History of the Pickaway Township Public School System

Pickaway County, Ohio

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Early Education

The roots of education in Pickaway Township extend as far back as 1785. The Northwest Survey Ordinance of 1785 dealt with the surveying of the land north of the Ohio River and west of the Allegheny Mountains and provided that Section 16 in each township from this survey be used to support the public schools within the township. Each township consisted of thirty-six sections, each section being one square mile in area. In Pickaway County, land east of the Scioto River was surveyed in this manner.

The Continental Congress passed another ordinance to enable the 1785 Ordinance to be implemented. The Northwest Ordinance of 1787 made provision for the division of the territory into states with a guarantee of religious freedom and civil liberty. Slavery was prohibited and education and morality were encouraged. This ordinance provided a school endowment of 704,000 acres of land in Ohio alone.

After becoming a state in 1803, the Ohio Legislature became the agent to carry out the intent of the federal government. Ohio was the first state to use this program to support education. Unfortunately, the program did not work very well because of the restrictions and obligations placed on the land leasers. Changes were eventually made in this program.

Three trustees and a treasurer were elected by the township to lease the land and collect the rent. This revenue was given to the education fund for schools. The 1817 Ohio Legislature granted a 99-year lease, renewable forever with an appraisal to be made every 33 years and the rent fixed at 6% of the appraised value. As history was to reveal, this legislation did not work as planned.

The Congress of 1826 allowed for the lands to be released and sold. The early settlers soon learned that the school land in Section 16 could be obtained at a cost far below the current market price charged for other lands by the United States Land Office. However, the price for the school land was firm and full payment in cash was required on the date of purchase. This was a hardship for some settlers.

The early schools were closely associated with the church since parents wanted their children to learn to read the Bible. When the early settlers wanted their children to learn to read, write, or learn arithmetic, the parents had to either teach them at home or have the ministers conduct classes in their churches or homes.

Some parents felt that their children were needed to work at home and learn the family trade, not book learning. These settlers were more concerned with survival and making a living from the land. Therefore, there were arguments both for and against formal education. These same arguments were held throughout early Ohio communities.

These early log schools were of primitive construction with puncheon floors or dirt floors. The windows were covered with greased paper to let in light. Lard was rubbed into the paper to make it more transparent. The door was made of clapboards, rough boards which were hung on wooden hinges. Pulling a string that lifted the latch on the inside opened it. Tardy students who found no string outside knew that the teacher was conducting morning prayers and had to wait silently outside until the latchstring appeared.

An example of a log school

A fireplace with a stick and mud chimney and benches of split logs made up the furnishings of the school. There were no single desks in these early classrooms. The benches upon which the students sat had no support for their backs but were only slabs on rude legs. The smaller children's feet were too short to touch the floor. Other slabs along the walls, supported on pins fixed at a proper slope in the logs beneath the windows were the convenient writing benches for that day. Several students spent the day facing the wall.

The classroom environment was very uncomfortable for the children, especially since they had to sit still for many hours. In winter, they huddled together in order to keep warm. The children close to the fireplace were too hot, and those farthest away were cold. Even in the later schools, heating was a problem with the coal burning stoves. Sometimes it was so cold in the school that the homemade ink froze in the inkwells and the lunches brought from home were also frozen.

A teacher taught for twelve weeks at a rate of a dollar or two for each pupil per term. Often the tuition was paid in wheat at fifty cents per bushel and the balance in cash. At this rate a teacher could earn between twenty and forty dollars a term. Free public education had not yet come to Ohio. Those early settlers who could not afford the tuition did not send their children to school. Compulsory attendance laws were not passed in Ohio until much later.

Because the students in the classes ranged in age from five to twenty-one years of age, the teacher had a hard job not to bore the students with the same lessons over and over. The teacher had to teach all subjects at the different levels. Some students would fall asleep while waiting for the teacher to get to their level. Most of the instruction was devoted to reciting and memorizing, not a very exciting way to learn.

Teachers had to deal with many of the same discipline problems faced by teachers today. Since some teachers were as young as eighteen, some of the students were older than the teacher. These older students sometimes were discipline problems and harassed the teachers. Many a boy was punished for dipping a girl's pigtail or braid into the inkwell.

Discipline was sometimes harsh since most teachers used a leather strap or a hickory stick to punish students. "Taught to the tune of a hickory stick" was reality in those early schools. Others were made to stand in a corner, wore a dunce cap, balanced themselves on a block of wood that rested on a small round log, or wore signs tied around their necks describing their misdeed. Parents seldom complained or criticized the teachers for the punishments meted out. This was before parents knew they could sue the schools for cruel and unusual punishment or for denying certain rights.

Since paper was very scarce on the frontier and quite expensive, most lessons were written on a small slate board that each student carried to and from school each day. The teacher used a large slate at the front of the room. In the age of computers, teachers today use whiteboards and smart boards along with a lot of technology that someday will be as outmoded as the blackboard.

Textbooks brought from Pennsylvania and the Atlantic Seaboard States were used in these early schools. This collection of textbooks included Murray's English Reader with Introduction, Columbian Orator, American Preceptor, Testaments, old almanacs, Dillworth's Speller and Webster's Easy Standard of Pronunciation. Pike's Arithmetic was the universal favorite. If a teacher was unable to perform the "Rule of Three," he/she lost the respect of both the pupils and the parents.

Those who sought education for their children were satisfied when their progenies could write simple sentences, could read the Bible or an almanac, and when they could understand the mysterious computations of numbers as to be able to determine the value of a load of farm produce. The early settlers considered this crude instruction sufficient since they lived in an agrarian society. Any more education than this was regarded as dangerous since many felt that education made boys lazy and tricky.

It was also a popular belief that girls who could read and write were apt to fall easy prey to an unscrupulous suitor who might entrap these young ladies by exchanging love letters which an illiterate mother would be unable to decipher. Thus, many girls failed to learn to write. Several of the children's parents could only sign their names with an "X" and were unable to read.

Teachers were also held in a strange light. Many felt that teachers taught only because they were not capable of doing manual labor. This myth has carried over into the present day as evidenced in the saying, "Those who can't, teach." To be a good teacher requires many skills, hard work, and dedication to service. All should consider teaching as one of the best vocations that anyone could pursue.

With the passage of the Ohio School Law of 1835, free public education had its inception. School funds were now derived from the State School Tax, creating a new state fund of $200,000. Also, money was still available from township school lands and from interest on the proceeds of section 16 land sales in each township. Local school authorities could also levy a tax on real estate to secure school funds.

The townships were divided into school districts that same year. Schools were to be located near the center of each of the sections in each district so that students would not have to walk more than 1.5 miles to school.

Each of these districts had three school directors who hired the teachers and were responsible for promoting education in their district. These directors were elected for one-year terms. Beginning in 1842, they were elected to three-year terms. It was often very difficult to get people to serve on this board. Men were reported to have walked for miles and visited many homes to find a successor to fill a vacancy before someone would agree to serve.

In 1853, a law put the authority into the hands of a township board of education that hired the six teachers and a district superintendent. One director from each

district made up the six-man board of the township. The law of 1853 failed to abolish the former district directors, so confusion in jurisdiction lasted until 1890 when the township board was given full authority.

The one-room schools that followed the log schools were usually made of wood until after 1850 when the first red brick schools were built. The one-room schoolhouses were equipped with stoves, slate blackboards, recitation benches and desks, some double in size. Some of the schools were very overcrowded.

Teachers had to be at least eighteen years old during this era and had to know more than the pupils. To ensure this, the teachers had to pass an examination at the county seat. The county hired examiners to administer these tests. The examiners of the common schools were appointed on a yearly basis and were responsible for giving an examination to every person wishing to be employed as a teacher. If the person passed the test and had good moral character, a teaching certificate was issued. The examiner visited the schools and gave advice relative to discipline, mode of instruction, and management of the schools. The tests that the teachers took were very difficult. Many teachers today with a college education would find these tests difficult to pass. Each January the questions used that year appeared in the local newspapers. Thus, the parents knew what type of educational background was expected of the teachers. Today's teachers must pass a national teacher exam in order to be licensed to teach.

The wages for these early teachers averaged $33.50 per month for the spring and summer terms and $40.00 a month for the longer winter term. It appears that teachers have always been underpaid and overworked.

Prior to the Civil War, there were no compulsory attendance laws. In 1877, children between the ages of eight and fourteen were obligated under state law to attend a minimum of twelve weeks of instruction during each school year. However, this law permitted many exceptions and was thus largely ineffective. In 1890, the Ohio General Assembly made it compulsory for children between the ages of eight and sixteen to attend not less than sixteen weeks of school each year unless excused for some specific reason which was indicated in the law.

On April 15, 1889, a state law required that a truant officer be hired in each township.

The school year consisted of a winter term of six months and a spring term of three months. The summer term was also three months and was usually not taught by the regular teacher. School was in session year-round during the first hundred years of education in the township. Opening day for the students occurred during the first week in September, but the older boys did not have to report until the middle of October. They were needed on the farms to cut and husk corn and to sow wheat. Very few older children attended the spring term because they were needed at home. These students usually made up the work during the summer term.

The parents were required to purchase the textbooks and supplies. Since twenty years before the Civil War, the popular textbooks in the township included the McGuffey Readers and Ray's Arithmetic. These books were to be in continual use for several years. In 1888, the schools in the district were using the following textbooks: The McGuffey Spellers and Revised Readers, Bedpath History, Ray's Arithmetic, Harvey's Grammar and Electric Geography. Textbooks were re-evaluated every three years by the school directors.

On May 4, 1891, the Ohio School Textbook Law was passed and the same textbooks had to be purchased for the entire township. The cost of the most popular textbooks of the time were McGuffey Revised Electric Readers from a cost of 13 cents for book one to 64 cents for book six, The McGuffey Electric Spelling Book for 13 cents each, Ray's New Primary Arithmetic at 11 cents, Ray's New Practical Arithmetic at 38 cents, Ray's New Higher Arithmetic at 64 cents, Ray's New Elementary Algebra for 60 cents, Harvey's Elementary Grammar and Composition for 32 cents, Harvey's Revised English Grammar for 49 cents, The Electric Elementary Geography for 41 cents, The Electric Complete Ohio Geography for 90 cents, The Electric Primary United States History for 38 cents each, The New Electric United States History for 75 cents, Electric Physical Geography for 75 cents, and Hutchinson's Physiology and Hygiene at 84 cents each.

Starting in 1915, the school could only purchase textbooks that were adopted by the County Board of Education. Every five years textbooks had to be re-evaluated.

The schools of the township will be long remembered for the great service they rendered to education and the children who attended these schools. Many of these children became outstanding prominent adults who contributed greatly to the improvement of our society. Even with the lack of supplies, equipment and time, the little red schoolhouses provided the opportunity for much to be accomplished in the way of education. The era of the red schoolhouses has passed into history leaving behind only memories of days gone by and a rich heritage for schools of the future. The schools served their purpose well and it is up to the new generation to continue on the excellence in education that began with the one-room schools.

Pickaway Township Schools

The first schools in the township were held in log cabins and were supported by private subscriptions. According to Van Cleaf's history of the county, Jesse Bartlett was one of the pioneer teachers from New England. Van Cleaf states that the Rawl school house near Congo Creek was probably the first one built, and classes were taught by Hugh Hannagan. The first log meeting-house built at Salem (Meade) in 1802 or 1803 was also used as a school. David Jones taught at this school.

The following article appeared in the August 13, 1935, Circleville Herald. "The first country school established in Pickaway County was probably in sub-district No. 1 in Pickaway Township and located about six miles southeast of Circleville. A subscription paper stating the object and giving the of subscribers is as follows: "We, the subscribers, citizens in the vicinity of Scippo Liberty school land, do hereby promise and agree to pay, or cause to be paid, unto Jonathan Craig, Richardson Cade and Andrew Kinnear, Jr., or either of them, or their successors, the sum annexed to our respective names on or before the first of May, next, for the special purpose of building a schoolhouse on said premises, and also to enclose a part thereof as a graveyard, which when free shall be free to all sects as a place of worship and to bury their dead in, providing the same don't clash with the school.

"Any of the subscribers to have the privilege to work out a part or the whole sum by them subscribed at ordinary wages. In witness we have subscribed our names in the months of January and February, A. D. 1815. David Kinnear, for the land, $7.32. Michael Earnest, $4.50. Francis Kinnear, 75¢. Richardson Cade, $4.50. Andrew Kinnear, Jr., $4.50, William Cade, 75¢. Jonathan Craig, $4.50. John Craig, $4.50. Hugh Craig, $4.50. Samuel Dresbach, $2.00. James Metzger, $1.00. James Reed, $1.00. William Davis, $1.00. Peter Apple, $4.00. Daniel Dresbach, $2.00 and Johnson Hunter, $1.00.

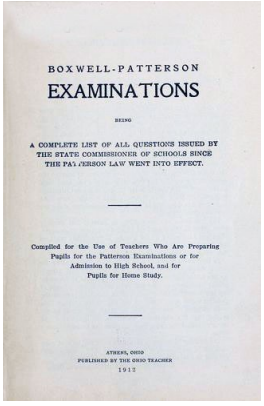
"So it may be said that the above men were pioneers in Pickaway County education. Their spirit and sacrifice made possible the creation of the first log schoolhouse in the county. This primitive temple of learning was erected in February, 1815. It was a substantial and comfortable hewed log house, about 20x25 feet and perhaps 15 feet to the top of the square, with a large open fireplace, black chimney and an oak shingle roof.

For many years within this log house the schoolmaster with an occasional schoolmistress gave the customary instructions in 'readin,' 'ritin' and 'rithmetic' to the youths of the neighborhood.

In 1852 this old log school was torn down to make way for a more pretentious frame building and the old logs and the other material were taken to Meade, three miles southwest, where it was again put up and improved and used as a dwelling for many years."

Pickaway Township was divided into nine school districts. The nine districts with red brick schools were Rice, school #1 and located on Zane Trail Road; Ebenezer, school #2 and occupied the spot where the township house is now located; Hitler or Ludwig, school #3 on Tarlton Road; Jefferson, school #4 and was on Route 23 in the Jefferson Addition; Davenport or Emmett, school #5 on River Road; Congo or Wolfe, school #6 on Wolfe Road; Salem, school #7 on the Hayesville-Adelphi Road at Meade; Boggs, school #8 on Route 361 and Kingston Pike; and Warren or Oak Grove, school #9 on the Hayesville-Adelphi Road and Pickaway-Salt Creek Township line. The Meade school was the largest with two rooms. M. D. Kreider and Charles Kreider taught at the Meade school in the early 1900s.

These one-room schools housed students in grades one-eight. After completing the eighth grade, students who passed the Boxwell Examination could attend high school at either Everts (Circleville) or Kingston.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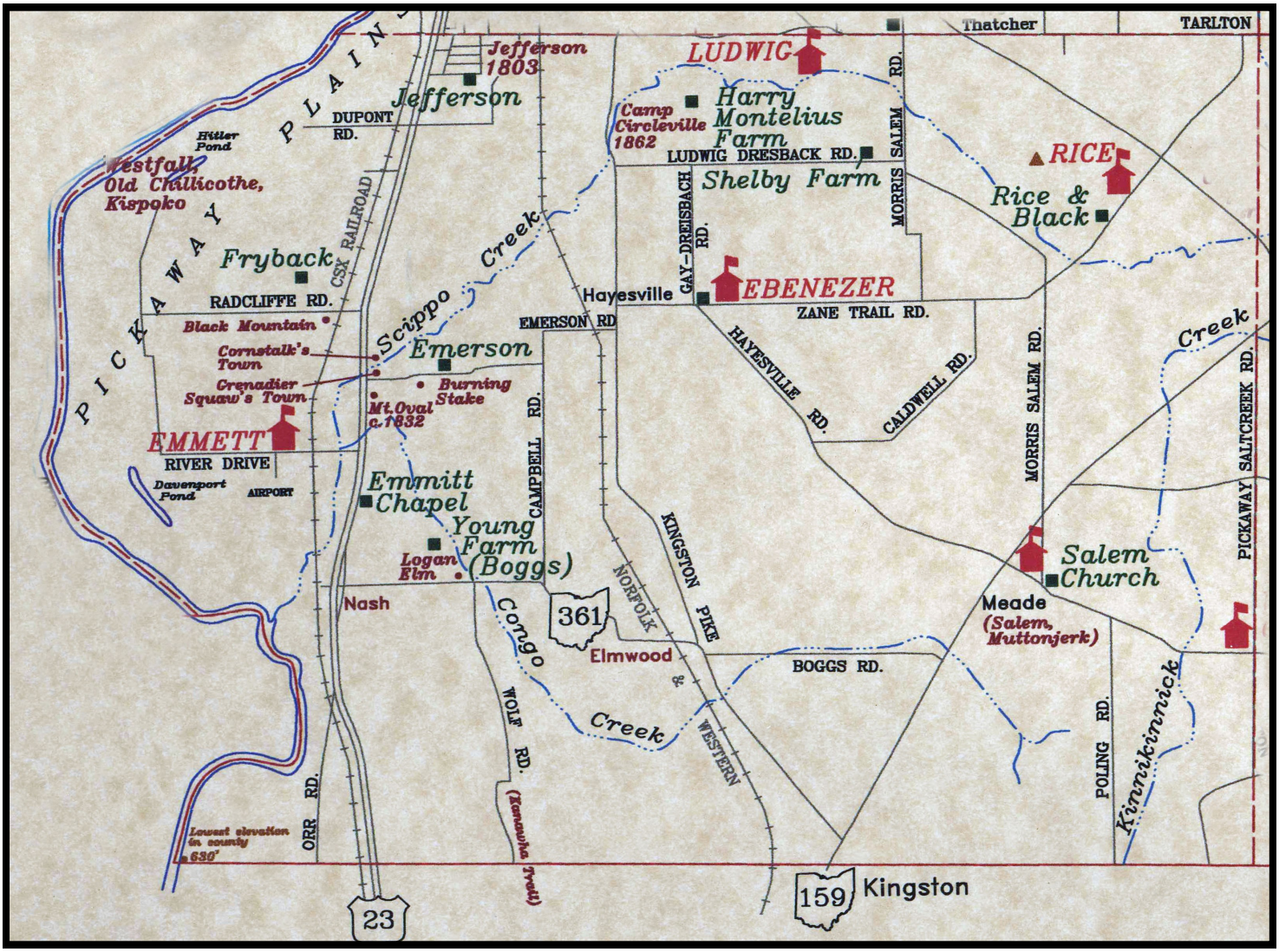
A COMPLETE LIST OF ALL QUESTIONS ISSUED BY THE STATE COMMISSIONER OF SCHOOLS SINCE THE PATTERSON LAW WENT INTO EFFECT.
Compiled for the Use of Teachers Who Are Preparing Pupils for the Patterson Examinations or for Admission to High School, and for Pupils for Home Study.
ATHENS, OHIO
PUBLISHED BY THE OHIO TEACHER
1912

In 1906 the Pickaway Township board consisted of President William Ludwig, Dennis Rader, Harry Calvert, Amos Hoffman, Charles Hall and E. C. Wilkins, clerk.

The following textbooks were adopted by the board in 1906: Progressive Course in Spelling, The Baldwin Primer, Baldwin's School Reading, Milne's Arithmetic, Ray's New Arithmetic, Harvey's New Language Lessons, Harvey's New English Grammar for Schools, Natural Geography, McMaster's History of the United States, Overton's Applied Physiology, Spencer's Practical Writing, Goff and Mayne's Agriculture, Blaisdell's First Steps with American and British Authors — revised, Peterman's Civil Government — Ohio Edition and Dryer's Lessons in Physical Geography.

Pickaway One-Room Schools



Location of some of the one-room schools in Pickaway Township. This map was designed by Terry Frazier, former president of the Pickaway County Historical Society.

No. 1 Rice School

Teacher, Harry Kraft

Rice School was located on Zane Trace Road in Pickaway Township close to Thatcher.

No. 2 Ebenezer School

Ebenezer School was located on Zane Trace Road and is now the Township House

No. 3 Ludwig

Front Row: Brian Riffle and his sister, Lee Rudisill, unknown
Row Two: Teacher Letha Anderson Leist, unknown, unknown, unknown, Georgia Rudisill
Back Row: Myrtle Rudisill, Riffle girl, unknown, unknown, Riffle girl, unknown boy

The Ludwig/Hitler School was located on Tarlton Road near where the Hitler-Ludwig Cemetery is located.

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SHOWN IN THE photo are Letha B. Anderson (Leist), the teacher; Brian and Martha Riffle (Martin) and Lee Rudisill in the front row; Georgia Rudisill in the second row; Myrtle Rudisill (Dresbach), Myrtle Riffle (Kinser), Rose Riffle (Enoch) and Josie Riffle (Kinser) in the third row. Others are unidentified. This pictured was taken on the school steps around 1900.

Ludwig classmates learned ABCs

By DARLENE WEAVER
For The Herald

By 1906 Pickaway Township had nine school houses. All were built of brick. The district known as Number Three contained the Ludwig School. It was located along Tarlton Road east of the David Ludwig farm.

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Souvenirs of each school year were given by the teachers to every student. One from 1895-96 showed Rose E. Morris as the teacher and David S. Ludwig as director of the school.

Students at the Ludwig School during the 1895-96 years were Lydia, Mary, Edgar, Cora, Mabel and Myrtle Ludwig; Guy Dresbach; Myra Weaver; George and Lorn Riggin; Cora, Leona, Blanche, Berman, Harry and Arthur Calvert; Charley, Jacob and Eddie Leist; Clifton and Arvel Valentine; Homer Bensonhaver; Carl Thatcher; Minnie Riffle; and Herbert Steveans.

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Ludwig Students 1894

Teacher's Report for Feb. 189 4.

SUB-DISTRICT NO. 3

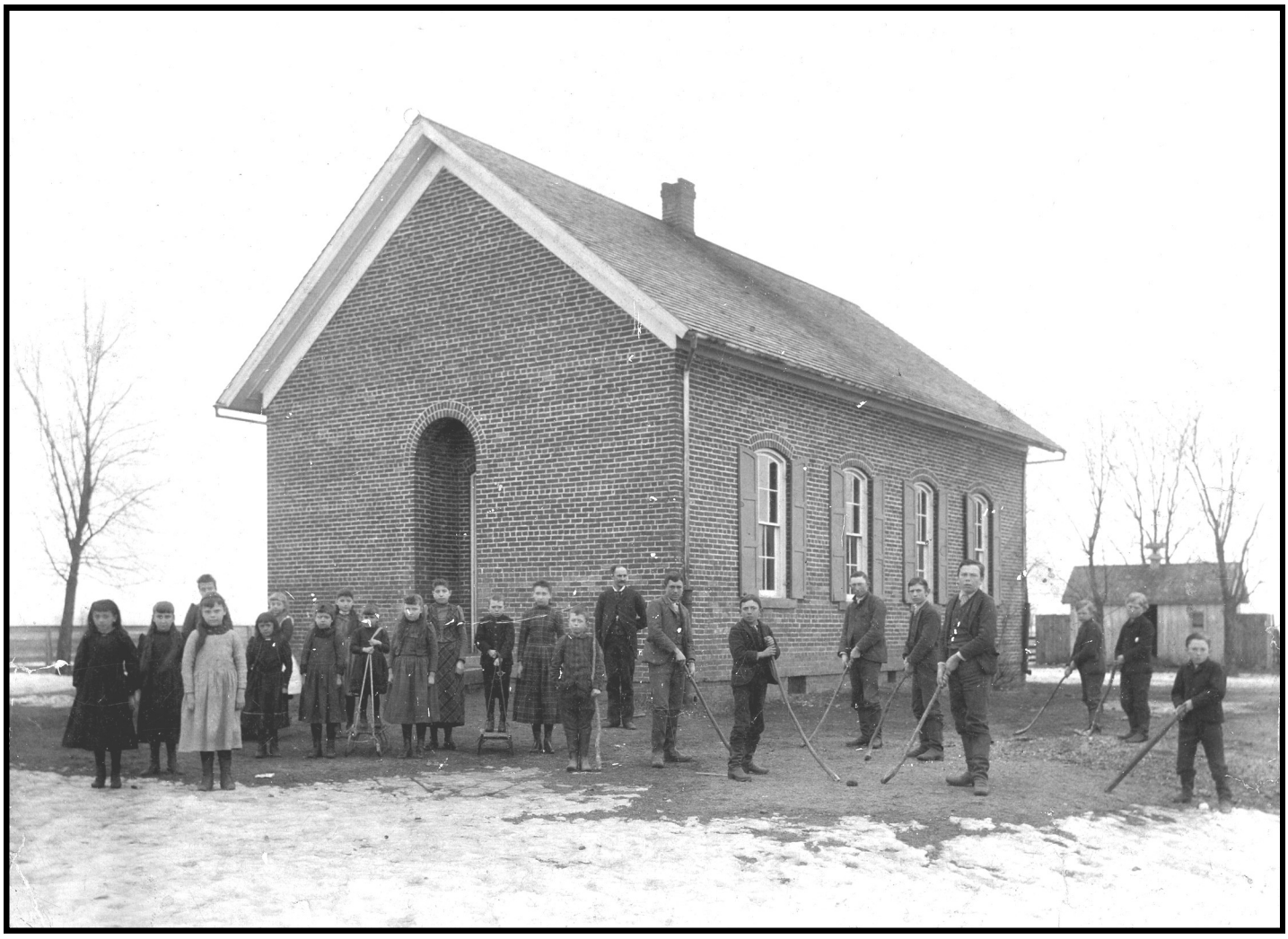
To the Clerk of the Board of Education of Pickaway Township, Pickaway County, Ohio:

The following is a correct list of the scholars attending my school since the last report, being the last week in Feb. *189 4.*

Emma Gray, *Teacher.*

NAMES OF SCHOLARS	No. Days Present.	NAMES OF SCHOLARS	No. Days Present.
Edgar Ludwig	20	Florence Calvert	19
Pearl Calvert	20	Blanche "	15
Clifton Hoskins	14	Cora "	20
Charley Leist	20	Mamie Riggin	15
Edward Leist	20	Bertha Leist	18
Jacob "	20	" Betz	10
George Riggin	15	Goldie "	19
Lawrence "	15	Lydia Ludwig	20
Hodah Emerson	16	Mary "	20
Homer Bestenhaver	20	Cora "	15
John Betz.	2	Mabel Ludwig	19
Chester "	19	Bessie Wade	19
Carl Snideker	20	Myra Weaver	15
Harman Calvert.	20	Pearl James	19
Orlie Betz	19	Maggie Strawser	6
Eldon Hunter	16	Myrtle "	1
Vena Strawser	10		
Corwin Emerson	10		

No. 4 Jefferson School



The Jefferson School was located in the village of Jefferson near the intersection of Tarlton Road and U.S. Route 23.

No. 5 Davenport School

by Judith Beavers

[This article was written from an interview with Gladys Rader Shepler in 1987 by Judy Beavers, an educator at Logan Elm High School. Gladys Radar Shepler, a member of the first graduating class at Pickaway, died at age 107. The school was located on River Road.]

In the not-too-distant past, thirty students attended Davenport School in Pickaway Township to learn the three R's. At the turn of the century the one-room brick school was located on River Road close to the place where Pickaway County now has its airstrip. It was typical of the schools of the era and one of nine in Pickaway Township alone.

The bell on the school roof used to ring out a resonant reminder for the children to hurry to school on time, promptly at 9 a.m. The children were expected to walk whatever distance necessary to reach the school. Sometimes in the wintertime when the snow was high enough to make walking a mile or more difficult for little legs, a kind father might hitch the horse to the flatbed farm wagon and provide transportation to school for his children and his neighbor's.

Inside the building, students found their places among four rows of wooden desks and nervously awaited their turns at the recitation bench in front of the teacher's desk. Four tall windows on either side of the room admitted ample light for the children to do their studies. At the front, the teacher on the raised platform beside the desk waited expectantly as her little and not-so-little charges seated themselves.

The teacher at the Davenport School provided instruction for eight grades and the children could begin at any time, but usually were five or six years of age. They finished with the elementary curriculum when they mastered the studies given, no matter what their ages happened to be. In a farming community, it was not unusual for the older boys to get only three to four months of formal education during a school year in order to help at home on the farm during the harvesting and the planting seasons.

Two features of the one-room school curriculum would be particularly appealing to children today. There was

no homework assigned and there were no graded weekly quizzes and tests as such. Once a group of children finished with the recitation of their day's lesson, the teacher graded each child on his participation in the lesson that day and sent the students back to their desks to prepare for the next day. As a former student in a one-room school observed, students were almost certain to master their lessons because in the course of eight years they would hear each of the lessons as often as eight times.

The one-room school provided all the amenities of life. Children who needed a drink were sent to the cloakroom to get one from the pail and the community dipper kept there. The older boys usually considered it a privilege to be allowed to pump the water for the pail daily. For rest room breaks the teacher would dispatch the students to either end of a building containing outhouses and a coal shed just down the hill from the school.

Students never complained about the school lunches, because each child brought his own lunch to school with him in a bucket. Furthermore, the school's central heating and cooling system always provided a comfortable setting for the students. During the warm months, air condition was provided by opening the windows, and in the winter a coal-burning potbellied stove provided all the warmth needed. To sit near the central stove was not necessarily always an advantage, because sometimes the prankish older boys would make the fire too hot, much to everyone's discomfort. For those miscreants, Davenport had its customary dunce's stool in the corner, and the teacher had a continuous supply of switches from the trees outside to keep the students in line.

As it is today, very often the children's favorite part of the day was recess. In the winter they played fox and geese when they could make the circular paths to play the game in the snow. In fair weather there was tag, marbles, and baseball. If one of the children had brought his pocketknife, they could play mumblety-peg, a game in which the knife is tossed from various positions so that the blade sticks into the earth with the handle up.

Often the schoolhouse was the center of several community social events. Spelling Bees were contests held between schools. At box socials, suppers were prepared and carefully packed into beribboned boxes to be auctioned to the highest bidder. The proceeds were used to provide materials for the school's operation. At Christmas the children took part in entertainments at the school. Sheets on a wire across the front of the room were the curtains, while the teacher's platform became the stage for the production.

Once the students of Davenport School and throughout

Although this picture was taken inside the one-room school at Washington Township District No. 4, it is similar to the Davenport School Christmas Entertainment described by Mrs. Gladys Rader Shepler.

Pickaway County had mastered the three R's according to their teachers' expectations, the county superintendent would administer the Boxwell Examination to certify that the students who so desired were ready to continue their education at Everts Building on South Court Street, which was the site of Circleville High School.

But even in the early 1900s the one-room school was fast becoming a relic of the past, because in 1913 the nine schools in Pickaway Township were consolidated to form Pickaway Township Centralized School. Its first graduating class in 1916 boasted two students, Ruth Rice and Gladys Rader.

No. 6 Congo or Wolfe School

Congo School was established in 1816. The following notice appeared in the local newspaper.

We, the undersigned citizens of Congo School District, deeming it highly important to erect a house on an eligible site in said district for the purpose of a school house for the education and edification of youth, do hereby voluntarily and reciprocally promise to pay to John Boggs, whom we appoint as treasurer the sums hereunto annexed to our names, in testimony whereof we individually subscribe our signatures this first day of July 1816.

John Boggs	$ 4.00
James Torbert	4.00
John Steeley	4.00
Elias Reed	4.00
John Russell	4.00
Thomas Barr	4.00
John Grice and son	2.00
Mrk Steeley	2.00
Robert Little	1.00
John Young	1.00
William Boggs	1.00
David Wolf	1.00
Benedict Wrench	1.00
Jonathan Ellis	1.00
Joseph Perry	1.00
John Bateman	1.00
William Brittain	2.00
Jesse Cook	2.00
Jacob Wagner	2.00
Samuel Boggs	1.00
John Creviston, Jr.	1.00
Moses ??	2.00
James Burns	1.00
Jacob Wright	2.00
James Hunter	2.00
Thomas Lingrell	1.00

This agreement was entered into by residents of Pickaway Township to provide a school for their children. The school has long ago disappeared and no trace of it is left. It was located on what is now known as Wolf Road, which runs south to the Ross County line at the location of Logan Elm State Park.

No photos has been found for this school. Congo or Wolfe School was located on Wolfe Road.

No. 7 Meade or Salem School

This school was located in Meade and had two rooms. Two of the teachers who taught here were M. R. and Charles Kreider.

No. 8 Boggs School

Above is a photo of students who attended Boggs School during the 1912-13 school year. The teacher is Samuel Lindsey. The school was located at the intersection of Kingston Pike and State Route 361.

No. 9 Warren or Oak Grove School

This school district included the southwest section of Salt Creek Township and the southeast section of Pickaway Township. It was originally a log structure built to be used both as a school and also by the M. E. Church around 1859. The building was taken down and replaced with a two-room brick school building erected on the same location, as shown above. This brick school was built up to the standards of the late 1800s complete with a belfry and a coal cellar.

The school was a joint effort of the Pickaway Township and Salt Creek Township school directors. The students of Salt Creek Township who attended this school came from the area between the school and the imaginary line north from Prairie View Cemetery to the Heffner Road and south to the County Line Road, which was a crude mud trail at that time.

Both townships used the building until they both consolidated their one-room schools into a centralized system. The Pickaway Township Centralized School was built in 1912. The Salt Creek Township boys and girls attended the Whisler School until the Salt Creek Township Centralized School was built in 1916.The Oak Grove School building stood on the northwest corner of the intersection of Hayesville-Adelphi Road and the Salt Creek-Pickaway Township line road, west of Whisler, and on land owned by George and Carolyn Minshall. It has since been torn down.

This land was deeded to the Pickaway Township school directors in 1851 by Josiah Francis, recorded in Volume 25, page 531, Pickaway County, Ohio.

Pickaway Township Centralized School

The history of the centralized Pickaway Township school began with the consolidation of the nine one-room schools in the township. This was during the time that the consolidation of schools was in its infancy. A board of education was established to consider centralization. At the May 8, 1911, board meeting, it was decided to hold a special election on June 12, 1911, to see if the voters would approve the combining of the one-room schools. At that election, the voters approved the proposal by a 140-123 vote. At that time, Henry R. Calvert was president of the board, and the other members were Dennis E. Phillips, T. E. Ross and C. A. Dresbach. The clerk was C. E. Wilkins. During the September 4, 1911, board meeting, the board resolved to secure land and money for the purpose of centralization. The board estimated the cost to be $30,000.

There was a special board meeting held on January 8, 1912, to select a site for the school. At this time, there had been some changes on the board. Willis Ludwig was now board president, and the other members were Henry R. Calvert, Dennis E. Phillips, Burr H. Rader, and Isaac E. Morris. The first choice of the board members was the Ruggles Farm with the second choice being the Dreisbach Farm. Five acres in the Ruggles woods was selected. However, the Ruggles heirs refused to sell, and the board had to acquire the property through eminent domain.

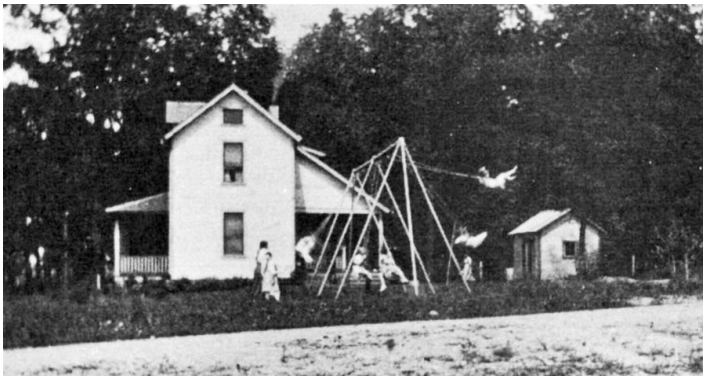
Early in 1912, the board met to decide what type of building to build and who would build it. The board now consisted of Burr H. Rader as president, Dennis E. Phillips, Henry R. Calvert, Isaac E. Morris, John Penn, and Leo McKenzie as clerk.

On September 14, 1913, the school opened its doors and 196 students entered the newly constructed school.

Plaque on School Building

Horse-drawn wagons were originally used to bring the students to school. In the school wagons at that time, seats were obtained by means of a pecking order. The older, larger students would sit in seats near the center of the wagon. These were the most desired seats on the wagon, especially during the winter months. The coal oil heater was located in the center of the wagon and those sitting next to the heater benefited from the heat given off while the rest of the students were cold. By 1930, the horse-drawn wagons were replaced by motor-driven buses.

The school janitor lived in a house next to the school. This house was built from funds allocated by the school board. John Stout was the first janitor and continued in that position until 1918. He was succeeded by Lewis Smith until 1936. In that year Lee A. Smith took over that position. Several custodians have followed over the years. Lawrence McKenzie served for many years.



Custodian's House with school children on the school playground swings during recess.

Due to an increase in enrollment, there was a need for additional space to house the growing high school. In 1927, an addition was built behind the 1913 building and the two buildings were connected by a long hallway. By this time the total enrollment was around 300.

Before the centralized school was built, if a student wanted to attend high school, he or she had to travel to Kingston or Circleville since there were no high schools in the township. Once the centralized school was built, more and more students decided to pursue a high school education.

Early records show that the students at Pickaway Township High School were able to get a good education. Credits were earned in subjects such as Advanced Algebra, Plane and Solid Geometry, Public Speaking, Business Law, Physiology, and Agriculture. The required classes included English, History, Physical Education and the Sciences. In addition, there were several extra-curricular activities for these early high school students. Choir, band, journalism, class plays, athletics and various clubs were some of the ways pupils could excel outside the classroom.

The yearbook was called the Pickaway Mirror and the school newspaper was the Pickaway Pamphlet. Later the school newspaper was the Pirate Blade.

Pickaway Township High School had its last graduating class in 1960. In the fall of 1960, the high school students started attending the newly built Logan Elm High School. This school was built in Pickaway Township near the intersection of Pickaway, Salt Creek and Washington Townships on property bought from Raymond Moats. This ended one chapter of the school but began another one. Pickaway Township School now housed only students from K-8.

In 1971, the George D. McDowell Junior High School was built and named in honor of a former Pickaway County Board of Education Superintendent who served from 1934-70. Thus, Pickaway Township School lost its junior high school 11 years after losing its high school. This made the building an elementary school housing grades 1-6 since the kindergarten students went to the McDowell building for a few years.

Starting with the 2012-13 school year, Pickaway became a K-4 building with the students in grades 5 and 6 being transported to the Salt Creek Intermediate School. Thus, once again the number of grade levels at the school decreased due to reorganization.

Over the past few years, voters had turned down bond levies at the polls. That would change. At the general election held on November 6, 2018, voters in the Logan Elm School District passed a bond levy. The vote total on election night from the precincts in Pickaway and Hocking counties was 3,211 in favor and 2,657 against. It passed by 554 votes.

The voters had approved building a K-12 building located just west of Logan Elm High School. Although Logan Elm High School, which opened in 1960, would be razed, McDowell Middle School would become the administrative center. The state of Ohio agreed to pay approximately 30% of the cost of construction. Local residents raised money to upgrade some areas of the new school that the state did not include in its package.

On May 24, 2023, students left Pickaway Elementary for the last time. When the last student left the building, formal education located in the township did not end like it did in the other townships. Education continues to thrive in the township since the new K-12 building is located in Pickaway Township.

Dedication of the New Pickaway School

In the December 1913 issue of *The Ohio Teacher* on page 201, we find the history of the dedication of the newly built Pickaway Township School. The article reads as follows:

The above is a fine picture of a fine building in Pickaway Township, Pickaway County, dedicated Oct. 31, 1913.

The dedication of this township centralized school was one of the greatest events of the kind ever given in the county and was participated in by 600 people.

The guests of honor were Frank W. Miller, state superintendent of public instruction, F. B. Pearson, high school visitor of the O.S.U., and H. P. Folsom of Circleville, all of whom made splendid addresses.

A banquet was served at noon, the tables being spread in the auditorium and playroom. Parents and pupils were assisting hostesses. It was really a basket picnic. The auditorium and playroom were beautifully decorated in flags and the high school colors, gold and black. White and pink chrysanthemums on the tables added to the decorative effect. The scene was a pretty one and one that will long be remembered by all who participated in the festivities.

Rev. George J. Troutman gave the invocation and the pupils furnished excellent music.

Professor F. B. Pearson's theme was "A Plea for higher Education as a Near Help to Humanity."

Frank W. Miller spoke on "The Opportunities of Education."

Mr. Folsom delivered the dedicatory address, in which he said: "It is not only to dedicate this school that we assemble here today, but it should be the duty of all citizens to dedicate their lives to the work of education." He referred to the donation of $5,000 given by Nelson Hitler, one of Pickaway County's substantial citizens, as a nucleus for a library for the school. "It is a gift of this kind," said Mr. Folsom, "that helps to build up a school."

Plaque on School Wall

The centralized school building is a two-story buff pressed brick structure with stone trimmings. It is located on five acres of ground bought from the Ruggles estate near Hoover station on the Scioto Valley traction line.

It has seven recitation rooms, a teachers' room, restrooms, library, superintendent's office, and auditorium. In the basement is a playroom amply large enough to accommodate all the pupils. Toilets, lavatories, and engine room are located in the basement. The halls and rooms are fitted up with sanitary bubbling fountains; the building is heated with steam throughout. It has fine large playgrounds.

The present enrollment is 225 pupils, and they are taken to and from the school daily in ten large wagons.

Edwin L. Daley

The school is under the supervision of Superintendent Edwin L. Daley, who is an experienced educator. He is ably assisted by Miss Willie Lutz, principal, Miss Hannah McKenzie, teacher of grammar grade, Miss Hazel Hoffman, who teaches the intermediate grade, Miss Katherine McKenzie, teacher in the second and third grades, Miss Bessie Mowbray, primary teacher, and Miss Bertha Allen, teacher of music and drawing.

John Stout, the janitor of the school, and his wife live on the school grounds in a neat five room cottage built by the board.

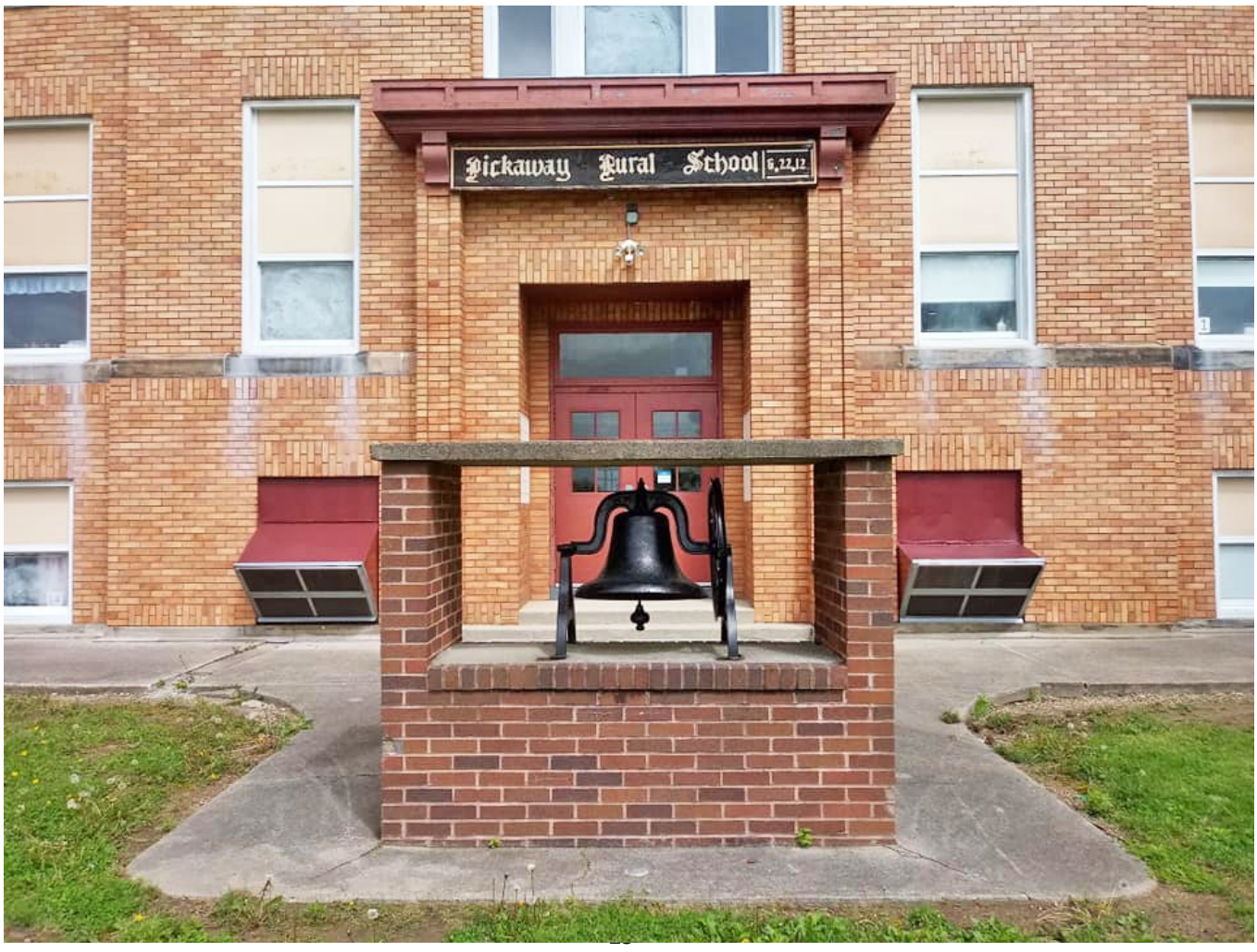
The building was erected at a total cost of $35,000. This does not include the cost of the grounds.

On the board of education are President Burr Rader, Dennis Phillips, Isaac Morris and Henry Calvert.

1918

Students arrived at school on horse-drawn school wagons. Instead of parking along the road, they parked on the school lawn.

Pickaway Rural School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Pickaway High School Building

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Hall connecting the two buildings

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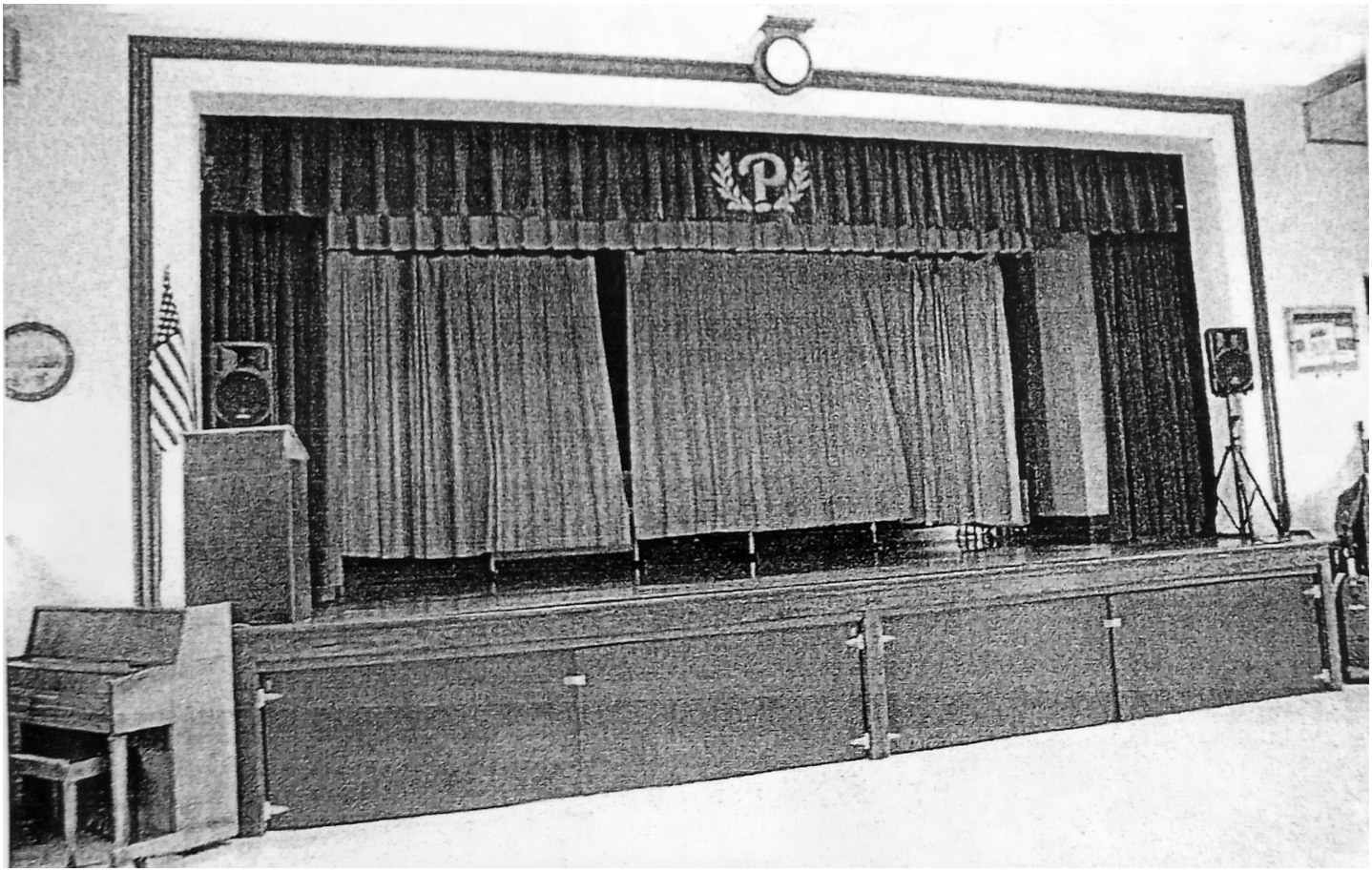
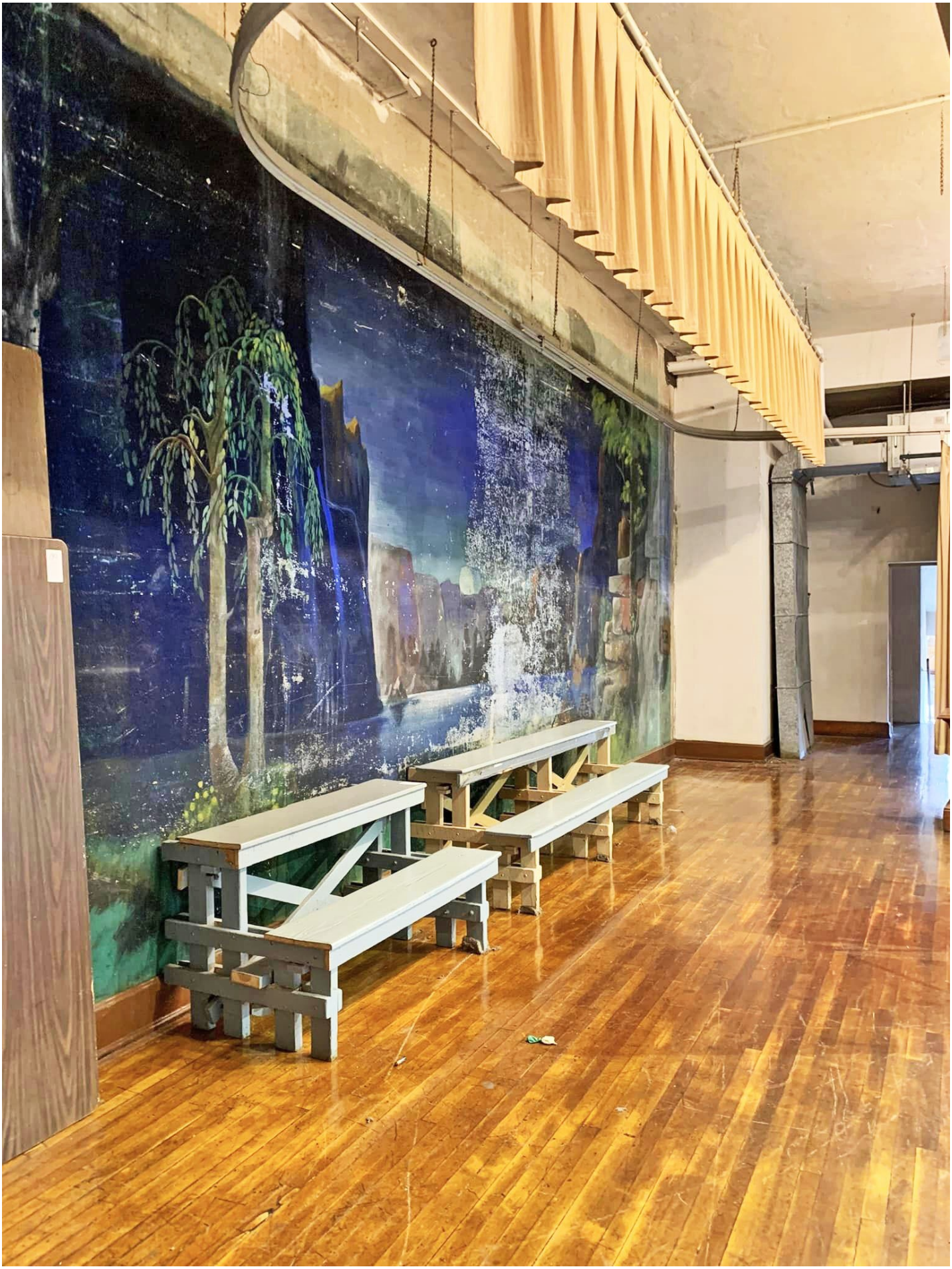
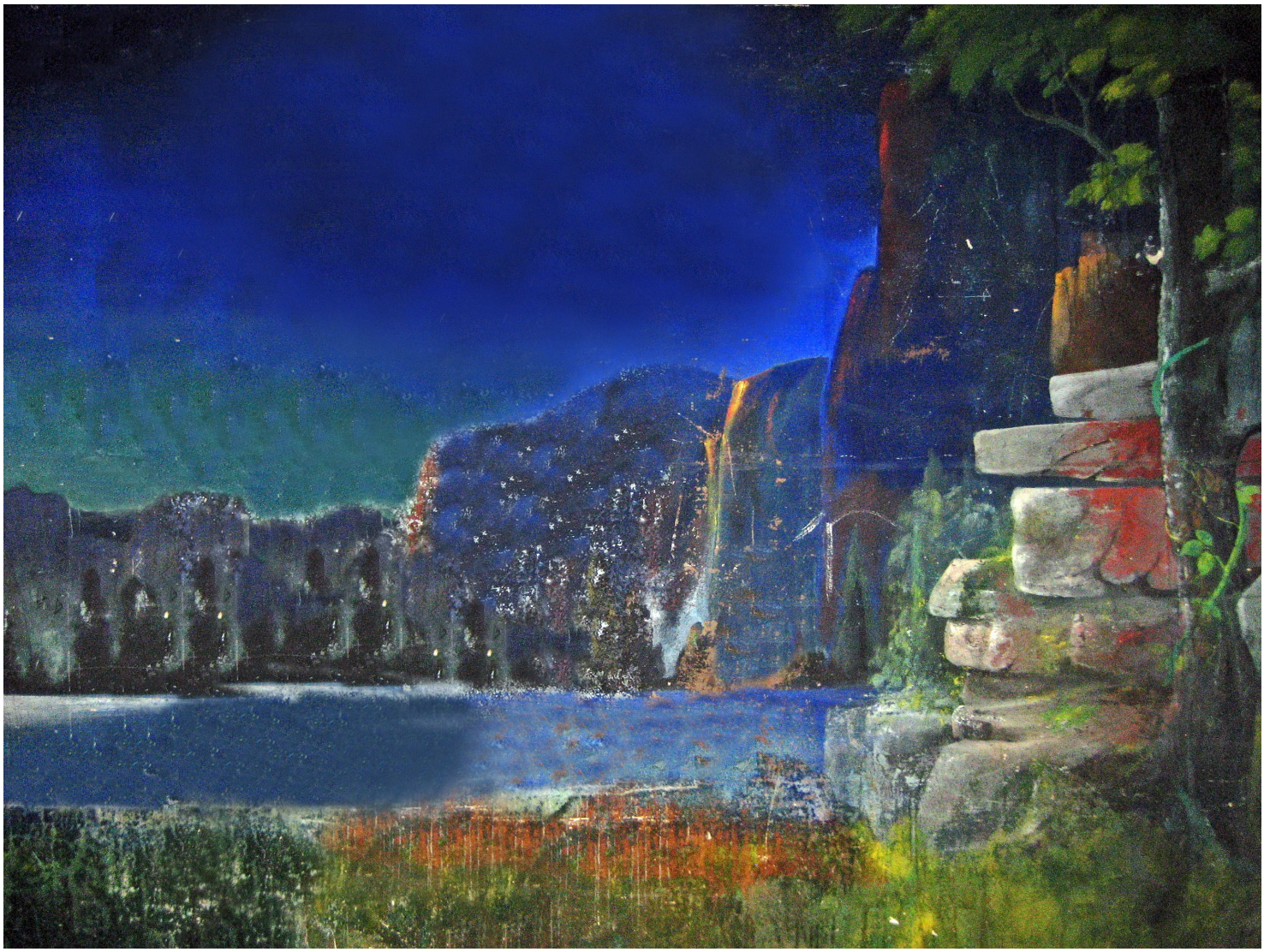


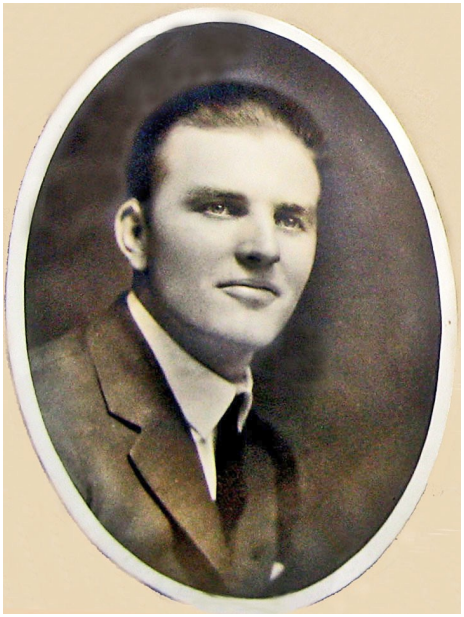
Auditorium and seating

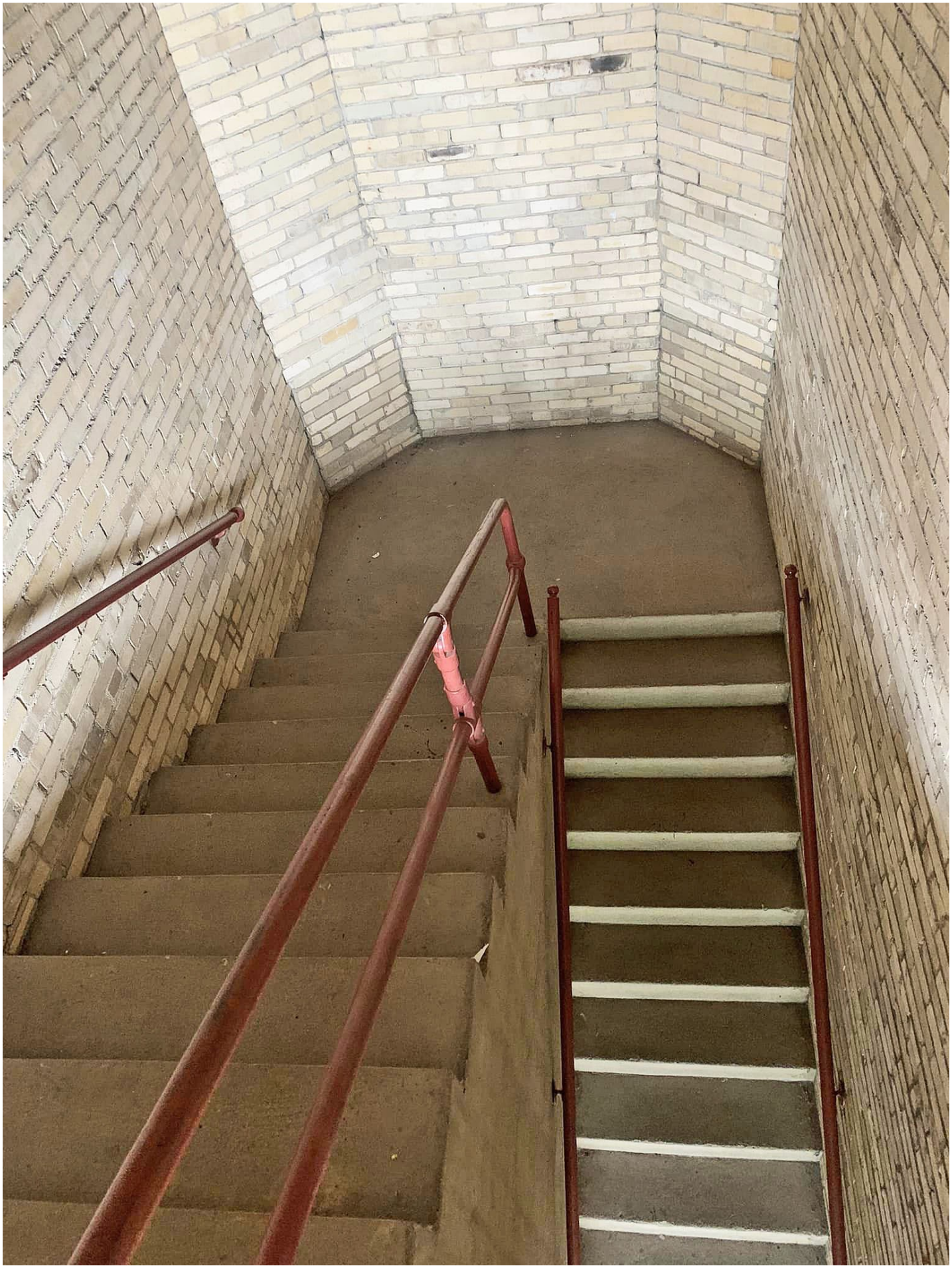
School auditorium during the final walk-through of the building in 2023





This mural painted on the back wall of the stage by Lee A. Smith in 1928 was still there when the building was demolished in the fall of 2023. Lee Smith was a 1924 graduate of Pickaway. His graduation photo is on the right.





Basement

Pickaway Township High School

by Louise Stuckey

Pickaway township School in 1913

On May 8, 1911, the Pickaway Township Board of Education met to decide to centralize the nine township schools into one building. They set the public vote for June 12, 1911. The members of the board were President H. R. Calvert, D. E. Phillips, T. E. Ross, C. A. Dresbach, and C. E. Wilkins, clerk.

The results of the special election was 140 votes for centralization and 123 against.

Following the favorable vote, the board met on September 4, 1911, to secure land and money for centralization. They set the figure at $30,000. A special meeting was called on January 8, 1912, to select the school site. The board's first choice was located on the Ruggles Farm and the second choice was on the Dreisbach Farm. The board members were President Willis Ludwig, H. R. Calvert, D. E. Phillips, B. H. Rader, and J. E. Morris.

The board offered to buy five acres in Ruggles Woods. The heirs refused to sell. The board used the right of eminent domain to obtain the property.

Early in 1912 the board met to start the building process. The board members now were President B. H. Rader, D. E. Phillips, H. R. Calvert, J. E. Morris, John Penn and Leo McKenzie, clerk.

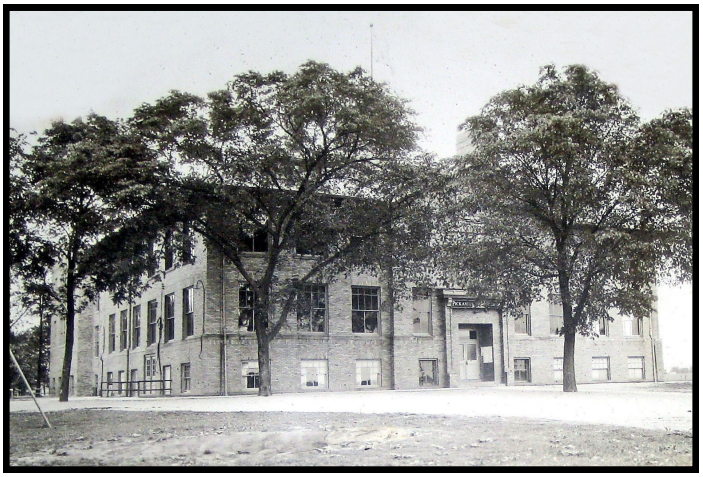
During 1912-1913, a new two-story buff pressed brick building trimmed with stone was built on the five acres in Ruggles Woods at a cost of $35,000. It consisted of seven classrooms, a teacher's room, an office, home economics and laboratory rooms, an auditorium, a library and restrooms. In the basement was the furnace to produce steam heat and an engine room. A five-room house was also built on the grounds for the custodian.

Nelson Hitler, a local farmer interested in the school, gave $5,000 to be used in the library. Some years later when he died he left in his will $104,000 for use in the library. The interest only was to be used.

In September 1913 the school opened with 196 students. On October 31, 1913, the school wad dedicated. Six hundred people gathered for the festivities including a very fine banquet.

The children first were taken to school in horse-drawn wagons which were later replaced by motorized buses in the 1930s.

Due to a fast growing enrollment, an east wing was built in 1927 at a cost of $45,000. It included additional classrooms, a cafeteria, gymnasium, agricultural shop and restrooms. The school was now on 14 acres of land.



Pickaway School in 1930

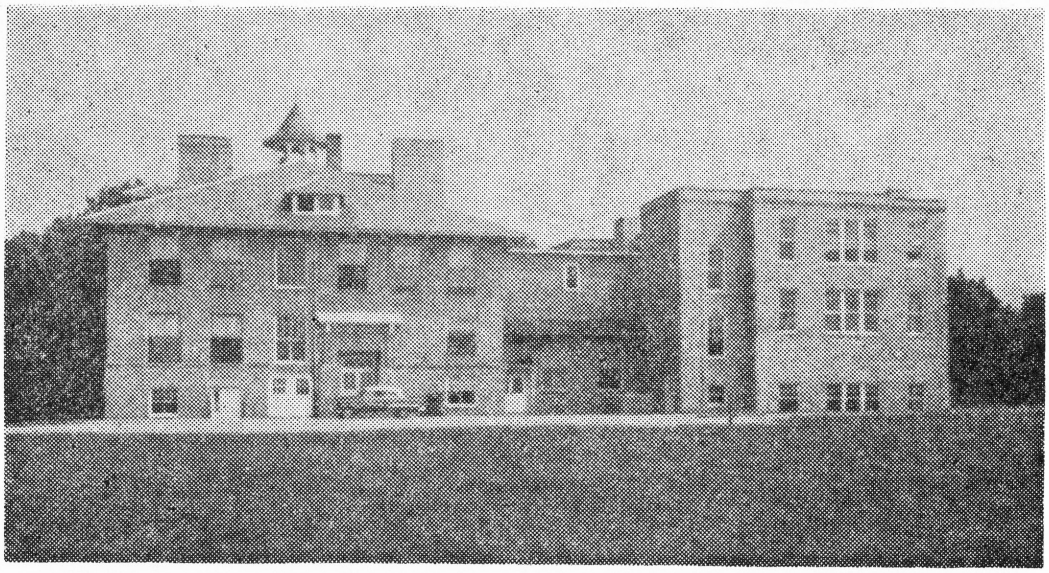
Over the years school spirit grew as the community took interest in school activities such as basketball, softball, baseball, volleyball and track, especially when Pickaway took part in the county and state tournaments. Music was an important part of the activities. There were operettas, concerts and county choruses and bands. In the 1930s and 1940s three professors from Capital University came one day each week and gave instrumental lessons to those who wished to have them. Those three were Floyd Elliott, F. R. Todhunter and Edward Morrison. That was the beginning of the school orchestra. Other activities were the Future Farmers of America and 4-H clubs.

By 1958 Pickaway Township consolidated with Salt Creek and Washington Townships to form the Logan Elm School District. Logan Elm High School opened in the fall of 1960.

Grades 1-8 continued at Pickaway until a new middle school , McDowell Exchange School, was built next to the high school in 1970. The school opened in the fall of 1971 leaving only grades 1-6 at Pickaway. In the fall of 1985 kindergarten classes were moved to Pickaway.

State of Ohio Report on Pickaway 1955

Pickaway Local School District. There are two buildings and a bus garage located on a 14 acre site in this district. The original building, a brick structure with wood interior was built in 1912. The high school building was constructed in 1927. There is a connecting passageway between the two buildings. Boys' and girls' restrooms are located on basement floors of each of these buildings. All of the elementary grade rooms are equipped with permanent type seating and fluorescent lights. The light-meter readings very closely approximated the recommended standard of 30 footcandles.



PICKAWAY SCHOOL

The elementary classrooms are somewhat larger than the rooms in some of the other school buildings. Table 3.1 shows that of the six rooms used for this purpose, the capacity of 30 sqare feet per pupil is 180 pupils. At the time of the survey 175 pupils were enrolled resulting in a utilization of 97 per cent. A study of Tables 3.2 and 3.3 indicates the room utilization of the regular high school classrooms is 75 per cent and of the special classrooms, 63 per cent.

The pupil station utilization, as indicated in Tables 3.4 and 3.5, in the regular classrooms was 52 per cent and only 30 per cent in the special classrooms.

Pickaway Township High School in 1913-14

Gladys Shepler

Gladys at age 107

[The following is a speech given by Gladys Rader Shepler at the 75th anniversary of Pickaway Township School. She was a member of the first graduating class and gives information about the first year of the school.]

Early in the morning on the first Monday in September 1913 ten men, each driving two sleek, glossy, big horses hitched to a covered wagon started on a long journey. Each had a different route to follow but all were headed for the same destination, the new Pickaway Township Centralized School. As they progressed down the road, they made a stop at each house along the way picking up all children of school age and some older children who had fallen by the way but were encouraged to try again.

The wagons were enclosed by curtains that could be rolled up in pretty weather and buckled down in cold weather. There were benches parallel to the sides of the wagons that the children used for seats while in transit. In winter a small kerosene burner was placed in the center of the floor of the wagon to provide warmth for the children.

On arriving at the school all children were taken off of the wagons. They entered the school house by way of the big double front doors. Not knowing what to do or where to go, all were assembled into the auditorium to await further instructions while the ten men attended their horses. They put them in stalls in a barn built for that purpose and fed them. There they awaited the hour for their return trip home.

That assembly meeting on that Monday morning so long ago was quite different from all others that followed.

Mr. Edwin L. Dailey was the superintendent of the school at its inception. He was in charge of all activities at that point. We were assembled there, all different ages and sizes. Those who were to be the teachers were standing by, also awaiting further instructions.

Mr. Dailey was a wonderful person. He was a teacher by profession and followed that way until health problems overtook him. He was a strict disciplinarian, believing that if you spare the rod you spoil the child. However, he was loving, gentle, kind and understanding, and the children loved him.

There was a no program of any kind this first Monday morning—just the business of getting each one assigned to his or her proper place.

Mr. Dailey announced that all beginners were to go with the first grade teacher, and she very quickly gathered her group together and left the auditorium to go to their assigned home room. As each subsequent grade was given

their assignment, they too were escorted by their respective home room teachers to their home rooms.

At this point all elementary students had departed the auditorium leaving only those who were eligible for High School work.

After having completed the required studies in eighth grade all pupils were required to take what was then known as the Boxwell Examination. If this test was successfully passed, the pupils were graduated and given a certificate in recognition of this achievement. They were then ready to enter High School. Since there was no High School in Pickaway Township prior to 1913, the Board of Education was obligated to pay tuition to any High School in the state of Ohio for any child who requested it. There were four students who had chosen to go to other schools—Ruth Rice and Thelma Merriman had each gone to Kingston High School while Ned Boggs and I, Gladys Rader, had chosen to go to Circleville High School. Therefore, in September 1913 the four of us were ready for the Sophomore year of work.

All those remaining were uncertain about the future but Mr. Dailey quickly put them at ease. In his quiet, fatherly manner he talked with them and admonished them that every child should have an opportunity to get a good education so he offered them that opportunity by allowing them to move right into their first ear of High School. Many of them took advantage of that opportunity and were successful but again there were those who were not.

The building was so constructed to have four class rooms, a Superintendent's office and a library on the second floor. Four class rooms and a teacher's lounge were on first floor. All restrooms, a chemistry laboratory and a room for home economics classes were on the ground level. The auditorium was off the first floor level. The library was a gift from Mr. Nelson Hitler. He was a well-to-do farmer and greatly interested in the new school and wanted the library to remain in this school.

The High School was staffed by the superintendent and two other teachers. Mr. Harry Tilton taught the science classes, Miss Willie Morris Lutz taught all English and foreign language classes while Mr. Dailey taught a lot of History—both ancient and modern. Miss Bertha Allen taught music in the grades and directed all singing in assembly. A piano was available and a high school girl usually played for assembly.

The subjects I studied were Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Commercial Arithmetic, Latin I and II, German I and II, English, American Literature, English Literature, Physics, and Chemistry. All our text books were furnished. There was no such thing as a typewriter or television or any of the advantages that the children today enjoy.

During our Junior year one girls dropped out to get married and the only boy went into the service. We were actively engaged in World War One at that time. Consequently there were only two of us left to carry on. It was hard to get deeply interested with only two in the class but we pursued it to the end and were graduated on the 19th day of May 1916.

Discipline was very strict. There was no running or talking in the hallways.

There was no cafeteria so each child had to carry his own lunch. Each sat in his own desk while eating lunch.

When lunch was finished all were privileged to go outside. The big boys usually played baseball. I can remember only one side for the younger children to play on. They had other fun games such as tag, red rover, marbles, fox and geese, mumbledy-peg and many others.

This school was much too small to attempt to do any special programs at that time.

There was no dress code. Girls wore dresses that reached their ankles, high top laced shoes and their hair in a knot on their heads. Most of the boys wore sweaters and knicker-bockers—a style of short breeches, fitting loosely and gathered at the knee.

I pause now and look back and think how nice it would have been if we could have enjoyed a Jr. Sr. prom wearing a pretty long formal dress with our hair curled up around our heads awaiting a date who brought a corsage and riding in a nice shiny car.

My admonition to all children everywhere today is to make the very best of every opportunity you have, for you might need it when you go out to meet the world. This old world is nice but it can be very rough if you are not prepared to meet it.

Pickaway rededication set

By KAY SUBICH
Herald Staff Writer

Sunday, October 30, Pickaway Township School, 28158 Kingston Pike, will be holding a rededication ceremony and open house in celebration of the anniversary of the school's original dedication 75 years ago.

The Pickaway Township School System was originally made up of nine, one-room schools scattered throughout Pickaway Township: Rice, Ebenezer, Hitler or Ludwig, Jefferson, Emmet, Congo or Wolfe, Salem, Boggs, and Warren or Oak Grove. Each school taught students in grades one through eight, and horse-drawn wagons were used to transport the boys and girls.

Any student who completed grade eight and passed a test known as the Boxwell Examination was eligible to attend any high school in Ohio. Most students from Pickaway Township went on to either Kingston or Circleville High School.

In a special election held in June, 1911, the township residents approved, by a vote of 140-132, the centralization of the township schools. In January, 1912 the school board selected a site for the new central school on five acres of land known as "Ruggles Woods." which was near Hoover Station on the Scioto Valley traction line. The owners of the land refused to sell, but the property was condemned and then purchased for the appraised valued.

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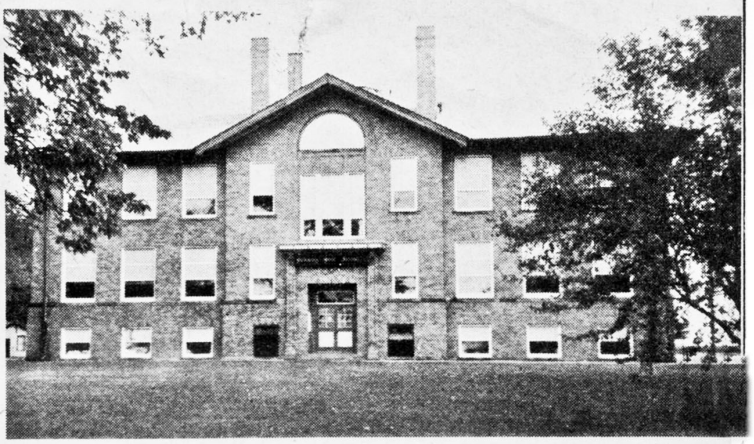
In September, 1913, 196 students gathered to attend the newly-constructed Pickaway Township School. The dedication ceremony, held on October 31, 1913, was described as one of the greatest events of its kind ever given in the county. Six hundred people participated in the festivities which included a number of speakers and a fine banquet.



PICKAWAY TOWNSHIP SCHOOL, BUILT 1913

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A well-to-do farmer, Nelson Hitler, at this time donated $5,000 toward the school's library, and on his death 10-15 years later, he left the school $104,000 for exclusive use by the library. His will stipulated that only the interest from the money could be used, and the principal amount is still intact today, held in trust by the Logan Elm Board of Education. Interest earned each year is used for supplies for all six libraries in the Logan Elm School District.

As the township's population increased, so did the school's enrollment, which by 1927 had reached over 300. In this year, at a cost of $45,000, a new wing was added to the building which included a cafeteria, vo-ag shop, gymnasium, and four additional classrooms.

In the fall of 1960, the new Logan Elm High School opened marking the end of Pickaway Township School as a high school. However, students through grade eight continued to attend until the McDowell Exchange School opened at the start of the 1971-72 school year. Pickaway Township School now serves grades one through six and has a current enrollment of 314 pupils.

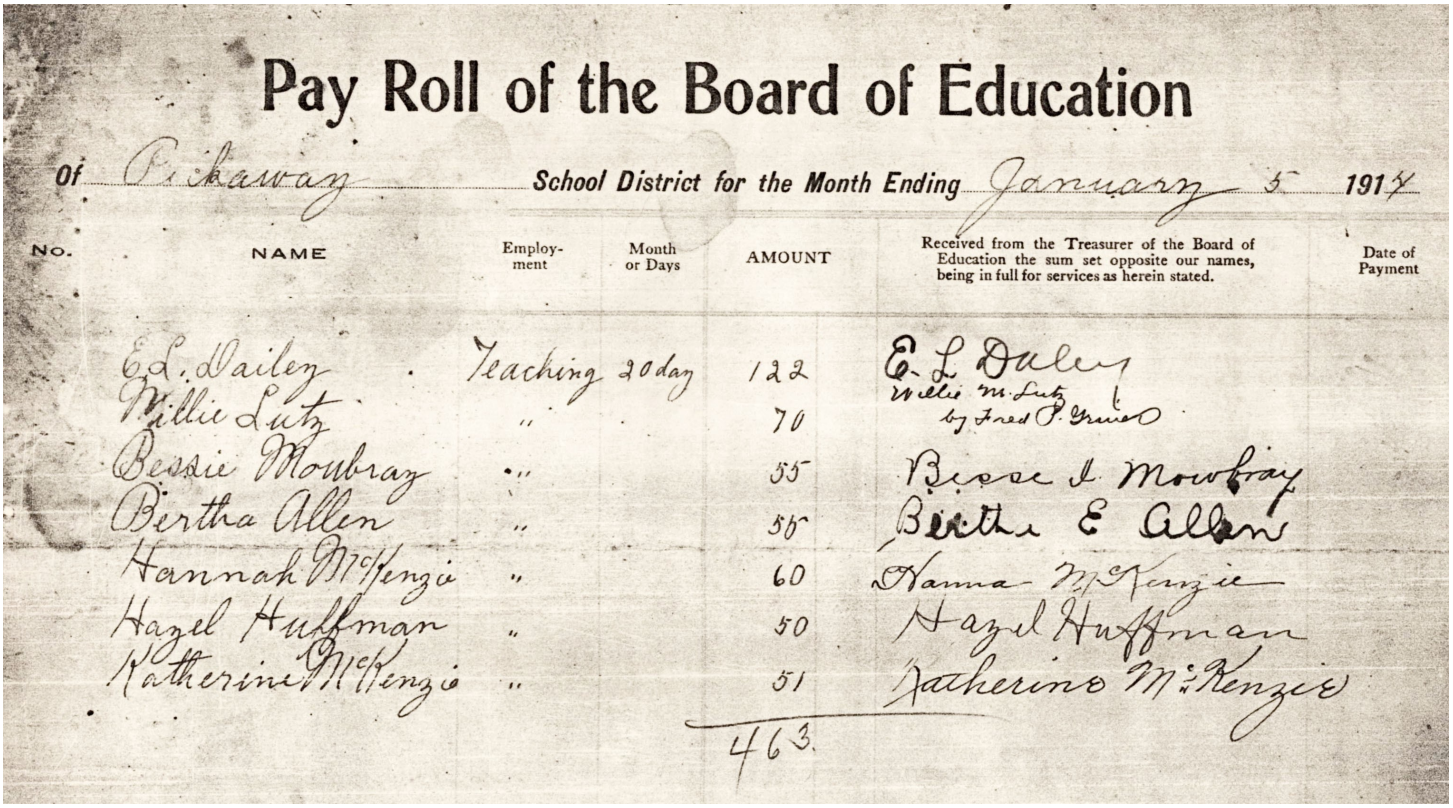
The school has been celebrating its 75th anniversary throughout 1988. On May 25 a mock ground-breaking and tree-planting was held simulating the one that had been held in 1912. On September 14 the students launched a helium balloon in observance of the first day of classes held on the same day in 1913. October 7 was "Old-Time Day" and the students and teachers dressed, held classes, and played games as they would have done 1913. Pictured above are some of the students playing hop-scotch while dressed in the style of the early 1900's.

The school has also made a videotape which features the recollections of several former students and teachers from Pickaway Township School's early years. Included on the tape is a presentation by 90-year-old Gladys Rader Shepler who, along with Ruth Rice, were the first graduates of the school in 1918.

On October 30, the building will be open to the public from 1 to 5 p.m. with special historical displays and a program in the auditorium featuring a keynote address by Dr. Franklin Walter, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. A painting by former student Janet Nicodemus, who is now the art teacher at Logan Elm High School, commemorating the school's diamond anniversary will also be unveiled during the open house.

75th Anniversary

Pickaway Teachers 1913-14



Pay Roll of the Board of Education

Of Pickaway School District for the Month Ending January 5 1914

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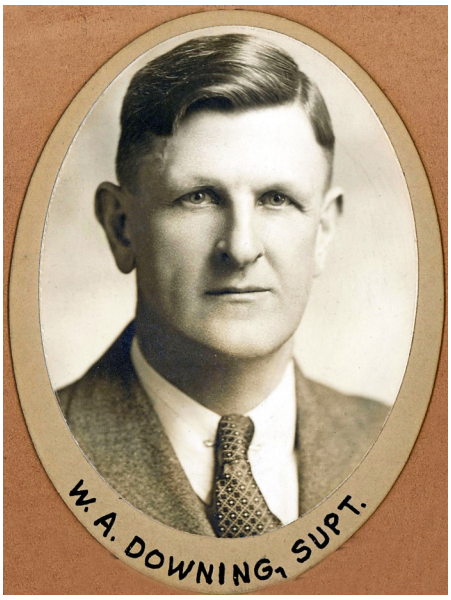
	Ed. Dailey	Teaching	20 day	122	E. L. Daley	
	Willie Lutz	"		70	Willie M. Lutz by Fred P. Grubb	
	Bessie Mowbray	"		55	Bessie I. Mowbray	
	Bertha Allen	"		55	Bertha E Allen	
	Hannah McKenzie	"		60	Hanna McKenzie	
	Hazel Huffman	"		50	Hazel Huffman	
	Katherine McKenzie	"		51	Katherine McKenzie	
				463		

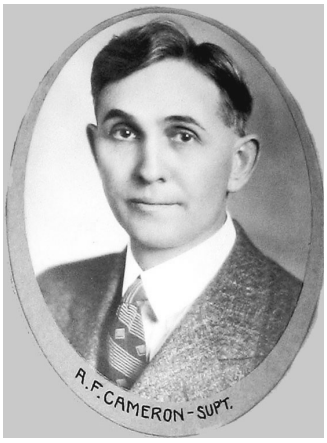
The above payroll voucher reveals the names of the teachers at Pickaway during the 1913-14 school year. The superintendent was Edwin Daley and the principal was Miss Willie Lutz. The teachers were Bessie Mowbray, Bertha Allen, Hannah McKenzie, Hazel Huffman and Katherine McKenzie. Their signatures are on the right side.

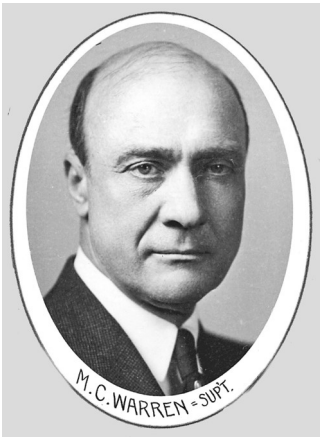
Superintendents

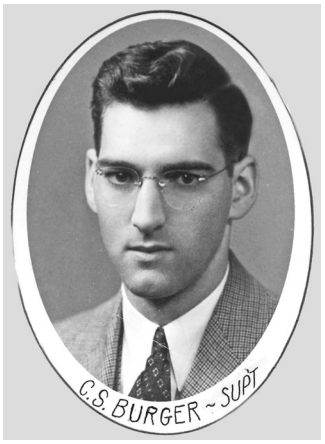
Edwin L. Daley	1913-18
Walter A. Downing	1918-23
Benjamin L. Hanselman	1923-24
Albert F. Cameron	1924-28
Lester E. Seitz	1928-33
Milton C. Warren	1933-36
Myron T. Johnson	1936-40
Carl S. Burger	1940-43
John Boyd Hardin	1943-51
Robert Seward	1951-57

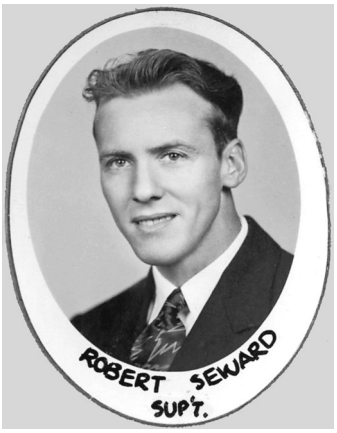
Edwin L. Daley











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Miss Willie M. Lutz	1913-18
Arthur E. Buchanan	1918-19
Harold S. Irons	1919-20
Lloyd Rees	1920-21
Floyd R. Hartpence	1921-23
Eugene G. McCoy	1923-25
George E. Armstrong	1925-26
Eugene Miller	1926-27
Carl F. Doebler	1927-29
Otto C. Meyer	1929-32
Elwood C. Carpenter	1932-33
Edward S. Fries	1933-35
Carl S. Burger	1935-40
Morris N. Taylor	1940-42
John Harden	1942-43
John O Eagleson	1943-47
Robert E. Seward **	1947-57
Alfred Gabriel **	1957-82
Ty Ankrom	1982-84
Robert Fulton	1984-86
Scott Wilson	1986-91
Philip Roe	1991-99
James Wolfe	1999-21
Joanna Strawser	2021-23

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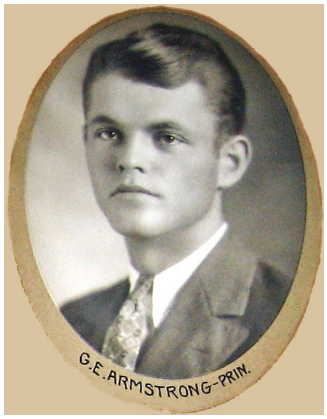

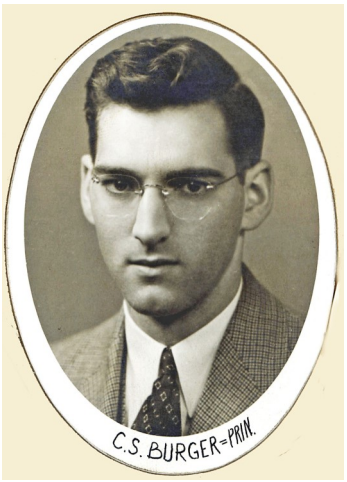

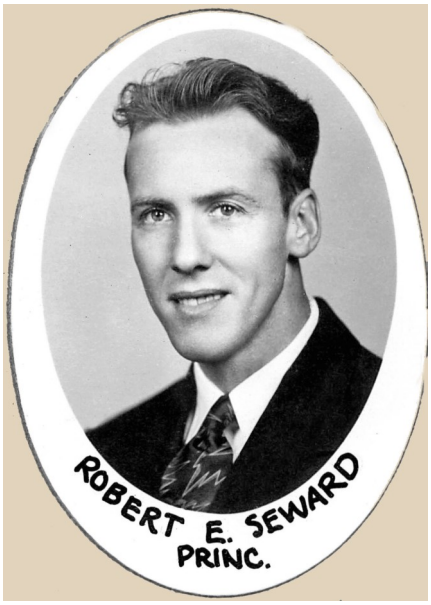

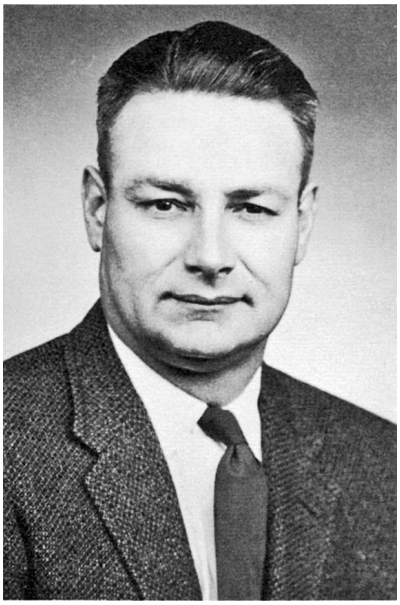

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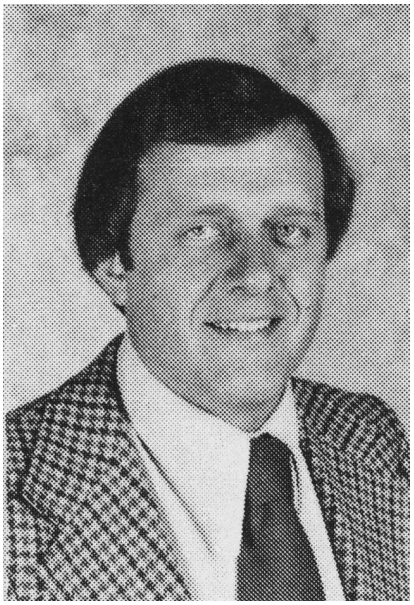

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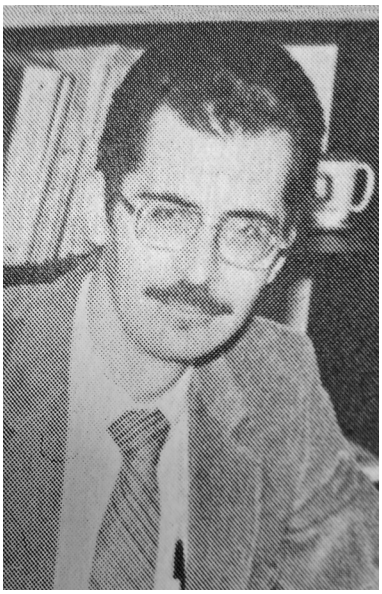

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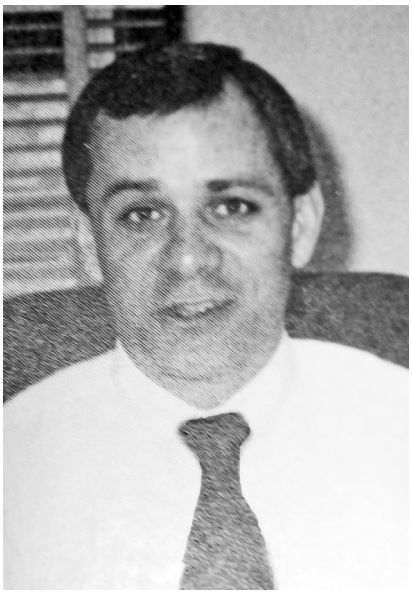

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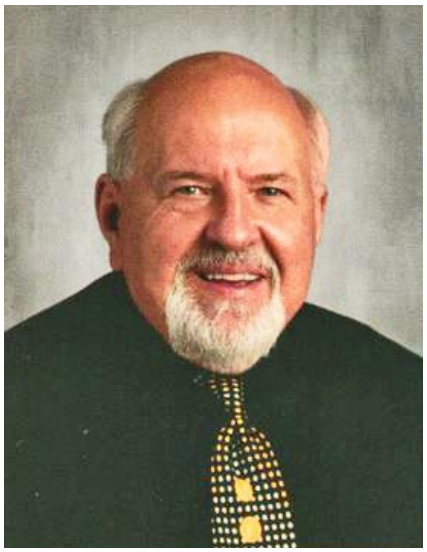

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Pickaway Students 1923

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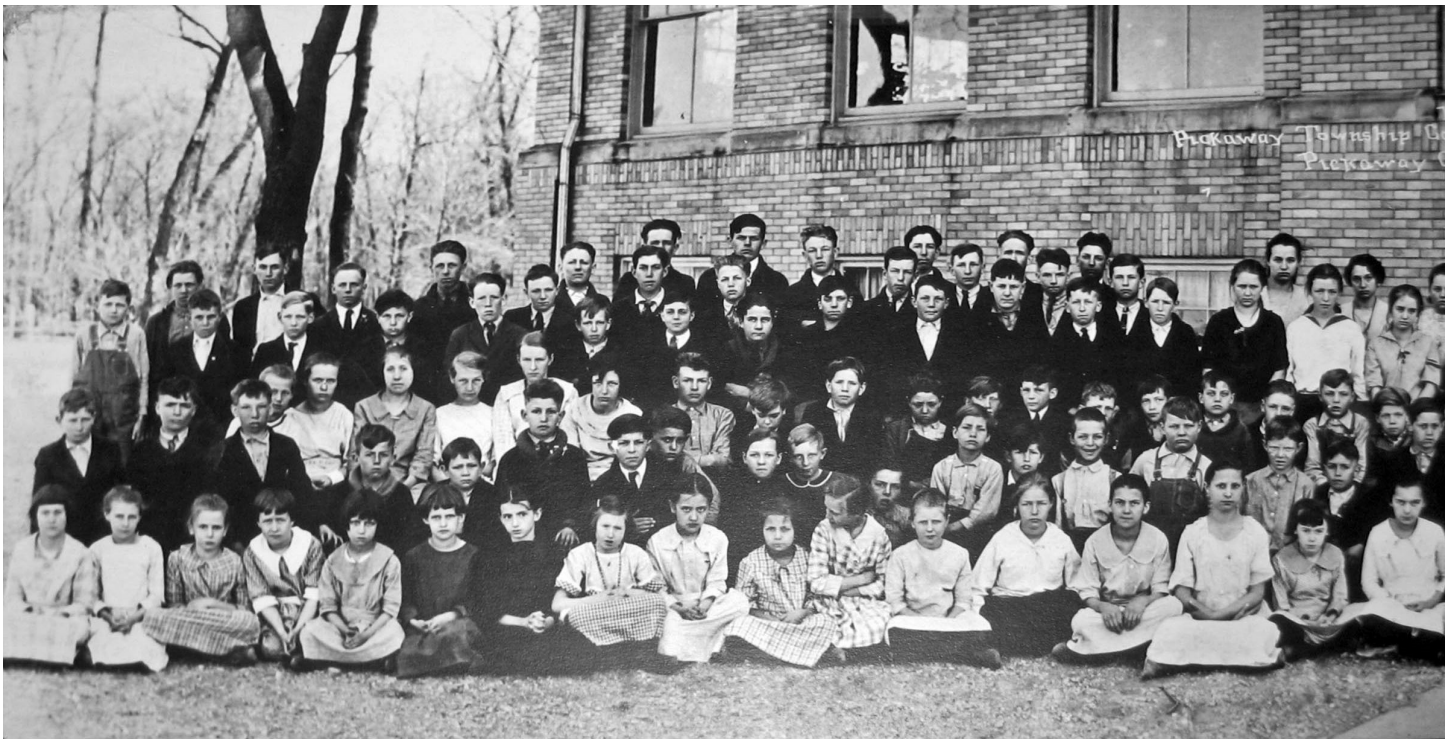

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Consolidated School
Co. Ohio, April, 25th 1923

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A. F. Cameron, Marvene Scott, Mabel Poling, Antoinette Keil, Odessa Wright, Roger Jury, Goldie Ramey, Bill Alexander, Alma McKenzie, Lawrence McKenzie, and John Rittinger. 25th reunion of Class of 1927. July 6, 1952. Pick-away School.

1918

Marvin Rickert in front row with the bat

1918

High School Students 1921-22

Sophomores 1928-29

1926-27 Faculty

A. F. CAMERON—Supt.

Ohio University
Ohio State University

EUGENE MILLER—Principal.

Muskingum, B. Sc. in Ed.

MILDRED WERTMAN

Ohio State University, B. Sc. in Ed.

SARA SWEARINGEN

Ohio State University, B. Sc. in Agr.

MARY RADCLIFFE

Miami University, B. Sc. in Ed.

PAUL JUSTUS

Pickaway County Normal
Ohio University

MILDRED SHANER

Pickaway County Normal
Ohio Northern University

FAYE WOOD

Rio Grande College

JEANETTE REICHELDERFER

Ohio State University
Ohio University

ELEANOR PIERCE

Columbus Normal
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KATHERINE McKENZIE

Ohio University

PEARL RINGWALD

Ohio University

Students Handbook

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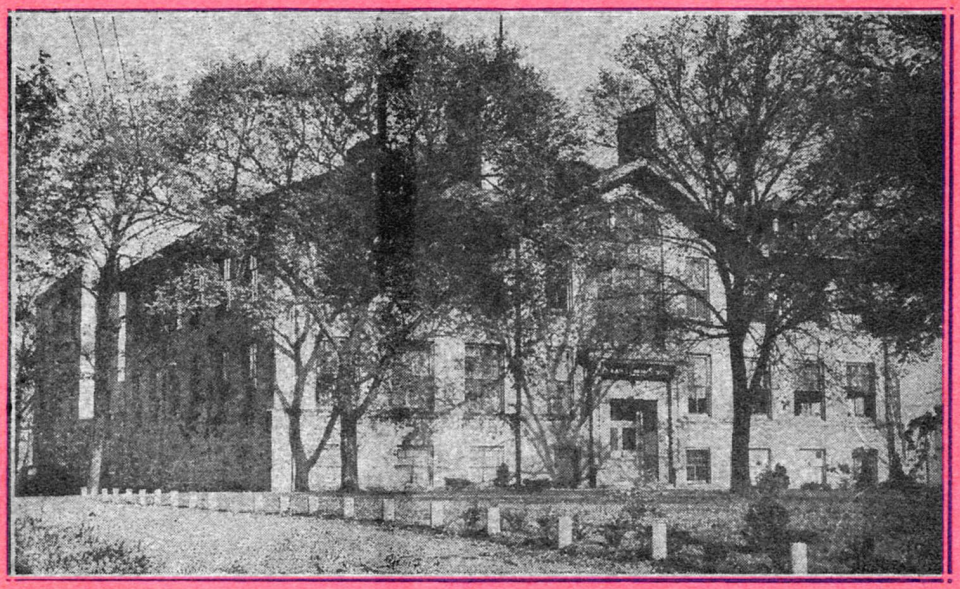

Pickaway Township School

CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO

PREFACE

This handbook has been prepared to serve as a source of information on problems pretaining to our school and its organization. It is primarily intended for the use of high school students, however, teachers and parents will likewise find some questions answered here.

This second edition of "Students Handbook" represents a complete revision of the previous issue. It contains information relative to opportunities afforded to the student, and regulations governing the operation of our school. We hope the suggestions contained herein will serve as incentives for better school experiences.

It is our earnest desire that students and teachers enjoy their work at Pickaway High. We hope that students will freely participate in the school activities and cooperate with teachers and the administration to make this the most successful year in the history of our school.

The author wishes to hereby express his gratitude to Mr. E. H. Althaus, who has so graciously given his time in the typing and printing of this handbook. The splendid arrangement of materials and attractiveness of this publication could not have been accomplished without his assistance.

-M. T. Johnson

September 1, 1938

HISTORY

OF

PICKAWAY TOWNSHIP SCHOOL

Previous to 1912 there were 9 one-room schools in Pickaway Township. This was the time when consolidation of schools was in its infancy. Pickaway Township, as in every other worthwhile enterprize took the lead in this undertaking. In September, 1912, 196 boys and girls, from all parts of the township gathered together. Most of the teachers in those 9 schools were retained. Mr. E. L. Dailey became the first superintendent.

To bring these boys and girls to this new building, horse drawn wagons were used. Little by little these were relieved by motor driven busses. In 1930 the Board of Education purchased a new fleet of bus bodies, which are still being used.

In 1927 an addition to the building was made. This was to serve as a high school department. At the present there is a total enrollment of approximately 300.

Seven superintendents have served Pickaway Township School. Following Mr. Dailey's tenure of office the following men served in order mentioned: W. A. Downing, Mr. Henselman, F. A. Cameron, L. E. Seitz, M. C. Warren, and the present superintendent, Myron T. Johnson.

John Stout was the first janitor of the school. He began his service when school was opened and continued until 1918. Mr. Lewis Smith took over the position then and continued until 1936. Lee A. Smith succeeded his father in the position.

Pickaway Township School has always been endeared in the hearts of those who attended it. The school has been a sweet memory to those who have graduated from it and something to look forward to by those who yet must complete its course.

ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY

Board of Education

Mrs. B. W. Young, President
Mrs. Paul McGinnis, Vice Pres.
Kirby Drake
Edward Kreisel
Frank Sharp
Leo McKenzie, Clerk

Faculty

Myron T. Johnson, Superintendent
Carl S. Burger, Principal and Coach
Opal E. Marshall, Languages and Home Ec.
Mildred O. Wertman, History
E. H. Althaus, Commercial
G. D. Bradley, Agriculture
Jane C. McWhirter, Music
Ruth Warner, Art
Mary Alice Mark, Mathematics
Morris Taylor, Science

PURPOSE OF THE SCHOOL

It shall be the purpose of the Pickaway High School, to provide the facilities by which students attending may be better fitted for the democratic way of life.

Teachers and administrators shall be responsible to provide a school program which seeks to develop students to think for themselves and solve their own problems.

Students must learn to live cooperatively with others. They must learn to deal intelligently with problems of individual and social importance. They should seek to discover and cultivate a variety of personal interests, and, with the guidance of their teachers, apply them to improve their position in society.

It will be the purpose of the school to further study its needs and to continually improve its methods, that it may best serve its purpose in the community.

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LOYALTY

LOYALTY is faithfulness in any of the relationships of life that might imply trust. Loyalty is simply "sticking by a fellow in time of need." Doing your share toward making your classroom and your home happier and being loyal to your country's laws. Applied to the school, we can get this loyalty only by making ourselves feel that the school is ours. A person is loyal to the school who:

1.--Takes great pride in the appearance of halls, rooms, building, and lawn.
2.--Takes vital interest in questions brought before the school.
3.--Is willing to follow the decisions of the majority.
4.--Is ready to do all he can to make his school better and even greater.
5.--Is courteous at all times to visitors, faculty, student body, and class officers.
6.--Always stands for justice.

CURRICULM

It is no reflection on anyone's intelligence that he does not go to college or does not succeed in college. There are many kinds of intelligence. The college kind is the ability to work with books. Another is the power to create things artistic in music, paintings, drawings, or dramatics. Still another is the technical inventiveness with machines, electrical apparatus, airplanes, and the like. Each of these types of intelligence, and many others, are necessary and important. The world could not run without all of the many varieties of abilities that people possess.

You should have some objective as to your life's work, and plan your course accordingly. Do not take a subject because you think it to be easy, or because you think that teacher to be easy. Every student should ask himself, "What are my interests and outstanding abilities?" When you have answered this question, consulted your parents, and school advisor, you should select the course best suited to you. Studies in this high school are largely divided into three groups, namely: (1) academic or gereral, (2) commercial or business, (3) vocational. The gereral course includes the required subjects, languages, sciences, and mathematics. The business course includes work in the commercial field, with such courses as Business English, bookkeeping, shorthand, typing, etc. Agriculture should be classed as vocational, while home economics should be thought of as a course where certain principles of homemaking, personal and social relationships are considered, and should be taken by a large number of girls, regardless of what other courses they may be taking.

If you plan to go to college, your course should be planned with much care. You should not fail to take Latin, geometry, and possibly physics. Advanced mathematics would also strengthen your course for some college courses. You should consult an advisor to help you plan your college preparatory course.

The normal load to carry is four units, with music and physical education in addition. You will not be permitted to take more unless your past record shows that you are able to carry it. An average of "B" will be necessary. No more than $\frac{1}{2}$ unit may be earned in typing in any year. A limited number of students may take typing in addition to the other four units carried.

Each year when registering, a careful check should be made upon all credits earned in the past, in order that the student shall have the required number when entering the senior year.

Upon graduation from high school you must have earned 16 units in addition to those obtained by music and physical education. These must contain two majors of three units each, and two minors of two units each. Also included in the 16 units must be one unit of science, which may either be General Science or Biology, and one unit of mathematics, preferably algebra.

Courses in the following Curriculum indicated with a capital letter "R" are required while those indicated with a capital letter "E" are elective.

EVEN YEAR

Seventh Year

R English
R Mathematics
R Science
R Geography
R Hist. & Geog. of Ohio
R Music
R Art
R Physical Education

Eighth Year

R English
R Mathematics
R Science
R History
R Community Civics
R Music
R Art
R Physical Education

Ninth Year

R English	1 unit
R Algebra	1 "
R Gen. Sc.	1 "
R Phys. Ed.	¼ "
E Agriculture	1½ "
E Home Ec.	1 "
E Latin I	1 "
E Music	¼ "

ODD YEAR

Seventh Year

R English
R Mathematics
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R Geography
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R Music
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R Gen. Sc.	1 "
R Phys. Ed.	¼ "
E Agriculture	1½ "
E Home Ec.	1 "
E Latin I	1 "
E Music	¼ "

EVEN YEAR

Tenth Year

R	English II	1 unit
R	World Hist.	1 "
R	Phys. Ed.	¼ "
E	Biology	1 "
E	Agriculture	1¼ "
E	Home Ec.	1 "
E	Latin II	1 "
E	Farm Shop	1 "
E	Geometry	1 "
E	Music	¼ "

Eleventh Year

R	English III	1 unit
R	Am. Hist.	1 "
R	Phys. Ed.	¼ "
E	Chemistry	1 "
E	Adv. Algebra	½ "
E	Physiology	½ "
E	Bus. Eng.	½ "
E	Pub. Speak.	½ "
E	Bus. Arith.	½ "
E	Econ. Geog.	½ "
E	Typing I	½ "
E	Music	¼ "

Twelfth Year

R	English IV	1 unit
R	Am. Probs.	1 "
R	Phys. Ed.	¼ "
E	Adv. Algebra	½ "
E	Solid Geom.	½ "
E	Bus. Arith.	½ "
E	Econ. Geog.	½ "
E	Bus. Eng.	½ "
E	Pub. Speak.	½ "
E	Physiology	½ "
E	Typing II	½ "
E	Chemistry	1 "
E	Music	¼ "

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E	Bus. Law	½ "
E	Salesmanship	½ "
E	Bookkeeping	1 "
E	Typing I	½ "
E	Adv. Algebra	½ "
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"There is no substitute for character--no substitute for honesty--no substitute for work. This nation cannot legislate them into its Citizenship; each of us must gain them for himself."

GOOD CITIZENSHIP

Citizenship in a country or state means membership. One who pledges allegiance to the organization, to uphold its principles, laws and regulations is in return entitled to enjoy certain rights and privileges of citizenship. To make the nation or state strong, all citizens must cooperatively work together for a common purpose. Laws are passed for the protection of the rights of all concerned.

Citizenship applied to school is much the same as when applied to a state. The school is operated for the benefit of all its students or citizens. It is assumed that all students wish to be good school citizens and to become valuable members of Pickaway school. Below are listed several suggestions for helping you to do this.

Cooperation--Before any organization, be it a nation, a factory, or a school, can operate effeciently there must be harmony of purpose and all members must cooperate to bring about the desired result. In the operation of a school, students should willingly cooperate with teachers and officials to make for the best possible educational opportunities.

Attitudes--Attitude is a frame of mind. Some people have good attitudes, which aid them in their work, while others have attitudes which prove detrimental to their success. If you are to be a good school citizen and enjoy your school experiences, you should cultivate the proper attitudes. You should be optimistic. Try to be open-minded. If some regulation displeases you, try to see the other side by placing yourself open to the argument. We should cultivate such cheerful and happy attitudes in approaching our school work, that by our willingness, others may be pleased and our outlook on life may be pleasant. Remember nobody likes a grouch or a knocker.

Good Sportsmanship--A good sportsman plays fair. He does not cheat, but plays the game hard according to the rules. He treats his opponents with respect. He plays for the success of the team, and not for personal glory. If the team loses, he does not hunt excuses or blame the referee, but instead respects the superiority of the other team. In all school work, in business, or in any undertaking, good sportsmanship should be our aim. It will bring us success. Ask yourself, "Am I a good sportsman? Do I always play fair in my school work and in competitive sports?"

Respect for Property--It is always easy to deface or mar school property. There are few times when this is done intentionaly, but rather it is done carelessly or without thinking. We have a nice building and good equipment. It is made possible at public expense. Let us as students respect those who have made it possible, by the proper use of it. Remember others will be using the building after we leave it. Let's leave it in as good condition as we found it. A good school citizen respects public property and appreciates the opportunity of using it for his benefit.

Respect for Others--Listen courteously to the advice of teachers, principal, and superintendent. They are probably better informed than you are about the subjects under discussion, although it may be difficult for you to realize it at the time. Remember you, too, must live and learn.

Recognize and admire the good qualities of your classmates, teachers, or friends. There is some good in every one.

Love and respect the members of your own family. Your parents are more deeply interested in you than anyone else.

Never intentionaly say anything that will injure the feelings of others.

A good school citizen is courteous and always respects the rights of others.

Self Respect--A good school citizen should:

(1) Keep clean and attractive.
(2) Endeavor to get proper sleep, food, and exercise for good health.
(3) Dress appropriately for school.
(4) Be sensible in use of cosmetics. Natural charm is desired by most.
(5) Avoid forming harmful habits. Have the courage to say "no".

Manners--"Life is not so short, but there is always time enough for courtesy." --Emerson.

Classroom Manners

(1) Punctuality--be prompt to the classroom.
(2) Be orderly even if the teacher is not in the room.
(3) Come prepared for class work, with pencil sharpened, paper and other necessary materials.
(4) When speaking before the class, sit or stand erect, and speak distinctly.
(5) Refrain from chewing gum in the classroom.
(6) Be considerate--never laugh at another's mistakes.
(7) Wait patiently for your turn.
(8) Critize the work of others courteously, and accept the same from them.
(9) Never rush out when class bell rings. Often the teacher needs time to finish a remark. Wait for her word to leave.

Mannors in the Halls

(1) Pass through the halls quietly and quickly.
(2) Refrain from visiting during change of classes.
(3) Refrain from throwing apple cores, candy wrappers, etc. in the hallways.
(4) Speak quietly in halls.
(5) Avoid using hallways for noon hour visits.

Manners in Assembly

(1) Be there on time and give prompt attention.
(2) Avoid talking or doing anything to disturb those about you.
(3) If the program displeases, you do not show your displeasure. You may be on the program sometime.
(4) Join in program when you are asked to do so.
(5) Applaud properly.
(6) Wait for a dismissal signal by someone in authority and be orderly in your exit.

School Parties, Etc.

(1) Remember that each school function must be supervised by a class sponsor.
(2) See to it that chaperons are properly treated. Greet them courteously and treat them with respect.
(3) Remember that at parties you are either a host or guest. Remember your social duties.

SCHOOL SPIRIT

There is something about us that makes us want to boost our school. We wish to see our team win. We wish to see our band perform. We wish to see our scholars win. We are proud of our school, our students, and our teachers. "School spirit?" Yes, let it run high. Boost your school at every opportunity. "Why not?" We have a good school. We support many activities. Be on hand for any help you are able to give at any time. Show your school spirit by cooperation in all things and by actively participating in the activities of the school. Boost Pickaway High. Help keep it at its best.

SCHOLARSHIP

The primary purpose of a modern high school is to provide the proper opportunities and environment for the best development of its students. There are many phases of school life. The most important is attainment of a certain degree of information needed for better understandings. A student should pursue the work of his studies in a diligent manner and strive to gain all that is possible from the course.

Attainment of a high degree of scholarship in academic subjects, and not entering into the other activities of the school would not provide the best education. For your best development, and to make your experiences more enriched, you should take part in some of the extra-curricular activities of our school. Splendid opportunities are afforded at Pickaway for development in instrumental and vocal music, journalism, dramatics, and athletics.

"TO EACH IS GIVEN A BAG OF TOOLS,
A SHAPELESS MASS AND A BOOK OF RULES,
AND EACH MUST FASHION ERE LIFE IS FLOWN,
A STUMBLING BLOCK OR A STEPPING STONE.

ISN'T IT STRANGE THAT PRINCES AND KINGS,
AND CLOWNS THAT CAPER IN SAWDUST RINGS
AND COMMON FOLK LIKE YOU AND ME,
ARE BUILDERS OF ETERNITY?"

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Students in Pickaway High School are privileged to enter into a number of activities which are either sponsored, or encouraged by the school.

These activities are intended to furnish both instructional and social advantages to students participating. Parties and social events connected with each activity must be properly planned under the direction of the activity sponsor.

While students are encouraged to become interested in some of the activities, care must be taken that a student does not enter so many that he will be unable to give sufficient time to his classroom work. Students carrying several activities will find it necessary to prepare many lessons outside of school time.

Listed below are several activities which the school now encourages, or plans to do so in the near future. Students interested in any activity not now offered should make known their desires at the office.

Proposed	Now Operating
Hi-Y	Home Room Activities
Girl Reserves	Assembly Programs
Dramatics Club	Athletics
Debate Club	School Publications
Science Club	4-H Clubs
Mathematics Club	Future Farmers of America
English Club	Library Service
Journalism Club	Office Practice
	Oratory
	Music Club

FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING

All funds derived from any school activity must be properly accounted for. The funds will be promptly deposited in the "Pickaway Township School Activities Fund" account. There will be individual accounts kept of each activity. Any member of a class or an activity, which has money deposited in the fund may examine the records and determine the standing of the activity at any time. In addition,

there will be posted at various intervals the standing of all funds.

The system used by our school is one which is used in the leading high schools of the state. It combines the advantages of conducting the activities on a business basis and leaves a permanent record in the school, of all funds.

ATTENDANCE

No single thing does more to insure the success of a student than perfect attendance. Likewise failure is often due to irregular attendance. The student who wishes to make the most of his educational experiences will be on hand at every class session.

There are times, such as for personal illness, when a student must be absent from school. In cases of this nature the student will be presented an excuse blank for the signature of parent and checking of reason. These excuses will be kept on file in the office. If a student is needed at home for work, he may be excused for a period, not to exceed 15 days during the school term. If this excuse is desired the student should apply at the office for a special excuse, giving him this privilege.

Any time missed from school should be promptly made up. The student should inquire of the teacher as to material missed, upon his return to school and proceed to complete his assignment.

SIX-SIX ORGANIZATION

Upon recommendation of the State Department of Education, the administration has seen fit to organize the school on the six-six plan. Under this plan the first six grades will make up the elementary school and the high school will include grades seven to twelve.

Under this plan of organization there is no break between the eighth year and freshman year in high school, as formerly. The plan further provides for the instruction of the seventh and eighth years to be done by better qualified teachers. All teachers will hold college degrees and will be teaching in their major fields of preparation.

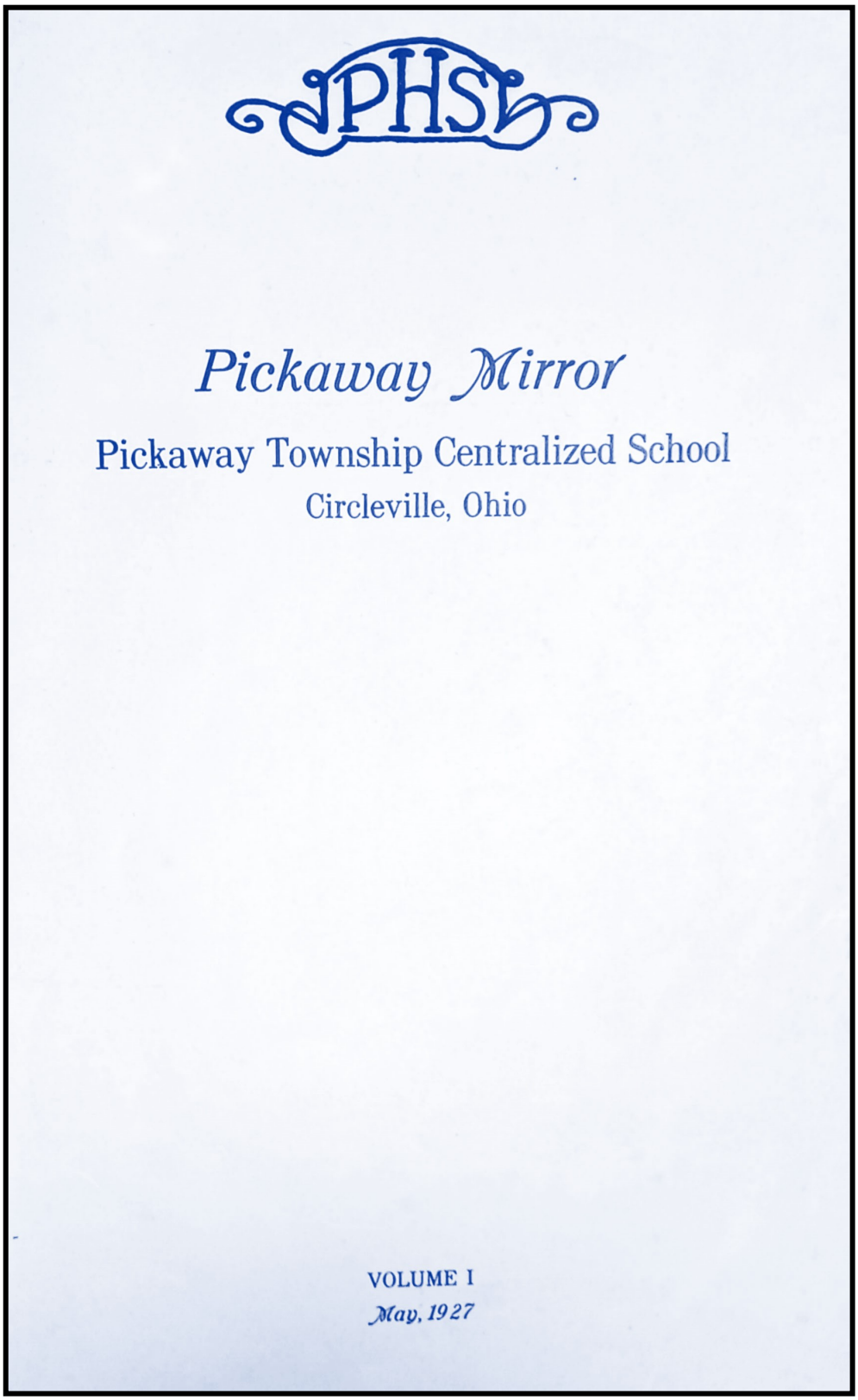
SCHOOL CALENDAR

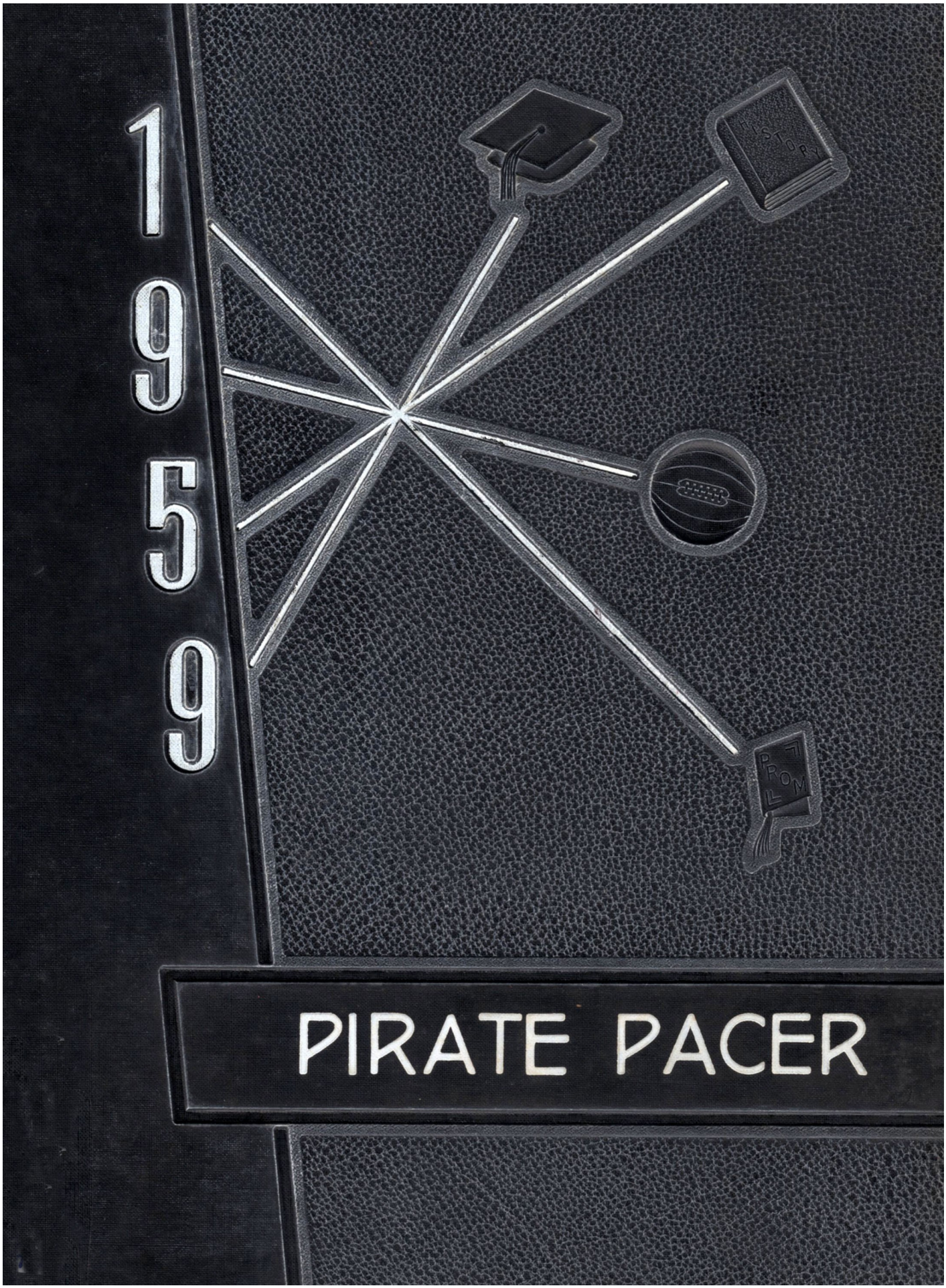
1938-1939

Sept. 5-----First Day in Session-Teachers' Meeting.
Sept. 17-----Constitution Day.
Sept. 17-----County Teachers' Meeting, Ashville.
Oct. 9-15---Fire Prevention Week.
Oct. 12-----Columbus Day.
Oct. 14-----End of first six weeks.
Oct. 21-----Pumpkin Show Holiday.
Nov. 4-5----C.O.T.A. Meeting, Columbus.
Nov. 4-----Junior Class Play.
Nov. 6-12---American Education Week.
Nov. 11-----Armistice Day.
Nov. 11-----First Basketball game of season.
Nov. 13-19--Childrens' Book Week.
Nov. 24-----End of second six weeks.
Nov. 24-25--Thanksgiving Vacation.
Dec. 7-----County Music Festival. (Tentative)
Dec. 7-9----First Every Pupil Tests.
Dec. 24-Jan.1-Christmas Vacation-O.E.A. Meeting, Col.
Jan. 13-----End of third six weeks.
Jan. 13-----Temperance Day.
Jan. 17-23--National Thrift Week.
Feb. 22-----Washington's Birthday. (School Holiday)
Feb. 17-18--County Basketball Tournament.
Feb. 23-25--County Basketball Tournament continued.
Feb. 24-----End of fourth six weeks.
Mar. 18-----County Teachers' Meeting.
Apr. 1-----Senior Scholarship Tests, Circleville.
Apr. 4-6----Second Every Pupil Tests.
Apr. 7-----End of fifth six weeks.
Apr. 14-----Operetta.
Apr. 15-----Elimination Tests for Co. Scholarship Team.
Apr. 21-----County Oratorical Contest, Deercreek.
May 5-----County Track and Field Day, New Holland.
May 12-----Senior Class Play.
May 18-19--Final Examinations.
May 19-----End of sixth six weeks.
May 21-----Baccalaureate.
May 22-----Teacher's Day.
May 23-----Last Day of School.
May 24-----Commencement.

School Publications

The early Pickaway newspapers were called the Pickaway News and then the Pickaway Pamphlet. Later it was changed to the Pirate Blade. The yearbook in the 1920s was called The Pickaway Mirror but later it became known as the Pickaway Pacer.

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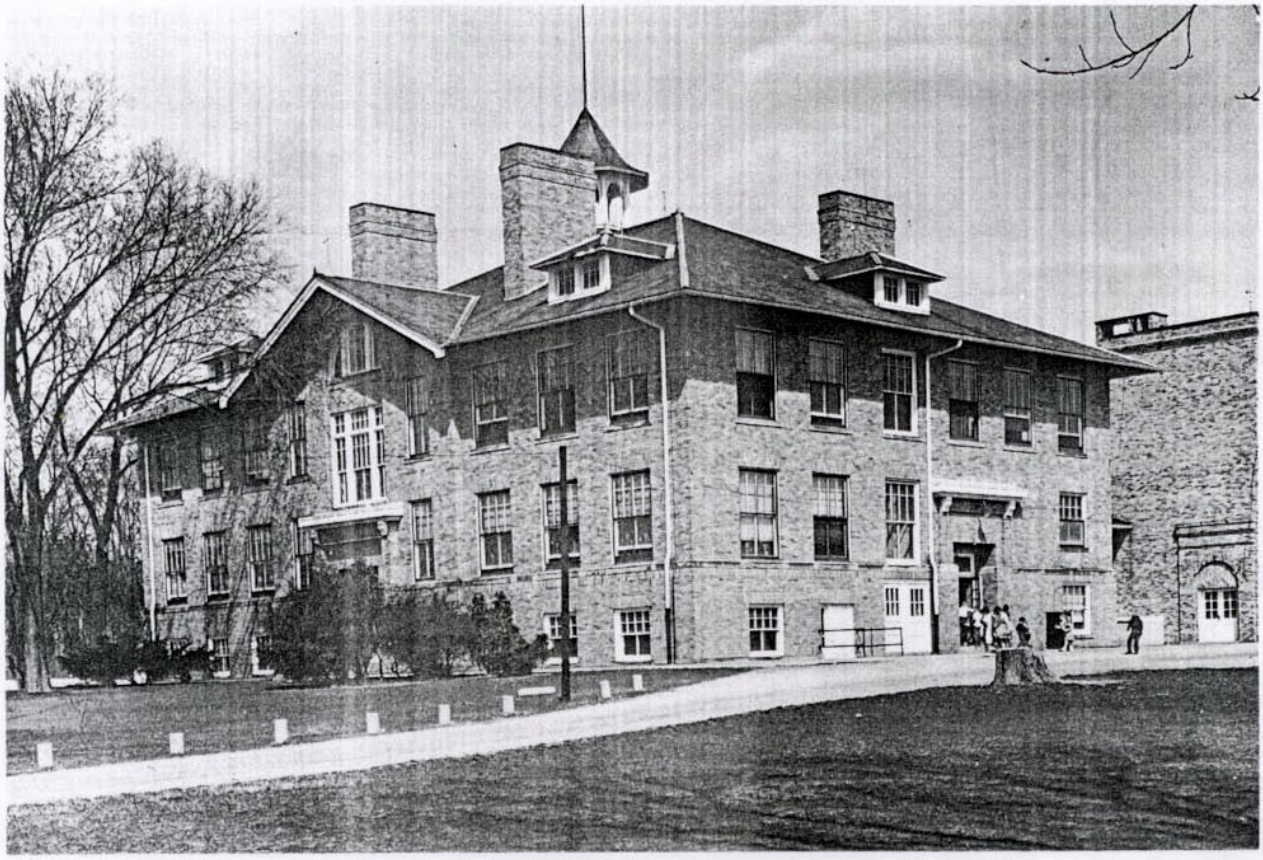

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PIRATE BLADE

Pickaway Twp. School
Circleville, Ohio

Volume II, Number VII

April 30, 1959

5 RANK FIRST IN COUNTY ON TESTS

The results of the district-preliminary scholarship tests show that 10 Pickaway students are eligible to take the final state tests May 2 at Ohio State University.

Those competing for state honors and their rank in the county are as follows: Bill Harral, a junior, ranked first in the county in Physics; Nancy Wilson, senior, first in the county in English 12; Anne Smith, sophomore, first in the county in Geometry; Patty Watson, junior, first in the county in American History; David Beavers, freshman, first in the county in Algebra; Janet Bower, freshman, Latin I; Sue Adkins, freshman, English 9; Brad Huffines, freshman, Biology; Bonnie Dudleson, senior, Social Studies; and Janice Umsted, junior, English 11. The ranks of the students listed in the preceding paragraph were unknown at the time this issue "went to press."

JANET GRISSOM RATED "SUPERIOR" WITH PROJECT

Janet Grissom received a superior rating at the State Science Day April 17. Her project was concerned with the healthy heart and the coronary thrombosis. She became interested in the heart attack President Eisenhower suffered and made it, the coronary thrombosis, her project.

After much research, she drew several beautiful and colorful diagrams showing the healthy heart and a heart as it looks during a heart attack. From there Janet went on to make a model heart, a little larger than actual size. All this she combined in a most outstanding way.

Of the work she did, Janet says, "It was a lot of work, as is anything worthwhile. Believe me, it was worth all the work I did."

Three other local Science Club members, having received superior in the district, exhibited projects at the state affair. All three received excellent ratings. They are Jerry Patrick, "Conservation"; Anne Smith, "The Simple Laboratory Preparation of Lucite"; and Nancy Wilson, a research paper entitled, "Memory".

May 2
State Scholarship Tests
Girls, Jr. High Track Meet

May 8
Junior-Senior Banquet

May 15
Freshman Record Hop

May 17
Baccalaureate

May 21
High School Commencement

May 22
Eighth Grade Commencement

May 23
Alumni Banquet

May 26
Last day of school

May 26 - June 3
Senior Trip

HONOR ROLL STUDENTS LISTED

SECOND GRADE
Steven Alkire*
Stephen Swank*
Stephen Troehler*
Royce Woolever*
Melanie Dresbach*
Patty Dunn*
Linda Luton*
Melinda McKnight*
Brenda Mills*
Donna Phillips*
Darla Sparks*
Karen Sparks*

THIRD GRADE
Judy Ankrom*
Holly Davis*
Linda Davis*
Nancy Eakin
Linda Huffman
Dennis Hulse
Eddie Kreisel*
Nancy May*
Buddy McAfee*
Jimmy Parker*
Patty Pontius
Donna Stephens*
Cynthia Valentine*
Nancy Wolford*
Jane Wright*

FOURTH GRADE
Alan Gabriel*
Barbara Horsley*
Barbara Martin
Valerie May*
Barbara McCain*
Terry McNight
Donna Parker*
Larry Selvage
Paul Stephens*
Scott Wilson*
Tommy Smith*
Diane Schaal

FIFTH GRADE
Ellen Whaley
Rebecca Alkire*
Cynthia Hildenbrand*
Douglas Huffines
Connie Ramey
Sandra Ramey*
Donald Schaal*
Katie Wilson
Leslie Reno
Susie Carpenter*
Junior Farrell

SIXTH GRADE
Jimmy Wilson
Neil Wolfe
Cheryl Hulse
Sharon Graves*
Anita Moats
Eddie Umsted
Bobby Stant
Carolyn Clements
Janet Steele
Page Miller
Janet De Long
Brenda List
Carlene Fullen
Vicki Holdren

SEVENTH GRADE
Connie Dunkle*
Joe Horsley*
Lois Wilson*
Susan Laveck
Arnold Gabriel*
Marly Luton
Carol Davis*

EIGHTH GRADE
Sue Courtright*
James Harral*
Tommy Huffines*
Sandra Huffman
Sharon Lauerman*
Ceila Lowery
Charles McKenzie*
Robert Parker
Billy Wood

NINTH GRADE
Jackie Evans
Dave Beavers
Janet Bower*
Sue Adkins*
Sandra Grissom*

TENTH GRADE
Judith Goodman*
Anne Smith*
TENTH GRADE (Cont.)
Beverly Woolever
Sharon Sharrett

ELEVENTH GRADE
Bill Harral
Donna Spiller
Mary Streber
Janice Umsted

TWELFTH GRADE
Doris Azbell*
Bonnie Dudleson*
Janet Grissom*
Juanita Hinton
Patty Hockman*
Beverley McKenzie*
Gary Rittinger
Janet Search*
Nancy Wilson*
Nathan Wilson

GRADES WATCH FOR SIGNS OF SPRING

The first grade has three new pupils. They are Bonnie Davis and Larry Smith from Circleville and David Pennington from Westerville. This makes an enrollment of 14 boys and 16 girls.

Things of interest in the first grade now are:

Watching flower and vegetable seeds sprout and grow;

Watching the tiny Praying Mantis hatch. Last fall the pupils watched a mother Mantis make a cocoon;

A large Polyphemus Moth came out of its cocoon. It was in their Terrarium;

A chemical garden.

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Circleville, Ohio
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LATIN CLUB IS BUSY WITH ACTIVITIES

by Norman Wilson

The Latin Club has had a busy month with its State Junior Classical League and its Roman Banquet.

Twenty new members of the club went to the State J. C. L. Convention, which was held at the Ohio State University's Mershon Auditorium April 9. It consisted of workshops, a banquet, and a business meeting with election of state officers.

Saturday, April 18, at 6:30 p. m., twenty-four members attended the annual Roman Banquet at Unioto School. At this banquet, which was made as nearly like an original Roman festival as was possible, the members dressed in togas just as the Romans did. During the banquet slaves entered and were ordered to do anything the others desired, from rolling apples with their noses to eating sardines. After the banquet a program was held, in which our club presented a skit of the story of "Pyramus and Thisbe". Participants in the skit were Sharon Sharrett, Thisbe; Norman Wilson, Pyramus; Ned Musselman, Wall; Jim Drumm, the Bear; and Nathan Wilson, Joe Goeller, Gene Dean, and Bruce Wilson, Trees.

All the Latin Club members are hoping for a Pick-Away County J. C. L. Club in the near future.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE LISTED

The following students are those who have had perfect attendance the past six weeks. The * denotes those who have attended every day of school this year.

FIRST GRADE: Stephen Bower, Charles Clark, Wanda Dunkle*, Clarence Hixson, Peggy King*, Robert McAfee, Janice Parker, Joe Parker, Ricky Parker, Conda Phillips, Teresa Pierce, Joyce Valentine, Deborah Whaley, and Patricia Williams;

SECOND GRADE: Darla Sparks, Connie Wright, Steven Alkire, John Arthur, Danny Darst, Harry Parker, Stephen Swank*, and Stephen Troehler;

THIRD GRADE: Judy Arkrom, Allen Ritzer*, Holly Davis, Nancy Eakin, Eddie Gifford, Dennis Hulse, Virginia King*, Curtis Moss, Vernon Pierce, Barbara Spicer*, Linda Spiller, Larry Stant*, Donna Stephens, Jane Wright*;

FOURTH GRADE: Greg Dunkle, Jackie Ellis, Jimmy Evans*, Bobby King*, Janet Marion, Valerie May, Terry McNight*, David Parker, Donna Parker, Patty Pine, Larry Selvage*, and Julia Williams;

FIFTH GRADE: Rebecca Alkire, Benny Azbell*, Sue Cooksey, Pat Darst, Terry Darst, Michael Bailey, George Arthurs, Larry Dunn*, Jr. Ferrell, Bernadine Gose*, Nancy Holdren, Douglas Huffines*, Paul King*, Mary Belle Kreisel*, John Martin, David Montogomery, David Morris*, Terry Moss, Linda Pontius*, Sandra Ramey*, Donald Schaal, Ellen Whaley, John Young, Leslie Reno, Willis Lowery*, Susan Carpenter, Wilma Williams, and Judy Young*;

SIXTH GRADE: Carolyn Clements*, Janet De Long*, Joan Enoch*, Carlene Fullen*, Ronnie Layton*, Brenda List*, Cheryl Riffle*, Donald Selvage), Bobby Stant*, Eddie Umsted*, Jimmy Wilson*, Neil Wolfe, Sharon Graves, Betty Davis, Ronnie Webb, Vicki Holdren, Sandra Spiller, Cheryl Hulse, Janet Steele, and Jessie Barnhart, Danny Ellis, and Bobby Arnold;

SEVENTH GRADE: Sandra Arledge*, Kenny Arnold, Dennis Arthurs*, Carol Davis, Richard Diltz, Barbara Dudleson, George Eakin*, Arnold Gabriel*, Marcella Glenn, Larry Grissom*, Jimmy Hicks, Connie Holbrook*, Carol Huffer, Joanne Huffman*, Marly Luton, Lula Belle Peck*, Rose Pine*, Bonnie Riffle, Judy Rockwell*;

NINTH GRADE: Larry Arnold, Dan Baker*, David Beavers*, Janet Bower*, Paul Bower*, Robert Bower*, Donald Graves, Borma Huffer*, Ronnie Huffer*, Brad Huffines, Judy Huffman*, Peggy Marion, George Miller, Mary Morris, Kenny Moss, and Dean Wolfe;*

TENTH GRADE: Eugene Dean, Ralph England, Joe Goeller*, Robert Gose, Jim Hinton*, Ronnie Jacobs, Jim Laveck, Larry McKenzie, Pete Mowery, Bill Parker, Norman Wilson*, Peggy Gifford, and Sharon Sharrett;

ELEVENTH GRADE: Bill Arnold, Joan Ginther, Jerry Patrick*, Mary Streber, and Janice Umsted*;

TWELFTH GRADE: Charles Adkins, Doris Azbell, Beverley McKenzie*, Beverly Bower, Bonnie Dudleson, and Nathan Wilson.

LATIN CLUB

FIRST ROW: Miss Umsted, E. Dean, J. Hockman, R. Dean, D. Beavers, S. Sharrett, N. Wilson. SECOND ROW: R. Bower, J. Evans, G. Lauerman, P. Moats, A. Smith, J. Miller, J. Bower, R. Burris, L. Parks. THIRD ROW: J. Drumm, B. Harral, P. Hockman, S. Adkins, M. Streber, J. Umsted, N. Musselman, T. Webb. FOURTH ROW: D. Wolfe, J. Patrick, R. England, R. Glenn, N. Wilson, B. Wilson, J. Goeller, and L. McKenzie.

1958-59

MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT I

1. Overture ..... Instrumental
2. In Dear Old Holland-Land ..... Elsie and Chorus
3. Indian Fakir Song, Dreamland ..... Mahmat Singh, Elsie and Chorus

ACT II

(Scene 1)

1. Hip! Hooray! Springtime ..... Chorus and Flower Girls
2. I, The Burgomaster ..... Burgomaster and Chorus
3. Roses of Life ..... Jaqueline
4. Anything ..... Dub, Gub, Mate, Mitje, Fritje and Gretchen
5. Gossip Song ..... Mrs. Schuyler
6. Katrinka ..... Hans and Katrinka
7. Soldier's Chorus ..... Peter and Soldiers
8. Love Waltz ..... Elsie and Peter
9. That's Me ..... Pirate Chief and Pirates

(Scene 2)

10. We are a Reckless Band ..... Pirate Chief and Pirates
11. I'm Very Much Surprised ..... Burgomaster and Pirate Chief
12. The Island Called Manhattan ..... Gub, Burgomaster and Chorus
13. One and Two ..... Jaqueline and Chorus

ACT III

1. Old-Fashioned Days ..... Elsie and Chorus
2. Then I Woke Up ..... Peter, La Rue, Van Der Meer and Chorus
3. Finale ..... Entire Company

THE PIRATE'S DAUGHTER

(A LEGEND OF OLD HOLLAND)

A Musical Comedy

in

THREE ACTS

By Keith Crosby Brown

Presented By

The Music Department

of

PICKAWAY TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

Friday Eve., April 15, 1932

School Auditorium

Miss Mary Radcliffe - Director
Mr. Floyd Elliot - Violinist
Eleanor Vandervoort - Accompanist
Solo Dances - Viola Mae Alkire
Stage Sets and Lighting Effects by Lee A. Smith
Costumes by Sullivan Studios, Columbus
Costume Manager - Marjorie Carrol

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mrs. Schuyler, a gossip vendor ..... Nellie Alexander
Mrs. Van Der Meer, mother of Elsie ..... Martha Ann Riggin
Elsie, in love with Peter ..... Marvene Riffel
Willberg, a slippery secretary ..... Thomas Alkire
Peter, prefect of police ..... Galen Mowery
Jaqueline, the pirate's daughter ..... Evelyn Hampshire
Mr. La Rue, Pirate Chief, Jaqueline's father ..... Marshall Spangler
Hans and Katrinka, a "Dutchy" pair, servants ..... Dano Estell and Helen Boyer
Mahmat Singh, a necromancer from India ..... Franklin Blagg
Mr. Van Der Meer, a most worthy burgomaster ..... Paul Wilson
Schmidt, a sailor ..... Oscar Atwood
Mate, Dub and Gub, three bold, bad pirates ..... Harold Allen, Lawrence Wolford and Edgar Harral
Mitje, Fritje and Gretchen, three village maidens ..... Mary Dumm, Clara Jane Buchannan and Edrie Francis

Chorus of Guests at House Party on Hudson:

Girls: Regina French, Evelyn Norman, Essie Canter, Beatrice Lane, Helen Rhoades, Nellie Arledge, Florence Bitzer, Ethel Enoch, Louise Stuckey, Gertrude Brundige, Nolene Ward, Harriet Young, Margaret Hardesty, Juanita Hankins, Lucy Strawser.

Men: Stanley Dunkle, Clarence Miller, Floyd Graves, Robert Miller, Willard Dudleson, Marvin Mussleman, Ross Dodd, Irvin Lane, Donald Dunkle, Ray Ward, Burnell Newhouse, Gerald Imler, Malcolm Wolfe.

Springtime Flower Girls:

Helen Rhoades, Florence Bitzer, Nellie Arledge, Ethel Enoch, Edith Smith, Mildred Enoch, Mildred Francis, Evelyn Brown.

Pirate Chorus:

Gail Wolfe, Carl Boggs, Woodrow Dumm, Harold Anderson, Charles Kreisel, Wayne Wilson, James Rader, Dwight Dunkle.

Police Chorus:

Franklin Blagg, Floyd Graves, Ray Ward, James Rader, Floyd Brundige, Ross Dodd, Marvin Mussleman, Donald Dunkle.

Chorus of Dutch Villagers:

Girls: Regina French, Evelyn Norman, Mary Alexander, Gertrude Brundige, Lucy Strawser, Harriet Young, Essie Canter, Golda Strawser.

Men: Willard Dudleson, Irvin Lane, Stanley Dunkle, Clarence Miller, Wayne Wilson, Malcolm Wolfe, Woodrow Dumm.

SYNOPSIS

TIME—Act I and III, at present; Act II, about 1624.

ACT I—House party on banks of the Hudson. Evening.

ACT II, Scene 1—Street in front of Burgomaster's house, Leydenkirk, Holland. Afternoon and Evening. Scene 2—A pirate rendezvous. Dawn.

ACT III—Same as Act I.

Between Acts I and II, 300 years are supposed to recede. Between Acts II and III, 300 years are supposed to elapse.

STORY OF THE PLAY

A house party is given by Mr. and Mrs. Van Der Meer at their estate on the Hudson. A necromancer from India is engaged by the hostess to put the whole gathering of guests asleep at one time. By common consent they wish to dream themselves back in Holland three hundred years before. The necromancer casts a spell over the entire company, during which he burns incense and sings a weird chant.

Act II opens with the same characters, transferred to Leydenkirk, Holland, in the year 1624. It is built around the character of Jaqueline, a dashing and flirtatious girl. One day after a storm she was found unconscious by the burgomaster lying on the beach and was taken into his home. Comic and dramatic situations follow each other rapidly during these two scenes. The first scene opens with the birthday celebration in honor of the burgomaster. A sailor, Schmidt, warns the burgomaster and Peter, prefect of police, that a brigantine which anchored in the harbor the night before is a pirate ship, believed to be commanded by the notorious Captain La Rue, pirate chief. The burgomaster and Peter plan a clever trap for the pirates. Jaqueline and Willberg, the burgomaster's secretary, traitorously assist the pirates who succeed in breaking into the burgomaster's house, carrying off the chest supposed to contain the town funds in gold and even making off with the burgomaster's family as prisoners.

At the pirate's rendezvous, scene 2, a comic incident occurs, when the pirates open the chest to count the gold, and find the burgomaster inside. Things might have gone quite badly with him, but for the timely arrival of the police who overcome the pirates. Jaqueline is found to be the pirate chief's daughter. On condition that they will never set foot on Dutch soil again, and will depart to a distant island, they are to go free.

A very happy love scene is depicted by Elsie and Peter. Another bright love episode is enacted by Hans and Katrinka, the servants, wherein a quaint wooden shoe dance takes place in the moonlight.

Three pirate spies, Mate, Dub and Gub develop a very comic situation around the name of the pirate flag known as the "Jolly Roger." The burgomaster and pirate chief are the centers of much comedy also.

In Act III the necromancer removes his spell and the last stage of the house party reveals all in their true character.

CLASSIFICATION OF CHORUS

SISTERS, COUSINS AND AUNTS

SOPRANOS	ALTOS
Viola Alkire	Betty Duvall
Roselyn Dreisbach	Bernice Ward
Patty McGinnis	Helen Wilson
Lois Hall	Edith Dunkle
Ruth Immelt	Maxine Dreisbach
Helen Pontius	Peggy Vandergriff
Ida Carroll	Kathryn Martin
Mary Jane Kreisel	
Fannie Mae Dudleson	

SAILORS

TENORS	BASSES
George Sparks	Paul Ryan
Junior Stuckey	John Anderson
Junior Hall	Richard Penn
Gene Hall	Junior French
Neil Leist	Richard Hildenbrand
Roger May	Wayne Brundige
Fred Immelt	Junior Rhoades

H. M. S. PINAFORE

or

(THE LASS WHO LOVED THE SAILOR)

A Nautical Operetta in Two Acts

by

Gilbert and Sullivan

Presented by

The Music Department

of

PICKAWAY TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

Friday Evening, March 31, 1939

School Auditorium

Director—Miss Jane McWhirter
Stage Set and Lighting Effects—Lee A. Smith
Tickets and Programs—School Print Shop
Posters—Miss Ruth Warner and H. S. Art Class
Ticket Managers—Rich Penn and Roger May
Costumes—Sullivan Studios, Columbus

CHARACTERS

(In order as they appear)

Little Buttercup ..... Evelyn Pierce
A Portsmouth Bumboat Woman

Boatswain ..... Roy Dunkle
Able Seaman

Dick Deadeye ..... Harold Alkire
Able Seaman

Ralph Rackstraw ..... Robert Detts
Able Seaman

Captain Corcoran ..... James Boggs
Commander of H. M. S. Pinafore

Josephine ..... Doris Leist
The Captain's Daughterer

Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B. ..... George Wilson
First Lord of the Admiralty

Cousin Hebe ..... Marvene Newhouse
Sir Joseph's First Cousin

First Lord's Sisters, his Cousin, his Aunts, Sailors, Marines, etc.

SCENE: Quarterdeck of H. M. S. Pinafore, off Portsmouth.

ACT I: Noon

ACT II: Night

Between Acts I and II..... Toe Dance by Viola Alkire

MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT I

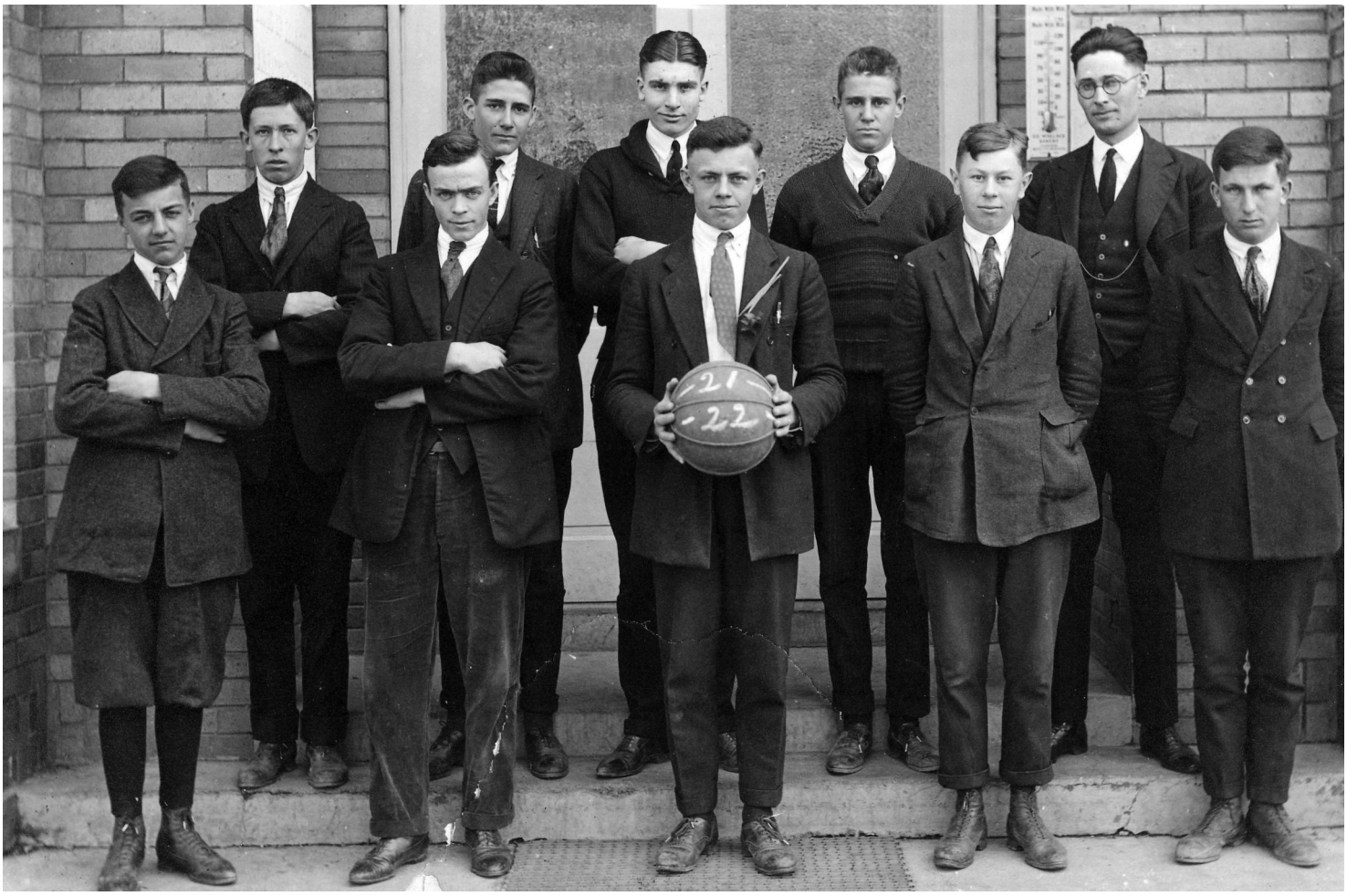
Chorus ..... We Sail the Ocean Blue
Buttercup ..... I'm Called Little Buttercup
Ralph and Chorus ..... A Maiden Fair to See
Captain and Chorus ..... My Gallant Crew
Josephine ..... Sorry Her Lot
Chorus ..... Over the Bright Blue Sea
Chorus ..... Sir Joseph's Barge Is Seen
Captain, Sir Joseph and Chorus ..... Now Give Three Cheers
Sir Joseph and Chorus ..... When I Was A Lad
Sir Joseph, Cousin Hebe, Relatives and Sailors—
—For I Hold That On the Seas
Chorus ..... For A British Tar
Josephine and Ralph ..... Refrain, Audacious Tar
Finale ..... Can I Survive This Overbearing

ACT II

Buttercup and Captain Corcoran—
—Things Are Seldom What They Seem
Josephine ..... The Hours Creep On Apace
Josephine, Captain and Sir Joseph —
—Never Mind the Why or Wherefore
Captain and Dick Deadeye—Kind Captain, I've Important Information
Chorus ..... Carefully On Tiptoe Stealing
Buttercup and Chorus ..... A Many Years Ago
Chorus ..... Finale

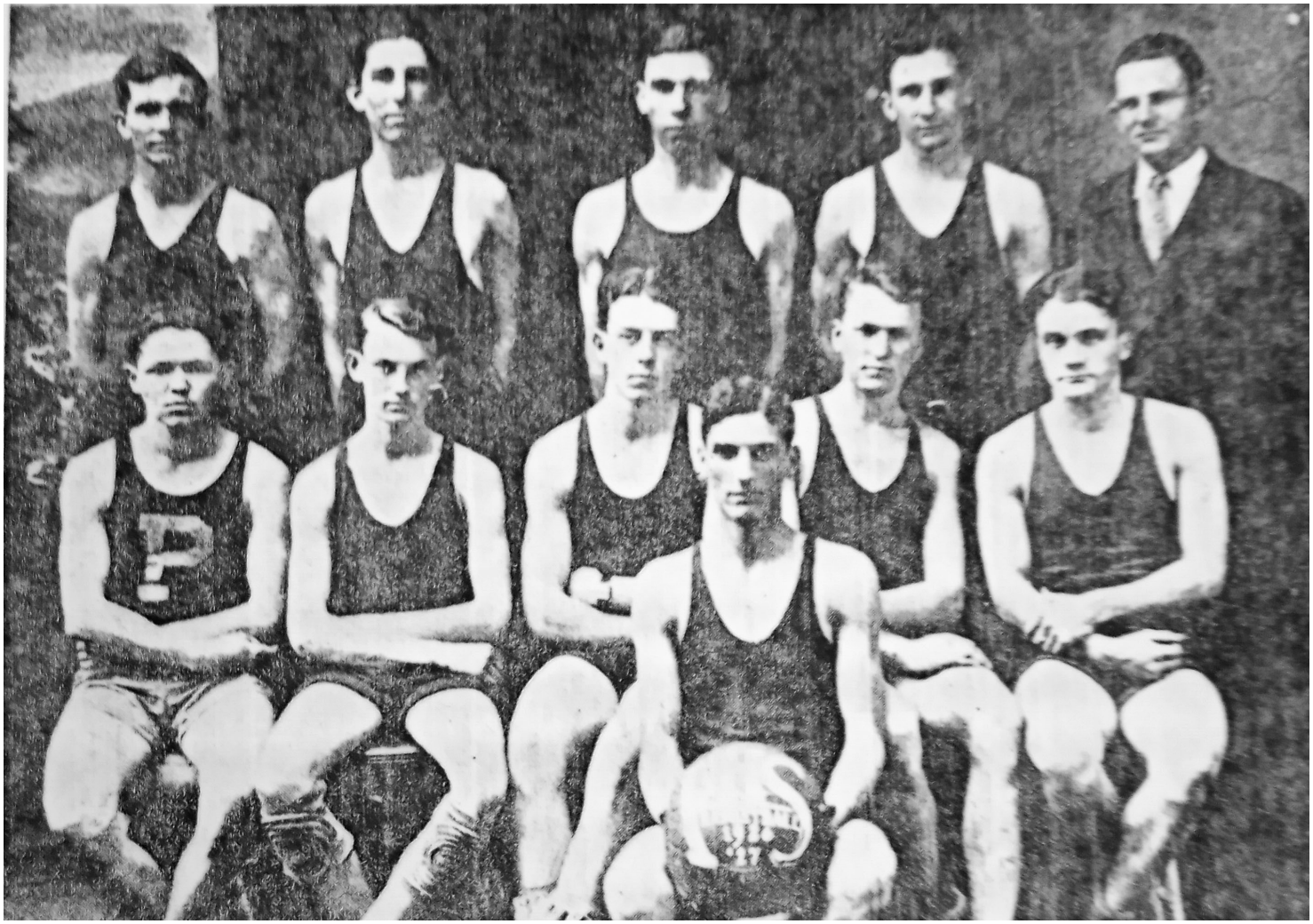
Sports

The school colors were black and gold. The school mascot was the pirates.



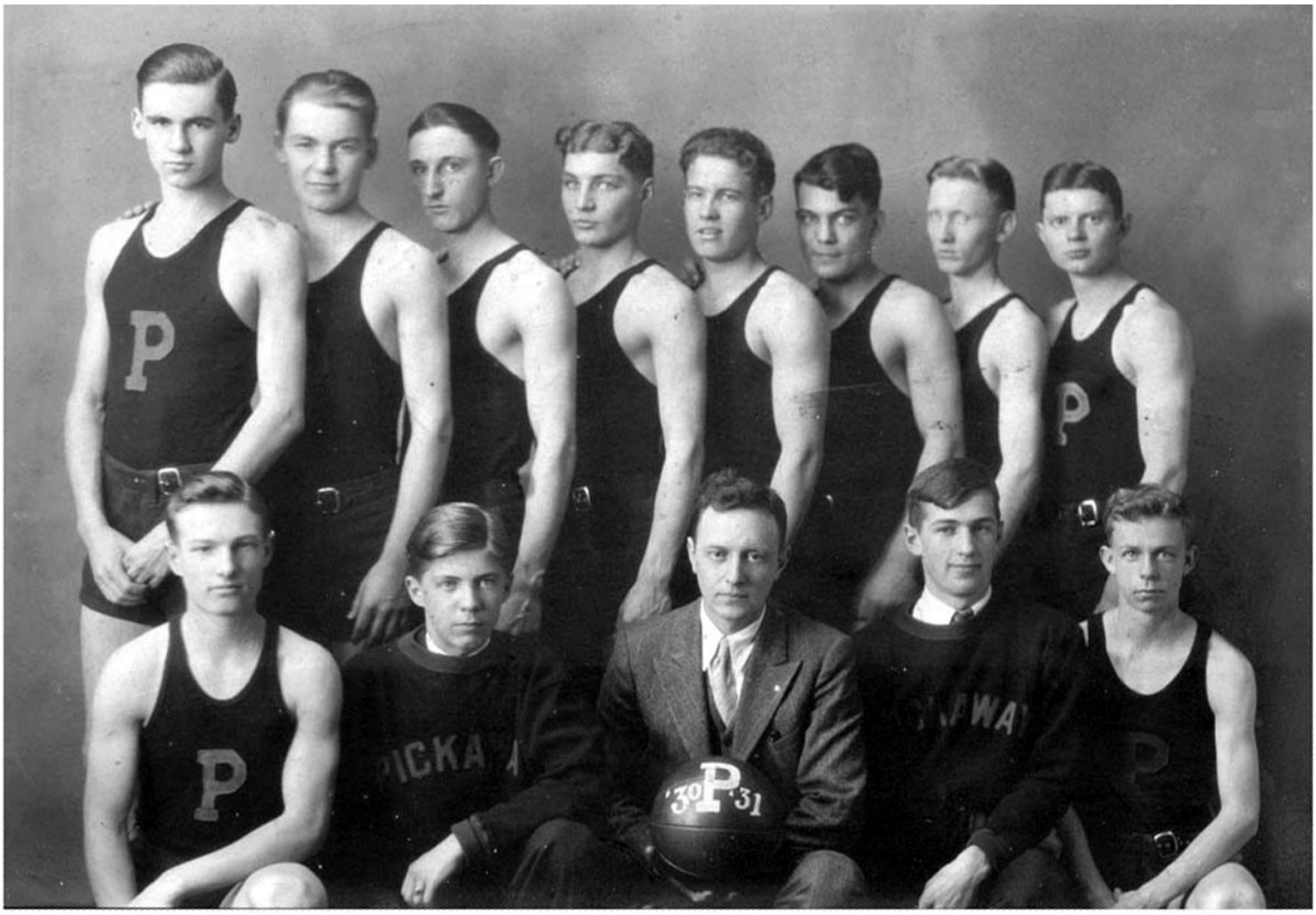
Boys Basketball Team 1921-22

1926-27



Girls Basketball
1927-28

Boys Basketball
1930-31



Front row - from left - Stanley Dunkle, Charles Boggs, Mgr.,
H.S. Principal & Coach Otto E. Meyer, Marvin Hampshire, Mgr., Edgar Harral
Back row - from left - Wells Wilson, Paul Wilson, Albert Waple,
Ansel Estell, David Dunkle, Mace Brown, Floyd Groves, Carl Anderson

Girls Basketball
1930-31

Front Row: Ruth McKenzie, Mary Ruth Tolbert, Clara Buchanan
Row Two: Virginia Anderson, Evelyn Hampshire, Regina French, Helen Bhoads Berens, Martha Ann Riggins
Row Three: Helen Seymour, Florence Bitzer, Eddie Francis, Coach Otto Meyer, Iona Alexander, Edith Smith, Mildred Workman (HS teacher)

Girls Basketball
1931-32

Boys Basketball Cheerleaders 1942-43

Pickaway Basketball Team 1942-43
Front Row Cheerleaders: Norma Jean Penn, Nancy McGinnis, Carolyn Dearth, Rita Rhoades, Rosemary Hildenbrand
Second Row: Bob Rhoades, Leslie Dunkle, Jim Wolford, Bob Youong, Paul Ford McGinnis, Maynard Warner
Third Row: Roy Jenkins, Harry Conley, Darl McAfee, Bob Browder, Shirley Stant, Forrest Phillips, Doyle Fouch
Fourth Row: Coach John Hardin, Bob Porter and Kenny Timmons

Boys Basketball Cheerleaders 1947

Row 1: Bonnie Dearth, Martha Sharrett, Maralyn Potter
Row 2: Carolyn Wright, Hugh Harmount, Irlan Ritchie, Bob Wilson, Russ Ogan, Dave Evans, JoAnn Young
Row 3: Roy “Mac” Wolfe, Bill Hildenbrand, Ted Wolfe, Martin Sharrett, Edward “Ned” Wolfe, Coach Charles Hardin
Row 4: Paul Morris, Bob Seward, Ron List

Pickaway Township School Basketball Team and Cheerleaders 1947

Wrestling Team
c. 1950

Back: John Anderson, Don Pritchard, Ned Riffle, Bill Evans
Front: Elmer Winner, Bob Pennington, Bob Stevens, Herschel Brumfeild

Wrestling Team

Back: John Hardin, Herchel Brumfield, Robert Arledge, Ray Strawser, Charlie Hardin, Unknown
Front: Bob Pennington, unknown, Bob Stevens, Bill Evans, Don Pritchard, Elmer Winner

Pickaway Cheerleaders

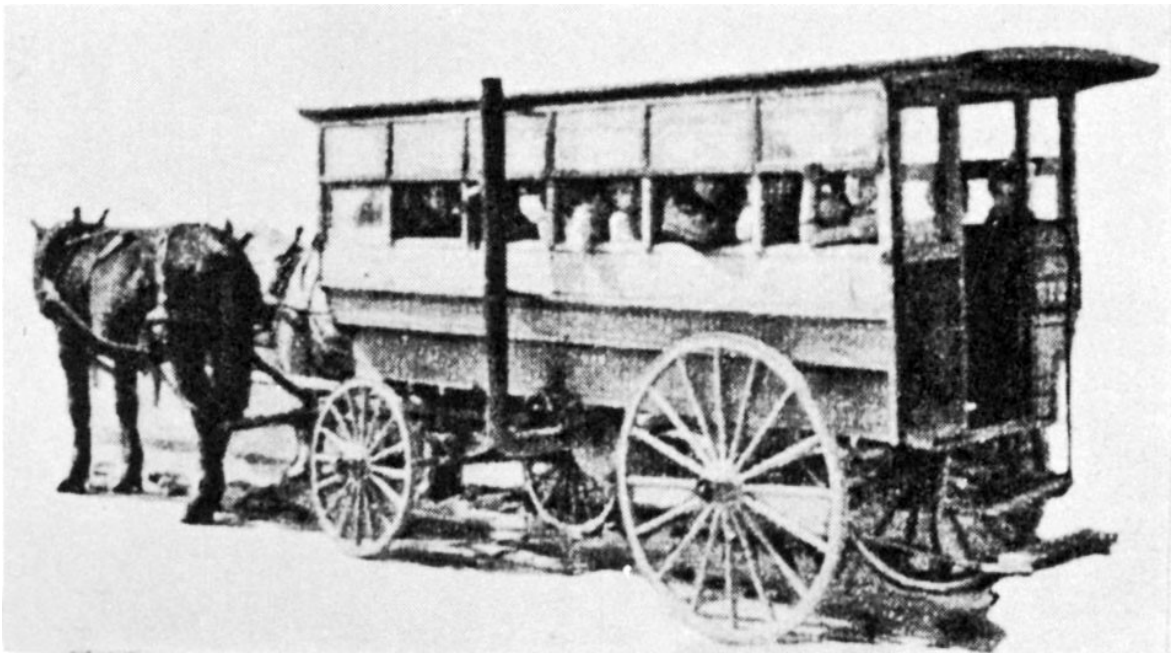
Transportation

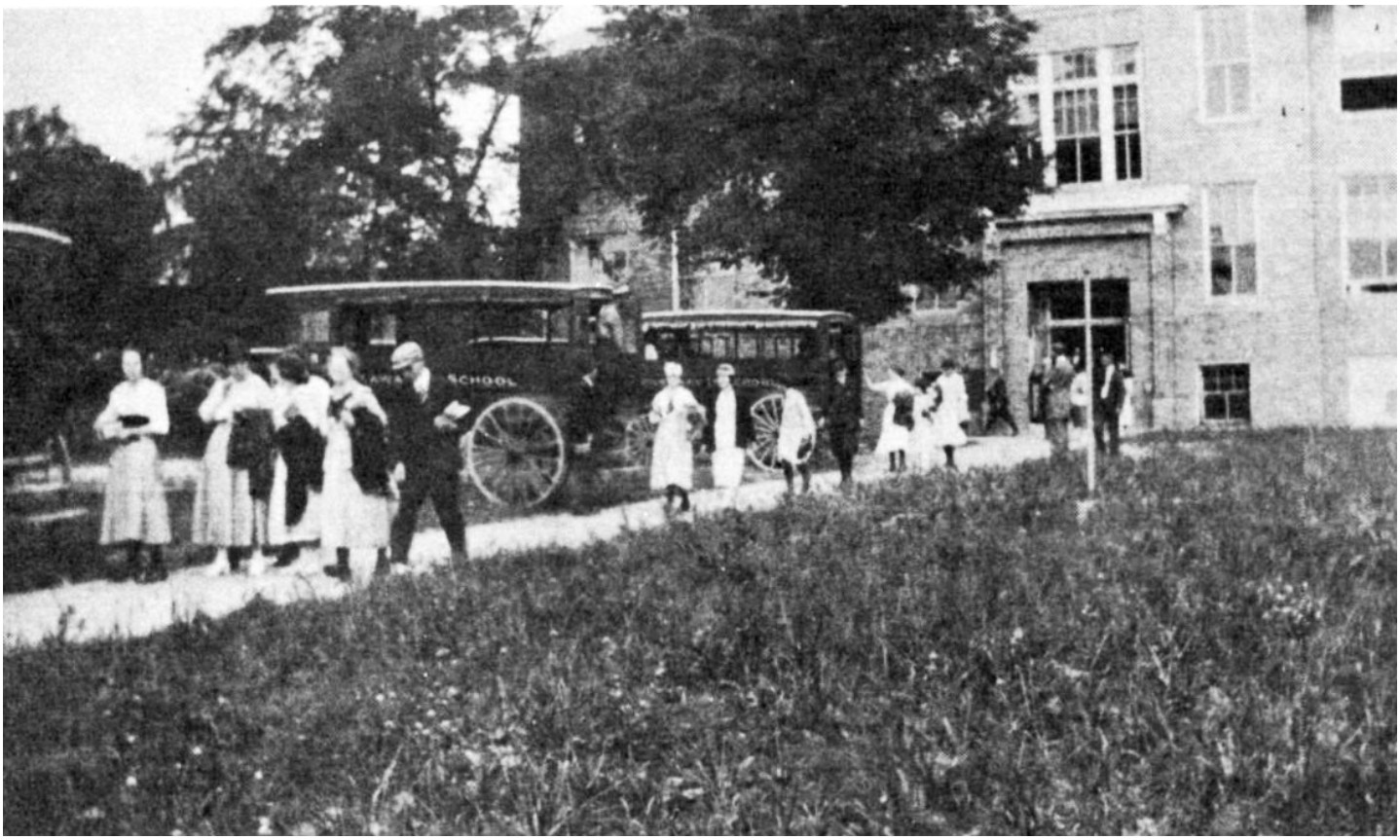
The first mode of transportation was horse-drawn school wagons. In the 1930s they had gas-powered buses.

School Wagon Drivers
1916-17

Sitting L to R: Scot Dresbach, John Stout, ? Dresbach, Jappy Newland, Frank McAfee
Standing L to R: Roy McAfee, Unknown, Roy Allen, Richard Dresbach

Horse-Drawn School Wagons





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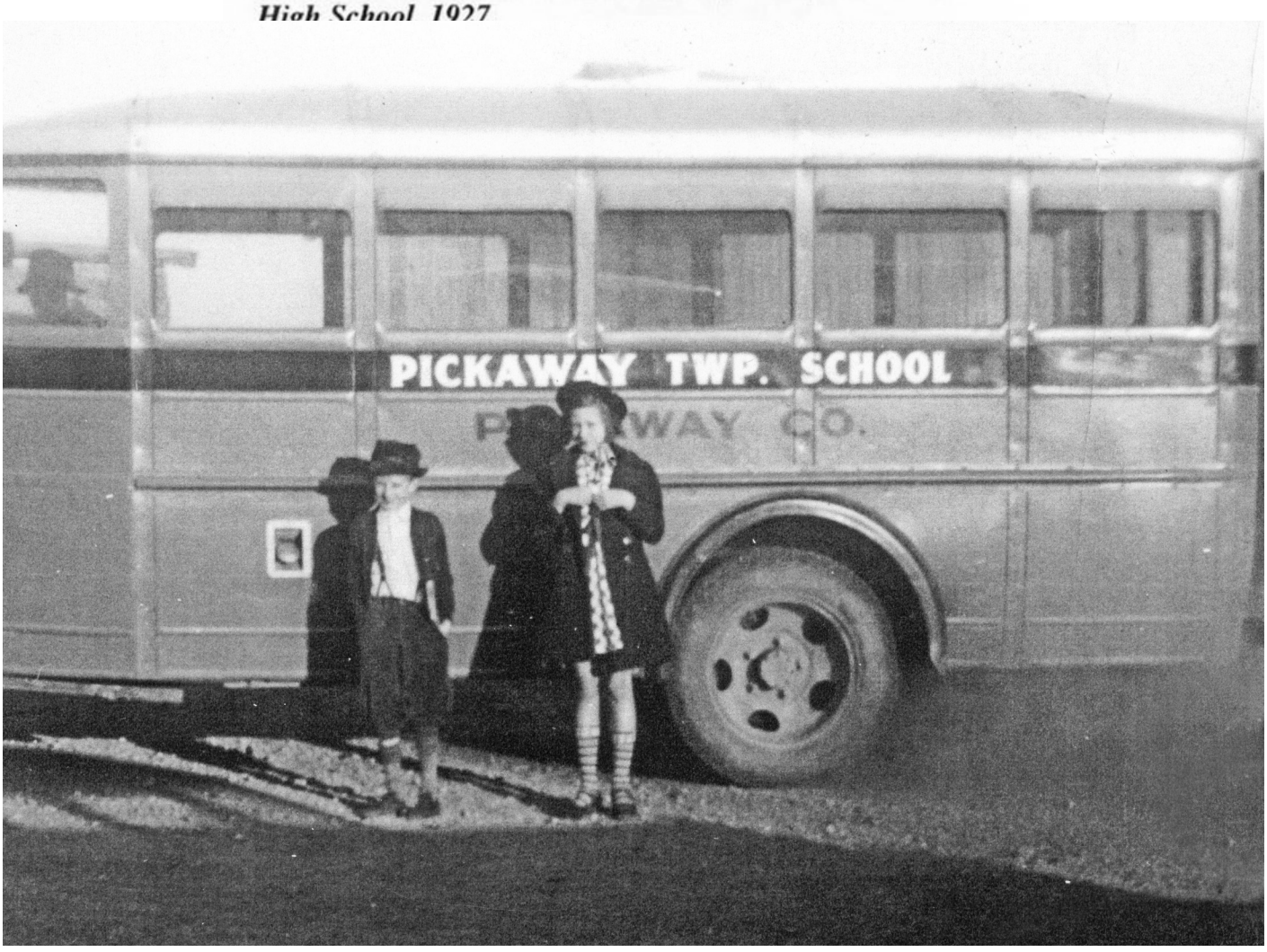
Drivers and trucks (used as buses) in front of Pickaway High School, 1927



Gene and Carolyn Wright boarding a gas-powered bus

Bus Drivers 1958-59

Philip Wilson

Harrison Wolfe

Bob Young

Ralph Betz

Jim Search

Don Hildenbrand

Bill Hildenbrand

Jewel Hinton

Helen Stant

Bernadine Gifford

Lawrence McKenzie

COOKS & CUSTODIAN

Pickaway Township H.S. Graduates

Gladys Rader and Ruth Rice

1916

1917

Vera Daugherty

Gertrude Dumm

Lois Dumm

Marie McAfee

Jessie Merriman

Bernice Riffle

Earl Smith

Marvin Steely

Turney Stevens

Wilma Warner

Ralph Woolever

2018

Shirley Anderson

Ellen Brown

Fred Dumm

Mary Rader

2019

Lloyd Evans, Edwin Gehres, Glenn Rader

1920

May R. Enoch

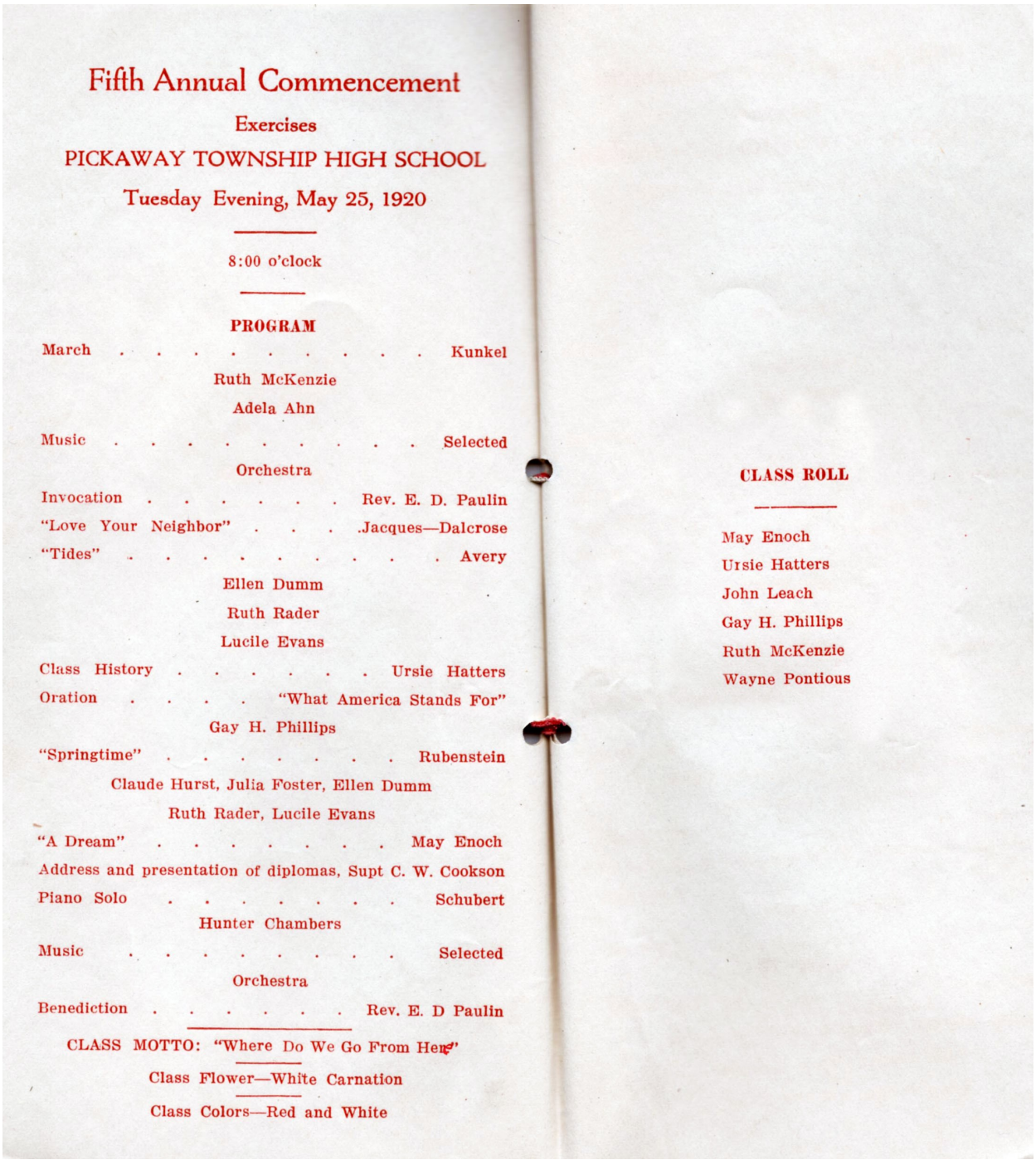
Urice M. Hatters

John W. Leach

Ruth H. McKenzie

Gay H Phillips

Wayne B. Pontius



Fifth Annual Commencement

Exercises

PICKAWAY TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

Tuesday Evening, May 25, 1920

8:00 o'clock

PROGRAM

March . . . . . Kunkel

Ruth McKenzie

Adela Ahn

Music . . . . . Selected

Orchestra

Invocation . . . . . Rev. E. D. Paulin

"Love Your Neighbor" . . . Jacques—Dalcrose

"Tides" . . . . . Avery

Ellen Dumm

Ruth Rader

Lucile Evans

Class History . . . . . Ursie Hatters

Oration . . . . "What America Stands For"

Gay H. Phillips

"Springtime" . . . . . Rubenstein

Claude Hurst, Julia Foster, Ellen Dumm

Ruth Rader, Lucile Evans

"A Dream" . . . . . May Enoch

Address and presentation of diplomas, Supt C. W. Cookson

Piano Solo . . . . . Schubert

Hunter Chambers

Music . . . . . Selected

Orchestra

Benediction . . . . . Rev. E. D Paulin

CLASS MOTTO: "Where Do We Go From Here"

Class Flower—White Carnation

Class Colors—Red and White

CLASS ROLL

May Enoch

Ursie Hatters

John Leach

Gay H. Phillips

Ruth McKenzie

Wayne Pontious

1921

Ellen Dumm

Lucille Evans

John Kerns

Neil Morris

Howard Phillips

Ruth Rader

Kenneth Shepler

1922

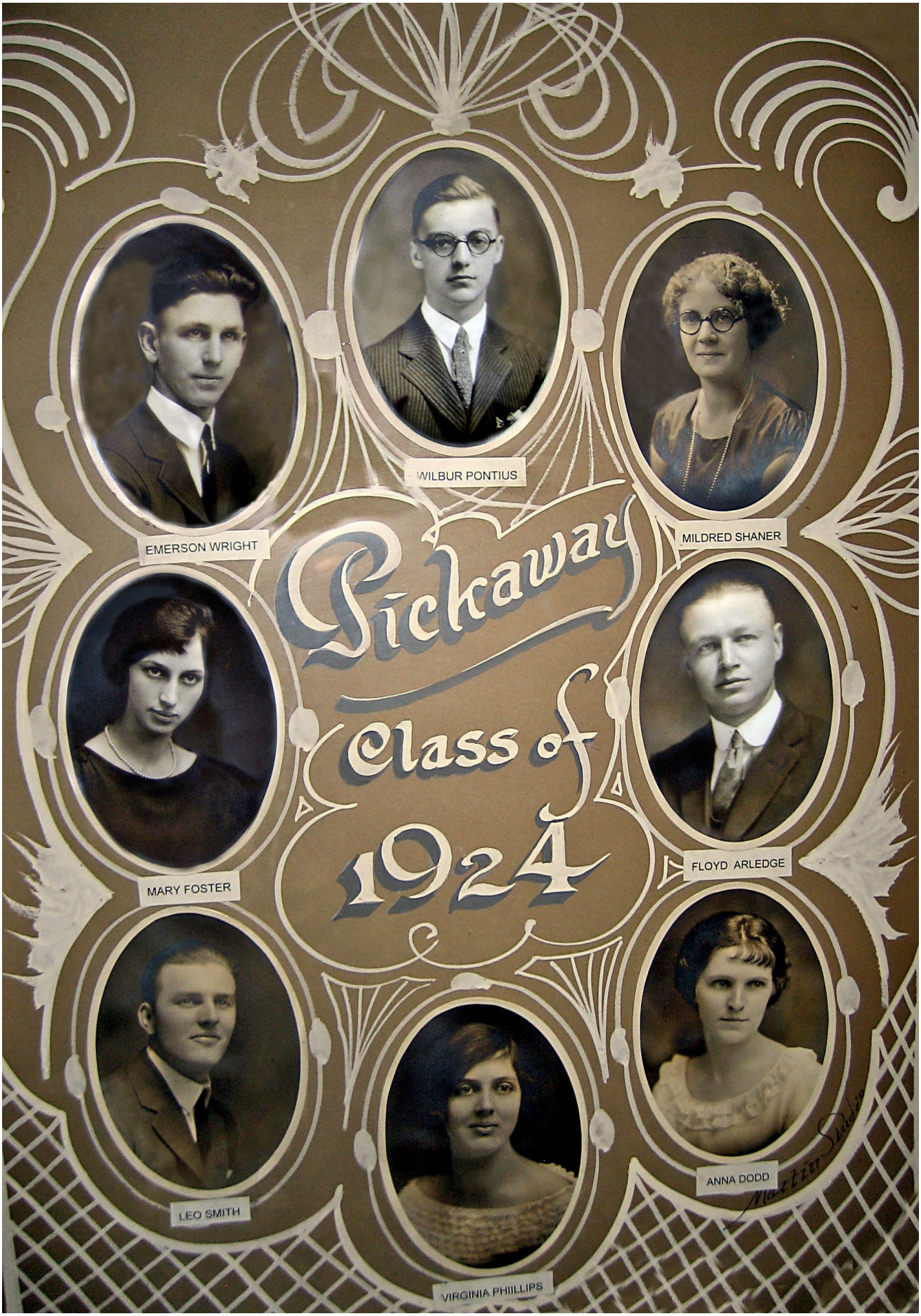
Orwell Barr

Julie Foster

Alice Phillips

Ned Phillips

PICKAWAY
RUSSELL W. PHILLIPS
NONA L. SHEPLER
MARVIN C. RICKERT
CLEVE E. DUMM.
HERALD PONTIUS
DONALD H KEMPTON
RENICK VALENTINE
RUSSELL WOLFE
CLASS
1923
THE MARTIN STUDIO


WILBUR PONTIUS
EMERSON WRIGHT
MILDRED SHANER
Pickaway
Class of
1924
MARY FOSTER
FLOYD ARLEDGE
LEO SMITH
VIRGINIA PHILLIPS
ANNA DODD

PICKAWAY TOWNSHIP
HIGH SCHOOL
19 25
A.F. CAMERON - SUPT.
EUGENE McCOY - PRIN.
GLADYS NEWLUN - PRES.
HELEN ALLEN.
MAY CANTER.
GENEVA DUMM.
MARVIN DUMM.
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HELEN HALL.
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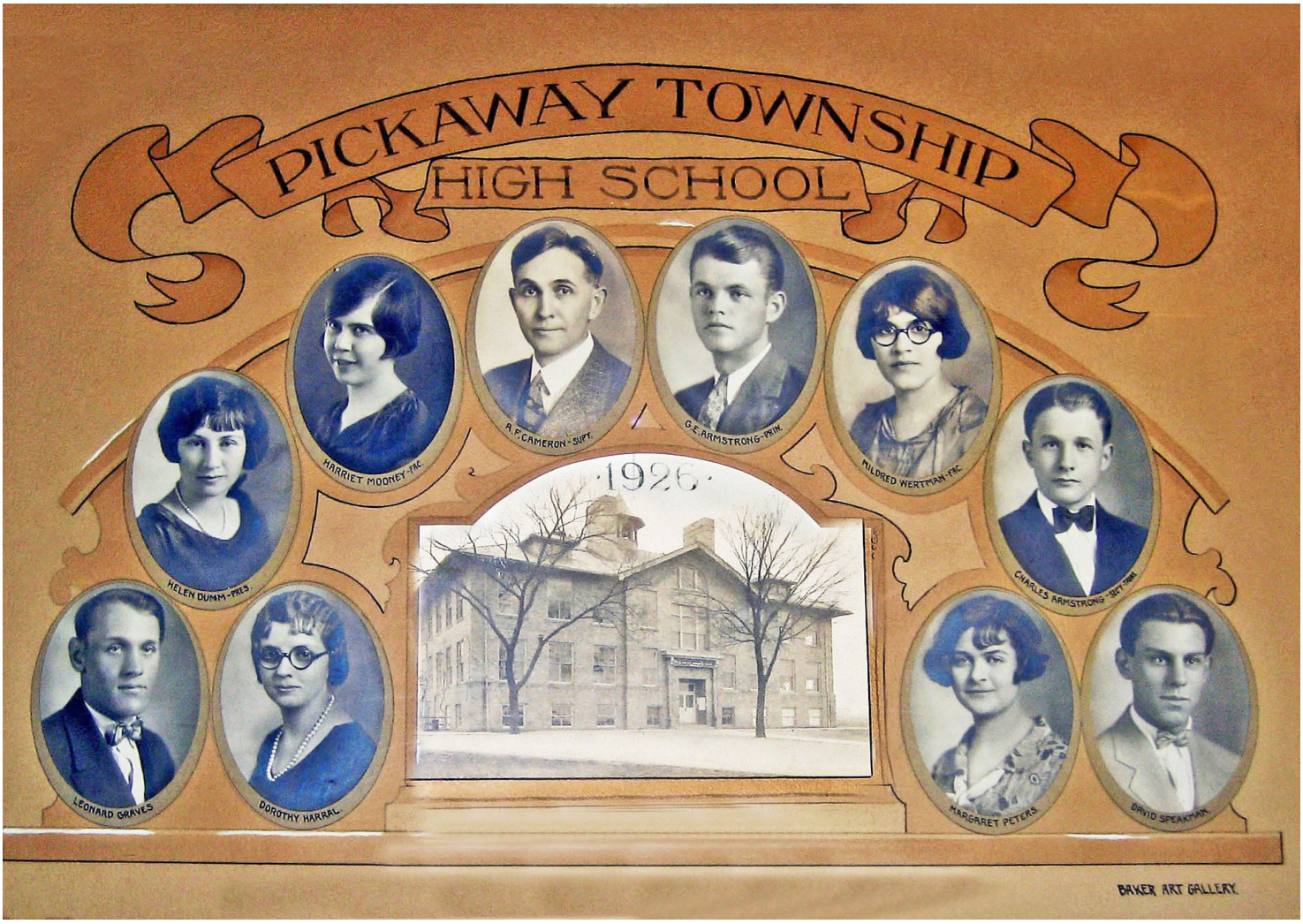
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HIGH SCHOOL
1926
HARRIET MOONEY-FAC.
A.F.CAMERON-SUPT.
G.E.ARMSTRONG-PRIN.
MILDRED WERTMAN-FAC.
HELEN DUMM-PRES.
CHARLES ARMSTRONG-SEC-TREAS
LEONARD GRAVES
DOROTHY HARRAL
MARGARET PETERS
DAVID SPEAKMAN
BAKER ART GALLERY

PICKAWAY TOWNSHIP
HIGH SCHOOL
1927
ALMA HARRAL. PRES.
SARA SWEARINGEN. FAC.
R.F. CAMERON. SUPT.
EUGENE MILLER. PRINC.
MILDRED WERTMAN FAC.
JOHN RITTINGER V-PRES.
MARVINE HIGER SEC'Y.
WILLIAM ALEXANDER
LEWIS ARLEDGE.
ANTOINETTE FRANCIS TREAS.
WENRICH ARLEDGE.
FRANCES BRUNDIGE.
ODESSA CONAWAY.
MABEL DUMM.
VIRGINIA HALL.
ROGER JURY.
LAWRENCE MCKENZIE.
FLOSSIE SCHOOLEY.
ELIZABETH SHANER
GOLDIE VAN FOSSEN
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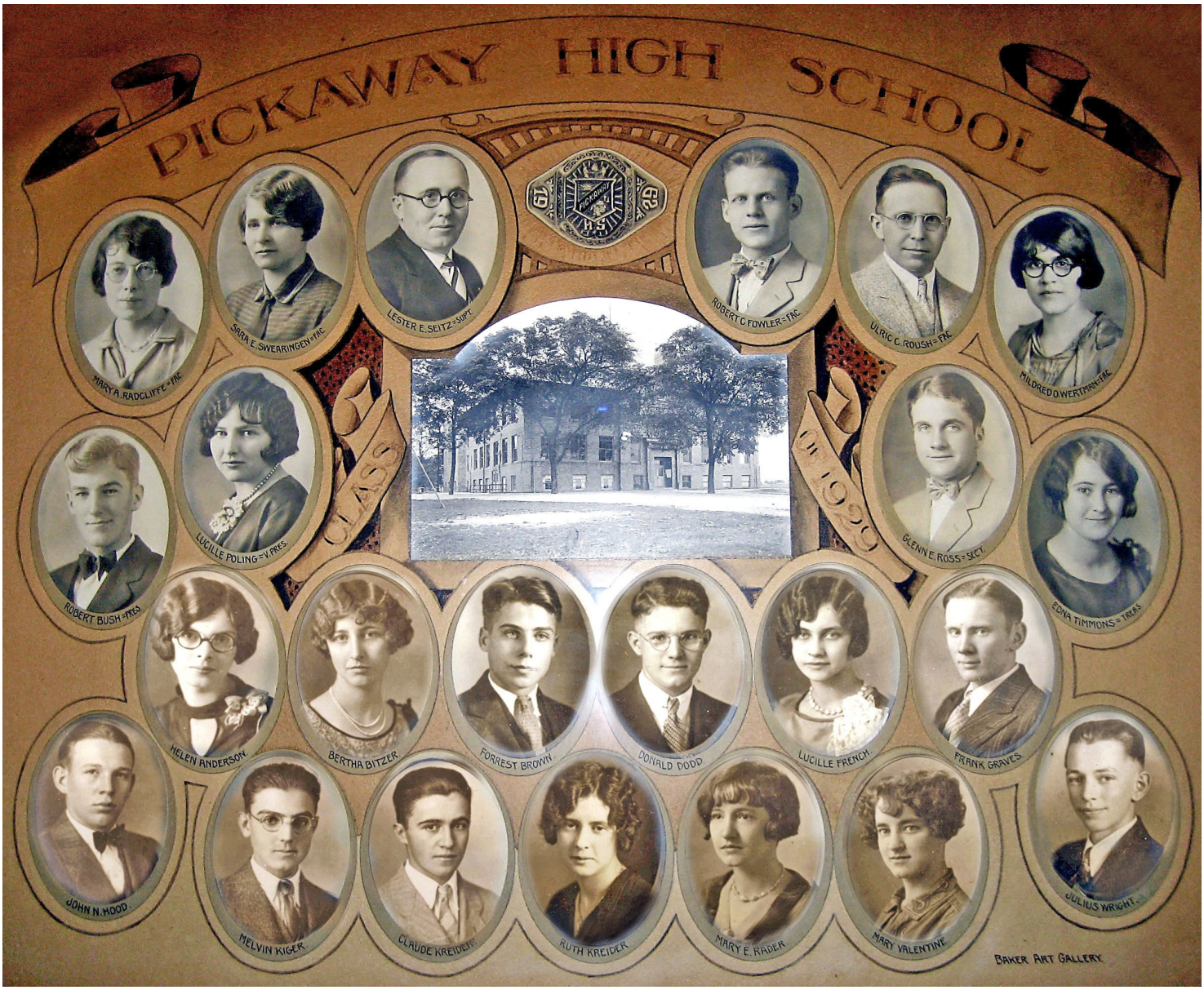
Ernest Enoch not pictured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LESTER E. SEITZ = SUPT.
ROBERT C. FOWLER = PRE.
ULRIC C. ROUSH = PRE.
MILDRED O. WERTMAN = PRE.
ROBERT BUSH = PRES.
LUCILLE POLING = V. PRES.
GLENN E. ROSS = SEC'Y
EDNA TIMMONS = TREAS.
HELEN ANDERSON
BERTHA BITZER
FORREST BROWN
DONALD DODD
LUCILLE FRENCH
FRANK GRAVES
JOHN N. HOOD
MELVIN KIGER
CLAUDE KREIDER
RUTH KREIDER
MARY E. RADER
MARY VALENTINE
JULIUS WRIGHT
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HIGH SCHOOL - CLASS - 1930
ELMOND H. ALTHAUS - FAC.
MILDRED O. WERTMAN - FAC.
OTTO C. MEYER - PRINC.
LESTER E. SEITZ - SUPT.
G. D. BRADLEY - FAC.
MARY A. RADCLIFFE - FAC.
SARA E. SWEARINGEN - FAC.
RALPH ENOCH - V. PRES.
RAYMOND PAXTON - PRES.
FRANCIS McKENZIE - SEC'Y
DOROTHY ANDERSON
MARVENE FRENCH
MARVENE HARRAL
ROSE MARY McKENZIE
HAZEL WOLFORD
LESTER WOLFORD
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CLASS OF 1931
SARA E. SWEARINGEN-FAC.
OTTO C. MEYER-PRINC.
LESTER E. SEITZ-SUPT.
G.D. BRADLEY-FAC.
ELMOND H. ALTHAUS-FAC.
MARY A. RADCLIFFE-FAC.
MILDRED O. WERTMAN-FAC.
ALICE ALEXANDER.
DAVID DUNKLE.
CARL ANDERSON.
CHARLES BOGGS.
ELIZABETH DUMM.
MARIE DUMM.
ANSEL ESTELL.
IRMA GOINS.
MARVIN HAMPSHIRE.
RUTH McKENZIE.
HAROLD SHAWER.
HELEN SEYMOUR.
HOYT TIMMONS.
MARY RUTH TOLBERT.
ALBERT WAPLE.
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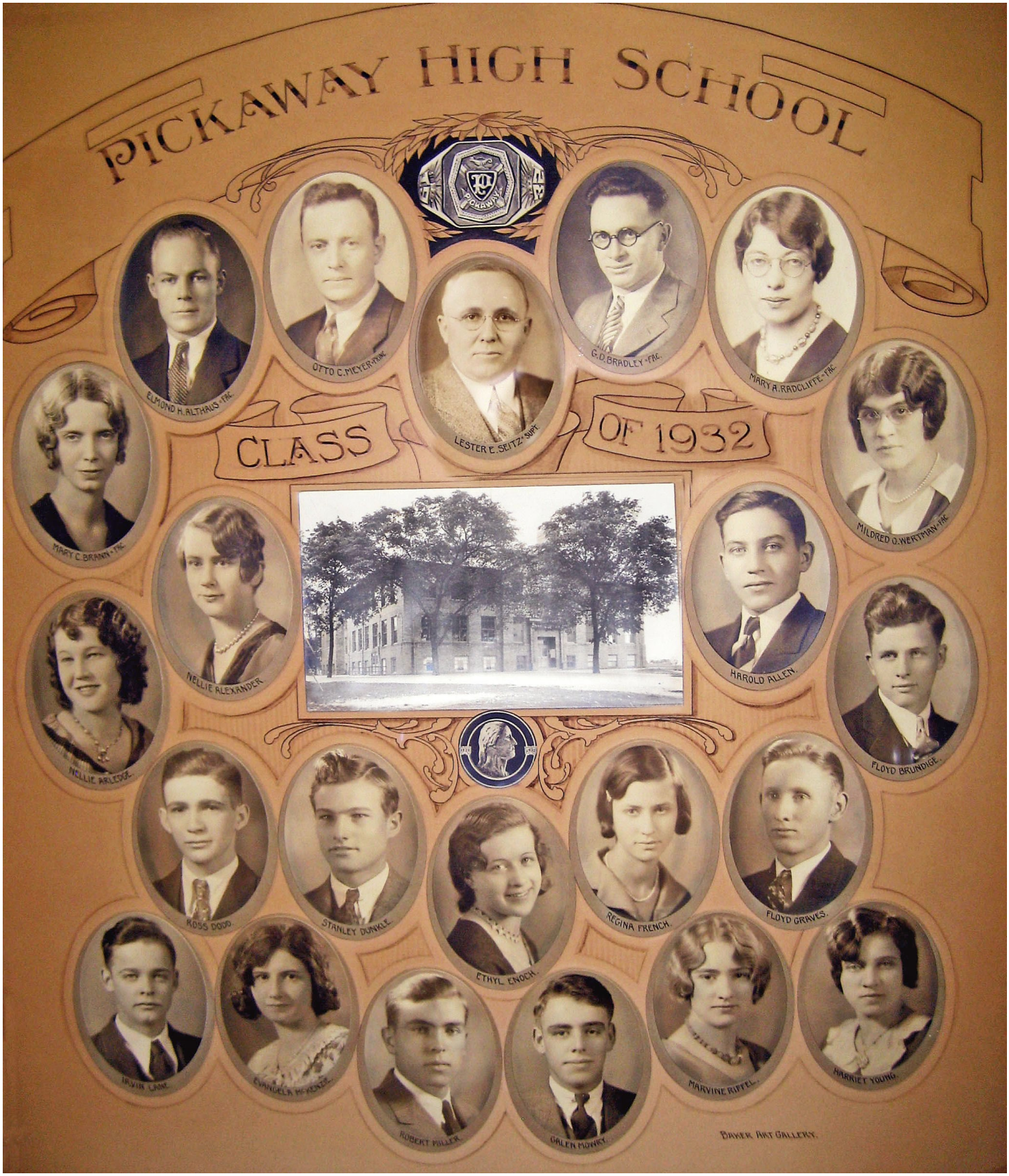
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OTTO C. MEYER - FAC.
G. D. BRADLEY - FAC.
MARY A. RADCLIFFE - FAC.
MARY C. BRANN - FAC.
MILDRED O. WERTMAN - FAC.
NELLIE ALEXANDER
HAROLD ALLEN
NELLIE ARLEDGE
FLOYD BRUNDIGE
ROSS DODD
STANLEY DUNKLE
ETHYL ENOCH
REGINA FRENCH
FLOYD GRAVES
IRVIN LAW
EVANDELA McKEE
ROBERT MILLER
GALEN MONKS
MARVINE RIFFEL
HARRIET YOUNG
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CLASS
1933
LESTER E. SEITZ - SUPT.
ELWOOD C. CARPENTER - PRIN.
MARY A. RADCLIFFE
MILDRED D. WERTMAN
FLORENCE BITZER
G. D. BRADLEY - FAC.
ELMOND H. ALTHAUS - FAC.
MARY DUMM
FRANKLIN BLAGG
MARY C. BRANN - FAC.
WILLARD DUDLSON
DONALD DUNKLE
HELEN BOYER
MARJORIE CARROLL
JOHN MILLER
DANO ESTELL
GERTRUDE BRUNDIGE
BEATRICE LANE
MARVIN MUSSELMAN
EDRIE FRANCIS
GERALD IMLER
VELMA SMITH
EVELYN NORMAN
EDGAR HARRAL
EDITH SMITH
MARSHALL SPANGLER
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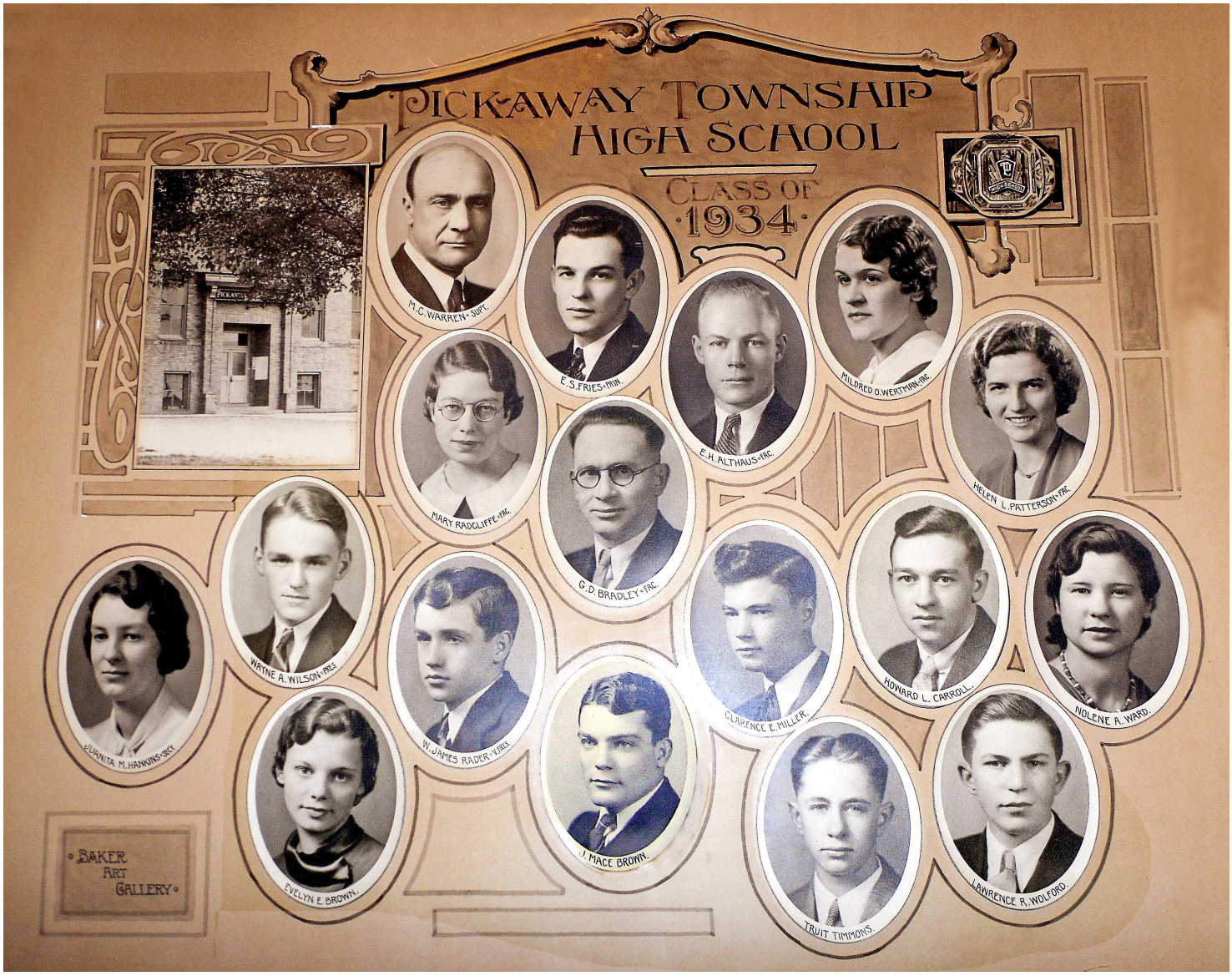
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1934
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E.S. FRIES - PRIN.
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E.H. ALTHAUS - TRC.
HELEN L. PATTERSON - TRC.
MARY RADCLIFFE - TRC.
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JUANITA M. HANKINS - SEC.
W. JAMES RADER - V. PRES.
CLARENCE E. MILLER
HOWARD L. CARROLL
NOLENE A. WARD
J. MACE BROWN
EVELYN E. BROWN
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1935
M. C. WARREN - SUPT.
E. S. FRIES - PRIN.
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G. D. BRADLEY - PRIN.
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THOMAS ALKIRE
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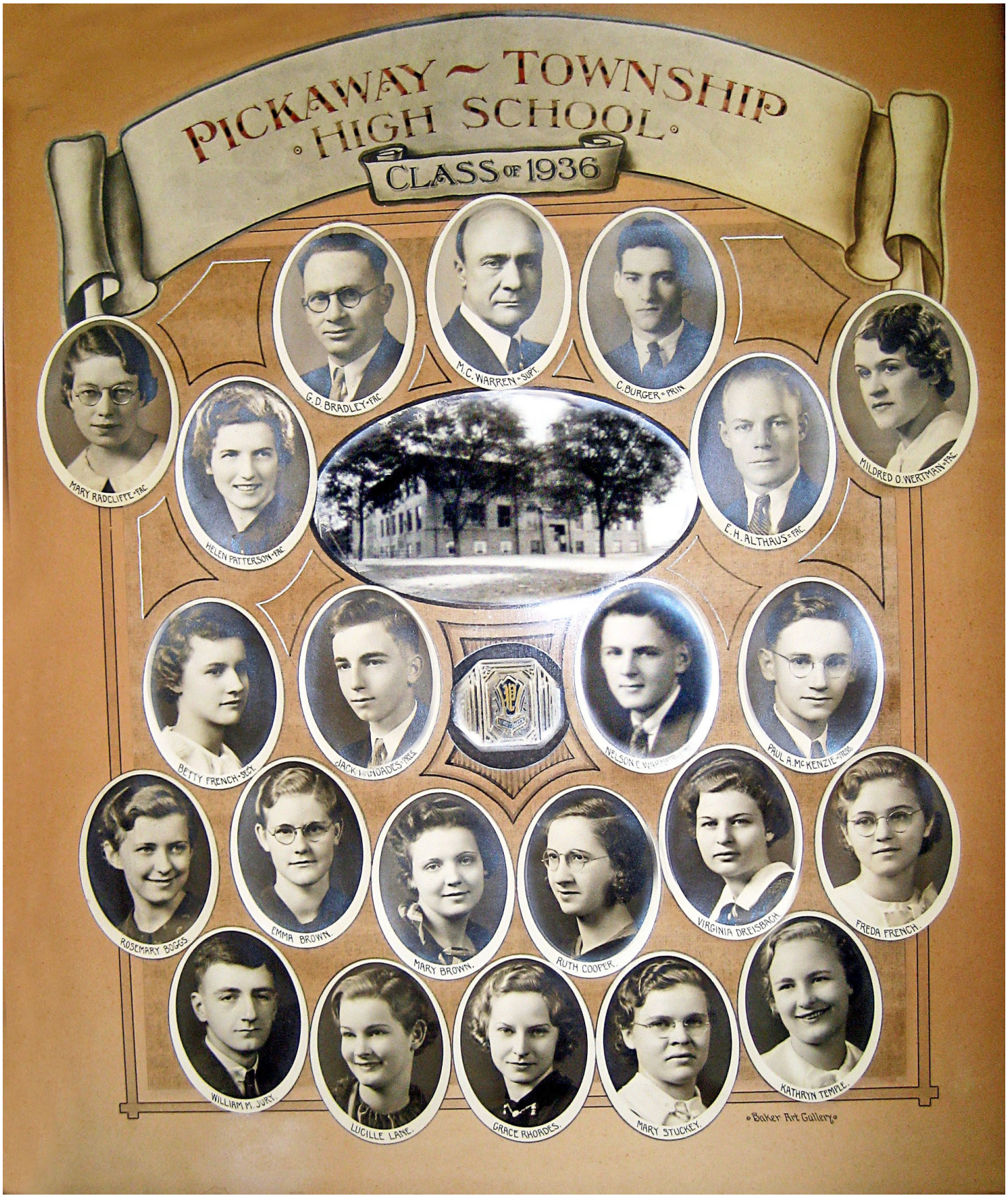
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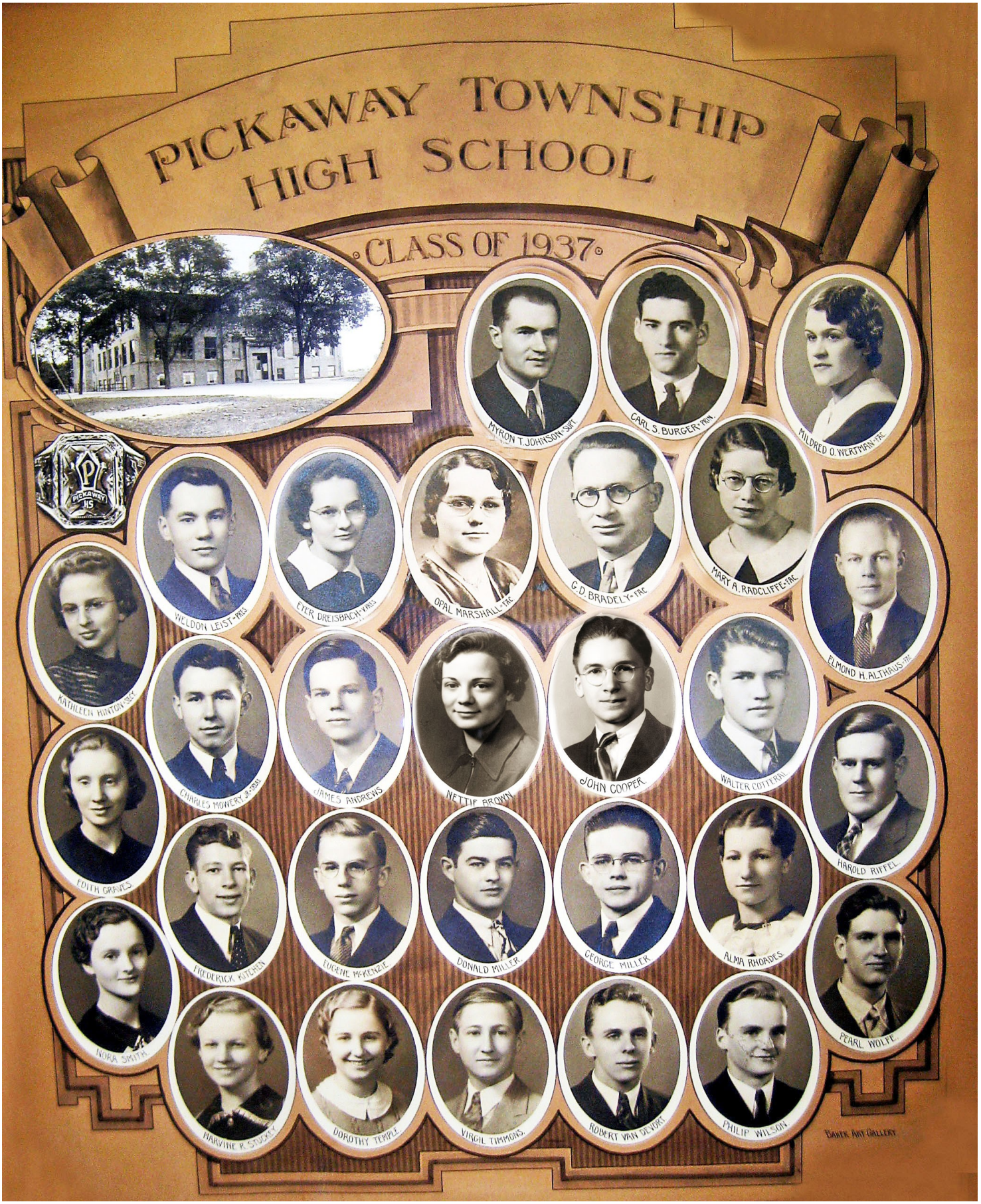
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WELDON LEIST-TRES
EVER DREISBACH-TRES
OPAL MARSHALL-TRC.
C. D. BRADLEY-TRC.
MARY A. RADCLIFFE-TRC.
ELMOND H. ALTHAUS-TRC.
KATHLEEN HINTON-SEC.
CHARLES MOWERY JR-SEC.
JAMES ANDREWS
NETTIE BROWN
JOHN COOPER
WALTER COTTERN
HAROLD RIFFEL
EDITH GRAVES
FREDERICK KITCHEN
EUGENE MACKENZIE
DONALD MILLER
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NORA SMITH
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MARVINE R. STUCKEY
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ROBERT VAN SICKLE
PHILIP WILSON
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Miss Ruth McKenzie, First Grade
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Program

FOR

Commencement Week

AT THE

Pickaway High School

BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM

SUNDAY, MAY 23, 1937—8:15 P. M.

Processional—God of Our Fathers ..... Warren
Mixed Chorus
Evening Prayer ..... Randegger
Girls' Chorus
Invocation ..... Rev. L. S. Metzler
Praise Ye the Lord of Hosts ..... Saint-Saens
Scripture ..... Rev. L. S. Metzler
Dawn of Maytime ..... Von Flowtow
Class Sermon ..... Rev. E. H. Althaus
The Day of Rest ..... Clokey-Mendelssohn
Benediction ..... Rev. L. S. Metzler

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

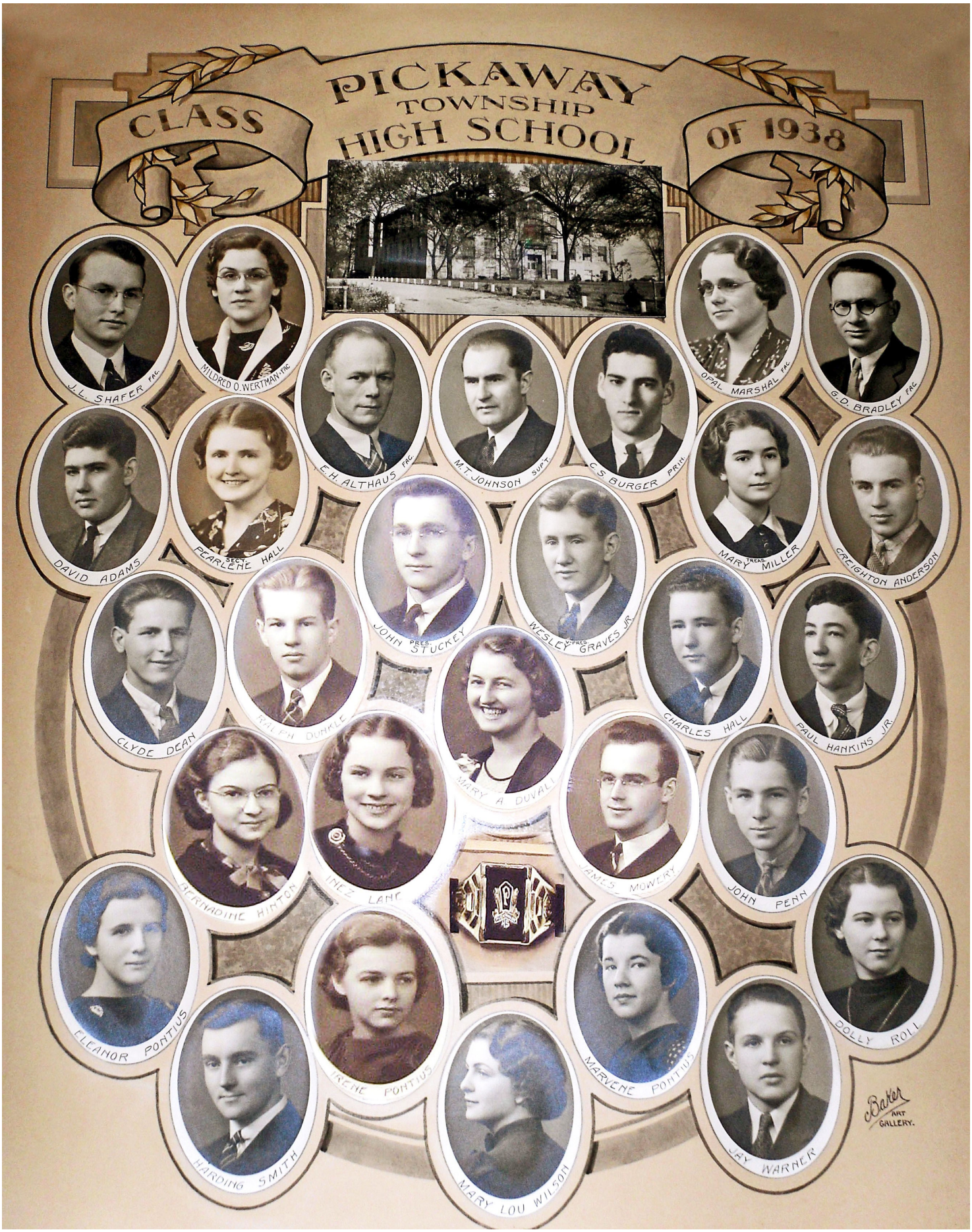
TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1937—8:15 P. M.

Processional—"March of the Brave" ..... Zamecnik
Music—Prelude ..... Roberts
Invocation ..... Rev. J. M. Brown
Salutatory ..... Kathleen Hinton
Music—"Morning Flowers" Waltz ..... Netter
Commencement Address ..... Dr. Roy A. Burkhart
Music—"Elegy" ..... Clarke
Presenting Diplomas ..... Henry Dunkle
President, Board of Education
Presentation of Scholarships ..... Supt. M. T. Johnson
Music—"Russian Peasant Dance" ..... Skimenko
Valedictory ..... Marvene Stuckey
Music—"Imperator" March ..... Herbert
Benediction ..... Rev. J. M. Brown

CLASS ROLL

James E. Andrews
Nettie Louise Brown
John E. Cooper
Walter Earl Cottrell
Mary Eyer Dreisbach
Edith Lucille Graves
Kathleen Chlorus Hinton
Paul Frederick Kitchen
Weldon Penn Leist
Eugene C. McKenzie
Donald Dwight Miller
George W. Miller
Charles Mowery, Jr.
Mary Alma Rhoades
Harold L. Riffel
Nora Louise Smith
Marvene Ruth Stuckey
Dorothy Louise Temple
Virgil Paul Timmons
John Robert VanDervort
Philip Wolfe Wilson
Leo Pearl Wolfe

CLASS FLOWER ..... Red Carnation
CLASS MOTTO ..... The Path of Honor Lies Open to All
CLASS COLORS ..... Jade and Silver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E. H. ALTHAUS FAC.
M. T. JOHNSON SUP'T.
C. S. BURGER PRIN.
OPAL MARSHAL FAC.
G. D. BRADLEY FAC.
DAVID ADAMS
SEC'Y
PEARLENE HALL
MARY MILLER
TREAS.
CREIGHTON ANDERSON
CLYDE DEAN
RALPH DUNKLE
PRES.
JOHN STUCKEY
WESLEY
VICE PRES.
GRAVES JR.
CHARLES HALL
PAUL HANKINS JR.
MARY A. DUVALL
HERNADINE HINTON
INEZ LANE
JAMES MOWERY
JOHN PENN
ELEANOR PONTIUS
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MARY LOU WILSON
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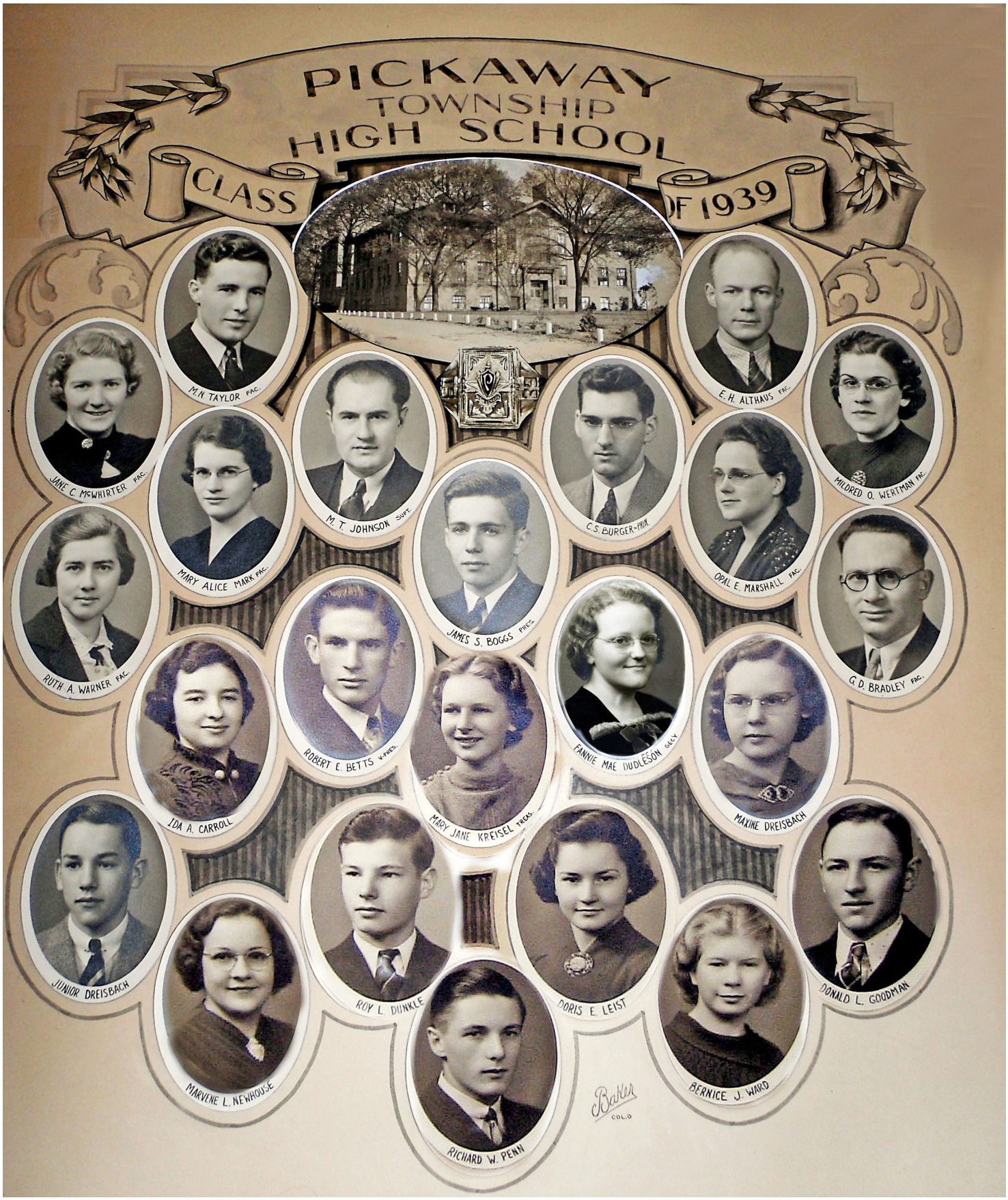
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M.T. JOHNSON SUPT.
C.S. BURGER-PRIN.
MARY ALICE MARK FAC.
OPAL E. MARSHALL FAC.
JAMES S. BOGGS PRES.
RUTH A. WARNER FAC.
G.D. BRADLEY FAC.
ROBERT E. BETTS V-PRES.
FANNIE MAE DUDLESON SEC'Y
IDA A. CARROLL
MARY JANE KREISEL TREAS.
MAXINE DREISBACH
JUNIOR DREISBACH
DONALD L. GOODMAN
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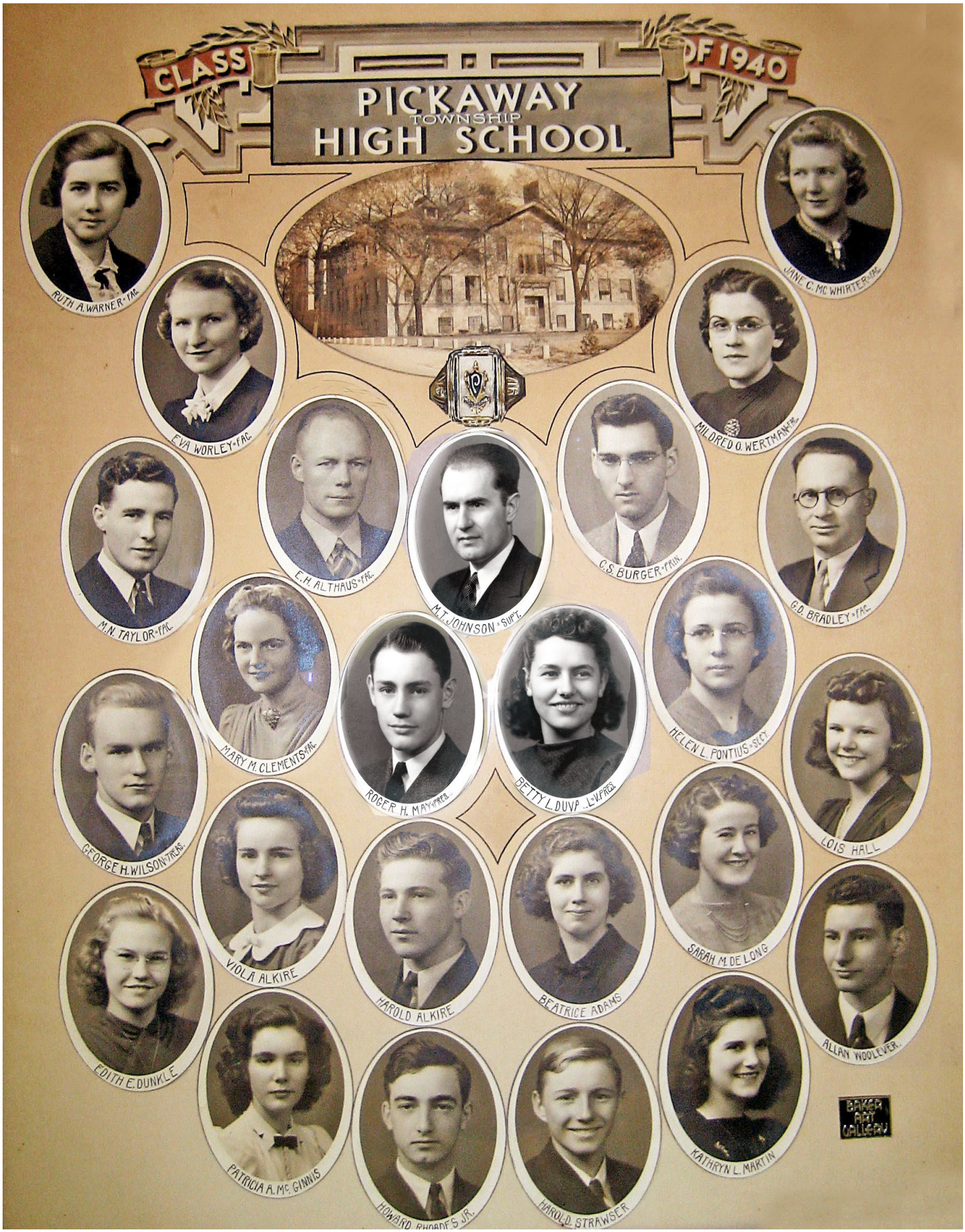
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JANE C. MC WHIRTER - FAC.
MILDRED O. WERTMAN - FAC.
E.H. ALTHAUS - FAC.
M.N. TAYLOR - FAC.
M.T. JOHNSON - SUPT.
C.S. BURGER - TRAN.
G.D. BRADLEY - FAC.
MARY M. CLEMENTS - FAC.
ROGER H. MAY - PRES.
BETTY L. DUVAL - V. PRES.
HELEN L. PONTIUS - SEC'Y
LOIS HALL
GEORGE H. WILSON - TREAS.
VIOLA ALKIRE
HAROLD ALKIRE
BEATRICE ADAMS
SARAH M. DE LONG
EDITH E. DUNKLE
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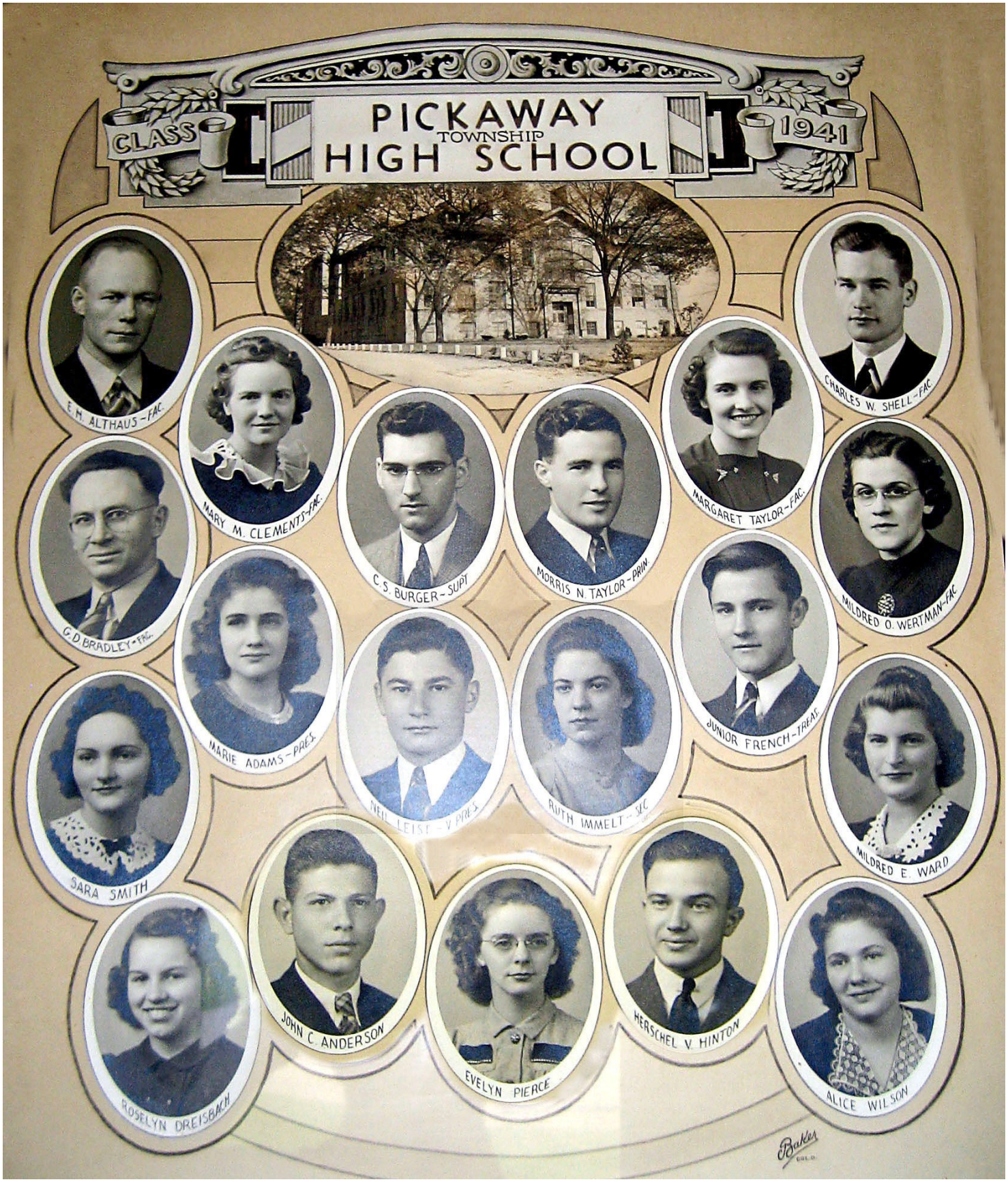
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1941
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MORRIS N. TAYLOR - PRIN.
MARGARET TAYLOR - FAC.
CHARLES W. SHELL - FAC.
C. D. BRADLEY - FAC.
MARIE ADAMS - PRES.
NEIL LEISE - V PRES.
RUTH IMMELT - SEC
JUNIOR FRENCH - TREAS.
MILDRED O. WERTMAN - FAC.
SARA SMITH
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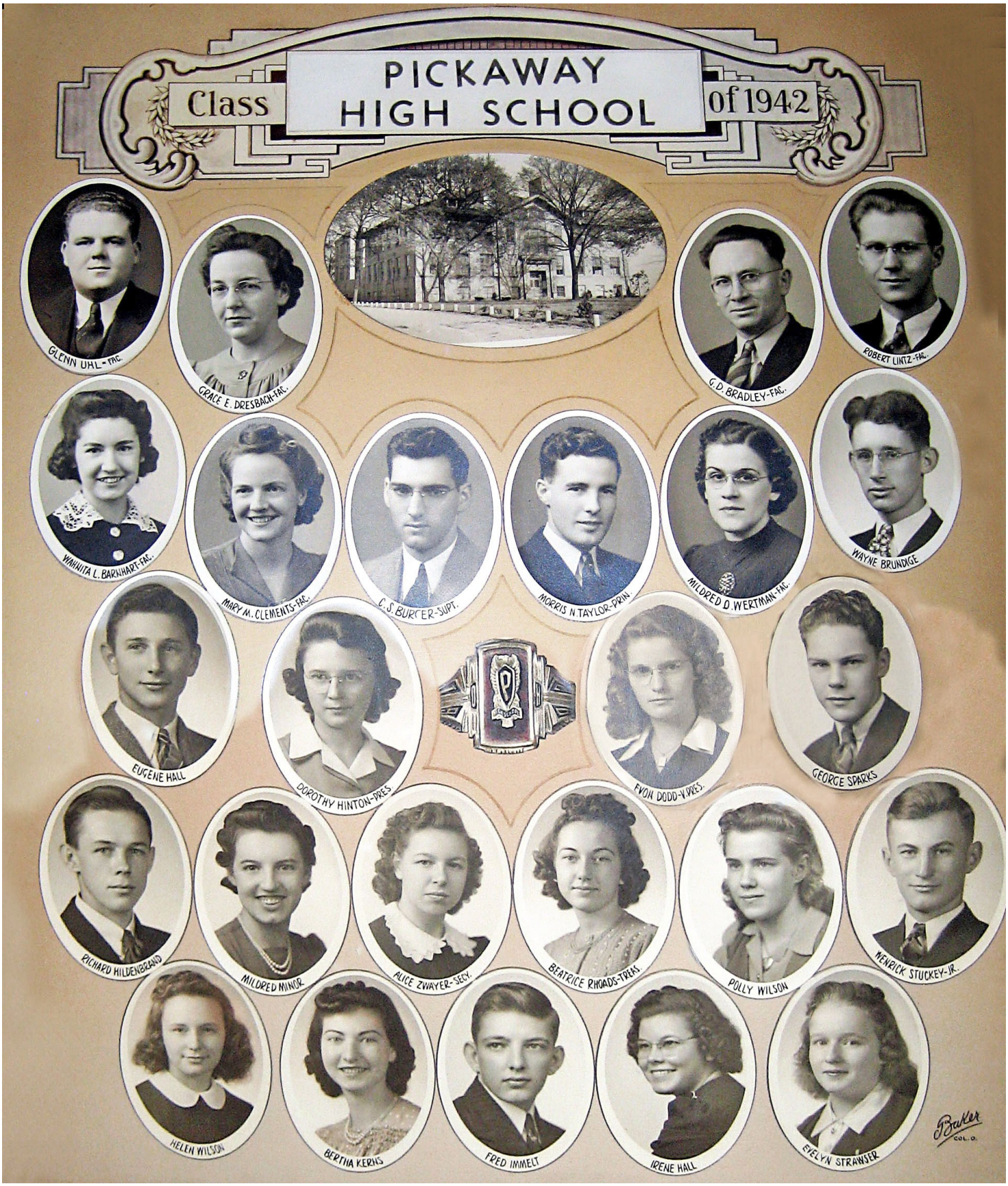
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HIGH SCHOOL
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GLENN UHL - FAC.
GRACE E. DRESBACH-FAC.
G.D. BRADLEY-FAC.
ROBERT LINTZ-FAC.
WAHNITA L. BARNHART-FAC.
MARY M. CLEMENTS-FAC.
C.S. BURGER-SUPT.
MORRIS N. TAYLOR-PRIN.
MILDRED D. WERTMAN-FAC.
WAYNE BRUNDIGE
EUGENE HALL
DOROTHY HINTON-PRES.
EVON DODD-V.PRES.
GEORGE SPARKS
RICHARD HILDENBRAND
MILDRED MINOR
ALICE ZWAYER-SECY.
BEATRICE RHOADS-TREAS.
POLLY WILSON
WENRICK STUCKEY-JR.
HELEN WILSON
BERTHA KERNS
FRED IMMELT
IRENE HALL
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Class
PICKAWAY
HIGH SCHOOL
Of 1943
C. S. BURGER
SUPT.
JOHN HARDIN
PRIN.
MILDRED WERTMAN
FAC.
MRS. MARY M. CLEMENTS
FAC.
ROBERT LINTZ
FAC.
GLENN UHL
FAC.
G. D. BRADLEY
FAC.
NAHNITA BARNHART
FAC.
GRACE DRESBACH
FAC.
MARJORIE BOWER
EDITH RAPP
VICE-PRES.
EVELYN ADAMS
PRES.
KENNETH WOLFORD
TREAS.
ROBERT PORTER
SEC'Y
ROSEMARY HILDENBRAND
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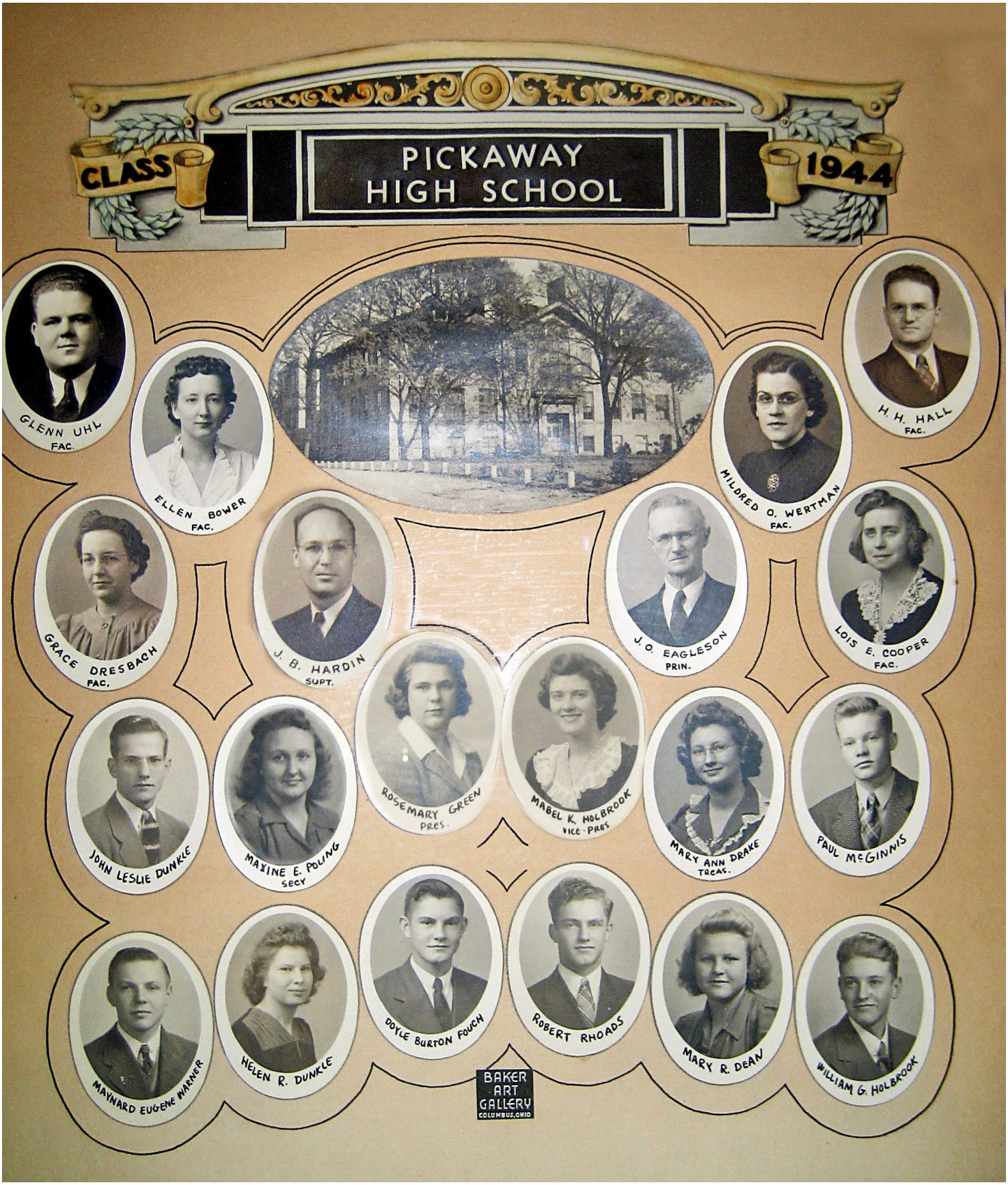
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HIGH SCHOOL
1944
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ELLEN BOWER
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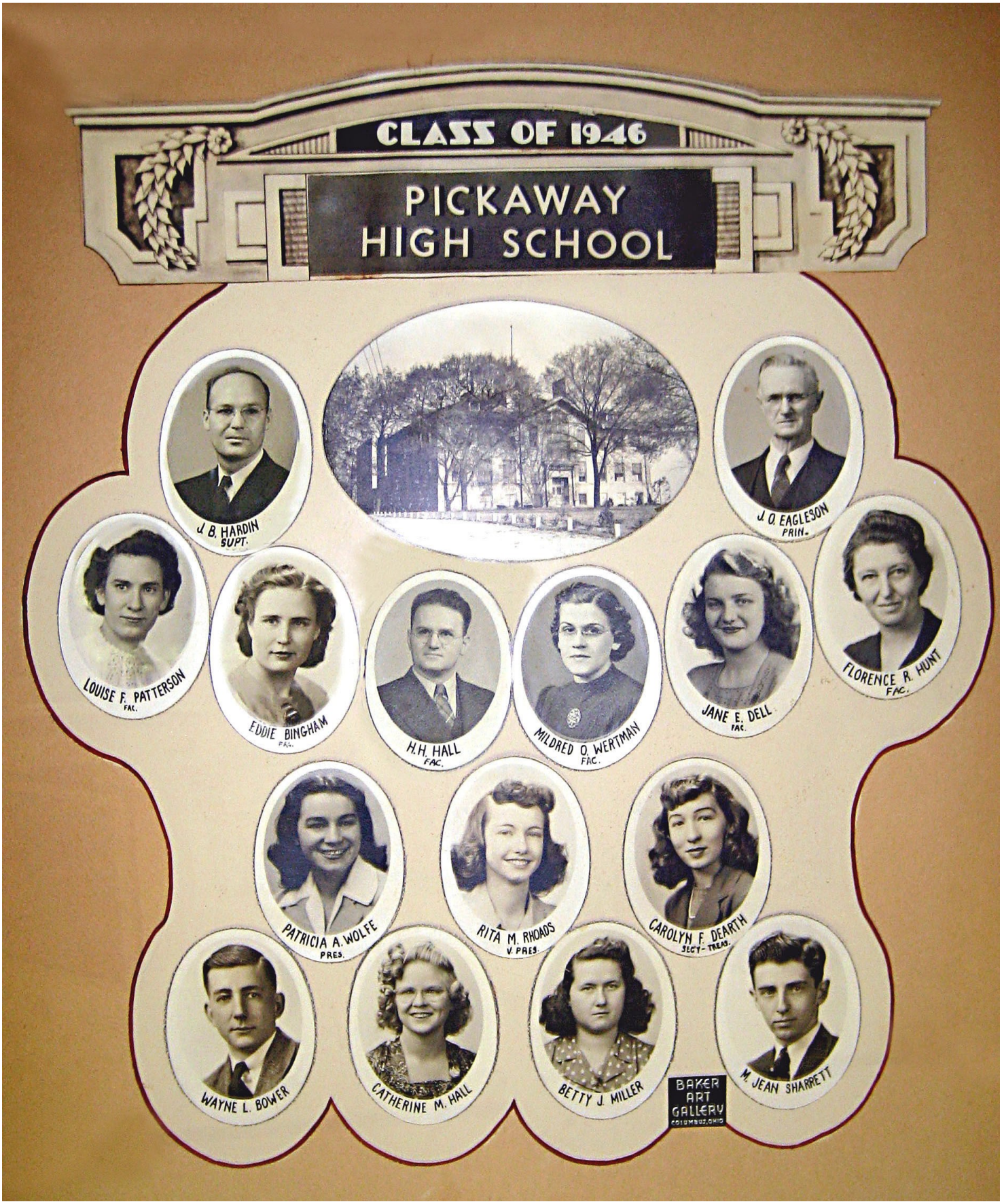
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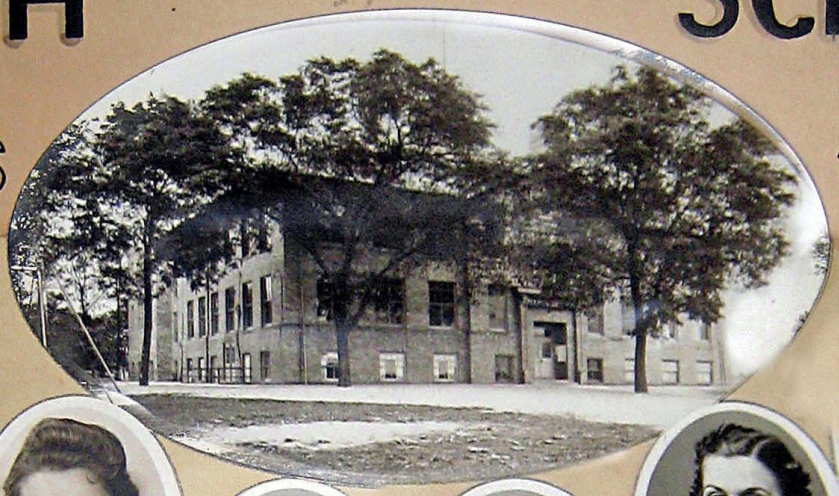

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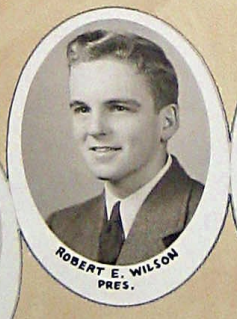
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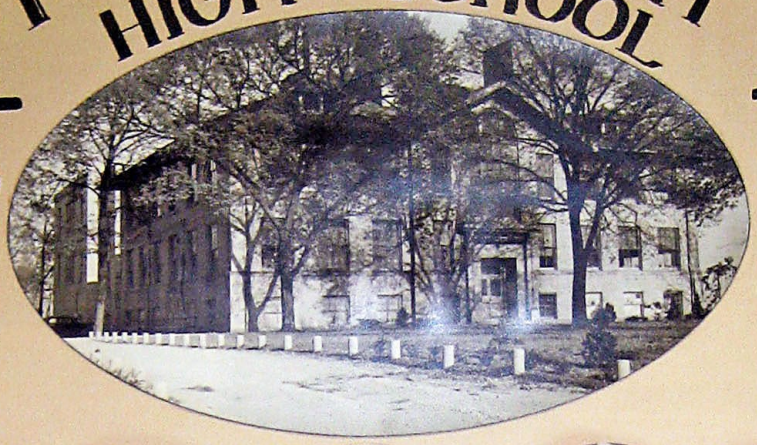

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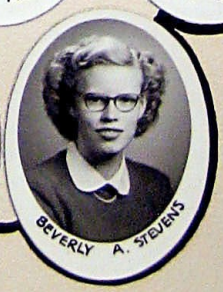
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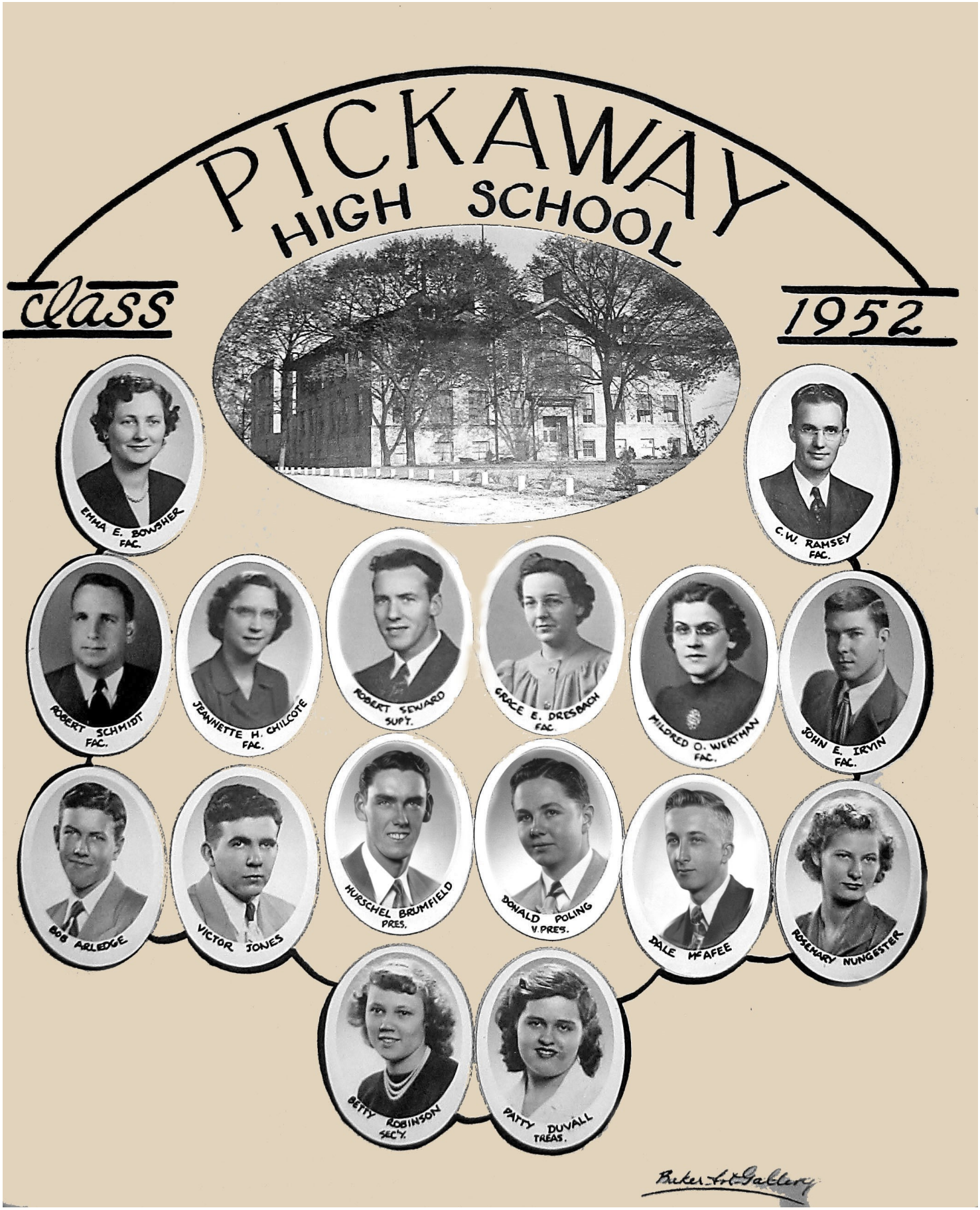
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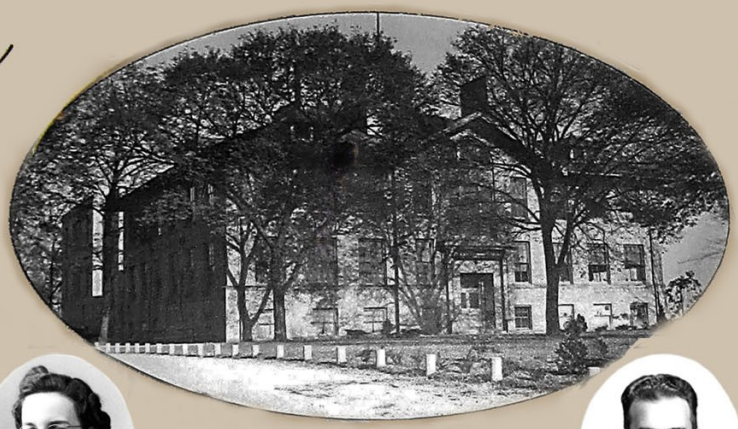

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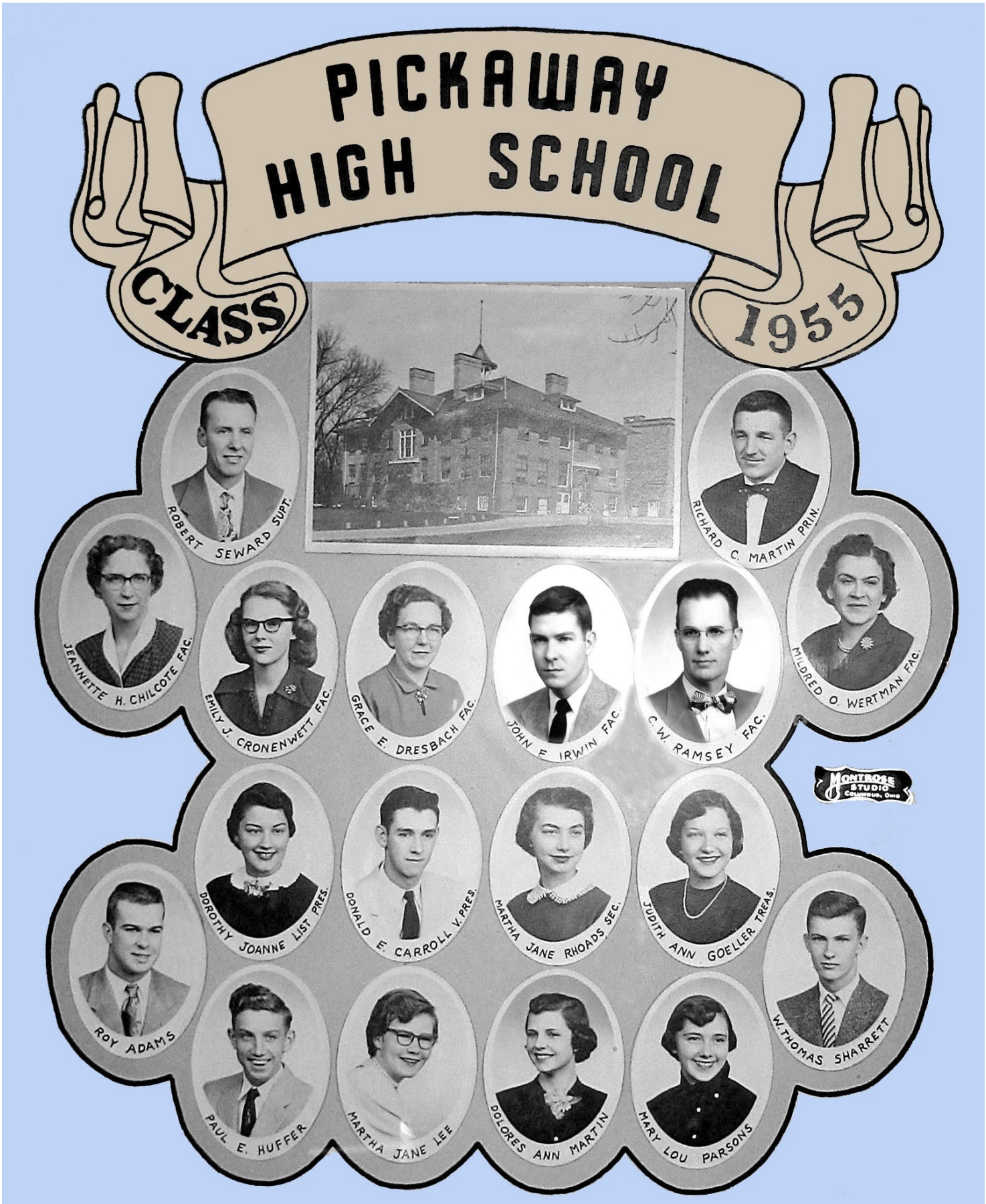
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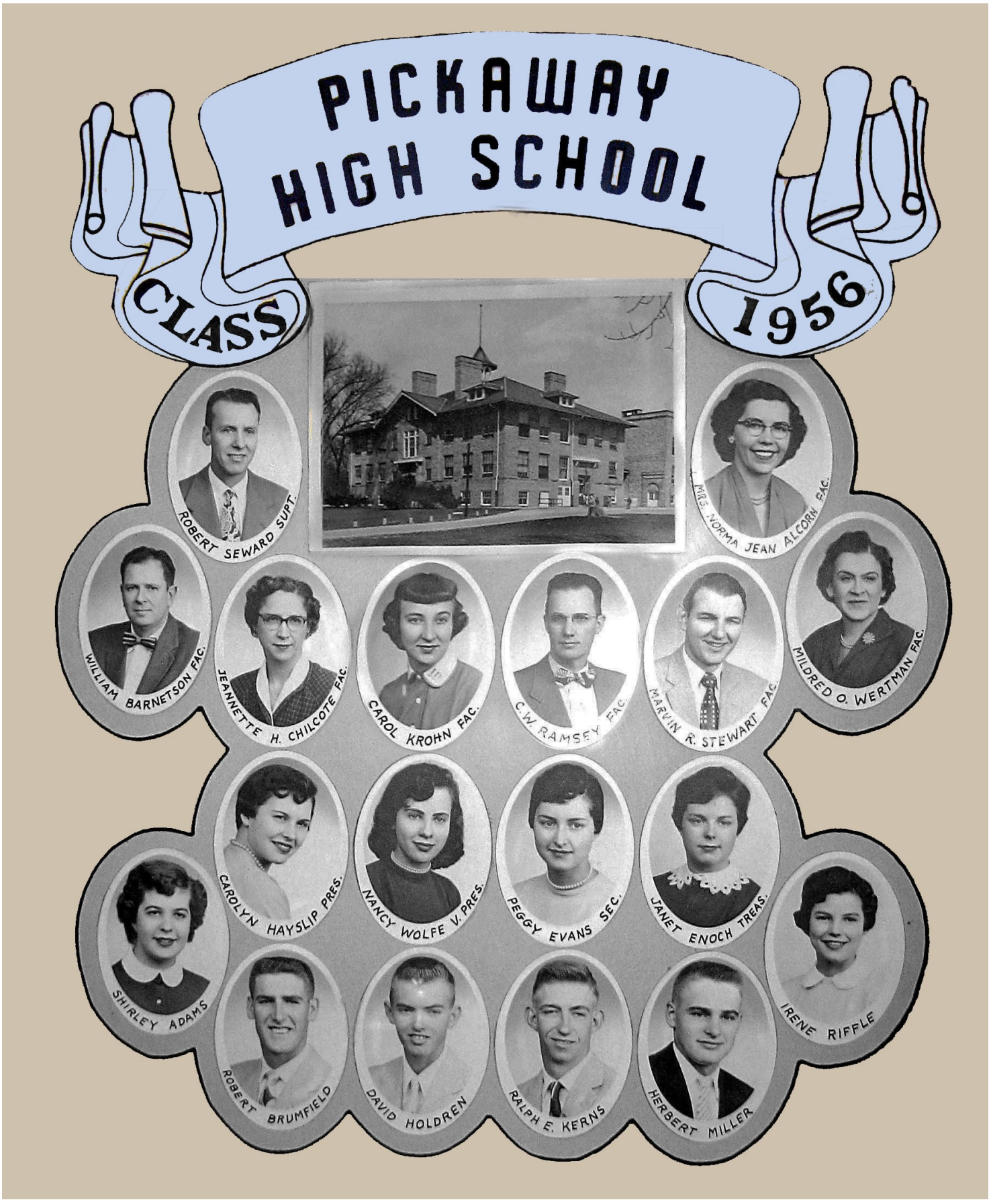
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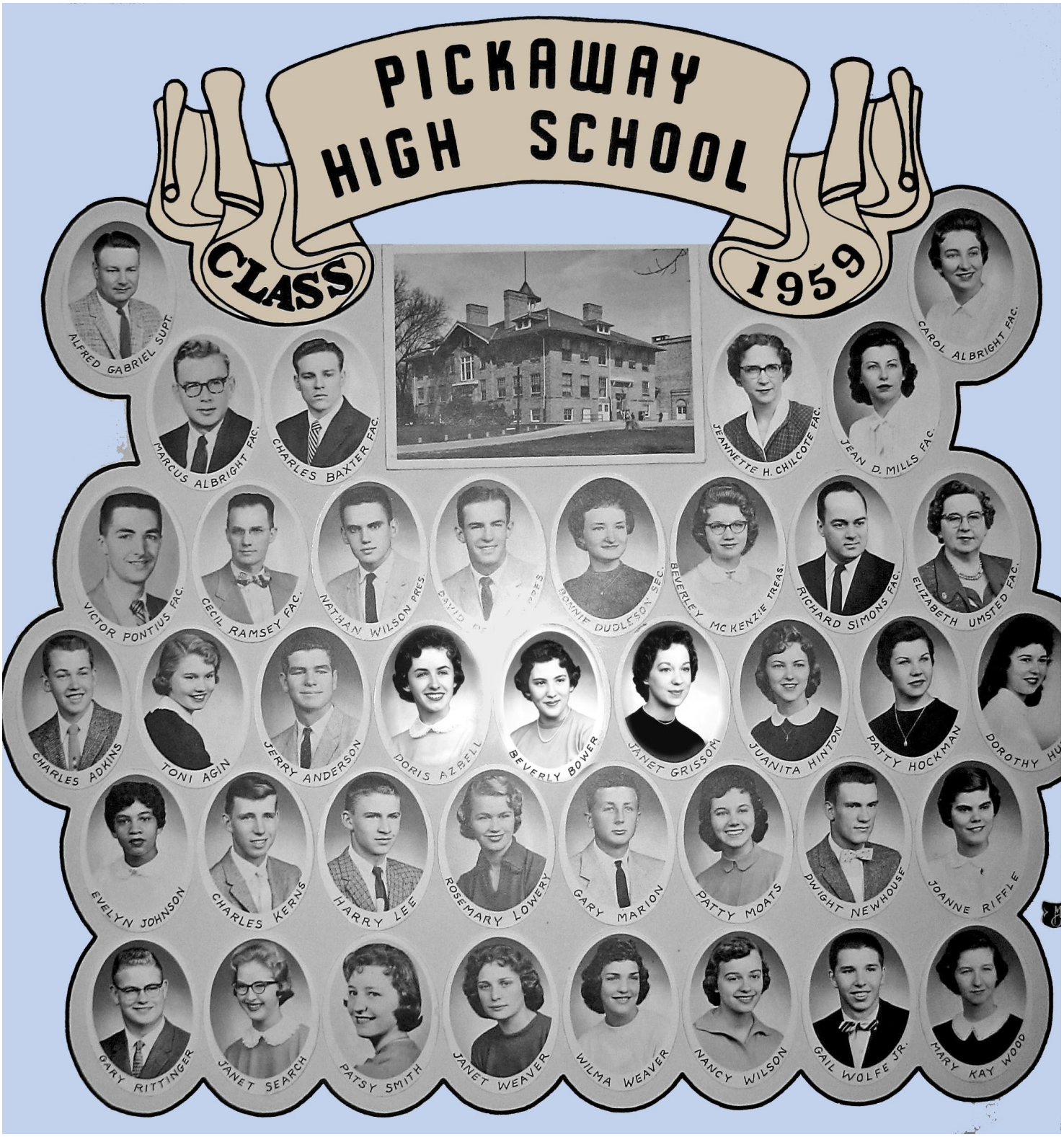
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Adams, Beatrice	1940
Adams, Carl	1958
Adams, David C.	1938
Adams, Evelyn	1943
Adams, Irene	1949
Adams, Kathryn	1958
Adams, Larry E.	1954
Adams, Mildred Marie	1941
Adams, Roy	1955
Adams, Russell E.	1950
Adams, Shirley	1956
Adkins, Charles	1959
Agin, Toni	1959
Alexander, Alice Marie	1931
Alexander, Nellie Iona	1932
Alexander, William E.	1927
Alkire, Harold Richard	1940
Alkire, Thomas Edgar	1935
Alkire, Viola Mae	1940
Allen, Harold Robert	1932
Allen, Helen M.	1925
Anderson, Carl L.	1931
Anderson, Creighton R.	1938
Anderson, Dorothy May	1930
Anderson, Harold T.	1935
Anderson, Helen Marie	1929
Anderson, Jerry	1959
Anderson, John	1953
Anderson, John C.	1941
Anderson, Peggy	1958
Anderson, Shirley	1918
Andrews, James E.	1937
Arledge, Floyd	1924
Arledge, Joanne	1951
Arledge, Lewis	1927
Arledge, Nellie E.	1932
Arledge, Robert	1952
Arledge, Ronald	1960
Arledge, Wenrich E.	1927
Arledge, Willard L.	1954
Armstrong, Charles Edward	1926
Arnold, William	1960
Azbell, Doris	1959
Azbell, Paul	1958
Baird, Gary	1957
Barr, Orwell	1922
Bayes, Jane	1960
Betts, Robert E.	1939
Bitzer, Bertha Elizabeth	1929
Bitzer, Florence Ann	1933
Blagg, Franklin Ellsworth	1933
Boggs, Betsy	1957
Boggs, Charles N.	1931
Boggs, James S.	1939
Boggs, Rosemary	1936
Boldoser, Betty	1949
Boldoser, Charles	1957
Boldoser, Joyce Ann	1951
Boldoser, Mary C.	1954
Boldoser, Ned Russell	1953
Bower, Beverly	1959
Bower, Dale	1957
Bower, Marjorie Ann	1943
Bower, Wayne L.	1946
Boyer, Helen Evelyn	1933
Browder, Robert H.	1945
Brown, Ellen	1918
Brown, Emma Louise	1936
Brown, Evelyn E.	1934
Brown, Forest Arthur	1929
Brown, J. Mace	1934
Brown, Mary Katherine	1936
Brown, Nettie Louise	1937
Brumfield, Herschel	1952
Brumfield, Robert	1956
Brundige, Floyd S.	1932
Brundige, Frances E.	1927
Brundige, Gertrude E.	1933
Brundige, Wayne	1942
Burris, Rena	1957
Bush, Robert	1929
Byrd, Janet	1957
Canter, A. Mae	1925
Canter, Essie E.	1935
Carroll, Donald E.	1955
Carroll, Howard L.	1934
Carroll, Ida Almeta	1939
Carroll, Marjorie Louise	1933
Carroll, Marvene E.	1948
Coey, Etta Mae	1950
Coey, Forrest E.	1948
Coey, Gladys Louise	1954
Conaway, Nora Odessa	1927
Cook, Betty J.	1948
Cook, D. James	1947
Cooper, John E.	1937
Cooper, Ruth Naomi	1936
Cotttrell, Walter Earl	1937
Daugherty, Vira	1917
Dean, Clyde W.	1938
Dean, Mary Ruth	1944
Dearth, Bonnie L.	1948
Dearth, Carolyn F.	1946
DeLong, Sarah May	1940
Dodd, Anna E.	1924
Dodd, Donald D.	1929
Dodd, Evon	1942
Dodd, Lulu M.	1928
Dodd, Ross Seniff	1932
Drake, Mary Ann	1944
Dreisbach Jr, Orin W.	1939
Dreisbach, Marjorie	1945
Dreisbach, Mary Eyer	1937
Dreisbach, Maxine	1939
Dreisbach, Roselyn	1941
Dreisbach, Virginia	1936
Dudleson, Bonnie	1959
Dudleson, Fannie Mae	1939
Dudleson, Fred	1935
Dudleson, Willard S.	1933
Dumm, Cleve E.	1923
Dumm, David	1951
Dumm, Edward N.	1948
Dumm, Elizabeth	1931
Dumm, Ellen	1921
Dumm, Fred	1918
Dumm, Geneva	1925
Dumm, Gertrude	1917
Dumm, Helen H.	1926
Dumm, Lois	1917
Dumm, Mabel A.	1927
Dumm, Marie	1931
Dumm, Marvin	1925
Dumm, Mary L.	1933
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Dunkle, D. Stanley	1932
Dunkle, David W.	1931
Dunkle, Donald E.	1933
Dunkle, Dwight Harold	1935
Dunkle, Edith Evelyn	1940
Dunkle, Helen Ruth	1944
Dunkle, John Leslie	1944
Dunkle, Ralph William	1938
Dunkle, Roy L.	1939
Duvall, Betty Louise	1940
Duvall, Mary Alice	1938
Duvall, Patty	1952
Dyer, Jane M.	1948
Eakin, Bertha	1953
Eakin, David	1957
Echard, Neil	1957
England, Barbara Ann	1953
England, Carol	1957
Enoch, Ernest	1928
Enoch, Ernest (Bud)	1954
Enoch, Ethyl Louise	1932
Enoch, Janet	1956
Enoch, May R.	1920
Enoch, Mildred L.	1935
Enoch, Ralph Richard	1930
Estell, Ansel	1931
Estell, Dano Rosell	1933
Evans, Bernice M.	1925
Evans, Deanna	1957
Evans, Edward	1958

Evans, L. David	1947
Evans, Lloyd	1919
Evans, Lucille E.	1921
Evans, Peggy	1956
Evans, William	1953
Foster, Julie E.	1922
Foster, Mary H.	1924
Fouch, Carl Edwin	1945
Fouch, Doyle Burton	1944
Francis, Edrie Dorothea	1933
Frazier, Donna	1960
French Jr, Charles	1941
French, Betty Jane	1936
French, Cleo Marvene	1930
French, Freda Marie	1936
French, Helen Lucille	1929
French, Regina Mae	1932
Gehres, Edwin	1919
Gifford, Dale	1950
Gifford, Mary L.	1954
Gifford, Orville	1953
Ginther, Barbara	1958
Ginther, Joan	1960
Glenn, Russell	1960
Goeller, Judith Ann	1955
Goeller, Mary Ellen	1958
Goins, Irma	1931
Goodman, Donald LeRoy	1939
Graves Jr, Wesley	1938
Graves, Edith Lucille	1937
Graves, Floyd R.	1932
Graves, Frank	1929
Graves, Leonard Earl	1926
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Greenlee, Betty Dale	1954
Greenlee, C. Ruth	1948
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Hall, Charles E.	1938
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Hall, Irene	1942
Hall, Lois Kathlene	1940
Hall, Patricia V.	1953
Hall, Pearlene Mae	1938
Hall, Russell Eugene	1942
Hall, Virginia Edythe	1927
Hampshire, Marcella M.	1928
Hampshire, Marvin Leonard	1931
Hankins Jr, Paul	1938
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Harmount, Hewitt	1949
Harral, Dorothy Mae	1926
Harral, Edgar A.	1933
Harral, Nancy Marvene	1930
Harral, Rose Alma	1927
Harral, William M.	1960
Harrington, Richard	1949
Hatters, Urice M.	1920
Hayslip, Carolyn	1956
Hayslip, Joyce	1958
Hicks, Joyce	1957
Hildenbrand, Earl	1954
Hildenbrand, June	1946
Hildenbrand, Richard	1942
Hildenbrand, Rose	1957
Hildenbrand, Rosemary	1943
Hinton, Bernadine Evelyn	1938
Hinton, Dorothy	1942
Hinton, Herschel V.	1941
Hinton, Juanita	1959
Hinton, Kathleen Chlorus	1937
Hockman, Patty	1959
Holbrook, Lorna L.	1947
Holbrook, Mabel K.	1944
Holbrook, William G.	1944
Holdren, David	1956
Holdren, Roger	1954
Hood, John N.	1929
Huffer, Bennie	1954
Huffer, Dorothy	1959
Huffer, Lloyd	1957
Huffer, Nancy	1960
Huffer, Paul E.	1955
Huffer, T. Pauline	1948
Hunt, Betty	1957
Hunt, Nancy	1960
Imler, Gerald J. R.	1933
Immelt, Fred	1942
Immelt, Ruth Elizabeth	1941
Jacobs, Gloria L.	1951
Jacobs, Jane	1953
Jacobs, Joanne	1950
Jacobs, Marilyn	1958
Jenkins, Roy L.	1945
Johnson, Evelyn	1959
Jones, Victor	1952
Jury, Roger L.	1927
Jury, William Maurice	1936
Kempton, Donald H.	1923
Kempton, Ella Muriel	1935
Kerns, Bertha J.	1942
Kerns, Charles	1959
Kerns, John N.	1921
Kerns, Ralph E.	1956
Kibler, Alice	1928
Kiger, Alice Marvine	1927
Kiger, George Melvin	1929
Kitchen, Paul Frederick	1937
Kreider, Claude Carl	1929
Kreider, Ruth Rhea	1929
Kreisel, Charles Edward	1935
Kreisel, Mary Jane	1939
Lane, Beatrice F.	1933
Lane, Inez May	1938
Lane, Irvin	1932
Lane, Lucille E.	1936
Lauerman, Geneva	1960
Leach, John W.	1920
Lee, Harry	1959
Lee, Martha Jane	1955
Leeth, Kay	1957
Leist, Doris Evelyn	1939
Leist, Neil	1941
Leist, Weldon Penn	1937
List, David	1953
List, Dorothy Joanne	1955
List, Mark	1958
List, Ronald	1950
Lowery, Rosemary	1959
Marion, Gary	1959
Martin, Dolores Ann	1955
Martin, Kathryn Louise	1940
May, Roger Hitler	1940
McAfee, Dale	1952
McAfee, Darl E.	1945
McAfee, Marie	1917
McCain, Robert	1957
McFarland, Barbara	1960
McGinnis, Patricia Ann	1940
McGinnis, Paul Ford	1944
McKenzie, Antoinette M.	1927
McKenzie, Barbara A.	1954
McKenzie, Beverly	1959
McKenzie, Cyril James	1928
McKenzie, Dolores A.	1948
McKenzie, Eugene C.	1937
McKenzie, Evangela M.	1932
McKenzie, Francis Joseph	1930
McKenzie, Joyce	1957
McKenzie, Lawrence J.	1927
McKenzie, Margaret Elizabeth	1928
McKenzie, Paul A.	1936
McKenzie, Rose Mary	1930
McKenzie, Ruth H.	1920
McKenzie, Ruth Theresa	1931
Merriman, Jessie	1917
Miller, Betty J.	1946
Miller, Clarence E.	1934
Miller, Donald Dwight	1937
Miller, George W.	1937
Miller, Herbert	1956
Miller, James Robert	1932

Miller, John Louis	1933
Miller, John Ward	1943
Miller, Joyce	1960
Miller, Linda	1958
Miller, Mary Elizabeth	1938
Minor, Lucy L.	1945
Minor, Mildred	1942
Minshall, George	1953
Moats, Patty	1959
Morris, Kathryn	1949
Morris, Ned	1958
Morris, Neil	1921
Morris, Paul	1950
Mowery Jr., Charles	1937
Mowery Jr., James S.	1938
Mowery, Galen Dresbach	1932
Mowery, Joan	1945
Musselman, Connie	1957
Musselman, John Marvin	1933
Newhouse, Burnell	1933
Newhouse, Dwight	1959
Newhouse, Marvene L.	1939
Newlun, Gladys M	1925
Noe, Gail	1960
Norman, Evelyn G.	1933
Nungester, Dorothy Mae	1943
Nungester, Juanita	1951
Nungester, Rosemary	1952
Ogan, Russell L.	1948
Parsons, Mary Lou	1955
Patrick, Ira Eugene	1951
Patrick, Jerry	1960
Patrick, Wayne	1957
Paxton, Raymond F.	1930
Penn, John Roberts	1938
Penn, Mary	1946
Penn, Norma Jean	1943
Penn, Richard Warren	1939
Pennington, Robert	1953
Peters, Dorothy Margaret	1926
Petty, David	1959
Phillips, Alice A.	1922
Phillips, Gay H.	1920
Phillips, L. Howard	1921
Phillips, Ned W.	1922
Phillips, Russell W.	1923
Phillips, Virginia	1924
Pierce, Abbie Evelyn	1941
Poling, Donald	1952
Poling, Frances Lucille	1929
Poling, Maxine E.	1944
Ponitus, Helen Lucile	1940
Pontius, Eleanor Frances	1938
Pontius, Frances Marvene	1938
Pontius, Harold T.	1923
Pontius, Mary Irene	1938
Pontius, W. Victor	1953
Pontius, Wayne B.	1920
Pontius, Wilbur Victor	1924
Porter, Marilyn R.	1948
Porter, Richard E.	1950
Porter, Robert Dean	1943
Pritchard, Betty	1953
Pritchard, Don	1953
Pritchard, Helen M.	1950
Pyle, Porter	1957
Radar, Gladys	1916
Rader, Glenn	1919
Rader, Mary	1918
Rader, Mary Elizabeth	1929
Rader, Ruth N.	1921
Rader, W. James	1934
Rapp, Jessie Edith	1943
Rhoades Jr, Howard P.	1940
Rhoades, Clarence S.	1928
Rhoades, Earle E.	1933
Rhoades, Grace Joan	1936
Rhoades, Helen C.	1933
Rhoades, John H. (Jack)	1936
Rhoades, Mary Alma	1937
Rhoads, Beatrice	1942
Rhoads, David L.	1954
Rhoads, Franklin	1951
Rhoads, Martha Jane	1955
Rhoads, Neil E.	1950
Rhoads, Rita M.	1946
Rhoads, Robert	1944
Rice, Ruth	1916
Rickert, Marvin E.	1923
Riffel, Harold L.	1937
Riffel, Helen L.	1947
Riffel, Mary Marvine	1932
Riffle, Bernice	1917
Riffle, Edward	1958
Riffle, Ellen	1951
Riffle, Harriet L.	1949
Riffle, Irene	1956
Riffle, Joanne	1959
Riffle, Robert	1958
Riggin, Martha Ann	1933
Ritchie, Irlan J.	1947
Rittinger, Gary	1959
Rittinger, John L.	1927
Rittinger, Robert E.	1950
Robinson, Betty	1952
Roll, Dolly	1938
Ross, Glenn Eldon	1929
Routt, Janice	1957
Sams, Annabelle	1945
Schooley, Flossie M.	1927
Scott Jr., Curtis	1948
Search, Janet	1959
Search, Patty	1957
Seymour, Helen E.	1931
Shaner, Elizabeth L.	1927
Shaner, Harold J	1931
Shaner, Mildred A.	1924
Sharrett, Jon	1957
Sharrett, M. Jean	1946
Sharrett, Martha A.	1948
Sharrett, Martin R.	1947
Sharrett, Ronald M.	1950
Sharrett, W. Thomas	1955
Sheets, Keith	1958
Shepherd, Mary Winnifred	1945
Shepler, Kenneth E.	1921
Shepler, Mona L.	1923
Smith, Carole Lavada	1954
Smith, David	1957
Smith, Earl	1917
Smith, Edith I.	1933
Smith, Frank	1958
Smith, Harding L.	1938
Smith, Lee A.	1924
Smith, Nora Louise	1937
Smith, Patsy	1959
Smith, Peter	1958
Smith, Richard Kenneth	1928
Smith, Sara Geraldine	1941
Smith, Velma M.	1933
Sowers, Jimmie O.	1948
Spangler, Marshall Rufus	1933
Sparks, George	1942
Speakman, David Oliver	1926
Spiller, Donna	1960
Stapleton, Ella Mae	1935
Steely, Marvin	1917
Stevens, Beverly A.	1951
Stevens, Nelson	1954
Stevens, Paul E.	1948
Stevens, Robert D.	1953
Stevens, Turney	1917
Strawser, Evelyn	1942
Strawser, Harold Austin	1940
Strawser, John	1950
Strawser, Lucy Florence	1933
Strawser, Ray	1951
Streber, Mary	1960
Stuckey Jr., Wenrich	1942
Stuckey, John Frederick	1938
Stuckey, Louise K.	1935
Stuckey, Marvine Ruth	1937
Stuckey, Mary A.	1936
Temple, Dorothy Louise	1937
Temple, Kathryn	1936

Temple, Mary Lennie	1935
Timmons, Edna Pauline	1929
Timmons, Hoyt Wilson	1931
Timmons, Kenneth Arthur	1943
Timmons, Marguerite Wionna	1943
Timmons, Mary Lou	1949
Timmons, Phoebe	1945
Timmons, Truit	1934
Timmons, Virgil Paul	1937
Tolbert, Mary Ruth	1931
Turner, Beverly A.	1954
Umsted, Janice	1960
Valentine, Eloise F.	1953
Valentine, Mary Eva	1929
Valentine, Renick W.	1923
Van Dervort, Eleanor	1935
Van Devort, John Robert	1937
Van Fossen, Dorothy	1949
Van Fossen, Ethel	1928
Van Fossen, Golda Ellen	1927
Waple, Albert Luther	1931
Waple, Elizabeth J.	1928
Ward, Bernice Juanita	1939
Ward, Mildred Eileen	1941
Ward, Nolene A.	1934
Ward, Ray S.	1933

Warner, J. (Jay) Meinnardt	1938
Warner, Maynard Eugene	1944
Warner, Nelson E.	1936
Warner, Wilma	1917
Watson, Laura Jane	1948
Watson, Patricia	1960
Weaver, Janet	1959
Weaver, Wilma	1959
Webb, Tommy	1960
Wilson, Alice Leona	1941
Wilson, Bruce C.	1960
Wilson, George Hugh	1940
Wilson, Helen	1942
Wilson, Linda	1957
Wilson, Mary Lou	1938
Wilson, Nancy	1959
Wilson, Nathan	1959
Wilson, Paul M.	1933
Wilson, Philip Wolfe	1937
Wilson, Polly	1942
Wilson, Robert E.	1947
Wilson, Wayne A.	1934
Wilson, Wells M.	1931
Wolfe Jr., Gail	1959
Wolfe, Dennis	1957
Wolfe, Ernest Gail	1935

Wolfe, Leo Pearl	1937
Wolfe, Nancy	1956
Wolfe, Ned	1949
Wolfe, Patricia A.	1946
Wolfe, Roy Mac	1947
Wolfe, Russell F.	1923
Wolfe, Ted	1949
Wolford, Harold Raymond	1928
Wolford, Hazel Geneva	1930
Wolford, Kenneth Eugene	1943
Wolford, Lawrence R.	1934
Wolford, Lester Ellsworth	1930
Wood, Mary Kay	1959
Woolever, Allan E.	1940
Woolever, Ralph	1917
Wright, Carolyn M.	1947
Wright, Emerson D.	1924
Wright, Eugene	1950
Wright, Harry W.	1928
Wright, Julius J.	1929
Wright, Lawrence Edward	1928
Young, Harriet Louise	1932
Young, Jack L.	1954
Young, JoAnn O.	1948
Zwayer, Alice	1942

Pickaway Township H.S. Graduates by Year of Graduation

Radar, Gladys	1916
Rice, Ruth	1916
Daugherty, Vira	1917
Dumm, Gertrude	1917
Dumm, Lois	1917
McAfee, Marie	1917
Merriman, Jessie	1917
Riffle, Bernice	1917
Smith, Earl	1917
Steely, Marvin	1917
Stevens, Turney	1917
Warner, Wilma	1917
Woolever, Ralph	1917
Anderson, Shirley	1918
Brown, Ellen	1918
Dumm, Fred	1918
Rader, Mary	1918
Evans, Lloyd	1919
Gehres, Edwin	1919
Rader, Glenn	1919
Enoch, May R.	1920
Hatters, Urice M.	1920
Leach, John W.	1920
McKenzie, Ruth H.	1920
Phillips, Gay H.	1920
Pontius, Wayne B.	1920

Dumm, Ellen	1921
Evans, Lucille E.	1921
Kerns, John N.	1921
Morris, Neil	1921
Phillips, L. Howard	1921
Rader, Ruth N.	1921
Shepler, Kenneth E.	1921
Barr, Orwell	1922
Foster, Julie E.	1922
Phillips, Alice A.	1922
Phillips, Ned W.	1922
Dumm, Cleve E.	1923
Kempton, Donald H.	1923
Phillips, Russell W.	1923
Pontius, Harold T.	1923
Rickert, Marvin E.	1923
Shepler, Mona L.	1923
Valentine, Renick W.	1923
Wolfe, Russell F.	1923
Arledge, Floyd	1924
Dodd, Anna E.	1924
Foster, Mary H.	1924
Phillips, Virginia	1924
Pontius, Wilbur Victor	1924
Shaner, Mildred A.	1924
Smith, Lee A.	1924

Wright, Emerson D.	1924
Allen, Helen M.	1925
Canter, A. Mae	1925
Dumm, Geneva	1925
Dumm, Marvin	1925
Evans, Bernice M.	1925
Hall, Helen I.	1925
Newlun, Gladys M	1925
Armstrong, Charles Edward	1926
Dumm, Helen H.	1926
Graves, Leonard Earl	1926
Harral, Dorothy Mae	1926
Peters, Dorothy Margaret	1926
Speakman, David Oliver	1926
Alexander, William E.	1927
Arledge, Lewis	1927
Arledge, Wenrich E.	1927
Brundige, Frances E.	1927
Conaway, Nora Odessa	1927
Dumm, Mabel A.	1927
Hall, Virginia Edythe	1927
Harral, Rose Alma	1927
Jury, Roger L.	1927
Kiger, Alice Marvine	1927
McKenzie, Antoinette M.	1927
McKenzie, Lawrence J.	1927

Rittinger, John L.	1927
Schooley, Flossie M.	1927
Shaner, Elizabeth L.	1927
Van Fossen, Golda Ellen	1927
Dodd, Lulu M.	1928
Enoch, Ernest	1928
Hampshire, Marcella M.	1928
Kibler, Alice	1928
McKenzie, Cyril James	1928
McKenzie, Margaret Elizabeth	1928
Rhoades, Clarence S.	1928
Smith, Richard Kenneth	1928
Van Fossen, Ethel	1928
Waple, Elizabeth J.	1928
Wolford, Harold Raymond	1928
Wright, Harry W.	1928
Wright, Lawrence Edward	1928
Anderson, Helen Marie	1929
Bitzer, Bertha Elizabeth	1929
Brown, Forest Arthur	1929
Bush, Robert	1929
Dodd, Donald D.	1929
French, Helen Lucille	1929
Graves, Frank	1929
Hood, John N.	1929
Kiger, George Melvin	1929
Kreider, Claude Carl	1929
Kreider, Ruth Rhea	1929
Poling, Frances Lucille	1929
Rader, Mary Elizabeth	1929
Ross, Glenn Eldon	1929
Timmons, Edna Pauline	1929
Valentine, Mary Eva	1929
Wright, Julius J.	1929
Anderson, Dorothy May	1930
Enoch, Ralph Richard	1930
French, Cleo Marvene	1930
Harral, Nancy Marvene	1930
McKenzie, Francis Joseph	1930
McKenzie, Rose Mary	1930
Paxton, Raymond F.	1930
Wolford, Hazel Geneva	1930
Wolford, Lester Ellsworth	1930
Alexander, Alice Marie	1931
Anderson, Carl L.	1931
Boggs, Charles N.	1931
Dumm, Elizabeth	1931
Dumm, Marie	1931
Dunkle, David W.	1931
Estell, Ansel	1931
Goins, Irma	1931
Hampshire, Marvin Leonard	1931
McKenzie, Ruth Theresa	1931
Seymour, Helen E.	1931
Shaner, Harold J	1931

Timmons, Hoyt Wilson	1931
Tolbert, Mary Ruth	1931
Waple, Albert Luther	1931
Wilson, Wells M.	1931
Alexander, Nellie Iona	1932
Allen, Harold Robert	1932
Arledge, Nellie E.	1932
Brundige, Floyd S.	1932
Dodd, Ross Seniff	1932
Dunkle, D. Stanley	1932
Enoch, Ethyl Louise	1932
French, Regina Mae	1932
Graves, Floyd R.	1932
Lane, Irvin	1932
McKenzie, Evangela M.	1932
Miller, James Robert	1932
Mowery, Galen Dresbach	1932
Riffel, Mary Marvine	1932
Young, Harriet Louise	1932
Bitzer, Florence Ann	1933
Blagg, Franklin Ellsworth	1933
Boyer, Helen Evelyn	1933
Brundige, Gertrude E.	1933
Carroll, Marjorie Louise	1933
Dudleson, Willard S.	1933
Dumm, Mary L.	1933
Dunkle, Donald E.	1933
Estell, Dano Rosell	1933
Francis, Edrie Dorothea	1933
Harral, Edgar A.	1933
Imler, Gerald J. R.	1933
Lane, Beatrice F.	1933
Miller, John Louis	1933
Musselman, John Marvin	1933
Newhouse, Burnell	1933
Norman, Evelyn G.	1933
Rhoades, Earle E.	1933
Rhoades, Helen C.	1933
Riggin, Martha Ann	1933
Smith, Edith I.	1933
Smith, Velma M.	1933
Spangler, Marshall Rufus	1933
Strawser, Lucy Florence	1933
Ward, Ray S.	1933
Wilson, Paul M.	1933
Brown, Evelyn E.	1934
Brown, J. Mace	1934
Carroll, Howard L.	1934
Hankins, Juanita M.	1934
Miller, Clarence E.	1934
Rader, W. James	1934
Timmons, Truit	1934
Ward, Nolene A.	1934
Wilson, Wayne A.	1934
Wolford, Lawrence R.	1934

Alkire, Thomas Edgar	1935
Anderson, Harold T.	1935
Canter, Essie E.	1935
Dudleson, Fred	1935
Dunkle, Dwight Harold	1935
Enoch, Mildred L.	1935
Hardesty, Margaret M.	1935
Kempton, Ella Muriel	1935
Kreisel, Charles Edward	1935
Stapleton, Ella Mae	1935
Stuckey, Louise K.	1935
Temple, Mary Lennie	1935
Van Dervort, Eleanor	1935
Wolfe, Ernest Gail	1935
Boggs, Rosemary	1936
Brown, Emma Louise	1936
Brown, Mary Katherine	1936
Cooper, Ruth Naomi	1936
Dreisbach, Virginia	1936
French, Betty Jane	1936
French, Freda Marie	1936
Jury, William Maurice	1936
Lane, Lucille E.	1936
McKenzie, Paul A.	1936
Rhoades, Grace Joan	1936
Rhoades, John H. (Jack)	1936
Stuckey, Mary A.	1936
Temple, Kathryn	1936
Warner, Nelson E.	1936
Andrews, James E.	1937
Brown, Nettie Louise	1937
Cooper, John E.	1937
Cotttrell, Walter Earl	1937
Dreisbach, Mary Eyer	1937
Graves, Edith Lucille	1937
Hinton, Kathleen Chlorus	1937
Kitchen, Paul Frederick	1937
Leist, Weldon Penn	1937
McKenzie, Eugene C.	1937
Miller, Donald Dwight	1937
Miller, George W.	1937
Mowery Jr., Charles	1937
Rhoades, Mary Alma	1937
Riffel, Harold L.	1937
Smith, Nora Louise	1937
Stuckey, Marvine Ruth	1937
Temple, Dorothy Louise	1937
Timmons, Virgil Paul	1937
Van Devort, John Robert	1937
Wilson, Philip Wolfe	1937
Wolfe, Leo Pearl	1937
Adams, David C.	1938
Anderson, Creighton R.	1938
Dean, Clyde W.	1938
Dunkle, Ralph William	1938

Duvall, Mary Alice	1938
Graves Jr, Wesley	1938
Hall, Charles E.	1938
Hall, Pearlene Mae	1938
Hankins Jr, Paul	1938
Hinton, Bernadine Evelyn	1938
Lane, Inez May	1938
Miller, Mary Elizabeth	1938
Mowery Jr., James S.	1938
Penn, John Roberts	1938
Pontius, Eleanor Frances	1938
Pontius, Frances Marvene	1938
Pontius, Mary Irene	1938
Roll, Dolly	1938
Smith, Harding L.	1938
Stuckey, John Frederick	1938
Warner, J. (Jay) Meinnardt	1938
Wilson, Mary Lou	1938
Betts, Robert E.	1939
Boggs, James S.	1939
Carroll, Ida Almeta	1939
Dreisbach Jr, Orin W.	1939
Dreisbach, Maxine	1939
Dudleson, Fannie Mae	1939
Dunkle, Roy L.	1939
Goodman, Donald LeRoy	1939
Kreisel, Mary Jane	1939
Leist, Doris Evelyn	1939
Newhouse, Marvene L.	1939
Penn, Richard Warren	1939
Ward, Bernice Juanita	1939
Adams, Beatrice	1940
Alkire, Harold Richard	1940
Alkire, Viola Mae	1940
DeLong, Sarah May	1940
Dunkle, Edith Evelyn	1940
Duvall, Betty Louise	1940
Hall, Lois Kathlene	1940
Martin, Kathryn Louise	1940
May, Roger Hitler	1940
McGinnis, Patricia Ann	1940
Ponitus, Helen Lucile	1940
Rhoades Jr, Howard P.	1940
Strawser, Harold Austin	1940
Wilson, George Hugh	1940
Woolever, Allan E.	1940
Adams, Mildred Marie	1941
Anderson, John C.	1941
Dreisbach, Roselyn	1941
French Jr, Charles	1941
Hinton, Herschel V.	1941
Immelt, Ruth Elizabeth	1941
Leist, Neil	1941
Pierce, Abbie Evelyn	1941
Smith, Sara Geraldine	1941
Ward, Mildred Eileen	1941
Wilson, Alice Leona	1941
Brundige, Wayne	1942
Dodd, Evon	1942
Hall, Irene	1942
Hall, Russell Eugene	1942
Hildenbrand, Richard	1942
Hinton, Dorothy	1942
Immelt, Fred	1942
Kerns, Bertha J.	1942
Minor, Mildred	1942
Rhoads, Beatrice	1942
Sparks, George	1942
Strawser, Evelyn	1942
Stuckey Jr., Wenrich	1942
Wilson, Helen	1942
Wilson, Polly	1942
Zwayer, Alice	1942
Adams, Evelyn	1943
Bower, Marjorie Ann	1943
Hildenbrand, Rosemary	1943
Miller, John Ward	1943
Nungester, Dorothy Mae	1943
Penn, Norma Jean	1943
Porter, Robert Dean	1943
Rapp, Jessie Edith	1943
Timmons, Kenneth Arthur	1943
Timmons, Marguerite Wionna	1943
Wolford, Kenneth Eugene	1943
Dean, Mary Ruth	1944
Drake, Mary Ann	1944
Dunkle, Helen Ruth	1944
Dunkle, John Leslie	1944
Fouch, Doyle Burton	1944
Green, Rosemary	1944
Holbrook, Mabel K.	1944
Holbrook, William G.	1944
McGinnis, Paul Ford	1944
Poling, Maxine E.	1944
Rhoads, Robert	1944
Warner, Maynard Eugene	1944
Browder, Robert H.	1945
Dreisbach, Marjorie	1945
Fouch, Carl Edwin	1945
Jenkins, Roy L.	1945
McAfee, Darl E.	1945
Minor, Lucy L.	1945
Mowery, Joan	1945
Sams, Annabelle	1945
Shepherd, Mary Winnifred	1945
Timmons, Phoebe	1945
Bower, Wayne L.	1946
Dearth, Carolyn F.	1946
Hall, Catherine M.	1946
Hildenbrand, June	1946
Miller, Betty J.	1946
Penn, Mary	1946
Rhoads, Rita M.	1946
Sharrett, M. Jean	1946
Wolfe, Patricia A.	1946
Cook, D. James	1947
Evans, L. David	1947
Holbrook, Lorna L.	1947
Riffel, Helen L.	1947
Ritchie, Irlan J.	1947
Sharrett, Martin R.	1947
Wilson, Robert E.	1947
Wolfe, Roy Mac	1947
Wright, Carolyn M.	1947
Carroll, Marvene E.	1948
Coey, Forrest E.	1948
Cook, Betty J.	1948
Dearth, Bonnie L.	1948
Dumm, Edward N.	1948
Dyer, Jane M.	1948
Greenlee, C. Ruth	1948
Huffer, T. Pauline	1948
McKenzie, Dolores A.	1948
Ogan, Russell L.	1948
Porter, Marilyn R.	1948
Scott Jr., Curtis	1948
Sharrett, Martha A.	1948
Sowers, Jimmie O.	1948
Stevens, Paul E.	1948
Watson, Laura Jane	1948
Young, JoAnn O.	1948
Adams, Irene	1949
Boldoser, Betty	1949
Hall, Esther M.	1949
Harmount, Hewitt	1949
Harrington, Richard	1949
Morris, Kathryn	1949
Riffle, Harriet L.	1949
Timmons, Mary Lou	1949
Van Fossen, Dorothy	1949
Wolfe, Ned	1949
Wolfe, Ted	1949
Adams, Russell E.	1950
Coey, Etta Mae	1950
Gifford, Dale	1950
Jacobs, Joanne	1950
List, Ronald	1950
Morris, Paul	1950
Porter, Richard E.	1950
Pritchard, Helen M.	1950
Rhoads, Neil E.	1950
Rittinger, Robert E.	1950
Sharrett, Ronald M.	1950
Strawser, John	1950
Wright, Eugene	1950

Arledge, Joanne	1951
Boldoser, Joyce Ann	1951
Dumm, David	1951
Jacobs, Gloria L.	1951
Nungester, Juanita	1951
Patrick, Ira Eugene	1951
Rhoads, Franklin	1951
Riffle, Ellen	1951
Stevens, Beverly A.	1951
Strawser, Ray	1951
Arledge, Robert	1952
Brumfield, Herschel	1952
Duvall, Patty	1952
Jones, Victor	1952
McAfee, Dale	1952
Nungester, Rosemary	1952
Poling, Donald	1952
Robinson, Betty	1952
Anderson, John	1953
Boldoser, Ned Russell	1953
Eakin, Bertha	1953
England, Barbara Ann	1953
Evans, William	1953
Gifford, Orville	1953
Hall, Patricia V.	1953
Jacobs, Jane	1953
List, David	1953
Minshall, George	1953
Pennington, Robert	1953
Pontius, W. Victor	1953
Pritchard, Betty	1953
Pritchard, Don	1953
Stevens, Robert D.	1953
Valentine, Eloise F.	1953
Adams, Larry E.	1954
Arledge, Willard L.	1954
Boldoser, Mary C.	1954
Coey, Gladys Louise	1954
Dumm, Robert L.	1954
Enoch, Ernest (Bud)	1954
Gifford, Mary L.	1954
Greenlee, Betty Dale	1954
Hildenbrand, Earl	1954
Holdren, Roger	1954
Huffer, Bennie	1954
McKenzie, Barbara A.	1954
Rhoads, David L.	1954
Smith, Carole Lavada	1954
Stevens, Nelson	1954
Turner, Beverly A.	1954
Young, Jack L.	1954
Adams, Roy	1955
Carroll, Donald E.	1955
Goeller, Judith Ann	1955
Huffer, Paul E.	1955
Lee, Martha Jane	1955
List, Dorothy Joanne	1955
Martin, Dolores Ann	1955
Parsons, Mary Lou	1955
Rhoads, Martha Jane	1955
Sharrett, W. Thomas	1955
Adams, Shirley	1956
Brumfield, Robert	1956
Enoch, Janet	1956
Evans, Peggy	1956
Hayslip, Carolyn	1956
Holdren, David	1956
Kerns, Ralph E.	1956
Miller, Herbert	1956
Riffle, Irene	1956
Wolfe, Nancy	1956
Baird, Gary	1957
Boggs, Betsy	1957
Boldoser, Charles	1957
Bower, Dale	1957
Burris, Rena	1957
Byrd, Janet	1957
Eakin, David	1957
Echard, Neil	1957
England, Carol	1957
Evans, Deanna	1957
Graves, Sidney	1957
Hicks, Joyce	1957
Hildenbrand, Rose	1957
Huffer, Lloyd	1957
Hunt, Betty	1957
Leeth, Kay	1957
McCain, Robert	1957
McKenzie, Joyce	1957
Musselman, Connie	1957
Patrick, Wayne	1957
Pyle, Porter	1957
Routt, Janice	1957
Search, Patty	1957
Sharrett, Jon	1957
Smith, David	1957
Wilson, Linda	1957
Wolfe, Dennis	1957
Adams, Carl	1958
Adams, Kathryn	1958
Anderson, Peggy	1958
Azbell, Paul	1958
Evans, Edward	1958
Ginther, Barbara	1958
Goeller, Mary Ellen	1958
Hayslip, Joyce	1958
Jacobs, Marilyn	1958
List, Mark	1958
Miller, Linda	1958
Morris, Ned	1958
Riffle, Edward	1958
Riffle, Robert	1958
Sheets, Keith	1958
Smith, Frank	1958
Smith, Peter	1958
Adkins, Charles	1959
Agin, Toni	1959
Anderson, Jerry	1959
Azbell, Doris	1959
Bower, Beverly	1959
Dudleson, Bonnie	1959
Grissom, Janet	1959
Hinton, Juanita	1959
Hockman, Patty	1959
Huffer, Dorothy	1959
Johnson, Evelyn	1959
Kerns, Charles	1959
Lee, Harry	1959
Lowery, Rosemary	1959
Marion, Gary	1959
McKenzie, Beverly	1959
Moats, Patty	1959
Newhouse, Dwight	1959
Petty, David	1959
Riffle, Joanne	1959
Rittinger, Gary	1959
Search, Janet	1959
Smith, Patsy	1959
Weaver, Janet	1959
Weaver, Wilma	1959
Wilson, Nancy	1959
Wilson, Nathan	1959
Wolfe Jr., Gail	1959
Wood, Mary Kay	1959
Arledge, Ronald	1960
Arnold, William	1960
Bayes, Jane	1960
Frazier, Donna	1960
Ginther, Joan	1960
Glenn, Russell	1960
Harral, William M.	1960
Huffer, Nancy	1960
Hunt, Nancy	1960
Lauerman, Geneva	1960
McFarland, Barbara	1960
Miller, Joyce	1960
Noe, Gail	1960
Patrick, Jerry	1960
Spiller, Donna	1960
Streber, Mary	1960
Umsted, Janice	1960
Watson, Patricia	1960
Webb, Tommy	1960
Wilson, Bruce C.	1960

The Final Chapter

The end for the majestic Pickaway Township school began on September 26, 2023 and finished on October 3, 2023 with the demolition of both the high school and elementary buildings. Thus ended the 110 year history of the school that once stood along Kingston Pike. The company in charge of the demotion was the Watson General Contracting firm out of Newark, Ohio. The company did very professional work on this project.

Many fond memories still linger even though the school is no longer there. The first building to go was the high school building. David Beavers, along with a few others, provided photos of the demolition on each day of the process. The drone photos were taken by Tim Ward. The following pages show each day of the demolition.

The high school building and connector building was the first to go.

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Tribute to Miss Louise Stuckey

The following pages are taken from the scrapbook of Miss Louise Stuckey who not only attended Pickaway as a student but also taught at the school as a third grade teachers for several years. Her scrapbook contained photos of many of her students as well as the speech she gave on the video celebrating the 75th anniversary of the school. Her history of the Pickaway Township School appears earlier in this book.

Also included in her scrapbook were several graduation bulletins from the 1940s to the early 1960s. These bulletins give additional information about student life at the school.

On the top left is a Pickaway Township School 1935 graduation photo of Miss Stukey while the photo on the top right shows her early in her career as a third grade teacher.

The photo on the right shows her third grade students dancing around a maypole on the first of May in 1954. This is one custom that has disappeared in today's society and schools.

75th Anniversary Speech

I am Louise Stuckey. I was a pupil at Pickaway School beginning in the first grade in September 1923. My first grade teacher was Pearl Ringwald who rode the Scioto Valley Traction from Chillicothe to a little station (Hoover) across the field from Pickaway School. She walked from there to the school. I continued my elementary and high school education, graduating in May 1935.

The faculty during those years was superintendent Benjamin L. Hanselman, A. F. Cameron, Lester Seitz and M. C. Warren. Teachers: Misses Ringwald, McKenzie, Pierce, Reichelderfer, Wood, Shaner, McNeal, Johnson, Wertman, Patterson, Radcliff, Brand, and Mrs. Althaus, Seitz, Warren, Carpenter, Myers, and Fries.

I rode a bus to school. They were quite different than those of today. They were trucks not equipped with heaters for cold weather. We had to dress warmly. In 1930 a new modern fleet of buses were purchased.

I don't recall the length of the school day, supposedly it was 6 – 6 ½ hours. The school year began in September after Labor Day and ended the latter part of May.

We sat in stationary seats arranged in rows. We needed permission to leave the room or to speak in class. Our day began with the pledge to the flag, sometimes a short Bible reading, and a prayer. When dismissed, the class went in double lines. Sometimes when going to the bus in the afternoon we marched to music.

Respect, citizenship, and sportsmanship were taught. At all times we were to show respect to teachers, classmates, and school property. Our hallways were quiet. Each classroom teacher handled problems. The superintendent was available if needed.

Subjects taught in grades one through eight were reading, arithmetic, English, history, geography, handwriting, spelling, health, music, and art.

In high school we chose our own course of study. I had English, history, algebra, general science, biology, Latin, French, bookkeeping, typing, shorthand, physical education and music. In our typing classes we were assigned a teacher to do her typing when needed. Also, I helped with the school paper. Mr. Althaus had a print shop.

Our textbooks and a few workbooks were supplied by the Board of Education as well as writing paper and a new pencil beginning each six weeks. We had a library supplied by a gift from the will of Nelson Hitler, a former resident.

Games:

Our recess activities consisted of various games, tag, Red Rover, jumping rope, trapeze, swings, teeter boards, baseball, and basketball.

The high school had a physical education program consisting of games, baseball, basketball, volleyball, track, etc.

Lunch:

In my early grade school years, I brought my lunch from home in a lunch pail. A small cafeteria was begun a year or so before 1927. An addition to the building was completed then and was equipped with a bigger cafeteria. Some continued bringing lunches from home to eat in the classroom. It was quiet and we had time to eat.

Clothes:

Our clothes were mainly of the period, girls wore dresses, skirts, sweaters, socks or hose, and oxfords. Boys in grade school wore knee pants and shirts, sweaters, shoes and socks. High school boys wore trousers, shirts, sweaters, socks and shoes.

Special Activities:

In elementary school we had a Better Citizens' Club, and art and music activities. In high school there were local and county oratorical contests.

In the music department three music professors came from Capital University to give instrumental lessons once a week which led to the beginning of an orchestra.

Boys participated in FFA. There were 4-H clubs for both boys and girls, also sports, basketball, baseball, volleyball, and track. Since we lived in a mostly agricultural community, we had to help on the farm before and after school hours. All the activities were at school and church. We had no extra-curricular activities after school other than basketball practice and senior play practice.

Special projects included operettas at Christmas for the elementary an alternating operetta or spring concert in high school. Lee Smith, one of the graduates, was quite an artist who painted the scenery for all the operettas. There was also a County Music Festival.

Lee Smith

In my junior year I was one of seven others selected to sing in the All-State Rural High School Chorus in Columbus which was composed of 650 voices from 1,000 applicants. 154 schools from 55 counties participated. We sang for the program of the Ohio Education Association meeting and also made a radio broadcast. This was a great experience. We had senior class plays in the spring.

Classes did not take field trips. Senior classes each fall went to Baker Art Gallery in Columbus to have their pictures taken. The remainder of the day was spent visiting places of interest, such as the Statehouse, the Blind School, the Mental Institutions, the Dispatch Building, the AIU Tower (now the Lincoln-Leveque), and the Historical Museum, accompanied by their history teacher, Mildred Wertman.

There was a period of five years after my high school graduation before I came as a teacher to Pickaway and began teaching third grade. That was in September of 1940. I remained in that classroom for 35 years before I retired in 1975. It was an enjoyable and rewarding challenge, also a pleasant place to be.

The only requirements asked of me as a new teacher were to live up to good moral conduct, try to attend all or most of the school functions, and be regular in attendance.

I taught only grade 3. My average enrollment was 33 pupils. A few years I had 44 to 49 pupils. My beginning few years there were only 15 to 22 pupils. Throughout the 35 years, I taught over 1,100 pupils.

Our school day was 5 ½ to 6 hours. After the high school moved in 1960 to Logan Elm, the new centralized building, the elementary day was shortened because the bus schedules changed.

Rules:

Good citizenship, respect for teachers, elders, classmates, and school property were taught. Be kind and helpful to one another, and be a good sport. It was one of my pet peeves that we didn't leave our classroom in the afternoon littered or disarranged. We were in line to come from the playground or to dismiss from the classroom to the bus. Leaving the room was by permission. We had a small classroom library which the pupils were free to use.

Subjects Taught:

I taught reading, English, arithmetic, spelling, handwriting, science, social studies, and art until we had an art instructor in the district.

Materials:

The board of education provided us with basic texts, workbooks, library books, filmstrips, tape recorders, and art supplies. I also added books to the room library. The county bookmobile also came with additional library books.

Discipline:

There were problems occasionally that I took care of, but the superintendent or principal was available when needed. Talking and reasoning with the child helped in most cases. Sometimes a task to perform (cleaning the room, hall or schoolyard) would work. Missing playtime or being given an extra assignment was often used. In a few cases the paddle was used.

Games:

There were items on the playground such as the slide, swings, merry-go-round, teeter-totter, parallel bars, baseball, basketball, football, soccer, jumping ropes, and various games as tag, red-rover, fox and geese, etc.

Lunch:

When I first began teaching, only those who bought lunches went to the cafeteria. Those with lunches from home ate in the classroom. After the high school and 7th and 8th grades moved, we all went to the cafeteria. Our time was shortened and we had to eat fast.

Clothes:

Girls wore dresses, sweaters, slacks, ankle socks, oxfords or slippers. Boys wore shirts (striped or plaids), sweaters, trousers, or jeans. Some wore bib overalls, shoes, or tennis shoes.

Term:

Before the 7th, 8th, and high school moved, school began after Labor Day and ended the last of May. After that move, school began the last part of August and ended the first week of June.

Special activities:

Assembly programs—each grade was responsible for a program. One memorable one was a circus by grades 1, 2, 3. Operettas were sometimes at Christmas or in the spring. We had Arbor Day programs. We had a couple of May Day Programs. Some special days Room Mothers had parties. There was a special trip to Columbus Zoo for those who had perfect attendance for the year. We went to the high school to see the Art Show or plays done by the high school students.

Each spring we had a science project planting either flower or tomato seeds so that each child had a plant for their mother for Mother's Day. We had some Arbor Day Programs for parents and planted some trees.

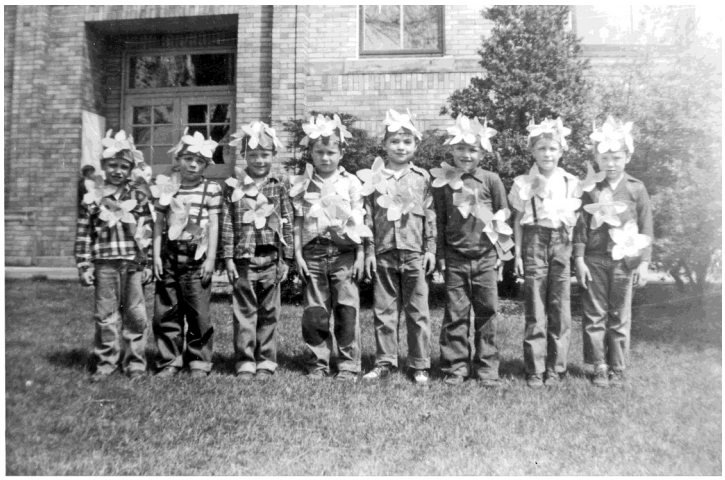
We wrote and produced an environmental play along with an art project.

One highlight of my teaching was my team-teaching project. I had a beginning teacher to work with me for four years. Enrollment was large, and no extra room was available to divide the class; thus, I proposed this idea to have help. We used three panels to roll between two rows of desks to divide the room. We had some problems, but for the most part it was a worthwhile and pleasant experience.

Teaching was interesting, challenging, and rewarding. I know that many of my pupils have extended their education beyond high school. Some have become teachers, principals, college professors, engineers, nurses, dentists, doctors, secretaries, and beauticians. Fifteen are at the present time teaching in the Logan Elm School District. Two of those are father and son. Through the span of 35 years I have worked with many teachers under the leadership of Carl Burger, John Hardin, Robert Seward, Alfred Gabriel, and John Henn.

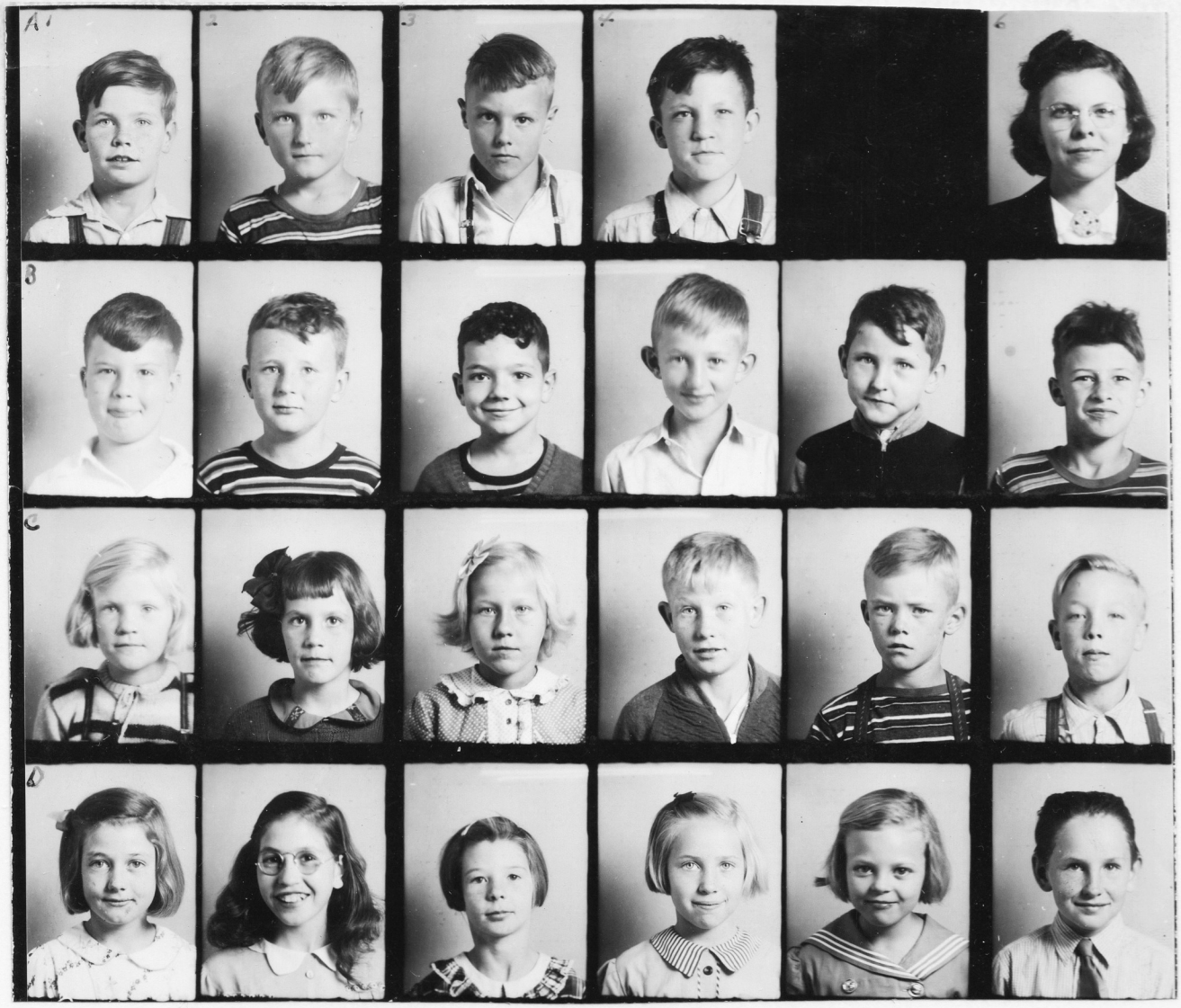
In my 47 years as a pupil and a teacher at Pickaway School, many changes have been made. I have seen an agricultural area being taken over by industry and housing developments making for larger enrollments and thus consolidating with other schools to become the Logan Elm School District.

Had I taught three more years I would have spent 50 years at Pickaway. That shows you Pickaway School is a good place to be.



Arnold Gabriel, David Morris, Jimmy Hicks, Bobby Strawser, Tommy Smith, Denny Ramsey, George Eakin, Larry Grissom
First Grade Boys as Forget Me Nots

First Grade Girl L to R: Carol Huffer, Joanne Huffman, Miriam Roll, Lois Wilson, Barbara Dudleson
Grade Two Boys L to R: Larry Baird, Charles McKenzie, Lester Hayslip, Donald Graves (grade 3), Robert Parker



THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1940-1941

Row A 1.to r.	Row B	Row C
Joe Moore	Ronald List	Joan Cain
John Strawser	Paul Morris	Etta Mae Coey
Marvin Thompson	Richard Porter	Eleanor Hixson
Russell Rapp	Gene Wright	Paul Nungester
Louise Stuckey-Tch.	Jerald Easter	Donald Lockard
	Billy Adams	Claude Wolfe

Row D
Mildred Bircher
Evelyn Mettler
Erma Ward
Betty Wilson
Marilyn Valentine
Rolland Dearth

THIRD GRADE

CLASSMATES

MY TEACHER

Louise Stuckey
1941 – 1942

Names

Lee Smith, Jr.
Patsy Conley
Donald Adams
Janice Schooley
Marilyn Miller

Kathryn Mosley
Billy Harrington
Caroline Sherrick
Beverly Stevens
Marilyn Sowers

Juanita Nungester
Franklin Rhoads
David Dumm
Joyce Boldoser
Dale McAfee

Marvin Thompson
Robert Arledge
Lester Nungester
Victor Jones
Geoge Zwayer

George Lee
Mayo Miller
Robert Bush

Frederick Dereason

CLASS
OF
1942-1943

l. to r.
Ruth Bradley
Evon Minor
Virginia Seymour
Marilyn Sowers
Louise Stuckey-Tch.
R. 2
Rosemary Nungester
Ruth Mosley
Rosemary Lee

R. 3
Christine Horne
Wanda Horne
Frederick Derexson
R. 4
Jimmy Linton
John Moore
Donald Eugene Adams
Herbert Fyffe
David Green

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1943-1944

Top Row l. to r.
Clarkie Derexson
David List
Ned Riffle
Eugene Brown
Ned Boldoser
Junior Peters
Jackie Penn
Robert Stevens

Middle Row
James Blankenship
Victor Pontius
Billy Evans
Ralph Tremble
Harold Davis
Jackie Young

Front Row
Helen Seymour
Marlene Rhoads
Fanny Adams
Jane Jacobs
Barbara England
Anne Beale

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1944-1945

Top Row l.to r.	Middle Row	Front Row
Larry Adams	Richard Crabtree	Patty Sue Harrington
Bennie Huffer	Jackie Young	Louise Horne
Ramon Maxson	David Rhoads	Mary Adams
Amos Hettinger	Fanny Adams	Mary Boldoser
Tommy Sharrett	Marlene Rhoads	Beverly Turner
Roger Holdren	Florence Parker	Barbara McKenzie
Earl Hildenbrand	Shirley Herman	Louise Coey
		Donna Sark

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1945-1946

Front Row l. to r.
Marjorie Van Fossen
Mary Allen
Ruth Nungester
Martha Lee
Ruth Ann Martin
Phyllis Adams

Row 2
Martha J. Rhoads
Marilyn Evans
Dotty Jo List
Opal Chaffin
Delores Martin
Joan Sowers

Row 3
George Wamack
Eddie Ford
Tommy Sharrett
James Fausnaugh
Mervil Keeton
Clinton Ritchie
Paul Huffer

Top Row 4
David Mosley
James Duvall
Eugene Eldridge
Roy Adams
Harry Voelker

Additional Pictures of those not present in the first group.

Carol Ann VanDervort
Wanda Phifer
Jerry Cassill

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1946-1947

Front Row 1 l. to r.	Row 2	Top Row 3
Sharon Bond	Betty Lutz	David Holdren
Mary Horne	Peggy Evans	David Eakin
Shirley Adams	Doris Gaines	George Womack
Nancy Wolfe	John Martin	Beacher Perdue
Shelby Skaggs	Herbert Miller	
Margie Gaines	Donald Morris	
Irene Riffle	George Phifer	
Rita Flannery		
Mary Blaine		

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1947-1948

Top Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Miss Stuckey			
Kenneth Hardesty	Beacher Perdue	Kay Leeth	Reid
Carol England	Marlene Miller	Lloyd Huffer	Jon Sharrett
Porter Pyle	Connie Musselman	Rose Hildenbrand	Betty Lutz
June Gaines	Wayne Patrick	Lanny Rolfe	Dale Bower
Ned Morris		Lillian Parsons	Linda Wilson
Betty Adams		Charles Boldoser	
		Sidney Graves	

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1948-1949

Front Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4 (Top)
Jane Seymour	Mark List	Peter Smith	Keith Sheets
Imogene Moore	Ellen Martin	Robert Riffle	Kenneth Pritchard
Virginia Seymour	Marilyn Jacobs	Carl Adams	Dennie Adams
Carol Metzger	Margaret Moore	Carl Schwabaugh	Alva Keeton
Barbara Ginther	Carolyn Duvall	Jimmy Davis	Bobby McKenzie
Linda Miller	Kathryn Adams	Richard Martin	Dennie Evans
Velma Horne			Eddie Riffle

Grade 3 Class of 1949-1950

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1949-1950

Front Row 1 l.to r.	Row 2	Row 3
Doris Azbell	Luda Jane Evans	Clayton Holbrook
Bonnie Dudleson	Carolyn Hardesty	Clark Miller
Patty Thompson	Kathryn Short	Dee Rolfe
Marlene Dunkle	Beverly McKenzie	Harry Lee
Marlene Parsons	Janice Reeser	Kenneth Knece
Janet Search	Joan Riffle	Charles Kerns
Nancy Wilson	Levona Keeton	Ronald Duvall
Janet Grissom	Beverly Bower	
Florence Robinson		
Patsy Smith		

Row 4	
Larry Pontious	Nathan Wilson
Junior Adams	Dwight Newhouse
Danny Williamson	Bobby Voelker
Gary Marion	Gary Rittinger

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF1950-1951

Front Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Joyce Miller	Joan Ginther	Eddie Riffle	Ronnie Duvall
Patsy Lauderman	Carol Robinson	Tommy Webb	Junior Adams
Janet Garrett	Jane Bayes	Billy Harral	Jerry Herron
Janice Umsted	Mary Lou Pitt	Bruce Wilson	Lawrence Blankenship
Patty Watson	Emma Blankenship	Jerry Patrick	Donald Sparks
Mary Lou Brown			
Evelyn Adams			

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1951-1952

Front Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Betty Detillian	Mrs. Helen Smith (4th gr)	Melvin Huffman	Ralph England
Peggy Gifford	Charles Martin	Bobby Spicer	Robert Gose
Judy Butterbaugh	Ned Musselman	Joe Goeller	Norman Wilson
Beverly Woolever	Ronnie Jacobs	Donald Miller	Donald Hix
? Speakman not in my class	Edward Pitt	Ronnie Riffle	Abie Gene DeNight
Anne Smith	Larry McKenzie	Billy Parker	Bobbie Bower
Sharon Sharrett	John Pontious		

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1952-1953

Front Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Nancy DeNight	Janet Bower	Donald Graves	Christopher Evans
June Adams	Nancy SParks	Ronald Huffer	Darrell Showalter
Peggy Marion	Lulu Belle Peck	Denny Blankenship	Danny Hicks
Kathy Schmidt	Mary Ann Morris	Michael Dunkle	Emmer Baldwin
Judy Huffman	Rose Burris	Dean Wolfe	Curtis Adams
Sandra Grissom		George Miller	Robert Bower
Connie Riffle		Jimmy Anderson	James Keeton

1953-54

1953-54

Third Grade Class of 1953-1954 Bottom Picture

Row 1
Jimmy Parker (visitor)
Francis Dean
Lester Hayslip
Larry Baird
Ronald Arledge
Eugene Bitzer
Brad Dunkle

Row 2
Jim Harral
Bob Schmidt
Bob Parker
David Pritchard
Milton Parsons
Tommy Robinson
Charles McKenzie

Row 3
Carol Ginther
Carolyn Webb
Judith King
Patty Speakman
Ruth Johnson
Sandra Huffman
Alice Adams

Row 4
Creola Gose
Cassino McGraw
Patricia Detillion
Patricia Martin
Judith Search
Teresa Rhoads
Judith Duvall

Others in the classs not pictured
Marcia Casto Inez Rast Urban Adams Arnold Cottrill
George Hamilton Michael Stephenson

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1954-1955

FRONT ROW 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Barbara Dudleson	Lois Wilson	Terry Pennington	Paul Evans
Judy Rockwell	Donna Whaley	Arnold Gabriel	Dennie Ramsey
Bonnie Riffle	Beverly Coey	Jimmy Hicks	David Pritchard
Lois Anderson	Janice Riffel	Ernest Blankenship	Ernest Butterbaugh
Linda Pritchard	Joann Huffman	Roger Lauderman	Jerry Pennington
Connie Dunkle	Carol Huffer	Dennie Arthurs	George Eakin
Mirian Roll			Larry Grissom
Carol McGraw			
Connie Peters			

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1955-1956

FRONT ROW 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Joan Enoch	Betty Davis	Bobby Stant	Robert Anderson
Brenda List	Janice Justice	Tommy Spiller	David Morris
Cheryl Riffle	Sandra Elick	Billy Hardy	Neal Wolfe
Sandra Spiller	Janet Steele	Ronnie Layton	Danny Ellis
Vicki Holdren	Pam Miller	Dale Lanman	Eddie Umsted
Anita Moats	Bonnie Marion	Stephen Howard	Jessie Barnhart
Sharon Graves	Helena Osborn		Frank Wisniewski
Thelma McFarland			

Third Grade Class of 1956-1957

Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Nancy Holdren	John Young	James Combs	Gary Courtright
Judy M. Young	John Martin	Larry Whaley	Pearl Speakman
Dianna Brooks	Ellen Whaley	Greg Dunkle	Ellsworth Johnson
Sharon McElwain	Sharon Knece	Benny Azbell	David Morris
Mary Belle Kreisel	Birnadine Gose	David Montgomery	Terry Moss
Rebecca Alkire	Judy K. Young	Larry Dumm	James Nungester
Rebecca Search	Karen McFarland	Douglas Huffines	Donald Schaal
Linda Pontius	Katie Wilson	Richard Woodward	Terrence Ferrell
Linda Strawser	Cynthia Hildenbrand		Mike Rifle

Third Grade Class of 1957-1958

Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Malinda Anderson	Bruce Wolford	Stephen Fouch	Larry Keaton
Aleta Hiles	Jackie Ellis	Donald Knece	Terry McKnight
Valerie May	Jerry Steele	Greg Dunkle	Charles Jones
Patty Pine	Mary Strawser	Bobby King	Ronald Leist
Saundra Lauerman	Barbara Martin	Scott Wilson	Thomas Smith
Karalee Carroll	Imogene Johnson	Stephen Knece	Jimmy Evans
Sandra Gifford		Alan Gabriel	Larry Salvage
Diana Schaal			
Janet Marion			

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF1958-1959

Front Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Mary Clark	Barbara Spicer	Jimmy Parker	Vernon Pierce
Linda Davis	Jane Wright	Eddie Gifford	StephenMontgomery
Nancy Eakin	Patricia Pontius	Robert Riffle	Homer Grandstaff
Donna Stephens	Virginia King	Allen Bitzer	Eddie Kreisel
Nancy May	Cynthia Valentine	Dennis Hulse	Buddy McAfee
Linda Huffman	Holly Davis	Larry Stant	Curtis Moss
Nancy Wolford			
Judy Ankrom			
Linda Spiller			

1960-61

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1960-1961

Front Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Wanda Dunkle	Deborah Whaley	Donald J. Humphrey	Billy Mosley
Connie Adams	Teresa Pierce	Billy Rice	Danny Darst
Peggy Wilson	Joyce Valentine	Steven Smith	Roger Evans
Wanda Williams	Linda Ogan	Gary Ferrell	Stephen Bower
Conda Phillips	Twana Moats	Joe Parker	Bobby Triplehorn
Peggy King		Larry Boysel	Bobby McAfee
Clifta Lee		Greg Fouch	

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PICKAWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

GRADE 3

1961 - 1962

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1961-1962

Front Row 1

Connie Shaffer
Danny VanGundy
Nancy Holbrook
Gary Temple
Wilma Lee Stevens
Grover Dresbach
Cathy Mayberry
Theodore Holdren
(Teddy)

Row 2

Jacqueline Crosby
Brent Hildenbrand
Cathy Moss
Janice Kerns
Floyd Vanhoose
Regena Williams

Row 3

Rickie Stevens
Mazie Blankenship
Billy Rice
Lloyd Vanhoose
Vickie Anderson
Johnny Stant

Row 4

Beth Rooker
Eddie Anderson
Roxanne Swank
Larry Moss
Janet Burger
Larry Smith
Deborah Bitzer
George Sparks
Suzzan Hildenbrand

Row 5

Susan List
Brant Moss
Beverly Branham
Teresa Wright

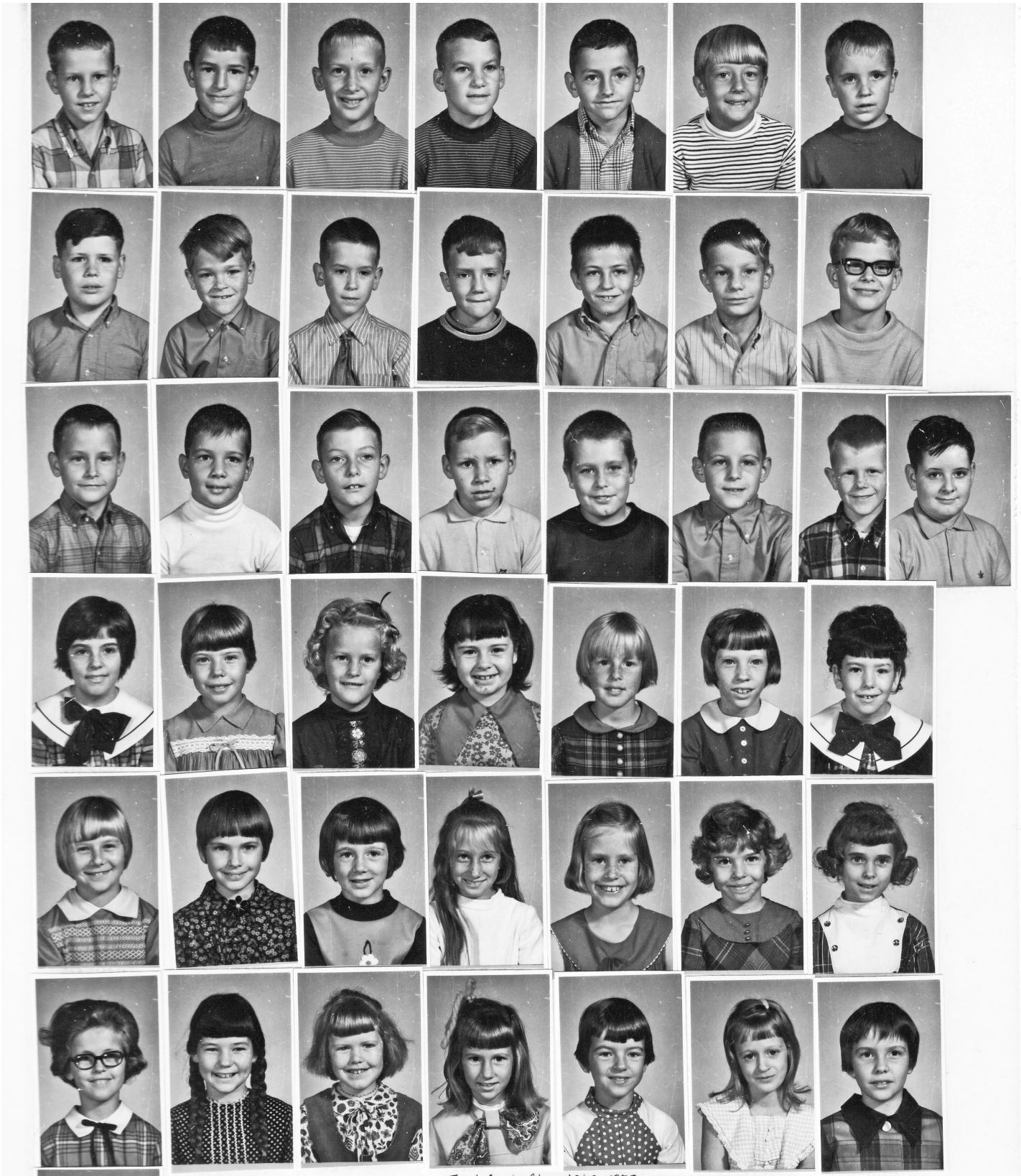
1962-1963

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1962-1963

Front Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Linda Mayberry	Mary Adams	Bobby Smith	Theresa Kerns
Dana Sparks	Terry Anderson	Shelly May	Debra Mosley
Carol Sparks	Sherry McAfee	Brenda Chaffin	Danny Phillips
Colleen Pritchard	Dale Cleaveland	Rex Blankenship	Helen Albright
	Dennis Schaal	Raymond Adams	Billy McKnight
	Ricky Petty	Randy Thompson	Joyce Massie
	Rebecca Darst	Ruby Glenn	Brad Barr
	Gregory Strawser	Harold Grady	Mark Smith
	Jean Pollock		

THIRD GRADE CLASS OF 1963-1964

Front Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4
Paul Bailey	Michael Hildenbrand	Carol King	Danny Patrick
Rebecca Crosby	Linda Fosnaugh	Kenneth Kurtz	Yvonne McCain
Roger Konkle	Sue Montgomery	Vanessa Mills	Linda Knece
Carla Hobble	Carl Dean	Jeffrey Lee	Timmy Search
Dennis Knece		Martha Stevens	Debra Maxson
Brenda Johnson		Darwin Smith	Leah Hildenbrand
		Debra Melvin	



Third Grade Class 1969-1970
Reading from Top to Bottom

Row 1
Randy Manson
Terry Wright
Brian Hannigan
Buuce Hannigan
John Betts
Ray Moats
Mark Shaffer

Row 2
Stephen Diltz
R. Tyler Callihan
Lane Beougher
Jeffrey Davis
Teddy Rutter
Steven Gifford
Timmy Tripp

Row 3
Derek Hall
Brent Gifford
Charles Stevens
Charles Webb
Ricky Duvall
Jeffrey Chamberlain
Timothy Manson
Terry Wadlington

Row 4
Sherral Burgraph
Kimberly Hart
Diana Weaver
Sonya Daniels
Cynthia Nichols
Linda Converse
Carolyn Conrad

Row 5
Carol Hixson
Marsha Greenwalt
Dianna Redman
Kimberly Williams
Brenda Conkle
Janet Krahn
Sheryl Leist

Row 6
Terry Withers
Mona Pritchard
Inez Wilhelm
Gale Hensley
Renee Cavender
Cora Ann Tackett
Kimberly Hdysljp

Third Grade Class of 1971-1972
Reading from Top to Bottom

Row 1
Timothy Collins
Casey Hildebrand
James Dietrich
Fred Redmam III
Mark Short
William Thompson
Trent Strawser

Row 2
Marty Minor
Martin Feldman
Mark Davis
Rhonda Connell
Juliana Goode
Kimberly Harris
Marsha Lutz

Row 3
Cathy Speakman
Robin Evans
Carol Speakman
Lori Daniels
Sue Ann McKenzie
Diane Ockerman

Class Roll

Wayne Bower

Rita Rhoads

Betty Miller

Catherine Hall

Jean Sharrett

Patty Wolfe

Carolyn Dearth

Faculty

Science Phys Ed. John Hardin

Science Math. J. O. Eagleson

Sen. Mildred Wertman

Jr. Commercial Phys Ed Louise Patterson

8th Home Ec. — E. R. Bingham (Eddie)

Music — Jane Dell

Florence Hunt

Hillis Hall

1st Vera Zaenglein
2nd Faye Karshner
3rd Louise Stuckey
4th Wilma George
5th Hazle Chilcote
6th Mildred Shaner
7th Florence Hunt

Class Motto: "Climb though the path be rugged"
Class Flower: Red rose.
Class Colors: Maroon and ivory.

31st

ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

PICKAWAY TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

School Auditorium

1946

Baccalaureate

May 19, 1946 —— 8:00 P. M.

Processional "The Celebrated Largo".....G. F. Handel
Kathryn Morris

Invocation

Solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple".....Mrs. J. F. Knapp
Bob Wilson

Scripture

"Oh Lord Most Holy".....Cesar Franck
Girls' Ensemble

Baccalaureate Sermon.....Rev. Carl Kennedy

"The Home Port" (Finlandia).....J. Sibelius
Mixed Ensemble

Benediction

Commencement

May 22, 1946 —— 8:30 P. M.

"Alpine Horn" ..... Herman
Martha Sharrett

Processional: Graduation March.....M. L. Lake
Orchestra

Invocation

"Song of the Open Road".....Ira B. Wilson
Mac Wolfe — Bob Wilson

Class Address.....Dr. Theodore Schlanski
Dean of Men, Capital University

"The White Queen".....O. Metra
Orchestra

Solo "Prelude".....Landon Ronald
Rita Rhoads. Valedictorian

Presentation of Diplomas.....Mr. Raymond Welch
President of Board of Education

"Land of Hope and Glory".....Elgar Fogge
Mixed Ensemble

Benediction

Class Roll

Marvene Carroll
Forest E. Coey
Betty J. Cook
Bonnie L. Dearth
Edward N. Dumm
Jane M. Dyer
Ruth C. Greenlee
Pauline Huffer
Dolores A. McKenzie
Russell L. Ogan
Marilyn Porter
Curtis Scott
Martha Sharrett
Jimmie O. Sowers
Paul E. Stevens
Laura Jane Watson
Joan O. Young

Class Motto

"One Step at a Time; But Always Forward"

Class Colors

Green and White

Class Flower

American Beauty Rose

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Annual Commencement

Pickaway Township School

School Auditorium

1948

Baccalaureate

May 9, 1948 . . 7:30 P. M.

Processional—"Pomp and Circumstance"..... *Edward Elgar*
Kathryn Morris

Invocation ..... Rev. Leonard Mann

"Bless this House" ..... *Taylor*
Hewitt Harmount

Scripture ..... Rev. Mann

"Thanks Be To God" ..... *Dickson*
Girls Ensemble

Baccalaureate Sermon..... Rev. Mann

Benediction..... Rev. Mann

Recessional..... Kathryn Morris

Commencement

May 20, 1948 . . 8:15 P. M.

Processional..... Kathryn Morris

Invocation ..... Rev. Sam Elsea

"Trees" ..... *Joyce Kilmer*
Girls Trio

Class Address—"Fit For Freedom"..... Dr. Floyd Faust
Broad Street Christian Church
Columbus, Ohio

"After Graduation Day" ..... *Lippman*
Girls Trio

Presentation of Awards ..... Robert Seward

Presentation of Diplomas ..... John Hardin

Benediction..... Rev. Elsea

Class Roll

President ..... Bud Enoch
Vice President ..... Barbara McKenzie
Secretary ..... Bennie Huffer
Treasurer ..... Mary Boldoser

Larry Adams
Willard Arledge
Louise Coey
Bob Dumm
Lorraine Gifford
Betty Greenlee
Earl Hildenbrand
Roger Holdren
David Rhoads
Carole Smith
Nelson Stevens
Beverly Turner
Jack Young

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Class Motto

"Tonight we launch. Where shall we anchor?"

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Class Colors

Blue and White

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Class Flower

White Carnation

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Annual Graduation Ceremonies

Pickaway Township School

1954

Baccalaureate

May 23, 1954 8:00 P. M.

First Methodist Church, Circleville, Ohio

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Processional — "Priest's March" ..... *Mozart*
MRS. ERVIN LEIST

Call to Worship

Invocation

Congregational Hymn — "Holy, Holy, Holy" ..... No. 1

Scripture

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem — "O Sing Unto the Lord" ..... *Mueller*
GIRLS' CHORUS

Baccalaureate Sermon ..... The Rev. Robert Weaver

Anthem — "Alleluia" ..... *From Cologne (1623)*
GIRLS' CHORUS

Congregational Hymn — "Are Ye Able" ..... No. 268

Benediction

Recessional — "Tollite Hostias" ..... *Camille Saint-Saens*
MRS. ERVIN LEIST

Commencement

May 26, 1954 8:00 P. M.

Pickaway School Auditorium

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Processional — "The Graduate" ..... *Lawrence*
SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Invocation ..... The Rev. Fred Ketner

The Bells of St. Mary's ..... *Adams*
GIRLS' CHORUS

Class Address ..... H. R. Cotterman
PROFESSOR OF EDUCATION
CAPITAL UNIVERSITY

Presentation of Awards ..... Robert Seward

Presentation of Diplomas ..... Curtis Bower

Senior Class Song

Benediction ..... The Rev. Fred Ketner

Class Roll

President	Dottie List
Vice President	Don Carroll
Secretary	Martha Rhoads
Treasurer	Judy Goeller
Mary Parsons	Dolores Martin
Martha Lee	Paul Huffer
Tommy Sharrett	Roy Adams

Class Motto

"We Finish To Begin"

Class Colors

Green and Silver

Class Flower

White Carnation

THE CIRCLE PRESS, CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO

.. .. 40th .. ..

Annual Graduation Ceremonies

Pickaway Township School

1955

Baccalaureate

Sunday, May 22, 1955 8:00 P. M.

Pickaway School Auditorium

Processional — "Pontifical March" ..... *Mallard*
SIDNEY GRAVES

Call to Worship

Invocation

Congregational Hymn — "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Scripture

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem — "Show Me Thy Ways" ..... *Mueller*
GIRLS' CHORUS

Baccalaureate Sermon ..... "Victorious Living"
THE REV. IRVIN LANE

Anthem — "Let All Things Now Living" .... *Welsh Melody*
GIRLS' CHORUS

Congregational Hymn — "Fairest Lord Jesus"

Benediction

Recessional —

March from "Lucia di Lammermoor" ..... *Donizetti*
LINDA WILSON

Commencement

Tuesday, May 24, 1955 8:00 P. M.

Pickaway School Auditorium

Processional — "Pomp and Circumstance" ..... *Elgar*
SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Invocation ..... The Rev. Sam C. Elsea

"Stouthearted Men" ..... *Romberg*

"The Builder" ..... *Cadman-Riegger*
MIXED CHORUS

Class Address ..... Lionel G. Crocker
PROFESSOR OF SPEECH
DENISON UNIVERSITY

"I'll See You Again" ..... *Coward*
GIRLS' QUARTETTE

Presentation of Awards ..... Robert Seward

Presentation of Diplomas ..... Curtis Bower

Benediction ..... The Rev. Sam C. Elsea

1956

Class Roll

Shirley Adams
Bob Brumfield
Janet Enoch
Peggy Evans
Carolyn Hayslip
David Holdren
Eugene Kerns
Herbert Miller
Irene Riffle
Nancy Wolfe

The Circle Press
Circleville, O.

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Annual Graduation Ceremonies

Pickaway Township School

Baccalaureate

Sunday, May 20, 1956 8:00 P. M.

Trinity Lutheran Church

Processional ..... Mrs. Karl Herrman

Call to Worship

Invocation

Anthem — "God of Our Fathers" ..... *Daniel Roberts*
Mixed Chorus

Scripture

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem — "Onward Christian Soldiers" ..... *Gould*
Mixed Chorus

Sermon — "Iron Shoes" ..... Rev. Carl Zehner

Anthem — "Grant Us Thy Peace" ..... *Gounod*
Girls' Chorus

Benediction

Recessional ..... Mrs. Karl Herrman

Commencement

Tuesday, May 22, 1956 8:00 P. M.

Pickaway School Auditorium

Processional — "Pomp and Circumstance" ..... *Elgar*
School Orchestra

Invocation ..... Rev. Fred Ketner

"This Is My Country" ..... Don Raye

"Halls of Ivy" ..... *Russell and Knight*
Mixed Chorus

Address ..... Everett J. Kirchner
Professor of Education

"Battle Hymn of the Republic" ..... *Howe*
Mixed Chorus

Presentation of Awards ..... Robert Seward

Presentation of Diplomas ..... Luther List

Benediction ..... Rev. Fred Ketner

Class Roll

President ..... Sidney Graves
Vice President ..... Carol England
Secretary ..... Joyce Hicks
Treasurer ..... Linda Wilson

Gary Baird	Betty Hunt
Betsy Boggs	Kay Leeth
Charles Boldoser	Bob McCain
Dale Bower	Joyce McKenzie
Rena Burris	Connie Musselman
Janet Byrd	Wayne Patrick
David Eakin	Porter Pyle
Deanna Evans	Janice Routt
Neil Echard	Patty Search
Rose Hildenbrand	Jon Sharrett
Lloyd Huffer	David Smith

Dennis Wolfe

Class Motto

"Ambition Has No Rest"

Class Colors

Light Blue and Silver

Class Flower

Blue Carnation

CIRCLE PRESS, CIRCLEVILLE

.. Forty-second ..

Annual Commencement

of

Pickaway Township School

School Auditorium

1957

Baccalaureate

May 19, 1957 — 8:00 P. M.

Processional ..... Miss Joanne Valentine

Call to Worship

Invocation

Hymn — "Holy, Holy, Holy" ..... Congregation

Scripture

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem — "Gloria in Excelsis" ..... *Mozart*
Mixed Chorus

Baccalaureate Address ..... Rev. Jack C. Bennett

"Where Willows Bend" ..... *Marjorie Elliott*
Girls' Chorus

Benediction

Recessional ..... Miss Joanne Valentine

Commencement

May 23, 1957 — 8:00 P. M.

Processional— "Pomp and Circumstance" ..... *Elgar*
High School Orchestra

Invocation ..... Rev. Ray Schultz

"Lead Me Lord" ..... *Wesley*
Carol England, Connie Musselman, Jon Sharrett

Class Address ..... John W. Hardwick

"You'll Never Walk Alone" ..... *Rodgers*
Class of '57, SOLOIST, *Jon Sharrett*

Presentation of Awards ..... Robert Seward

Presentation of Diplomas ..... Frank Graves

Benediction ..... Rev. Schultz

Class Roll

Carl Adams
Kathryn Adams
Peggy Anderson
Paul Azbell
Eddie Evans
Barbara Ginther
Mary Ellen Goeller
Joyce Hayslip
Marilyn Jacobs
Mark List
Linda Miller
Ned Morris
Eddie Riffel
Bobbie Riffle
Keith Sheets
Frank Smith
Peter Smith

Class Motto

"May Knowledge Increase"

Class Colors

Red and White

Class Flower

Red Rose

CIRCLE PRESS

. . Forty-third . .

Annual Commencement

of

Pickaway Township School

Logan Elm Local School District

School Auditorium

1958

Baccalaureate

May 18, 1958 — *10:30 A. M.*

Processional ..... **Nancy Wilson**

Call to Worship

Invocation

Hymn — "Holy, Holy, Holy" ..... **Congregation**

Scripture

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem — "Hallelujah" ..... ***Beethoven***
Mixed Chorus

Baccalaureate Address ..... **Rev. Charles L. Harrison**

"Jacob's Ladder" ..... ***Spiritual***
Mixed Chorus

Benediction

Recessional ..... **Nancy Wilson**

Commencement

May 22, 1958 — *8:00 P. M.*

Processional — "Pomp and Circumstance" ..... ***Elgar***
High School Orchestra

Invocation ..... **Monsignor George Mason**

Salutatory Address ..... **Joyce Hayslip**

"Etude Fantastique" ..... ***Friml***
Mary Ellen Goeller

Valedictory Address ..... **Peter Smith**

"Only Begotten Word" ..... ***9th Century French Hymn***
Class of '58

Class Address ..... **Litta K. Roberson**
Director of Women's Activities
Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, Inc.

Presentation of Awards ..... **Alfred Gabriel**

Presentation of Diplomas ..... **Dow West**
President of Logan Elm Local Board of Education

Benediction ..... **Monsignor George Mason**

Class Roll

President .....Nathan Wilson
Vice President .....David Petty
Secretary .....Bonnie Dudleson
Treasurer .....Beverley McKenzie

Charles Adkins
Toni Agin
Jerry Anderson
Doris Azbell
Beverly Bower
Janet Grissom
Juanita Hinton
Patty Hockman
Dorothy Huffer
Evelyn Johnson
Charles Kerns
Harry Lee
Rosemary Lowery
Gary Marion
Patty Moats
Dwight Newhouse
Joanne Riffle
Gary Rittinger
Janet Search
Patsy Smith
Janet Weaver
Wilma Weaver
Nancy Wilson
Gail Wolfe, Jr.
Mary Kay Wood

Class Motto

"Nothing Succeeds Like Success"

Class Colors

Red and White

Class Flower

Red Rose

Forty-fourth

Annual Commencement

of

Pickaway Township School

Logan Elm Local School District

School Auditorium

1959

Baccalaureate

May 17, 1959 — 10:30 A.M.

Processional .....Sharon Sharrett

Call to Worship

Invocation

Hymn — "Holy, Holy, Holy" .....Congregation

Scripture

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem — "Gloria In Excelsis" .....Mozart
Mixed Chorus

Baccalaureate Address .....Reverend Carl Butterbaugh

"Jesu, Precious Treasure" .....Bach
Mixed Chorus

Benediction

Recessional .....Sharon Sharrett

Commencement

May 21, 1959 — 8:00 P.M.

Processional — "Pomp and Circumstance" .....Elgar
High School Band

Invocation .....Reverend Wilber Crace

Salutatory Address .....Nancy Wilson

"In The Garden of Tomorrow" .....Graffe
Vocal Solo — Patty Moats

Valedictory Address .....Beverley McKenzie

Co-Valedictory Address .....Janet Grissom

"Halls of Ivy" .....Senior Class
Vocal Solo — Nathan Wilson

Class Address .....Dr. Richard M. Mall
Department of Speech — Ohio State University

Presentation of Awards .....Alfred Gabriel

Presentation of Diplomas .....Dr. Wells Wilson
President of Logan Elm Local Board of Education

Alma Mater .....Senior Class

Benediction .....Senior Class

Class Roll

President ..... **William Harral**

Vice-President ..... **Bruce Wilson**

Secretary ..... **Pat Watson**

Treasurer ..... **Janice Umsted**

Ronald Arledge	**Geneva Lauerman**
William Arnold	**Barbara McFarland**
Jane Bayes	**Joyce Miller**
Donna Frazier	**Gail Noe**
Joan Ginther	**Jerry Patrick**
Russell Glenn	**Donna Spiller**
Nancy Huffer	**Mary Streber**
Linda Hunt	**Tommy Webb**

Class Motto

Last, but Not Least

Class Colors

Blue and White

Class Flower

Red and White Roses

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Logan Elm Local School District

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1960

Baccalaureate

May 22, 1960 10:00 a. m.

Processional

Call to Worship

Invocation

Hymn ..... **"Holy, Holy, Holy"** ..... Congregation

Scripture

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem ..... **"Brother James' Air"** ..... Mixed Chorus
Arranged by **Gordon Jacob**

Baccalaureate Address ..... **Reverend Carl Zehner**

"A Hymn of Praise" ..... Mixed Chorus
Eric H. Thiman

Benediction

Recessional ..... **Sharon Sharrett**

Commencement

May 25, 1960 8:00 p. m.

Processional ..... **"Pomp and Circumstance"** ..... **Elgar**
High School Band

Invocation ..... **Reverend Paul I. Wachs**

Salutatory Address ..... **Janice Umsted**

"How Lovely are the Messengers" ..... **Mendelssohn**
Senior Ensemble

Valedictory Address ..... **William Harral**

"Recessional" ..... **Reginald deKoven**
Senior Class

Class Address ..... **Judge William D. Radcliff**
Circuit Court of Appeals

Presentation of Awards ..... **Alfred Gabriel**

Introduction of **Dr. Wells Wilson** ..... **Carl S. Burger**
President of Logan Elm Local Board of Education

Presentation of Diplomas ..... **Dr. Wilson**

Alma Mater ..... Senior Class

Benediction ..... Senior Class