

Twelve Members Of Graduating Class At Glade Valley School This Year

Girls Outnumber Boys; Class Has Made Fine Record

Eight Girls And Four Boys Make Up The 1945 Graduating Class

PLAN CAREERS

Glade Valley has a "round dozen" in the 1945 graduating class. Of this number, there are eight girls and four boys. In spite of having a low percentage of boys, this class is well rounded in many other ways; for it includes students who have made fine records in many activities as well as scholastically. The wartime conditions have prevented the usual sports activities including tournaments, yet many of these graduates have fine athletic records.

Others have made excellent scholastic ratings. Some others have done unusual work in public speaking and dramatics.

Presented here are brief sketches of the graduates, their aims, ambitions and records:

RUBY BROOKS

Ruby, of Glade Valley, was born November 16, 1928. Hobby: Reading. She won the math medal in '42, was secretary of Sunday School class in '43, secretary of class in '44, honor roll 31 months, salutatorian of senior class and class poet. Ambition: To be a school teacher. Motto: "God first, others second, self last."

DEAN F. DUNCAN, JR.

Dean Franklin was born November 24, 1926 and comes from Shelby. Took freshman and sophomore work in Charlotte and came to G. V. in '44. Football '42, '43; basketball '44, '45, stage manager '42, '43, '45; baseball '45; Editor of school paper. Ambition: To be a farmer.

GEORGE LEE ELDRIDGE

George Lee was born August 10, 1928 and is from Glade Valley. He was vice-president of class '42; president of class '44, '45; Basketball team '45; Baseball team '43, '44, '45; vice-president of Literary Society '44; King of Hearts '45; Voted most hand-

some boy in senior class; president of Young People's League '45; Student Council '44, '45. Ambition: To be a man.

DEAN EDWARDS

Dean comes from Glade Valley and was born February 19, 1927. Baseball '42, '43, '45; Student Council '45; Class Prophet, '45. Ambition: To be a farmer. Motto: "Climb though the rocks be rugged."

BETTY JO GENTRY

Betty Jo, who hails from Glade Valley, was born March 13, 1930. She won the history medal in '42; Scholarship medal '43; was treasurer of Sunday School class, '42; Student Council '44, '45; honor roll '42, '43, '44, '45; Basketball '44, '45; vice-president of Literary Society '45; Business Manager of school paper '45; Historian '45; Valedictorian '45. Ambition: To fly an airplane. Motto: "Smile and the world will smile back."

DOROTHY IRENE GRIFFIN

Dorothy Irene is from Srrarat, Virginia and was born September 16, 1926. She attended Blue Ridge high school '42, '43, '44 and came to G. V. in '45. Treasurer of class '42; Secretary and treasurer of Sunday School class '43; Treasurer of Home Economics club '42. Ambition: To become a secretary.

MARJORIE DEAN LYLE

Marjorie Dean was born September 4, 1928 and comes from Glendale Springs. She attended Jefferson high school in '42 and G. V. in '43, '44 and '45. Basketball team '43, '44, '45; captain of basketball team '43; Softball and skating; Secretary and treasurer of Junior class; Student council '45; Editor of senior year book. Ambition: To become a director of religious education. Motto: "Life is a picture, make it beautiful."

NORA OSBORNE

Nora, who comes from Vannoy, was born May 8, 1928. She was president of the class in '43; secretary and treasurer of Sunday School class in '43; Room prize winner '43; Home Economics prize '44; Student Council '44, '45; vice-president of Young People's League '45; Voted best all-round girl '45. Ambition: To become a nurse.

Senior Class And Faculty Members At Glade Valley



These seniors have made fine records. Reading from left to right: First row—Dorothy Griffin, Lenna Parsons, Betty Jo Gentry, Peggy Rogers, Nora Osborne; second row—Marjorie Dean Lyle, Pat Shoaf, Ruby Brooks, George Lee Eldridge; third row—Dean Franklin Duncan, Jr., Dean Edwards, Isaac Whiting; back row, faculty members, R. L. Joines, E. B. Eldridge, Sarah V. Moseley, Helen Thomas, Rev. C. W. Ervin and Mrs. John Guerrant. (Staff Photo)

Glade Valley Students Are Active In Wartime Drives

V-E Day was celebrated by Glade Valley students with a feeling of pride; not because they felt they had won the war alone, but because of the satisfaction of knowing they had participated in many activities to help hasten the coming of that victory.

During this school term a number of drives for various causes have been conducted and the response has been excellent. The Junior Red Cross contributions amounted to \$28.00, while the general Red Cross campaign contribution was \$43.00. "Student Night," a special feature given by the students, was presented to raise money for the purchase of a war bond for the school. Each class presented special stunts and those who helped to buy the bond were entertained by a negro minstrel act featuring imitations and other amusing numbers.

Paper collections and the collection of old clothing for the War Relief Society were among the other activities. Contributions to the United War and Infantile Paralysis Drives were also given.

Not only have the students of Glade Valley tried to hasten the victory, but in literary society meetings they have tried to become well acquainted with the problems that the Peace will bring; and thus the work has been not only wartime activities, but peacetime planning as well.

LENNA HOPE PARSONS

Lenna was born February 15, 1930 and lives at Glade Valley. She has attended G. V. H. S. '43, '44, '45; Secretary and treasurer of Sunday School class '44; president of Sunday School class '45; Student Council '45. Hobbies: Reading and hiking. Ambition: To become a director of religious education. Motto: "Life is a picture, make it beautiful."

PEGGY ROGERS

Peggy comes from Francisco and was born in March, 1929. She attended Francisco High in '42, Westfield in '43 and '44 and G. V. in '45. She was secretary and treasurer of the class in '42 and '45; Basketball in '43, '44, '45; assistant editor of senior year book '45; Queen of Hearts '45; Voted most beautiful and most popular '45. Ambition: To become a secretary. Motto: "To make the best better."

PAT SHOAF

Pat hails from Winston-Salem and was born May 13, 1928. President of Sunday School class; Secretary of Literary Society '44; secretary and treasurer of Young People's League '45; Student Council '45; Softball '42, '43, '44 and '45. Ambition: To become a director of religious education. Motto: "To thine own self be true, and then thou can to no one be false."

ISAAC WHITING

Isaac comes from Statesville and was born in 1927. He attended Statesville High in '43 and E. M. I. in '44, summer school. Football '43, Basketball '43; baseball '45; President of boys' prayer group; Student Council '45; Program committee member of Literary society. Ambition: To become a cattle ranch owner or a salesman.

Commencement Well Attended

Fine Programs Given; Dr. P. H. Gwynn Delivers The Literary Address

The thirty-fifth annual commencement at Glade Valley high school got underway on May 12 when the senior class presented a three-act mystery comedy, "Murder Mansion," in the school auditorium.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered on Sunday, May 13, by the Rev. Marion G. Bradwell, pastor of the Reynolda Presbyterian church of Winston-Salem. Special music for the service was furnished by the music department under the direction of Mrs. Ellen Guerrant. Miss Vila Ann Biesh gave a vocal solo.

The music department presented a music recital in the auditorium on Thursday night, May 17. Thursday was also observed as Class Day when the senior class, under the sponsorship of Miss Helen Thomas, home room teacher, presented a program. The class history was given by Miss Betty Jo Gentry, the class poem by Miss Ruby Brooks, the prophecy by Dean Edwards and the last will and testament by Isaac Whiting.

The graduating exercises were held on Friday, May 18, with the address delivered by Dr. P. H. Gwynn, Jr., of Davidson. Dr. Gwynn is director of Christian Education for the Synod of North Carolina. Miss Betty Jo Gentry gave the valedictory address and Miss Ruby Brooks delivered the salutatory address.

The presentation of medals and awards was made by E. B. Eldridge, superintendent of the school. The following awards were made: Ruby Brooks, scholarship medal; George Lee Eldridge, music medal; Billy Ingram, second music medal; Ulene Hart and Elizabeth Long, room prize for girls; John D. Martin,

Varied Courses Are Taught Here

Glade Valley high school has its thirty-fifth successful year in the training of young men and women. The widely-known Presbyterian school offers a regular standard high school course with home economics, agriculture and shop work, music and Bible.

The well organized Literary Society meets every Saturday night with students presenting special programs. In addition, the Young People's League meets each Sunday morning holding programs of a christian nature.

The school owns a one hundred and twenty-five acre farm which is operated in connection with the school program. The farm, supporting a grade A dairy and general crops, offers an unusual opportunity for agriculture study and practice.

Many Graduates Now In Service

A total of 85 of Glade Valley's former students have entered the service of their country and many of them are today serving on world battlefronts. Six former students have paid the supreme sacrifice, giving their lives in the service of their country.

Of the total number who have entered the armed forces, six are women. They are serving in the nurse corps and in various branches of women's auxiliaries.

A list of those who have been killed in action follows: Sumpter Wylie, Page Thompson, Leroy Seig, Earlie Wolfe and Owen Wilson.

Jr., room prize for boys; Clarice Taylor, first prize for best all-round progress for the year in home economics, the second prize going to Frances Godwin.

Thompson Heads Staff Of Faculty

The list of faculty members is as follows: W. C. Thompson, principal, teacher of science and agriculture, attended Davidson College; Rev. C. W. Ervin, teacher of history and Bible, received his degree at Davidson College and Columbia Seminary; R. L. Joines, teacher of mathematics, attended ASTC, at Boone; Sarah V. Moseley, teaches English.

Miss Helen Thomas, home economics teacher, Flora Macdonald College; Mrs. John Guerrant, music and dean of girls, attended conservatory of music, at Farmville, Va. Mrs. E. B. Eldridge is dietician.

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