

## J.W. Gilbert Store - 1940's



J.W. Gilbert Store in the late 1940's. Shown are Joe Gilbert and Guy Rhea. Submitted

## Thanksgiving Play at Hancock School 1939-1941



ABOVE – Kids in Thanksgiving Play at Hancock School around the years 1939-1941. Top Row, L-R: Clarence Boulware, Miss Anderson - Teacher, Lorraine Howser, Georgia Goodman, and Ruby Boulware. Bottom, L-R: Betty Mitchell, Lucille Howser, Dorothy Best, Patrica Goodman, Maxine Goodman, Romah Green, June McKinnon, Cloud Green, June Goodman, Vally Goodman, Lonnie Teel, Yvone Bays, Charles Pendleton, and Vaughn Goodman. Submitted by Georgia (Goodman) Staber

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## Dixon P.T.A. Meets, Installs Officers, Honor Mrs. Crider

The Dixon P.T.A. held their last meeting of the school year Thursday evening. Bro. Baur was the speaker of the event.

The fourth grade entertained with songs, dances and spe-

cial numbers, all pertaining to spring. Mary Linda Copeland, an accomplished accordion player, delighted the audience with a beautiful number. John Anderson, soloist, sang "Oh What a Beautiful Morning."

Irene Bell, president, thanked everybody who had helped to make this a successful year, gave special recognition to those who had attended every meeting and called upon Superintendent Charles Lane to make a presentation. Mr. Lane asked Clara Crider to come forward and gave a brief history of her good work in the P.T.A. since it was organized in Dixon 40 years ago, and presented her with a polished plaque, mounted on wood, with her name, and years of service engraved upon it. Mrs. Crider graciously accepted the tribute, and recounted a few of the early struggles of the P.T.A.

Mrs. Bell asked past president, Pat Williams, to install the new officers for next school year. As she called their names and gave them their charges of responsibility, Mrs. Williams presented each new officer with a corsage, and lighted the candle they held.

Officers installed were: President, Bernice Davis; Vice-President, Mildred Parker; 2nd Vice-Pres., Lou Clark; Sec'y.-Treas., Mary Jones; Parliamentarian, Fern Palmer.

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