

# 249 Taking Physical Ed In New GHS Gym

A vastly improved and enlarged Physical Education program greeted the Goldsboro High School students on their return to school this year. Now that the new gym has been completed, a much greater field of activity can be offered to GHS students.

For the first time this year, all freshmen are being required to take one class of physical education. There are in all 249 students taking this course. Coaches Clyde Whitener, Norris Jeffrey and Bill Causey teach the boys while Mrs. George Whitted has charge of the girls.

Throughout the day, there are eight periods of physical education. Also, in each class there are upperclassmen who assist the coaches.

This is the first time in a very long time that physical education has been offered to girls. Mrs. Whitted is new in GHS but is certainly not new to teaching. Before coming to GHS, she taught in Wilmington, N. C., Richmond, Va., and Palm Beach, Fla. Mrs. Whitted has four classes of phy-

sical education and teaches 118 students. Recently, they have been playing soccer and speedball. Mrs. Whitted was graduated from Woman's College in Greensboro and the University of North Carolina.

The other new physical education director and member of the coaching staff is Mr. Clyde Whitener. Coach Whitener was graduated from Wake Forest College. While there, he lettered two years in football and three years in baseball. He is, however, far from new to the people in Goldsboro. He played professional baseball for the Goldsboro Goldbugs for three years and then for the Goldsboro Cardinals for one year. Coaching assignments in GHS are assistant Varsity football coach and Jayvee basketball coach.

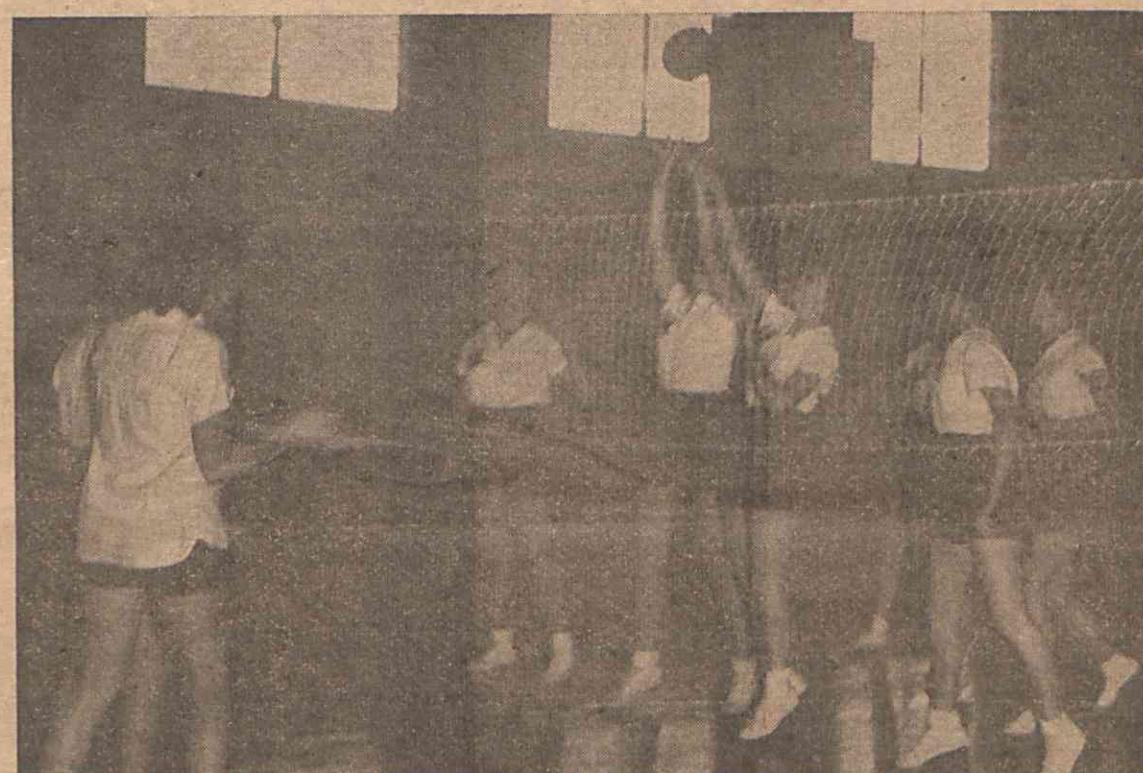
Head of the entire Athletic Department of GHS is Coach Norris Jeffrey. Coach Jeffrey has two classes of physical education and has 62 students. He is also head tennis coach and Jayvee coach. He has been at GHS for quite some time. He came here in 1936, left in 1942, and returned in 1944. He was graduated from State College and University of North Carolina.

Coach Bill Causey is the other physical education director. Coach Causey has two classes of physical ed and 69 students. He came to GHS in 1948 as head Varsity football coach. He is also Varsity basketball coach. Coach Causey was graduated from Elon College.

The last member of the coaching staff but far from the least is a man who calls himself, "the war products," Mr. Anthony Blyskak. Coach Blyskak came here in 1946. He graduated from State Teachers College and Bucknell University in Pennsylvania. He is now assistant head of the Athletic Department and assistant Jayvee football coach.

Another new addition to the GHS Athletic Department is the Girls Athletic Association. This is an organization of all girls who wish to join. Pins, stripes, stars, letters, and shields will be awarded to those girls outstanding in sports.

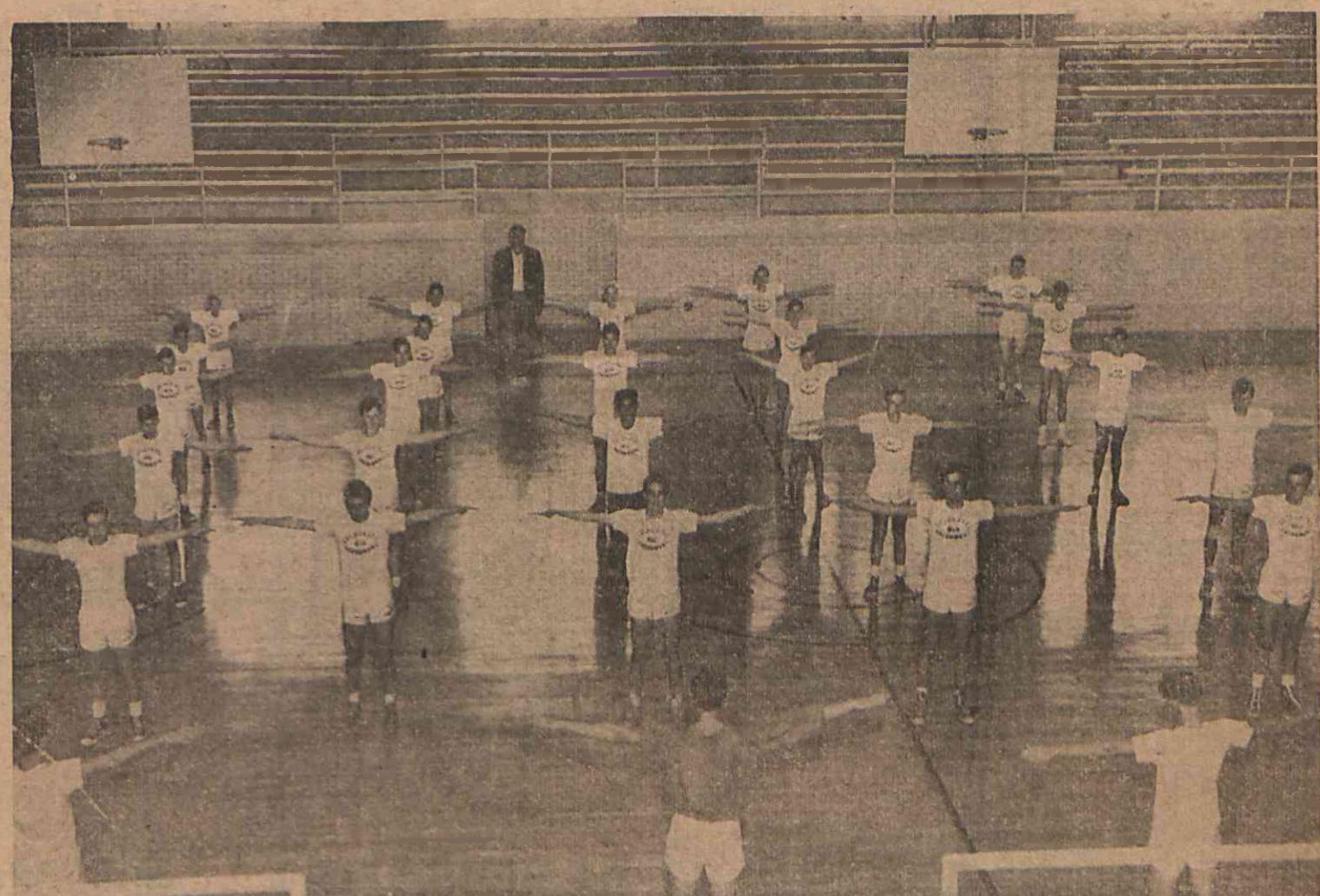
Also being tried out for the first year are the assistants in the physical education classes. Those assisting Coach Jeffrey are Needham Jones, Billy Gibson, Bobby Bryan, Bobby Martin, Carl Millard, Braston Keen, Billy Thornton, and Willard Carlyle. Those assisting Coach Causey are D. C. Daughtry, Bud Ellis and Eugene Keen.



Pictured above is a girls' physical education class. Under the direction of Mrs. George Whitted, the girls are enjoying a game of volleyball.



The Physical Education instructors and coaches at GHS are shown above. They are Mrs. George Whitted, Coach Bill Causey, Coach Norris Jeffrey, Coach Clyde Whitener, and Coach Anthony Blyskak.



A boys' gym class, under the direction of Coach Bill Causey, who is pictured in the rear of the photo.

## Fire Drills Are Staged Recently

As a part of Fire Prevention Week, October 12-17, students of Goldsboro High School had three practice fire drills. The first two were a little slow. The last one was very successful, according to Fire Chief Wesley Howell of the Goldsboro Fire Department.

The building was cleared on an average of about two and one-half minutes. Closing of windows and doors and no talking were stressed throughout the drills. Bobby Bryan, chairman of the building and halls committee, conducted the drills.

## New Friends Pastor Speaks At Assembly

Reverend Frank Long, new pastor of the Friends church in Goldsboro, spoke to G.H.S. students Friday, October 26. His text was taken from the Book of Acts.

Three points of his talk concerning David were his service, his generation and his service to God.

Eight girls of the G.H.S. glee club sang, "When I Survey That Wondrous Cross."

Reverend Mr. Long pronounced the benediction.

## Spanish Club Will Have Own Song

Red and yellow, the colors of the Spanish flag, were chosen as the official colors of the Spanish Club at its first meeting this year on October 18.

Montee Maddox and Shirley Hadden were appointed to write a song for the club. Red and yellow roses were chosen as club flower.

The group voted to continue under the same name it had last year, "Los Conquistadores."

Vice President Robert Bedford presided at the meeting in the absence of the president, William Ginn.

## Sophs Discuss Freshman Week

A lengthy discussion on Freshman Week featured the recent Sophomore class meeting held in the GHS auditorium with Jimmy Askins, president, in charge.

As a result of this discussion it was decided that Freshman Day would be held this year. Freshmen would wear costumes and carry out the usual initiation pranks.

Incoming Sophomores will decide whether initiation will be held next year.