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ORGANIZATIONS

Key to Leadership



Student

Cooperative Association



1st row, left to right: B. Dail, J. Cummings, Miss West, Sponsor, J. Bryant, S. Ritter, D. Jones, S. Edwards, C. Hall, C. Porter. 2nd row, left to right: M. Shaffer, S. Poe, T. Fagan, B. Hamaker, R. Jordan, J. Spear, A. Cartwright, C. Smith. Absent: M. Wilkins, A. Brown, O. Hawkins, W. Whitesell.

The Student Co-operative Association began its work long before school opened to set up plans for the coming year. The first work was serving refreshments to the teachers at the Pre-school Conference.

The Council's plans were under way by having a back-to-school dance, distribution of new handbooks, sponsoring Initiation Week for the freshmen, and the first assembly to familiarize new students and freshmen with the rules and customs of the school.

The objectives for the year were:

1. To promote good sportsmanship in all activities.
2. To keep and improve grounds of school.
3. To promote honesty.
4. To promote safety.
5. To have better contact with students.

The S. C. A. sponsored the used book sale, the Homecoming Banquet, a two night Leadership Training Conference, and the Beauty Contest. One of the most outstanding accomplishments of the Council was the adoption of the School Project. The main purpose of the School Project was to establish in every student: honesty, morality, self control, and school spirit.

The Student Council assisted with College Day, Career Day, and sponsored the March of Dimes, Welfare Fund, and other such drives. It also distributed to each room: flags, Bibles, and honor cards, which were to be used during tests and exams.

They sold activity tickets, as well as, supplied Big Brothers for all new, incoming students.

In carrying out the year's objectives, the Council sponsored a Safe Driving Week campaign throughout the school.

This year, Cradock's Student Council was host to the District SCA meeting held at C.H.S. The Council was actively represented at the SCA Summer Workshop, the State Convention, and the Tri-C Federation meetings. Cradock has two of the Tri-C officers on their council and the Council sponsored the Tri-C Banquet where the winner of the Tri-C Scholarship was announced.

PRESIDENT
Dick Jones



VICE-PRESIDENT
Shirley Edwards



SECRETARY
Shelvy Ritter



TREASURER
Joe Byrant



SPONSOR
Miss Elizabeth West





PRESIDENT
Sarah Liddle

1st row, left to right: J. Cummings, N. Mounie, B. Boyd, R. Lawrence, C. Keegan, J. Beale. 2nd row, left to right: K. Newcomb, C. Burton, B. Walden, C. Swain, N. Henderson, P. Butler, G. Silverthorne, S. Liddle, B. Young, M. Grant, M. Grant, B. Schoen, D. Bice, D. Ainsley. 3rd row, left or right: C. Hibble, L. Williams, C. Speegle, K. Page, R. Maxson, S. Buchanan, T. Chilton, J. Church, R. Rice, C. Kennedy, N. Ashby, A. Cartwright, P. Dong, P. Hughes, D. Jones, J. Wall, F. Vaughn, B. Thompson, T. Davenport. Absent: A. Werz.

Secretary, Pat Butler; Vice-President, Grady Silverthorn; President, Sarah Liddle; Treasurer, Bob Young.

The National Honor Society is a widely known honorary organization which is sponsored by the National Education Association. It was formed at Cradock in 1954.

The purpose of the National Honor Society is to promote character, encourage scholarship and leadership, and to stimulate a desire to render service.

To be eligible for membership in the Society a student must be picked by a committee made up of the faculty who are appointed by Mr. Booker. The student must also maintain a B or above average for two years and have outstanding qualities in leadership, character, and service.

The National Honor Society tries to encourage students to strive for membership in this club.

The club is made up of fifteen per cent of the Senior Class enrollment and ten percent of the Junior enrollment.





1st row, left to right: P. Owens, C. LaMoore, A. Stephens, S. Edwards, S. Liddle, R. Wilburn, P. Newsome. 2nd row, left to right: K. Bass, D. Smith, C. Hamilton, L. Steegle, S. Anderson, R. Young, J. Piner, B. Eckroade, F. Farleigh, R. Sweazey, M. Shaffer, J. Franklin, C. Simmons, C. Kenney, J. Cummings.

Left to right: Secretary, Sarah Liddle; President, Shirley Edwards.



SPONSOR
Miss Fran Parson

The Inter-Club Council was formed in 1954 to help solve the problems that grow in the clubs. It is made up of a President, Secretary, all the club presidents, and two sponsors.

The main objective of the organization is to help the clubs to function better. In fulfilling this they have helped to organize new clubs, helped to build up small clubs, helped to have better planned club meetings and has helped to solve individual problems of clubs.

The Council sponsored the collecting of food for needy families at Thanksgiving and sponsored a large family at Christmas by furnishing food, clothes, and toys.

The Inter-Club Council has proved very successful for its first two years and we hope that it can continue serving the clubs in the years to come.



Inter-Club Council



Admirals Hi-Y

PRESIDENT
Floyd Farleigh



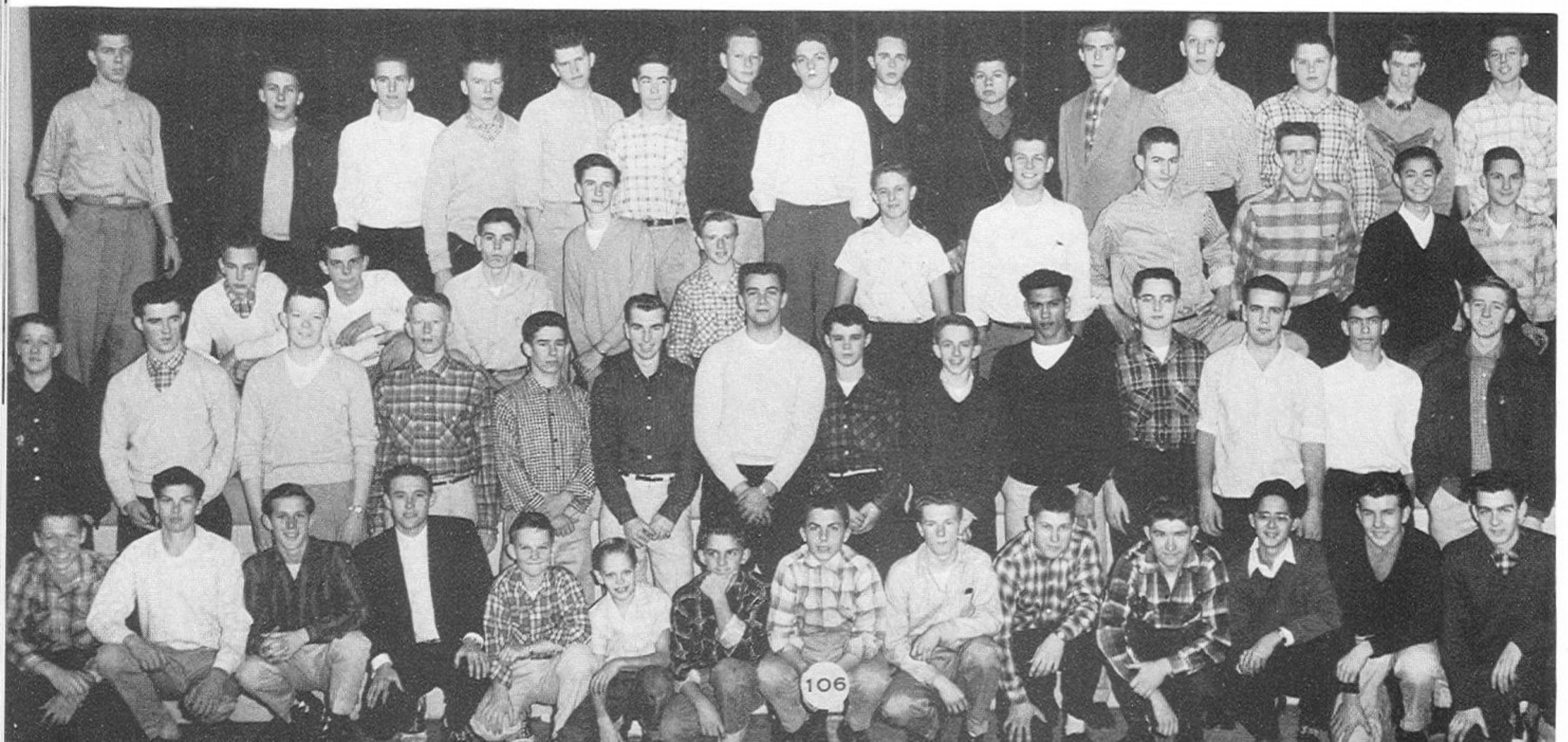
OFFICERS—K. Spear, O. Hawkins, R. Hollowell,
G. Wilson.

The Admirals Hi-Y is among the largest clubs in Tidewater. Its membership is approximately 58 members. Last year the club had the honor of being named the best club in the area. This year its members are very enthusiastic about repeating their previous performance. The Hi-Y officers are as follows: Floyd Farleigh president, Oliver Hawkins vice-president, Curt Spears, secretary, and Glen Wilson, treasurer. The sponsor is Mr. William Sindlinger.

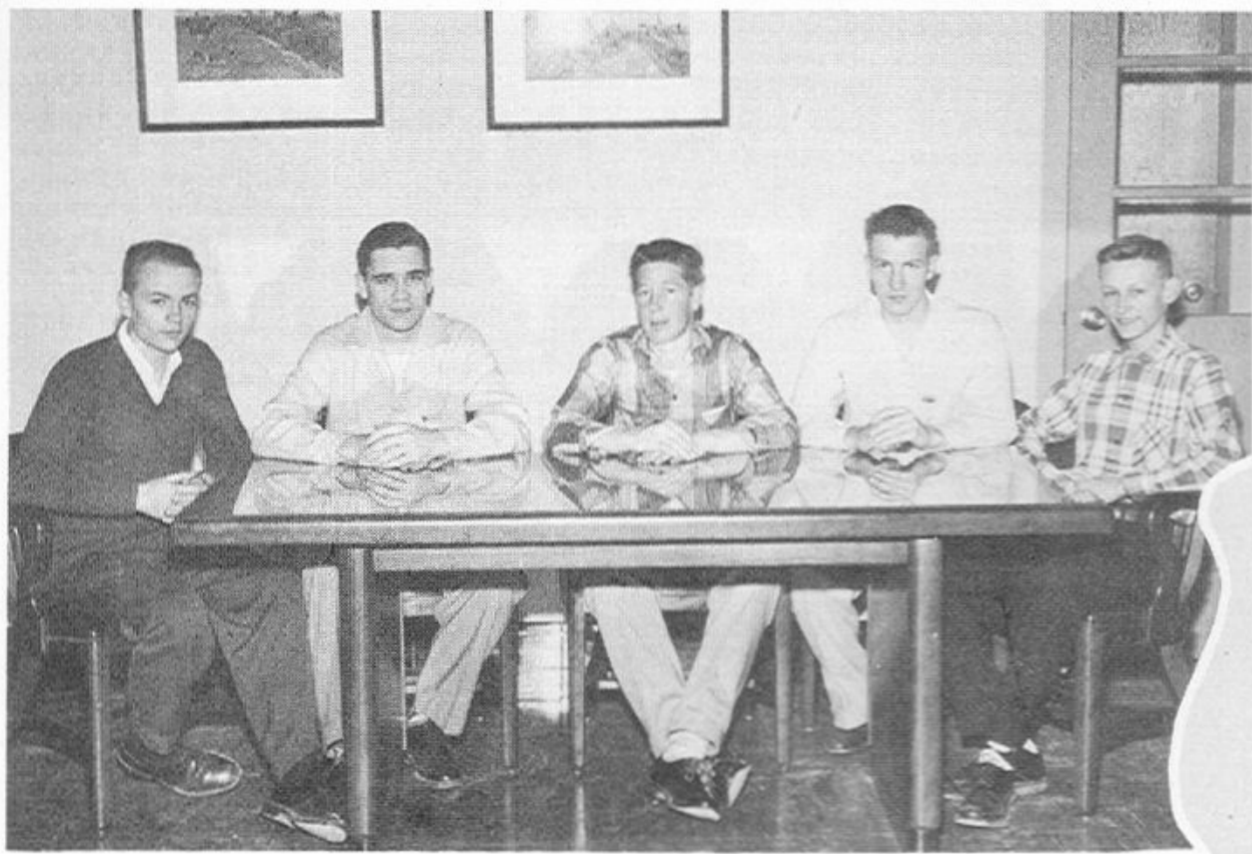
The club program is varied. In the Homecoming Parade there was Robert E. Lee, his army, and Traveler, his horse, sponsored by the Admirals. Later there was a bake sale.

The year's big event was probably the Christmas party. Some fifty underprivileged children were entertained and given a happy evening. The purpose is to provide a happy Christmas for these children. Later in the year there will be a moonlight cruise. It's a joy to be a member of this club.

1st row, left to right: R. Kraemer, C. Searbprpigj, F. Crouch, B. Shelton, P. Dogg, C. Henkle, R. Pierce, R. Jones, F. Parker, N. Ryder, B. Aydlette, E. Kopez, D. Johnson, R. Kramer. 2nd row, left to right: B. Foster, M. Chittem, J. Talker, J. Allen, C. Porter, L. Koon, R. Hollowell, C. Spear, B. Farleigh, O. Hawkins, G. Wilson, B. Bailey, P. Graves, F. Calloway. 3rd row, left to right: J. Lawson, C. Pollins, B. Harris, J. Hanbury, G. Hollowell, J. Roberts, J. Byrant, G. Cooper, B. Hamaker, J. May, R. Henry. 4th row, left to right: J. Walton, F. Simpson, F. Vaughn, J. Sykes, J. Allison, W. Wallace, G. Otom, J. Miller, P. Credle, R. Walker, T. West, W. Smith, J. Underwood, C. Mathews, J. Pitt.



Christopher's Hi-Y



Left to right: Secretary, K. Mitchell; President, Bob Young; Vice-President, E. Pruitt; Chaplain, S. Ward; Treasurer, C. Moore.



PRESIDENT
Bob Young

The Christopher's Hi-Y is a fellowship of high school boys who are devoted to a Christian purpose at work, in the home, school, and community.

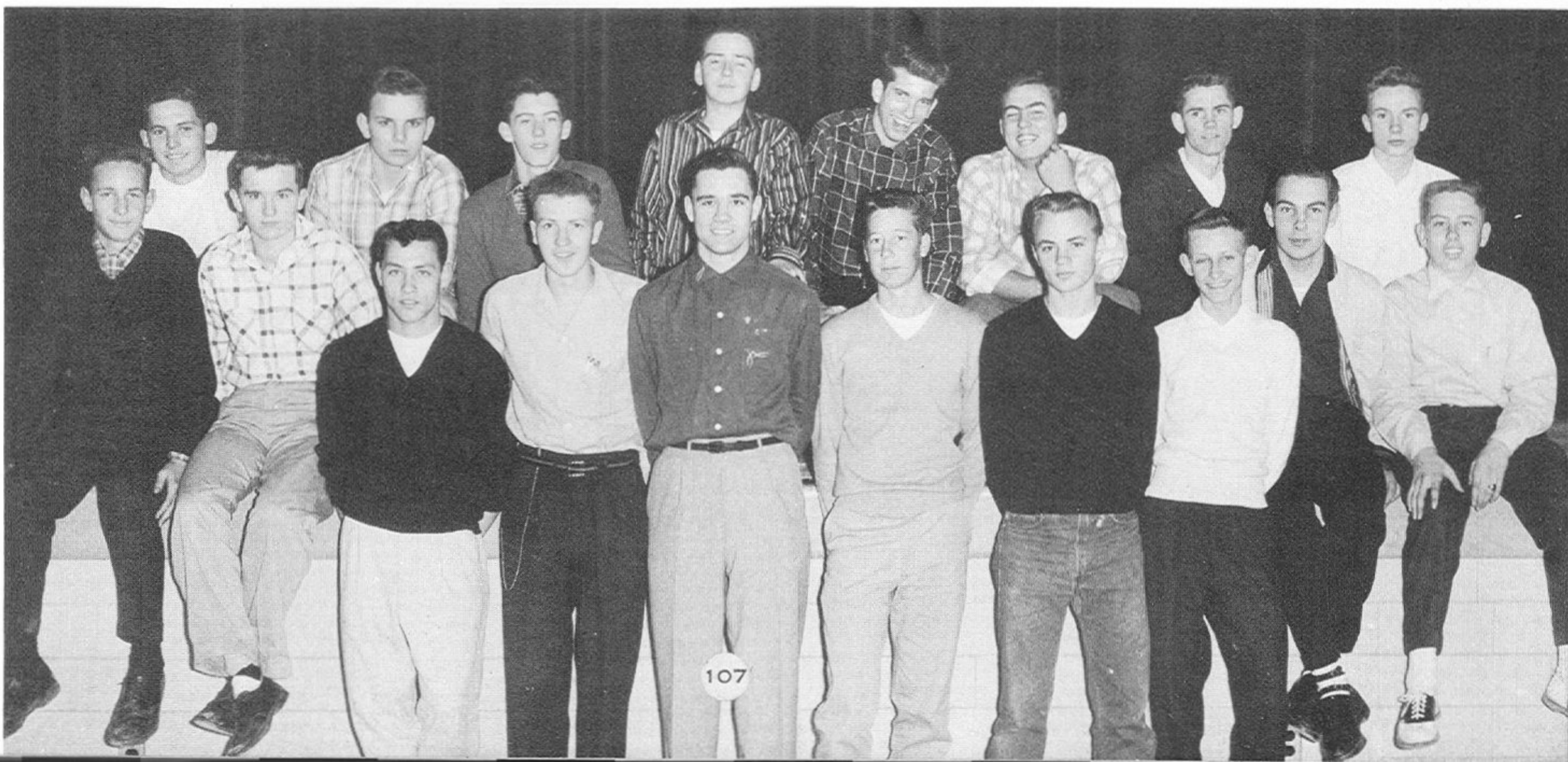
Our platform is clean speech, clean sportsmanship, clean scholarship, and clean living. The purpose of the club is to create, maintain, and extend, throughout the home, school, and community high standards of Christian character.

During the Thanksgiving week we collected food for the needy, and also during the week of Christmas. We sponsored a child at Christmas through the Inter-Club Council.

We were represented at the Monumental Methodist Church's Rededication sponsored by the Y.M.C.A.

Our club had a float in the Homecoming Parade.

1st row, left to right: B. Kirsch, B. McCraney, K. Combs, S. Ward, B. Young, E. Priest, K. Mitchell, C. Moore, G. Odom, B. Spence. 2nd row, left to right: J. Boone, B. Jamerson, M. Carroll, D. Taylor, S. Stout, D. Nichols, N. Novack, R. Copeland.



Christians Hi-Y



Left to right: Bruce Butler, Reporter; Jerry Dearman, Chaplain; John Piner, Vice-President; Reginald V. Wilburn, President, Gene Langley; Secretary, Eddie Belcher, Treasurer.



PRESIDENT
Reginald V. Wilburn

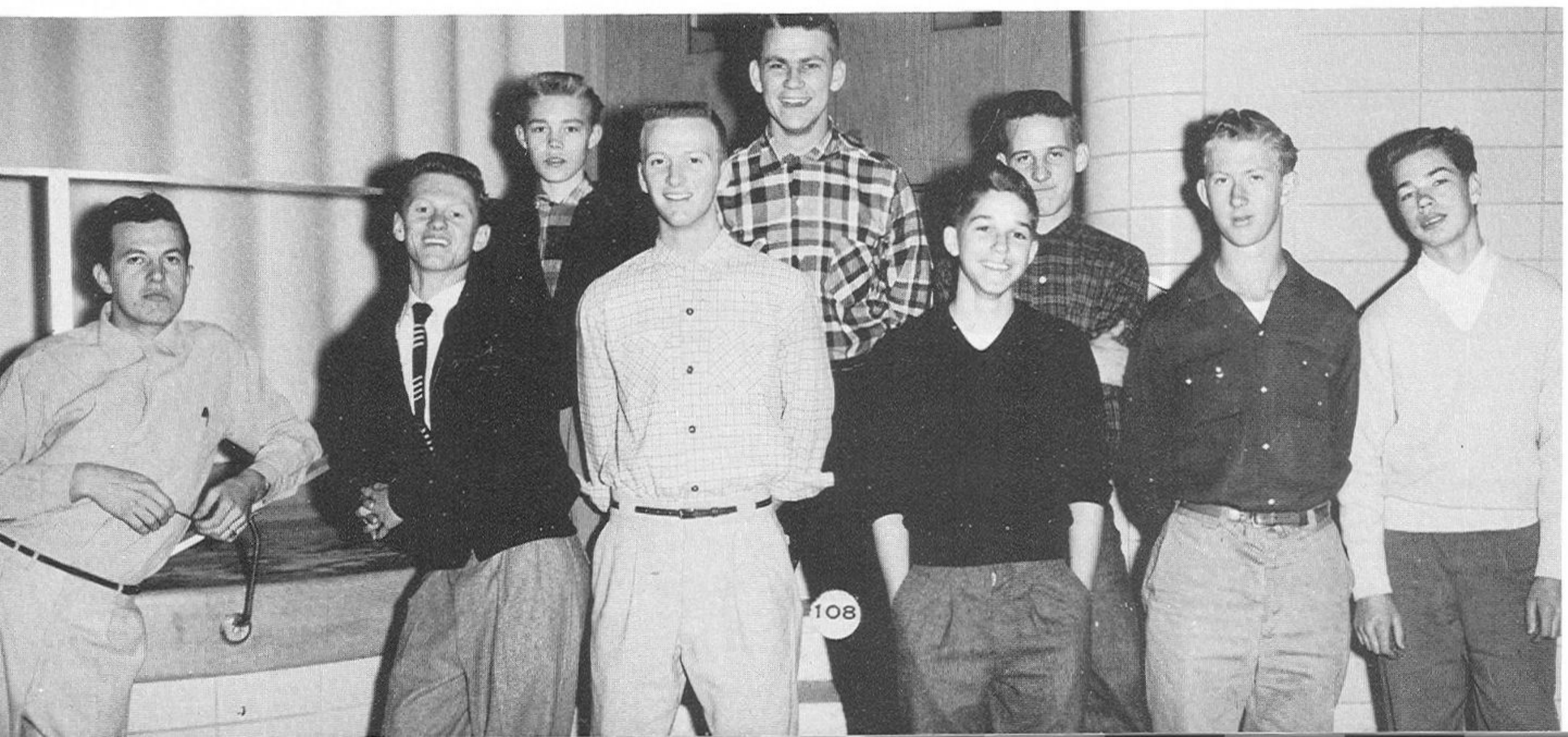


Members of the Christians Hi-Y are proud of their club. This year we were small in number but big in spirit. At the beginning of the year we were weak, without a sponsor but when we won the trophy for our Homecoming float the boys got the fighting spirit. In February we sponsored a dance at the YMCA and in March we joined four other clubs in school to sponsor another dance.

Our group enjoyed a beach party in the spring before exams. Mr. Leroy Rose gave us a helping hand as a part-time sponsor and Mr. Shirley Smith gave us much encouragement as director from the YMCA.

Good luck to the fellows that will carry on next year.

1st row, left to right: J. Piner, R. Wilburn, B. Butler, J. Dearman, B. Howell, T. Simpson. 2nd row, left to right: J. Goole, E. Rhineheart, C. Adams. Absent: G. Langley, E. Belcher.



Admirals Tri-Hi-Y



1st row, left to right: Sergeant-at-Arms, M. Melson; Treasurer, J. Stalls; Secretary, S. Liddle. 2nd row, left to right: Sergeant-at-Arms, A. Maxson; President, J. Cummings; Vice-President, J. Beale.



PRESIDENT
Jean Cummings

The Admirals Tri Hi Y is one of the youngest, but most popular clubs in Cradock High School. It was organized in 1953 and is now one of the most active clubs in school.

In 1954 The Admirals sponsored their first Mother-Daughter Banquet which has become an annual affair.

This year the club has canvassed for food at Thanksgiving and collected food and clothes for a needy family at Christmas.

The PTA Nursery was started as a school project this year. For each PTA meeting a group of

girls kept the small children of parents who could not otherwise attend the meetings.

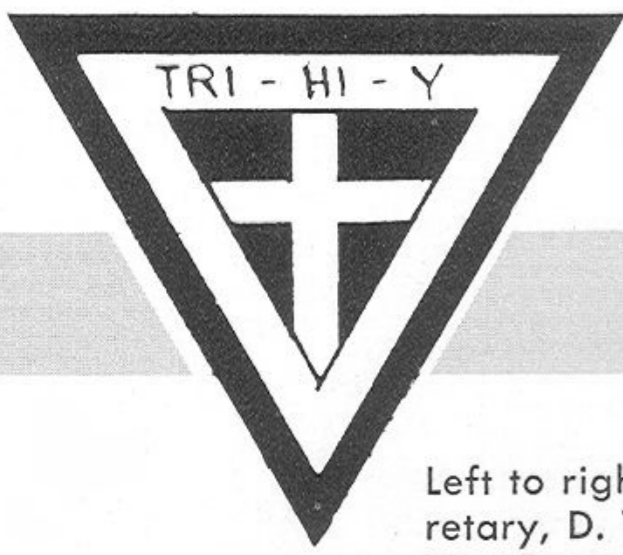
We entered a float in the Homecoming Parade and sponsored a dance at the YMCA. We have also had several splash parties.

Our club consists of about 60 members and Mrs. Carolyn McGuire is our sponsor.

The main purpose of the Tri Hi Y is "to create, maintain, and extend the high standards of Christian character through our home, school, and community."

1st row, left to right: A. Stegall, L. Gardner, S. Bowker, P. Brower, C. Jones, I. Kiss, R. Tath, C. Hinkle, J. Taylor, L. DeAlba, M. Jones, L. Helmison. 2nd row, left to right: N. Cooper, D. Hoffler, N. Gavin, B. Smith, M. Taylor, B. Moore, J. Stalls, S. Liddle, J. Cummings, J. Beale, M. Melson, A. Maxaon, B. Chapman, L. Anderson. 3rd row, left to right: C. Eason, V. Asbarne, A. Reed, J. Randall, C. Hall, D. May, K. Shelton, E. Hughes, P. McKean, M. Hallowell, L. Gardner, S. Jenkins, B. Smith, R. Evans, F. Richardson, B. Tath. 4th row, left to right: P. Fisher, L. Hayes, B. Gilbert, G. Bass, H. Noll, C. Jamison, M. White, P. White, M. Shoff, C. Keegan, A. Simpson, N. Mounie, S. White, B. Boyd, S. Lester, B. Allen, A. Werz.



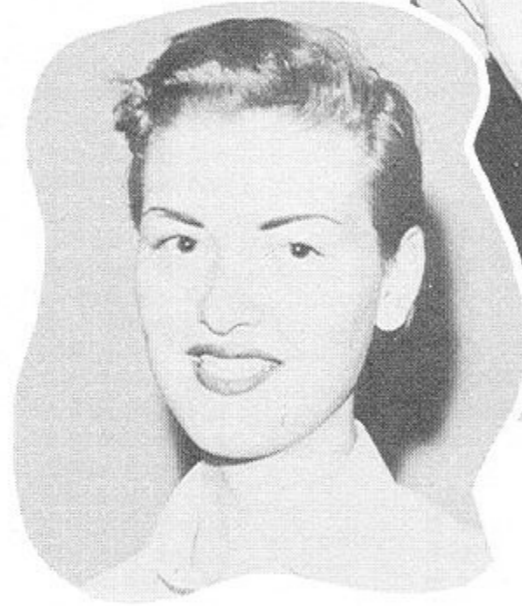


Beta Tri-Hi-Y

Left to right: President, C. LaMoore; Secretary, D. Whitner; Treasurer, C. Gerald; Vice-President, G. Page.



PRESIDENT
Connie LaMoore



The members of the Beta Tri Hi Y worked very hard this year with the aid of our sponsor, Mrs. Owens, to make our club one of the best at Cradock.

We canvassed for food at Thanksgiving to give to those who were in need in our community, and also helped sponsor a needy family at Christmas.

Other activities of our club were: bake sales, a car wash, selling Christmas cards and a paper drive. The money we earned was used to send a

delegate to the Model General Assembly, to contribute to World Service, and flowers for the Easter Dawn Service.

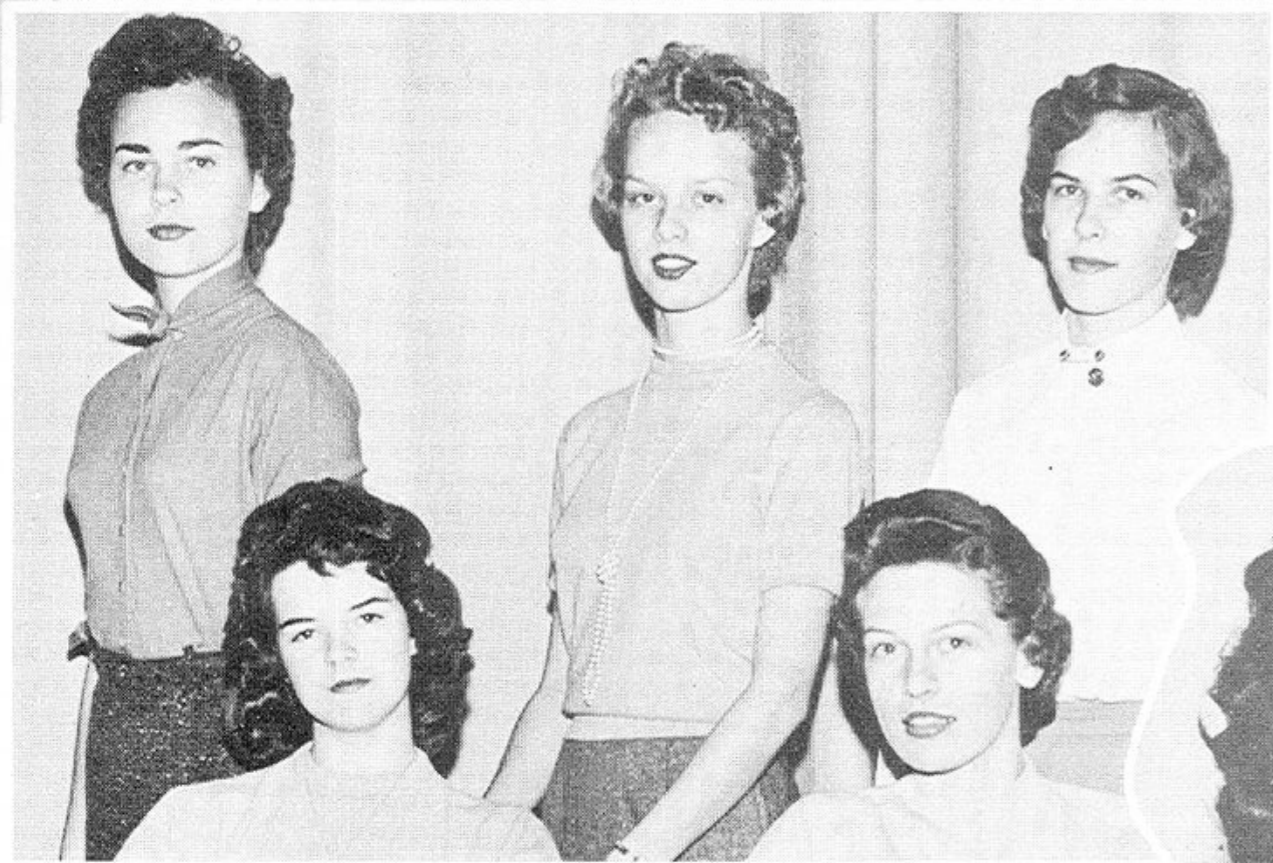
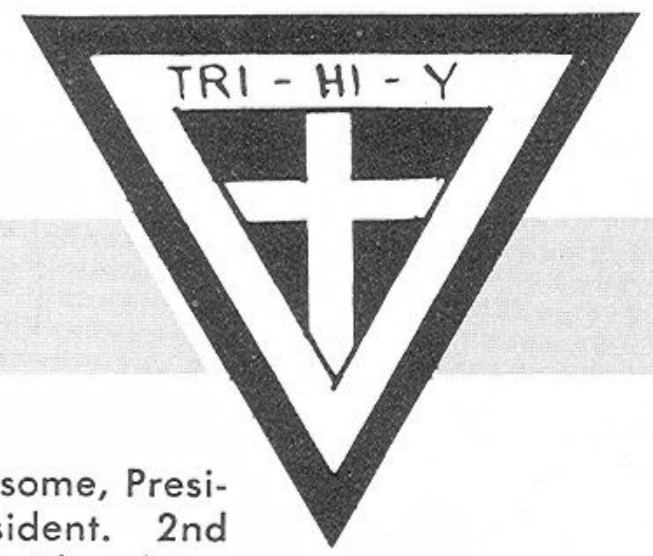
We entered a float in the homecoming parade, held several splash parties, and sponsored a dance at the Y.M.C.A.

We stressed and tried to uphold at all times the purpose of our club which is, "to create, maintain, and extend through the home, school, and community high standards of Christian character."

1st row, left to right: M. Jones, P. Jones, J. Taylor, A. Thomas, B. Boone, D. Whitner, S. Korn, C. LaMoore, J. Powell, G. Page, N. Greening, C. Gerald.



Gamma Tri-Hi-Y



1st row, left to right: K. Newsome, President; B. Saddler, Vice-President. 2nd row: P. Clause, Chaplain; H. Slaughter, Secretary; P. Harrell, Treasurer.



PRESIDENT
Kay Newsome

The Gamma Tri Hi Y is a fellowship of high school girls who are committed to a Christian purpose at work, in the home, school, and community.

The purpose of the club is to create, maintain, and extend throughout the home, school and community high standards of Christian character. Our platform is clean speech, clean sportsmanship, clean scholarship, and clean living.

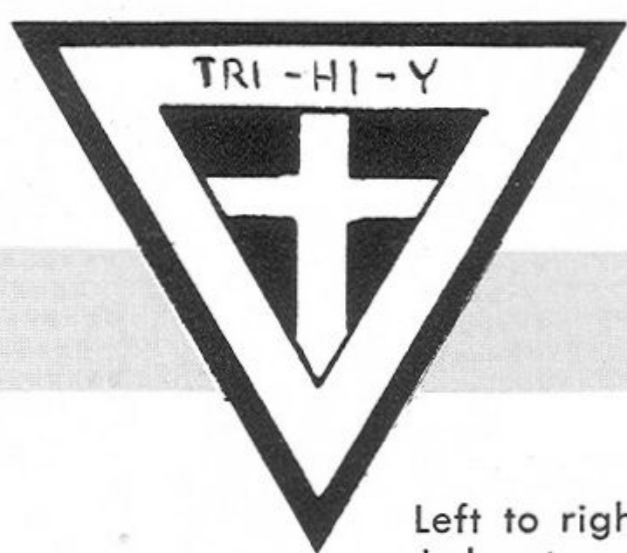
Some of the things the Gamma Tri Hi Y ac-

complished during the school year were: entering a float in the Homecoming parade, contributed 50¢ for each member for World Service, took part in the Easter Assembly, had a splash party at the Y.M.C.A., sponsored a dance at the "Y" once a year, canvassed for Thanksgiving and Christmas, and many other things.

New members are always welcome to join the Gamma Tri Hi Y.

1st row, left to right: H. Slaughter, P. Harrell, K. Newsome, B. Saddler, P. Clause. 2nd row, left to right: M. Pleasants, K. Walters, S. Lewis, S. Sexton, C. Ashley, N. Hemp. 3rd row, left to right: N. Lowe, D. Maelowe, M. Bolen, B. Barganier, M. Dunn, B. Burch, L. Taylor, A. Wright. Absent: N. Smith, D. Creech. Sponsor: Mrs. Jackson.





Kappa Tri-Hi-Y

Left to right: N. Swisher; D. Decker; A. Johnston; M. Schaffer, President; P. Payne, B. Phillip, P. Young.



PRESIDENT
Marcella Schaffer

The purpose of the Tri Hi Y is to create, maintain and extend in the home and throughout the school and community, high standards of Christian character.

Projects of the club includes decorating a float for Homecoming, which represents "Easter", canvassing different areas for food for the needy at

Thanksgiving, attending church together, and being in charge of publicity for the high school activities.

The ambition of a Tri Hi Y member is to do the best she can in speech, manner, study and service to make life most worthwhile for herself and her community.

1st row, left to right: A. Brown, A. Read, S. Hough, P. Payne, B. Phillips, N. Swisher, M. Schaffer, D. Decker, P. Young, A. Johnston, F. Powell, S. Willis, G. Wright, J. Bell, F. Roland, C. Barnett, M. SeGraves, Y. Cunningham. 2nd row, left to right: S. Whitford, J. Tanner, R. Hayes, M. Mares, K. Hutchinson—Sponsor, K. Rose, A. Cooner, A. Moore, J. Harris.



Lamba Tri-Hi-Y



Sitting, left to right: Vice-President, C. Edwards; President, Peggy Newsome. Standing, left to right: Treasurer, C. Stegall; Sponsor, Mrs. Graham; Chaplain, V. Rowe; Reporter, J. Williford; Secretary, E. Tessmer.



PRESIDENT
Peggy Newsome

The purpose of the Lambda Tri-Hi-Y is to create, maintain, and extend throughout the home, school and community high standards of Christian character. The platform is clean living.

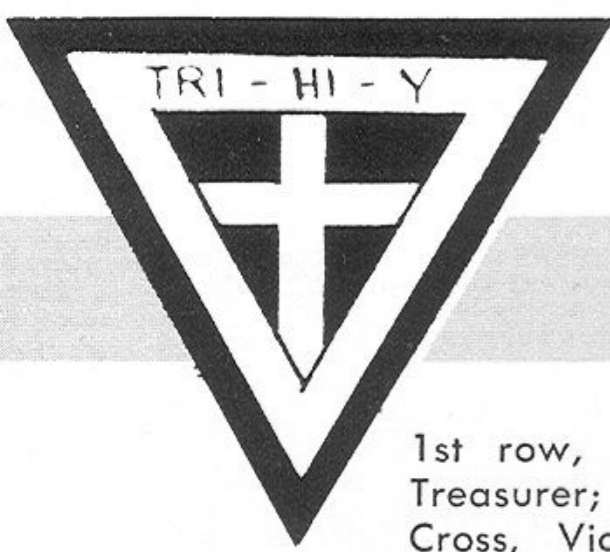
The club has had a very successful year. It has sponsored a float for the Homecoming parade,

collected food for the needy at Thanksgiving and had a party to welcome the new members. We helped other clubs help the needy families at Christmas.

We would like to thank Mrs. Graham, sponsor, for her interest in the club.

1st row, left to right: N. Knutson, J. Ladd, F. Bradshaw, F. Ladd, H. Christian, J. Williford, C. Stegal, E. Tessmer, C. Edwards, V. Rowe, Mrs. Graham, G. Tiller, M. Winslow, M. Cordell, N. Tiller. 2nd row, left to right: V. Jones, S. Slayden, L. Vinson, D. Rose, A. Linkous, J. Spear, R. Sutton, D. Knight, V. Spence, B. Culpepper, R. Nettie.





Sigma Tri-Hi-Y

1st row, left to right: Candy Cobb, Treasurer; Pat Owens, President; Kay Cross, Vice-President; Carolyn Swain, Secretary; Barbara Walden, Chaplain; Audri Odom, Historian; Ann Roberts, Reporter.



PRESIDENT
Pat Owens

This year the Sigma Tri Hi Y of Cradock was sponsored by Mrs. Mary Edwards.

The club is a Christian organization, and the members work together during the year in every way possible to help the less-fortunate people or those who are sick and unable to help themselves.

Projects of the club included decorating a float for Homecoming, making pom-poms and selling them to the students, collecting baskets of food at Thanksgiving, sponsoring a needy family at

Christmas, and attending church together each month.

For entertainment we had splash parties at the Y.M.C.A. in Portsmouth and our annual beach party in June. We have also had many parties, which were held at the homes of our members on several occasions.

The ambition of a Tri Hi Y member is to do the best she can in speech, manner, study, and service to make life most worthwhile to herself and her community.

1st row, left to right: J. Pittman, S. Vaughn, L. Cahoon, A. Brown, S. Poe, F. Aipcue, J. Winston, E. Winston, J. Hamilton, S. O'Shields, J. Strickland, S. Shields. 2nd row, left to right: S. Sawyer, P. Langford, P. Hodges, J. Stafford, F. Langley, A. Roberts, B. Walton, C. Swain, P. Owens, K. Cross, C. Cobb, A. Odom, P. Newell, J. Shanks, E. Dorn, J. Howell. 3rd row, left to right: M. Jones, L. Lee, D. Wiggins, C. Briggs, K. McGinis, M. Weldmon, D. Cooper, S. Smith, S. West, P. Sims, P. Saddler, B. Salk, S. Whitner, M. Smith, R. Bogan, M. Woodard, P. Sims. 4th row, left to right: G. Blow, B. Cridle, D. Grant, S. Marks, H. Rowe, D. Michael, B. Dorn, P. Jeffery, B. Ferguson, M. Lapham, B. McManus, M. Edwards, J. Thompson, B. Childress, J. Saunders.



Parent Teachers Association



PTA Officers and Executive Board seated left to right are: Mrs. Edgar Brown, Jr., Mr. William Sindlinger, Mrs. J. F. Shepherd, Mrs. J. S. Hanbury, Mrs. Lawrence Novack, and Mrs. E. F. Johnston. Standing, left to right are: Miss Cora Mae Fitzgerald, Mrs. W. T. Leary, Mrs. J. M. Beale, Mrs. R. L. Mann, Mrs. M. E. Cummings, Mrs. Fred Foster, Mrs. Presly Powell, Mrs. W. B. Kenny, Mrs. R. J. Rice, and Mr. J. J. Booker, Jr.

The goals of the Parent-Teacher Association are Better Homes, Better Schools, and Better Communities. The organization was founded in 1922. The objectives of the Association for this year were: To work in close cooperation with State and National organizations, that there may be a united effort to secure the most effective education for our youth; To encourage interest in Parent-Education and to promote further youth study, bring parents and teachers together for the purpose of closer cooperation and for the betterment of student welfare and family life; To instill in

the minds of students and members of the community the rights and privileges involved in citizenship by stressing care of personal and public property, rights of others and consideration and respect due our fellowman. "We do not live alone" was the theme of the PTA.

The officers for 1955-56 were: President—Mrs. J. S. Hanbury, First Vice-President—Mrs. J. S. Shepherd, Second Vice-President—Mrs. E. F. Johnston, Recording Secretary—Mrs. Lawrence Novack, Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Edgar Brown, Jr., and Treasurer—Mrs. Purl Powell.



PRESIDENT
Luther Stegall



1st row, left to right: S. Kopaz; B. Schoen, L. Stegall, C. Quamme, C. Speegle. 2nd row, left to right: P. Reid, J. Beasley, W. Hudson, J. Coswell, J. Stevens, E. Whitehurst, F. Kennedy, P. Wooten, K. Meiggs, C. Taylor, Miss Pearson.



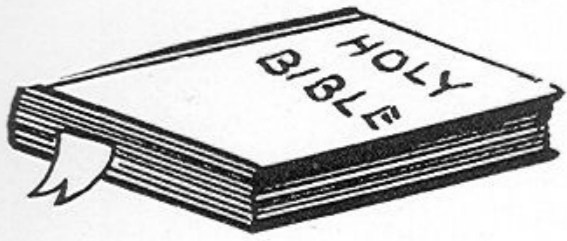
Art Club

Left to right: Sandra Kopaz, Reporter; Barbara Schoen, Chaplain; Luther Stegall, President; Connie Quamme, Vice-President; Charles Speegle, Treasurer.

The purpose of The Cradock High School Art Club is to promote a better understanding of the school towards the many arts. We feel that by showing the school our abilities, that they will become more interested in art. We have accomplished many projects in this year's club: we canvassed at Thanksgiving time for food for the needy, co-sponsored a dance at Christmas time, and assisted with a display of Santa and his Reindeers that went on the roof of the school building. We also sent some Christmas presents to the needy. This is just a few of our many projects for this year.

The members of the Art Club feel that anyone interested in art will gain much by joining the Art Club.





Bible Club

1st row, left to right: L. Johnson, G. Bass, B. Gwaltney, G. Richardson, M. Walters, M. Branch, J. Franklin, B. Vick, Mr. Clark, G. Wade, A. Atkins, L. Harrell, L. Grant, N. Neal. 2nd row, left to right: M. Griffin, V. Kestner, B. Eddins, D. Sallaba, P. Pace, M. Elder, B. Williams, J. Keene, S. Drew, J. Allman, S. Ritter, D. Breedem, P. Williamson, L. Spain.



Left to right: Treasurer, Betty Vick; Secretary, Madeline Branch; President, Julia Franklin; Vice-President, Sue Gayle.

The Bible Club for the tenth year has served a blessing in the heart of each one attending. The meeting is opened with prayer a quiz, short devotions or a speaker is present at every meeting.

Members carry their Bibles to school every day and the club attends Youth for Christ regularly.

The theme song for this year has been "My Desire to be Like Jesus". Our Bible verse is Philippians 4:13, "I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me", and our motto is "Christ for the Christless".

The purpose of our club is to create more interest in the Bible and to make Christ known throughout the school.



PRESIDENT
Julia Franklin

PRESIDENT
Betty Saddler



1st row, left to right: Betty Boone, Secretary; Betty Saddler, President; Ray Logwood, Vice-President; Barbara Walden, Reporter; Jerry Vance, Parliamentarian; Nancy Greening, Treasurer.



Distributive Education

The Distributive Education club has worked very hard to accomplish their many objectives and projects this year. This year the Distributive Education club is one of the largest clubs in the school. With Mr. Ware and Mr. Clarke behind us we have been able to have many functions and ideas that the club has never before had.

The first great accomplishment of the club was the selling of our school ribbons. These were made into bows and sold at football games by members of the club. Not only did we sell the bows for our own school, but have taken and de-

livered orders to other schools. Another accomplishment of the club was our homecoming float, and the selling of monogrammed stationery.

This year the DE club is working very hard on the idea of a DE scholarship fund; this fund will be opened to any senior DE member who meets all the qualifications drawn up by the club. If this plan goes through it will mean a great deal to the club as well as to the school, for this will be the first DE scholarship ever awarded by the DE club.

1st row, left to right: B. Boone, B. Saddler, J. Williford, N. Smith, J. Sheaffer, B. Barganier, B. Condell, J. Bright, K. Walters. 2nd row, left to right: N. Greening, P. Newsome, J. Williams, J. Strickland, S. Lewis, B. Walden, M. Livermon, B. Komer, M. Hudson, J. Franklin, D. Sallaba. 3rd row, left to right: J. Ladd, P. Eates, C. Randolph, B. Ryder, C. Hawkins, H. Hefner, R. Walker, R. Montzingo, L. Outten. 4th row, left to right: B. Butler, B. Ewell, R. Logwood, D. Allison, D. Miller, G. Langley, J. Vance, C. Mays, B. Roe, J. Morrison, L. Dickerson, R. Purgason, H. Needham.



Diversified Occupation



1st row, left to right: F. Hooker, K. Page, B. Oliver, F. Gilbert. 2nd row, left to right: F. Grant, S. Green, A. Thorn, W. Willis, K. Bass, J. Ward, C. Elliott, L. McManis, C. Burton, P. Harrell, D. Bartlett, D. Buchanan, C. Hanchey, K. Lee, R. Rice, M. White, C. Adams, G. Ashley. 3rd row, left to right: Mr. William Sease, R. Bricker, P. McClellan, S. Sexton, N. Novack, C. Quamme, L. Hackney, R. Norris, A. Wall, R. Fisk, P. Horan, A. Fry.

The Diversified Occupations Club is composed of those students who take DO.

The club is affiliated with the state and members are eligible to participate in state and national contests sponsored by the group every year.

The DO Club has an annual state meeting, an annual employer-employee banquet, regular monthly meetings, special

speakers from industry and business, organized trips to see various industrial establishments, competitive contests with other chapters such as essays, public speaking, exhibits; cooperation with Civil clubs in the community in carrying out worthwhile projects and activities, cooperation with other departments in the school system in carrying out deserving school projects and activities.



Left to right: Secretary, Frances Gilbert; President, Kay Page; Reporter, Connie Quamme; Vice-President, Bill Oliver; Treasurer, Faye Hooker.



PRESIDENT
Kay Page



1st row, left to right: B. Burnett, J. Hall, Z. Ashe, V. Wilson. 2nd row, left to right: S. Pickett, P. Brinkley, C. Simmons, C. Chapman, A. Ritter, C. Laumann, A. Bowles. 3rd row, left to right: Miss Howell, K. Johnson, V. Skinner, B. Fisk, C. Rottet, A. Roper, J. Russell, F. Jones, M. Bazemore, S. Sclater, M. Swain, D. Lewis.



PRESIDENT
Claudia Simmons



Future Homemakers of America

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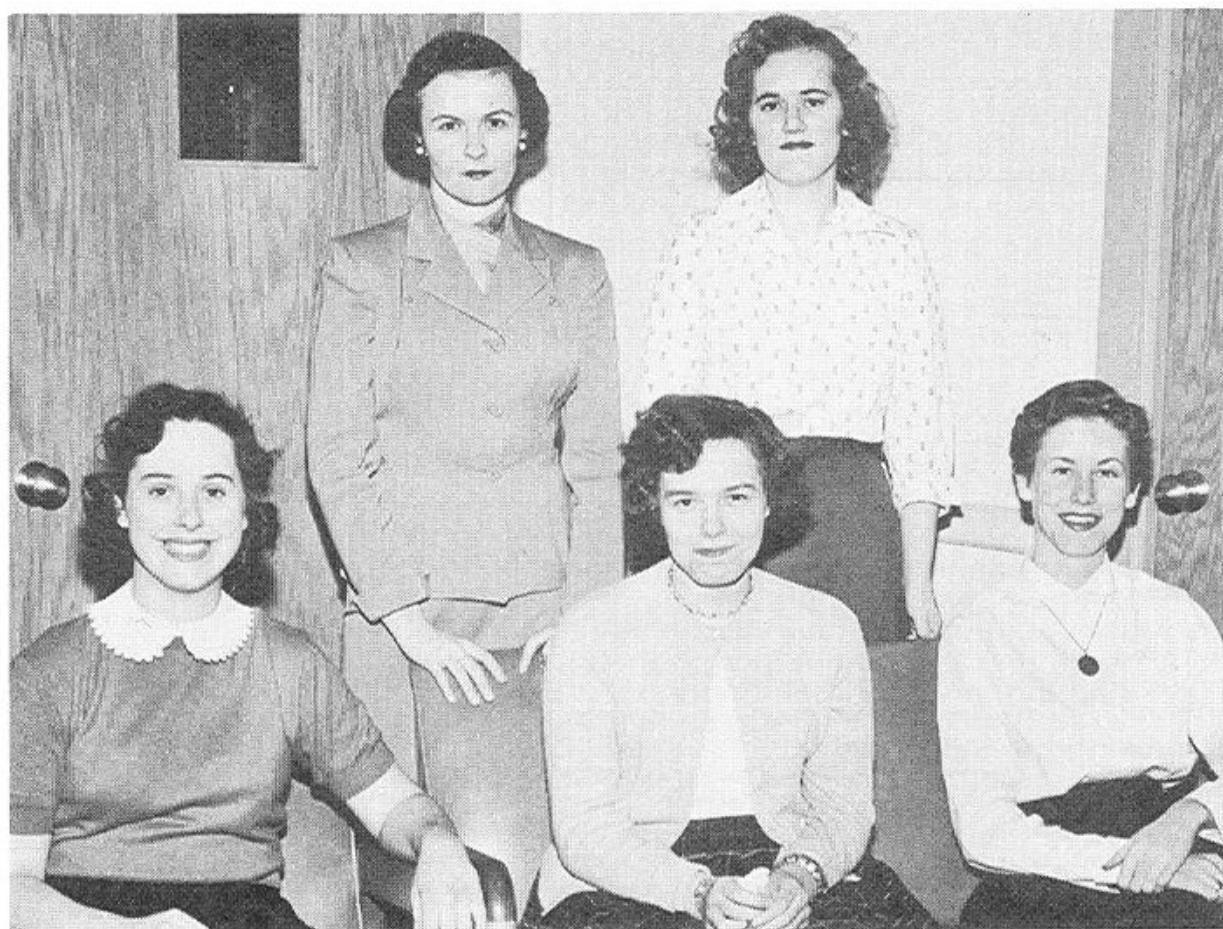
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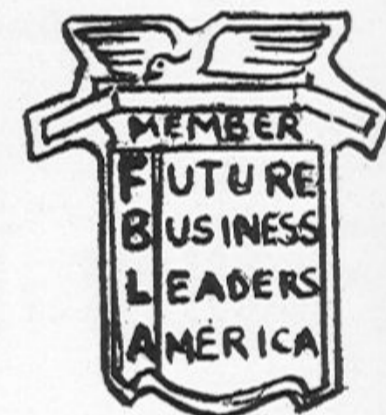
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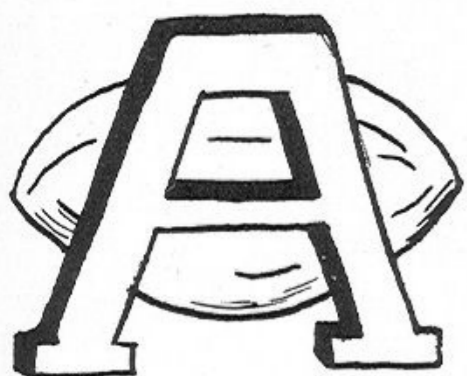


The Future Business Leaders of America club is an organization for students of business. It's purpose is to bring about a better business understanding on the part of the members and to generally promote better citizenship and higher morale.

The first activity of the club was an installation ceremony held for all new members. In October a float was entered in the Homecoming Parade Contest on the theme—May Day. We have worked with Churchland and Deep Creek High Schools in forming FBLA clubs. At Thanksgiving and Christmas our thoughts turned to the needy and unfortunate. Our annual attraction, the Student-Faculty Basketball Game, was a huge success.

One of our most successful projects was the Tidewater Federation of FBLA clubs that was held here. We feel that this meeting brought great recognition to our school throughout the state in connection with Business Education.

Future Business Leaders



Boys' Monogram Club

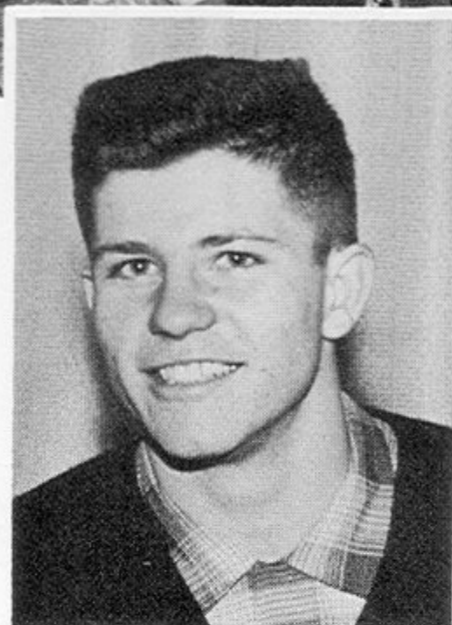
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This club was first organized on September 30, 1955, at Cradock High School. Our first slate of officers were: President, Charles Smith; Vice-President, Romie Williams; Secretary, Mac Kincaid; Treasurer, Bill Nance; Chaplain, Ray Cox, and Reporter, Bobby Gray. We selected as our Advisor, Mr. Larry Weldon.

To obtain membership, each boy must be a monogram winner and be passed by the Athletic Board of the school. At present, we have 20 members.

Our objectives for 1955-56 were; 1. Carry out the Citizenship plan of the school; honesty, morality, self control and school spirit. 2. Sponsoring and organization of the Alumni Monogram Club, consisting of past graduates of Cradock High School, who were awarded monograms for participation in athletics. Due to the efforts and guidance of Mr. Weldon, this project has met with some degree of success. 3. Collection of food for the needy families for Thanksgiving. 4. Sponsored dances. For a club in it's early growth, we feel we have met with success. It is our aim, with the addition of new members, co-operation and loyalty, that we will continue in success for the benefit of Cradock High School and the community at large.

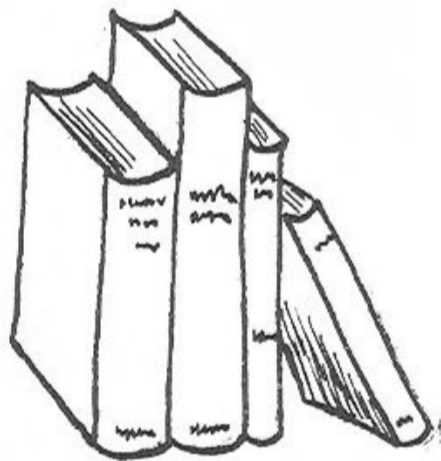


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Charles Smith



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The main objective of the Library Club is to promote good citizenship throughout the school. To carry out this objective the club sponsored citizenship week and awards were given to the outstanding citizens of each class.

The club also entered a float in Homecoming using "Tales to be Told in the Dark" as the subject.

To raise money the club sponsored several contests and a bake sale. The library Club has collected all old books and have put them in the shelf for students use. The Library Club keeps the library as neat and attractive as possible.



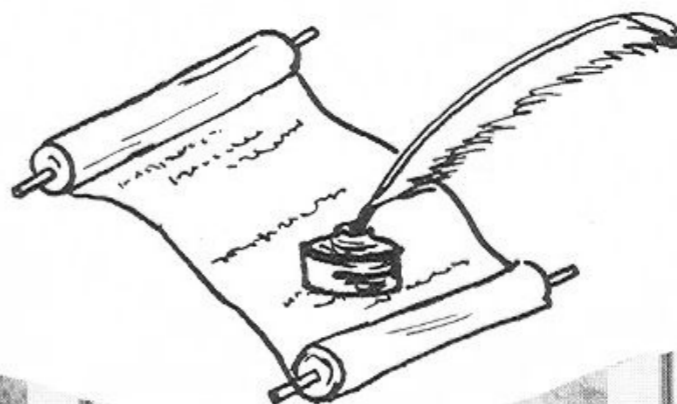
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PRESIDENT
Sondra Anderson

Library Club

Belles Lettres



PRESIDENT
Carolyn Kennedy



Left to right: Secretary, Nancy Boothe; President, Carolyn Kennedy; Vice-President, Charles Fowler; Treasurer, Sandra Waite.

In accord with this year's objectives the Belles Lettres Club entered a float in the Homecoming Parade (honoring Valentines' Day), canvassed for food for the needy at Thanksgiving and Christmas, sponsored a Snow Ball Dance before Christmas, recording of the literary points, and again arranged for the second, publishing of Cradock's first magazine, "The Log".

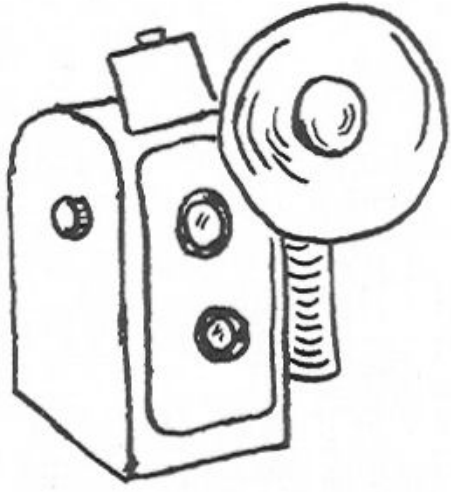
The purpose of the Belles Lettres Club is to sponsor, promote, and emphasize forensics and other literary programs and objectives throughout the school.

Among the special projects undertaken by the club was the sponsoring of Good Spelling Week, and of the establishing of an International Honor Society for high school journalists; the Quill and Scroll.

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Photography Club



This year was a great year for the Photography Club. With Mr. Vernon Tyson as our sponsor and Robert Sweazey as our president, our 21 members on roll took the plans of the club to success.

Our first project was to take pictures of Homecoming floats and events. Many Photo Club members spent all of Homecoming day tramping from one end of the school to the other, and occasionally you may have heard a click that was recording history.

At signs of winter, however, we took up Salon photography. In this subject we obtain a few models and a few good pictures.

We went on two field trips to take pictures that we could work with in the school darkroom. One of these trips was to the beach in early spring to record the arrival of the snowy white beach combers.

The other trip was an "around and about" trip to see who could be successful with fake photography.

In all, the photography club had a most successful year.



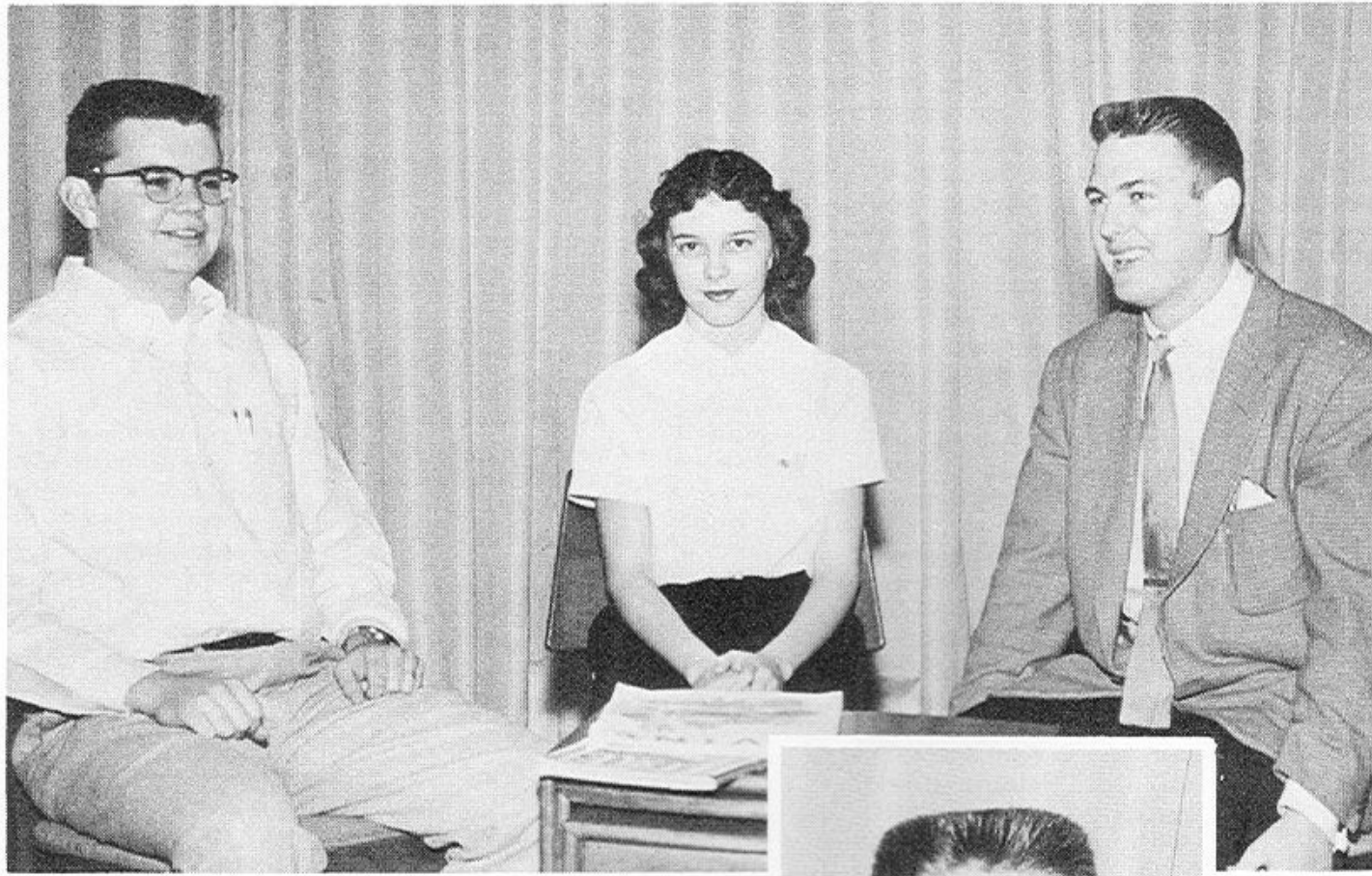
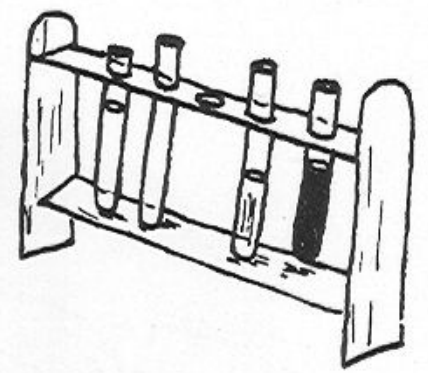
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Science Club



Left to right: Robert Rice, Vice-President; Mary West, Secretary; Charles Hamilton, President.



PRESIDENT
Charles Hamilton

The objectives of the Cradock High School Science Club are, to learn and perfect our skills in science, to understand the importance of science in our lives, to promote the knowledge of science throughout our school and community, and to help carry out the program of the Science Club of America.

To strive to the best of our ability to carry out the above objectives, many activities will be planned by the club. For the first time, the club will sponsor a Science Fair; this will take place in the early spring. Any interested and worthy student will be given the opportunity to put on exhibit the work he has accomplished with projects in the field of science.

Other club activities include entering a float in the Homecoming parade, and a field trip to Washington and various places that will be of value in increasing our interest and knowledge of science.

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