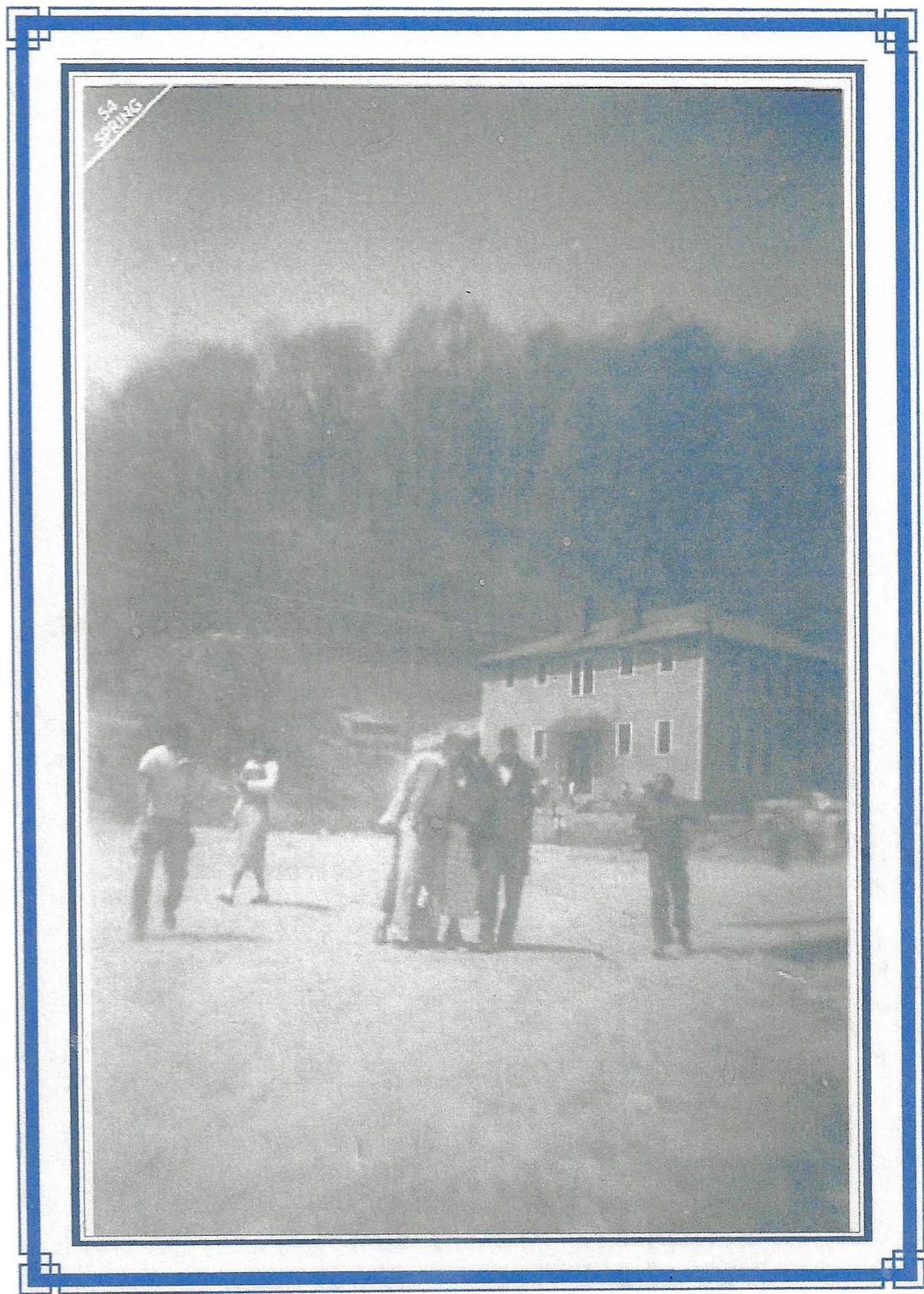


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ORAL INTERVIEW WITH ELIZABETH ALLEN-LONG CARDWELL

Schools Established

From the first, people were interested in schools and in August, 1912, what is now known as the Jenkins Independent School System was organized at Jenkins. At the same time, one was organized in McRoberts.

Three Jenkins Independent School District was first organized as Jenkins Graded School District on August 15, 1912. At that time there were 490 children in the district, and the district was composed of three subdivisions; Burdine, Jenkins, and Dunham. McRoberts did not become a part of Jenkins District until April 26, 1915.

In 1936, the McRoberts lower school had four new rooms added to accommodate the population growth. The building boom ended by the company in 1935.

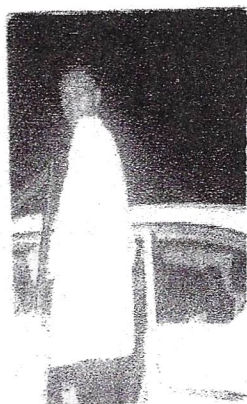
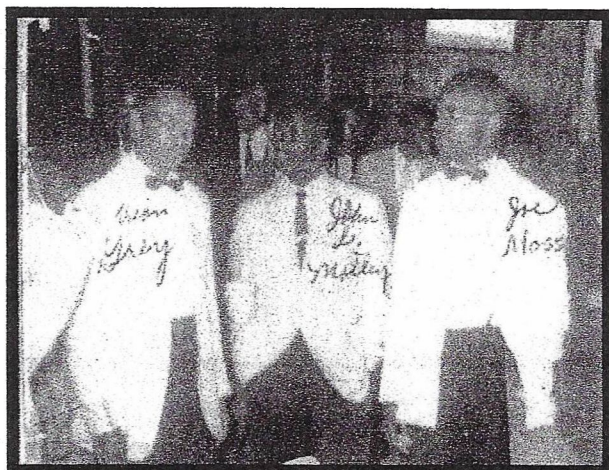
Mrs. Long-Cardwell is the oldest eye witness student/educator from Letcher County Kentucky colored school system.

The school was organized approximately in 1934 in Dunham. The school was held in the company church. Mrs. Long attended school in McRoberts from grades 1-7. The school system did not offer high school to the colored students, therefore she could not obtain a higher education in the McRoberts - Jenkins area.

Her father sent her to Kentucky State Industrial College to attend high school. After completing high school at Kentucky State, Mrs. Long-Cardwell attended college there and graduated as an Elementary School teacher. She came back to Jenkins and began to teach.

Dunham High was established in Jenkins No. 4 Hollow. There was an elementary school existing. Mr. Parks, was instrumental in getting the elementary school enlarged and two rooms added up and down to establish what was known as Dunham High School.

Prom



DUNHAM HIGH SCHOOL

The Annual Commencement Exercise for the Dunham Colored High School was held Thursday, May 26th, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. at the High School Auditorium. Mr. Geo. W. Parks, Jr., Attorney of Washington, D.C., son of Principal G. W. Parks, delivered a very inspiring Commencement Address on "Our Heritage." Graduating seniors were Edward Oden, Margie Foster, Eloise Jordan, Curtis Crenshaw, Ruby May Fisher, Mary Eliza Gordon, Claddie Mae Tinch, Lillian Louise Tucker, and Edward Dotson Osley.

Their fifteenth annual senior class night was held Tuesday evening, May 17th in the high school auditorium. The program opened with the Processional, followed by the Lord's Prayer. The President's speech was given by the Senior Class President, Edward Oden; the Salutatorian Address by Margie Ann Foster; Class History by Claddie Mae Tinch, Statistician Speech by Curtis Lee Crenshaw, Class Prophecy by Lillian Tucker, Class Will by Eloise Jordan, Class Poem by Edward Osley, and Valedictorian Address by Mary Eliza Gordon. Principal G. W. Parks gave a short address after which the class song was sung by Ruby Mae Fisher. The theme for the evening was the class Motto, "Knowledge Conquers All Things" with the Class Flowers, yellow tulips, and Class Colors, orchid and yellow, furnishing an attractive setting for the stage.

1947



Lavinia Jones



Henry Baker



Alice Jordan

Senior

Class

1950



William Coleman



Alma Clark

not shown.
Nancy Hooks
Mildred Duncan

PRESERVE THIS PROGRAM

NOTE THE DATES

PROGRAM OF SCHOOL EVENTS
 SPRING 1963
 JENKINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Date	School	Activity	Hour
April 5	Jenkins High	Senior Class Play.....	7:45 PM
5	Dunham High	Senior Class Play.....	7:30 PM
9	Burdine	P. T. A.	7:00 PM
9	McRoberts	P. T. A.	6:30 PM
9	Dunham High	P. T. A.	7:00 PM
9-14	JENKINS HIGH SENIOR TRIP		6:00 PM
11-12	SPRING (EASTER) VACATION		
11-14	Dunham high senior trip		
18	Dunham Elementary P.T.A.		7:00 PM
22	Jenkins -	Band Concert - High School Auditorium	8:00 PM
23	Jenkins -	Band Concert - High School Auditorium	8:00 PM
23	Jenkins	Stead College Dramatic Presentation	2:30 PM
25-27	District S.E.K.M.A. Band Festival Corbin		
25	District Science Fair Jenkins High School Auditorium	1:00-3:30--7:00-9:00	
26	Dunham Elem.	P.T.A. Play.....	7:00 PM
May 1	Dunham High	May Day Program	1:00 PM
3	McRoberts	May Day Program	1:00 PM
3	Jenkins	Folk Festival	
9	Dunham Elem.	P.T.A.....	7:00 PM
10	Dunham High	Operetta - Grades 1-6	7:30 PM
10-12	Jenkins High School - Dunham High School REGIONAL TRACK MEET ELACORH CITY		
14	Burdine	P. T. A.	7:00 PM
14	Dunham High	P. T. A.	7:00 PM
14	McRoberts	P. T. A.	6:30 PM
18	Dunham High	Junior-Senior Prom	8:00 PM
18	Jenkins High	Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom	6:30 PM
24	Dunham High	Senior Class Night	8:00 PM
26	Dunham High	Senior Sermon	3:00 PM
26	Jenkins High	Baccalaureate	7:30 PM
30	McRoberts	8th grade promotion	7:00 PM
30	Dunham High	Commencement	8:00 PM
30	Burdine	American Legion Award Program	1:00 PM
31	Jenkins High	Commencement	7:30 PM
31	Burdine	8th Grade promotion	1:00 PM
June 3	Dunham High	Closing Program-Presentation of Awards	1:30 PM
3	ALL SCHOOLS CLOSE FOR SUMMER VACATION - REGULAR HOUR		
4	TEACHERS CHECK-OUT DAY - ALL SCHOOLS		

Keep your program for future reference
 Share it with a neighbor



CLASS 1960

Class of Nineteen Hundred Sixty

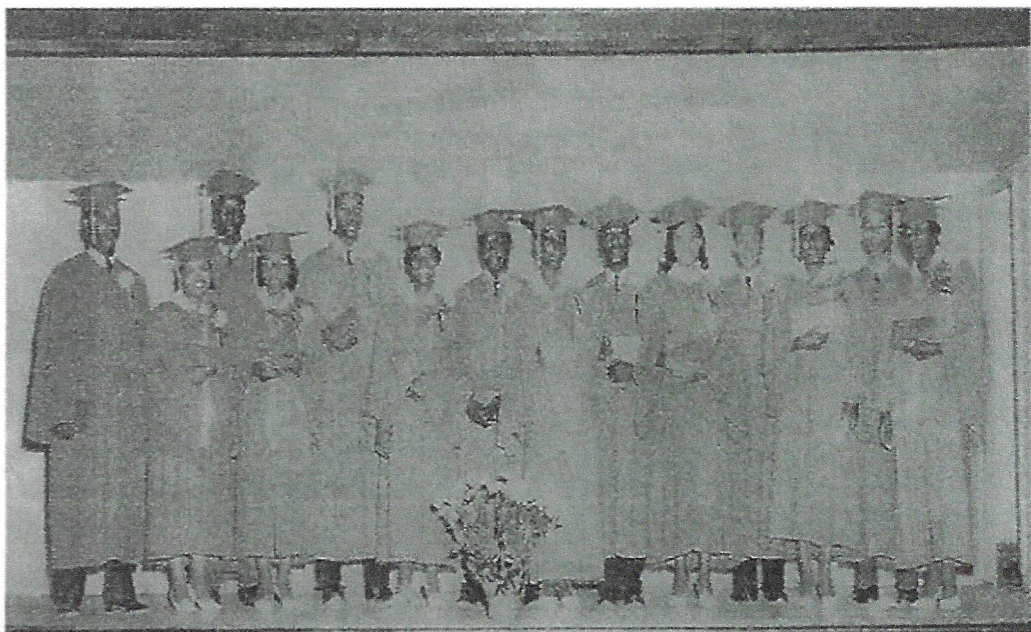
Dunham High School

Commencement Exercises

Wednesday evening, May eighteenth

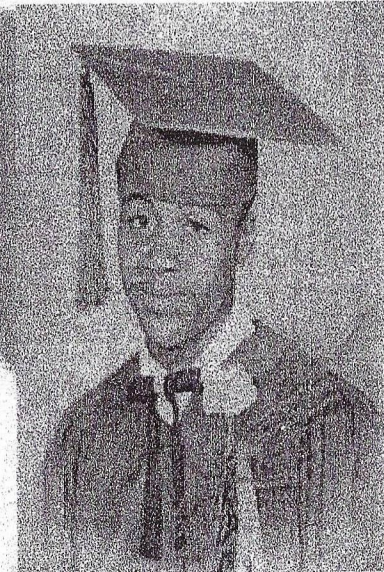
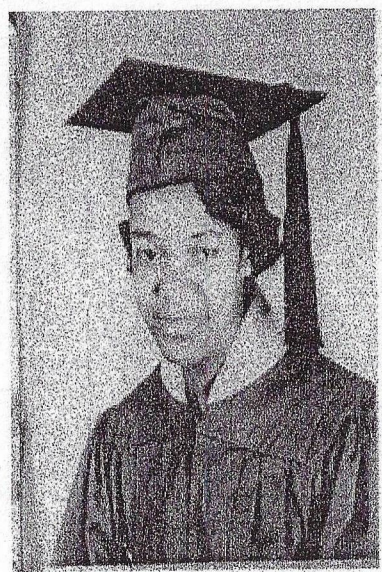
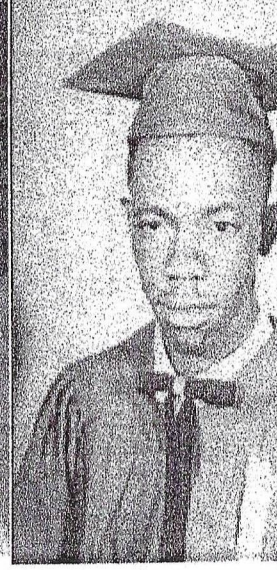
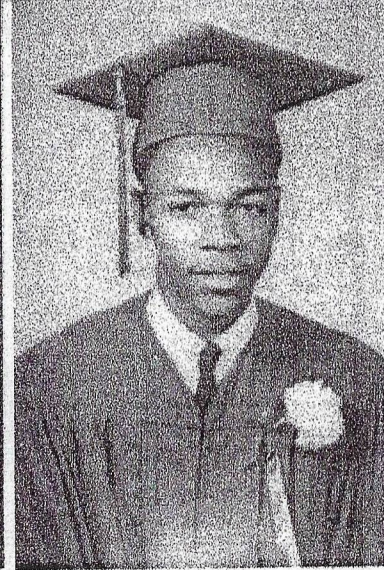
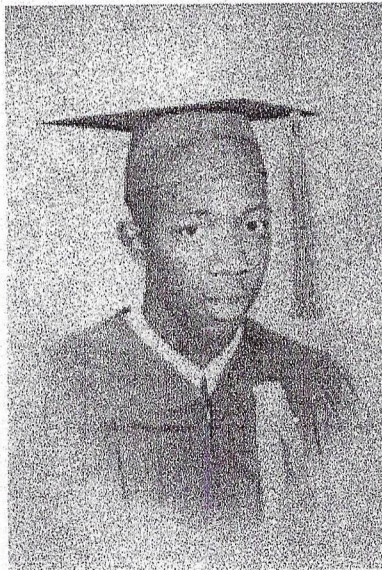
at eight o'clock

Dunham High School Auditorium

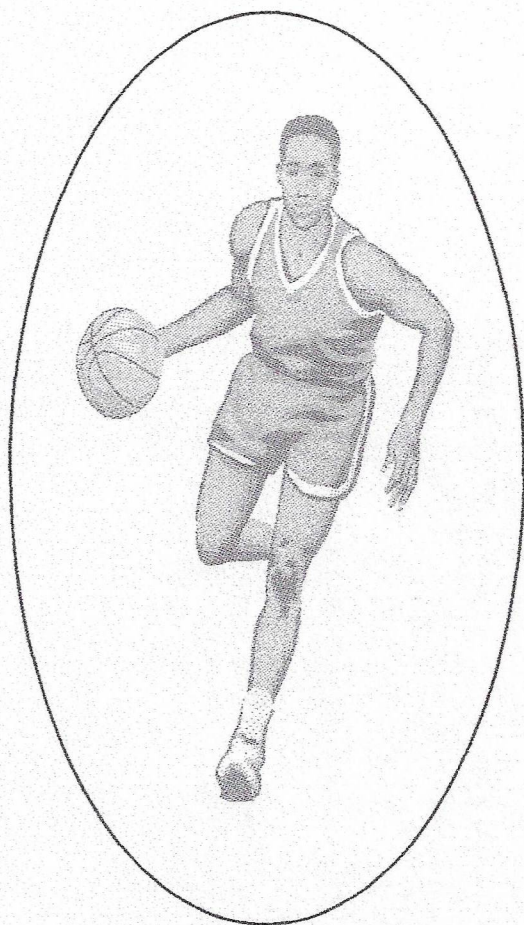


L - R: Joe N. Moss, Lana F. Broach, Fred Cook, Jacqueline Gray, John Slone, Ernestine Baxter, Jimmy Williams, Nancy Powell, Hardy Norwood, Barbara Toodle, Joseph Walter, Shirley Gray, Charles Holyfield, Betty J. Shelton

1961



Sport's Gallery



DUNHAM HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

THE DUNHAM BLUE DEVILS BASKETBALL SQUAD IN 1947 WAS:

Eddie Joe Cooper
Spurgeon Foster
Charles Davis
William Brown
Arthur Davis
Edward Osley
Richard Moore

Edward Oden
Willie Coleman
James Chance
Donald Hudson
Richard Moor
John Adams
Curtis Crenshaw

The 1945-46 Dunham basketball team started practice on the ground; however, Principal G. W. Parks and school Superintendent C. V. Snapp, were able to provide a gym. They ended the year with 5 victories. The team consisted of Lin Gordon, Eddie Joe Cooper, Spurgeon Foster, Charles Davis, Edward Osley, William Coleman, Richard Moore, and Willie Earl Brown.

In the season of 46-47, the Jenkins Dunham High School Blue Devils basketball team consisted of Charles Davis, Edward Osley, Eddie Joe Cooper, Arthur Davis, Richard Moore, Edward Oden, Frank Ward, Tommie Bass, Raymond Wright, Carl Alexander, John Adams, Sterling Hartley. These player had a won-loss record of 6-6. The high point man for the Blue Devils was Edward Osley who served the team for three years.

Dunham High Players



FLEMING THOMAS
A. F. CURRY JOE MOSS
MILTON MOTLEY

JOHN SLOAN
JAMES CLARK
CURTISS SLOAN

JOHN THOMAS
CHARLES HOLYFIELD
JOHN MOTLEY

DUNHAM COLORED SCHOOL BASKETBALL NEWS

This year we think the Jenkins Blue Devils basketball team is very good. Although we have won only half of our games, we have beaten some strong rival conference teams such as Benham and Mt. Sterling.

We wish Mr. Cornett, our new coach, a very pleasant year at Dunham High.

We have won the following games:

Blue Devils	26	Wheelwright	23
" "	51	Wheelwright	44
" "	63	Benham	59
" "	38	Pikeville	35
" "	30	Mt. Sterling	26

We have lost the following games:

Blue Devils	35	Hazard	37
" "	29	Hazard	38
" "	44	Benham	45
" "	28	Pikeville	37

In the tournament the Blue Devils played Wheelwright with Wheelwright winning with a score of 28 to 24.

Our starting team is:

Forwards

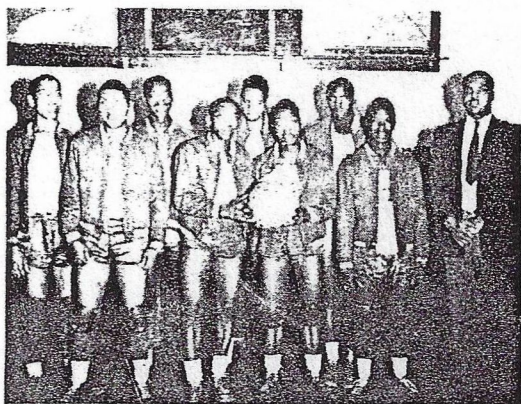
Curtis Crenshaw—205, Jenkins, Ky.
Edward Oden—McRoberts, Ky.

Center

Edward Osley—205, Jenkins, Ky.

Guards

Charles Davis—205, Jenkins, Ky.
Willie Coleman—205, Jenkins, Ky.

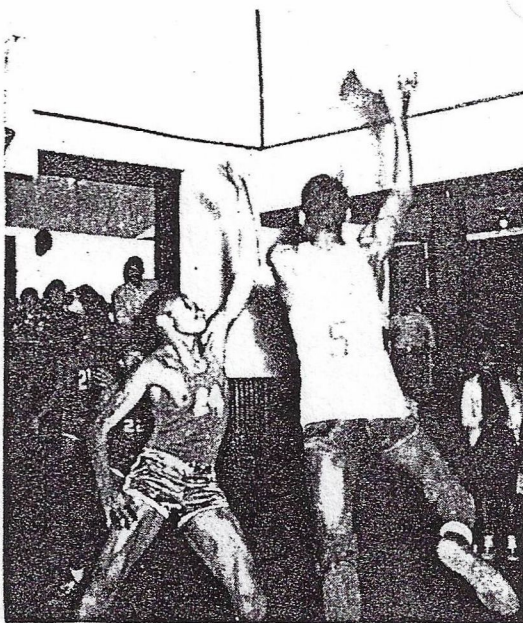


JENKINS BLUE DEVILS

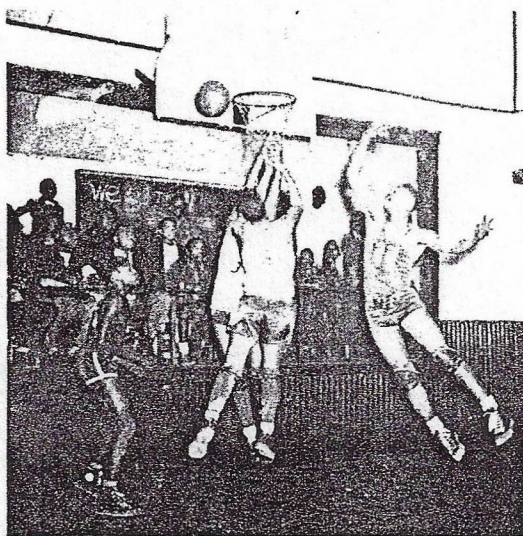
Back row, l. to r.—Edward Oden, Edward Osley, Curtis Lee Crenshaw, Richard Moore, Coach P. B. Cornett. Front row, l. to r., Charles Davis, Arthur Davis, James Chance and Willie Coleman.

We have some capable substitutes: Arthur Davis, James Chance, Richard Moore, David Gray and Frank Ward. A number of other boys are showing promise.

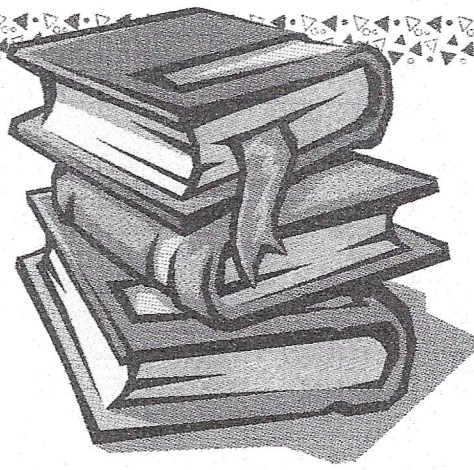
We are hoping that each well wisher will give us a push by attending some of the games.



Edward Osley of the Blue Devils receives the ball while No. 24 on the Benham team tries to block it. The Blue Devils beat Benham by a score of 63-59.



No. 3, Curtis Crenshaw, and No. 8, Edward Oden, score for the Blue Devils.



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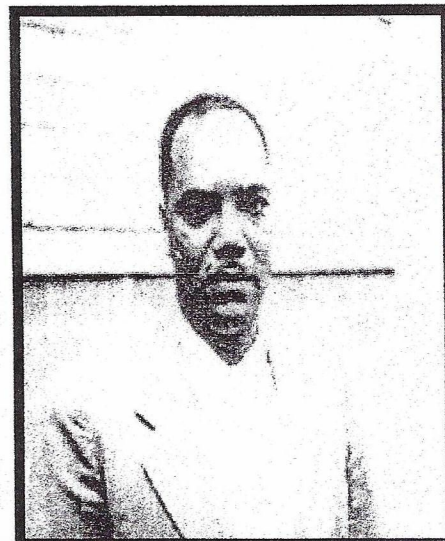
Alumni & Faculty



R.G. Owens ~ Home Ec



M. F. Nelson ~ English



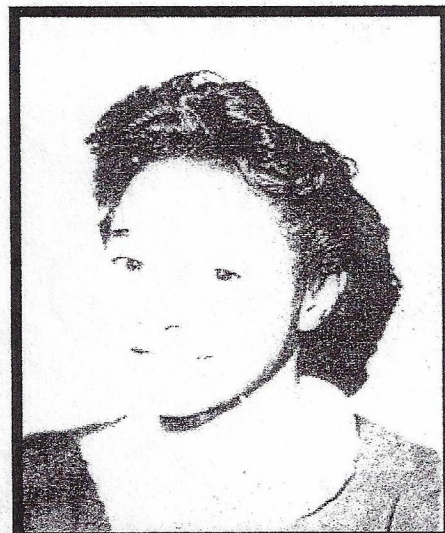
P.B. Cornett ~ Mathematic



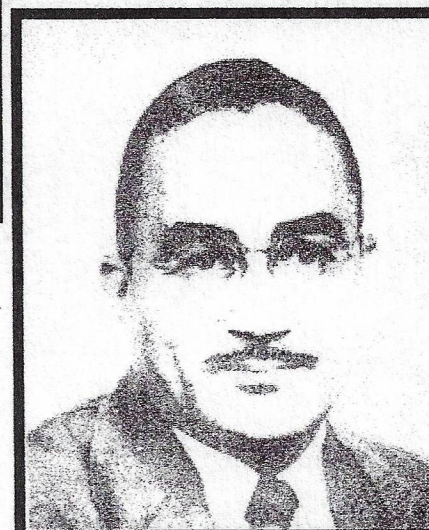
L. L. Owens ~ Principal



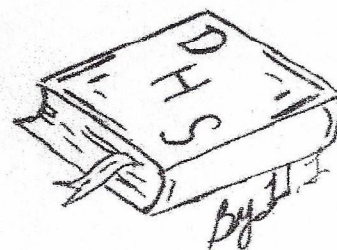
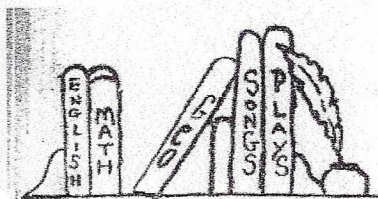
E.S. Carlyle ~ 1, 2, 3 Grades

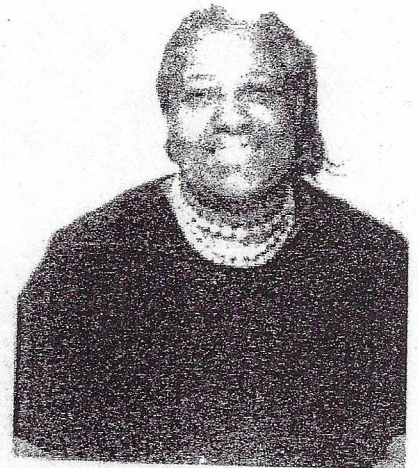
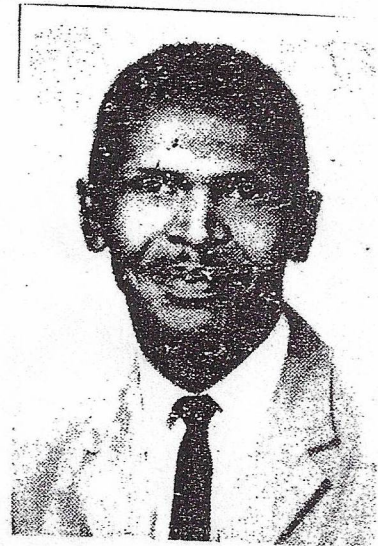
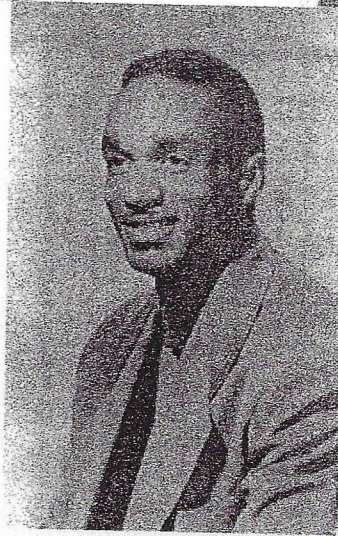
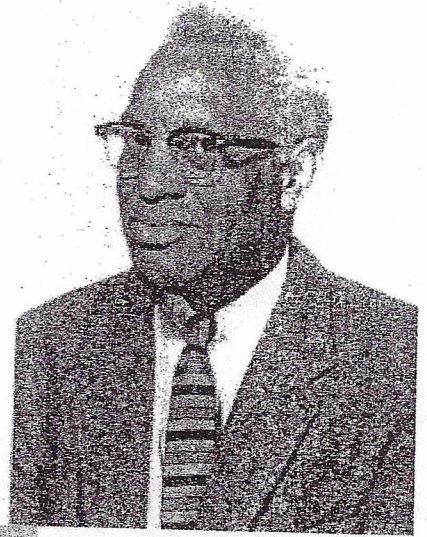


E.A. Long ~ 1, 2, 3 Grades

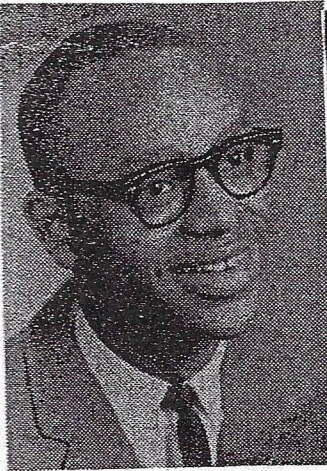


W. A. Cralex ~ 4, 5, 6 Grades





Former Dunham Student President Of Student Council At KSC



Mr. A. Frazier Curry, a 1960 graduate of Dunham High School was recently elected Student Council President at Kentucky State College, Frankfort, Kentucky. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G.V. Curry of Jenkins, Ky.

His charming personality has won him many friends of the college as well as through-

out the state. He won the election over two other candidates on March 29, 1963.

He is a junior majoring in mathematics. His participation in many curricular and extra-curricular activities have been numerous since he has been at KSC. Prior to his election as president of the student council, he has served as editor of the school newspaper, The Thoroughbred, 3 year member of the student Union Board, student council member-at-large, president of the Psychology club, treasurer of the Junior Class, and Secretary-Treasurer of Mathematics clubs. He is also president of the Kentucky Player.

He says he is anxious to serve the college as the President of the Student Council. When asked how he felt after the election he said, "A dream come true."

He is a Christian young man, and attends church regularly. He always puts his trust in the Supreme Being.

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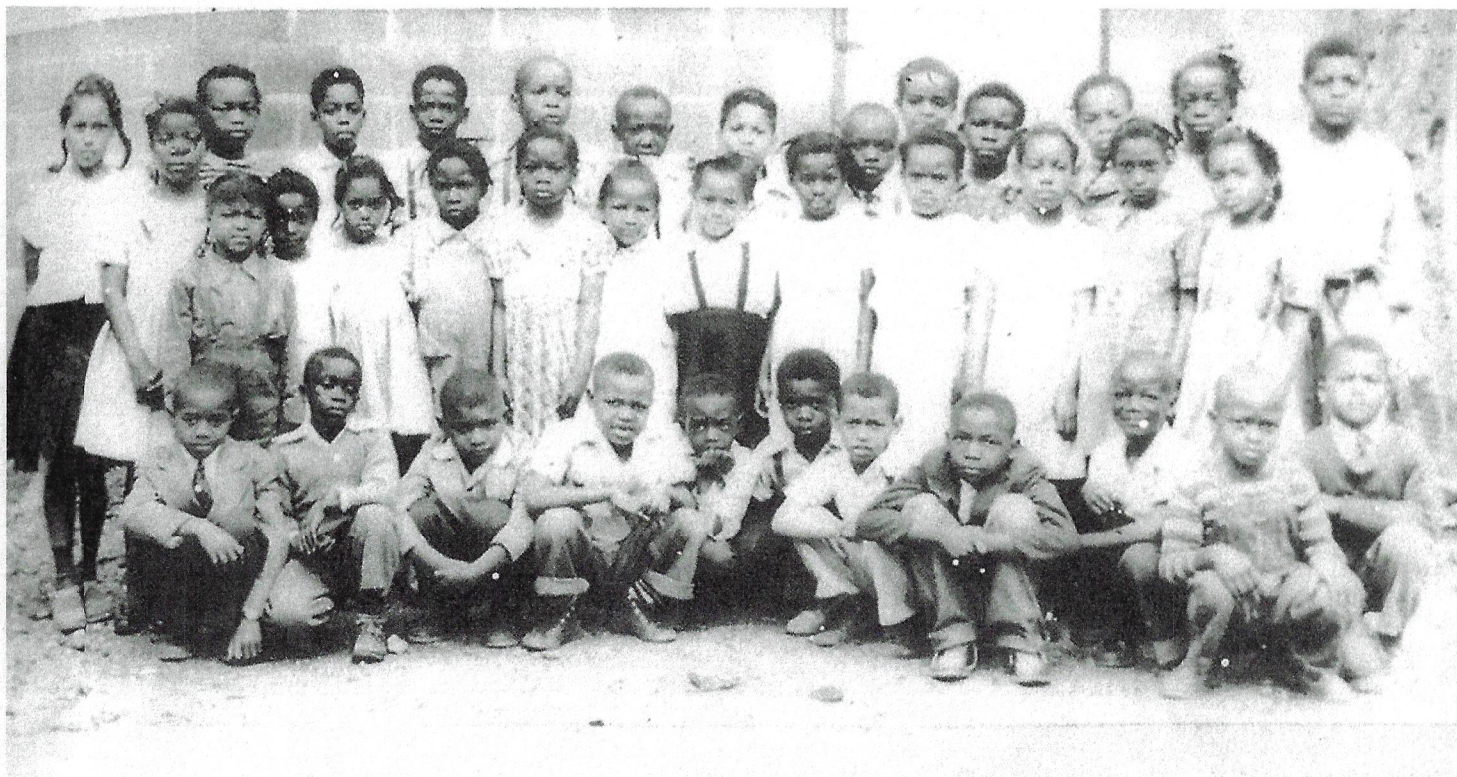


LaVerta Davis To Speak At State Speech Festival

LaVerta Davis, a Senior at Dunham High School, Jenkins Ky., spoke for the Kiwanis Club in Hazard, Ky., on March 19, 1963. She won second place and a check for \$15.00. LaVerta spoke at the Regional Speech Festival and Drama at Hazard Ky., March 23, 1963 and was rated Excellent by Dr. Patterson, Judge from the Un-

iversity of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky.

She will speak Saturday, April 6, 1963 at the Annual State Speech Festival at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky. Her coach is Mrs. S.L. Curry, English Teacher and Librarian--Dunham High School, Jenkins, Ky.

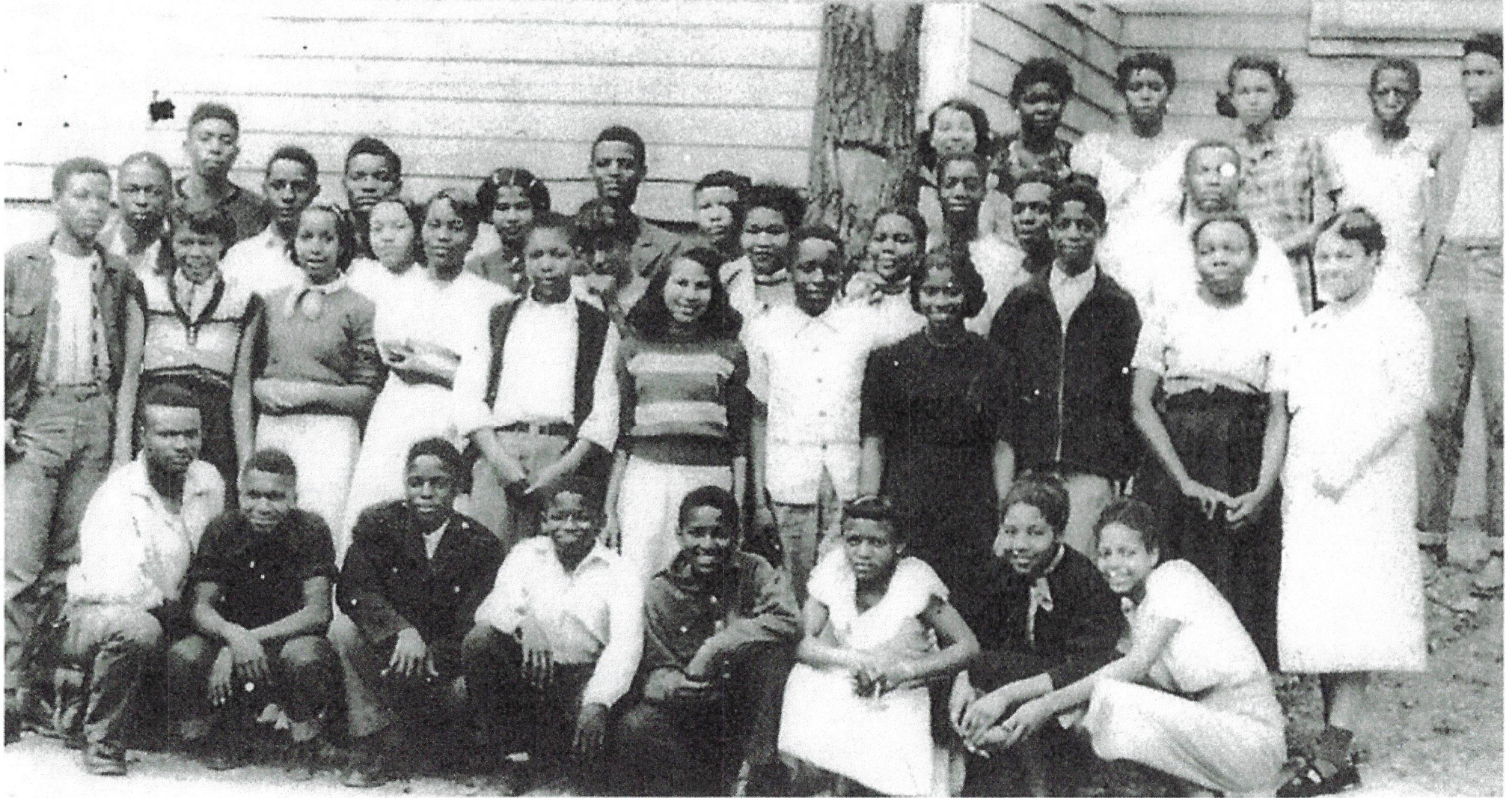


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Tom Biggs

9th-10th grade



Front sitting l-r : Donald Hudson, Richard Fisher, Herman Gray, Booker Thomas, Wilbur Oden, Betty Thomas, Odell Stepney, Ruth Oden

Standing 1st R l-r : Hershall Gray, Mildred Leftridge, Collene Holyfield, Willie Helen Almond, Donald Hope, Laura Richardson, James Gray, Bobbie Eatmon, Marsh Robinson, Rosetta Cook, Lillian Epps.

Back 2nd R l-r : Elliot Lamb, Floyd Powell, Thomas Bass, George Keith, Odessa Holyfield, Willie Mae Edwards, Barbara Thomas, Joseph Bell, Dorothy Sumlin, Viola Edwards, Dorothy Foster, Jesse Foote, James Chance, Howard Thompson.

Short back R l-r Sarah Richardson, Bertha Ward, Dolly Hinton, Willie Brown, James Milliner, Charles Epps.

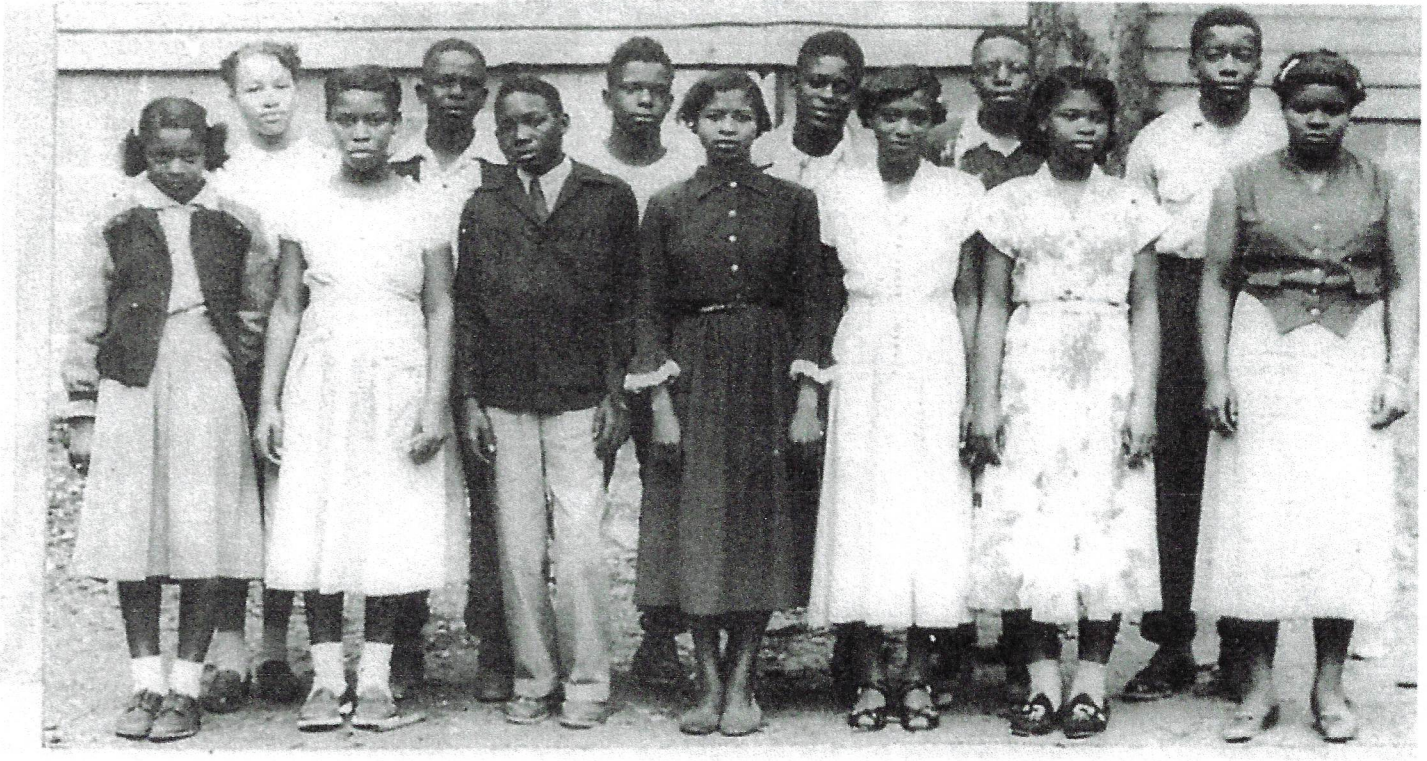
Dunham High 7th Grade



Front Row L-R: Evelyn Jordan, Bertha Thomas, Ernestine Ballard, Betty Holyfield, Polly Williams, Velma Chance, Dorothy Coleman, Edward Gray.

Back Row L-R: Eugene Stephney, Irene Lamb, Jake Slone, Della Alexander, Beaulah Lamb, Betty Wright, Lucille Edwards, Nathaniel Ward.

Dunham High School 8th Grade



Front Row L-R : Alma Hinton, Mildred Motley, Arthur Keith, Mattie Coleman, Dorthy Leftridge, Alberta Jackson, Clara Murphy.

Back Row L-R Betty Sumlin, Billy Hooks, Clarence Alexander, Albert Chance, J.W.Williams Anthony Osley.

