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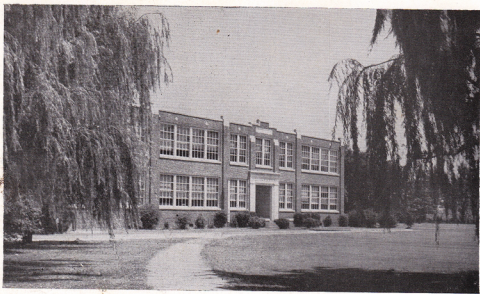
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Foreword

We hope that by basing this, the fourteenth volume of the York Chronicle, on music, we will endeavor to have a better understanding of and more appreciation for music. We also hope that by this act the band will be inspired to ever greater achievement and will feel that we, the class of 1948, are whole-heartedly behind them in all they endeavor to do for Poquoson High.



DEDICATION

We, the class of 1948, dedicate this the XIV volume of the York Chronicle to the members of the York Rangers in appreciation of their support in organizing the band in Poquoson High School.

OUR BAND

In the summer of 1947 most of our band members began their preparation for the school year by studying and learning to play their instruments. A few days after school started they played together for the first time, and for the first time each enjoyed the thrill of being a part of a real band. After they learned to play a few tunes they wanted to play for someone, but their director said "no." He wanted to give the York Rangers the benefit of their first public performance in honor of the work they did in furnishing the band with equipment. They set out to build a good concert for the York Rangers and on March 12, 1948 it was played. From then on everyone in the county came to know the kind of work they were doing. The concert turned out very successfully and future playing dates very soon began to show up.

The personnel of the band includes both boys and girls and they are having a great time learning and playing new music. Many have sacrificed considerably to take part; some worked to buy their instruments; some had them bought for them by others in their family; some went to their savings; but all feel it was well worth their effort.

The band promises to increase in size by next year but will lose none yet because of graduation. The instrumentation so far consists of fourteen Clarinets, three Trumpets, three Cornets, three Alto Horns, two Saxophones, three Drums, three Trombones, two Baritone Horns, one Bell Lyre (Glockenspiel), two BB-flat Sousaphones. More players can be used on practically all sections, and the director is on the lookout for more talent.

For marching preparations the first thing needed is a drum major, to lead the band on the field. The band expects to play for football games next fall and so add more spirit to the games.



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I ask that each one of you continue to maintain the high ideals of the past and face the future with that sense of honor that will create a better understanding between people.

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*Best wishes
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*Parents:
I know
pleasure having
you in my life
class. You are
good in sports and
study will be and you
will be a more successful
teacher. I will be
sweet girl. Best
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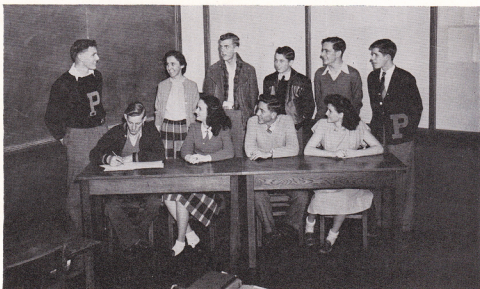
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STUDENT GOVERNMENT

The Student Government has been busy around school doing some jobs, such as, the drive for the Red Cross and Infantile Paralysis. The chapel programs have been under the direction of the Council and each has been very good. Dolly Pauls, the president, has been helping Mr. Thomas with the finances of the school, also during football season the gate men were appointed by the representative in charge of the Athletic Department. With the experience gained this year, we hope to make the Student Government more successful another year.



First row, left to right: Jean Forrest, Ned Mills.

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Fifth row, left to right: Dolly Pauls, Henry Forrest, Mr. Edwards, Sponsor; Coleman Moore, Wendell Worman, Henry Hunt, Henry Bunting, Richard Topping.

SAFETY PATROL

This year the Safety Patrol has as its aim the making of our school system a safer and better place in which to carry on our education. In striving to fulfill this aim we have many unpleasant duties to perform, but with the realization that the student body is behind us we work hard.

With Robert Mills as Captain and Jean Forrest as Lieutenant, the Safety Patrol, composed of thirty-one members, tried to achieve the goal of safety on the school campus and the buses. Mr. Phillip Edwards is our sponsor and helper.