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Foreword as the whistle blows and the boat leaves the lock, we wish your a happy trip through Europe in your 1935 Decanois

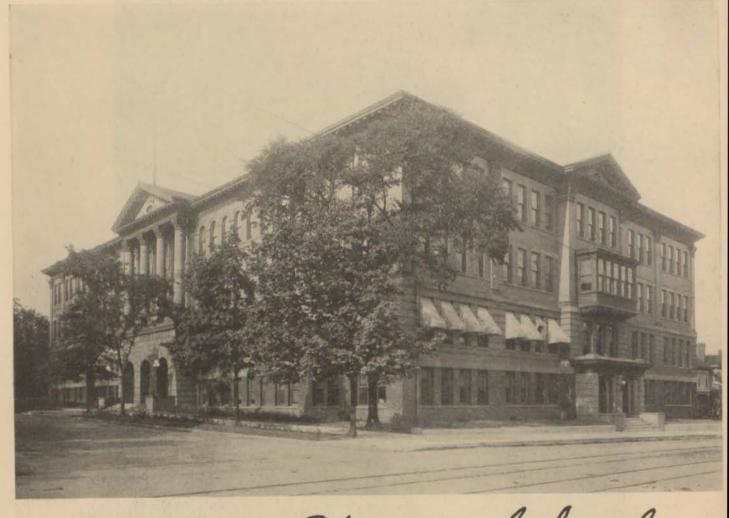
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For her ever wise counsel and sincere interest, we dedicate this book to Miss Many Foran



Miss Many Foran



Decatur High School Studies and Recitations

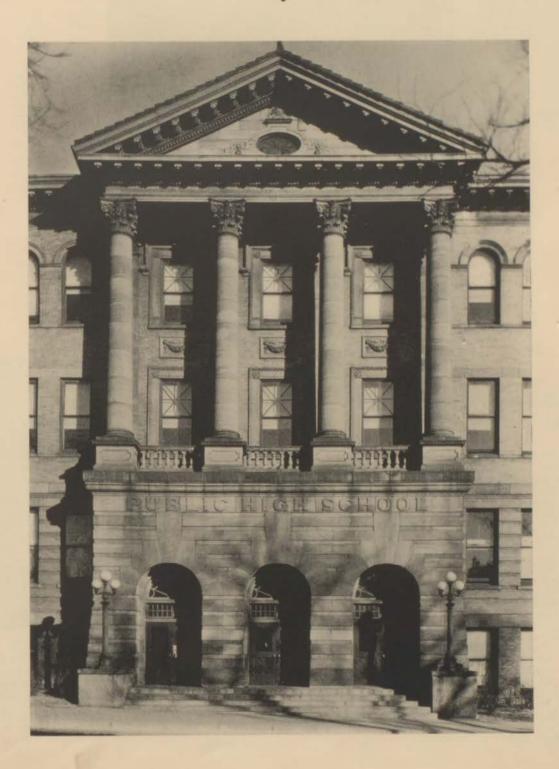
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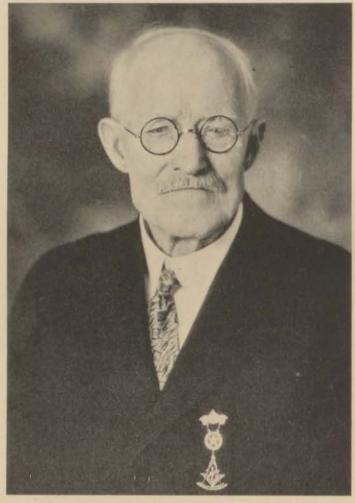


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Front Entrance Decatur High School



Mr. Theodore Coleman



With pride and pleasure Decatur High School honors Theodore Coleman, the first boy graduate of Decatur High School. In 1868 he received his diploma as a member of the second class to be graduated

Decatur High School. In 1868 he received his diploma as a member of the second class to be graduated from this school. He was the first male graduate because the class of 1867 was made up entirely of girls.

Mr. Coleman is now eighty-three years of age. With him in his class were four girls: Clara Allison, now Mrs. C. M. Imboden; Fannie Johns, later Mrs. Sedgwick; Ruth Crissey, now Mrs. Cornell of Streator; and Jennie Newell, who became Mrs. Wilson. Mrs. Sedgwick and Mrs. Wilson are dead.

Mr. Coleman's parents came to Decatur in 1855, and his father, John W. Coleman, established the first high school in the city. This was a private school, or academy, as that was the term applied to such a school in those days. This should not be confused with the original Decatur High, established a few years later by the late E. A. Gastman.

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of Water and William Streets. There were only three grade schools, known as ward schools; namely, the Sangamon, the Wood, and the "Big Brick".

The curriculum was planned by the principal, and the students had no choice but to follow it to the letter. The first year's work consisted of arithmetic, algebra, grammar, and spelling. Various forms of these, together with geography and the rudiments of history, consumed the next two years. In the last year there was composition, geometry, trigonometry, bookkeeping, and Latin or German.

"Our Commencement day," says Mr. Coleman, "was on June 2, 1868. The exercises were held in the evening in the old Powers Hall on the third floor above Greider's restaurant. I delivered an oration entitled, 'Illinois: Its Past, Present and Future.' Fannie Johns read a horoscope of the class; Clara Allison read an essay entitled, 'What Next,' which caused some merriment since she was married shortly after commencement." after commencement."

Mr. Coleman was one of the founders of the D. H. S. Alumni Association and of the Y. M. C. A. in Decatur. He is the oldest member of the Masonic Lodge in Decatur and at present is living in the Masonic Home at Sullivan.

Miss Mary English

Miss Mary English was graduated from the Decatur High School in 1884. From 1901 until her resignation in 1932 she taught Latin is the high school, and served as head of the language department. For many years she was senior class adviser. So closely is the history and development of the high school identified with her that the senior class of 1935 wishes to express its appreciation of her service to the school.





Miss Olive Bear

For thirty years Miss Olive Bear was a teacher in the Decatur High School. In 1929 she was forced to resign from the faculty because of poor health. At the time of her resignation she was head of the English Department. The high school regards her as a valuable friend and desires to honor her in this issue of the Decanois, for which she was a most capable adviser.

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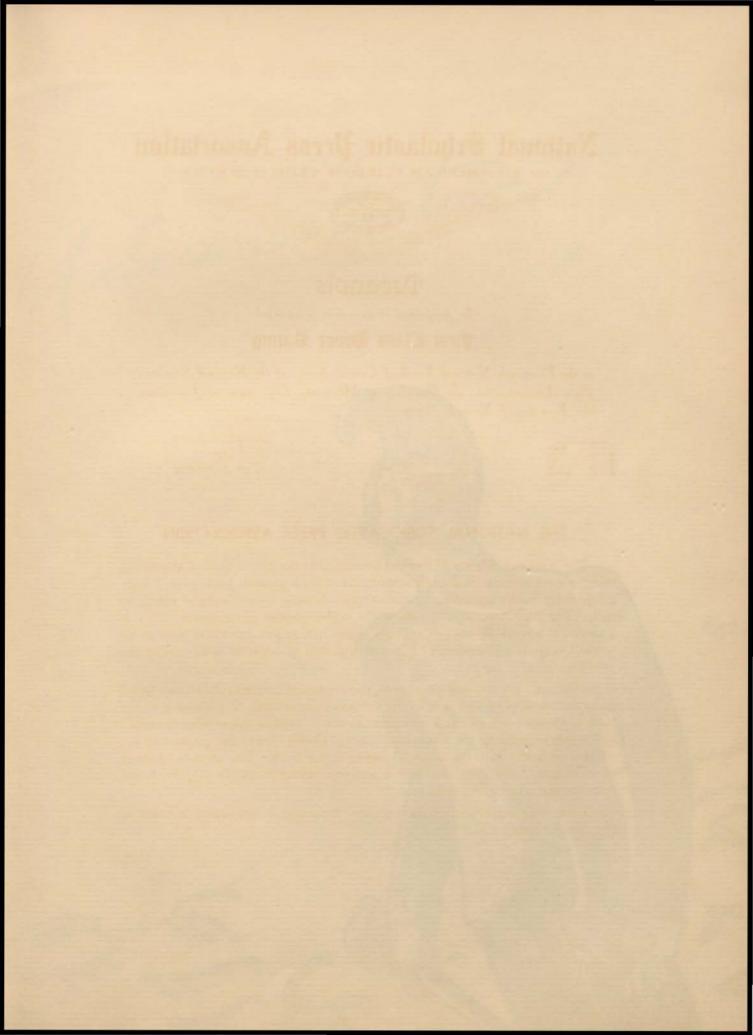
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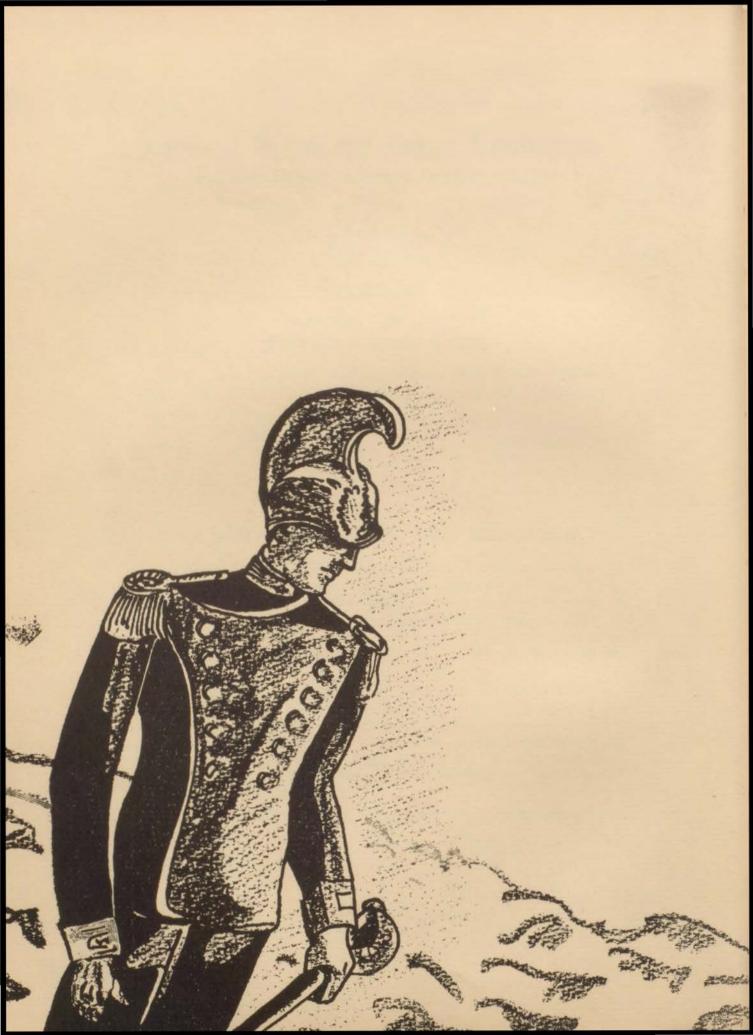
THE NATIONAL SCHOLASTIC PRESS ASSOCIATION

The National Scholastic Press Association at the University of Minnesota reviews over six hundred high school and college annuals each year. They grade these books according to their merits, issuing a certificate of rating to each. The "All-American" award is the highest honor to be given. This is awarded to a small number of annuals yearly but, as yet, has never been given to the Decanois. The second highest rating, that of Superior, was won by the 1934 Decanois.

In scoring the annuals for awards, the books are divided into classes based upon the number of students in the schools represented. Each phase of the book is not only scored but a written criticism to explain the scoring is mailed to the school sending the annual. Printing, photography, and engraving are considered along with the financial rating of the book. The amount of space given to school activities, the kind of activities represented, the snapshots, and features are other items criticized.

Each year the rating of the previous Decanois is of particular value to the new Decanois staff.





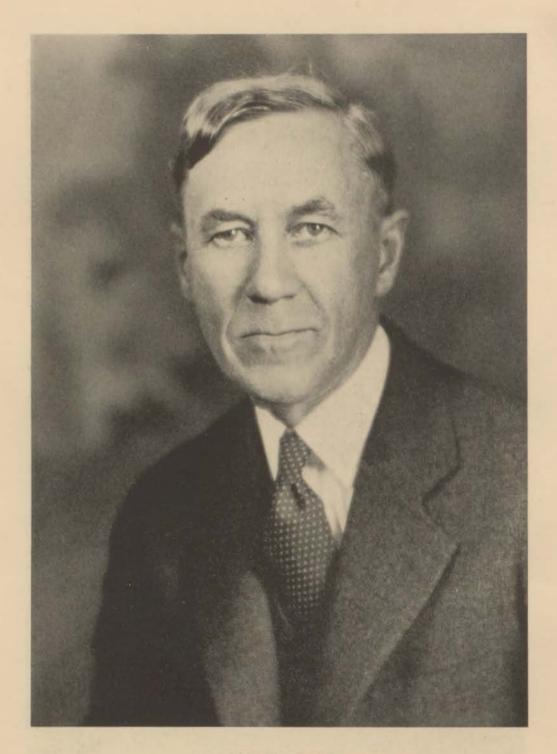
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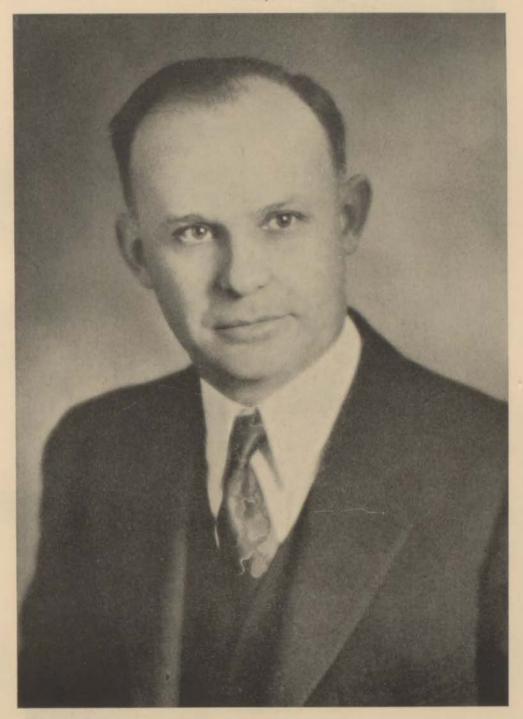


OUR SHIP
DECATUR HIGH SCHOOL



OUR CAPTAIN
WILLIAM H. HARRIS
Superintendent

OUR FIRST MATE R. C. SAYRE Principal



OUR SECOND MATES



MR. ASA SPRUNGER

September, 1916
Assistant Principal
Dean of Boys
Physiography
Oberlin College
University of Chicago

a. Afringer

MRS. MINNIE P. HOSTETLER

September, 1885 Dean of Girls University of Illinois





ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Miss Ethel Parkinson, A.B., A.M.
September, 1925
English
Journalism
Observer Adviser
Head of English Department
University of Illinois
Columbia University



Miss Lois I. Yoder, A.B., A.M.
September, 1918
English
Agora Adviser
James Millikin University
University of Minnesota
University of Chicago
Columbia Teachers' College

Miss Mary Foran, A.B.
September, 1931
English
James Millikin University
University of Illinois



Miss Louise Fike, A.B. September, 1923 English Mask and Wig Adviser Dramatic Coach Drake Northwestern

Miss Helen Gorham, A.B.
February, 1926
English
Pierrot Club Adviser
James Millikin University
University of Wisconsin
American Academy of Dramatic
Arts



Miss Eleanor Wyne, A.B., A.M.
February, 1927
English
Observer Department Adviser
Knox College
University of Illinois
University of Chicago

Mr. Wilmer Lamar September, 1934 English Business English Grammar Observer Department Adviser James Millikin University University of Chicago



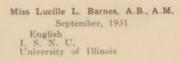
Miss Elizabeth Connard, B.S.
September, 1928
English
Dramatics
Northwestern
James Millikin University

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Miss Helen I. Stapp, B.S. September, 1931

English English Aristos Adviser Prose-Poetry Adviser Eastern Illinois State Teachers' College University of Illinois University of Montana





Miss Margaret L. Romanus, B.S., M.S.

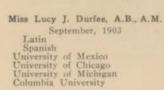
January, 1931 Public Speaking
English
Adviser of Deliberators
Rotaro Adviser
University of Illinois
Indiana University
Carbondale Normal
Charlestown Normal



Miss Dorothy A. Hambright, B.S. September, 1929 English

Observer Der University of I University of W Columbia Uffive Department Adviser of Illinois of Visconsin

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Miss Mary Carroll, A.B., A.M. Latin September, 1914 Spanish James Millikin University University of Illinois



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Latin
French
William and Vashti
University of Wisconsin
University of California
University of Chicago

Miss D. May Larimore, A.B. September, 1928

French
French Club Adviser
Galloway College
McMurray College
Western Reserve University
De Sanze Maison Francaise
University of Hawaii
Sorbonne, Paris



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Algebra Geometry University of Illinois J. S. N. U. James Millikin University University of Chicago

Head of Mathematics De-partment University of Michigan N. I. S. T. C.

Miss Margery Prestley, A.B., A.M. September, 1926

Geometry
Decanois Adviser
James Millikin University
University of California
Columbia University

Miss Georgia Fischer, A.B., B.Ed., A.M. September, 1923 Geometry

Algebra Knox College Ohio State University Columbia University

Miss Ora Latham, A.B., A.M. January, 1924 Geometry Algebra University of Illinois



Miss Hallie M. Miller, A.B. September, 1918 Commercial Arithmetic fames Millikin University University of Illinois

Miss Vera R. Hickey, B.Ed.

September, 1929

Stenography Midyear Senior Adviser I. S. N. U. University of Illinois

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

Miss Mary Parker, A.B., B.Ed. September, 1911

Stenography
Bookkeeping
Needham College
Ypsilanti State Normal
Michigan University
Gregg College, Chicago

F. A. White, B.Ed. September, 1929 Salesmanship Commercial Law Assistant Athletic Coach I. S. N. U. Illinois Wesleyan Gregg College, Chicago

Miss Ona Giffin, B.S. February, 1917 Industrial Geography Valparaiso University University of Illinois Columbia University University of Wisconsin Normal University of Tennessee James Millikin University



COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

Roy H. Taylor, B.S. February, 1930 Bookkeeping
Observer Business Adviser
University of Illinois
LaSalle Extension University

Elmer V. Nickel, A.B., A.M. September, 1929 Typewriting
Decanois Business Adviser
Illinois College
Brown's Business College
Northwestern University
University of Chicago
University of Illinois



W. F. Heinle, B. Acct. April, 1918 Bookkeeping
Dixon College
Valparaiso University
James Millikin University
I S. N. U.
University of Illinois

Wilbur Abel, B.S. September, 1933 Typewriting
Bookkeeping
Business English
James Millikin University
University of Akron
University of Illinois
University of Washington

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Herbert H. Radcliffe, S.B., M.A. September, 1918

Physics Physicgraphy President Faculty Players Indiana University University of Wisconsin Indiana State Normal Charter Member Illinois State Academy of Science

Mary Graddy Brock, A.B., M.S. September, 1926

Chemistry Chemistry
Botany
Zoology
Transylvania College
University of Chicago
University of California
Columbia University
University of Kentucky

Miss Mary E. Orr, A.B. March, 1923 Zoology University of Illinois



Theodore A. Nelson, B.S. September, 1930 Chemistry Hi-Y Adviser Knox College

Miss Marguerite Harper, A.B. September, 1927 Zoology Botany James Millikin University University of Illinois

Miss Charlotte Meyer, A.B. September, 1931 Botany Zoology Physiology James Millikin University

Miss Mary R. Earnest (No Photograph) February, 1918 Physiology Junior Adviser Indiana State Normal University of Chicago

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Miss Grace Bridges, Ph.B.
September, 1918
Head of History Department
Senior Social Adviser
Kirksville State Teachers' College
University of Chicago



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September, 1920
American History
Senior Adviser
Eastern Illinois State Teachers'
College
University of Illinois
Columbia Teachers' College

Miss Anna Hull, A.B., A.M.
September, 1918
American History
University of Illinois
University of Chicago

anna L. Hull am. Hist., 1939-35 Miss Elma B. Goldinger, A.B., B.Ed., A.M. September, 1923 American History English History University of Pittsburgh Columbia University

Mrs. Edith LeMarr, A.B. September, 1924 Modern European History University of Illinois I. S. N. U.



E. E. Stearns, A.B. September, 1931 Modern European History James Millikin University

Miss Edna M. Robertson, A.B. September, 1924 Modern European History University of Illinois



Miss Mollie Drobisch, A.B.
January, 1921
Modern European History
University of Illinois
I. S. N. U.
Columbia University

Paul LeMarr, B.Ed., A.M.
September, 1925
Civics Economics
Forum Adviser
I. S. N. U.
University of Illinois



Fred W. Ziese, A.B.
September, 1925
Civies
Economics
Eureka College
University of Illinois

SPECIAL DEPARTMENTS

Miss Katherine Troutman, B.S.
September, 1917
Home Economics
Home Economics Club Adviser
James Millikin University
Columbia University
I. S. N. U.

Z. P. Birkhead, B.Ed.
September, 1923
Mechanical, Machine, and Architectural Drawing
Head of Manual Arts Department
I. S. N. U.
University of Illinois
James Millikin University
University of Chicago

Mrs. Maude C. Meyer, B.S.
September, 1920
Fine and Applied Arts
Junior Art League Adviser
Decanois Art Adviser
Decanois Snapshots Adviser
Observer Movie Art Adviser
James Millikin University
Applied Arts School, Chicago
Art Institute of Chicago

Miss Adelaide Pease, B.S.
September, 1934
History and Harmony of Music
Chorus
Glee Club Adviser
James Millikin University
American Conservatory of Music,
Chicago

Miss Edith D. Vance September, 1934 Physical Education G. A. A. Adviser University of Illinois

Edith Vana











Miss Helen Murphy, B.S.
September, 1915
Home Economics
University of Colorado
Columbia University
Michigan State Normal

Russell K. Shaffer September, 1917 Cabinet Making Wood Work Boat Building Ohio University James Millikin University

Miss Mildred Harper, A.B., B.S.
September, 1930
Librarian
James Millikin University
University of Ulinois

Rex Rees September, 1924 Band and Orchestra Instructor

Gay Kintner
September, 1928
Physical Education
Football and Basketball Coach
Illinois State Teachers' College
Michigan and Northwestern
Coaching Schools

SECRETARIES

Miss Lucille Rader September, 1932 School Secretary



Miss Dorothy Cope
August, 1933
School Secretary
James Millikin University
Brown's Business College
University of Illinois

DECATUR HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

Decatur High School faculty is selected according to the North Central Association rulings. Bachelor degrees equal to four years of college training are required. There are sixteen of Decatur High School faculty who have master's degrees. This fact tends to raise the standard of qualification for teachers. In a few years, a master's degree will probably be a requirement here as it is in many schools at present. Fifteen semester hours of theory of teaching is required, and the applicant must have majored in the subjects he is to teach. Thirty semester hours is needed to obtain a master's degree in education.

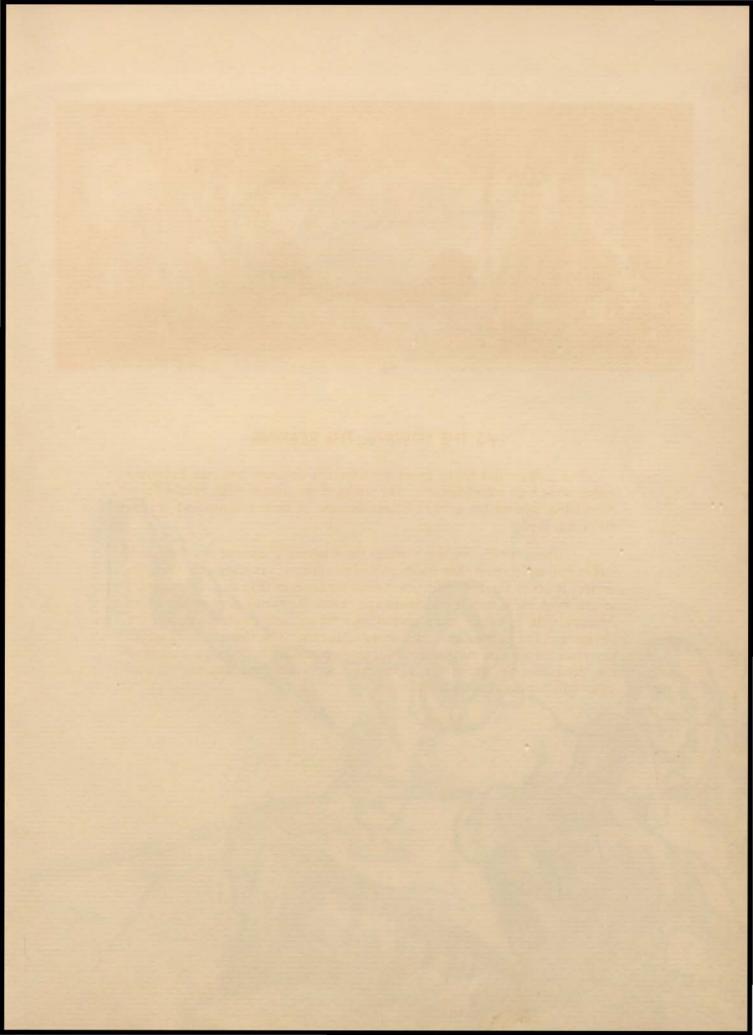
There are 1,856 students enrolled in Decatur High School. The present faculty numbers sixty, excluding the principal and the deans. The average number of students for each teacher every day is one hundred and fifty. The English department is the largest, having twelve teachers. The social science, science, and business departments are next in size.

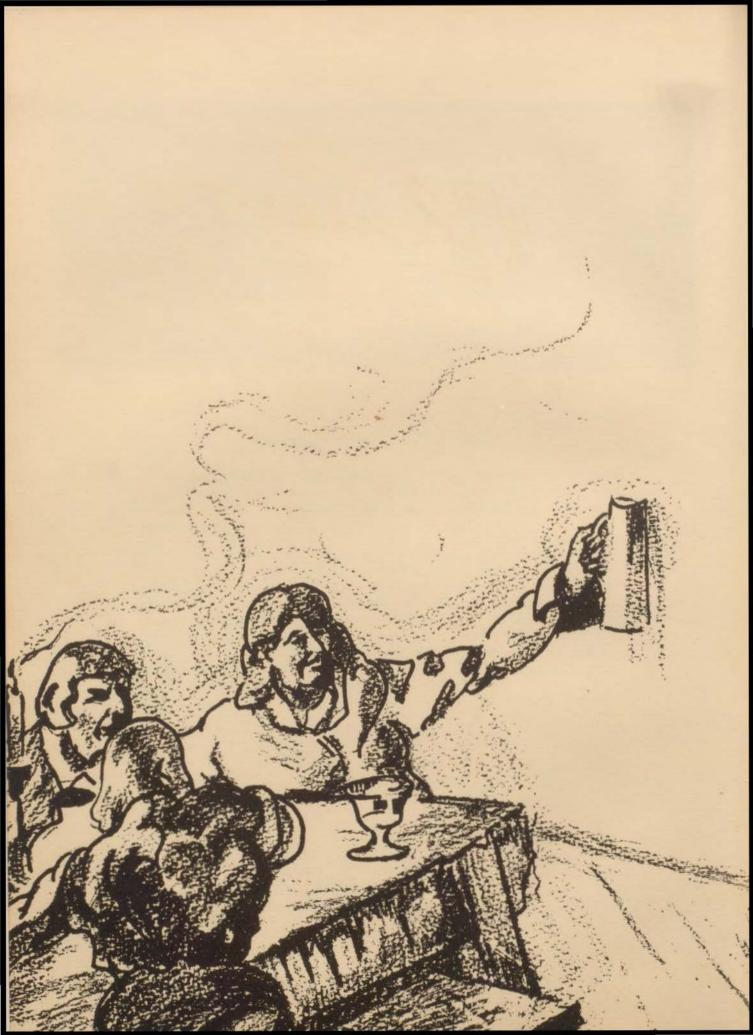


AS THE SOWING, THE REAPING

As a background for all group pictures, the Decanois uses the Sylvester mural in the high school library. The critics at the Illinois High School Press Association praised the group pictures because of their uniform and beautiful background.

This mural, "As the Sowing, the Reaping", painted by Frederick Oakes Sylvester, covers the south wall of the library. It represents the Mississippi River as Mr. Sylvester saw it from his home in Illinois. It is regarded as the most noble and poetic landscape mural-decoration ever produced in America. Mr. Sylvester was a poet-artist. He not only painted scenes of the Mississippi, but he also wrote a volume of poems, "The Great River", which expresses his love for this river. Two other valuable paintings were made of the Mississippi by Mr. Sylvester, but "As the Sowing, the Reaping" is considered by far his greatest work of art.

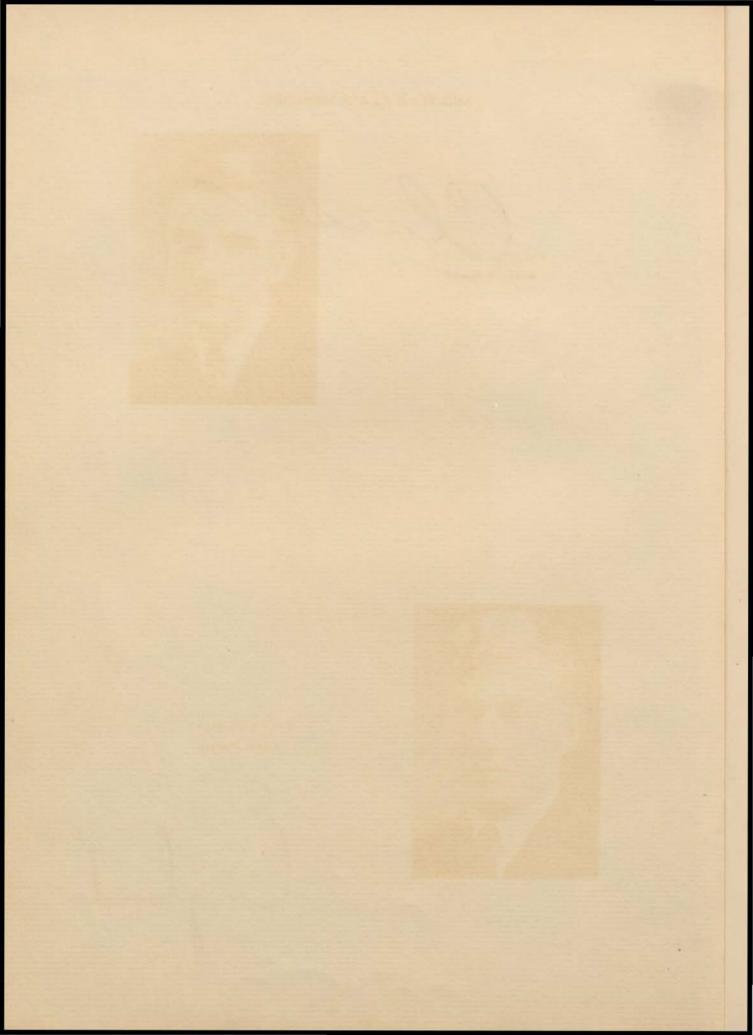




Classes

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England



MID-YEAR CLASS HONORS

VALEDICTORIAN Kenneth Poarch





SALUTATORIAN
Albert Hunter

CLASS OF 1935 OFFICERS

Mid-Year

Dale Cochran President



Earl Huff Vice-President

Mabel Rotenberry Secretary



Rudolph Dennis Treasurer





W. A. Dipper Sergeant-at-Arms

Leland Longbons Parliamentarian



MID-YEAR CLASS COMMITTEES

Social
Alice Hazenfield
Norman Russell
Earl Huff
Dorsey Humphrey
Joe Hengst
Harriett Olney

Floral
Albert Hunter
Marian Coleman
Ralph DeWolfe
Francis Markland
Mary Hawes

Announcements
Virginia Smith
Joy Seger
Garnet Seaton
Dorsey Humphrey
Robert Rupert
Dorcas Ward

Senior Play Genevieve Carson Kenneth Poarch Verna Dorrian Jack Sharnberg

ALWOOD, WILBERT E.
"Men's actions are the best interpreters of their thoughts."

Band '32; Glee Club '33, '34; Property Committee.



BANKS, CARROLL (Not Graduating)

BEAR, HOWARD
"Consider slowly, and act
promptly."
Orchestra '32, '33, '34.



BECK, PAULINE
"A Glory that comes from
Thinking,"
O. G. A. Shorthand, Office.

BINGAMON, CHARLOTTE

"Joy floods her countenance."

G. A. A., Volley Ball, Basket Ball,
Base Ball, Tumbling.



BLACK, ROZELLA
"It is the inward features that are lasting."
G. A. A., Property Committee.

BLOWERS, WAYNE
"We are in the midst of a great
experiment."
Football '33; Band '33, '34, '35; Orchestra '33, '34, '35.



BRADY, MARGARET

"If it is possible for a woman to succeed, then I Will."

G. A. A.—President '34; Sergeantat-Arms of G. A. A. '33; Tumbling '32, '33, '34; Volley Ball '32, '33, '34; Basket Ball '32, '33, '34; Base Ball '32, '33, '34.

BRICKER, MABLE "Life is what we make it."



BROWN, BYRON

"Politeness is worth much and costs little."

Rotaro '32: Pierrot '32, '33: Mask & Wig '34; Glee Club '32, '33: "Oh Doctor" '33; "Big Hearted Herbert' '35; Vesper Services '32, '33; Easter Services '35.

CARSON, GENEVIEVE

CARSON, GENEVIEVE
"To forget this girl and her lovely
personality would be impossible."
Swastika '32, '33; Treasurer '33;
Tri-Y, '34, '35; Vice President
'34; Home Economics Club '33;
First Aid Room '33; Clogging, G.
A. A. Auditorium '34; Basket Ball
'33, '34: Pin and Ring Committee
'35; Mid-Year Class Play, "Big
Hearted Herbert."

CHAPPELL, MILES "A Smile is worth a million frowns in any market."

Band '31; Orchestra '31, '32, '33; Christmas Vespers '32, '33; Spring Musical '32, '33; "Oh! Doctor" '33; Properties Committee, Class Day, Stage Committee Class Play, Usher '34.

CLOYD, IDA MARIE "Not sad, just quiet." French Club '33, '34; Les Deux Sourds '33; La Salle '34; Girl Scouts '33, '34; Radio Club '34; Aristos '34; Glee Club '33, '34.



COAY, ROBERTA "In your long chain of friendship, count me a link." Property Committee.

COCHRAN, DALE "Impossible, I walk upon Impossibilities." Basket Ball '32, '33, '34; Mid Year Senior Play.



COLEMAN, MARIAN "She is as mysterious as the ocean."
Floral Committee, Property Committee, Tri-Y, Basket Ball, Tumbling.

CRANE, WILLIAM A. "Good to forgive, better to be forgiven."

Band '32, '33, '34; Orchestra '32, '33, '34; Glee Club '32, '33, '34; Oh! Doctor '33; Observer Auditorium '34; Class Day Committee.



CUMMINGS, SOLONA "In all of this hurry, and noise, do
the poets have to write of it?"
G. A. A. '32, '33, '34, '35; Volly
Ball '33, '34; Base Ball '34; Basket Ball '34; Letters '33, D '34;
G. A. A. Banquet Committee '33;
Crystal Bird Club (Y. W. C. A.)
'32, '33, '34, '35.

DAUGHERTY, FENTON "It is good to make work a pleasure, but not pleasure work."

Junior Art League, Usher for "Skid-ding", Usher for "Big Hearted Herbert", Picnic Committee, Mid-Year Class.



DEAN, HELLEN ALBERTA "Work with patience which means almost power."

Glee Club '33, '34; Christmas Vespers '33, '34; Spring Musical '34; Big Twelve Humorous Reading '34; Office Work '33, '34.

DEFRATES, CARRIE
"We are, when we will it, Masters
of our fate."
Tri-Y '31, '32, '33; President '31,
'32; Swastika '32.

DENNIS, RUDY
"He is strictly business, even with
women."

Treasurer Mid-Year Class, Hi-Y '33,
'34; Assistant Business Manager
of "Big-Hearted Herbert".

DE WOLFE, RALPH
"To live and let live is a sensible
policy, but I never was very
sensible."
Floral Committee Mid-Year Class.



DIPPER, W. A.
"He that is slow to anger is of great understanding."

Sergeant-at-Arms Mid-Year Class, Sergeant-at-Arms Junior Art League.

DORRIAN, VERNA
"Success is as you measure it, I
measure it in happiness."
Home Economics Club '33.



DUDLEY, ROGIER MAYNARD
"I love tranquil solitude and such
society as is quiet, twise, and good."

GALLEY, LUTHER
"Hitler hasn't a thing on me—I can
be independent too."
Football '33.



GILBERT, HARRIET JANE
"Do the best that you can as you see it."
Swastika '31. '32. '33. Tri-V '34.

see it."

Swastika '31, '32, '33; Tri-Y '34; Chairman of Class Color and Motto Committee '32; Junior Art League '31, '32, '33, '34; Agora '33, '34; "The Rainbow" '34; 'Christmas Art Exhibit '31, '32, '33, '34; Art Institute Exhibit '33.

HALE, LA VERNE
"Continually studying—either men
or styles."



HALL, LUCILLE
"You can't put things across by getting cross."

Easter Vespers '34.

HAMP, GEORGE
"Why won't they let men be men."
Football '32; Class Play Committee;
Class Play Usher.



HARDING, KENNETH N.
"Somehow I like a brunette."
Radio Club '32, '33, '34; Glee Club
'34; Observer '34; Electrician for Class Play.

HARRIS, DONALD FREDERICK
"Cream of the crop—Women."

Basketball Usher '31, '32, '33, '34;
Usher Junior Class Play '34;
Stage Committee '35; Rotaro '34.



HAWES, MARY
"It isn't your position that makes
you happy, it's your disposition."
G. A. Mid-Year Class Play "Big
Hearted Herbert."

HAZENFIELD, ALICE
"I might be better if I would.
But its awfully lonesome being
good."
Mid-Year Senior Play; Mid-Year
Social Committee.



HENGST, JOE
"His character has stood the test."
Rotaro '31, '32, '33; Debate '31, '32, '33, '34; Pierrot '31, '32; Usher Mid-Year Play '33; Social Committee '35.

HILL, EDWARD
"Idle weeds are fast in growth, here
is industry."



HISER, GERALD
"There is more to life than just living it."

HOBBS, JEAN
"Mood so calm that none can
stir it."
wastika '31, '32; Home Economi
Club '33, '34-President '34; Frene

Swastika '31, '32; Home Economics Club '33, '34-President '34; French Club '33, '34: Les Deux Sourds '33; Prompter—Mid-Year Class Play; Honor Certificate '32, '33.



HUDSON, WILLETA

"Loyalty is an internal asset to be expressed openly."

Office '32, '33, '34; Observer Staff '32, '33, '34; Observer Auditorium '33; Property Committee Mid-Year Class Play.

HUFF, EARL JR. "It is a great plague to be a hand-some man."

Band '32, '33, '34, '35; Orchestra '32, '33, '34, '35; Treasurer of Band '33; Brass Quartette '33; Brass Chain '32, '33, '34, '35; Hi Y President '34, Vice President '33, Treasurer '32; Vice President Senior Class; Social Committee.

IMBODEN, JOHN G.

"We have here a man. What kind we know not."

Sergeant-at-Arms Mid-Year Class; Mid-Year Class Play, "Big Heart-ed Herbert"; Hi-Y.

JUNGMAN, RICHARD "All great men are dead or dying, and I don't feel well myself."

KOCH, MARGUERITE MARIE "At times men bore me."

Orchestra '33, '34; Class Day Program '34; Commencement Exercise '33, '34; Christmas Vesper Services '33; Easter Program '34; Spring Style Show '34; Art Show '34; Spring Orchestra Concert '33, '34.

LEIPSKI, ALMA "Do not women make the world go around?"











HUNTER, ALBERT E.

"Too much thinking to have com-mon thought,"

mos theaght."

Forum '32, '33, '34, '35, sergeantat-Arms '33, Treasurer '34, Secretary '34, '35; Forum Basketball '34; Debate '33, '34, '35; VicePresident '34, '35; Debate Team
'34, '35; District, Sectional and
State Typing '34; Assistant Bookkeeper of Decannis '34; Constitutional Committee Mid-Year Class
'35; Honor Certificate '33; High
Honor Certificate '34; Silver Delta
'34; Floral Committee Mid-Year
Class '35; Co-Business Manager
of '35 Decanois; Mid-Year Class
Play, "Big Hearted Herbert";
Class Day Committee.

JENSEN, PAUL W. "You are a puzzle but all puzzles are interesting." Band '31; Basket Ball '31, '32, '33, '34; Hi-Y.

KIRKWOOD, DOROTHY "It is such a short road to a greater happiness." Property Committee '35.

LAWLER, WOODROW LAWLER, WOODROW

"Common sense is Nature's gift."

Track '31, '32, '33, '34, Captain '34;
Foot Ball '33; Christmas Art Exhibit '30, '32; '33; Art Institute Exhibit '31, '33, '34; Decoration Committee '34; "The Rainbow"
'34; D Club '33; Junior Art League '34; Picnic Committee '35; Stage Committee '35; Usher '35.

LONGBONS, LELAND L. "A blond did enter his life." Forum '32, '33, '34; Observer Business Staff '33, '34; Boys Glec Club '33, '34; Mixed Chorus '33, '34; Oh! Doctor' '33, Christmas Vespers '33, '34; Spring Musical '33, '34; Lincoln Memorial Program '33; Hi-Y '33, '34; Parliamentarian Senior Class '35.

McLEAN, EVELYN "She knows how to smile, and she uses this knowledge."

Pin and Ring Committee (Mid-year), Mid-year Class Play," Big Hearted Herbert."



MARKLAND, FRANCIS M. "Reserve is often misinterpreted." Floral Committee; Football '32, '33, '34; Track '34; Constitutional Committee; Stage Committee.

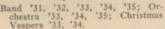
MARSH, JANE "I wonder what heaven is like." French Club '31.



MORENZ, EDWIN "Powerful explosives come in small packages."

MORRIS, ALPHA "Look at the depression we have to get the world out of, or is it a depression?"

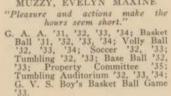
Band '31, '32, '33, '34, '35; Or-chestra '33, '34, '35; Christmas Vespers '33, '34.





MURPHY, LOUIS "I wonder if I will make a good P. G.f" Track '34; Properties Committee '35.

MUZZY, EVELYN MAXINE





NANNA, ELVA LOUISE "Express yourself, no one can do that for you."

Prose '32; Orchestra '32, '33, '34; "Oh! Doctor"; Glee Club '32, '33, '34.

NORMAN, KATHRYN 'Between the bindings of books she finds supreme joy."

Debate '33, '34, '35; Mid-year Class Play, "Big Hearted Herbert."



OLNEY, HARRIETT ANN "I want to meet life, not life to come and meet me." Arion '30; Junior Art League '31; Observer Staff '32, '33; Observer Auditorium '32, '33; Social Com-mittee '33, '34.

PEABODY, ELLEN JANE "Sing for the joy of singing." Volley Ball '34; Base Ball '34.

POARCH, KENNETH "Determination and efficiency."

Forum '32, '33, '34; Radio Club '33, '34 (President '34); High Honor Certificate '33; Silver Delta '34.

> RODERICK, JUNIOR "Such a Fickle Lad."

RUPERT, ROBERT "I say, with is a good servant but a bad leader." Mid-Year Announcement Committee.

SCHARNBERG, JACK H. "Why do all the girls stare at me."
Pierrot Club '32; Glee Club '33, '34;
Vesper Service '33, '34; Constitutional Committee (Mid-Year);
Play Committee (Mid-Year); Hosy Committee (Mid-Year);
Play Committee (Mid-Year); "Big Hearted Herbert"; Easter Service '34.











PENTER, WANITA MARIE "She holds herself aloof from commonness."

Home Economics Club '32, '33, '34; Observer Auditorium '33; High Honor '33; Honors '34; Silver Delta '34.

PRITCHARD, VIRGINIA (Not Graduating)

ROTENBERRY, MABEL

"Just give me a heavenly dancer and a good orchestra."

Tri-Y '34; Chairman of the Social Committee; Home Economics Club '34; Review Story (Honorable Mention) '33; Secretary of the Mid-Year Class '34, '35.

RUSSELL, NORMAN E.

"If I had a million dollars— Oh!! Me!!"

Mid-Year Editor-Decanois; Mid-Year Class Play, "Big Hearted Herb-ert"; Mid-Year Social Committee; Mid-Year Class Day Committee.

SCHAEFER, "BUD" OTTO
"Sometimes 'I' sit and think—
others just sit."

SCHLACHTER, ERNA
"It is a great thing—kindness."

Basket Ball '32, '33; Volley Ball '32, '33; Soccer '32, '33; Hockey '32, '33; Base Ball '32, '33.



SCHROAT, DOROTHY LUWIN
"Marry, not 1, 1 wish to enjoy life."
D. H. S. '33-D, '33-1, '34-D, '34;
Volley Ball '31, '32, '33, '34, '35;
Basket Ball '31, '32, '33, '34, '35;
Manager '34, '35; Tumbling Auditorium '31, '32, '33, '34, '35; G.
A. A. '32, '33, '34, '35; Tennis '32, '33; Amory Basket Ball Auditorium '33.

SCHWALBE, ALBERT
"Women remind me of a purse, A
necessity of Life,"

Advance Chorus; Glee Club '32, '33,
'34; "Oh! Doctor"; Vespers '32,
'33, '34; Spring Musical '32, '33.



SEATON, GARNET
"Time—so little of it is taken for worldly acts."
Orchestra; Home Economics Club 33, '34-Secretary '34.

SHRIVER, HARRIET INA
"Dancing—the standard of living,"
G. A. A. Program; Art Program;
"Oh! Doctor".



SMITH, DON H.

"Why worry."

Mid-year Class Play, "Big Hearted
Herbert."

SNELLER, WAYNE
"A strange friend and a friendly
stranger,"

Junior Art League '34; Class Day
Committee.



STAUBER, VIRGINIA
"Tall, stately, and the desire to push
forward."

Agora '33; English Critic '33; Review Story Contest '33; Observer
'33, '34; Poetry '33; Prose '33;
Class Day Committee.

STEPHENS, GAYLE "Of what use is language."



STEPHENSON, MAE
"A small compact bunch of
harmony,"
"Oh! Doctor"; Library '33, '34,

STERN, MILDRED
"We are glad that she is not as her name would lead us to think."

TAYLOR, AUBREY D.
"Here comes my coach—good-night,"
storel 'ladies, good-night."
Football '32, '33, '34; Basket Ball
'32, '33, '34; Captain '33, '34.

THIMENS, ROBERT
"Well, well, and well."

Band '31, '32, '33, '34, '35; Orchestra '32, '33, '34, '35; Track
'33.



TURNEY, LOIS IOLA
"Emotion never phases her."
Orchestra '34; Aristos '33; Junior
Art League '33; Radio Club '34;
Girl Scouts '33, '34.

TURPIN, T. ROBERT
"With one more semester I would
have enough excuses to paper my
bedroom."

Rotaro '33, '34; Tennis '33, '34.



WARD, DORCAS
"Freedom is as monotonous as slavery."
"The Rainbow" '34; Home Economics Club '33, '34; Junior Art
League '33, '34; Art Assistant '34.

WARD, JUNE
"Variety is the spice of life, here
is one variety."



WALKER, HELEN L.

"You're a question but I like it."

Glee Club '32; Mid-year Class Play

"Big Hearted Herbert"; Floral

Committee Mid-year Class.

WEAKLEY, EMOGENE
"Let's live while we can enjoy it."
Pierrot Club '32, '33; Library Assistant '33; French Club '32, '34;
Junior Art League '34.



WERT, W. EMERSON "Gibralter," Stage Committee Mid-year Class Play.

WILLIAM, EVELYN DOROTHY "Charms strike the sight, but merit teins the soul."

Junior Art League '32, '33, '34; The Rainbow '34; Home Economics Club '34; Art Institute Exhibit '33, '34; Art Exhibit '32, '33.

HITCHENS, GEORGE "What are we all quibbling about?" Decanois Play '33.





BEIMFOHR, LOUIS "And note what?"

REGAN, ALICE "See what this older generation got us into."

BENNETT, MARIAN "Youth thrills her, why should she think of age." French Club '34.

CAMPION, MARY "I have never visioned life as easy, therefore I never expect to be disappointed?"

KANAKIS, PINEY "Do noble things, not dream of them all day long."

LAKIN, WANETA "Where would we be if all of the truth about us were told."

POWELL, VIVIAN "Why can't we have sunshine twenty-four hours a day?"

SEGER, JOY "Her name tells us of her past, and the future is reckoned by the past." French Club '33, '34; Mid-year Stage Committee; Mid-year Property Committee; Mid-year Constitu-tional Committee; Mid-year Announcement Committee.

SMITH, MILA VIRGINIA "You are recognized by what you do, not by what you say." Agora '34; High Honor Certificate '33; Honor Certificate '34; Silver Delta '34.

ARWINE, KENNETH CHARLES "Rejoice after you are successful." Stage Committee.

> BOYCE, ROBERT A. "Why talk, you're never appreciated,"

CARSON, FLETCHER "All men desire to be immortal."

FAHAY, ROY "When he moves fast, watch out."

> GOULD, HOWARD "An independent artist."

GREENE, JOHN "And what would life be if he took it seriously." Stage Committee '35,

HIMSTEDT, GERALD "He is great who never reminds us of others."

HUMPHREY, DORSEY JOHN

"Were there no women, men might live like Gods."

Football '33, '34; Basket Ball '32, '33, '34; Decanois Play '33; Hi-Y; Temporary Chairman of Mid-year Class '35; Ring & Pin Committee; Social Committee; Usher for 'Clarence'; Vesper Services '34; Honor '33, '34.

MOSS, WILLIAM "Another step toward eternity."

MOYER, CYRIL "Wine, Women, and Song."

SENGER, CHARLES "Words can't express our humble thoughts."

SHAW, GEORGE VERNON "Small strokes have felled large oaks."

TAYLOR, FRANK "Now I have to go to work."

WASHBURN, LEROY "Life reminds me of a football game, —a lot of hard knocks."

NEWCOME, WESLEY "Glory be! They didn't have to tear the building down to get me out."

JUNE CLASS HONORS

VALEDICTORIAN

Jessie McKeown



ORATOR Paul Swarm



SALUTATORIAN George Walraven



CLASS OF 1935 OFFICERS JUNE

Harris Beck President

Phil Miller Vice-President

Jessie McKeown Secretary

George Walraven Treasurer

Stanley Powell Sergeant-at-Arms



Straley Heaton Sergeant-at-Arms

JUNE CLASS COMMITTEES

Social Committee Phil Miller Raymond Carroll Richard Smith Robert Vance Esther Chodat Maxine Lang Marjorie Pruitt

Scholarship Committee Paul Swarm Maude Eichman Jean Bentley

Cap and Gown Committee Suzanne Stoutenborough Walter Schlie Bonnie Ernst Floral Committee
Rosemary Reid
Art Lutz
David Lindberg
Bernard Huffer
Jean Weilepp
Ada Marie Heckel
Kathryn Hershberger

Senior Play Committee James Hess Ruth Ross Don Grummon

Announcement Committee Eleanor Brown Hobert Hoots Robert Bolt

ACKERLY, CHRISTINA "Domestically inclined." Le Cercle Français '34, '35; Home Economics Club '34, '35; Parlia-mentarian '35; Usher for "Mile. Modiste" '35.

ALLEN, MARY HESTER ALLEN, MARY HESTER
"The quiet life for me."

Agora '33, '34, '35; Girl Scout '34,
'35; Deliberators '35; First Team
'35; Intersociety Contest '33;
Junior Glee Club '35; Observer
'33, '34, '35; News Editor '35;
Observer Auditorium '34.

APP, ERMA "Silence is golden."

ARMSTRONG, LIDA "Who counts her as a friend is rich indeed."

> ATCHASON, LLOYD "Lots of fun."



ADAMS, SYLVIA "She would add to a zunny hitchen."
"Oh Doctor!" '33; Christmas Art
Exhibit '34; Spring Art Exhibit
'35; Decanois Staff '35.

ANDRICK, BERNICE "Such as she are always needed."

ARMOUR, WILLIAM "The manly part is to do with might and main what you can." Observer '34, '35; Rotaro '34, '35; Vice-President '34; Track '34; Ping-Pong '35.

AKNOLD, ELSIE

"A friendly girl."

Swastika '32, '33; Tri-Y '33, '34,
'35; Sergeant-at-Arms '35; G, A,
A, '32, '33, '34; Glee Club '34;
Glee Club Vespers '34; Double
Ouartette '34, '35; First Aid Room
'33, '34; G. A. A. Auditorium
'34. ARNOLD, ELSIE

BAKER, TOM "A man's a man for a' that."

BECK, HARRIS

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"And he was rich—yes, richer than a king, and admirably schooled in every grace."

Glee Club '32, '33, '34, '35; "Oh Doctor" '33; "Mille. Modiste" '35; Christmas Vespers '33, '34; Spring Musical '33, '34; Enservice '33, '34; President Boys Club '33, '34; Observer '32, '33, '34; '55; Observer Auditorium '33, '34; Co-Editor '33, '34; Editorin-Chief '34, '35; I. S. H. S. P. A. '33, '34; President '33; Temporary Chairman Junior Class; Chairman of Constitutional Committee of Senior Class; President; Pierrot '33; President '33; Forum '32, '33, '34, '35; Secretary '33; Treasurer '33; President '34; Press Reporter '35; Inter-Society Contest '34; High Honor Certificate '33; Silver Delta '34; Decanois Auditorium '33; Herald-Review Story Contest '34; Lincoln Essay Winner '35; June Commencement Program '34; Mid-Year Commence '35.

BENTLEY, JEAN "Each word in its place."

Observer "33, '35; Radio Club '34, '35; High Honor Certificate '34; Scholarship Committee '35.

> BLESSING, CARL "A quiet fellow is he."

BRADEN, VIRGINIA "Be merry today; who knows what is tomorrow?"

> BRAMHALL, JUNIOR "I graduate with pleasure."











BEILSMITH, DALE "Station W 9 L G W."

Radio Club '33, '34, '35; Secretary and Treasurer '34; Parliamentarian '34; President '35,

> BISSEY, ELDON (Not Graduating)

BOLT, ROBERT "Pleasure and action make the hours seem short."

BRADLEY, EDWIN "No sleep 'till morn, when youth and pleasure meet." Junior Art League '33, '34; Parlia-mentarian '34.

BRINTLINGER, HELEN "A good natured girl, a lover of fun."

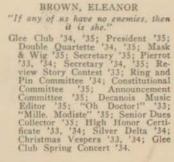
Tri-Y, Vice-President '34; President '35; G. A. A. '33, '34; First Aid Room Staff '33, '34, '35; Office Staff '34, '35.

Eleanor Brown

CLASS OF 1935 JUNE

BRINK, KURT
"Still waters run deep."
Honora '33, '34, '35; Forum '34;
'35; Observer '34, '35; Mid-year
Commencement Usher '35; Junior
Dues Collector '34.





BRUNER, MILDRED "Neat, not gaudy."



BURCHAM, JOY
"We all know Joy."
Pierrot '33; Agora '33, Honor Certificate '34; Review Story Contest
'34; "The Romantic Age" '35.

BURKHART, MARGARET
"Always happy never sad,
Full of pep and never bad?"



BURNS, WILLIAM
"What should a man do but be
merry?"

Rotaro '33, '34, '35; Observer '34;
Junior Dues Collector '34; Usher
at Mid-Year Commencement '35;
Decanois Directory '34; Decanois

BUTZER, MARIE
"A happy nature is the gift of life."
G. A. A. Auditorium.



CALAMELLO, ROSE
"Everyone loves a beautiful rose."
Shorthand Team '34; Honor Certificate '33.

CARROLL, RAYMOND
"I never dare to write as funny
as I can."
"bserver '34. Senior Dues Collect
'35. Usher at '34. Commencemen

Observer '34; Senior Dues Collector '35; Usher at '34 Commencement; Floral Committee '34; Social Committee '35; Decanois '35.



CHAILLE, CHARLOTTE
"Everyone her own way."

Prose Club '34; Observer '34, '35;
Agora '35.

CHODAT, ESTHER

"She is famous for her letters."

High Honor Certificate '34; Glee Club '32, '33; "Oh Doctor!" '33; Vespers '32, '33; Spring Concert '33; Pierrot '32, '33; Treasurer '32, '33; Mask and Wig '33, '34; Vice-President '34; Le Cercle Francais '33, '34, '35; President '34; Observer Staff '34, '35; Observer Auditorium '34; Social Committee '34; Social Committee '35; Junior Nominating Committee '34. "She is famous for her letters."

CHRISTIANSON, ADELINE "A smile is my umbrella."

CHRISTMAN, LOIS "Life is pleasant to me."

Pierrott '33, '34; Treasurer '33, '34;
Tri-Y '34; Junior Nominating
Committee '34; Agora '35.



CLARK, DOROTHY "A good cheerful companion is worth gold."

COCHRAN, MARY "This happy laugh, this cheerful smile, Both are necessary for a life worth while."



COLLINS, FAYE "The rule of my life is to make business a pleasure and pleasure my business." G. A. A. '33, '34, '35; President '35; Tumbling '33, '34, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms '34; Basketball '33, '34, '35; Treasurer '33; Volleyball '33; Play Day '33.

COLLINS, MARTHA "All that fair is, is by nature Agora '34, '35.



COPE, MARTHA "A quiet young lady, dependable and reliable." G. A. A. '32; Glee Club '34.

CRABTREE, EARL "O, it is excellent to have a giant's strength, but it is tyrannous to use it like a giant."

Football '33, '34; Basketball '33, '34; Track '33, '34, '35.



CRAIL, GLENN "He smiled and said, 'Don't rush me, girlst" Junior Art League '32, '33.

CRAWFORD, MARGERY
"I would rather be out of the world
than out of style."

Observer Auditorium '33; Library
Staff '33, '34.

CRAWFORD, TOM
"I would be friends with you and
have your love."

Honor Certificate '34: Tennis '33.
'34: Jr. Constitutional Committee,
Chairman; Jr. Vice-President '33,
'34.

CRIPPEN, DOROTHY
"She'll sing her way to fame,"
"Mile. Modiste" '35.



CROWDER, ANNE
"A lie stands on one leg, truth
on two."

CULLEY, ROBERT
"Did you ever see him blush?"



CUMMINGS, LEONARD
"He never bores anyone by talking too much."

CUNNINGHAM, MARY
"Why Mickey-t"



DAVID, FREDERICK
"Thought is deeper than all speech."
Track '34, '35; Basketball usher '34,
35;

DAVIS, VIRGINIA
"Girls of few words are the best
girls."



DEFFENBAUGH, EDGAR
"He does big things in a quiet way."
Honor Certificate '33, '34; Mask and
Wig '35; Rotaro '33, '34, '35; Observer '34, '35; Observer Movie
S'aff '34, '35; Co-Business Mgr.
of "The Romantic Age"; Basketball usher '35.

DEFREES, KENNETH "I am more likely to give help than to ask it."

Observer '32, '33, '34, '35; Reporter '32, '33; Decanois Directory '34; Feature Editor '35; Observer Auditorium '33, '34; Glee Chub '32, '33, '34, '35; Librarian '34; Christmas Vespers '32, '33, '34; '00h Doctor!' '33; 'Mile. Modiste' '35; Spring Musicale '33, '34; '35; Le Cercle Francais '33, '34; Secretary '34; Pierrot '33, '34; Prompter Mid-Year Play '33, '34; Usher Mid-Year Play '33, '34; Usher Mid-Year Commencement '35; Constitutional Convention '34; Honor Certificate '53; High Honor '34.

DENZ, CHARLOTTE

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"The best of sports—the best of pals—an all 'round girl!"

Swastika '33; Tri-Y '34, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms '35; Dues Collector '34; G. A. A. Auditorium '34; Usher at Band and Orchestra Concert '34; "The Rainbow" '34; Glee Club '34, '35; Christmas Vespers '34; "Mile. Modiste" '35.

DIXON, DOROTHY

"She can always be relied upon."

Aristos '32. '33, '34, '35; Secretary '34; Sergeant at Arms '35; Tri Y '33, '34, '35; Secretary '34; Vice-President '35; Office Staff '34, '35; Tri-Y Delegate to Peoria Conference '35; First Aid Room '33, '34, '35.

DONNEL, NETTIE

"Tis good will makes intelligence." Le Cercle Francais '33, '34; President '34; Secretary '34; Aristos '33, '34, '15; Press Reporter '35; Swasstika '33, '34; G. A. A. '33; Prose Club '33; Office '33, '34; G. A. A. '35; High Honor Certificate '33, '34; S'lver Delta '34; Decanois Staff '35.

DOWELL, ANNABELLE "Beautiful and divinely tall."











DEIBERT, FRED (Not Graduating)

DIPPER, AILEEN "Tart words make no friends."

G. A. A. '33; Pierrot '33; Mask and Wig '34; Library Staff '33; High Honor Certificate '33; Hophy Exhibit '34; Office Staff '35; Decanois Staff '15.

DOMBROSKI, GLENN "A truly great man will neither trample on a worm nor sneak to an Emperor."

DOORE, ANNETTA "If she do frown 'tis not in hate of you."

DREASCHER, CLARA "Still alert to win new scope."

EICHMAN, MAUD FLOWER
"Her scholarship is high and so is
our conception of her."

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High Honor Certificates '33, '34;
Silver Delta '34; Glee Club '32,
'33; "Oh, Doctor!" '33; Vespers
'32, '33; Spring Concert '33;
Pierrot Club '32, '33; Mask and
Wig '33, '34, '35; Vice-President
'34; Le Cercle Français '34, '35;
Vice-President '34; Observer '33,
'34, '35; Observer Auditorium '33,
'34, '35; Observer Auditorium '33,
'34; Scholarship Committee '34,
'35; Review Story Contest '34,
'35; Usher at Spring Band Concert '34.

ELLIS, CHARLES
"Worry bills men;
I'm in the hest of health."
Football '33, '34.

ELLIS, LLOYD
"Men of few words are the
best men."

Hobby Exhibit '35.



ERISMAN, MAXINE
"I havn't found him yet but I'm
still looking."
"The Rainbow '34; Usher at Band
Concert '34.

ERNST, BONNIE

"Her congenialty wins many friends."

friends."

Swastika '32, '33; Secretary '33; Glee Club '32, '33; 34, '35; Secretary '35; Pierrot '33; First Aid Room '32, '33; Aristos '33, '34; '0h Doctor!" '33; Christmas Vespers '32, '33, '34; Spring Musical '33, '34, '35; Easter Sunrise Service '33, '34, '35; Cap and Gown Committee '35.



EVANS, MARJORIE
"Pretty is and pretty does."
Swastika '33; Junior Dues Collector
'34; Usher "Mile, Modiste '35;
Junior Nominating Committee '34,

FAHAY, DOROTHY
"Just a cheery word or two as
you pass along."



GARDNER, ELLEN

"Is she talking again or yet?"

Aristos '33, '34, '35; Sergeant-atArms '34; G. A. A. '35; Committee
tutional Committee '35; Committee
for Agora-Aristos Party '34.

GARDNER, LELA
"A presence to be loved."



GEIGER, ELIZABETH

"A silent nature concealing a
warmth of true friendship."

Le Cercle Francais '34; Mask and
Wig '34; Glee Club '33, '34, '35;
Spring Festival '34; Observer
Auditorium '34; "Mile. Modiste"
'35.

Elizabeth Deigar

GIMPEL, ALICE "I am sure care's an enemy to life."







GROSSMAN, ELLEN MAY

"In the face I see trath, honor, and loyalty."

Orchestra '32, '33, '34, '35; Girls Glee Club '35; Scouts '33, '34, '35; Christmas Vespers '34; Annual Orchestra Concerts '33, '34, '35.

GRUBBS, CLARENCE "A worker always doing his best."

HALL, LA VEINA MARIE "Dark hair, dark eyez."

Glee Club '33, '34; Vespers '33;
Tri-Y '34; Swastika '33; Spring Musical '34.





"Art is power."

Junior Art League '34, '35; President '35; Forum '31; "The Rainbow" '34; Christmas Art Exhibits '32, '33, '34; American Legion Poster Contest '33, '34, 'Art Institute Exhibit '33, '34, '35; Baskethall Posters '34; Big 12 '35.

HARPER, HARRY

HARRISON, FLOYD "Feminine! Nay. Indeed he was most manly." Football '33, '34; Basketball '33,



HARSHBARGER, BEN "To be called a gentleman would please him most," Track '33, '34.

HARTMAN, DARL "A finished gentleman from tip to toe." Tennis '34.



HAWKINS, ROSALYNN "I'd like to have a million dollars— all in clothes." Glee Club '33; Vespers '33; P. T. A. Program '33; Caroling '33; Tri-Y '34; Swastika '33; G. A. A. '33; Slim Williams Posters '35.

HAYS, FRANCES "Careful to do the right thing; Ready to do the helpful thing."

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Christmas Art Exhibit '32, '33, '34;
American Legion Poster Contest
'33, '34; "The Rainbow" '34;
Junior Art League '32, '33, '34;
President '33; 'D. H. S. Movie
Posters '34, '35; Dance Posters
'33, '34, '35; Art Institute Exhibit '33, '34, '35; Teachers Institute Banquet '33, '34; Herald and Review Christmas Lighting
Contest '33; Lincoln Theatre Contest '34; Honor Certificate '33, '34, '35; Decanois Assistant Art
Editor '35; Junior Art League
Dance Committee '33.

HEBEL, JUNE "Generally speaking she's generally speaking."

HECKMAN, WILMA "A kindly heart and happy ways." Tri-Y '34.

HERSHBERGER, KATHRYN "A pleasing, delightful companion." Swastika '33; Jr, Art League '34, '35; Press Reporter '35; Review Story Contest '35; Floral Committee '35; Christmas Art Exhibit '35; Spring Art Exhibit '35; "Mlle. Modiste" Ticket Committee; Usher "Mlle. Modiste."

HESS, JAMES

HESS, JAMES

"Salts his food with humor, and peppers it with wit."

Glee Club '33, '34, '35; Secretary Pierrot '33, '34, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms '34; Forum '33, '34, '35; President '35; Māsk and Wig '34, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms '35; Honor Certificate '33; Silver Delta '34; "Oh Doctor"; "Mile, Modiste"; Spring Musicale '33, '34; Christmas Vespers '33, '34; Christmas Vespers '33, '34; Christmas Vespers '34, '34; Christmas Vespers '34, '34; Christmas Vespers '34, '34; Christmas Vespers '34, '35; D. H. S. Writer's Conference '35; Inter-Society Dinner-Dance '34; Senior Play Committee '35; Dues Collector '34, '35; June Commencement '34; Decanois Editorial Staff '34, '35; "The Romantic Age". Jame Le









HEATON, STRALEY

"Make room for a man."

Glee Club '33, '34, '35; Treasurer

'35; Mixed Chorus '33, '34, '35; Spring Musical '33, '34; "Oh, Doctor!" '33; Christmas Vespers

'33, '34; Lincoln Auditorium '33; Rotaro '34, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms
'34; Treasurer '34, '35; Vice-President '35; Intersociety Contest '34; First in Humorous Reading '34; Second in Dramatic Reading '34; Second in January '34; Second in January '34; Co-Manager Ping-Pong Tournament '35; Mask and Wig '34, '35; Delegate 'Older Bender '34, '35; Co-Captain '35; Football '33, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms of Junior and Senior Class; "D" Club '33, '34; Usher June and Mid-Year Commencement '34, '35; Usher P. T. A. Play '34; Senior Dues Collector; Junior Dues Collector; Observer '34, '35; Honor Certificate '33; "Mille, Modiste' '35.

HECKEL, ADA MARIE

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"You can touch no chord in me that would not answer you in music."

Glee Club '32, '33, '34; "Oh Doctor!" "Mlle. Modiste" '35; Vespers '32, '33, '34; Spring Musicale '33, '34, '35.

HENRY, PAUL

"We like to be laughed at for our wit, but not for our faults."

Glee Club '33, '34; Forum '33, '34; Honor Certificate '33; "Oh Doctor!"; Spring Musicale '33, '34; Vespers '33, '34; Decanois Advertising Staff '34, '35; Tennis Team '34, '35; Constitutional Committee '34.

HERMAN, PAULINE

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

Library Staff '32, '33; Tri-Y '34; Social Committee '34; Agora '34, '35; Review Story Contest '34; Agora Parliamentarian '35,

HICKMAN, VIVIEN "A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."

HIGHT, GRACE K. "But we did not know you."



HILL, WILLADA
"The world's no better if we worry."
Home Economics Club; G. A. A.

HILLIGOSS, CAROLYN
"Gentlemen prefer blonds—
lucky girl."
"The Rainbow" '34; "Mile. Modiste" '35.



HINKLE, PAULINE
"Agreed to differ,"
Tri-Y '33, '34; G. A. A. '33.

HOFFMAN, BERNARD
"Quiet and unassuming, but always
on the job."
Band '33; Scenery for Decanois Play
'34.



HOLDERBY, MYRADELL
"A cheerful disposition, a friendly
smile for all."

HOOTS, HOBART

"I'll be an artist and I'll do things."

Basketball Posters '34, '35; Spring
Art Exhibit '32, '33, '34; Christmas Art Exhibit '33, '34; "The
Rainbow" '34; Announcement
Committee '35; Poppy Poster Contest '33, '34; Decorations for
Teachers Banquet '33, '34; Decorations for "Barnyard Shivers"

'34; Posters for "Mile. Modiste"

'35; Community Chest Posters.



HOPKINS, IMOGENE
"Sometimes serious, sometimes smiling, but always friendly."
Decanois '35; Agora '33, '34; Swastika '33; Usher for "Mlle. Modiste" '35.

HUFFER, BERNARD

"An all around good fellow,
A friend, sincere, and true."

Glee Club '33, '34, '35; "Oh Dostor!" '33; Spring Musicale '33, '34; Christmas Vespers '33, '34; Forum '33, '34, '35; Intersociety Humorous Reading Contest '34; Usher for June Commencement '34; Usher for Mid-Year Commencement '35; "Mille. Modiste".



HURTT, JACK
"From the crown of his head,
To the soles of his feet—
An Athlete."
Football '33, '34; Basketball '33, '34,
'35; Captain '35.

HUTCHISON, FRANCIS
"For man is man and master of his
fate."

IIAMS, FRANCES
"A gracious personality crowned with auburn locks,"
Honor Certificate '34.

INMAN, CLAUDE
'You know Claude—he plays
football,"
Football '33, '34.



INMAN; WAYNE
"Must know sumpin', but don't
say nothin'."

JACKSON, JAMES "Give the little boy a hand."



JESEK, HELENE
"I might be better if I would,
But it's awfully lonesome being
good."
Office Staff '33. Junior Pollaci

Office Staff '35; Junior Balloting Committee '34; Constitutional Committee '34; Nominating Committee '34; High Honor Certificate '34.

JOHNSON, EDITH
"A miracle! She speaks,"
Honors '34.



JOHNSON, FRANCES
"Youthful gaiety but by no means
an unsophisticated Miss,"
Le Cercle Francais '33, '34.

JOHNSON, WANDA
"She excels in every sport—
and she is a good sport herself."
G. A. A. '32, '33, '34, '35; Secretary '34, '35; Baseball '34; Basketball '33, '34, '35; Volleyball '33, '34; Play Day '33, '34; Tumbling '34, '35; Tumbling Auditorium '34, '35; D. H. S. Awards '34, '35.



JONES, ALICE MARIE
"She is a darling in many teays,"
Observer Staff '33; Observer Auditorium '33; High Honor Certificate
'33, '34; Silver Delta '34; State
Shorthand Team '34; State Typing Team '34; Decanois Business
Staff '35; Constitutional Committee
'34; "Mile. Modiste" Usher '35.

KELLEY, JOE
"The man toho blushes is hardly a brute."

KIEFER, MARIAM

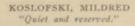
"Dare we covet as well as admire
her pedagogical tendencies"

Agora '34, '35; Girl Scouts '34, '35;
Agora-Ariatos Verse Speaking
Choir '35; Observer Staff '34,
'35; Le Cercle Francais '35,
Junior Glee Club '34, '35; Senior
Glee Club '35.

KNOTTS, MARGARET
"She has a voice that commands."
Agora '33, '34, '35; Tri-Y '33, '34;
Treasurer '34; Observer Editorial
Staff '33, '34; Business '34, '35;
Observer Auditorium '34; Honor
Certificate '34; High Honor Certificate '33; Silver Delta '34; Inter-Society Contest '34.



KOHLBECKER, JANET
"A light heart lives long."
Agora '34, '35.





KROEGER, DALE

"A one track mind on water—
boatt,"

Honor Certificate '32; Constitutional
Committee '34; Dues Collector '34.

LANG, MAXINE
"True worth is in being, not
seeming."

Agora '35; Office Staff '34, '35;
Honor Certificate '33; Social Committee '35.



LARSON, VIRGINIA
"The best goods come in small packages."

LEE, HELEN
"Is she quiet and demure?
Maybe, don't be too sure."



LEWIS, LORRAINE
"No pleasure endurés without
tariety."
G. A. A. '33, '34.

LINDBERG, DAVID

"Unusual advantages in association and travel."

and travel."

Observer Asst. Editor '33, '34; CoEditor '34, '35; Glee Club '33, '34,
'35; Rotaro '33, '34, '35; Observer Plays '33, '34; Christmas
Vespers '33, '34; Spring Musicale
'34; Rotaro, Treasurer '34; Junior
Class Nomination Convention '34.

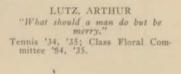


LINDSAY, DALE "Let the world slip by; I'll take it Hi-Y '33, '34, '35.

LUTTERELL, BERTHA MAY "Underneath her quietness lies true sincority."

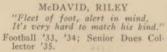
McCAUGHEY, MARY "She gives her tongue not a moments rest." Home Economics Club '33, '34; Ser-geant-at-Arms '34; Library Staff '34, '35; Office Staff '33.







McCLURE, JUNE (Not Graduating)





McKEOWN, JESSIE

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"Our editor—popular, pretty, efficient."

Glee Club '33, '34; President '34;
"Oh Doctor!" '33; All State Chorus '33; Vespers '33; Spring Musicale '33, '34; Double Quartette '34; Orchestra '33, '34, '35;
Ticket Committee '33; Agora '34, '35; President '34; Inter-Society Decoration Committee '34; Observer Auditorium '34; High Honor Certificate '33, '34; Silver Delta '34; Class Secretary '34, '35; Decanois Editor '33; Decanois delegate to I. S. H. S. P. A. '35; Chairman Ticket Committee Orchestra '35.

McMURRY, BARBARA "With blush and smile, a medicine in themselves."

in themselves."

High Honor Certificate '34; Silver Delta '34; Agora '34, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms '34; Mask and Wig '34, '35; Vice-President '35; Radio Club '34, '35; Secretary-Treasurer '35; French Club '34, '35; Dues Collector '34, '35; "Mile. Modiste" '35; "The Romantic Age" '35; Decanois '34, '35; Intersociety Contest '34; Girls Glee Club '35; Junior Girls Glee Club '34; President '34.



MADDEN, ALLEEN "Softly speaks and sweetly smiles." Junior Art League '34, '35; "The Rainbow" '34; Christmas Art Ex-hibit '34; Band and Orchestra Concert Usher '34; Snap-shot Col-lector '33.

MALLINSON, ADA MAE
"Good nature and good sense teere
rightly joined."



MALLINSON, HAROLD
"Promise is most given when least
is said."
Basketball Usher '35; Usher at P.
T. A. Play '35.

MARSHALL, RAY "Blame it onto the little boy."



MASON, CARMEN
"A quiet girl who quietly does
her part."

Junior Glee Club '34, '35; Glee
Club '33.

MASTERSON, YVONNE
"Brimming over with vitality."
Glee Club '33, '34, '35; Vespers
'33, '34; Spring Festival '34; Lincoln Auditorium '34; "Mile. Modiste" '35.



MAURER, EVELYN
"So quietly you hardly know she is near."

MEADOWS, ROBERT
"This man's true as steel."

Band '32, '33, '34, '35; Orchestra
'33, '34, '35; Hi-Y '32, '33, '34,
'35; Band Concerts.



MEIS, LORETTA
"Quiet and unassuming, she twends
her tway."

MERRISS, JANE
"Her pleasant disposition radiates from a sweet personality."

Le Cercle Francais '34; Aristos '33; Junior Art League '32, '33; G. A. A. '32; Snapshot Committee '35; Office Staff '35; Christmas Art Exhibit '32, '33; "The Rainbow" '34; Poppy Day Poster Cantest '33.



MERRITT, JANE
"Good nature is the same in every language."

MICHL, MARY
"Such as she are always needed."
Library Asst. '32, '33, '34, '35; Telephone Committee for "Mile. Modiste" '35.

MILLER, JEANETTE
"A merry heart doth more than good medicine."

Jeonette

MILLER, RUTH
"A friend of all who know her."
Style Show '34.

MOOREHEAD, WAYNE (Not Graduating)

MORRISON, ELAINE
"Few have mastered an instrument
so well."

Agora '35; Orchestra '33, '34, '35;
"Rainbow" Orchestra '34; Orchestra Concerts '33, '34, '35;
Glee Club Pianist '33; Library
Staff '33; Office '35; First Aid
Room '34; Decanois '34, '35;
Amateur Typing Team '35; Orchestra June Commencement '35.











MILLER, DALE R.
"I am not bound to please thee by
my acts."
Rotaro '34, '35; Observer '35; Tennis '34, '35.

MILLER, PHIL

"Honors are but silly toys, I know, And titles are but empty names.".

Hi-Y '33, '34, '35; Social Committee '34; Forum '33, '34, '35; Social Committee '34; Vice-President '34; Prose Club '33; Honorable Mention Review Story Contest '34; Radio Club '34, '35; Glee Club '34, '35; Usher Spring Festival '34; Treasurer '34; Vice-President '35; Vespers '34; 'MIle. Modiste' '35; Host at Inter-Society Banquet '34; Observer Circulation Staff '33, '34; Circulation Manager '34, '35; Floral Committee.

MONROE, CHARLES
"The secret of success is the constancy of purpose."
Rotaro '34; Mask and Wig '35; HiY '34, '35; Debate '34, '35; Usher
at Class Play '34; Orchestra '33,
'34, '35; Orchestra Concerts '33,
'34, '35; Mid-Year Commencement Usher '34.

MORRIS, ADRIAN
"Nothing succeeds like success."

MOSS, KENNETH
"A friend to everyone alike."
Football "34.

MUNCH, MILDRED "She is a quiet girl—at times."
Deliberators; Glee Club.



MUNSTERMAN, VIRGINIA "Work makes happiness."

NELSON, FORREST " Many a man has won success with the captivating smile and the glad hand."

glad hand."

Observer Staff '33, '34, '35; Honor Certificate '33; Silver Delta '34; Usher for Senior Commencement '34; Observer Auditorium '34; Usher for P. T. A. Play '34.



NICCUM, ESTHER "An outburst of silence."

NORTH, JUANITA "A quiet girl-a wonderful friend."



OAKES, JANE

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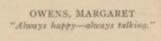
"Great 'oakes' from little acorns
grow."

Aristos '33, '34; Treasurer '34; Le
Cercle Francais '34, '35; President '35; High Honor Certificate
'33, '34; Silver Delta '34; Junior
Constitutional Comm. '34; Nominating Comm. '34; Nominating Comm. '34; Nomini34; Ring and Pin Committee '34;
Decanois Editorial Staff '35; Telephone Committee for "Mile. Modiste".

O'DELL, MOLLIE "Slender as a young vine." Aristos '33, '34; Sergeant-at-Arms '33; Agora '35; Inter-Society Entertainment Committee; Swastika '32, '33; "Cross Stitch Heart" '33; First Aid Room '33; Pierrot '33, '34; "Mile, Modiste" '35.



OSBORNE, EUGENE "He's a good fellow, and all the fellows like him." Hi-Y; Track '34, '35; Usher at P. T. A. Plays.





OZEE, RAYMOND "Determined in purpose, honest in point of view." Rotaro '34; Honor Certificate '34.

PARKS, DELMONT
"A rare combination of fine scholarship and good sportsmanship."

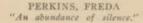


PECK, MAXINE (Not Graduating)

PELPH, JANE
"Of raven locks."



PENTER, LEROY
"The less there is learned the less there is to farget."





PETERS, ELIZA ANNE
"A mirthful girl, one that delights in life."

PETTEE, HORACE
"The world belongs to the
energetic."

Forum '33, '34, '35; Honors '34;
Senior Dues Collector '34, '35;
Ring and Pin Committee '34; Constitutional Committee '34; Cancercle Francais '35; Hi-Y '35;
"Mlle. Modiste" ticket sale; Hi-Y Treasurer '35; Nominating Convention '34.



PEVERLY, JOSEPH
"We know what we are, but not what we may be."

Forum '34; Observer '34, '35; Usher Mid-Year Commencement '34.

PFEIFER, VIOLA "She speaks for herself."



POGUE, ELLA MAXINE
"The mildest manners and the
gentlest ways."

POTTER, WILLIAM
"When fun and homework clash,
Let homework go to smash,"
Football '31, '32, '33.

PRITCHETT, JAMES
"A good man-and, indeed, a small package."

PUSEY, MARY LOUISE
"If silence were gold she'd have
millions."

QUINLAN, BETTIE
"The only way to have a friend is
to be one."

Junior Art League '34; Art Auditorium '34; Decanois Editorial
Staff '35.

RAMSAY, ROBERT
"A sprinter in the race of life."
Track '34, '35.



POWELL, STANLEY
"Napoleon was a little man too!"
Band '33, '34, '35; Activities '33,
'34, '35; Athletic Auditorium '35;
Orchestra '33, '34, '35; Glee Club
'33, '34, '35; Spring Musicale '33,
'34; Christmas Vespers '33, '34;
"Mlle Modiste" '35; Hi-Y '33,
'34, '35; Secretary '34, '35; Social
Committee '34; Sergeant-at-Arms
of Senior Class '35; "The Romantic Age" '35.

PRUITT, MARJORIE

"Man delights me not."

Le Cercle Français '34; Agora '34,
'35: Sergeanta-t-Arms '34; Junior
Art League '34; Reporter '34; TriY '33, '34; Prose Club '34; Decoration Committee '34; Social Committee '35; Program Committee Inter-Society '34; Decoration Committee Inter-Society '35; Honor Certificate '34; Art Auditorium '34; Ticket Committee for 'Mlle, Modiste' '35; Decanois Collection Committee '35,

PUTMAN, LYLE
"I guess I'll go along this time."

QUINN, MARTHA
"Even a single hair out of place
casts its shadow,"
Tri-Y '33; "Mlle. Modiste" '35.

RANDALL, MYRNA
"As merry as the day is long."

REED, DON
"Not threatened with brain fatigue
though swift on foot."
Track Team '34; Big 12 Meet; District Meet.

REED, JACK
"To be merry becomes one."
Band '35.

RHODES, HAROLD
"For e'en though vanquished he
could argue still."
Hi-Y '33, '34, '35; Football '31, '32,
'33.



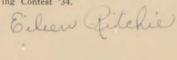
REID, ROSEMARY
"Neatness personified."
Chairman of Floral Committee '35;
Decanois Staff '35.



ROBERTS, DARRELL
"I could call him a quiet man, but
ah, I know him too well,"



RITCHIE, EILEEN
"The warmth of genial courtesy."
Junior Art League '34, '35; Treasurer '35; Lincoln Turkey Drawing Contest '34.



ROBINSON, BEN
"He is as sober as a judge."
Football '32, '33.



ROBERTSON, JUANITA
"From care I am free."
"Mile. Modiste" '35.

RODERICK, GROVER
"Forward and frolic glee was there,
The will to do, The soul to dare."
Glee Club '33, '34, '35; "Oh Doctor!" '33; Spring Musicale '33,
'34; Vespers '33, '34.



RODGERS, EDWARD
"A greater talker may be no fool."

ROGERS, E. NEIL

"A man of affairs was he."

"Order of the Boiled Owls" '33;
Usher June Commencement 34;
Stage Manager '32, '33, '34, 35;
Decanois Auditorium '34; Debate
Club '32, '33, '34; Pierrot '32, '33;
Forum '33, '34 '35; Directory Jr.
Business Manager '34; Decanois
Jr. Business Manager '34; Decanois
Business Manager '35; Directory Business Manager '35; Delegate to I. S. H. S. P. A.

ROST, LEWIS (Not Graduating)

SANDBERG, EVELYN
"Some things come, and some things
go, but I go on forever."
Orchestra '33, '34, '35; Tri-Y '33;
Review Story Contest '34; Mid-Year Commencement Orchestra
'35.

SCHERER, KATHRYN
"A quiet manner often covers a likeable girl."

SCHWALBE, ERNEST F.

'He's the same yesterday, today,
and forever."











ROSS, RUTH
"To do, to be, to go and to see, Is the wish toe have in life for thee."

Agora '32, '35; Secretary '33, '34; Pierrot '32, '33; Secretary '32, '33; Mask and Wig '32, '35; Secretary '33; President '34; Prose '32, '33; Secretary '33; Glee Club '32, '35, '34; Vespers '32, '33; Spring Musicale '33, '34; '0h! Doctor!" '33; 'Mille Modiste '35; Inter-society Contest, Dramatic winner '32, '34; Second Interpretative '33; Inter-society Banquet '33, '34, '35; Decanois Photographer Mgr. '34; Asst. Editor '35; Decanois Auditorium '33; French Club '34; High Honors '33, '34; Silver Delta '34; Office '33, Jr. Floral Committee; Big 12 Dramatic Reading '34; Observer '32; Jr. Dues Collector '33; Senior Constitutional Committee; Senior Play Committee.

SABOTTKA, FREDERICK
"As straight as any plummet line,"

SAYRE, DORIS
"Clever in many ways and good to look at."

look at."

Agora '33, '34, '35; President '35; Pierrot '33, '34; Mask and Wig '34, '35; Treasurer '34, '35; Inter-Society Contest '33, '34, '35; Press Conference '33, '34; Observer Auditorium '33, '34; Observer '33, '34, '35; "Mlle. Modiste" '35; Lincoln Essay '35; "The Romantic Age"; Junior Treasurer '34; Silver Delta '34; Honors '33.

SCHLIE, WALTER
"An unextinguished laughter shakes
the skies."

Hi-Y '34, '35; Football '33, '34; Track '34, '35; Usher June Commencement '34; Mid-Year Commencement '35; Jr. Nominating Committee; Cap and Gown Committee '35; Honors '34, '35.

SCHWALBE, LORENA
"You write with ease, to show your breeding."
State Shorthand Contest '34; Honor Certificate '33, '34.

SCARDELLO, ROSE
"Congenial, loyal and adaptable."

SELLERS, HARVEY
"We have here a man—The kind twe like to know."

Forum '32, '33, '34, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms '32; Parliamentarian '33; Debate '32, '33, '34; "Order of the Boiled Owls" '33; Pierrot '32, '33; Glee Club '32, '33; "Mile. Modiste" '35; Christmas Vespers '33; Observer Business Staff '32, '33; Advertising Manager '33, '34; Observer Auditorium '33; Business Manager '34, '35; Photographer for Observer Movies '33, '34, '35; I. S. H. S. P. A. '34; "The Romantic Age" '35.

SHAIN, BERDENE
"Speak not but what may benefit
others or yourself; avoid trifling
conversation."

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SHAW, HOMER "Perseverance keeps konour bright."

SHELL, ELEANOR
"A small bundle—gobs of fun."
Glee Club '33, '34, '35; Treasurer
"35; Agora '33; Spring Festival
'34; Easter Program '34; "Mile.
Modiste" '35.



SMALLWOOD, EILEEN
"Her only books were he-men's
looks."

G. A. A. '32, '33, '34.

SMICK, CHARLES
"An athlete, yes, and a good sport,
too,"
Hi-Y '34, '35; Football '33, '34;
Letter '34; "D" Club '35.



SMITH, DUANE W.
"Let the world slip by, I'll take it easy."
Basketball '31, '32; Track '33.

SMITH, EARLE "Little, but oh my!"



SMITH, MARGARET
"An extraordinary girl with an oftheard name."

Junior Constitutional Committee '34.

SMITH, RICHARD

"The man that loves and laughs must sure do well."

Glee Club '33, '34, '35; Librarian '34, '35; Pierrot Club '34, '35; Spring Musicale '34, '35; Vespers '33, '34; 'Mile. Modiste' '35; "Merchant of Venice' '32; Track '33, '34; Usher Commencement '34, '35; Spanish Play '33; Sr. Social Committee.

SPELBRING, LOIS "She doesn't give us a chance to know much about her."

SPICER, DOROTHY

"She is spiced with variety." Aristos '33, '34; Pierrot '33; Tri-Y '33; Dramatics '33, '34; Library Staff '33, '34, '45; Christmas Art Exhibit '34; Telephone Committee for "Mile. Modiste" '35.



SPRECKELMEYER, ELSIE "To the bonds of matrimony." Aristos '32, '33; Observer Book-keeper '33, '34; Filing Clerk '34, '35; Circulation Staff '33, '34, '35; Style Show '34.

STAUDER, DOROTHY "Her stature tall-I hate a dumpy woman,"

Honor Certificate '33, '35; High Honor Certificate '34; Office Staff '53; Christmas Art Exhibit '32, '33; Art Institute Exhibit '33, '34; "Rainhow" '34; Jr. Asst. Art Editor Decanois '34; Chalk Draw-ing for Rotaro '34; Christmas De-corations in Trophy Case '33, '34; Telephone Committee '35.



STIMMEL, JEAN "Few knew her as she really is." Aristos '35; Inter-society Contest

STOUTENBOROUGH, SUZANNE 'Tho' she's long, she's pretty long.'

Mask and Wig '34; Le Cercle Fran-cais '34, '35; Review Story Con-test '33; Jr. Constitutional Com-mittee '34; Cap and Gown Com-mittee '35.



STRATMAN, RICHARD "Too tall to walk under his own umbrella." Junior Constitutional Convention '34.

SWARM, PAUL

"Resolve to perform what you ought, perform without fail what you resolve."

resolve."

Forum '33, '34, '35; Press Reporter '34; Vice-President '35; Inter Society Contest '34, '35; Winner of Oration '34, '35; Inter Society Dinner Dance Speaker '35; Glee Club '33, '34, '35; Christmas Vespers '33, '34; Easter Services '33, '34, '35; Spring Musicale '33, '34, '35; Spring Musicale '33, '34, '35; Spring Musicale '33, '34; Double Quartette '34, '35; Mille Modiste' '35; Jr. Constitutional Convention '34; Jr. Nomination Committee '34; King and Pin Committee '34; King and Pin Committee '34; Ring and Pin Committee '35; Orchestra '33; Annual Concert '33; Big 12 Oration '34, '35; World's Fair Auditorium '33; P. T. A. Speaker '34; Decanois Staff '34, '35; High Honor Certificate '33, '34; Silver Delta '34.





SWARTZ, CARL

"A cheery "Hi" for everyone."

Forum '32, '33, '34, '35; Sergeantat-Arms '33, '34; Treasurer '34, '35; Social Committee '34, '35; Inter-Society Dinner Dance '34, '35; Jr. Ring and Pin Committee '34; Usher Commencement '34; Observer Business Staff '33, '34, '35; Observer Movies '34, '35; Observer Movies '34, '35; Observer Social Committee '35; "Mille Modiste" Ticket Committee '35.

SYFERT, EDITH "Not sad, just quiet."

TARTER, HUGHES
"The man who tries will achieve
success."
Glee Club '33.

TONEY, BYRON "Well fed and feeling fine."

VAHE, LUCILLE
"Cheerfulness is a sunny ray of
life."

VAN DEVENTER, VIRGINIA
"To know her is to love her."

Le Cercle Francais '34, '35; Glee
Club '33, '34, '35; Secretary '34;
"Oh Doctor!" '33; Spring Festival '34; Social Committee Ir.
Class '34; Usher at Orchestra and
Band Concery '34; "The Rainbow"
'34.



TADDY, CLARA
"Quiet manners oft cover a likeable
Le Cercle Français '33,

TEARNAN, CLYDE
"A gentleman of precision."
Tennis '34.

UHLER, RALPH "He worked quietly, but well."

VANCE, ROBERT

"Genias is 90 percent hard work."

Rotaro '33, '34, '35; President '34, '35; Vice-President '33; Treasurer '35; Deliberators '33, '34, '35; President '35; Secretary '34; Sergeant-at-Arms '34, '35; Mask and Wig '34, '35; President '35; Sergeant at-Arms '35; Observer '34, '35; Assistant Sports Editor '34; Sports Editor '35; Hi-14' '35; Inter-society Contest '33, '34, '35; Chairman Floral Committee Jr. Class '35; Inter-Society Banquet Sueaker '35; Usher Commencement '34; "Order of the Boiled Owls" '34; Dues Collector Sr. Class '35; Manager Tennis Team '34; First team Debate '34, '35.

VAN HALL, DOROTHY
"Dots and dashes in the gayety of
life."
Swastika '33, '34.

VIRDEN, HAROLD "Not too quiet-!"

WALRAVEN, GEORGE

"A great man is made up of qualities that meet or make great occasions."

Hi-Y '33, '34, '35; President '35;

Treasurer '34; Co-Manager of Ping-Pong Tournament '35; Chairman of Toy Drive '35; Forum '34, '35; Parliamentarian '35; Inter-Society Contest '35; Winner of Extemporaneous Speaking '34; Toastmaster of Inter-Society Banquet '35; High Honor Certificate '33, '34; Silver Delta '34; Usher June and Mid-Year Commencement '34, '35; Reserve Football '33; Track '34, '35; Sports Editor of Decanois '35; Sergeant-at-Arms of Jr. Class; Treasurer Sr. Class; Student Mgr. of 'Mlle. Modiste'; Constitutional Committee of Senior Class.

WATTS, HELEN LOUISE
"She is not made for a dull life."
Pierrot Club '31; Observer Auditorium '32; Usher for "Hearts to Mend" '30; "The Romantic Age" '35; Library Staff '34.

WEILEPP, JEAN
"Individualistic."

Social Committee '34; Floral Committee '35.

WHITSITT, ELIZABETH "That wear-ever stability."



WAITZ, ELLEN
"A levely lady."

Swastika '33; Agora '35; "Oh Doctor!" "Mile. Modiste" '35; Girls'
Glee Club '33, '34, '35.

WARE, LAWRENCE "A happy medium."

WEBB, LORRAINE
"Always out for a good time."

WETZEL, RICHARD
"Liked by one and all."

High Honor Certificate '33; Silver
Delta '34; Observer Staff '34, '35;
Usher June Commencement '34;
Radio Club '35.

WILLIAMS, ELIZABETH
"Society is the happiness of life."
Mask and Wig '34, '35; Secretary
'34; Observer '34, '35; Observer
Auditorium '34.

WILSON, RICHARD "Neat? Yes, always."

WINHOLTZ, MARGARET
"Alteays good natured and friendly."

WOLCOTT, EUTANA
"Come and trip it as ye go,
On the light fantastic toe."

On the light fantatic toe."

Pierrot '32, '33; Junior Art League '34; Le Cercle Francais '34; Mask and Wig '35; Agora '35; "Oh Doctor!"; "The Rainbow"; Class Day '33; Junior Art League Dance '33; Junior Dance '33; "Mlle. Modiste"; Christmas Art Exhibit '34; Spring Art Exhibit '32, '33, '34.



WOODWARD, WINIFRED
"Laughing tips and eyes beaming
with good nature,"
Le Cercle Francais '34, '35.

WRIGHT, PEARL
"A quiet maid content to let life
run its course."

Junior Ches Club.



WRIGHT, BILL
"A jolly good fellow."

Golf '33, '34; Observer '34; Decanois '34, '35; Big 12 Golf Meet '33; Usher June Commencement '34.

YORK, BOB
"A man well versed on subjects that
interest him."
Rotaro '33, '35; Deliberators '35; Jr.
Art League '33; Hi-Y '34, '35;
Waverly Debates '35.



YOUNG, ANNE
"Some think this world for fun and
folly, and so do I."

Pierrot '30; Usher for "Hearts to
Mend"; Observer Auditorium '30,
'34.

YOUTZ, GUINEVERE
"Quiet she seemed and sparing as
to words."



JAMES, MARY BETH
"A nice little, dear little sweet
little girl."

Junior Art League '34, '35; Christmas Art Exhibit '33, '34; Spring
Art Exhibit '34, '35; Decanois
Staff '35.

ADAMS, CATHERINE
"A girl we'll not forget."

Junior Glee Club '33; Tri-Y '33.

BARTLETT, BETTY
"Not on easy terms with worry."

BULLOCK, ROBERT
"It's quantity that countsNot quality."



BUTT, HOWARD

DASH, ROWENA
"To be merry best becomes you."
Office '35.



DAWSON, EILEEN
"Why be solemn?"

Swastika '33; Tri-Y '33, '34, '35;
Aristos '33, '34; Glee Club '33, '34, '35; Christmas Vespers '34; "Mlle. Modiste" '35.

DUDLEY, MAYNARD (Not Graduating)



DU VALL, DORIS (Not Graduating)

FARRAR, GERALDINE
"Fair as a star when only one is
shining in the sky."



GARVER, DAN
"Capable, reliant, and always ready
to do his share."

BULLARD, DON
"Willing to give his utmost."
Band '32, '33, '34, '35.



BURGETT, EUGENE
"A kindly heart and happy ways."
"Mile. Modiste" '35; Junior Glee
Club '35; Track '33, '35.

CRICKMAN, BOB
"Laugh and grow fat,"
Honor Certificate '33; Football '33.



CRUSE, CALLIE

"Here's a type—athletic efficient."

G. A. A. '34, '35; Sergeant-at-Arms

'34; Point Secretary '35; Socker

'32; Hockey '32; Soft Ball Team

'32, '33, '34; Captain '34; Volley

Ball '32, '33, '34; Captain '34;

Baskethall '32, '33, '34, '35; Captain '35; Tumbling Team '33, '34;

Bowling '35.

DAVIS, HAROLD
"A mind serene in difficulties."



HARSHBARGER, GEORGE
"A friendly sort of fellow."

Basketball Usher '32, '33, '34; Usher
For "Merchant of Venice" '32.

HAYES, LESTER
"He's rather hackward about coming forward."

Basketball '33, '34; Hi-Y '34, '35; Rotaro '35.



"She was so quiet when we spied her."

HUGHES, WALTER
"He was the mildest mannered man."
Band '35.



KLINE, DAVID "Prodigy of learning."

LITCHENBERGER, DORIS
"Solitude sometimes is the best society."

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LYONS, CHARLES
"Bluffer! Not Charles—he has an alibi."
Band '32, '33, '34, '35; Concerts.

McWILLIAMS, BURT "Silence is often advantageous."



MERRILL, DEAN
"Just uninterested."
Band '33, '34, '35; Concerts; Hi-Y
"33, '34, '35.

MOORE, R. L.
"If tall he'd be handsome,
Being small, he's cute."



SALISBURY, EVELYN
"Goodness is beauty in its best
estate."

SCHROEDER, DORIS
"I fear there is mischief in those
dark eyes."

Pierrot '32, '33; Mask and Wie '33;

Pierrot '32, '33; Mask and Wig '33; Aristos '33; Secretary: Inter-Society Contest '33; Orchestra '32, '33, '34; Annual Concert '33, '34.



WALDEN, CLIFFORD

We knew we could depend on him."

Asst. Bookkeeper Observer Staff.

BANKS, CARROLL JUNE
"Be to her virtues very kind,
Be to her faults a little blind."

BELL, NADINE
"We know little of you but what we know is good."

BRADFORM

BANKS, CARROLL JUNE

BRUMASTER, HELEN "I laugh, for hope has happy place for me."

> BURROUGHS, JEANNE "Slove and easy."

CENTNER, BERNARD "Paint me as I am."

CONNER, MARY "Deeds, not words, ore needed."

DEIBERT, DALE "You can't keep a good man down."

EAGLETON, VIOLET "She is a bit untranslatable."

EDWARDS, GENEVIEVE "Miss Harper's right hand."

GLENN, WILLIAM "We scarcely knew you but we liked you."

HENDERSON, KEITH "A likeable fellow whose like we seldom find."

HORNBACK, ROY "Just one of the boys who sleeps in the auditorium."

KANAKIS, MARIE "Another dark haired maiden."

KARNAS, WILLIAM "He laughs at comedy-he is human." "My hour will come to me." KEILMAN, EDWARD

LUCAS, EARL "I hald the world but as the world."

MATTISON, ELRUS "A man is no more than he tries to be."

MUCKER, MARY CATHERINE "Nothing endures but personal qualities."

O'RILEY, LESTER "I think your name is Irish."

PIER, JOHN "To understand him you must know him."

> PRICE, MALCOLM "By the work one knows the toorkman."

RICHARDS, TOM "Light of foot and light of spirit."

RIEWSKI, MARTIN "I wish I could solve any problem as easily as one in Math."

ROBERTS, NORMA "We link her name with the violin."

STRONGMAN, JACK "Don't worry over troubles it never broke a date yet."

THOMAS, LAURA ROSE "A friendly nature—the same to all."

TRUEBLOOD, GLENN "I never care about tomorrow."

WATSON, BERNARD "A fool there was, but it was not me."

WATTS, HELEN MAE "A still tongue makes a wise head."

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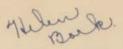
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Collins, Virginia Connors, Marjorie

Creg. Harold Daeschlin, Dorothy























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Coombe, Jack Corbridge, Henry Clay

Daugherty, Margaret Davis, Eileen

Dawson, Henrietta Deichman, Leonard

Diller, Winifred

Dixon, Merlin

Dudley, Ella Mary Duerr, Elizabeth

> England, L. Stanford Erving, James

> > Flesher, Betty Foltz, Carl

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Lackey, Earl Long, Dorotha



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McCarley, Eugene McDaniels, Russell

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March, Jack Meadows, Edna

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Nelson, Virginia

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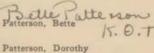


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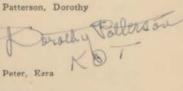












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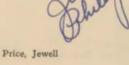
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Helen Doan

Roos, Pauline

Rusk, Verle Ryder, Alberta

Schudel, Eleanor

Seibert, Charles

Shaw, Jack Shiveley, Marvin

Spence, Doris Spires, Thomas

Stivers, Dorothy Jane

Stocks, Homer

Bette Jurner Turner, Betty

VanDeventer, Lois

Wilson, Maxine Wittke, Ruth













Rucker, Mary Alice Ruddock, Teadola

Sanders, Betty Schroll, Juetta

Sibthorpe, Jeanne

Sims, Thelma Melma

Slocum, Anne Smith, Melvin

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Wright, Dorothy

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Joan Mahanin

CLASS OF 1937 COUNCIL

For the first time in Decatur High School, the sophomores organized their class. The executive body is made up of a group of students called "The Student Council",

In their meetings they not only have business discussions, but they also have special programs. This consists of musical numbers, readings, etc. The sophomores also organized a sort of booster section to sit together at basketball games.

The class published a small paper for its members. This, too, is a new idea in our high school.

SOPHOMORE COUNCIL



Back row: McClimans, Flynn, Loeb, Shelton.

Center row: Weaver, Adams. Churchill, Trueblood, Knuth, Leonard, Lichtenberger.

Front row: Bechtal, Hamilton, Kalins, Flora, Jones.

Adams, Jane Aitken, Cordelia

Atwood, Opal Bafford, Lucille

Beane, Mary Beane, Sarah

Bowers, Mary Virginia Bowman, Glenn

Carey, Frances Jane Casey, Virginia

Clifton, Norma Cline, Lucille

Cooper, Jeanette Cornick, Shirley

Davis, Charlotte Davisson, Lavonne



Chasteen, Roger Clayton, Eva Lee

Cole, Pauline Collenberger, Violet

Diller, Alfred

Crane, Alice

Cushing, Marie

Edwards, Naomi
Eiserman, Edna
Evans, Janet
Fender, Ruby
Flynn, Ruth
Foster, Clarke

Galka, Marlene Garvin, William

Green, Thelma
Guffin, Irene

Gunkle, Dorothy Jane Hales, Roy

Hammer, Matt

Himstead, Beatrice Restrict Himstead



England, Marshall Engle, Lawrence

Flora, Walter Flynn, Richard

Fox, Robert

Gaddis, Marion

Gillette, Mari Gould, Vivian

Grove, Marion

Jarel Hamilton Kai Hamilton, Janet

Hamman, Roberta

Hayes, Martha Haynes, Philip

Hill, Betty Hinz, Wilma Jane

Bitty Kill

Hinton, Sarah Huston, Barbara

Johnson, Mari Jayne

Jones, Helen

Helen James

Kiefer, Robert

Knight, Joyce

Lewis, Marguerite

Lichtenberger, Beulah

Logan, Betty

McGerwan, Betty

Mackey, Lois

Magill, Robert

Mederia, Helen

Moeller, Jane

Morgan, Lucille

Morgan, Neal















Lanier, Betty Lyon, Barbara



McKinley, Walter McMurry, Ruth



Martin, Shirley Mathers, Dorothy







Moorehead, Lee

Murfin, Walter

Myers, Anna Mary

O'Dell, Dawn Odor, Muriel

Peckert, Annetta Prick, Mary Katherine

Pusey, William Saling, Thelma

Schlie, Carolyn
Sellers, Virginia

Siegman, Elizabeth Silkey, Dorothy

Smith, Earl Smythe, Evadne

Stivers, Susan Jane Stookey, Nancey

Swim, Erma Syfert, Eileen



















Niccum, Fern Noble, Dorothy Jane

Prather, Mary Jane Prince, Roswell

Jarothy Schaaf. Schaaf, Dorothy

Schaub, Garey

Shippy, Helen

Simpson, Betty Ruth Skelley, Norma

Snider, Billey Staples, Idell

Surface, Dorothy Swim, Wilma

Thornell, Dorothy Thompson, Joan

Townsend, Mable

Trueblood, Mabell

Weis, Gail

Westervelt, Margaret

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Veech, Geraldine

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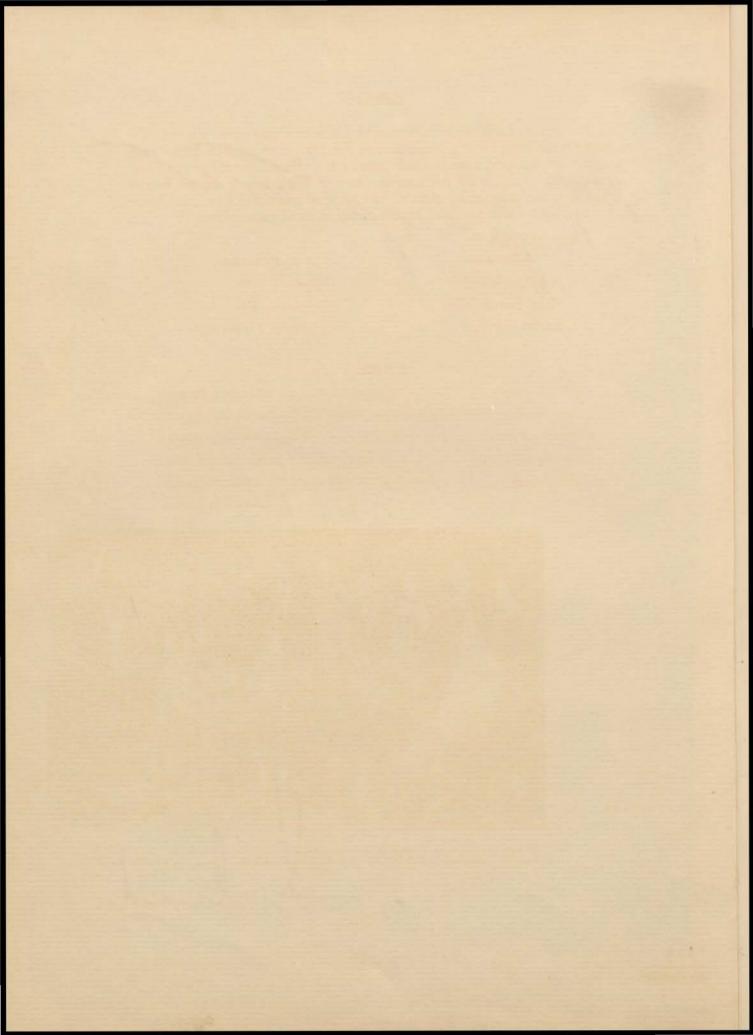
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DEBATE

The Debate Club has been unusually active this year. The club has debated Macon twice, was a participant in the Blackburn College Invitational Debates at Waverly, Illinois, and battled the Illinois State Champions at Jacksonville. Out of all the schools, Decatur High School ranked fourth, which is a fine showing considering the hard competition. Last year Decatur High School won the third place pennant in an all-state meet. on The alan

The first team is:

Affirmative

Jack Muhlenbruch Mary Hester Allen Robert Vance

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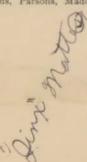
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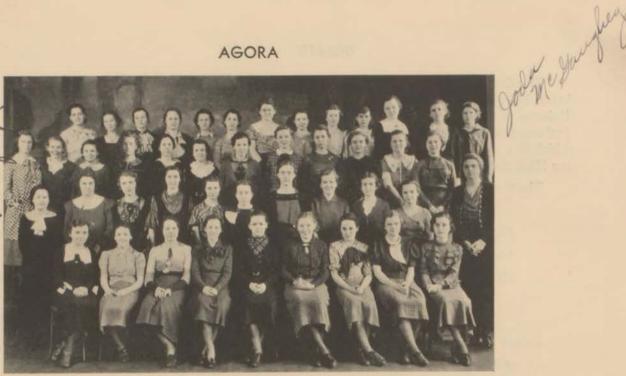
OFFICERS

Robert Vance	President	. Elizabeth Bennett
Albert Hunter	. Vice-president	Charles Livingston
Catherine Norman	Secretary	Monroe Meador
Elizabeth Bennett	Treasurer	Mary Hester Allen
Jean Sibthorpe	Sergeant-at-Arms	Jean Sibthorpe
Jack Norman		Robert Vance



Sitting: Priest, Meador, Livingston, Bennett, Allen. Standing: Romanus, York, Sibthorpe, Richards, Parsons, Maddis, Monroe, Mullenbruch, Vance.





Top row: Simpson, Hamilton, Sibthorpe, Morrison, O'Dell, Herman, McClure, Waitz, Stoukey, Grossbeck, Derr, Kuhus, McGaughey.
Third row: Wolfehope, Schaaf, Kiefer, Ashley, Neisler, Horton, Chaille, Watson, Chrisman, Connors, Hugenberger, Wolcott.

Second row: Riley, Allen, Collins, Lang, Harris, Bobb, Knotts, McMurry, Duerr, Rentch, Yoder, First row: Rohrbaugh, Fraser, Prather, Sayre, McKeown, Woodson, Ross, Robinson, Diller.

Agora is a society for girls interested in literature. Its objectives are: To promote taste for good literature, to study essay writing, to become efficient in the use of parliamentary law, to improve English, and to improve general culture.

The first semester of the club was devoted to preparation for the intersociety contest. Ruth Ross placed first in the dramatic event of this contest. One of the most interesting subjects of the year was the study of famous novels and authors. Three motion pictures, "The Barretts of Wimpole Street", "David Copperfield", and "The Last Gentleman", were attended by the so-

In addition to the literary achievements of the society, the members assisted at the Decatur Day Nursery during the Christmas holidays. The second semester was opened by a rushing tea in the high school dining room.

Under the able direction of Miss Yoder, Agora has had a successful and colorful year.

Jessie McKeown President D	oris Sayre
Bette PattersonVice-presidentMary Jan	ne Prather
Ruth Ross Del	ina Fraser
Sue Woodson Treasurer Sue	Woodson
Marjorie Pruitt Sergeants-at-Arms Veva	Robinson
Harriett Gilbert Wini	fred Diller
Elizabeth Duerr English Critic Marjorie	Rohrbaugh
Doris Sayre Parliamentarian Paulin	e Herman

ARISTOS

Aristos is an organization which strives to increase interest in literature among the girls of Decatur High School.

During the first semester, preparations were made for the intersociety contest. Aristos was represented by Joanne McDavid, Jean Stimmel, Thelma Sims, Betty Grubbs, and Beatrice Dickman. Joanne McDavid won the interpretative reading event. In order to promote interest in good literature, "The Last Gentleman" and "David Copperfield" were attended. The main topics of discussion consisted of short stories, authors, novels, current events, and modern personalities. The interesting personalities included Katherine Cornell, Thomas Macaulay, Mother O'Brien, and Oliver Wendell Holmes.

The social function for the first semester was a party given at Christmas time. Toys were sent by the members to Toyland. At the beginning of the second semester a "Winter Wonderland" tea was held for the incoming sophomores. Miss Helen Stapp is the adviser.

Jean Hambright President Joanne McDa	vid
Virginia MoyerVice-president Jean Hambrig	ght
Dorothy Dixon Secretary Jean Lig	ght
Margaret Allen Treasurer Beatrice Dickm	ian
Jean Light	elt
Janet Kunz Press Reporter Nettie Don	nel
Ellen Gardner Sergeant-at-Arms Dorothy Dix	on
Janice FrechSocial Chairman Margaret Al	
Joanne McDavid English Critic Betty Grul	
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Top row: Silky, Cushing, Schlie, Holmquist, Bullard, Mucker, Dunn, Kelly. Third row: Moyer, Lang, Hinton, Ackerly, Calvert, Adams, Bennett. Second row: Cooper, Frech, Veech, Leonard, Eagleton, Cashen, Good, Chenoweth, First row: Stapp, Donnel, Gardner, Hambright, McDavid, Dixon, Westervelt.

FORUM



Back row: McKeown, Walraven, Morris, Beck, Swarm, Pettee, Cottrell. Second row: Garvin, Huffer, Sellers, Odor, Brink, McGill, Oakley. First row: Hess, Meador, Lyon, Grummon, R., Kelley, Grummon, D., Morgan, LeMarr.

Forum is the oldest of the boys' societies of Decatur High School. The club has years of fine records behind its name which the members intend to maintain and excel in the future. Last year Forum accomplished what no other literary society ever succeeded in doing. By winning the Deam Cup for three consecutive years, the society gained its permanent possession. This year Forum won third place in the close-scoring inter-society contest. Two of the contests were won by Forum, oration and extemporaneous reading.

Mr. Paul LeMarr is adviser of the society.

Harris Beck	President	James Hess
Phil Miller	Vice-president	Paul Swarm
Albert Hunter	Secretary	Monroe Meador
Carl Swartz	Treasurer	Paul Lyon
Errol Odor	Sergeant-at-Arms	Richard Grummon
John McKeown		William Kelley
Harvey Sellers	Parliamentarian	George Walraven
Paul Swarm	Press Reporter	Harris Beck

ROTARO

Rotaro Literary Society has experienced a successful year. The club won the inter-society contest of 1934 from Agora by one-half point. So close was the competition between the two societies that Rotaro wished to share the honors with Agora. The chief aims of the society is to improve the public speaking and the literary knowledge of its members. This is accomplished by oral reports and speaking within the club. During the year several speakers addressed the society among whom were Mr. White, Mr. Sprunger, and Mr. Robinson of Millikin University.

Miss Romanus is the adviser of Rotaro.

Robert Vance President Robert Vance
William Armour Vice-President Straley Heaton
Jack March Secretary Jack March
Straley Heaton Treasurer Tom Richards
J. W. Maddis J. W. Maddis
Charles Monroe Charles Monroe
Parliamentarian Robert Ellison



Top row: Branel, Arnold, Campbell, Flynn, York, Livingston, Gustin, Croucher, Acton. Second row: England, Kick, Hayes, Davis, Lindberg, Walker, Deffenbaugh, Durkie, Graham. First row: Burns, Richards, Heaton, Vance, March, Elson, Monroe.

INTER-SOCIETY CONTEST



Joanne McDavid Interpretative





Straley Heaton Humorous





Paul Swarm Oration

George Walraven Extemporaneous

The inter-society contest of 1934 was an unusually close-scoring one. Rotaro won the contest by a margin of one-half point above Agora when the final scores were summed up. Forum literary society, although winning two of the contests, received third place, when Aristos placed fourth.

Rotaro is the first society to gain possession of the new loving cup which Mr. Sayre procured for the contest. This cup is offered under the same conditions as the Deam Cup, to be gained permanently when a society wins it in three consecutive years. Forum won the Deam Cup permanently last year.

The contests were judged alternately by Mr. and Mrs. McNabb of Milli-kin University.

THE PRINCIPAL'S CUP

Mr. Deam, who was principal of the Decatur High School before Mr. Sayre and who is now a teacher in the Joliet Township High School, started a tradition among the literary societies during his administration in our school. Each year an intersociety contest was to be held. Agora, Forum, Aristos, and Rotaro were to be the contestants. Humorous reading, extemporaneous speaking, dramatic reading, oration, and interpretive reading were to be the subjects of the contest. The object of the contest was to promote friendly rivalry among the literary societies. The society winning the greatest number of points in the contest each year was to have its name engraved upon a beautiful silver trophy cup. If any society won the contest three years in succession, the cup was to be-

come the permanent possession of this society.

Last year Forum won the contest for the third consecutive time and the Deam Cup became its property. For this year's contest, Mr. Sayre presented a cup to be held under the same ruling as the Deam cup.



MASK AND WIG



Top row: Heaton, Hess, Deffenbaugh, Meador, Grummon, Black, Sibthorpe. Second row: Light, Allen, Rentch, Wolcott, Duerr, Hugenberger, Eichman, Smith. First row: McDavid, Brown, Ross, Vance, McMurry, Sayre, Dickman.

Mask and Wig is the dramatic club of Decatur High School Students open to second semester juniors and all seniors. The past year has been devoted to oral reports on current Broadway productions and one-act plays directed and acted by the members. Some of the plays given were: "Joint Owners in Spain", "Masks", "Knight of the Piney Woods" and "Cupid's Trick".

Mr. Wells of the National Recreation Association spoke before the two societies on puppets and puppet making. He demonstrated with his own puppets to the delight of the club.

Miss Fike acts as adviser of Mask and Wig.

Ruth Ross	President Robert Vance
Esther Chodat \	Vice-President Barbara McMurry
Elizabeth Williams	Secretary Eleanor Brown
Doris Sayre	Treasurer Doris Sayre
Straley Heaton Se	rgeant-at-Arms James Hess
P	arliamentarian Joanne McDavid

PIERROT

Pierrot, the drama club for sophomores and first semester juniors has given several one act plays this last year. Aptly enough two Pierrot and Pierretto plays were given. "The Maker of Dreams" by Oliphante Downe was acted by Walter Flora, Margaret Allen, and Leland Akers. Walter Flora, Elizabeth Duerr, and Walter Obermeyer had parts in "Hearts to Mend" by Harry Overstreet. Both were directed by the adviser of Pierrot, Miss Gorham.

The club together with Mask and Wig heard Mr. Wells of the National Recreational Association lecture on puppets. Many of the members attended the dramatic classes conducted by Mr. Wells.

Joanne McDavid	President		Walter Flora
Walter Flora V	ice-Preside	nt	Jeanette Riley
Jean Light	Secretary	I	Patsy Wolfhope
Walter Obermeyer	Treasurer	Wa	lter Obermeyer



Top row: Leonard, Hayes, Cashen, Magill, Dickison, Ellison, Hewitt, Kush, Bailey. Second row: Prather, Powell, Shaw, Hawkins, Good, Stookey, Holderby, DeWolfe. First row: Draper, Wolfhope, Flora, Riley, Campbell, Cornicle.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB



Back row: Grossman, Shell, Light, VanDeventer, McMurry, Ellars, Maurer, Faught, Hambright, Waitz, Heckel.

Third row: Rentch, Dawson, Kyie, Phillips, Messick, Miller, Bobb, Dean, Kiefer, L. VanDeventer, Denz.

Second row: Karelas, Daeschlin, Kortum, Patterson, Rucker, Keas, D. Allen, Sellers, Dotson. First row: Mertz, Ernst, Dickman, Brown, Pease, Dickey, Holmquist, Geiger.

The Girls' Glee Club is an organization similar to the Boys' Club. It meets every Tuesday with Miss Adelaide Pease as adviser. Each semester new talent is discovered at the tryouts for membership. Those who have vocal ability and are interested in singing are eligible for the tryouts.

Some of the favorite compositions the girls sing are: "Angels O'er the Fields" by Davison, "Rain" by Curran, "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair" by Haydn, and "Dark Eyes" by Treharne.

The girls in the Double Quartette, Norma Dotson, Ada Marie Heckel, Eleanor Brown, Beatrice Dickman, and Elsie Arnold, rehearsed the songs for the All State Chorus with five boys. The Double Quartette sang for several auditoriums, the Lincoln program, the Inter-Society Contest program, and the members gave several selections on the Glee Club Concerts.

Although both clubs accomplished a remarkable piece of work separately, as a unit they achieved a well-deserved record. Three large programs were given this year: The Christmas Vesper Service, the opera, "Mlle. Modiste", and the Spring Concert.

Eleanor Brown	President	. Eleanor Brown
Elizabeth Geiger V		
Virginia Van Deventer	Secretary	Bonnie Ernst
Eleanor Shell		
Bonnie Ernst		
Rowena Dickey	. Pianist	. Rowena Dickey

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

The Boys' Glee Club has progressed to a great extent this year under the direction of Miss Adelaide Pease. Although this was Miss Pease' first year at Decatur High School, with the cooperation of all the boys she presented several beautiful programs throughout the year.

The club sent five boys: Kenneth Black, Paul Swarm, Frederic Hachett, Errol Odor, and Francis Rogier to the All State Chorus in Champaign last November. It is a great honor for Decatur High School to have five boys accepted since only two hundred boys and girls are selected from seven hundred schools in the state.

The club meets only one day a week, but a great deal is accomplished in that short period. Some of the most beautiful compositions they sang were: "Water Boy" by Robinson, "Street Fair" from "Sketches of Paris" by Manning, and "The Galway Piper" by Fletcher.

The club meets jointly with the Girls' Glee Club the last three days of the week. Kenneth Black acted as student director.

OFFICERS

Kenneth Black	. President Arthur Kay
Errol Odor	Vice-President Phil Miller
Albert Schwalbe	. Secretary James Hess
Phil Miller	. Treasurer Straley Heaton
Richard Smith	. Librarian Richard Smith
Rowena Dickey	Pianist Rowena Dickey



Back row: Morris, Knott, Snider, Hachett, Davis, Butt, Davidson, L. Shaw, Hess, J. Shaw, Roderick, Garvin.

Third row: Stark, Morris, Huffer, Flora, Dunker, Price, McKeown, Crandall, Richards, Bramel. Second row: Powell. Beck, Swarm, Sandberg, Miller, Fesler, Rodgiers, Kline, Joys, De Frees. First row: R. Smith, Heaton, P. Miller, Black, Pease, Dickey, Kay, Odor, Hill.

MLLE, MODISTE



CAST OF CHARACTERS

Fifi Maria Karelas
Henri De Bouvray, Comte De St. Mar Harris Beck
Capt. Etienne De Bouvray, his nephew Kenneth Black
Marie Louise, Etienne's sister Mary Jane Prather
Lieut. Rene La Motte, engaged to Marie Louise Francis Rogier
Mme. Cecile, proprietress of a Parisian hat shop Eleanor Brown
Fanchette and Nanette, her daughtersYvonne Masterson, Betty Lee Rentch
Gaston, an artist, Mme. Cecile's son Errol Odor
Francois, porter at Mme. Cecile's James Hess
Hiram Bent, an American millionaire Paul Swarm
Mrs. Hiram Bent Beatrice Dickman
General Le Marquis De Villefranche Straley Heaton
Bebe, dancer at Folies Bergere Eutana Wolcott
Market Boy Stanley Powell

Milliners

Norma Dotson Aleen Messick Bette Patterson Dorothy Allen Ada Marie Heckel Virginia Sellers Betty Grubbs Lois VanDeventer Barbara McMurry

Jack Shaw Kenneth DeFrees Lauren Shaw David Kline Jeanette Miller Kathryn Holmquist Ella Mae Bobb Jean Hambright Marian Kortum Elizabeth Geiger Jean Light June Phillips Ellen Waitz

Soldiers

Ray Fesler Frederic Hachat William Davis Herbert Joys Eleanor Shell
Evelyn Faught
Eileen Dawson
Evelyn Maurer
Mary Alice Rucker
Juanita Ellars
Nedra Keas
Winifred Diller

Billy Snider Garnder Miller Otto C. Keil, Jr. Dudley Davidson Specialty

VillagersMariel	Odor, Betty	Weaver, Martin	Hill, John McKeown
"Prima Donna"	*******		Carolyn Hilligoss
Romance		Dorothy C.	annon, Harvey Sellers

Waltz Chorus

Dorothy	Crippen
Charlotte	Denz
Dorothy	Bowman
Eleanor	Schudel

Mary Jane Ives Lorraine Harris Jack Coombe Carl Anderson Arthur Kay Harvey Sellers Walter Flora Robert Morriss

Doris Sayre Ruth Ross Hat Dancers Martha Quinn Mollie O'Dell

Footmen

Sue Woodson Juanita Robertson

Phil Miller Martin Hill Bernard Huffer Richard Morris

James Knott

Norman Oakley Tom Richards Jack Bramel John McKeown Richard Price William Dunker Eugene Burgett Robert Morris William Garvin

Ballet
Dorothy Crippen
Charlotte Denz
Dorothy Bowman
Lorraine Harris

Flower Girls Doris Sayre Ella Mae Bob Eileen Dawson Winifred Diller

Cigarette Girls Nedra Keas Jeanette Miller Marian Kortum

The climax of the work of the combined glee clubs was the presentation of Victor Herbert's comic opera, "Mlle. Modiste", under the direction of Miss Adelaide Pease and Miss Edna Robertson. Performances were given on March 26, 28, 29 to capacity houses.

There were eighty-nine in the cast including fourteen principals and choruses of milliners, soldiers, footmen, dancers, and flower and cigarette girls. Leading parts were taken by Maria Karelas as "Fifi", Kenneth Black as "Captain Etienne", Harris Beck as "Count Henri de Bouvray", Eleanor Brown as "Mme. Cecile", Errol Odor as "Gaston", Paul Swarm as "Hiram Bent", and Beatrice Dickman as "Mrs. Hiram Bent".

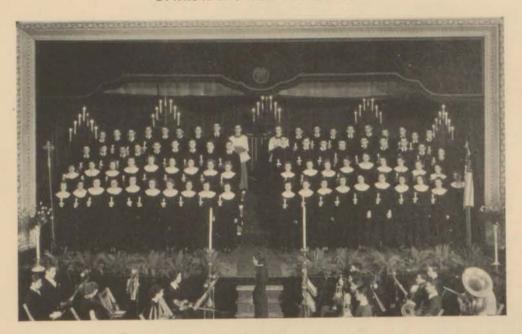
The setting of the first act was Mme. Cecile's Parisian Hat Shop. The pastel costumes against the gold and silver background made the scene most colorful. Special lighting effects added to the beauty of the dance numbers. The French military uniforms worn by the soldiers lent zest to the picture. The first scene of Act Two was laid in the count's dining room where the Footmen were dressed in bright red uniforms. The last scene was the Charity Bazaar in the moonlit garden of the Chateau de St. Mar. Gaily decorated booths and elaborate Japanese lanterns gave charm to the festive occasion where the guests were entertained with songs and dances.

The characterization was extremely well-handled and the musical effects were very beautiful. Some of the outstanding numbers were; "The Time and the Place and the Girl", "Kiss Me Again", "I want What I Want When I Want It", and "The Mascot of the Troop".

ACT I
Overture Orchestra
Opening Chorus
When the Cat's Away the Mice Will Play
Ensemble
The Time and the Place and the Girl
If I Were on the StageFifi
Love Me, Love My Dog
Hats Make the Woman Fifi and Milliners
Finale Ensemble
ACT II (Scene 1)
PreludeOrchestra

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Sum	nun Bonum Mascot of th	******	******		Etie
The	Mascot of the	e Troop.		Fifi and	Sold
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CHRISTMAS VESPER SERVICE



The most impressive presentation of the year by the combined glee clubs was the annual Christmas Vesper Service. The clubs were assisted by a string and woodwind ensemble, a brass choir, and a clarinet quartette from the high school orchestra. Kenneth Black and Ada Marie Heckel were soloists, and the Double Quartette gave special numbers.

Some of the outstanding numbers on the program were: "In Mirth and in Gladness" by Niedt; "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones", a seventeenth century German Melody, arranged by Fisher; "Beautiful Savior", a twelfth century melody, by Christiansen; "Oh, Blest Are They" by Tschaikowsky-Cain; "Virgin's Slumber Song" by Reger; and a special arrangement of "Silent Night" by Gruber-Wetzel.

This year the program of beautiful sacred songs was brought to a close by a recessional, a fitting close for this service.

JUNIOR CHORUS

The Junior Chorus, under the direction of Miss Pease, is a new organization this year. The boys meet on Monday as a Junior Boys' Glee Club and the girls meet on Tuesday as a Junior Girls' Glee Club. The two groups meet together the rest of the week and form the Junior Chorus. The purpose of this organization is to train singers for the mixed Chorus and to take care

of the overflow from try-outs for that group.

A number of persons from the Junior Chorus took part in the opera. "Mlle. Modiste" and the entire group was combined with the Senior Chorus to sing for the Easter Sunrise Service at Nelson Park on April 21. The following numbers were sung on that occasion: "Unfold Ye Portals" by Gounod, "Listen to the Lambs" by Dett, and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" by Lutkin. The climax of the year's work was the performance of the cantata, "Lore from the Saga of Eric the Red" by Paul Bliss.

OFFICERS

JUNIOR GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

Barbara McMurry President Betty Grubbs
Alice Crane Vice-president Muriel Odor
Virginia Sellers Secretary Cordelia Aitken
Philippa Craig Treasurer Violet Collenberger
Ruth Montgomery Librarian Betty Ruth Simpson
Jack Price Juanita Russell

JUNIOR ROAZ, GLEE CLUB

Walter Flora	President	. Archie Norton
Dale Buckley	Vice-president	Robert Sylvester
Robert Ellison	Secretary	Otto C Kail Ir
Howard Gilmore	Treasurer	Tack Price
Ed Kodgers	Librarian	Ed Rodgers
Jack Price	Pianist	Jack Price
Ed Kodgers	Treasurer Librarian	Ed Rodgers



Barbera

Back row: Roderick, Gilmore, Ellison, F. Campbell, Moran, Lampkin, Anderson, C. Campbell, Rodgers, L. Campbell, Moorehead, Coberly, Flynn.

Fourth row: Meece, C. Foster, Sylvester, Price, Kush, Bailey, R. Foster, Norton, Rucker, Buckley, Burgett, Penwell.

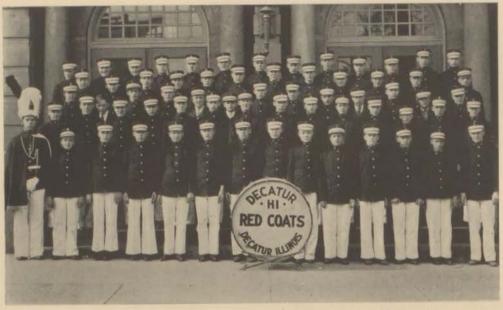
Third row: Hague, Watson, Maronto, Harris, Odor, Stookey, Russell, Mullen, Diller, Moronteras, Alwood, Vahe, Pfeifer, Mason, Eiserman.

Second row: Hamilton, Hawkins, Dawson, Grubbs, Prather, Johnston, Allen, Laskowski, Krumsiek, Simpson, Leonard, Holderby, Munch, Pease.

Front row: Johnson, McLernon, Heinkel, Aitken, Rubican, Gilnok, Grospitz, O'Dell, Collenberger, Screeton, Strocher, Weis.

Screeton, Strocher, Weis.

REDCOAT ROSTER



Flute and Piccolo Dalbert Eglin

Clarinets

Russell Larsen
Jack Cooper
Frank Curry
Joe Flowers
Glenn Dombroski
Lyle Musick
Irvin Baker
Jack Reed
Aldwin Morris
Leonard Deichman
Scotti Williford
Junior Goodwin
Leonard Ritchard

Alto Saxs

Bill Vest Roy Hales

C Melody Sax

Clark Constant

Cornets

Earl Huff Robert Fox Wilbur Smith Robert Broadbear Robert Hedden Charles Lyons Robert Kruzan Lawrence Engle Danny Garver Paul Calamello Robert Meadows Melvin Rentschler Austin Oglesby Wilbur Ammann Ernest Durnil

Tenor Horns

Don Bullard Verlin Newman

Trombones

Paul Dalamas Robert Kiefer Robert Thimens Don Moyer Koven Smith Kenneth Crouch Edward Ewing Roswell Prince Reo Dial

Baritones

Walter Hughes Dick Curtis Maurice Bafford

Basses

Stanley Powell Karl Barrett Howard Williams George Reynolds Gleason Bishop Dean Merrill Milton Jensen Bill Ryan Edward Rodgers Maurice Steele Ralph Vineyard Robert Shelton

Horns

Fletcher Carson Frank Scardello

Drums

Alpha Morris Maurice Bentz Jack Coombe F. A. Walker Alex Van Praag Walter McKinley Thomas Scanlon Walter Tertocha

REDCOATS

The band of Decatur High School under Mr. Rex Rees' supervision has completed a year full of development and activity. As in former years the Redcoats played at all basketball and football games. They gave the team encouragement during intermissions with our school songs and some popular selections.

Robert Shelton, majestically maneuvering his baton, led the band in letter formation both of our school and the rival team.

The band cooperated throughout the year with school functions. Their programs included:

G. A. A. Tumbling Team auditorium St. Teresa's opening basketball game Numerous auditoriums

Earl Huff again filled the position of student director when Mr. Rees was unable to attend.

The annual Band and Orchestra Concert was a fitting close for the season. "Cabins" is an American rhapsody of modernistic version by Gillette. William Vest dedicated his saxophone solo, "My Regards", by Llewellyn, to his father. The modern tone poem "Vistas" by Gillette was dedicated to the Redcoats who have died. Walter Emch, head of the Theory department in the Millikin Conservatory, acted as guest conductor of his composition "Redcoat Alumni", specially written and dedicated to all former Redcoats. The closing number was "Headlines" by Carlton Colby, dedicated to all Decatur newspapers and carriers. This is a modernistic rhapsody picturing an impressionistic reflection of the violent pact of modern life. The music reflects the pressroom, resounding to the rhythm of the daily human struggle, grinding out "Headlines" of war, fire, life, death, and crime; "Headlines"—the rhythm of life!

ORCHESTRA ROSTER



Violins

Norma Roberts
Phyllis Stevens
Delina Fraser
Virginia Neisler
Evelyn Sandberg
Norma Morenz
Alice Crane
Virginia Pritchard
Jeanette Cooper
Helen Beckett
Joe Flowers
Lily Conrad
Frances Preston
Lurene Rawls
Edwin Schiewek
Jack Shaw
Dan Garver
Irvin Grolla
Idelle Staples
Williard Huffman
Charles Monroe
Wilbur Amman
Harold Creg

Piano

Jessie McKeown Elaine Morrison Ellen Mai Grossman Melvin Rentschler Juanita Russell Celeste Maronta Betty Yates Gaile Manecke Flute Dalbert Eglin Joanne McDavid

Clarinets
Russell Larsen
Jack Cooper
Frank Curry
Glenn Dombroski
Lyle Musick
Aldwin Morris

C Melody Saxophone Clark Constant Dolores Barnett

Alto Saxophone Bill Vest Roy Hales

Tenor Saxophone Joe Flowers

Bass Drums and Bells Maurice Bentz

Tympani and Chimes Alpha Morris

Side Drum and Traps Alex Van Praag F. A. Walker Walter McKinley

Cornets

Earl Huff
Robert Fox
Wilbur Smith
Robert Broadbear
Robert Hedden
Robert Kruzan
Maurice Steele

Mandolin Warren Osborne Keith Overman

Maurice Bafford Darwin Spittler

Viola Reo Dial Cellos Frances Koch

Janet Evans Arch Norton String Bass Karl Garrett George Reynolds Horns

Fletcher Carson Frank Scarlello Robert Meadows Paul Calamello Junior Oglesby

Trombones

Paul Dalamas Robert Thimens Don Moyer Kenneth Crouch Edward Ewing

Tuba

Stanley Powell

ORCHESTRA

The orchestra brought a successful year to a close on May seventeenth and eighteenth with its annual formal concert. Three numbers were played. The first suite, "Prince Ador", by Cornelius Rybner consists of four lovely tunes. The story of this suite is of Prince Ador and Princess Beane who are lovers. Prince Ador rescues Princess Beane from danger by using a sceptre of a wicked fairy. As a token of his love he gives Princess Beane the sceptre. When the fairy finds this out she changes the princess into an ill-looking being, but Prince Ador gets help from a good fairy, and saves Princess Beane. The numbers of the suite are, "Dance of the Demons", "Dance of the Gypsies", "Pas de Deux", and "Ballabile". The second number on the program was "Poupee Valsante" by E. Poldini. This number is a solo for the flute and is very light and graceful. The third suite, "The Mississippi Suite" by Ferdie Grofe is a very modern number. The first number in this suite "Father of the Waters" portrays the majestic river rolling toward the Gulf. The second number "Huckleberry Finn" depicts Samuel Clemens character "Huck" with its tricky, lively rhythm. The next number "Old Creole Days" portrays the old South, and the last number "Mardi Gras" is a lively number describing the annual festival at New Orleans.

Mr. Rees began a new orchestra this year. This orchestra consists of twenty-five members chosen from the large group. They practice on Monday and Wednesday evenings, after school. Only dance music is studied. This orchestra, as well as the large orchestra, played at many public gatherings.



Top row: Schmitt, Richardson, Huston, Pieck, Hayes, Cashen, Flynn, Harp, Gunkle, Holderby, Collenberger.

Third row: Christianson, Churchill, Mathis, Swift, Spriggs, Wilson, Hayes, Hooper, Gilley, Hunter. Second row: Riley, Clark, Dawson, Parker, Reed, Bopp, Magee, Perkins, Wilkinson, Mallinson, Mc-Kinley.

First row: Rader, Arnold, Dixon, Brintlinger, Staples, Westervelt, Denz, Dotson, Cope.

Although only in its second year, Tri-Y Girl Reserve Club is rapidly becoming a leading organization of the Decatur High School. To better the ideals of its members, to be of assistance to the community, and to create friendship is the purpose of Tri-Y. The motto is "Find and give the best"; the slogan, "Face life squarely." The meetings are held every Wednesday evening at the Y. W. C. A.

Dramatics, handicraft, and folk dances were studied during the second semester. The social functions of the year included several pot-lucks, a banquet, and a rushing tea. On February 16 and 17, 1935, a state Girl Reserve conference was held at Peoria. Several members of Tri-Y attended the conference.

Miss Ecklund is the Girl Reserve adviser, and Miss Rader and Miss Cope are the high school advisers.

Norma Dotson	President Helen Brintlinger
Helen Brintlinger	Vice-President Dorothy Dixon
	Secretary Idelle Staples
Eloise Hugenberger	Treasurer Margaret Westervelt
	Sergeants-at-Arms Elsie Arnold
	Charlotte Denz

Hi-Y is an organization for the boys of Decatur High School. It is affiliated with the Decatur Y. M. C. A. and holds its meetings there on Wednesday evenings under the advisership of Mr. Nelson.

This organization strives to promote fellowship among its members and through its members to become a worthwhile force in high school life. This year the members conducted a Toyland at Christmas time, collecting and repairing worn and broken toys for needy children. Early in the spring they sponsored a ping-pong tournament open to all high school boys. On the evening of April 17th Dr. Melrose from James Millikin University spoke to the club and their faculty guests at a model meeting in the Men's Library at the Y. M. C. A.

OFFICERS

Joe Flowers	President George Walraven
Harold Rhodes V	Vice-President Straley Heaton
Stanley Powell	Secretary Tom Richards
George Walraven	Treasurer Horace Pettee
	. Chaplain Joe Flowers
Wilbur Smith Ser	rgeant-at-Arms Walter Schlie
Donald Grummon P.	arliamentarian Robert York



Top row: Price, Graham, L. Campbell, C. Campbell, Grummon, Flynn, Clear, Farr, Bramal, Hayes, N. Hudson, Ballinger, Kruzan, Eglin.

Fourth row: Howe, Jones, York, Monroe, Pier, Smick, Moore, Hinton, Mikner.

Third row: Woizeski, Rentchler, Vance, Miller, Green, Osborne, Pettee, Young.

Second row: T. Nelson, Powell, Cressler, Swartz, B. Davis, Johnson, Coleman, Arnold.

First row: Flowers, Heaton, Richards, Lindsey, Davis, Schlie, Garver, Deickhoff, Judy, Bailey, Galamback.

2 Amble



Top row: Thomson, Hinton, Hooper, White, Moyer, Himstead, Ward, Greer, Simon, Thornell, Swim, Grey, Williams.

Third row: J. Collins, Riley, Ambuehl, Muluehill, Fugate, Virden, Padrick, Riley, Casner, White.

Second row: Jones, Waller, Redmon, Simmons, Rambo, Spoon, Ledbetter, Ishmael, Tosh, Beck. First row: Miss Vance, Corrington, Witts, Cruse, Collins, Johnson, Livesey, Potter.

The Girl's Athletic Association is to stimulate interest in girl's athletics and gymnastics, and to standardize and promote ideals of health and sportsmanship.

During the first semester the girls practiced tumbling and played volleyball. In the second semester they practiced tumbling and played basketball. They gave a tumbling auditorium for students and one for P.T.A. on April 23.

This association each year gives awards for certain achievements. There is a first local award, a red D. H. S.; a second local award, an old English D, a first state award, a navy blue G. A. A. on a white I; and a second state award, a navy blue map of Illinois with G. A. A. on it.

Miss Vance is the adviser.

Margaret Brady President Faye Collins
Dorothy Beck Vice-President Kathleen Corrington
Wanda Johnson Secretary Wanda Johnson
Kathleen Corrington Treasurer Marian Livesey
Faye Collins Sergeant-at-Arms Roxie Witts
Callie Cruse Catherine Potter
Dorothy Schroat Point Secretary Callie Cruse

GIRL SCOUTS

The high school Girl Scout troop completed their second year with an overnight hike. The troop was organized in the fall of 1933. It is open to all high school girls but because of a national scout ruling the membership is limited to 32. This number has not yet been reached.

The organization should be of interest to both old and new Scouts. The program is sufficiently advanced to appeal to anyone interested in out of door work.

The most important functions this year have been the birthday party, the Mothers Tea, the hike for Johns Hill girls and the overnight hike.



Back row: Muffley, Staber, Banks, Yaegel, Turney. Front row: Grossman, Cloyd, Allen, Mucker, Dickey.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB



Top row: Daugherty, Sanders, Lewis, White, Ackerly, Clayton, Breeze, Osborne, Middle row: Herreid, Spence, Mohr, Bopp, Dyon, Parker, B. Parker, Bottom row: Slocum, Stivers, Nemyer, D. Stivers, Ball.

The purpose of the Home Economics Club is to acquaint its members more fully with home management and the leaders of home economics.

The club has been very active this year in social activities. A weiner roast was given at Fairview Park; a Valentine's tea was given in the high school dining room. Members of the faculty and special guests were entertained at a Christmas tea on December 18. The members, dressed as dolls, received their guests in the dining room. In addition several dances were sponsored by the club.

Projects for the semester included a peanut sale and the making of a scrap book. At one meeting a representative from the Purity Baking Company spoke on the making of fancy sandwiches. Another interesting event this year was a trip through the Purity Baking Company.

Miss Katherine Troutman is the adviser.

Jean Hobbs President Anne Slocum
Thelma Sims Vice-President Bernadine Nemyer
Annabelle Outten Secretary Dorothy Iane Stivers
Martha Osborne Treasurer Susan Stivers
Anne Slocum Social Chairman Dorothy Schaaf
Parliamentarian Christina Ackerly
Thelma Sims
Mary McCaughey Sergeants-at-Arms Dorothy Noble
Dorothy Schaaf Press Reporter Jean Hinton

JUNIOR ART LEAGUE

Junior Art League consists of students who are interested in art. Members of the regular art classes and honor students of Decatur High School only are eligible to membership.

Mrs. Maude Meyer, the adviser, hopes to develop appreciation of art among the members. To obtain this objective art of all nations and races was studied. This year modern art was studied. Several visits to the Art Institute were made this year to hear intersting lectures on exhibits of paintings, drawings, sculptures, and craftwork.

A Hallowe'en dance, "Graveyard Shivers", was held in the gym, and proceeds from the dance went to purchase a Philoo Radio for the drawing room. Elaborate decorations and a splendid floor show made this one of the outstanding dances of the year.

William Kelley President Harry Harper
Henrietta Dawson Vice-President Robert Morgan
Eleanor Schudel Secretary Henrietta Dawson
Kenneth Gandy Treasurer Eileen Ritchie
Robert Morgan Sergeant-at-Arms Harry Bloomquist
W. A. Dipper William Kelley
Dorcas Ward Parliamentarian Winifred Diller
Winifred Diller Press Reporter Kathryn Hershberger



Top row: Hershberger, Hinton, Schlie, Gaddis, Morgan, Moyer, Olsen, Calhoun, Second row: Banks, Weakley, Schively, Mrs. Meyer, Bloomquist, James, Madden, First row: Ritchie, Schudel, Kelley, Dawson, Harper, Diller.

RADIO CLUB



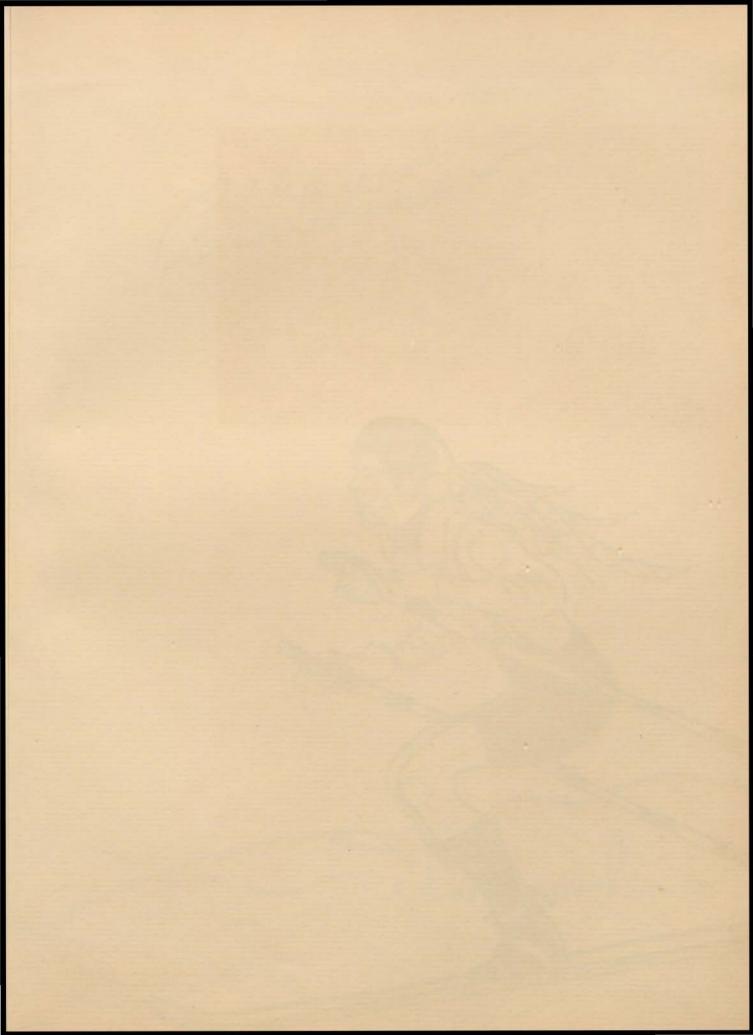
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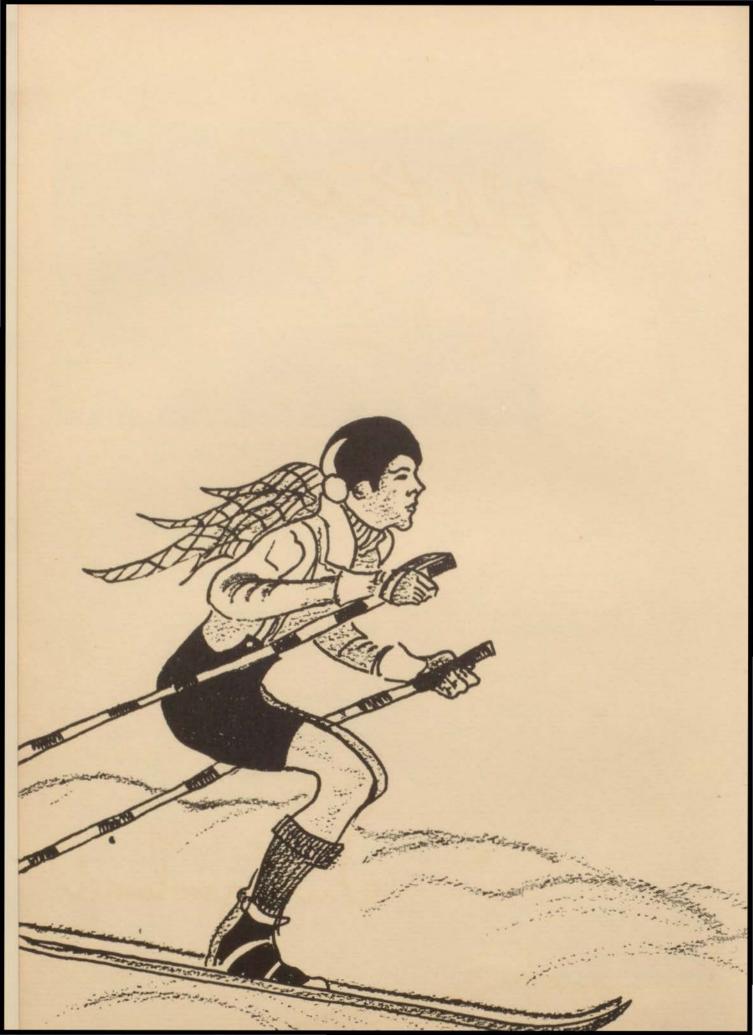
Radio Club is made up chiefly of physics students. It meets each Wednesday the ninth hour with Mr. Radcliffe as adviser,

The members of this club learn to give and receive Morse Code. They also learn to make different parts for radios.

The club gave an exhibit for the school this year. They also sent messages free of charge to all parts of the United States for the students or teachers.

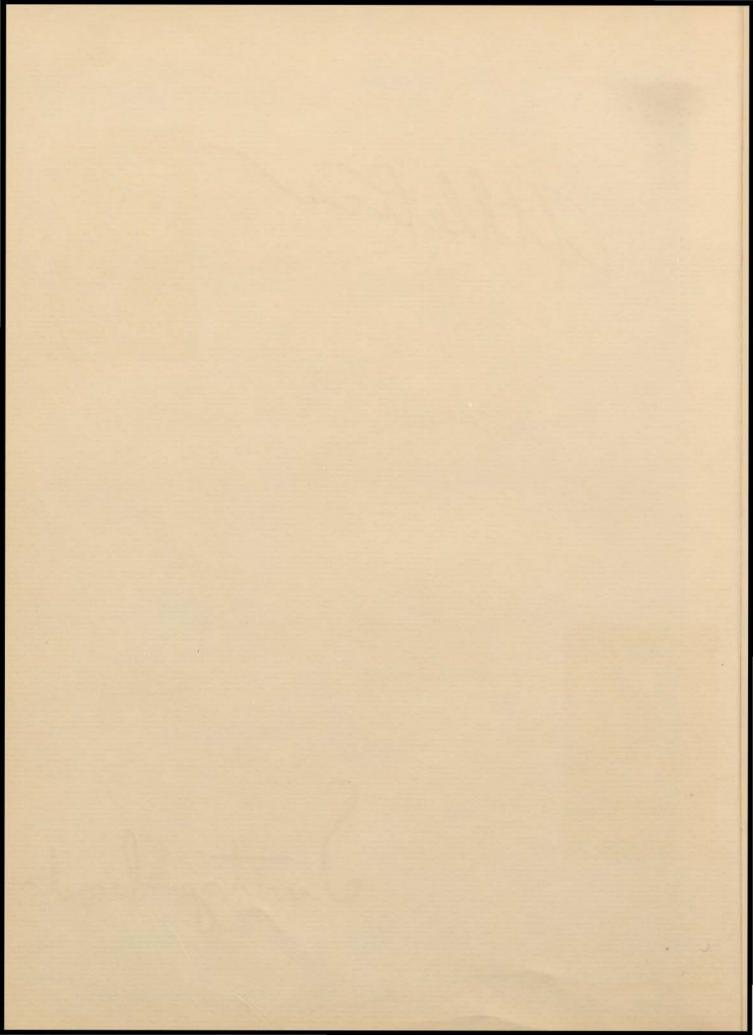
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Athletics

Switzerland



D. H. S. COACHES

COACH GAY KINTNER

Decatur has enjoyed another successful year in athletics under the coaching of Gay Kintner. This success is a reflection of the results Mr. Kintner has had with his teams since he began coaching. During the seven years that he has been at Decatur High School, his teams have won the Big Twelve tournament and the state championship. This year the Reds were runner up in the district championship, losing the final game by one point.

Mr. Kintner's success is due largely to his method of training. He teaches his teams the science of the game, instills in them team spirit, and he produces in them the desire to win. Not only does Mr. Kintner strive to build winning teams, but he also teaches them to play cleanly and sportsmanly.





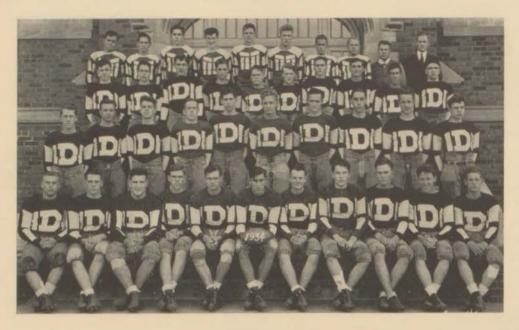
COACH FRANCIS WHITE

Much of Decatur's athletic success is due to Mr. White who serves as track coach as well as assistant to Mr. Kintner. Each fall Mr. White takes the sophomore candidates for football and drills them thoroughly in the fundamentals of the game. This training is evidently a great aid, as may be seen by the fact that it is nearly always the recruits from the reserves who furnish material for Decatur's teams.

Mr. White has produced outstanding track teams since he has been with Decatur High School.

Much of Mr. White's coaching ability was derived from his actual playing experience at the Illinois State Normal University, where he became a great athlete. While at that school he earned two letters in football, four letters in baseball, and a blanket, which is the highest award given at I.S.N.U.

FOOTBALL ROSTER



Quarterbacks

Aubrey Taylor Victor Cressler

Fullbacks

Charles Kinney Floyd Harrison

Tackles

Earl Crabtree Edward Delbridge Robert Ray Jack Smick Louis Grammer Leroy Crum Jack Galloway

Guard

Donald Grummon Straley Heaton Francis Markland John Pier Carol Ford

Centers

Neil Morgan Claude Inman Howard Gould

Halfbacks

Robert Gross Fred Pennington Victor Walters Jack Hurtt Guy Landers Clarence Kalins

Ends

Dale Deibert
Donald Moreland
Riley McDavid
Jack Coughlin
Sam Jones
Charles Ellis
Walter Schlie

FOOTBALL SEASON

Decatur High School Reds opened their 1934 football season away from home with a 7-0 victory over Centralia. The lone score of the game came in the first quarter as a result of a forward pass from Aubrey Taylor to Captain Deibert. Heavy rains before and during the game made it impossible for good ball carrying and ball handling.

The Red's first conference game was with Urbana. In spite of unfavorable weather Decatur's line plays worked well. Early in the third quarter, after a determined drive, Taylor went over from the one yard stripe for the only score of the game.

The third game was played in a sea of mud and water at Alton. After four rough hard fought quarters, the score still remained 0-0.

The next encounter was with Bloomington. The Red's title hopes received a severe jolt as a result of the excellent running of Al Nathan and Ben Swartz. Each scored one touchdown. The score was 13-0 for Bloomington.

The Red's third conference game was played against the unbeaten and unscored against gridders of Danville. Coach Whitesell's boys did not threaten seriously once, and Rusty Owens, sensational halfback, was stopped entirely. A "sleeper pass' to Captain Dale Deibert set the stage for the lone score of the game. Taylor carried the ball over and the try for the extra point was good. A crowd of 3500 people saw this game at Danville.

In the battle for city supremacy a hard fighting St. Teresa team held the highly favored Reds to a 0-0 tie. A touchdown pass to Brinkoetter, opposing end, was not allowed as he stepped out of bounds to make the catch.

In the last home game of the season, the Reds dropped a heartbreaking 7-6 decision to Charleston. The kick from placement for the extra point struck the goal post and this proved to be the difference between victory and defeat.

Finally after two postponements the Peoria Central game was played. The Reds fumbled and gave the game to Peoria 14-8. This game was the first without Chuck Kinney and he was sorely missed.

The Reds displayed a sensational fourth quarter passing attack in their encounter with Mattoon. The game tied with a 13-13 score. Taylor did most of the passing with Harrison and Hurtt on the receiving end.

The Decatur High School football squad closed its 1934 football season with the annual Springfield Thanksgiving game. Playing in the muddy Springfield ball park, the Kintnermen went down on the small end of a 52-0 score. Springfield's heavier and more experienced team proved to be too much for Decatur. However the Reds showed until the final whistle that they could take it.

FOOTBALL LETTERMEN

Dale Deibert

Dale was an outstanding captain; his offensive and defensive play was the feature of Decatur's line. For his great work he was chosen captain of the All Big Twelve Conference second team. He is a senior.

Charles Kinney

Although Chuck was not with us at the start or close of the season, he more than made up for this during the games in which he played. He was always the best defensive man of the field, and his blocking was nearly perfect.

Don Grummon

Don had an excellent season at guard this year. He was the fastest man on the team, and his speed was evident when he caught many ball carriers from behind. His services will be missed next year.

Floyd Harrison

"Streaky" played with the reserves last season but made good with the regulars this year. He excelled in off-tackle smashes. His services will be missed next year.

Earl Crabtree

"Speedwell" is another one of Coach White's graduates. Midway in the season he was shifted from the backfield to the line. He paired with Bob Ray at tackle. This was his last year.











Aubrey Taylor

Taylor played his last year for Decatur High at quarterback. He was the mainstay of the offense and his passing featured many of the games.

Straley Heaton

Straley ended his football career at Decatur High as a guard. He played his greatest game at Danville, and his defensive play was always outstanding. He was honorable mention for conference honors.

Claude Inman

Claude was the regular center this year. He rarely made a bad pass, and his defensive work was always good. He is a senior.

Robert Ray

Although Bob had just come up from Roosevelt, he made a great showing. He was a first string tackle all year. He will be back next year.

Jack Hurtt

Although Jack was unable to play in the first three games because of a shoulder injury, he made a great showing during the rest of the season. His passing and offensive play were outstanding. He will be missed next year.

FOOTBALL LETTERMEN

Donald Moreland

Although Don is a senior, this was his first year of foot-ball at Decatur High. Even though he was injured during most of the season, he participated in nearly all of the games.

Dorsey Humphrey

Dorsey injured his shoulder at the beginning of the season and was unable to play.

Francis Markland

"Marky" was a veteran of two years standing, but this year he got in enough quarters at guard to merit a letter. He is a senior.

Walter Schlie

"Walt" was injured most of the year and had very little opportunity to display his greatest asset—speed. When he was able to play, he did well. He is a senior.

Victor Cressler

"Vic" played his last year at quarterback. When he was on the field, he was always outstanding for his stubborn defensive work.











Fred Pennington

Fred was a fast and elusive ball carrier. He could always be counted upon for some sort of a gain. He will be back next year.

Robert Gross

Bob played the entire year at halfback. Although he was a good ball carrier, he excelled as a punter. In the Centralia game with a wet ball he punted three times over fifty-five yards.

Riley McDavid

Riley, who played with the reserves last year, was an end on the first squad this season. His aggressive, fighting spirit was a factor in his success. He will not be back next year.

Jack Smick

This was Jack's second season on the first squad at tackle. His even steady playing throughout the year was very characteristic. He is a senior.

John Pier

John was another guard who got his start with the reserves. His quiet earnestness marked him. He will be missed next season.

FOOTBALL LETTERMEN

Edward Delbridge

"Ed" was one of our tackles. His steady, dependable playing was a factor in winning. He is a senior.



Jack is another senior who finished his career as an end. He always fought to the last and never gave up.

Howard Gould

"Abe" played his last year at Decatur High as a center. His sincerity was his outstanding characteristic.



Charles Ellis

"Chuck" had hard luck last season because of injuries, but he returned this year and earned his letter at end. He will be missed next year.

Carol Ford

Carol got his start with the reserves but made good and played this year at guard on the first squad. He will not be back next year.



FOOTBALL SCORES

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BASKETBALL ROSTER

Centers

Joe Murphy Aubrey Taylor Jim Thompson Paul Weingand

Guards

Joe Murphy Aubrey Taylor Jack Hurtt Dale Diebert Bob Leipski Floyd Harrison Dale Cochran Guy Landers

Forwards

Robert Green Keith Henderson Everett Adams Scott Page Jack Hurtt Fred Pennington Edwin Reynolds



BASKETBALL LETTERMEN

Jack Hurtt

Captain Jack Hurtt was one of the most valuable men on the team. He proved his ability as a basketball player by making the All-conference team.

Dorsey Humphrey

Dorsey Humphrey was another one of the players that Decatur lost at the end of the first semester. For the first half of the season he was always fighting hard for the team.

Dale Deibert

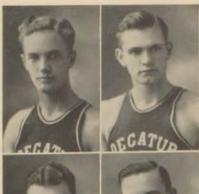
When Dale Deibert was on the floor he was always fighting for the ball. Many Decatur baskets were scored as a result of Dale's taking the ball from the other team.

Joe Murphy

Joe Murphy didn't play on the first team until the second semester, but he played a good game at center.

Dale Cochran

Dale Cochran, although he graduated at the end of the first semester, helped the team out a great deal. Dale was always in the thick of he game, giving his best.











Aubrey Taylor

Last year's captain, Aubrey Taylor was always a dangerous man for the opposing team to run up against. In losing Taylor at the end of the first semester, Decatur lost an excellent player.

Fred Pennington

Fred Pennington was the little boy who had such a good eye for the basket on one-handed shots. We are very fortunate in having "Freddie" back with us again next year.

Junior Thompson

Junior Thompson played a good game at center for the team this year. He will be back to help the boys out again next season.

Scott Page

Scott Page was that hard fighting little forward who played so hard for the team. Scott will not be back with us next year.

Everett Adams

Everett Adams was one of the last year's reserve players who proved to be very reliable to the team. Everett did most of his scoring for Decatur on long shots.

BASKETBALL LETTERMEN

Robert Green

Robert Green was another of last year's reserve players who made this year's varsity. Robert was a little man, but proved dangerous to his opponents by his expert ball handling and quick shooting.



Keith Henderson

Keith Henderson, a swift and nimble forward, is one of the seniors whom the team will miss next year. He also played on the reserves last year.

BASKETBALL SEASON

The Decatur High Reds opened their 1934-35 campaign on December 8th with an impressive 34-10 victory over the Illinois School for the Deaf. With four veterans and one newcomer in the lineup, the Reds presented a sturdy defense and a smooth offense. The outcome was never in doubt. Over 1200 persons witnessed the contest.

Bloomington: In their first conference start the Reds whipped Bloomington 21-16. Aubrey Taylor had a great night and rolled up 13 points.

Springfield: From the starting whistle to the final gun the Springfield game was a thriller. The Reds did well against their highly touted rivals and were ahead 14-13 with two minutes to play. However a one handed shot by Springfield's center decided the contest.

Bement: The night after the Springfield battle the Reds appeared again and defeated Bement 28-20.

Charleston: The Reds celebrated the Christmas holidays by trouncing Charleston 27-13. This avenged the heartbreaking 7-6 loss in football.

St. Teresa: A dazzling first half attack netted a 27-17 victory over St. Teresa. This win kept intact the Reds' record of never having lost an athletic encounter to their city rivals.

Peoria Central: Decatur dropped the next encounter with Peoria Central by a 33-29 count.

Canton: In the next game played at Canton, the Reds came from behind during the last half and won 17-15.

Urbana: Next the Reds whipped Urbana. The score was 21-18.

Charleston: In the next encounter the Reds again came from behind and in the last quarter overtook Charleston and won 27-23. The insertion of Fred Pennington in the last quarter provided the necessary scoring punch.

Mattoon: Decatur next turned back Mattoon by a score of 29-13. The Reds jumped to an early lead and the outcome was never in doubt after the first quarter.

Danville: The next game was with the league leading Danville team. The Reds made a great stand but finally lost 29-24. This was Danville's ninth straight victory.

Urbana: Urbana furnished the opposition for the next game. The Reds jumped to an early lead and piled up eleven points before Urbana finally tallied. The score was 39-24 for Decatur.

Beardstown: The following night the Reds fell before Beardstown by a score of 20-12. This was the last game for Aubrey Taylor, Dorsey Humphrey and Dale Cochran. With the help of these three basketeers the Reds' record at mid semester was ten victories against four defeats.

Brocton: The next game was a charity contest with Brocton High School. These visitors, who have one of the greatest records in the state, proved a little too much for the Reds and annexed an 18-17 victory. The boys who graduated during the week were sorely needed.

Bloomington: The Reds reentered Big Twelve competition and were defeated by Bloomington 20-19. This was the second game in a row to be dropped by a one point margin.

Rantoul: The night after the Bloomington game Rantoul was defeated

by Decatur 27-22.

St. Teresa: In a return game with St. Teresa the Reds were defeated 23-22. This was the first loss to our city rivals.

Mattoon: Mattoon next downed the Reds 30-24 and avenged their early season defeat.

Springfield: In this return encounter with Springfield the Reds were defeated 26-11. This was the Solons' ninth conference victory.

Quincy: In the last home game for the Reds, Quincy, defending state cheampions, defeated the local boys 29-21.

Edwardsville: The next game was a special encounter with Edwardsville. The Reds returned to form and downed the strong opposition 23-15.

Quincy: The Reds then traveled to Quincy and avenged their earlier defeat by whipping the state champions 24-23. The game was close throughout but Joe Murphy's free throw made the margin of victory.

I. S. D.: In the last scheduled game of the season the Reds flashed great

form to win from the I. S. D. 22-18.

District Tournament: The Red men romped through their first games in the district tournament by an easy margin, having only four field goals scored against them. However, they seemed to have spent their luck before their final game with Clinton. Clinton played a slow game to come out the winner of a hard fought 12-11 battle. The fans had plenty of thrills when Fred Pennington had three winning baskets drop in only to roll around and come out.

BASKETBALL SCORES

Decatur 34	I. S. D.	10	Decatur	39	Urbana	24
	Bloomington	16			Beardstown	
	Springfield	15			Brocton	
	Bement				Bloomington	
	Charleston				Rantoul	
	St. Teresa	17			St. Teresa	
	Peoria Central	33			Mattoon	
	Canton				Springfield	
	Urbana	18			Quincy	
Decatur 27	Charleston	23			Edwardsville	
	Mattoon				Quincy	
	Danville		Decatur	22	I. S. D.	18

TRACK

The Decatur High School 1934 track team was again composed of a fine group of athletes. Although the team as a whole was a little below the standard which the school usually maintains, it did make itself known as strong competition for other teams. From the first the squad was handicapped by the loss of their captain who received injuries early in the season. However, with a strong determined spirit they continued to fight for points in many meets.

Straley Heaton was the most consistent point getter of the team. He usually succeeded in getting a first or second in the shot or discus. Jack Kluburg and Malcolm Price also succeeded in placing in most of the meets.



Back row: Crabtree, Fesler, Coughlin, Todd, White. Second row: Landers, Salloga, David, Chenoweth, Royer, Price. First row: Lawler, Reed, Richards, Walters, Schlie, Heaton, Murphy.

MISS VANCE



Miss Edith Doloras Vance, teacher of physical training for girls, has finished her first year in Decatur High School. Miss Vance is a graduate of the University of Illinois. During her university life she took part in volleyball, apparatus, soccer, baseball, bowling, ping-pong, and tennis. For two years she was captain of her soccer team and for the same length of time captain of her apparatus team. In 1933 she not only won the singles championship in ping-pong but the doubles championship in bowling. The Women's Athletic Association awarded her the Gold Seal that same year for successful and consistent participation in activities.

Miss Vance was a member of Terrapin, honorary swimming organization, for three years. During the summer of 1934 she taught swimming at the Y. W. C. A. pool in Springfield, Illinois.

G. A. A. SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD



Achievements in girls' athletics, sportsmanship, scholarship and leader-ship—these are bases for the "G. A. A. Sportsmanship Award" presented each year to a senior girl.

Faye Collins was chosen this year because of the variety of her achievements. Not only should the girl be a leader, but she must also co-operate with her teachers and her classmates. And in all phases of G. A. A. work she should show herself to be a good sport. Faye has proved outstanding in all of these requirements. Besides her athletic ability, she has also maintained her scholastic standing.

Faye has served as president of G. A. A., has won the first and second awards, the state numeral and letter, and she has acquired her points consistently from year to year. She has been chosen as an all-around good sport.



VOLLEYBALL



SENIOR VOLLEYBALL First row: Beck, Cruse, Livesey. Second row: Brady, Johnson, Corrington.

There are three girls' volley ball teams, one for each class in school. In order to have a place on a team, a girl must have passing grades and practice twice a week for eight weeks. At the end of this term of practice the teams are chosen. Each girl qualifying is placed on a team and a tournament is held.

This year's tournament was played in November in the high school gymnasium after school hours. The method of conducting the tournament let the team having the most victories win. The winners were: first place, senior team; second place, junior team; third place, sophomore team.

Miss Vance is the coach for volley ball.



JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL First row: Ambuehl, Lichtenberger, Second row: Wright, Fugate, Koch.



SOPHOMORE VOLLEYBALL First row: Schiminski, Tosh, Atwood, Potter. Second row: Dickson, Smith, Witts, Schoof.

BASKETBALL



SENIOR BASKETBALL TEAM

Back row: Brady, W. Johnson, F. Collins, Front row: Lancaster, Cruse, Schroat.

Basketball is the major sport for the high school girls. A great deal of time and practice is required to prepare for the series of tournaments held each year.

About ten weeks is spent in tournament training. During this time each girl who wishes to be on a team must practice twice a week. Then three teams are chosen; a senior team, a junior team, and a sophomore team.

The round robin system of play was used in this year's tournament. The Senior team nosed out both of the other teams without much trouble.

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Miss Vance coached the girls and conducted the tournament.

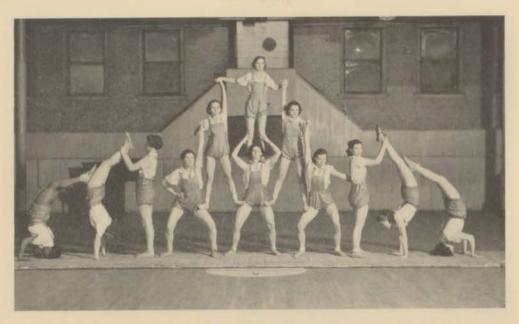


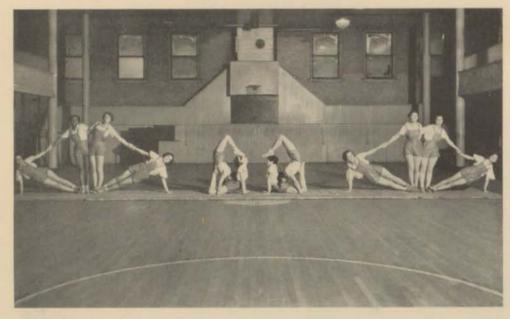
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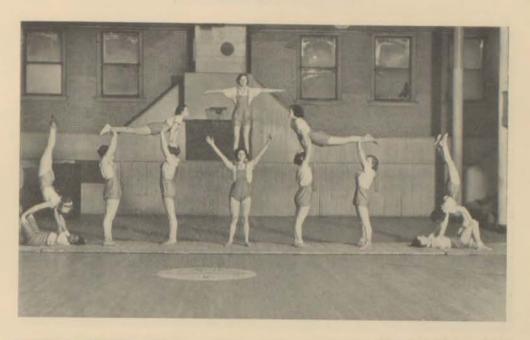
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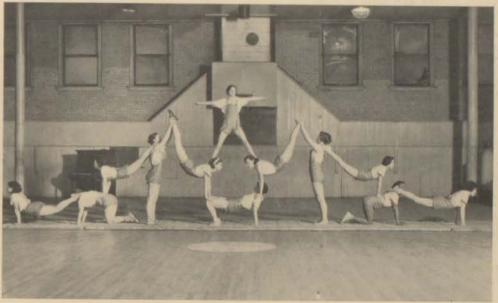




The advanced tumbling team is made up of thirteen girls. In order to be a member of the team the girls must be a member of G. A. A. Quite intensive practice is necessary in order to perfect the difficult stunts these girls perform.

The main program of the year by the tumblers was given late in the first semester. A double auditorium was held so that all students could enjoy the really professional entertainment. The same program was given for the P. T. A. in the spring.





The different pyramids formed by the girls are: "Human Span", "Balance Pyramid", "You Name It", and "The Big Stride".

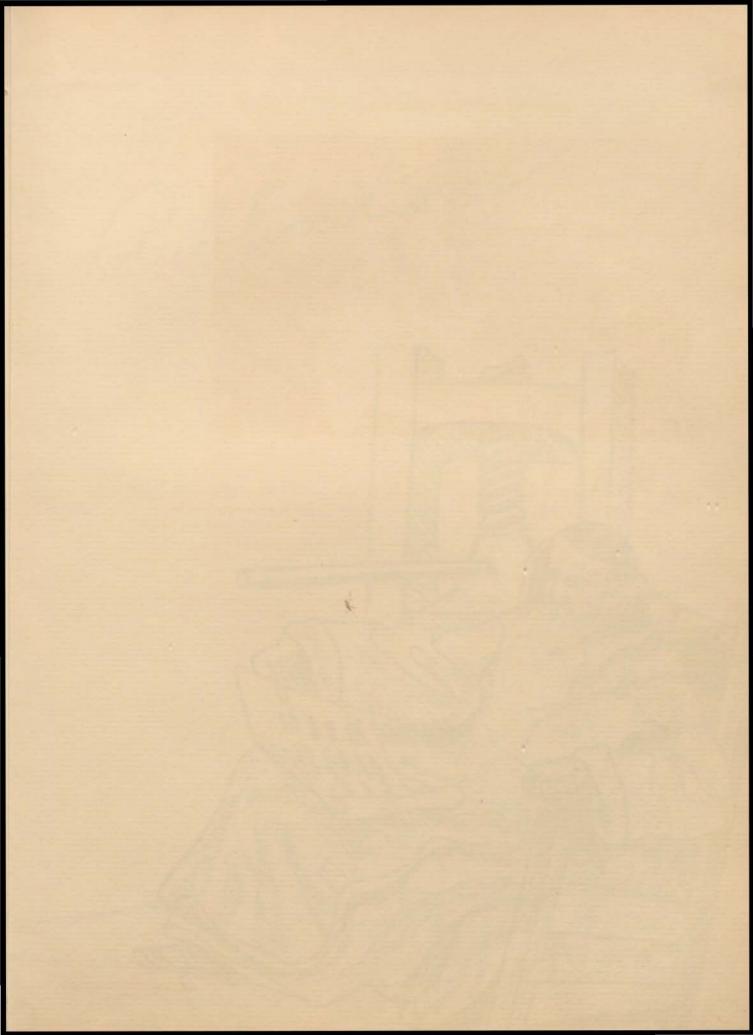
The members of the tumbling team are: Faye Collins, Dorothy Beck, Wanda Johnson, Dorothy Shroat, June Winholtz, Elaine Lancaster, Kathleen Corrington, Roxie Witts, Marjorie Ambuehl, Callie Cruse, and Margaret Brady.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION



For the first time in the history of the Decatur High School the girls in the physical training classes were given physical examinations early in the term to determine what type of training each needed. From the results of these physical examination reports, Miss Vance organized a corrective physical training class. Some of the girls in the class were there to gain weight, others to lose weight.

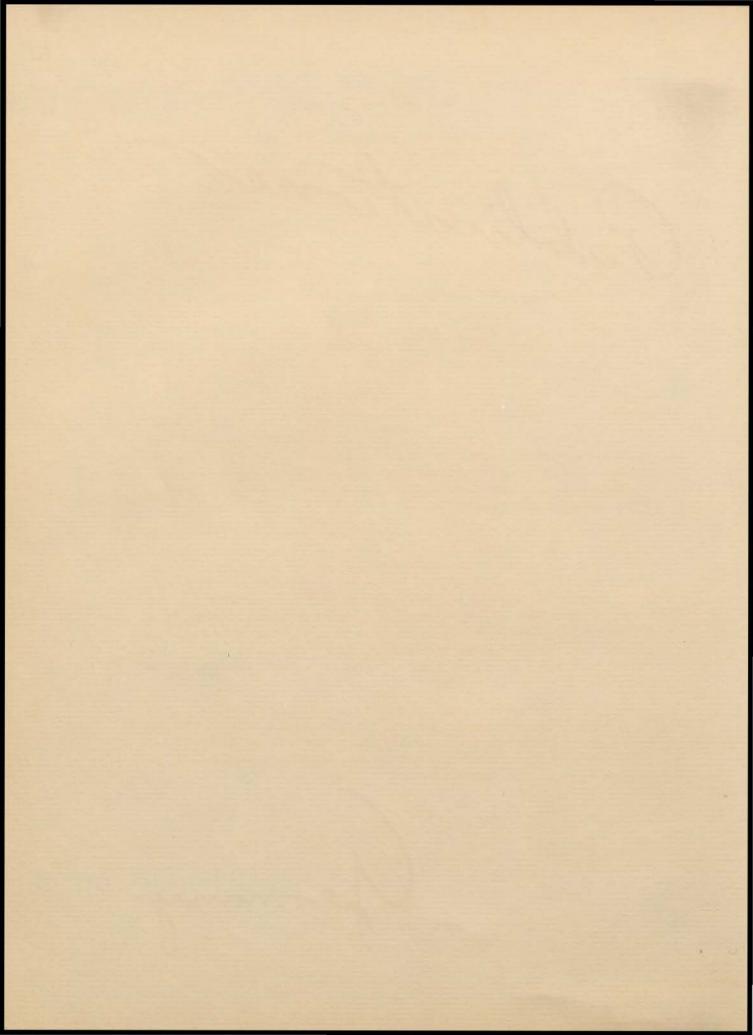
Miss Vance has stressed proper posture in her corrective class, how to walk correctly, stand correctly, and sit correctly. She also spent some time with corrective foot exercises to stengthen arches and ankles.





Publications

Germany



THE DECANOIS

The Decanois is published each year by the senior class in the Decatur High School. The book planned for seniors especially, attempts to include all worth while activities in the school, as many student photographs as possible, organization pictures with brief accounts of each organization, and whatever else the Decanois staff feels will make a valued memory book.

In comparison with the bi-monthly Observer, the Decanois is a very young publication. The Observer passed its fortieth birthday in 1933. The Decanois is about twenty years younger and is really an outgrowth of the Observer. Once, when the Observer was a monthly publication, the June issue each year was called the commencement number. This issue contained a group picture of the faculty, a group picture of each literary society, one of the graduating class massed in front of the old Central building, and possibly a group of those chosen for the commencement day program. What was lacking in the number and style of pictures was made up in elaborately written class histories and prophecies, stories, and jokes. Bound in a paper jacket and tied with a silk cord, these little magazines were sold to the commencement day audience at twenty-five cents each.

As the high school grew, a larger and more elaborate record of high school life seemed necessary. The earlier Decanois issues were paper covered and somewhat like those June Observers in content. Today, the Decanois is a two hundred page volume, handsomely bound in board covers, a fair example of the change in educational times.

Each volume of the Decanois costs more than the subscription price of two dollars. This difference in cost and sale prices forms one of the largest problems of the Decanois Business Staff. Advertising is one source of income, a small fee for individual class photographs is another, an organization fee for picture and write-up is a third. In 1934 the Decanois started a very worth while method of earning money. A directory of all Decatur High School students was compiled with the address of each and telephone numbers of those who could be reached by telephone. This little book was sold to the student body and a good profit realized. This project was repeated by the 1935 staff.

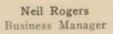
The style and content of the Decanois is governed by rather strict rules set forth by the Illinois State High School Press Association and the National Association of Journalism Directors. The suggestions and criticisms of these organizations help to make it possible for the Decanois to rank among the outstanding high school publications in the country.



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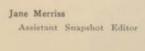


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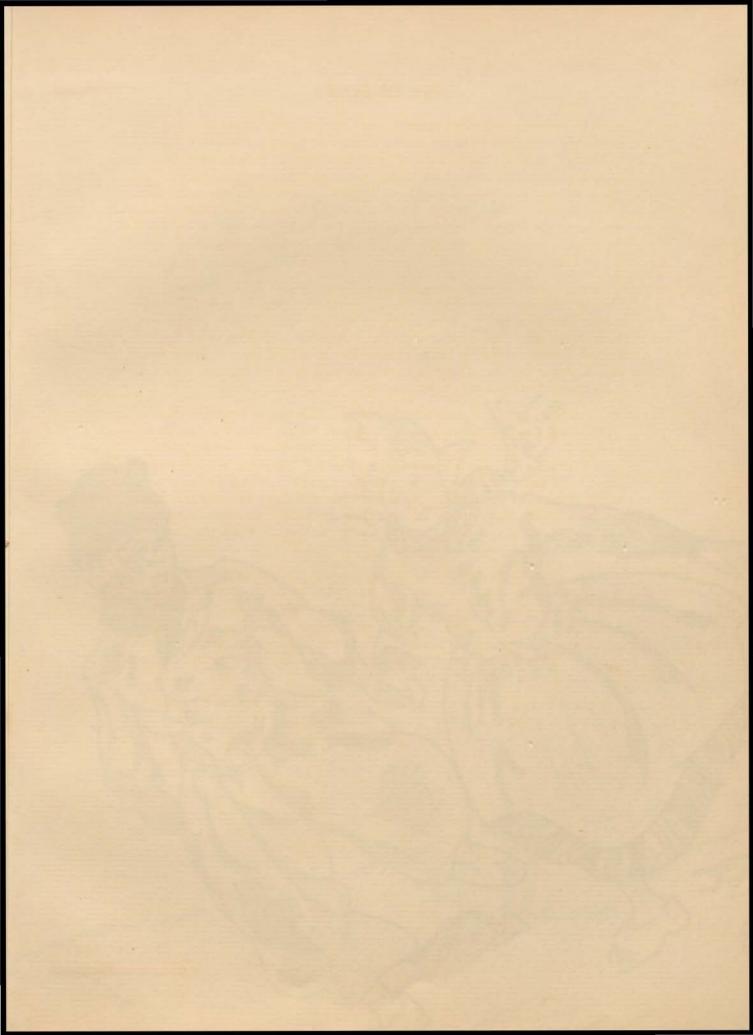
The Observer has called national attention to itself this year by being one of the first organizations to use moving pictures of school activities as a source of income. With the marked withdrawal of advertising by local merchants in every community, high school and college newspapers have been at a loss to find means of support. Many papers have stopped publication entirely and others have met the depression with smaller issues at higher rates. The Observer has weathered the present conditions, publishing an excellent paper at its usual subscription price, and contributed a delightful and entertaining feature to the school and community besides.

Last year the Observer thought of this unique way to aid its business management. Harvey Sellers and his movie camera were seen at every important activity the school gave. Early in the spring the results of this photography were shown in a dime auditorium. The auditorium was filled twice for the student audience and again in the evening for the general public. While these showings paid for the filming and left a balance for the Observer, their real value lay in the experience gained for 1935.

A definite plan of procedure for filming activities in and about the Decatur High School by the Observer business staff with Harvey Sellers as cameraman resulted in a really finished production in the auditorium on February twenty-second. Harris Beck was narrator for the show and Jack Price was the accompanist. All major functions and activities of school life lived again. The first day of school with the incoming sophomores, the impressive mid-year class day, the beautiful Christmas vespers, the tumbling auditorium, all of the interesting and entertaining bits of the year delighted the audience. Again the Observer earned money and gained experience.

Miss Ethel Parkinson, adviser of the Observer editorial staff, at the request of "The Scholastic Editor", wrote a very complete and entertaining description of the Observer movies for the February issue of that magazine. Since "The Scholastic Editor" is the official organ of the National Association of Journalism Directors for secondary schools, the fame of the Observer movies has spread rapidly. "The American Boy", an outstanding magazine for young people, has requested the use of Miss Parkinson's article.

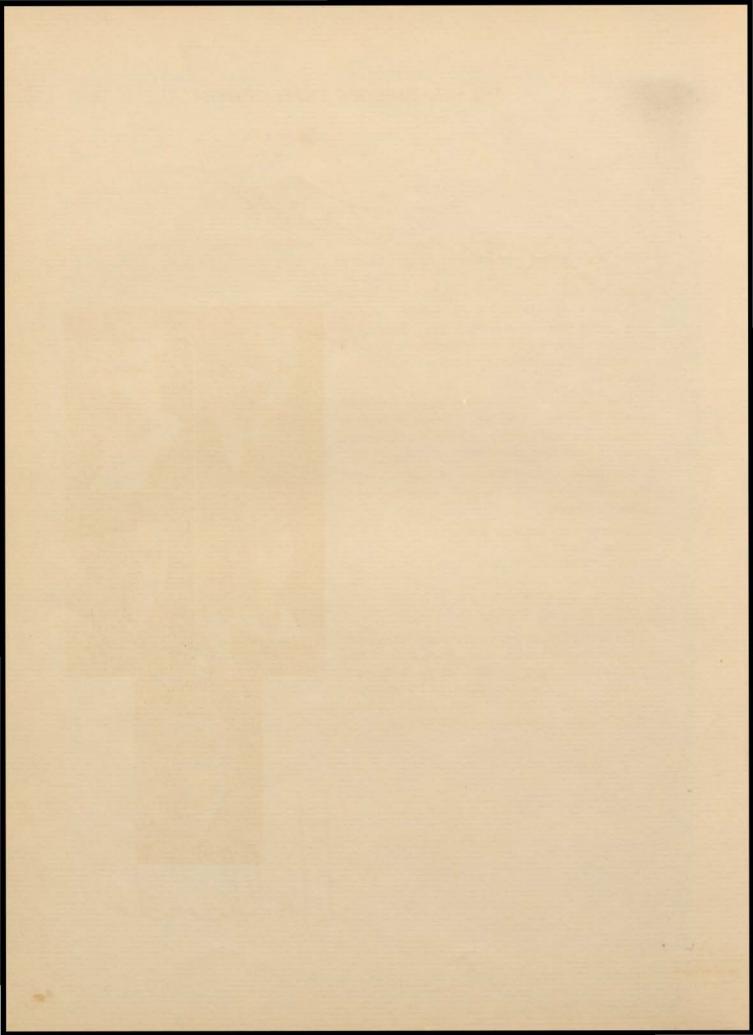
The Observer is already planning its 1936 production with the help of student and faculty committees.





Activities

Holland



THE HERALD-REVIEW STORY CONTEST

James Hess First

Joy Burcham Third Marian Ackerly Second

One of the long established customs of Decatur High School is the annual Herald-Review Story Contest. In 1895 The Decatur Review promoted this contest to stimulate interest in literature. All Decatur High School students may participate in it. Each year cash prize awards are offered for the five best short stories submitted. Honorable mention is given to fifteen

Kenneth Poarch Fifth Evelyn Sandberg Fourth

This year four of the five prize winners were seniors and one a sophomore. Nine seniors, four juniors, one sophomore, and one post-graduate received honorable mention.

The judges of the 1934 contest were Reverend Owen W. Pratt, Miss Olive M. Bear, and Mrs. John C. Hessler,

Awards were made as follows: First—James Hess. Second—Marian Ackerly. Third—Joy Burcham. Fourth—Evelyn Sandberg. Fifth—Kenneth Poarch.

students.

These contestants were awarded honorable mention: Byron Brown, Louis Rost, Phil Miller, May Eagleton, Ruth Muffley, Harris Beck, John Cannon, Dorry Daeschlin, Kathryn Hershberger, Malcolm Price, Harold Rhodes, Frank Curry, Maud Flower Eichman, Berneice Deyton.





LINCOLN ESSAY CONTEST



Doris Sayre

Harris Beck

The annual Lincoln essay contest was won this year by Doris Sayre with her essay, "Lincoln in the Light of His Writings", and Harris Beck with his essay, "The Man on the Penny". Each one received thirty dollars which will be given to them at commencement.

A sum was left by Mrs. Inez J. Bender, from which the interest provides the awards.

The essay is judged on three things: the content of a theme from six hundred to one thousand words dealing with Lincoln's life, a reading of a portion of the essay, and citizenship.

On Lincoln's birthday the two winning essays were given. Then Mr. Baker of Millikin spoke to the students about Lincoln.

MARY W. FRENCH HONORS

One of the highest awards given to seniors of the Decatur High School is the Mary W. French honor. Miss French, formerly a teacher in Decatur High, left one thousand dollars, the interest from which was to be given to the two seniors best fulfilling the requirements made by Miss French.

The winners are the two members of the graduating class most deserving of the honor because of scholarship, leadership, and citizenship. Mr. Sayre and the heads of departments choose the winners.

Awards are made at commencement. The first prize, won by Harris Beck, is thirty dollars, and the second prize, won by Ruth Ross, is twenty dollars.

Harris Beck

Ruth Ross



IDA K. MARTIN CONTEST

The Ida K. Martin award is made at June Commencement each year. Miss Martin left a fund to the school in 1920 which permits two thirty-dollar prizes to be given annually. The contestants for these prizes must be members of either the mid-year or June graduating class not a Lincoln Essay winner. One award goes to a girl, the other to a boy. The contestant is judged first, on a patriotic essay of one thousand words or less; second, upon delivery of this essay; and third, upon citizenship. Special judges are appointed to grade the essays and their delivery. The citizenship standing is given by the faculty. The winners in the Martin Contest for 1935 are

COMMERCIAL CONTEST

The annual district commercial contest was held in Decatur High School, Saturday, April the twenty-seventh, under the direction of Miss Mary Parker. Approximately one hundred twenty-five pupils from high schools in Central Illinois participated in the contest. Decatur won first place in every short-hand event, in amateur and open typing, and second place in bookkeeping. Forty-five points were scored by the Decatur teams while Mattoon teams placed second with twenty-two points. Alice Marie Jones headed all of the typists, typing 62.1 words per minute. Alice Marie also won first place in the 120-word individual short-hand event. Rose Calamello, Lorena Schwalbe, and Evelyn Maurer also won first places in their respective short-hand events.

The sectional tournament was held in Decatur on May eleventh and the state contest in Champaign on May eighteenth.

COMMERCIAL

FIFTY DOLLAR MILLIKIN SCHOLARSHIP

The members of the faculty of the Decatur High School who are graduates of James Millikin University and those members who have attended Millikin decided to award a fifty dollar Millikin scholarship to the 1935 high school class. A committee composed of Mr. Abell, Miss Foran, and Miss Yoder were appointed to select the winner of this award. Last year the business men of Decatur contributed a number of these scholarships to be given to worthy students. This year Millikin hopes for an even greater contribution.

The faculty's scholarship, awarded to, not only helps Millikin in her drive for these scholarships but draws Millikin and the high school into closer relationship.

BIG TWELVE CONTEST

The Big Twelve organization is made up of the following high schools: Springfield, Bloomington, Champaign, Mattoon, Lincoln, Peoria Central, Peoria Manual, Pekin, Urbana, Danville, Decatur, and Streator. These schools contest annually for first place in football and basketball. In the spring a literary competition is held among representatives from each school which is called "The Big Twelve Contest." This year the contest was held at Pekin Community High School on May third.

The following people represented Decatur High School in the various events:

Jean Bentley Humorous	reading
Shirley CornickDramatic	
Mary Jane PratherInterpretative	reading
Robert Vance Extemporaneous	reading
Paul Swarm	72



MID-YEAR CLASS PLAY



"Big Hearted Herbert" by Sophia Kerr and Anna Steese Richardson was presented by the Mid-year class on November 2 in the high school auditorium.

The story centers around Herbert Kalness, a self-made business man who likes plain living. He objects to his son's going to a construction camp and then to college, and he also objects to the engagement of his daughter, Alice, to Andy Goodrich, a Harvard man. Much humor is furnished by Herbert's wife who gives him an overdose of plain living. This cures him of his selfish ideas, and his family manage to make him give in to their desires.

Miss Connard coached the play, and Miss Hickey was the business manager.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mr. Herbert KalnessJohn Imboden
Mrs. Herbert KalnessGenevieve Carson
Robert Kalness
Alice KalnessAlice Hazenfield
Junior KalnessAlbert Hunter
Andrew GoodrichJack Scharnberg
Mr. GoodrichByron Brown
Mrs. GoodrichEvelyn McLean
Mr. Lawrence
Mrs. LawrenceHelen Walker
The Maid
Mr. HavensNorman Russell
Mrs. Havens

THE ROMANTIC AGE

The Class of 1935 presented 'The Romantic Age" a three act comedy, by A. A. Milne on May the third in the high school auditorium.

The story is of an English girl, Melisande, who wanted to find the true lover of her dreams in an everyday world. She finds this person in the woods one morning. He is dressed as a gallant because he slept in his car all night after a fancy dress ball. However, Mr. Mallory, who is the man she met, calls at her home and she finds he is on the stock exchange, as is Bobby whom her parents want her to marry. She tries to go back to Bobby, but she finds he is in love with her cousin, Jane. Finally she realizes how foolish she is and marries Mr. Mallory. Most of the humor of the play is furnished by Melisande's parents.

Miss Fike directed the play, and Mr. Abell was the business manager.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Henry Knowle James Hess
Mary Knowle (his wife) Barbara McMurry
Melisande (his daughter) Doris Sayre
Jane (his niece) Helen Louise Watts
Bobby Raymond Carroll
Gervase Mallory Harvey Sellers
Ern Stanley Powell
Gentleman Susan Horace Petty
Alice Joy Burcham



STYLE SHOW



Miss Murphy's clothing classes gave a style show to entertain the parents and teachers at the annual P. T. A. supper last May. The program was given by the girls in the clothing department dressed in costumes made by themselves. Miss Robertson assisted Miss Murphy in preparing the entertainment.

During the past school year the clothing classes have taken an active part in school life. At Christmas time, they dressed sixty dolls for Toyland. They have assisted in making and altering costumes for both the opera and the Senior Play. When the vocational meeting was held for the P. T. A. in April, the clothing classes exhibited their work.

At the James Millikin University state contest for Home Economics students this spring, two girls from the clothing class won places. Marie Hall received recognition for a school dress which she designed and made herself. Annabelle Dowell placed in the contest for art in homemaking.

HOME NURSING

During the third semester of Home Economics, home nursing, care of the sick, home planning, and dietetics are taught. Miss Troutman has a trained nurse demonstrate important phases of nursing to the class. The care and feeding of babies and children is stressed.

Other work aside from the regular cooking lessons is accomplished by the home economics girls. During the fall meeting of the Macon County Teachers' Institute, girls from these classes were asked to serve the annual banquet in the Masonic Temple. They purchased material for uniform caps and aprons and Miss Murphy's sewing classes made them. Again, later in the year, these girls were waitresses for an evening party and dance at the Masonic Temple.

The home economics dining room is always kept in order for the use of any organization desiring it. The girls in charge are efficient and artistic in their arrangements and are taught to be delightful hostesses.



BIG TWELVE ART CUP ART DEPARTMENT



1934 BIG 12 ART CONTEST

The Big Twelve Art Contest was held in the Urbana High School in May, 1934. The subject chosen for the contest was travel posters. Decatur High School won first place through John Klinker, adding another beautiful silver trophy cup to its collection. John Klinker was art editor of the Decanois last year and associate editor the year before. Third place in the contest was taken by John Smith and fifth place by Theodore Sharpes.

POPPY DAY POSTER CONTEST

Each year the American Legion Auxiliary sponsors a Poppy Day Poster Contest. The prizes are three dollars and two dollars. Several honorable mentions are given.

The students do not consider the prizes in making these posters. Their interest lies in design-

ing posters which will urge others to buy these poppies. The poppies are made by disabled veterans of the World War. The sale of these paper flowers on Decoration Day is the only way many of them have of earning money.

In the 1934 contest, Kenneth Gandy won first prize and Harry Bloomquist won second prize. Honorable mention was given to William Kelly, Paul Morrison, Frances Hays, and Donna Dawson. The prizes were awarded these contestants in an art auditorium by Mr. Ziese, who represented the American Legion.

BIG TWELVE ART WINNERS ART DEPARTMENT

The students in the art department planned and made the decorations for the Macon County Teachers' Institute Banquet held in the Masonic Temple during the October Institute. The theme for the decorations was based upon a quotation from Theodore Roosevelt which urged us to carry on the torch of our forefathers. The large torch decorating the wall behind the speaker's table and the individual torch nut cups for the tables were the work of the students. Girls from the Foods class, under the direction of Miss Troutman, did the serving. The orchestra, with Mr. Rees directing, played before and during the banquet. Twenty-four high school girls dressed in white classical robes and carrying lighted tapers led the guests to the tables and stood at either end of the room while the guests were being seated.

The art department also assisted in the planning of another party when the Order of the Amaranth entertained at the Masonic Temple. French dance programs, menu cards, and other decorations were made in the art classes. Again the Home Economics girls acted as waitresses.

MEMORIALS

Hobart Hoots painted the Roman alphabet on the front blackboard in the art room and a modern poster alphabet on a large panel over the blackboard. These are to serve as permanent gifts to the department.

Harry Harper, another advanced art student, made two panels of numerals and one of punctuation marks to be hung on the side wall as aid to future students in the art department.

BIG 12 POSTER WINNERS



John Klinker



John Smith



Theodore Sharpes

ART DEPARTMENT



CHRISTMAS EXHIBIT

At Christmas time the annual exhibit of original craft work was held by the art students in room 218. The exhibit lasted three days which enabled every student in school to see it. The English classes visited the exhibit on a schedule arranged by Miss Parkinson. Many parents, the faculty, and friends of the school attended also.

Wall hangings of dyed silk pongee were exhibited by Eileen Ritchie, Eutana Wolcott, and Mary Beth James. Dorcas Ward displayed illuminated lettering and painted pictures on parchment. Howard Gould, Dorothy Mae Jones, Mary Knapp, and Carolyn Schlie designed and painted colorful wall plaques. Henrietta Dawson made scrap books covered with checkered gingham. Harry Harper and Hobart Hoots excelled in phone book and magazine covers of book-binders linen. William Kelly, Kenneth Gandy, and Mary Beth James displayed some very fine block prints. Each student in the three art classes had at least one thing in the exhibit and many displayed several types of handicraft.

Some of the advanced art students acted as ushers at the exhibit and told the guests about the work on display. Others demonstrated wood block cutting and the use of the press in printing.

All of the art students were bright colored smocks which added much to the attractiveness of the exhibit.

ART DEPARTMENT

EXHIBITS

The annual May exhibit was held at the Art Institute. The exhibit was mounted on green boards against the ivory walls of the display rooms. One feature of the exhibit was the art work for the 1935 Decanois by Harry Bloomquist. A new subject exhibit was industrial design, old-fashioned and modern. Examples of figure drawing, composition, color harmony, designed perspective, lettering, and other craft work were exhibited.

An exhibit of industrial designing was held by the art department for the vocational meeting of the P. T. A. Each student was represented in the display. Mrs. Meyer and some of the students acted as hosts and hostesses during the evening.

MASKS

Some interesting masks were made and decorated in the art department this year. "The Pirate," a grotesquely painted head with a knife in its mouth, was made by William Pusey. William Kelly made "Lee Ling Lo," a Chinese mask with a huge headdress. "Cleopatra," by Emogene Weakley, and "Nafretete," by John Hartley, were very good. Eleanor Schudel and Carroll Banks made French models. W. A. Dipper designed a clown mask. There were two dramatic masks—"Tragedy" and "Mirth" by Monroe Meadors and a little Dutch boy and a little Dutch girl by Emogene Weakley.



ART DEPARTMENT



POSTERS

Almost every department in school calls upon the art department for help with signs, charts, arrangement of exhibits, or for posters at some time or many times during the school year. The department does its best to give excellent service.

Clubs, lodges, and committees of community affairs call on the department almost constantly for help. This help is given when it is possible to combine it with school work or to give it as extra work to an advanced student.

School departments that have had help with posters or other help are: athletics, Observer subscription, Observer dances, Observer Movies, Observer auditoriums, Decanois auditoriums, Decanois subscriptions, mid-year senior play, June senior play, commercial department, home economics department, and cafeteria.

Civic affairs represented are: Community Chest, Art Institute Benefit Card Party, Masonic Temple, and American Legion.

All students in the department have helped with the work but an extra amount of superior quality was done by Hobart Hoots, Harry Harper, Carolyn Schlie, Frances Hays, Evelyn Williams, Dorcas Ward, William Kelly, Kenneth Gandy, Mary Beth James, Winifred Diller, Darrel Roberts, June McClure, and Paul Morrison.

MANUAL TRAINING

The manual training department of the Decatur High School is housed in what used to be the car barns one block east of the school. Before the department was moved into this building it occupied the space where the cafeteria of the High School now is. This was not satisfactory because of the noise made by the saws and because the quarters were too cramped. The present building permits plenty of space not only for the manual training boys but for Mr. Birkhead's boys in mechanical drawing as well.

Last spring, the manual training boys made cedar chests. These were beautifully finished, polished with brass mountings. During this year the boys worked on tables, smoking stands, and other articles of furniture.



SNAPSHOTS

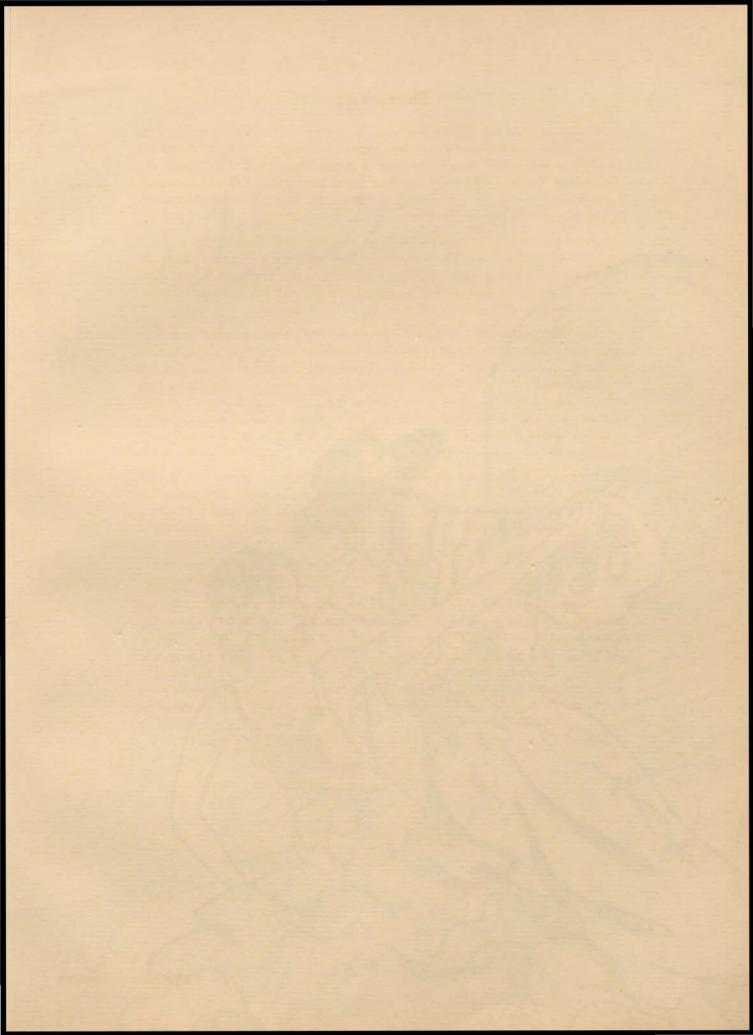
One feature of the Decanois always is viewed with great interest by its readers. This feature consists of the pages of snapshots. The material for these pages is solicited during the year from the students of the school. The members of the staff who work on these pages have great difficulty in arousing sufficient interest in contributions to insure the kind of snapshots wanted by the subscribers to the Decanois.

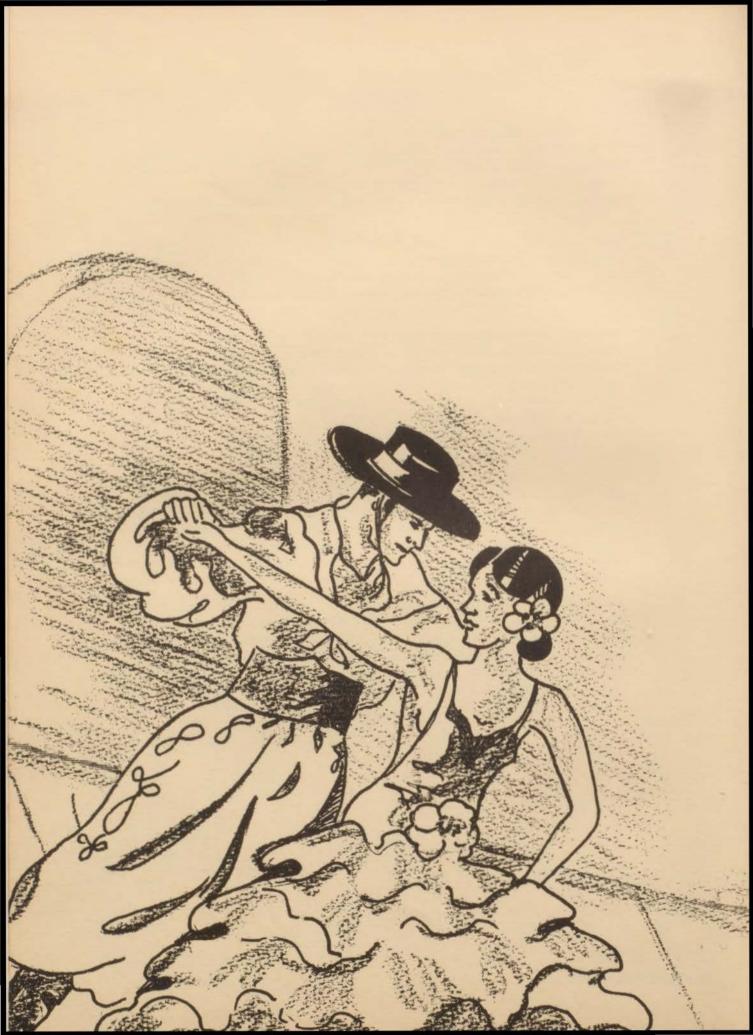
After the mass of snapshots has been obtained, the sorting begins. Each page has its own theme. The pictures on this page must not only carry out this theme but must contain figures of relativity the same size. Often good material is set aside because the figures in the pictures are too small. Then, pictures are handed in which are blurred, or too indistinct.

The selection being completed, the snaps are pasted on card boards of either the same size as the page which is to appear in the book or on boards similar in shape but larger. The larger boards are reduced to the proper size by the engraver when he prepares the plates from which the snapshot pages are printed. This cutting and pasting of the pictures is very laborious as well as difficult work. It is done in the art department by members of the art classes who are also on the Decanois staff. The Decanois has received much praise for the neatness and skill shown in preparing this portion of the book.

Because the Decanois must use the snaps which are handed in by the students, it always finds a lack of the best material. In order to remedy this condition, the Decanois offered prizes for good snaps this year. The first prize was donated by Mr. Pease of the Rembrandt Studio and consisted of an enlarged photograph of the member of the Senior Class handing in the best picture. The second and third prizes were donated by the Decanois itself. The second was a copy of the Decanois and the third was one dollar.

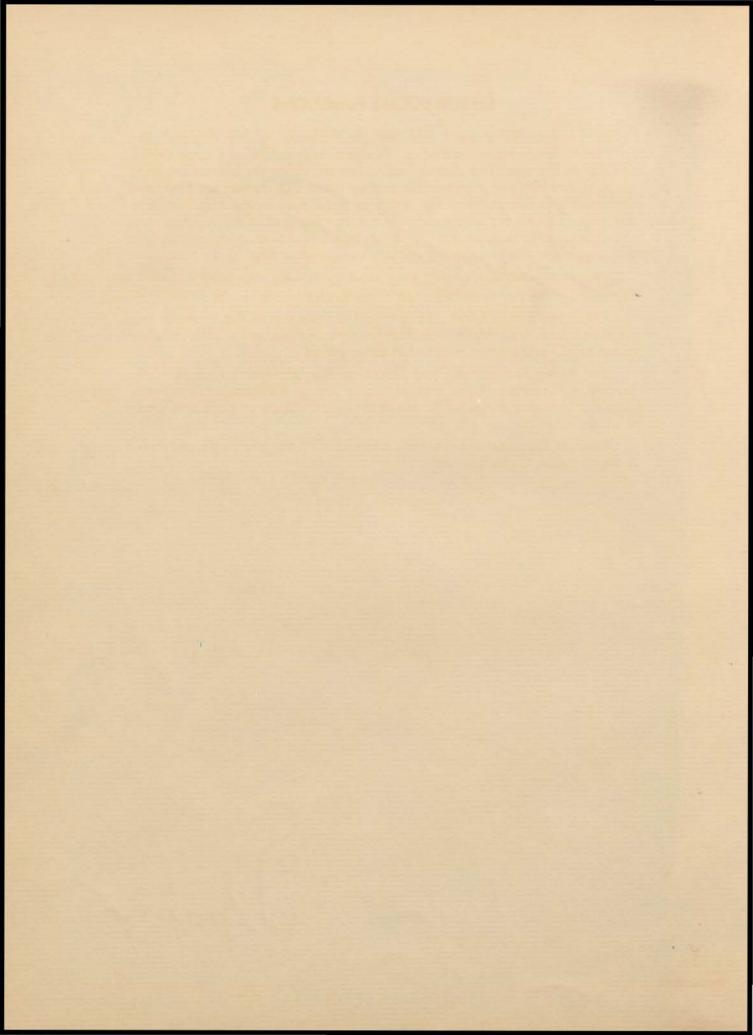
The winner of the first prize was Jane Oakes with a picture of herself when a baby. Baby pictures are always of great interest especially when they resemble their owners at the present time. The second prize went to David Quale. David's picture was of himself fishing in a pool. The picture was interesting and beautifully taken, with attractive shadows and lights. The third prize went to Henrietta Good. This picture was also of the one winning the prize. This was more of a portrait but had good posing and background.





Functions

Spain



SENIOR SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

The annual senior party was held in December in the Armory. Bill Curran's ten-piece orchestra played. Decorations consisted of a large Christmas tree at the north end of the room. After the dance the tree was brought to the high school and placed in the hall by Room 322. It was left here until Christmas vacation and was the first tree to be used in the high school in this way. Blue lights and tinsel covered the tree and artificial snow was placed around the bottom of it. All lights around the wall were covered with blue paper, and the grandstand was also decorated in blue.

Those not wishing to dance were entertained with ping-pong and cards. Tables for these games were placed along the walls outside the dance floor.

Punch was served during the dance. The table was in the northeast corner with a large white cloth on it, blue tapering candles, and a large cut-glass punch bowl. Small fancy wafers were also served.

The Junior-Senior Party and Dance on May eleventh was held in the Armory. Decorations were very elaborate and a fourteen-piece orchestra played. This dance proved to be one of the outstanding and successful proms of recent years.

The last big social event for the Class of 1935 was the picnic and dance at Mueller Heights on May 31.

INTER-SOCIETY BANQUET AND DANCE



Amid such ill omens as broken mirrors, black cats, and skulls and cross-bones, the high school cafeteria was transformed into a real hoodoo chamber for the annual Inter-Society banquet. The theme of superstition was carried out in the speeches. The Rev. Mr. Cutlip was the main speaker, with George Walraven serving as toastmaster. The toasts from the four societies were given by Paul Swarm, Forum; Robert Vance, Rotaro; Betty Grubbs, Aristos; and Ruth Ross, Agora.

The dance was held in the Gold Room at the Armory with Lee Home-brook's orchestra playing. The Inter-Society banquet has been a tradition since the early days of the Inter-Society contests, and for the last three years it has been held in the form of a dinner and dance.

JUNIOR ART LEAGUE DANCE

The Junior Art League sponsored a Hallowe'en dance, The Graveyard Shivers, in the gymnasium on the afternoon of October 26th. The decoration committee: Keith Robinson, Hobart Hoots, Howard Gould, Mary Beth James, Frances Hays, Henrietta Dawson, and Eleanor Schudel, created a very realistic cemetery about the dance floor. Tombstones with humorous epitaphs, skeletons, and similar decorations bathed in blue lights added to the weird atmosphere.

A floor show was furnished by Harry Bloomquist, Eutana Wolcott, and Bette Clendenning. Fred Pennington and Emogene Weakley dressed as gypsies gave out fortunes. Harry Bloomquist acted as master of ceremonies. Bill Taylor's orchestra furnished the music.

Tickets were block-printed by Kenneth Gandy from a block designed and cut by William Kelly. Enough tickets were sold to clear thirty dollars. The receipts were invested in a Philco radio for the drawing room.



DANCES

Nearly every organization in Decatur High School sponsored at least one dime dance this year. Such dances are held in the high school gymnasium from three-forty o'clock to five o'clock. A small orchestra is engaged and any high school student is allowed to attend.

The most elaborate dance of this kind was "Graveyard Shivers" given by the Junior Art League. The decorations and program were furnished by the art students.

These dances always have very unique and appealing names. Some of them are: "Barnyard Shuffle," "The Turkey Trot," "Winter Wrestle," "Spring Festival," and "Witches Frolic."

Quite elaborate advertising announced these dances. Mrs. Meyer's art students make colorful posters which are placed in the front hall and in nearly every home room.

The main object of such dances is to get money. The most made on any dance this year was thirty dollars. The average amount made is about twelve dollars.

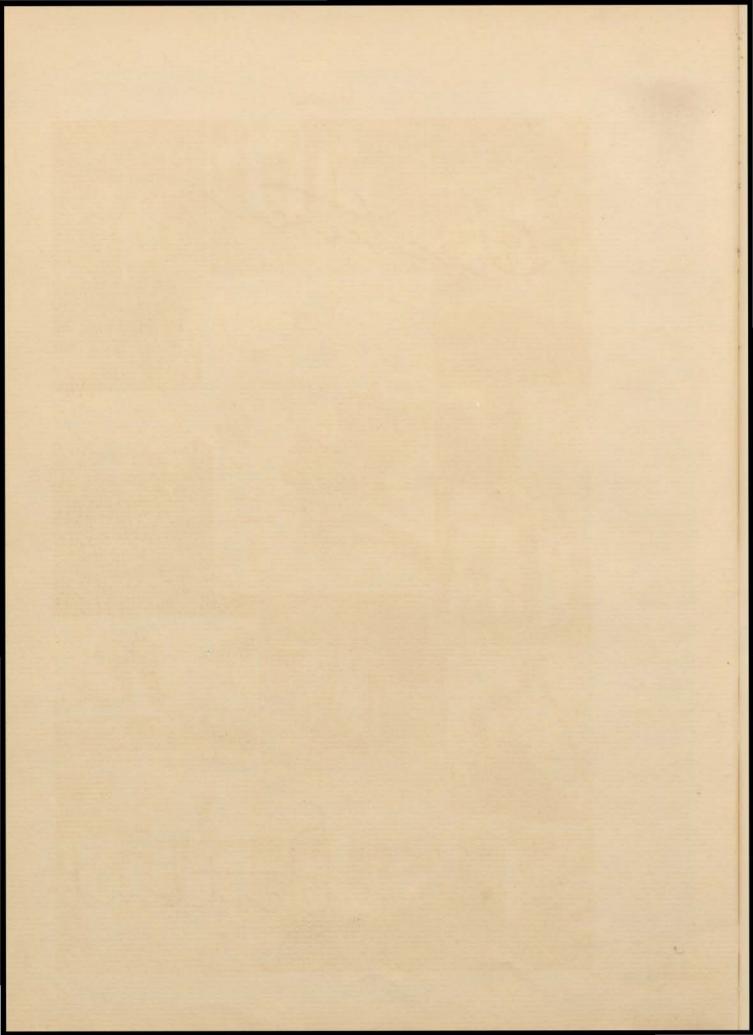
Not only did the smaller organizations such as clubs sponsor these dances, but also classes and publications. They have proven to be the most popular means for student organizations to build up their treasuries.





Features

Scotland



MARINE

- 1 David Quale (second prize)
- 2 Dale Kroeger, center
- 3 Ruth Montgomery (Reed) and Brother
- 4 Jane Moeller, Eleanor Brown, Carolyn Hilligoss, Joan Gregory
- 5 Harry Bloomquist, Seal Burwell
- 6 Robert Bolt
- 7 Harry Bloomquist, "our artist"
- 8 Rosemary Reid, Henrietta Dawson, Eleanor Brown, Carolyn Hilligoss, Winifred Woodward
- 9 Bill Fader, Junior Lampkin, Dale Kroeger
- 10 Winifred Woodward
- 11 Shaefer Craft
- 12 Rosemary Reid
- 13 Frances Johnson



SEPTEMBER

Tuesday, September 4

Oh! The irony of it all!! After such a glorious summer vacation and then have to get up with the chickens and start in on the old grind again.

Wednesday, September 5

In the Observer auditorium today a glimpse "backward" into the future made us all feel we were "born thirty years too soon." Ah me, what a life.

Thursday, September 6

Lost! Strayed! or Stolen! One sophomore from room 13. Last seen when looking for room 303. Any information concerning same will be appreciated. No reward! We suggest looking in the elevators.

Friday, September 7

Gee!! What a grand 'nd glorious feelin' to sling the books in the closet, get on the glad rags, and go galayantin'.

Monday, September 10

Aristos throws an Old Heidelburg party for new members with beer 'nd pretzels, Ah!-naughty!-naughty! We thought we noticed a lot of good spirits.

Tuesday, September 11

Wonder if Miss Foran knows the alphabet by this time—322 is finally settled.

Wednesday, September 12

Can you imagine sophisticated juniors and dignified seniors talking to themselves such as—knit two, purl two, etc.

Thursday, September 13

Wonder what "Kyle" had to eat last night? The neighbors heard her yelling about snakes in her bed. Whata "night snake!"

Friday, September 14

Our football boys beat Centralia 7-0 in spite of the downpour—or maybe it was on account of it—Who knows? Anyway, Bob Gross said the mud was like a feather bed.

Monday, September 17

What a backward bunch of damsels the Agora girls turned out to be—Yhw t'nod uoy og pu dna ees meht emos emit.

P. S.—Betty Quinlan doesn't think you can see through this.

Tuesday, September 18

Heard today that the gals could join the Radio Club. Wonder if Mary Allen went.

Wednesday, September 19

Keen pep meeting this morning. Mr. Kintner even forgot his garters, and Mr. Nelson told different jokes in each auditorium.

Thursday, September 20

Bright sayings of a sophomore in history class: "Pastures', the great French physician, tells you how to prevent mad dog bites if you catch 'em in time."

Friday, September 21

These "Mid-Years" have started "it" again-more of them that matinee dances.

Monday, September 24

Last Friday night all the Decaturites donned "gooloshes" and watched the boys beat Urbana 6-0.

Tuesday, September 25

Really our Decanois Directory has proven an incentive to the two Billies (Burns and Wright). Guess what! They're doing without lunch and going to classes without their lessons (nothing new) just to take money for subscriptions.



SOME OF THE WELL KNOWN



- Mr. Lamar, Mr. Abel, Mr. Stearns, Mr. Nelson
 - 3 Superintendent and Principal
 - 4 Miss Yoder
 - 5 Mrs. Hostetler, Mr. Sprunger
 - 6 Miss Carroll
 - 7 Miss Foran
 - 8 Mr. Taylor
 - 9 Mr. Nelson
- 10 Mr. LeMarr
- 11 Miss Hill



Wednesday, September 26

What a daffy day! Phil Miller slipped and fell on the wet sidewalk, and was Jessie embarrassed. And Mr. Sprunger's little boy, Jimmie, tumbled down the front steps. Oh me! These clumsy boys.

Thursday, September 27

Writing this calendar is sure good brain exercise. By the end of the year we'll be hardened tongue-waggers. Are your ears burnin'?

Friday, September 28

Have you noticed the new couple that are here, there (and everywhere) together? Yes, Billy Cobb and Virginia Van Deventer. Bill seems to like brunettes.

OCTOBER

Monday, October 1

Seniors got off to a flying start with the "chawming" (?) Mr. Beck reciting the Constitution. A gleam of confidence was on his countenance—'cause he knew all the time the Constitution would be accepted. (He was chairman.)

Tuesday, October 2

Scandal! Scandal! Someone (we won't let the cat out of the bag) saw Mr. Errol B. Odor sipping a soda with Sellers (Virginia) all alone in the side room at Peck's. Deah! Deah!

Wednesday, October 3

Poor Rosie—Mr. Nelson just won't give her any peace. She's "Madame President with the jitters" to him. She can't do her chemistry experiments right 'cause she's so jittery about bein' nominated.

Thursday, October 4

We've got the tall and the short up for sergeant-at-arms. Dick and Stanley. Bless their little hearts.

Friday, October 5

Senior meetings are too much for Ed Bradley. He came into 322 all hot and bothered after discussion on nominees for treasurer was over and sank in his seat and sighed—Whew!!

Monday, October 8

Reds had their goal line crossed for the first time Saturday. Bloomington did it—they did.

P. S.—Beck and Miller head the seniors from now on.

Tuesday, October 9

All that was needed when the firemen's quartet sang this morning was sawdust and peanuts. And maybe—uh—have the faculty serve some soap suds.

Wednesday, October 10

All youse guys and youse gals can make hay for four days. What do you all think of Teachers' Institute?

Thursday, October 11

Vacation.

Friday, October 12

Ditto.

Monday, October 15

"Pretty Boy" Floyd ran 52 yards to the goal line—but he had to go back. Anyhow, we won from Danville 7 to 0.

Tuesday, October 16

Had first intersociety contest last night. Joanne McDavid (of Aristos) won first place in interpretative reading.

Wednesday, October 17

High school students appreciated the splendid talk given by Father Newman of St. Teresa during the pep meeting today.

D. H. S. ART DEPARTMENT



- 1 Harry Harper
- 2 June McClure, Frances Hays, Mary Beth James, Winifred Diller, Carolyn Schlie
- 3 Hobart Hoots, champion poster artist
- 4 Paul Morrison, Darrel Roberts, Kenneth Gandy
- 5 Junior Art League Kenneth Gandy, Eutana Wolcott, Henrietta Dawson, Bette Clendenning, William Kelley, Harry Bloomquist
- 6 Miss Good and some of the seniors
- 7 Harry Bloomquist, our staff editor
- 8 The Juniors of the Advanced Class
- 9 Harry Harper, poster artist; Frances Hays and Sylvia Adams, snapshot editors; Mrs. Meyer, and Harry Bloomquist
- 10 Juniors and the three and four classes
- 11 John Beane
- 12 Jane Merriss
- 13 Sophomores in one and two class
- 14 Sophomores in three and four class

Thursday, October 18

Decatur 0, St. Teresa 0-and we wonder in whose favor???-Is our face red!!

Friday, October 19

Had a "Barnyard Shuffle" this afternoon in the gym. They served ginger snaps and cider. Seemed like only Observer Staff members got any, though— Bet they swiped 'em. We noticed that Walter Flora got away with an awful lot.

Monday, October 22

Slips that pass in the night: Miss Fike

—For the program, wear costumes or
don't wear anything at all.

Tuesday, October 23

Strike up one for Rotaro. Straley wins humorous reading.

Wednesday, October 24

Just report cards, but you should have seen the look on Ginger Peery's face.

Thursday, October 25

Dorothy Patterson is sporting a new chariot these days.—Guess her dad sold some corn at a good price.

Friday, October 26

Ghosts!!!! They even had them in the halls, but we weren't scared 'cause we knew it was only the Junior Art Leaguers.

Monday, October 29

Another defeat! Charleston beat us 7-6. Ruth and Perry were there—poor Ruthie, she was so ill at ease. This Blaine person pops up at the most inopportune times—or is it the Grummon lad?

Tuesday, October 30

Students, take heed! Plan your accidents before they happen as Mr. Radcliffe does. He just sat calmly down on the bumper.

Wednesday, October 31

200 wienees plus 200 buns plus 5 gal. c'der plus 6 lbs. marshmallows equal 1 High Y Hot Dog Roast & "stummick" aches

Thursday, November 1

I heard that Miss Miller and Miss Drobisch played some of the most kiddish Hallowe'en pranks. They turned out the lights all over the place. Tut! Tut! chil-

Friday, November 2

The senior play was grand! Didn't Jack make a divine father? Poor Albert, I'll bet he had a stomach ache after all those bananas.

Monday, November 5

Our football team was rained out of Peoria Saturday, and Pennington was sure glad. He says he just loves to sit by the fireside on rainy nights with Imogene.

Tuesday, November 6

Horace Pettee (Petrie to you) told Miss Foran that senior dues was pilin' up. She was so elated that she executed a spring dance in the hall by 322. (With arm movements 'nd everything.)

Wednesday, November 7

Boy, we just can't wait 'till Mr. White puts on his fan dance. Here's hopin' we sell a thousand tickets.

Thursday, November 8

Whoops m'dear, ain't love just grand! We didn't know we had such theatrical geniuses on our faculty, but you should have seen Mr. Lemar, Miss Stapp, and Mr. Abell in "Here Comes Charlie."

Friday, November 9

We learned in auditorium this morning that we'll get a bigger kick out of life if we can look in the mirror every morning and say, "I like that guy." We won't mention any names, but there ought to be some people around here who should get along pretty well.

WHAT POSES!

- 1 Bennett Rasar
- 2 Carroll Banks
- 3 R. L. Moore
- 4 Vera Walls
- 5 Helen Brintlinger
- 6 Ruth Montgomery "Reed"
- 7 Ellen Waitz
- 8 Henrietta Good
- 9 Doris Walls



Monday, November 12

Gals—how'ja like telling how many nights you got out, who you go with 'n whether you wash the dishes or not?

Tuesday, November 13

"Wanna buy a chance an' a duck?" Lib, Maude, Suzie, and some of the others are rushing all around these here halls asking such silly questions.

Wednesday, November 14

Tom Baker said he sat up all night trying to get his **Review** story in on time. Oh, yeah!

Thursday, November 15

The awfullest mixup—Bennet has a date with the principal's daughter the night after the said person's dad had given "dark and handsome" a talking to. Somp'ins wrong.

Friday, November 16

If it isn't one trot it's another. Tonight the Home Ec, lassies are bringing home the bacon with a Turkey Trot.

Monday, November 19

Mr. Nickel is the proud papa of a new baby girl. From now on he'll be the official floor walker,

Tuesday, November 20

More bloodshed! Paul Anton Gabriel runned over a guy, and "Georgie Porgie" (Walraven) got knocked down by a great big car.

Wednesday, November 21

Mr. White asked Duane Smith who Simon Legree was. After much concentratin' the bright boy replied: I know!!! He was Topsy's father!!!

Thursday, November 22

Billy Taylor's got a new flame. We hear she's a cheer leader for good old Hilltop.

Friday

Parole.

Monday, November 26

Deibert and his henchmen (we're too sleepy to write so just let the matter drop.)

P. S .- They got beat

Tuesday, November 27

Roy Joy and Wilbur are coming homeSweet thoughts in the minds of Gullet and Dorothy Patterson.

Wednesday, November 28

You all go home an' enjoy yo'selvesand, a word to you, Dorothy Cannon.....one at a time (Riley or Raymond?)

Thursday, November 29

Turkey vacation.

Friday, November 30

Ditto!!!!

DECEMBER

Monday, December 3

Little William Kelley won a turkey prize. Now the turkey rates the movie magazine—notice we said the "turkey" —not Kelley.

Tuesday, December 4

All the ittie-bittie sophs have a class for themselves. We see in the "Observer" that Bobbie Fox and Betty Weaver are two of their talented (?) politicians.

Wednesday, December 5

Miss Foran and James Hess have exclusive conferences every evening outside 322. Jimmie's ancestors were all poets, so we heard, and he is following in their footsteps.

BAND AND ORCHESTRA

- 1 Band—Brass section
- 2 Band-Woodwind section
- 3 Orchestra— String section
- 4 Orchestra— Pianists and String section
- 5 Flute section
- 6 Band— Percussion section
- 7 Band—Bass section
- 8 Band—Bass section
- 9 Band-Horns
- 10 Drum major
- 11 Band-Horns
- 12 Band-Brass
- 13 Band-Bass



Thursday, December 6

Charles Kinney made a name for himself in Mattoon. To them he's just a little plugger-upper.

Friday, December 7

We think Jack Hurtt is the handsomest man, especially in his basketball outfit (what there is of it). Anyway, we won 34-10.

Monday, December 10

Rotaro came through the Inter-Society Contest with flying colors. It was a close call, though. Agora was only a half point behind.

Tuesday, December 11

Maybe Jimmie's conferences with Miss Foran did some good after all. He won the Review Story Contest and got presented with fifteen bucks this morning.

Wednesday, December 12

'Member Betty Chambers, don't cha?' Well, she's back from Indianapolis visiting the ex-calendar writer, Katherine Hamilton.

Thursday, December 13

Baby-face Powell looked so sweet riding around to all the rooms flourishing a toy pistol. Oh, you big bad man!

Friday, December 14

The faculty's gonna have to dance, we're afraid. Dorsey sold five more tickets.....so now we only have 40 to go.

Monday, December 17

We shall review for you, what and who were at the senior party last Saturday night: a Xmas tree, Maudie and Darell, an orchestra, Barbara Mc and David Lindberg, and Marg Pruitt and Pete Shugart.

Tuesday, December 18

Saw Tommy Crawford and Don Hamman in Post's sniffing all the Lucien Lelong perfume.....Guess who the lucky girls are?

Wednesday, December 19

The Juniors got organized today with John McKeown swinging the gavel, Errol Odor as vice, Janice Freck pushing the pencil and Paul Lyons counting the sheckels.

Thursday, December 20

Ann McMillen and Ruthie Schudel came home on the same train today. Ann told us that they practiced all the way on their southern accents but didn't have the heart to use them.

Friday, December 21

The Vespers, directed by Miss Pease, were grand, as usual, and they started a perfect Xmas vacation—we hope!

JANUARY

Thursday, January 3, 1935

More rushing around and now it's all over—The dance at the Orlando the night after Xmas brought out many of the high school "chill'uns" looking stiff and happy in new tuxes and formals.

Friday, January 4

We're so disappointed, we almost had the game "in the bag" and the Peoria team beat us in the last second 35-29.

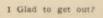
Monday, January 7

The real grind starts today. Last week we only caught up on lost sleep.

Tuesday, January 8

Again we turn to Mr. White's law class for humor—Mr. White: "What is the Alamo?" Dick Wilson: "I know—it's what you put on pie!"

MIDYEAR GRADUATES



- 2 Kenneth Poarch, Dale Cochran, Albert Hunter
- 3 Albert Hunter, Don Smith
- 4 John Imboden
- 5 Norman Russell
- 6 Midyear Art Students
- 7 Alice Regan and Mary Hawes



Wednesday, January 9

These after school dances get the duckiest names—the Observer is having one called the "Winter Wrestle."

Thursday, January 10

Miss Zona Gale, a novelist, spoke in the auditorium to many of the juniors and seniors.

Friday, January 10

The Forum dance was quite a success with "Danny" Dreamer and Kyle flinging the light fantastic. But they were just guests—you should have seen the members go at it.

Monday, January 14

Carolyn and Eutona sure looked sleepy this morning. They just got back from a round of dances at dear old U. of I. Do they rate!

Tuesday, January 15

Bettie Quinlan got back today after setting at home all day yesterday to read detective stories; so now we'll continue the calendar. (She blushed and protested vehemently to this, but that's all the good it did.)

Wednesday, January 16

Don't you think Bob Fox talks an awful lot? I guess that's the reason he likes Miss Olson—no competition.

Thursday, January 17

Gregory came in with bright maroon socks on today. Were her feet red!!

Friday, January 18

The Mid-years look charming in their bathrobes. They had a swell class day program—boy, can Jack Scharnberg croon.

Monday, January 21

Exams today. Everyone went in gloomy and came out gloomier except the midyears. Why even Fletcher Carson and Bob Thimens led smiles on their faces.

Tuesday, January 22

These teachers are spoiled. Just 'cause they give exams one year, they think they can get away with it every year.

Wednesday, January 23

Had the G. A. A. auditorium today. Gee, we thought Elaine Lancaster and Margaret Grady were going to break their necks.

Thursday, January 24

We played Urbana tonight and we won 39-24. Play another tomorrow night, but what are we going to do without Taylor, Humphrey, Cochran and Harrison?

Friday, January 25

There must be a flu epidemic or something because there were 200 absentees (skippers to you) on the list this morning.

Monday, January 28

What a "conglomeration" of new sophs, sophisticated seniors and midyears that came back as P. G.'s (as per usual).

Tuesday, January 29

Glory Be—The greenies have something we didn't have—numbers on all the doors and signs leading everywhere—maybe 303 won't be lost this year.

Wednesday, January 30

I guess we seniors just don't rate the President's Ball. About the only ones were under-grads such as Martha Eileen Blakeney and Jimmy McQuinn, margaret ...

HOME ECONOMICS











- 2 Miss Murphy and Miss Troutman
- 3 Sewing on Opera Costumes
- 4 Planning a Faculty Banquet
- 5 Sewing for Christmas Exhibit

Thursday, January 31

Comedy in Jr. Meeting—Kenneth Black sings "Trees" while a dog barks in the background.

FEBRUARY

Friday, February 1

Somebody told us that all they read the calendar for is to see their names, so here goes—Jack Shaw, Aileen Madden, John Brown, Elizabeth Geiger, Robert Whitaker and Frances Rogier — etc. How's that?

Monday, February 4

It seems a "Bachelors' Club"?? has been organized in our institution. They have to come to school barefooted at least once in June. Wish they'd have more pity on the rest of the student body.

Tuesday, February 5

Barbara doesn't live at home anymore. She and Ruth and living together. We wonder if this isn't a game. Eutana and Carolyn aren't the only ones.

Wednesday, February 6

St. Teresa beat us tonight, by one point. The score was 23-22; and boy, was it exciting.

Thursday, February 7

The DeMolay Minstrel is over at last. Did you notice "Toots" Slocum's funny expression when she danced? Thelma Simms shot someone in the show, but surely, Carl, you can do better than to associate with a criminal.

Friday, February 8

Harry Sacriter and Bill Hamman are giving a swell subscription dance at the Orlando tonight.—Saw Paul Swarm asking Sue Stubblefield to go.

Monday, February 11

For several long weeks Earl Crabtree has been courting Martha Collins down by her ol' locker.

Tuesday, February 12

Tom Crawford is seen every noon talking to a flock of girls-mainly Roberta.

Wednesday, February 13

Jane Oakes has a terrible time. She is so little that she has to stand on a stool to turn a gas tube upside down in a water pan.

Thursday, February 14

We would say that as for laughs—Dick Stratman and Roy Hale take the cake.

Friday, February 15

The Observer is literally covered with ads—Wonder what their line is? Maybe it's due to Ed Rodgers—that big business man,

Monday, February 18

From the looks of things we think an absentee list better be made for teachers; there were about eleven absent from school the first of the week.

Tuesday, February 19

We wouldn't be gossipy or anything but have you noticed the new romances blooming now that it's getting near spring—Helen Wilson and Harvey and Mae and Dale Miller, for instance.

Wednesday, February 20

Lots of the gals got invitations to a dinner tomorrow night. We're gettin' out the old etiquette books and looking up a few things—believe you me.

HOLD THAT POSE

- 1 Tiny Tim and Sampson
- 2 Spirit of '76
- 3 If at first you don't succeed
- 4 Hi Shorty!
- 5 What a figure!
- 6 All agreed
- 7 Laurel and Hardy



Thursday, February 21

We think the "Dec" should sponsor a beauty contest and as for contestants, what do you think of those Erisman gals, Helen Madiera or perhaps the "blonde venus"—M. S.

Friday, February 22

The "Observer" sponsored the movies today. Did Dorothy Cannon ever rate with that swell close-up—we didn't even have a chance.

Monday, February 25

Have you heard about our latest couple?—Mary Mucker and R. L. Moore! Molly O'Dell is playing cupid and carries their little love notes back and forth. Tsk! Tsk!

Tuesday, February 26

Oh, dear! I've thunk, and thunk and I just can't think of a thing to write. Why doesn't somebody do something interesting once in a while.

Wednesday, February 27

Miss Foran forgot to ring her little bell this morning, and about half the people in 322 were late. Bettie Quinlan was in such a hurry to get her seat that she came rushing in with her lock hanging over her finger.

Thursday, February 28

The poor soldiers in the opera had to be here at 7:30 this morning. Wonder what time they had to get up? Must have been about the crack o' dawn.

MARCH

Friday, March 1

We thought only little kids get measles, but it seems that the whole school is catching 'em—Joan Gregory, Jean Light, Phil Miller, Elizabeth Geiger, Kenneth DeFrees, and even Miss Wyne!

Monday, March 4

Mr. Ziese's bright and shining face is back among us again, and he won the nomination, too!

Tuesday, March 5

Gee, I itch all over. Maybe I'm catchin' the measles, too. Quick, where a mirror?

Wednesday, March 6

Saw Paul Swarm flashing hundred dollar bills around here today—Surprise! It's just stage money for the "oprey."

Thursday, March 7

Hurtt and his "basketeers" won from Argenta last night and Wright played Stonington and won for dear old alma mater 53-9. Deah, deah.

Friday, March 8

Mr. Taylor was escorted to school in a police car with two policemen! Sounds bad. Wonder if he has joined the strikers?

Monday, March 11

"Blossom" Weilepp has finally found her Don Juan in the shape of a T. K. E. pledge. She told us that she can't eat or sleep—it must be grand!

Tuesday, March 12

Push off ye lads! for the cold wastes of Alaska with "Slim" Williams. Joe Hengst has decided to go up and put a few excess pounds on those manly shoulders.

Wednesday, March 13

We wonder what will be next—someone asked Miss Orr, in all sincerity, to buy a ticket to "Milly Modest"!

ALWAYS BUSY

- 1 Library Staff and Miss Harper
- 2 Miss Rader, High School Secretary
- 3 Miss Cope, High School Secretary







Thursday, March 14

When Bettie doesn't write this Jessie does, and when Jessie doesn't it isn't written—where's Barbara? P. S.—This clever thing was written by Miss Quinlan.

Friday, March 15

This weather seems to be bringing lots of illness (or maybe it's Spring Fever)

—E. Chodat, Frances Johnson, and Sutliff sure have it—at the Mill.

Monday, March 18

You'd be surprised to know how many of the seniors imagine themselves Clark Gables and Claudette Colberts, but then so it goes when the seniors have play try-outs—.

Tuesday, March 19

Got an invitation to a formal on May 4th. Gee, gosh, am I thrilled. Now I'll have to break the news gently at home, and if I handle the situation diplomatically, maybe I'll get a new dress.

Wednesday, March 20

You should have seen what we saw during rehearsal—four (what ought to be dignified) seniors playing school on the front steps of this honorable institution. And the chawming teacher was—Helen Louise—Wattsie to you.

Thursday, March 21

Have you ever noticed the Rogues Gallery on the walls outside of 322—I even found my Dad's picture and is it a honey!

Friday, March 22

Free, free—sumpin' for nothin'. All of us little seniors are invited out to Millikin some time in the near future to see "The Late Christopher Bean."

Monday, March 25

The "auch-tors" for the senior play have named—Harvey Sellers, the dashing hero; Doris Sayre, the gentle maiden; Sandy Carroll, Helen Louise Watts, and Barbara McMurry just act and act some more.

Tuesday, March 26

All the opera cast ran around with a haunted look in their eyes and circles under them—Martha Quinn says she hasn't slept for weeks just for thinking about it.

Wednesday, March 27

Some of the gals are going to have a house party out at Southside. The "Dec" staff plans to work all week so you can see what you can see.

Thursday, March 28

The opera, "Mile. Modiste" was simply "scrumptous." Mary and Kenneth sang grandly and Beatrice Dickman had a beautiful French accent. God rest ye merry gentlemen!—go home and sleep. Make good use of your ten days vacation.

APRIL

Monday, April 8

Horrors, the same old story about the first day after vacation with every one looking the worst from the wear. We wonder what Judith Ann Mertz was doing at the transfer house fishing out of a fish bowl?

Tuesday, April 9

Peg Smith will have lots to tell when she comes home from the hospital—what with being fed oxygen and all.

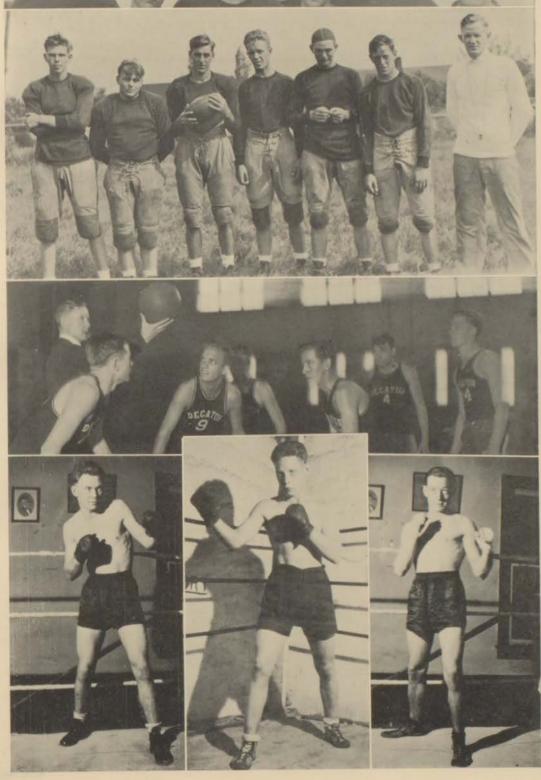
Wednesday, April 10

Mrs. Meyers must have the dropsy or something because Mr. Sprunger gave her a basket to carry her bulletin up stairs in—sarcasm or gallantry?

ATHLETICS



- I Mr. White and the second team
- 2 Coach Kintner and all his lads
- 3 D. H. S. Basketball team and coach
- 4 Robert Ray
- 5 Willard Ray
- 6 Ray Musick



Thursday, April 11

The dust flys here
The dust flys there,
It gets in ole' Decatur's hair.
And if the pupils
Use their noodles,
They'll gargle when eating apple "strudels."

Friday, April 12

How can the DeMolays have so many parties? We all saw little Walter Murfin there with "Susie" Stivers.

Monday, April 15

Heard Harold Mikels asked "Greg" to go to a formal. Gee, did she turn into a big smile and blush. (We gather that she accepted.)

Tuesday, April 16

Sprig is here! But we dodice thad several of our well dowd students have a code in the head. Ah be! Such is life. P. S.—If you want to get any sense out of this, you'd better read it out loud.

Wednesday, April 17

The Observer surely got us some grand entertainment when they brought the White Hussars. We must admit our dear old newspaper brings as good auditoriums as the "Dec."

Thursday, April 18

Doctor Lindberg gave his annual talk to the seniors. He really relieved our minds a lot about the T. B. test when he said it wouldn't hurt. From what we heard from some of the seniors last year, it was almost as painful as a major operation.

Friday, April 19

Guess what they asked us for—to decorate South Side for the opera cast dance. Cut grass from our lawns and any fruit blossoms. It sounds kinda funny, but they say the effect is quite "arty."

Monday, April 22

Hi de ho—some doin's. You should just have seen Elizabeth Geiger, Ellie Shell, "Ginger" Peery, "Gregg" and a few other energetic youngsters toddling out of bed at dawn yesterday morning in order to attend the sunrise service. They also honored several other religious spots with their presences during the day.—Such ambition deserves some reward—

Tuesday, April 23

Sure felt like a cow being branded when I got the T. B. test this morn. Little Willy Clannin kind of folded up on us!

Wednesday, April 24

Carolyn Hilligoss and Maude Eichman made "Sweet girl graduates" when they modeled "ye old cappes and gownes" this morning.

Thursday, April 25

More branding for the seniors—this time "Doc" read the little red marks some guy!!!

Friday, April 26

The spring fever seems to have gotten quite a few of our "students"—? Saw Bob Long and young Dave Simpson over at the drug wishing for a car and some swimming suits—the spring, the beautiful spring.

Monday, April 29

These people that get "easy money" make me sick—Harris Beck and Ruth Ross came thru with flying colors and won the Mary W. French award.

Tuesday, April 30

Was terrible sorry to see in the paper last night that Mrs. Hostetler is going to give up the ship as dean of girls—We'll miss you and we wish you lots of happiness.

- 1 The Directors— Miss Pease and Miss Robertson
- 2 Fifi and Captain Etienne— Mary Karelas and Kenneth Black
- 3 The Stage Crew— John Pier, Bernard Boggs, Natt Hammer, Robert Bolt
- 4 Paul Swarm, Straley Heaton, Beatrice Dickman, Eleanor Brown, Eutana Wolcott, and Betty Lee Rench
- 5 The Ballet— Lorraine Harris, Dorothy Bowman, Eutana Wolcott, Dorothy Crippen, and Charlotte Denz
- 6 Count Henri— Harris Beck Rene— Francis Rogier, and Marie Louise —Mary Jane Prather
- 7 Dance Director-Kathlyn Keyes



Wednesday, May 1

Scandal! Scandal! The pride and joy of the house of Woodward went riding with "Helpy" and Clyde Tearnan last night in her nite-gown and bathrobe. Can you imagine that? Positively indecent, I calls it!

Thursday, May 2

Senior honors popped out yesterday in the meeting. Mr. Walraven was chosen salutatorian by a unanimous vote. Mr. Swarm is to orate for us.

Friday, May 3

Yesterday a girl was knocked down by lockers and today little Imogene Hopkins fell over in a dead faint. Maybe a few nails, carefully placed, would help to hold the place together for a few more years.

Monday, May 6

The senior play was quite a success and did "Wattsie" ever look elegant in that little pink number. Did we get scared—in the forest.

Tuesday, May 7

Proud and haughty,
Good not naughty,
Her glance is apt to freeze;
She's very coy,
The pride and joy—
Lib Williams if "u" please.

Wednesday, May 8

News and more news—you know that dignified(?) sophomore, Helen Madiera—Well, children, she had a great surprise the other night when that big he-man Oder, ups and spanked her a few. 'Twas really quilte touching (puny pun). It must be nice to exercise such manly strength over all the gals—n'est-ce pas?

Thursday, May 9

May we sorta acknowledge a little help from "Gaddy" or in other words Joan Gregory.

Friday, May 10

Saw all the De Molays up in Bloomington some time ago. That little Carl Swartz was practically weighted down by a big medal on a red ribbon which he was wearing 'round his neck.

Monday, May 13

Such an elegant affair that them thar juniors gave us the other night. Weren't the little concession stands just too cute for words—in fact so cute we'll drop the whole matter.

Tuesday, May 14

Have you ever noticed Evelyn Overly's beautiful blonde locks? We just wonder how many hours it takes her to curl it all up. Try counting them some time.

Wednesday, May 15

I would say, rite off hand, that the ice cream cone season is here. People go around hiding behind regular mountains of the stuff. There's a little place around the corner that seems to be permeated with old Southern generosity. At least, they give you all u want for a nickle.

Thursday, May 16

Believe it or not, but we have a human fish in our midst. She got so lonesome for the H₂O the other nite that she went wading in it, and as a result is now suffering from tonsilitis. The "scaly" one's name is Slocum.

Friday, May 17

Mr. Rees and the boys and girls came thru with flying colors again and presented a fine concert. Music was especially entertaining.

OBSERVER

- 1 Photographer, Sellers and Deffenbaugh; and Staff Artist, Kenneth Gandy
- 2 Harris Beck-Editor-in-Chief
- 3 Doris Sayre— Co-Editor
- 4 Harvey Sellers— Business Manager
- 5 Mr. Taylor-Business Adviser





Monday, May 20

Well, next week finishes it all. Just think three whole years up here, treading the foot-worn steps, and now 'tis all to end—right poetic, I calls it.

Tuesday, May 21

Virginia "Vandy" Van Deventer had the mumps about two weeks ago and our spies tell us that a certain curly headed chap came every night and stood under her window—what would'cha call that?

Wednesday, May 22

We had so much to tell you awhile back that we forgot to mention the way in which the shorthand team won all the first places in the district—quite a fast bunch, eh, what?

Thursday, May 23

Tommy Crawford has absolutely the "swellest" grin of anyone under the sun. Sorta have an idea that a few of them shine on a certain gal called "Sweetie."

Friday, May 24

You should just hear Jack Smick raving about not having to take finals, "specially a law one—course he's not the only.

Monday, May 27

"So here hath been dawning another blue day.

"Think—there are only four more for our dear friends the seniors—the lucky dogs.

Tuesday, May 28

Tomorrow's the big day, what with the senior picnic, class day, 'n everything. Can't you just see that handsome Arthur Lutz with a luscious grey robe on.

Wednesday, May 29

Honors! honors! and more honors! These honor days are not for the poor dumb under-dogs like us but just imagine what a wonderful feeling it must be.

Thursday, May 30

Memorial Day is another day we are thankful for-no school!

Friday, May 31

We wonder just how things will turn out for our "sweet" graduates—it was a swell class day—in fact so swell we almost "blubbered" all over ourselves. So long—be seein' you at the picnic this afternoon.

Monday, June 3

The pic-a-nic was really quite an affair. Even if a few sandwiches and deviled eggs were used for paper wads—oh, well, it's all in a day.

Tuesday, June 4

Billowy clouds lying in an Azure sky; little birds— Oh don't let it bother you, school's almost over, summer comin' and all that, it's almost bound to go to one's head a little bit.

Wednesday, June 5

Here it is the first of June and we just noticed those black numbers which were painted on all the doors about a month ago. Course we were awful busy and all—They always start doing things just when we leave.

Thursday, June 6

Last year some of the childish little seniors tied the row in front of them together by taking a tassle out of their caps and winding it around the button on the robe of the senior in front—Such embarrassment—sure hope it doesn't happen this year.

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

- 1 Mr. Abel and his Bookkeeping Team
- 2 Trophies won by the Commercial Department
- 3 Mr. Nickel and his Novice Typing Team
- 4 Amateur Typing Team: Geraldine Farrar, Vivian Hickman, Elaine Morrison, and Alice Marie Jones
- 5 Advanced Shorthand Team: Lucille Bradford, Lorena Schwalbe, Alice Marie Jones, and Rose Calamello
- 6 Miss Giffin
- 7 Mr. Heinle
- 8 What a Whopper!
- 9 Alice Marie Jones, "our big winner in shorthand and typing"
- 10 Miss Parker— Heal of the Commercial Departnient
- 11 Miss Hickey and her 70 word shorthand team



Friday, June 7

The final day has come and our job is finished. Commencement was lovely and it was certainly something which will forever linger in our memories.

ODES TO THE SENIORS

Adams is tall and superior (I am speaking of Sylvia). Too, She gives one a complex inferior. Has she ever tried working on you?

B is for Burcham the Silent, The maiden with beautiful eyes, If it weren't for her discrimination, You would find me in Joy's paradise.

Crawford is the name of twins
As like as camel's humps.
How do we differentiate?
Tom wears bow-ties and Marge wears
pumps.

De Frees is a lad in our midst Who is noted for fluttering hands. When he talks and continues his talking, All hope of escape one disbands.

Eichman's other name is Maude, A girl we all revere. And when we sit by Maude in class, Our grades fill us with cheer.

Farrar is the name of an opera gal, And her namesake is in our class— Our own Geraldine doesn't yodel so well But she's one nifty lass that will pass.

Geiger's art at drawing mugs Will someday bring her money. Once she drew my own pan and Attempted to be funny.

Henry, Paul, is quite a lad— I think he'll make his mark. He gives a good impression when His face is in the dark.

Iiams is a damsel fair With quiet ways and flaming hair, But don't let that give you a scare— Her eyes are blue.

Jones is quite a common name, It doesn't sound like fire. Alice Marie is not a lamb, I know, I raised her ire.

Knotts is a landmark of ours, We all know good ole Marge. We like her guile, explosive smile, Her atmosphere at large.

Lindberg is a name of note Held here by quite a worthy chap. We know him by his manly stride, His deadly, murderous back-slap. Miller is a little man, A little man but mighty, And slay the girls, I'll say he can With ha-cha-cha and hi-de.

Nelson, Forrest, takes the cake In saying something silly. While playing 'round some profs, he gets An atmosphere quite chilly.

Oakes is such a little bit Of sugar and of spice— And when she looks at me and smiles, I think she's awfully nice.

Powell is at times so wise He somehow makes me fidget But in the good ole senior play, He's just a simple idjut.

Quinlan, Betty, cuts some figure, Walking down the street. All the dandies whisper sideways, "Boy, ain't cookie sweet?"

Roger's child is quite a man— Neil knows what he's about. When victims make a wee mistake, He promptly bawls them out.

Swarm is so ambitious that He makes me feel so funny, I s'pose when he grows up he'll have Just piles and piles of money.

Toney (that's Byron to you)
Is quite on the hefty side.
And if he knew who wrote this ode,
He'd hurt more than my pride.

Uhler is a bashful boy Who knows mechanics well, I'm told. He knows just what a piston is, And what the clutches hold.

Vance has a jaw of steel, He needs be slightly gayer. To finish his biography, He goes with Doris Sayre.

Watts is just too cute for words I like to hear her giggle. But with the males of her set I fear that she is figgle.

Xcuse me, plizz, there is no X So I'll just say, "Wisconsin!" I don't know why I said it But it rhymes with Frances Johnson.

York, of course I mean Bob, 'Fore school takes stand in the hall. He can tell you just who goes with whom And who's mad at whom and all.

Z's I have none But Ozee will do. With Raymond I'm done. Caramba! I'm through.

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- 2 Dorothy Stauder
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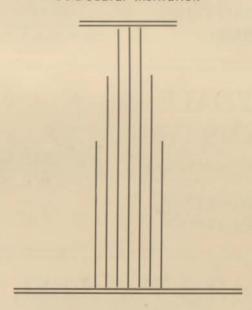
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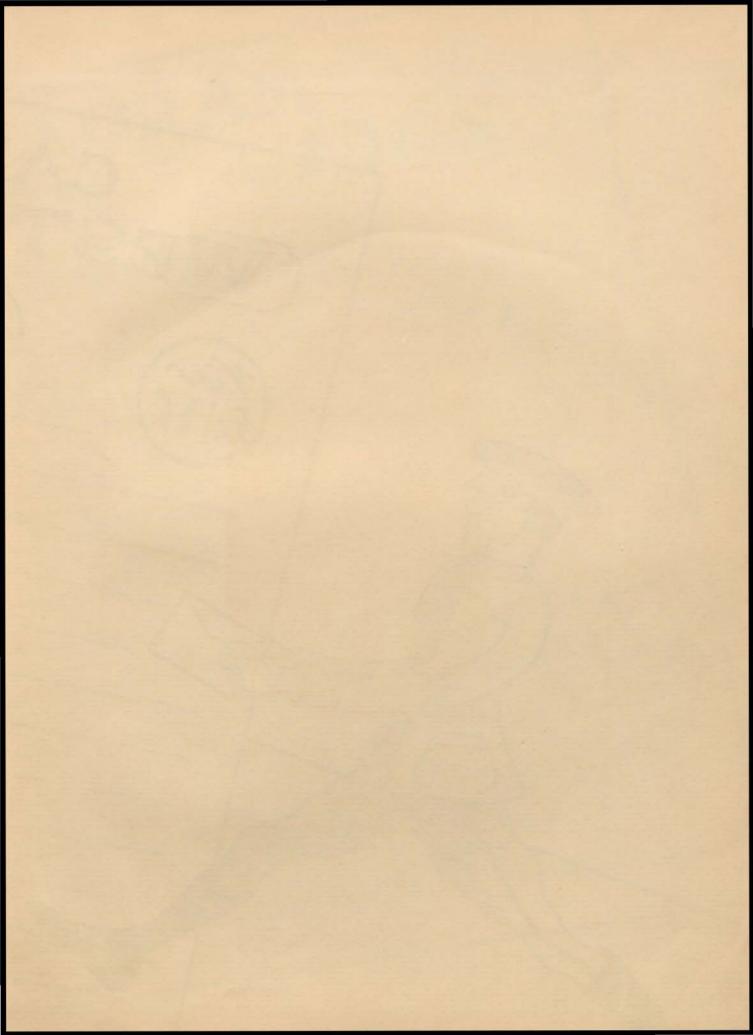
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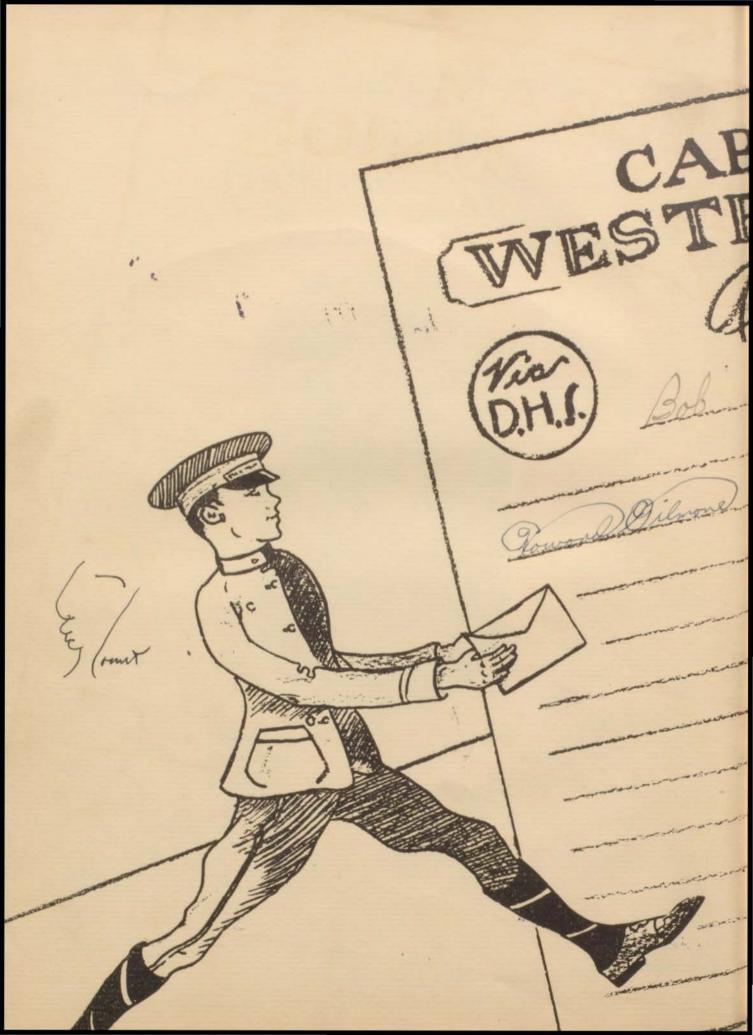


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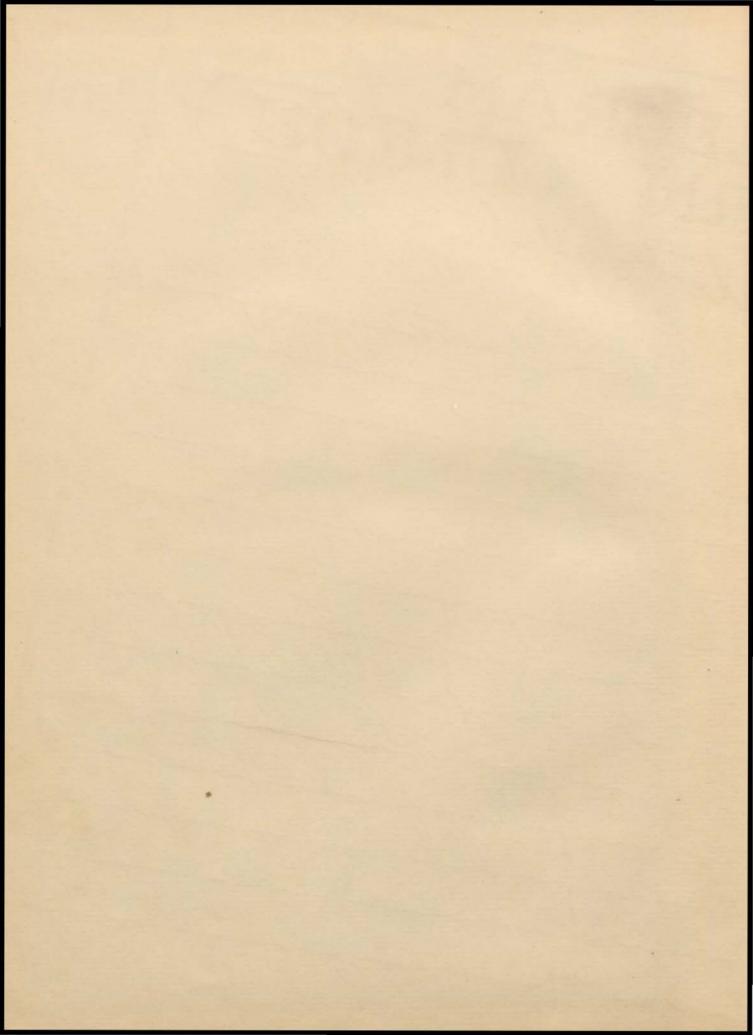
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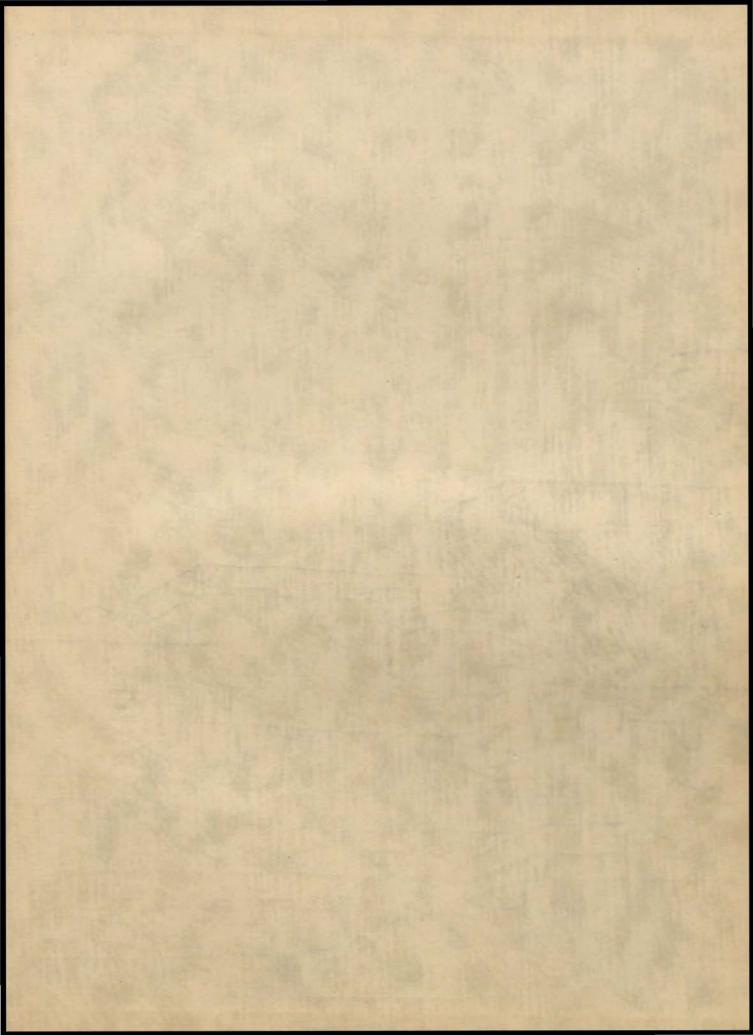
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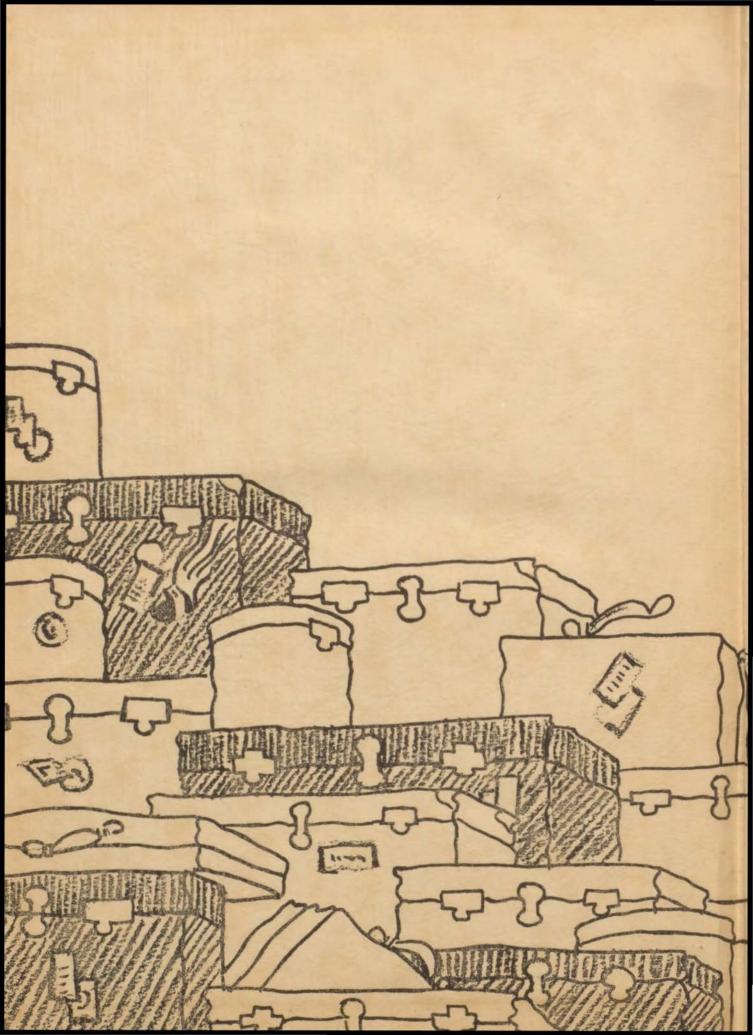




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