

# THE CUB

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## This Edition of The Bear Cub Is Dedicated to The Class of 1952

### I AM A SENIOR

by Jimmy Willis

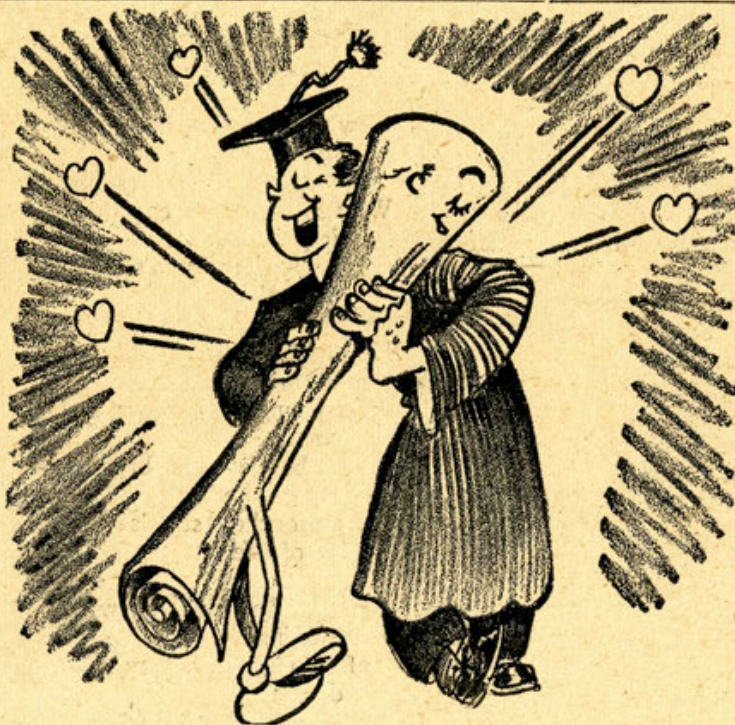
I am a senior. For eleven years I have studied and worked for this one year. A year which I could look back on with pride; a year of happiness and a year of achievement. For this is the year when I get out of high school, and take my place in the world beyond. I will be an alumnus, a graduate of New Bern High School, a student whose memory will soon fade into the shadows of the halls and be forgotten as a new class become seniors.

What will I do? Will I go to college or will I go to war? The answers to these questions I do not know, but either would be a great change from what I have been used to. I would like to go to college, and as for war, no one wants to go, but if you have to you have to.

Until now I have been able to sit under my mother's table and also under her apron strings. But when I march down that aisle to receive a little piece of parchmen called a diploma, I will become a high school graduate a man of the world. A man who is to take care of his mother and not his mother take care of him.

The strange, new world which I enter is rough and tough, and I must be strong and willing to fight hard if I desire to reach a goal. A goal of happiness and security. Happiness with people and security with God. If I ever reach this thing then I will know that I have come to my El Dorado.

The experiences and fun that  
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### A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A SENIOR

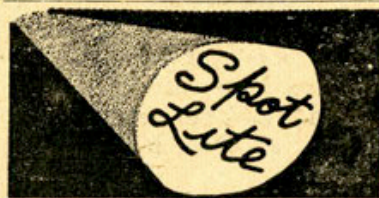
By Patricia Goodwin

So all you struggling underclassmen wish you were seniors, huh? All you can see is a life of grandeur, bossing those poor little ole underclassmen. So you think the life of a senior is "hunky dory"? Ha, ha, ha! Let's reenact a typical school day of a senior.

R-i-n-g, ring, ring! The beginning of a bright and beautiful school morning. Such pleasant dreams of an English class without Hamlet, when, all of a sudden, without warning, the villainous alarm clock decides to blow its top. Does our sleepy senior hear it? Of course not. Forty winks later Mrs. Kaddiddehopper runs into her darling daughter's bedroom, threatens her with all kinds of ghastly methods to make her rise, but in desperation, she finally surrenders. Oh, wait a minute! A sly, fiendish grin crosses her face, and success, she knows how to accomplish the task. Slyly she reaches for her husband's belt, leans over her daughter, rolls up the sleeve of her cooking arm, and whack, our senior is awake.

Now that we've started the day off right, let's continue following our heroine. The ride on the school bus is always a joyous one; there's nothing like the sweet, melodic strains of everyone's soft voice to develop her day's disposition. Ah, we're finally at the pris (excuse me)

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## On Seniors

Virginia Blanche Williams

Virginia Williams, age 18, has blue eyes, brown hair, and is 5' 5 1-2" tall.

Her main likes are music, football, No. 35, picnics, people, parties and all the fun that goes with High School. Virginia doesn't like unco-operative people, homework, and unthoughtful people.

Bring four years in high  
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Robert Shriver

Our spotlight for this issue of the "Bear Cub" falls on the popular and handsome senior and editor of this publication, Robert Shriver.

Robert has blue eyes, light brown hair, is 5'11" tall and tips the scales at 157 pounds.

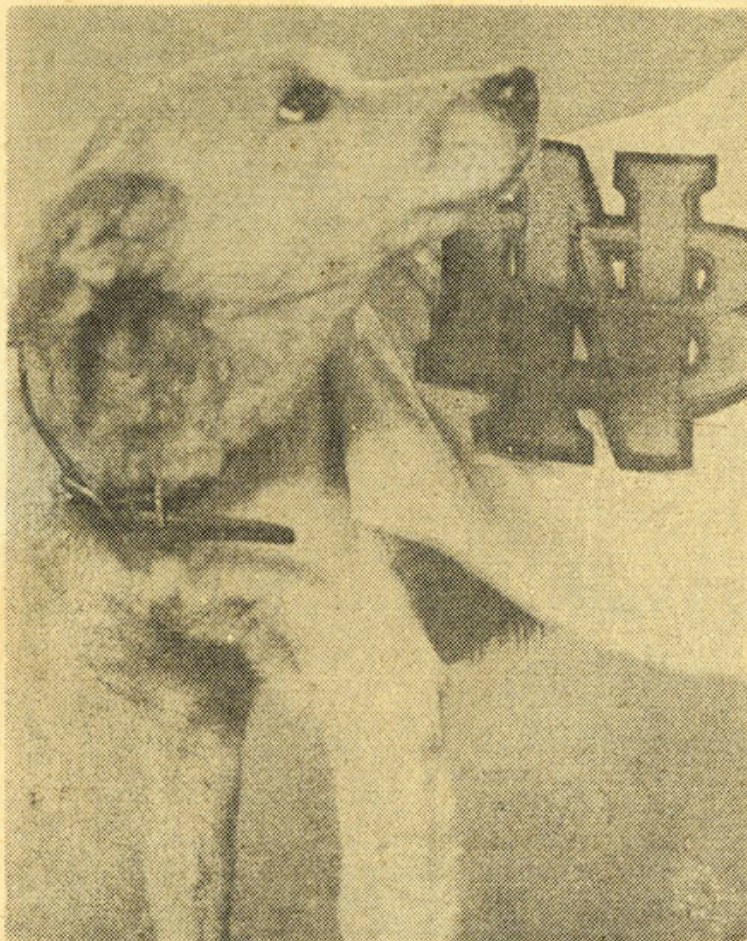
Some of Robert's likes are: decorating for dances, friendly people, houseparties, good music.

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Havelock, N. C.





## SPOT

by Charles Lovelace

As most of you know, a few weeks ago one of the best-known and best-loved members of our high school was run over and killed. This was Spot, our beloved mascot. We shall refer to him here as a person because who other than he could have been so punctual all through his scholastic career? He was never tardy nor absent. He never missed a concert, a play, a ball game, nor a parade. Whether his master was there or not, Spot was present. This brown and white canine would have graduated this year, but as fate would have it, he was taken away from us. He is not gone, however. He shall always remain in our hearts as the true spirit of N B H S.

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## CLASS REUNION

At the last meeting of the Senior Class, held on May 24, 1952, the class decided to leave to the school a water cooler. The Student Council is going to help the class in paying for this cooler.

Another important point of business discussed was a Class Reunion. The Vice-President, Bud Williams, appointed the Secretary to be in charge of a committee to draw up the plans for the reunion. It was decided the reunion will be five years from June 4, on June 4, 1957 in the Sudan Temple. This committee also decided that the Secretary write to all the students before the reunion date and for them to reply if they can come and send in \$5.00. This \$5.00 will go toward the preparation of a banquet and dance for the class.

If there is someone who has not given their name to me, please do so, so I can keep up

## WHAT A TRIP

Twenty-four members of the Acapella Choir journey to Greensboro on Wednesday morning April 23rd. The purpose of this trip was to participate in the All State Chorus. Like all years it is held at Women's College.

The All State Chorus contains two groups. Each containing around 600 high school students. Chorus I, the more advanced group, was directed by Dr. Lara Hoggard, a superb director from Fred Warring's organization. While Chorus II was directed by Dr. Kenneth Jewell of Detroit. Those of New Bern High School Choir were privileged to be members of Chorus I.

N B H S's group arrived in Greensboro at 3:00 p. m. All girls were given residence in Coit Dorm on the Campus of W. C. and the boys stayed in a private home near the college.

Wednesday afternoon and night was free for the groups to do whatever they desired. Then at 9:30 Thursday morning Chorus' met for the first rehearsal. This was a very strenuous and long practice. The first thirty minutes being devoted to the seating arrangements for the crowd on the risers. Following the morning session there was a rest and dinner hour. After dinner hour, back to work we all went for another three hour session. The same schedule was followed for the next two days with time only for eating, sleeping, and work, truly it was hard but no one will ever forget our hard work.

On Friday night at 7:30 the concert to end our festival was given. Although, the auditorium was the largest of the W C's it was packed and with quite an appreciative audience. Chorus II sang first rendering some very lovely selections. Then Chorus II sang accompanied by an orchestra of violins, tempanies, and trumpets among other instruments. After the singing of "While We're Young" the house was nearly brought down by the audience. All the songs by Chor-

with all the addresses.

Thank you,

Mary Lou Blevins

us I were thrilling and inspiring, thanks to the wonderful conducting of Dr. Hoggard. The music professor of W. C. was very impressed by the wonderful way we pronounced our words. He said, "I think the diction for a group of high school students to be as good as it was surprising."

After the concert all the group went to their dorms, or rooms and celebrated for only a while but soon were fast asleep from exhaustion after such a strenuous day.

The next morning the New Bern High Schoolers said their farewells, and departed for home sleepy, but full of excitement from the experience of a lifetime.

## YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN

FARMER (after the city boy had milked his first cow): "Well you learned something new today."

CITY BOY: "Yes, I learned that the man who says a cow gives milk is a liar."

## LOOKING AHEAD

Each time I pass a church,

I always pay a visit;

So when at last I'm carried in,

The Lord won't say, "Who is it?"

## WHAT A VOICE

SINGER: "How do you like my voice?"

ACCOMPANIST: "Lady, I've played the white keys. I've played the black keys. But you're the first one I ever saw that could sing in the cracks."



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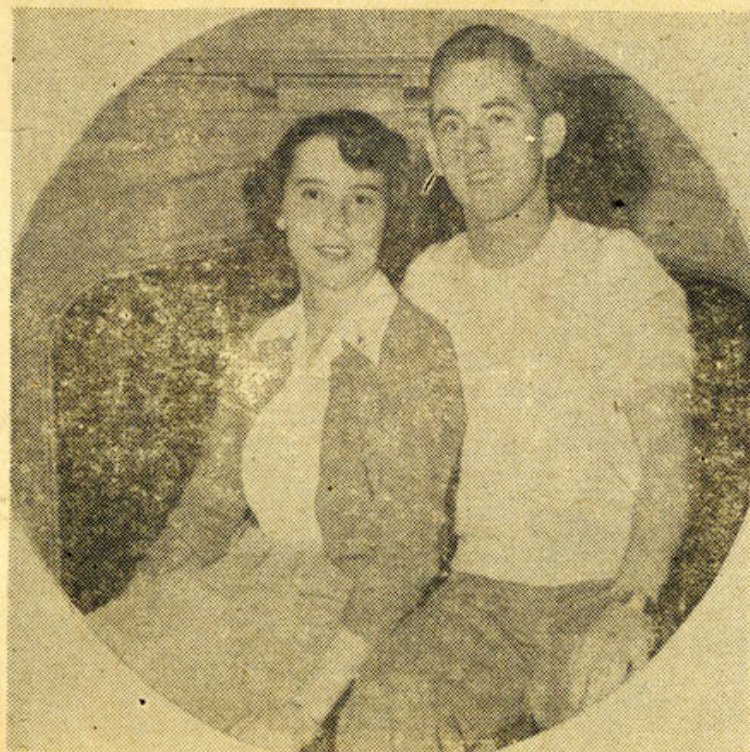
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Above MARY W. DUNN and ROBERT SHRIVER  
*Most Popular in the Class of '52*

Below JOE MAVRETIC AND JOYCE BOYD  
*Best All Round in the Class of '52*



## THE VACUUM CLEANER

WE PICK UP ALL THE DIRT

Well, kids, if it's "dirt" you want, just cast your eyes on this.

Doris Buck seems to be calling herself a fool lately. Could it be because she threw a nice guy aside for someone else?

Are there storm-clouds overhead for Karen and George, or is it just one of those little love-spats.

How are you and Don getting along, Hattie?

Dick W. must find something very interesting in Shirley M. They really make a cute couple.

Peggy A. Smith is a happy

gal lately. Must be so nice to have a husband.

Polly and Louie must be hibernating. Come on, kids, let's see more of you.

Pokey M. seems to have his eye turned back to N. B. again. Who will it be this time, Mr. Mac?

Gene and "Cussie," we are all so proud of you. It's nice to see you so happy.

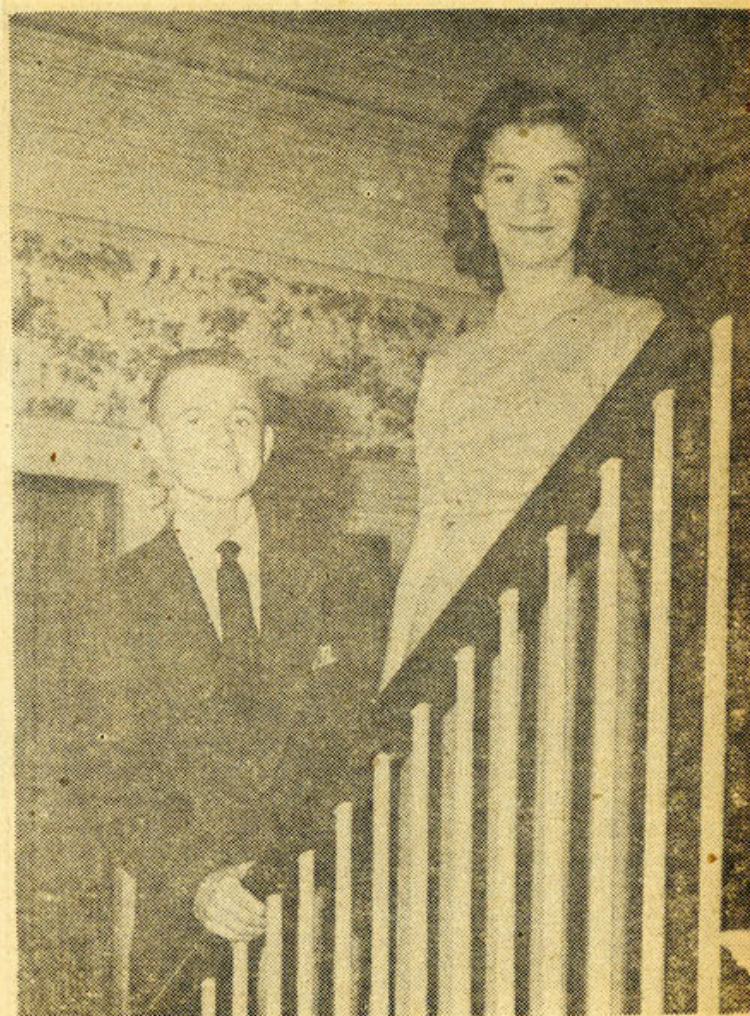
Don't waste tears over someone who isn't worth it, Mary Lou S.

Bryan and Carole are a fine twosome. Stay that way, kids.

Joyce B., is Sonny F. still the one in your life, or have you found another one to add to your list?

Lee and Happy must be a special of Cupid's.

Below PATRICIA GOODWIN AND ROY FAGAN  
*Most Likely to Succeed in Class of '52*





## WE HAVE GROWN TO FIT THE YOKE

by Joe Mavretic

When June rolls around every body wants to be a senior but the seniors. Sure, we all look forward to getting out, that's natural, but getting out for good isn't a pleasant thought.

In our four years we danced, sang, played, won, lost, yelled, studied and achieved together, but now we face the thought of going our own way—alone. We are no longer a group, we must decide for ourselves, and upon each decision rests our future. We will cease to build our week around the Saturday night dance

at the Rec., or the football game on Friday. Monday will be the day, the first working day of the week. Dreams for a bright future will disappear and plans to make them come true will replace them. Thoughts of husbands and wives, children and homes, cars and stock will be most important, though we never believed they would. The comic section and sports page will be rivaled by the front page and the editorial sheet. But all of this is just another phase, just like walking, talking, the first day of school, the first long pants and the first date, the first kiss and first steady, "this is simply becoming a man."

And as we take a walk down by the river shore or down the block by the church, to take

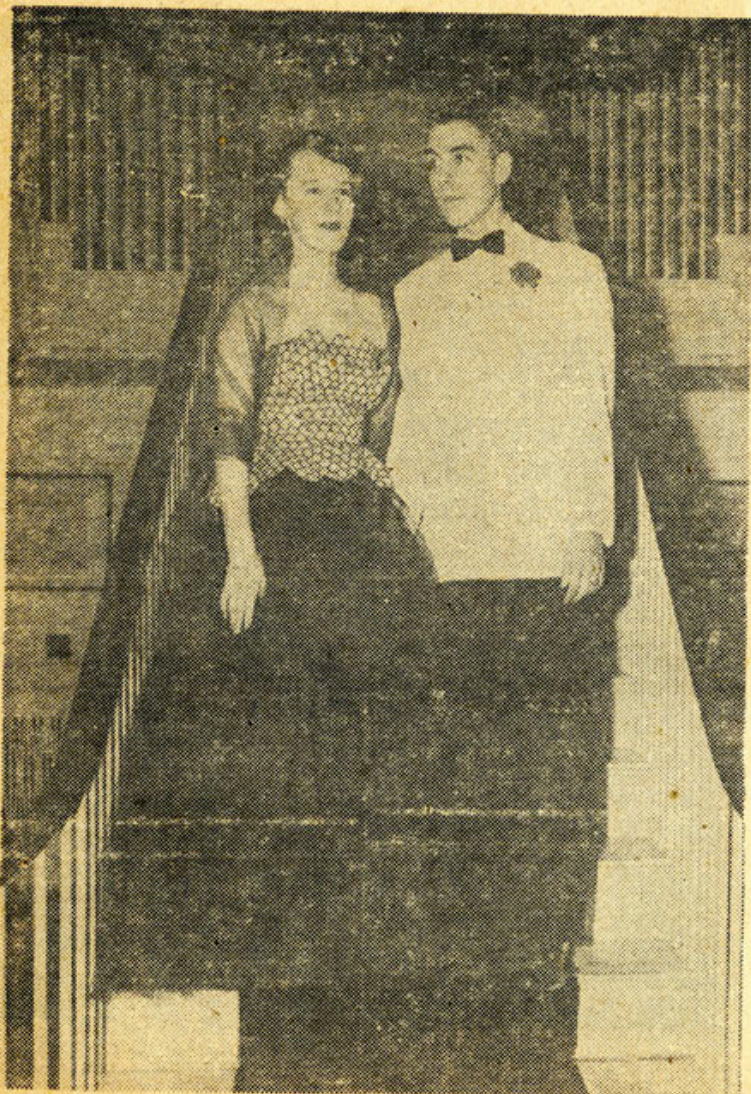
stock of ourselves to see just what we have to meet the challenge of living, we will discover that it all was and is for a purpose. We will find that all we have done will enable us to weigh, reason, judge and then accept or reject as we see fit.

Our high school days have been a preparatory course for the college of life. We have fallen heir to a democracy, a way of life which all men should know. It is a democracy wrought by blood, tears and years of strife and mistakes, but it is sound, and the envy of all the world. It is a rough model of the way God want a man to live, but it is threatened. We must decide what is to be done, no longer will our fathers fight, we will be the fighting fathers, we will be

the fighting brothers who defend our way of life against all foes.

We wonder, are we prepared to do a good job, and the answer comes loud and clear — "Yes, we are ready, we are prepared to live, to achieve, to build a greater nation. We are prepared to become the fathers and mothers, and those of us who seek greater knowledge are prepared for their studies. We will produce our great scholars, our statesmen, our scientists, and our soldiers. "When I was a child, I spoke as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child; but when I became a man I put away childish things."

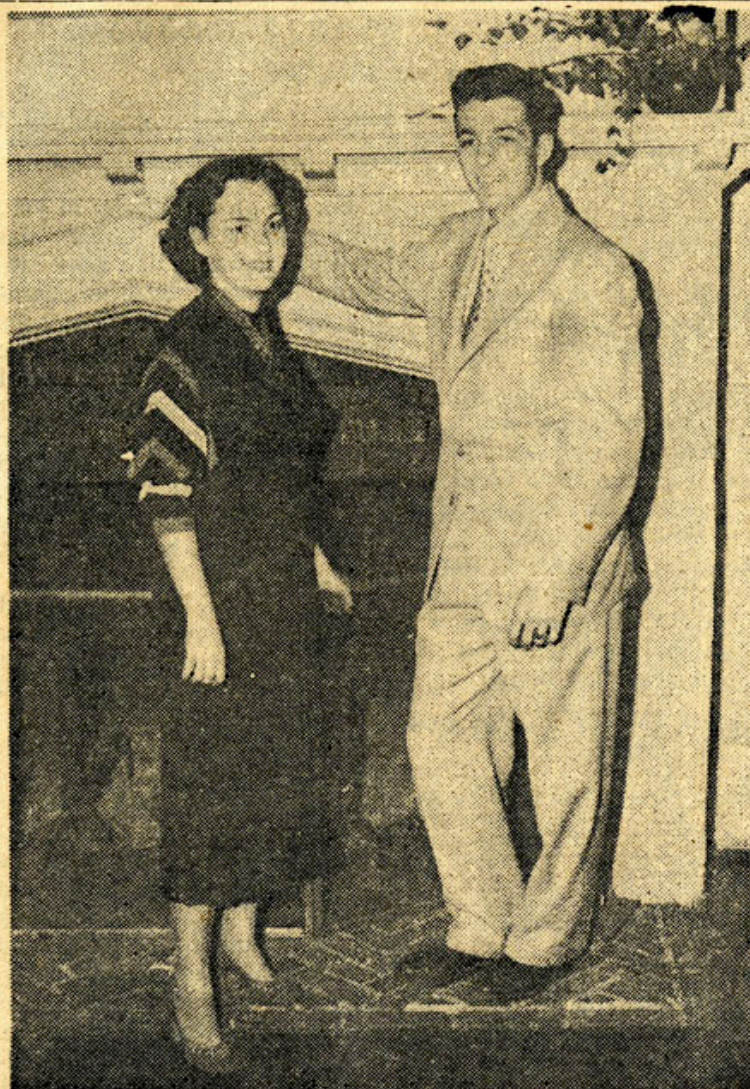
BARRY EUBANKS AND KAREN CRAWFORD  
*Best Dressed in the Class of '52*



KENNETH PARKER AND SHIRLEY MASON  
*Best Dancers in the Class of '52*







DICK WADE AND PATSY POOLE

*Best Looking in the Class of '52*

JERRY PETERSON AND KAY McCOSLEY

*Most Talented in the Class of '52*

## POP CONCERT

On Thursday and Friday nights, May 22 and 23, The New Bern High School Choral Department presented its annual "Pop Concert." On both nights the auditorium was filled with a very appreciative audience.

The Glee Club was the first group to perform. They gave beautiful renditions of Cole Porter's "In the Still of the Night," the very lovely "Dancing in the Dark" and a very rhythmic rendition of "It's almost like Being in Love."

The next performance was that of the Madrigal Singers, a group organized this year. The curtains opened on this group chatting on a green hill in the park. The girls were dressed in

formals and the boys in white dinner jackets and black tux trousers with a red carnation in their lapel. The first song this group sang was the "Song of Love" from Sigmund Romberg's "Blossom Time." Next there was a Fred Waring arrangement of "Coming Through the Rye," which was a contrast to the usual way the song is heard. Next scene, a beautiful medley of songs from "Carousel" by Hammerstein II and Richard Rogers, contained the romantic "If I Loved You" and "June is Bursting Out All Over."

And last, but not least, on the program was songs rendered by the Acapella Choir. The first song was the spirited Fred Waring arrangement of "Beyond the Blue Horizon." Next came "Give

me Your Tired, Your Poor," then the choir sang a quite romantic number, "While We're Young." The boys took over the program to sing from South Pacific, "There is Nothing Like a Dame." (The girls just loved it) Then the boys returning to their places and the Choir sang a very rhythmic song called "Cindy." To close the program the Choir gave a beautiful rendition of their favorite song "You'll Never Walk Alone."

Congratulations to our director, Mr. Donald Smith. He has worked so energetically with us and has conducted many thrilling concerts this year. We should be proud of our fine Choral department because it is comparable to the best high school choirs of North Carolina and to

those of some North Carolina Colleges.

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## AN OPEN LETTER TO THE STUDENT COUNCIL

The fact that some members of the student council evidently are unaware of the rules governing election procedure has prompted me to write this letter. It would seem that election officials should be competent, have a knowledge of standard voting procedure, and be impartial in the counting of ballots.

In the election, which has just been completed, several irregularities were brought to light.

Some faculty members have consistently shown favoritism. When the ballots have been counted and recorded the disputed ballots should be placed in an envelope, the envelope sealed, and the words "disputed ballots" written on the envelope. The valid ballots should be kept for a period of at least two months. This is to enable a candidate who has just reason, to demand a recount. In the past elections the ballots were thrown away within two hours after the closing of the polls.

It is the duty of the election officials to construe election laws in the light most nearly tending to promote fair expression of the people's will. When a ballot is placed in the wrong box appears to be a legal ballot, and has not been mutilated, it should be counted. If it is discarded just because it was in the wrong box the voter's will has not been expressed. Even if a ballot is mutilated, common sense should be used in discarding the ballot. Often such mutilations are the result of putting ballots in a box that is nearly full.

If a candidate has just reason, he has the right to challenge the Board of Elections. He should be paid every courtesy. If his challenge is upheld he has the right to demand a recount if not a reelection.

Edward W. Gray, Jr.

## ARE YOU SPELLBOUND?

Here are some more of those words that are often confused because they look or sound somewhat alike.

Noted -- Notorious

You shouldn't have much trouble spelling these words. They don't present any very difficult problems -- if you know what each word means.

Noted means favorably known. We speak of a noted singer, a noted engineer, etc.

When you are noted, you have done something you can be proud of.

Notorious means being unfavorably known. Thus, we speak of a notorious gambler, a notorious criminal, etc.

When you are known for something you can't be proud of you are notorious.

Persecute -- Prosecute

It's easy to see why these words are so often confused. In one respect, they are exactly alike. They have this in common -- secute. In another respect they are almost alike. That's where you careless spellers get trapped - on the per or pro. If you follow our rules here, you shouldn't have any trouble.

1. Look at the word.

2. Pronounce it correctly.

3. Get its meaning

Persecute (per as in permit) -- to subject someone to ill-treatment.

Ex.: In Hitler's Germany, all minorities were persecuted.

Prosecute (pronounce PROSS ee cute) -- to bring a lawsuit against someone.

Ex.: The government will prosecute all income tax evaders.

Precede -- Proceed

Here again the story is almost the same as in persecute and prosecute. There are a few differences -- one very important one. The cede and ceed are pronounced the same but spelled differently. That makes our problem a little harder. But we can lick it by the same old rules:

Precede (pronounced pree) -- to go before.

Ex.: I will precede you into the courtroom. (I'll go first -- before you.)

Proceed (pro to rhyme with

## VALETE

The time groweth short ere we cease to play

'Twill be a long time 'fore we forget

the seven and five happy years of our schooling.

Farewell, ye Happy days of youth, ye classmates, ye pedagogues.

We are but a mere handful of humanity in the everlasting struggle for existence.

What asses are those who must forever crawl because of a lack of knowledge.

For some, education is but a walking shadow, a poor player who soon gives way to the imperative and instinctive ways of life.

Farewell, for our time is growing short

Adieu, Adieu, Adieu. The rest is silence.

## WORD WISE

A teacher, unfastening with difficulty the coat of one of her little pupils asked, "Did your mother hook this coat for you?"

"No," the child said, "she bought it."

Door Opener

Customer: "To what do you owe your success as a house-to-house salesman?"

Saleman: "To the first five words I peak when a woman open the door. I always ask: 'Miss, is your mother in?'"

## WELL INFORMED

Teacher: "Before we begin this final exam, are there any questions?"

Student: "What's the name of this course?"

## ONE WAY!

Nit: "Why did you light the fire with that ten dollar bill?"

Wit: "Why not? I had no intention of paying it anyhow."

go) -- to go forward.

Ex: Proceed at your own risk.

## OPEN LETTER TO ALL SENIORS

May 12, 1952

Dear Seniors,

For the great majority of you, your high school career has come to an end. You now are ready for other fields of learning and endeavor. It is our hope that you will be distinguishable from the citizenry because of your learning. Because of your training you should be more reliable, dependable, and uphold that which you think is right. Your opinions count now because you are high school graduates, or soon will be.

Upon arrival here last August to begin work of organizing the school for the year ahead, I was very favorably impressed with the spirit of helpfulness manifested by many seniors who came to school to assist in copying class rolls, etc. This spirit of helpfulness is a fine characteristic, one which you will profit by retaining. We feel like you as a group have given your support to the school, its program, and its activities. You could have no doubt studied more, made better grades and accomplished more. You will soon realize, if not already, how little we all know, and the vast amount of information yet unknown which needs exploration.

It is not our intent to ever tell a senior goodbye, because we hope you will always return at every opportunity for visitations or discussions. We do wish you as individuals and as a group our best wishes for a very happy and successful life -- one which you live fully and richly from day to day, year to year. We have gained much through our association with you.

Sincerely,  
W. E. Brinkley

## STATION ANNOUNCEMENT

UNCLE (to six-year-old after church service): "And how did you like it, dear?"

SIX-YEAR-OLD: "I liked the music, but the commercial was too long."



## ELECTION

by Susan Hanner

Would you like to go along with me to a voting precinct? Come along then.— Here we are! Let's sit over here where we won't be noticed.

See that man coming in? His face has the look of indifference so many people have. Probably someone has been after him to go to the polls so he came to pacify that person.

Do you know that some people do not want to vote? An example of this type is the elder women who believe women are too feminine to participate in the voice of their country.

See that boy over there? He's just back from Korea. He knows how serious a matter voting is. He is not a comic who votes for Lil' Abner or Steve Canyon. That boy realizes that this privilege of voting is a wonderful and just power in the hands of the people. What has he been fighting for— forfeiting his life for— just that privilege.

Think about it. Are you a comic indifferent person who doesn't want this privilege or are you a serious-minded individual who is well aware of the privilege which has been bestowed upon you?

## FRESHMAM NEWS

9-2 has a new student. Janet Houghton from New York. Last week 9-2 had a discussion on choosing their subjects for next year. 9-2 had the following five girls chosen from their room for future Jr. Varsity. Cheerleaders: Jo Parson, Ann Moore, Ann Robinson, Happy Hurst, and Doris Bland.

Miss Anderson's homeroom 9-1 has been having inspiring devotionals. They have also had good home room programs. Everyone in 9-1 seems to have plenty to do especially with exams coming up.

9-5 and 9-3 have been planning a hayride.

9-6 had a weenie roast at "Bunny" Boyd's house. After eating, the group played various games.

## JR. SR. SONGS

These are for you who would like them as a remembrance of that wonderful night.

(Senior Song)

### FOR ALL WE KNOW

The friends we've shared make it hard for us to part.

And when we go, won't you keep us in your heart.

We won't say good-bye until the last minute.

We'll hold out our hand and our heart will be in it.

For all we know, we've been living in a dream.

We come and go like a ripple on a stream.

So think of us every day,

When we're away.

So love us tonight, tomorrow was made for some,

Tomorrow may never come.

For all we know.

(Junior Song)

Seniors, though we may be apart  
You shall remain in our thoughts  
and hearts

Clubs, the games we played together

May memories we shared always  
bring us cheer

In time to come, we Juniors  
won't be near

Recall the fun we had and hold  
it dear

So long, dear friends, may God  
be with you and help you to  
succeed in every way.

Tomorrow is a bright, new day.

## SOPHOMORE NEWS

Mrs. Smith's 10-2 is planning a homeroom party on June 2 to celebrate end of exams.

Those who are running for President of the Junior class are Ann Jordan and Brinkley Lewis; Vice-President, Ila Grey McIlwean and Christine Joseph; Secretary, Mary D. McCotter and Janice Phillips; and for Treasurer, Barbara Braddy and Jean Wright.

Mrs. Edingloh's homeroom decided to save the dues collected throughout the year and put them on the Junior-Senior next year, instead of having a party.

Gatesy Mathews and Shirley Cayton are running for Associate Editor of the Bear Cub. Helen Kafer was unanimously elected Associate-Editor of the Bruin.

Gunhilde Gunnerson

## HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE

The annual Band hayride was enjoyed by the band members and their dates May 17, at Flanners Beach.

Saturday, May 24, from 8 til 12, the Monogram Club Dance was held at the Armory.

The Sr. Girls' Hi-Y had a weiner roast at Joyce Boyd's, Tuesday, May 20.

The Sock Hop sponsored by the Sophomore Class was enjoyed by all at the Rec Center. Lovelace's Band played for this event.

May 13, the Jr. Girls' Hi-Y was entertained by Marion Evans at her home.

May 23 at the Baptist Church, the High School Choir sang for the Elks Convention. After the choir's Pop concert Friday night May 23, the choir attended the Dean Hudson Dance as guests of the Elks.

Our Band marched in the parade, a part of the Shrine Convention, Friday, May 23, in Wilmington.

Betsy Munden and Janet attended a college dance in Wake Forest, Friday night, May 16.

The Brinkleys spent Mother's Day week-end with their parents.

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## THE BAND NEWS

Mr. Benson stated: "I am very pleased with the band performance, especially that of the 15th. If the band had played that well in Greenville it would have gone to Greensboro."

Since Mr. Benson will not be here next year, he would like to express his appreciation for the support from the students, teachers, administration, and from the many civic organizations. He also said that he had enjoyed being here these two years and wished to compliment the band on its spirit and cooperation.

The band is sorry to lose him since he has been a good friend to all. We want to wish him the best always.

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## Robert Shriver

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spectacular movies (especially "Gone With the Wind", dances choir, good-looking clothes, the beach, hamburgers, and — last but by no means least—a certain W. C. Freshman. His dislikes include: un-cooperative people, unfriendly people, too much homework, and hillbilly music.

During his high school career, Robert has been quite active as vice-president of the choir, president of his Sophomore and Senior class and editor of the Bear Cub. Robert is a member of the Boy's Hi-Y, Bruin staff and Madrigal Singers.

Robert says in reference to his greatest thrill during high school, that there have been so many wonderful things of equal importance that he just cannot designate any special one. Always treasured in his memory will be friendly association with fellow students, informal gatherings and discussions, the school organizations and school activities which in his opinion are the thrill of a lifetime.

For the future, Robert is looking forward to a trip to Chicago where he will study modern floral designing, new trends in decorating for weddings, receptions, and banquets.

The entire student body wants to express deep appreciation and thanks to you Robert, for the fine job of editing you've done this year with the "Bear Cub." It has been by far the best year of issues ever. Best of luck always to a fine person.

Virginia Blanche Williams

Continued from page one school. Virginia has been Feature Editor of the Bear Cub, a Jr. and Sr. Hi-Y member, an honor roll student, treasurer of the Beta Club, a cheerleader, a typist for the Bruin, one of the Madrigal Singers, and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Her greatest thrill was being crowned New Bern High School's First Homecoming Queen.

In the future, Virginia is going to attend Meredith College in Raleigh and major in Religion.

## A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A SENIOR

Continued from page one school house. We always look forward to first period, especially as it's English. (Hamlet is quite a fellow; you'll find out all about him in the 12th grade) Our little heroine enters English class, still under the influence of the night before, when, all of a sudden, her eyeballs pop out 10 yards, her natural curly hair (Toni's exclusive) stands up like a pathway for electricity, and she moans "A test, Mrs. Hopkins? Today? Right now? Are you sure you told us?"

Anyway, dear Bratella, (that's our senior- shuffles to the chemistry lab, still waiting for the opportunity to make a compound of TNT. Would you look at her face as she performs her experiment. Mixing all those solutions she certainly resembles the bride of Frankenstein. One hour and many test tubes later, she goes on to her next class to torture the next unlucky each.

So goes the day of our heroine. Do you think we're slightly exaggerating. Could be! However, (heh, heh- until you reach that grade, dream on!

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## I AM A SENIOR

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I have had in school and in my Senior year are many and varied. There has been much happiness and joy, but also a little sadness. These things will also be imbedded deeply in my memory; and I will never forget the athletic contests, the parties, and the classes as just a few of the many.

It's true, but it shouldn't be that we put so many other things before our school work. This is the main purpose of school, but most of us cannot see it that way. This is wrong and I know it for I am guilty in the first degree. You get out of anything what you put into it. So take some advice from one who learned by experience, put more into your studies and you will be better prepared when graduation day rolls around.

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