth Townsend, Connie Pedigo, Darlene Jones. Bars were awarded to Carolyn Rakes and Artennis Hall.

The girls hoped that they have lived up to the ideals of good sportsmanship, clean, fair play, and the spirit of good fellowship that the G. A. A. tries to promote.

State Champs In Action

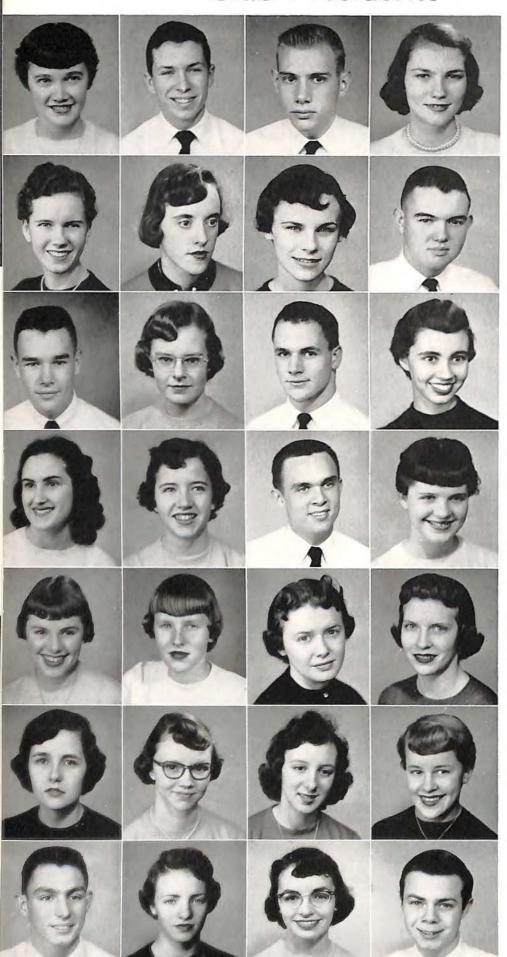


I—Ferris outjumps Danville. 2—Get that ball, Weddle!! 3—Two more for the Blue and Gold. 4—Whooping it up after winning third consecutive District Championship. 5—Bob Stevens buckets two in the Danville Game. 6—Who'll get the tip? 7—Let's go Ace.



activities

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RUTH DOWNARD
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DON SANDERS
Student Cooperative
Association
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Junior Red Cross

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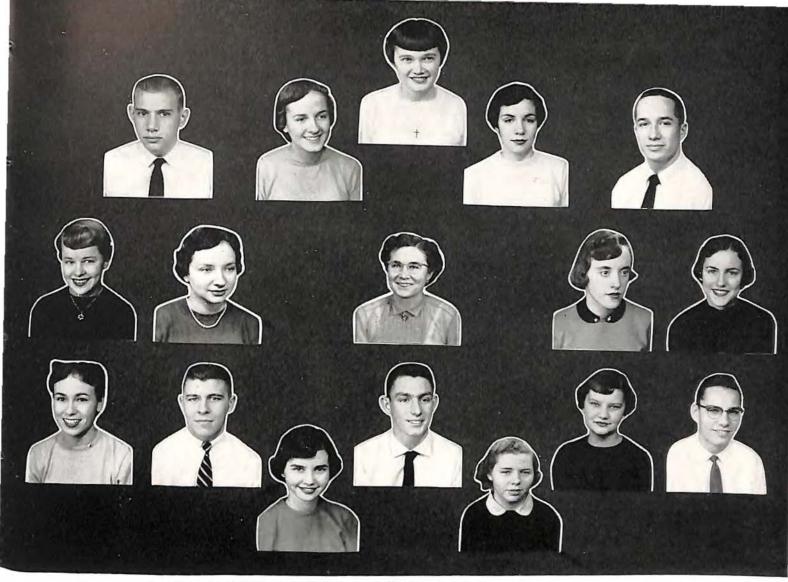
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of America
Marie Emore
Junior Future Homemakers
of America
Ira Clingenpeel
Senior Art
Sandra Rubenstein
Junior Art

Eva Yates
Thespians
Ruth Townsend
Literary Club
Pat Muddiman
Senior Masque
Margaret Richards
Junior Masque

SHELVA SARVER
Future Business Leaders of
America
SARAH MEADOR
Future Teachers of America
PAT ROGERS
Junior Library
MARTHA SINK
Head Cheerleader

Frank Hill Science Club Donna McAllister Poetry Club Carolyn Ayers Choir Bobby Stamback Pep Band



First Row: J. Willhide, P. Paul, R. Downard, N. Albaugh, J. Taylor
Second Row: M. Sink, B. Hurst, Mrs. Kirkwood, P. Powell, M. Deyerle
Third Row: S. Whitehead, R. Bower, S. Coyner, F. Hill, H. Umberger, N. Cundiff, B. Wingo

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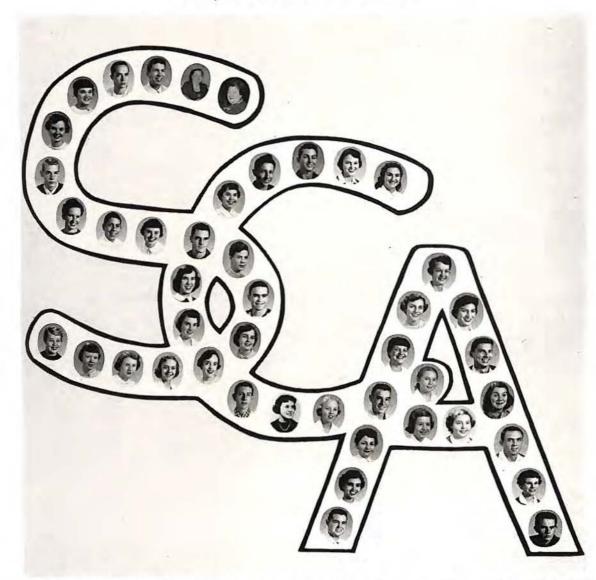
The annual staff of 1954-55 is proud to present an annual which represents much hard work. This work was not done by one person alone but by all the staff members working and planning together to make their section one of the best.

The staff began in the fall with soliciting advertisements, securing subscriptions, and taking pictures. Many problems had to be worked out, but each person was happy to co-operate.

The Colonel Staff sincerely hopes that every student will enjoy reading his or her annual and that it will be remembered and treasured.

Student Cooperative Association

Every Student is a Member



(S) Mrs. Gustin, Mrs. Loomis, D. Sanders, J. Taylor, R. Downard, L. Vest, J. Willhide, M. E. Fagg, M. Ruddo, E. M. Yates, J. Roberson, D. Jennings, H. B. Sprinkle, S. Sarver, P. Powell, S. Littreal, E. St. Clair, S. Meador, M. Sink
(C) J. Ferris, C. Bentley, F. Hill, W. McFarlane, B. Shufflebarger, J. Connell, C. Hancock, D. Weddle, P. Muddiman, A. Terrill, B. Trinko, P. St. Clair
(A) J. Gilbert, M. Baldwin, J. Edwards, S. Rubenstein, M. L. Deyerle, W. Anders, E. Skinnell, B. Newman, S. Farrar, I. Clingenpeel, C. Wood, D. Mariin, H. Umberger, S. Long

Don Sanders President	LORETTA VEST
JIMMY TAYLOR Vice President	Mrs. Roma Gustin Sponsor
RUTH DOWNARD Secretary	Mrs. Catherine Loomis Sponsor

The Student Cooperative Association is a club of which every student is a member. There is a council, however, that forms the main working body of the organization. This council is made up of representatives from the homerooms, club presidents, and headed by the officers who are elected annually by the student body.

The object of the S. C. A. is to foster honesty, sportsmanship, cleanliness, and a good school

spirit. It serves as the co-ordinator of all school activities.

Each month a calendar showing the school activities for each day was prepared and hung in the front hall. The club sponsored a Spring Formal. Five delegates and the sponsors attended the District, State, and National S. C. A. Conventions.

Beta Club

Host For State Convention

JOHN WILLHIDE	. President
CAROLYN RAKESVic	
Myrna Baldwin	
MARILYN HACKER	
Mrs. Elizabeth Powell	

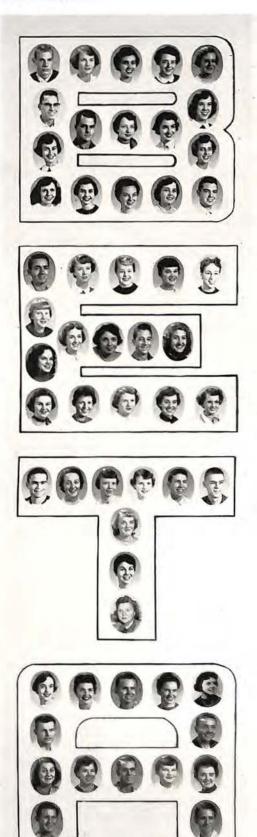
The term of 1954-55 has been one of the most active for the Beta Club at Fleming. During football season, programs were sold at the home games.

In November, a banquet was held at which the new members were initiated. Pictures of the occasion were published in the National Beta Club Journal. Then in December, the club sponsored a hop after the varsity football banquet. Don Blount and Nancy Moore were awarded the Beta Scholarships.

To start the new year, a pot-luck supper was held on January 31. Since the State Beta Convention was held in Roanoke this year, the Fleming Club took an active part in the convention activities in addition to sending several representatives. The Beta Club skit won fourth place, in spite of the fact that it had to be completely changed four days before the convention.

An outing was held to climax the year's activities.

- (B) J. Willhide, C. Rakes, M. Baldwin, M. Hacker C. Miller
 - B. Wingo, J. Roberson, B. Hurst, C. Ayers, J. Connell
 - M. Lavender, P. Brumfield
 - M. Breeden, S. Coyner, A. Anders, S. Sarver, J. Gilbert
- (E) W. Palmer, P. Wood, M. Sink, R. Downard, S. Whitehead
 - R. Townsend, O. Tolley, P. Paul, A. Toms, C. Rogers, C. Riley
 - B. Stubbs, C. Gray, E. St. Clair, R. Clingenpeel, R. Cline
- (T) H. Sprinkle, J. Vaught, S. Meador, A. Lanford, D. Sanders, B. Pirrung R. Crawford, A. Keziah, Mrs. Powell
- (A) P. Powell, M. Main, C. Arrington, M. Fagg, P. Muddiman
 - C. Atkinson, J. Ferguson
 - S. Farrar, I. Cooper, J. Williams, N. Cundiff, J. Gates
 - B. Miller, J. Duke



Junior Red Cross

Enrollment Drive A Big Success



CAROLYN RAKES	President
OYCE SMITH	President
Martha Woolwine	. Secretary
DARLENE JONES	Chairman
JANICE BRILLHART	Chairman
Mrs. Ruth Painter.	Sponsor

The Junior Red Cross Council was made up of representatives from each homeroom who inform the students of their homeroom about the club's activities.

The year began with the Enrollment Drive, which was a big success. Other activities for the year included filling twenty-five Christmas stockings for the veterans, participating in the Homecoming Parade, doing volunteer service for the City Chapter, and giving various programs at the Veterans Hospital

The council had demonstrations of first aid and artificial respiration.

Representatives from the council were active on the City Junior Red Cross Council of which Carolyn Rakes was elected secretary-treasurer for next year.

The Fleming Flash

Fleming's Weekly Publication

FIRST Row: M. E. Fagg, M. Main, Mr. Quinn

Second Row: E. Brown, J. Ferguson, P. Wax, J. Divers

THIRD ROW: R. Nance, J. Duke, A. Keziah

FOURTH Row: R. Townsend, B. Smothers, B. Hudson, C. Rakes

Fifth Row: P. Muddiman, G. Carter, M. McDaniel

Sixth Row: J. Edwards, C. Peterson, M. Woolwine, C. Riley



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BILLY BRYANT, ALGIE ADAMS, JEAN DIVERS, PEGGY

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The Fleming Flash is a weekly paper published by the journalism class.

Despite the hard work and staying after school, the staff has enjoyed putting out the paper. The trips to Bob's . . . listening to records after school while working on the paper . . . the fun Mary "Liz" and Marilyn had sitting back, watching other people struggle with the mimeograph . . . will always be remembered by those on the staff.

The staff put out extra issues at Christmas, Thanksgiving, and April Fool's Day.

The S. I. P. A. representatives brought back a first-place award from the convention in Lexington last year.

Senior Y-Teens

A Club Promoting Christian Ideals

Peggy Powell	President
BARBARA THOMPSON	e President
ANITA NICHOLS Correspondin	g Secretary
JACKIE NASH Recordin	g Secretary
HAZEL PAINTER	. Treasurer
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CAROLYN RAKES Edit	

Phyllis Edwards	Assistant Editor
Mrs. Virginia Kirkwood	Sponsor
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RUTH NANCE, PEGGY WOOD, ANN	WRIGHT, SANDRA
FARRAR, MARTHA SINK, RUTH DOW:	

The Y-Teen Cabinet started off the year with a bang and spent a week end in September at Camp Kiwanianna planning the year's activities. The Y-Teen Membership Drive began with the annual Reception. The Recognition Service was held at the Huntington Court Methodist Church.

Later in the fall the girls enjoyed a slumber party and a camp fire. One of the main events was planning and presenting the Christmas assembly. The Half-Day Conference, spaghetti supper, and Mother-Daughter Banquet were held during the winter.

In the spring, the club sponsored a Variety Show and a Fashion Show. The Y-Teens and Hi-Y had charge of Holy Week Services again this year. One of the main projects was the sponsoring of an orphan. Other activities were planned throughout the year.



FIRST Row: C. Stultz, P. Wood, B. Hurst, J. Connell, J. Nash, A. Nichols, B. Thompson, P. Powell, H. Painter, B. Ballantine,

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Second Row: S. Dunlap, P. Parrish, M. Hylton, B. Smothers, D. Jones, C. Pedigo, J. Gates, R. Nance, P. Muddiman, A. Wright, M. Hacker, S. Hurt, A. Johnston, N. Foster, J. Hopkins, M. Deyerle, P. Owen

Third Row: B. Hudson, J. Ferris, F. Huffman, N. Boblett, J. Belcher, M. Breeden, N. Cundiff, J. Dalton, G. Carter, M. Wilmer, B. Lewis, S. Brown, M. Burch, C. Jennings, B. Jones, J. Basham, M. Woolwine, C. Riley, Mrs. Kirkwood

Fourth Row: E. Yates, E. St. Clair, I. Cooper, P. Lilly, S. Saunders, L. Austin, S. Cramer, P. Brumfield, M. Baldwin, C. Gray, S. Coyner, M. Lavender, J. Vaught, A. Lanford, G. Hurst, M. Reed, N. Dority, J. Elmore, B. Stubbs, J. Saunders, L. McBride, I. Rakes

FIFTH Row: S. Rierson, L. Vest, V. Thomas, S. Metts, R. Townsend, J. Fulk, J. Rakes, J. Layman, A. Hall, D. Johns, C. Miller, P. McGuire, M. Main, N. Mitchell, J. Edwards, B. Oxley, E. Lavender, H. Umberger, B. Payne, A. Anders, S. Elmore, S. Buch M. F. Fage. S. Elmore, S. Buck, M. E. Fagg

Junior Y-Teens

Largest Organization At Fleming

Connie Wood	President
JOYCE SMITH	President
DIANE PILSON	Secretary
JUDY GARLAND	Secretary
IEWELL CHEATWOOD	Treasurer
FRANCES SHOWALTER Program (Chairman
Donna O'Brien	aster Key
Judy King	Director

Mrs. Edith Wilkerson \ Sponsors Mrs. Imagene Smith Committee Chairmen Sue Black, Linda Giles, Margaret Richards, Jackie Turner, Wanda Anders, Sheila Lawrence, SUE ELLIS, KAYE ALBAUGH, BECKY TURNER

The Junior Y-Teens had a membership of 160 girls this year. Mrs. Wilkerson and Mrs. Smith, two new sponsors, guided the club in a most successful year.

The girls participated in the choir, dance chorus, and worked on the monthly paper, The Teller. The club had several social affairs which began in September with the Reception and closed in May with the Mother-Daughter Banquet.

Working with the Senior Club, and Hi-Y was enjoyed by all in such things as the Homecoming Float and Christmas Pageant. Parties for the two Y-Teen orphans were also much fun. The programs at the "Y" helped each girl realize the fellowship in being a Y-Teen.



First Row: Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Wilkerson, J. King, S. Rubenstein, S. Black, F. Showalter, L. Giles, B. Turner, J. Smith, P. Creasey, S. Lawrence, K. Albaugh, K. Turner, M. Richards, J. Jamison, B. Shufflebarger, P. Rogers
Creasey, S. Lawrence, K. Albaugh, K. Turner, M. Richards, J. Jamison, B. Shufflebarger, P. Rogers
Creasey, S. Lawrence, K. Albaugh, K. Turner, M. Richards, J. Jamison, B. Shufflebarger, P. Rogers
Second Row: Z. Beckwith, C. Young, E. Skinnell, F. Keaton, A. Thomas, M. Sharp, J. Mills, H. Huffman, S. Strickler, M. Buchanan, B. Wray, I. Fassett, B. Atkins, C. Hancock, B. Bowles, B. Hall, M. Gregger, S. Atkinson, L. McGuire
I. Ellswick, M. Clingenpeel, R. Barger, P. Dupree
I. Ellswick, M. Clingenpeel, R. Buchana, C. Tate, M. Bowles, C. Trumbull, N. Keidh, G. Bailey, P. Murphy, S. Cole, J. Petree, M. Umberger, C. Light, S. Boone
FOURTH Row: P. Arnold, J. Falls, P. Pring, A. Parsons, C. Tate, M. Bowles, C. Trumbull, N. Keith, B. Powers, C. Johnson, B. Baker, C. West, C. Slaughter, J. Mabe, J. Dillon, J. Gilbert, K. Gravett, J. Guntner, D. Henninger, N. Spites, G. Hackworth, J. Hicks, S. Littreal, J. Woodford, C. Rector
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G. Hackworth, J. Hond, N. Clambie, B. Buchanan, J. Arnold, V. Belcher, P. Jones, P. St. C J. Edwards, S. Long, M. McCue, W. Campbell

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Senior Hi-Y

A Christian Club for Boys



Front Row: W. Pegram, R. Key, A. Willis, C. Arrington, J. Gilbert, D. Weddle, B. Bowman, B. Burnette, C. Rogers Left to Back: F. Gisiner, J. Duke, H. Cato, T. Patterson, F. Hill, B. Pugh, J. Willhide, R. Griffin, Mr. Coulter Right to Back: J. Williams, W. Johnston, R. Nash, B. Stamback, B. Newman, D. Basham

John Gilbert	sident
John Gilbert	sident
Denny Weddle	retary
Charles Arrington	asurer
Scott Haskins.	Arms
Richard Key Co-Program Cha	irmen
John Williams	10/11/11

The Hi-Y Club of William Fleming High School had a very successful year. At Christmas the Hi-Y was responsible for delivering the Christmas baskets. The club co-sponsored the Christmas Dance with the Senior Masque Club.

In January the Hi-Y Club sponsored an all-boy assembly which included the premiere of a new dance orchestra, "The Blue Notes".

The Hi-Y was responsible for one of the assembly programs during Holy Week.

The club also had several social activities.

Junior Hi-Y

Meetings Held at Y. M. C. A.

BOB TRINKO President	MIKE RUDDO
DICKIE WOOLWINE First Vice President	George Davis
LAWRENCE BARGER Second Vice President	RAY FISHER Sergeant-at-Arms
BILL NEWMAN	Mr. Paul FosterSponsor

The fifth year of the Junior Hi-Y has been a successful one, with more members than before. The boys have participated in various activities including meetings held at the Y. M. C. A. every first and third Monday of each month. At these meetings swimming, basketball, and volleyball were among the activities.

Under the sponsorship of Mr. Foster, the club's project has been the upkeep of Colonel Wil-

liam Fleming's grave on the grounds of the Monterey Golf Course.

The club at all times strived to uphold the Hi-Y platform of Christian thought, Christian action, and Christian leadership.

The year was climaxed with an outing.

NEXT TO WALL: M. Ruddo, L. Barger, G. Davis, W. Willis, H. Bowling, T. Blackard, B. Hoffman, R. Vandergrift, B. Bowman, V. Ferguson

SECOND ROW: D. Woolwine, B. Newman, Mr. Foster, W. Reedy, R. Brammer, M. Steele, C. Logwood, R. Sutphin

THIRD ROW: B. Trinko, R. Fisher, R. Moler, J. Carroll, B. Aveson, C. Givens, D. Stafford, R. McFar-

FOURTH ROW: W. C. Hickam, E. Rakes, J. Baird, B. Woodson, D. Craig, B. Stevens, J. Fagg, J. Wood



Band

We're Proud of Our Band



First Row: R. McKinney, D. Prillaman, T. Wiley, C. Paxton, M. Sanders, J. Musselman, C. Wosaba, P. Slusser, H. Bray, B. Kirkner, G. Spiers, F. Young, B. Patterson
Second Row: B. Tuck, B. Newman, B. Fugate, L. Mullins, T. Engleman, W. McFarlane, V. Ferguson, R. Howell, M. Breeden, B. Bowman, C. Miller, N. Zollman
Third Row: B. Thompson, L. Arrington, C. Dulaney, S. Russell, B. Wray, P. Lilly, J. Morey, K. Coffman, J. Christley

Majorettes



S. Hurt, S. Farrar, V. Thomas, J. Brillhart, P. Wood, M. Hylton, D. McAllister

CHRISTINE MILLER	President
JACK MOREY Vi	ce President
MARCHETA BREEDEN	Secretary
PAT LILLY SONIA RUSSELL	

The band, under the direction of Mr. Berwald, enjoyed a very successful season this year with seventy-two members and seven majorettes, the largest in its history. The band began the season with a joint performance with the Jefferson Band at the Fleming-Jefferson game. The members attended all home games and traveled to Martinsville, Danville, Lynchburg, and Salem for games. The band marched in several local parades, including the Shrine Bowl Parade, the Christmas Parade, and the Homecoming Parade. A most enjoyable week end was spent October 9-10 at Bristol for the Band Festival.

Band

We're Proud of Our Band



FIRST Row: L. Logwood, C. Logwood, D. Leonard, D. Sanders, A. Willis, E. Gordon, B. Bussey, M. Wingo, J. Baird, S. Saniga, S. Lowe, P. Moler
Second Row: C. Trumbull, P. Gillespie, B. Bell, B. Miller, D. Rhodes, W. Potts, R. Sutphin, D. Phipps, T. E. Mays, L.

Miller, J. Teass, S. Dunkley
Third Row: Mr. Berwald, D. Morey, H. Bowles, B. Pope, S. Hurt, V. Thomas, J. Brillhart, P. Wood, M. Hylton, D. Mc-Allister, S. Farrar, N. Wise, B. Newman

Officers

Don Sanders	Student Director
BOBBY STAMBACK	
PHILIP SLUSSER	
Mr. Ray Berwald	



P. Lilly, M. Breeden, D. Sanders, C. Miller, P. Slusser, J. Morey, S. Russell

In February, thirteen of the members were chosen to represent Fleming at the All-State Band held in Pulaski. These members were Pat Lilly, Christine Miller, Sonia Russell, Marcheta Breeden, Richard Morey, Rusty Sutphin, T. E. Mays, Don Sanders, Lowell Logwood, Billy Newman, Bobby Newman, Bob Fugate and Bob Miller.

The Fifth Annual Spring Concert, one of the main events, was held in March. Something new was added this year—"The Blue Notes", a Dance Band under the direction of Don Sanders. It gave several excellent performances. The Band concluded the season with a most enjoyable Spring

Trip.

Varsity Club

Fleming's Lettermen



FIRST Row: J. Taylor, J. Lucas, C. Atkinson, J. Roberson, S. Haskins, L. Pack, E. McAllister, B. Burnette
Second Row: D. Geiser, D. Updike, D. Peters, B. Pugh, D. Martin, G. Wingfield, S. Hauser, W. Palmer, B. Bowman
Third Row: Coach Smith, D. Woolwine, D. Radford, R. Sutphin, R. Harper, M. Smith, E. Adams, T. Rowe
Fourth Row: J. Willhide, D. Weddle, M. Croft, H. Sprinkle, D. Fisher, D. Brewer, B. Noel, H. Bowling, R. Fisher
Fifth Row: P. Fracker, B. Pirrung, R. Jones, D. Price, R. McFarland, B. Aveson, J. R. Dunkley, L. Ferris
Sixth Row: G. Cunningham, B. Stevens, C. Assaid, B. Stevens, P. Johnson, D. Basham, J. Martin, L. Turner, B. Cochran,
H. Cox

JIMMY ROBERSON	President
Donald BashamVio	e President
CHARLES ATKINSON	Secretary
Mr. Fred Smith	Sponsor

The Varsity Club was open to boys who had earned their athletic letters in either football, basketball, wrestling, track or as managers. The club has been growing each year. There were over fifty members this year.

At the monthly meetings the boys revised the constitution.

Approximately thirty boys earned their letters this year in the various sports. An "F" is received the first year the required number of points are earned, stars the next two years and a bar for the fourth year. After the age of nineteen students are ineligible to participate in high school athletics.

A very outstanding year in sports and an active year for the Varsity Club was climaxed with an outing.

G. A. A.

Girls' Athletic Association

Myrna Baldwin	President
Martha Sink	
Peggy Wood	Secretary
LORETTA McKINNEY	Treasurer
CAROLYN RAKES	Recorder of Points
Mrs. Virginia Boyd	Sponsors
MISS. MARGARET MARTIN	

This, the fourth year of the G. A. A., has seen more interest in girls' sports and activities. As a result, membership has increased, more coveted class numerals, school letters, and stars have been earned, and the club has been more active.

With the F. T. A., and Cheerleaders, the club opened its activities by sponsoring concession stands at the home football games. In October, they entered a float in the Homecoming Parade representing girls' sports throughout the year.

The club continued its year with a pot-luck supper followed by a Christmas spaghetti supper held at Fellowship Hall.

A swimming party climaxed a very successful year.



First Row: S. Rierson, M. Cole, Y. Hackworth, S. Sarver, A. Hall, D. Johns, M. Sink, M. Baldwin, C. Rakes, P. Wood, S. Smithers, B. Hambrick, G. Sink, A Hicks, S. Snyder, S. Meador, R. Townsend
Second Row: S. Atkinson, H. Huffman, J. Mills, B. Thompson, A. Keziah, F. Hart, V. Thomas, C. Witt, R. Henry, K. Turner, B. Mills, D. Ruston, M. M. Doyle, M. Howlett, B. Potts, H. Engle
Third Row: B. Wray, M. Buchanan, F. Showalter, D. Pilson, P. Creasy, J. Smith, J. Garland, N. Blue, J. Keith, S. Johnston, P. Murphy, H. Cooper, D. Jones, N. Albaugh, J. Gates, C. Pedigo, B. Bowles, J. Gilbert, G. Mundy, K. Gravett, J. Painter, Mrs. Boyd

FOURTH Row: L. McGuire, J. Cheatwood, L. Giles, C. Wood, B. Munsey, N. Updike, P. Callahan, C. Vaughan, J. Brillhart, K. Albaugh, F. Keaton, C. Slaughter, D. Henninger, S. Buck, B. Stubbs, N. Mauk, B. Mauk, S. Brown, C. West, J. Falls,

FIFTH Row: M. Breeden, S. Elmore, P. McGuire, S. Metts, S. Rubenstein, D. O'Brien, A. Strickler, M. Reid, A. Nichols, C. Jennings, M. E. Fagg, M. Main, N. Mitchell, N. Dority, C. Hancock, M. Hacker, B. Sink, S. Dunlap
Sixth Row: D. McAllister, B. Turner, M. Cregger, B. Hall, R. Crawford, V. Rutledge, I. Cooper, S. Harper, L. Simmons, A. Williams, S. Maxey, B. Ballantine, M. Deyerle, J. Basham, P. Owen, S. Whitehead, A. Wright, D. Campbell, L. Snow, L. Vest, M. McDaniel

Senior Future Homemakers of America

Gave Tea in Honor of the Teachers



SEATED ON FLOOR: P. Wax, G. Green, N. Croft, Z. Beekwith, O. Tolley, B. Smothers

Seated: R. Kline, J. Ferris, K. Moses, L. Chaney, S. Farrar, A. Toms, D. Johns

Standing: S. Dunlap, P. McGuire, N. Mauk



G. Divers, H. Huffman, C. Witt, N. Keith, B. Mc-Cann, Mrs. Sloan, M. Umberger, J. Heck, J. Mills, C. Brown

JUNE FERRIS	President
SALLIE DUNLAP	President
Arlene Toms	Secretary
Joyce Painter	Treasurer

NANCY MAUK	Recorder of Points
CAROL BROWN	
MRS. DAILEY SLOAN	

The Fleming chapter of the F. H. A. started the year by giving a tea in honor of the teachers. The new year brought pins for the new members and guard pins for the old members. The club enjoyed a spaghetti supper, fashion show, and a tea for the mothers.

The big project of the year was selling hot dogs at the football games in order to make money.

The big project of the year was selling hot dogs at the football games in order to make money. The girls also decorated a float for the Homecoming Parade and sponsored a hop in November. To end the year, members attended the Spring Federation Meeting and held an annual outing

which was the final activity.

Junior Future Homemakers of America

The Girls Who Learn to Cook and Sew



FIRST Row: Miss Webster, P. St. Clair, M. Emore, J. Bower

SECOND Row: S. Littreal, J. Ganas

Third Row: I. J. Ellswick, B. Shufflebarger, M. A. Richards

FOURTH Row: J. Woodford, B. Ferguson, E. Martin

FIFTH Row: B. Bower, B. Brown, S. Boone, S. Dunkley

Sixth Row: A. Terrill, B. Stewart, C. Light, P. Chisom, P. Dority

Seventh Row: P. Witt, L. B. Barnhart, M. Lemon, J. Sheperd, J. Edwards, P. Ballard

Eighth Row: A. Updike, P. Rogers, P. Moler, M. Magee, D. Pettit, C. Rector

NINTH Row: W. Holloway, J. Engleman, P. Jones, F. Lavender, P. Parsons

TENTH Row: E. Foley, O. Rucker, P. Greer, J. Hedge, H. Williams, M. Mauk

ELEVENTH Row: C. Jarrett, E. Wellborn, L. Wagner, N. Campbell, J. Weidner, A. Bocock

Marie Emore	President
Judy Bower	Vice President
Peggy St. Clair	Secretary
SHARON LITTREAL	Sponsor

The Junior Home Economics Club was organized this year for the eighth graders who were interested in homemaking. It took most of the fall to get organized and the first social activity was a bowling party held in February.

March followed with a skating party held at the Skate-O-Drome near Salem. In April a bake sale was sponsored which was a big success. Then in May the girls had a hike up Tinker Mountain near Hollins, Virginia.

Near the end of school a picnic and hike on Mill Mountain were enjoyed. During the year the girls took baked goods, which they had made, to the Baptist Childrens' Home in Salem.

Senior Art Club

Those Who Paint and Draw



Outside Circle from Bottom Clockwise: W. Stewart, J. Brillhart, B. Cochran, T. Ferrell, R. Brammer, P. Webb, D. Craig, B. Thompson, I. Clingenpeel, D. Jones, J. Dillon, S. Haskins, N. Albaugh, R. Brown, C. Brown, B. Hale

Inside Circle: D. Price, J. Wingo, C. Jennings, K. Albaugh, B. Wingo, B. Stevens, P. Callahan, J. Venable, J. Gates, Mr. Egge

IRA CLINGENPEEL		 	2.3	-2										n q			President
DARLENE JONES	21413		9.2			14.	7.12	963							Vi	ce	President
JOYCE DILLON										 14	7.4		 				. Secretary
SCOTT HASKINS											365				4 6		Treasurer
Mr. Dean Egge				100				- •	411			*	(4)		¥5.11	40	Sponsor

The Senior Art Club was organized in the fall with an enrollment of thirty-five students. This year, any pupil interested in art could join the club.

A special project undertaken in the first semester was entering a float in the Home-coming Parade. The club designed the back drop, which was a water color painting of a snow scene, for the Christmas Dance.

During the second semester the members participated in a photography exhibit. The Art Club planned to climax the year's activities with an outing in the spring.

Junior Art Club

Junior Club Organized

Sandra Rubenstein	. President
CAROL HANCOCK	President
Herbert Bowling	. Secretary
Judy Woodford	Treasurer
IDA JANE ELLSWICK	. Historian
Mr. Dean Egge	Sponsor

At the request of the eighth and ninth graders who were interested in art the Junior Art Club was organized. Much of the time has been spent in organization, discussing plans for the future, and discovering the many possibilities of club work in the art field.

The purpose of the club has been to encourage a variety of interests in the field of fine arts. Through participation the members have discovered many opportunities in art expression. The members were divided into various committees which included photography, classroom exhibits, bulletin boards, landscaping, cartooning, and props.



First Row: J. Woodford, I. J. Ellswick, S. Rubenstein, C. Hancock, H. Bowling, S. Johnson
Second Row: B. Bowles, P. Murphy, B. Baker, B. Atkins, B. Blevins, K. Stewart, B. Hall, C. Gaines, B. Powers, J. Gilbert
Third Row: M. Sink, D. Parker, D. McMillan, B. Mills, S. Smithers, N. Garland, G. Ganas, B. Sizer, M. Wingo
Fourth Row: C. Powell, Mr. Egge, T. Baldwin, C. Jordan, R. Spites, B. Ridenhour, B. Bell, R. Stafford, R. Palmer, W. C.
Hickam, R. McKinney, R. Hall, R. Reid, J. Layman, L. Marshall



Left Face: Mrs. Loomis, Mrs. Dickinson, E. Yates, A. Wright, G. Lemon, M. E. Fagg, C. Rakes, J. Williams, S. Farrar, B. Hurst, B. Payne, M. Fleming, J. Connell, J. Gates, R. Dozonard, H. Skinnell, S. Whitehead, A. Keziah
Right Face: R. Maugans, R. Nance, J. Willhide, E. Brown, J. Gilbert, I. Cooper, R. Townsend, S. Hurt, P. Hicks, D. Sanders, P. Muddiman, C. Stultz, M. Sink, P. Hammer

Thespians

The Show Is On

Eva Yates		dent
Ann Wright		dent
Gretchen Lemon		tary
CHARLES PETERSEN		urer
Mrs. Genevieve Dickinson Mrs. Catherine Loomis	}Spon	isors

A stage dimly lit turned to one filled with light as rehearsal turned to the production of "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay". The Thespians then changed their line of thought to give the annual pageant—"The Christmas Carol".

Andrew Lewis invited the Thespians to bring the comedy, "Remember Your Diaphragm", to the school for the yearbook kickoff. The play, which was directed by Ann Wright and Gretchen Lemon, starred Sara Whitehead and Bobby Pirrung.

Soon after, they began the production of the senior play, "Don't Take My Penny". Next they

traveled to Charlottesville for the tournament.

The Spring play, "Two Gentlemen and Verona", was the climax of a successful year, and for celebration the Thespians held their annual Ball April 1, at Longwood in Salem.

Literary Club

Fleming Speakers Shine Again



F. Gisiner, S. Farrar, C. Jordan, Mrs. Dickinson, B. Broyles, B. Baker, D. Pilson, B. Turner, B. Hudson, M. Buchanan, J. Smith

BACK: A. Strickler, C. Petersen, R. Townsend, J. Gates, C. Stultz, J. Williams, Mrs. Loomis

FRONT: P. Harth, R. Nance, S. Coyner, J. Keaton, G. Hurst



RUTH TOWNSEND	President
JILL EDWARDS Vice	President
CHRYSTELLA STULTZ	Secretary

Joyce Gates	Treasurer
Mrs. Catherine Loomis	Sponsors
Mrs. Genevieve Dickinson	1

The gavel rapped sharply as the club was called to order by Ruth Townsend, president. Ruth was Fleming's entry in the American Legion Oratorical Contest and won the Roanoke Voice of Democracy contest.

Fleming was host to the District Six Forensic Meet on the Roanoke College Campus. Last year a debate team, a poetry reader, and a girl speaker were sent to the State Meet and returned with state honors in reading and speaking.

Ronnie Reid represented the Roanoke Optimists in the District Speaking Contest and advanced to semi-finals.

It's been a busy season, but it has been worth while. The added Fleming honors make us proud and happy.

Senior Masque

Sponsored Christmas Dance



First Row: Mrs. Dickinson, J. King, G. Hurst, B. Ballantine, J. Hopkins, J. Gilbert, P. Muddiman, S. Whitehead, E. Brown, B. Jones, C. Jennings, Miss Walton
Second Row: P. Powell, A. Johnston, B. Thompson, R. Downard, M. McDaniel, M. Fagg, J. Vaught, B. Hurst, S. Coyner, R. Nance, S. Rierson, P. Hammer, N. Boblett, S. Hurt, A. Wright, M. Sink
Third Row: S. Farrar, A. Keziah, N. Albaugh, N. Mitchell, R. Sizer, J. Connell, B. Stamback, M. Main, B. Newman, M. Cole, Y. Hackworth, P. Bishop, L. McBride, C. Riley, I. Cooper, E. Yates
Fourth Row: D. Sanders, H. Cato, D. O'Brien, A. Strickler, B. Smothers, A. Nichols, C. Rakes, J. Gates, L. Pack, V. Thomas, L. Vest, S. Haskins, J. Smith, J. Duke, B. Munsey, C. Petersen

PAT MUDDIMAN	
Frank Gisiner	
JOHN GILBERT	
MISS SARAH WALTON MRS. GENEVIEVE DICKINSON	\Sponsors

Whenever you get eighty people working on one big project anything can happen! And it usually does!

The Senior Masque worked closely with the Thespians in co-sponsoring the fall play, "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay", which ran for two nights. They also helped sponsor the festival play, the spring play, and many of our members took leads in the Senior Class Play. The Senior Masque has promoted dramatic interests in our high school.

The Annual Christmas Dance was sponsored by the club. The Senior Masque Club entered a beautifully decorated float in the Homecoming Parade. A St. Patrick's Day Banquet was held at

one of the local restaurants.

As a climax to a wonderful year, a spring outing was enjoyed by all.

Junior Masque

They Have Visions of The Stage

Margaret Richards	
Basil Keys	First Vice President
Рат Сиізом	Second Vice President
JUDY GILBERT	Secretary
Freddie Conner	
Wanda Anders	
Mr. Dean Egge	Sponson

The Junior Masque was an organization of eighth and ninth grade students who were interested in dramatics. There were fifty members this year.

The club met once a month at roll call. During this time various members of the group put on skits, pantomimes, and read poems or stories. The group discussed dramatics, plays, movies, and topics of interest. A one-act play was given in assembly.

A very enjoyable year was climaxed with an outing.



FIRST Row: M. Richards, J. Cheatwood, M. Wingo, W. Anders, J. Gilbert, P. Chisom, B. Keys, F. Conner, S. Smithers, P.

Murphy
SECOND ROW: C. Powell, B. Baker, B. Powers, C. Slaughter, H. Engle, M. M. Doyle, D. Ruston, B. Mills, D. McMillan, B.

Bowles, S. Johnson

Third Row: C. Hancock, B. Shufflebarger, P. Moler, R. Henry, C. Firebaugh, K. Turner, K. Stewart, B. Blevins, K. Stewart, M. Lemon, S. Rubenstein, G. Mundy, J. Garland

FOURTH Row: Mr. Egge, J. Bower, I. Ellswick, B. McCann, T. E. Mays, J. Rector, I. Keaton, R. Reid, T. Blackard, J. Brown, S. Atkinson, L. Barnhart, C. Jordan, N. Broyles



The Passing Show

There has been much work, there have been problems, there have been "hectic" times. But the dramatic year has been filled with activity, fun, and a sense of achievement.

First came the fall play, "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay". We played two nights to a full house with many out-of-town people attending.

I—A group after the show: Barbara Baker and her father, Mr. William Baker, who flew from Chicago to see her in the play, Frank Gisiner, Ruth Clingenpeel, Harlan Cato, and Helene Cooper. Ladies in the background are "out-of-towners" attending. 2—The jalopy carried the French members of the cast of "Hearts" in the parade. 3—Janie Vaught and Frank Gisiner on stage in a scene from "Christmas Carol". 4—In the convertible are Ruth Clingenpeel, Helene Cooper, Rex Maugans, Jean Rakes, and Harlan Cato, dressed for their "Hearts" roles.



The Passing Show

The Fleming Players presented, by invitation, the "Christmas Carol", to the Jaycees at the Patrick Henry Hotel, to the Appalachian Electric Power Company employees and to the Fleming community. Almost two thousand people saw the "Christmas Carol" this year. The upper picture shows a group from the "Christmas Carol"—Anne Strickler, Sandra Farrar, Margaret Richards, shows a group from the "Christmas Carol"—Anne Strickler, Sandra Farrar, Margaret Richards, Sandra Gisiner, Betty Jean Payne, Rex Maugans, Charlotte Jordan, Judy Garland and Ronnie Reid.

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We were proud of our Festival Play, "Pipes of Dunbar". It took highest honors for the fifteenth year at the District Festival, and for the thirteenth year at the State Festival.

Seen in the lower left picture are Frank Gisiner as the Earl of Bothwell and Helene Cooper as Mary, Queen of Scots. Others were Ronnie Reid as Shrewsbury, Don Sanders as Leicester, and John Williams as the Guard. Jerry Keaton, stage manager, and Jill Edwards, student director.

The lower right picture reveals a moment in the dressing room before curtain time. Adrian Willis, looks on, fascinated, while Mrs. Loomis adds finishing touches to Ronnie Bower's make-up.

F. B. L. A.

Future Business Leaders of America



FIRST Row: I. McGrady, A. Toms, P. Edwards, S. Sarver, F. Hart, J. Hopkins, J. Rakes
Second Row: R. Clawford, D. Johns, N. Croft, L. Kingery, G. Green
Third Row: P. Lucado, R. Johnson, A. Hall, Y. Hackworth, M. Cole, J. Musselman
Fourth Row: S. Cramer, P. Brumfield, P. Owen, A. Nichols, N. Mitchell, O. Tolley, N. White, L. Gibson, M. Harrison
Fifth Row: Miss James, C. Humphries, L. Austin, B. Thompson, S. Saunders, S. Metts, I. Cooper, B. Ballantine
Sixth Row: B. Catron, E. Lavender, J. Edwards, V. Thomas, P. Wax, N. Foster, M. Wilmer

SHELVA SARVER	
PHYLLIS EDWARDS	
Arlene Toms	
IRELAND McGRADY	
JEANETTE RAKES	
Frances Hart	Parliamentarian
JEAN HOPKINS	
Mrs. Dorothy Brown Miss Margaret James	Sponsors

The Fleming Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America is open to any business student who is enrolled in two or more business subjects. There were about fifty members this year.

The main project of the F. B. L. A. was taking part in the State Project which was Personal Appearance Surveys. The club sent two delegates to Radford for the Regional Conference and to the State Convention held in Richmond. Other activities included a bake sale, a supper, and the sponsoring of two cars in the Homecoming Parade.

The club climaxed a very successful year with an outing.

Future Teachers of America

Increased Enrollment Shows Increased Interest

SARAH MEADOR	President	RUTH TOWNSEND	Librarian
CAROLYN RAKES	ice President	PHILIP SLUSSER	. Historian
Joyce Gates		Miss Thelma Morris	Sponsor
IOAN BASHAM	Treasurer		

The Future Teachers entered its second year with an increased enrollment. The charter from the National Education Association was presented in a long-remembered assembly at which the faculty entertained the students by portraying their school days.

The high light of the year was the annual Teacher-Future Teacher Banquet held in April with

"April Showers" as the theme.

The Fleming F. T. A. installed the first officers of the Jefferson F. T. A. early in the fall and enjoyed working with other clubs in the city and with Delta Kappa Gamma, a National Society of teachers, who sponsored several programs for the future teachers.

Many other activities were enjoyed and the fellowship of the present teachers and future

teachers was very wholesome.



FIRST Row: S. Meador, J. Gates, J. Basham, R. Townsend, P. Slusser, C. Rakes, Miss Morris
SECOND Row: J. Ferris, J. Smith, B. Jones, M. Sink, R. Downard, P. Lilly
Third Row: P. Creasey, L. Giles, P. Wax, S. Whitehead, G. Peregoy, A. Keziah, C. Wood
FOURTH Row: B. Stamback, M. Buchanan
FIFTH Row: J. Rakes, A. Strickler, R. Bower
SEVENTH ROW: J. Cundiff, D. Bowling, E. St. Clair Eighth Row: J. Belcher, F. Showalter

Senior Library Club

Students Show Increased Interest in Reading



First Row: J. Falls, S. Dunlap, J. Divers, Miss Hutcherson, B. Sink, P. Harth, C. Slaughter
Second Row: P. Hammer, L. Simmons, C. West, R. Cregger, F. Powell, D. Campbell, J. Guntner, K. Moses, N. Mauk, M. Bonds
Third Row: N. Caldwell, G. Gill, V. Rutledge, M. Bowles, D. Bowling, M. Ferrell, R. Brown, B. Mauk, S. Howell, J. Belcher,

JEAN DIVERS	ident
Betsy Sink Vice Press	dent
Sallie Dunlap	rtary
Pat Harth	urer
Miss Ruth Hutcherson	

The purpose of the Library Club was to broaden interest in reading and interest students in making library work a career.

The Senior Library Club was composed of members from the ninth through the twelth grades. These members served as regular student assistant librarians each day.

Points were awarded to students for their services in the library. Upon earning 400 points, a club

pin was awarded, and a school letter for 600 points.

Several socials were held during the year. An outstanding event of the year was the annual picnic with all the Library Clubs of the City schools at Fishburn Park in May.

Junior Library Club

Had Charge of Displays for Book Week

Pat Rogers	President
Minerva Lemon	President
Jimmy Wood	Secretary
RACHEL JONES	Treasurer
Miss Ruth Hutcherson	

The Iunior Library Club included members from the eighth grade. The purpose of this club was to interest students in reading, to make library work a career, and to give students some training as student librarians while at Fleming.

Meetings were held once a month. Programs at these meetings included book talks about new

books and authors for teen-agers, talent shows, and special speakers.

Socials for the year were a bowling party, a picnic, and the annual city library club picnic at Fishburn Park.



FIRST Row: N. Garland, N. Broyles, M. Wilson, D. Starkey, R. Jones, P. Rogers, J. Wood, M. Lemon, J. Woodford, M. A. Richards, T. Martin, M. Emore

Richards, T. Martin, M. Emore

Second Row: J. Jamison, B. Going, W. Campbell, B. Pope, V. Belcher, B. Ward, T. Kesler, B. Shufflebarger, I. J. Ellswick, R. Palmer, B. Stewart, S. Long, M. Steele, Miss Hutcherson

Third Row: M. McCue, D. Petiit, F. Lavender, B. Brown, M. Sink, D. Parker, J. Weidner, P. Arnold, N. Howard, P. Dority, L. B. Barnhart, A. Terrill, R. Mickey, G. Lough, F. Merritt

Fourth Row: M. Irvin, M. Mauk, P. Ballard, L. Ireland, I. Lavinder, J. Teass, J. Sheperd, P. Bandy, P. Parsons, D. Leonard, D. Frye, J. Ganas, G. Ganas, L. Myers, B. Ferguson, T. Moxley, S. Dunkley, P. Dupree

Fifth Row: E. Martin, G. Light, S. Boone, R. Mickey, V. Lindamood, P. Chisom, J. Edwards, B. Firebaugh, F. Boitnott, C. Bowser, C. Cox, N. Churchill, C. Rector, R. Coon, J. Weaver, B. Hess, E. Webster





Senior Cheerleaders

Attention!!!

Top Row: N. Dority, L. Vest, M. Hacker, F. Hart, M. Main, M. E. Fagg Down: P. Edwards, J. Ferris, M. L. Deyerle, P. Owen, Miss Morris Middle Row: A. Keziah, M. Sink, S. Whitehead

















SARA WHITEHEAD Assistant Head Cheerleaders Anne Keziah

Satisfied!! The Cheerleaders think this could be the reply from all the fans who supported the Colonels in football, basketball, wrestling, and track this year.

Homecoming was really a big event for the thirteen cheerleaders who all worked hard and enjoyed planning the bonfire, assembly, parade, and the hop.

When basketball season rolled around the squad had to divide into two groups for the district games. The Pep Band really helped to work up enthusiasm at both the games and the roaring pep sessions.

The school spirit and sportsmanship of the crowd were just wonderful. The cheerleaders were very proud to yell for the 1954-55 Colonels and to have a part in such a wonderful year.

Junior Cheerleaders

J. V. Boosters



FIRST Row: N. Updike, D. O'Brien, M. McDaniel, B. Powers, B. Bowles SECOND Row: Miss Morris, S. Whitehead

SARA	WHITEHEAD	Student Coach
Miss	Thelma Morris	Sponsor

"Are you ready?" . . . The Junior Cheerleaders were ready, ready, when the first J. V. Football game was played in September. They had been practicing all summer with the faithful help of their student coach, Sara Whitehead.

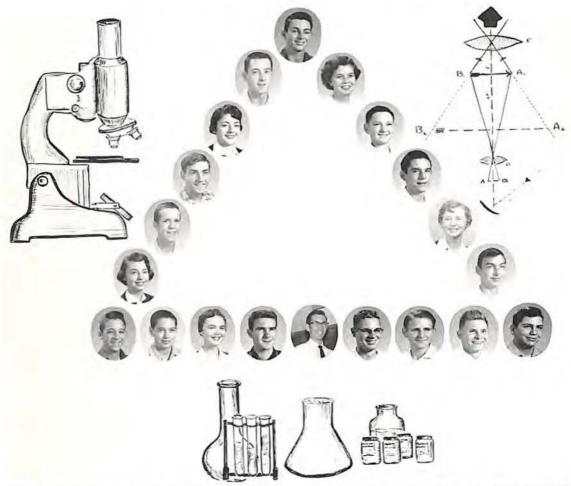
Homecoming plans were in full swing and the five girls had much fun at their get-

togethers for making dummies and planning the bonfire and parade.

All good things must end and football season became history. However, basketball was just as much fun. The sportsmanship was good and the fans were just as loyal. For all of this and for the wonderful J. V. players the Junior Squad is grateful.

Science Club

Participated in The "Science Fair"



From Left Clockwise: C. Rogers, M. McDaniel, B. Bryant, H. Bray, H. Cooper, C. Jackson, F. Hill, M. Burch, D. Rhodes, G. Lyle, T. Ferrill, L. Noffsinger, K. Lloyd, R. Moler, J. Duke, C. Petersen, Mr. Ames, H. Cato, C. Brown, D. Hartman

Frank Hill	President
MADELINE BURCH	
Marita McDaniel.	Secretary
Charlie Jackson.	
Mr. Robert Ames	

The William Fleming Science Club was organized in October, 1954. The colors of bronze and yellow were chosen to represent the club.

The club was open to the ninth through the twelfth grades. The aim of the club was to get the students of Fleming more interested in Science. The members worked on different projects and entered them in March in the "Science Fair" which was held at Roanoke College.

The club consisted of about thirty members, some of whom took part in the Westing-

house Science Talent Search. Pins were available to the members.

The club participated in several field trips to places that concerned science.

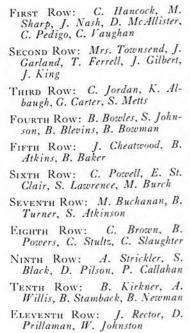
Poetry Club

Rhyme . . . Rhythm . . . Couplet

Donna McAllister	President
CAROL HANCOCKV	ice President
Martha Sharp	Secretary
Jackie Nash	Treasurer
CAROL VAUGHAN	Historian
Connie Pedigo	m Chairman
Mrs. Mary Townsend	Sponsor

The poerty club started the year off by gaining many new members and electing new officers. The club felt that they have been successful in learning the true meaning of poerty and being able to understand it. At each meeting poetry was either read or written by the members.

At the Homecoming Parade a float was sponsored by the club depicting an artist at work. Some of the members won high awards at the National Poetry Association. In February they participated in a radio program in which a skit was presented on the discussion of poetry.





Choir

"Fleming High All Hail"



First Row: J. Sink, S. Brown, B. Hambrick, P. Lilly, E. St. Clair, B. Stamback, C. Ayers, D. Weddle, J. Smith, S. Meador,

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Second Row: Mrs. Webb, N. Zollman, Y. Hackworth, L. Giles, M. Sharp, B. Turner, M. Hylton, C. Stultz, C. Jennings, D. McMillan, B. Jennings, C. Young, J. Musselman, S. Lawrence, R. Downard, B. Ballantine, A. Wright, L. McBride, J. Saunders, D. Bowling
Third Row: L. McKinney, A. Keziah, A. Johnston, G. Lemon, D. McAllister, J. Falls, M. Breeden, F. Showalter, J. Hopkins, M. Buchanan, S. Black, S. Radford, J. Brillhart, G. Hurst, J. Ferris, S. Dunlap, J. Elmore, J. Rakes
Fourth Row: R. Moler, E. McAllister, B. Woodson, B. Wingo, H. Creasy, D. Price, H. Cato, S. Cole, B. Pirrung, J. Willhide, B. Newman, R. Key, L. Logwood, J. Nichols, G. Lee, R. Bower
Fifth Row: S. Rubenstein, J. Riley, A. Thomas, W. Anders, S. Atkinson, K. Stewart, B. Bowles, K. Stewart, K. Turner, C. Slaughter, C. Riley, D. Ruston, B. Hicks, R. Henry, G. Mundy, J. Arnold, C. Vaughan, P. Hart, J. Belcher, C. Firebaugh, J. Gilbert

CAROLYN AYERS	President
TOTCE DMITH	Durandont
RUTH CLINGENPEEL	Secretary
Denny Weddle Mrs. June Webb	Business Manager
MRS. JUNE WEBB	Director

The choir, being very active again this year, recorded for "Young Roanoke Sings" and presented several programs to different schools.

They also presented Christmas programs at Hotel Roanoke, Hotel Patrick Henry, Public Library, Jefferson High School, and ended the Christmas season with a program here at Fleming.

Many programs were given for the students during the year.

The choir took part in "The Ordering of Moses" with the Roanoke Symphony Orchestra. The members participated in the District Festival held in Roanoke and six Fleming students sang in All-State Chorus.

A Spring Concert was the final program.

Rotas

Help With Back Stage Jobs

Charles Petersen	. President
ALVA PEREGOYVia	e President
Frank Gisiner Secretary	-Treasurer
Mr. Tom Dixon	Sponsor

The Rotas, under the leadership of Mr. Dixon, was designed specifically for the minor backstage jobs such as operation and maintenance of movie projectors, general handiwork on assemblies, ticket collection and fence patrolling at all home games, and many other items.

This group of hand-picked boys, chosen from all grades, was organized last year with only ten members. Since then the club has grown to include several specialists in lighting, maintenance of projectors, the public address system, and many other items. Even so, many would-be members were turned away from each meeting.

The organization will continue to bring the best of service possible to the advantage of the

school.



KNEELING: C. Jackson, J. Rector, F. Hill, Mr. Dixon, J. Duke Second Row: C. Wosaba, T. Gisiner, C. Petersen Third Row: F. Gisiner, F. Nisbeth, J. Willhide, J. Gilbert, W. Pegram, W. Palmer, B. Newman, D. Prillaman, A. Peregoy

Pep Band

"The Pepper Uppers"



First Row: H. Bowles, P. Lilly, C. Miller, P. Wood, C. Dulany, T. E. Mays, W. Potts, B. Stamback Second Row: J. Connell, M. Breeden, B. Miller, B. Kirkner Third Row: D. Morey, T. Wiley, B. Newman, B. Bussey, D. Sanders, A. Willis, B. Newman

Bobby Stamback	
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In 1953—thanks to Marvin Burnette—the idea of the "Fleming Pep Band" was originated. This year the "Pep Band" participated in the pep assemblies and traveled to the football game in Danville.

When basketball season rolled around, the band members had their hands full. They played for all of the home games and some of the out-of-town games.

The biggest turmoil was getting rides to the strategic spots throughout the state. Nevertheless, the "Pep Band's" many loyal fans furnished rides for them.

The "Pep Band" supported the teams and brought out the spirit of the student body.

The success of this band was due largely to Bobby Stamback whose leadership and dependability carried them to the District Six Tournament and on to the State Tournament.



We Belong to the Y-Teens

I—Junior Y-Teen Cabinet. 2—Y-Teen Reception: S. Whitehead, J. Nash, J. Edwards, P. Powell, C. Wood, B. Thompson, C. Stultz. 3—Reception Skit. 4—Senior Y-Teen Cabinet. 5—Teller Staff. 6—Senior Y-Teen Keys. 7—C. Wood and P. Powell present gifts to orphans. 8—C. Wood presides at Junior Y-Teen meeting. 9—L. Giles, C. Wood, C. Stultz, N. Albaugh, delegates to Norfolk. 10—P. Powell presides at Senior Y-Teen meeting. 11—Manger scene in the Christmas assembly. 12—Mrs. Kirkwood at Reception. 13—Junior Y-Teen Dance Chorus: M. Richards, P. Witt, S. Long, P. Creasey, A. Strickler, C. Brown, T. Ferrell. 14—Y-Teen choir. 15—Junior Y-Teen Keys.

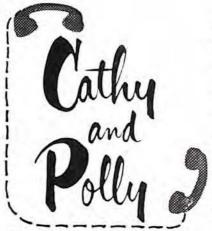


Cheerleaders On Parade

I—Junior Squad rejoices over victory. 2—Senior Squad and shakaroos. 3—Eating at the Shamrock, Lynchburg. 4—Cheerleaders who didn't work before Christmas, travel to Bassett. 5—J. V.'s at S. & W. 6—Homecoming Queen, Barbara Thompson and Honor Attendant, Betty Ballantine. 7—Mascots, Johnny Wingfield and Noni Spruill. 8—Girls at State Finals. 9—Before Jefferson Game. 10—Junior girls at Hotel Roanoke. 11—Decorating bus for tournament. 12—Painting bus signs. 13—Junior Squad Christmas Party. 14—Junior girls envy Seniors' megaphones. 15—Sara issues Juniors' uniforms. 16—Cheerleaders root from bench. 17—Martha cooks for squads.



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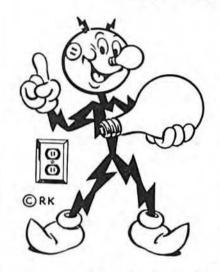


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