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ARMOR DAY 1963

The tree was dedicated
to Dr. Joseph P. McKelplin.

Role And Purpose Of The Laboratory School

The Laboratory School of Southern University has a dual role in that it is an integral part of the College of Education and an educational institution which offers a superior quality of training for elementary and secondary pupils. As a part of the College of Education, the Laboratory School provides professional laboratory experiences for prospective and in-service teachers. As an elementary and high school, it provides a well-balanced program of instruction for its students.

In an effort to develop competent individuals and responsible citizens, the Laboratory School, through its curricula and co-curricula activities, seeks to develop socially desirable skills, attitudes and knowledges. In instances where students have unusual abilities or special talents, every effort is made to ascertain this and to provide appropriate guidance and direction for the development of their potentials.

As a result of our overall program, it is believed that all students will become increasingly more self-directing and better able to pursue successfully whatever post-high school endeavors they may choose.





DR. F. G. CLARK
PRESIDENT OF SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
F. G. CLARK, President
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA

February 28, 1966

Class of 1966
Southern University Laboratory School
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

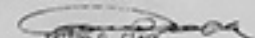
To the Class of 1966:

It is a pleasure to mark the appearance of *The Kitten* for 1966. This production suggests that you have developed a true sense of responsibility; that you value and wish to memorialize the learning experiences provided during the last four years. As you look forward to your graduation from high school, I trust that you will regard it as a primary goal, a commencement of serious preparation for a vocation, an avocation, and a life.

It is to be hoped that the stimulation given by your teachers, the intellectual climate and facilities of the Southern University campus, and the achievements of your predecessors will inspire you to set your standards high and to pursue vigorously the knowledge, skill, and personal integrity that will qualify you for the good life.

I compliment you on the 1966 publication of *The Kitten* and extend to you and your fellow students my best wishes for your success and happiness.

Sincerely yours,


F. G. Clark,
President



DR. W. W. CLEM
Dean Of The College Of Education

SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
SOUTHERN BRANCH WEST OFFICE
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

March 7, 1966

My Dear Pupils in the Laboratory School:

After many months---yes---, years will have passed, the class of '66 will sense, I am sure, the truth to the statement that "high school days are our best days." It is at this point that your 1966 *Kitt* book will prove its great value. That photograph of the Freshman class, of the Junior - Senior "prom," of Miss Southern High and her court, the pictures of your graduation exercises---yes---these and others will enable you both to relive your most precious memories as high school pupils and drive you to realize the possibilities which the Laboratory School has proved you possessed.

It is my fervent hope that nothing will intervene to preclude the fulfillment of this potentiality. There is one decided advantage, looking toward the realization of this hope. It is that the individual determination of each member of the Class of 1966 will be the primary factor in saying what he or she will or will not become.

My best wishes to all of you.

Sincerely yours,


W. W. Clem
Dean

WAC/wj



MRS. I. M. HERSON
Principal of The Laboratory School

SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
SOUTHERN BRANCH POST OFFICE
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA

LABORATORY SCHOOL

March 8, 1966

Dear Students:

You, boys and girls of the Laboratory School are "my life" and "my love."

This could be message enough, for these words indicate my expectations and my hopes for you, but to extend the message further, I say to you -

God has given you life. Live it in such a way that you will make the contributions to it which you ought to make. Do not live ungratefully, but remember all that has been done for you and all that you have received.

May you not live carelessly, or selfishly, but remember that you have received your talents and your time to use, not only for yourselves, but also your fellowman.

Do not live dangerously - flirting with temptation or playing with fire. May you have nothing to do with the things and the pleasures which you know are wrong, but live socially, taking full part in the life, the work and the service of your community.

Finally, be guided by the teachings you have received here, the fundamentals that have been instilled into your young lives and the examples that have been set by those who care.

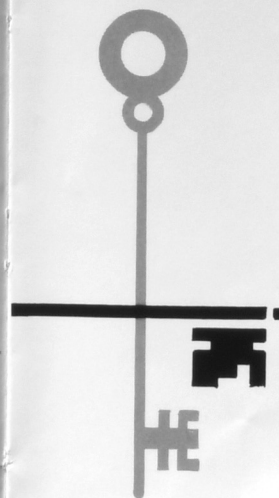
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"Smile and the world smiles
with you"



MRS. ROSE A. CARTER



MRS. LAURABETH H. HICKS, Counselor

The pupil personnel services at the Laboratory School are provided for all students. These guidance functions are an integral part of the total educational program of the school. The development of wholesome, contributing, self-reliant, happy individual is the goal of the pupil personnel program.

All students in junior and senior high school have the opportunity to participate in a face-to-face interview with the school counselor through regularly scheduled interviews for the purpose of orientation, educational planning follow-up or some other personal reason. Students are encouraged to visit the counselor.

The testing program is a part of the pupil personnel services. All students are tested either in the fall or spring and the data are used in helping the student understand his capabilities and limitations and in planning a curriculum to meet student needs.

The pupil personnel services are coordinated by Mrs. Laurabeth H. Hicks. The entire staff contributes and makes use of these services.



SENIORS



Meet The Seniors



ABRAMS, MATHEW



ABNOLEE, DONNA



AUGUSTUS, EDWARD



BARANCO, JUNE



BLACK, CALVIN



BRADFORD, PAMELA



BROWN, MORGAN



BRUNER, ANGELA



CARTER, ALEXANDER

Toward Greater Heights



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CROCGRAM, DAVID



DAVIS, TOMMY



DECUER, TANDRA

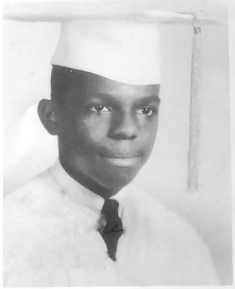


DECUER, WINSTON



DOMINGUE, GERALD

In Youth We Learn; In Age We Understand



EAMES, KIRKLAND



ELLIS, BRENDA



FLEET, WARREN



GALE, CHERYL



GEORGE, LORRETTA



GEORGE, ORETTA



HARDNETT, EDWARD



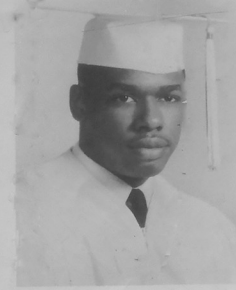
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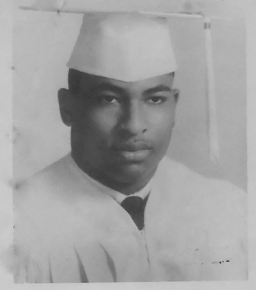
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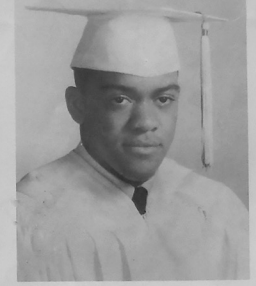
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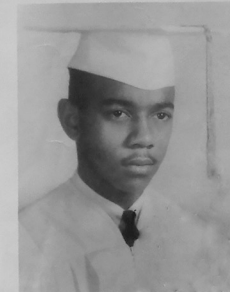
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IRVINE, DIANNE



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JAMES, JUDY



JEMISON, DIANNE

Yesterday Is Our Past... Tomorrow Is Our Future



JONES, CAMILLE



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MOODY, ESTHER



RILEY, CAROLYN



SHORES, CARLESS



LENOIR, HOMER



LLOYD, JOSHUA



MACK, SANDRA



SIMMONS, IRIS



STEWART, CARLUTTE



STEWART, EDMOND



McCLAIN, LARRY



McKINIS, LEONARD



MONTGOMERY, ALLEN



THOMAS, BRENDA



TURNER, FREDDIE



TYSON, RALPH

Man Cannot Be Perfected Without Trials



VERNON, DOROTHY



VINCENT, GERALD



WASHINGTON, MICHAEL



WHEELLOCK, ANGEL



WHITE, ELLA



WILLIAMS, CONNIE



WILSON, JOHN



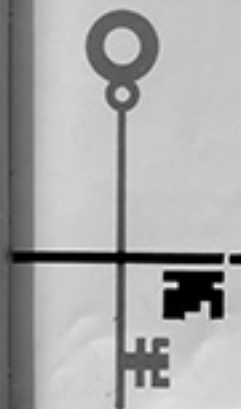
WINDER, EDWIN



YOUNG, JANICE



JUNIORS



Junior Class



Banks, Janet
Baranco, Joseph
Barges, Calvin



Bean, Gilda
Boston, Prince
Cage, Edgar



Clark, Robin
Collins, Bettye
Cooks, Brenda



Croft, Bernice
Davis, Janice
Eames, Warren

Junior Class



Emex, Sylvia
Erienne, Althea
Freeman, Joy



Cant, Brenda
Greenup, Lena
Griffin, Jacqueline



Harrison, Nathaniel
Harrison, Walter
Hooce, Darwin



Jackson, Edwina
James, Nan
Jones, Irvin

Junior Class



Lacour, Michael
Lamotte, Barbara
Lange, Cynthia



Lee, Oweather
Lewis, Scott
Locher, Alvin



Mack, Wilbur
Mays, David
Mayweather, Leonard



McDonald, Bettye
Means, Stephanie
Menon, Larry

Junior Class



Mills, Dede
Moore, Bruce
Mote, Gregory



Mundy, John
Owens, Cynthia
Patis, Charles



Palmer, Jerome
Petty, Carmen
Ponceau, Lester



Poydras, Eugenia
Poydras, LeAndry
Price, Gwendolyn

Junior Class



Richards, Beverly
Roberson, Barbara
Sams, Paulette



Sewell, William
Stepeaux, Benjie
Thomas, Andrew



Trimm, Tanea
Tynon, Gregory
Veal, Benjie



Waller, Julie
Wilford, Roena
West, Robert

Junior Class



Williams, Donald
Williams, Joseph
Hayes, Dwight

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LEFT TO RIGHT: Mrs. Lyndia M. Mims, Music; Mr. James B. Williams, Social Studies; Mrs. Thelma D. Hunt Bradford, English.

ADVISOR'S MESSAGE TO THE STUDENTS OF SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY LABORATORY SCHOOL

An annual serves as a record of past accomplishments. It is a book of memories. As such it does reflect the true temper of the nation and world of which the school is a part. Today, the world is troubled and the American democracy that we hold so dear is facing a severe test at home and abroad. Many of the values your school has tried to impart become more important.

As you take your place in the world, remember that the most vital component part of democracy is human relations--respecting the dignity of the individual and group.

May your future be so planned and managed that the important experiences of your life will bring you both honor and satisfaction.



SOPHOMORES



Sophomores



Barron, Clarence
Baxter, Betty
Bellisere, Ronald



Cage, Melvin
Carter, Doris
Clark, Leroy



Cocks, Linda
Craig, Walter
Croft, Linda M.



Culbert, Linda
Cunningham, Carmen
Davis, Bill

Sophomores



Donahue, Jocelyn
James, Coleen
James, Nedra



Foster, Linda
George, Matthew
Gray, Charles



Green, Mary
Hardisty, Reginald
Harrison, Nicholas



Henton, Raynard
Hinds, Mark

Sophomores



Hoover, Ricardo
Jackson, Joyce
Jenkins, Cynthia



Jewell, Rodgers
Jones, Brenda
Jones, Linda



Johnson, Charlene
Johnson, Peggy
Keys, Willie



Lemon, Alvin
Lloyd, Bruce
Mack, Brenda

Sophomores



Maloney, Carl
Mills, Wanda
Moore, Patricia



Owens, Lurey
Patti, Ronald
Plummer, Joseph



Poydras, Cynthia
Price, Betty
Robinson, Wanda



Sims, Rudolph
Slaughter, James
Smith, Edith

Freshmen



Barrow, Larry
Bean, Earl
Bouligny, Kathy



Bradford, Toni
Brown, Althea
Brown, LaGretta



Brown, Pamela
Burchell, Gregory
Catherine, Gaynell



Cole, Derek
Collins, Belito
Craig, Bruce

Freshmen



Dario, Kenneth
Fleet, Barry
Gaines, Judge



Gitt, James
Harris, Dianne
Harris, Thelma



Hayes, Cynthia
Haynes, Angeline
Jones, Ulysses



Lawrence, Gilda
Lusk, Debra
Masingale, Glenda

Freshmen



McClain, Gerald
McNair, Hedy
Moody, Sarah



Moore, Selena
Owens, William
Parham, Rita



Patis, Melody
Poussiau, Kerry
Poydian, Dianee



Robinson, Ivel
Sams, Carolyn
Sims, Debra

Freshmen



Mason, Debra
Sampson, Jerry
Sampson, Lurlene



Stack, Chauncey
Slaughter, Ronald
Spearman, Lynn



Stewart, Victor
Swan, Virginia
Terry, Peggy



Williams, Wendel
Williams, Willie
Williams, Winfred

Freshmen

Wilson, De Wayne
Veal, Joan



JR. HIGH



Eighth Grade



Alcorn, Renee
Armstrong, Sandra
Barges, Brenda
Barrow, Leo



Bates, Denise
Belliaroe, Frances
Bernard, Nancy
Berry, Deborah



Bremer, Rhoderic
Christensen, Patricia
Clark, Gwendolyn
Craig, Ronald



Davis, Leo
Donahoe, Jesse
Fields, Ramel
Forbes, Cheryl



Gordon, Carolyn
Hardsett, Stephany
Harrison, Lincoln
Hinds, Carlos



Howard, George
Jackson, Reginald
Jefferson, Darryl
Jenkins, Edward

Eighth Grade



Jenkins, Samuel
Johnson, Janis
Jones, Reginald
Lane, Maura



Laurence, Ronald
Lenoir, David
Leonard, Margaret
Lin, Jean



London, Mario
Maloney, Linda
Marshall, Lora
Miller, Danny



Moody, Horace
Moran, Robert
McCoy, Charles
Newman, Rogers



Patterson, Alberteen
Perkins, John
Plummer, Joyce
Robinson, Cynthia



Robinson, Darnita
Sanford, Aldora
Sanford, Leo
Self, Ruth

Eighth Grade



Shaw, Cynthia
Sims, Terrence
Smith, Catherine
Smith, Gregory



Spellman, Iris
Spooner, Joycelyn
St. Amant, Lawrence
Thomas, Terrence



Waller, Kathy
Ward, Joyce
Wilson, Egoria
Yancy, Eric

Seventh Grade



Anderson, Coleta
Anderson, Robert
Baham, Quetta
Bardo, Walter



Burasco, Darryl
Clark, Brenda
Clark, Wayne
Cole, Keith



Davis, Tonita
Deselle, Kathy
Eames, Kasand
Fortcherry, Eva



Gist, Jocelyn
Griffin, Henry
Harris, Edward
Hayward, Olga



Hunt, Redford
Levy, Gloria
Major, Deborah
McDonald, Mada



Mills, Gregory
Povey, Ronald
Robinson, Debra
Self, Deborah

Seventh Grade



Slack, Bisma
Slaughter, Carl
Spearman, Leonard
Sprain, Ebray



Spellman, Oliver
Stewart, Alyce
Stewart, Maria
Stewart, Vanessa



Threman, Don
Wallace, Cleophus
White, Johnathan
Williams, Sandra



Wright, Kinard

ELEMENTARY



Sixth Grade



Butler, Marcia
Bernard, Wayne
Brown, Salaria
Buggs, Edward



Clark, Gary
Craig, Carl
Brown, Cheryl
Davis, Denise



Dawson, Pamela
Eames, Raphael
Freeman, Darryl
Gray, Venessa



Hamel, Linda
Hinds, Constance
Hoscoe, David
Jefferson, Deborah



Lane, Maurice
Lenoir, Lennita
Mamett, Rodrigue
Moore, Eunice



Moore, Gwendolyn
Moore, Jacqueline
Newman, Roy
Pattis, Joseph

Sixth Grade



Perkins, Huel
Sanford, Rose
Simms, Valery
Sims, Shelia



Steward, Vickie
Thomas, Robbye
Wilcox, Eleanor
Wilson, Gerald



Yancy, Ahlen

Fifth Grade



Albert, Sharon
Baranco, Mignon
Bates, Pervis
Batiste, Alvin



Bradford, Anthanor
Brown, Keith
Burb, Darryl
Burrell, Carlton



Clem, Nedra
Cooper, Drexil
Davis, Judith
Dawson, Konrad



Felder, Muriel
George, Francis
Hall, Andrea
Hall, Anthony



Jackson, Raymond
Jemison, Theodore
Johnson, Astry Ben
Joseph, Linda



Kelly, Russell
Lockett, Pamela
Major, Lowell
Mills, Carwin

Fifth Grade



Moody, Charles
Moody, James
Morris, Stanley
Moye, Tanya



Nichols, Kathy
Prentage, Terri
Robinson, Beverly
Swonigan, Howard



Wallace, Lawrence
Wheelock, Rex
White, Adrian

Fourth Grade



Batiste, Maynard
Brown, Andrea
Brown, Kevin
Cardona, Eugenia



Davis, Clarence
Dawson, Loraline
Drew, Otis
Freeman, Kevin



Freeman, Willie
Gerald, David
Gin, Roslyn
Goggs, Audie



Hampton, Cedrick
Hedgemon, Jeffrey
James, Louis
Jenkins, Rodney



Johnson, Edward
Johnson, Wynona
King, Sharon
Kiper, Reginald



Lane, Rebecca
Lane, Reginald
Levy, Anita
Masingale, Sonya

Fourth Grade



Nichols, Carol
Padham, Donna
Parker, Wiley
Parr, Rodney



Patterson, Edward
Plummer, Irma
Pony, Steven
Seymour, Clifford



Simms, Kevin
Steward, Brainard
Tyson, Lisa
Ward, Jo Bea

Williams, Debbie
Williams, Donna



Third Grade



Albert, Sonita
Berry, John
Burrell, Earl
Buggs, Clarence



Bursh, Talmaga
Cade, Cherise
Clem, William
Craig, Victor



Lenoir, Ruth
Lockett, Deborah
Major, Lynn
Mays, Stan



Moody, William
Moore, Eugene
Owens, Raymond
Pass, Yolanda



Patterson, Bonnie
Robinson, George
Ricard, Charles
Spears, Joyce



Smith, Luther
Spearmen, Charles
Stewart, Michael
Tyson, Celeste

Third Grade

Ward, Deborah

White, Angela

Wilcox, Meredith

Williams, Michael



Yancy, Clyde



Second Grade



Avery, Otis
Cade, Patti
Clark, Elmore
Field, Debra



Glyn, Doris
Gray, Cornell
Gregg, Colette
Hildeth, Bertina



Hodgemon, Melonie
Hodges, Vernon
Johnson, Lawrence
Johnson, Michael



Jones, Jackie
Jones, Juan
Jones, Monica
Jordan, Jeannie



Lemons, Kathy
Lockett, Cheryl
Minor, Lisa
Newman, Robert



Perkins, Daphne
Perkins, Kevin
Perkins, Patrice
Prestage, James

Second Grade



Sampson, Michael
Stephens, Monica
Stevenson, Maria
Stewart, Kenneth



Sweeney, Mark
Williams, Thomas
Young, Ronald

First Grade



Andeson, Rosalyn
Barrow, Al Bernard
Banks, Harold
Carter, Eric Wendel



Craig, Barry
Cunningham, Lorenzo
Davis, Justin
Drew, Deborah



Fagett, Harry
Fortenberry, James
Glynn, Joyce
Hall, Claudia



Hamilton, Vernita
Harrison, Huelon
Haynes, Lella A.
Hodges, Dirk



Jackson, Ronald
Johnson, Juanita
Jones, Sharon
Minor, Shelia



Moore III, Bradley
Nicholas, Gail
Nicholas, Lloyd
Pass, Wanda

First Grade



Patterson, Lori
Perkins, Myrtle
Posey, Stephanie
Render, Dianne



Rhodes, Geneva
Sampson, Ronnie
Sims, Tonya
Slaughter, Maurice



Smith, Ronald
Turnley, Tamara
Whitfield, Eric
Yancy, Annette

A Salute To The Food Service And Maintenance Personnel



LEFT TO RIGHT: Mrs. A. M. Okorie, Mrs. L. J. George, Mrs. B. Henderson, Mrs. O. Williams, Mrs. L. B. Glynn. NOW SHOWN: Leony Doty, Mrs. H. Hughes, Mrs. A. Scott.

The students and faculty of Southern University Laboratory School salute the fine staff in these services. Without the delicious meals and clean wholesome environment, the students would not be able to function physically and mentally.



Jessie Peterson, J. E. Turner.

NOT SHOWN: Mrs. M. Chambers, L. Chinn, A. Gibson, W. Williams.

OUTSTANDING PERSONALITIES



Favorites



Dianne Marie Irvine
MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Romey Archibald Henderson III
MOST VERSATILE BOY



Cheryl Christine Gale
MOST VERSATILE GIRL

Pamela Renee Bradford
MOST POPULAR GIRL



Favorites



Freddie Turner
MOST POPULAR BOY

Els Eileen Simmons
BEST DRESSED GIRL



Dianne Marie Irvine
MOST STUDIOUS

Alexander Carter
BEST DRESSED BOY



Favorites



Brenda Joyce Thomas
MOST ATHLETIC GIRL

Carlette Ahybia Stewart
MOST HUMOROUS GIRL



Edmond Alfred Stewart
MOST ATHLETIC BOY

Calvin George Black
MOST HUMOROUS BOY



Who's Who

David Willie Mays
STUDENT OF THE YEAR

In his years at Southern High, David has striven to maintain academic excellency. He is a member of the National Honor Society, Mathematics Club, Lettermen's Club, track team, president of his class - an office he has held since his freshman year, and quarterback of the 1965 State Double A champion football team. David is also the recipient of the WXOK Most Outstanding Player Award. In his second year of high school, he received the Athletic Scholarship which is given to the football player who has the highest academic average.



Dianne Marie Irvine
SCHOLARSHIP

Dianne is a most charming and intelligent young lady. She is an outstanding senior who holds the highest average in her class. Dianne is a National Achievement Scholarship winner. She is a member of Ma Alpha Theta (national mathematics club), National Honor Society, a Student Council representative, corresponding secretary of the senior class, Miss Southern High 1965-66, and editor-in-chief of the 1966 yearbook. Dianne was awarded scholarships to attend the Summer Skills Program (Knoxville College, Knoxville, Tennessee, 1964) and the Andover Summer Session (Phillips Academy, Andover, Massachusetts, 1965.)



Who's Who



Roena Wilford
SCHOLARSHIP

Roena, a quiet, personable young lady, has left her mark on Southern High in academic work. She is chairman of the scholarship committee, student council representative, a member of the National Honor Society, Future Teachers of America, and a Student Council monitor. Roena received the Prix O'Honneur Award in French and is the recipient of many honors in the field of science. Along with excelling academically, Roena also excels in sports. She is a three-year cheerleader and a member of the track and tennis teams.

Who's Who



Brenda Cheryl Harris
LEADERSHIP

Throughout her high school years Brenda has given her entire self to the Laboratory School. She is a fine example of outstanding leadership ability among today's youth. Brenda is president of G. A. A., president of the Dance Club, vice-president of the Senior Class, councilman-at-large of the student council, a member of the choir, and a member of the tennis team.

Morgan Cornelius Brown III
LEADERSHIP

Morgan has the natural abilities of a born leader. He is the Senior Class president and past president of the Louisiana State Association of Student Councils. Morgan is a member of the National Thespian Society, the National Honor Society, and Mu Alpha Theta. He is a former student body president, advisor to the student council, and a member of the band. Morgan was a semifinalist in the National Achievement Scholarship Program.



Romey Archibald Henderson III
SERVICE

Romey, an outstanding senior at Southern High, has contributed greatly to the various functions of the school. He is a member of the National Thespian Society, Speech and Drama Club, National Honor Society, track team, band, and Mu Alpha Theta. Romey is a star end on the football team and an amateur poet.



Angel La Vern Wheelock
SERVICE

Angel has constantly exemplified tireless and unselfish service to her school in every way possible. She is presently a member of the National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, the Library Club, a Student Council representative, typist for the Kitten Staff, and one of the editors of the yearbook. She also served as president of her class during her sophomore and junior years.



Camille Louise Jones
ART

Camille, a young lady of many talents, has exhibited excellent work in the field of art. Her leisure is devoted almost entirely to art work. At school she is the vice-president of the Dance Club, sergeant-at-arms of the G.A.A., and a member of the girls' track team. Camille received honors for her work with ceramics.

Brenda Joyce Thomas
ART



Brenda, a young lady of the senior class, has done outstanding work exhibiting her fine skills in art. She has maintained a superior average in art. In her sophomore year, she served as president of the Art Club. Brenda is a member of the National Honor Society, a Student Council representative, and a member of Mu Alpha Theta. Brenda also participates on the track team and the tennis team.



Matthews George
INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Matthews, a young man with many interests, is an outstanding student in Industrial Arts. He is a member of the junior varsity basketball team, Physical Fitness Club, and the track team.



Allen Montgomery
MUSIC

Allen, a senior, has been recognized as an outstanding student in the field of instrumental music. He has been a member of the band for seven years. Allen has shown great potential in music by representing the Laboratory School in the L.I.A.L.O.



Esther Olivia Moody
MUSIC

Esther is an outstanding figure in the field of vocal music. She is a member of the choir, Music Club, and a monitor at Southern High. She has received superior ratings in music.

Cheryl Christine Gale
ATHLETICS

Cheryl, a most energetic young lady, has participated in many activities at Southern High. She is a member of the tennis team, winning the "Most Promising Player" award in her sophomore year and the "Most Valuable Player" award in her junior year. A member of the basketball team in her freshman and sophomore years, she won the "Most Improved Player" award in basketball in her sophomore year. Cheryl also holds membership in the National Honor Society, the Student Council, the National Thespian Society, the Speech and Drama Club, GAA, and the cheerleading squad.



Edmund Alfred Stewart, Junior
ATHLETICS

Alfred, one of the most popular sportsmen at Southern High, excels in football, baseball, basketball, and track. In addition to his outstanding athletic participation, he is also a member of the Jazz Club, the Lettermen's Club, and Ma Alpha Theta.

Who's Who



Dianne Frances Jemison
DRAMATICS

Dianne, an active conscientious worker, has achieved much in the field of Dramatics. She is a member of the National Thespian Society, troop 1662. Last year she received the Best Supporting Actress Award and the Most Promising Actress Award. Dianne is also a member of the high school choir and has received ratings of excellent and superior in vocal music while participating in the L. I. A. L. O.

Freddie Turner
DRAMATICS

Freddie, a very popular senior, has shown excellence in the skills portrayed in the field of dramatics. He is the president of the Speech and Drama Club, president of the National Thespian Society, troop 1662 and sergeant-at-arms of the Student Council. Freddie also participates in the choir and band. In addition to all of these attributes, he is an outstanding basketball player.



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Miss Sweetheart - Prince Charming And Court



LEFT TO RIGHT: Wanda Gale, Wayne Vincent, Cheryl Gale, Allen Montgomery, Gwendolyn Price, Alexander Carter, Barbara Lamotte, Ronney Henderson. MISS SWEETHEART AND PRINCE CHARMING 1965 - Wanda Gale and Wayne Vincent.

GAA President Presents Token To Miss Sweetheart



LEFT TO RIGHT: Cheryl Gale, Gwendolyn Price, Brenda Harris, Barbara Lamotte.

Yearbook King And Queen



Tommy Leroy Davis
and
Pamela Tamul Bradford

Yearbook Queen And Court



LEFT TO RIGHT: Pamela
Bradford, Tommy Davis, Nan
L. James, Gregory Moton.



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Science Seminar



Honor Society



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Paul Domingue



Paul Domingue, Donald Wheelock and Bernard
Lacour



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TODAY
1965-66
"THE REMARKABLE INCIDENT AT CARSON CORNERS"
three-act drama by Kristin Sergel

ONE-ACTS

"The Finger of God"
"Poor Old Jim"

Morgan Brown
Freddie Turner
Lena Greenup



ONE-ACTS

"Which Is the Way to
Boston"
"The Lottery"

Carlyle Chapman
Mark Hinds
Eric Simmons

Scenes from "Remarkable Incident"



Morgan Brown
Rodney Higgins
Horace Chase

Walter Haynes
Edwin Winder
Ricardo Hoover



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Modern Dance



MODERN DANCE

Developing the fundamental skills of modern dancing is the main objective of our modern dance classes. Other objectives include: grace, poise, agility, charm, and general dancing techniques. Black leotards and tights are worn as the attire for the course.

Members of the classes enjoy showing their creative abilities in performing dances. These dances are presented at the annual May Night sponsored by the physical education department headed by Mrs. Nell Rose Jordan.

Lettermen's Club



Cheerleaders



Physical Fitness Club



Band Boosters



Yearbook Staff



STANDING: Carlette Stewart, Cheryl Gale, Brenda Harris, Carlyle Chapman, Iris Simmons, Conale Williams, Angela Bruner, Carolyn Riley, Jose Basson, Edward Agustin, Charlette Hayes, Homer Lenior, Winston DeCuir.
SITTING: Camille Jones, Brenda Ellis, Angel Wheeler, Tandra DeCuir, Dianne Irvine, Pamela Bradford, Esther Moody, Sandra Mack, Brenda Thomas.

OUR SINCERE APPRECIATION

It would be extremely difficult for us to pay tribute to any one person, but we can do an adequate job by saluting several persons who have had a great impact on the Kitten staff.

In deepest humility we solemnly salute Mrs. Isabelle M. Herson, our principal, for her interest, cooperation and encouragement; to our advisors: Mrs. Thelma D. H. Bradford, our English teacher, Mr. James Williams, our history teacher; and Mrs. Lyndia Mims, our music teacher, for their patience and guidance; to Mr. S. W. Austin, our photographer, for his untiring service; to the student cooperation; to our parents for their toleration and understanding; to every civic minded person who is interested in quality education; and to our advertisers for their support.



Football



LINE

STANDING: Ralph Tyson, Scott Lewis, Owen Lange, Leonard McKines, Allen Montgomery. KNEELING: William Sewell, Mathew Abrams, Alvin Lemmons, Tyonne Lastrapes.

ENDS

LEFT TO RIGHT: Calvin Black, Wayne Vincent, Amol Jack, Lamey Owens, Alfred Stewart, Roney Henderson.



Football



BACKFIELD

STANDING: David Mays, Wilson Decuir, Larry McClain, Walter Haynes, John Wilson, Joshua Lloyd, Larry Meason. KNEELING: Bruce Lloyd, Rodney Higgins, Curtis James, Edgar Cagle, Idrand Auguston, Alvin Lockett. NOT SHOWN: Alvin Cox.

CHEERLEADERS

Rosie Wilford, Eric Simmons, Brenda Harris, Cheryl Gabe, Charlotte Hayes, Fannell Clark, Pamela Bradford, Bernadine Croft, Carmen Petty, Mauretta Walls, Amanda White, Carlette Spewart.





LEFT TO RIGHT: Captain, Walter Haynes; Co-captain, Leonard McKines.

Roscoe Leonard presenting Coach of the Year Plaque to Coach Larry Owens.



SOUTHERN STATE CHAMPS

FIRST ROW: Walter Haynes, Alvin Lockem, Larry McClain, Mathew Abram, Edward Augustus, Edgar Cope, Curtis James, Reginald Handley. SECOND ROW: Gerald McClain, Tyrone Lastrapes, Alexander Carter, Earl Menon, Joshua Lloyd, Rodney Higgins, John Wilson, Wayne Vincent, Winston Decuir, Donald Parr. THIRD ROW: Samuel Plummer, Lester Pousiau, Alfred Stewart, Allen Montgomery, Owen Lange, Leonard McKines, Larry Owens, Leonard Mayweather, Alvin Lemmons, Carlyle Chapman. FOURTH ROW: Ralph Tyson, William Sewell, David May, Scott Lewis, Bruce Lloyd, Jerome Palmer, Calvin Black, Romeo Henderson, Amos Jack. NOT SHOWN, Alvin Cox.

Basketball



Varsity Basketball Team

STANDING: Scott Lewis, Freddie Turner, Leonard McKines. KNEELING: Curtis James, Larry McClain, Arnel Jack, Alfred Stewart, Leonard Mayweather.

Senior Varsity Basketball Team

STANDING: Alfred Stewart, Donald Williams, Freddie Turner, Arnel Jack, Larry McClain, Winford Williams. KNEELING: Leonard McKines, Leonard Mayweather, Tabor Augustus, Edwin Winder, Curtis James, John Wilson.



Basketball



Junior Varsity Basketball

STANDING: Ronald Patten, Alvin Lemmons, Ulysses Jones, Bruce Lloyd, Lamey Owens, Gerald McClain. KNEELING: Clarence Runon, Melvin Cage, James Slaughter, William Owens.

Junior Varsity Basketball

STANDING: James Slaughter, Alvin Lemmons, Ulysses Jones, Lamey Owens, Ronald Patten. KNEELING: Melvin Cage, William Owens, Carl Stewart, Gerald McClain, Clarence Runon, Rogers Jewell.



Girls' Tennis Team



TOP: Cheryl Gabe, Poulette Saint, Mauretta Waller, Julie Waller, Roana Willard. BOTTOM: Cynthia Poydra, Brenda Thomas, Nedra Eames.

Boys' Tennis Team



Tommy Leroy Davis
Donald R. Williams
Kirilland Eames

Baseball Team



Track Team



Saluting: Coach Larney E. Owens



Coach Larney E. Owens

which cannot be attributed to any of his classification opponents, but despite this Coach Owens has carved an imposing record.

His total football record in 122-40-4 and includes three Louisiana State Championships, 1947-49 and again in 1965. His Kittens were State runner-ups in 1948.

Coach Owens has developed over a dozen outstanding football players, including George McGee who played professionally for the Boston Patriots of the American Football League.

Other outstanding Owens-tutored Southern High athletes were, All American quarterback John Thomas, Robert Cook, John Gaines, Lloyd Norward, Willis Wright and McGee, all former Southern University players.

Others were Wesley Bean, a standout at Grambling College, Maurice Haynes of Michigan State and Henry Howard of Kansas State.

As coach of Basketball, Track, Tennis and Baseball, Coach Owens' teams have won many laurels. Numerous district championships have been won in basketball, but he is yet to win a state title.

Track stars developed by Coach Owens include Thomas who was SWAC champion, Vanderbilt Sewell, a Scotlandville businessman who was a LIALO hurdles champion, Norwood, a former high jump champion and record holder, and Howard who held the state record in the low hurdles.

Larney E. Owens, Jr. was born in Englewood, New Jersey. His pre-college education was in the public schools of Englewood and he chose Hampton Institute for undergraduate college training and Columbia University for advanced study and the M. A. Degree.

Coach Owens' coaching experiences includes Voorhees N & I School, Social Federation Team coaching in his native Englewood, and in the United States Army.

But the most successful coaching tenure for the former Hampton Institute athlete has been as head coach of all sports at the Southern University Laboratory School.

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Vanderbilt Sewell
Scotlandville Businessman
Paul Batley
Head Coach at St. Tammany



John Thomas
5 U All-American

Yearbook Staff's Dedication



DEDICATION

We, the senior class of 1966, dedicate this annual to the boys and girls of Southern Laboratory School who have placed among our treasured possessions through their excellent performances, the above trophies.

They have made an enviable reputation for their outstanding indications of good sportsmanship, their skills, attitudes and cultural dignity in all areas over the state of Louisiana.

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