



#### **FOREWORD**

This yearbook, The 1953 Wildcat, has been published for your enjoyment with the hope that it will serve as a living memory of part of your school days at Dogan High.

With this thought in mind, we the N.F.A. boys, have concentrated our efforts upon compiling a story book of pictures and dates that we feel are worth remembering.

In years to come, while you are thumbing through this book, we hope it will take you back to this year where once more you will think of us.

This is the first yearbook our school has ever published, but it is our sincere hope that this yearbook project will become an annual affair in the future.

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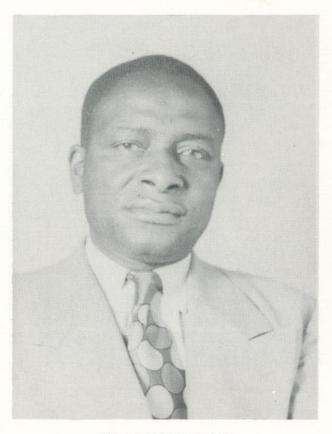
#### **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

It is under the vigilant guidance of the Board of Education that the Dogan High School has passed several mile stones of progress:

- 1. From a seven month school with six colored teacher units in 1936 to
- 2. A fully accredited school with 22 colored teacher units, one full-time principal and a full-time vocational agriculture teacher in 1952.
  - 3. From a scholastic of 225 (colored) in 1936 to a scholastic population of 711 in 1952.

The untiring efforts of the School Board shall never be forgotten by the patrons of this community.

#### **DEDICATION**



MR. RANDOLPH TITUS

We, the N.F.A. Chapter of 1953, proudly dedicate this issue of the "Wildcat" to Mr. Randolph Titus, for his untiring efforts in this yearbook publication during the first year.

We also wish to express our appreciation to him for the many school activities he has promoted, for his leadership in maintaining a high school spirit, and above all, for being a close friend to each one of us.

We sincerely thank him and wish for him much health and prosperity throughout the coming years.

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Lorisa Willis



Pearline Willis



Theodore Willis

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Charles Bowens



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Violet Canady



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Iray Lee Wilkins



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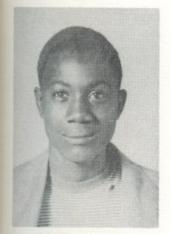
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Alvin Washington



Sarah Katherine Wilkins



Collie Mae Willis



Laura Willis



Nelson Willis



Annie Ruth Woodards



EIGHTH GRADE



SEVENTH GRADE



SEVENTH GRADE



SIXTH GRADE



SIXTH GRADE



FIFTH GRADE



FIFTH GRADE



THIRD FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADES



FOURTH GRADE



FOURTH GRADE





THIRD GRADE



SECOND GRADE



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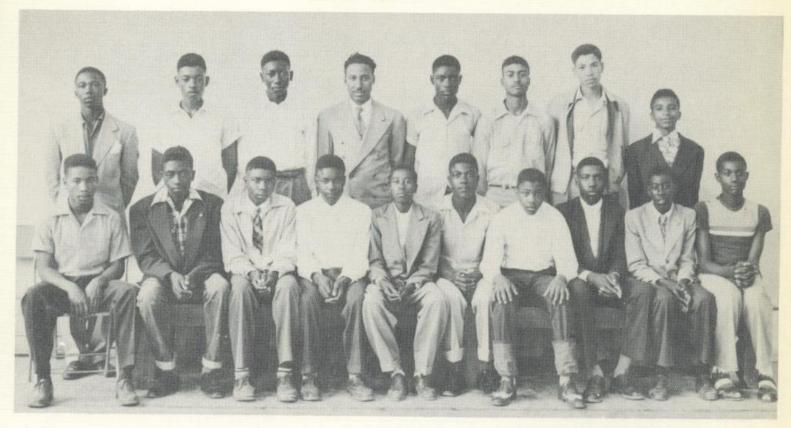
FIRST GRADE



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FIRST AND SECOND GRADES



(Top Picture) Mr. Edward Johnson -9th & 11th Grades

### PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLASSES

(Bottom Picture) Mrs. M. Palmore - Sophomore Girls





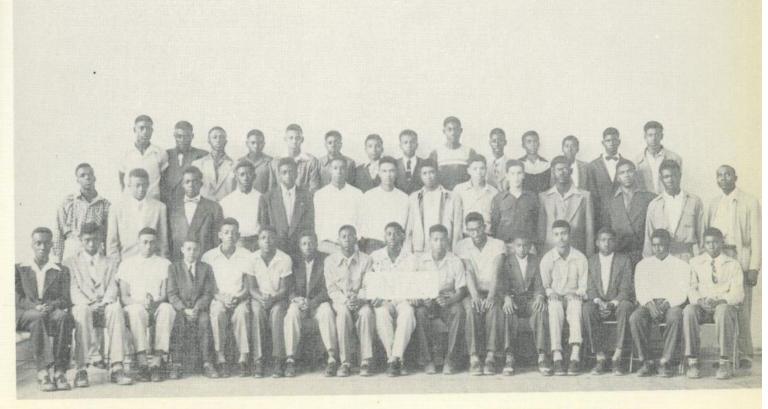
PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLASS



SCIENCE CLUB



NEW HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA



NEW FARMERS OF AMERICA



ELEMENTARY CHORUS



HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS



#### **SPORTS**



DOGAN HIGH WILDCATS OF '53 Runner-up in State N.F. A. Tournament



Front row from left to right: J. L. Fantroy, William J. Warren, Benny R. Gabriel, Mack A. Hunter, W. Leo Banks.

Back row from left to right: (Standing) Asst. Coach Edward Johnson, Labron Walker, Ezell Donnell, Edison McShan, James Ransom, Alvin J. Smith, Calvin N. McShan, Mascot, R. B. Foreman, Coach.

#### **SPORTS**



Edison McShan

#### THE 1952-53 WILDCAT RECORD

SCORES	WE	OPP.
Kerens	47	36
Green Bay	44	44
Concord	36	21
Kerens	75	52
Elkhart	40	29
St. Paul Mal.	40	25
Waxahachie	40	36
Madisonville	39	28
Centerville	67	33
Green Bay	46	48
Teague	61	31
Butler	80	21
Woodland	61	22
Concord	44	29
Teague -	40	20
Malakoff	42	37
P. V. Allstars	25	33
Woodland	92	33
Clemons	74	22
Teague	55	13
Butler	48	42
Dunbar	61	25
Wortham	52	15
Teague	67	20
Flinthill	45	44
Green Bay	40	42
Pineland	44	40
Livingston	46	61
Rosenburg	53	33
Elkhart	48	37
Butler	63	29
Green Bay	53	48
Green Bay	36	46
Green Bay	58	65
Bastrop	68	51
Stanton	84	36
Green Bay	40	33
Emmett Scott	53	67
Teague	38	17
Butler	78	25
Waxahachie	73	43
St. Paul Mal.	38	19
Hebert-Beaumont	58	38
Groesbeck	57	29



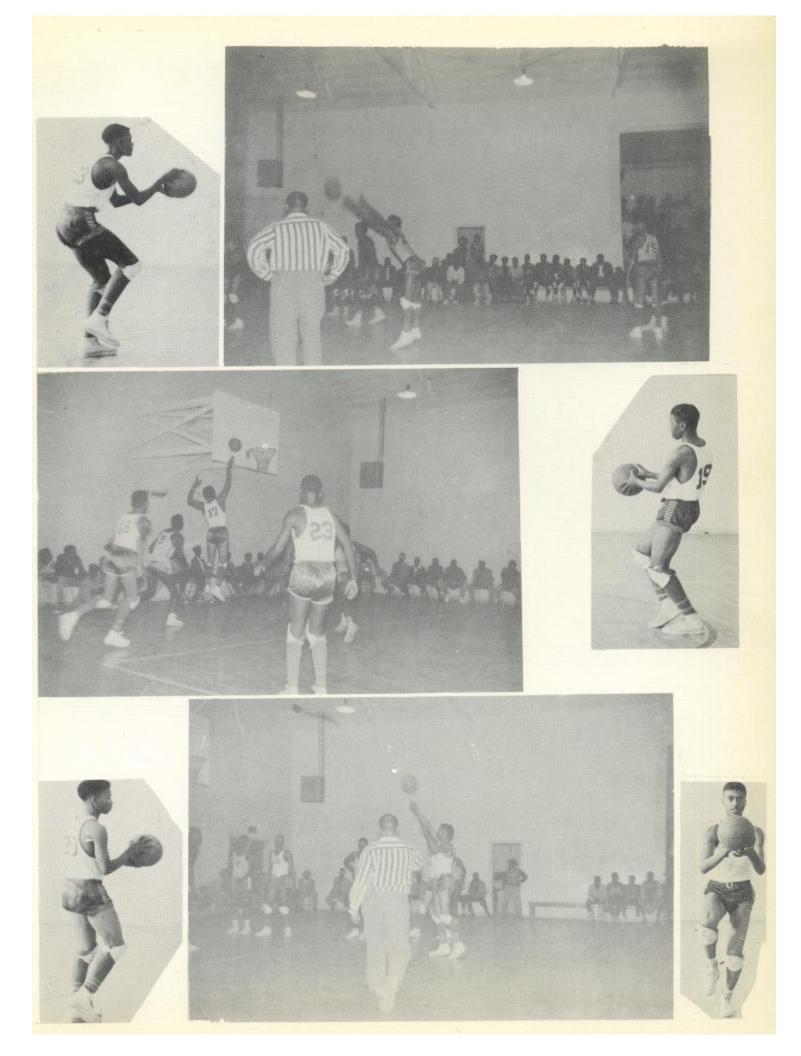
Ezell Donnell Captain



Labron Walker



Alvin Smith



#### **SPORTS**



Front row from left to right: Ceatria L. Bonner, Annette Watson, Mattie Lue Bonner, Mary Alice Morton, Katherine Donnell, Bonita Carter. Back row from left to right: Winnie Zora Spence, Marcie Marie Mc-Ilveen, Darless Canady, Gloria Mayes, Barbara Joe Jones, Magdaline Bluitt, (Coach) Mrs. E. Bonner.

#### 1952-53 RECORD FOR WILDCAT GIRL'S SCORES

,	WE	OPP.			
Kerens	16	30	Madisonville	21	13
Concord	15	25	St. Paul Malakoff	27	30
Kerens	22	29	Woodland	31	8
Elkhart	24	9	Clemons	28	28
St. Paul Malakoff	26	33	Butler	25	30
Waxahachie	23	14	Butler	28	27
Madisonville	13	11	Centerville	22	35
Centerville	21	37	Centerville	27	34
Helion		18	Waxahachie	29	13
			Butler	28	27
TOTAL PROPERTY.			Furney Richardson	26	27
Concord	12	19	Woodland	33	20
Teague Richland Butler Concord	28 27 17 12	10 13	Butler Furney Richardson	28 2 <b>6</b>	