

1948 FACULTY INCLUDES NEW MEMBERS



Front row—left to right: Miss Betty McCrary, Miss Francis Sugg, Miss Erleen Stevenson, Miss Mary Casper, Miss Jean Brooks, Mrs. C. E. Bernhart, Miss Mary Kept Bunn. Second row—left to right: Mr. Harold Bowen, Miss Edna Earl Poyner, Mr. Frank L. Clark, Mrs. H. W. Marsh, Mr. Belford Wagner.

**New Teachers**  
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teacher, is from Hattiesburg, Miss. She received her M. R. E. degree from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary and a B. A. degree from the Mississippi Southern. Miss Poyner taught in Mozelle, Mississippi before coming here.

Miss Mary Erma Casper, from New London, N. C., graduated from W. C. U. N. C. with an A. B. degree in biology. Last year she taught in Henderson, N. C. Miss Casper teaches general science, biology and physics.

Princeton, N. C., is the home of Miss Frances Sugg. Upon graduation from Greensboro College, she received her A. B. degree. She majored in English and minored in French. Before coming to Lexington, Miss Sugg taught in Mocksville, N. C., and is now teaching tenth grade English as well as being an advisor for the Lexicon.

**New Eighth Grade Teachers**

Miss Betty McCrary teaches science and health. She graduated from Greensboro College and has taught one year at Davis-Townsend. Her home is here in Lexington and she is an L. H. S. graduate and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. McCrary.

Mrs. C. E. Bernhardt, another teacher from Lexington, graduated from the University of North Carolina. She taught at Boyden High in Salisbury.

Mr. F. L. Clark received his B. S. degree from W. C. T. C. He has taught at Griffith, S. C., and Winston-Salem and now teaches math and health. Mr. Clark is originally from Asheville, N. C., but now lives on Rt. 2, Clemmons, where he owns a farm.

Both the high school and eighth grade teachers' first impressions of the school have been favorable. Several comments have been made on how systematically the school functions and how well the students have taken advantage of the extra curricular activities. If the students will let these teachers, as well as the others, keep their opinions of them as they are now, indeed, this will be a fine and prosperous year for both the students and faculty.

**L.H.S. EXTENDS SYMPATHY**

Nancy Freeman, fifteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Freeman, died at Lexington Memorial Hospital, September 27, 1948. She would have been a sophomore this year and will be greatly missed by her many friends. A fine student, Nancy was always interested in books, and her art work was excellent as was her musical talent. The students and faculty extend deepest sympathy to her family in this time of bereavement.

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**HI-Y AND TRI HI-Y HOLD INITIATION**

On page one is found a picture of the Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y initiates who created much amusement in the school the week of October 4th. Boys initiated were Jimmy Redwine, "Sonny" Timberlake, Don Leonard, Marvin Crow, Ross Ritchie, Buddy Beck, Clay Vann Clark, Bobby Leonard, Anglos Lindsey, Jack Evans, Charles Harris, Carroll Leonard, Buddy Foster, Ronnie Gordon, Fred Doby, Harold Carter and Jimmy Thomason.

The girls initiated into the Tri-Hi-Y were Evelyn Fulbright, Jean Lohr, Juanita Smith, Agnes Wilson, Mary Nell Lopp, Colleen Story, Pattie Sue Bates, "Mike" Siceloff, Nancy Koonts, Sarah Tussey, Jeannie Cross, Peggy Costner, Carolyn Koonts, Martha Hooper, Jo Ann Blackwelder, Patsy Nance and Betty Jean Saunders.

Officers of the Hi-Y are Ralph Craver, president; "Ang" Lindsey, vice president; Marvin Crow, secretary; and Jim Dillon, treasurer.

The Tri-Hi-Y is being run efficiently by Carolyn Swing, president; Jean Rollins, secretary; and Barbara Ritchie, treasurer.

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**Hors d'Ouvres**

By Harriet Leonard

Welcome back, pupils, to Lexington High  
And a hearty "hello" to each gal and guy.

The brunette, the redhead, the blond, and the black,  
Even if you're peroxide, we welcome you back.

Our new students, also, we're glad to see;  
We hope you'll be happy as you can be.

The ones with the bow legs, the pigeon-toed, too,  
The freckles, the glasses; they look swell on you;

The tall ones, the short ones, the fat, and the thin,  
We won't hesitate to let you join in.

Our dear teachers (bless 'em) are back with us too,  
Planning nice problems and quizzes to do.

And a deep bow to our new teachers here,  
We hope that you'll like us and have a good year.

To the rest of the school staff who work for our good:  
We give you our promise to act as we should,

And regard our High School with highest esteem.  
And, oh yes, good luck to our grand football team.

And so,  
The teacher, the student, the giggler, the talker,  
The loafer, the reader, the player, the walker,

Whoever you are, we cannot deny,  
You'll always be welcome at Lexington High.

Here are some musical topics so that you can start each school day with a song:

1. "Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life"—French grammar.
2. "All the Things You Are"—Chemistry formulas.
3. "Blues In the Night"—Math problems.
4. "Always"—Homework.
5. "Consolation"—A's and B's on report cards.
6. "Sympathy"—I don't know the answer, either.
7. "Take It Easy"—Gym exercises.
8. "We Did It Before and We Can Do It Again"—Beat Barium.
9. "One o'Clock Jump"—Back to school after lunch.
10. "Speak Low"—Whispering in class.
11. "The Very Thought of You"—Exams.
12. "All In Fun"—Study Hall.
13. "Pretending"—Dramatics Class.
14. "Time On My Hands"—Summer vacation.
15. "Shoo-Fly Pie and Apple Pan Dowdy"—Home Ec cooking class.
16. "Say It Isn't So"—Surprise quiz.
17. "I Don't Know Why"—Usual answer on tests.
18. "A Perfect Day"—No work.
19. "The Lost Chord"—To be found by our band this year.
20. "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen"—Getting ready for the homecoming parade.
21. "My Hero"—The boy that makes the touchdown.

And now, to end on a Halloween "note":

**The Spooks Hit Parade**

1. I Ain't Got No Body.
2. Who?
3. I Haven't Got a Ghost of a Chance.
3. Jeepers Creepers.
5. Haunted Heart.
6. You Came Along From Out of Nowhere.
7. Out Of This World.
8. Ridin' On the Moon.
9. There's No You.
10. That Old Black Magic.

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