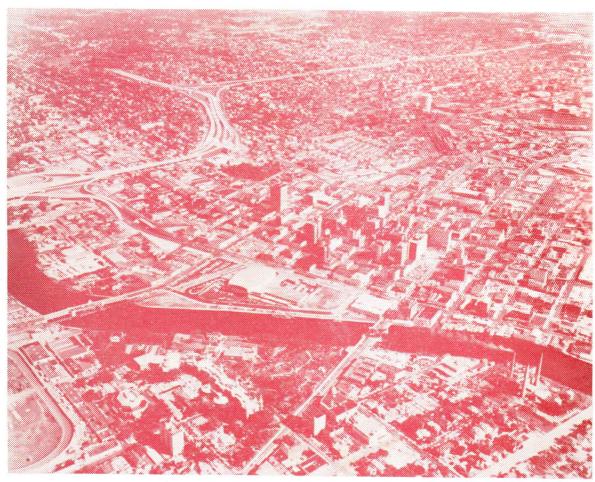


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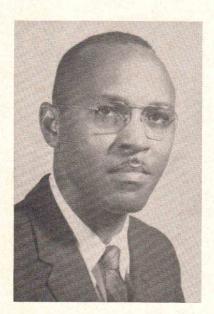
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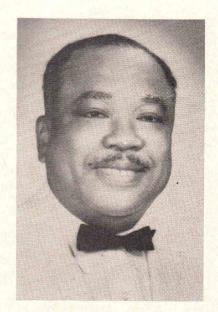
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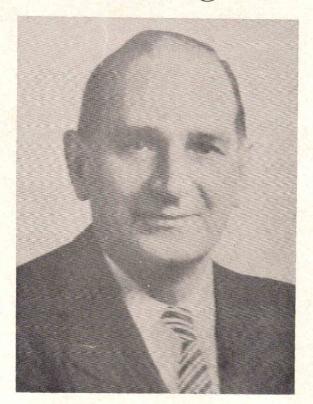


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Greetings...



TO PARTICIPANTS IN THE 19th ANNUAL STATE BAND FESTIVAL

It is my pleasure, as Mayor of the City of Tampa, to welcome band members from throughout the state who are in our city for the 19th Annual State Band Festival.

I am sure you will enjoy your stay in Tampa, and that the facilities available for your enjoyment will provide you with a visit you will long remember.

We will be happy to have you return to Tampa for any future festivals, or as individual visitors.

Sincerely,
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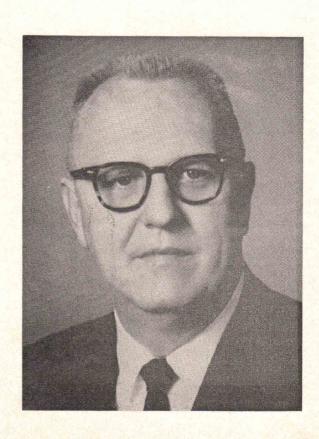
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The Hillsborough County Board of Public Instruction has long felt that music has a most important part in the school curriculum. Not only do music programs provide many worthwhile activities for our young people; music instruction helps make our students well-rounded adults.

It is a great pleasure for me to extend this welcome to you, in behalf of the Board of Public Instruction to the 19th Annual State Band Festival. We are proud that you have chosen Middleton High School as you host school this year.

BEN HILL, Jr., Chairman
Board of Public Instruction
Hillsborough County



GREETINGS

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you, in the name of the Hillsborough County Public School System, to our county and, more specifically, to Middleton High School. I know that you are going to enjoy being in Tampa, a city rich in musical tradition.

Music is truly an international language. It recognizes no barriers, real or imaginary. It speaks so that all may understand if they but listen.

I think it is quite fitting that Tampa, a truly international city, should be the locale for the Florida State Band Festival.

J. CROCKETT FARNELL
Superintendent of Public Instruction
Hillsborough County







GREETINGS

It is a pleasure to welcome you to the Cigar City for your Annual Florida State Band Festival.

At a time when such great technological and social advances are being made in our way of life, it is very fitting that they be accompanied by activities of a cultural nature. We believe that such activities have a definite place in education and do much to relieve some of the tensions under which we live today.

In this, the Space Age, as in every other age, people will have inner lives to live. It is through such media as music that they will become more occupied with artistic ideals and, thus, more competent at developing that inner sense of well-being that is so vital to a contented life.

My congratulations to all of the band directors in our schools who have worked so hard to make this event possible.

Again, I extend greetings and my sincere wishes for a successful festival. May you have many more.

G, V. STEWART
Administrative Assistant
Hillsborough County Public Schools

Welcome...

It is a pleasure to extend a cordial welcome to the 19th Annual State Band Festival on behalf of the Middleton High School Family. Certainly this occasion is an outstanding cultural event for our community as well as a rich and rewarding experience to the many young people who are participating in the performances.

We hope that your stay in Tampa will be enjoyable and profitable.

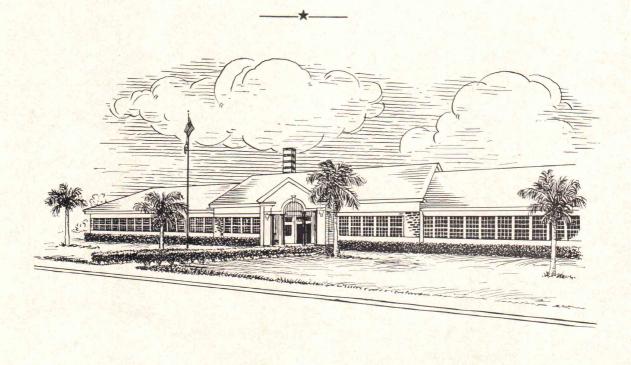
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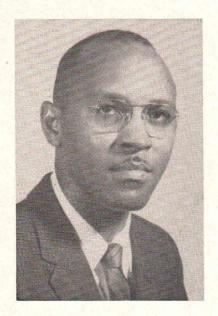
A. J. Ferrell Principal

Middleton High School









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GREETINGS

Welcome to the 19th Annual South State Band Festival. You are to be commended for your performance at the district festivals.

This year marks the beginning of a new era in music education in the State of Florida. As students of music in this dynamic age, you must exert every effort to meet national standards and to attain higher goals.

We, as directors, also face challenges which require serious and consistent effort.

Let's put our "shoulders to the wheel" so that together me may reach wider horizons in music education.

JAMES W. WILSON

President

Florida Association of Band Directors

THE STATE SCHOOL BAND COMPETITION

The primary purpose of the school music competition is to serve as a factor in the educational program through the direct values, the inspiration, examples and incentives, afforded the young people and their teachers and directors. Therefore, adjudication of participants if regarded as a means for evaluating the progress and musical status of the group or individual rather than merely comparing with other participants to secure an expert opinion of which is best, which is second best, and so on.

This has been made possible by abandoning the ranking or place method of adjudication in favor of the present widely used rating plan, adopted by the National Board Association some years ago.

Bands participating in District IV are classified according to the total enrollment of the school represented and the age of the band. Adjudication against a standard, as determined by competent judges, in each class, determines the accomplishment of the organization or individual.

Depending upon the rating received in each division of competion, bands are placed in one of five divisions: Superior, Excellent, Good, Average, and Below average.

In addition, the judges, of each band or individual competing, will make constructive criticisms and helpful suggestions for improvement,

ADJUDICATORS

WILLIAM P. FOSTER

Scholar, author, leader, musician, William P. Foster indeed approximates uomo universale. Trained at Kansas (B. A.), Wayne State (M. A.), and Columbia (Ed. D.) Universities, Dr. Foster is known on both sides of the Atlantic. Apart from the kudos provoked by his publications in such journals as Sigmund Spaeth's Book, The Instrumentalist Magazine, School Musicians Magazine, and Music and Dance in the Southeastern States, Dr. Foster also bestrides the celebrated pages of Who's Who in Music (1955-56), of Who's Who in Southeastern Music (1955-56), and of Who's Who in Education (Seventeenth Edition, 1955). Moreover, in 1959, alone, Dr. Foster received both Florida A. and M. University's Outstanding Achievement and Outstanding Service Awards, only to receive the following year (1960) the coveted Florida State Music Educators Association Award. More recently, he and "The Marching 100" (the appelation suggests the soldierly orderliness superimposed upon rapidity and musical accuracy of Florida A. and M. University's marching band) have been televised nationally during invitational half-time performances at professional football games both in Maimi (1963) and in Cleveland (1964).

Among Dr. Foster's almost incalculable organizational affiliations are American Bandmasters Association, College Band Directors National Associa-



tion (of which Dr. Foster is Florida State Chairman), Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity, American Musicological Society, Music Educators National Conference, Masonic Lodge, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Florida State Music Educators Association (of which Dr. Foster is Vice-President), Phi Delta Kappa, and National Education Association.

Presently, Dr. Foster is Chairman and Professor of Music in Florida A. and M. University, Tallahassee, Florida.



RICHARD M. FEASEL

Richard M. Feasel has been a member of the faculty of the Stetson University School of Music since 1946, teaching woodwinds and theory. He also conducts the University Band and Woodwind Ensembles. He holds the degrees, Bachelor of Music and aMster of Arts, has studied conducting with Pierre Monteux, and theory and composition with Nadia Boulanger in Paris.

Mr. Feasel is a past president of the Florida Composers League, of the DeLand Civic Music Association, and has served as chairman of the National Inter-Scholastic Activities Commission. He has served as a consultant on the Ford Foundation Young Composers Project, and also on a number of projects involving acoustics and physics of sound. He is a composer whose works receive an increasing number of performances each year, and he has served widely as a guest conductor and adjudicator for music festivals.

He is a member of the American Bandmasters Association, the Florida and National Music Educators Associations, the College Band Directors National Association, and of Kappa Kappa Psi, Kappa Delta Pi and Omicron Delta Kappa.

MAJOR J. B. O'NEAL

Director of Band and Orchestras for 18 years at Dan McCarty Senior High School at Fort Pierce. Was Supervisor of Instrumental Music for St. Lucie County Public School System.

Graduate of Conn National School of Music. Studied extensively with such educators as H. A. Vandercook, Frederick Neil Ennis and Dr. Edwin C. Barnes.

Was Cornet Soloist of the 116th Field Artillery Band and Director of hte Second Regiment Band, National Guard of Alabama.

Employed for several years as recording artist with both Victor and Columbia as member of the famous Warners Band.

Past President of Florida Bandmasters Association, member American School Band Directors Association and National Music Fraternity, Kappa Kappa Psi.

Has served widely as adjudicator of district and state contests.



RICHARD W. BOWLES



Director of Bands, University of Florida Gainesville, Florida

Richard W. Bowles, composer, clinician, and author, became Director of Bands at the University of Florida in 1961. His more than twenty published titles include the concert march, "Burst of Flame," now in its sixth edition and listed among

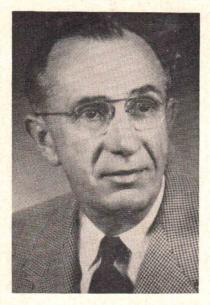
the "World's 100 Most Popular Marches" by the Instrumentalist Magazine.

Prior to his joining the Gator Band staff in 1958, Bowles was for 12 years a highly successful band director and music supervisor in the schools of Indiana. His Broncho Band from Lafayette, Indiana, was the featured band in the Orange Bowl Musical Spinwheel in January of 1956. He is a former president of the Indiana School Music Association.

Bowles received his undergraduate training at Indiana University, where he studied composition with Robert Sanders. His graduate work at the University of Wisconsin, where he received the Master of Science Degree in 1950, included study in musical composition with Cecil Burleigh. He is also a graduate of the Army Music School, and was for more than three years the Bandleader of the 715th Army Air Forces Band, during World War II.

Bowles is a member of ASCAP, is on the Board of Directors of the National Band Association, and edits the "Counterpoint" column of the Instrumentalist Magazine. He is an Associate Professor at the University Lecture Series Committee. He is a the University, and is chairman of the University Lecture Series Committee.He is a member of the American Bandmasters Association.

OTTO J. KRAUSHAAR



Mr. Kraushaar is a graduate of Howe Military School, Howe, Indiana; Sherwood Music School in Chicago; with graduate work at the University of Wisconsin and the University of Iowa. He served on the Flagship U.S.S. Pennsylvania during World War I, was bassoonist with the Canadian Kilties Band, Chicago Concert Band, and with the Elkhart, Indiana; Fort Wayne, Indiana, and Kalamazoo, Michigan Symphony Orchestras; was bassoonist with the Sousa Band for four years; was director of instrumental music in the LaGrange County, Indaina public schools for

seven years, director of music in the Waupun, Wisconsin public schools for seven years; Sales Manager of the Chromatic Stroboscope Division of the C. G. Conn Co., Elkhart, Indiana for four years; director of Music in the Lake Wales, Florida public schools for thirteen years; director of bands at the summer music camp at Florida State University for ten summers; has been director of bands at the summer music camp at the University for the past ten summers. He went to Miami High School as director of music in 1954 and remained in this position for six years. He retired from active high school work in 1959 and is now on the Music Faculty of the University of Miami.

Mr. Kraushaar was Secretary-Treasurer of the National School Orchestra Association for four years; Secretary-Treasurer of the Florida Bandmasters Association one year; President of the Florida Music Educators Association for four years; Vice-President of the Southern Division Music Educators National Conference two years and a member of its Board of Directors six years; has been Vice-President and President of the Florida Bandmasters Association.

Mr. Kraushaar was elected President of the American Bandmasters Association at its annual convention at Long Beach, California in March 1961. On December 30, 1961 on a National Telecast of the Blue-Gray Football game in Montgomery, Alabama he received the "MAC" award for his effective efforts in maintaining the high ideals, music standards, and professional leadership in the Music Education Field of America.

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SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

7:00- 8:45	A.M.—Breakfast	Cafeteria
9:00-12:00	A.M.—Concert Competion	Auditorium
12:00- 1:30	P.M.—Lunch	Cafeteria
1:30- 2:00	P.M.—General Assembly	. Auditorium
2:00- 4:00	P.M.—Concert Competition	. Auditorium
9:00-12:00	A.M.—2:00-4:00 P.M.—Sight Reading	Band Room
9:00-12:00	A,M.—2:00-4:00 P.M.—Solo and Ensemble	A-2
9:00-12:00	A.M.—2:00-4:00 P.M.—Majorette Twirling	Gymnasium
4:30- 6:00	P.M.—Entertainment	Gymnasium
7:30 P.M	-Marching Band Exhibition	Phillips Field

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GENERAL ASSEMBLY

MIDDLETON HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM-1:30 P. M.

Presiding: B. C. PRATT, Jr.

District Chairman and State Southern Division Coordinator

PROGRAM

Pledge Of Allegiance	
Selection	Middleton High School Chorus
Welcome	A. J. Ferrell, Principal
	Middleton High School Sandra J. Gatlin
Solo—"I Believe"	Sandra J. Gatlın
Welcome	Calvin Morman, President
Selection	Middleton High School Band
Remarks	M. A. Rodriquez, Host Band Director
	Middleton High School
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SCHEDULE OF CONCERT COMPETITION AND MARCHING PERFORMANCE

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	Lake ShoreC Belle Glade
	Booker CC Sarasota
	East Lake CC Pahokee
	Carver B Delray Beach
	B Winter Haven
	Pinellas B Clearwater
	Roosevelt B West Palm Beach
	Blanche Ely BB Pompano
	Blake BB Tampa
3:30	Mills BB Webster

(Guest from North State Division)

INSTRUCTIONS

Sight Reading will follow each concert in the band room.

Bands are expected to perform on the field, beginning 7:30 P. M., in the same order as outlined above. The time allotment for each band perform ance is eight (8) minutes..

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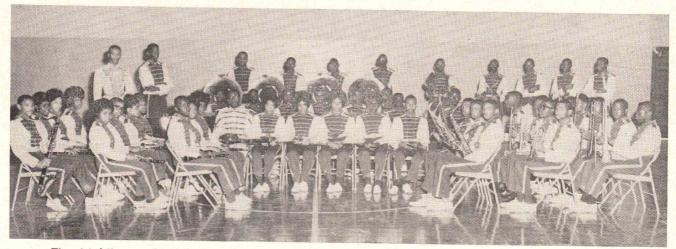
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Tampa, Florida

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The Middleton High School Band was organized in 1946 with only eighteen members. It is the oldest band in the district and the only AA band in the southern division of the state.

BAND ROSTER

Clarinets

James Kilpatrick
Berthenia Creal
Edwin Kendrick
Edward Morgan
Charles Taylor
Frances Myers
Barbara Mobley
Cynthia Williams
Ilia Alexander
Leonard Williams
Susan Sullivan
Helmar Hodges
Gloria Bryant

Bass Clarinet Frederick Hearns

Flutes

Versey Moss Ethel Long Sharon Niblack Diane Brown Gloria Mazion

Oboes

Charlie Gilmore Myrtle Terry

Basoon

Melvin Nelson

Saxophones

Jerry Watkins Edwin Hill Caleb Williams

Cornets

Herbert Larry Ronald Williams Walter Crawford Dwight Massey Johnnie Edwards Charles Dorsey

Baritone Horns

Lewis Sheperd Eugene Richardson Isaac Mathis Carlton Bevel Ronald Coffie

Sousaphones

Jackie Douglass William Willingham Johnnie Highsmith Robert Smith

Glockenspiels

Mildred Williams Georgia Range

French Horns

Robert Hall Joseph Hicks Joseph Fesser Elizabeth Baker

Trombone (Valve) John Rodriguez

Trombones

Henry Hart Ralph Bell Grover Cochran Louis Culpepper Leroy Edwards

Tympani

A. J. Richardson

Snare Drums

Richmond Myrick Clarence Nathan Ronald Anderson

Bass Drums

Fredric Johnson

Cymbals

Eddie Davis Ben Plair





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West Palm Beach, Florida L. A. KIRKSEY, Director CLASSIFICATION — B



BAND ROSTER

Flutes

*Janese Sampson Orville Lawton Sandra Simmons Carolyn Young Thelma Littles

Clarinets

*James Saunders
Marjorie Reynolds
Bettye Elam
Altamease Barkley
Yvonne Barber
Yvonne Wright
Deborah Richardson
Jacquelyn Minus
Erna Moore
Cassandra Wilson
Leon James

Cornets

Myron Reynolds
*John Reese
Morris Johnson
Arthur Williams
Juan Burrows
Willie Wilburn
Donald Gibson
Frank Walker
Mattie Walker
Sylvia Gerald
Ronald Bullard

Trombones

*Julius Kidd Sol Preston Murray Junes John Williams Judith Bell

Majorettes

Pamela Bradshaw Mary Kelly Iona Joseph Betty Brinson Maria Thomas Diedra Gardner

Saxophones

Mae Helen McKenzie
*Lionell Wallace
*Forrest Parson
Tommie Thomas
Frank King
Billie Smith

French Horn

*Ronald Davis Joyce Waldon Howard Strozier

Baritone

*Lawrence George Henry Brown

Bassoon

Eleanor Hodge

Oboe

Iona Joseph

Basses

*Johnny Hollis Charlie Weaver

Percussion

*James McGee
Robert Johnson
Jimmy Horne
Richard Carter
Tharon Richardson
John Gaskin
Pembrook Burrows
Larry Herndon

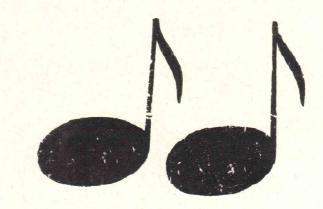
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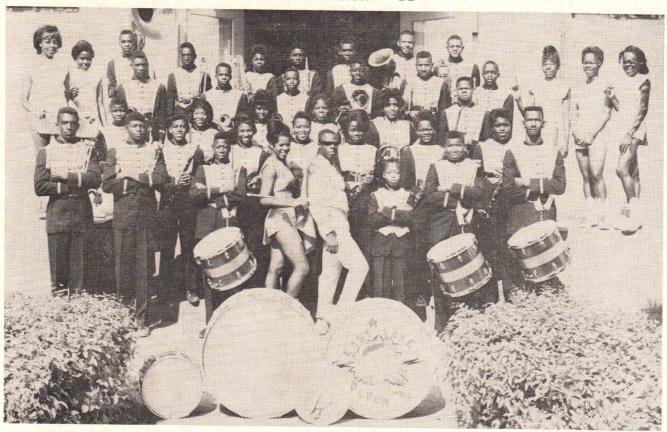
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EAST LAKE HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Pahokee, Florida

WILLIE R. PYFROM, Director CLASSIFICATION — CC



The East Lake Golden Hawk Band was organized in 1959 by Mr. Eric M. Wilson of Bethune-Cookman College. Mr. Wilson directed the band until the end of school year 1960-61.

Mr. Willie R. Pyfrom, graduate of Florida A. and M. University became the director at the beginning of the 1961-62 school year and is presently the director. Under Mr. Pyfrom the band has been a first division for four straight years.

BAND ROSTER

Flute

Charles Marshal,
Principal
Barbara Brinson

Clarinets

Ronald Butler, Principal Claudia Crosbie Jeanette Jackson Elizabeth Holmes Eula Moree Hattie M. Worthen

Bass Clarinet

Viola Hickman

Saxophone

Daphine Crosbie, Principal Olivie Pryor Reanie Samuels

Cornets

Levy Kelly, Principal Frederick Bass Albert Smith Tommy Bunnell

Horns

James Butler,
Principal
Thomas Burgess
John Davis

Trombones

Loran Barnes, Principal Donald Williams James Gwinn

Baritones

Marion Bell, Principal Melvin Brooks

Basses

William C, Wright, Principal Charles Barber

Drums

Marvin Joseph,
Principal
Willie Davis
Clarence Morris
Willie C. Hunter
Ivan Samuels
Calvin Williams
Bobby Coleman
James Williams

Bells

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Delores Boldin
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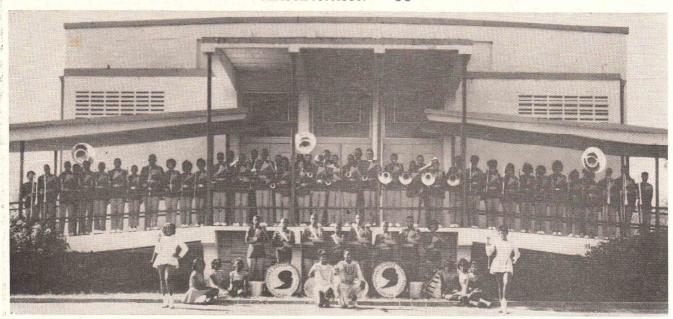
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BOOKER HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Sarasota, Florida

TURNELL L. COVINGTON, Director

CLASSIFICATION — CC



The Booker High School Band was first organized during the fall of 1951 under the directorship of Mr. Alexander Valentine. In 1957 Mr. Turner L. Covington became its director. This organization has performed in numerous parades and concerts each year, both in and out of town. During the past years the band has merited many superior ratings at district and state festivals.

BAND ROSTER

Flutes

Viletta Neely Rachelle Roberts Paulette Wiggins Berryl Mosley Czrina Span Rosalind Stevens Sharon McKinnon

Clarinets

John Major
Westley Thomas
Reginald Major
Charles Hill
Carl Maultsby
Gwendolyn Nall
Loreda Dixon
Sandra Shields
Clyde Robinson
Gaston Spires
Debra Hinson

Alto Clarinet

Leonard Dixon
Bass Clarinet

Paul Jenkins Oboe

Thomas Cliburn

Saxophones

axophones
Leon Dixon
Jackie Wiggins
Rondy Shields
Linda Miller
Michael Chester
James Robinson

Trumpets

Robert Clark
Kenneth Hooks
Harry Wheeler
Olen Kindred
Bobby Livingston
Nathan Thompson
Willie Bradley
Ernest Haynes

French Horns

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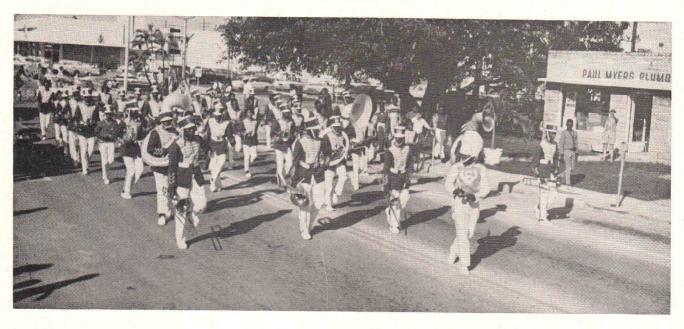
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CARL WESLEY, Director

CLASSIFICATION — B



The Carver High School Band may be well termed a valuable asset to the surroundings community as well as the Carver High School Family.

The band was organized in 1951 under Hezekiah Brown. In 1958 its present-day director, Mr. Carl Wesley, filled his position.

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Shirley Jackson
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Albert Mitchell

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At present the band membership stands at 75 under the direction of Samuel L. Hayward.

ROSTER BAND

Oboe

Mitchem, Sarah

Flutes, 1st

Keene, Barbara Miller, Claudell Miller, Gloria

Flutes, 2nd

Byrd, Donald Franklin, Linda Myers, Judy

Clarinets, 1st Brown, John Green, Joyce Keene, Donald Ponds, James

Clarinets, 2nd Blunt, George Davis, Harold Miller, Jessie Rhodes, Eleanor Wilburn, Isla

Clarinets, 3rd

Golden, Doris Green, Mary Jackson, Joyce Mitchell, Doris Rembert, Ethel Sams, Loretta Smith, Sandra Smith, Robert

Alto Clarinet

Cooper, Audrey

Bass Clarinets

Murry, Henry Williams, Charlie

Saxophones

Cannon, Vernon - Tenor Carr, Herbert - Alto Granville, Betty - Alto Jones, Donald - Tenor Loving, Forest-Baritone Woolridge Charles-Alto

Bassoon

Henry, Edward

Horns

Feazell, Jerry Gooden, Charlie Hatchett, Paulette Hill, Tommie Payton, Lawrence

Trumpets

Christopher, Ronald Elmore, Johnny Falana, Roland Hamm, Marvin Miller, Delrick Neal, Frankie Payton, Rudolph Stewart, Emmitt St. Clair, Ezar Wilkins, Robert

Baritones

Feazell, John Hobbs, Lenton Howard, Dwight Wilson, William

Basses

Johnson, Albert Jones, Harold Morrow, Eddie Samuel, Benjamin

Trombones

Burney, Willie Butler, Morris Chestine, Bernard Flagler, Milton Jenkins, Lavern Lyles, Johnny Samuel, Vivian

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Winter Haven, Florida CLASSIFICATION - B



Because of an anxious desire to have instrumental music introduced in the curriculum of Jewett High School, the principal, Mr. Canary Robinson secured the services of Mr. Neal D. Bland as bandmaster in September, 1951. Mr. Bland organized a drum and bugle corps which was the nucleus of the present school band organization.

During the school term 1952-53, the school band membership increased to twenty-eight. This was due particularly to the fact that a number of instruments had been donated to the school and

that the school had purchased additional ones.

Under the directorship of Mrs. Monique Simpson, the band made commendable progress. It

was during the school term 1952-53 that the band gave its first band clinic (as a spectator).

Mr. Johnny B. Neal became bandmaster in September, 1953, and under his leadership, the band roster numbered forty-five during the school term. As a tribute to the fine spirit and achievements of the band, the citizens and school community combined their financial efforts and purchased uniforms for its members.

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Clarinets

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Willie Worth Danne R. Frazier Ronald Gaffney

Horns

Bruce Brown Nelson Cornish Thaddeus Jones

Flutes

Diane Welch Belinda Taylor Gwendolyn Winston Andrice Brown Nathaniel Bellamy George Durham Albert Longwood Verne Davis William Brown William Winston James Ruffin Doris Flemmings

Basses

Vernis Leonard Jimmy Ackerman

Baritones

Walter Gaskin William Pittman George Miller

Drums

Clifford Laster Robert Bevins Richard Deloach Perry Burham Vernon Crawford Clifford Robinson Claude Luster William Sapp Chester Leonard Sherman Moore Renjamin Neal Thomas Mobley Andrew Lewis

Sylvia Crawford

Trumpets

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Albert Arenas Frank Bell John Bowden Lymon Brodie Samuel Brookins Robert Brown Aaron Bryant Eric Corbitt William Crutchfield Willie Green Williard Henderson Gregory Hepburn Clayton Hookes Charles Hughes Francis James Theodore James Gregory Jamison Stanley Jefferson Willie Lawrence Leon Lowry Johnny McPhadden Calvin McCray Altonio McQuay Anthony Minor Willie Nelson Victor Nickson Joseph Powers Sammy Randolph Lee Reddick

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French Horns Patrick Rhone Bennie Ward

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Baritone Horn

Van Johnson Dwight Higgs

Bass Horn

Willie Wimberly Walter Clark

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In an effort to coordinate instrumental instruction and to fortify the programs, Mr. Kirksey, as band director of Florida A. and M. University, contacted the newly employed band teachers in the state. Among them were: the late Guy Glover, Raymond Sheppard, George Hill, and Alvin Downing. These directors and their newly formed bands, along with Captain Frank Drye, clinician and guest conductor of Tuskegee Institute, initiated the first Band Festival program held at Florida A. and M. University in 1941.

Unfortunately, shortly after the organization, the Annual Festival Program and area clinics were forced to suspend activity due to World War II. In 1947, after the war, Mr. L. A. Kirksey, who had transferred to Roosevelt High School of West Palm Beach, gathered together the shreds of the organization and revived the festival movement.

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