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Six Girls Elected Into Tri-H-Y

On Friday, September 20, six happy girls were handed little slips of paper telling them that they had been unanimously elected to membership into the Tri-Hi-Y. All during the next week they were required to wear no make-up and no pins in their hair. They had the honor of going for and walking to school with their initiates, and also entertained the students at lunch time each day. Wednesday night the members were taken up street. They sat on the Court House steps singing and later begged pennies.

The climax of the initiation came when the girls, dressed in their parading outfit, with all kinds of good-smelling perfumes and their make-up put on with great technique, walked up street and put on a show for their spectators, including visiting the police station, who gave them a good welcome.

The girls taken into the Tri-Hi-Y were Mary Jo Sharpe, Shirley Richardson, Nancy Witherspoon, Peggy Wood, Jane Gordon Shoaf, and Martha Cox. The formal candlelight initiation service was held the following week.

Hi-Y Inducts New Members

On Thursday morning, September 19, the Hi-Y club, with Mr. Clayton Gaddy as advisor, inducted the following new members: Hugh Mathis, Zacky Taylor, Pete Clark, Benny Walser, Paul McCrary, T. D. Stokes, Doug Craver, Buddy Bender, Bob Holmes, Charles Price, Bill Blaylock, Jack Swaim, Stanford Tate, Jack Lancaster, Neil Kearns, Johnnie McCrary and "Chub" Wilson. These new members were chosen from the most outstanding boys of the junior and senior classes, their selection being based on the standards of leadership, service, and Christian character.

After being acquainted with the ideals of the club, the new members were given a week of initiation. During this week the initiates wore white shirts, white pants, black shoestrings for a tie, and skullcaps; they carried shoe shine equipment for the purpose of keeping the old members' shoes shined. They were also required to address the old Hi-Y members as Mister and carry out any demands that the members made of them.

On Tuesday night, the initiates met uptown and shined shoes for the benefit of the club. Later that night the boys ran certain errands such as: copying inscriptions off of tombstones, getting autographs, and finding hidden skulls and bones.

To complete the initiation the initiates were taken for a short trip in the country and made to hike their way back. Altogether the initiation proved to be a big success and was enjoyed by all persons who witnessed the fun-making.

This event begins the functions of the Hi-Y club for the year.

Coach Gaddy New Hi-Y Advisor

At the first meeting of the Hi-Y, Mr. Clayton Gaddy was unanimously elected advisor for the club for 1946-47. Mr. Gaddy is an alumnus of Catawba College and is now assistant athletic coach here. He is very efficient, and the Hi-Y considers it a privilege to have him for an advisor. A good year of active service is predicted for the club.

Yellow Jackets To Meet Children's Home Tonight

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- C—Chub Wilson
- RG—Charles Price
- RT—Johnny Newell
- RE—Stuart Brown.
- QB—Bill Eanes

Delegates to Boys' State



Above are pictured the six boys who attended Boys' State at the University of North Carolina in early September. Reading left to right they are: Woody McKay, Hubert Olive, Paul Williams, Jake Cross, and Bob Peeler.



—By Sue Hooper

I, being a Senior, am really lucky. The seniors of this year are enjoying the privileges of being the only class in the history of L. H. S. allowed to remain two years as seniors. Really, we aren't complaining, because having to graduate seems rather sad to most of us.

Another change in the history of Lexington High School is that we have more students enrolled this year than ever before. This is due to the fact that there was no graduating class last year, and we have a new class of freshmen. Speaking of the freshmen, have you upperclassmen thought lately about how the freshmen must feel in this large crowd? When you were freshmen you know how you felt, but imagine how the freshmen feel this year. They must feel rather uncertain and a little out of place so let's try to make them feel welcome and wanted. After all, without the freshmen how could we get along? They are just as much a part of high school as the upperclassmen.

Mrs. Hedrick said this year that she knew all the students but now she had to learn the teachers. She is right, because there are more new teachers this year than ever before. Mrs. Hedrick and Miss Walser are the only teachers who have been here for over five years. Hats off to two of the swellest teachers we know. We're lucky to be able to keep them.

We really are honored to have fifteen veterans here at school. Several are playing football and all are taking an active part in all the school activities. They're a swell bunch of fellows and we really like all of them a lot.

What do you think about some of our recent Alumni teaching school? Jean Craver is teaching the eighth grade at Davis-Townsend and Harold Sink is making a good typing teacher at Davis-Townsend. I guess we have never realized that Lexington High School turns out such smart people. Jean graduated two years ago and Harold graduated last year. They are starting out soon, but that goes to show what L.H.S. can do.

Mr. John H. Crocker is our new band director and are we glad! He is a graduate of the University of Michigan and was band director of Carlton, Michigan. Welcome to our high school, Mr. Crocker.

The cheerleaders are doing a great job this year and next year there will be a super squad also. There is a senior and a junior squad working this year. The seniors are coaching the juniors in the art of cheerleading. The juniors get to lead some yells this year, but next year they will do it all. It's a pretty good system. Just wait till you see next year's cheerleaders and draw your own conclusions.

We should have some good plays this year with the addition of the dramatics course. Anyway we hope to have several plays. Mrs. Lewis, the teacher, is a new addition to the faculty. The students who are taking dramatics seem to think it very interesting, so if that's the case they should let the rest of us know about their work. Here's hoping we'll be having many interesting programs from the dramatics class.

Everybody enjoyed their summer vacation very much, but most of us were really glad to go back to school even if we didn't admit it. Let's start this year out right and make it the best. What do you say?

Till the next issue of the LEXHIPEP—so long!

LH—Paul Williams
 FB—"Stinky" Gibson
 RH—Jimmy Johnson
 Lexington's attack will be led by Williams and Gibson, both of whom have done excellent running this year. The Yellow Jackets will probably take to the air with Williams throwing and Eanes, Clark, and Johnson on

the receiving end. Lexington's forward wall has done excellent defensive play this year, and Children's Home will have to do some hard running if they expect to break this line. Fans will witness one of the toughest games of the season with many thrills and upsets before the final whistle.

L. H. S. Headliners

—Mary Sue Thomason

"Some more pencils, some more books,
 No more courtin' in shady nooks."

Gee, as the years go on we get more poetic—believe it?

If you ever read the column that was in this place last year, you know it was called "Tip Toppers," but "so long, thou good and faithful friend," we are renaming you L. H. S. Headliners. (All means the same thing, really.)

Have you ever seen so many people? Isn't it thrilling? (And especially when we have a Pep Meeting.) A little freshman asked what was a "pet" meeting. Keep up the good spirit and pep and everybody will be happy!!

What's wrong with Gerry Butler's eyes? Isn't she awake yet? Oh, I see now, she is just laughing. But if you have ever noticed when she laughs, her eyes do close. Gerry has this popular thing called personality, and it really takes her places!!

Seems that I have heard that voice in the LEXHIPEP room before — Shucks! I know I have now 'cause it's T. D. Stokes (better known as Tommy, I think!) Yep! Tommy's on the LEXHIPEP Staff and a "rite brite feller," too. No joking, Tommy does have what it takes to make an L. H. S. Headliner—with all his wit and stuff, 'cause personality goes with that. He's okay! (Ain't you, Tommy?)

Do you know somebody? Well, if you don't it's my pleasure to introduce Jane Strelitz. She's one of the Junior cheerleaders, and, boy! is she good! (Well, she is!) Jane's in other things, too, but you know why, don't you? 'Cause she's just a good little ole girl and knows how to be a friend. Must I say more?

Next, we find Sonny Timberlake on our minds (not only ours, either! Right?) You know him because his daddy always let's us have a truck for Homecoming. Sonny will be one of our best football players just as soon as he is old enough. Just you wait and see!

Last, but not least, here's "Teenie" Redwine! You probably already know she is an eighth grader. She's going to make one of our leaders, too, because that personality she has is "super". Always a smile and a "hello!"

Until next month, when we'll meet again, farewell.

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