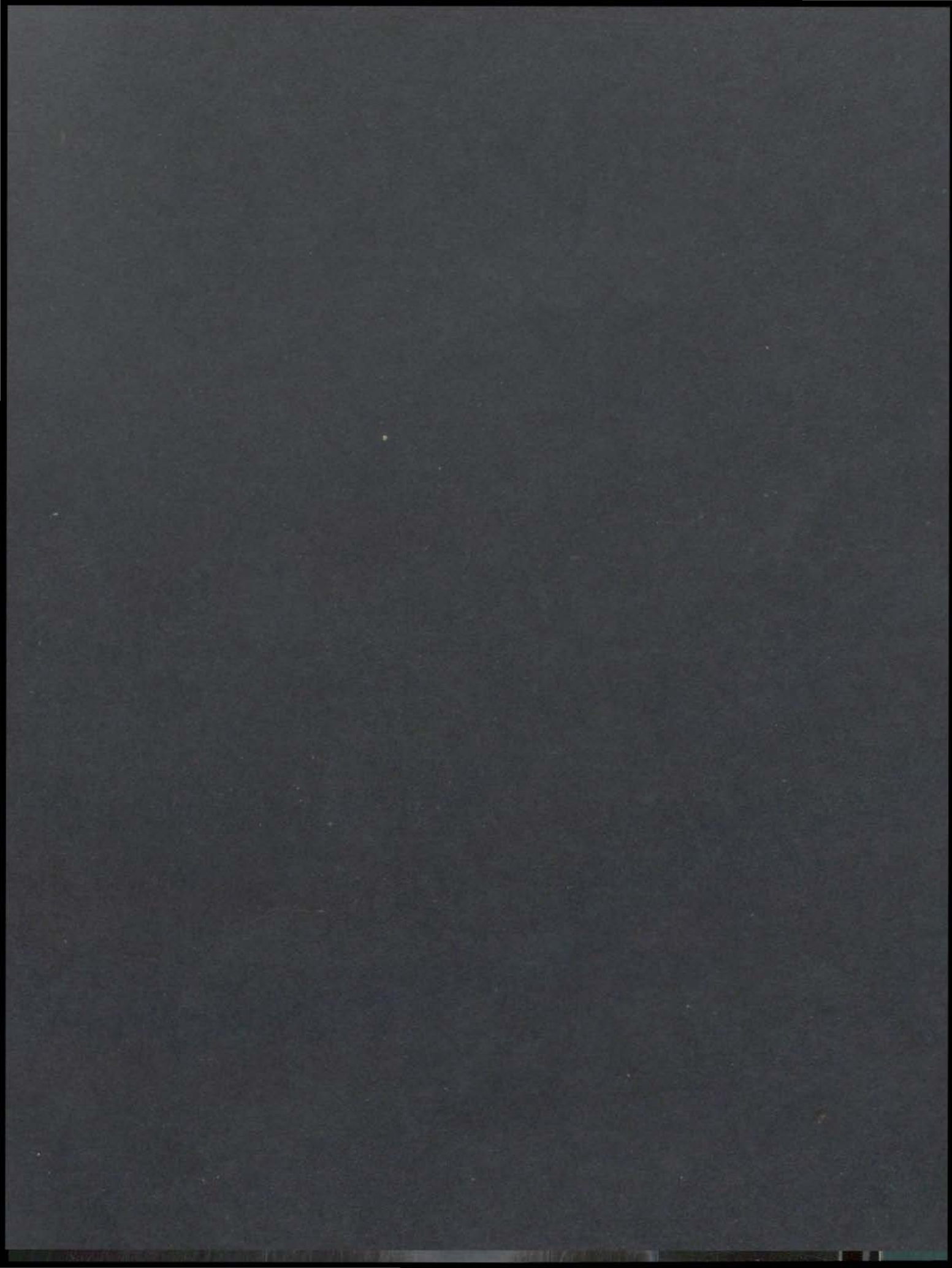


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Decatur Diary

Decatur Has Changed Since the Class of '22

By Pat Schroeder

Nostalgia reigns amidst today's advanced society and oh, how life has changed in just 50 years!

In 1922 — just 50 years ago — Decatur was in the middle of prohibition, a year-long flu epidemic had just passed, a street car system called the "Inter Urban" weaved and clanged its way through the streets and surrounding areas, and the young people (as Grandma has told us so often) walked to school.

The school was, of course, Decatur High School because there was no other.

Students from the outer edges of Decatur rode the Inter Urban to school, but many did not realize the convenience of public transportation so they hiked to school flapping their unbuckled four-buckle galoshes all the way.

Disobedient to parents' wishes, many girls got their hair bobbed. The young men of DHS preferred the pompadour, long

hair combed straight back.

But discipline was strict for the high school eager beavers of '22. One teacher at the high school insisted that the girls sit straight with hands folded in laps. Ankle crossing was prohibited. The boys were forced to be properly dressed — neckties were a must.

These reminiscences of Decatur came from two graduates of Decatur High — members of the Class of 1922.

Florence Pierson Tolly and Eleanor Fribourg Gneckow, both life-time residents of Decatur, discussed their high school years amidst smiles and occasional mischievous chuckles.

They discussed some of Decatur's historical events of 1922.

— Decatur Bridge Co. became Mississippi Valley Structural Steel Co.

— Wabash Railroad employees strike; 1,600 men out.

— Gen. John J. Pershing

spoke to a crowd at Lincoln Square.

— Frede Chevrolet Co., a car dealer, opened on the present location of the Area Vocational Center.

— First soybeans processed in the United States at Decatur by A. E. Staley Manufacturing Co.

— High water in the Sangamon River filled new Lake Decatur before actual completion in 1923.

— Decatur had 6,000 cars.

— Jane Addams visited Decatur.

— Old Maffit Bridge was torn down.

Mrs. Tolly and Mrs. Gneckow discussed plans for their class's "first and last" class reunion slated for July 8 at Decatur's Sheraton Inn.

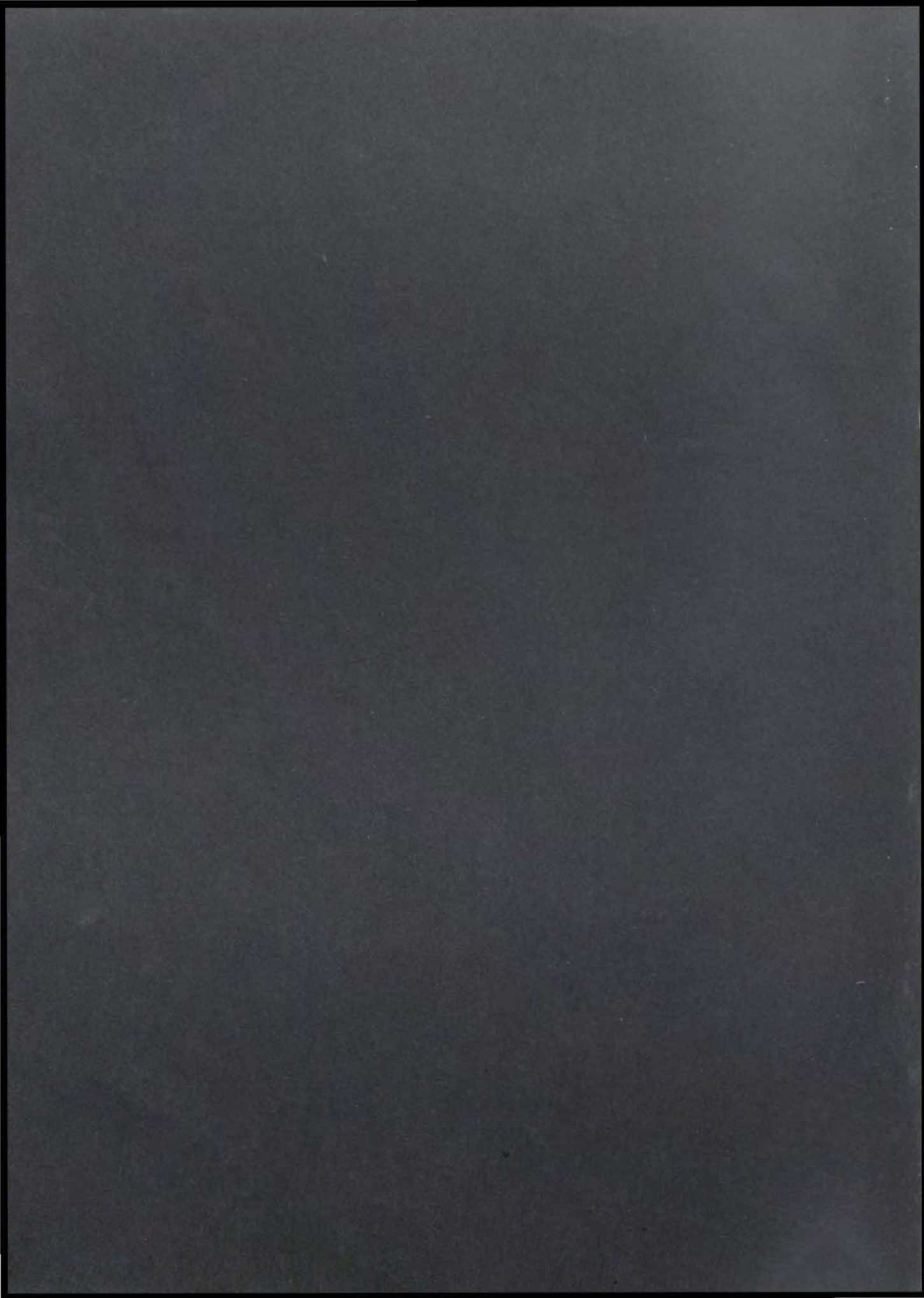
The two grads are committee members along with Edwin Jokisch and Lewis Veech, also of Decatur.

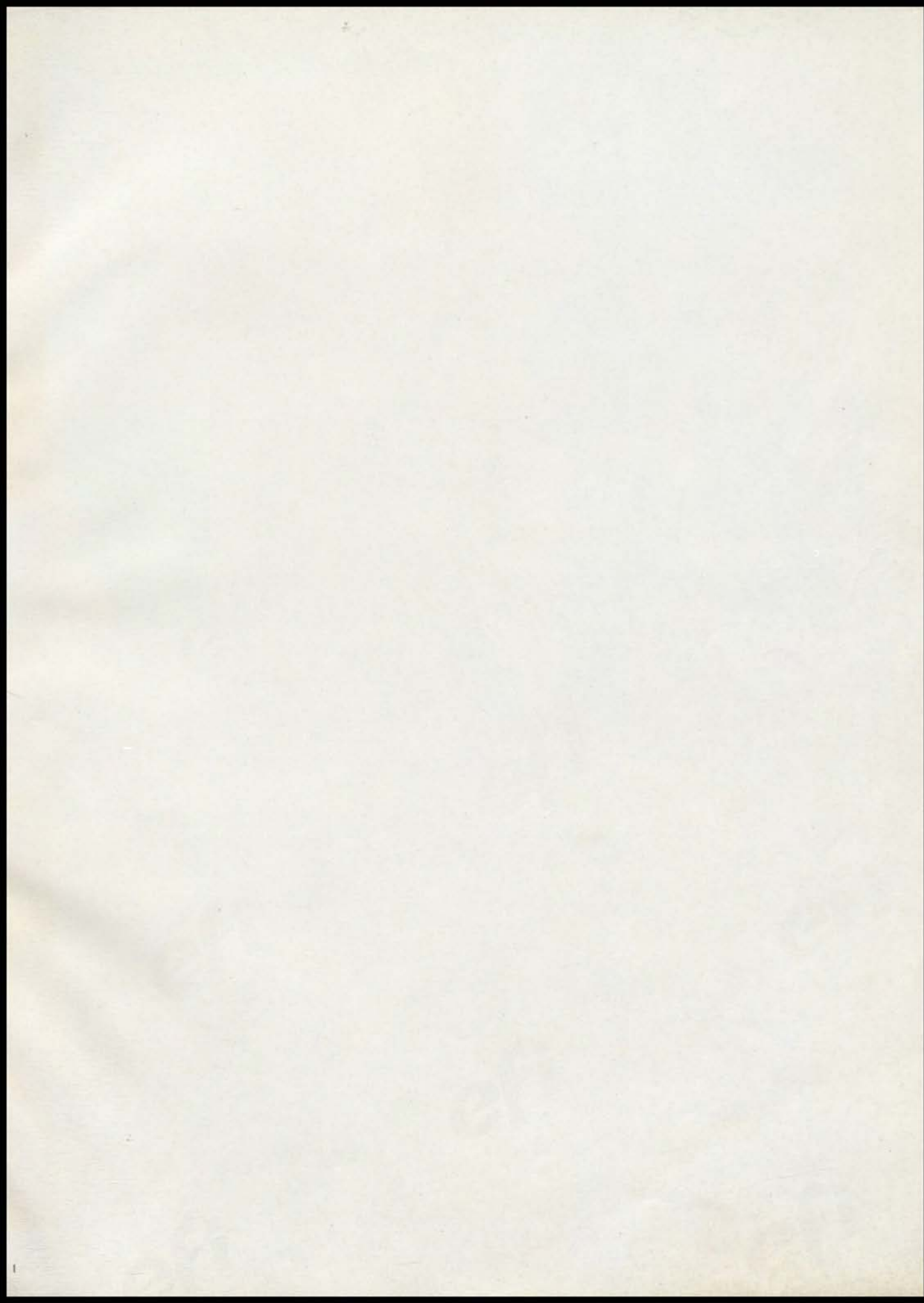
The committee has been working on plans for the reunion

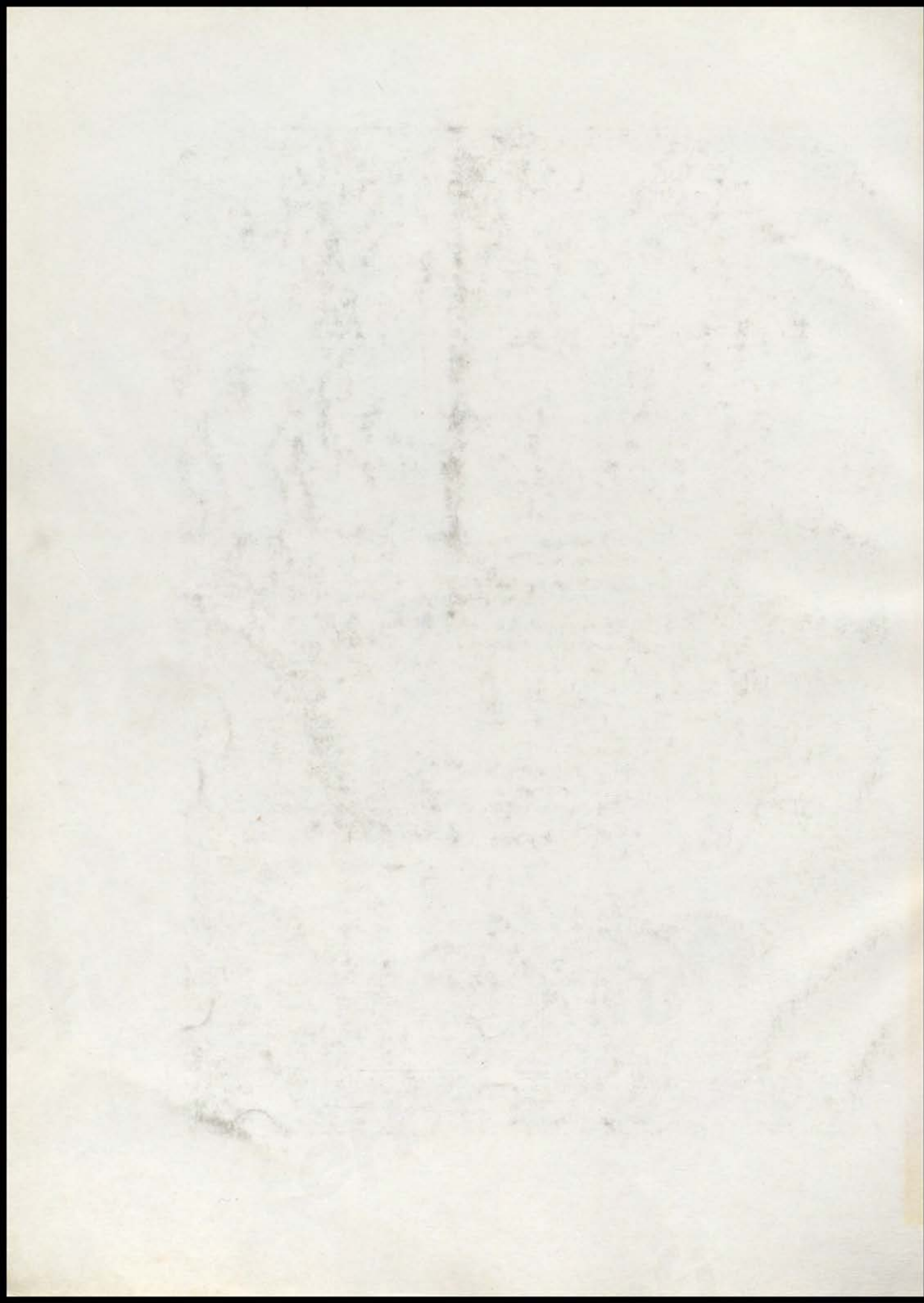
since February and so far 63 of the 265 graduates have responded to the call to return to Decatur for what may be a large gab session for the class of '22.

However, somehow in the past 50 years, some addresses of class members have been lost. Mrs. Gneckow and Mrs. Tolly have asked that the following people, wherever they may be, make themselves known so that they may be invited to attend the reunion next month:

Paul Alexander, Gladys Becker, Geneva Bennett, Ruth Blaugh, Samuel Blowitz, Glenn Brown, Verna Durham, Hazel Etherton, Llewelyn Dando, Margaret Gale, Homer Hornbeck, Blanche Jones, Katherine Leonard, Franklin Mayer, Jennie Morrison, Gertrude Redwitz, Leona Seeley, William Sharpe, John Shay, Roy Shields, Stanley Vail, Truman Sternberg, Imogene Wolfe, Esther Ebert and William Bowdle.







**THE
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1922**

**BEING THE YEAR BOOK
OF THE
DECATUR HIGH SCHOOL**



**VOLUME NINE
PUBLISHED BY THE
CLASS OF 1922**

It's the awfulest job we've ever struck—
 This Decanois!
To get so many pages of beautiful truck,
 For the Decanois!
So many pictures, and so many ads;
So many write-ups, and so many fads,
So many dollars—the "must-be-hads,"
 For the Decanois!
Just look at that calendar! See the date?
 [Oh! Ye Decanois!]
Another week and it's all too late
 For the Decanois!
So hustle around; sit up 'til one;
Grind out the verses and jokes by the ton!
Forget to eat! It has to be done,
 For the Decanois!

Foreword:

In offering this book to you, the Editors have endeavored to disclose in its fragmentary leaves the ideals and sentiments which have characterized this class of 1922. May it serve to review the happy events which are so closely connected with the past four years, and to reveal the criterion toward which this class has so diligently striven.

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To

Miss M. Estelle Fritter, B. Ed.

Instructor in English
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These Senior memoirs gathered in our most
cherished year are in
abiding friendship and admiration

Dedicated

by the Class of 1922

Died 10-12-1942



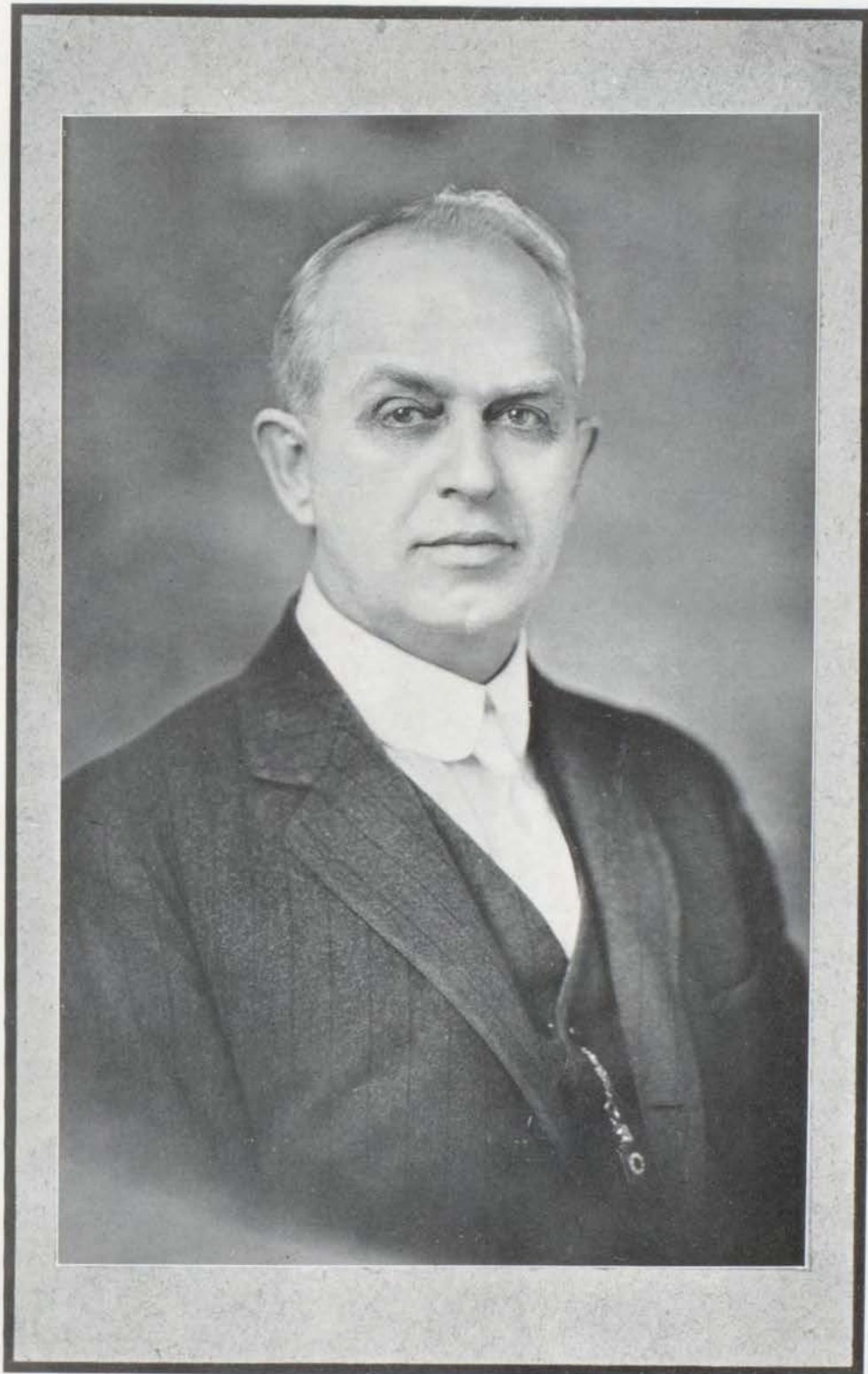
Superintendent J. J. Richeson

During the short time that it has been our privilege to know Mr. Richeson, we have been impressed by the sympathetic justice of the man.

Mr. Richeson came to us in June, 1921, from Ohio University, in which he was the Dean of the Normal College.

A reputation for achievement preceded Mr. Richeson here, and his varied activities during the year have certainly justified this to us.

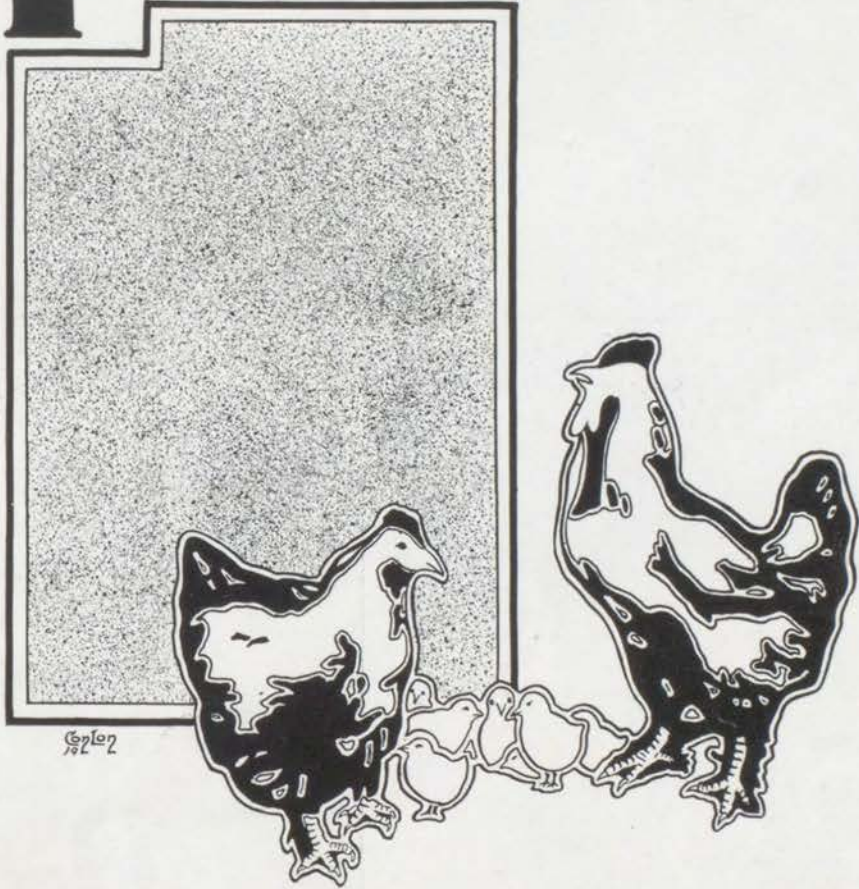
It has been a great pleasure to both the faculty and to the students to work with Mr. Richeson.



**"We stand for clean, red-blooded,
Americanism."**

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University of Indiana, Columbia University, University of Chicago,
Principal of High School. *Died*



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Died ~~age 96~~
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Oct. 1925
Ed. Brinkman





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 visor. *died 1-16-73*
age 92

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 Head of Physics department, Senior Ad-
 visor.

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 Head of Chemistry department, Basketball
 Manager, Advisor to Science Club.

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 nois.
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*married
June 1924*

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Professional Training. *Died*
Forge.

Died 1954

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Head of Music department, Advisor to Musical Clubs.



MISS VEDA WALKER
Millikin.
Secretary to Principal.



MISS ELSIE PARKER
Office Clerk. *Clarence Swann*
2/26

Me-thought I heard a voice say, "Return this evening."



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Commencement Program

Invocation	
Salutatory	Otto Sutterer
Violin Solo	Hymen Burstein
Reading	Gertrude Redwitz
Oration (Learned)	Paxton Judge
Piano Solo	Ruth Whitfield
Valedictory	Stanley Vaill

AWARDS

Certificates	
Diplomas	
Scholarship	
Mary W. French	
Deltas	
Ida K. Martin	
Benediction	

1-14-44 - Virginia Good *deceased*
 MARK ACKERMAN

"There is the Viking in his blood."
 Football, '21; Forum, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '22; Decanois Staff, '22; "A Tailor-Made Man."
divorced 1935 Nov. 1925

died 10-21-63 → *Rott. Mueller*
 ANNA ADAMS 8-18-32
I expect to get something out of life.
died 10-17-83

deceased PAUL ALEXANDER
I speak what I think.
 Forum, '20, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '21, '22; Science Club, '21, '22; "A Tailor-Made Man"; "The Admirable Crichton".

✓ INA ALLS *McLaughlin*
Void of all hostility.
 Oikos, '22.

Steve O'Leary
 apr. 1926 VERNET ANDERSON
The joy of youth, and health, the eyes displayed; and ease of heart her every look conveyed.
 Arion, '19, '20; Aristos, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '21, '22; Carnival, '19; Victory Girl, '19; Senate, '20, '21; House of Representatives, '20; Ukelele Club, '19, '20; Decanois Staff, '22; "A Tailor-Made Man"; "The Admirable Crichton".

~~deceased~~ *Dow Marie Alvarez*
 1929 JOSEPHINE ANGELO
Care-free, heart-free, and singing on her way.
 Carnival, '19; Orchestra, '19, '20.

Ethel Humphries
 1-18-30 WAYNE ASH
I would rather be, than seem to be.

deceased *Dow O. Wilson*
died 4-25-67 ← EDNA ASHENFELTER 9-15-31
I esteem it a chief felicity of this country that it excels in women.
 Orpheus, '19, '20, '21, '22; Library Club, '21, '22; Girls' Glee Club, '20, '21, '22; Aristos, '21; Music Memory Contest, '21, '22.





DA

Dr. C. Abbott Bell
died 9-27-67 DOROTHY AUGUSTINE *8-28-23*
A hushed and delicate breeding.

Arion, '19, '20; Agora, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '20, '21, '22; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21; Hockey, '19, '20; Basketball, '19, '20; Baseball, '19, '20, '21; Hike Club, '19, '20; House of Representatives, '20, '21; Carnival, '19; Decanois Staff, '22; Ukelele Club, '20.



Edna Stewart Crikfield
died 6-23-70 J. B. AUSTIN *11-26-31*

What we place most hopes upon generally proves most fatal.

Forum, '19, '20, '21, '22; (Pres. '22); Mask and Wig, '19, '20, '21, '22; (Pres. '21); Boys' Glee Club, '21; Senate '21; Review Story Contest, '19, '21; Observer Staff, '19, '20, '22; Decanois Staff, '21; "Seven Keys to Baldpate"; "A Tailor-Made Man".



W. S. Schultz ← *died 4-27-66*
 5-2-31 HELEN BACHMAN ← *died 10-15-66*

*We all agree the maiden's small,
 Yet in her heart there's room for all.*

Deceased CARL BAER

And now am I a man, if I should speak truly.



C.C.
 1/27/86 ← IRENE BAILEY *Weatherford 1958*

A golden mind stoops not to show of dross.

Girl's Glee Club, '22.

Deceased ← Geneva Franklin
 PALMER BARKMEIER *11-30-29*

Hang there, my verse, in witness of my love.



Elma L. Clayton
 CLAYTON BARNES *Aug. 1926*

*I like that every chair should be a throne
 and hold a king.*

died 3-3-74 ← *Skew Shepherd*
 DUFF BARNETT

The force of his own merit makes his way.

Orchestra, '20. *Apr. 1926*

OR

Chas. Kellams 9-11-32
 died 9-1930
 Mark Kitch
 DOROTHY BARNHART * 1924

As mild as the breeze passing through an abbey door.

Arion, '19, '20; Aristos, '21; Orpheus, '20, '21, '22, Girls' Glee Club, '21, '22; Oikos, '21; Observer Staff, '20, '21.

died 3/8/94
 Maldo Garver
 RUTH BARROW 5-24-27

Which too beautions to endure itself in this mixed world.

G. A. A., '19, '20, '21; Hockey, '20.

died 7-30-91
 Quille Powell
 died 2-5-90
 DILLARD BARTELS 7-3-27

On their own merits, modest men are dumb.

died 1973
 Jno. M. Gunn Chicago
 died 1-15-84
 CLARIBEL BARTH 2-18-50

Joy is the best of wine.

Oikos, '19, '20, '21, '22; Poster Club, '21, '22.

died 5/19/79
 Bob Zellmann
 Velma Bass
 Pana Aug. 15, 1926

I should be distressed to think anyone failed in duty.

Aristos, '21, '22; Thrift Club, '19; Carnival, '19.

died 6-4-63
 Alton New Wells
 JOHN BASTOB 8-24-30

If I cannot realize my ideal, I can at least idealize my real.

Angeline Brown
 PAUL BAUER Elizabeth

I think of great things.

deceased
 PERCY BAUGH
 married 1926
 No enemy but winter and rough weather.
 Class baseball, '19, '20, '21, '22; Varsity Baseball, '21.





GLADYS BECKER

A smile of hers was like an act of grace.

8-26-36
 GLEA BELL
 Donald Linschmeiser ← died 8/17/74
 My work is of a brave nature.

Carnival, '19; Girl's Glee Club, '21, '22;
 Aristos, '21, '22; House of Representatives, '21; Mask and Wig, '21, '22; Observer Staff, '21; Decanois Staff in '22.

8-1924 *married*
 X PEARL BELL John Eads
 Thoughts that do often lie too deep for tears.

GENEVA BENNETT

1922 *Kerry Davis - Divorced Sept 1926*
 Comes a little lady, a hook in hand.

IRENE BENNETT
 Froy Alder - 12-6-27
 Make me jousin to the song-birds.

RUTH BLAUGH

blue
 My modesty is a candle to thy merit.
 Girl's Glee Club, '22.

SAMUEL BLOWITZ

I know of visions.
 Forum, '22.

handwritten
 MARGUERITE BARRICKLOW
 died 5-10-93
 LUCIEN BOHON 10-30-26
 You stare, but I am perfectly serious.

Forum, '19, '20, '21, '22; Science Club, '21;
 (Pres. '21); Class Basketball, '19, '21;
 Carnival, '19; Thrift Club, '18; Victory Boy, '19; Junior Red Cross.

Maurice B. Evans
 died 8-29-63 → FLORENCE BOPP 6-1-30

Joy rises in me like a summer morn.
 Thrift Club, '18; Agora, '20, '21, '22; G.
 A. A., '21, '22; Review Story Contest,
 '21; Oikos, '21, '22.

deceased FLOSSIE BOYER
A full measure of devotion.

✓ WILLIAM BOWDLE
A gentleman of good account.

died 11-4-67 *June 15 1925*
 Ruth Gardner died
 GARROLD BRAMBLETT 9/23/43

'Tis no laughing matter.
 Baseball, '20; Football, '19, '20; Forum,
 '20, '21, '22; Thrift Club, '18; Victory Boy,
 '19; Carnival, '19; Science Club, '21, '22.
Indianapolis

✓ EVERETT BRAME *Stelen*
They admire his life and work.

Sept 5 1925
 Estella Britter *Sept 10 1942*
 EDWARD G. BRINKMAN
*One who never turned his back, but
 marched breast forward.*
 Rotaro, '21, '22. *Chicago*

died 6/29/78 ← *ora Farrant*
 died 12-19-84 — KARL BROSEND *married 1929*
*Every man has his faults, and honesty
 is his.*

married ✓ GLENN BROWN *Margaret*
*We want men and women who shall
 renovate life and our social state.*
 "A Tailor-Made Man."





DS



OR

Helen Ingram
 Jan. 1927 HORACE BROWN → died 8-1-70

He is a bold man who calls anything a trifle.

Forum, '19, '20, '21, '22; Observer Staff, '21; Agricultural Club, '21, '22.

died 4-7-74 *Louise Ray*
 ← PHILIP BRUSO 6-23-27

A Jackie, in his country's service.

Forum, '16, '17, '18, '22; Boys' Glee Club, '22; Band, '22; Orpheus, '18, '22; Victory Boy, '18; Carnival, '19; U. S. Navy, '20, '21; "The Admirable Crichton."

died 7-8-74 *Helen Ramsey*
 ← BEAUFORD BURGESS 1-29-28

His spirit of great adventure still exists.

Victory Boy, '19; Football, '20, '21.

Edith Mae Cohen
 Dr. HYMEN BURSTEIN
 died 1-7-93 8-27-33

I have a reasonably good ear for music.

Orchestra, '19, '20, '21; Orpheus, '19, '20, '21, '22; Music Memory Contest, '22; Millikin Inter-Scholastic, '21; Thrift Club, '19; Commencement Program.

died 1923 *Sam Williams* divorced 1947
 ← DOROTHY BUTTS Tom Boyd 2-9-29

She is gentle, and doeth gentle deeds.

10-1922 *Gladys Hayes*
 ← VIRGIL BYERS died 10-31-39

We have known the solemn monotone of Virgil on his saxophone.

died 3/23/81 *Pauline Nolan* died 4/27-89
 ← ABIE CABLE Nov. 1925

We know his cheerful brow, his sparkling eye, his gentlemanly demeanor.

Observer Staff, '22; Forum, '21, '22; Science Club, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '22; "A Tailor-Made Man."

8-3-35 *Everett Biddle* divorced
 MARY EDYTHE CALDWELL - died Dec. 1979

Her air, her manners, all who saw admired.

Arion, '19; Hockey, '20; Baseball, '20, '21; Carnival, '19; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21; Junior Red Cross; Hike Club, '19.

died 9/22/71 *Raymond Meyers* ¹²⁻²² married ¹⁹²²
 MARGARET CAMP X
 The mildest manners, the gentlest heart.
 Aristos, '21, '22; Basketball, '22.

Havenat married
 RUTH CANTRALL
 How time takes wing for the busy.
 Carnival, '19; G. A. A., '20, '21, '22; Vol-
 leyball, '19; Baseball, '20, '21; Hockey,
 '20, '21, '22; Basketball, '20, '21, '22.

died 10-26-57 JOE CANTRALL
 I love silence and order.

died 10-3-30 *John Jount* → FERNE CARROLL ^{Oct. 1926}
 A good heart is worth more than gold.
 Hockey, '21; Girl's Glee Club, '20.

died 10-6-63 *Sylvia Bainter* married LESLIE CLARK
 He saw humor in the most unexpected things.
 Rotaro, '21, '22; Science Club, '21, '22;
 Mask and Wig, '21, '22; "A Tailor-Made Man."

LYNN CLARKSON
 Strong in will, to strive, to seek, to find,
 but not to yield.

died 4-24-62 *Robt. E. Hall* 1-30-43
 JESSIE CLIPSTON *Hall*
 Charities sound forth her praise.
 Arion, '19, '20; Agora, '21, '22; Ukelele
 Club, '20; Hockey, '20; G. A. A. '20, '21,
 '22; Girls' Glee Club, '20, '21, '22; Oikos,
 '21, '22.

WILLIAM CONLON
 I stand by what I say.
 Observer Staff, '21, '22; Decanois Staff,
 '22.





PAULINE COLE - *Paul Hastings*
Angels are painted fair to look like you.

J.B. Moran deceased
 AILEEN COLLINS
12-27-27
I will anoint you with praise.
 Thrift Club, '19; Library Club, '21, '22;
 Oikos, '20, '21, '22; Carnival, '19; "The
 Admirable Crichton".

ELIZABETH CONNARD
*My happiness is the faculty for being
 surprised.*
 Mask and Wig, '19, '20, '21, '22; Aristos,
 '21, '22; Millikin Inter-Scholastic, '21;
 Observer Staff, '21, '22; "A Tailor-Made
 Man".

June 1925 Gene Hanks
 X HAZEL COOK *chicago*
*To search out all her wonders,
 To track the resources of her skill.*

82-05-1 Bert R. Pumphrey *died 11-1-60*
 MAUDE COOPER *8-20-52*
I'll make you happy if I can.
 Aristos, '21, '22; Science Club, '20, '21,
 '22; Junior Art League, '20, '21, '22.

died 6/9/84 Fred L. Ammann
 MARGUERITE CORNICK *11-11-33*
*As gentle as the moonlight on a convent
 tower.*
 House of Representatives, '20, '21.

deceased IVA CORNETHWAITE - *married Ralph Bryson*
*'Tis virtue that doth make her most ad-
 mired.*

died 4/15/45 Eloise Hanson
 CARROLL COWGER *married 5-25-29*
*The unwieldy current of life whirls, and
 weathes, and struggles onward.*
 Basketball, '19, '20, '21, '22; (Capt. '21,
 '22); Football, '21; Athletic Board of
 Control, '21, '22.

Jan. 1923 *died Dec. 1950*
 Reed Nichols
 RUTH COWGILL x Earl Miller

I can bear up under doubt.
 Girl's Glee Club, '21, '22; Orpheus, '22.

deceased *Marvell E. St. Pyle*
 KATHERINE COX *Miss York*
Sept. 1926
 I would not change my freedom.

Orpheus, '21, '22; Girl's Glee Club, '20, '21, '22; Victory Girl, '18; G. A. A., '19.

died 11/14/76 *married*
 EDWARD CRABB *Katherine*
 Free will is the valor and dignity of the soul.

died 3-17-92 *Harold Bill*
 NETTIE CRABB *10/9/95 died*
12-24-27
 An all around athlete, not very tall, earnest in work, and friendly to all.
 G. A. A., Ukelele Club, Basketball, '21, '22; (Capt. '22); Baseball, '21; (Capt. '21); Track, '21; Hike Club, '19.

died 12-13-83 *Geo. Reese* *died 1-20-58*
 CLEO CROSSLAND *6-3-28*
 I have a heart with rooms for every joy.
 Agora, '22; Orpheus, '22; Basketball, '19, '20, '22; Hockey, '19, '20, '22; (Capt. '22); Volleyball, '19; Hike Club, '19, '20; Carnival, '19; G. A. A., '19, '20, '22; Track, '20; Thrift Club, '19.

died Nov. '57 *Geo. B. White*
 FERN CUMMINGS *6-18-29*
 In my heart the day is breaking.

1923 *Louis Bryant*
 VERA CURL x
 Clothed in inward virtue.
 Oikos, '21, '22; G. A. A., '20, '21; Science Club, '21.

Mariether Anderson
 LLEWELYN DANDO *6-20-29*
 A plague on all cowards, still say I.
 Forum, '21, '22; Boys' Glee Club, '22; Science Club, '22.



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died 10-22-38 →
Roland Kieseke
RUTH DANIELS 6-21-27

My sex, my youth, my rank, I next avow.
Arion, '19, '20; Agora, '21, '22; (Pres. '21); Oikos, '21, '22; Girls' Glee Club, '21, '22; G. A. A.

died 12-9-30

married EDWIN DAYTON 1937
Josephine Coleman
He speaks with the directness of a stone.
Thrift Club, '18; Mask and Wig, '21, '22;
"A Tailor-Made Man"; "The Admirable Crichton".

divorced Ruby Cooper - Booby
6-1929
ELMER DAVENPORT Oct. 1936

A Corinthian, a lad of metal, a good boy.
Forum, '20, '21, '22; Science Club, '21, '22; Debate, '22.

died 1-20-30
MABEL DAVIDSON
52-36 Robert Lasell 9/7/29
She has reached the age of discretion.

died 5/13/31
HELEN DELANEY
died 12-16-30

died 3-20/36
She does little kindnesses which most leave undone, or despise.
Victory Girl, '18; Oikos, '20, '21.

died 1-9-33 married Joe Collins deceased
JOSEPHINE DEMPSEY

You have a way of finding happiness.
G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Arion, '19, '20;
Aristos, '21, '22; Hockey, '19, '20, '21, '22;
Basketball, '19, '20, '21; Volleyball, '19;
Baseball, '19, '21; Carnival, '19.

Herbert H. C. Setjant deceased
8-16-41 CORNISE DENISE

Blessed with plain sense, and sobre reason.
Arion, '19, '20; Aristos, '21, '22; G. A. A., '20, '21, '22; Hockey, '21; Baseball, '20.

ROBERT DENISE - married Valborg

He colored all events with the need of his own mind.
Baseball, '21; Thrift Club, '17; Boys' Working Reserve, '17.

died
3-4-53

Harold V. Carpenter
EVELYN DENNY 3-26-33

I am not ready to eat out of any man's hand.

Arion, '19, '20; Agora, '21, '22; Junior Art League, '20; Carnival, '19; Basketball, '21; Baseball, '19, '21; Volleyball, '19; Hockey, '20, '21, '22; Decanois Staff, '22; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Girls' Glee Club, '21, '22; Hike Club, '22.

deceased ROY DENZ

I went to sleep, and now I am refreshed.
Football, '21.

Hallie Martin
ANNABELLE DEY
Milo Harnsworth 1923
I would both sing thy praise, and praise thy singing.

Girl's Glee Club, '19, '20, '21, '22; Music Memory Contest, '22; Orchestra, '21, '22; Orpheus, '21, '22. *Sister 1925*

deceased

Marg. Eliz. Lins
deceased JOHN DITTO 10-10-35

Divide your day, and give to each a special occupation.

Student Council, '18, '19; Victory Boy, '18; Class Basketball, '19; Forum, '19, '22; Boys' Glee Club, '21, '22; Debate, '21, '22; Carnival, '19; Band, '21, '22.

Agatha Langbein
4-21-31 DARRELL DOREN

My life is the happy life.

Class Basketball, '19; Ag Club, '20, '21; Thrift Club, '19; Football, '21.

David Dresback 4-10-73
David Dresback 2-1-28
deceased DAVID DRESBACK

He has a vein of drollery in him.
Rotaro, '21, '22; Decanois Staff, '22.

died 7-16-91 *Fredrick Shaub*
died 4-4-80 THELMA DUVALL

My heart is yours, and I am pinned to my heart.

Feb. 1926

✓ VERNA DURHAM *Earl Slay*

Whom none with gold nor iron could overcome.



Kathleen Earnshaw married 1925 to Geo. Taylor Died 2-5-46

DECANOL 1922

W. COLTON

Eather
Ebert



married 1925 Geo. Taylor
deceased KATHLEEN EARNSHAW
Joy has the sweetest voice.

died 5-30-50 ← LEONARD ERICKSON married Dorothy Rayhill 1926
Fierce fighting in abundance.

Class Basketball, '19, '20; Class Baseball, '21; Varsity Baseball, '21; Football, '21; Varsity Basketball, '20, '21.

met Jack Barnett May 1926
1925 HAZEL ETHERTON married
deceased Elinor V. Louvy - June 1926
And men esteemed her excellently.

Girl's Glee Club, '19, '20; Science Club, '22.

divorced John Dorsey Dec. 1936
FRANCES ERWIN 2-23-23
Ben Hastings 11-7-41
Homer sometimes nods.

Hockey, '20, '21; Baseball, '20, '21; Basketball, '20, '21, '22; Track, '19; Ukelele Club, '19, '20, '21; Girl's Glee Club, '20, '21, '22; Music Memory Contest, '20, '21; Orpheus, '22; Hike Club, '19, '20, '21; G. A. A. '19, '20, '21, '22.

died 9-11-70 ← Dorothy Wilson
PAUL EVANS 6-23-28

He despiseth not the courtesy of manner,
nor neglecteth the decencies of life.
Rotaro, '20, '21, '22; Boys' Glee Club, '21, '22; Band, '19, '22; Orchestra, '22.

Blanche Mitchell 9-10-37
WALLACE EWART

Spirited, not inactive.
died 10-13-71

married 1925 GLADYS FELTON - Jack Eistle 7-12-80
deceased

And even her failings leaned toward Vir-
tue's side.
Mask and Wig, '21; Girl's Glee Club, '21; Aristos, '21; Music Memory Contest, '21.

died 5-11-54 → Anne Brosean
CHARLES FIELD 8-28-28
Iron in the ambition for character.

Football, '18, '21; Basketball, '21; Class Officer, '22.

married second time Eileen Jones

Died 10-12-91 — HENRY FISHER

*Happy am I, from care I'm free;
Why aren't they all content like me?*

Geo. Dippel
1-24-31 DAISY FOLT

*I glory in belonging to the smaller, nobler,
portion of mankind.*

Sept 5th John Sneekow - died 10-21-69
1925 ELEANOR FRIBOURG
died 11-25-2003

*If solid happiness is a prize;
Within my heart this jewel lies.*

Aristos, '21, '22; G. A. A., '21, '22; Hockey '21; Basketball, '21.

Henry Richardson
OLIVE FROST

Joyous and eager, she's in for everything.

Girl's Glee Club, '22; Agora, '22; Science Club, '21, '22; G. A. A., '21, '22; Hike Club, '21.

✓ *11-17-34* MARGARET GALE *deceased*
Robt. J. Vesnia

True happiness consists in a multitude of friends.

House of Representatives, '20, '21; Junior Art League, '21; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22.

Donald Bradley
— MAURINE GOLDEN *12-1-28*

There was no one like her, but there were many imitations.

Arion, '19, '20; Aristos, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '21, '22; Uke Club, '20; Girl's Basketball, '19, '20, '21, '22; Baseball, '20, '21; Hockey, '19, '20, '21, '22; Volleyball, '19; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Athletic Board of Control, '21; "A Tailor-Made Man"; Observer Staff, '20, '22; Carnival, '19; Track, '20; Hike Club, '21; "The Admirable Crichton".

deceased ALBERT GOODMAN

A monumental heap of simplicity and good humor.

Football, '20, '21; Boys' Glee Club, '21, '22.

died 1-22-84 *Luille abott*

KEITH GRAYBILL

A man that speaketh little but thinketh much and deeply.

Rotaro, '21, '22. *8-30-29*



DECAHOIS 1922

W. Conlon



LEONORA GRETHE

married T. P. Halgorty - 1975
6-4-34

A quick ear and eye, an ability to discern infinite suggestiveness of common things.

Agora, '21, '22; Oikos, '22; Orchestra, '20, '21; Girl's Glee Club, '21, '22; Library Club, '21.

6-18-55 LAURA GROTHE - John E. Taylor ^{died}

I can pick up the sun in my fingers.
Aristos, '22; Oikos, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '22; Library Club, '21; "A Tailor-Made Man"; "The Admirable Crichton".

died 6/6/91



Died 7-9-60 HELEN GROVES
J. H. McArthur 5-6-32

Wit now and then, struck smartly, shows a spark.

G. A. A., '20, '21, '22; Review Story Contest, '21.

married G. J. Wilmore ^{died} 1987
1925 X RUTH HALPIN ^{died} 1980

Always happy, always gay.
She is laughing the live-long day.

Arion, '19; Agora, '21, '22; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Basketball, '21, '22; Hockey '19, '21; Carnival, '19; Hike Club, '20.



died 2-26-88
Elmer Stearns MADGE HAMILTON 8-16-37-3-14-95

You never can tell how good a thing is until you see the imitation.

Arion, '19, '20; Agora, '21; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Basketball, '20, '21; Hockey, '20, '21; Baseball, '20; Track, '20; Volleyball, '19; Carnival, '19; Hike Club, '21; Girl's Council, '19; House of Representatives, '20; Senate, '21; Observer Staff, '20; Decanois Staff, '22; Senior Class Officer, '22; Uke Club, '20.

MILDRED HARPER ^{died} 11-17-27
H. Eugene Leonard 6-22-35 Slow and steady wins the race.



^{deceased} DOROTHY HARROLD 4-16-38
E. T. Shepherd

As well be out of the world as out of fashion.

Basketball, '18, '19; Aristos, '21; G. A. A., '18, '19; Carnival, '19; Thrift Club, '19; Volleyball, '18; Uke Club, '20.

died 8/31/91 ^{deceased} PYRLE HARROUFF 3-7-28
Walter G. Bantels - 1990

A kind heart is a heart that is shared with all.



1922

died 7-31-62 →

SYRIL HASTINGS - ¹⁰⁻³⁰⁻²⁶ Mary Maddox

Even though I lose one battle, I yet have time to win another.

Glee Club, '21, '22; Forum, '22; Class Officer, '22; Decanois Staff, '22; United States Navy, '18, '19.

left Walter Hoppe 1925 MARY HATCH

Look up and not down, -8
Look forward and not back.

Hockey, '21; G. A. A., '22; Glee Club, '22; Oikos, '22.

Helga Herach HAROLD HAWVER 5-16-29

I can get no remedy for the consumption of the purse, the disease is incurable.

Glee Club, '19, '20, '21; President, '20, '21; Band, '18, '19; Class Basketball, '18, '22; House of Representatives, '20, '21; Yell Leader, '19, '20, '21; Orpheus, '19, '20, '21.

died 10-31-39

not Virgil Byers 1922 GLADYS HAYS 7-8-87

I am enamoured of life.

Orpheus, '19, '20, '21, '22; G. A. A., '19, '20; Carnival, '19.

3/67 died 1925 Juanita Mycoff RICHARD HEAD

died 10-15-45

Stately and tall he moves in the hall the chief of a thousand for grace.

Class Basketball, '19, '22.

died 8-30-87 → MARY HEFFERNAN 6-25-38

died 9-8-82 ← Mrs. V. Eckert

A peculiar excellence of speech.

Arion, '18, '19, '20; Agora, '21, '22; Debate, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '21, '22; Mask and Wig Play, '22; Review Story Contest, '19, '20, '21.

died 8-15-66 → Paul J. Miles LUCILE HELPHENSTINE 1-26-29

Live in three words: health, peace and happiness.

Arion, '18, '19, '20; Agora, '21, '22; Debate, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '21, '22; Mask and Wig Play, '22; Review Story Contest, '19, '20, '21.

max 22 1924 Harold Chast die 2-17-28 PAULINE HENTON

Dark hair and lovesome mein.

Arion, '20; Girl's Glee Club, '21; Victory Girl, House of Representatives, '20, '21.

Jack Rubottom 6-11-29 died 6-19-82



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↓ Betty
deceased DONALD HILL 1930

Experience has taught me to reason and to think.

Rotaro, '21, '22; Poster Club, '21, '22; Athletic Association, '21, '22; Junior Art League, '21, '22; Hi-Yi, '19, '21, '22; "The Admirable Crichton".

✓ FERN HILL Lloyd Harbarger

Nothing endures but personal qualities.

✓ DIED 1970
ROY HILTABIDDLE

Still to be neat, still to be dressed.

married 1922 ✓ DIED 1969
CHELMA HILTABIDDLE - Ray Contad

Wise to resolve and patient to perform.

✓ HOMER HORNBECK

Long liveth the merry man, they say.
Boys' Glee Club, '18, '19, '20, '22; Orchestra, '19, '20; Band, '19.

K.E. Wright
DENISE HUGENBERGER 3-24-29

A worthy life measured by deeds, not years.

Aristos, '21, '22; Glee Club, '21, '22; Hockey, '21, '22; Baseball, '21, '22; Track, '20; Arion, '20; Debating Team, '20; Library Club, '21, '22; G. A. A., '20, '21, '22; "The Admirable Crichton".

married 9-22-31

WILMA HUGHEY

died 2-27-76
J.H. Adams

There is no wisdom but frankness.
Millikin Interscholastic, '22.

1922 ✓ Walter Frailey
MERCIA HULETT ← deceased

I despise envy, harshness, self-pity.
G. A. A., '18, '19, '21, '22.

Wayne Ash
 ETHEL HUMPHREYS 1-18-30

Her wise, rare smile is sweet with certainties.

died 10-14-62 ← *Josephine White*
 PERRY JENNESS 11-24-27

Bless me, how shall I behave.

Orpheus, '22; Class Baseball, '21, '22; Varsity Baseball, '21, '22; Class Basketball, '20, '21, '22; Thrift Club, Band, '21; Orchestra, '21, '22; Boys' Work Reserve, '19; Victory Boy, '18.

married OSCAR JOHANSEN *died 9/17/81*

Resolute he was to walk by the truth and speak the truth when called to do it.

Meredith H. Moore
 MARVEL JOHNSON 3-1-30

I prize common sense and sanity.
 Junior Art League, '21, '22; G. A. A., '20, '21, '22.

died 10/24/21

→ *John W. Mackenstock*
 6-14-31 RUTH JOHNSON *died 9/15/89*

Cold as a mountain in a star pitched tent.
 Agora, '21, '22; D. H. S. Senate, '21; Orpheus, '21, '22; Observer, '22; G. A. A.

atly. Evelyn Lyman *died 7/20/81*
 EDWIN JOCKISCH 2-1-36

And he lisped on the tip of the tongue.
 Forum, '19, '20, '21, '22; Orpheus, '20, '21, '22; Observer Staff, '20, '21; Senate, '20, '21; Boys' Council, '18, '19; Decanois Staff '22; Hi-Y, '19, '20, '21, '22; President, '22; Athletic Association, '21, '22; Victory Boy, '19; Science Club, '19; Debating Team, '21, '22.

✓ BLANCHE JONES - *Carl Paronch*

Reason is the upright nature in the soul.

Sarah Bowman
 PAXTON JUDGE 10-12-27

I dare to do all that becomes a man.
 House of Representatives, '19, '20; Hi-Y, '19; Varsity Basketball, '20; Class Basketball, '20; Captain Class Baseball, '19, '20; Rotaro, '19, '20; Glee Club, '20; Senior President, '22; "The Admirable Crichton"; Commencement Program.





married 3-9-1929
 Hazel Arthur
 BEN KATER - died 1-12-93

Oh me! The toils—the toils of the city!

died 11-8-67 C. O. Clements
 ELVA KATER 7-15-28

Only to stand high in your account.

LORENA KEYL - died 2-2-93

That glorious burst of winged words.
 How bound they from her tongue.
 Oikos, '21, '22; Carnival, '19.

HERBERT KISELL

High nature, amorous of the good.

died 2-19-56 FAYE LAMBERT

A maid she seems of cheerful yesterdays,
 and confident tomorrows.
 Oikos, '21, '22; Carnival, '19; Cantata, '21.

GLADYS LIBOTTE - Pete Lowe deceased
 An arch, debating eye.

may 1972 deceased GRACE LEEPER Bramel
 Oct. 1957

Her face betokened all things dear and good.

KATHERINE LEONARD

A smile that solitary shines in the dry desert of a thousand lines.
 Girl's Glee Club, '19; Hockey, '20.

died 9/30/78

Lois Hood 10-17-31
-CORWIN LEWIS

'Tis noble to be natural, to be like myself.
Class Officer, '21, '22; Forum, '19, '20, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '18, '19, '20; Victory Boy, '19; Hi-Y, '19, '20, '21; Carnival, '19; Boys' Council, '19; House of Representatives, '20; Observer Staff, '20, '21; Science Club, '21, '22; President, '22; Yell Leader, '21, '22; Decanois Staff, '22; Class Basketball, '22; Review Story Contest Honor Roll.

died 9/13/83

Edmund Allison Bringer
-MARGUERITE LISTON 4-27-26

She may make, unmake, do what she likes.
Carnival, '19; Volleyball, '19; Indoor Baseball, '19, '20, '21; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Hockey, '19, '20; Track, '20; Hike Club, '19, '20, '21; Arion, '19, '20; Agora, '21; Decanois Staff, '22; House of Representatives, '19, '20, '21.

died 6/17/88 ANNA LITTS

Loveliness needs not the foreign aid of adornment.

HELEN LOWE

Ever true to her work, her word, and her friends.

Agora, '21, '22; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Orpheus, '20, '21, '22; Uke Club, '19, '20, '21; Thrift Club, Carnival, '19.

Helen Katharine Martin
HERBERT LOWE 10-1-28

died 10/5/92

I am driven to the very shores of my modesty.

Football, '20; Band, '22; Orchestra, '22; Orpheus, '22.

Harry L. Morris 1928
died 7-19-31 FRED A LUCAS

I find friendship in the stars.
Mask and Wig, '22; G. A. A.

✓ FRANKLIN MAYER

Fortune smiles on the brave.

died 12-16-72

married VELDA MACGAVIC *V. S. Mills*

Singularly earnest
Science Club, '20, '21, '22.





M.K. Benwell ← *deceased*
died 7/10/94 - MARY MALONEY 2-8-30

Personality is the quality of being someone.

1923 *Harold Stuckey* ← *deceased*
 MARGARET MARCH ← *died 4-7-58*

'Tis well to be merry and wise.

Glee Club, '21, '22; Athletic Board of Control, '22; Hockey, '21, '22; Athletic Association, '22; G. A. A., '21, '22; Basketball, '21.

died 12-19-52
 GENEVIEVE MARSHALL

Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well.

Karl Graff
 BERNICE MATTES 10-8-27

Courteous though coy, and gentle though retired.

Girl's Basketball, '18; G. A. A., '18, '19; Carnival, '19; Thrift Club, '19; Volleyball, '18; Uke Club, '20; Aristos, '21, '22.

died → ALICE MAXON 9-4-32

More surmise—my own experience—that is knowledge once gained.

Patty Sinclair *Alarence*
 JAMES MCCARTHY 6-12-28 *Ala.*
 6-12-84

I know not whether I'm asleep or awake.
 Thrift Club, '19.

died 8-12-71 ← *Quith Scheske*
 ROYAL McCLELLAND 9-5-29

Handsome and witty and yet a friend.

House of Representatives, '21; Rotaro, '21, '22; President, '22; Glee Club, '22; Debating Team, '21, '22; Hi-Y, '20, '21, '22; "The Admirable Crichton".

nov. 6 1925
Clinton
 RUTH McCLELLAND
 Noble by heritage.
 Glee Club, '21, '22.

died 3-16-59

June Foster
RALPH McCROREY *Sept 5, 1925*

Keep it up, and I'll ensure you the victory.

died 3-7-84

died 5/19/62

Ruth Donovan
Dr. EMMETT McGOWAN *6/23/27*

Love me and wish me well.

Class Basketball, '18; Varsity Basketball, '18, '19, '20, '21; Football, '18, '20; Junior Class Officer, Senior Class Officer.

deceased

Geo. G. Quinn
ELIZABETH MCGUIRE *11-17-28*

Whimsey, not reason, is the female guide.
Victory Girl, '19; G. A. A., '20, '21, '22; House of Representatives, '20; Junior Art League, '21, '22.

died Sept. 1925

RUSSELL MESNARD

I feel the mighty current sweep me on yet know not whether.

Rotaro, '21, '22.

Kathryn Monroe
PERCY MICHENER *10-8-27*

Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm.

Football, '20, '21; Class Basketball, '21; Observer Staff, '21; Carnival, '19; Victory Boy, '19; Hi-Y, '19, '20; "The Admirable Crichton".

A. R. Johnson
ALICE MILLER

Intoxicated with an ideal.

Aristos, '21; Library Club, '22; Orpheus, '22; Music Memory Contest, '22.

died 2-24-66

Henrietta Clark
JOHN MILLER *1936*

I never saw a man so fixed on doing what he considered his duty.

Rotaro, '20, '21, '22; Hi-Y, '19, '20, '21; Carnival, '19; Football, '20; Thrift Club, '19.

Millie Lenz
RONALD MILLS *6-14-47*

Not so fast; still more concession.

Forum, '21, '22; Science Clb, '22; Athletic Association, '22; Thrift Club, '19; Decanois Staff, '22; Victory Boy, '19.





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died 7-28-76 ~~FLORENCE MORRIS~~ ^{Second train} died 2-15-93
12-15-29

Look out and not in,
And lend a hand.



died 4/4/85 JENNIE MORRISON ~~Book~~

Best she's liked that is alike to all.



Joseph Bent - died
ANNEL MORTHLAND died 1-14-92
11-14-27

Gentle in personage and conduct.



deceased John Hogan - dead
EDNA MURPHY 2-15-30

A prudent maid looketh well in her going.



1924 Malcomb Wood ← died 1984
MABLE MYERS ← Mich. 4/6/87

Oh, grant me an honest fame or grant me none.

Carnival, '19; Junior Red Cross, '19; Glee Club, '21, '22; Junior Art League, '20.



Suzmon Coon
MARGARET NEELD

She has the essential attributes of a lady: ~~high~~ high voracity, delicate honor, and fine personal habits. ~~high~~

Poster Club, '19, '20; Arion, '19; Agora, '20, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '20, '21, '22; Okios, '21, '22; G. A. A., '22; Hockey, '19.



died 1-12-93 ~~Bernice Neen~~ 1930
Ralph Jones - died 7/18/79

Of all the arts in which the wise excel,
Nature's chief masterpiece is writing well.



died 6/27/76 ~~Maxine Nell~~ 7-14-28
9-3-90

Each morn a thousand roses brings, you say.

G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Hike Club, '19, '20, '21, '22; Carnival, '19; Athletic Board of Control, '22; Indoor Baseball, '21.

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12-6-68 ^{died} 1923 *Russell Shaper*
 BERTHA NICKY

How sweet and fair she seems to be.
 Uke Club, '19, '20; G. A. A., '21, '22;
 Poster Club, '21, '22; Glee Club, '21, '22.

3-12-44 *Clifford Keister-died*
 AGNES NOTTLEMAN ¹⁻⁷⁻⁷⁵

died 1-21-79 ← *My heart's in the Highland.*
 Junior Art League.

Died 11-18-30 JAMES O'CONNELL

I must not think lest this new impulse die.
 Football 2nd team, '19, '20; Boys' Working
 Reserve, '19; Baseball, '19.

died 1-3-68 ← *apr. 1926*
 DOROTHY ODOR *Bradford Bruce*

I glimpse the pagan veil of Beauty.
 Arion, '19, '20; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22;
 Hockey, '20, '21, '22; Agora, '21, '22; Thrift
 Club, Uke Club, '19, '20; Hike Club, '19, '20,
 '21, '22.

June 1925 *Kenneth Waldron*
 RUTH OLMSTEAD *Ohio*

died 1-11-49 *As proud as a rose.*
 Agora, '21, '22.

died 9-23-58 ← *10-23-51*
 MORTENSE OTT *Chas. E. Lee*

Never bored, but always interested.
 Arion, '18, '19, '20; Aristos, '21, '22; G. A.
 A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Hike Club, '20, '21;
 Baseball '21; Hockey, '20, '21; Glee Club,
 '21, '22 (President '22); Thrift Club; Or-
 pheus, '22.

June 1924 *May Meyer-died*
 HOMER OSGOOD *5-30-90*

*Pouring his full heart in profuse strains of
 premeditated art.*
 Glee Club, '19, '20, '21, '22; Thrift Club.

died 8-8-78 → EVA PATTERSON

*All fashion requires is contentment and
 composure.*
 Glee Club, '21, '22; Junior Art League, '22;
 Poster Club, '21.



DECANOL 1922



Married Helen Walker ^{w. Conlon} deceased

died → Albert Mylie 3-10-28
 → GEORGIA PECK 10-31-30

I do not know a grouch.

Divorced Jess B. Kibler
 1-20-31 ARLINE PERKINS 7-5-30
 died 1-27-65

Of manners gentle, of affections mild. 9-22-34
 Uke Club, '20; Carnival, '19; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22; Baseball, '19; Basketball, '20;
 Volley Ball, '20; Hockey, '20, '22. *William Stokes*

8-16-37 VIVIAN PIERCE Sylvester Quintenz

A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance.
 died 1-29-52

1923 X Hyle Tolly - died 12-3-68
 X FLORENCE PIERSON died 10/16/85

Life's a good deal of a run and a jump.
 Uke Club, '20; G. A. A., '19, '20, '21, '22;
 Carnival, '19; Basketball, '19, '20, '22;
 Hockey, '19.

7-16-66 died *Donald Halls* ← deceased
 July 1946 VEREE POTTER ← died 12-29-73

I have a heart with room for every joy.

1924 X V.T. *Felt Smith*
 X VERNA PRESCOTT

Like a live wire let loose by the Western Union.
 G. A. A., '20, '21, '22; Hike Club, '20;
 Hockey, '21.

LEONA PROCTOR -died 8-4-74

The true, strong, and sound mind is the mind that embraces equally great things and small.

Agora, '20, '21, '22; G. A. A., '20, '21.

died ← Elizabeth McQuinn
 1-13-79 ← JAMES QUINN 11-17-28

None played better than he; all who heard, admired.
 Orchestra, '19.

died 7-8-74

Beauford Burgess
 died 8-19-92 ← HELEN RAMSEY 1-24-28

*The charm that can the strongest quell,
 the sternest move.*

Orpheus, '20, '21; Oikos, '22; Victory Girl, '19.

died June Dorothy Steuffer
 1924 × THOMAS KEMSEY
 died 7/14/81

I tell you nought has ever been so clear.
 Football, '19, '20; Thrift Club, '19.

died 5-25-63 ← FRANK RAWLINGS

*I swear that I will have each quality of
 my race in myself.*

died 1938 ← Mrs. S. Palmer jr.
 GERTRUDE REDWITZ 7-27-32

She has the spirit of charm.

Arion, '19, '20; Agora, '21, '22 (President '22); Mask and Wig, '21, '22; Observer Staff, '21, '22; Carnival, '19; G. A. A., '21, '22; Girls' Basketball, '21; Hockey, '21; Debating Team, '21, '22; "A Tailor-Made Man"; "The Admirable Crichton"; Commencement Program.

died 1-20-58 → *Geo Crowland*
 GEORGE REESE 6-3-28

He adjusts the universe to himself.

Carnival, '19; Class Baseball, '21; Track, '21; Class Basketball, '22; Varsity Basketball, '22; Rotaro, '22.

INEZ RICHARDS

*A soul flooded with happy, cheerful
 thoughts.*

married *O. Jerome Singleton*
 ROSALLA ROBERSON

Born to conquer is her power.

Poster Club, '19, '21, '22; Junior Art League, '21, '22; Oikos, '21, '22; Review Story Contest, '20; Decanois Staff, '22; Observer Staff, '21, '22.

deceased JOHN ROBBINS

*The hush of spacious prairies stilled his
 soul.*

Carnival, '19; Glee Club, '20, '21, '22; Orchestra, '21, '22; Forum, '20, '21, '22; Decanois Story Contest, '21, '22; Decanois Staff, '21; Observer Staff (Ed-in-Chief), '22; Debating Team, '21, '22; Northwestern Interscholastic, '22.





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Elsie Kistler married
WILLIAM ROBINSON 1935
Deciphered inaction.



deceased Lindsay C. English
→ MARGARET RYAN 8-14-27
'Tis beauty calls, and glory shows the way.
Orchestra, '20, '21, '22; Girls' Glee Club, '22.



died 1-17-58 Louise Benz
→ ROBERT SCHAUB 2-1-30
The strength of virgin forests braced his
mind.



Forum, '20, '21, '22; Mask and Wig, '20, '21, '22; Victory Boy, '19; Hi-Y, '21, '22; Carnival, '19; Observer Staff, '21, '22; Football, '21; Seven Keys to Baldpate, "Tailor-Made Man," "The Admirable Crichton."

Erwin Stupp 10-26-29
EMILIE SCHLESIER-died 1-27-62

If I have one virtue it is courage.

Mask and Wig, '20, '21, '22; Victory Girl, '19; Girls' Hockey, '18; G. A. A., '19, '20; Uke Club, '19; Carnival, '19; Glee Club, '20, '21, '22; Aristos, '20, '21, '22; "Seven Keys to Baldpate," '21; "The Admirable Crichton," '22.



died 9/5/78 → Char R. Bennett Sr.
8/29/83 → MYRTLE SCHUPPAN 1971-2-18

No profit grows where is no pleasure taken.
Poster Club, '19, '20; Library Work, '20.



1922 died 4-3-30
Doris Collins
SIDNEY SCOTT
died 12-9-33

What strong hand can hold his swift back.
Boys' Working Reserve, '18; Victory Boy, '18; Boys' Council, '19; Class Basketball, '19, '21; Varsity Basketball, '20, '21; Football, '19, '20; Track, '20, '21.



Raleigh E. Sapp
BEULAH SEEFORTH

There are very few words on her tongue.
Oikos, '20, '21, '22.



✓ LEONA SEELEY

Honor lies in honest toil.
Science Club, '21.

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1922

✓ FERNE SLEEPER *L. E. Easter*

Humility—that sweet root from which all virtues shoot.

✓ WILLIAM SHARPE *married*

An aspect of courage.
Boys' Glee Club, '21, '22; Baseball, '21.

died 2/4/52 ← HOMER SHAW

I am my brother's keeper.
Forum, '21, '22; Science Club, '22; Victory Boy, '19.

deceased ✓ LESTER SHAW

Most hours are not lost that are spent in cementing affection.
Forum, '21, '22; Science Club, '22; Victory Boy, '19.

✓ JOHN SHAW

Life is pleasant to me.

died 8-2-60 → FRANK SHEFFLER *(married)*

I affirm and reaffirm it therefore.
Forum, '20, '21, '22 (President '22); Hi-Y, '21, '22; Science Club, '22; Victory Boy, '19; Athletic Association, '22; Debating Team, '22.

✓ ROY SHIELDS

The deep rivers pay a larger tribute to the sea than shallow brooks.
House of Representatives, '20, '21; Science Club, '22.

died 4-22-79 *Margaret Hornback*
11-27-32 ROBERT SINK

A comedy of errors.
Forum, '21, '22; Observer Staff, '22; Mask and Wig, '22; "The Tailor-Made Man," '22.





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✓ S. A. Riggs
RUBY SNIDER 7-8-28

Fame is no plant that grows in mortal soil.

1923 ^{class. Stevens} X RUBY SNYDER - died 11-10-75

Born to puzzle and to please.
Orchestra, '20, '21, '22; Glee Club, '20, '21, '22; Poster Club, '21.

MILDRED STALEY - died 1-9-77

Good things come in small parcels.

only 1924 X Glen Bernard
FARRELL STALEY

Diligence is the matter of good fortune.

died 5/28/83 ← OPAL STUART ^{Rox} Morville - died 2-9-83

To be merry best becomes you. 1922

Madge Hamilton ELMER STEARNS - died 2-26-80
8-16-37

He meditateth day and night, doting on the image of his fancy.
Varsity Basketball, second team, '20, '21; Class Basketball, '19, '20, '21; Class Baseball, '19, '20, '21.

✓ TRUMAN STERNBERG

You can't live by sucking your thumbs.
Glee Club, '21, '22; Orchestra, '20, '21, '22; Band, '20; Class Basketball, '21, '22; Varsity Basketball, '22; Rotaro, '22; Hi-Y, '20, '21.

1923 X Louise Beard - died 1979
GLEN STOUTENBOROUGH - died 5/25/79

Ever true to his work, his word and his friends.
Agriculture Club, '20, '21, '22.

DECA NOIS 1922

W. COHLER

died 10-27-75

1923 *died 7-58*
Margaret March
 HAROLD STUCKEY *remarried*

I am short, but so was Napoleon.
 House of Representatives, '19, '20; Track, '19; Basketball, '19.

Elise Parker
 CLARENCE SWARM *Feb. 1926*

Ahem! I say it is inaccurate.

Frank Estlip
 LEONA TAYLOR *Nov. 1925*
So may my trust from all reproach be free.
 Science Club, '21.

Helen Hutchison
 ROBERT TAYLOR 6-26-29

Maybe! Mere surmise, no knowledge.
 Rotaro, '20, '21, '22 (President '22); Mask and Wig, '22 (President, '22); Athletic Association, '22; "Tailor-Made Man, '22; Football Second Team, '20; "The Admirable Crichton."

Russell DeBoursey
 MARY TUCKER 8-20-30

She is quite a wonder—for goodness.
 Agora, '21, '22; G. A. A., '21, '22.

Alpha M. Vick
 DEAN TURLEY 1-1929 *8-10-27*

He mixed a laughter with the serious.

Lois Niles 12-31-29

✓ STANLEY VAILL

His life was gentle, and the elements so mixed in him, that nature might stand up and say to all the world, "This was a man."

Football, '20; Forum, '20, '21, '22 (President, '22), Mask and Wig, '20, '21, '22 (President, '22); Glee Club, '20, '21; Orpheus, '20, '21; D. H. S. A. A., '21, '22; Hi-Y, '21, '22; Music Memory Contest, '21; Millikin Interscholastic, '21; Class Officer, '21; "Seven Keys to Baldpate," "A Tailor-Made Man," "The Admirable Crichton," Decanis Staff, Valedictorian.

died 9/14/73 *John Van Clev*
Mary Bishop 6-9-37
He has a passion for statistics.





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died 2-9-71 ← JOE VAN DYKE

The heavens speed thee in thine enterprise.
Thrift Story Contest, second prize, '19.



✓ HAROLD VICK — deceased

In the freshness of youth.
Forum, '21, '22.



died 1-4-74 ← LEWIS VEECH — ^{died 2-27-92} Jennie Edwards
^{Martied 7-28-28}

Basketball made him greater grow.
Class Basketball, '19, '20, '21, '22; Varsity Basketball, '20, '21, '22; Class Baseball, '19, '20, '21; Class Track, '19; Track, '21; Thrift Club, '19; Agriculture Club, '21, '22; House of Representatives, '20, '21.



Martied — Russell Reusing
HELEN VERNER

Oh, not a blush, but how much more.



gone 1925 Ruth Almstead ← died
X KENNETH WALDRON ^{Ohio}
^{Alotence}

He shares his joys with thee, and is glad to bear part in thy sorrows.
Rotaro, '20, '21; Observer Staff, '20, '21; House of Representatives, '20; Hi-Y, '19, '20, '21, '22; President, '21, '22.



died 2-10-79 ← Howard E. Kaufman — deceased
LUCILE WALTZ ¹²⁻²⁷⁻³⁰

Some think the world was made for fun and frolic, and so do I.
Aristos, '21, '22; Oikos, '21, '22; G. A. A., '21.



1925 ETHEL WARD ^{Mable Miller}

Of a free and open nature.

died 12-21-31



died 12-25-73 ← ROBERT WAYNE

He clothes the daily walk with color and beauty.
House of Representatives, '19, '20; Senate, '21; Rotaro, '21, '22; Decanois Staff, '22; Victory Boy, '19.

Jucille Connigan — died 3/4/78

1922

9-20-63 died ← *Joe Harmon 9-12-42*
 FERN WERT

Happiness courts thee in her last array.

died 6-24-43 ← *Kenneth Schoby*
 VERA WHITE 6-22-29

She is a mixture of simplicity and kindness.
 Oikos, '20, '21, '22.

M. H. Tandy ✓ RUTH WHITFIELD

A virtuoso.

Arion, '20, '21 (President, '21); Aristos, '21, '22 (President '22); Orpheus, '21, '22 (President, '22); Silver Delta, '21; Millikin Interscholastic Contest, '21; House of Representatives, '21; Commencement Program.

Frank Hill ✓ PEARL WIENDKELLER

The sunshine thru the clouds.

died 7-18-28 GLADYS WIESENDANGER
A merry spirited lady.

died 12-2-70 ← *Margaret Loan*
 WILLIAM WIDICK 6-2-34

I would not flinch, nor turn my head away.
 Thrift Club, '18; Class Baseball, '19, '20, '21.
 Class Basketball, '20; Football, second team, '21.

died 7-1-77 ← *1922 Jennie Wilson Beck*
died 8-19-80 Carl Beck

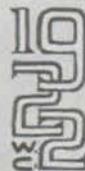
Her speech is the golden harvest that follows the flowering of thought.

G. A. A., '20, '21, '22; Oikos, '20, '21, '22; Poster Club, '22; Junior Art League, '22; Hike Club, '20, '21.

1924 *Howard Ashley*
 FRANCES E. WISE → *deceased*

And thou shall prove a shelter to thy friends.

Agora, '21, '22; Oikos, '21; Play-goers, '22.





IMOGENE WOLFE

My eyes have seen the rosy light of youth.
Girls' Council, '18, '19; House of Representatives, '20; Glee Club, '19, '20, '21, '22; Uke Club, '19, '20, '21; Junior Art League, '19, '20, '21; Agora, '21, '22; Decanois Staff, '22.

deceased Gas. & McAnulty - deceased
LOUISE WOOD 11-10-27

Her eyes as stars of twilight fair.
Arion, '20; Agora, '21, '22; G. A. A., '22; Hockey, '22; Observer Staff, '22; Glee Club, '22; "The Admirable Crichton."

allego drink June
ESTHER WREN 1926

The day's at the morn.

CHESTER WALKER - Hazel

A page to joy.
Rotaro, '20, '21, '22; Glee Club, '19, '20, '21, '22; Band, '21, '22.

INA WYCKOFF
Morrison Stinger - June
A soul, I might say, of windless calm.
Aristos, '21, '22; Observer staff, '21, '22.

H.H. Boly died 3-19-75
7-12-69
CHRISTINE ZIPSE - John Heemon
A maid so tender and so fair.

Science Club, '21; Oikos, '22; G. A. A., '22.

11-20-37 OTTO SUTTERER *Josephine Luns* 1963 deceased

died
Dared and done; at last I stand upon the summit.
12-9-37
Saleratorian; Forum, '21, '22.

HUGH MACDONALD

He occupied an admired place; a friend to his fellowmen.
"A Tailor-Made Man."

auth milest 1937
VINCENT MASON *died* 3-30-42
I pass through the world with a life purpose.

1925 x MARK SPIES *Mary Pies* 10-25-31
It's not a lonesome part of the road I follow.

DECAHOIS 1922

W. COHEN

NELLORA HOUGHTON

Feasting upon strange flowers, and following incalculable heights.

died 1960 Carl Sigman

RUTH SWARTHOUT

Pleasure and action make the hours seem short.

FLORENCE SPOONER

I can understand love or hate, but not indifference.

Junior Art League, '21; Poster Club, '20, '21.

DONALD FOSTER

I was brought to this isle by the wave of the sea.

The History of the Class of 1922

In the fall of 1918, a group of novices invaded the portals of D. H. S. Now every year there is this same invasion, but that fall was unusual; not because the number of invaders was any larger, but because they were bigger nuisances than any of the groups that had come before. At least, that is what the upperclassmen thought, for these same freshies had the nerve to stick themselves into the various societies and other school activities which the upperclassmen seemed to think belonged solely to them.

In the next year, some of that germinating greenness bore fruit. Athletes and authors were developed, and goodly number of our scholars won Deltas, showing that the old class had lost none of its snap and dash during the summer.

During their junior year, this bunch of erstwhile juveniles almost ran the school. They took places in the Review Story Contest and the Music Memory Contest; claimed the lead and several important parts in "Seven Keys to Baldpate," and won various places in the Millikin Interscholastic. Careful calculation shows that this remarkable class claimed just 40.00796% of the space of the 1921 Decanois.

But our last year has brought out the talent which was but hinted at during the previous three years. Athletes, orators, authors, and actors have bloomed from uncertain plants. Seniors took places in the Review Story Contest, and the lead and principle roles in "A Tailor-Made Man." All four prizes in the Music Memory Contest were taken by seniors, as well as every place on the Varsity debating teams. The class basketball team had a very successful year; although our football season left much to be desired, we are proud of the fact that our class claimed more than its share of fighters. Nor has the class neglected its social life; the junior dance of '20, and the junior-senior reception, and the senior dance of '21, are rated among the best functions of the high school.

Now, this group of students having completed the required work toward graduation, are leaving D. H. S. Some will go to college, some to work. But wherever they go or whatever they may become, the pleasant memories of the four years at D. H. S. with their bitter trials, and happy triumphs, and joyful friendships, will never be forgotten.

Chas. Blair
died Oscar Guichel
12/31/89
mar. 1925
died 1960
1924
died 8-10-58
married
2/24/86
married - 1941
McClalland
married
10-29
5-28-27
Donald Foster
married
1937
Smith
Tessaline

For The Seniors of '23

The long-expected time has come when we seniors are to leave the old school, which, for the past four years, has been the scene of all of our many trials and triumphs.

Many have been the times we have exclaimed, "Oh that we were only through high school, in college, or at work!" Now that the actual time has arrived, we pause; looking back over the past four years, we lose our impatience in the pleasant memory of our friendships; in the joy of our loyal efforts to keep D. H. S. on top. It is hard for us to go.

We remember our first plunge into high school life, and the awe with which we regarded the omnipotent senior. We smile sadly as we think of our passionate longings to become seniors; now that we have attained that state of bliss, we find its joy followed by as strong a longing to get out into the world, to touch shoulders with society, to feel the strength which comes of self-reliance.

Thus do we lay down our high school work; yet we are secure in the knowledge that the class of '23 will pick it up and carry on, with the same seriousness of purpose which has characterized our own efforts.

There is much to be done, juniors, and but little time to do it. There are numbered among you athletes, scholars, actors, musicians. Create new standards in scholarship; set up new records in athletics; take the lead in all of the school's activities; keep before you the records made by former classes, and cling steadfastly to your own code of action; so that in June, 1923, you can say to yourselves, "Something attempted, something done."



Seniors

In our old town of Decatur
Where two roadways cross each other,
Stands our own respected high school,
Revered and loved by all its students.

Shining over it, gleam traditions;
Records made by former classes,
Passed to us for preservation,
And fulfillment at our hands.

Their bequest have we accepted;
Carried on, with reverent feeling,
With all the best that we had in us,
The sacredness of their command.

Even as they went before us,
So must we take our leave now;
Out—to something bigger, finer—
Worthy of our strongest efforts;
Always striving, always working,
With our eyes fixed on our goal.

STANLEY VAILL, '22.



LELA WINEGARNER



HARRY ZIEGLER

The Ida K. Martin Contest

In 1920 a new contest was opened, by which Seniors might have another opportunity to demonstrate their ability as essay writers. This reward is, indeed, an honor worth seeking. Mrs. Ida K. Martin, a former student of the High School, wished to develop more fully the patriotism of the students. Patriotic essays are written, by the contestants, on a subject chosen each year by the English teachers.

Mr. Martin gave a thousand dollars to the school. The interest on this money is divided equally between the Senior girl and boy who are chosen by the judges as winners. These two students deliver their essays in one of the auditorium periods. Lela Winegarner and Harry Ziegler were the winners of the class of 1921. The patriotic qualities of these students have been proved by the services they have rendered to Decatur High School.

The class of 1922 gives its most hearty congratulations to the previous winners of this contest and also to those who will win in the future.



FRANK MUELLER



MARY FORAN

The Mary W. French Honors

An honor which is eagerly looked forward to, and one that stands above all others as a true reward of merit and of school citizenship is the Mary W. French honor. Miss French, a former member of the Decatur High School faculty, was one of the greatest factors in raising the ideals of our school. To keep these ideals uppermost in the minds of the students, and to give them something more worth while to work for, she has left a reward.

Miss French gave a thousand dollars to the school, the interest on which is given annually to two Seniors selected by the faculty who best fulfil the requirements set by Miss French. These students must have attended Decatur High School for at least two years. They must have good scholarship records, belong to a literary society, and show good school citizenship. The awards are thirty dollars to the Senior who ranks first and twenty dollars for second place.

The winners of the prize in the class of 1921 were Frank Mueller and Mary Foran.

The class of 1922 congratulates the winners of the past and of the future and hopes that these ideals will be faithfully upheld by the succeeding classes.

1922-1942

It was my good fortune to meet Dr. Albert Einstein the other day. That brilliant genius was very cordial, and invited me up to his room in the Cuddledorff-Wistaria. During the course of our conversation, I happened to mention that I had been delegated to write the prophesy for the class of 1922, D. H. S., and as yet, I had discovered no means of determining what the future was to hold for the members of that class. You may imagine my surprise and gratification when he informed me that he had so developed a certain secret formula that he was able to foretell the whole future history of the world. Moreover, he very kindly offered to work out for me the whole prognosis of future events which would in any way concern the members of our class.

He dispatched a bell-hop for lead pencils and paper. When these had arrived, he set to work. For the first few seconds I watched him, fascinated. X's, Y's, sines, variables, Greek letters, Nth powers, functions, coördinates, spread like wildfire and seemed to fairly leap up at me. For two hours the Professor never paused. By that time I was suffering from a very severe headache. I thought that I would step out a minute for a breath of fresh air when Dr. Einstein called to me to wait. This is what he told me:

“We must look with admiration upon the now famous editor of the American, Mark Ackerman, who wrote the following:

“ ‘I recall an incident which occurred when I was in high school. An idiotic joke editor published a joke about my pulling my wife's younger brother from under the davenport; I was only restrained from suing him by my wife.’ ”

The married life of Mrs. Vivian Elliot Lewis would be very happy were it not for Corwin's passion for musical comedies. This will be remedied easily enough, for Miss Maurine Golden, the leader of the society for the suppression of pipe-smoking, has promised to speak to him about it; one of Miss Golden's lectures should be sufficient.

An argument of increasing local interest has arisen between Attorney Otto Sutterer and Rev. J. B. Austin as to which has made the longer speech. Rev. Austin claims to have arisen at 1 A. M. to rehearse a sermon and talked until 6 P. M. The neighbors were not awakened until 1:12 A. M., however, and so his statement has never been verified.

Friday, February 4, 1942, the Shakespearian actors, Vaill and Redwitz, will present Romeo and Juliet. In a bare sketch of the play, Mr. Vaill stated that the second act offered great possibilities.

Bruso and Ditto have at last settled down. With Dr. Hastings as veterinary, they are training cobras to dance and do stunts to Mr. Ditto's Saxophone.

John Robbins, our learned author, editor, poet, etc., etc., has steadily risen in life until he is now press agent for the combined Ringling,

Barnum, and Bailey Circus. His "Ode to a Slimy Snake" has attracted nation-wide attention.

Our noted parliamentarian and statistician, Robert Taylor, has succeeded Mr. Van Praag as Commissioner of Streets. He promises a clean administration.

We were very much delighted with the returns of the recent presidential election, when we learned that our old class executive, Hon. P. Judge, formerly the Senator from Antioch, won easily from his nearest competitor, Col. MacGowan from Boody, by a huge majority. The Speaker of the House, Mr. Field, informs us that the count stood 21 to 20, in the Hon. Judge's favor. Breaking all precedent, the President appointed Miss Florence Pierson as third Assistant Secretary of War.

In the Who's Who of 1940, we find the following: McClelland, Royal, Chemist; famous for the discovery of a preparation which renders bobbed hair immune from rain. It is said that bobbed hair has again become all the rage, following McClelland's discovery.

We should be glad that our class has not turned out to be entirely academic. In the Misses March, Denny, and Nell, we have three thorough Bohemians. It is rumored that Miss Denny is at work upon the great American play, entitled "Frank Feernot's Peril." The material and copyrights were obtained from Miss Peg Liston, the reputed author of "Little Peggie's Notebook." Miss March does Cubist embroidery, and Miss Nell is the proprietor of one of Greenwich Village's most popular Spaghetti houses, The Pink Lizard.

We were quite shocked to hear that Messrs. Mills and Dando were arrested the other day, charged with being destructive to the codes of the community. It is said that they had patented a machine which would remove the splinters from wood alcohol.

On the site of the old Lincoln Square Theatre stands a magnificent edifice bearing the sign

SOPHISTICATED SENTIMENTALIZING THE FLAPPERS OF 1942

Dresback and Hill, Prop.

Miss Madge Hamilton and Miss Dorothy Odor, dramatic critics on the Herald and the Review respectively, declare that the only worthwhile act on the whole bill is Percy Michener and his wonder-dog, Mutt.

We notice that among the Six Best Sellers of 1942, selected by Miss Glea N. Bell, now with the New York Tribune, is listed "Helpful Hints to the Homely but Hopeful," by Robert Sink. It is said that it was by taking advantage of this book that Albert Goodman rose to the high place which he now occupies among the performers on the Silver Cloth.

The whole country is ringing with the exploits of Richard Head, crack advertising man for the Heinz Co. - Mr. Head's ads are said to

be marvels of persuasive oratory. It was at his suggestion that Mr. Heinz dropped his Fifty-seven varieties, and is now manufacturing Chili exclusively.

The firm of Ott, Olmstead and Co., manufacturers of”

Here Dr. Einstein exclaimed that he was too tired to go on, but gave me his formula and told me to figure it out for myself. I thanked him, took the paper, looked at it just once, and quit.

ROBERT SINK, '22.

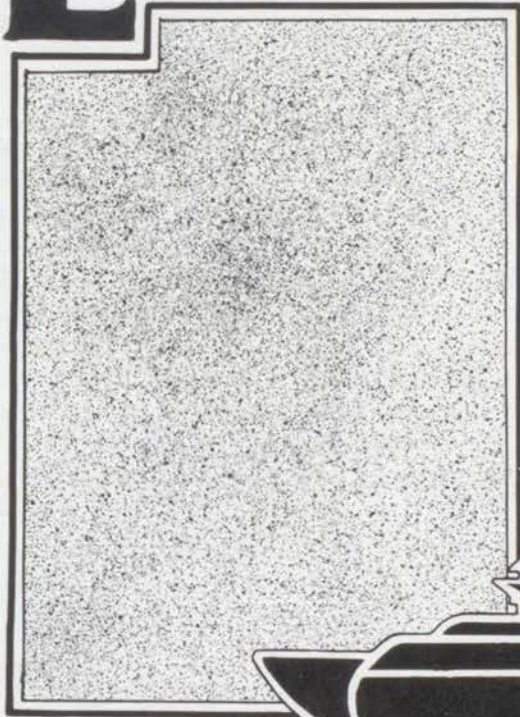
A Tree

Barren tree of winter,
Spring is here!
Now your bud children
Can creep out of their hovels;
They can unfold to us
Their story of beauty,
For wintry blasts are gone;
Spring is here!
So drink your earthly draught,
Drink sun and light.
Give your bud children a chance to grow
Into leaves full youthful.
With summer coming on
Let us have your song
Soft and low, song of Love—
The love of Mother Nature.

DAYLE KRETZINGER.



LITERARY



Wm Conley
1922



A Picture-esque Land

California has always been the land of my dreams. Ever since my childhood days I have heard nothing except praise for the land of the oranges. A perfect climate, lots of good fruits, and mild sea breezes. Who could desire anything more? And so when my opportunity came, I took it, and bought my ticket to the land of the Golden Gate.

Fronello was my destination. I do not know why I chose that place,—perhaps it was that I liked the name. And judging from the map, it was well located, being some seventy miles from San Francisco.

However that may be, I arrived in this little town of ten thousand in high spirits. At last I was realizing my rosier dreams, my highest aspirations; I inhaled the joyous air with an exuberance of spirit which seemed quite unusual to the natives, to judge by the way they all stared at me. Oh, not all of them, of course, but if you have ever travelled, you will understand that feeling of self-consciousness and self-importance when you go into a strange city. I was no exception.

But it wasn't the city I was interested in, it was the country. Oh, the beautiful expanses of those rolling hills, while away in the distance towered the lofty remains of earthly cataclysms that once were. To the left and right were the undulating expanses of verdured land, interspersed with shrubby thickets. "Here," I thought, "is the ideal place to live. Here one can die in contentment, and be glad to have lived. Here one can live in contentment and be glad that he has not died."

I unstrapped my camera which I had hung over my back and stepped forward a few paces to snap a superfine array of trees and undergrowth.

Suddenly the sound of running feet fell upon my ears, and almost simultaneously a woman rushed out into the open space. Although her hair was disheveled and her clothing torn, I could see that she was very beautiful. All of this I grasped in an instant, for in hot pursuit of her came a second figure, this one a man. He was dressed like these pictures you see of bandits, and he struggled heavily for breath. Suddenly he lunged forward quickly and grabbed the girl by the arm.

For a second the world reeled under me. A short, murderous stiletto was clinched in his upraised hand. I was rooted to the spot—unable to act. With a convulsive effort I threw off that horrible feeling, and dropping my camera, I was upon the ruffian in three steps.

He went down under a well-placed blow back of the ear, dropping the stiletto. I was gasping for breath. My blood was like fire. The girl, who had fallen to the ground, lay as if in a stupor.

Seeing no traces of blood on her, I supposed that she had fainted. Tenderly I bent over her to see if she was breathing. Thank God! Her breath came evenly, it seemed to me. I began to fan her. She opened her eyes and stared at me.

“Why did you—?” she broke off and looked past me. I glanced up.

Above me stood a little man excitedly waving his arms in an uncontrollable rage.

“You—you pig! You spoil that peecture—ze best I haf made thees year! You will pay me the damages! You will—”

But here I heard no more. The world again reeled under me, and I did not resist, but trailed off into such a relievable blackness. For with the little man’s word’s, I remembered that this was the land of moving pictures.

JOHN H. ROBBINS, '22.

Whys and Wherefores

You did not write a theme. The afternoon of the day before when you should have written that theme, you met a girl, possibly *THE* girl, who said something about liking Wallace Reid. Now it is a peculiar coincidence that Mr. Reid happens to be starring at one of the theatres; the result—you have not written that theme.

The next afternoon you go to see your dearly beloved instructor to evade that theme. But that isn’t what you tell her. Oh no. First you ask her if she knows anything about algebra, and of course she makes a negative reply—no teacher knows anything about any other subject except the one she teaches. After pretending to work your math for perhaps five minutes, you monkey around with the window-pole, trying to get up the courage to start the ball rolling.

Just about this time, your tutor suddenly discovers that you did not pass in that theme. Whys and wherefores are in order. You explain carefully just how you did not understand that you were to have a theme. In turn, you are shown just why you should have understood. You admit your error, and theoretically apologize for existing. Under the circumstances, your teacher can hardly give you a failure, nor, after explaining that you must be home early, can she require you to write a theme then. So you are given permission to write it and hand it in in the morning.

You write that theme and have it in on time. You think yourself clever; you are not; but you are persistent, or good-looking, or both!

ROBERT SCHAUB, '22.

Lockers

I have always held the thought that lockers were like people in the respect that they have moods and humors. I strongly believe that a locker, most especially one of the combination set, must be humored along; moreover, it should be treated with the same careful solicitation that is used for a piquant friendship.

No doubt you remember the first time you were handed the little white card which disclosed the combination and the names of former residents. You were told, "Your locker is your home; prove that you are a good housekeeper by keeping the locker in the best condition."

If my locker is not as orderly as it should be, the little compartment has a way of its own; as surely as I want some particular book, hurriedly and between classes, the locker, like a Nemesis, heaps down a punishment of old Literary Digests and scrap paper. One time which I clearly remember, I piled back papers and magazines feverishly, and tried to slam the door. A friendly ruler, sticking out as if to prolong the parting, allowed the papers to fall back upon the floor, and I realized that in order to appease the locker I must place the papers in fastidious order. Numerous incidents of this nature make me believe that the locker has a sense of pride, and wishes to maintain an integrity. These happenings have made me a reformer, and I now work to keep my locker as free from the stain of trash and the sin of deception as possible.

I believe that a locker has certain moods and humors that must be carefully watched. Since the time I rushed wildly up to its door, whirled the combination, and jerked several times, only to find that the combination didn't (as the teachers say) function properly, it has been my custom to approach it with an attitude of indifference and leisure, giving the little iron man the impression that I am in no hurry at all and do not care whether he responds or not. I have found that this is the only policy to pursue, for if the little demon ever suspects that you are in a hurry, it refuses to open, no matter how long or how thoughtfully you work the combination. On the other hand, if you work the proper numbers with your eyes shut, or in a half I-don't-care manner, the readiness with which it opens is amazing.

Another incident of which I am reminded is a time when locker and I were not on speaking terms. It had refused several times during the day to shut. I had become angered and forced to kick it shut a number of times. During the last rebuff it gave in and shut with fruitful ease. This is the first time I remember that I ever won a victory over my stubborn little book guardian.

Mr. Westlund: "I'm sure you all want to see the Faculty in action."

I trust my locker implicitly, and leave within its care during the day, books, coat, hat, and other treasures very valuable to me. At times, I believe that the friendship between my locker and I is very close. As I trust it with my valuables, it in turn guards them with its very enveloping and metallic life. I have watched the cousins of my friend, with their pad-lock mouths, hold tenaciously to the handles of their doors, and with bull-dog efforts, defy the attempts of the janitor to file his way into their interiors. This point is surely an asset in favor of the locker family. Although the combination lockers do not show this bull-doggedness, they use their brains, and in most cases outwit the person who is trying to enter.

I have sometimes fancied that I would like to hear the story my locker would tell if it could but talk. I wonder how the treatment which I have given it would compare with the treatment which it has received from its previous tenants. But then, to give up the secrets intrusted, and the confidences imparted, the locker would be giving away its only treasure; so maybe it is better that lockers cannot talk.

CORWIN LEWIS, '22.

322

Of all my vast and varied remembrances of D. H. S. the most poignant and acute is the memory of 322. Shall I ever forget my first glimpse of that solemn realm of the superior seniors? To me, a freshie, 322 stood for all that was most desirable and least attainable.

But as time went on, and I climbed slowly toward that promised land, seniorhood, my view of 322 gradually took on other lines, and distinctly different memories are now recalled to me. 322 became a study room where I loved to go to read my latest library book undisturbed by a guilty conscience that troubled me so that I could not read in class.

Finally, however, when I had grasped the unattainable, and was a full-fledged, dignified, senior, 322 became the home of the class of '22 to me. 322 was the place in which we transacted our business, argued over our motto, grabbed for our Observers, and gave awe-inspiring yells, lead by the silver-throated Hawver, whose flute-tones made pep irresistible.

After four years of acquaintanceship, the old room became a good friend to me, and as I look back upon D. H. S. my mind immediately reverts to that room of all rooms, 322.

DOROTHY BUTTS, '22.

The Hungry Serpent

It twists and writhes, past the trophy case, past Room D, and on up the long flight of stairs. Into the lunchroom it moves by jerks and glides, and there it is dismembered. Its various segments devour great quantities of food; then, joint by joint, they wander down the stairs again. Some, not satisfied with their repast, pounce upon the candy stand and gorge themselves thereon, for verily hath this serpent a sweet tooth. After this, the movements of this strange living thing can no longer be traced; for behold, it passeth through a mighty transformation. No longer is it a serpent; it has become many hundreds of "bookworms". So endeth its short life until another noon-day sun calls it into being.

VELDA MACGAVIC.

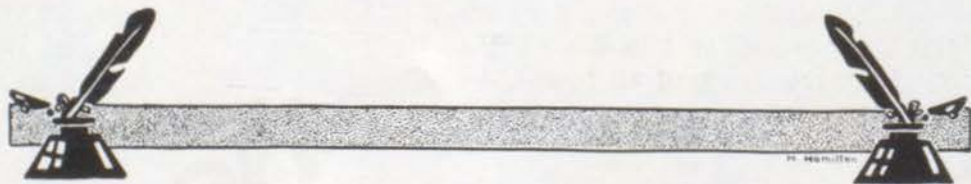
The Seventh Hour Bulletin

Everyone is drowsy, bored, half asleep. Occasionally some one rises and talks. Suddenly a sleepy-looking individual enters the room bearing a white slip of paper. Instantly everyone is alert. There is a feeling of suppressed excitement and eagerness. The class-wide inertia is gone. The teacher glances casually at the magic bulletin, looks around the class, gazes out the window, and takes a deep breath; cruel being! Doesn't he know that we are nearly dying to hear the latest school news? That small piece of paper has wonderfully stimulated the class. The suspense is uncomfortable. The class looks mutinous at the instructor's unsympathetic silence. Then he starts reading. Intense silence reigns among the students. On goes the teacher's even voice. The eager light fades out of the student's eyes. They slump down into their seats once more. The pre-bulletin state is in order.

"The band will practice in the auditorium ninth hour today."

MARGUERITE LISTON.

Miss R. Engle: "I prefer concentrated Fury."



ATHLETICS



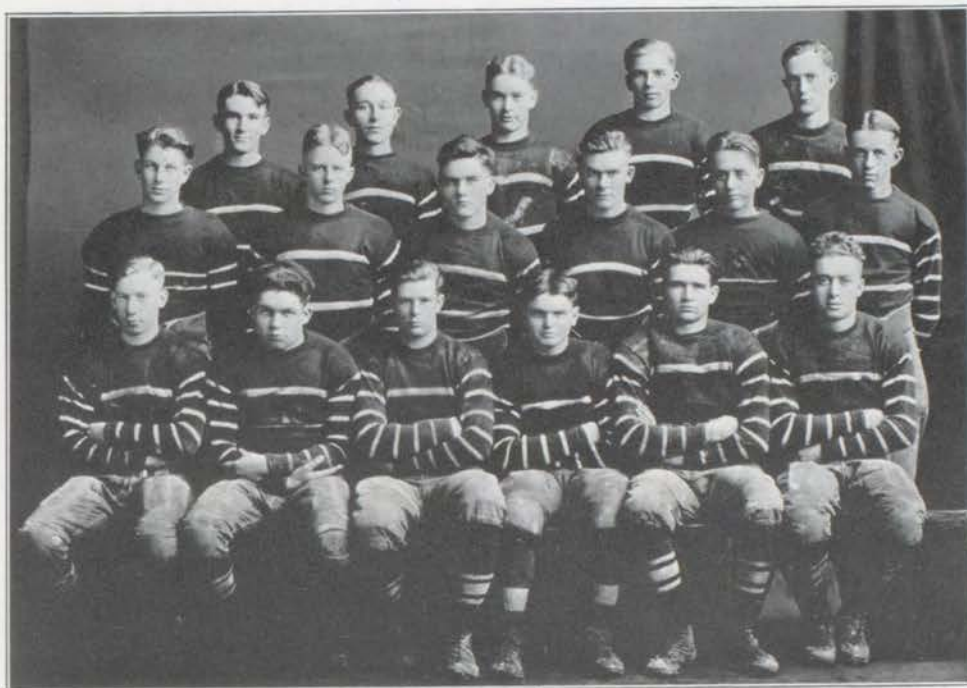
Wm Conley
1922





ATHLETIC BOARD OF CONTROL
Top Row—Sprunger, Muir, O. Bear, Martin.
Bottom Row—March, Cowger, Nell.

A good excuse is not built in a day.



Top Row—O'Connell, Shively, Lanum, Michener, Lewis.
 Middle Row—Denz, Murphy, Ackerman, Humble, Helphinstine, Adkins,
 Bottom Row—Goodman, Kile, (Capt.) Davis, Lehn, Burgess, Fields.

Football

Captain Kile and "Red" Goodman were the only two service men among the numerous candidates that reported at the first practice. However, assisted by Wayne Gill, Coach Muir set out to create a team.

The official season opened with a paddling by Taylorville, 14-6.

Mattoon welcomed us, but sent us back empty-handed. They took our measure for a total of fourteen points; but even in defeat, there was some compensation, for in this game, Decatur learned to fight, and fight hard.

The Urbana game probably furnished more thrills than any other game this season. Decatur nosed out her old rivals by the narrow margin of one goal after a touchdown—13-12.

Bloomington came, and held, 7-7. It was a hard fought game all the way through, both sides putting up a stubborn fight.

Peoria trounced us, 45-6. Decatur's only score came in the third quarter when her guards blocked two kicks in succession, the last of which, Fields fell on behind Peoria's goal.

Mr. Hubbart: "But look here! This is the thing—"

Shelbyville fell before the attack of our rejuvenated team, 47-0. During this game, the worst misfortune of the season befell Decatur, when Molenda was seriously injured, early in the third quarter, John was one of the hardest hitting backs on the team, and we surely missed him. The entire second team got into the game and proved their ability by scoring at will, and at the same time, holding Shelbyville scoreless.

The last game was with U High, and resulted in a decisive defeat, 32-14.

Thus ended the season, not very well, to be sure; and yet every team has its off years; next season, with nine letter men back, Coach Muir hopes to have a real D. H. S. team.

"D" Men

Fields	End	Goodman	End
Adkins	Guard	Lanum	Quarter
Burgess	Guard	Shively	Half
Lehn	Tackle	Molenda	Quarter
Helphenstine	Center	Humble	Half
Ackerman	Center	Murphy	Half
Davis	Tackle	Erickson	Full
Kile (Capt.)	Tackle	Lewis (Capt.-elect)	Full
Michenir	End		

'22 Letter Men

Shively	Adkins
Molenda	Lehn
Humble	Helphenstine
O'Connell	Kile
Lewis (Capt.)	Lanum

Music hath charms—if Sybil plays it.

Lest We Forget

“Charley” Fields, our hit-’em-hard end. If the field wasn’t broken Charley broke it. We’d sure like to see Charley back.

“Red” Goodman, Siamese twin to Charley, played the other end in the same slashing manner, besides acting as field captain in the absence of Kile. “Red” is surely going to be missed.

“Beauf” Burgess plugged a big hole in tackle. It’s just possible that Burgess may be back in uniform next year. We hope so.

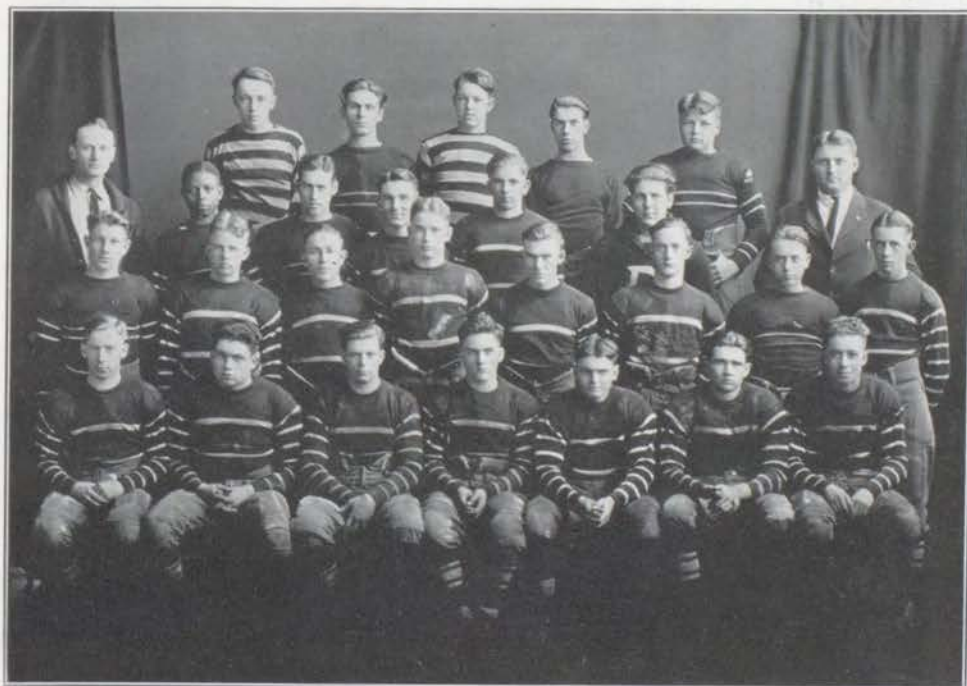
“Oley” Michener surely could put the old pep into his teammates. Too bad you don’t weigh more, Percy.

“Swede” Erickson was our best bet with the boot. Leonard was a gentle flower, but he surely could ram that line.

Art Murphy was the other Irish senior on the squad. “I’ll do my uttermost.”

“Butch” Davis, the big, slow, boy with the grin, completely filled his guard position in the same way as an elephant. When “Butch” wasn’t sleeping, he was playing football. And when he played football,—M-m-m Boy!

“Nourishment,” as the boys called Ackerman, took up the pivot position from guard when Helphenstine went sick. For a man with no experience at center, he surely handled the ball well.



FOOTBALL SQUAD 1921

Top Row—Cowger, Burchell, Gleason, Muir (Coach).
 Second Row—Gill (Asst. Coach), Valentine, Perry, O’Connell, Michener, Johnson.
 Third Row—Denz, Murphy, Shively, Lanum, Humble, Lewis, Helphenstine, Adkins.
 Fourth Row—Goodman, Kile, Davis, Ackerman, Lehn, Burgess, Fields.



BASKET-BALL SQUAD 1921-22

Top Row—Muir (Coach), Logan, Sternberg, Fields, White, Perry, Rattan, Lipe.
Bottom Row—Mahan, Molenda, Francis, Veech, Cowger (Capt.), Offenstine, Humble, Reese.

Basketball

The career of Decatur's basketball team this year resembled the rapid rise and fall of a new comet. Starting with a defeat, we won, lost again, and then won in succession from Urbana, 33-14, Lincoln, 32-12, Danville, 29-17, until we reached the zenith of our success by defeating Springfield 22-20.

Our star did not set with this game, however, for we humbled Danville again, 19-18, and also Lincoln, 40-14, before Springfield obscured its light for a moment by a defeat, 17-24. Nevertheless, the clouds rolled by, and Clinton was defeated 20-19. Urbana won the game for us 22-21, when one of her men tossed the ball through Decatur's basket for our last goal.

The Springfield game on our rival's floor was the fastest and cleanest game of the season. The lead see-sawed from one team to another, for a time, with both teams fighting like demons. Then Decatur swept into the lead and finished the half with the score 20-12. In the second period, Springfield came back, and holding Decatur scoreless, crept up and tied the score. Then, with a minute to go, Humble took the ball on the tip-off, and swinging around, flipped the ball to Cowger, who dropped it through the hoop for the game.

Even the later defeat by Springfield did not take away the joy of this victory, for we still know that we can beat them.

Next year, the coach will have more experienced men to pick from, and with the support of the whole student body there is no reason why we should not have a championship team.

Basketball Letter-men

COWGER (Capt.)	Forward
FIELDS	Forward-Center
MAHAN	Forward
MOLENDIA	Forward
FRANCIS	Center
HUMBLE	Forward
ERICKSON	Guard
VEECH	Guard
OFFENSTEIN	Guard

Lest We Forget

Basketball

Carroll Cowger, this year's captain, lead the team from a forward position. His ability to score from the foul line won a good many games for us.

Charley Fields was one of the hardest fighting forwards Decatur ever had. There is going to be a big gap in that position next year.

"Swede" Erickson was a smooth performer with the ball, and a mighty hard man to get around. When he had an eye on a man, that man surely had a hard time to get a shot.

"Bones" Veech was a fit running mate for the versatile Erickson. Lewis never said much, but the opposing forwards always knew he was there.

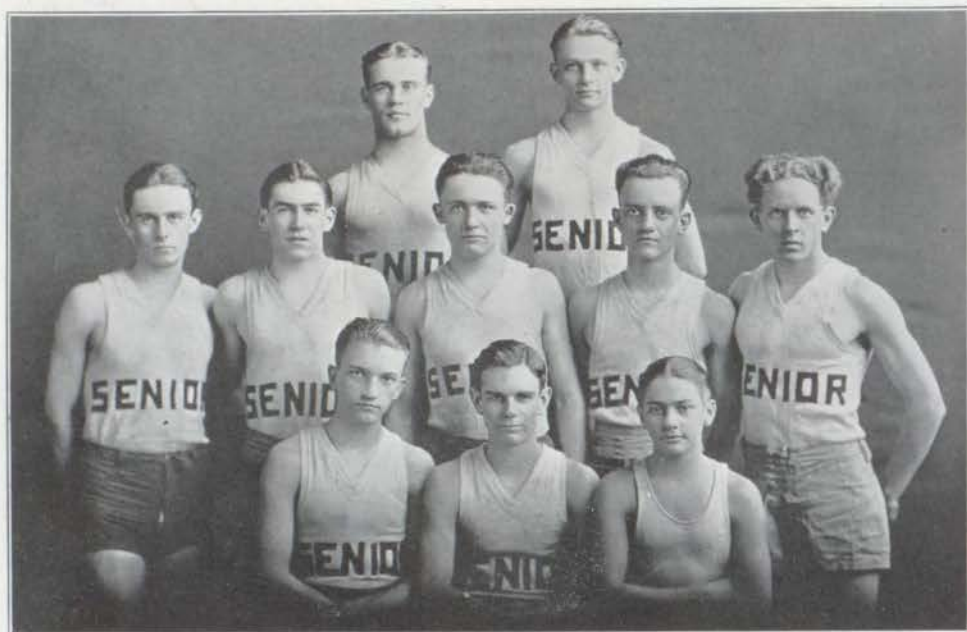
"Hum" Humble, our diminutive forward, hung up more baskets than any other man on the squad. It was his good teamwork that helped mightily in the Springfield game.

'22-'23 Men

FRANCIS (Capt.)	Forward-Center
MAHAN	Forward
MOLENDIA	Forward
PERRY	Forward
WHITE	Center
OFFENSTINE	Guard
HARROLD	Center

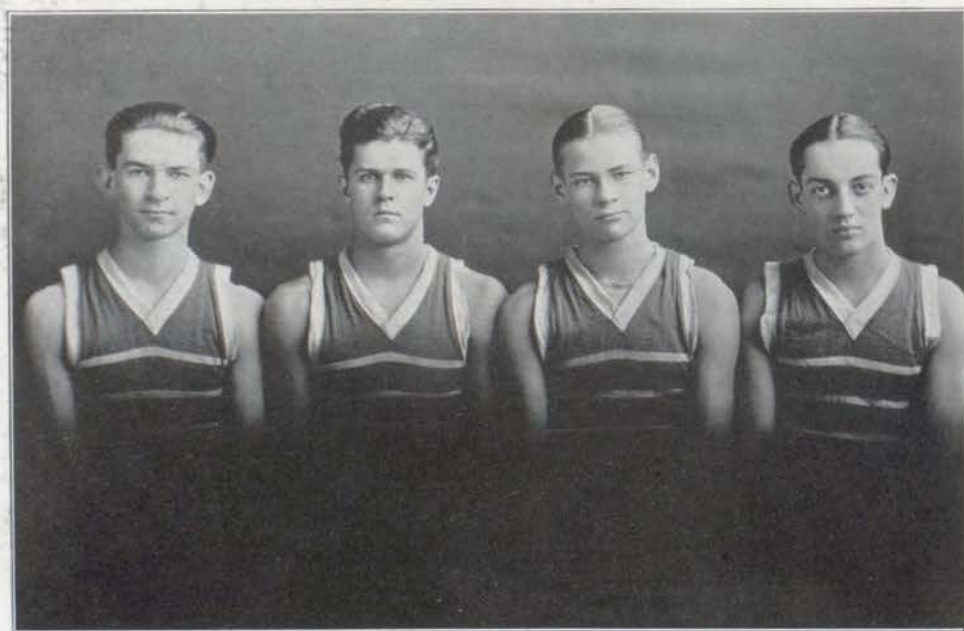
The study hall in time, saves ninth hour.

Boys' Class Basket-ball



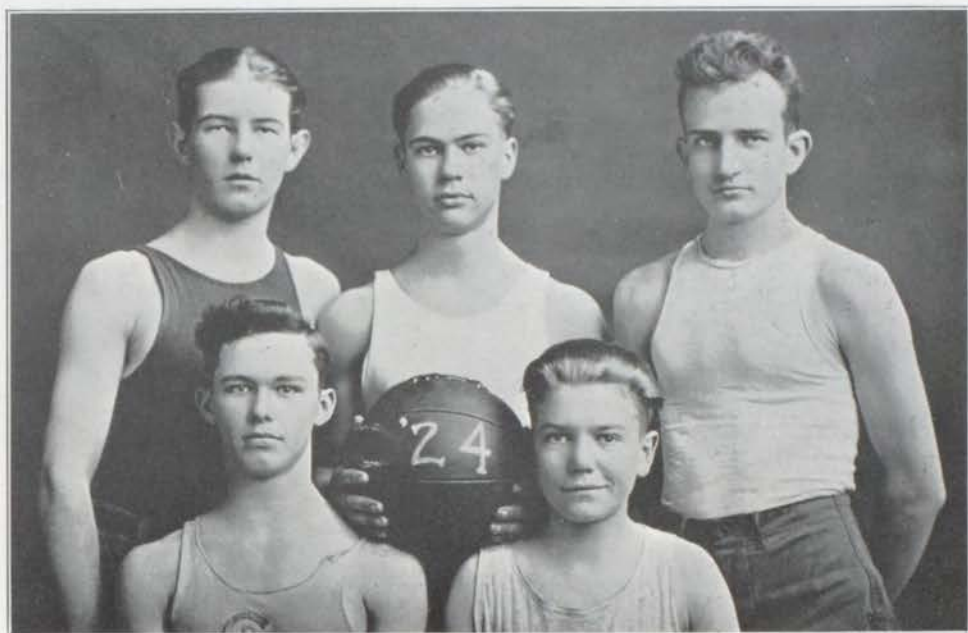
SENIORS

Top Row—Byers, Head.
Middle Row—Carswell, Stearns, Jeness, Veech, Scott
Bottom Row—Sternberg, Reese, Lewis.



JUNIORS

Foran, Rattan, Harrold, Myers.



SOPHOMORES

Top Row—Sawyer, Offenstein, Austin.
Bottom Row—Summers, Stearns.



FRESHMEN

Top Row—Humiston, Miller, McClelland.
Bottom Row—Jones, Paisley.

The Girls' Athletic Association

When Miss Bessire left in September, the girls of the school suffered a great loss. Aside from being one of the best physical instructors the school has ever had, she was a true friend to every girl.

The Hockey tournament which Miss Bessire had planned was delayed by her departure. Under Miss Richeson, however, it was played off in a very lively series of games. The seniors, with Margaret March as captain, won the championship from Helen Hay's juniors.

In the following G. A. A. meetings Miss Richeson helped the girls plan a basketball tournament. Various sports were discussed. Indoor baseball, tennis, track, and hikes were to be taken up this spring.

The new officers of the G. A. A. this year are:

<i>President</i>	MAXINE NELL
<i>Vice President</i>	HELEN HAYS
<i>Secretary</i>	HORTENSE OTT
<i>Treasurer</i>	DOROTHY ODOR

Girls' Basketball



SENIORS

Richeson (Coach), Erwin, Nickey, March, Halpin, Dempsey, Denny, Crossland, Ott, Cantrall.

I have a rendezvous with Deam.



JUNIORS

Crabb, Graham, Lycan, (Coach), Shields, Hays, Lamb, Lancaster, Housum.



SOPHOMORES

Palmer
Nolan, Morthland, Hartmann, Higman, Fleck, Erickson, Phillipps, Tait, Sullivan, Rich.



FRESHMEN

Cook, Shoemaker, Pluck, Marshall, Bramblett, Denise, Owen, Rosen.



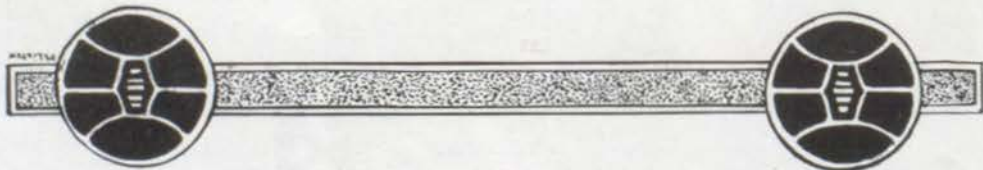
E. Finberg

GIRLS' HOCKEY TEAMS

Top Row—Freshmen.
Second Row—Sophomores.

Third Row—Juniors.
Fourth Row—Seniors.

There's nothing right or wrong, but teachers make it so.



SOCIETIES

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Wm Conlon
1922

Agora

Another year has been added to the history of the successful career of Agora. Over twenty years ago, Agora was established for the purpose of getting all the knowledge possible for its members from the study of the best literature. It has always lived up to its purpose.

During the past year the society has engaged in many activities. Perhaps the most interesting was the inter-society debate. Although debating is somewhat of a digression from literature, still, when challenged, we had to accept, and the girls were glad that we did; Agora defeated each of the other societies.

A definite course of study, outlined by our advisor, Mrs. Nelson, has been followed throughout the year. Although we were somewhat interrupted by the debate, it has been carried out successfully. The course was based on the study of drama and the modern short story. *The Land of Heart's Desire*, by Yeats, and *The Blue-Bird*, by Maeterlinck, were read.

At Christmas time, Agora, uniting with Aristos, aided greatly in the drive for the sale of the Red Cross seals.

The ambition of Agora is "to hold the torch high", and she means to do so.



Top Row—Drennen, Coles, Butts, Proctor, Helphenstine, Lowe, Tucker, Wise.
 Second Row—Hartmann, Busch, Clayton, Clipston, Neeld, Bopp, Grethe, Crossland, Michener.
 Third Row—Wolfe, Hambrighton, Halpin, Denny, Heffernan, Redwitz, Daniels,
 Wilson, Johnson, Augustine.
 Bottom Row—Frost, Abel, Oder, Regan, Wood, Mason, Adams, Graham.

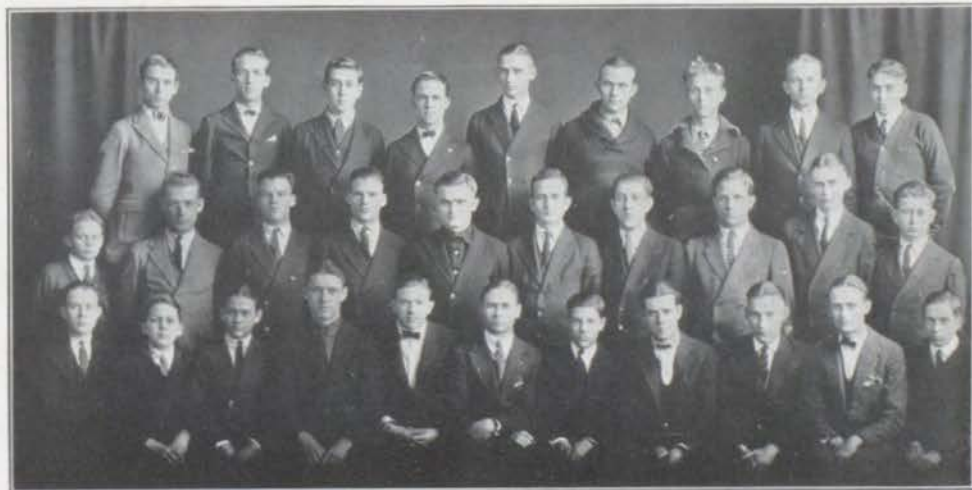
Forum

Forum members congratulate themselves that they have enjoyed another successful year under the capable leadership of Mr. Hubbart.

The society found itself in an unusual predicament at the beginning of this year, twenty out of twenty-one members being seniors. This situation was soon remedied, however, by the eagerness of many underclassmen to be admitted into Forum. She now has a goodly number of members who will remain to carry on the work through the coming year.

Debating has played a large part in Forum's activities this year. A series of inter-society debates were held at her suggestion. It also happened that Forum's representation on the Varsity debating team was greater than that of any other society. She also took the initiative in the drive for the sale of the Red Cross Christmas seals. Besides these outside activities, Forum has had her weekly programs regularly, from which her members have derived much benefit.

We who graduate, wish you who remain, every success in holding high the standards of Forum.



Top Row—Coles, Six, Dando, Brusio, Alexander, Robbins, Cable, Austin, Blowitz.
 Middle Row—Hanson, Brown, H. Shaw, L. Shaw, Bramblett, H. Austin, Davenport, Schaub, Sink, Mills.
 Bottom Row—Vick, Jenkins, Lewis, Ditto, Sheffler, Hastings, Bear, Vaill (Pres.),
 Sutterer, Bohon, Santonam.

Aristos

When Aristos convened in September, it seemed as though the society was composed entirely of officers, but owing to the efficiency of the membership committee, many new members were soon admitted.

Under the supervision of our advisor, Miss Yoder, and with the careful preparation by the members, the miscellaneous programs have been very entertaining and instructive.

Aristos has played an important part in the school's activities. Its members have worked very successfully on the debates and school plays which have been presented during the school year.

Much of the success of Aristos is due to the competent officers, and to the co-operation of the members, more than half of whom will graduate this year. But to those of you who will remain to fill our places, we wish every success.



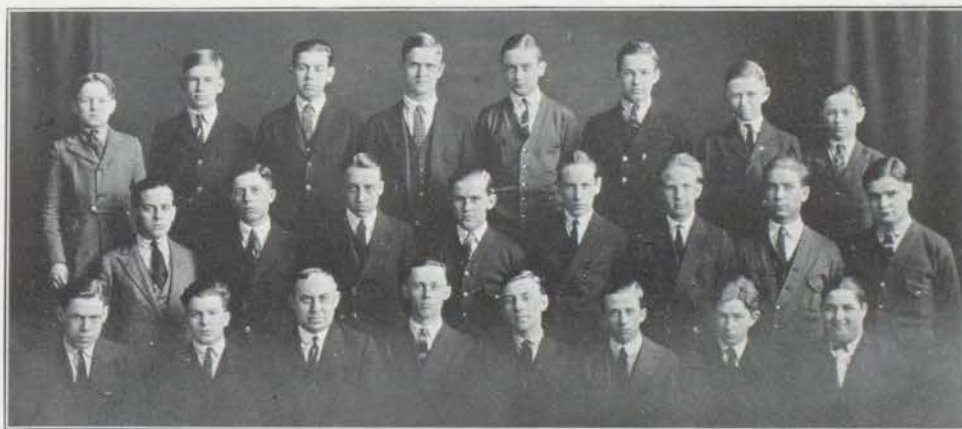
Top Row—Waltz, Heinz, Bell, Davidson, C. Waltz, Shaw, Walden, Brunner.
 Middle Row—Sloan, Morthland, Bone, Melton, Evans, Schleiser, Cooper, Shaw, Harris.
 Bottom Row—Camp, Anderson, Connard, Ackerman, Hugenburg (Pres.), Denise, Bass, Fribourg.

Rotaro

Under the competent leadership of Mr. Nordman, the Rotaro Literary Society has this year enjoyed its most successful meetings. From a nucleus of ten members, Rotaro has grown to be one of the largest organizations of the school. The programs have been of the highest type, and have been prepared unusually well.

The purpose of Rotaro is to develop the art of public speaking in its members, and to teach the fundamentals of parliamentary procedure. This purpose has been fulfilled to a great extent during the past year. The climax of Rotaro's success came when she defeated Forum in the inter-society debate. The society also placed men on the Varsity debating team.

Rotaro has been fortunate in having an efficient administration throughout the year. Robert Taylor, as president for the first semester, and Royal McClelland, his successor, proved themselves worthy of the chair. Of course, Rotaro will be unfortunate in losing some of its strongest members through graduation, but with the under-classmen that are already members, and those to be taken in next year, she will not lose her high position among the family of societies.



Top Row—Henderson, Parrish, Clark, Wayne, Banta, White, Pritchett, Pygman.
 Middle Row—Eaton, Witt, Mesnard, English, Hill, Johnson, Goodwin, Rothfuss.
 Bottom Row—Witzman, Taylor, Nordman (Advisor), McClelland (Pres.), Evans,
 Dresback, Danzeizen, Walker.

Arion

M. J. L. writes:

“My daughter, a freshman in the Decatur high school, wishes to join the Arion Literary Society. Do you consider this advisable? She is a very timid girl.”

By all means advise your daughter to join Arion. Her experience on the programs will quickly help her to overcome her timidity. During the past year, Arion's programs have been on miscellaneous subjects, one of the most interesting being on Edgar Guest. Moreover, membership in this society brings one in contact with girls who are careful to keep up their scholarship records. Your daughter will also enjoy the social life of Arion.

The enclosed picture will give you an idea of the type of girls your daughter will meet in Arion.



Top Row—Buxton, Denise, Heinz, Ambuel, Hugenburger, Whickline, Connelly, Higman.
 Middle Row—Litz, Pease, Newell, Ott, Heinz, Erickson, Morthland, Cranston, March, Keyes.
 Bottom Row—Tucker, Porter, Stuckey, Reeves, Stewert, Mills, Marsh, Philipps, McKelrath, Benton.

Mask and Wig

Mask and Wig has been especially active this year. Its aim has always been to present the best type of drama. *The Florist's Shop*, a delightful one act comedy, was presented during an auditorium period, as was *'Op 'o Me Thumb*, which was also greatly enjoyed. *The Play-goers*, by Pinero, was given before the Parent-Teachers' Association.

The height of success of the year was reached in the presentation of *The Tailor-Made Man*, written by Smith and Cohan. This was appreciated by two capacity houses.

Interesting programs on drama and the theatre are prepared for each meeting of Mask and Wig. It is felt that, under the competent supervision of our advisor, Miss Thomas, every member derives much pleasure as well as benefit from Mask and Wig. We hope that each year will increase the value of Mask and Wig to the students and to the school.



Top Row—R. Ackerman, M. Ackerman, Schaub, Golden.
 Bottom Row—Connard, Vaill, Taylor (Pres), Anderson.

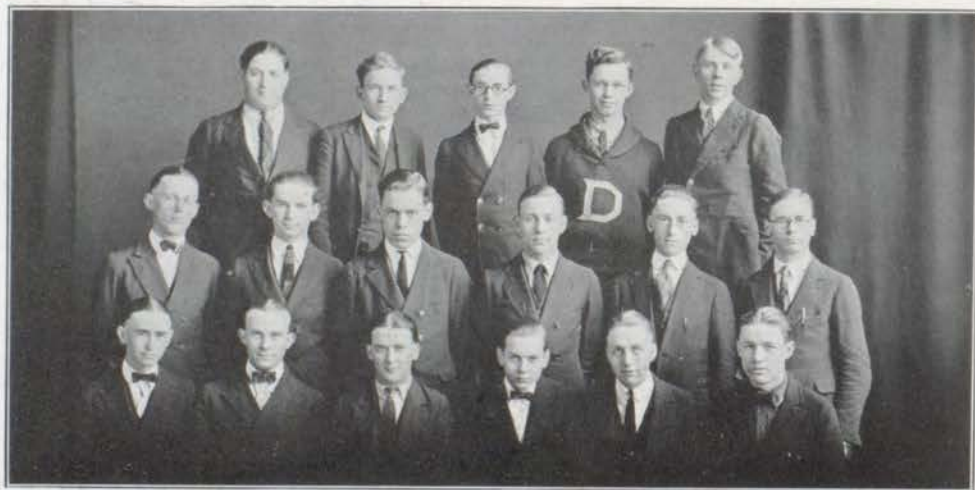
The Boys' Glee Club

The Boys' Glee Club has been enjoying a successful year under the direction of Miss Louise Bear. They have been received several times in the auditorium with a very warm welcome. They have also appeared many times on the program for the Parent-Teachers' Association.

The value to be gained from membership in this club can scarcely be overestimated. The knowledge one gains of good music is invaluable, and repays many times over the time and effort put forth.

Although several of the best singers of the club will graduate, it should be remembered that the club does not. It will need new members next year, and it is up to the under-classmen to furnish them.

We feel certain that there is a great deal of latent talent in the classes of '23 and '24.



Top Row—Walker, Crane, Williams, Summer, Townsend.
 Middle Row—McClelland, Foran, Witzman, Evans, Eckert, Hastings.
 Bottom Row—Barnes, Robbins, Brown, Sharp, Newlin, Ditto.

The Girls' Glee Club

The club started out with very good material this year, and by hard and faithful work, held its standard high. The club is made up of forty voices selected from the junior and senior girls.

The club appeared frequently before the high school assemblies, and occasionally before public audiences. The two Glee Clubs combined to give a splendid Christmas cantata. Each time that the club appeared, it was given an enthusiastic welcome.

Through the instruction of Miss Louise Bear, our advisor and director, our club has accomplished its aims.



Top Row—March, Orey, Brosseau, Ricketts, McClelland, Henry, Clark, Hatch, Shaw, Barnhart.
 Middle Row—Butts, Sanders, Denny, Morthland, Michener, Denise, Bell, Daniels,
 Ryman, Schleiser, Walden.
 Bottom Row—Regan, Nickey, Ashenfelter, Clipston, Cox, Ott, Frost, Blaugh, Grethe, Ray.

The Orchestra

The Orchestra is among the most important organizations in the high school. Its object is to give the students an opportunity to do ensemble work. The music played is always of the highest character, and the organization renders the music to the best of its ability.

A few of the numbers which have been given in public with great success are: *Consecration*, Keler Bela; *The Feast of the Lanterns*, Bennett; *Springtime*, Atherton; *Faust*, Gounod, and a great many others.

The Orchestra played three numbers on the programs for the Music Memory Contest, which was one of the most important concerts of the year. It also played for the Teachers' Institute, for Mask and Wig performances, and for the assemblies of the student body.

The success of the Orchestra is due for the most part to the patient efforts of its director, Miss Louise Bear. It is hoped that the Orchestra will grow, both in size, and in ability. There is no reason why D. H. S. should not have one of the best orchestras in the state; even now, it is well on its way to that coveted position.



Top Row—Little, Burstein, Lowe, Evans, Pease, Jenness, Bunch, Scurlock, Ryman.
 Bottom Row—Paisley, Steiner, Crinnigan, Whickline, Robbins, Snyder, Edie, Blickley, Ryan.

The Junior Art League

The work of the Junior Art League has been made very interesting by the supervision of Mrs. Meyer. General meetings were held in the art room, and at the Art Institute. Most of our programs were concerned with interior decorations and costume designing.

One of the most interesting features of the year was a meeting held at the Art Institute. At this meeting we saw several paintings by Roy Brown, the renowned Decatur artist. We also had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Brown speak, and in this way, careful studies of the paintings were made.



Top Row—Chism, Johnson, Morris, Snyder.
 Middle Row—Roberson, Wilson, Cooper, Ott, Nottleman.
 Bottom Row—McClelland, McGuire, Conlon, Scranton, Myers.

Science Club

Although hindered this year by a late start, the Science Club has increased greatly in numbers, and at its third milestone, finds that it has finished a very successful year.

Mr. Westlund took Mr. Radcliffe's place as advisor, and under his direction, the club has equaled its last year's record for work. Many successful programs have been given, including a series of studies of Carbon and its compounds. Topics of interest in the scientific world have also been discussed, and an effort has been made to learn as much as possible of scientific principles.

The purpose of the Science Club is to hold the interest of the students who have inclinations toward science, and to give them an opportunity to extend their studies in this field.

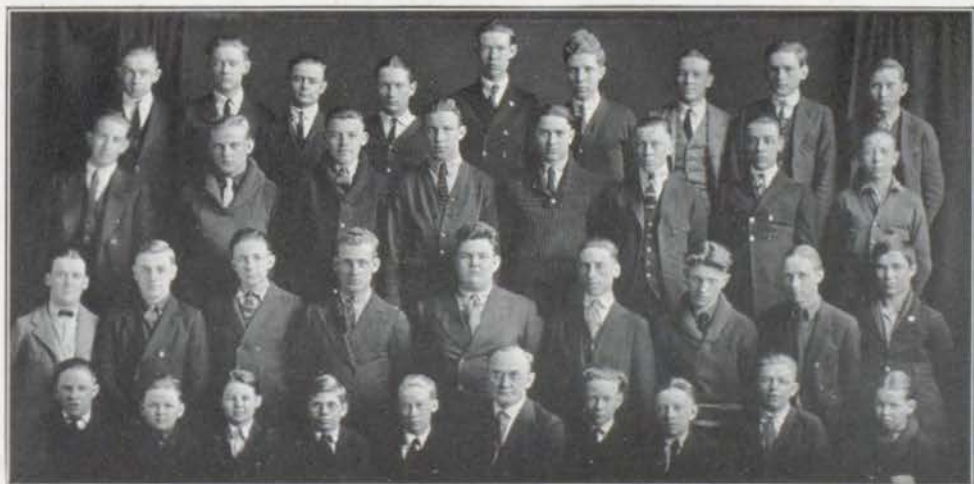


Top Row—Clark, Swarm, Davenport, Cooper, Eaton, Etherton, Jokisch, Dando, Cable.
 Middle Row—Lupton, McGavic, Alexander, H. Shaw, Brame, Wolfe, L. Shaw.
 Bottom Row—Mills, Sheffler, Heffernan, Weber, Westlund (Advisor), Lewis (Pres),
 Ryder, Santonam.

The Agricultural Club

The "Ag" Club is composed of students studying agriculture and related sciences. Its purpose is to bring about better co-operation between the students in the agriculture courses, and to emphasize the value of improving farm methods.

The club is favored with an excellent personnel of fifty members. They meet once a month. This is the second year for the club, and a vast improvement over last year can be noticed.



Top Row—Mason, Carr, Leonard, Gulick, Clayton, Evans, Robbins, Peverly, McDermitt.
 Second Row—Kater, Mintler, Bowman, Eller, Buscher, Brame, Kennedy.
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 Third Row—T. Brown, Stoughtenborough, Blazer, H. Brown, Seeger, Eckert, Hopkins, Davis, Burroughs.
 Bottom Row—Maddos, Shutter, Penwell, Cuoy, Pierce, Leukel (Advisor), Thornell, Johnson, Peiniwell.

Oikos

Oikos has known another prosperous and busy year. When this society was formed several years ago, the aim was to benefit the girls in home economics. During the past year, the girls have kept this purpose constantly before them, but they have also emphasized other aims. It can truly be said that Oikos encourages in every possible way the best standards in the school. One of the requirements for admittance into this society is good scholarship.

The meetings are held once a week. After the regular business is finished, programs are given. Under the efficient leadership of our adviser, Miss Murphy, the programs have been very interesting and valuable. One of our studies has been of oriental rugs. Before Christmas, the girls made aprons for the children at the Day Nursery. These varied interests make Oikos especially helpful to its members.



Top Row—Curl, Roberson, Kile, Ramsey, White, McClelland.
Middle Row—Collins, Lambert, Ails, Barth, Wilson, Grethe, Heinz, Seeforth.
Bottom Row—Waltz, Shaw, Clipstone, Grothe, Neeld, Daniels, Glasgow.

The Observer Staff

To the uninitiated, the work of editing a high school magazine might seem to be uninteresting, but such is not the case. Although there is a great deal of hard work for the staff, it does not seem hard because it is so engrossing.

The staff of this year has been unusually good. It is made up of those who write well, and those who take an active part in school life. At no time has the staff failed to get out an issue on time. This shows that the mainstay of the organization is co-operation. Yet, if it had not been for the timely advice and help of the staff advisors, our little literary ship might have run aground months ago. Advisors, we appreciate your help.

We look forward with interest to the staff of '23.



Top Row—Michener, Roberson, Schaub, Wood, Conlon, Cable.
Bottom Row—Sink, Johnson, Robbins (Ed.), Redwitz, Austin.

Debate

This past year has seen the renewal of a form of activity that was formerly Decatur's main stock-in-trade. Mr. Hubbard was responsible for the organization of the teams, and he lined up some interesting debates.

The first debate scheduled was with Gibson City, dated for December 23. After a great deal of trying-out, John Robbins, John Ditto, Denise Hugenburger, Royal McClelland, Edwin Jokisch, and Gertrude Redwitz were picked to argue for Decatur, on the question "Resolved: that all immigration into the United States be prohibited for a period of five years."

Our affirmative four, consisting of Robbins, McClelland, and Hugenburger, with Davenport as alternate, worked mightily, and drew a unanimous decision from the judges. The negative team, however, was not so fortunate and was beaten 2 to 1. Ditto, Jokisch, and Redwitz, with Heffernan as alternate, made the trip to Gibson City.

The same two teams debated the same question with University High on January 13, and drew two 2 to 1 decisions.

The last debate on the schedule was a triple debate. Due to the fact that the senior play interfered with the old two teams, new try-outs were held. The teams picked were: negative, Otto Sutterer, Cyril Hastings, and J. B. Austin; affirmative, Mary Heffernan, Frank Sheffler, and Robert Wayne. The negative team went to Pontiac where it was defeated 0 to 3. The affirmative team debated University High and was also defeated 0 to 3. The question debated was "Resolved: that the federal government own and operate the coal mines."

It is hoped that the impetus given this year to debate will carry over into next year so that Decatur will again attain the high position that she once held in this line.



Top Row—Jokisch, McClelland, Robbins, Davenport, Hastings, Sutterer, Sheffler, Wayne.
Bottom Row—Redwitz, Hubbard (Coach), Austin, Hugenburger, Heffernan.

Poster Club

The Poster Club, organized in the high school in 1918, has proved an essential factor in the artistic life of the school. This club makes posters for the various activities, current movements, and drives.

The art of poster making and lettering are studied in the club meetings. All exhibits at the Art Institute are visited by the society.

The club meets regularly on the first and third Wednesdays of each month during the academic year. The work of this club has always proved eminently successful.

Orpheus

Orpheus is the musical society of the high school. To be a member, the student must have an interest in music, and give an evidence of this interest.

A program is given by the students once a month. From time to time, the Conservatory and the Decatur Musical College send talented pupils and teachers to appear before the club. This outside talent adds much to our programs. However, the main object of this club is to give the students an opportunity to appear before the public.

Our subject for the past year has been the Opera. The members have made very thorough preparation for the programs, and the work has been extremely interesting. It is hoped that under the leadership of our advisor, Miss Louise Bear, the following years will be as helpful and interesting as has been this last year.

Mighty seniors from little freshmen grow.

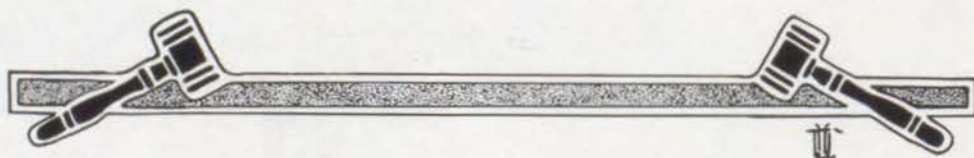
The Band

After a year of inactivity, the band was again organized. Decatur High never seemed to have much success with a band, due probably to the fact that it was not under faculty supervision, and that the players received no credit for their work.

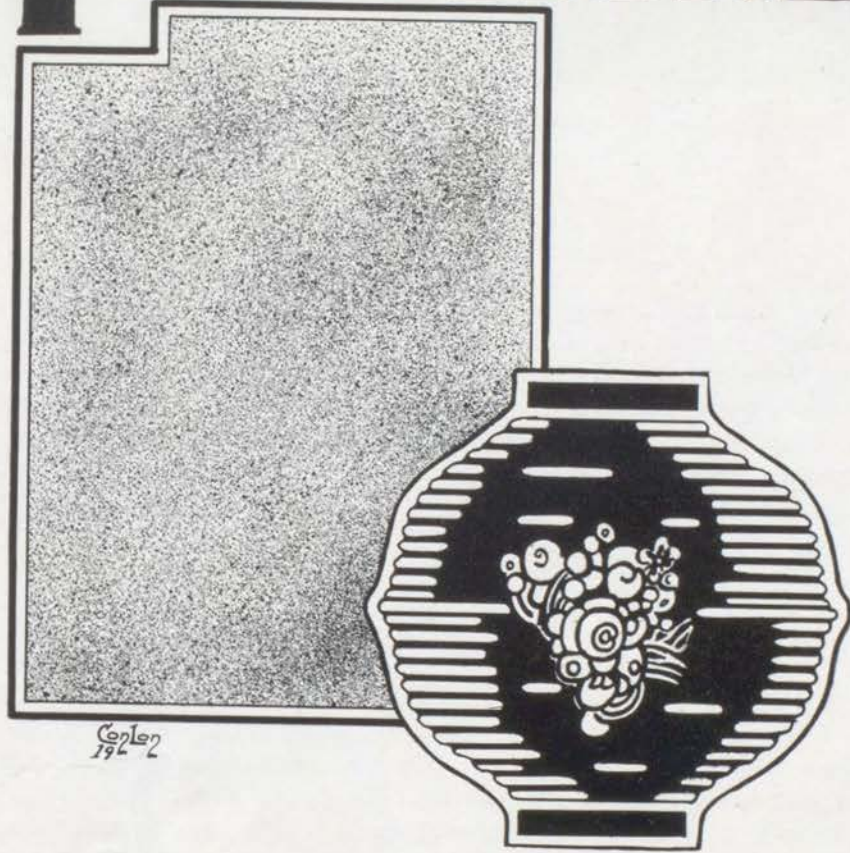
Benefited by the experience of previous attempts, the band was organized this year along an altogether different plan. The first thing done, was the securing of an efficient band leader. A faculty advisor was then appointed, and credit was given for the proper amount of work. Rehearsals were held twice a week, and even at so early a date, the band promises to develop into one of the best of the high school bands.

Too much cannot be said of the work of Prof. Walters, to whose efforts the success of the band is largely due. Mr. Heinle, our advisor, has also done a great deal. The band has proved itself to be a distinct asset to the school, and the students have every reason to feel proud of it.

Miss O. Bear: "And you young people can't afford to do that!"



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The Music Memory Contest

The Music Memory Contest is a recent feature in high school activities. It was established two years ago with the purpose to acquaint the student body with the best music. Fifty selections of the better known composers were chosen for presentation to the students competing in the contest. Many opportunities were offered the competitors to hear these selections. Special programs were given in the auditorium; besides this, the player piano and the victrola were accessible to the students.

From a preliminary contest, there were seventy-five who qualified for the finals. The large number of students successful in the preliminary trials showed that a lively interest was taken.

The final contest was held December 9. The numbers were given by the best of Decatur's musical talent. The winners were: Annabelle Dey, first; Edna Ashenfelter, second; Stanley Vaill, third. The prizes were ten, five and three dollars respectively. There were also ten one dollar prizes.

Miss Louise Bear was responsible in a large measure for the success of this contest. It was at her suggestion that it was first adopted in 1920.

It is hoped that this new activity will continue, and that even greater interest in it will be shown.

A dream, an F, a conference!



Tabor, Ackerman, Higman, Austin

The Review Story Contest

The twenty-sixth annual prize story contest of the Decatur Review was most unusual inasmuch as the first prize was awarded to a sophomore, Miss Josephine Higman; the second prize to a junior, Miss Ruth Ackerman; the third prize to a senior, J. B. Austin; and the fourth prize to a post-graduate, Miss Sydney Tabor.

The prize stories were short, simple, narratives, written in good style. The purpose of this annual contest is to encourage the use of correct English and to give the students a chance to develop their literary talent. Many of the names on the honor role were those of underclassmen, a fact which indicates that there will be a keen competition of experienced writers in the next contest.

A singular feature of the contest was the fact that a special prize was offered to any prize winner this year who had won a prize in former years. This prize was taken by the senior prize-winner. The judges of this year's contest were: Lelah Belle Davis, Mrs. Forrest File, and Rev. D. C. Beatty.

On a rainy day:—

*Bobbed hair, bobbed hair everywhere,
And not a one in curl!*

A Tailor-Made Man

On January 6, 1922, the Mask and Wig Dramatic Society presented George Cohan's delightful play, "A Tailor-Made Man," to a large and appreciative audience.

The entire play was delightfully Cohanesque—sparkling with bits of humor and brilliant conversation. The plot centers around an aspiring young fellow, John Paul Bart. Stanley Vaill in this leading role won much admiration from the audience for his excellent impersonation of this dashing young man who "Rushes in where angels fear to tread." J. B. Austin, as Dr. Gustavus Sonntag, a German economist, added much to the humor of the complicated situations which arise over the right to admire Tanya Huber, a part most admirably portrayed by Miss Margaret Humphrey. Robert Taylor, as Mr. Huber, the tailor, and Tanya's father, did credit to himself for his excellent interpretation of the German merchant. Pomeroy, played by Mark Ackerman, and Peter, played by Robert Schaub, drew many laughs from the audience.

The second act, a scene in the reception room of the Stanlaws' mansion, glittered with attractive stage settings and evening gowns. Donald Hinton, in the part of Lord Jellicot, had a difficult and eccentric part which he carried off in fine shape. Mr. and Mrs. Stanlaw and their daughter, Corinne, the heiress, were well portrayed by Miss Maurine Golden, Carroll Conner, and Miss Helen Krumsieck.

All other members of the cast of thirty deserve due credit for making this play the greatest success of any Mask and Wig production. However, the greatest portion of the praise must go to our most efficient coach, Miss Eliza Thomas, to whom should be credited this, and a great many of the previous successes of Mask and Wig.

Miss Thomas: "Oh put some life into it!"

"The Admirable Crichton"

"The Admirable Crichton," written by Sir James M. Barrie, was the most successful class play ever presented in the Decatur High School. The heaviest piece of dramatic work attempted by a graduating class was presented before two full houses on April 20 and 21.

Stanley Vaill, in the title role, displayed an ability seldom equaled by either high school or university actors. His previous experience enabled him to handle his difficult part with a finished smoothness.

Paxton Judge, as the Honorable Ernest Wooley, carried the part of the comedian with excellence and delighted his audiences. Vernetta Anderson took the leading feminine role and carried her part well, as did the other actresses, Gertrude Redwitz, Laura Grothe, Aileen Collins and Maurine Golden.

The remainder of the cast, including Royal McClelland, Edwin Dayton and Robert Taylor, showed fine stage presence and good acting. Under the list of minor characters that displayed good ability were: Robert Schaub, Philip Brusio, Emily Schleiser, Louise Wood, Percy Michener, Leslie Clark, and several others who took the part of servants. The cast was composed of thirty people, all of whom helped to make the play the best ever presented by a senior class.

Too much cannot be said of the fine work of Miss Eliza Thomas, who coached the production. Without her the play could not have been a success. The class of '22 owes a debt of gratitude to Miss Thomas for her splendid work.



The Senior Party

On Saturday evening, December 17, 1921, the seniors held their annual class party. The gymnasium was decorated attractively in the class colors, black and white, and showed clearly the careful study and hard work of the decorations committee. The program consisted of several musical numbers and a recitation, cleverly given by some of our senior talent. A male quartet from out of town also furnished some delightful harmony. There was an exceptionally large attendance, both of the seniors, and of the faculty; present, no doubt, to enjoy themselves, which was by no means difficult.

After the program, a special orchestra furnished music for dancing. A large crystal ball suspended from the ceiling, rotated rapidly in the path of several spotlights and created a bizarre and unusual illumination for the dancers. Grape punch and wafers were served during the evening. Altogether, it was one of the most enjoyable parties a senior class has ever put on.

The Junior Party

On December 23, the Juniors took their first social plunge in the form of the annual class dance. The gymnasium was decorated in evergreen and snow. Refreshments were served, and a program pre-faced the dancing; Ruth Ackerman and Margaret Rives gave readings, and Hymen Burstein contributed a violin solo.

The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. Every one had a fine time at this party, and it must be said that the class of '23 pushed off into the social whirl most auspiciously.

The Sophomore Party

One of the most pleasing events of the Hallowe'en season was the sophomore party, given in the gymnasium on the afternoon of October 28. The spirit was in the air, and the majority of the guests came masked.

Cornstalks and pumpkins furnished the suitable atmosphere; ice cream and cakes were readily accessible and very much patronized.

The entertainment was furnished by Miss Richeson, accompanied by some of her pupils, in a folk dance; there were also moving pictures, and a solo dance given by Dorothy Winters.

The remainder of the afternoon was occupied by dancing. The music was exceedingly good, and every one present enjoyed his class party.

Mr. Miller: "There is great mystery in Whiskers!"

Good English Week

A series of interesting events marked the week set aside for the practice of good English. A definite program was followed by all of the English classes, and by devoting a special day to the various phases of the subject, a goodly amount of benefit was derived; every one found that pure speech wasn't such a bore after all. A spirit of rivalry in the use of correct English was obtained by means of spelling and pronouncing matches between the various classes.

Another feature which aided considerably in making this campaign a success, was the splendid play presented by Mask & Wig. The plot pertained to the use of correct speech, and was entitled "One Chance." Another play, put on by the sophomores, also showed the evil effects of incorrect English.

There can be no doubt as to the lasting benefits derived from these intensive programs; with our daily practice in the English classes, a high standard of speech should be maintained in our high school.

The Football-Basketball Dance

A very enjoyable evening was spent by those who attended this annual celebration, which was given in honor of Decatur High's athletes, renowned on field and floor. A large number were present for the occasion, including several members of the faculty, and Mr. Richeson and family. Dance programs were provided for all those caring to dance, and grape punch was served as refreshment.

A special orchestra was secured for the event. A spirit of friendly rivalry in the terpsichorean art made all of our heroes show the "best they had," and some marvelous steps resulted. The evening passed far too quickly, and the general opinion was that it must be fine to be an athlete if dances such as this were attendent.

Mrs. Nelson: "Now let me tell you people something."

The Football Banquet

This annual event took place at the close of the football season, with all men on both varsity and scrub teams participating. The decorations were of red and white. The banquet was served by the Domestic Science girls, which fact, no doubt, contributed largely to its success. There were in attendance, besides the high school teams, their worthy successors, the two Junior High teams. A number of business men were also present, increasing the number to approximately two hundred.

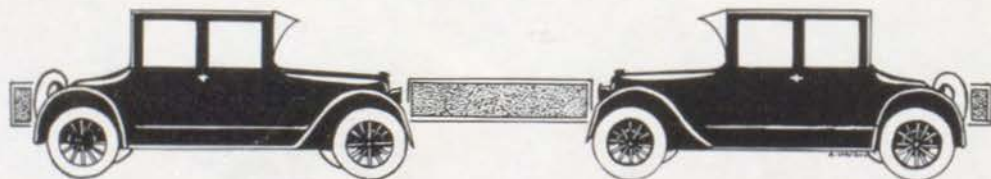
Short speeches were made by Captain Kile and Captain-elect Lewis. Prof. Hall, of the University of Illinois, made the principal address of the evening; he illustrated graphically the benefits to be obtained from athletics, and laid emphasis upon the value of clean sportsmanship. The last number on the program, which furnished a fitting close to an enjoyable evening, was a humorous interpretation by Harold Samson, the Millikin comedian.

Rain

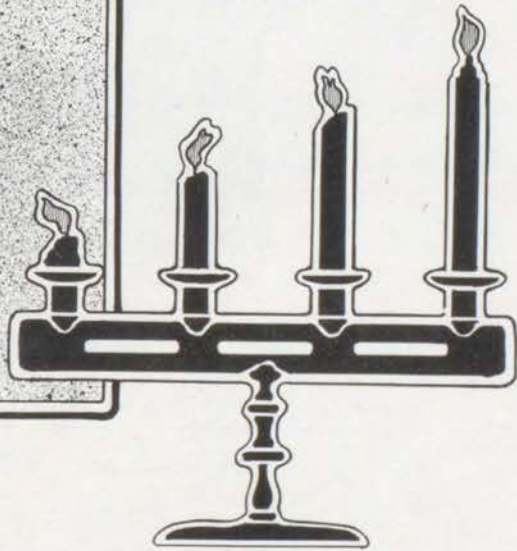
'Tis a morning chill and gray
Water ladens the leaves
Rain fills the tulips gay,
And sparrows cling to eaves.

'Tis an evening dull and gray,
But in the western sky
One sunbeam's golden ray
Peeks from the cloud so high.

Nita Maffit.



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Calendar

Sept. 6—We book passage for a nine month voyage on the good ship D. H. S.

Sept. 7—We put out at 8:15 for lands unknown.

Sept. 8—All report for duty—Capt. Deam explains the rules and regulations. Football practice starts. All right fellows—show some action now.

Sept. 9—All's well—indications are that it will be fair and warmer.

Sept. 10—Things were quite natural again this morning, several of us were late.

Sept. 13—Of all the noise—Lockers given out.



Sept. 14—Maurine Golden learns how to laugh in corridors.

Sept. 15—Yes, Hawks Hawver is back. We just couldn't think of running the school without him.

Sept. 16—We are given an introduction to Mr. Richeson. We like him fine.

Sept. 19—Sailing, sailing, over the bounding main;
 When two-twenty comes, we all go home again.

Sept. 21—Seniors try to nominate officers. Decanois and Observer staffs chosen.

Sept. 22—We don't want the ninth semester ruling.

Sept. 23—We still don't want it. Chick Harley and Ruppe, the great football players come and let us gaze on their noble Rand & McNalley's.

Sept. 26—Capt. Deam revolks the ninth semester ruling.

Sept. 27—We start all over again, and we soon find that if it isn't one thing, it's two.

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Decatur, Illinois



Sept. 28—The best little magazine on the market for only 50c. Guess what it is?

Sept. 29—Season tickets to see the only Illinois Champs in captivity.

Sept. 30—Dr. Jenney tells us that we are going to beat Taylorville tomorrow.

Sept. 31—We don't though. Decatur—6, Taylorville—14.

Oct. 3—The maddening crown rushes back.

Oct. 4—It is rumored that the north window sill is being held up by a devoted pair.

Oct. 5—Rumor has it right—it is Ruth and her Ken.

Oct. 6—The Flower shop is given by Mask and Wig. Take a tip boys—buy orchids—they always did take well.



Oct. 7—Said window sill still being held up by said couple.

Oct. 8—We just couldn't think of beating them—Decatur 0, Mattoon 14.

Oct. 10—"When Johnny Comes Marching Home Again". We all rush down town and yell for them.

Oct. 11—It is reported that Chub Stuart has shrunk. Yes, he was out in the rain.

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Oct. 12-14—Teachers' institute. Don't you think that they should have them every month? So do we.

Oct. 15—Why, of course, we could have told you only it was a secret. Decatur, 13; Urbana, 12.

Oct. 17—Yes, it is true the Seniors are going to have an election.

Oct. 18—We hear the Constitution.

Oct. 19—The excitement is greater than standing on a corner on a windy day.

Oct. 20—Mac & Peg seem to have quite a case. Oh, not that kind of a case—not in our dear United States.



Oct. 21—Friday isn't a bit unlucky. We had the peppiest meeting—Hawks makes his debut as a prima donna. Coach Muir sings "Ma-ah-mmy." Oh, how we yelled.

Oct. 22—Decatur puts up her best and so does Bloomington—naturally Decatur 7, Bloomington 7.

Oct. 24—The Seniors finally have an election—but they just elect marshals.

Oct. 25—Whee! The Senior Class has some officers.

Oct. 26—Pres. Judge calls the meeting to disorder.

Oct. 27—Hawks Hawver has a new sweater. Question where did he get it? If so, why?



EXTRAVAGANCE rots character; train youth away from it. On the other hand, the habit of saving money, while it stiffens the will, also brightens the energies. If you would be sure that you are beginning right, begin to save.

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Oct. 28—Sophomore Party. A good time was had by all, even a Senior girl (Olive Frost).

Oct. 29—Again we save Peoria Central's reputation by a score of 45—6.

Oct. 31—"Corky" Lewis is going to stay close to his mother tonight to foil the stalking ghosts.

Nov. 1—Girls Auditorium to say good-bye to Miss Hawks.

Nov. 2—Everything is going nicely. It has been a long time since a Ford has been placed up on the sidewalk.

Nov. 3—Another Auditorium to say good-bye to Miss Hawks—we wonder if they will feel so badly for us to go.

Nov. 4—And still another Auditorium, this time we discuss an athletic field for the high school.

Nov. 5—A track meet is held out at Millikin field—Decatur 47, Shelbyville 0.



Nov. 7—A whirlwind of marriages is going on. Class basket-ball—Seniors 20, Sophs 7.

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Nov. 8—Great peals of laughter issue forth from every place—
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Nov. 9—Mask & Wig present *One Chance*.

Nov. 10—A struggle for existence is held down in the Gym. In
other words a dance is given.

Nov. 11—Lest we forget.



Nov. 14—More class basket-ball. This time it is a mere man-
slaughter—Seniors 40, Freshies 2.

Nov. 15—Phil Bruso's birthday — proclamation by President
Harding to observe it as a holiday.

Nov. 16—"Tilly" Club organized. Who's Tilly?

Nov. 17—It has been suggested that the name of our school be
changed—How about "School for Scandal."

Nov. 21—Back after a day vacation.

Nov. 22—Seniors Basket-ball Champs. The Juniors absolutely
could not keep up—Seniors 22, Juniors 10.

Nov. 23—We hear an awful noise in the Auditorium. We are told
by those who know that it was band music.



Nov. 24-25—Did you eat too much?

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Nov. 26—The band tries to play us to victory—but U. High objects to the tune of 32-14.

Nov. 28—Agora wins debate. The Old Married Folks Club will hold its meeting this evening.

Nov. 29—Only twenty-seven more days until Christmas—Do your writing to Santa Claus early.

Nov. 30—It has been decided that the Millikin widows of D. H. S. are to attend the Senior Party in a body. Dates seem to be things that you buy at grocery stores.

Dec. 1—The ancient order of the Mystic Vamps held their meeting at Erwin's. Rumors are about that entirely new methods are to be used.

Dec. 2—Undue amount of alarm was caused this morning when several children ran into the auditorium with the fire hose. It later developed that the Girls' Glee Club was singing.

Dec. 5—We learn what a home really should mean to us, in auditorium. Basket-ball extra—Decatur 63; Argenta 15.

Dec. 6—The under-classmen are terrorized because the Senior boys are buying rings—fear not, little ones.

Dec. 7—Oh, what awful grades we get
When first we practice to forget.



Dec. 9—Mr. Deam announces that persons staying out of school to be married will not receive approved excuses when they return.

Dec. 10—Dumb luck n'everything—Decatur 10, Mt. Pulaski 16.

Dec. 12—Lewis Veech is still as bashful as ever. Oh, tell us—what makes the girls love Lewie so?

Dec. 13—There was surely a hot time in the old home room this morning.

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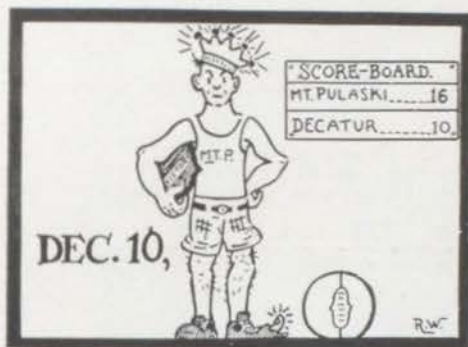
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Dec. 14—Same time, same place, same subject under discussion. Meeting is adjourned by the “autoerat”.

Dec. 15—Little boys like “Butch” Davis, George Reese, and Archie Carswell are getting real good these days.

Dec. 16—Who said that wasn't a wonderful game? We think so, too. Decatur 18, U. High 10.

Dec. 17—The best class, of the best school, gave the best party, and everyone had the best time.



Dec. 19—Everything and everyone all calm and tranquil again. Tranquil is a good word.

Dec. 20—Oh, Christmas is coming, hurrah, hurrah;
Oh, Christmas is coming, hurrah, hurrah.

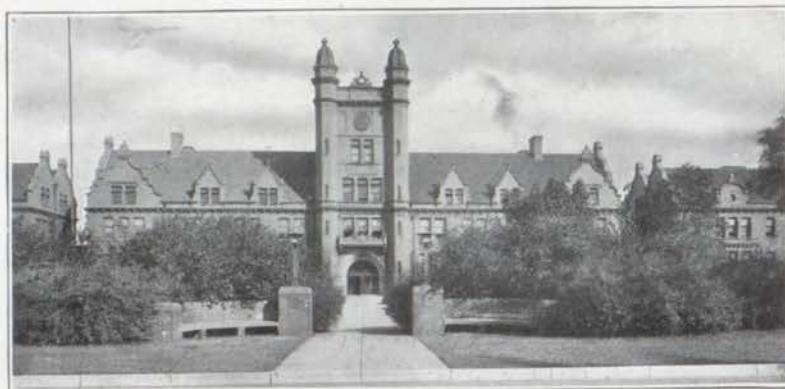
Dec. 21—There is one thing of which we are sure and that is this, where there is Hill there is Dresback.

Dec. 22—Christmas auditorium and party.

Dec. 23—Jan. 2—To all our fellows students, teachers, friends and vice versa we wish a happy Christmas and a merry New Year.

Jan. 2—Supposed to be a holiday.

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For further details send for a catalog or call at the office.

Jan. 3—Palmer Barkmier didn't skip 4th hour today, saying that he needed the sleep.

Jan. 4—Millikin opens, and Senior girls will be stepping out again.

Jan. 5—Again we ask you—why is a crow?

Jan. 6—Mask and Wig give "*The Tailor Made Man*"—clothes may not make the man, but my how they help! We play Bloomington, too, but alas and alack! It is 12 to 20.



Jan. 7—And then we play Urbana. Several of our most celebrated heroes figure largely in a 33-14 score.

Jan. 9—Girls are asked to be careful hereafter. All unmarried men are wearing red tags. You are asked to make your selections from these only.

Jan. 10—Why doesn't someone start something in 322.

Jan. 11—Dot. Augustine is having some competition as far as Steve Platt is concerned.

Jan. 12—Dr. Gilkey of the "Thistle Seed" and the "Welch Coal" fame spoke to us on "Brains Plus Grit".

Jan. 13—We invade Lincoln's camp and do everything but blackmail them. It results in a 32 to 12 score.

Jan. 16—Dot Oder was seen in the library today reading "*Sonnets from the Portugese*".

'Tis sweet to love, and in love to stay,
 But say how tuff to have him move away.

Jan. 17—And All's Well.

Jan. 18—"The fight is on". Not a wedding march—merely a snow-ball fight!

Jan. 19—Thrift auditorium—The Eskimo Pie idea is taken, but can't you find one?

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Jan. 20—New hinges were placed on Helen Ramsey's locker again. Beauford Burgess is asked to please refrain from swinging on the door.



Jan. 24—Believe us; the worst is yet to come.

Jan. 25-26—What could be worse than these finals?

Jan. 27—Six car loads of us went to Springfield. We won though, 22-20.

Jan. 28—Football-Basketball dance to honor all our heroes—which we did.

Jan. 30—We all register.

Jan. 31—Red (Junie) Goodman performs for us in 322—a salty, briny sailor assists him.

Feb. 1—Charley Fields, bashful child that he is, was seen at Olive's locker today. Corridor police have been notified as this must stop immediately.



Feb. 2—A clothing house of the city has offered Paul Alexander a position as store dummy. We always knew that opportunity would finally knock.

Feb. 3—All efforts to keep Elmer (Cleo) Sterns awake in Auditorium was officially given up today.

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Feb. 4—Debate, Decatur 4, U. High 2.

Feb. 6—Wanted: A certain someone to appreciate my real value and experience—J. B. Austin.

Feb. 7—Lessons on “How to captivate, and keep a Millikin Man” will be given by Alice Maxon at 2:20 today.

Feb. 8—And after the snow melts, oh slush.

Feb. 9—A brand new crop of goloshes has appeared. The epidemic has spread to the faculty.

Feb. 10—“Oh, revenge is sweet,” says Springfield. D. H. S., 17; S. H. S., 24.

Feb. 13—We ask you, “Do you dare preach what you practice?”

Feb. 14—Like Mae Tinee, the girls are all saying, “Ask me! Ask me!”

Feb. 15—Bob Taylor is wearing loud socks to keep himself awake.

Feb. 17—No basketball nor nothing.

Feb. 20—A breeze blew off Jimmy O’Connell’s hat today.

Feb. 21—Kiwanis Club here and had baked ham and they wouldn’t let Mr. McDonald have any.

Feb. 23—Pax Judge has introduced the elevator dance. It has no steps in it.

Feb. 24—And even Westerholt couldn’t save the game for Clinton. Decatur, 20; Clinton, 19.

Feb. 25—We beat Urbana 22-21 and had the Glee Club, Mask and Wig Dance all the same night.



Feb. 28—Danny Trimble comes to visit us minus the mustache.

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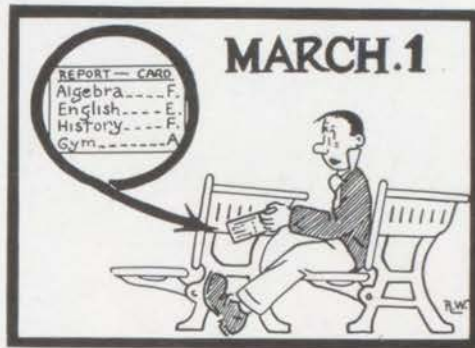
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Mar. 1—Reports out!



Mar. 2—Tournament starts with a rush—all the home towns are among those present.

Mar. 3—Decatur meets and defeats Lovington 31-6.

Mar. 4—Not so good—not so good. Decatur, 12; Atwood, 22. Atwood Champs.



Mar. 6—Everyone wishing we could have an auditorium like the one we had last year.

Mar. 7—The roaring Lions Club comes to lunch.

Mar. 8—Spring is here—baseball is in the atmosphere as per Red Goodman.

Mar. 9—The girls can hardly wait until Ware gets here again.

Mar. 10—Some more tournament. Again Atwood triumphs over the weak and feeble.

Mar. 11—Atwood sectional Champs—they surely dribble a mean ball.

Mar. 13—The hardest thing in the world to keep is money, the next hardest, a man—just ask—well, you know.

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- Mar. 15—The most popular thing now is the flu.
- Mar. 16—A brand new crop of ear-rings takes us by storm.
- Mar. 17—Agora-Aristos banquet and an Adamless Eden at that. It was so nice.
- Mar. 20—Blue Monday takes us all in charge.
- Mar. 21—Again Miss Bridges says, "I'd like to see in 320—"
- Mar. 22—And Wednesday's soup.
- Mar. 23—Bob Sink wears clocks on his socks in order to keep up with the times.
- Mar. 24—Everything is all setting pretty for the debate.
- Mar. 27—We dust off the books again after giving them two whole days' rest and solitude.
- Mar. 28—First call for baseball.



- Mar. 29—Paul Alexander has the bluest eyes.
- Mar. 31—We can't think of a thing but the coming vacation, and we are therefore hard at work.
- April 3-10—Spring vacation—oh joy—oh bliss unexcelled.
- April 12—The floods cease and all the earth is bathed in sunshine.
- April 13—Carroll Cowger carried a rabbit's foot all day today.
- April 17—'Twas a beautiful spring day and as the old saying goes, "In the spring a young man's fancy—"
- April 18—Anyone finding a wandering mind please return it to Lucien Bohon.
- April 21-22—"The Admirable Crichton" presented as the Senior Play. Fine!

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April 20—Everyone we know has spring fever; how about you?



April 24—Days like this were never made to go to school on. Buddy Rattan reports that the water is fine.

April 25—The Locker Hounds are still faithful.

April 26—We stagger home under the weight of our report cards. Several are refusing evening engagements. They find school work interfering, so they say.

April 27—Dick Head sheds his derby; that's the eighth miracle, best we can count.



April 28—Baseball is going wild and so are we.

April 29—Junior-Senior reception and what a wonderful time we had. Thank you, Juniors, we like your parties.

May 1—There is only one ghost. He appears on the first of every month and his name is Bill.

May 2—Seniors we are on our last lap.

May 3—Do you remember when the lunch room served beans every Wednesday?

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May 4—Mr. Miller is running a close second to Mr. McDonald in the popularity contest. Russel still has a safe lead, though.

May 5—Office closed promptly at 2:20 today.

May 9—Miss Hull was made chief of the corridor police today.



May 10—Miss Louise Bear got out the orchestra again today.

May 12—Russell Six takes a heart and breaks a heart and then he runs away.

May 16—There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth. Ah, but 'twas the Boys' Glee Club.

May 17—Mr. Hubbart tells us how come the men did "run the women down 'n' sech like."

May 18—And now Stanley has fallen—we're putting our money on Condon for the next victim.

May 19—Forum-Rotaro Dinner-Dance. The auxiliary was there, too, and what a good time we did have.

May 22—Everyone is making up the book report he should have had in last March.

May 23—Frank Sheffler loaned his coat to “Rosebud” Pensinger to play checkers on.

May 24—A student chaperon has been appointed to attend faculty functions. Scandalous!!!

May 26—It’s just about time to start cramming for exams.



June 1—Last week of school—our closing engagement as it were.

June 4—Baccalaureate Sermon—let us make our goal the highest—Seniors;

June 5—The day was made just for us and we had the best picnic in the world.

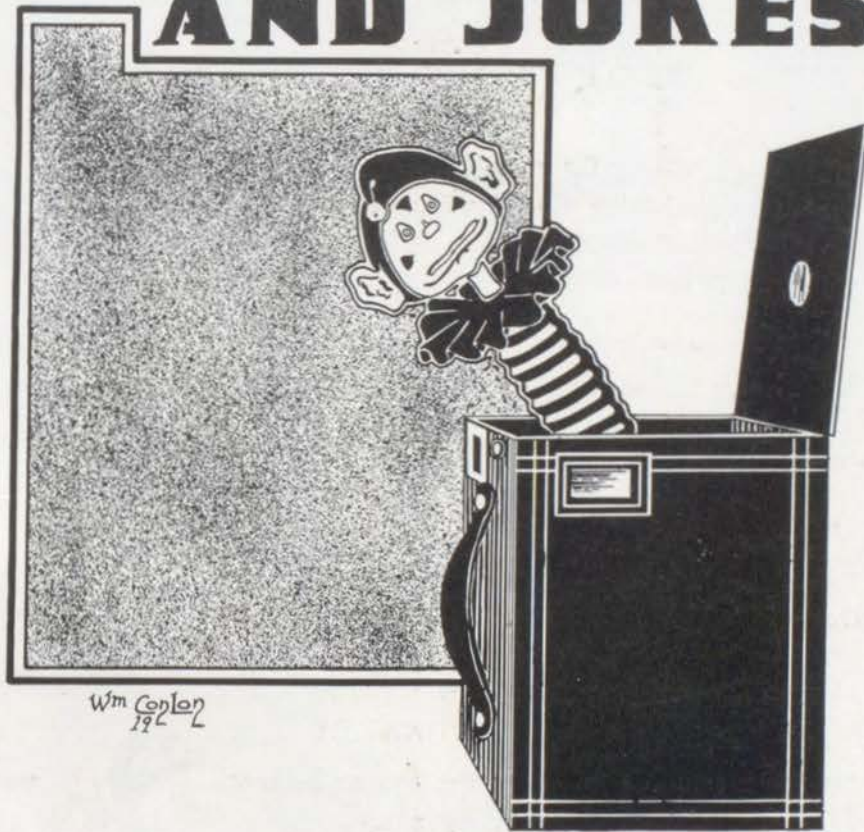
June 6—Exams—oh, so cruel!



June 7—Some more, only these are crueller.

June 9—Commencement. Good-bye, Seniors!

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Ex-temp classes all remind us,
We can make our lives sublime,
By starting long discussions
Which take up the teacher's time!

M. Lipe: "The dentist told me that I had a large cavity that needed filling."

F. Lanum: "Did he recommend any special course of study?"

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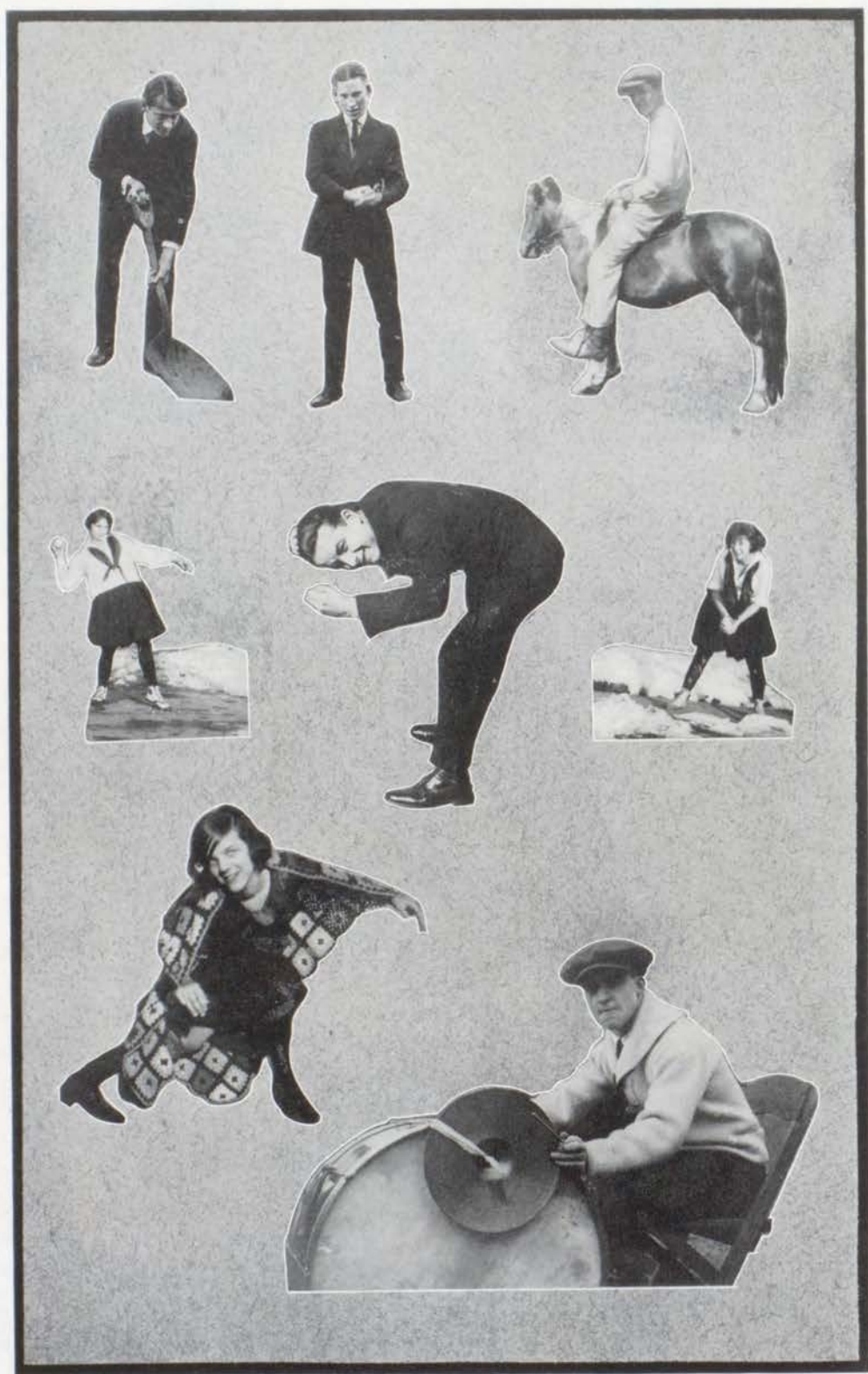
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Dumber: "She keeps him up half the night!"

She: What would you call a man who hid behind a woman's skirts?
Her: A magician!

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PICTURES

FOREGROUND	BACKGROUND	SILHOUETTE
Virgil and Gladys	Window opposite 110	Patching up the last quarrel
Mrs. Hostetler	Auditorium doors	Shooing flappers
Homer and Phil	Sidewalk	Galloping dominoes
Mary Conover	Locker	Powdering her wee nose
Miss L. Bear	Auditorium	Gushing rag-time
Bill and Ruth	Locker	Exchanging notes
Paul and Dorothy	Locker	Plans for tonight
Mr. Deam	Office	Extracting the last bit of joy from the culprit's life
Mr. Heinle	Bookkeeping	Locking them up
Gyneth Eaton	Butterfly Shop	Eating hot veal loaf
Marg and Bob	Flivver	Looking bliss

Pinky had a little band,
 Its music was so sweet;
 The costumes they were simply grand,
 And awfully nice and neat.

He took it to a football game,
 But all the people stared.
 Oh what a dirty, dirty shame,
 But Pinky never cared.

His band knew songs so very few,
 But one song they knew well;
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Aristos	For spite	"While there's life, there's hope!"	"Annie Laurie"
G. Glee Club	19th century	The higher, the fewer	Anything
B. Glee Club	One week later	Oh, Agony!	Everything
Mask and Wig	On the spur of the moment	At the sign of the dumbell	None
Band	Several times	Shades of the Wood Shop!	Undiscovered
The Pleides	At Lichtenberger's	Halt, friend, pass bottle!	"Hail, Hail" etc.
Science Club	By mistake	Ain't Nature Grand?	(Unprintable)

I.

Deliberation, calculation,
 The air is filled with din;
 Hesitation, expectation,
 The ball's inside the rim.

II.

Aggravation, jollification,
 As usual, we're going to win;
 Affirmation, realization,
 -Three cheers for the boys in the Gym.

Eye hath not see, nor ear heard, neither hath it entered into the heart of man—the things that Algebra III hath prepared for them that take it

Mr. Sprunger to "Corky" Lewis: "Well, what excuse have you for being tardy?"

"Corky": "Mamma told me, but I forgot!"

This above all; to thine own Beauford be
 True; and it must follow, as the night,
 The day, Thou canst not then be
 Helen to any other.

In digging a well you may not be able to start at the bottom, but you can at least start on the level.

Alas, poor Hawver! I knew him well.

NOT LONG AGO



Band impromptu



Snake dance



Take 'em away



Pull in your ears



Ump-pah-pah



All aboard!



As it should have been



We're on our way



as it was



Nine for the team!



Then the fun began



Just before the battle

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Behind the barrier



Minnies ha! ha!



In our vacation



Hither and yon



Hug me tight



Step this way



This looks serious



Now you quit



Why not I ?

'25: "Do you support the Decanois?"

'22: "No, it has a staff!"

Taylor: "Have an accident?"

Vaill: "No thanks, just had one!"

R. Daniels: "I had a wonderful time last Saturday. Four girls and myself took a tramp through the woods."

R. Schaub: "Did the tramp have a good time?"

J. B. Austin: "Don't you think my siders becoming?"

Alexander: "They may be coming, but I don't see them yet!"

A loud laugh denotes a vacant mind; in the library, a loud laugh denotes a vacant seat!

"Waiter! Here's a fly in the soup!"

"Serves him right; he's been flying around here all day!"

Latin teacher: "Young people, never waste your time."

Whereupon, the young people dispersed.

IN OUR INFIRMARY

CASE NO.	PATIENT	DISEASE	TREATMENT	REMARKS
106	Ackerman, M.	Concentrated affection	Chaperones	No hope
108	Alexander, P.	Puella duae	Essence of violets	Incurable
109	Hawver, H.	Old age	Music	Slow cure
110	Liston, M.	Dropping head	Taller man	To be removed
111	Verner, H.	Over study	More dances	Critical
112	Stuckey, H.	Volsteadnitus	100%-proof	Constant application
113	Schleiser, E.	Unrequited love	Monkey-glands	Serious

(From Chas. Fields' Diary)

"I stole a kiss the other night,

My conscience hurts, alack!

I b'lieve I'll go again tonight,

And put the blame thing back!"

Dot Wilson: "Can you keep a secret?"

Pauline Stewart: "I'll tell the world!"

A very queer coincidence occurred the other day. A student lost two twenty-five cent pieces. They were later found in 322 being used as sleeping quarters by a senior.

FAMILIAR FACES



Kin to small



Natural looking



Teacher's mistake



Areal job



In the lime-light



Looking ahead



Trailing a hunch



No place to go



This is the life



College President or Babe Ruth?



Environment



Unaware



Papa's underststudy



Another cog in the wheels



Whose paper can it be?



Drawing the line

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Laziest—Darrell Doren.
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Most Energetic—Wm. Robinson.
Most Studious—Richard Head.
Greatest Athlete—Maurine Golden.
Most Dignified—"Navy" Brusco.

Ditto: "I'd like to have a wooden leg."

Brusco: "Why?"

Ditto: "Then I could hold up my socks with a thumb tack!"

WANTED

Wanted—A nice girl friend who will go to games with me when Helen has a date. Darrell Doren.

Wanted—Some good stock to go down the cattle chute.
Mess. Judge, Stuckey and Head.

AS WE SEE 'EM

Hero—Paxton Judge.
Heroine—Peg Liston.
Villian—Palmer Barkmeier.
Vamp—Olive Frost.
Hero's Sister—Evelyn Denny.
Heroine's Brother—Richard Head.
Comedian—Garrold Bramblett.
Comedienne—Margaret March.
Child—Corwin Lewis.
Character Man—J. B. Austin.
Mother—Maurine Golden.
Strong Man (scene shifter)—Albert Goodman.

First Moth: "Why so emaciated and thin, brother?"

Second Moth: "I was shut up all winter with a young lady's swimming suit, and not another bit to eat in the closet!"



MORE HASH

The High School Hash,
 As judged by those who know,
 Is the very best that's ever served,
 No matter where you go.
 It is really so inviting,
 When once you start to eat,
 You'll never stop until you have
 Cleaned the dish complete.
 There's hash made up in form of sauce,
 There's hash made up as pie;
 And there's hash, and hash, and hash, and hash,
 Until you think you'll die!
 (Dresbach paid us to put this in!)

Who puts his problem in plain sight helps three: himself, his neighbor, and me!



The last hundred semesters are the hardest, Hawver.

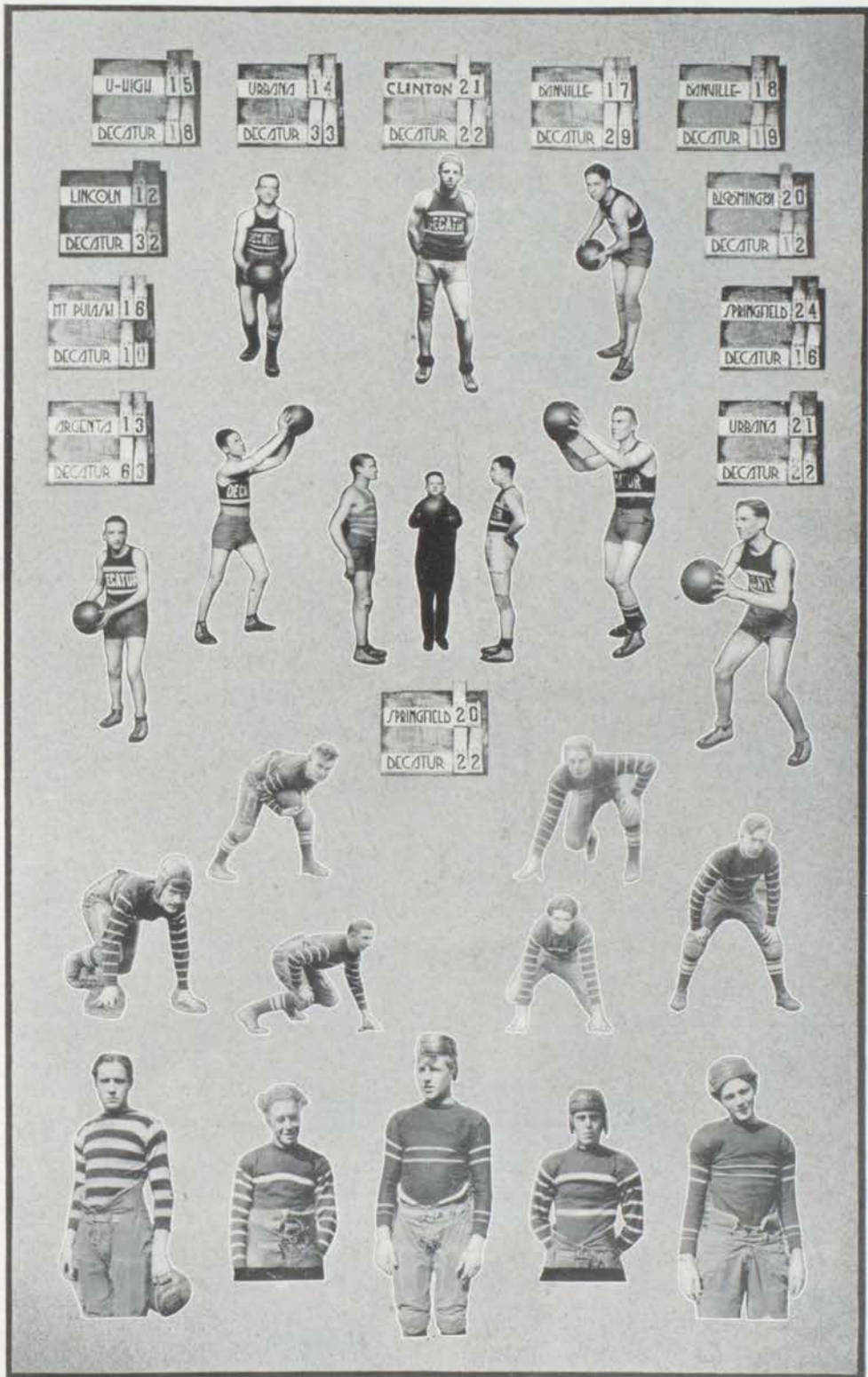
MOVIES

- Excuse My Dust—Mr. Rotz.
- Pardon My Nerve—O. Sutterer.
- Lying Lips—An Unprepared Student.
- Molly 'O—Miss Drobish.
- Sailor Made Man—Phillip Bruso.
- The Iron Trail—322 to 111.
- Just Around the Corner—Miss Hull as Corridor Cop.

He who laughs last is dense.

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HERE AND THERE



Where's my Romeo?



A perfect day



Yoo-Hoo



Alone, alone
all, all alone



A bird's-eye
maple view



Snooky Ookums



I love to be
a sailor



Lucky Dogs



Love me love my cat



Somebody's boy



Aspiration



As he used to be



Nobody's fool

DEFINITIONS

Fortune—Miss Engle's frat pin.
Light-headed—J. B. Austin.
Frenzy—Miss Hull at games.
Bluff—Well known preparation for lesson.
Silence—Lynn Pensinger.
Blank—That's me all over, Mabel.

Don Hill tells us that the plural of "child" is "twins."

Miss Trautman wants twelve girls to sew buttons on the second floor!

Laugh, and the world laughs with you; get caught, and you leave the room.

She said she did not know he kissed her;
She's unconscious, we suppose,
Of all the little things that happen
Underneath her very nose.

THE STAGE

You Never Can Tell—Tracy Holmes.
The Terrible Meek—Mr. Westlund.
Mid-Channel—Between III and the Office.
The Truth—Miss Martin and the fourth dimension.
The Rising of the Moon—Dave Kincaid, Floyde Borden.
The Doll's House—Mr. Deam's.
Beau Brummel—Rich. Head.
The Man from Home—Mr. Rotz.

To My Latin (*with apologies to Burns*)

Had I never loved so kindly,
Had I never loved so blindly,
Never met or never parted,
I had ne'er been broken-hearted.

Many a student with a slow brain is quick to make conferences.

'22: "Did you ever take chloroform?"
Fresh: "No, who teaches it?"

G LIMPSES



Pigeon's-eye view



Think it'll rain?



In high standing



Turn a-round



You chase me



Who let him loose?



Just blue



Butterfly



Look Stern

A TRIG-ER'S LITANY

The hours I spent on thee, my Trig!
Live in my thoughts as drudgery;
I didn't dare give up the brig,
My misery, my misery.
Each day a test, each day a fail,
I waited for my marks—and then
Found each attempt of no avail.
I'd failed, failed, yes, failed again!
O memories that live and burn;
O trace of lines, both A and B!
Each hour was wasted that I tried to learn
To see thru thee, O Trig, to see thru thee!

ESQUIMO COLONY

Chief Ware: Pie.

Title in Common: Simon.

Head Simon—Corky Lewis.

Right Simon—Vernet Anderson.

Left Simon—Ruth Ackerman.

Simon following—Elizabeth Connard, Harold Abbott, J. B. Austin.

Sheffler: "What does 'fragments of forgotten peoples' mean?"

J. B. Austin (who knows) (as usual): "Why, it means skeletons, y' pore prune!"

SONG HITS

Smiles—Miss Parker.

Tuck Me to Sleep—Study in 322.

Ain't Nature Grand—William Conlon's Coiffure.

Leave Me with a Smile—Mrs. Hostetler.

Love Ship—Condon's Coupe.

Irate Parent: "I saw you kissing my daughter. I don't like it."

Stuckey: "Then you certainly don't know what's good, sir!"

People who live in glass houses should dress in the dark.

OURSELVES



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OUR PARADE



Native Talent

A's are struggles; F's are blunders; and Conferences, regrets!

Work and you go on with others, loaf and you lag behind.

Uneasy lies the head that wears kid-curlers!

Flow gently sweet (?) Sangamon;

But don't flow near the high school!

Brevity is the soul of the unprepared.

The operator may trill her "R's";

But the teacher trills her "F's".

All is not natural that is rosy!

Bobbed hair gathers no puffs

Faulty Ford ne'er won fair lady.

An A a day keeps red ink away.

O, Frailty! Thy name is—hair-net!

Beware the fury of the patient teacher.

They also flunk who only sit and dream.

It is a wise student who knows his instructor.

Let the rest of the class go by—Bill Robbins.

A smooth answer turneth away many an F.

It's a long corridor that has no locker-hounds.

Water, water, everywhere, but not a drop to drink—for the fountain's
broke.

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The pyramid



Seen this one?



Steady! Don't fall



Love O'Mike

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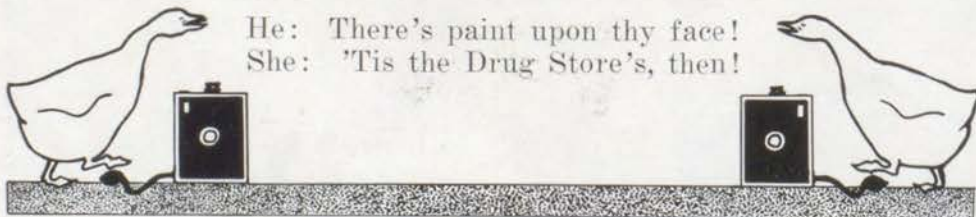
Heard recitations are sweet, but those unheard are sweeter; there-
 fore ye dumbells, play on!

The apparel oft proclaims the locker-hound!

O Cicero! If examination comes, can failure be far behind?



To be popular with the teachers—have conferences.
 To be popular with the students—use slang.
 To be popular with Room 111—be late.



He: There's paint upon thy face!
 She: 'Tis the Drug Store's, then!

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