

A PICTORIAL HISTORY OF THE TINGLEY (IOWA) SCHOOL AND STUDENTS 1883 - 1976

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The REasons

Publication of this pictorial history of the Tingley school was prompted by the following circumstances and objectives:

Owners of the photos were anxious to share them with alumni and friends.

Such historical data will recall our Tingley heritage and remind us that the school is one of our most vital community institutions. It may stimulate interest in keeping the school in Tingley, and encourage resistance to its removal.

Generous publishing terms by Merle Been, Owner of Printing Services, Inc., made this project possible. Tingley alumni are grateful for many fine printed pieces he has provided in the past at no charge and he offered the same outrageous terms. Your alumni committee, however, knows that the cost of such a publication is more than we should evade, and voted to place a sale price on this document. Truly, it is a non-profit project, proceeds will be used first to pay actual cost of printing; then the surplus, if any, will go to the Tingley Alumni Association...possibly to finance other similar publications. A limited number of copies were printed, so get your copy immediately and tell other present and former Tingley residents of this offer.

Publication of these photos, with apologies for identification gaps and errors, hopefully will result in the discovery and preservation of others, plus additional identifications. If you have old pictures, perhaps stored in mysterious boxes, the committee urges that you take immediate steps to protect them....and record the years and names before they are forgotten.

Perhaps you can fill in some missing names and information for these pictures. Please give such data to a member of the alumni association committee.

Eloise Brown, Chairman PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE

- THE TOWN OF TINGLEY

ORIGIN OF ITS NAME AND HISTORICAL REVIEW OF ITS PROGRESS

About 1867, several settlers wanting mail facilities met at the home of Tingley Comwall to establish a post office at his home, these settlers agreed to take their turn carrying the mail from Afton, the nearest point to connect with the stage line. The name of 'Silver Street' was sent to the Post Office Department but was rejected as there was another office of that name in the state. It was suggested that Cornwall send his own name of 'Tingley' in it was accepted and Tingley Cornwall was appointed post master. In 1868 the post office was moved to Edgar Sheldon's place and the farmers were relieved as mail carriers. This was before Tingley township was organized. This with Union township was called Sand Creek.

In 1881, a town company laid out the village of Tingley on section 21, in Tingley Township. This was on the line of the Humeston and Shenandoah Railroad which was being built at that time by the Burlington and Wabash Companies, in partnership. The town company bought 200 acres of land from the Avenill Brothers, F. W. Harding, and George Swain. The railroad was in operation by the spring of 1882 so several places of business were built in the little village of 200 people. Tingley was incorporated in 1885. The State census of 1885 listed 211 inhabitants for Tingley and 619 for all of the Tingley Township.

BUSINESSES IN THE EARLY 1880's - George Swain built the first store and was the postmaster. Other businesses that followed were: Howland and McCreight; John Haver and Company, General Store (appointed postmaster in 1886); Parrish and Taylor, hardware; John Kelley, grocery; V.D. Colles, drugs; J. J. Berry, livery and feed stable; J. R. and W. L. Embree, lumber; Alexander Beard and Son, lumber; R. E. Burke, contractor and builder; Levi Coon, blacksmith; C. C. Bosworth, coal and John Rowell, harness.

It might be of interest to see the list of business firms in operation in October of 1886: George Swain, J. Haver and Co., Jones and Wilcox, and T. A. Fisher, general merchandise stores; J. M. Dunbar, clothing; J. R. Stewart, jewelry; Taylor and Swain and Garside and Son, hardware; R. W. Selby and Co. and T. P. Asbury, livery; Charles Carmichael, meat market; E. M. Stevens, restaurant; Mrs. Sadie Johnson, millinery; D. B. Alley and McCloskey & Wines, barbers; John Wines, shoe shop; John Rowell, harness; A. A. Elder, furniture; Willis Karr, Pacific Hotel; Levi Coon, blacksmith; C. H. Ennis, lumber; George Hale, station agent; J. J. McCreight, grain buyer; E. C. Edington, sewing machines; and Mrs. E. C. Edington, dressmaker (approximately 28 businesses in 1886).

In December of 1894, Tingley suffered one of the worst fires the county ever had, with losses mounting to \$40,000.00. The fire, which started in the general store, spread to the east and to the west, destroying the bank, the livery stable and other buildings.

Tingley and Mt. Ayr were connected by telephone about the fall of 1895, it was located in Dr. Berts' office. In 1903, a rural mail route was started from Tingley. The Tingley Coal Company was organized in 1903, with a capital of \$10,000.00, to prospect for coal, but none was found.

Trends in the 1920's in the county indicated many new business ventures. In Tingley, on May 23, 1921, William S. Breckenridge opened a grocery store in a small room about one-half block west of his present location. The store was moved to this location on May 1, 1923. Later, he acquired the Carter Hardware and the building which now completes the store site. Over the years, it has grown from a small grocery store into a 'One-Stop-Store' where you can find almost anything you need.

Three generations of the Breckenridges have served the people of the the Tingley Community and out-lying areas. At the time Wm. Breckenridge started his little store, Joe Sheesley's General Merchandise, Hicks and Weeda's and Mr. Miller's stores were in operation.

DOCTORS - L. E. St. John was the first physician. He stayed approximately two years and then went west. James Nichols and R. W. Selby were the practicing physicians about 1886 or 1887.

CHURCHES - The Christian Church was organized a few years before 1882 and held meetings in the Center Schoolhouse at the east edge of the village. They built their first church on the northeast part of town. This was the first church in the group of towns platted on sites along the railroad. Rev. E. W. Miller preached every two weeks and W. C. Smith was Sunday School Superintendent.

The Methodist Church as organized about the same time and also worshiped in the Center Schoolhouse until 1885, when they built a church in the north part of town. One of their early ministers was Rev. Geo. Nixon, of Afton.

The Baptists organized later and held services every four weeks in the Christian Church with Rev. Andrews, of Mt. Ayr; as preacher.

The United Presbyterian Church people held services every two weeks in the schoolhouse. They were organized about 1885 or 1886. Rev. Wm. Brown of Eugene was pastor and Wm. Laughery was Sunday School Superintendent.

SOCIETIES - Ben Talbot Post, No. 286, G.A.R. was organized in 1883, with a membership of forty. Meetings on second and last Saturdays of the month. Tempest Lodge, No. 164 K of P was organized in June 1886 with fifteen members. Meetings every Thursday. Lodge No. 72, A.H.T.A. had twenty six members and met the first Saturday of each month in Tingley. **TINGLEY ADMIRABLY LOCATED** - Located in the famous 'Blue Grass' region of Southern lowa; mostly a high rolling prairie. The soil is rich, black loam. It is unsurpassed for agricultural purposes and stock raising especially as a grass

prairie. The soil is rich, black loam. It is unsurpassed for agricultural purposes and stock raising especially as a grass producing country, pasturing many cattle and making timothy seed one of it's great exports.

FARM AND STOCK INTEREST - From 1876 the county was well known for its fine thoroughbred horses and cattle but also is a good producer of the 'hog', having some very fine herds of different breeds. The farmers in the vicinity of Tingley gave much attention to raising thoroughbred stock.

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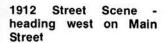
A VARIETY OF PICTURES OF MAIN STREET - TINGLEY, IOWA DATING FROM LATE 1880's TO THE 1970's



EARLIEST KNOWN PHOTO OF MAIN STREET - TAKEN IN THE LATE 1880's(Photo faces the east)



Picture taken after the fire of 1894 - facing west.







A little closer view of the south side of Main Street in 1914.

STREET SCENES CONTINUED



Howard Edwards, Ed Stover, and Jessie Richards Newton in front of the Post Office.

This photo taken in 1929...no horse and buggies seen now! (Facing west).





This picture of Main Street was taken in 1960. Looks very similar to the way it looks in 1976. (Facing east).



The picture of Breckenridge Store was taken in 1960.



This aerial view of Tingley was taken in 1971. This view was made into post cards and distributed by the Tingley State Savings Bank.

HISTORY OF TINGLEY SCHOOL

ESTABLISHMENT AND EARLY YEARS OF OUR SCHOOL IS OUTLINED IN THIS STORY FROM THE **VINDICATOR OF MAY 28, 1903**

The Tingley Independent School District was organized in 1882. The first school directors were elected in April, consisting of J. J. McCreight, Jacob Frane and John Haver. Jacob Frane has been a member of the school board ever since, with the exception of two years when he wed outside of the district.

The present school building was erected in 1885 at a cost of \$3,300, the contractor being N. B. Case, of Clearfield. An addition was built to the school building in 1901, making it a building of six rooms. There are five departments of the school presided over by as able a corps of teachers as may be found in the county. The history of the school has been one of progress. As a rule the teachers have been above the average in ability, especially those now in charge have given excellent satisfaction.

They are earnestly supported by the patrons of the school, and the school board is always anxious to furnish supplies that will aid the teachers in making the instructions efficient. A large number from outside the district attend the school each year and under the management of the present principal, Prof. Murray, it has maintained a well earned reputation of being one of the best schools in the county. Thoroughness is the chief aim and those from outside of the district who contemplate taking advantage

of a high school can not do better than attend the Tingley school. Prof. Murray has been retained as principal for another year. During the vacation he is teaching in the summer school at Drake University.

Miss Freeman is the oldest teacher in the school having been constantly employed in the primary department since 1893.

Sixty-nine have graduated from the Tingley schools, the sons and daughters of some of the best families of the town and surrounding country. The first school held in town was held in the second story of a building that stood where Elder's drug store now stands. There was also school maintained in a school house located at the northeast corner of town, directly north of where Mr. Lanham's residence now stands. The building is now used as a house for Mr. Swain's family carriage and stands just west of his dwelling.

The list of principals are as follows:

F. R. Porter. F. F. Fuller,

F. E. Sanders, Gertrude Miller. Clara Milligan,

Louis Ellington,

Loie Campbell,

F. E. Hall





1918 - TINGLEY BUILDS NEW \$25,000.00 BRICK SCHOOL HOUSE

Information on new school house was taken from September - 1918 issue of Tingley Vindicator - this building still stands in 1976 and is still in use, since the re-organization of our school system in 1960 it is now used to house Kindgergarten, 4th, 5th, and 6th grade classes and is known as the Tingley Division of Mt. Ayr Community Center. Included in the Mt. Ayr Community School System at this time are the towns of Beaconsfield, Ellston, Tingley, Mt. Ayr, Redding, Delphos, and Maloy.

Tingley's new \$25,000 brick school building was completed in September of 1918. The building is 51' x 79' in size and 39' high. The furnace chimney at the the northwest corner towers up 48 ft. It has a basement, and first and second stories. The basement houses the domestic science and manual training rooms, restrooms, the gymnasium and furnace and fuel rooms, on the first floor there are the four grade rooms complete with seating, blackboards and cloak rooms. In the main hall on this floor there is a sanitary drinking fountain. The water supply is procured from a well, it was necessary to go to a depth of 65 feet to secure sufficient water supply. On the third foor the study hall or main assembly occupies the west half of this floor, two recitation rooms, a laboratory and the superintendents office make up the other part of the third floor. Above the main stairway is the book room.

The floors of the rooms are of hard maple and the stairways and halls of cement, making the building as nearly fireproof as possible.

The architect for the building is Wm. Gordon of St. Joe.

The brick work was done by F. H. Thomas also of St. Joe, the plastering by I. G. Brown of Lamoni; the painting by Arthur Slaughter of Mt. Ayr; Contractors were H. H. Dufty and Leonard Grimes, they did the carpenter work and were assisted by A. S. Richards. Quite a force of men were employed on the excavation for the basement and helping with the brick work, among them were O. C. House and A. A. Simpson.

Members of the school board are: J. L. Sheesley, H. D. Sheumaker, H. R. Boyd, A. M. Tidrick, Dr. S. W. DeLong, J. F. Fraser, and A. A. Simpson; Secretary, H. W. Edwards; Treasurer, C. C. Haver.

Teachers are: Superintendent, Miss Mae Coie; High School Principal, Miss Nina Withrow; Assistants, Misses Helen Kirk and Tracy Brisbine; the latter is domestic science instructor; 7th and 8th grades, Miss Ruth DeWitt, who is also manual training instructor; 5th and 6th grades. Miss Glenn Henderson, 3rd and 4th grades, Miss Vesper Fierce; 1st and 2nd grades, Miss Ina Freeman. Janitor, Henry Ray.

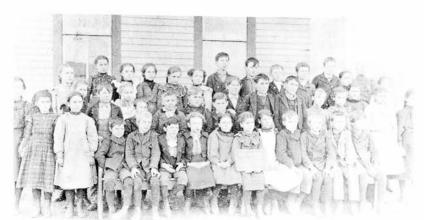
BEFORE 1900



THE OLDEST CLASS PICTURE TO BE FOUND Miss Stahl's Primary Room, 1889-1900. NAMES ACCORDING TO NUMBERS:

	14. Fanny Hopkins 15.	27. Daisy Smith 28. Frace Mahaffey
. Verna Pease	16. Bertha McClelland	29. Edith E
	17. Bess (?) Avenell	30. Billy Coon
. Harvey McCelland	18. Eleanor Swaine	31. Carmon Graham
. Mazzie Stafford	19. Richey Haver	32. Orville Pollock
. Clyde Mahaffey	20Nelson	33. Lloyd Smith
. Fred Marshall	21. Bessie Lorimor	34.
• (22. Ernie Bosworth	35.
0. Ethel Nelson		17.35 T
	24. Ruth Frane	
3. Mary Frane	26. Beulah Fisher	30. Lee Thompson
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1899, Intermediate room taught by Mrs. Immerzeel.







Two early Primary rooms taught by Ina Freeman....Can you identify any of the youngsters?

SUPERINTENDENTS THROUGH THE YEARS -

Our records show that in 1893, 1894, 1895 and 1896 that a Mr. Sanders was Superintendent. There was no graduating class in 1897. L. J. Little was Superintendent in 1899 and 1900. He was followed by Charles Murray as Superintendent through 1908. R. E. Davenport in 1909. No Graduating Class in 1910. E. J. Eagle was Superintendent in 1911 and 1912, Jos. L. McCrory, 1913 through 1916. 1917 - W. J. Dennis, 1918 & 1919 - Mae F. Coie, J. E. Benuke in 1920. Chas. E. Karn became Superintendent in 1921 and remained through 1924, he was succeeded by J. J. Hurwitz from 1925 through 1933. Delbert Pidgeon came in 1934 and was our Superintendent until 1938. W. K. Saville was in charge for two years and then M. H. Obermeier was Superintendent through the year of 1944. Following him was H. C. Wiseman in 1945 and Gladys Kiburz from 1946 through 1948 when Gayland McGinnis came for the following two years. M. H. Obermeier returned in 1951 and was in the Tingley School System as Superintendent until it was reorganized in 1960.

STUDENTS IN GRADES 7 AND 8 YEARS OF 1902 - 1905



1902 8TH GRADE. FRONT: Mabel Richards, Lulu Fullerton, Mabel Elder, Gall Hamilton. BACK: 'Etta Nelson, Edith Touzlin, Myrtle Stewart, Ida Hindsell.

1904-1905, THIRD ROOM (PROBABLY CLASSES 7 AND 8) FRONT ROW: Lula Peckham, Leilie Criswell, Fannie Lester, Marjorie Boyd, Ethyl Smith, Lettie Nelson, Lois Swain, Belle Bennie, Della Whisler, Creta Baldwin. 2ND ROW:True Law, Nell McClure, Leila Terrill, Claude Morrison, Lioyd Anderson (teacher), Ferg Booth, Clyde Bennie, Willie Tedford, Claude Lorimor, Fred Stevenson. 3RD ROW: Bert Spurrier, Rex Lawhead, Weeda Little, Henry Immerzeel, Melvin Garver, Glen Stewart, Harold Palmer, Clyde Richardson, Roy Culp.





Anna Frane is recognized as the teacher, but class and student identification is missing.

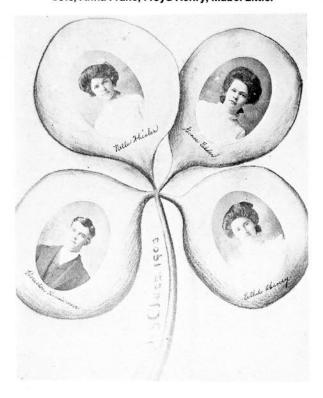
CLASSES OF 1901 to 1908 Charles E. Murray, Supt.

Classes of 1901 through 1908 are a special groupbecause their superintendent was Professor Charles Murray. One of our best school administrators, all Tingley held him in great affection. See his biography on an additional page.

CLASSES OF 1901 - 1904



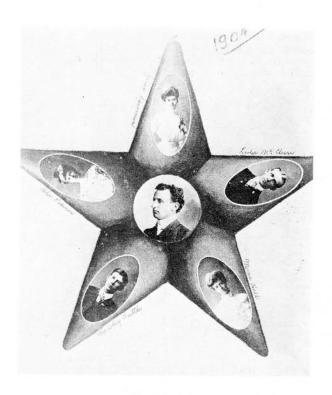
1901 TOP: Mattle Penick, Irwin Swain, Daisy Smith. 2ND ROW: Marle Henderson, Supt. Murray, Boyd Refner. 3RD ROW: Robert Coie, Anna Frane, Floyd Henry, Mabel Little.



1903 TOP: Nellie Whisler, Grace Elder. BELOW: Houston Henderson, Ethel Henry.



1902 TOP: Mae Cole, Supt. Murray, Julia Fletcher. 2ND ROW: Edith Swain, John Beatty, Lloyd Anderson.



1904 CLOCKWISE, STARTING AT TOP:
Jessie Spurrier, Leslie McClure, Merna Hall,
Hawley Tuttle, Chloe Palmer. CENTER:
Supt. Murray.

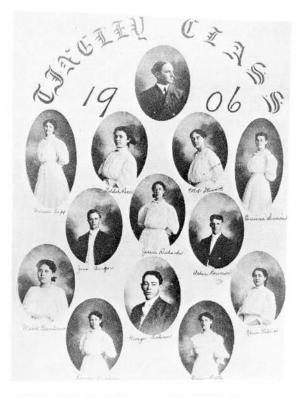
CLASSES FROM 1905 - 1908



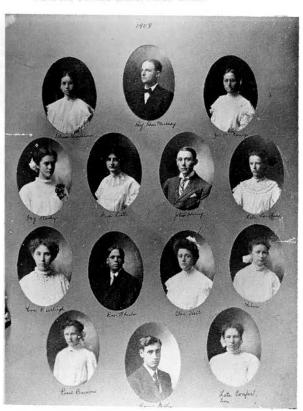
1905 TOP: Gail Hamilton. CENTER: Anna Kiburz, Supt. Murray, Ila Hindsell. BOT-TOM: Etta Nelson, Bessie Baxter.



1907 TOP: Ray Darbyshire, Jennie Culp, Hattle Whisler, Glen Darbyshire. 2ND ROW: Mae Lanham, Supt. Murray, Mabel Lukehart. 3RD ROW: LeRoy Spurrier, June Kinsell, Ada Stiles, Neal Lawhead.



1906 TOP: Supt. Murray. 2ND ROW: Minnie Tapp, Dellia Parce, Ethel Stewart, Eunice Swain. 3RD ROW: Jess Barker, Jessie Richards, Asher Lorimor. 4TH ROW: Mabel Henderson, Lenora Peckham, George



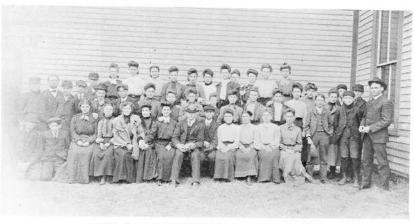
1908 TOP: Glenn Henderson, Supt. Murray, Zoe McGandy. 2ND ROW: Fay Stanley, Fern Little, John Hausz, Leta Lawhead. 3RD ROW: Eva Burleigh, Ross Whisler, Eino Hall, Helene Heyer. 4TH ROW: Pearl Brown, Harry Gillis, Lena Confer.



1909 - 1910, PRIMARY ROOM; IN	A FREEMAN
FRONT ROW: Alan Christopher,	The second secon
Ernie Frane,,	. Miltor
McDowell, Paul Stewart,	Haze
Archibold (?), 2ND ROV	W:
Coffman (?),	Bernice
Nelson, Pauline Boyd,	Helen Hass
Florence DeLong, Gladys Simpson	
3RD ROW: Clarence 'Pete' Lanham	
, Harvey Bishoff,	. Irene Mc-
Dowell,, Lucille Quic	k. Alma Mc-

Dowell,

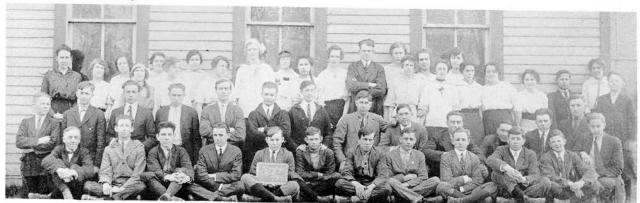
YEARS OF 1909 - 1915



? ? ? HIGH SCHOOL. Such persons as Etta Nelson, Emma Kiburz, Eva Burleigh and Elno Hall are recognized but other identification was not found. About 1911?



1913 - 1914 HIGH SCHOOL: JAMES L. Mc CRORY, SUPT. FRONT ROW: Floyd Miller, Harold Gillis, Earl Lupher, Irvin Bishoff, Lawrence Haver, Harvey Sharp, Cecil Haver, Cecil Terrill, Raymond Byers, Fred Brown. 2ND ROW: Miss Mabel Strong (teacher), Mae Harvey, Helen Boyd, Cora Cunningham, Gladys Alken, Lottle Brown, Lola Roush, Dorothy Miller, Maude McNell, Loretta Dufty, Opal Overholtzer, Amy Morrison, June Karf, Pansy Lanham, Bessie Hausz, Faye McDowell, Marie Peckham, Gladys Grey. 3RD ROW: Charles Wilson, Carroll Oxenrider, Forrest Grey, Miss Gordon (teacher), John Boyd, Glenn Cook, Clair Henderson, Isaac Kiburz, Earl Strong, James Richards, Robert McLaughlin, Claude Coffman, Fred Strong, Joe Brown, William Breckenridge, Milo Little, Allan Alken, Eliphalet Mariner, Supt. McCrory.



1914 - 1915, HIGH SCHOOL; JAMES L. McCRORY, SUPT. FRONT ROW: Roy Sheesley, Harold Gillis, Cecil Fender, Allan Alken, Clarence Hausz, Cecil Haver, Cecil Cunningham, Raymond Byers, Floyd Miller, Cecil Brown, Lawrence Haver, Bertram House. 2ND ROW: Irvin Bishoff, Earl Lupher, Carroll Oxenrider, Joe Brown, Clair Henderson, Charles Wilson, Isaac Kiburz, Robert McLaughlin, William Breckenridge, Claude Coffman, Milo Little, Eliphalet Mariner, Ernest Warrick. 3RD ROW: Miss Jamison (teacher), Loretta Dufty, Pearl Henderson, Lottie Butterfield, Hazel Nelson, Gladys Alken, Clara Priest, Gladys Grey, Mary McLaughlin, Helen Boyd, Mae Harvey, Lois Shay, Supt.McCrory, Bertie Priest, Leone Frane, Loia Roush, Amy Morrison, Fay McDowell, Edna McKee, June Karf, Dorothy Miller, Roy Harvey, Miss Jackson (teacher), Elgin Asbury.

CHARLES MURRAY - Superintendent of—Lucas two years. In 1899, he was in Drake, teaching in the Academy, and taking work in college. He came to Tingley in 1900 where he still has charge of the school. He has attended the

....from Tingley Vindicator - May 28, 1903

Charles Murray was born in Ohio in 1876, and moved to Iowa in 1881. He attended school at Russell until he was fifteen years of age. He attended school at Humeston Normal school one year; taught in rural schools one year and a half, and in Chariton Academy one winter. He went to Woodburn, Clarke county, as principal in 1895 and remained there two years. He was also at

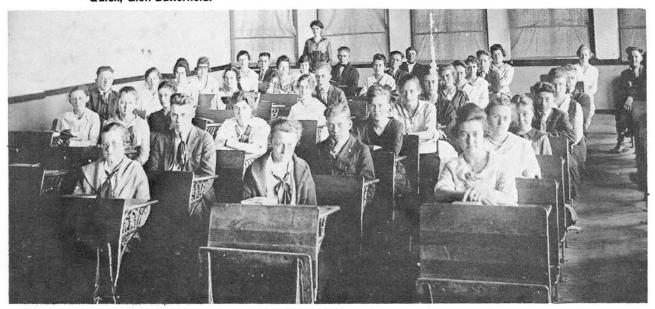
Lucas two years. In 1899, he was in Drake, teaching in the Academy, and taking work in college. He came to Tingley in 1900 where he still has charge of the school. He has attended the summer sessions of Drake for the past seven years - except last year he attended Chicago University. He goes to Drake this summer as an assistant in Zoology.

Leaving Tingley in 1908, Professor Murray later was director, and finally director emeritus, of the School of Veterinary Medicine at Iowa State University. He retired to Santa Fe, New Mexico and passed away at that location.

YEARS OF 1916 - 1922



1916 - 1917, GRADES 5 and 6, MISS CROUCH, TEACHER.
BY SINGLE ROW, ZIG-ZAG AS THEY COME: Clarence 'Pete' Lanham, Charles Roush, Harvey
Bishoff, Clarence Hass, Ernie Frane, Allan Christopher, Juanita McGugin, Nellie Shay,
Florence Dufty, Opal Baldwin, Gladys Simpson, Miss Crouch, Lucille Quick, Grace Simpson, Ivan
Hewitt, Archie Cunningham, Helen Hass, LaVern Zarr, John Buchanan, Wayne Overholtzer, Nat
Quick, Glen Butterfield.



1921 - 1922, HIGH SCHOOL; MAE COIE, SUPT.

LEFT REAR IN FRONT OF MISS COIE, L. TO R: Gladys Flemming, Ned Adams, Marietta Eighme, Gladys Tidrick, Rolla Ashenhurst. HEREAFTER SEAT/ROWS FROM LEFT, FRONT TO BACK: LEFT ROW: Marie Eckerman, Lawrence 'Shorty' Brown, Ruth Carter, Iva Richards, Irene McDowell. 2ND ROW: Margaret Eighme, Mary Carter, Eleanor Fender, 3RD ROW: Vienna Brown, Lloyd Roush, Pauline Boyd, Florence Kester, Paul Branson, Bernice Nelson, William Flemming, Clarence Blauer. 4TH ROW: Gladys Simpson, Harold Temple, Margaret Archibold, Goldie Byers, Valere Fierce, Ethel Blauer, Geraldine Oxenrider, Hazel Hubbard, ________, Pauline Kelly. 5TH ROW: Mary Pollock (?), Oakel Buell, Frankle Eighme, Millard 'Pete' Morrison, Helen O'Leary, Charles Roush, Rebecca Lamb. 6TH ROW: Jewel Robinson (?), Allan Christopher.

CLASSES OF 1919 7th & 8th GRADES AND HIGH SCHOOL



7TH AND 8TH GRADES, 1919: RUTH DEWITT, TEACHER.
ROWS FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, FROM FRONT: ROW 1: Alma McDowell, Birdie McDowell, Wayne
Overholtzer, Florence Dufty, John Buchanan. ROW 2: LaVern Zarr, Virgil Brown, Roland Roush,
Howard Harvey, Pete Lanham, Grace Simpson. ROW 3: Keith McNutt, Mona Branson, Louise
Jones, Abby Byers, Winifred Ferguson, Wade Lent. ROW 4: Chester Breckenridge, Max Lent,
Bernice Tidrick, Irene Buchanan, Lucille Heizer, Josephine Eighme.



1919, HIGH SCHOOL.

FRONT: Ethel Blauer, Margaret Archibold, Valere Flerce, Helen O'Leary, Pauline Boyd, Mary Moore (?), Oakel Buell, Frankie Elghme. 2ND ROW: Millard (Pete) Morrison, Pauline Kelly, Rebecca Lamb, Gladys Simpson, Geraldine Oxenrider, Vienna Brown, Hazel Hubbard, Goldie Byers. 3RD ROW: Jewel Robinson (leaning), _______, Florence Kester, Bernice Nelson, Eleanore Fender, Lloyd Roush, Marie Eckerman, Margaret Eighme, Gladys Tidrick. 4TH ROW, STANDING: William Flemming, Ned Adams..Clarence Blauer, Alan Christopher, Ruth Carter, Rolla Ashenhurst, Iva Richards Coffman, Harold Temple, _____, Paul Branson. 5TH ROW: Mae Coie (Supt.), Tracy Brisbane (teacher, home ec.), Marietta Eighme, Mary Carter, Helen Kirk (teacher). Irene McDowell, Nina Withrow (teacher, English), Gladys Flemming, Lawrence 'Shorty' Brown.

Class of 1926

1914 to 1926

Members of the class of 1926 had a special zest for living and they left an astonishing record of brilliant scholarship, deplorable scholarship, sexy girls, awkward boys, intellectual curiousity and inertia, good intentions, and Satanic mischief! On their 50th Graduation Anniversary, we present these personalities at various stages of development and retardation. Those who attend the 1976 Alumni Banquet have asked for a one-minute period of prayerful silence to commemorate their sorrow and remorse for the difficult times they gave their agonized teachers, although the souls of those same teachers must have been enriched by the experiencel



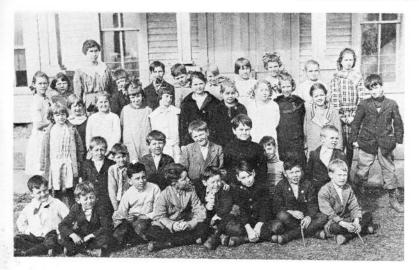


1ST AND 2ND GRADES, 1914 - 1915. INA FREEMAN, TEACHER.
FRONT ROW: ______, Howard Nelson. 2ND ROW: Dean Heyer, Chester Marshall, Max Miller, _____, Sloan Coverdale, Archie Robinson, Harry Archibold, ______, 3RD ROW: Gene Gray, DeWitt Cunningham (?), Bill Stover.4TH ROW: Hazel Simpson, Dorothy Coffman, Harlan Harvey, Marjorie Lee, Ina Freeman (teacher), Clara McDowell, Fay McDowell, Belva Enix, Veva Coverdale, Albert Hass.

1ST & 2ND GRADES, 1915-1916. INA FREEMAN, TEACHER.

FRONT: Anita Grimes, Margaret Pollock, Maxine Shay, John Grose, Warren McDowell, Dana Christopher, Lucille Robinson, Clair Heyer, Horton Dufty, Len(?) Mason, William Stover, Avalyn McDowell. CENTER: Ruth Grose, Wilma Robins (?), Gene Gray, Albert Hass, Hazel Simpson,... Walter Grose, Clarence Harvey... Vern Rhone. REAR: Howard Nelson, Roscoe Grose, Max Miller, Lois Robinson, Lela Mason, Iona Roush, Dorothy Coffman, Sloan Coverdale.





4TH AND 5TH GRADES, 1917 - 1918. GLENN HENDERSON, TEACHER.

FRONT ROW: Clair Heyer, Bill Stover, Max Miller, Wayne Heizer, Albert Hass, Dean Heyer, Howard Nelson, Gene Gray. 2ND ROW: Walter Gross, Warren McDowell, Dana Christopher, Archie Robinson (?), Dean Frazee, Sloan Coverdale (?), Mona Branson. 3RD ROW: Avalyn McDowell, Maxine Shay, Anita Grimes, Belva Enix, Ermal Breckenridge, _______, lona Roush, Hazel Simpson, ______, Ruth Gross, Harry Archibold. 4TH ROW: Clara McDowell, Fay McDowell, Glenn Henderson (teacher),Roscoe Gross, _____,

Dorothy Cauffman(?), Marjorle Carter, Veva Coverdale, Marjorle Lee.







5TH AND 6TH GRADES, 1918 - 1919.
ROWS STARTING AT LEFT, FROM FRONT TO BACK. FIRST ROW: George Ferguson, Dean Heyer, Leland Sharp, Verma Ray, Marjorie Lee. 2ND ROW: Harry Archibold, William Stover, Clara Mae McDowell, Wayne Helzer, Marjorie Carter. 3RD ROW: Clair Heyer, Archie Robinson, Iona Roush, Ermal Breckenridge, Hazel Simpson, Veva Coverdale.4TH ROW: Gene Grey, Sloan Coverdale, Max Miller, Fay McDowell.

7TH GRADE, 1920 - 1921. FRONT: Dorothy Coffman, Hazel Simpson, Ermal Breckenridge, Venita Addison, Florence England, Bernece Defenbaugh, Iona Roush. BACK: Clair Heyer, George Ferguson, Stedman Addison, Lloyd England, Wayne Heizer.





FRESHMEN, 1922 - 1923
FRONT ROW: Aleta Clough, Venita Addison, Thelma Buell, Wayne Darbyshire, ______, Ermal Breckenridge, Evelyn Smith, Florence England, Marvin Hall, Clair Heyer. BACK: Stedman Addison, Iona Roush, George Ferguson, Boyd Fender, Harlan Harvey, _____ Lovely, William Pease, _____ Weeda.









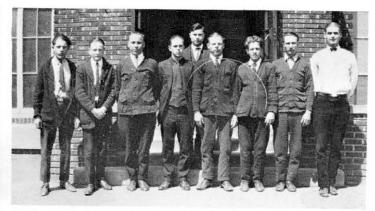
T-CLUB, 1922 - 1923
J. Earl Stacy (coach and principal), Milton McDowell,Roland Roush, Willis Jackson, George Kester, Chester Breckenridge, Wayne Overholtzer, Harry Archibold, LaVern Zarr, Charles E. Korn (Supt.).



BASKETBALL TEAM, 1923 - 1924. J. Earl Stacy (coach and principal), Harian Harvey, William Pease, Boyd Fender, Roland Roush, Willis Jackson, Clair Heyer.



JUNIORS, 1924 - 1925.
FRONT: Wayne Darbyshire, Evelyn Smith, Aleta Clough, _____, Hazel Simpson, Iona Roush, Florence England, Ermal Breckenridge, Gladys Boler (English & dramatics teacher). 2ND ROW: _____, Emma Weeda, Fern Lovely, _____, Hurwitz (Supt.). 3RD ROW: ____ Lyman (principal), Boyd Fender, Harlan Harvey, William Pease, Marvin Hall.



T-CLUB, 1923 - 1924 Charles Bennett, Clair Heyer, Harlan Harvey, William Pease, J. Earl Stacy (coach and principal), Boyd Fender, Roscoe Gross, Willis Jackson, Roland Roush.



ENGLISH CLASS PICNIC, SPRING 1923.
FRONT: Marvin Hall, Ike Kiburz (co-chaperone),
Florence England, Ermal Breckenridge, Aleta
Clough. 2ND ROW: Harlan Harvey, Boyd Fender,
Iona Roush, Hazel Simpson, ______, Venita
Addison. 3RD ROW: Leland Sharp, Harry
Archibold, Gladys Boler (teacher and future Mrs.
Ike Kiburz), Fay McDowell, Wayne Darbyshire.



FINALLY SENIORS! 1925 - 1926.
FRONT: Hazel Simpson, Ermal Breckenridge, Iona Roush, _______, Aleta Clough, Evelyn Smith. 2ND ROW: Fern Lovely, Emma Weeda, ______, William Pease, Boyd Fender, ______ BACK: Supt. Hurwitz, Florence England, Marvin Hall.

PLAYMATES OF THE CLASS OF 1926



TEACHING STAFF - 1922-1923
Charles E. Korn, Supt.; Grace Richards, grades 7-8; Ina Freeman, grades 1-2; J. Earl Stacey, principal; Gladys Boler, HS English and Dramitics; Marietta Eighme, grades 3-4; Mabel Daley, grades 5-6.



SOPHOMORES, 1922 -FRONT: Opal Hubbard, Gladys Boler (English and Dramatics teacher, the present Mrs. Ike Kiburz), Fay McDowell, _______

Lovely, Velma Trowell BACK: Leland Sharp, Marjorie Carter, Ernest Weeda.



FRESHMEN, 1923 - 1924.
FRONT ROW: Lorene Fender, Chloe Reynolds, Avalyn McDowell, Winona Scott, Ruth Gross.
2ND ROW:Roscoe Gross, Loren Grout, Roy Johnson, Mary Loncoy, _____ Gilbert, Frances McKee, Harold Johnson, Paul Simpson, Kenneth Hoover. 3RD ROW: Charles E. Korn (Supt.), Russell Henry.



JUNIORS, 1923 - 1924. Fay McDowell, Marjorle Carter, Ernest Weeda, Velma Troxell, Opal Hubbard.



SENIORS 1923

FRONT ROW: J. Earl Stacey, principal, Ellen Eckerman, (Zig) Emma Stottlemeyer, Florence Dufty, Gladys Boler, teacher, Ruth Lovely, Grace Simpson, Birdie McDowell, Charles E. Korn, Supt. BACK ROW: Chester Breckenridge, Winifred Ferguson, LaVern Zarr, Edith Stottlemeyer, George Kester, Wayne Overholtzer.



SENIORS, 1923 - 1924. FRONT: Bernice Tidrick, Josephine Eighme, Irene Buchanan, Marguerite Eckerman, Mary Bevins. BACK: Willis Jackson, Charles Bennett, Ira Weeda, Roland Roush.

YEARS OF 1927 - 30

CLASS OF 1927

BOTTOM ROW Nellie Clayton, George Ferguson, Ruth Gross, Avalon McDowell 2ND ROW: Francis McKee, Paul Simpson, Supt. Herwitz, Russell Henry, Lorene Fender. 3RD ROW: Lenny Lenkey, Loren Grout, Kenneth Hoover, Mary Longcoy.



1926 - 1927

1ST ROW (L to R) - Lorene Fender, Avalon McDowell, Francis McKee, Mary Longcoy. 2ND ROW - Rondalle Lynam, teacher, Cleo Reynolds, Ruth Gross. 3RD ROW - Russell Henry, Kenneth Hoover, Paul Simpson, George Ferguson.



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Taken somewhere around 1928 - 1929

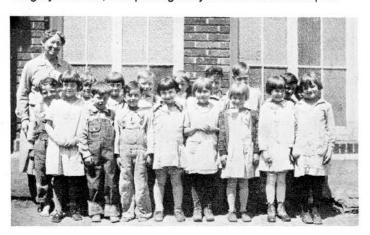


INA FREEMAN

Much has been written and told of Ina Freeman, our Primary room teacher from 1893 to 1933. Finally at the nursing home on the Mt. Ayr road, she told one of her last visitors, 'I wish the good Lord would take me home!', and she died in 1952. The account below is taken from the Tingley Vindicator of May 28, 1903:



Ina Freeman has presided over the Primary department for ten years. She was born near Monmouth, Illinois, and began her education in the district schools near her parents' home. She completed her education in the high school of Creston and taught her first term near that town. She afterwards returned to Monmouth, Illinois, where she taught about three years in the school where she attended as a child. She then returned to the home of her parents who were living near Hopeville, and taught near that place for some time, after which she entered Drake University where she took special training for primary work. In 1893 she was employed in the Primary department of the Tingley schools, completing ten years in the same depart-





ment with the term just finished, and has been employed for another year. Miss Freeman has always been an active worker in the Sunday School, mostly teaching the Juniors, for which she seems especially adapted, and is now acting as superintendent of the Christian Sunday school for the fourth year. As a primary teacher she is very successful and her work in that department is evident in the work of the older scholars who did their first primary work under her instructions.

NOTE: Who took the later photo, and when?

Here, Ina is shown with only one of her many groups of Primary Children.

SCHOOL PICTURES AND FAMILY SNAPSHOTS

TAKEN IN LATE 20's AND EARLY 30's



Class of 1931-32



Ina Freeman and several High School Students



5th GRADE CLASS - 1931

Taken in 1926

BACK ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Helen Henderson, Evelyn Walters, Ila Brace. FRONT ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Charllen Bosworth, Lois Breckenridge, Mary Virginia Johnson, Mildred Hathaway.



TWINS - Marvin and Marian Johnson - Children of Bill and Edith Johnson



O.W. Roush family

- JO EIGHME

One Tingley High School graduate whose love and interest included Tingley school children is Jo Eighme. She joined those who have before, and since, devoted so much to the lives of our children and she began this when she started teaching in the Tingley 3rd and 4th grades in 1926.

As, said of all good teachers, her subject was 'children', not grades and her love for the children she taught during her years has increased as she meets and greets them now.

On leaving the Tingley school (after 18 years), she accepted a teaching position in the school system of Rock Island, Illinois. Besides teaching, she has lent her abilities and talents generously in whatever community she lived.

Since leaving Rock Island, she spends her time between her home in Harlingen, Texas and her home in Tingley, Iowa.



Picture taken of Jo Eighme in 1928



1934 - 7TH & 8TH GRADES

BACK ROW: (left to right) Mark Been, ____Dobbs, Loren Grout, Esther Hubbard, Evelyn Walters, Mildred Dobbs.

MIDDLE ROW: Hazel Jones, Lois Breckenridge, Mildred Hathaway, Beth Pidgeon, Helen Henderson, Charlien Bosworth.

FIRST ROW: _____ Dobbs, Dick Garland, Robert Estel, Smiley Johnson, Blair Simpson, Casey Jones, Mac Been





School Year 1936 - 37
Pictured from left to right is Milo Been,
Donald Bosworth (in 4th grade) and Doyle
Reynolds. Picture taken in school yard Milo & Doyle probably in 2nd grade.

School Year - 1936 - 1937 5th and 6th Grades Mildred DeLay (Smith), teacher.

FRONT ROW: (left to right) Mardell Been, Dorine Manbeck, Lucy Weeda, Edwin VerPloegh, Billy Breckenridge, Lowell Hammonds. BACK ROW: Marilyn Been, LaVonne Hammonds, Raymond Ball, Russell Boyd, Dean Garland, Marvin Mc-Cowan.



GIRLS GLEE CLUB...1936 - 1937 Mildred DeLay (Smith), teacher

FRONT ROW (L. to R.) Mildred DeLay, Jean Breckenridge, _____Estel, Nellie Gross, Rowena Eighme, Maribell Been, Donna Mary England, Beth Pidgeon, Phyllis Morrison. SECOND ROW - Roberta Guess, Charlien Bosworth, Doris Swank, Doris Werner, Waye (Crystal) Morrison. THIRD ROW - Maudeene Been, Evelyn Walters, Helen Hill, Hazel Jones, Lois Breckenridge. BACK ROW - Reba Breckenridge, Esther Petersohn, Verlee Brown, Louise Smith, Cleone Johnson, Opal Smith, Helen Henderson, Twila Hall.



Francis Smith - in costume for Senior Play - 1937



1937 HIGH SCHOOL PICTURE



-30 YEAR CLASS REUNION -

Those attending a 30 year class reunion from the Class of 1938 were:

FRONT ROW: Donna Mary (England) Farrell, Charlien (Bosworth) Champine, Evelyn (Walters) Bonnell, Marjorie (Hillebran) Werner. BACK ROW: Elton Werner, Harold Blauer, Mark Been.

We regret that we were unable to obtain pictures for the next few years. Our sincere apologies....maybe next time!

TINGLEY TEACHERS



Miss Huntzberger



Margaret Vanderzyl Prairie City EnglishTyping-Drama



LEFT TO RIGHT: Faye Blakey, Mildred DeLay (5th & 6th grade & girl's glee club), Margaret Vanderzyl.



John & Dorothy Weland John taught 7th & 8th grade Boy's Glee Club & Band



Clara Mae Shriver Teacher - 1925



Velta Mae Teacher - 1925



Clara Mae in Classroom

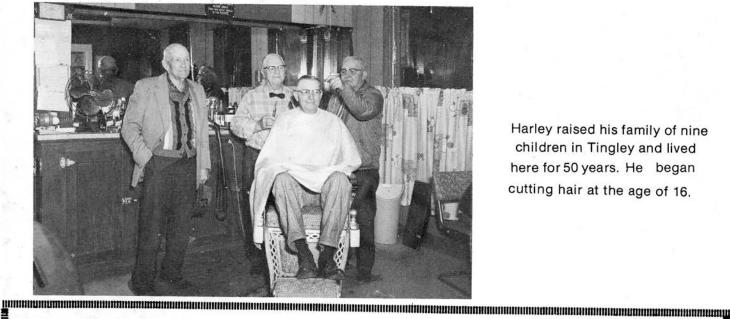


Velta Mae and Students Freshmen Class of 1926

Along with church and school, the BARBER SHOP is a recognized community institution. Harley Been was Tingley's barber for 48 years, he began barbering here in December of 1924 and continued until his retirement in 1972.

Pictured below, he is beautifying Mrs. Been in 1944 and in 1971 (observed by Leslie McClure on the left and Lloyd Reynolds on the right), he attempts to do the same for Wayne Overholtzer!





Harley raised his family of nine children in Tingley and lived here for 50 years. He began cutting hair at the age of 16.

ALUMNI ORGANIZED

First Tingley Alumni was organized in 1920. The purpose of this association was to: Form Closer Relationship; Promote Greater Interest in School; Promote General Welfare in Community of Tingley.

The first meeting was held on May 4th at the Tingley High School, the following officers were elected at that time: PRESIDENT - Mae Cooie, VICE PRESIDENT - Robert M. McLachlan, ASST. VICE PRESIDENT - John Boyd SECRETARY - Clarence Hausz, TREASURER - Pearl Henderson. Those attending the first regular meeting were: Lena Johnston, Mae Smith, Loretta Dufty, Mrs. John England, Mrs. Alvin Jones, Mrs. B. D. Weeda, Mrs. Joe Brown, Maude McNeal, Fred H. Brown, Edna Nichols, Pearl Henderson, Mrie Eckerman, Dorothy Miller, Ray Sheesley, Robert McLachlan, Allen Aikin, Clarence Hausz, Mae Cooie and Helen Boyd. Banquet was given on Saturday evening of

FAIRS

From 1876, the county was well known for its fine horses. D. D. McGregor, of Tingley, had the reputation of raising the best horses in the county. E. N. DeWitt and his brothers ran a large livery stable in Tingley. Their horses took sweepstake prizes at the Illinois State and County Fairs. They paid as high as \$2500.00 per head for breeding stock.

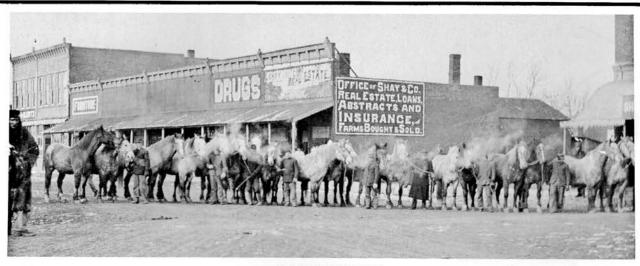
The Tingley companies were the Tingley Shire Horse Company and the Tingley Percheron Horse Association.

With this great interest in horses, it is quite evident that activities centering around colts and horses would attract much attention. The Tingley Colt Show, established during the 1890's was popular. In 1900 Tingley boosters sponsored the first Tournament and Street Fair in town. In 1906 a Foal and Colt Show

was added. In 1910, the Tingley Fair featured, among other things, a children's day attraction, a 'Wild West Show' and baseball tournament. Tingley welcomed crowds for three days.

One of the annual features of the Tingley Fair was the riding exhibition put on by the Tingley Riding Club. Sixty costumed young ladies and genlemen, trained by E. N. DeWitt, rode in 2's, 4's, 8's and 12's and in other more difficult formations. Nine ladies engaged in a needle threading contest while they rode at full gallop. The winner threaded her needle in nine seconds. This fair was known as the Tingley Farmer's Tournament and Horse Show.

Tingley Township was rated an excellent place to buy the best horses to ship.



1910 HORSE SHOW



Bill Johnson with horses and colts to show.



STREET FAIR: Jenesse Overholtzer, Cleone Overholtzer, Eloise Walters.



Showing Livestock at Fair: Irene Swanson, Carl Swanson, Bob England, Roger Morrison and Joyce Overholtzer.

CLASSES IN THE 40's





Duane Roush

CLASS OF 1943 - School Year 1941 - 42 FRONT ROW: Pauline Laird, Barbara Hoover, Marilyn Been, Pauline Clymer. 2ND ROW: Floyd Borrusch, Hayne Smith, Dean Garland, Raymond Ball, Russell Boyd and Donald Grout.



TEACHERS - 1941 - 1942



Teacher, Mary Lou Rusk and M. C. Been



BOY'S GLEE CLUB: 1ST ROW: Dean Johnson, Marvin Kester, Eddie Verploegh, Lyle Troxell, Lyndon Guess, Roger Morrison, Don Bosworth. 2ND ROW: Raymond Ball, Bud Breckenridge, Bill Breckenridge, Cleo Blunck, Raymond Vanderpluym, _____, Floyd Borrusch. 3RD ROW: Donald Grout, Paul Alexander, Miss Rusk, teacher,



1945 - Noel Seney, Lois Breckenridge, Don Bosworth.

CLASSES IN THE 40's



LEFT TO RIGHT: Don Wright, Marilyn McClements, Lois Breckenridge, Jean Breckenridge, Bert Wright.



FRONT ROW: ______ Doris Borrusch, Dean Johnson, Mary Alice Boyd, Anna Mae Johnston. 2ND ROW Cleone Overholtzer, Marvin Kester, Richard Minnick Clark Van Sickle, Don Bosworth, Dorothy Zarr. 3RI ROW; Donald Weeda, Rex Morrison, Lyndon Guess Roger Morrison, John Dailey, Mary Lou Ibbotson teacher.



GLADYS KIBURZ - Supt.



1945 - 1946Front Row, (left to right): Elbert Skarda, Lloyd Weeda, Avery Woolums, Byron Bender, Kelth Van Sickle, Marvin Johnson, Doyle Reynolds, Harold Grout. 2ND ROW: Margaret Troxell, Marilyn Kester, Evelyn DeVries, Ella Deane DeVries, Julia Woollums, Doris England, Marion O'Neal, Lillian Blunck, Gene Van Sickle, Elsie Coffman. 3RD ROW: Kenneth Kiburz, Robert Ilames, Don Wright, Ross Clough, Ava Jean Kline, Joyce Overholtzer, Eloise Walters, Dolores Bischoff, Juanita Drake, Audrey Clymer. BACK ROW: Beulah Kester, Home Ec Teacher, Dean Vanderpluym, Dale Grout, Donald Neff, Howard VerPloegh - Coach & History Teacher, Wayne Richards, Noel Seney, Robert England, Mrs. Kiburz - Supt. & English Teacher.

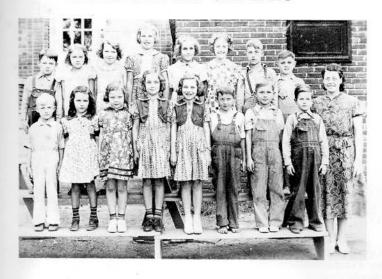


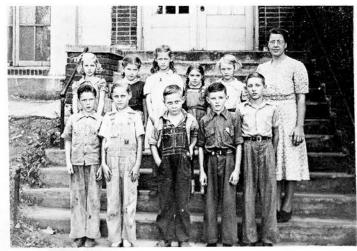
1946 - 1947FRONT ROW: Avery Woollums, George Peters, Walter Zarr, Milo Been, Lloyd Weeda, Keith Van Sickle, Doyle Reynolds. 2ND ROW: Margaret Troxell, Evelyn DeVries, Marilyn Kester, Ella Deane DeVries, Charlotte Petersohn, Doris England, Lyla Dell Clough, Betty Ilams, Elsie Coffman. 3RD ROW: Delores Bischoff, Harold Grout, Juanita Drake, Donald Clouse, Kenny Kiburz, Eloise Walters, Jack England, Robert liams, Joyce Overholtzer. 4TH ROW: Supt. Gladys Kiburz, Beulah Kester, Byron Bender, Dean Vanderpluym, Wayne Richards, Donald Neff, Vera Gustason, Howard Verploegh.



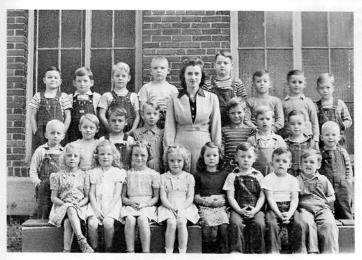
TEACHER - MRS. EDITHA OBERMEIER
Taught English and Music

ELEMENTARY GRADES

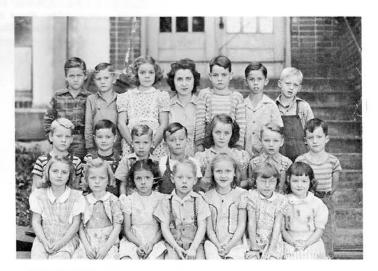




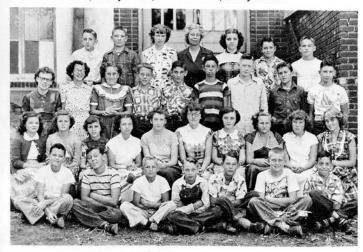
M. C. Been, Richard Reynolds, Bing Clymer, Duane Johnston, Walter Zarr, Cheryl Baker, ___ ___ Blunck, _, Lyla Dell Clough, Nina Morrison, Teacher, Jo Eighme



TAKEN IN 1946 - 1947 1ST ROW: Sharon Reynolds, Judy Larson, Jo Anne Thompson, Norma Jean Sutherland, Judy Jobe, Charles Dean Nichols, ______, Dean Reynolds, 2ND ROW: Jerry Cheek, Gary Dutton, John Reynolds, Dale Weeda, Teacher Maxine Nichols, Kenneth Clymer, _____, Jon O'Neal, Roger Ashenhurst. 3RD ROW: Larry Giles, Don Kinne, Melvin Richards, Richard Palmer, Bernard Tucker, Larry Ford,



TAKEN IN 1945 - 1946 - 1ST ROW: JoAnne Thompson, Judy Larson, Joyce Richards, Gary Dutton, Patricia Dutton, Martha Ross, Judy Jobe. 2ND ROW: Melvin Richards, Larry Giles, Ted Wilkie, Larry Ford, Mary Jane Minnick, Dale Weeda, Jim Jobe. 3RD ROW: Hugh Ferguson, Kenneth Clymer, Sue Richards, Teacher, Maxine Nichols, Bernard Tucker, Donnie Richards, Dee Cheek.



JUNIOR HIGH CLASSES

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1952 - 1953 ... 1ST ROW: Larry Giles, Larry Ford, Robert Selers, Dale Weeda, Dean Eighme, Dee Cheek, Ronald Grout. 2ND ROW: Judy Jobe, Merial Steveson, Jerldien Scott, Joyce Richards, Mary Daily, Patty Hill, Mary Jane Minnick, Mary Jane Clark, Louise Priest, Myrna England. 3RD ROW: Sharon Kinne, Brenda Brown, Beverly Clark, Robert Grout, Dean Shoemaker, Donald Richards, Ronald Hayes, Hugh Ferguson, Donald Dukes. TOP ROW: Tom Owens, Richard Palmer, Mary Sue Pritchard, Mary Ashenhurst - Teacher, Sue Richards Jim Johe, Von Tull Richards Jim Jobe, Von Tull.



PICTURE TAKEN IN 1953 - 1954 MARY ASHENHURST TEACHER -JUNIOR HIGH CLASSES

1954-1955 Third & Fourth Grade Teacher - Cora M. Pritchard

FRONT ROW: Karen Reasoner, Rosemary Shoemaker, Quita Lininger, Reta Dukes, Barbara Baker, Patty Grout, Ann Ibbotson. 2ND ROW: Doyle Richards, Gary Duffield, Raymond Shields, Cora Pritchard, Johnnie Blauer, Danny Ferguson, Tommy Peterson, Allen Kinney. BACK ROW: Steve Beamer, Ricky Farrel, Janet Tull, Harla Stephens, Patricia Werner, Jane Kinne, Rhonda Clymer.



1956 - 6th , 7th, & 8th Grades

FRONT ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Darlene Saltzman, Barbara Baker, Patricia Werner, Jane Kinne, Marie Miller, Nancy Nichols, Lynn Obermeier, Linda Kinne, Violet Scott. MIDDLE ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Gary Duffield, Dennis Petersohn, Reta Dukes, Harla Stephens, Patty Grout, Mrs. Ashenhurst - teacher, Mike Archibold, Philip Potter, Bobby Allen, Eddie Ford. BACK ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Glee Bear, Janet Tull, Bobby Baker, Robert Reasoner, Marvin Kinne, Ronald Shields, Gay Lou Ferguson, Jeanetta Werner.



1958

ELEMENTARY & JUNIOR HIGH GRADES - 1954 - 1958



Russell Boyd



James McIntosh Driver Training



Larry Giles Elementary Principal



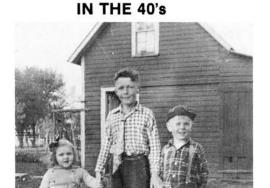
Opal Hillebran Webb

JUNIOR HIGH - 1946___1ST ROW: Guy Peters, John Overholtzer, Bing Clymer, M. C. Been, Allen Coffman, Lloyd Eldon Guess, Kelth Wright. 2ND ROW: Joan Hannah, Verlene Halm, Marlene Giles, Donna Ferguson, Lyle Minnick. 3RD ROW: Teacher - Beulah Kester, Supt. Howard Verploegh, & Vera Gustason, Teacher.



DONNA MARY FARRELL in front of Drug Store

Patricia Dutton, M. C. Been and Jimmy McIntosh taken in 1942.

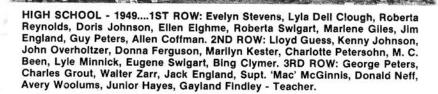


CLASSES & FRIENDS



HIGH SCHOOL - 1948...1ST ROW: Dorls England, Charlotte Petersohn, Lyla Dell Clough, Marilyn Kester, Betty Marrs, Evelyn DeVries, Marlene Giles, Juanita Drake, Marian O'Neal, Roberta Swigart. 2ND ROW: George Peters, M. C. Been, Bill Goodwin, Bing Clymer, Byron Bender, Donald Clouse, Kenny Kiburz, Charlie Grout, Evelyn Stevens, Roberta Reynolds. 3RD ROW: Olin Bissell - Teacher, Dean

Zarr, Howard Verploegh - Teacher Avery Woollums, Keith Van Sickle, I Supt. Gladys Kiburz.



Vanderpluym, Harold Grout, Donald Neff, Walter Zarr, Howard Verploegh - Teacher, Jack England, Avery Woollums, Keith Van Sickle, Doyle Reynolds, Supt. Gladys Kiburz.



AND THEN, THERE'S ALWAYS INITIATION OF THE FRESHMEN!!

HALLOWEEN FUN

The Tingley Community is unique in its celebration of Halloween. As is the case in many things, 'tragedy causes action'....in 1945 an accident occured which involved several of Tingley's young people and almost resulted in the death of one boy.

Action was taken by several of the towns-people, and especially through the work of Edith McIntosh and the Auxiliary, a Tingley Halloween Fun Night was formed. So, Halloween of 1946 (and every year since then) has been a big night. The night begins with a band leading the parade.... Tingley originally, now the Mt.Ayr band, a very large parade with many original costumes and floats, prizes, etc. Parties for all ages are planned and enjoyed all over town. Before the big night, school children paint and decorate store windows with 'spooky' and clever pictures, a great time is had by everyone. Many surrounding communities participate and come to watch the festivities.

I think we can be safe in saying that Tingley's Halloween Fun Night is a 'one-of-a-kind' event in the state, or possibly anywhere! Our thanks to the fine people who organized this event and to the many who faithfully see that it continues to be an annual affair.





A TYPICAL STORE WINDOW GAILY DECORATED FOR THE BIG NIGHT!

EDITH AND DOC McINTOSH as seen on their 50th Anniversary. Edith was an early instigator of Tingley's Halloween Fun Night. 'Doc Mac', as referred to by all, was one of our finest doctors for many years. This couple was held in very high regard by everyone who knew them.

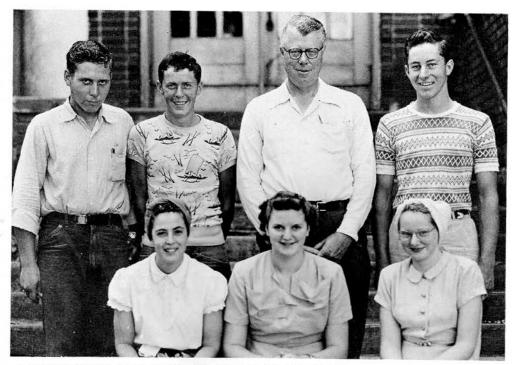
AN ARRAY OF ORIGINAL COSTUMES ADD TO THE FUN OF HALLOWEEN!







─ 1951 GRADUATES ─ OUR 1976 - 25 YEAR CLASS



WE HONOR OUR 25 YEAR CLASS IN THIS BICENTENNIAL YEAR!

1ST ROW: Roberta Reynolds (now Mrs. Harold Frost - she lives on a farm in the Tingley vicinity), Marlene Giles (Mrs. Walter Zarr - lives in the Tingley vicinity, Roberta Swigart (Mrs. Bill Staats, makes her home in Alaska) 2ND ROW - Bing Clymer (lives in the Tingley vicinity), M. C. Been (lives in Belmond), M. H. Obermeier, Supt. (Deceased), and Charles Grout (lives in Newton, Iowa).

HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES IN THE 50'S



HIGH SCHOOL - 1950....1ST ROW: Lyle Minnick, Dee Archibold, Alan O'Neal, Marvin Grout, Guy Peters, Jim England, Junior Hayes. 2ND ROW: Gertrude Priest, Anne O'Neal, Jo Ellen Archibold, Ellen Elghme, Doris Johnson, Joan Hannah, Verlene Halm, Roberta Reynolds, Lyla Dell Clough, Roberta Swigart. 3RD ROW: Bob Lupher, Ken Johnson, Donna Ferguson, Charles Grout, Marlene Giles, Walter Zarr, Evelyn Stevens, Allen Coffman, M. C. Been. 4TH ROW: Teachers, Beulah Kester & Cleo Weldin, Lloyd Guess, Bing Clymer, John Soloman, teacher, Mr. McGinnis - Supt., George Peters, Jack England.



Mary Ashenhurst, taught 1947 - 1961



Rebecca Lamb



Naomi Weeda



Mr. Weeda, Janitor



M. H. OBERMEIER SUPERINTENDENT, MATH, COACH

'Obie' was what he went by...He came to Tingley as Superintendent, Coach and Math Teacher in 1940, was with us through 1945 then moved on to Beaconsfield and Shannon City but returned to Tingley in 1951 and was here through the last graduating class in 1959...in fact, I've heard him say that they had to 'close the school to get him out'!

Obie appeared to be a very gruff man but it didn't take anyone very long to discover that he was kind hearted. He worked well with both the boys and girls and was very much respected by all.

Obie was a fine teacher, but he will be remembered for his love of sports. He took girl's basketball teams to the State Tournament in 1952, 1954 and again in 1957. Also, the boy's baseball team played in the State Tournament in the Fall of 1951.

Obie, Editha and Lynn were very much a part of Tingley's history! He passed away in 1964.

HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES IN THE 50's

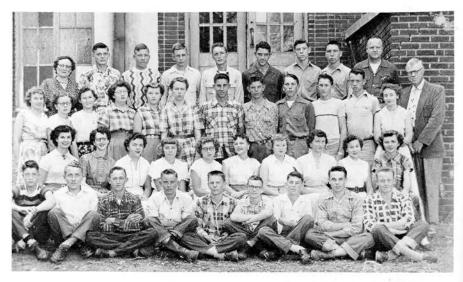


1952 HIGH SCHOOL CLASS



FRESHMAN INITIATION - 1950 Lucy Dailey, Wanda Swigart, Linda Peters

1st ROW: Ron Tull, Frank Eighme, Axel Larson, Charlie Ryan, Dee Archibold, Kenneth Grout, Darl Ferguson, Howard Tull, LeRoy Giles, Guy Peters. 2ND ROW: Joan Hannah, Anne O'Neal, Mary Lou Hahn, Gertrude Priest, Louise Weeda, Lucy Dailey, Carol Werner, Betty Jobe, Ellen Eighme, Doris Johnson. 3RD ROW: John Overholtzer, Lyle Minnick, Allen Coffman, Bob Lupher, Alan O'Neal, Marvin Grout, Lloyd Guess, Dwayne Overholtzer, Charles Clark, Dean Bastow. 4TH ROW: Jenesse Overholtzer, Jo Ellen Archibold, Linda Peters, Donna Ferguson, Supt. Obermier, Teachers - Dick Gesling & Mr. Strayhorn, Ken Johnson and Jim England.



1953 HIGH SCHOOL CLASS

HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES - 1955 THROUGH 1957 ----



1955



1956



Mrs. Bird



Cleone Overholtzer



Cora Pritchard



Mary Overholtzer

CLASS OF 1970



Randy Blunck



Kathy Boyd



Bill Breckenridge



Virginia Fear



Mike Ford



Kathy Johnson



Muriel Marshall



Cindy Reasoner



Allan Reed



Cathy Riggs



Annette Shields



Janet Skarda



Kent Trullinger



Patty Weeda



CLASS OF 1969



Ruth Allen



Karen Blunck



Carla Ford



Charles Ford



Ivan Grout



Keith Welling

Linda Hill



Don Ibbotson



Chuck Jackson



Curt Lininger



Darrell Reynolds Rodney Shields





Becky Skarda



Diane Weeda



Fred Weeter



Kathy Wurster



Gary Ferguson



Greg Ferguson



Phyllis Reed



Debra Richards



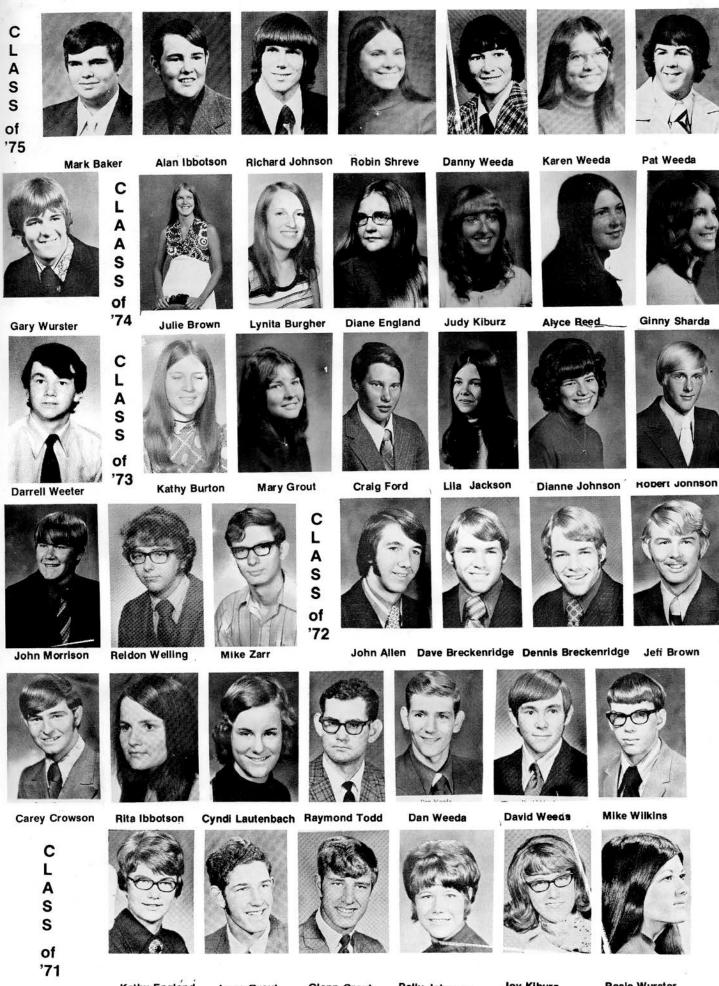
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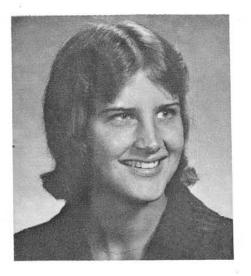
Peggy Welling







Kathy England Lynn Grout Glenn Grout Polly Johnson Joy Kiburz Rosle Wurster



JONI BROWN

CLASS of



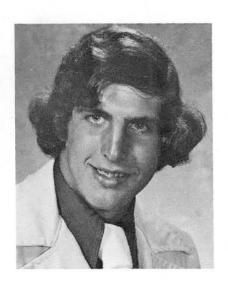
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JEFF ENGLAND



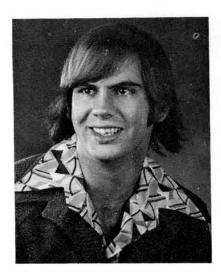
MARCIA FORD



RALPH GROUT



BECKY MORRISON



CURTIS RIGGS



MARLA WILKINS

CLASS MOTTO...Dream what you dare to dream, Go where you want to go,

Be what you want to be....LIVE!

SPORTS THROUGH THE YEARS



When the Register and Tribune photograped the Tingley crowd during the 1952 State Tournament to be an enthusiastic group, they picked the right town!! Tingley has always backed their young people in anything they attempted to do, especially in sports. Some games and events have been re-lived on main street for many days...(sometimes weeks, and even for years!). A lot of good athletes have come from this area and we can be proud of the good sportsmanship displayed.

THIS ARTICLE APPEARED IN THE 50 YEAR ITEMS IN 1962:A doubleheader basketball game between Tingley and Mount Ayr was played Saturday evening with the two local teams victorious. The girls score was 14 to 24, and the boys

was 20 to 21. Members of the Tingley team were: Maud McNeil, Mildred Asbury, Bessie Downard, Olive Jenks, and Opal Overholtzer. Members of the boys teams were Stewart, Roush, Darbyshire, Kiburz, and Roush.

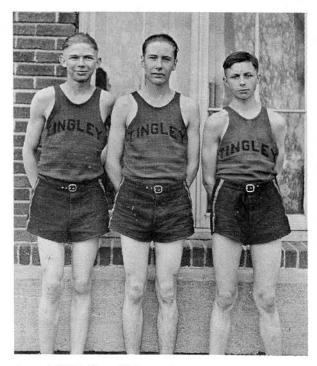


TINGLEY'S BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM IN THE EARLY YEARS...NEED IDENTIFICATION



1913 - 14 BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM FRONT ROW: Ike Kiburz, Fred Brown, Bill Breckenridge. BACK ROW: Claude Coffman, McCrory, Fred Strong.

SPORTS THROUGH THE YEARS





1945 - 46 BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM
FRONT ROW: Doyle Reynolds, Kenny Kiburz, Marvin Johnson, Lloyd Weeda,
Noel Seney, Bob England, Don Wright, Elbert Skarda, BACK ROW: Avery
Woollums, Byron Bender, Harold Grout, Robert Iiams, Donald Neff, Ross
Clough, Dale Grout, Coach - Howard Verploegh.

Around 1932 - Russell Petersohn, David Hill, Ralph Nichols



BOYS KITTEN BALL TEAM - FALL 1946

FIRST ROW: Harold Grout, Kenny Kiburz, Keith Van Sickle, Lloyd Weeda, Milo Been, Doyle Reynolds. 2ND ROW: Avery Woollums, Bob Iiams, Coach Howard Verploegh, Donald Neff, Walter Zarr. 3RD ROW: Supt. Gladys Kiburz, Jack England, Byron Bender, Donald Clouse, George Peters.

GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM - 1946

FRONT ROW: Charlotte Petersohn, Evelyn DeVries, Joyce Overholtzer, Eloise Walters, Margaret Troxell, Marilyn Kester. 2ND ROW: Doris England, Lillian Blunck, Ava Jean Kline, Helen O'Neal, Ella Deane DeVries, Maxine Nichols, Chaperone, Howard Verploegh, Coach.



SPORTS PAGES



1949 GIRLS BASKETBALL

FRONT ROW: Lyla Clough, Marilyn Kester-Captain, Charlotte Petersohn, Co-Captain, Marlene Giles, Donna Ferguson, & Roberta Swigart

SECOND ROW: Anne O'Neal, Evelyn Stephens, Coach: Mr. McGinness, Joan Hannah and Doris Johnson

THIRD ROW: Ellen Eighme, Linda Richards, Wanda Swigart, & Roberta Reynolds



1950 BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM

FRONT ROW: Allen Coffman, Lyle Minnick, M.C.Been, George Peters, Kenny Johnson, Charles Grout, Jack England. SECOND ROW: Alan O'Neal, Guy Peters, Dee Archibold, John Overholtzer, Coach | Mr. McGinness, Walter Zarr, Bob Lupher, Lloyd Guess, Jim England.



GIRLS BASKETBALL - 1952

PLAYED IN STATE TOURNAMENT IN 1952

FRONT ROW: Linda Richards, Jenesse Overholtzer, Ellen Eighme, Donna Ferguson, Doris Johnson, Anne O'Neal. 2ND ROW - Coach Obermeier, Karen Owens, Carol Werner, Lucy Dailey, Sue Richards, Betty Jobe, Jo Ellen Archibold, and Joan Hannah.

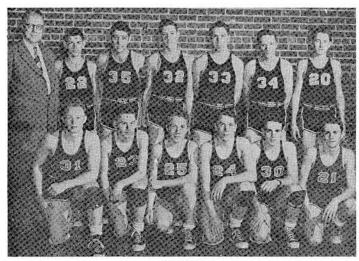
OTHER TEAMS PLAYING IN STATE TOURNA-MENT FROM TINGLEY WERE THE 1954 TEAM AND THE 1957 TEAM.

FALL - 1951 BOYS BASEBALL TEAM WHO PLAYED IN THE STATE TOURNAMENT.

Pictured from left to right: Lyle Minnick, John Overholtzer, Allen Coffman, Dean Bastow, Ken Johnson, Guy Peters, Howard Tull, Bob Lupher, and LeRoy Giles.



SPORTS PAGES



1952-1953

Leroy Giles, Ron Tull, Deitreich Geschke, Charles Clark, Alan O'Neal, Jim McIntosh. BACK ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Coach Obermeier, Howard Tull, Dwayne Overholtzer, Kenneth Grout, Dean Bastow, Bob Lupher, Darl Ferguson.



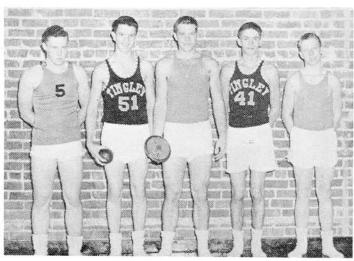
1956 BOYS BASKETBALL

1ST ROW: Jon O'Neal, Melvin Richards, Richard Palmer, Dean Eighme, Larry England. BACK ROW: Von Tull, Jim McIntosh, Hugh Ferguson, Jerry Jobe, Larry Giles, Jim Jobe, Coach M. H. Obermeier.



1956 GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM

FRONT ROW: Mary Sue Pritchard, Sue Richards, Mary Jane Minnick, Joyce Richards, Karen Owens, Myrna England, Brenda Brown. 2ND ROW: Pat Hill, Norma Jean Sutherland, Coach - Obie, Ruth Grout, Helga Geschke, Darlene Giles.



TRACK TEAM

LEFT TO RIGHT: Charles Nichols, Mike Archibold, Jerry Jobe, Ronald Shields, Roger Palmer.

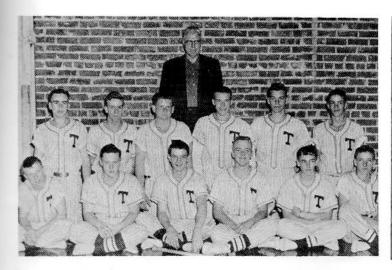
Others who have excelled in track through out the years have been: Rolland Roush, Raymond Ball, Jim Mc Intosh, Hugh & Darl Ferguson, and Dean Bastow.



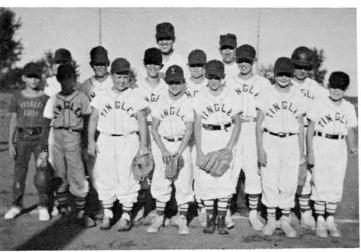
1959 GIRLS BASKETBALL

COACH - OBERMEIER, Norma Jean Sutherland, Nancy Nichols, Gay Lou Ferguson, Janet Richards, Glee Bear, Lynn Obermeier, _____

BASEBALL TEAMS



FRONT ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Roger Palmer, Charles Nichols, Mike Archibold, Marvin Kinne, Dean Reynolds, Bob Allen. SECOND ROW: Jon O'Neal, Larry England, Don Kinne, Jerry Jobe, Melvin Richards, Ronald Shields, Mr. Obermeier.



A TINGLEY LITTLE LEAGUE TEAM



FRONT ROW: Ned Foltz, Ed Adair, Robbie Ward, Pat Monaghan, Larry Bishop, Carlin Lawhead. SECOND ROW: Dave Breckenridge, Andy Sackett, Dennis Breckenridge, Gordon Bradley, Carey Crowson, Charles Grimes. THIRD ROW: Merle Walter, manager, Dave Henderson, Kurt Nichols, Dave McNeill, Jeff Brown, Bob Johnson, Gary Wimmer, coach.



SOPHOMORES: A. Reynolds, B. Hainline, J. Brown, L. Rinehart, J. Allen, Coach Giles, D. Weeda, D. Breckenridge, D. Breckenridge, G. Bradley.



RINGGOLD COUNTY CENTENNIAL - 1955

Growing beards in preparation for the Centennial Celebration in 1955 are the following:

FRONT ROW: Earl Troxell, Lloyd England, Charlie Law, LeRoy Giles, Earl Pritchard, Veryle Duffield, Richard Minnick, Virgil Morrison. 2ND ROW: Harley Been, ______, Roy Huntsman, Don Smith, Sam Duffield, Ted Hannah, Marria Miller, Pete Giles, Louie England. 3RD ROW: ______ (hidden), Ernest Bastow, Carl Riggs, George Ferguson, and Wayne Overholtzer.

TINGLEY HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI DIRECTORY 1893 - 1976

1893 - Sanders, Supt. Clark Casady Lou McGregor Maggie Elder Nichol Ed Frane Jessie Mahaffey McCoy Erle Hancook Mabel Pease Bement Ollie Hancock Haver Mabel Gibson Mills

1894 - Sanders, Supt. Clyde Mahaffey T. B. Stewart Rose Petty Lettie Haight Hall Alice Hancos Stella Russell Morrison Grace Marshall Clough Charles Stewart Hattie Gray Tyson

1895 - Sanders, Supt. Roy Pollock Thomas Archbold Webster Hancox Mae Palmer Anna McClure Mary Butler Daniel McGugin Ralph Tidrick

1896 - Sanders, Supt. Theo Coie Allen Golda Gray Dougherty Clyde Russel Ethel Nelson McCully Verna Pease Archibold Burris Stewart Harvey McClelland Rex Kinsell Mary Frane Fullerton Clara Nichol Elder Fred Stewart

1897 - No Class

1898 John Coie Alice Elder Templeton Bessie Lathrop

1899 - L. J. Little, Supt. Ruth Frane Robinson Lee Little Eleanor Swain Fuller Fannie Asbury Henderson Margie Hogue Mahaffey

1900 - L. J. Little, Supt. Lloyd Smith Lee Thompson Harvey Elder Luella House Goff Blanche Border Hauser

1901 - Chas. Murray, Supt. Irwin Swain Floyd Henry Anna Frane Smith Martha Pennick Atkin Mabel Little Lillard Boyd Reffner Robert Coie Marie Henderson Brown Daisy Smith Heyer 1902 - Chas. Murray, Supt. Edith Swain Lloyd Anderson John Beatty Julia Fletcher Henry Mae Coie Stephenson

1903 - Chas. Murray, Supt. Nellie Whisler Anderson Grace Elder Swain Ethel Henry Houston Henderson

1904 - Chas Murray, Supt. Hawley Tuttle Leslie McClure Jessie Spurrier Snapp Chloe Palmer Merna Hall Smith

1905 - Chas Murray, Supt. Bessie Baxter Etta Nelson Heyer Ila Hinedill Smedley Anna Kiburz Blackmore Gail Hamilton

1906 - Chas Murray, Supt. George Askren Alice Gillis Schaffer Mabel Henderson Plummer Jennie Little Fouser Asher Lorimor Delilah Parch Lorimor Lenore Peckham Yingling Jessie Richards Newton Ethel Stewart Miller Eunice Swain Henderson Minnie Tapp Ibbotson

1907 - Chas. Murray, Supt. Jennie Culp Henderson Glen Darbyshire June Kinsell Smith Mae Lanham Smith Ray Darbyshire Neil Lawhead Mable Lukecart Culp Ada Stiles Hattie Whisler Harper Leroy Spurrier

1908 - Chas. Murray, Supt.
Pearl Brown Larson
Lena Confer
Elno Hall Hicks
Glenn Henderson Relich
Leta Lawhead Sparks
Zoe McGandy Strong
Eva Burleigh Bosworth
Harry Gillis
John Hausz
Fern Little Hudson
Fay Stanley
Rose Whisler
Helene Heyer Smith

1909 - R. E. Davenport, Supt. Julia Mariner Henderson Letha Criswell Estell Eva Ashenhurst Houston Ethyl Smith Romanus Lulu Peckham Ramsey Glenn Stewart

1910 - No Class

1911 - E. J. Engle, Supt. Henry Immerzeel Weeda Little Lena Johnson Bischoff

1912 - E. J. Engle, Supt. Ray Overholtzer Bess Downard Parsons Lettie Nelson Smith Ruth McGandy Olive Jenks Overholtzer Mildred Asbury Moore

1913 - Jos. L. McCrory, Supt. Emma Lloyd Robert Darbyshire Lloyd Little Howard Johnson Clay Stewart Ben Weeda Earl Roush

1914 - Jos. L. McCrory, Supt. Bess Hausz Darbyshire Marie Peckham White Maude Mc Neil Hanshaw Opal Overholtzer Walters Fred Brown John Boyd Forrest Gray James Richards

1915 - Jos. L. McCrory, Supt. Fay McDowell Gowing Gladys Gray Hunter Claire Henderson Gladys Aiken Williams Wm. S. Breckenridge Glenn Cook Robert McLachlin Cecil Brown

1916 - Jos. L. McCrory, Supt. Mae Harvey Jones Milo Little Ike Kiburz Elipalet Mariner Dorothy Miller Floyd Miller Allan Aiken June Korf Ernest Warrick

1917 - W. J. Dennis, Supt. Helen Boyd Cochrane Loretta Dufty Wells Grace England Weeda Lottie Arnold Brown Lola Roush Breckenridge Harold Gillis Erle Lupher Raymond Byers Lawrence Haver Irvin Bischoff Amy Morrison

1918 - Mae F. Coie, Supt. Elgin Asbury Clarence Hausz Mary McLachlin Birdie Priest Johnson Clara Priest Lawson Cecil Fender Hazel Nelson Pearl Henderson Goodwin Roy Sheesley Glenn Grout Edna McKee Lorimor Edna Nichols Aikin Lois Shay Kuhn

1919 - Mae F. Coie, Supt. Ruth Carter England Marie Eckernam Troxell Iva Richards Coffman Lawrence Brown

1920 - J. E. Behuke, Supt.
Florence Kester Lupher
Gladys Flemming McKinney
Irene McDowell Wise
Bernice Nelson Hamilton
Eleanor Fender Baker
Gladys Tidrick Grout
Margaret Eighme
Marietta Eighme
Pauline Boyd Lyman
Paul Branson
Rolla Ashenhurst
Wm. Fleming
Ina Freeman - Honorary Member

1921 - Chas. E. Karn, Supt. Gladys Simpson Sadie Miller Oxenrider Ethel Blauer Dolecheck Geraldine Oxenrider Lloyd Roush Harold Temple Ned Adams Valere Fierce Dalbey

1922 - Chas. E. Karn, Supt. Frankie Eighme Oakel Buell McGregor Margaret Archibold Reed Helen O'Leary Brown Rebecca Lamb Mildred Morrison

1923 - Chas. E. Karn, Supt. Winifred Ferguson Whisler Ellen Eckerman Overholtzer Grace Simpson O'Connell Florence Dufty Demling Birdie McDowell Houge Edith Stottlemeyer Hall Wayne Overholtzer George Kester Emma Sottlemeyer Hanson LaVerne Zarr Ruth Lovely Jones Chester Breckenridge

1924 - Chas. E. Karn, Supt. Bernice Tidrick Swift Chas. F. Bennett Marguerite Eckerman Sherwood Willis Jackson Josephine Eighme Ira Weeda Mary Bevins Brown Roland Roush Irene Buchanan O'Leary

1925 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt. Marjorie Carter Archibald Opal Hubbard Eastwood Ernest Weeda

ALUMNI - CONTINUED

1926 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt. Ermal Breckenridge Edna Young Aleeta Clough Weeda Marvin Hall Harlin Harvey Emma Weeda Violet Webb Williams Wayne Darbyshire Florence England Scholasser Iona Roush Spurrier Margaret Bevins Freihage Boyd Fender Ray McDowell Jackson Fern Lovely Horton Hazel Simpson Evelyn Smith England Will Pease Lois Linkey Hammond

1927 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt. Lorena Fender Morgan Nellie Clayton Harvey George Ferguson Ruth Gross Tarr Loren Grout Russell Henry Kenneth Hoover Mary Longcoy Coick Avalyn Mc Dowell Freeman Frances McKee Hannah Paul Simpson Lynna Linkey Hoover

1928 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt. Beulah Roush Sale Marguerite Smith Nulph Doris Dorsey Helen Baldwin McCandless Vivian Baldwin Gladys Weeda Eggleston Gwen VanDriel Woodrow Vienna Hall Richards Horton Dufty Ivan Brown Dana Cristopher Lyndon Richards Dorothy Hill Stringham Flo McCloskey Marquis Franklin Eighme Jud White Rawson Coie Cleo Blackmore Dant Maude McKee Drake Hazel Nichols Jenkins Ira Ferguson

1929 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt. LaVaughn Archibald Dennison Raymond Buchanan Althea Clough Williams Miles Coffman Edwin Frank Clara Mae Giles Bird George Hathaway Rex Hoover Dean Ives Margaret Kinne Swann Beulah Marler Perkins Verna McCowen Opal Oxenrider Weeda Marion Sheumaker Stark Marvin Rawley Charles Smith John Smith Pauline Webb Henry William Weeda Howard Weeda Fern Gardner Fern Dunlap Giles

1930 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt. Leola Richards Bastow Gladys Frank Moore Frank Longcoy Russell Shields Nellie Blackmore Lutz Margaret Weeda McKay Irvin Weeda Ralph Simpson Leo Linkey

1931 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt. Raymond Verploegh Margaret Hunter Doyle Hicks Vira Marler Wilson David Kinne Page Nichols Alice Bennett Rogers Paul Weeda

1932 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt.
Mary Simpson
Iola Barland Ferguson
Ralph Nichols
Homer Blauer
Beatrice Blackmore Mounts
Lorene Marler
Frank Richards
Bert Grose
Chas. Grose
Keith McCowan

1933 - J. J. Hurwitz, Supt.
Doris Henry Dick
Virleen Blackmore Verploegh
Ava Smith
David Hill
Milo Bosworth
Russell Verploegh
Kathleen Hunter Williams
Harris Hill
Helen Winner Verploegh
Stanley Garland
Donna Rosengrant Ricker

1934 - Delbert Pidgeon, Supt. Lucius Eighme Willis Giles Russell Petersohn Robert Sheumaker Howard Simpson Margaret Been Dutton Alta Marie Borrusch Rowena Burch Delene McKee Nixon Wardine Smith

1935 - Delbert Pidgeon, Supt.
Lawrence Johnson
Alice Vanderpluym Cunningham
Clare Johnson
Lois McCowen
Donald Giles
Eleanor Weeda Shields
Helen Dufty Lasson
Donald Hathaway
Hazel Sharp Davis
Ivan Johnson
Thelma Henderson Rinner
Elmer Weeda
Cornelius Weeda

1936 - Delbert Pidgeon, Supt. Lawrence Hicks Monefay Hanson Fonkert Mildred Bacon Cheek Mary Blackmore Miller Fern Blauer Waugh Warren Allen Helen Jones Hoover Billy Miller Vashta Hubbard Ayers Earl Henderson Doris Weeda Reasoner Francis Petersohn Maxine Nichols Johnson Elmer Vanderpluym Charlene Borrusch Nichols Eleanor Bosworth West Doyle Hunter

1937 - Delbert Pidgeon, Supt.

Dorothy Webb Giles
Howard VerPloegh
Twilla Hall Lininger
Thelma Marler Duffield
Wayne Weeda
Robert Sharp
Mildred Stong Beneke
Francis Smith
Reba Breckenridge
Ellis Hill
Cleone Johnson Thompson
Lester Giles
Clair Hunter
Esther Petersohn Stephens

1938 - Delbert Pidgeon, Supt. Rowena Eighme Taylor Evelyn Walters Bonnell Harold Blauer Charlene Bosworth Evelyn Woods Winslow Beth Pidgeon Wayne Vanderpluym Mark Been Marjorie Hillebran Werner **Donald Scott** Helen Henderson Kenny Elton Werner Donna Mary England Farrell Lois Breckenridge Jensen Esther Hubbard Billy Nealis

1939 - W. K. Saville, Supt.
Lyle Laird
Harry Skarda
Merrill Johnson
Roberta Guess Spencer
Herbert Stark
Evelyn Baker Bradley
Maudeen Been Swinehart
Eldon Lockwood
Irene Vanderpluym Hubbard
Richard Garland
Wayne McGehee
Alfred Jones
William Buck

1940 - W. K. Saville, Supt.
Paul Buck
Jean Breckenridge Skarda
Nellie Gross
Harold Ball
Warren Giles
Vern Marler
Louise Smith
Naomi Weeda Wilson
Waye Morrison Whittington
Phyllis Morrison Smith
Opal Hillebran

1941 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Robert McGehee Roberta Johnson Gale Smith Ardena Eighme McVay Howard Swanson Louise Longcoy Millsap Leo Guess Lola Blunk Hester Henderson Cornett

1942 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Hazel Wimer
Raymond Vanderpluym
Paul Alexander
Lyle Troxell
Fern Woollums Jeans
Lee Mainard
Clell Blunck
Lillian Bass Lorimor
Allen Weeda
Marion McGehee
Marion Mercer
George Dailey
Dean Breckenridge
Pauline Hillebran

1943 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Lucy Weeda Garland Pauline Clymer VanSickle Dean Garland Russell Boyd Donald Grout Floyd Borrusch Raymond Ball Frank Marilyn Been Tindle Alfred Mohr Barbara Hoover Kiburz

1944 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Edwin VerPloegh J. R. Henderson Dorothy Reynolds Doyle Weeda Mardell Been Donner Madolyn England Kill Jr. Hullinger Billy Breckenridge Dorine Manbeck

1945 - H. C. Wiseman, Supt.
Dean Johnson
Doris Borrusch
Rex Morrison
John Dailey
Cleone Overholtzer
Donald Hullinger
Bert Wright
Roger Morrison
Donald Weeda
Dorothy Zarr Myers
Donald Bosworth
Mary Alice Boyd Huckaba
Marvin Kester
Peggy Mohr Skarda

1946 - Gladys Kiburz, Supt. Elbert Skarda Noel Seney Helen O'Neal Weeda Dale Grout Audrey Clymer Ross Clough Ava Jean Kline Weis Robert England Julia Woollums Don Wright

ALUMNI - CONTINUED

1947 - Gladys Kiburz, Supt.
Elsie Mae Coffman Ashburn
Joyce Overholtzer Scott
Patsy Hogue
Robert liams
Wayne Richards
Delores Bishoff
Margaret Troxell
Lloyd Weeda
Eloise Walters Brown
Ella Dean DeVries Ferber
Norman Ferber

1948 - Gladys Kiburz, Supt. Doyle Reynolds Marian O'Neal Juanita Drake Clouse Donald Clouse Doris England Lemar Dean Vanderpluym Kenneth Kuburz Betty Marrs Keith Van Sickle

1949 - Garland McGinnis, Supt. Marilyn Kester McCleary Avery Woollums Harold Grout Charlotte Petersohn Rosengrant Donald Neff

1950 - Garland McGinnis, Supt. George Peters Walter Zarr Lyle Clough Bucy Jack England

1951 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Roberta Reynolds Frost Roberta Swigart Staats M. C. Been Phillip Clymer Marlene Giles Zarr Charles Grout

1952 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. John Overholtzer
Donna Ferguson Morrison
Lyle Minnick
Guy Peters
Jim England
Allen Coffman
Lloyd Guess
Doris Johnson Been
Kenneth Johnson
Ellen Eighme

1953 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Joan Hannah Arnold Marvin Grout Jo Ellen Archibold Anne O'Neal Holland Alan O'Neal Gertrude Priest D. W. Archibold Bob Lupher

1954 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Linda Richard Peters Lucy Dailey Maudlin Louise Weeda Dean Bastow Howard Tull Darl Ferguson Dwayne Overholtzer Franklin Eighme Charles Clark 1955 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Dietrich Geschke Charles Ryan Elizabeth Jobe Miller Le Roy Giles Kenneth Grout Jenesse Overholtzer Tull Ronald Tull Wendell Craft

1956 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Karen Owens Minnick Helga Geschke Darlene Giles Bear Shirley Blauer Banner James Mc Intosh Earl Pritchard Arvid Clymer Marvin Halm

1957 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Myrna England Mary Jane Minnick Mosby Hugh Ferguson Dean Eighme Sue Richards Woods Mary Sue Pritchard Mc Intosh Donald Richards Von Tull Gary Bear Patricia Hill O'Loughlin Donald Dukes James Jobe Mary Jane Clark

1958 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Judith Jobe Pottorff Sharon Kinney Glick Brenda Brown Joyce Richards Anderson Janet Longcoy Fenton Robert Grout Richard Palmer Ronald Grout Beverly Clark Larry Giles Dale Weeda Larry Ford

1959 - M. H. Obermeier, Supt. Ruth Grout Don Kinne Melvin Richards Doris Giles Norma Jean Sutherland Jon O'Neal Betty Hill Kenneth Clymer Dick Baker Rita Miller Sickels Larry England

1960 -Jerry Jobe Roger Palmer Mary Barnhill Charles Nichols Don Mc Kay

1961 Ronald Shields
Linda Kinne
Glee Bear Toney
Marvin Kinne
Mike Archibold
Marie Miller
Gay Lou Ferguson
Bob Baker

1962 -Violet Scott Nancy Nichols Darlene Saltzman Bob Allen Lynn Obermeier Eddie Ford

1963 -Barbara Baker Rita Dukes Sickels Patty Grout Stark Jane Kinne Skillicorn

1964 Rhonda Clymer
Paul Dailey
Richard J. Farrell
Danny Ferguson
Gary Hailey
Ann Ibbotson
Quita Lininger Blunck
Doloris Mc Kay
Tom Petersohn
Karen Reasoner Cope
Doyle Richards
Raymond Shields

1965 -Sharon Giles Jackson Richard Hill Bill England Dennis Miller Ellen Ibbotson Linda Minnick Swan Craig Riggs Nancy Weeda Riggs Roger Trullinger

1966 -Arthur Allen Rita Fear Cheri Greimann Phyllis Petersohn Diane Richards

1967 Richard Ferguson
Gary Petersohn
Randy Petersohn
Kay Barnett
Sally Breckenridge Drake
Mary Eighme Miller
Doris Eighme Greene
Gwen Trullinger
Sandra Greimann

1968 -Gary Ferguson Greg Ferguson Phyllis Reed Debra Richards Bastow Carla Riggs Brown Peggy Welling

1969 Mike Breckenridge
Ruth Allen
Karen Blunck
Carla Ford Blanchard
Charles Ford
Ivan Grout
Linda Hill
Don Ibbotson
Charles Jackson
Curtis Lininger
Darrell Reynolds
Rodney Shields
Becky Skarda Dolecheck

Diane Weeda Fred Weeter Kathryn Wurster

1970 -Randy Blunck Kathy Boyd Billy R. Breckenridge Virginia Fear Mike Ford Kathy Johnson Defenbaugh Murrill Marshall Cinday Reasoner Allen Reed Cathy Riggs Mason Annette Shiclds Janet Skarda Kent Trullinger Patty Weeda Tindle Keith Welling

1971 -Kathy England Glenn Grout Lynn Grout Polly Johnson Hartsook Joy Kiburz Rose Ann Wurster

1972 Raymond Todd
Danny Weeda
David Weeda
Mike Wilkins
Cyndi Lautenbach
Rita Ibbotson
Carey Crowson
John Allen
David Breckenridge
Dennis Breckenridge
Jeff Brown

1973 -Kathy Burton Mary Helen Grout Pam Jackson Ricker Dianne Johnson Craig Ford Robert Johnson John Morrison Reldon Welling Mike Zarr

1974 -Julie Brown Lynita Burgher Diane England Judy Kuburz Alyce Reed Ginny Skarda Eighmy Darrell Weeter

1975 Richard Johnson
Karen Weeda
Patrick Weeda
Danny Weeda
Gary Wurster
Robin Shreve Wurster
Mark Baker
Alan Ibbotson

1976 Jeff England
Joni Brown
Becky Morrison
Marla Wilkins
Marsha Ford
Curtis Riggs
Ralph Grout
Cynthia Bennett

LITTLE TOWN

I like to live in a little town where the trees meet across the street,

Where you wave your hand and say 'hello' to everyone you meet.

I like to stand for a moment outside the grocery store,

And listen to the friendly gossip, of the folks that live next door.

For life is interwoven with the friends we learn to know,

And we hear their joys and sorrows, as we daily come and go.

So, I like to live in a little town,

I care no more to roam.

For every house in a little town, is more than a house, it's home.

Leona Been

THIS POEM WAS WRITTEN IN 1970 BY LEONA BEEN AT THE AGE OF 73 IT WAS WRITTEN ABOUT THE TOWN OF TINGLEY AND BELIEVE IT SUMS UP EVERYONES FEELINGS ABOUT LIVING IN A SMALL TOWN.

CREDITS-

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