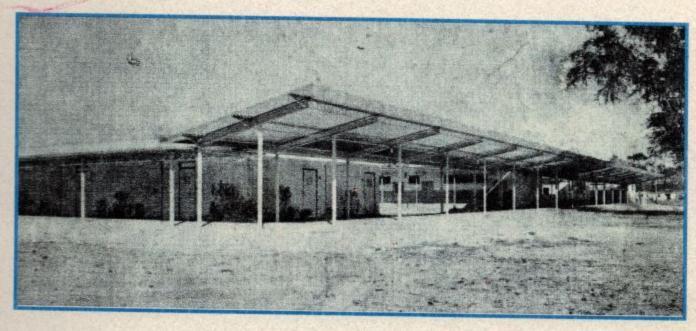
A Written and Pictorial History of the Oviedo Area Colored Schools 1890-1967

Oviedo Elementary, Jackson Heights Elementary, Geneva, Wagner, Kolokee (Snowhill), Gabriella (Jamestown)



" The World Outside"

Prepared for the Reunion of the Oviedo Elementary School & the Jackson Heights Elementary School Classes 1953-1967

> July 20-22, 2001 Jackson Heights Middle School Academy Avenue Oviedo, Florida

Taken from the Dedicatory Program for Jackson Heights Elementary February 12, 1961 

MR. S. T. MULLER, Principal

GRATITUDE AND A CHALLENGE

As I take a backward glance over the past 11 school terms and relive some of the difficulties we encountered in our feeble efforts, without the minimum of essentials needed at times, to plan and effectuate the type of educational program that the day demanded of us, I almost shutter in disgust. But as we begin this 12th term with our plant completed, we are gratified and are given new courage, and are also challenged as never before. Truly "behind each cloud the sun is still shining." While considering our present plant, we should ponder these words: "It is better to light a candle than to curse the darkness."

It is certainly reassuring heart-warming to witness this day. Words are inadequate to express to our school officials, parents and school commmunity at large just how grateful we are for the abiding faith you have in us to have made this long awaited dream come true.

With these added facilities come new and added responsibilities. With the advent of the space age and many other technological advances, with the mere pressing of a button and instantaneously we are in communication with many of the most remote places on the globe, with the rumbling noise and discontent of our neighbors just to the south of our shores as well as the many other trouble spots that are presently causing our world peace organization, the UN, many headaches, and with the continued attempts on starting the civil war all over again, we accept the challenge that is ours to use these facilities at our disposal to help direct the lives of those under our tutelage in such a way that they will be better able to take their places in this strife ridden world and stand on their feet and hold their heads high as they leave these walls. My sincere prayer is that our efforts here will in due time and in God's own way bear the desired fruits as we work together and move forward at the Jackson Heights Elementary School.

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1890-1967

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The Jackson Heights Elementary School
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Take A Moment to Really See

We have all heard the expression: "Remember to stop and smell the roses." But, how often do we really take time out of our hectic paced lives to notice the world outside. Too often we get caught up in our busy schedules, thoughts of our next appointment, the traffic or life in general, to even realize there are other people nearby. I am as guilty as anyone of tuning out the world in this manner.

I witnessed an event that showed me how being wrapped up in my own little world has kept me from being fully aware of the bigger world picture around me.

I think the entire class reunion committee has been deeply moved by the unfolding of this historical and long overdue encounter we are witnessing this weekend. I have reflected back on the preparation for this event and have learned several powerful lessons from it.

The first is "Slow down and smell the roses." Do this with friends and you will realize that this moment is all there is, more importantly, this moment is all that you have to make a difference in life.

The second lesson I learned is that the goals we set for ourselves can be attained through faith in ourselves and trust in others, despite seemingly insurmountable obstacles.

To the entire committee, friends, school board, and teachers words are inadequate to express my gratitude to you all for the abiding faith you had in me in aiding you to make this long awaited dream come true.

Do yourself a favor as you walk through life: take a moment to see what is going around you right now at this event. Slow down, you may be missing something wonderful.

My sincere prayer is that our efforts here will in due time and God's own way bear the desired fruits as we embank upon this endeavor together and move forward to establishing a scholarship fund in this community.

Gloria Godwin, Co-Chairperson "The World Outside" Reunion July 2001



Dear Fellow Alumni,

This thing that we do now, this coming together to remember and celebrate, is the good and correct response. It's the only appropriate response to our hearts' longing to see, touch and encourage one another again and to the challenge set forth by the establishers of the great legacy we received at this place.

While you are here I pray that you will simply "fill up" through the wonderful experiences and lively conversations you will have with one another. You will laugh together and probably even cry together. You will realize that the reason you are so connected to this place is that you received empowerment to face life and become your best because of the examples of Godly excellence and achievement modeled by the faculty and staff and our parents. I thank God for Mr. Muller and his leadership and for all those that understood that the accomplishment of a goal, particularly one as mammoth as the one that was before our elders at that time, requires cooperation and respect.

The challenge then is that we not neglect passing on to our children and grandchildren the lessons we learned: Trust God, respect one another, work hard and do the best you can with what you have before you.

Worship Services T 1:00 A.M.

I pray that God will bless you and keep you in His love.

Most Sincerely,

Gracia Muller Miller, Co-Chairperson "The World Outside" Reunion July 2001



All events will be held at the Jackson Heights Middle School Campus Academy Avenue Oviedo, Florida

Friday, July 20, 2001

Fun Day: 10:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.

Carnival atmosphere with various vendors in attendance.

Sock Hop: 7:00 P.M.-12:00 A.M.

Saturday, July 21, 2001

<u>Banquet</u>

Reception 6:30 P.M.

Emcees: Tara Denise Stewart Perkins and Darius Grayson Invocation: Reverend Joseph S. Smith

Welcome: D. Denyse Hinton

Roll Call: Elnora Allen Gilchrist

Selection

Occasion: Mrs. Ophelia Jones Moore

Selection

History: Judith Smith

Dinner:

Menu~Beef Tenderloin, Chicken Drummettes, Rice Pilaf, Deviled Eggs, Vegetable Medley, Cake and Coffee

Introduction of Speaker: Ingrid Muller Witherspoon Speaker: Mrs. Clara Shellman Walters

Reflections: Mrs. Vivian Hurston Bowden Closing Remarks: Gracia Muller Miller

> Sunday, July 22, 2001 Worship Services: 11:00 A.M

Master of Ceremony: Minister Arcee James

Praise & Worship: Janice Brockington-Renn with The New Gospelettes

Opening Prayer/Scripture: Edward Whipper

Selection

Welcome/Announcements: Brenda Gainey Wilson

Antioch M. B. Church Praise Dancers Memorial Observance: Arlene Link Hickson

Duet : Whitney Tossie & Greg Tossie

Introduction of Speaker: David Tossie Speaker: Herbert Washington

Offering

Reflections: Mr. S.W. Baker & Kelley Muller-Smith

Closing Remarks: Gloria Godwin

Closing Prayer: Evangelist Dr. Brenda Walker Greene

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Co-Chairperson Co-Chairperson

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Mark Wilson, Lois Smith

Taken from the Dedicatory Program for Jackson Heights Elementary February 12, 1961

HISTORY

Jackson Heights Elementary School had its beginning some years ago in the traditional "Red School House" which consisted of one room, and was located adjacent to the present site of the Antioch Missionary Baptist Church.

This little one teacher school was in existence for a number of years, and when the population began to increase, it was necessary to add another room and employ the second teacher. This was the status of educational provisions as far back as 1913.

Grades 1 - 8 were taught in these two rooms and the students were grouped as follows: From primer through grades 4 were taught in the "little room" and grades 5 - 8 received instruction in the "big room." Every child longed for the day when he could say that he was a student of the "big room."

The status of the school remained the same until the year 1923 at which time the population began to increase, and the building began to deterioate, and it became necessary to construct a new one. It is reported that an appropriation of approximately \$2,000 was made for this purpose, but realizing the meagerness of this amount of money for such purpose, the patrons of the community thought it best to purchase the plant formerly used by the white students. The building, under consideration which consisted of 3 spacious classrooms and a storage room, was moved to South Division St. and is now known as the Community Center. For over a decade, three teachers served with little or no facilities in this building; then in 1935 some renovations were done and the storage room was used for a fourth classroom. Seven years later one room was partitioned thus providing an additional room, and another teacher was added bringing the total to five at which time, the 9th and 10th grades were added, and remained until 1950. During these same years, another old building was donated and was used for awhile as a lunchroom, but it too, soon, had to be used for a classroom.

The term 1951-52 marked the transitional period for all of the schools of Seminole County; thus the schools at Wagner and Gabrilla (Jamestown) were consolidated with our school here. Then within a short while, a county-wide building program was begun, and in November 1952, our first unit on this site was completed. The primary grades (1-3) were taught here while grades (4-8) remained at the old site, and at this same time, the school at Snowhill was consolidated with our school. Our facilities for classroom instruction remained on this wise until the term 1957-58 at which time our second unit was completed with adequate classroom facilities for 10 teachers and a principal. Another teacher and a secretary were added at the beginning of the term 1959-60. When this current term began, 3 additional classrooms were completed and 2 more teachers were added to the faculty. Now, the little one teacher school has grown to a staff of a principal, 13 teachers, a secretary, 3½ lunchroom workers, 2 bus drivers and 1 custodian. The present enrollment is 416 pupils. The plant now has 13 classrooms, a library, adequate restrooms for both boys and girls, a fully equipped kitchen and cafetorium, a clinic room, a teachers lounge, a central heating system, and office suite, adequate storage rooms and inter-communitication system.

The school has been called by various names, Orange Academy, Seminole Academy, Oviedo Jr. High and Oviedo Elementary and others. With the selection of the name Jackson Heights (the section of town where the school is located) by sudents and PTA members 2 years ago. The Seminole County School Board in session on Dec. 8, 1961 officially named the school, a very timely act of which we all are very proud. NOTE: This narrative about the history of the Oviedo-area Colored schools tries to be true to the terminology used in the various historical resources making reference to race. It would have been easy to cloak the racial references into the politically correct terms for 2001 but those terms would only convey what is true for this point in time. They would not reflect the reality of the era that we are researching. It is amazing to see what these educators were able to accomplish even when referred to by today's politically incorrect verbiage. Please celebrate the history and the accomplishments of these educators.

History

The Oviedo Elementary School and the Jackson Heights School Reunion began as a vision of Gloria Godwin and Gracia Muller-Miller.

Godwin often spoke of the effect attending Jackson Heights had upon her life. It has been reported that she would speak to anyone who would listen about the plan for a reunion of the Oviedo Elementary School and the Jackson Heights Elementary School.

Muller-Miller was reported to have constantly spoken about the choral events that were a mainstay at the Jackson Heights Elementary School. Specifically, she mentioned a song that the chorus often sang "The World Outside." So, "The World Outside" became the theme of the reunion of the Oviedo Elementary School and the Jackson Heights Elementary School. Godwin and Muller-Miller decided to focus on the classes from 1953-1967 for expediency. All people would be welcome. However, since this was such a gigantic pursuit, it was necessary to narrow the focus.

The seeds for this reunion were planted long before Godwin and Muller-Miller solidified the plan. The pursuit of excellence was one of the seeds sown when classes were held in the one-room schools. The physical plant in which classes were held did not dictate the level of excellence in teaching that was pursued. Godwin and Muller-Miller were about to benefit from the foresight of numerous people from years past.

Godwin and Muller-Miller began their mission by calling together a meeting at the home of Larry and Gracia Miller in Snowhill, Florida. The location of Snowhill was a historic witness to the pursuit of forming the class reunion. Snowhill was one of the sites for the one-room school in the Oviedo area. This area had also been the starting point for many of the educators that had the vision and perseverance to demand the best education for the descendants of the former African slaves.

During 2000, various functions were held in order to raise funds for the event. There appeared to be great interest from most of the alumni of the Oviedo Elementary School and the Jackson Heights Elementary School. Various committees were formed to ensure a smooth distribution of labor for the reunion. The preparation for the reunion began to reach back into the past in order to form a bridge into the present.

What we now experience and perceive took root in the not so distant past. The Oviedo Elementary School and the Jackson Heights Elementary School roots lie in the traditional "Red School House." This school was located adjacent to the present site of the Antioch M. B. Church in Oviedo, Florida. This school consisted of a one-room building.

Elementary School and the Jackson Heights Elementary School. However, the human factor that went into making these schools institutions of excellence has been a bit more difficult to chronicle. Many of the educational pioneers that participated in securing the right to a decent education for the descendants of African slaves are gone. Their library of knowledge has expired with them. We have tried to restore this library of knowledge for each of them by perusing through their written records and by looking through any pictorial evidence. We have also tried to pose questions to their various families hoping to glean bits of information to use in this history puzzle that we have retrieved.

To understand the need to strive for excellence that seemed to engulf the educators of the Oviedo Elementary and the Jackson Heights Elementary Schools, we must also journey back to the end of slavery in the United States of America.

According to an article in the February/March 1997 issue of Black Family Today, before the 1870's, the children of prosperous families attended private schools. Formal education was not available to the descendents of the former slaves in Oviedo until 1886. Orange County built a one-room school next to the Antioch M. B. Church. At that time, Seminole County was a part of Orange County. According to the history published in the dedicatory program of the Jackson Heights Elementary School in February 12,1961, the school was known by many names: Orange Academy, Seminole Academy, Oviedo Jr. High, Oviedo Elementary, and others. On April 26,1913, Orange County divided. The northern part became Seminole County. Ten "white schools" and eight "colored schools" comprised the Seminole County School System.

The raw information contained within the School Board minutes was given life by the oral history of former teachers and staff.

Mrs. Gladys Holmes Smith: The school colors were Red and Yellow. The school covered grades 1-8 then 1-10 and finally 1-8. We had two basketball teams. We had a music club and a drama club that met on Fridays. We had speaking, singing programs and produced plays. Some interesting facts that I remember about the school:

- 1. We had a 2-room building.
- 2. We had no running water.
- 3. We had no inside bathroom.
- 4. We bought our own books.
- 5. Discipline was very strict. Lateness was not tolerated.. You were there to learn.

I graduated from Florida A & M High School. I received my Baccalaureate from the Bethune Cookman College in Daytona Beach, Florida.

Mrs. Annie Stokes O'Neille: I taught at the Oviedo Elementary School on Division Street. I remember teaching several students, in particular, from the following families: Allen, Robinson, Rhodes, Jackson, and the Banks. Some of these students were in my first class.

I received my Baccalaureate from FAMU (Florida A & M University, Tallahassee, Florida.)

There were other colored schools in the Oviedo-area during this period of time. Gabriella (Jamestown), Wagner, Geneva, and Kolokee (Snowhill). These were housed in one-room school buildings. The lone teacher usually served as principal also.

Much of the statistical as well as other information used in compiling this history were gleaned from the Seminole County School Board Minutes from 1913 through 1967. These minutes contained information regarding the slightest detail about each school. The raw data of each school was separated by race until approximately the 1967-1968 school year when the integration of the Jackson Heights Elementary School occurred.

On August 12,1913, Mr. J. Tilden Jacobs recommended that Butler P. Boston, W.A.H ? sh (name not legible in records) and J. E. Oxendine be appointed trustees for the Oviedo Colored School. The school board minutes also reflected the names of the principals, teachers and other personnel year by year.

Mr. Edward Blacksheare: I taught 7th and 8th grades. Jackson Heights was the beginning of my teaching career. There were also the Gabriella (Jamestown), Geneva, Wagner and Kolokee Schools. While working at Oviedo Elementary the warmth and cordiality stood out above all the attributes. I drove three other teachers from Sanford to Oviedo.

I received my Baccalaureate from the Moorehouse College in Atlanta, Georgia.

On September 6, 1918, it was reported that during World War 1, all schools would close for 2 months during the spring in order to harvest crops. In 1918, the colored schools opened on October 14th. It was also in this year that the Gabriella (Jamestown) Colored School was established. The teacher's salary at that time was \$25.00 per month.

Lola Nettles was listed as the visiting nurse for the colored schools. At times the minutes seemed consumed by the various diseases that were common during this period of time. Lola Nettles was also mentioned in the January/February 2001 article in the Black Family Today Magazine. When Jeannette Glover Oliver was hired in 1935 by T. W. Lawton to be Seminole County's first school superintendent for the colored schools, she rode with Lola Nettles to learn the roads to the schools.

Mrs. Bernice Hatcher Muller: I taught at the Oviedo Elementary School on Division Street across from the Fountainhead M. B. Church. I taught in the same room as Mrs. Lillie R. Hall. I graduated from Florida Memorial College when it was located in St. Augustine, Florida. I attended school in Oviedo. My first grade teacher was Mrs. Lillie Hall Williams. My second grade teacher was Mrs. Gladys H. Smith. She taught me measurements and to this day that lesson really has stayed with me. Mrs. Forster was my third grade teacher. Mr. Reed taught me in 8th grade. He could really write. Oviedo only went up to 8th grade at that time. I attended 9th grade for a few weeks at Jones High School in Orlando, Florida. I boarded with Mr. and Mrs. Reed during this time. I returned to Oviedo when the 9th and 10th grades were added to the Oviedo School.

The other Oviedo area schools continued to be active during this time. On November 7, 1926, the minutes reflected that property was purchased by the Geneva Colored School. The following people gave money to purchase the property.

J.W. Muller \$10.00 T.M. Vinson 10.00 E.M. Bush 10.00 David Bush 10.00 W.H. Bacon 10.00 E. Smith 5.00 A.J. Muller 10.00 U.S. Bacon 15.00 H. Detreville 10.00 H. Bush 10.00

Mrs. Ophelia Jones Moore: I taught my first year at the building on Division Street across from the Fountainhead M. B. Church. I moved to the new complex in the 1956-57 school year. When we had any productions we always did them with excellence.

I received my Baccalaureate from FAMU, Tallahassee, Florida and my Masters Degree from UCF (University of Central Florida) Orlando, Florida.

Mrs. Freddie Muller Mobley: I taught in the one room school at Kolokee. There were 8 grades in one room. I then taught at the Oviedo Elementary across from the Fountainhead M. B. Church. My brother was the principal during the time I taught at the Oviedo Elementary School. I concluded my teaching assignment there in 1954 and then went on to teach at Midway Elementary.

Mrs. Mary Helen Carwise Smith: Jackson Heights Elementary was my first teaching assignment right out of college. One particular thing stands out in my mind about that first year. There were three males students that stood taller than I was. Once I established my authority they were most helpful to me that first year. Mrs. Ophelia Moore was my mentor during this first year.

The Oviedo Colored School, Gabriella (Jamestown) Colored School, Wagner Colored School, Geneva Colored School and Kolokee Colored School operated with various changes in personnel from time to time.

On January 5,1926, a petition was presented by the superintendent. Said petition, signed by a majority of the petitioners of the Oviedo Negro Schools, requested that their school be a winter school rather than a summer school as during the past several years. The petition, being endorsed by C. L. West, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Oviedo School district was acted upon favorably. And the superintendent was instructed to notify the petitioners that their school would operate beginning the fall of 1926 for the term of six (6) months.

In 1938, \$50 was paid for 5 acres of land, the Pardon Farm, to be used for the colored school Playground/Development school plait at Wagner.

Mr. Willie Merkerson: I was an itinerant music teacher. I visited Jackson Heights Elementary once a week. I taught band and chorus.

I received my Baccalaureate from FAMU, Tallahassee, Florida.

Mrs. Vivian Hurston Bowden: I taught my entire Jackson Heights career at the new complex. I was the choreographer for many musical events.

I graduated from the Bethune Cookman College in Daytona Beach, Florida and received my Masters Degree in Deland.

Mrs. Cora Snead: Teaching at Jackson Heights Elementary was my very first teaching assignment out of college.

I graduated from the Fisk University in Nashville, Tennessee.

In 1939, the Oviedo Colored School contained four rooms and had 174 children enrolled. Gabriella (Jamestown) had 18 children enrolled. Wagner Colored School had 18 children enrolled. The Geneva Colored School had 18 children enrolled. The Kolokee Colored School had 30 children enrolled. These children's parents were probably employed in the following local industries of turpentine production, citrus and vegetable farming. This was the environment in which the Oviedo-area colored schools found themselves.

Mrs. Clara Shellman Walters: My first assignment out of college was at Jackson Heights Elementary School. Mrs. Ophelia Jones Moore was my mentor during this time. I kept a great deal of memorabilia connected with my first year. I went on my first boat ride when I accompanied my 8th grade class to Silver Springs. I also coordinated a formal dance for my class. I graduated from Florida Memorial College in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. Elmira Jaye Fields Hall: I taught at Oviedo Elementary for four and one-half months as a substitute teacher for the 4th grade class of Mrs. Inez B. Rhodes, She was on maternity leave from February through June of 1955. I was Elmira Fields at that time.

I graduated from FAMU, Tallahassee, Florida

The educators may have been an elite group within their various communities but according to the Seminole County School Board minutes, educators often served in ancillary positions such as janitors and transportation providers. In September 14,1944, one teacher was paid \$30.00 for the month for providing transportation from the Geneva Colored School to the Oviedo Colored School.

In 1951, the Gabriella (Jamestown) Colored School closed. It merged with the Oviedo Colored School. In the early 1950's, the Wagner Colored School, the Geneva Colored School and the Kolokee Colored School were closed and merged with the Oviedo Colored School.

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Genevo Colored School Fannie Reed Teacher/ Principal

Oviedo Calared School
Teacher: Ora B. Lee
Margaret Lee
Mae Lindsey

Staff at Oviedo area Colored Schools (School Board Minutes) 1913-1967

8/12/13
Oviedo Colored School
Pearl Sermons, Principal
Marie Stocer, Teacher

7/6/1914
Oviedo Colored School
Charlotte Sermons
Mary Elburt

6/15/1915
Oviedo Colored School
Miss Charlotte Sermons, Principal
Mrs. J. Fields, Teacher

7/1916-1917

Marvin Stervin was moved from Geneva Colored School to Oviedo Colored School and Miss Cook moved to Geneva.

9/6/1918
Oviedo Colored School
S. E. Monroe, Principal
Mary Clark, Teacher

5/23/21
Oviedo Colored School
Teachers: Fannie Reed
S. E. Monroe
Emma Byrd
U. P. Bronson
Jessie Bronson

7/11/22
<u>Geneva Colored School</u>
Fannie Reed Teacher/ Principal

11/7/28
Oviedo Colored School
Teacher: Ora D. Lee
Margaret Lee
Mae Lindsey

9/4/29
<u>Kolokee (Colored)</u>
Teacher: Evelyn Wiggins

10/25/29
Oviedo Colored School
S.E. Monroe, Principal
Teachers: Margaret Lee
Mae Lindsey

3/5/30
Oviedo Colored School
S.E. Monroe, Principal
Teachers: Jennie Mc Pherson
Mae Lindsey

4/9/30
Oviedo Colored School
S. E. Monroe, Principal
Teachers: Jennie McPherson
Mae Lindsey
S.E. Monroe, Janitor

5/7/30
Oviedo Colored School
Recommended for 1930-1931
S.E. Monroe, Principal
Teachers: Jennie McPherson
Mae Lindsey

Gabriella (Jamestown) Colored
Ethel Burney, Principal/ Teacher

10/24/30
Oviedo Colored School
S.E. Monroe Principal
Teachers: Margaret Lee
Mae Lindsey

6/22/31
Gabriella(Jamestown)
Ethel Burney, Principal/ Teacher

5/4/32 periodel llemo9 eduoJ Oviedo Elementary School William Hamilton Lillie Hall (Williams) Mae Lindsey

10/28/32 Oviedo Elementary William Hamilton Gladys Holmes Aleatha Hamilton Kolokee Jennie McPherson Gabriella (Jamestown)

Ethel Burney Wagner Gertrude Davis

5/3/33

10/4/33

Oviedo Elementary William Hamilton Principal Teachers: Gladys Holmes Aleatha Hamilton

Oviedo Elementary Horace Jackson, Principal Teachers: Gladys Holmes Lillie Hall (Williams) Kolokee Jannie Jackson

Gabriella (Jamestown) Thomas Reid

Kolokee

Janie Jackson

10-3-34 Oviedo Elementary Thomas Reid, Principal Teachers: Gladys Holmes Lillie Hall (Williams) Gabriella (Jamestown) Alba Finalayeon Geneva Evelyn Anderson

6/29/35 Oviedo Elementary Thomas Reid, Principal \$65.00 Salary: \$42.00 Gladys Holmes \$55.00 Lillie Hall (Williams) \$ 50.00 Charlotte Foster

9/9/36 Oviedo Elementary Thomas Reid, Principal Teachers: Gladys Holmes Lillie Hall (Williams) Charlotte Foster

9/9/36 Oviedo Elementary Thomas Reid, Principal Teachers: Gladys Holmes Lillie Hall (Williams) Charlotte Foster Gabriella: Louis Parnell, Teacher/Principal Wagner: Jennie Jackson, Teacher/Principal Geneva: Viola Mattox, Teacher/ Principal Kolokee: Margaret Dixon, Teacher/ Principal

10/6/37

Same as for 9/9/36

9/7/38 Oviedo Elementary Thomas Reid, Principal Teachers: Gladys Holmes, Lillie Hall (Williams), Charlotte Foster

Gabriella:

Louise Parnell, Teacher/Principal Wagner:

Jennie Jackson, Teacher/ Principal Geneva:

Ida Muller, Teacher/Principal Kolokee

Margaret Dixon, Teacher/Principal

7-5-1939 same as for 9-7-38

4/24/40

Oviedo Elementary Thomas Reid, Principal Teachers: Gladys Holmes Gabriella (Jamestown) Louise Parnell, Teacher/Principal Wagner Jennie Jackson, Teacher/Principal

Geneva Ida Muller, Teacher Principal

Kolokee Margaret Dixon, Teacher Principal

4/26/41

Oviedo Elementary Thomas Reid, Principal Teachers: Arbesto Muller Inez Barthwell Gladys Holmes

Gabriella (Jamestown)

Louise Parnell, Teacher/Principal Wagner

Thelma Zachery, Teacher/Principal Geneva

Ida Muller, Teacher/Principal Kolokee

Jannie Jackson, Teacher/Principal

5/11/42 not most most w

Oviedo Elementary Thomas Reid, Principal Teachers: Arbesto Muller Inez Barthwell, Gladys Holmes Gabriela (Jamestown) Louise Parnell, Teacher/Principal Wagner

Thelma Zachery, Teacher/Principal

10/14/42

Oviedo Elementary U.P. Bronson, Principal Teachers: Susie Bronson, Arbesto Muller Mae Edwards, Gladys Holmes

5/25/1943

Oviedo Elementary U.P. Bronson, Principal Teachers: Arbesto Muller, Susie Bronson Mae Edwards, Gladys Holmes

4/27/44

Oviedo Elementary U.P. Bronson, Principal Teachers: Mae Edwards. Arbesto Muller Lloyd Gladys Holmes

10/2/44

Oviedo Elementary
W.H. Long, Principal
Teachers: Mae Edwards Muller,
Inez Barthwell
Arbesto Muller Lloyd,
Gladys Holmes Smith

4/12/45 Oviedo Elementary Same as 10/12/44

9-13-45
Oviedo Elementary
W.H. Long, Principal
Mae E. Muller, Arbesto M. Craddock
Gladys H. Smith Inez Barthwell

4/25/46 Oviedo Elementary Same as 9-13-45

4/24/47
Oviedo Elementary
W.H. Long, Principal
Teachers: Mae E. Muller,
Inez Barthwell Rhodes
Arbesto M. Craddock,
Freddie M. Mobley
Georgiana Thompson,
Gladys H. Smith

Geneva
Ida M. Anderson
Kolakee
Susie Harrington (Blacksheare)

9/11/47
Oviedo Elementary
W.H. Long, Principal
Teachers: Mae E. Muller,
Arbesto M. Craddock
Inez B. Rhodes, Gladys H. Smith
Freddie M. Mobley
Georgiana Thompson

4-27-48

Same as 9-11-47

May 1949

GenevaIda M. Anderson Principal/ Teacher
Kolokee
Lillie Robinson Hall

6/16/49
Oviedo Elementary
W.H. Long Principal
Teachers: Edward Blacksheare
Georgianna Thompson
Inez B. Rhodes
Arbesto M. Craddock
Gladys H. Smith
Cloie Bacon

May 11, 1950
Oviedo Elementary
S.T. Muller, Principal
Teachers: Edward Blacksheare,
Gladys H. Smith
Lilie R.Hall, Inez B. Rhodes
Georgianna Thompson, Cloie Bacon

5/10/51
Oviedo Elementary
S.T. Muller, Principal
Teachers: Edward Blacksheare,
Zonnye M. Tucker
Louise P. Williams, Inez B. Rhodes
Gladys H. Smith, Bernice Hatcher
Georgiana Thompson,
Arbesto M. Craddock
Lillie R. Hall

9/11/52

Oviedo Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Mae E. Muller, Music Supervisor Teachers: Edward Blacksheare Arbesto M. Craddock Lillie R. Hall, Bernice Hatcher Gladys H. Smith Georgianna Thompson Zonnye T. Davis, Inez B. Rhodes Louise P. Williams

4/21/53

Same as 9/11/52

4/22/54 Application Michael

Oviedo Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Mae E. Muller, Music supervisor Teachers: Edward Blacksheare Georgianna Thompson Lillie R. Hall, Zonnye T. Davis Louise R. Williams, Inez B. Rhodes Annie M. Stokes (for G. H. Smith on maternity leave)

April 1954

Geneva and Kolokee are consolidated with Oviedo Elementary. Ida M. Anderson and Lillie R. Hall are reassigned to the Oviedo Elementary.

4/28/55 Oviedo Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Teachers: Annie M. Stokes(Substitute) Lillie R. Hal Louise P. Williams Ida M. Muller Gladys H. Smith, Johnnie M. McGee, Arbesto M.Craddock Zonnye T. Davis Georgianna McClendon

Louise Pamell, Teacher Principal 7-25-55

Bus Drivers: Annie M. Lovett, G.C. Banks Herbert Cherry, Ossie Banks Gladys Ingram, Paul Laws Janitor: Gladys Ingram, James Golden

4/23/56 William and obely O Oviedo Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Teachers: Gladys H. Smith Ida M. Anderson Zonnye T. Davis, Ophelia Jones Juanita McClendon, Lillie R. Hall Annie M. Stoker, Louise P. Williams Johnnie Copper Arbesto M. Craddock

4/25/57

Oviedo Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Teachers: Zonnye T. Davis Ida M. Anderson Gladys H. Smith Arbesto M. Washington Louise P. Williams, Inez B. Rhodes Johnnie Copper, Albertha Robinson Ophelia Jones, Lillie R. Hall

8/15/57

Lucille Jackson, Janitor

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Oviedo Elementory House Charles W.H. Long, Principal

Teachem: Mas E. Muller,

4/29/58

Oviedo Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Teachers: Albertha Robinson, Ophelia Jones Ida M. Anderson, Gladys H. Smith Inez B. Rhodes, Johnnie Copper Lillie R. Hall, Arbesto M. Washington Inez B.Rhodes, Ophelia J. Moore Louise P. Williams, Zonnye T. Davis

4/6/59

Oviedo Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Teachers: Ida M. Anderson, Lillie R. Hall Arbesto M. Washington, Albertha Robinson Louise P. Williams, Johnnie M. Copper Edward Humphrey, Gladys H. Smith

4/18/60

Oviedo Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Teachers: Ida M. Muller, Vivian Hunton, Mary J. Curtis Johnnie Copper Ulle R. Hall, Gladys H. Smith Inez B. Rhodes, Arbesto M. Washington Barbara Bowers, Lillie R. Hill Gladys H. Smith, Louise P. Williams Vivian Hurston, Edward Humphrey Ophelia J. Moore Jackson Heights Elementory

6/10/60

Samuel Stallworth, Custodian

4/20/61

Jackson Heights Elementary S.T. Muller, Principal Teachers: Ida M. Anderson, Louise P. Williams Edward Humphrey, Hortense Givings Arbesto M. Washington, Mary Curtis Gladys H. Smith, Lillie R. Hall Barbara Bowers, Vivian Hurston Glodys H. Smith

4/20/61

Mrs. Mary E. Francis resigned.

5/10/62

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S.T. Muller Principal

Ray H, Wright, Mrs. Willia Burrell S.W. Baker, Barbara Bowers A fist of teaching of 2000 A fist of teaching of teaching at the state of the state

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Mr. Wilbert H. Smith, Art Instructor.

Evelyn Schroeder

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Jackson Heights Elementary
S.T. Muller, Principal
Teachers:
Edward Humphrey
S.W. Baker
Ophelia J. Moore, Louise P. Williams
Ida M. Anderson, Inez B. Rhodes
Arbesto M. Washington,
Barbara Bowers
Mary J. Curtis, Vivian Hurston
Lillie R. Hall, Gladys H. Smith
Hortense Givings

4/64

Same as 4/11/63

Jackson Heights Elementary
S.T. Muller, Principal
Teachers:
Edward Humphrey, S.W. Baker
Louise P. Williams, Ophelia J. Moore
Inez B. Rhodes, Ida M. Anderson
Barbara Bowers,
Arbesto M. Washington
Vivian Hurston, Mary J. Curtis
Lillie R. Hall, Gladys H. Smith
Hortense Givings,
Mary Helen Carwise
Cora Snead

Jackson Heights Elementary
S.T. Muller, Principal
Teachers:
Evelyn Schroeder, Clara Shellman
Ray H. Wright, Mrs. Willie Burrell
S.W. Baker, Barbara Bowers
Edward Humphrey, Ophelia J. Moore
Inez B. Rhodes, Gladys H. Smith
Louise P. Williams
Mary Helen Carwise Smith
Lillie R. Hall

Oviedo Elementary School and Jackson Heights Elementary School Teachers* 1890-1967

* A list of teachers' names from 1913-1967 is written in the History section. The following people are not listed in this book: Mrs. Julia Merritt, Librarian, Miss Annie Ruth Howard, Librarian, and Mr. Wilbert H. Smith, Art Instructor.



Mrs. Arbesto Muller Johnson Mrs. Mae F. Edwards Muller Mrs. Annie Stokes O'Neille







Mrs. Gladys Holmes Smith



Mrs. Inez Barthwell Rhodes



Mr. Edward Blacksheare



Mrs. Louise Parnell Williams



Mrs. Johnnie Copper



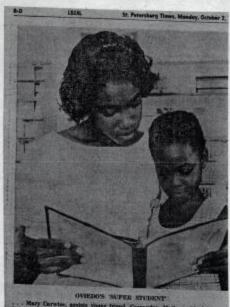
Mrs. Ida Muller Anderson



Mrs. Vivian Hurston Bowden



l. Mr. Ray Hall Wright r. Mr. Edward Humphrey



RESHMAN IN EDUCATION

GJC Student Of The Week Is Oviedo's Mary Carwise



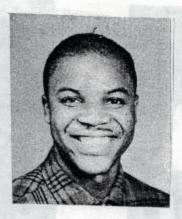
Top: Mrs. M. Helen Carwise Smith Bottom L: Mrs. Zonnye T. Dixon r.: Mrs. Elmira Fields Hall







Miss Annie Ruth Howard



Mr. Willie Merkerson



Mrs. Lillie Robinson Hall



Dr. Hortense Givings Evans



Mrs. Ophelia Jones Moore



Mr. S. W. Baker





Mrs. Freddie Muller Mobley Mrs. Cloie Rhodes Bacon-Brunson Mrs. Bernice Hatcher Muller







Oviedo Elementary School and Jackson Heights Elementary School Personnel* 1890-1967

Please Note: This is not an exhaustive list of personnel working at the above schools.

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* Not Pictured:

Mrs. D. H. Bacon

Mrs. Carrie Mims

Mrs. Doshia Knight Mitchell

Ms. Jimmie Lee Blair

Mrs. Betty Crumity Robinson

Mr. Robert Calhoun

Ms. Betty Joyce Browdy

Mrs. Willie L. Craddock

Ms. Daisy Elliott

Ms. Bernice Walker

Mr. O. C. Banks

Mrs. Lucille Jackson

Ms. Annie Lovett

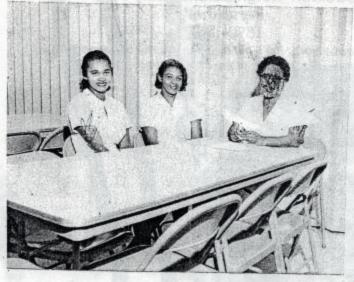
Mr. Herbert Cherry

Mr. Ossie Banks

Mr. James Golden

Mr. Samuel Stallworth

Lunchroom Personnel



Cheerfully Prepare Weekly Menu



First Column: Mrs. C. Hill, Mrs. E, Witherspoon, Mrs. V. Braswell Bottom: Mrs. C. Hill Second Column: Mrs. Witherspoon, Mr. Willie Godwin Mrs. Athur Mae Scott, Mrs. Freeman









School Secretary



Mrs. Annie Corbin Stokes







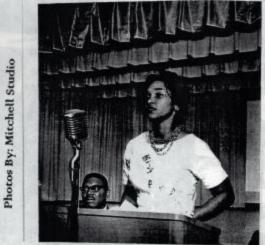


First Column: Top. Mrs. Stokes, Bottom. Mrs. Katie R. Burke Second Column: Mrs. V. Jenkins, Mrs. Gladys Ingram, Mr. D. Carwise















l. Mr. S. T. Muller, r. Mr. Evans Bacon (1963-19655) PTA President Middle: I. Mrs. C. Hill (1963-1965) Chairman of Planning Committee, r. Mr. Evans Bacon, Mrs. C. Hill (Mrs. PTA 1964), Mr. Harry Stewart Bottom: l. Mrs. Hattie McGee (Financial Secretary), r. Mr. Edward Blacksheare (1964 PTA Dinner Toastmaster)











Photos By: Mitchell Studio

Top: l. Mr. E. L. Humphrey, Mr. E. Bacon

r. Mr. & Mrs. S. T. Muller (Musical Recital 1965 "Thunder Rosa")

Middle l. Miss H. G. Givings, Mrs. C. Hill

r. Mr. W. Merkerson

Bottom Mrs. C. Hill, (Mrs. PTA 1964) Crowns Mrs. G. Carwise (Mrs. PTA 1965)







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Top: L. JHES Dance Society, Miss V. Hurston, Choreographer r. Judith Smith

Bottom: l. Charles Middleton & Eleanor Mobley

r. Holly Malcolm

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Top: Marylen Mobley & Marvin Collins Bottom: 1961 PTA Banquet



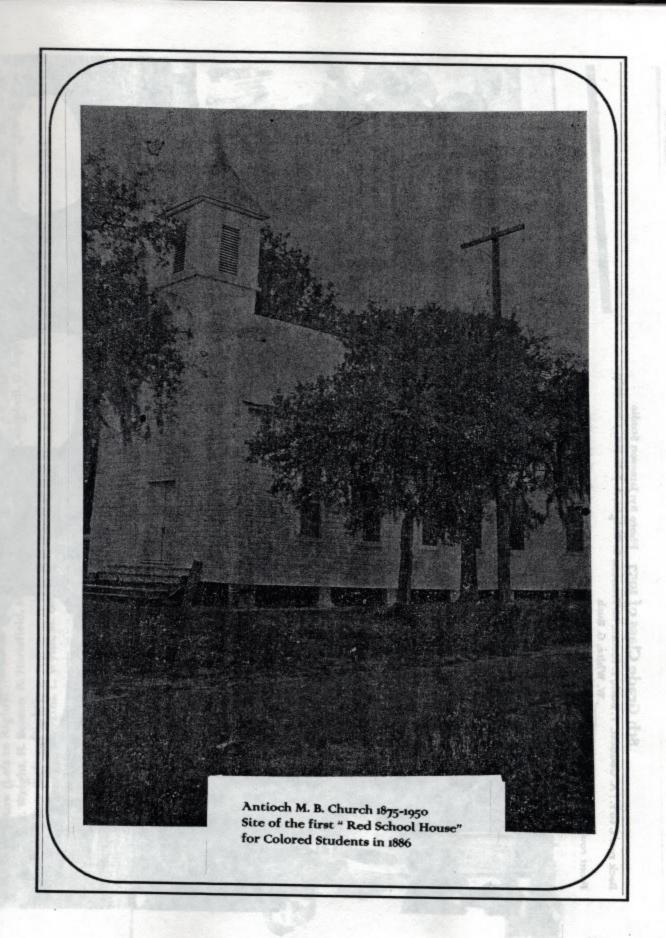




l. to. r. Mrs. P. Denard, Mrs. C. Hill, Mrs. L. Cooper, Mr. W. Harper Mrs. V. Braswell, Mrs. E. Witherspoon, Mr. E. Bacon, Rev. J. H. Browdy, Mrs. G.H. Smith



l. to r. Mr. W. Harper, Mr. T. Jefferson, Mr. M. Williams, Mr. D. Tossie
Mrs. L. Blair, Mrs. P. Denard, Mrs. C. Hill, Mrs. L. Cooper. Mr. S.T. Muller,
Mrs. V. Braswell, Mrs. E. Witherspoon, Mr. E. Bacon, Rev. J. H. Browdy,
Mrs. G. Smith, Miss H. Givings, Mrs. M. Muller, Mrs. O. Davis, Mrs. O. Moore,
Mrs. E. Link



8th Grade Class of 1957 Photo By: Jameson Studio

Back row l. to r. : A. Goddett, T. Bush, E. Moore, M. Frances, B. Wright, A. Johnson, J. Browdy,

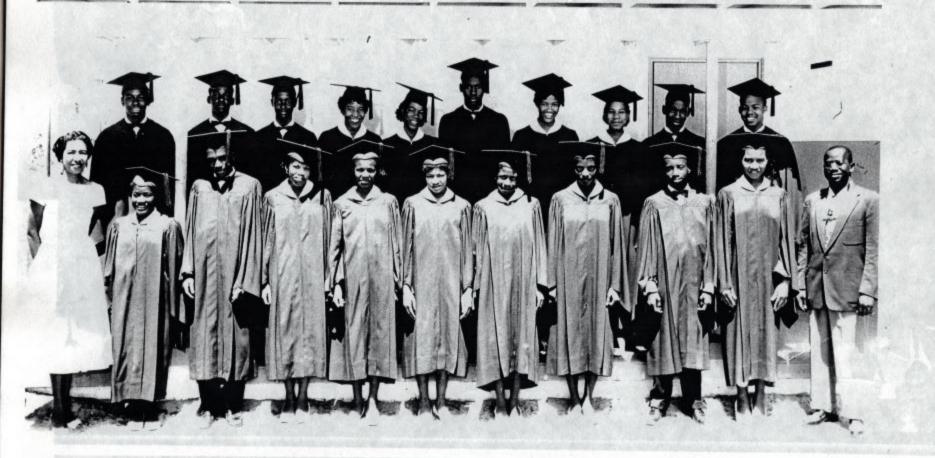
, W. White, G. Bush

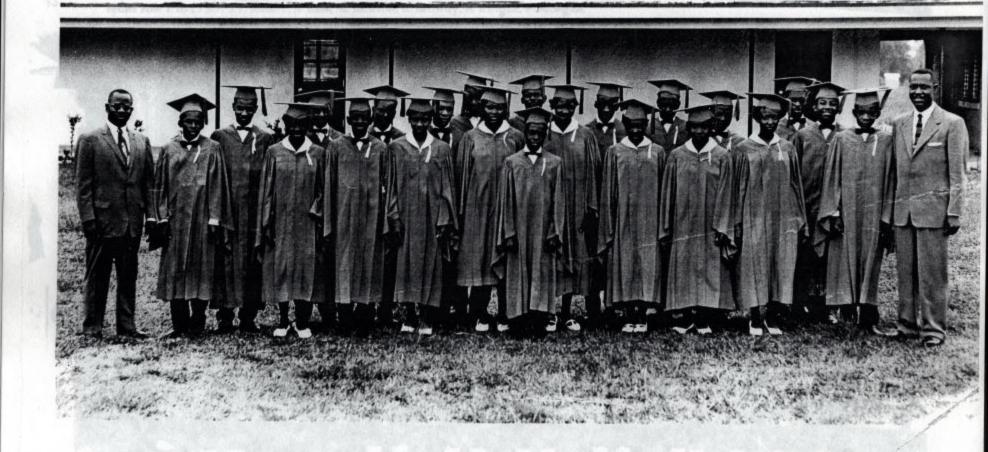
Front row l. to r.: Mr. S.T. Muller, S. Bass, M. Jackson, B. Browdy, B. Knight, P. Morgan, G. Brown, M. Carwise, L. Fudge, J. Bass, Mrs. Z. T. Davis



Class of 1958

Back Row (Left to Right)
J. W. Wright, H. Boston, R. Hartsfield, M. Smith, V. Campbell, U. Campbell, G. Sapp, J. Bryant, G. Bush, R. Stewart
First Row (Left to Right)
Ms. Z. Davis, A. Perkins, L. Wynn, M. Graham, _______, E. Stallworth, M. Smith, R Figures, A. James, R. Rouse,
Mr. S. T. Muller
Not Pictured
W. Barkley, L. Bryant, L. Elliott, J. King, J. Washington, C. White,





Class of 1959 (Photo By: Jameson Studio)

First Row: L to r. Mr. Muller, F. Pauldo, W. Goddett, A. Browdy, F. Clark, V. Francis, M. James, H. Carwise, B. Knight, I. Brinson, Bass, Lamar, C. Allen, Mr. Humphrey
Second Row: L to r. E. Witherspoon, C. Williams, W., Robinson, R. Bush, M. Whiney, A. bryant, R. Fudge, C. Gainey

Third Row: L to r. J. Bumont, O. Boston



8th Grade Class

Photo By: Raymond Studio

Back row l. to r. : W. Hartsfield, B. Bush, E, Boston, H. Jones, W. McGray, D. Coffie

Middle row l. to r.: Mr. E. L. Humphrey, I. Barkley, W. Smith, W. Boston, J. Izzard, M. Williams,

T. Jackson, E. Graham, H. Rhodes, J. Boston, P. Redding, Mr. S. T. Muller

Front row l. to r. : V. Harris, B. Lewis, V. Gainey, E. Banks, L. Jones, A. Whitney, W. M. Lewis,

G. Rolle, M. Bryant. L. Davis. M. Culons, J. Smith

B. Jefferson, J. Schittister, J. Control Smith! A. Ett. W. Stanton L. Hoffermann, V. Brooks E. Hone O. Second Row (Left Grandelle) I so v. P. Vjersander, F. Canto S. Mitanto L. Hoffermann, V. Brooks E. Hone O.

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Class of 1962

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Back Row (Left to Right)

Mr. S. T. Muller, _____, P. Jefferson, S. Hodges, U. McFadden, M. Allen, R. Moore, I. Bowers, E. Williams,

B. Jefferson, J. Matthew, J. Cobb, L. Smith, A Ely, Mr. Humphrey

Second Row (Left to Right)

E. Brown, M. Grimmage, L. Ashe, W. Brown, R. Mims, T. Williams, Z. Jefferson, R. Gainey,

J. Jackson, T. J. Williams, D. Banks, M. Rhodes

First Row (Left to Right)

W. Bass, D. Carwise, M. Jones, P. Green, V. Cone, G. Stallworth, A. Rouse, D. Bowers, G. Redding, G. Boston



Class of 1964 (Photo By: Raymond Studio)

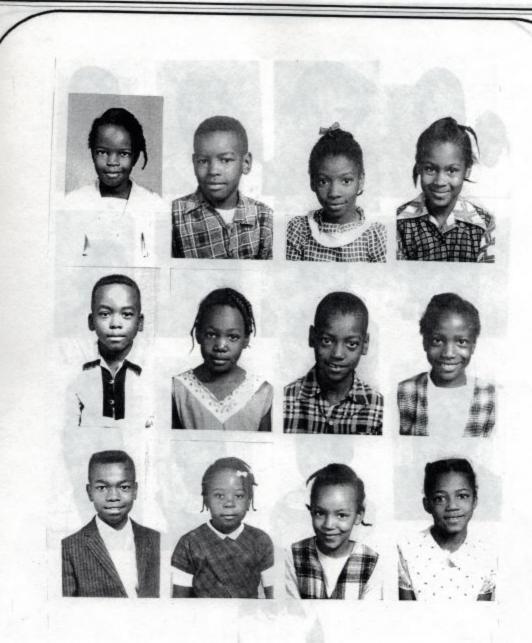
First Row: I. to r. Mr. Humphrey, E. Bacon, W. Mays, A. Garrett, H. Denard, C. Carwise, L.C. Redding, D. Korn, M. Oxendine, C. Cobb, A. Williams, E. Washington, Mr. Muller Second Row I. to r. L. Alexander, L. Crane, B. Pittman, P. Hollermanm, A. Brooks, B. Mims, G. Williams, G. Pittman, J. Moore, S. Knight, S. Williams, C. Freeman Third Row: I. to r. W. Vinson, S. Smith, C. king, A. Barkley, J. Williams, B. White, R. Banks, L. Hi. B. Williams, T. Hill, S. Harper



First Row: H. Washington, E. Bush, Rouse, _____ Second Row: Bell, B. McKenzie, A. Harris, M. Allen Third Row: _____, R. Gainey, L. Hendrix, Marimon



First Row: Stallworth, M. Jones, A. C. Clayton, Marimon Second Row: Crane, R. Muller, G. Washington, P. Hatcher Third Row: L. G. Smith, ______, J. Jackson, S. Williams



First Row: G. Godwin, D. Banks, V. Cone, ____, B Williams, Boston, Eossie Third Row: K. Washington, S. Williams, Mims, G. Boston

. M. Jones, E. Allen, R. Boston

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First Row

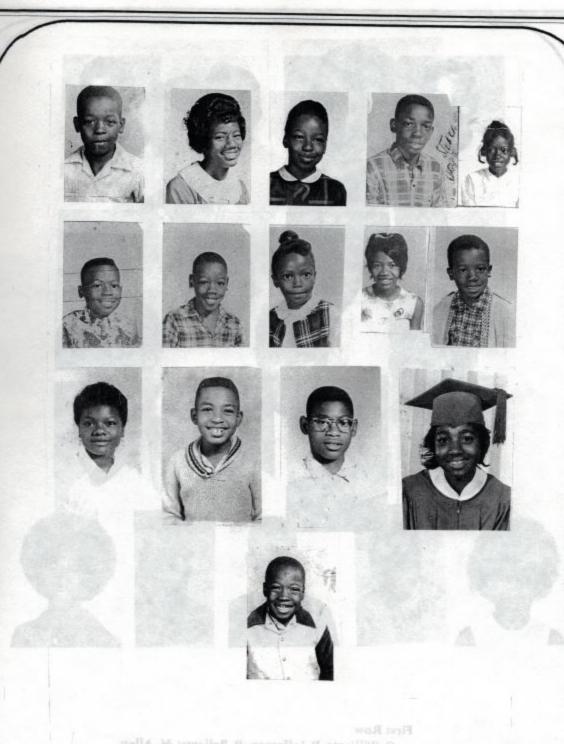
, M. Jones, E. Allen, R. Boston

Second Row

I. Muller, R. Jones, L. Jones, L. Jones

Third Row

S. Jones, W. Jones, G. Muller, L. Sapp

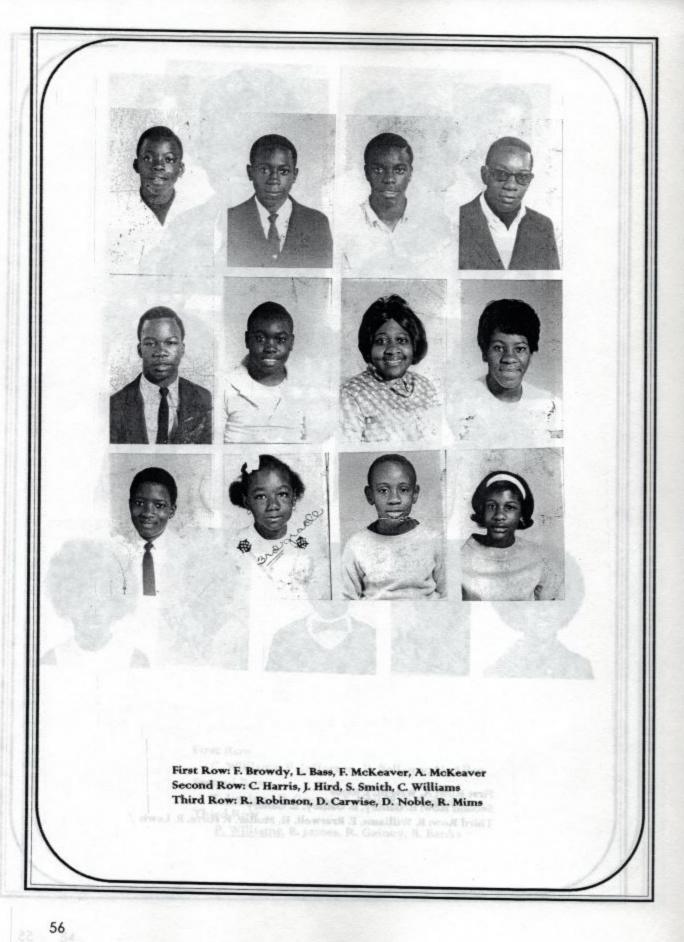


First Row: J. Smith, M. Smith, J. Witherspoon, S. Argo Second Row: C, Hatcher, A. Muller, ______, M. Smith Third Row: S. Glover, A. Gainey, N. Stallworth, B. Gainey Fourth Row: J. Knight

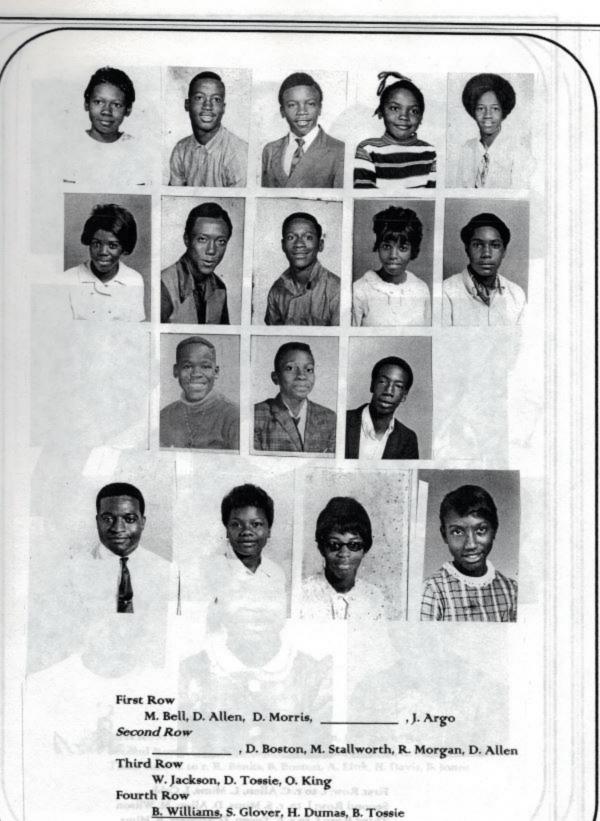


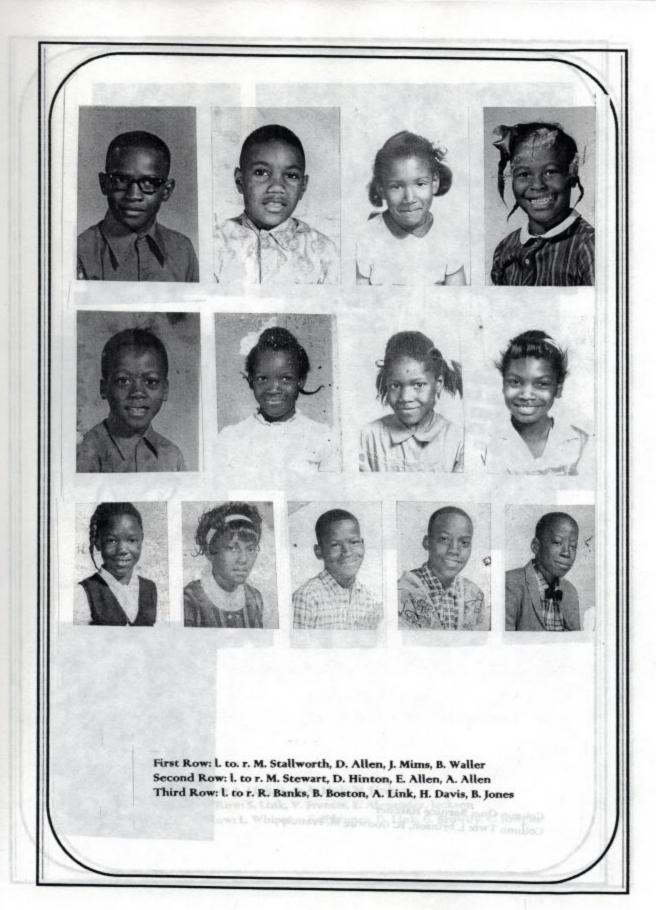
First Row
C. Williams, P. Jefferson, P. Bellamy, M. Allen
Second Row
T. Levine, P. Greene, L. Smith, J. Jackson
Third Row
P. Williams, B. James, R. Gainey, B. Banks

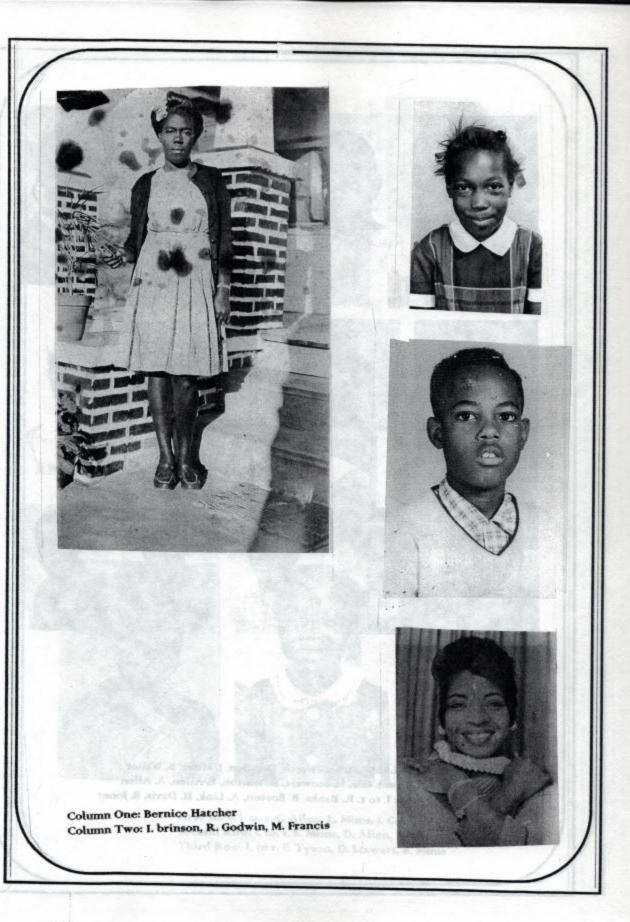


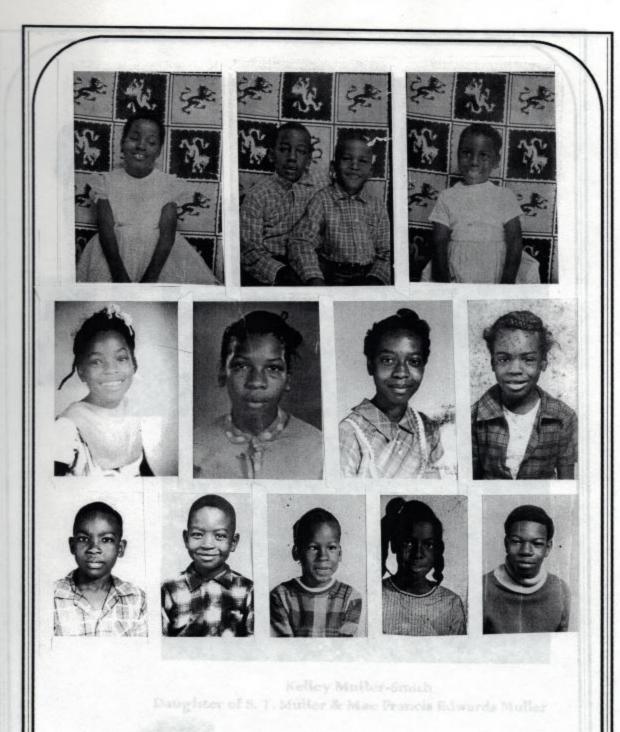




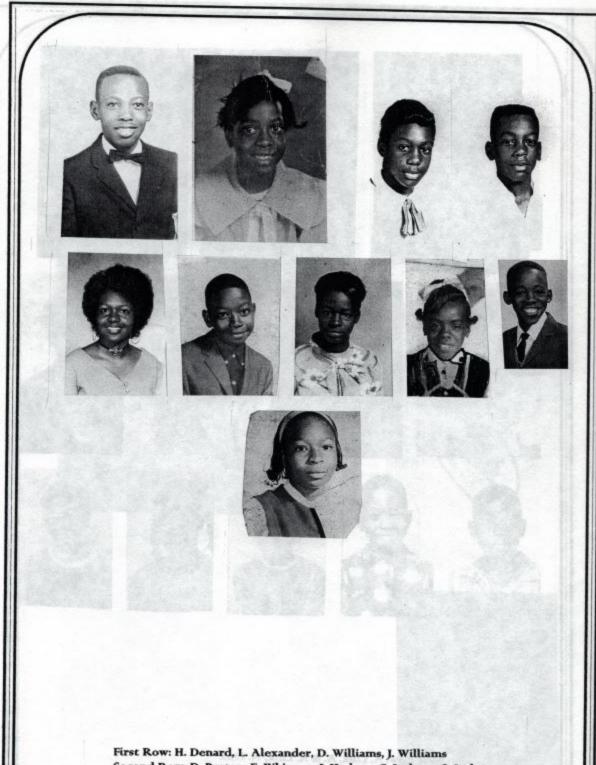








First Row: A. Link, A. & A. Link, N. Link Second Row: S. Link, V. Francis, L. Alexander, Jackson Third Row: L. Whipper, E. Whipper, D. Link, G. Browdy, C. Knight



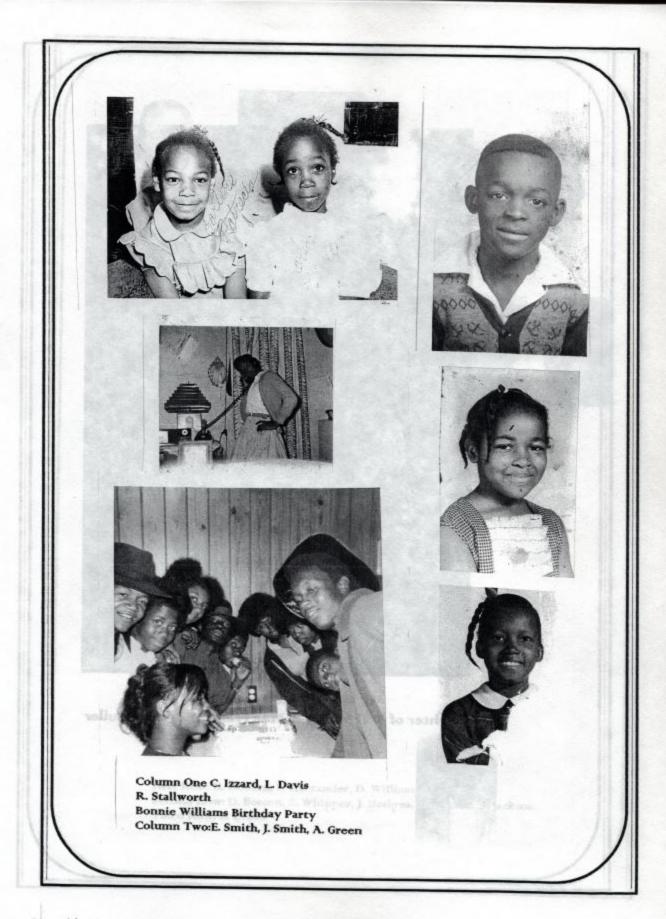
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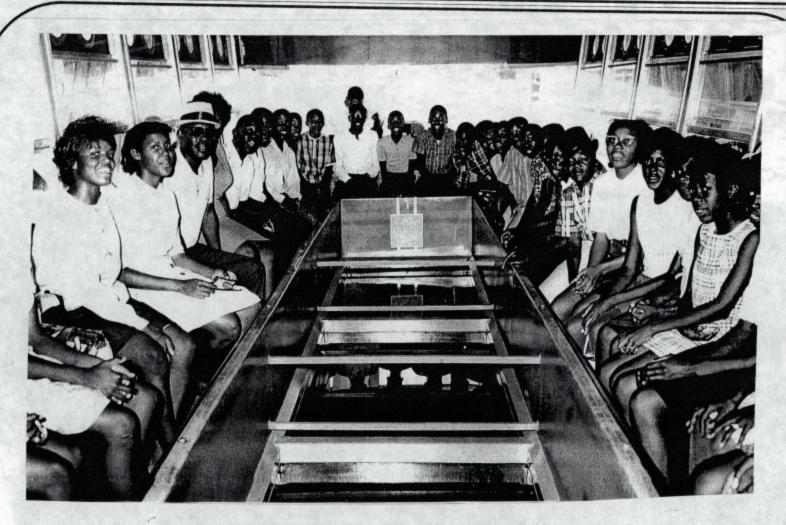
Kelley Muller-Smith

Daughter of S. T. Muller & Mae Francis Edwards Muller









The 8th Grade Class of 1967 is on a trip to Silver Springs, Florida.

This is Miss Shellman's first ride on a boat. Mr. Humphrey is also pictured in the dapper hat and shades.



Mrs. Anderson's early years with the Class of 1967



Who's Who Ball Sponsored By Miss C. Shellman R. Crane, C. Harper, F. Cobb, I. Muller, F. Braswell, G. Browdy

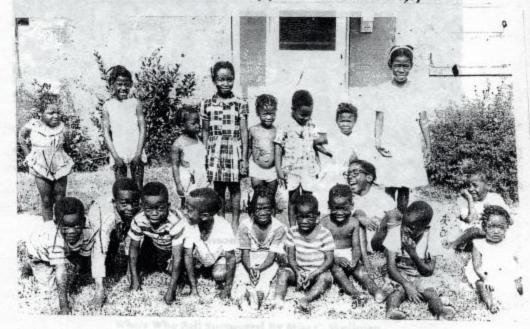


Ballet Dancers Choreographed By Miss V. Hurston

C. March J. March S. Baridey, Jr. R. Browdy, Jr., G. Wilson, C. Milsell, A. J. G. Wilson, C. Milsell, A. J. Marchey, P. Harchey, Q. Muller



Mrs. Anderson's early years with the Class of 1967



JHES Students and future students on a summer's day on Doctor's Drive.

Standing:

E. Moore, R. Muller, P. Moore, W. Moore, F. M. Browdy, S. Moore,
C. Mikell, I. Muller

Kneeling and Sitting: J. Browdy, R. Barkley, Jr., F. Browdy, Jr., G. Wilson, C. Mikell, A. Muller, G. Mikell, G. Muller, H. Muller, P. Hatcher, Q. Muller



8th Grade Class of 1968 Performs Calisthenics.

THE DEDICATION

Leader-Rev. D. H. Jamison, Pastor, St. James A. M. E., Sanford Let us now with earnest hearts, and with exaulted faith and hope solemnly dedicate these facilities to their high and serviceable purposes.

1st Minister By what name shall this plant be known?

The timely official action of the school board provides that it shall be called THE JACKSON HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY 2nd Minister

3rd Minister Fellow citizens, we rejoice that God has directed the minds of our legislators, State and County board members toward the development of a school plant such as this, to the honor of His name and the betterment of His people. We now accept this plant to be known as the Jackson Heights Elementary School, to dedicate it, and set it apart for the educational development of today's youth. Let us all therefore, dedicate it to its proper and timely uses.

ALL STAND AND READ RESPONSIVELY:

Leader To the glory of God in whom we trust; for the proper molding of desirable and unfaltering character traits among this gene-

We dedicate this plant. Audience Leader

To the ideals for which this county was established, by which our nation has been upheld, and through which it will go on to future greatness:

We dedicate this plant. Audience

Leader To the Community of which we are a part, to the State of Florida under whose Laws we live and to our Country, the United States of America:

We dedicate this plant. Audience

Leader To our democratic way of life, that permissive framework, so granted to us by our Federal Constitution and the laws of our tair state through which each individual may weave a portion

of its pattern by putting forth his maximum efforts:

Audience We dedicate this plant.

To a deeper sense of appreciation of the beauty through which Leader science, literature, music, art, moral and spiritual values minister

to our souls:

Audience

Leader

ALL:

We dedicate this plant. To the skills that children acquire and develop from their tool subjects; thus giving them a sense of direction for their life's task:

Audience We dedicate this plant.

To the knowledge of the past which give insight to the probable Leader solutions of the problems of today and tomorrow:

We dedicate this plant. Audience

We dedicate this plant to those who (from time to time) may go forth from this school to institutions of higher learning, that they may become fully cognizant of the fact that the knowledge acquired here was and will have been intended to serve as a foundation upon which their chosen career may be built. May God's choicest blessings be upon students, parents, teachers and each and everyone whose influence will, even in the slightest degree, effect the learning process of those who come

... Rev. G. H. Carlton Pastor, 1st Methodist Church, Oviedo

Selection—Bless Us O Lord Arranged: Bernard Hamblen

Benediction Rev. J. H. Browdy Special Acknowledgments

Mr. John Richard Edward Jones Mr. Elliott Smith Ms. Earline Tossie Carwise The Oviedo Historical Society, Mr. & Mrs. Miller The Seminole Historical Society, Ms. Karen Jacobs Mrs. Ophelia Jones Moore Ms. Linda Smith Johnson Hamilton Elementary School, Mrs. Nan Parker, Principal & Mrs. Pam Mazzotta, Media Department Bethune Cookman College, Dr. Bobby Henderson Seminole County Public Schools Jackson Heights Middle School Seminole County School Board, Ms. Karen Ponder Mrs. Altermese Smith Bentley To everyone who loaned us their precious, wonderful photographs. To the many school photographers.

