

The Yellow Jacket



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YEARBOOK

WINN TRAINING SCHOOL



The Yearbook Staff



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Fifth & Seventh Grade



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Sixth Grade



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Fifth Grade



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Fourth Grade



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First Grade



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Second Grade



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Home Economics



G. C. GOFF
First Grade



C. B. BRADFORD
First Grade



C. WASHINGTON
Second Grade



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Third Grade

Our Goals

When the average Negro boy or girl completes twelve years of schooling he or she has, in effect, reached the most crucial period in life. Generally speaking, he will immediately enter the adult flow of activities, engage in the customary types of employment, and frequently quite soon become a partner in a budding family. Clearly, these are all trying responsibilities and demand maturity not expected of a boy or girl just leaving high school. Yet, these are the facts . . . The Negro boy or girl leaves high school and enters into life.

This being the case, it becomes clear that the school must use every course and every activity to prepare the student for what IN REALITY lies ahead. Not for the professional applaud of some distant high-brow expert; not for the sake of being similar to some renowned institution, but solely for the student as he is, where he is. Thus we at Winn Training School believe that the education of most worth to our boys and girls is that which will give them the vocational, physical, social, and civic maturity actually demanded of them upon leaving school. Our four goals, therefore, are these: Vocational Training, Home-Making, Health, and Citizenship.

Just these four, that they might better live Life as it must be lived.

THE PRINCIPAL

**WT School Faculty
Attends District
Teachers' Meeting**
Hobbs Elected to Staff
Of "Newsletter";
Dupree Dist. Reporter
Nov. 13—The Eighth District

**WTS Opens With
598 Students, 18
Faculty Members**
New Depts. Added
Sept. 6—The local Wian Train-

**Jacket "11" Swamps
Jonesboro, 33-0**
Powell Scores 5 TD's
Nov. 19—The Yellow Jackets

**School Takes Nine
First Places At
District Tourney**
Choir; Band, Speakers,
Art Students From
Local School Lead
March 5—The student choir, a-

**Cage Team Begins
Initial Contests
With Trout High**
George Smith
Scores 16 Points
District Tournament
Jan. 16—The boys' basketball

**WTS Holds First
Annual Cooking
School March 21-25**
Journal Published;
Prizes Given
March 26—The first annual

**Choir, Band Of
School Here Makes
Extended Tour**

Throngs Turn Out To
See Performances By
Local Aggregations
April 11—Bernice, Mansfield,
Monroe, Many, Jonesboro throngs

**First Musical For
White Citizens By
WTS Held May 15**

**Big Christmas Tree
At Training School,
Santa Visits Kids**

**Band, Choir Formed
At Training School**
New Instruments
Obtained; Instructor
Secured For School
Oct. 8—Much interest has been

**Vets Will Study
Trades In New
Industrial School**

Auto Body, Fender
Course Opened
Jan. 3—One hundred sixty-five

**Rotary Club Of
City Entertained
At Training School**
Choir Performs;
Dinner Served

**5 To Graduate At
WTS Exercises;
41 Eighth Graders**
Supt. R. L. Terry,
Speaker at Exercise

**WTS Head Attends
State Principals'
Meeting In B. R.**
Feb. 19—One hundred fourteen

**P-TA Has Big Year
At Training School**
Campus Landscaped;
Terraced; Beautified
Mable Riser, president again, of

**Choir Holds First
Vespers January 16**
Jan. 11—The new choir holds

**Principal Gaulden
Main Speaker At
Achievement Day**
Three Thousand
In Attendance
April 23—J. A. Gauldin, prin-

**Derutha Layton
Is 'Jacket Queen**
Nov. 8—Hundreds of people

**Homecoming Held
At Training School**
Band, Drill Squad
Parade Through
City Streets

**16 Training School
Teachers Attend
N. O. LEA Meeting**

**Annual Musical
For Negroes Big
Success May 17**



ELEVENTH GRADE

Right to left, first row standing—Corine Rufus, Junila McCarty, Vergie E. Edward, Derutha Layton, Thressa Graham, Beaulah Sly, Lorine Gipson, Artra Mallory, and Bessie Gipson.

Second row standing, right to left—Mr. Brown (teacher), Otis Jefferson, Jack Farley, J. L. Shelton, Delores Moss, Melvin Hobdy, Udora Brown, Marshal Calhoun, J. C. Jackson and J. B. Deloach.



TENTH GRADE

First row sitting, left to right—Bessie Lee Mallory, Pearlise Mae Hollingworth, Sammie Lee Ford, Annie Mattis Mallory, Bobbie Dean Robinson, Ruthie Mae Alexander, Thressa Lee Davis, Carrie R. Davis, and Mary Lula Diaz.

Second Row, kneeling, left to right—Earnestine West, Fredonia Boston, Myrtle Ruth Hobdy, Clara Bell DeLoach, Luella McWright, Lucille McWright, Lucy Mae Alexander, and Margaret Mills.

Third row, standing, left to right—Mildred Hollingworth, Lorine Rufus, Carlton Dias, Percell Emanuel, Dorothy Mae Morgan, Erslee Pipeleton, Thaddis Duncan, George Smith, Jr., Jimmie Dav-
enport, Clifford Wright, Luther Ray Hobdy, Albert Mannings, Billy J. Walker, and Mrs. M. C. Farley, teacher.



NINTH GRADE

First row, left to right—John L. Alexander, Gladys Jackson, Floydell Gilliam, Ivory J. Keegan, William H. Copeland, Lula Saucer, Ivory Smith, Berda L. Bradey, Livingston Hampton.

Second row, left to right—Alradia Foster, Alton Johnson, Martha Smith, Christine Williams, Willie D. Devenport, Gladys Devenport, Willie D. Goff, Evelyn Lewis.

Third row, left to right—Urma L. Dunn, Mary N. Gibbs, Charles King, Helen Jones, Gwindolyn Hobdy, Florena Washington, Katherine Alexander.



EIGHTH GRADE

First row, seated—Dorothy Mae Woodard, Pervis Joe, Charlotte Ann Austin, James Lee Swafford, Willie Mae Turner, Herman Williams, Rosey Lee Houston, Merrill Arthur Jones, Doris Myles, Willie Pearson.

Second row—Verna Lee Jackson, Arnie Lee Scott, Alice Mary Hampton, Samuel Mills, Jeanette Jones, Virgie Lee Jackson, Juanita Jones, Brussard Wyatt, Margaret Swafford, Overton Wyatt, Alma Smith, Evangeline Patterson, Norma Jean McWright, Mattie Lee Boyd, Billy Gene Kimble, Mrs. Iris Reddix Dupree, teacher.

Third row—Essie Pearl Johnson, Willie Thomas, Lee Carson Harris, Helen Locks, Dorothy Wilson, Mary D. Alexander, Minnie Muri McWright, George King, Blondenia Davenport, Claudge Lee Anthony, Dorothy King, Lela Odessa Kimble, Minnie Rose Jackson, Catherine Caesar, Willie V. Spikes, Freddie D. King.

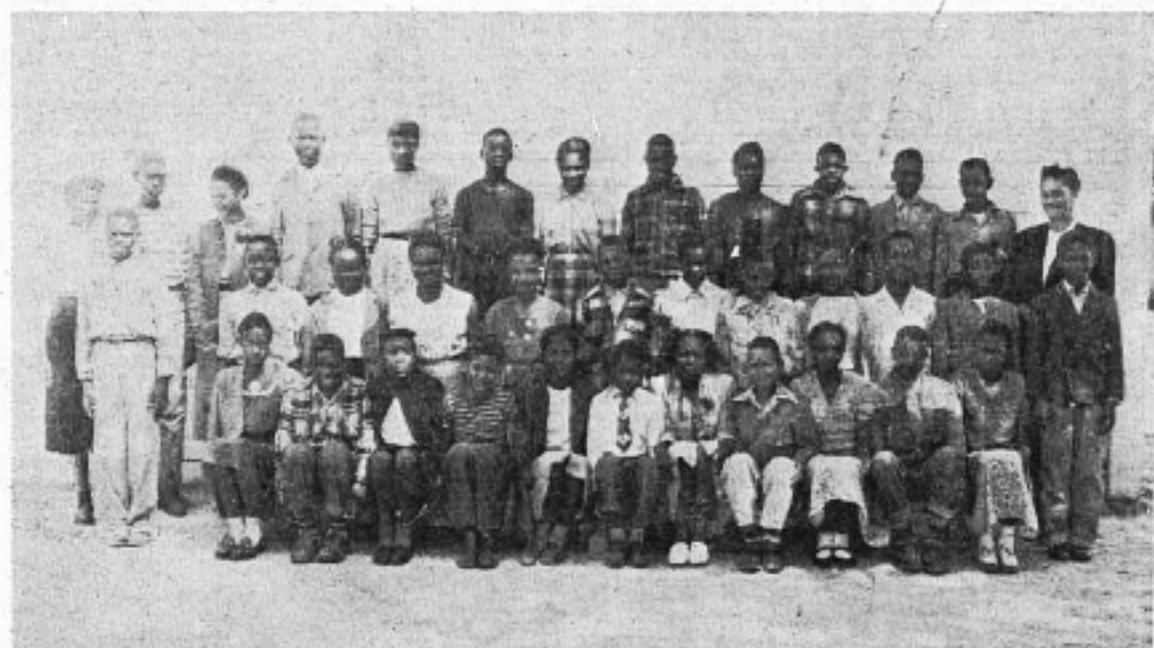


SEVENTH GRADE

First row, left to right—Raymond Bean, Ruth E. McNeal, Maridith Jones, Jr., Betty Lue Thomas, Alice Pearl Johnson, Joseph Lee Brew, Gladys Myles, Jessie Earl Turner, Augusta Boston, John-
 nae Edward Pryns.

Second row, left to right—Versie Mae Davenport, Joe Edward Saucer, Johnnie Lee Gibson, Perry Jackson, Maggie L. Hollingsworth, Hynes Beans, Floyd Mae Beans, Hasten Powell, Ruby Lee.

Third row, left to right—Alford Garham, Nellie Stringer, Fate Lee Durham, Comile Nash, Willie M. Smith, Alma Lue Carpenter, Zebbie D. Nelson, Betty Jean Hobdy, Rolly Rean Sapp, Fernie Mae Russell, Eddie B. Alexandria, Mack Phillips, Miss Doris Nicholson.



SIXTH GRADE

Front row, left to right, sitting—Jewelene Dunn, Edward Syess, Bettie Jean Jackson, Donald Moss, Earlene Syess, Fer-
 uson Brew, Shirley Jean Wright, Leaster Lang, Linnie Dell Johnson, Ellis Chatman, and Dell Ree McWright.

Second row, left to right, standing—Wilmer Durham, Loyd King, Lillionteen Scott, Zettie Mae Jackson, Lottie Mae Farris, Sam Jacob, Valenteen Moore, Lee Author Holmes, Earcell West, W. C. Swoffard, Mildred Carpenter, and Clyde Spears.

Third and last row, left to right, standing—Catherine Davis, Clifton Ray Valentine, Rosa Mary Jackson, Otha Mae Bowie, Iona Coleman, Eligah Farris, Edith Mae Jones, Robert Nicholas, Bettie Jean West, Alvin Hollingsworth, Robert McWright, and Jerry Johnson. Mrs. Mable H. Riser, substitute.



SECOND GRADE — A

Left to right, sitting—Clearance Spikes, Ina Jewell Cherry, Alton Bell, Jr., Marna Dean Goff, Leroy Dunkentell, Jr., Barbara Ann Gaulden, Frank Chas. Keals, Gwendolyn Faye Buggs, Hosia Washington, Lynda Jean Moss, Oscar Gene Collins, Bobbie Nell Ceaser, Ernest E. Foster.

Left to right—kneeling—Betty Jean Jones, Babe Ruth Brown, Bobbie Tillman, Charles E. Jones, Arma Lea Dooby, Willie Louis Walker, Louise Batts, James Earl Peals, Charles Hellen Riser and John W. Farris.

Left to right, standing—Mrs. Ina Mae Febbs, (teacher), Barbara V. Beasley, William Ray Hobdy, Pearlle B. Williams, Chas Dale Tuggle, Mercille Rodgers, Nathaniel Alexander, Elzenia Merchant, Hellen Louise Bradley, Laura B. Johnson and Willie Ruth Dooley.



SECOND GRADE — B

Sitting—J. W. Gilbert, Vivian Brackings, Willie James Holden, Oda Mae Scott, James Halm, Emma Jean Ealy, Sammie Hooper, Delores Howdard, Billie Joe Jones, Alma Jean Wilson.

Second row—J. C. Smith, Ethel Jean Henderson, Mary Jean Bussey, Herbert James Carter, Loade Smith, Earnest Jean Flowers, Mary Williams, Arthur James Vones, Rosie Jean Washington, Johnnie Walker, John L. Hays.

Top row, standing—Rosie Tillman, Ledrue Hobdy, Ida Bell Jackson, David Cunningham, Mary Boston, Andrew Turner, Carrie Mae Cannon, Walter Lee Taylor, Frances Brown.

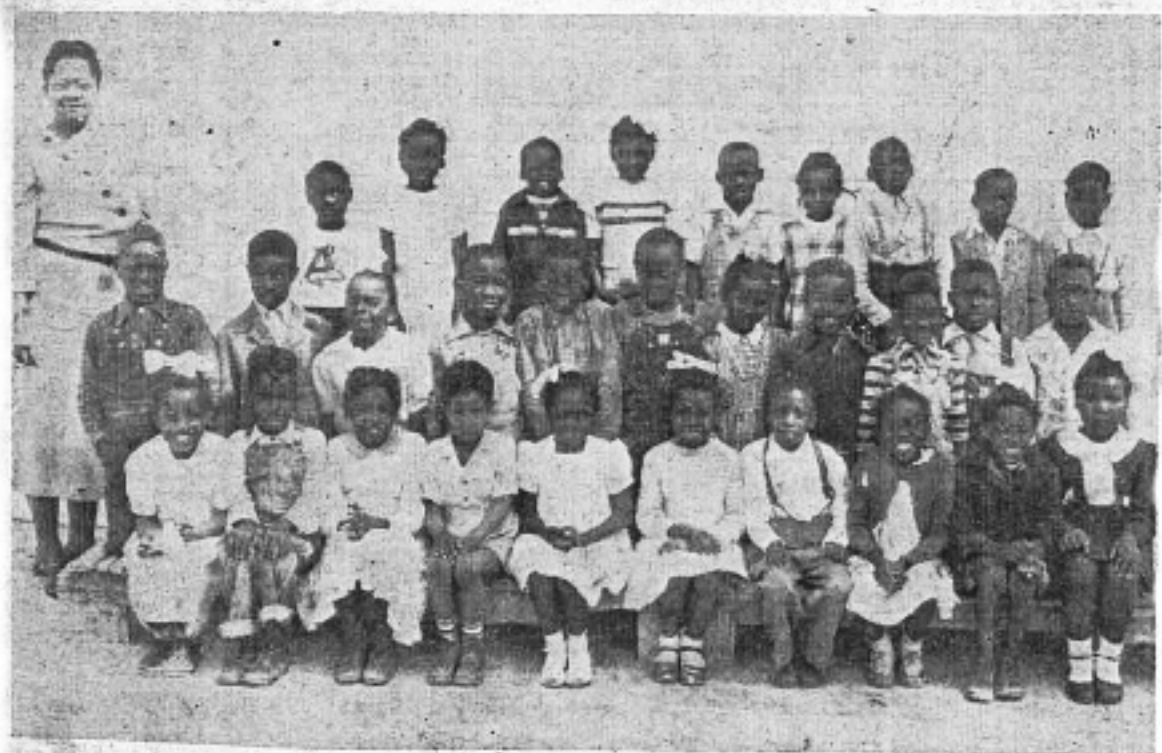


FIRST GRADE — A

Sitting—Lola Faye Jones, Dewitt Thomas Henry, Shirley Gean Wilson, Lela Earl Smith, Edward Kees, Gene Autry Collins, Annie Murphy, Billy Gean Willis, Lennon Collins, Sybil Marie Johnson, Barbara King, George Smith, Jr.

Kneeling—Nathaniel Harden, Henry Williams, Eve'yn Jones, Wanda Faye Nora, George Nelson, Alfred Williams, Nora Lean Allen, Jessie Hall, Willie James Tatting, Julius Arnold Taylor, Henry Harden.

Standing—Faye Carroll Hatten, Alice Marie Johnson, Mary Masky, Tolbert Triffett, Geraldine Masky, Louise Mathews, Curtis Holden, James Turner, Brenda Palmer, Charles Henry, Betty Flowers, George Lowe, Ella Patterson, Mrs. Gladys Carroll Goff, teacher.

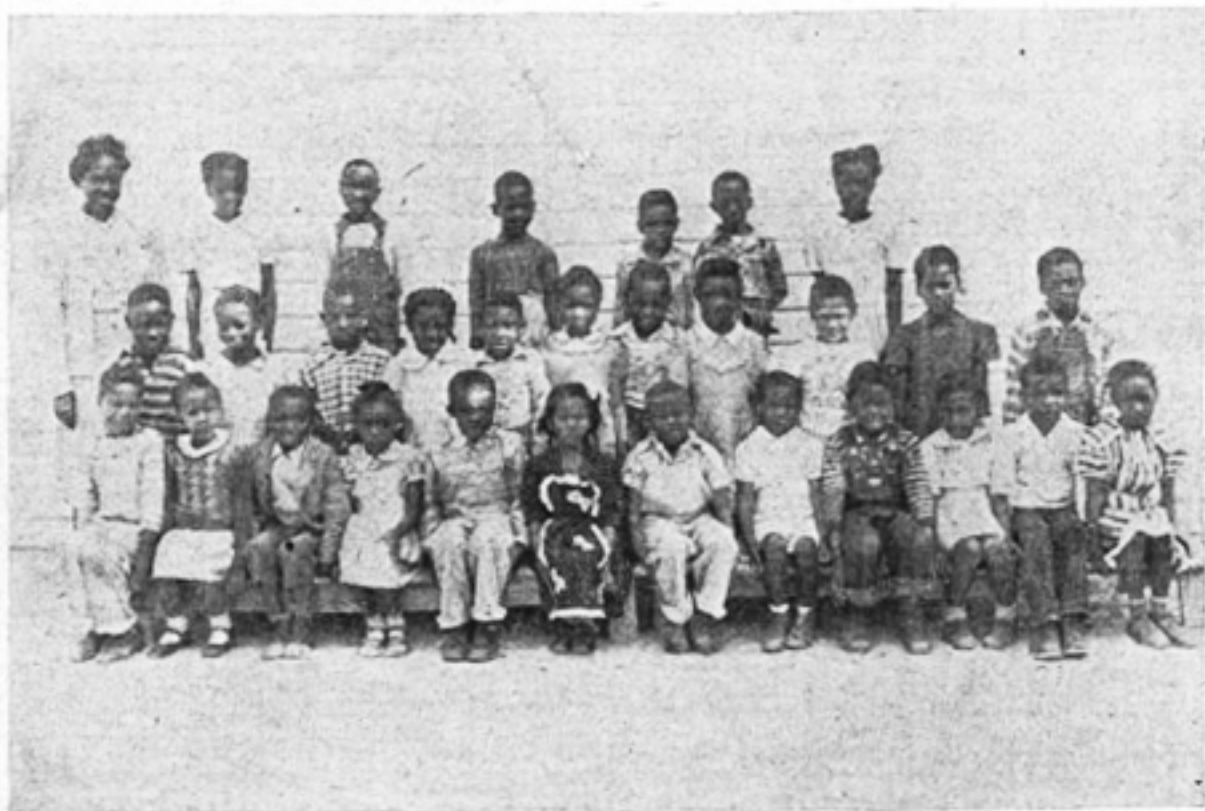


FIRST GRADE — B

Seated, left to right—Lessie B. Huey, T. J. Williams, Gloria J. Brown, George A. Rachel, Eartha Mae Raybon, Rose Marie Page, Arthur W. Dudley, Luvern Crockett, Charlene Jackson, Johnnie M. Johnson.

First row standing, left to right—Wilbert McCain, Edward Powell, Rosa Lee Crane, Charles Lee Carter, Samuel Flowers, Jack Jewett, Velma Lynch, Charles A. Lawson, Lawrence Spikes, Jerry Nichols, Leon Muse.

Second row, standing, left to right—Mrs. W. P. Blackwood (teacher), Jerry Huse, CoOla Briggs, Daniel Boulton, Wadena Johnson, L. C. Lindsey, Frances A. Moran, Samuel Creighton, Fred D. Jones, Wynell Nash.



FIRST GRADE — C

Sitting, bottom row, left to right—Charles Cunningham, Emmer Lee Groham, John Carl Walker, Shelby Jean Walker, James Johnson, Ernie Mae Dunkintell, Isiah Raybon, Elois Dean Mathews, Billy Joe Cherry, Helen Hooper, Mayo Brew and Autermasee Jenkins.

Second row—Henry Walker, Emmer Jean Alexander, John B. Mill, Mattie Mae Hooper, Johnny D. Samuel, Norma Jean Edwards, Uvone Moore, Johnny Ether Farris, J. T. Ford, Betty Joe Farris, and John L. Williams.

Standing—Mrs. Carrie Lee Radford, Morine Jones, Raster Johnson, Mackcell Brown, Leon Todd, U. L. Jackson and Marie Jones.



DELORES MOSS
High Scholastic Record



FLOYDELL GILLIAM
Winner in Dramatic Speaking



JUANITA McCARTY
Winner in Interpretative
Speaking

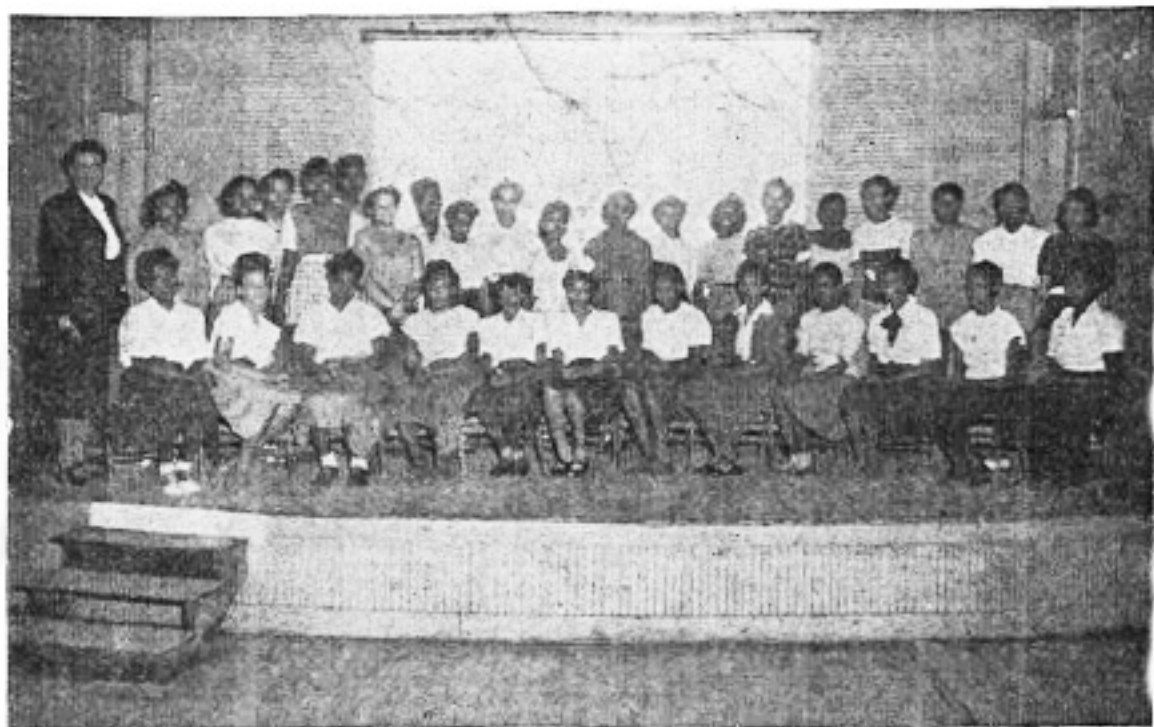


GLEE CLUB



SEXETTE

Mr. Newton at piano. Left to right are Bobbie Dean Robinson, Dorothy Mae Morgan, Urma Leon Dunn, Fredonia Boston, Hellen Locks and Lorine Rufus.



THE NEW HOME-MAKERS OF AMERICA CLUB



THE MODERN MISS CLUB



CHOIR



BAND STUDENTS
Teacher, Miss Nicholson



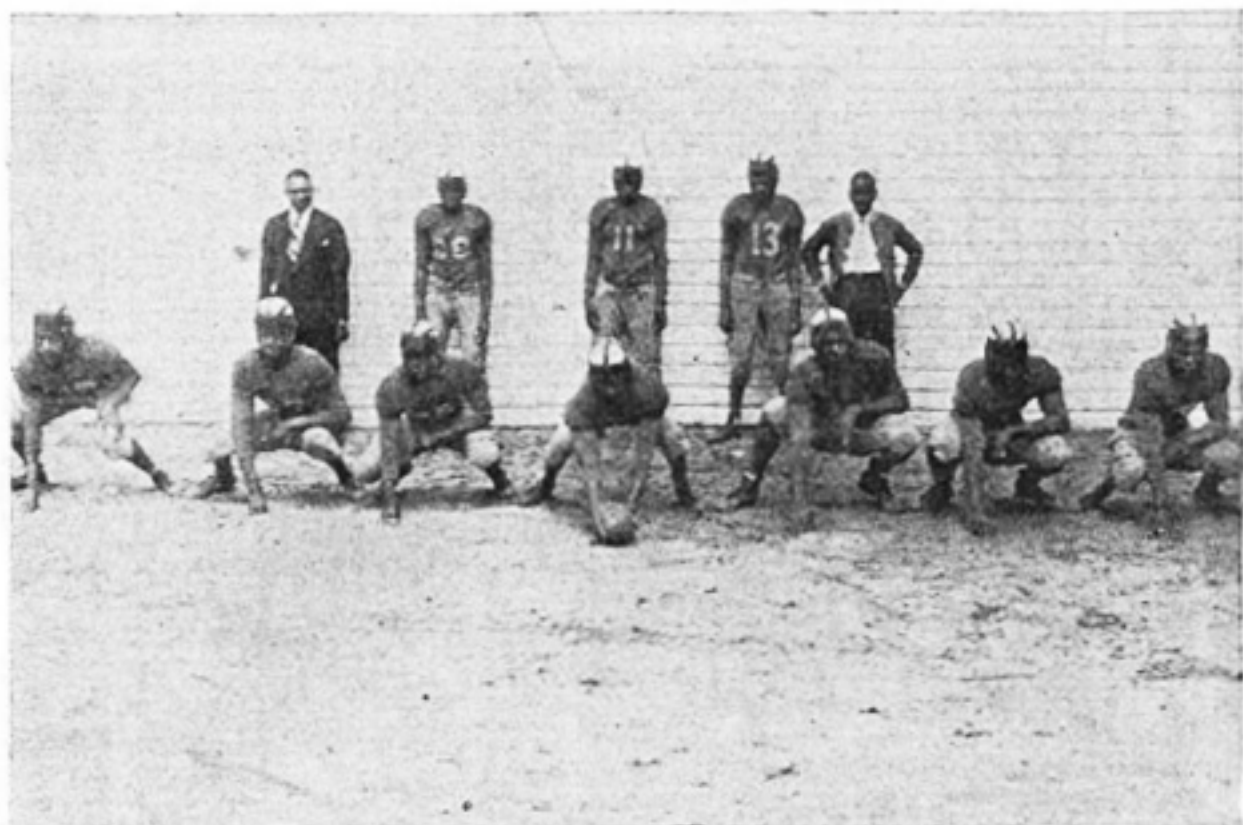
RADIO BROADCASTING PROGRAM

Left to Right—Thaddius Duncan, Bobbie Dean Robinson, Dorothy May Morgan, Mary Lula Dias, Fredonie Boston at "mike" is George Smith, Jr.; Loyd Carpenter, Percell Emanuel, Ruthie Mae Alexander, Mrs. Dupree. Teacher: Carlton Dias.



SCIENCE CLASS

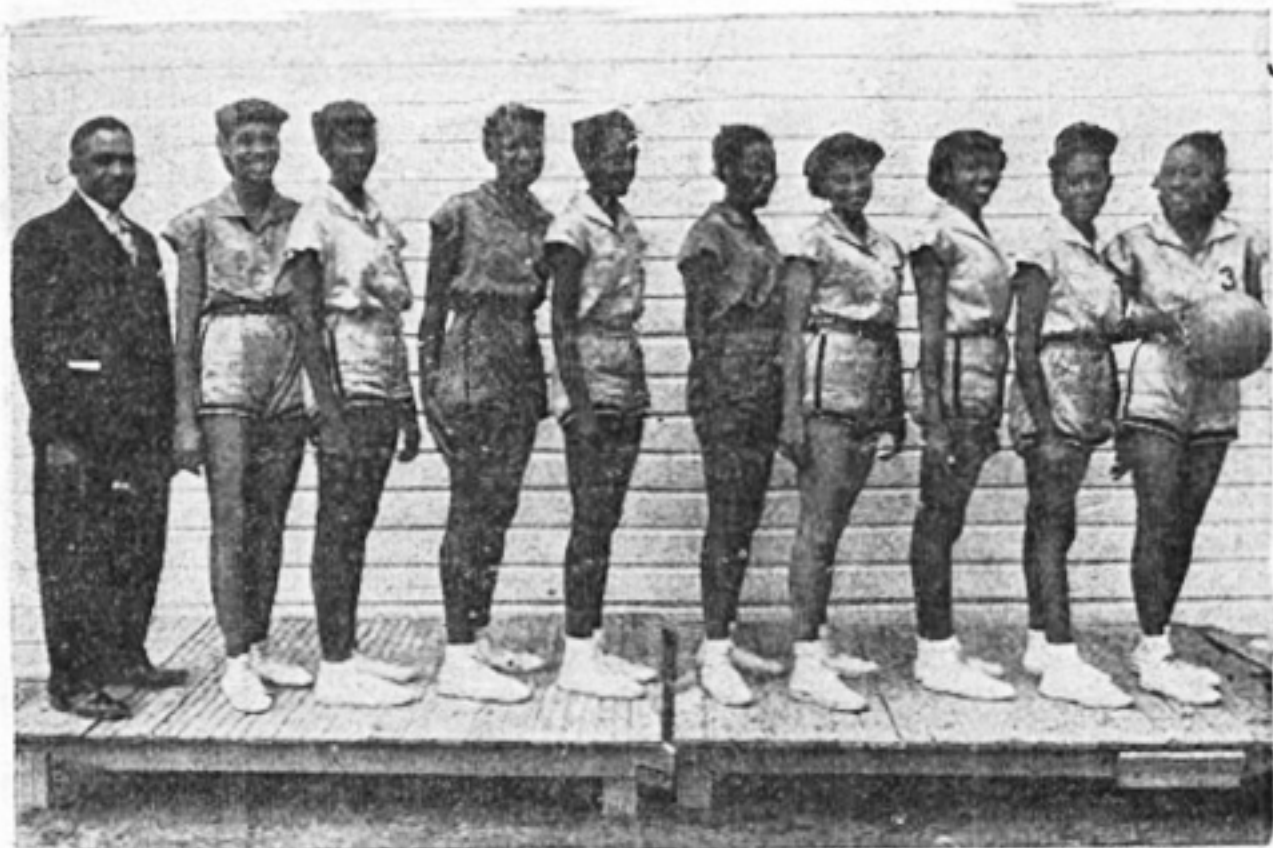
From left to right—C. W. King, Lula Saucer, Willie D. Goff, Burday L. Bradely, Teacher Mr. R. T. Washington.



FOOTBALL TEAM



AGRICULTURE GROUP



GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM



BOYS' BASKETBALL TEAM

Left to right—Thaddues Duncan, Willie D. Goff, George Smith, Otis Jefferson, Melvin Hobby, John L. Shelton, and Ivory Smith.