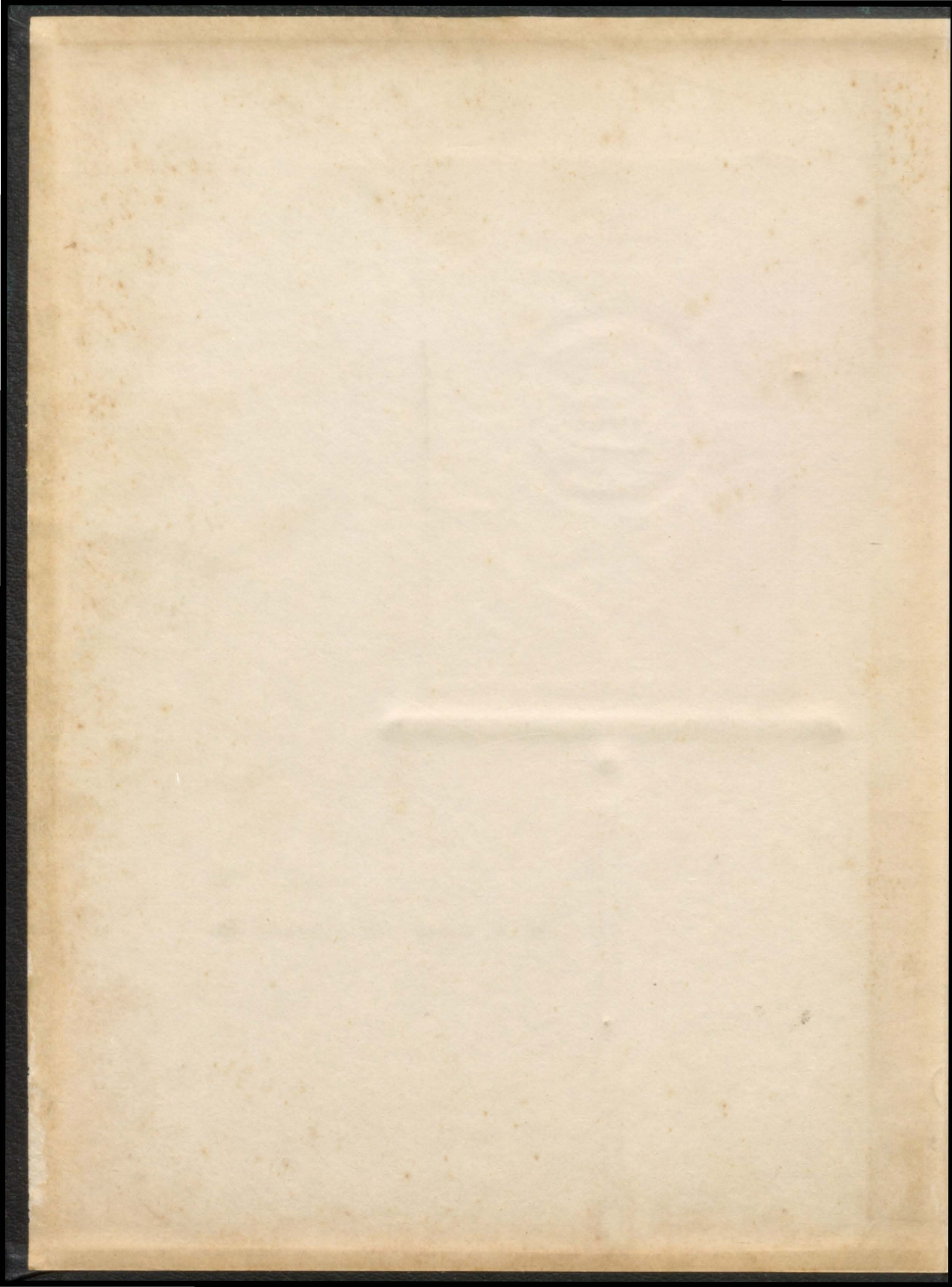


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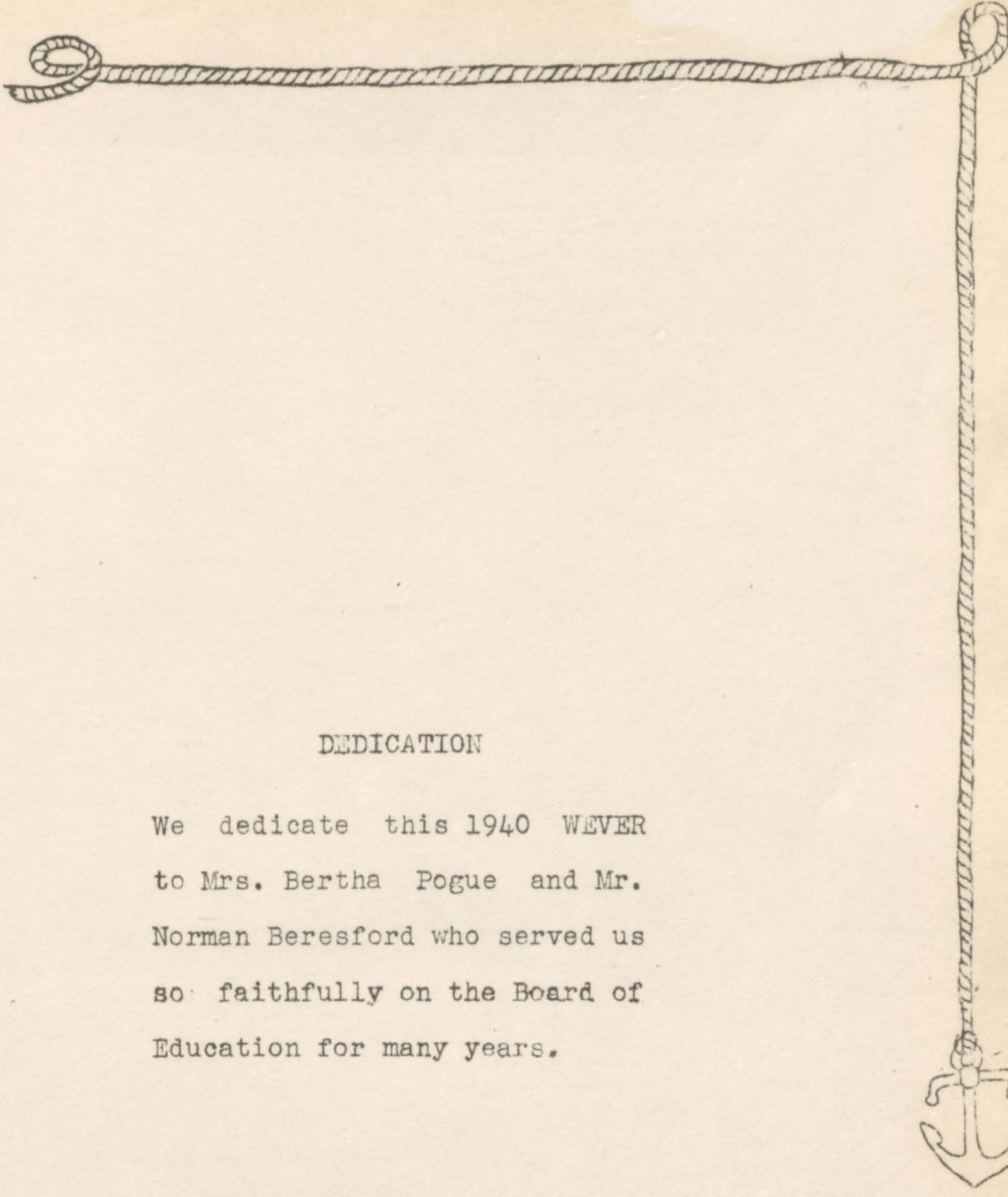
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so faithfully on the Board of
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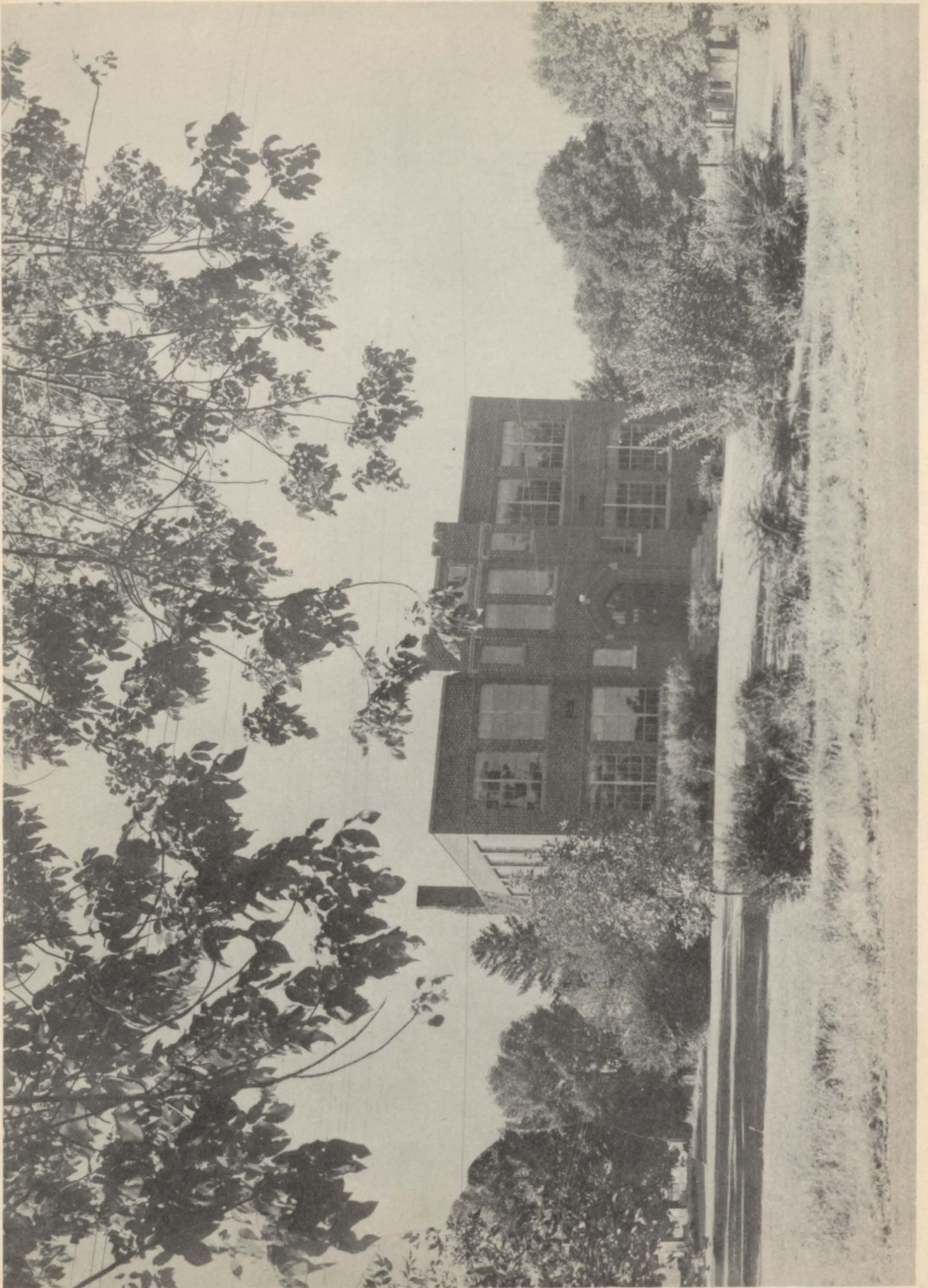
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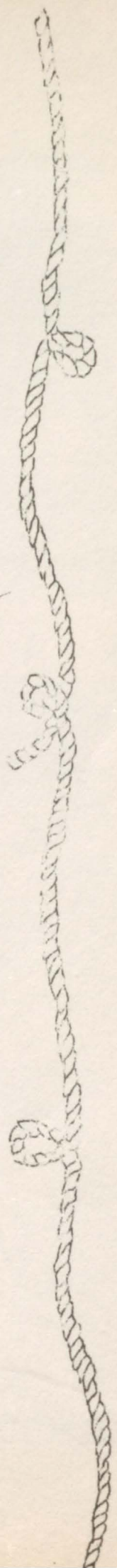
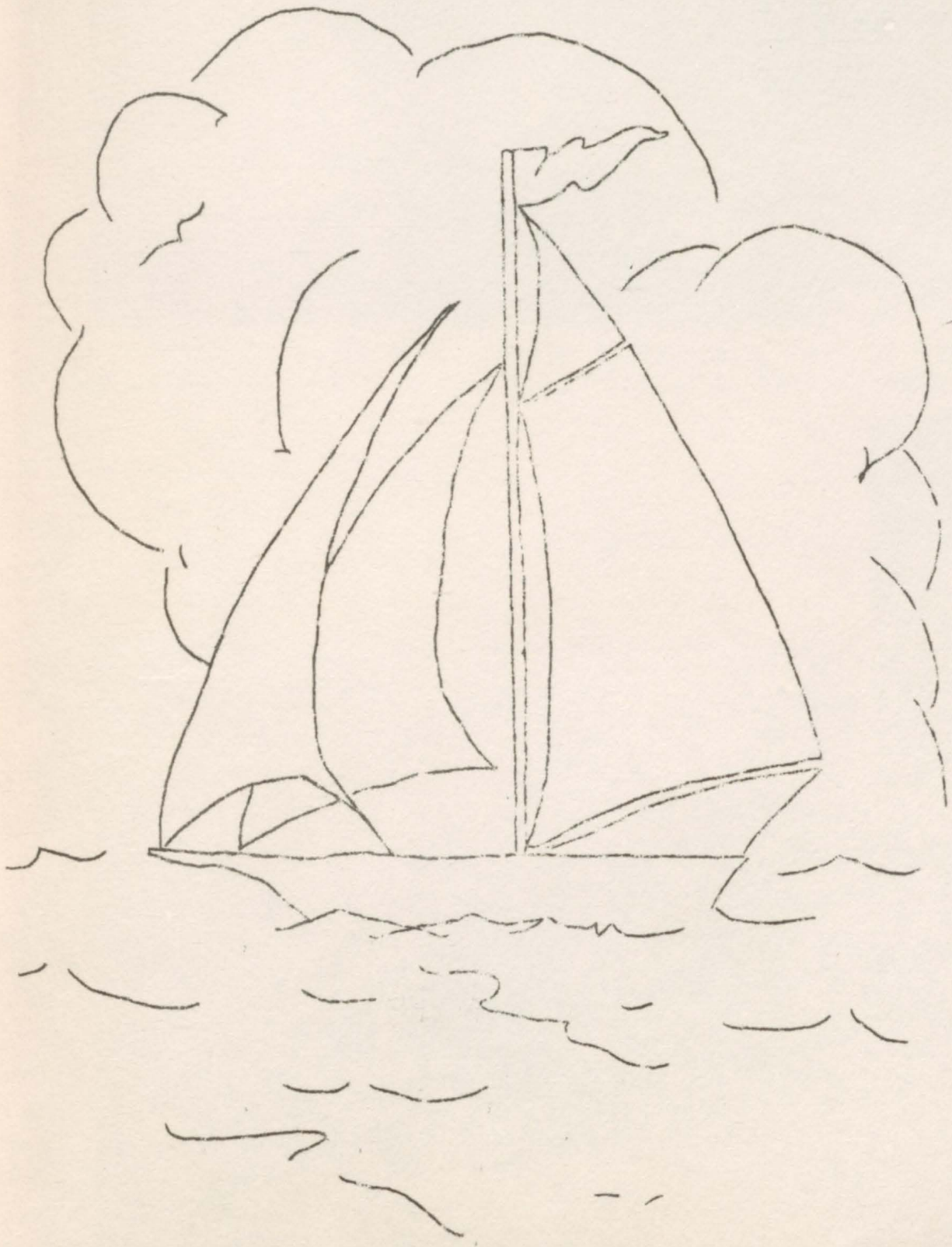
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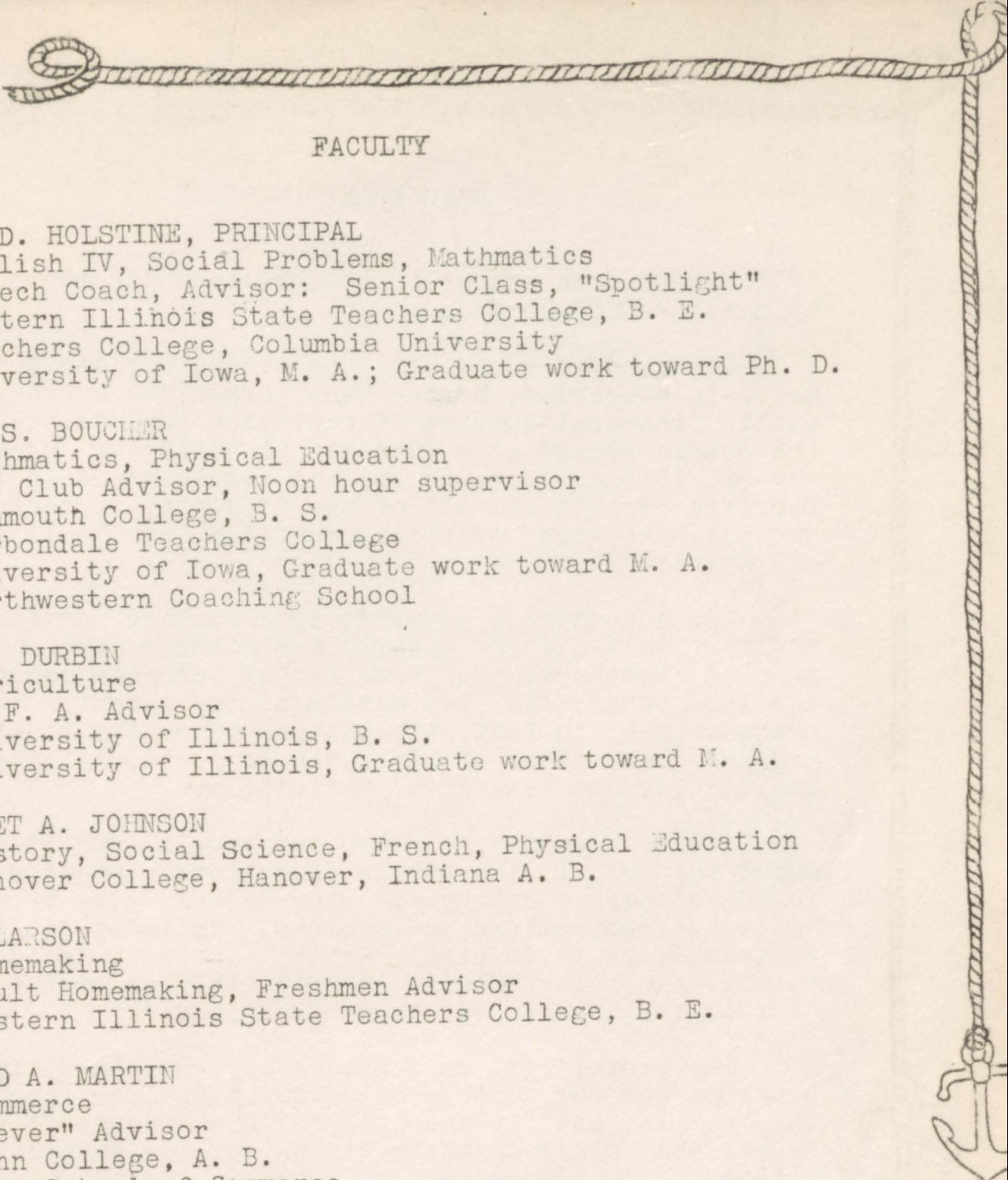


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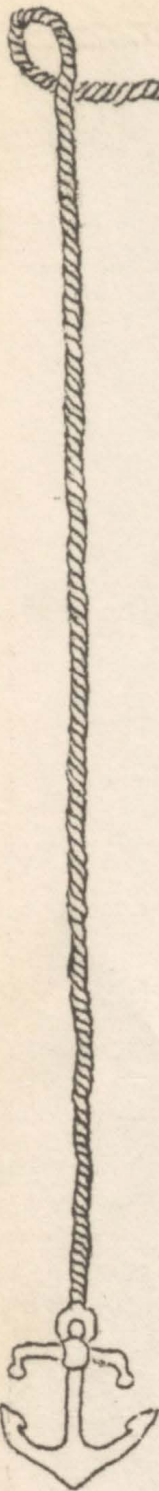
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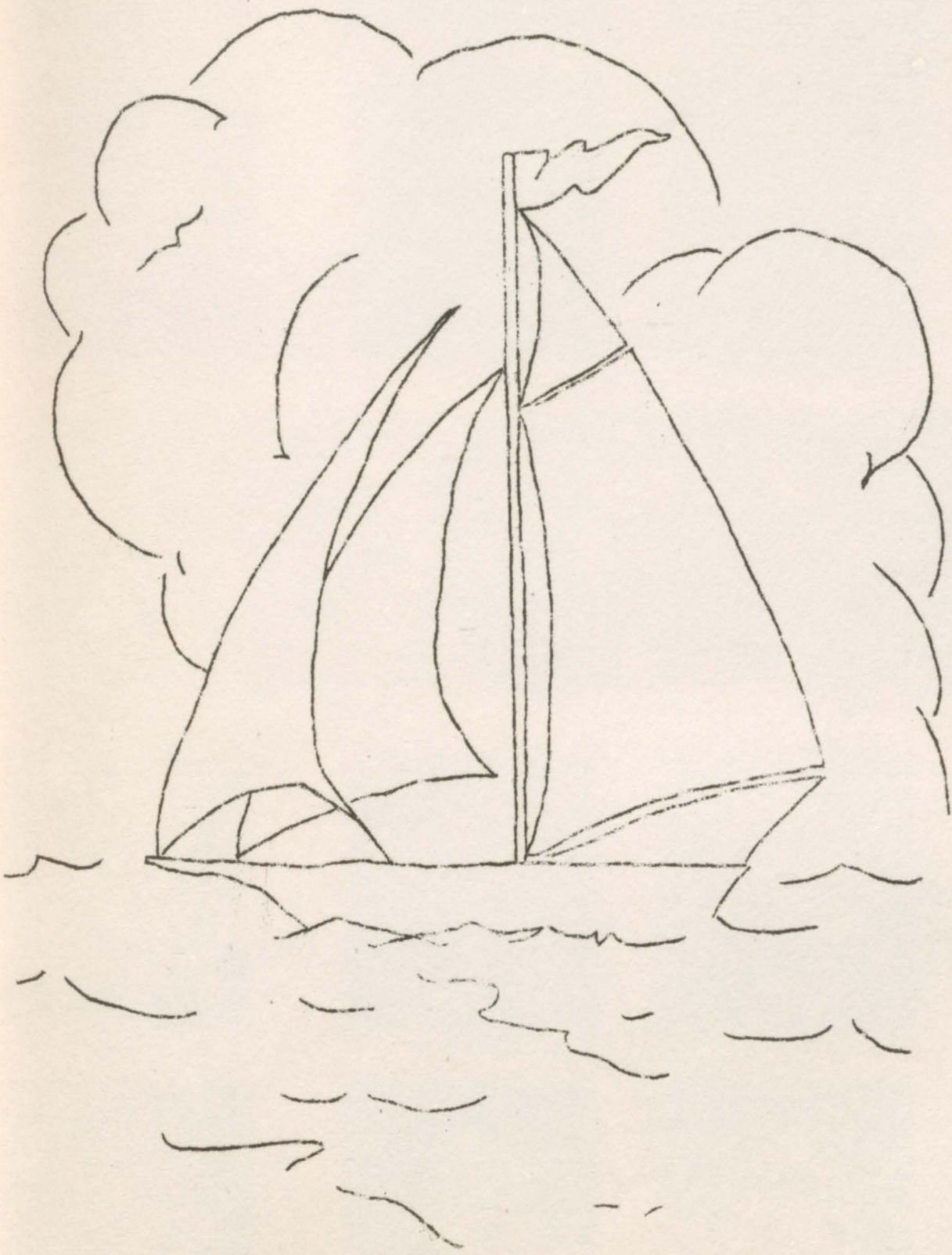
"The common school is the greatest discovery ever made by man." -- Horace Mann

One hundred years ago, one of the world's greatest pioneers in education, Horace Mann, organized a program for the public financial support of education because he believed in the public school as a fundamental basis for democracy--the way of living. Because of his heroic stand in the face of terrific opposition, all of us--students, parents, patrons; and teachers--are profiting mentally, physically, socially, and spiritually.

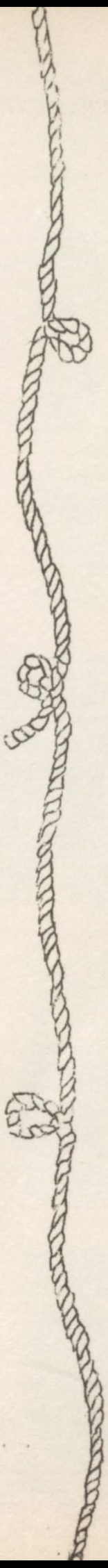
The educational program is a further demonstration of the fact that all of mankind has kindred need and relationship as brothers. The educational program renders aid to the land owner, the business man, the parent, the student, the poor man; in fact, the entire community benefits in increased consumption of improved products, raising of moral and ideals, and beneficial activities.

It is our duty to renew our vows in our financial and moral support of the public educational program--the means for developing a democracy where people live by making intelligent compromises and choices. Unitedly, it is the common challenge to inspire youth to want to be good citizens, rather than being made to be good citizens by the dictatorial rule in the clouded areas of the world.

Therefore, let us continue working intelligently on a program for our youth, that education "for the people, by the people, and of the people" may forever live in the hearts and minds of the citizens of our respective communities.



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J. R. Worley



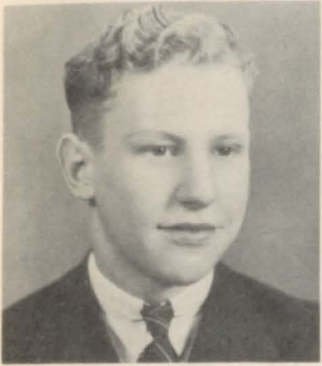
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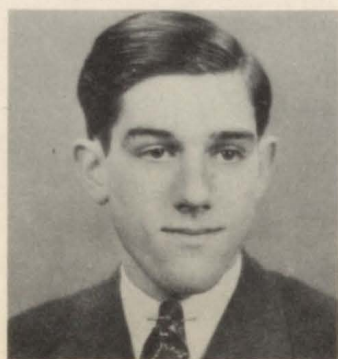
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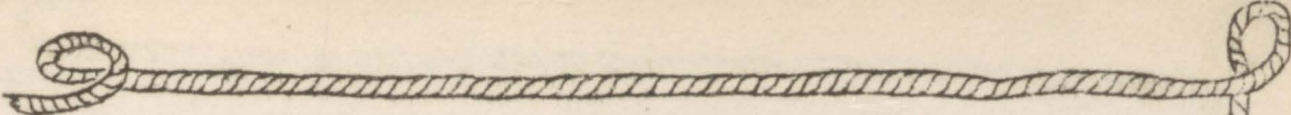
Eldon Harden



Dorothy Graham



Wendell Voorhees



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

Barbara Anderson

"Happy-go-lucky, with a contagious laugh"--Barb.

G. A. A. 1,2,3,4 (V. Pres.)
Chorus 1,2
"Green Cheese" 2
"Elmer" 2
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4

Carol Baldwin

"Studious, with an intriguing smile for everyone"--Baldy.

G. A. A. 1,2,3,4
Chorus 1,2,3
Bi-County 2
"Green Cheese" 2
"Elmer" 2
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Ready Made Family" 4
"Medlin'" 4
Declamation 4
Oration--First local
Third county

Doris Bigger

"Content only with doing her best for the good of all"--Rosy.

G. A. A. 1,2,3,4
"Elmer" 2
"Red Flannels" 3
"Ready Made Family" 4
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4
Declamation 3
Oration--Fourth local

Eileen Churchill

"As she tickled the ivories her enthusiastic abilities crept forth"--Eny.

Sec'y.-Treas. 1
Intra. Rep. 2
G. A. A. 1,2,3,4--Pres.
Chorus 1; Accomp't. 2,3,4
Piano Solo
First local 2,3,4
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Second 2
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4
"Elmer" 2
D. A. R. Candidate 4
Cheer Leader 4

Lorraine Doubet

"Seen, but seldom heard as she worked conscientiously"--Doub.

G. A. A. 2,3,4
Orchestra 2,3

Jack Brokaw

"Blond, curly headed package of mischief"--Jack.

F. F. A. 2,3--Treas., 4
"M" Club 4
"Elmer" 2
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Ready Made Family" 4
Declamation 2,3
Oration--Second local 2
First local 3
First county 3
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3,4
Football 3,4



Dorothy Graham

"A sparkling conversationalist for those after school chats"--Do.

Senn High School, Chicago 1
Sec'y. 1
G. A. A. 2;3;4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
Bi-County 2,3;4
Vocal Solos 2,3,4
 Fourth 2
 Third 3,4
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Ready Made Family" 4
"Green Cheese" 2
"Kentucky Gardens" 3
"Wever" 3

Eileen Hilten

"Snall, but bubbling over with pep and laughter"--Shorty

Sec'y. 2
Pres. 3
G. A. A. 1;2,3,4--Sec'y.
Chorus 1,2,4
"Green Cheese" 2
"Kentucky Gardens" 3
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Ready Made Family" 4
D. A. R. Candidate 4
Class Queen 2,4

Louise Milliken

"Friendly, with excellent homemaking plans"--Whiz.

G. A. A. 1,2,3,4
Piano Solo 2

Francis Overstreet

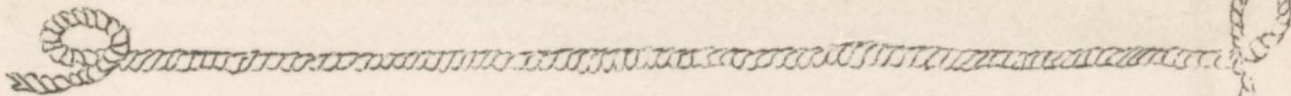
"Dizzy Dean, the second"--Bun.

Vice Pres. 4
F. F. A. 3--Rep., 4--V. Pres.
"Ready Made Family" 4
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4
Track 1,3
"Wever" 2

Helen Hartquist

"A winning smile, a cheery word, and she wins another friend"--Harky.

Stronghurst High School 1,2
Vice Pres. 2
Intra. Rep. 3
Treas. 4
G. A. A. 1,2,3--Treas., 4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
Bi-County 1,3
"Kentucky Gardens" 3
"Red Flannels" 3
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Ready Made Family" 4
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4
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 Humorous--First local 3,4
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 Dramatic--First local 4
 Second county 4
"Classroom Close-ups" staff 2
"Wever" 3,4
Typing Team 2--Dist. Champs
Class Queen 3
"Spotlight" (Editor) 4
D. A. R. Candidate 4
Cheer Leader 4



Marjory Graham

"Class artist finding enjoyment in everything"--Margy.

Senn High School, Chicago 1
G. A. A. 2,3,4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
Bi-County 2,3,4
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4
"Green Cheese" 2
"Kentucky Gardens" 3
"Wever" 2,3

Harold Schenck

"Mimeograph expert of exceptional skill"--Schenck.

Track 3
F. F. A 2
Chorus 1
"Wever" 4
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4

Robert Riley

"Tormenting teaser of tantalizing tactics"--Bob.

Little York and Stronghurst
High School 1
Vice Pres. 1
F. F. A. 1,2,3,4--Treas.
"M" Club 4
"Kentucky Gardens" 3
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4
Declamation 2
Fourth local
Baseball 1
Basketball 1,3
Football 3,4
Track 3,4

J. R. Worley

"In the field of sports--a 'Jack of all trades'"--Buck.

Intramural Manager 1
President 2
"M" Club 1,2,3,4--Vice Pres.
"Bellman of Mons" 1
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Football 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3,4
Student Council 2
"Wever" 2,3--Editor
Carnival King 3

Melbourne Krohn

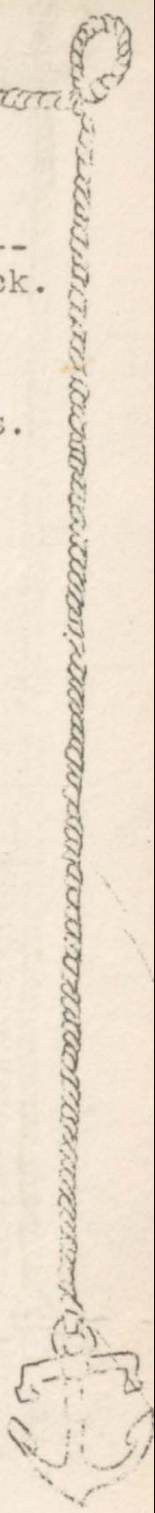
"Windy wager of wasteful wise-cracks"--Moody.

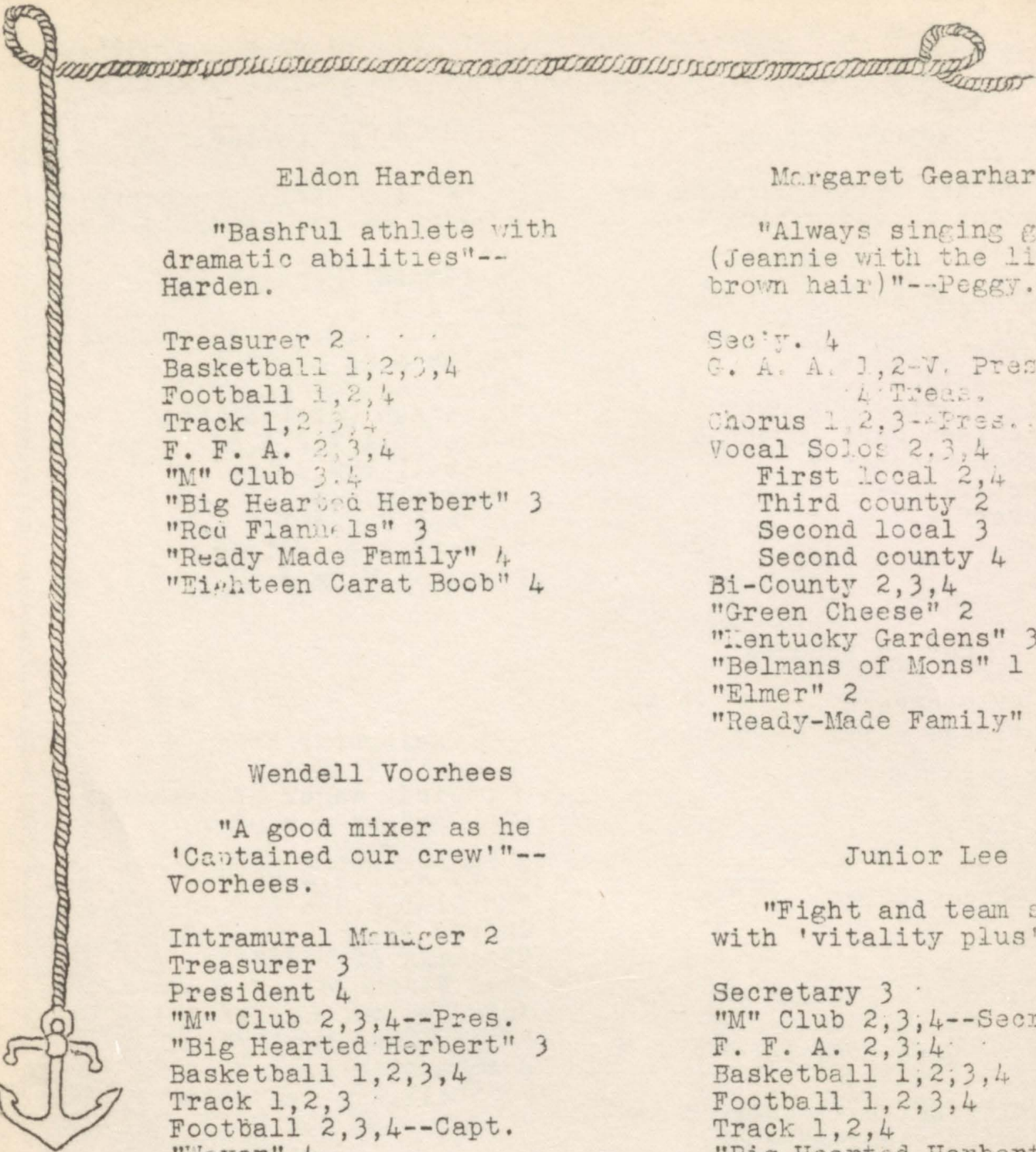
F. F. A. 2,3,4--Pres.
"M" Club 2,3,4
Chorus 1,4
"Bellman of Mons" 1
"Red Flannels" 3
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Ready Made Family" 4
Declamation 1,4
Football 2

Betty Slusher

"Emaculate and elite with an air of sophistication"--Bet.

West Intermediate, Davenport 1
Vice Pres. 1
Chorus 1
G. A. A. 2,3,4
"Wever" 3--Co-Editor, 4





Eldon Harden

"Bashful athlete with dramatic abilities"--Harden.

Treasurer 2
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Football 1,2,4
Track 1,2,3,4
F. F. A. 2,3,4
"M" Club 3,4
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Red Flannels" 3
"Ready Made Family" 4
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4

Wendell Voorhees

"A good mixer as he 'Captained our crew' "--Voorhees.

Intramural Manager 2
Treasurer 3
President 4
"M" Club 2,3,4--Pres.
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3
Football 2,3,4--Capt.
"Wever" 4
Carnival King 4

Margaret Gearhart

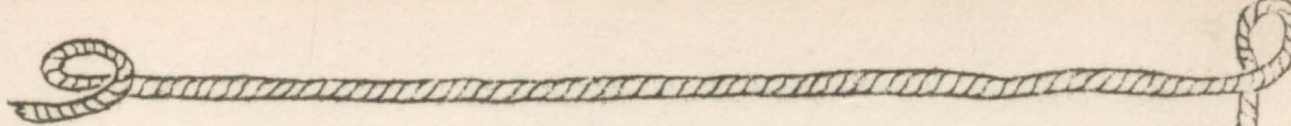
"Always singing gayly.. (Jeannie with the light brown hair)"--Peggy.

Sec'y. 4
G. A. A. 1,2-V. Pres., 3
4 Treas.
Chorus 1,2,3--Pres., 4
Vocal Solos 2,3,4
First local 2,4
Third county 2
Second local 3
Second county 4
Bi-County 2,3,4
"Green Cheese" 2
"Kentucky Gardens" 3
"Belmans of Mons" 1
"Elmer" 2
"Ready-Made Family" 4

Junior Lee

"Fight and team spirit with 'vitality plus' "--Mike.

Secretary 3
"M" Club 2,3,4--Secretary
F. F. A. 2,3,4
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Football 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,4
"Big Hearted Herbert" 3
"Eighteen Carat Boob" 4



AN ACCOUNTING OF CLASS 1940

Twenty-four boys and girls entered Media High School in September, 1936 to begin a series of four year events. The personnel of this new class consisted of: Barbara Anderson, Carol Baldwin, Doris Bigger, Glenn Blythe, Jack Brokaw, Eileen Churchill, Margaret Gearhart, Bryant Gibb, Eleanor Gibb, Edna Hamburg, Eldon Harden, Cecelia Hayden, Eileen Hilten, Jack Hoffeditz, Melbourne Krohn, Gertrude Lawyer, Junior Lee, Robert McCollum, Louise Milliken, Francis Overstreet, Harold Schenck, Mary Jane Torrance, Wendell Voorhees, and J. R. Worley. This group proved to be ambitious and talented.

The following officers and advisors guided the class in its endeavors:

1936-37

President--Mary Jane Torrance
Vice President--Glenn Blythe
Sec.--Treas.--Eileen Churchill
Advisor--Miss Mildred Martin

1938-39

President--Eileen Hilten
Vice Pres.--Eileen Churchill
Secretary--Junior Lee
Treasurer--Wendell Voorhees
Advisor--Miss Margaret Rensch

1937-38

President--J. R. Worley
Vice President--Bryant Gibb
Secretary--Eileen Hilten
Treasurer--Eldon Harden
Advisor--Mr. Virgil Boucher

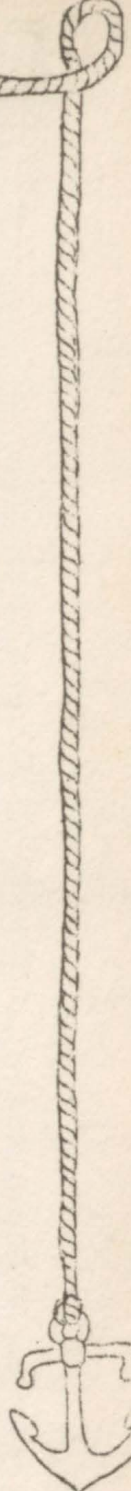
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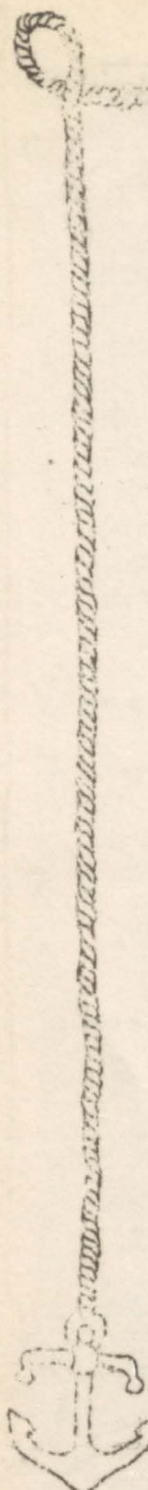
President--Wendell Voorhees
Vice Pres.--Francis Overstreet
Secretary--Margaret Gearhart
Treasurer--Helen Hartquist
Advisor--Mr. Garold Holstine

After an appropriate initiation, the newly acknowledged members of Media High School soon demonstrated abilities in athletics, dramatics, and chorus and orchestra. A class picnic and roller skating party at Burlington was the climax of the social activities of the first year.

Four new members were added to the Sophomore year: Marjory and Dorothy Graham, Robert Riley, and Betty Slusher. Jack Hoffeditz dropped out in October. It was the duty of the Sophomore class to initiate the new Freshmen on September 11, 1938. Mr. Boucher, advisor, directed a cast from our class in "Elmer" on April 8, and sponsored a trip to the Tri-Cities on April 18. A champion volleyball team came from this membership during this year.

In 1938 two new members were added: Helen Hartquist and Edward Carlson. Eleanor Gibb and Mary Jane Torrance did not return to school for the junior year. On Christmas day, Edward Carlson met with a fatal accident while hunting. His presence was greatly missed by the class because of his good work in "An Old Kentucky Garden," an operetta, presented a



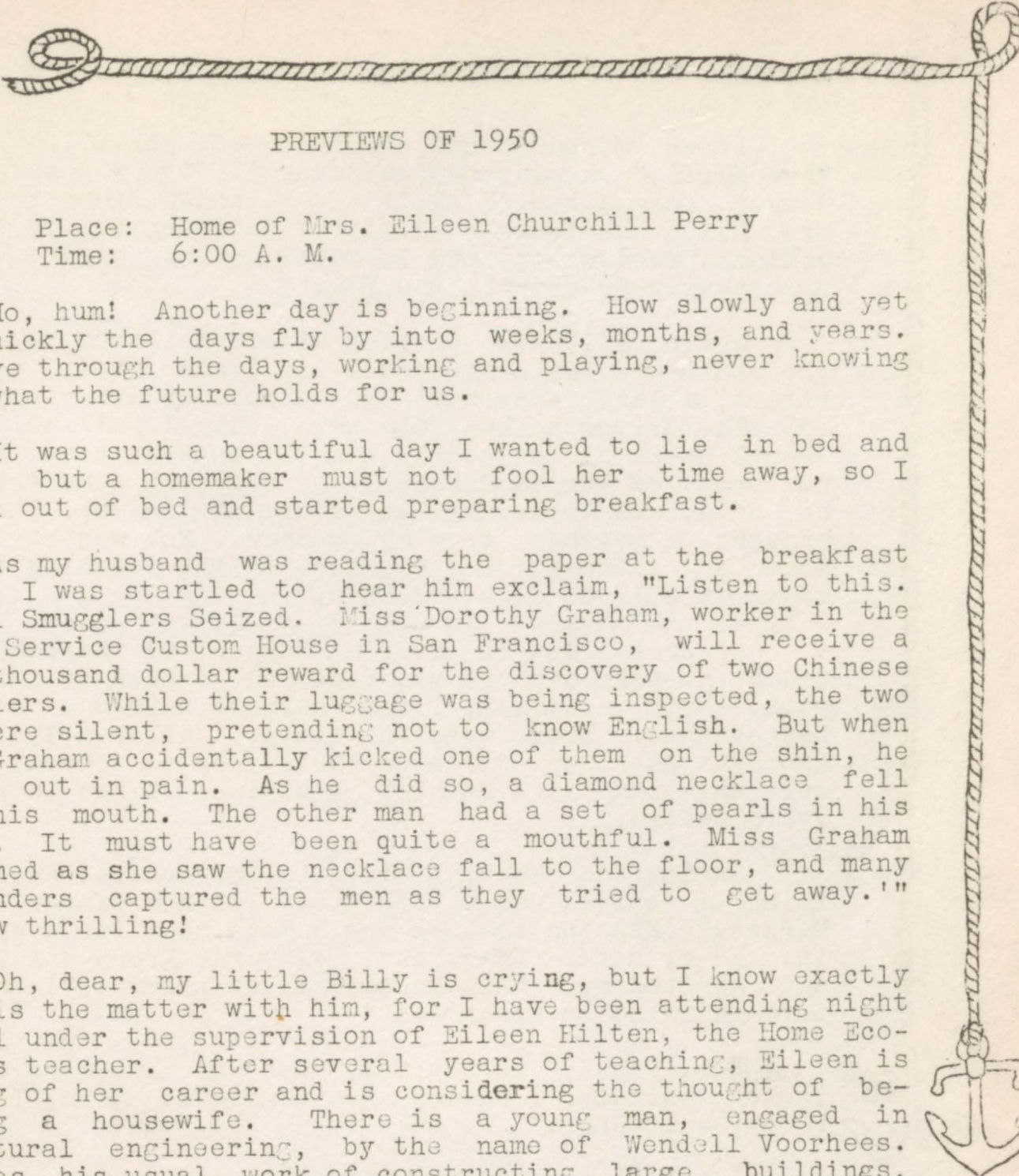


few days before. As Juniors, the class supplied a great amount of inspiration for the Bi-County championship football team, and the District and Regional championship basketball teams. J. R. Worley, Bryant Gibb, Eldon Harden, Junior Lee, and Jack Brokaw were "Bulldogs" worthy of the name. The dramatic event of the year was "Big Hearted Herbert," directed by Miss Rensch, advisor. In March, both the boys and the girls won the beautiful trophy for championships in inter-class basketball and music and speech tournaments. Helen Hartquist, Jack Brokaw, Doris Bigger, Margaret Gearhart, Eileen Churchill, and Dorothy Graham contributed the talent in music and speech activities. The year was closed with the presentation of the Junior-Senior banquet at Hotel Custer in Galesburg. The Juniors did everything possible to provide the Seniors with a memorable evening.

On Monday, August 28, preceding the beginning of the opening of school on Friday, death removed from our class a talented and faithful member, Bryant Gibb. "Bud's" smiling face and his happy disposition were greatly missed all through the year. On a separate page, Senior activities are given in detail. Four public programs, two Senior social programs and two plays, were successfully presented to gain funds for the annual senior class educational tour. All of these endeavors were well supported, for which the Seniors were truly appreciative. On Friday, April 26, the Class of '41 entertained the Seniors at Hotel LaMoine in Macomb.

A Senior Class Night program has been planned for Friday evening, May 17. Baccalaureate services will be held on Sunday evening, May 19, with Rev. J. C. Gearhart of Smithshire as the minister. Mr. Garland Taylor of Farmington, Minnesota will be the Commencement speaker for the anniversary Commencement on Friday evening, May 24.

The crowning event of the year will be the two weeks twenty-six hundred mile educational tour through thirteen eastern states and Canada. The Seniors of '40 will be graduated with many happy memories of four eventful years at Media.



PREVIEWS OF 1950

Place: Home of Mrs. Eileen Churchill Perry
Time: 6:00 A. M.

Ho, hum! Another day is beginning. How slowly and yet how quickly the days fly by into weeks, months, and years. We live through the days, working and playing, never knowing just what the future holds for us.

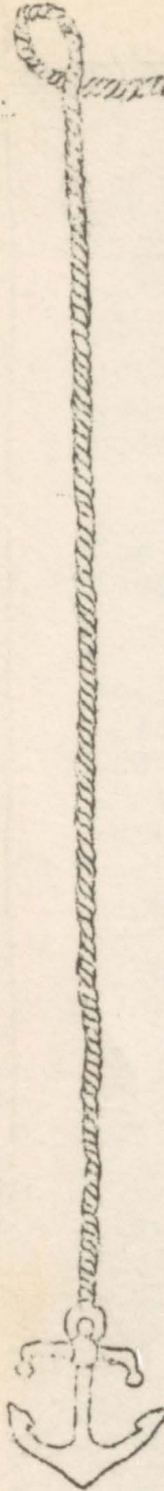
It was such a beautiful day I wanted to lie in bed and dream, but a homemaker must not fool her time away, so I jumped out of bed and started preparing breakfast.

As my husband was reading the paper at the breakfast table, I was startled to hear him exclaim, "Listen to this. 'Jewel Smugglers Seized. Miss Dorothy Graham, worker in the Civil Service Custom House in San Francisco, will receive a one thousand dollar reward for the discovery of two Chinese smugglers. While their luggage was being inspected, the two men were silent, pretending not to know English. But when Miss Graham accidentally kicked one of them on the shin, he cried out in pain. As he did so, a diamond necklace fell from his mouth. The other man had a set of pearls in his mouth. It must have been quite a mouthful. Miss Graham screamed as she saw the necklace fall to the floor, and many bystanders captured the men as they tried to get away.'" My how thrilling!

Oh, dear, my little Billy is crying, but I know exactly what is the matter with him, for I have been attending night school under the supervision of Eileen Hilten, the Home Economics teacher. After several years of teaching, Eileen is tiring of her career and is considering the thought of becoming a housewife. There is a young man, engaged in structural engineering, by the name of Wendell Voorhees. Besides his usual work of constructing large buildings, Wendell is building a smaller house. I wonder if this could have any connection with Eileen's desire to become a homemaker.

Here's a magazine that came in the morning mail. What a beautiful cover. Why, no wonder! It is a drawing made by Marjory Graham, commercial artist in Chicago.

While I was doing the dishes and tidying up the house, I thought I would listen to the radio. It was a new one, equipped with television. For a moment I held my breath, for there right in front of me was Margaret Gearhart and her lovely voice. She is a famous singer in the Metropolitan Opera House in New York. How wonderful it is that television makes it possible for us to see as well as hear things from the remote corners of the earth.



After Margaret had finished the beautiful selection "Ave Maria," a play was announced. It was to be in condensed form directed by the well known dramatic director, Mrs. Helen Hartquist Worley of California. It was an excellent production, and I would advise anyone who has an opportunity to attend "The Men."

While Billy was playing with a neighbor boy, I went to the store to get some bread. As I was about to cross the street, a large transport truck drove up and stopped abruptly. The driver honked the horn, but I paid no attention. When I heard it the second time, I looked up and stared into the eyes of Harold Schenck. He had just come from Raritan, he said, and since he was stopping in Mt. Sterling, he brought a message from my mother. She wanted me to come home and spend a few days, for it was canning time and we might as well do ours together.

After talking it over at supper, my husband and I decided to take a short vacation and go back to Raritan for a week. Upon arriving, I was surprised to see how the town had changed. Where were the little children I used to know who ran back and forth on their way to school? Now they were enjoying life at high school as I had done several years before.

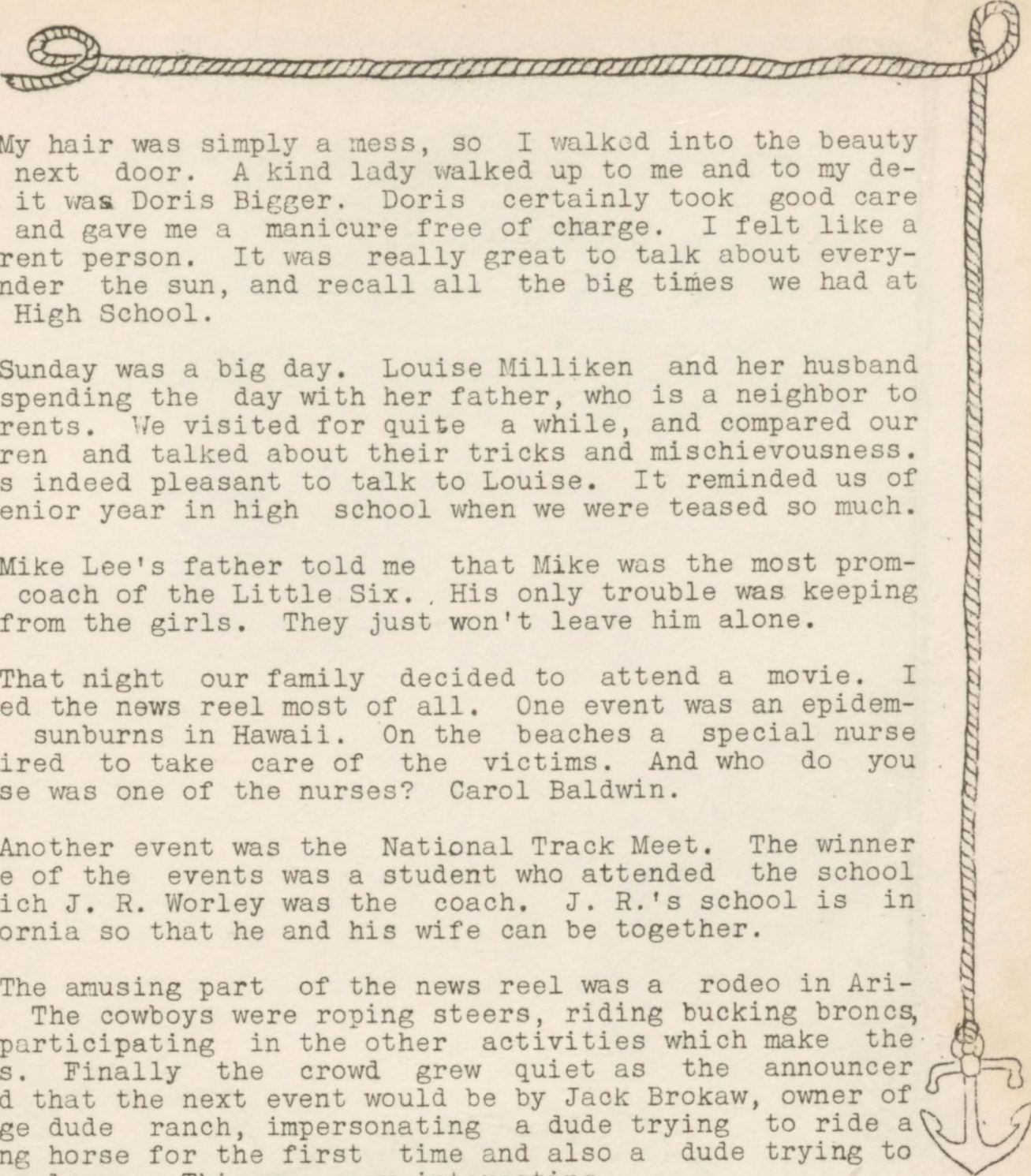
During the week, I drove to Smithshire, and the first thing I noticed was a big store with a large sign "Meat Market." Knowing that we would need meat for supper, I went in. To my utter amazement, Melbourne Krohn was the butcher who greeted me. "Why Moody," I exclaimed, "I thought you were going to be a surgeon."

"Oh, I was," he replied, "but when we were experimenting on animals, I became so attached to them, I decided to become a butcher."

I asked him if he had some good pork on hand. He answered, "Absolutely. I buy no pork except that raised by Francis Overstreet, the champion breeder of purebred Berkshire hogs."

Stopping in at Anderson's home, I found out that Barbara had taken nurse's training, later married, and was now nursing her young son who is ill with the measles.

On Saturday mother and I went to Burlington. Looking around in the dime store, I thought I recognized one of the clerks who was selling kitchen utensils. Why surely, I knew her. It was Lorraine Doubet. She greeted me pleasantly, as she always did everyone, and in the few seconds I talked with her, I learned that she was catching a fever from working at this certain counter and was thinking of taking up housekeeping. This seems to be a common urge in most all girls.



My hair was simply a mess, so I walked into the beauty salon next door. A kind lady walked up to me and to my delight it was Doris Bigger. Doris certainly took good care of me and gave me a manicure free of charge. I felt like a different person. It was really great to talk about everyone under the sun, and recall all the big times we had at Media High School.

Sunday was a big day. Louise Milliken and her husband were spending the day with her father, who is a neighbor to my parents. We visited for quite a while, and compared our children and talked about their tricks and mischievousness. It was indeed pleasant to talk to Louise. It reminded us of the senior year in high school when we were teased so much.

Mike Lee's father told me that Mike was the most promising coach of the Little Six. His only trouble was keeping away from the girls. They just won't leave him alone.

That night our family decided to attend a movie. I enjoyed the news reel most of all. One event was an epidemic of sunburns in Hawaii. On the beaches a special nurse was hired to take care of the victims. And who do you suppose was one of the nurses? Carol Baldwin.

Another event was the National Track Meet. The winner of one of the events was a student who attended the school in which J. R. Worley was the coach. J. R.'s school is in California so that he and his wife can be together.

The amusing part of the news reel was a rodeo in Arizona. The cowboys were roping steers, riding bucking broncs, and participating in the other activities which make the rodeos. Finally the crowd grew quiet as the announcer stated that the next event would be by Jack Brokaw, owner of a large dude ranch, impersonating a dude trying to ride a bucking horse for the first time and also a dude trying to throw a lasso. This was very interesting.

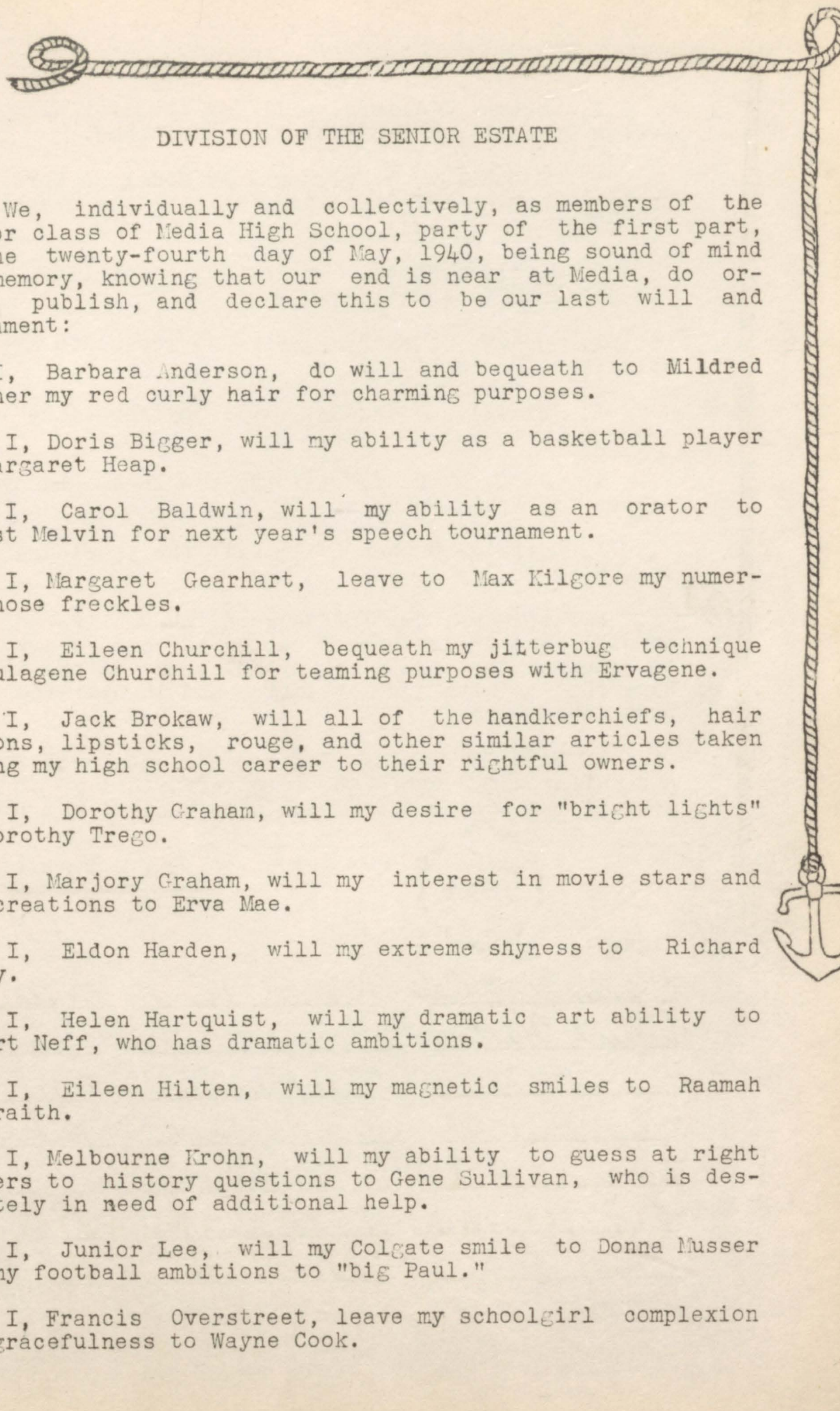
As we left the theater, I accidentally bumped into Eldon Harden. When asked what he was doing for a living, he replied that he was interested in Animal Husbandry and was having very good success at it. He invited us to attend a home talent play in which he was the leading man. I was anxious to see it because I remembered how well he had performed in the high school plays.

Our vacation had too soon come to a close, so we started home Monday. Stopping in Macomb to buy Billy some candy, we had the pleasure of seeing the Governor of Illinois, who was on a tour of northwestern Illinois. As he passed in his car, I saw Betty Slusher beside him. She was his private secretary and was accompanying him on his tour.

Arriving home, we found that Billy's pony was ill, so we called a veterinary. Who should walk in but Robert Riley? He soon analyzed the cause of the disturbance, and consented to stay for dinner.

It was so good to be back home again, but how wonderful it was to have seen and heard from the classmates of the Class of 1940. The memory of these students, and our friendships shall remain forever in our hearts, and we wish them all the greatest of success.





DIVISION OF THE SENIOR ESTATE

We, individually and collectively, as members of the senior class of Media High School, party of the first part, on the twenty-fourth day of May, 1940, being sound of mind and memory, knowing that our end is near at Media, do ordain, publish, and declare this to be our last will and testament:

I, Barbara Anderson, do will and bequeath to Mildred Slusher my red curly hair for charming purposes.

I, Doris Bigger, will my ability as a basketball player to Margaret Heap.

I, Carol Baldwin, will my ability as an orator to Ernest Melvin for next year's speech tournament.

I, Margaret Gearhart, leave to Max Kilgore my numerous nose freckles.

I, Eileen Churchill, bequeath my jitterbug technique to Eulagene Churchill for teaming purposes with Ervagene.

I, Jack Brokaw, will all of the handkerchiefs, hair ribbons, lipsticks, rouge, and other similar articles taken during my high school career to their rightful owners.

I, Dorothy Graham, will my desire for "bright lights" to Dorothy Trego.

I, Marjory Graham, will my interest in movie stars and art creations to Erva Mae.

I, Eldon Harden, will my extreme shyness to Richard Henry.

I, Helen Hartquist, will my dramatic art ability to Robert Neff, who has dramatic ambitions.

I, Eileen Hilten, will my magnetic smiles to Raamah Galbraith.

I, Melbourne Krohn, will my ability to guess at right answers to history questions to Gene Sullivan, who is desperately in need of additional help.

I, Junior Lee, will my Colgate smile to Donna Musser and my football ambitions to "big Paul."

I, Francis Overstreet, leave my schoolgirl complexion and gracefulness to Wayne Cook.

I, Louise Milliken, will my love for diamond rings to Evelyn Campbell, who has similar ambitions.

I, Bob Riley, do bequeath my Model A Ford to Charles Carlson, hoping that tardiness will be the exception and not the rule.

I, Harold Schenck, am anxious to will my ability as a mimeographer to Jewell Dean Nunn.

I, Betty Slusher, desire to bequeath my seamstress ability to Doris Dixon.

I, Wendell Voorhees, will my knowledge of football leadership to Dallas Gipe.

I, J. R. Worley, will my bow legs and eye for the basket to Donald Mathers.

I, Lorraine Doubet, will all the knowledge that I have in typing to Joe Campbell.

Furthermore, we the Seniors, whose life begins in '40, do will and bequeath our varied talents and personalities to the Juniors and a box of Kolorbak to the teachers who have put up with our abilities and inabilities during the past four years.

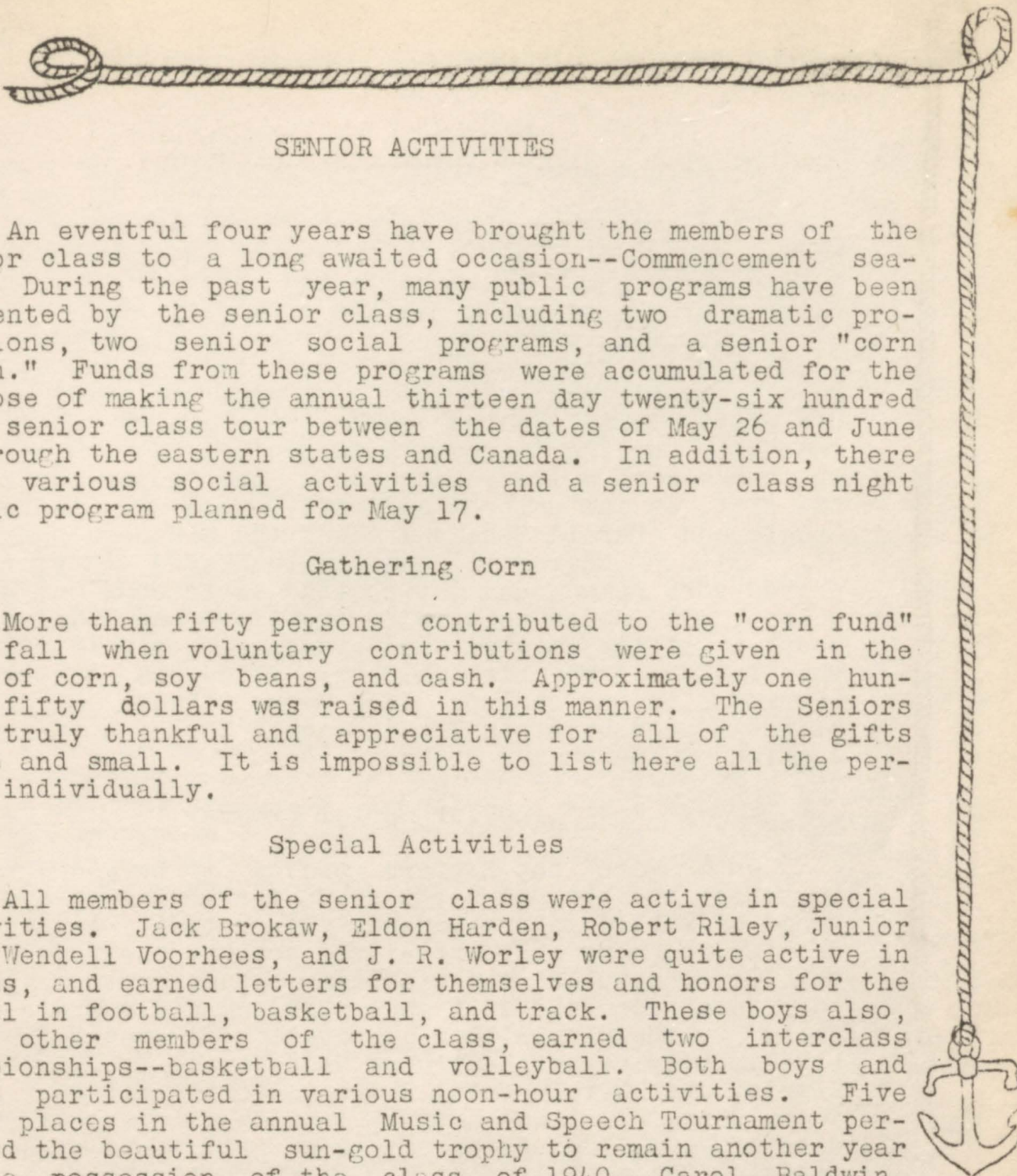
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal, the twenty-fourth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty.



Garold D. Holstine
Advisor

Signed:

<u>Wendell Voorhees</u>	<u>Helen Hartquist</u>	<u>Harold Schenck</u>
<u>Eileen Hiltner</u>	<u>Francis Overstreet</u>	<u>Margory Graham</u>
<u>Barbara Anderson</u>	<u>Melbourne Kohn</u>	<u>Betty Slusher</u>
<u>Louise Milliken</u>	<u>Lorraine Doubet</u>	<u>Doris Dixon</u>
<u>Margaret Kunkert</u>	<u>Carol Baldwin</u>	<u>Miss Lee</u>
<u>Eileen Churchill</u>	<u>Jack Graham</u>	<u>Bob Riley</u>
<u>Dorothy Graham</u>	<u>Eldon Harden</u>	<u>J.R. Worley</u>



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

An eventful four years have brought the members of the senior class to a long awaited occasion--Commencement season. During the past year, many public programs have been presented by the senior class, including two dramatic productions, two senior social programs, and a senior "corn wagon." Funds from these programs were accumulated for the purpose of making the annual thirteen day twenty-six hundred mile senior class tour between the dates of May 26 and June 8 through the eastern states and Canada. In addition, there were various social activities and a senior class night public program planned for May 17.

Gathering Corn

More than fifty persons contributed to the "corn fund" last fall when voluntary contributions were given in the form of corn, soy beans, and cash. Approximately one hundred fifty dollars was raised in this manner. The Seniors are truly thankful and appreciative for all of the gifts large and small. It is impossible to list here all the persons individually.

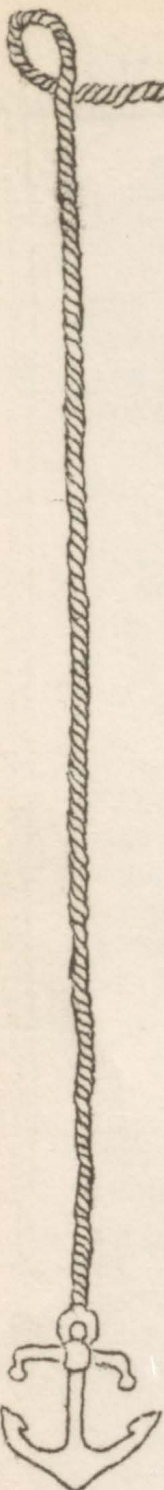
Special Activities

All members of the senior class were active in special activities. Jack Brokaw, Eldon Harden, Robert Riley, Junior Lee, Wendell Voorhees, and J. R. Worley were quite active in sports, and earned letters for themselves and honors for the school in football, basketball, and track. These boys also, with other members of the class, earned two interclass championships--basketball and volleyball. Both boys and girls participated in various noon-hour activities. Five first places in the annual Music and Speech Tournament permitted the beautiful sun-gold trophy to remain another year in the possession of the class of 1940. Carol Baldwin, Oration; Helen Hartquist, Humorous and Dramatic Declamation; Melbourne Krohn, Oration; Eileen Churchill, Piano; Margaret Gearhart, Vocal Solo; and Dorothy Graham, Vocal Solo earned points in the finals. The winners represented Media in various inter-scholastic contests throughout the spring.

"Ready Made Family"

A three act farce by Jay Tobias

This entertainment was presented on Friday, November 17, before a crowded and appreciative audience. The cast included Dorothy Graham, Helen Hartquist, Margaret Gearhart, Jack Brokaw, Carol Baldwin, Eldon Harden, Eileen Hilten, Melbourne Krohn, Doris Bigger, and Francis Overstreet. One of the interesting farcical situations was the kleptomaniac, a case of fits, and a girl who couldn't forget operations. Another was one who talked baby talk and the unusual darkey duet. Special entertainment was presented between acts.



"Eighteen Carat Boob"

Three act comedy drama mystery by Lillian Mortimer

When a country hick (Robert Riley) interrupted a lovely house party at Alice Bisnette's (Helen Hartquist's), things were sure to happen! And they did! In trying to catch a crook, everyone in the community fell under suspicion. Mr. Barkville (Francis Overstreet), a suspicious and unwelcome suitor, was discovered to be a detective. The equally mysterious maid, Anna, (Carol Baldwin) was really his wife. Billy Kearns (Mike Lee), a high school student, and Kitty Darling (Barbara Anderson), a babyish spoiled girl who spoke with a lisp, introduced the "puppy love" touch to the plot, as the colored servants, Cora and Charles, (Doris Bigger and Harold Schenck) added the Southern humor. Daisy Bell (Eileen Churchill) and Bella Sparks (Marjory Graham) proved very human and interesting as friends of Alice. Of course, all ended happily as the crow was found in another section of the country, and Lynne Bisnette (J. R. Worley), the father, gave his daughter Alice his consent to her marriage to her choice, Jack Merry (Eldon Harden). This play was presented on Friday, April 19, as a farewell production of the senior class.

Senior Social Program

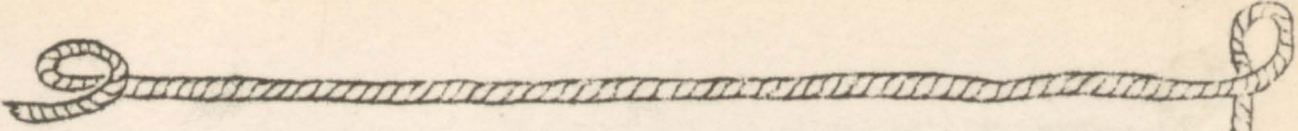
Once more the Seniors proved to be good hosts and hostesses to the community in Senior social programs, composed of varied entertainment. The activity included square dancing, as many as twenty-five sets at one time dancing on the floor, popular round dancing, stage amateur program, a busy game room and delicious refreshments. Music was provided by the Dean Brewer orchestra of Good Hope and the Orville Detrick orchestra of Gladstone. Ed Bigger, Harvey Kimble, and Vernie McVey assisted with calling. Acts between dances included novelty stunts, tap dancing, and clog dancing. The impression of those who attended was that the occasion "seemed like one big happy family."

Junior-Senior Banquet

The Seniors were delightfully entertained by the Juniors at a dinner dance at the Hotel Lamoine on Friday, April 26. This occasion was one of the most artistic of the year with the new formals and suits.

Spotlight

The Spotlight news columns kept the public informed of the many activities of Media High School. News was supplied regularly to seven newspapers in this section of the state including the Raritan Reporter, Stronghurst Graphic, Henderson County News, Henderson County Journal, Galesburg Evening Register Mail, Burlington Hawkeye Gazette, and Monmouth Review Atlas. Helen Hartquist was editor-in-chief



with Dorothy Graham as assistant. Mr. Holstine was advisor and Margaret Eberhard was typist. The following staff contributed to the column: Lorraine Doubet, Girls' Sports; Doris Bigger and Wendell Voorhees, Boys' Sports; Jack Brokaw and Marjory Graham, Dramatics and Speech; Margaret Gearhart, Music; Louise Milliken, Homemaking; Robert Riley and Junior Lee, Agriculture; Francis Overstreet, F. F. A.; Eileen Churchill and Eldon Harden, Alumni; Melbourne Krohn, Student News; Carol Baldwin and Barbara Anderson, Faculty News; Harold Schenck, Commercial; J. R. Worley, Science; Eileen Hilten, Feature; and Betty Slusher, Visual Education.

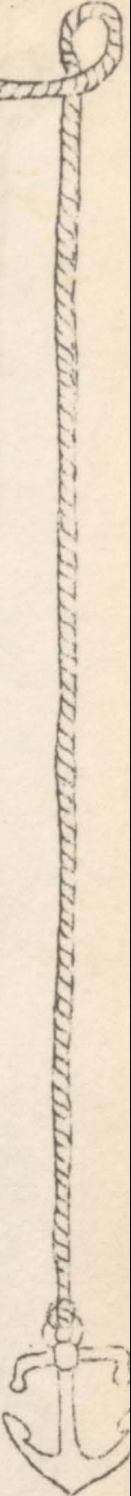
Motto, Flower, Color

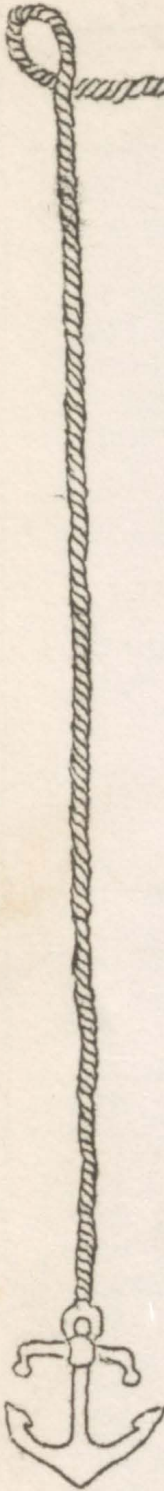
"Not at the top, but climbing" was the favorite motto with the class with lily of the valley as the class flower and the colors blue and gold.

Vocational and Avocational Projects

A very careful and planned study of a profession or occupation of one's own choosing was thoroughly enjoyed by each member of the class in English IV. These projects were a part of the extensive vocational and personnel guidance program sponsored throughout the schools. The purpose of the detailed investigation was to determine facts and possibilities of each vocation for a life work. As the reader will notice, the projects covered a broad and varied field of endeavor. Besides the written organized collection of facts, each student presented his vocation orally to the class. Each project was graded for neatness, grammar, organization, material, thought, interest shown, and the mechanical and editorial phases. Orally, each individual was graded for voice, posture, use of English, and the summary.

Vocational projects were selected, organized, and presented as follows: Barbara Anderson, Practical Homemaking; Doris Bigger, Beauty Culture; Carol Baldwin, Nursing; Jack Brokaw, Angus Cattle; Eileen Churchill, General Homemaking; Lorraine Doubet, Nursing; Margaret Gearhart, Gift Shop; Dorothy Graham, Interior Decoration; Marjory Graham, Commercial Art; Eldon Harden, Animal Husbandry; Helen Hartquist, Speech Activities; Eileen Hilten, Teaching Home Economics; Melbourne Krohn, Training for the Practice of Medicine; Junior Lee, Physical Education and Coaching; Louise Milliken, Homemaking; Francis Overstreet, Animal Husbandry; Robert Riley, Training to be a Veterinary; Harold Schenck, Transport Truck Driving; Betty Slusher, Secretarial Training; Wendell Voorhees, Structural Engineering; and J. R. Worley, Physical Education and Coaching.





BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM

Sunday evening, May 19, 1940, 8:00 P. M.

Musical Prelude from Recordings

Processional "Largo" "Xerxes" by Handel
Recording from Chicago Symphony Orchestra

"Holy, Holy, Holy!" Audience

Invocation Rev. Oscar Creech, Raritan

"Lovely Appear" Gounod
"On Wings of Song" Mendelssohn

Girls' Chorus

Scripture Reading Rev. Raymond Wilson, Media

Vocal Solo "Come, Jesus, Redeemer" Bartlett
Mrs. Lillian Pogue

Sermon Rev. J. C. Gearhart, Smithshire

"Winter Song" Bullard
Boys' Chorus

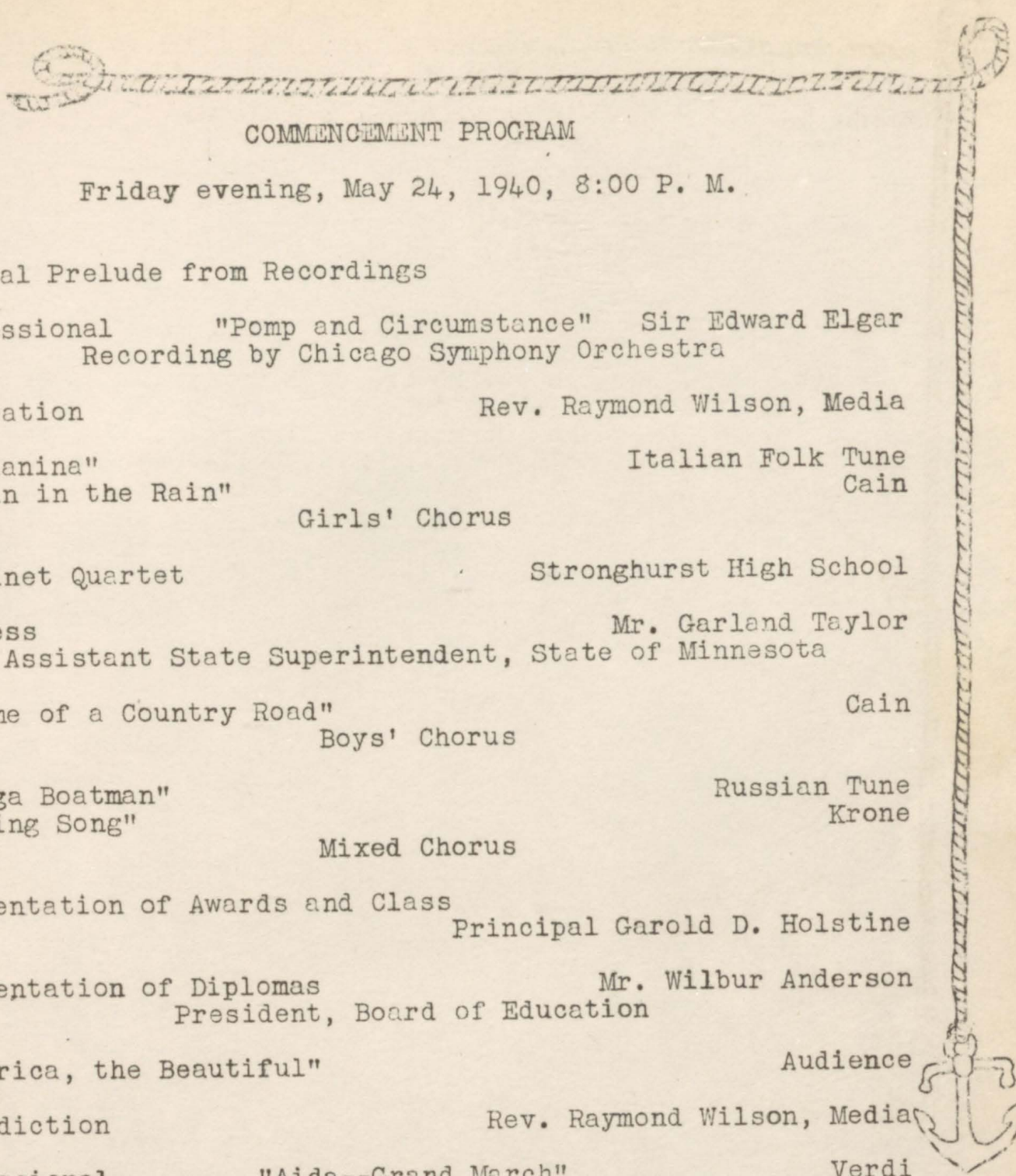
"Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones" 17th Century German Melody
"God Bless America" Berlin

Mixed Chorus

"Abide With Me" Audience

Benediction Rev. Oscar Creech, Raritan

Recessional "Marche Slave" Tschaikowsky



COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Friday evening, May 24, 1940, 8:00 P. M.

Musical Prelude from Recordings

Processional "Pomp and Circumstance" Sir Edward Elgar
Recording by Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Invocation Rev. Raymond Wilson, Media

"Marianina" Italian Folk Tune
"Robin in the Rain" Cain

Girls' Chorus

Clarinet Quartet Stronghurst High School

Address Mr. Garland Taylor
Assistant State Superintendent, State of Minnesota

"Rhyme of a Country Road" Cain
Boys' Chorus

"Volga Boatman" Russian Tune
"Hiking Song" Krone
Mixed Chorus

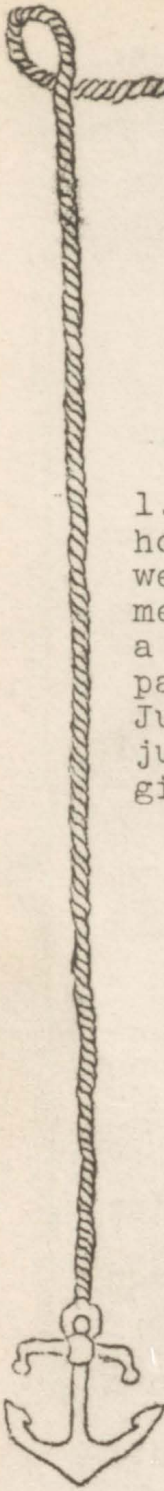
Presentation of Awards and Class
Principal Garold D. Holstine

Presentation of Diplomas Mr. Wilbur Anderson
President, Board of Education

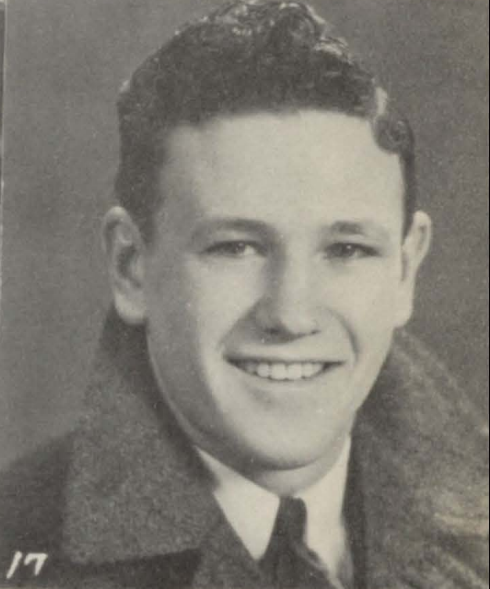
"America, the Beautiful" Audience

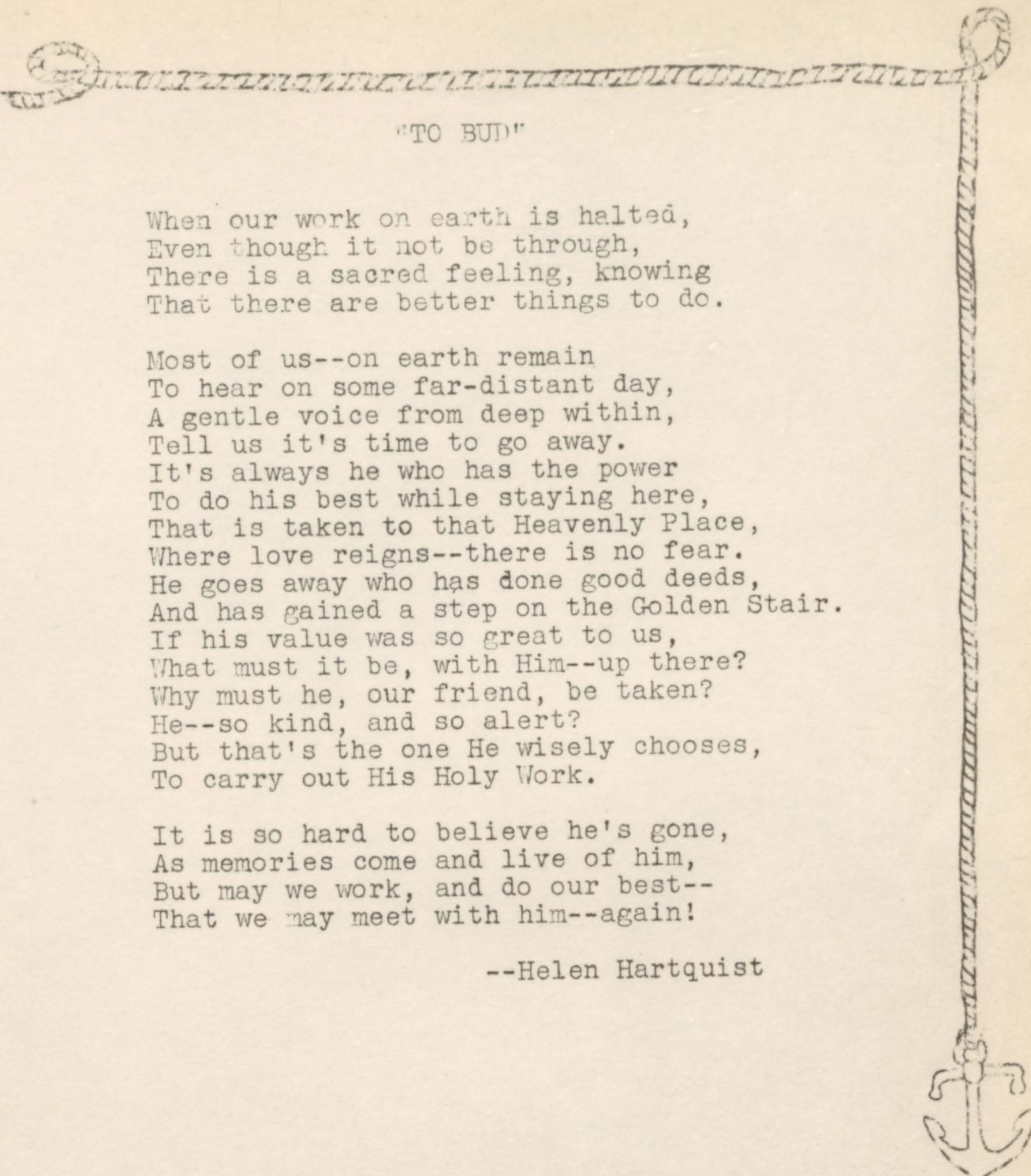
Benediction Rev. Raymond Wilson, Media

Recessional "Aida--Grand March" Verdi
Recording by Boston Orchestra
Arthur Fielder, Conductor



1. Next stop, Raritan 2. Beware of Bluebeard. 3. At noon hour 4. School daze--When you and I were young. 5. These we made. 6. Heave Ho! Up goes the flag pole. 7. Five merry lassies 8. Hold me tight! 9. Well--maybe so 10. just a pose 11. Granny 12. Taking a speed test--Helen 13. A pause 14. Off to class 15. I've got a girl. 16. Jolly Juniors 17. Bud 18. Now Wayne 19. All dressed up--Ah! juniors-senior banquet 20. In a heap big hurry 21. What a girl!!!





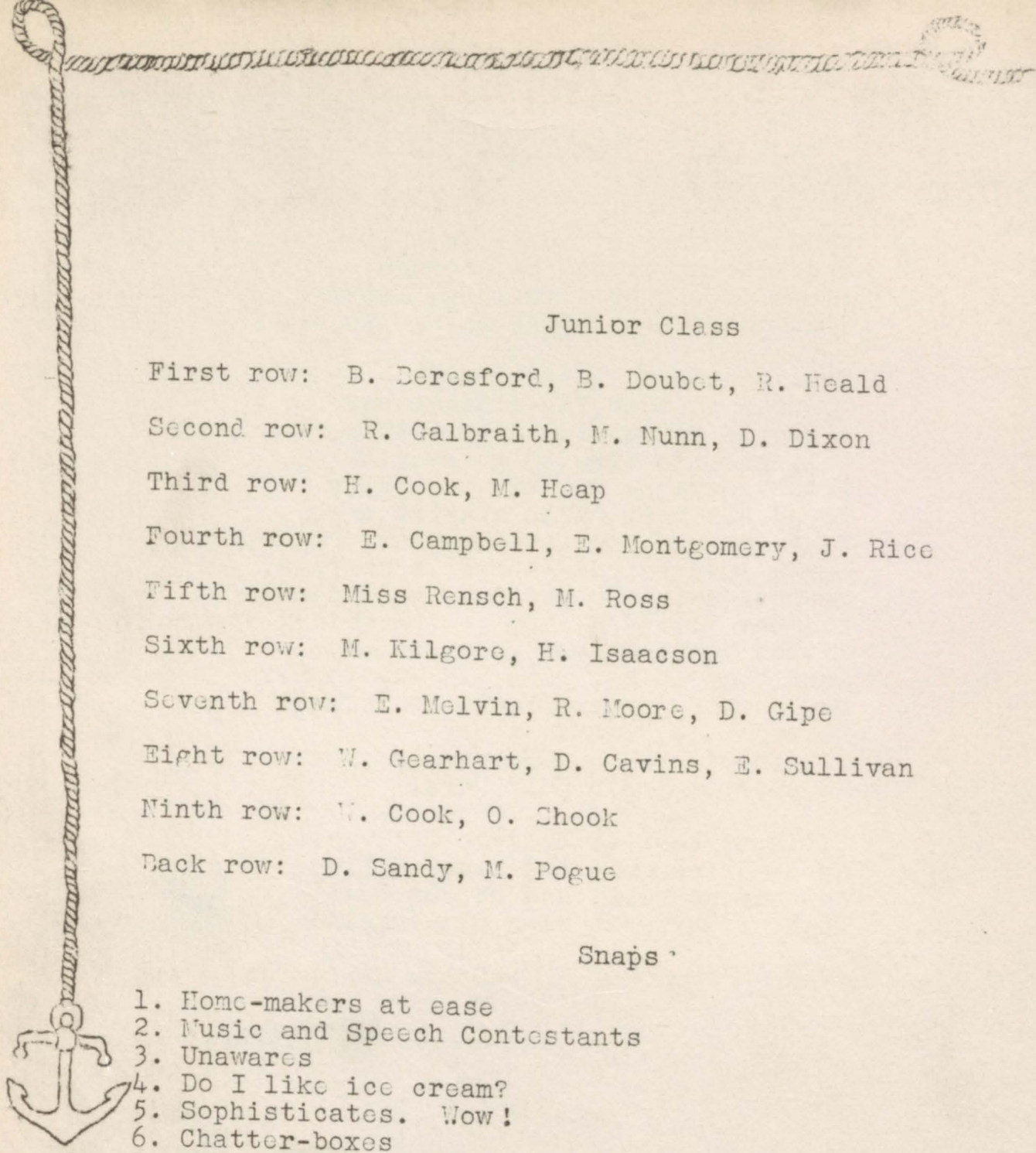
"TO BUD"

When our work on earth is halted,
Even though it not be through,
There is a sacred feeling, knowing
That there are better things to do.

Most of us--on earth remain
To hear on some far-distant day,
A gentle voice from deep within,
Tell us it's time to go away.
It's always he who has the power
To do his best while staying here,
That is taken to that Heavenly Place,
Where love reigns--there is no fear.
He goes away who has done good deeds,
And has gained a step on the Golden Stair.
If his value was so great to us,
What must it be, with Him--up there?
Why must he, our friend, be taken?
He--so kind, and so alert?
But that's the one He wisely chooses,
To carry out His Holy Work.

It is so hard to believe he's gone,
As memories come and live of him,
But may we work, and do our best--
That we may meet with him--again!

--Helen Hartquist



Junior Class

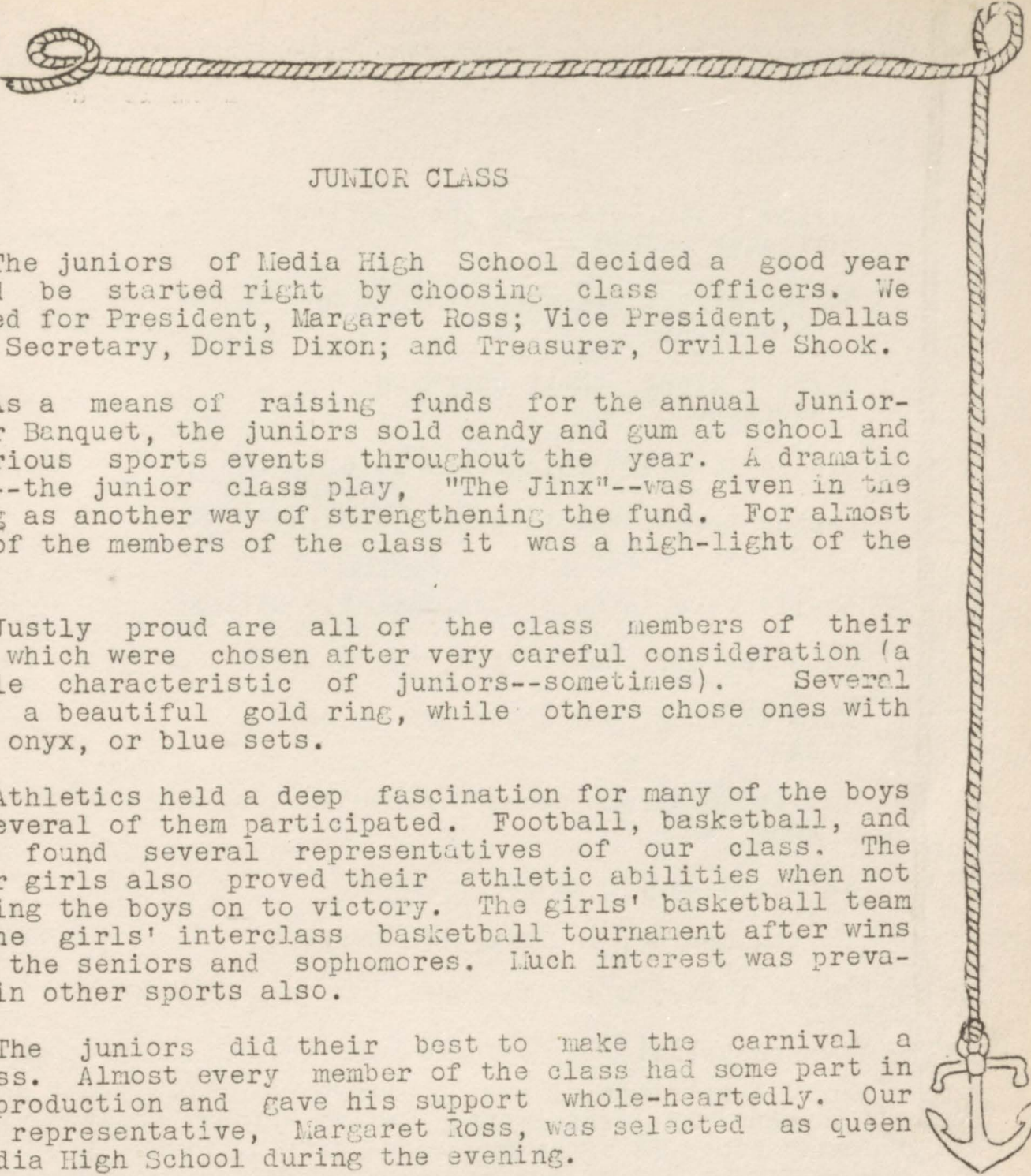
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Second row: R. Galbraith, M. Nunn, D. Dixon
Third row: H. Cook, M. Heap
Fourth row: E. Campbell, E. Montgomery, J. Rice
Fifth row: Miss Rensch, M. Ross
Sixth row: M. Kilgore, H. Isaacson
Seventh row: E. Melvin, R. Moore, D. Gipe
Eight row: W. Gearhart, D. Cavins, E. Sullivan
Ninth row: W. Cook, O. Shook
Back row: D. Sandy, M. Pogue

Snaps

1. Home-makers at ease
2. Music and Speech Contestants
3. Unawares
4. Do I like ice cream?
5. Sophisticates. Wow!
6. Chatter-boxes
7. Class King and Queen
8. Jolly Juniors, Eh?
9. Class Officers

D. Gipe	O. Shook
M. Ross	D. Dixon





JUNIOR CLASS

The juniors of Media High School decided a good year should be started right by choosing class officers. We elected for President, Margaret Ross; Vice President, Dallas Gipe; Secretary, Doris Dixon; and Treasurer, Orville Shook.

As a means of raising funds for the annual Junior-Senior Banquet, the juniors sold candy and gum at school and at various sports events throughout the year. A dramatic event--the junior class play, "The Jinx"--was given in the spring as another way of strengthening the fund. For almost all of the members of the class it was a high-light of the year.

Justly proud are all of the class members of their rings which were chosen after very careful consideration (a notable characteristic of juniors--sometimes). Several chose a beautiful gold ring, while others chose ones with ruby, onyx, or blue sets.

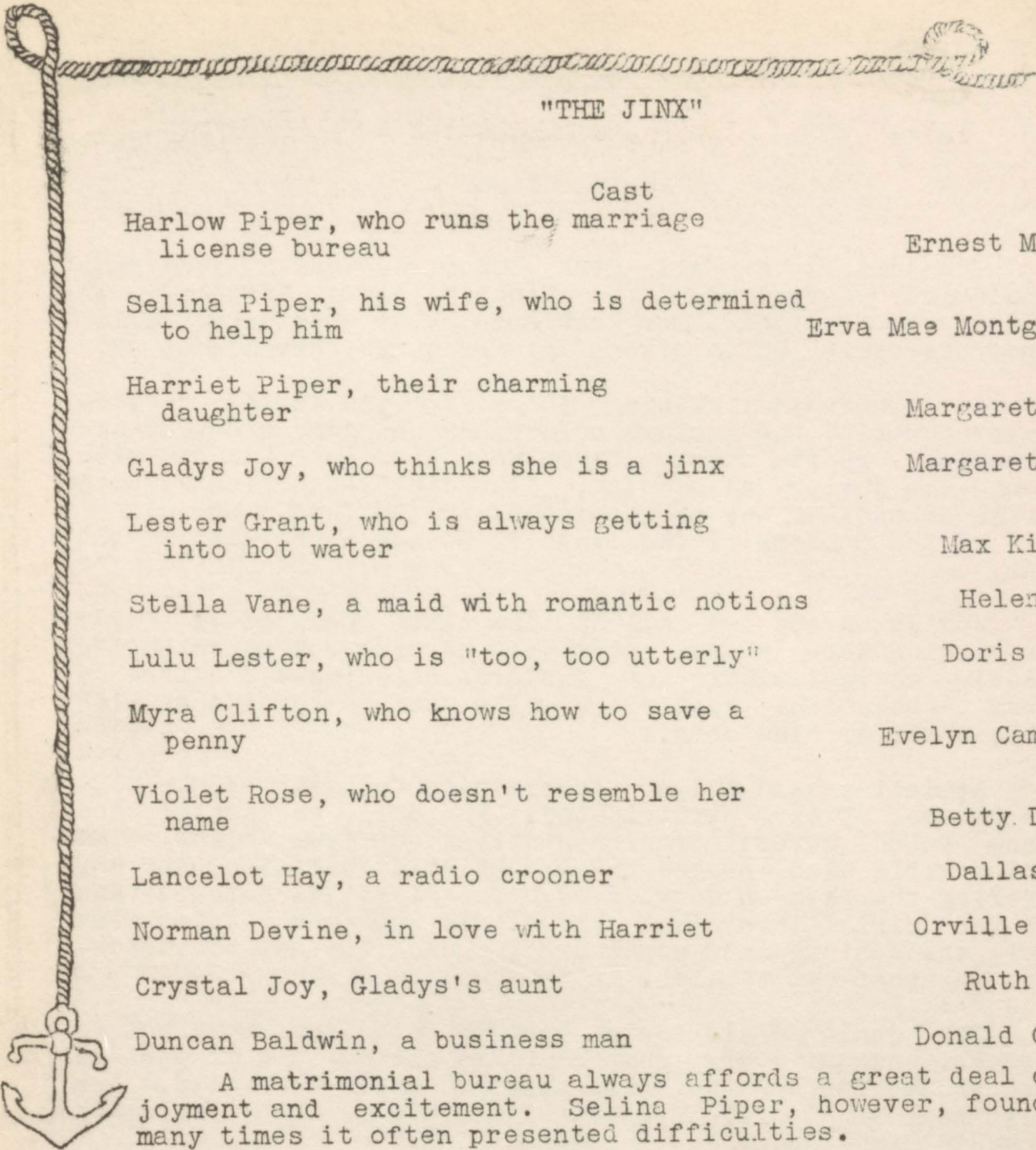
Athletics held a deep fascination for many of the boys and several of them participated. Football, basketball, and track found several representatives of our class. The junior girls also proved their athletic abilities when not cheering the boys on to victory. The girls' basketball team won the girls' interclass basketball tournament after wins over the seniors and sophomores. Much interest was prevalent in other sports also.

The juniors did their best to make the carnival a success. Almost every member of the class had some part in its production and gave his support whole-heartedly. Our class representative, Margaret Ross, was selected as queen of Media High School during the evening.

We enjoyed a sledding party in the deep of winter and snow. Another party was given in the home of Dallas Gipe in the spring. Various games were played and everyone enjoyed the jolly get-togethers.

An excellent showing was made in the Music and Speech Contest. Although we did not win the trophy we did place third and feel much rewarded for the educational experience which it gave us.

Although we were hated to lose Miss Rensch (now Mrs. Elbert Duncan) as class advisor, we won Miss Martin and an assistant, Miss Johnson. Mrs. Pogue also directed our class play, while Miss Martin guided us during our plans for the Junior-Senior banquet which we sponsored. It was given at the Lamoine Hotel, in Macomb, and proved a delightful climax to an eventful year.



"THE JINX"

Cast

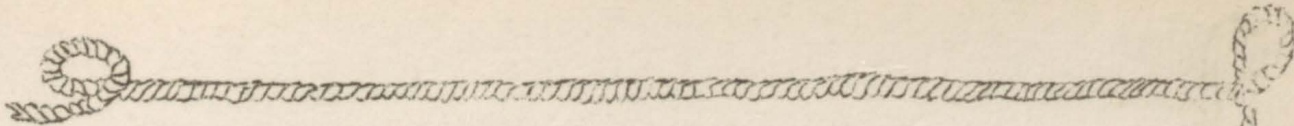
Harlow Piper, who runs the marriage license bureau	Ernest Melvin
Selina Piper, his wife, who is determined to help him	Erva Mae Montgomery
Harriet Piper, their charming daughter	Margaret Ross
Gladys Joy, who thinks she is a jinx	Margaret Heap
Lester Grant, who is always getting into hot water	Max Kilgore
Stella Vane, a maid with romantic notions	Helen Cook
Lulu Lester, who is "too, too utterly"	Doris Dixon
Myra Clifton, who knows how to save a penny	Evelyn Campbell
Violet Rose, who doesn't resemble her name	Betty Doubet
Lancelot Hay, a radio crooner	Dallas Gipe
Norman Devine, in love with Harriet	Orville Shook
Crystal Joy, Gladys's aunt	Ruth Heald
Duncan Baldwin, a business man	Donald Cavins

A matrimonial bureau always affords a great deal of enjoyment and excitement. Selina Piper, however, found that many times it often presented difficulties.

Lancelot Hay, Dallas Gipe, and Stella Vane, Helen Cook, provoked many laughs with their romantic notions. In spite of Gladys Joy's insisting that she was the "Jinx", she found that such was not the case.

The cast received much valuable experience and thoroughly enjoyed working on the play. Mrs. Lillian Pogue directed the performance, and Miss Johnson assisted with the stage and make-up.

An audience of about the usual size attending dramatic performances, responded very heartily to the humorous situations and speeches. The proceeds from this were used to help pay expense of the banquet.



JUNIOR SENIOR BANQUET

One of the events looked forward to by the juniors and seniors each year is the junior-senior banquet

Early in the spring, the junior girls began working on the decorations. Margaret Ross, president of the class, was in charge of the plans.

The evening of April 26 was ideal for the banquet trip to Macomb. At six-thirty the guests and members of the class assembled in the private reception room of the Lamoine Hotel. Margaret Ross and Wayne Gearhart acting as hostess and host led the procession to the dining room.

Small gaily dressed Chinese ladies carrying parasols or fans, and men carrying lanterns, stood beneath blossoming peach trees. Narrow streamers of cerise, purple, chartreuse and pink stretched down the center of the tables which were arranged in a C formation. Bright colored lantern served as nut cups. On the handles were tied the place cards. The program booklets were of blue suede paper on which a Chinese scene in gilt had been drawn. As favors, the girls received miniature parasols and the fellows, Chinese puzzles.

The banquet menu served to the crowd of fifty-four was: fruit juice cocktail, individual chicken pie, fresh peas and carrots, chopped green salad, hot rolls, sherbet, wafers, and coffee.


At the conclusion of the meal the following program was given:

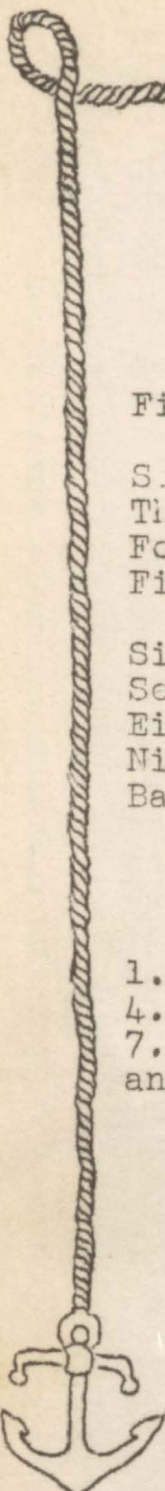
Theme:	A Chinese Garden
Toastmistress	Margaret Ross
Gardener	Ernest Melvin
Trees	Erva Mae Montgomery
Flowers	Wendell Voorhee

Following the toasts the hostess conducted the guests to the reception room for a short intermission before the dance program.

The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. The music furnished during the dinner and later in the evening was by Glenn Watson's Orchestra.

The lovely evening, the dainty formals, the music and the atmosphere of the dining room, all combined to make everyone gay and happy. All left reluctantly, feeling that a never-to-be forgotten evening had ended.





SOPHOMORE CLASS

First row: L. Link, B. Davis, J. D. Nunn, D. Lauver,
L. Melvin

Second row: P. Lee, L. Brokaw, M. Bigger, B. Waymack

Third row: P. Gearhart, F. Keane, E. Duncan, M. Slusher

Fourth row: E. J. Talbott, E. Churchill

Fifth row: R. Galbraith, R. Heald, W. Wetterling,
J. Campbell

Sixth row: B. Reynolds, S. Kempher, E. Blender

Seventh row: D. Mathers, E. Willard, M. Eberhard

Eight row: M. Mathers, Mrs. Pogue, L. Anderson, D. Trego

Ninth row: D. Schroeder, M. Livermore, C. Carlson

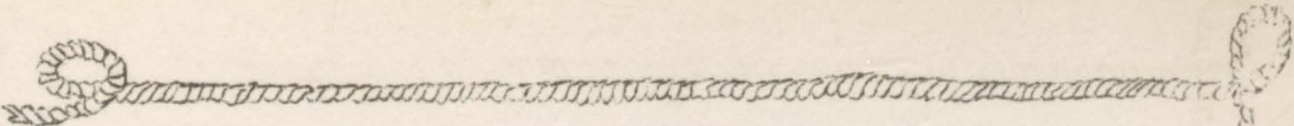
Back row: R. Neff, C. Quinn

SNAPS

1. Football players
2. Three pals
3. Basketball fans
4. Manager Lee
5. Class king and queen
6. Clackety clack
7. Ready for a scramble to algebra
8. Track men
9. Music and speech contestants
10. Class officers

D. Schroeder D. Trego
P. Gearhart E. Duncan





SOPHOMORE CLASS

'39-'40

The largest class in the history of Media High School came to the sound of the school bell in September. Up the steps on September first, trooped 33 sophomores. Three new students had joined the ranks namely, Barbara Waymack, Wallace Wetterling, and Bill Davis. Through the first three weeks we waited anxiously for our Freshmen Initiation Party on September 22. Among our fellow freshmen we found future Paderewskies, Tibbetts, Swarthouts, and several gentlemen dress designers.


In a very short time the following class officers were elected:

President	Elsie Duncan
Vice President	Pauline Gearhart
Secretary	Dorothy Trego
Treasurer	Dorothy Schroeder
Advisor	Mrs. Lillian Pogue

As Elsie Duncan moved to another locality in February Pauline Gearhart took office as President and Wallace Wetterling as Vice President.

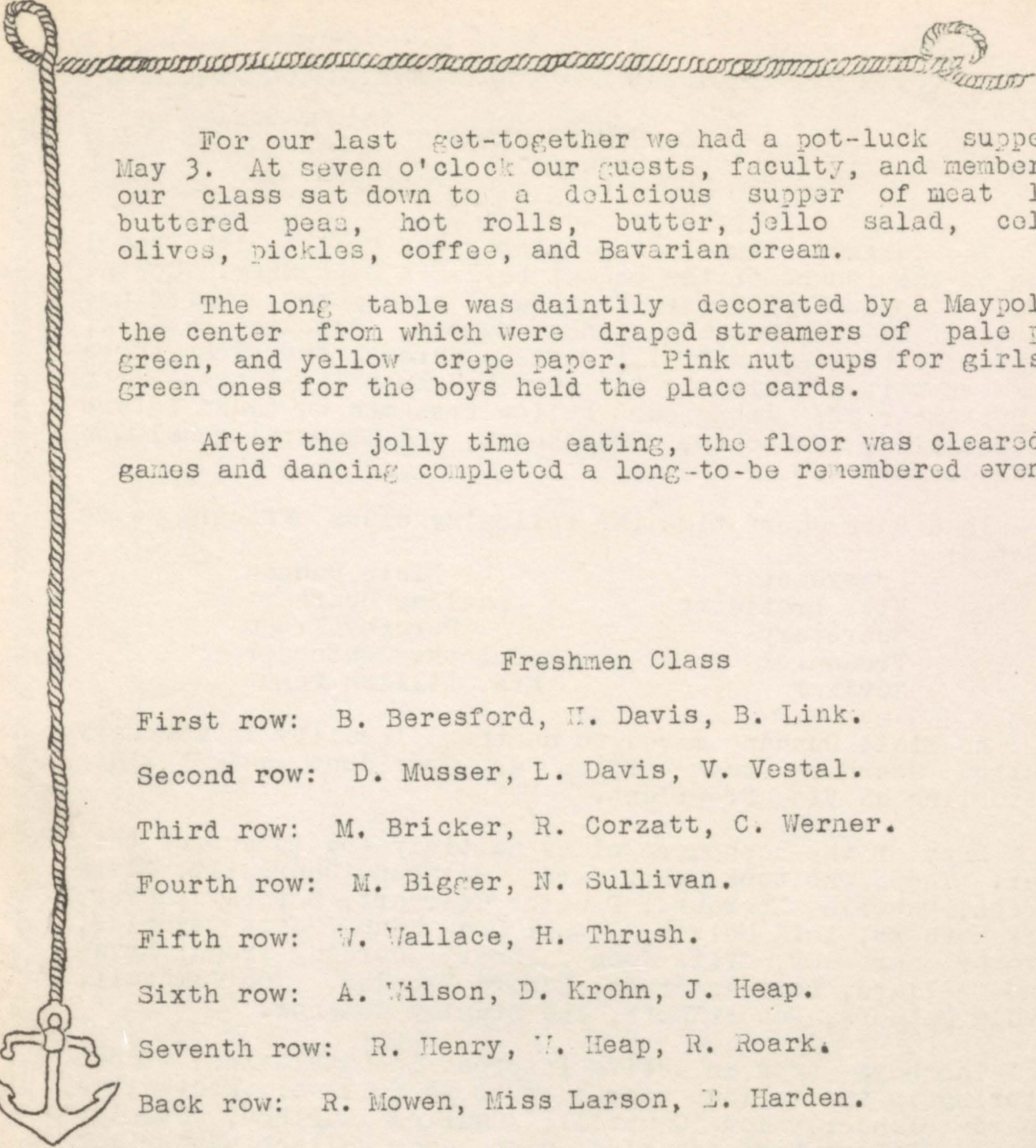
Many of the sophomore class participated in chorus this year. Those who took part were: Eulagene Churchill, Elsie Duncan, Mabelle Eberhard, Pauline Gearhart, Dorothy Lauver, Mary Mathers, Lois Melvin, Jewell Dean Nunn, Betty Reynolds, Dorothy Schroeder, Effie Jean Talbott, Dorothy Trego, Ervagine Willard, Lois Anderson, Edward Blender, Joe Campbell, Donald Mathers, Robert Neff, and Stanley Kempher.

The boys took an active interest in athletics. Those entering in the various sports were as follows: Football--Edward Blender, Joe Campbell, Charles Carlson, Stanley Kempher, Robert Neff, Charles Quinn, and Wallace Wetterling. Track--Edward Blender, Joe Campbell, Charles Carlson, Stanley Kempher, Robert Neff, and Wallace Wetterling. Basketball--Edward Blender, Charles Carlson, Charles Quinn, Paul Lee, Joe Campbell, Robert Neff, and Wallace Wetterling. Paul Lee and Dick Heald were managers for both football and basketball. Several members of the class were on the Champion Lightweight Team of the Bi-County.



On Tuesday evening, February 20, the freshmen gave the sophomores a skating party in Monmouth. Despite many tumblers everyone reported a very good time.

Several of the sophomore class entered the annual Music and Speech Contest which was held Friday evening, March 22. Those entered were: Ervagine Willard, Dorothy Trego, Jewell Nunn, and Stanley Kempher. Others who would have participated, but were unable to because of measles were: Frances Keane, Mary Mathers, and Effie Jean Talbott.



For our last get-together we had a pot-luck supper on May 3. At seven o'clock our guests, faculty, and members of our class sat down to a delicious supper of meat loaf, buttered peas, hot rolls, butter, jello salad, celery, olives, pickles, coffee, and Bavarian cream.

The long table was daintily decorated by a Maypole in the center from which were draped streamers of pale pink, green, and yellow crepe paper. Pink nut cups for girls and green ones for the boys held the place cards.

After the jolly time eating, the floor was cleared and games and dancing completed a long-to-be remembered evening.

Freshmen Class

First row: B. Beresford, H. Davis, B. Link.

Second row: D. Musser, L. Davis, V. Vestal.

Third row: M. Bricker, R. Corzatt, C. Werner.

Fourth row: M. Bigger, N. Sullivan.

Fifth row: W. Wallace, H. Thrush.

Sixth row: A. Wilson, D. Krohn, J. Heap.

Seventh row: R. Henry, W. Heap, R. Roark.

Back row: R. Mowen, Miss Larson, E. Harden.

Snaps

1. Basketball players
2. Music and speech contestants
3. Manager Link
4. Mary
5. Boy Scouts
6. Track men
7. Football players
8. Do we study?
9. Class king and queen
10. Class Officers

H. Thrush, R. Roark
A. Wilson, B. Link



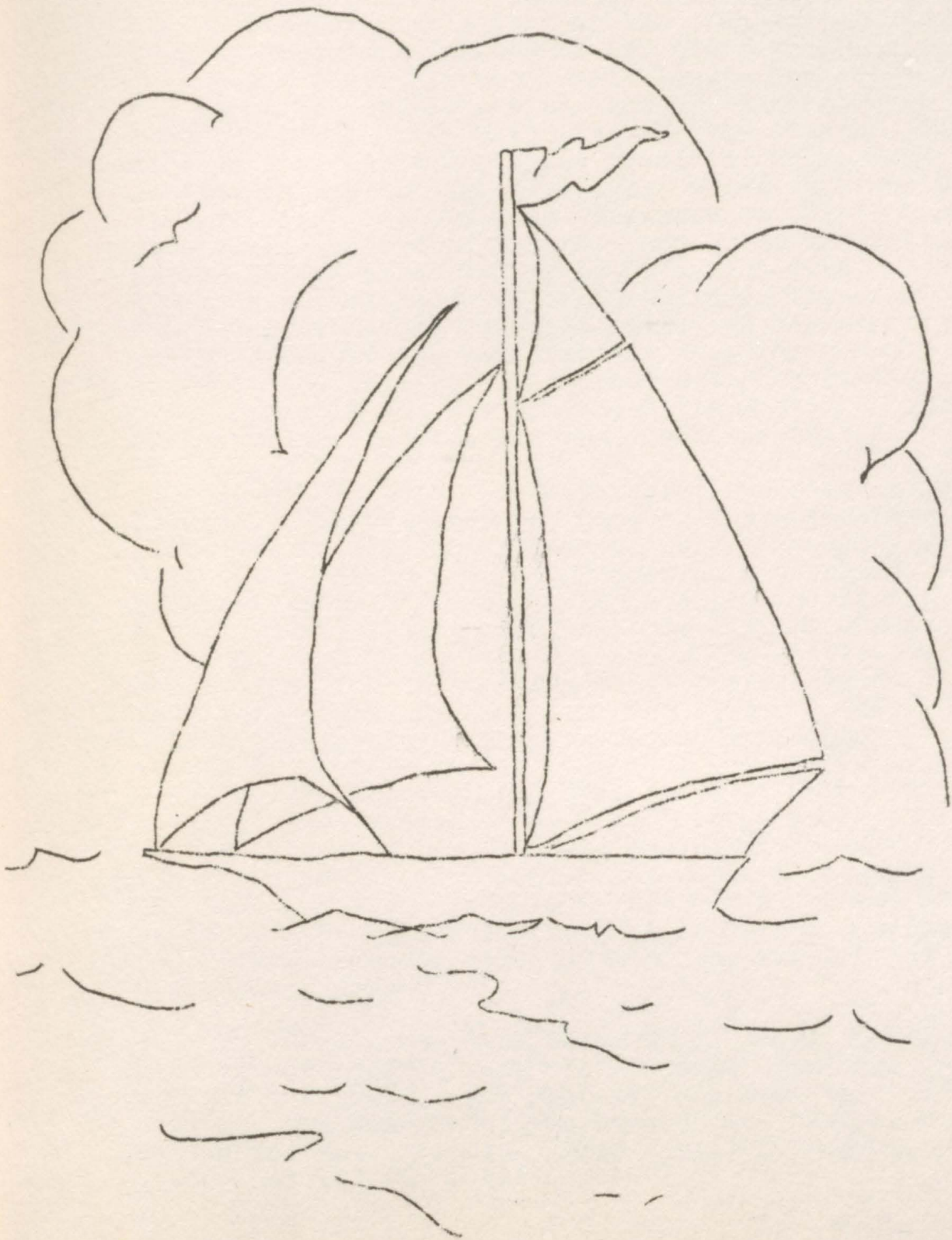
TO THE CLASS OF '43

On September 1 we started to school,
To try to learn the "Golden Rule."
We started that day with less than a score,
Hoping next Monday there would be more.
Scared little Freshmen indeed were we.
There were so many--Oh Gee!
True to our hopes more came
To deck the Freshmen halls of fame.
School was dismissed for one whole day
And to the fair we found our way.
Our boys started out for football,
The result---many a tumble and fall.
Next came the dreaded day!
When the Sophomores had their way.
We girls carried nails and braided our hair,
To all of us, it didn't seem quite fair,
The boys carried dolls and wore a bright tie,
How they hated this, My! Oh! My!
On this day, Marie was a scream,
But to her it wasn't a dream.
Helen entertained us with a song,
While James tried to follow along.
Our class has a second Douglas and Lincoln
And their debate required a lot of thinkin!
Hats of green to the game we wore.
Perhaps that's what helped them raise the score.
The "Initiation" party was that night--
Everyone fearful of their coming plight.
For our girls the boys had to make a dress
They all were good, I must confess.
James' dress for Helen won the prize.
It was a Hula Hula which took all eyes.
Then on the Sophomores we pulled a joke.
Were they angry-----Holy Smoke!
One day to our Red, White, and Blue,
We joined in giving a dedication true.
On Hallowe'en, a spooky night,
The "M" Club gave us a dreadful fright.
At the Carnival we had a gay time,
Spending our pennies in enjoyment sublime.
Thanksgiving we were given a vacation;
And forgot all about education.
We went to the bank one afternoon
To learn to be good bankers sometime soon.
For a Christmas party again we met,
Santa Claus was there, yes you bet!
For Christmas vacation we had a whole week,
And new adventures we all did seek.

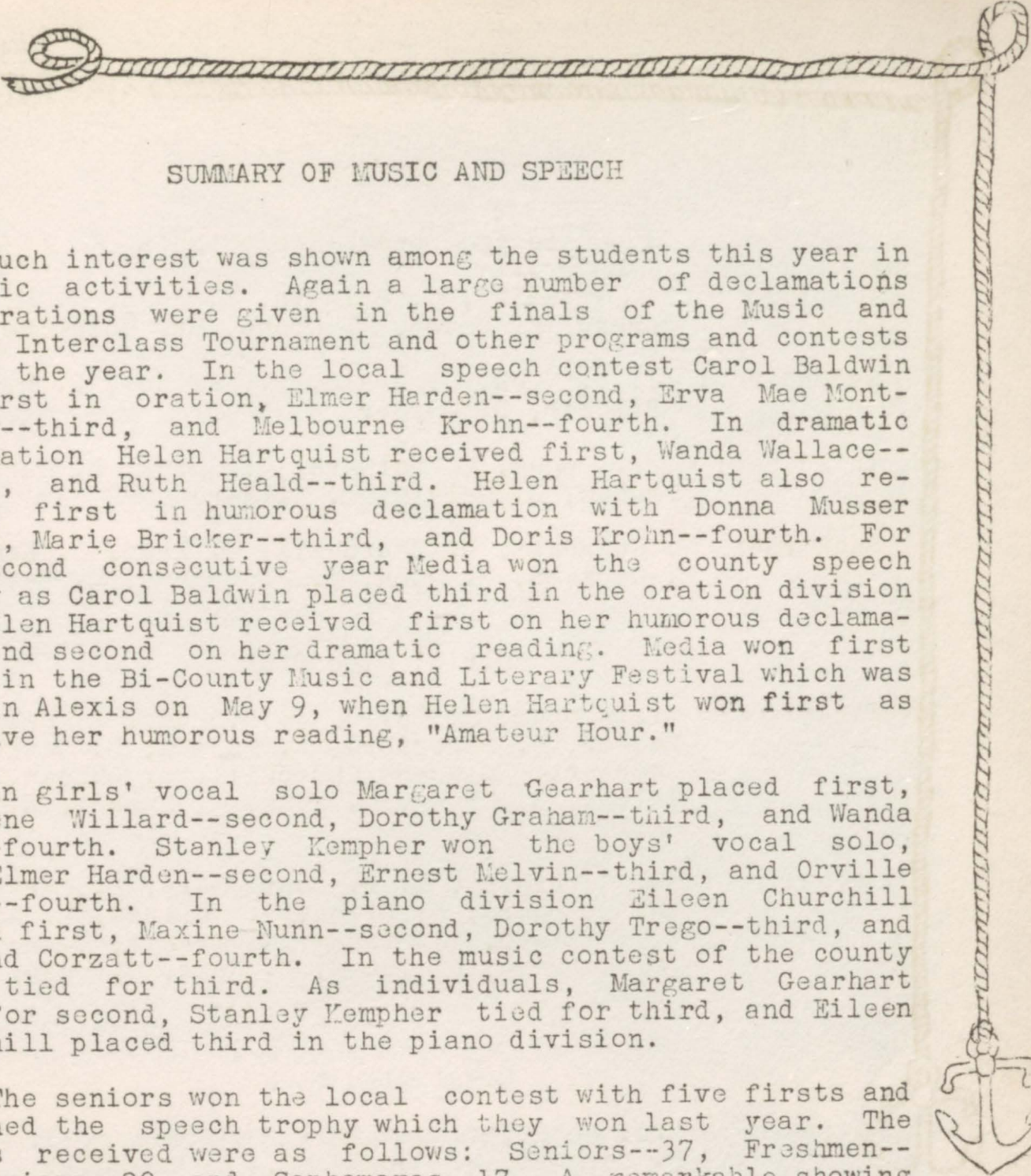


Then came time for our semester tests
As the teachers told us to do our best.
When our report cards we received
We all felt very much relieved.
Waking one morning we found the snow high,
Couldn't get to school cause we couldn't fly.
We visited the post office and depot
To find out how much we should know.
A new teacher we greeted one day,
We all weren't sure just what to say.
One day we girls were overheated
For in the tournament we were defeated.
As the Lightweights won, we all did rejoice,
Congratulating some of our Freshmen boys.
For Music and Speech our class turned out.
We never won, but we didn't pout.
Second was ours in the final contest,
After all our classmates did their best.
Many were absent because they were sick;
The measles seemed to be a little too thick.
In Social Science we had a trial,
But it didn't go on the county file.
In P. E. a mile we ran,
When we got back we needed a fan.
The term is finished and school is out--
Now we can run, laugh, and shout!





MESSAGES



SUMMARY OF MUSIC AND SPEECH

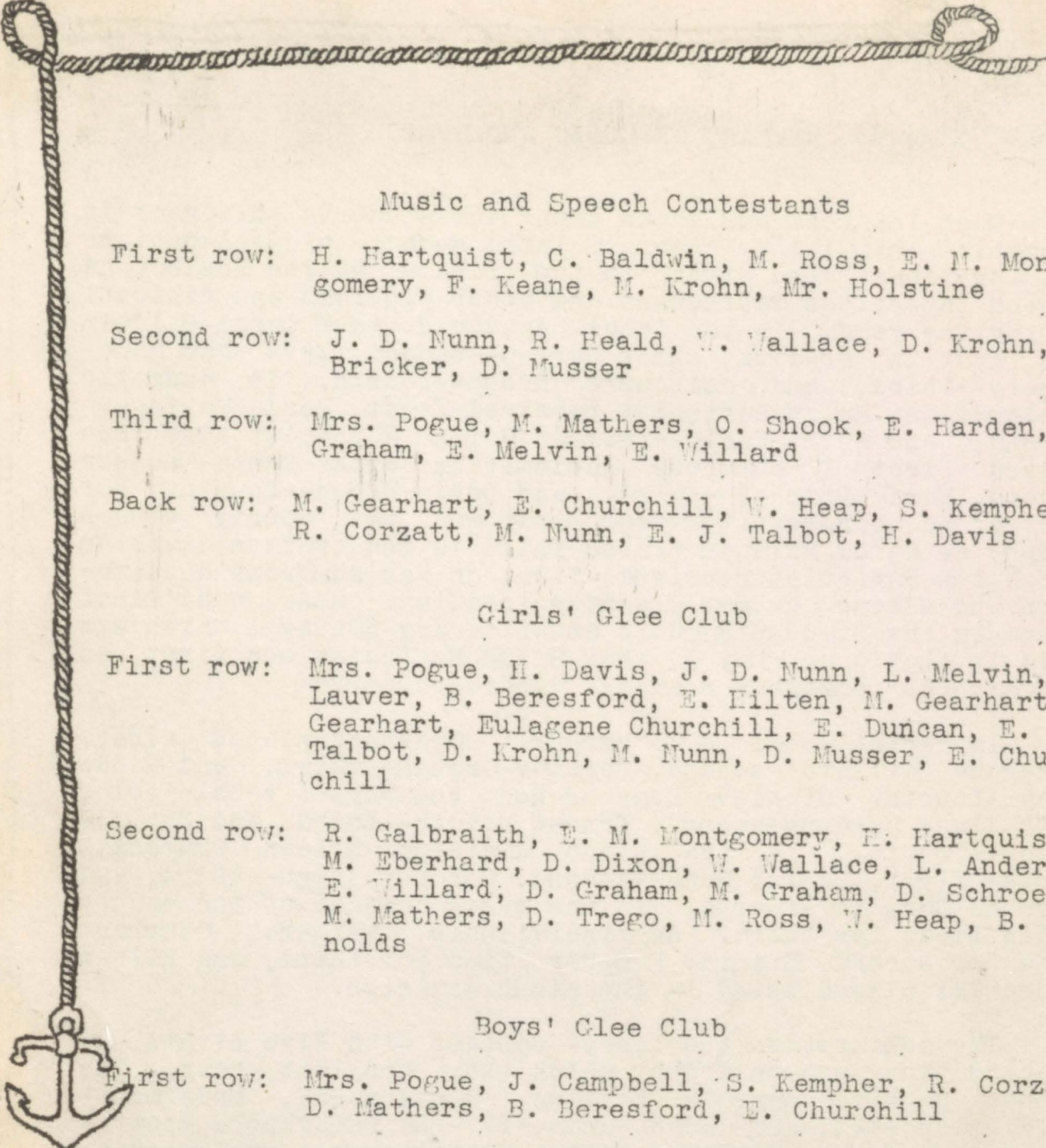
Much interest was shown among the students this year in dramatic activities. Again a large number of declamations and orations were given in the finals of the Music and Speech Interclass Tournament and other programs and contests during the year. In the local speech contest Carol Baldwin won first in oration, Elmer Harden--second, Erva Mae Montgomery--third, and Melbourne Krohn--fourth. In dramatic declamation Helen Hartquist received first, Wanda Wallace--second, and Ruth Heald--third. Helen Hartquist also received first in humorous declamation with Donna Musser second, Marie Bricker--third, and Doris Krohn--fourth. For the second consecutive year Media won the county speech trophy as Carol Baldwin placed third in the oration division and Helen Hartquist received first on her humorous declamation and second on her dramatic reading. Media won first place in the Bi-County Music and Literary Festival which was held in Alexis on May 9, when Helen Hartquist won first as she gave her humorous reading, "Amateur Hour."

In girls' vocal solo Margaret Gearhart placed first, Ervagene Willard--second, Dorothy Graham--third, and Wanda Heap--fourth. Stanley Kempfer won the boys' vocal solo, with Elmer Harden--second, Ernest Melvin--third, and Orville Shook--fourth. In the piano division Eileen Churchill ranked first, Maxine Nunn--second, Dorothy Trego--third, and Raymond Corzatt--fourth. In the music contest of the county Media tied for third. As individuals, Margaret Gearhart tied for second, Stanley Kempfer tied for third, and Eileen Churchill placed third in the piano division.

The seniors won the local contest with five firsts and retained the speech trophy which they won last year. The points received were as follows: Seniors--37, Freshmen--33, Juniors--20, and Sophomores--17. A remarkable showing was made by the freshmen with a total number of nine contestants entered, while each of the other classes produced seven each. Medals were given to the first three places and a ribbon to fourth.

Mr. Otis Aggertt of Wethersfield High School in Kewanee was speech critic. An interesting statement of Mr. Aggertt's concerning the contest was that the best work was done in the humorous division and the best readings were chosen for the orations. Miss Myrtle E. Nelson, of the same school, judged the music.

"Everyone owes it to himself to develop his talents in understanding of and appreciation for speech and music in the many relationships to his complete life."



Music and Speech Contestants

- First row: H. Hartquist, C. Baldwin, M. Ross, E. M. Montgomery, F. Keane, M. Krohn, Mr. Holstine
- Second row: J. D. Nunn, R. Heald, W. Wallace, D. Krohn, M. Bricker, D. Musser
- Third row: Mrs. Pogue, M. Mathers, O. Shook, E. Harden, D. Graham, E. Melvin, E. Willard
- Back row: M. Gearhart, E. Churchill, W. Heap, S. Kempfer, R. Corzatt, M. Nunn, E. J. Talbot, H. Davis

Girls' Glee Club

- First row: Mrs. Pogue, H. Davis, J. D. Nunn, L. Melvin, D. Lauver, B. Beresford, E. Hiltten, M. Gearhart, P. Gearhart, Eulagene Churchill, E. Duncan, E. J. Talbot, D. Krohn, M. Nunn, D. Musser, E. Churchill
- Second row: R. Galbraith, E. M. Montgomery, H. Hartquist, M. Eberhard, D. Dixon, W. Wallace, L. Anderson, E. Willard, D. Graham, M. Graham, D. Schroeder, M. Mathers, D. Trego, M. Ross, W. Heap, B. Reynolds

Boys' Glee Club

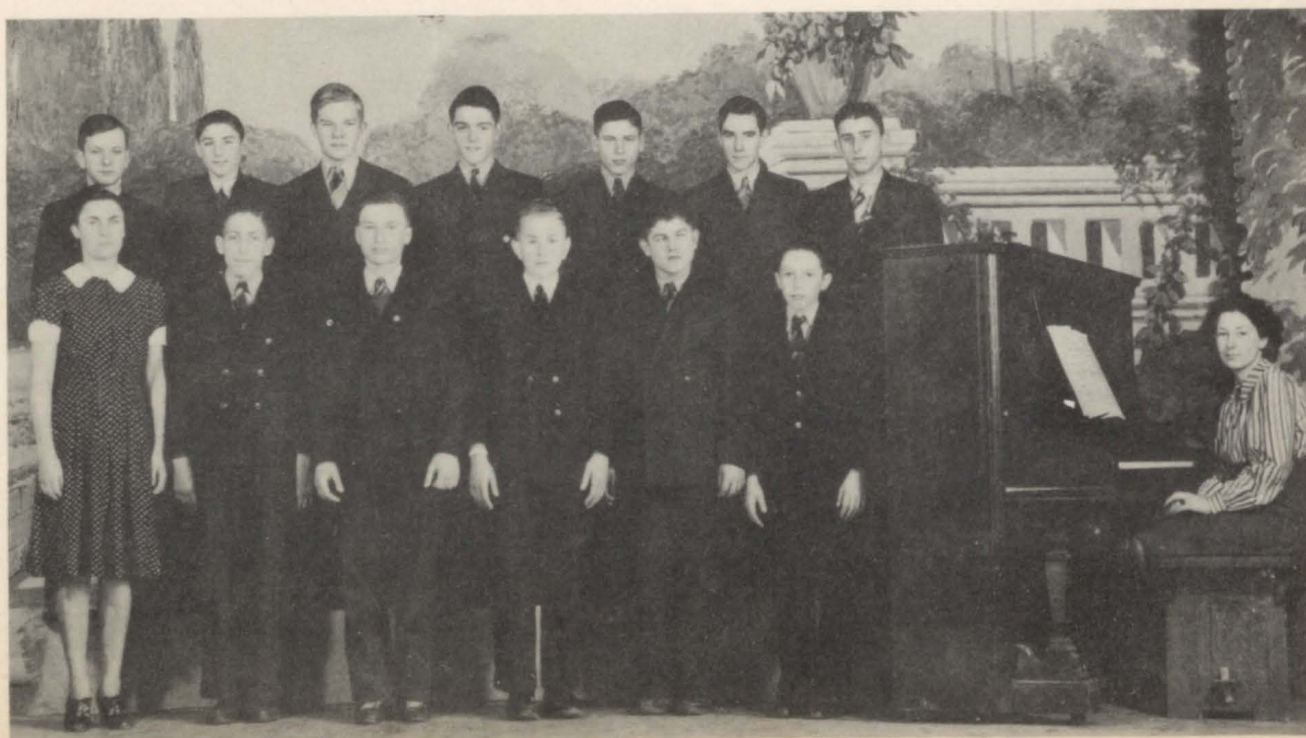
- First row: Mrs. Pogue, J. Campbell, S. Kempfer, R. Corzatt, D. Mathers, B. Beresford, E. Churchill
- Second row: E. Melvin, R. Neff, M. Krohn, E. Harden, D. Cavins, O. Shook, E. Blender



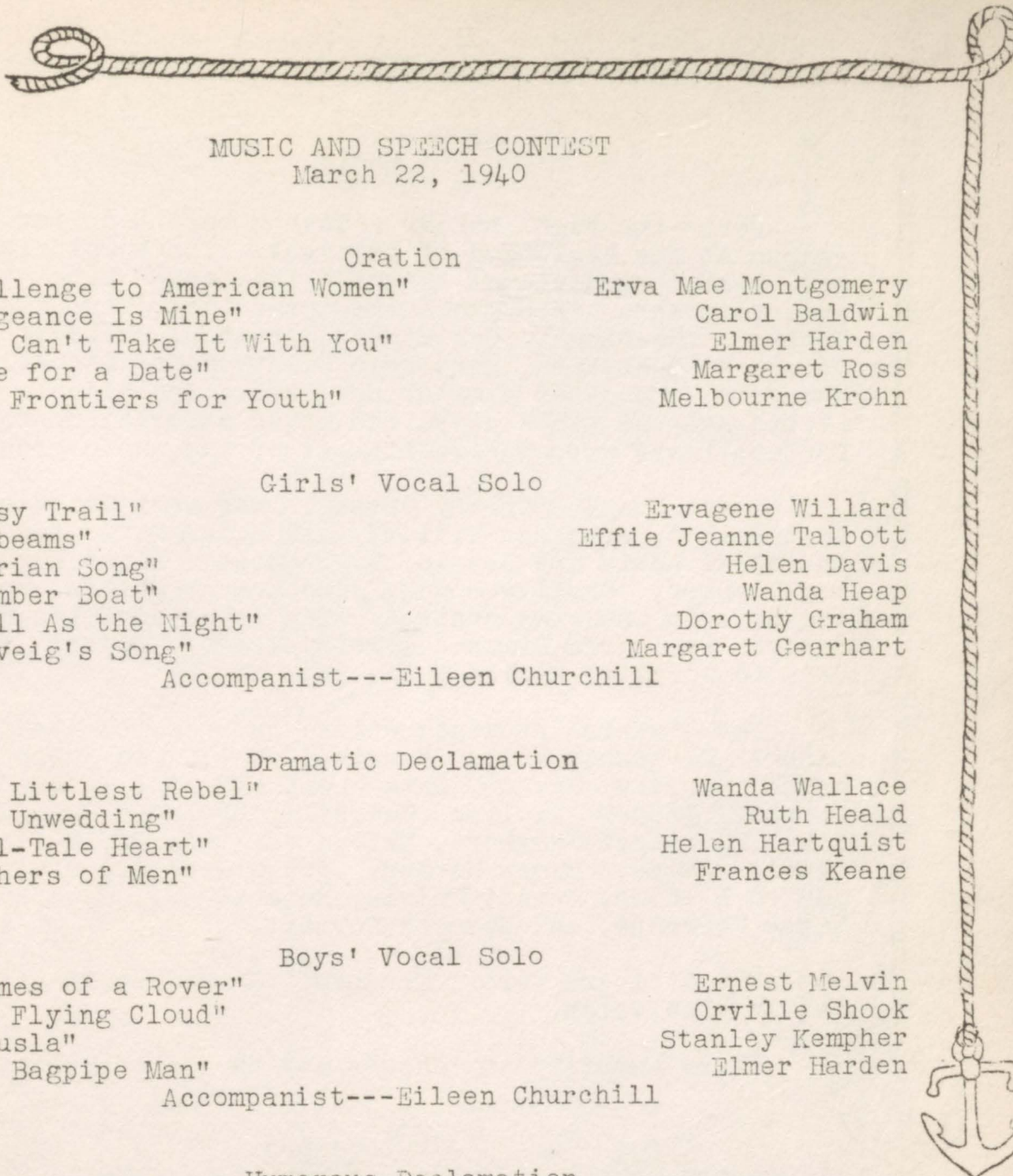
Music and Speech Contestants



Girls Glee Club



Boys Glee Club



MUSIC AND SPEECH CONTEST
March 22, 1940

Oration

"Challenge to American Women"	Erva Mae Montgomery
"Vengeance Is Mine"	Carol Baldwin
"You Can't Take It With You"	Elmer Harden
"Late for a Date"	Margaret Ross
"New Frontiers for Youth"	Melbourne Krohn

Girls' Vocal Solo

"Gypsy Trail"	Ervagene Willard
"Sunbeams"	Effie Jeanne Talbott
"Florian Song"	Helen Davis
"Slumber Boat"	Wanda Heap
"Still As the Night"	Dorothy Graham
"Solveig's Song"	Margaret Gearhart
Accompanist---Eileen Churchill	

Dramatic Declamation

"The Littlest Rebel"	Wanda Wallace
"The Unwedding"	Ruth Heald
"Tell-Tale Heart"	Helen Hartquist
"Mothers of Men"	Frances Keane

Boys' Vocal Solo


"Rhymes of a Rover"	Ernest Melvin
"The Flying Cloud"	Orville Shook
"Ahusla"	Stanley Kempher
"The Bagpipe Man"	Elmer Harden
Accompanist---Eileen Churchill	

Humorous Declamation

"Let Brotherly Love Continue"	Donna Musser
"Amateur Hour"	Helen Hartquist
"Tipping Off Teacher"	Doris Krohn
"Air Minded"	Jewell Nunn
"Ma's Berth Night"	Marie Bricker

Piano Solo

"Country Gardens"	Eileen Churchill
"Grand Valse Caprice"	Doris Dixon
"Parade of Wooden Soldiers"	Raymond Corzatt
"Valse Caprice"	Dorothy Trego
"Hungary"	Mary Mathers
"Minuet"	Maxine Nunn



MUSIC

Forty-two high school students enrolled for the mixed chorus at the beginning of the year. There was also a boys' and girls' individual chorus. The group sang at various entertainments throughout the year including the "Parent-Teachers Meeting", Christmas program, Henderson County Teachers' Institute, Henderson County Young People's Meeting at Media, and other similar programs. Individuals and small groups sang at class plays and other entertainments. Eileen Churchill was accompanist for all of the music groups.

Wanda Heap, Dorothy Graham, Margaret Gearhart, Effie Jean Talbot, Ervagine Willard, and Helen Davis sang solos in the local Music and Speech Tournament. Elmer Harden, Stanley Kempher, Orville Shook, and Ernest Melvin represented the boys in the same contest. The piano division was represented by Doris Dixon, Dorothy Trego, Eileen Churchill, Raymond Corzatt, Maxine Nunn, and Mary Mathers.

The twenty students which represented Media at the annual Bi-County Music Festival which was held at Alexis were: Marjory Graham, Erva Montgomery, Eileen Churchill, Dorothy Graham, Pauline Gearhart, Ervagine Willard, Doris Dixon, Margaret Gearhart, Eileen Hilten, Effie Jean Talbot, Donald Cavins, Elmer Harden, Joe Campbell, Orville Shook, Edward Blender, Ernest Melvin, Robert Neff, Stanley Kempher, Wayne Gearhart, and Raymond Corzatt.

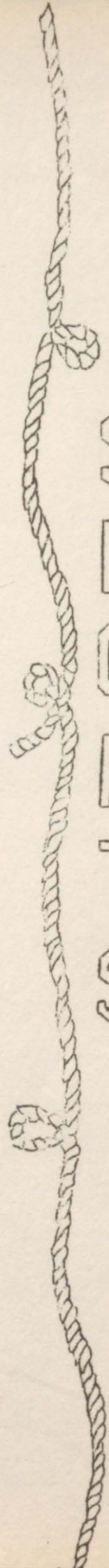
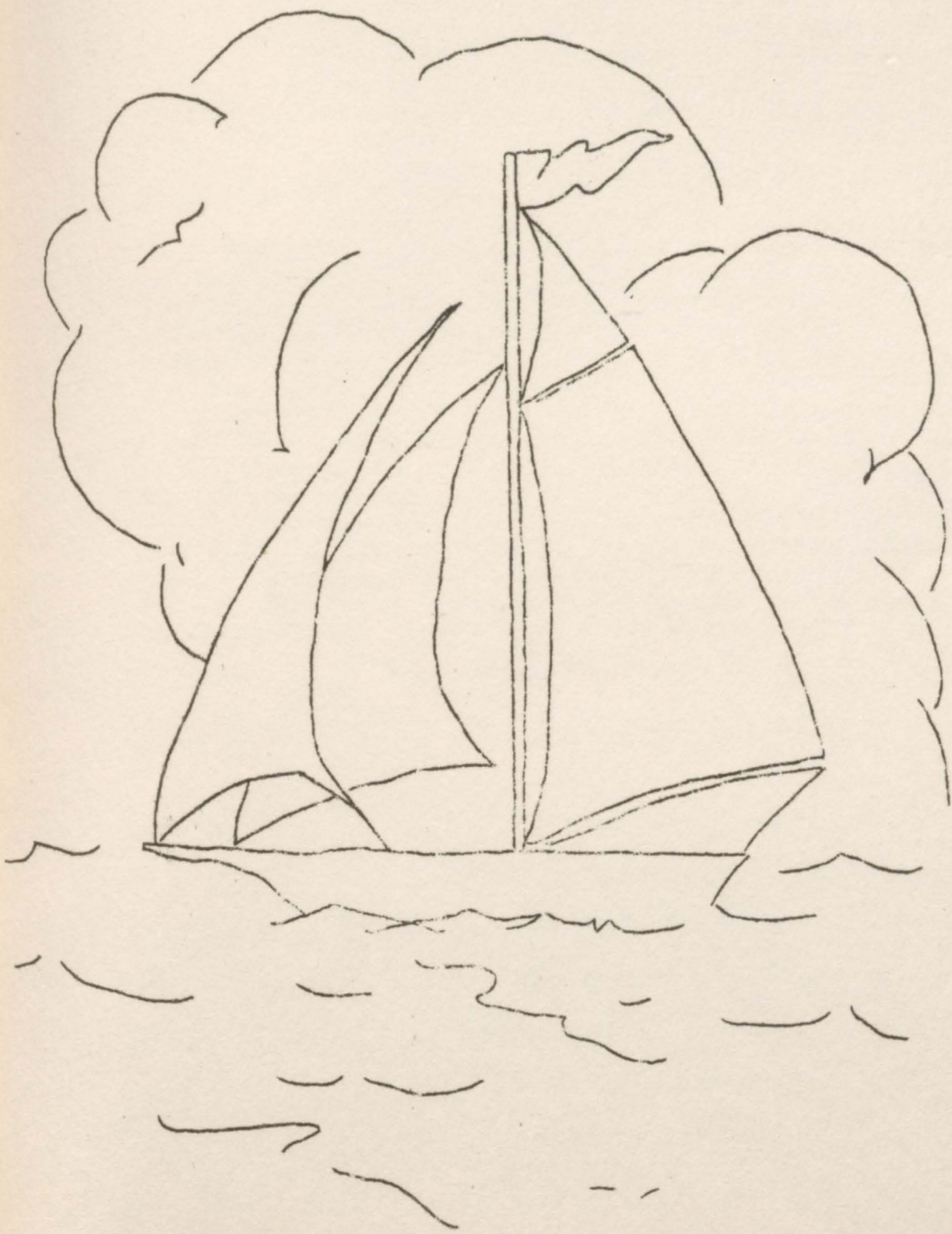
The officers were: Margaret Ross--President, and Lois Melvin--Librarian.

Those enrolled in chorus and the parts which they sang were:

<u>Altos</u>	<u>Tenors</u>	<u>Basses</u>
Marjory Graham	Donald Mathers	Melbourne Krohn
Ervagine Willard	Robert Neff	Joe Campbell
Erva Montgomery	Raymond Corzatt	Elmer Harden
Helen Hartquist	Ernest Melvin	Edward Blender
Doris Dixon	Stanley Kempher	Orville Shook
Dorothy Trego	Billie Beresford	Donald Cavins
Pauline Gearhart	Wayne Gearhart	
Eulagene Churchill		
Margaret Ross		

<u>Sopranos (First and Second)</u>		
Helen Davis	Mabelle Eberhard	Jewell Nunn
Donna Musser	Betty Reynolds	Eileen Hilten
Margaret Gearhart	Bonnie Beresford	Mary Mathers
Effie Jean Talbot	Doris Krohn	Lois Melvin
Dorothy Schroeder	Wanda Heap	Lois Anderson
Raamah Galbraith	Dorothy Graham	Wanda Wallace
Maxine Nunn		Dorothy Lauver

Director--Mrs. Lillian S. Pogue



SPORTS

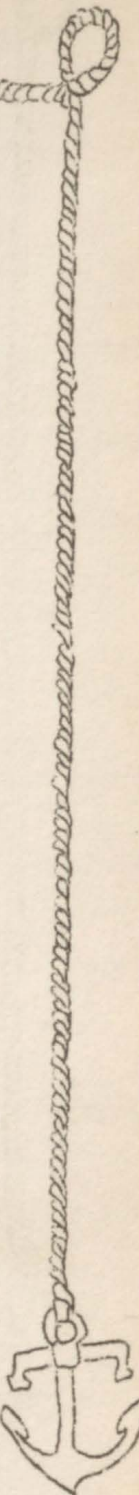
FOOTBALL 1939

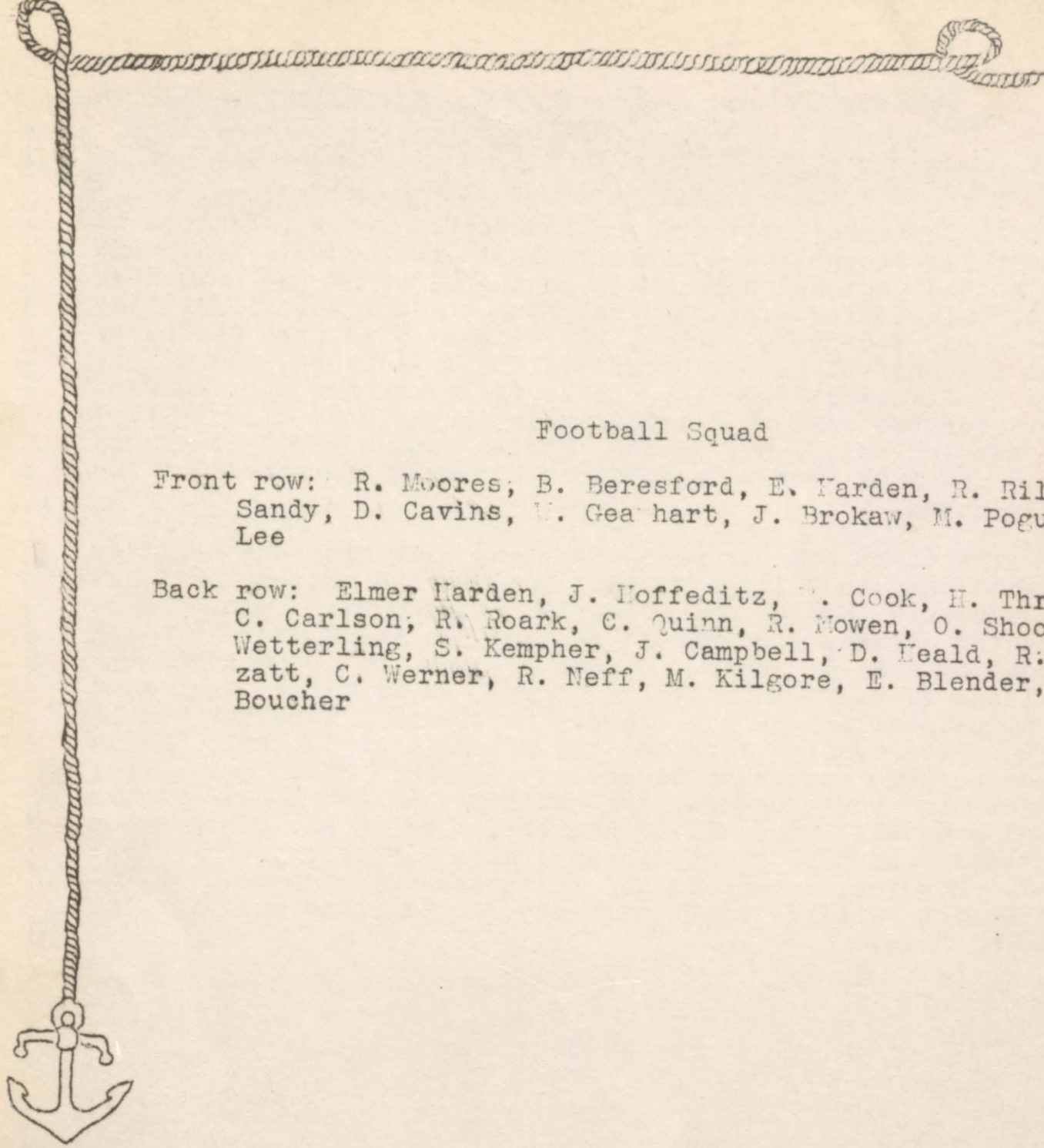
On September first Coach Boucher summoned the boys to report for football and twenty-eight responded. Equipment was handed out and work began in the midst of the September heat. Six letter winners were among the men reporting. They were Capt. Voorhees, Worley, Lee, Pogue, Gipe, and Gearhart. Gipe was shifted to the backfield to complete it, which left five positions in the line to be filled by new men. Cavins took over the center position, while Sandy and Riley filled the tackle positions. Eldon Harden won a berth at right end, and Jack Brokaw and "Elmo" Harden alternated at the other guard.

The first game of the season was with Monmouth Reserves at the Monmouth College field. Due to the extreme heat and inexperience, Media was satisfied with a 20-0 win. Media defeated Alexis for the first time in the history of the school by a 28-0 score. Macomb fell at the command of the bulldogs 27-0. The bulldogs played their first night game at Blandinsville and won 26-0. Burlington Reserves and La Harpe were easily defeated and after a hard battle Media came through to crush Biggsville 34-12. With seven victories to their credit, the bulldogs hoped to win their final game with Roseville, however, with Capt. Voorhees on crutches and Worley handicapped with injuries, they lost 13-7. However, the team had a successful season. Eight letter men will be back next season as a nucleus for the 1940 machine.

SCORES

We		They
20	Monmouth Reserves, there	0
28	Alexis, here	0
27	Western Academy, there	0
26	Blandinsville, there	0
26	Burlington Reserves, there	6
42	La Harpe, here	6
34	Biggsville, there	12
<u>6</u>	Roseville, here	<u>13</u>
209		37





Football Squad

Front row: R. Moores, B. Beresford, E. Harden, R. Riley, D. Sandy, D. Cavins, W. Gearhart, J. Brokaw, M. Pogue, P. Lee

Back row: Elmer Harden, J. Hoffeditz, W. Cook, H. Thrush, C. Carlson, R. Roark, C. Quinn, R. Mowen, O. Shook, W. Wetterling, S. Kempfer, J. Campbell, D. Heald, R. Corzatt, C. Werner, R. Neff, M. Kilgore, E. Blender, Coach Boucher



1939 Bulldogs



Cheer Leaders
Helen Hartquist
Eileen Churchill



Managers
B. Beresford
Dick Heald
R. Corzatt
Bud Link, Paul Lee

FOOTBALL LETTER WINNERS

Wendell Voorhees

Captain Voorhees led the Bulldogs through another successful season. Wendell started the season in the backfield, but due to injuries he was shifted to end. On defense, he was a brainy general and a hard tackler. He was not able to participate in the Roseville game due to a knee injury. His position will be hard to fill next season.

J. R. Worley

Worley, again, was the offensive spark of the football machine. Throughout the season, he displayed his ability in passing, punting, running, and drop kicking so well that he was a constant annoyer of the opponents. In the last game, he was handicapped with injuries which prevented his spectacular play. He was given honorable mention on the "All State Team."

Eldon Harden

After a year's lay-off in football, Eldon came back strong to grasp a regular position at end on the 1939 team. He was an excellent pass catcher, and was used to catch passes after touchdowns. Although Eldon is small, he makes up for this with fight and team spirit. Good luck, Eldon, in the future.

Maurice Lee, Jr.

"Mike" hasn't increased in size so much, as he has always been the smallest man on the team, but he has displayed some good football. Playing in the backfield for three consecutive years, he fit into the machine well, being able to carry out his assignment whether it was running, blocking, or catching a pass. His position is open for next season.

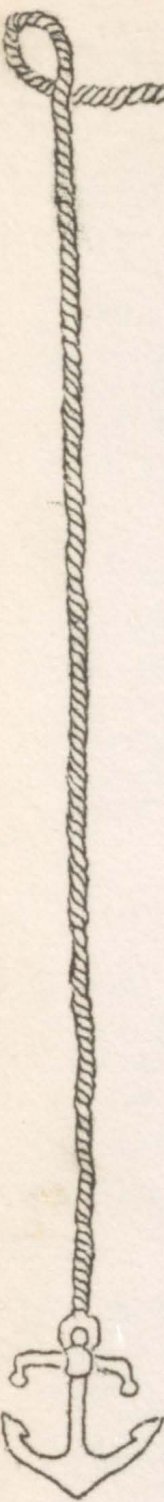
Robert Riley

"Bob" was our tackle this season. He was an inexperienced player, but he soon became an important cog. On defense, Bob could always be expected to do his best, and on offense, he was a determined blocker. Our regret is that Bob is a senior.

Jack Brokaw

Jack was another senior who came through to win a position as an offensive tackle and defensive guard. Lack of experience was overcome with grit and fight. Jack proved to be a capable player and worthy of the honor due him.





Dallas Gipe

Captain-elect Gipe was shifted to the backfield from center at the beginning of the season. His speed and passing ability proved to be a great asset to the team. His good nature makes him a likeable and desireable bulldog. We are expecting to hear from our Captain in more ways than one in football next season.

Max Pogue

Pogue and football are synonymous teams. He is always in on every play. He started the season at offensive end, but was shifted to blocking back later in the season. Max caught several passes for touchdowns and showed power in running back kick-offs. Next season will be his last and we hope his best.

Donald Cavins

Cavins filled the position of center and did it well. He played defensive guard and was depended upon to be in under the play. Donald puts everything he has into the game and next season should be a much stronger player.

Wayne Cook

Wayne was called on in several games to play end and he always came through in good shape. He is a good pass catcher. Next season should find him ready to go and we will expect a lot of Wayne during his last year.

Max Kilgore

Max was a backfield substitute. He is fast and a good ball carrier. Next season he will participate regularly and should be an asset to the team.

Wayne Gearhart

Wayne was the heaviest man on the team and he used this to stop up the hole in the opponents offensive line. Wayne played guard on both offense and defense. Next season Wayne should be a powerhouse.

Dale Sandy

Dale was tackle on our team and proved to be effecient although he was inexperienced. We thought we had a tackle for next season, but Dale decided to wear--the black and white Trojan emblem. Good luck, Dale--no ill feelings.

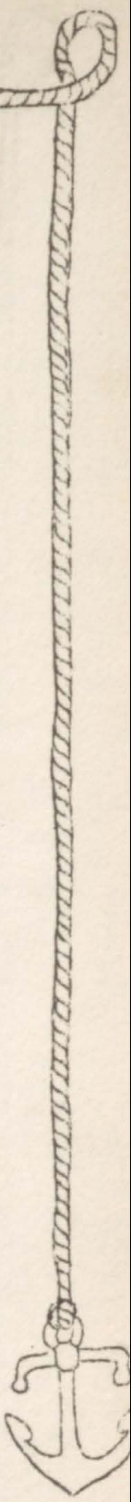
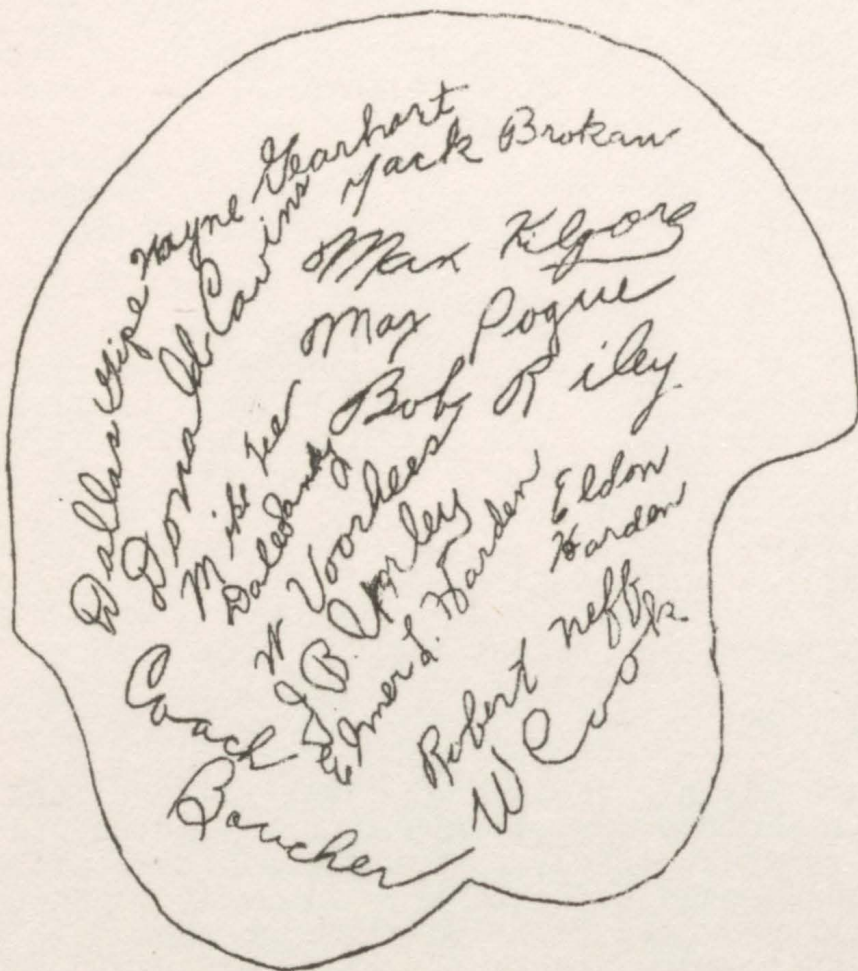
Robert Neff

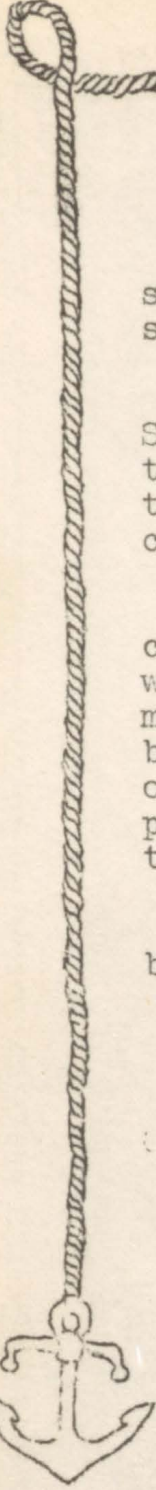
Bob was a substitute end and was a handy man to have around. He always gave his best. He is a deadly tackler

and has lots of fight. Next season we hope he increases his speed as he will make a good pass receiver.

Elmer Lee Harden

"Elmo" was the only freshman to make a letter this year and he worked hard to do so. He played either guard, tackle, or defensive end. He has natural ability and with his excellent attitude he should prove to be a competent bulldog during the next three years.





FOOTBALL BANQUET

At the conclusion of a second victorious season of seven victories and one defeat, the members of the football squad were honored at a banquet on the evening of November 9.

Approximately two hundred were served by the ladies of Smithshire. The delicious meal consisted of: chicken patties, gravy, whipped potatoes, buttered peas, rolls and butter, jelly and cucumber pickles, perfection salad, brick ice cream, white cake, coffee, and nuts and mints.

In the doorway back of the speaker's table, were large comets on which were printed the score for each game. Color was added by the red, white, and blue helmet program booklet made to represent those worn by the team. Red candles also brightened the room. The speaker's table was further decorated by twenty two small brown crepe paper bulldog. The place cards were red and silver miniature comets holding red candles.

The theme of the banquet was "Toast to American Football." The program was as follows:

Toastmaster	Arthur Riley
Prayer	Rev. Raymond Wilson
Music	Monmouth College Quartet
Community Toasts:	
	Mac Pogue, Media
	Loren Van Doren, Raritan
	Arthur Krohn, Smithshire
Team Toast	Captain Wendell Voorhees
State Toast	Ray Eliot, Assistant Coach of University of Illinois
Presentation of awards	Coach V. S. Boucher
"Going Collegiate"	Girls of Glee Club
Movie: "Bull Dogs in Action"	Mr. Holstine

Following the presentation of award, Coach Boucher announced that Dallas Gipe would be the captain of the 1940 football team.

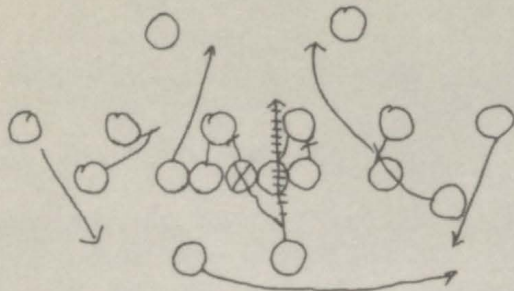
Coach Eliot gave such an inspirational and interesting talk that the crowd would gladly have listened longer. During his entire speech, the audience was so attentive that not a sound could be heard save his voice. He drew from his own experiences and those of other coaches such incidents as would inspire not only the members of the team, but all who heard, with a desire to win. He showed that in order to succeed in anything one must first set his mind to win. The outcome is determined by our mental set.

Football Plays for 1939.

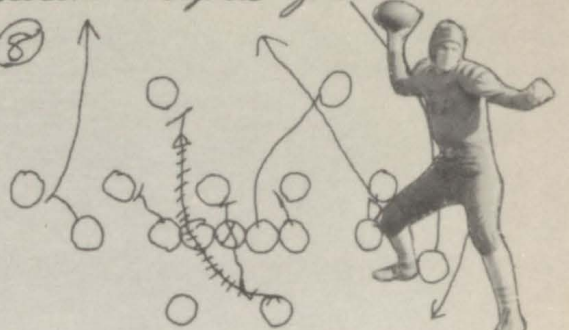
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Max Kilgore



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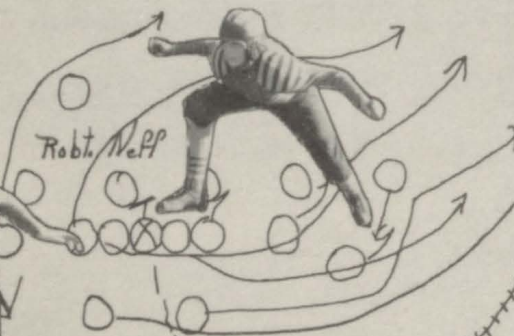


J. R. Worley

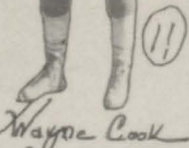
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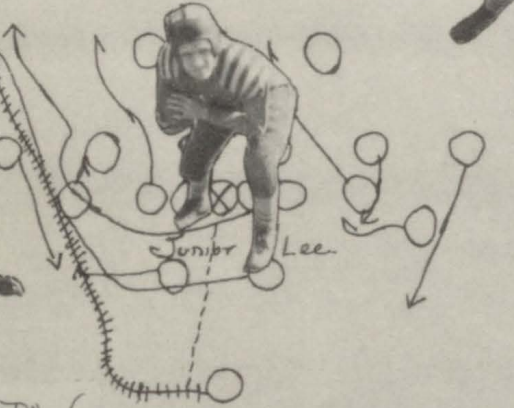


Dallas Gipe
Captain-Elect.

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Robert Riley



Junior Lee



Wendell Voorhees
Captain



Donald Corvine

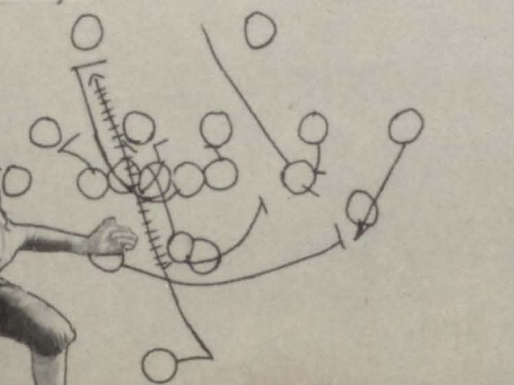


Dale Sandy

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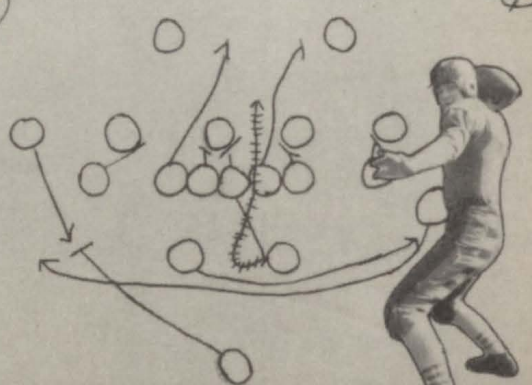


Peter Lee Harder

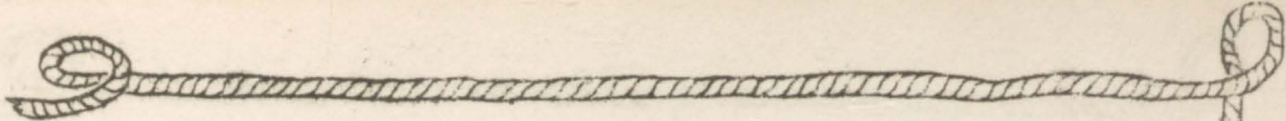


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Eldon Harder



Max Roove



BASKETBALL

The 1939-1940 basketball season ended with twelve games won out of twenty-four.

There were two games which were perhaps the most exciting of the season. One was the game played against Stronghurst in the District Tournament, when the gun shot an instant after the ball left Mike Lee's hands. The other was the game with Biggsville in the KMBS Tournament when Anderson, in an over-time, tossed the ball into the basket and made an unexpected goal.

Media placed second in the KMBS, third in the Bi-County, and third in the District.

In the Bi-County Tournament the following played:

Varsity: J. R. Worley, Wendell Voorhees, Eldon Harden, Jack Brokaw, Max Kilgore, and Max Pogue.

Heavyweights: Wayne Cook, Jack Hoffeditz, Donald Cavins, Dallas Gipe, Edward Blender, and Elmer Harden.

Lightweights: Junior Lee, Joe Campbell, Robert Neff, Wallace Wetterling, Paul Lee, and Bud Link.

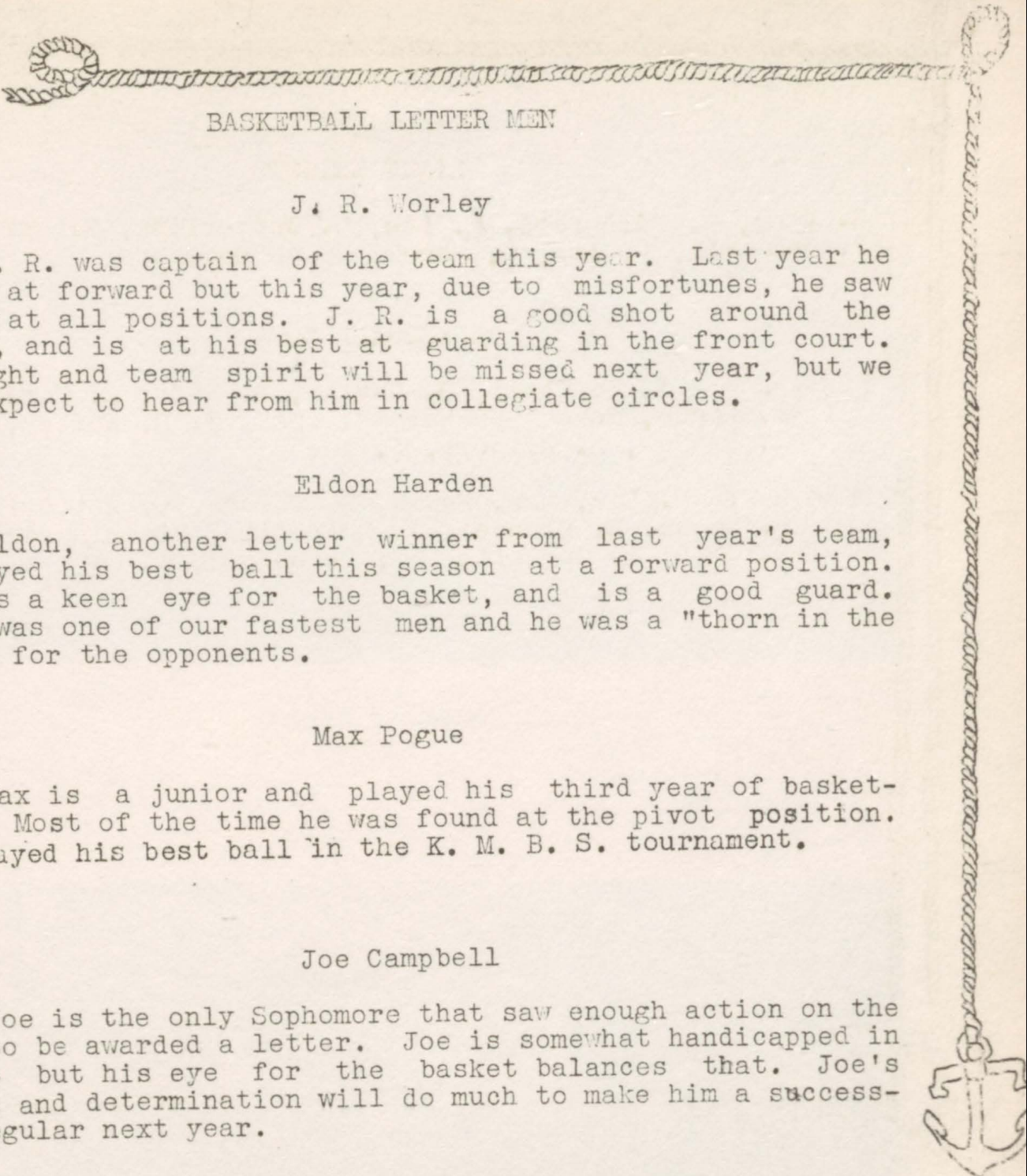
The ten boys chosen to represent Media in the District Tournament were: J. R. Worley, Eldon Harden, Junior Lee, Jack Brokaw, Max Pogue, Donald Cavins, Max Kilgore, Wayne Cook, Joe Campbell, and Robert Neff.



BASKETBALL SUMMARY

<u>We.</u>		<u>They</u>
<u>29</u>	Terre Haute	<u>17</u>
12	Roseville	15
37	Oquawka	28
40	Kirkwood	17
19	Biggsville	28
17	Williamson, Iowa	21
38	Burlington Reserves	23
<u>46</u>	Gladstone	<u>18</u>
KMBS HOLIDAY TOURNAMENT		
38	Kirkwood	18
19	Biggsville	21
48	Terre Haute	24
35	Stronghurst	23
40	Biggsville	10
BI-COUNTY TOURNAMENT		
39	Kirkwood	25
22	Alexis	26
35	Burlington Reserves	13
35	Kirkwood	32
28	Oquawka	30
21	Roseville	31
34	Stronghurst	44
33	Alexis	35
DISTRICT TOURNAMENT		
40	Kirkwood	30
25	Western Academy	43
33	Stronghurst	32
<u>690</u>		<u>542</u>





BASKETBALL LETTER MEN

J. R. Worley

J. R. was captain of the team this year. Last year he played at forward but this year, due to misfortunes, he saw action at all positions. J. R. is a good shot around the basket, and is at his best at guarding in the front court. His fight and team spirit will be missed next year, but we will expect to hear from him in collegiate circles.

Eldon Harden

Eldon, another letter winner from last year's team, displayed his best ball this season at a forward position. He has a keen eye for the basket, and is a good guard. Eldon was one of our fastest men and he was a "thorn in the flesh" for the opponents.

Max Pogue

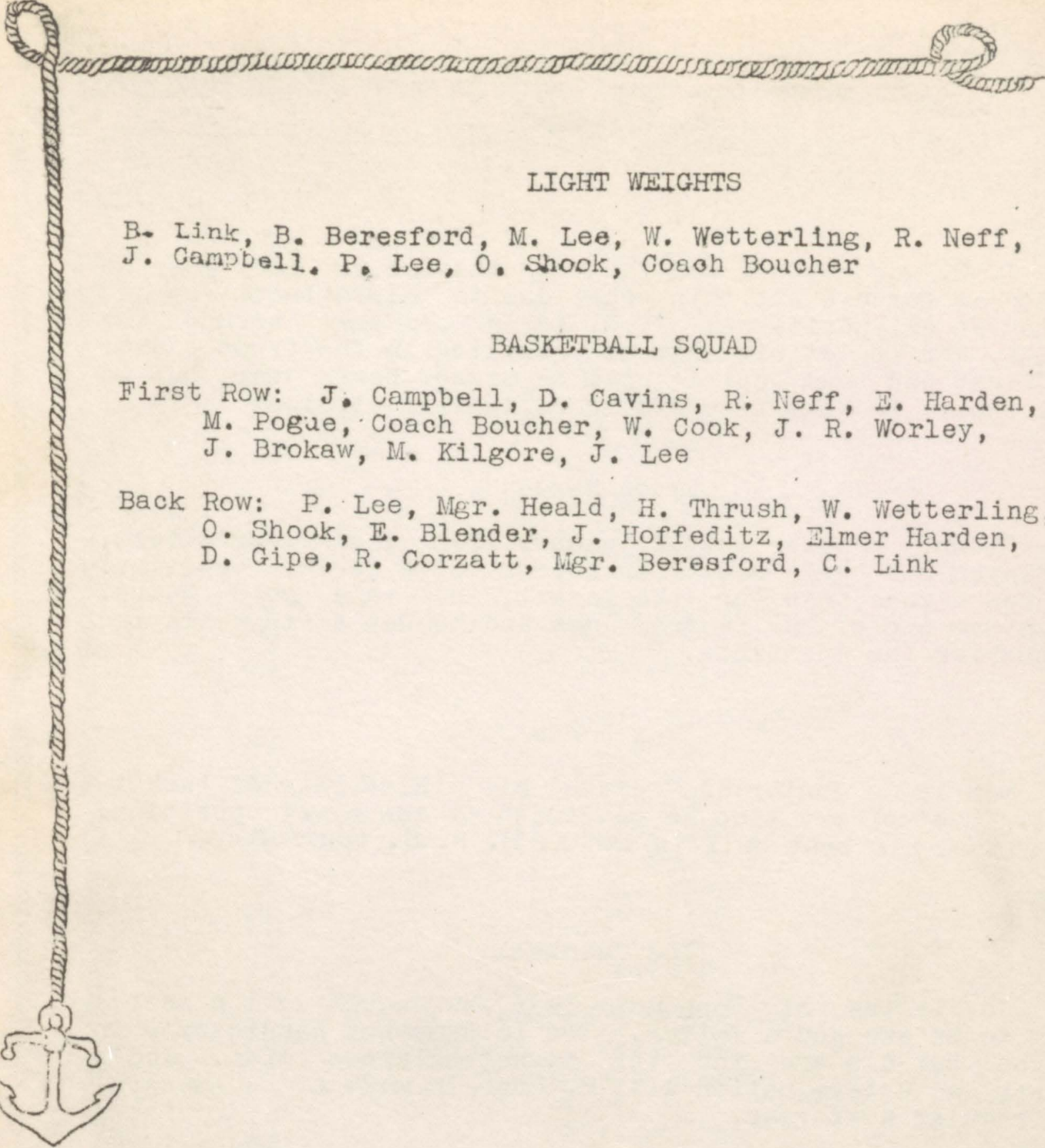
Max is a junior and played his third year of basketball. Most of the time he was found at the pivot position. Max played his best ball in the K. M. B. S. tournament.

Joe Campbell

Joe is the only Sophomore that saw enough action on the team to be awarded a letter. Joe is somewhat handicapped in height but his eye for the basket balances that. Joe's spirit and determination will do much to make him a successful regular next year.

Max Kilgore

Max played at both forward and guard. This is his first year in varsity competition and he played good ball. Max is just a junior and he should be a constant threat to the opponents next year.



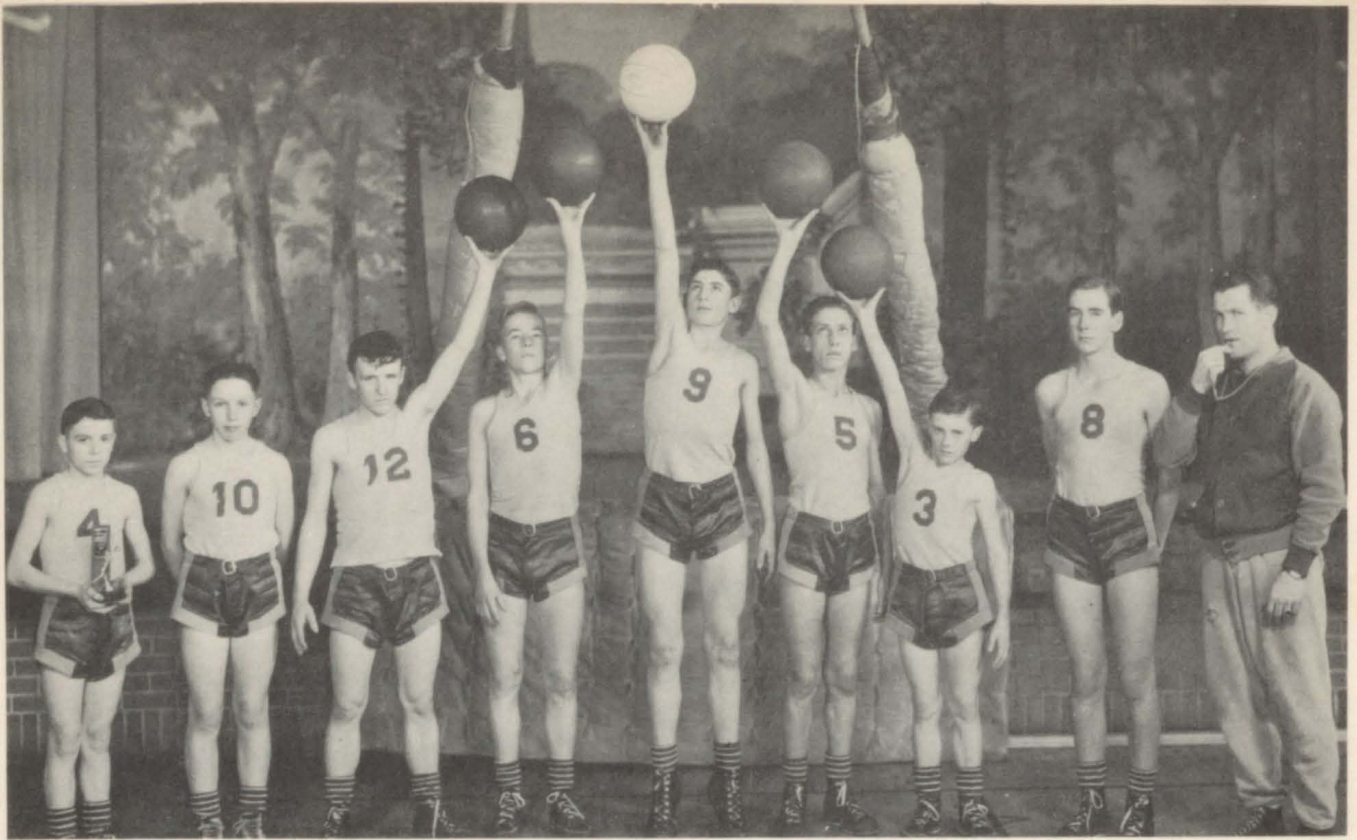
LIGHT WEIGHTS

B. Link, B. Beresford, M. Lee, W. Wetterling, R. Neff,
J. Campbell, P. Lee, O. Shook, Coach Boucher

BASKETBALL SQUAD

First Row: J. Campbell, D. Cavins, R. Neff, E. Harden,
M. Pogue, Coach Boucher, W. Cook, J. R. Worley,
J. Brokaw, M. Kilgore, J. Lee

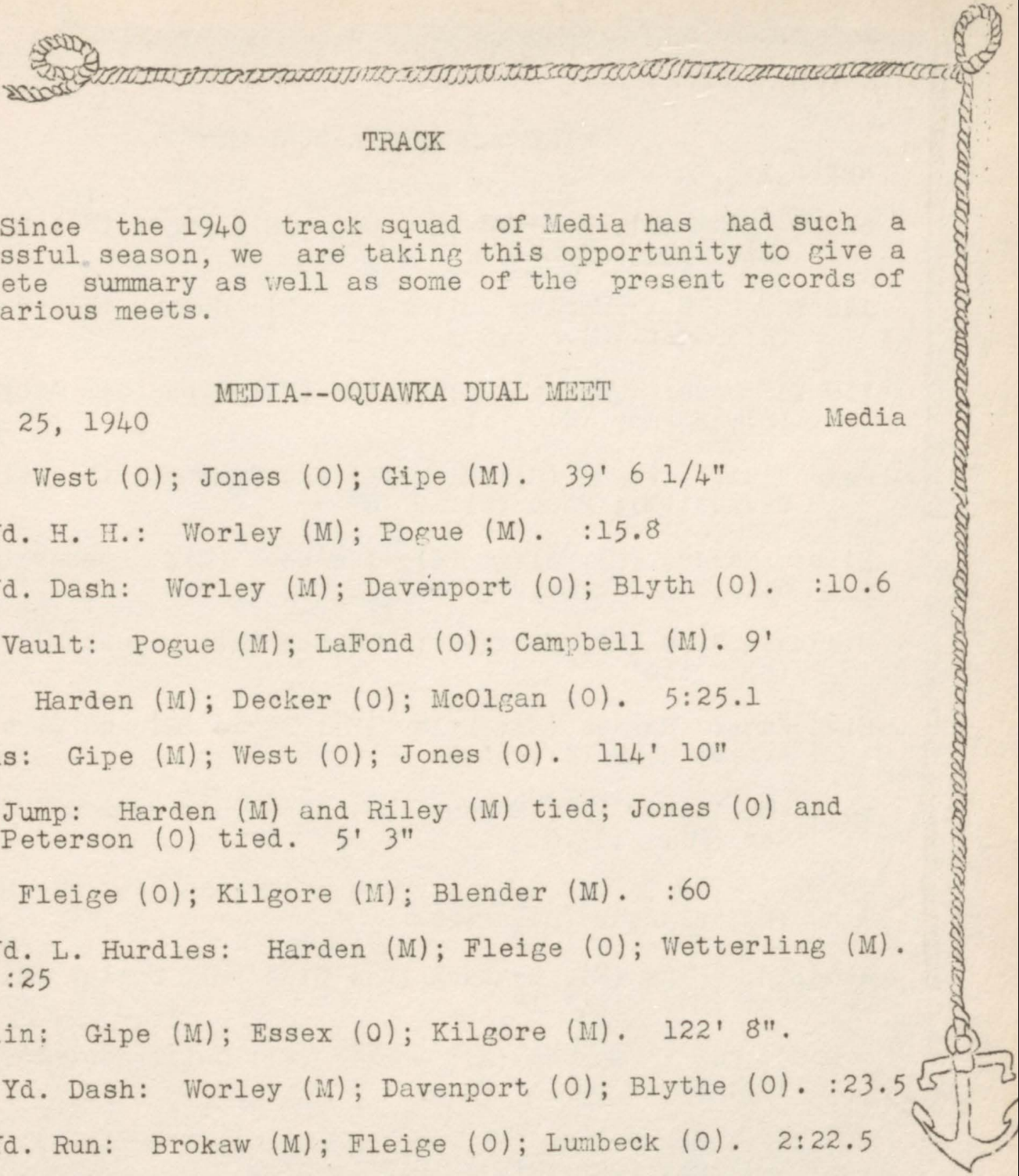
Back Row: P. Lee, Mgr. Heald, H. Thrush, W. Wetterling,
O. Shook, E. Blender, J. Hoffeditz, Elmer Harden,
D. Gipe, R. Corzatt, Mgr. Beresford, C. Link



Light Weights



Basketball Squad



TRACK

Since the 1940 track squad of Media has had such a successful season, we are taking this opportunity to give a complete summary as well as some of the present records of the various meets.

MEDIA--OQUAWKA DUAL MEET

April 25, 1940

Media

Shot: West (O); Jones (O); Gipe (M). 39' 6 1/4"

120 Yd. H. H.: Worley (M); Pogue (M). :15.8

100 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Davenport (O); Blyth (O). :10.6

Pole Vault: Pogue (M); LaFond (O); Campbell (M). 9'

Mile: Harden (M); Decker (O); McOlgan (O). 5:25.1

Discus: Gipe (M); West (O); Jones (O). 114' 10"

High Jump: Harden (M) and Riley (M) tied; Jones (O) and Peterson (O) tied. 5' 3"

440: Fleige (O); Kilgore (M); Blender (M). :60

200 Yd. L. Hurdles: Harden (M); Fleige (O); Wetterling (M). :25

Javelin: Gipe (M); Essex (O); Kilgore (M). 122' 8".

220 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Davenport (O); Blythe (O). :23.5

880 Yd. Run: Brokaw (M); Fleige (O); Lumbeck (O). 2:22.5

Broad Jump: Worley (M); Harden (M); Davenport (O). 18' 9 1/2"

KIRKWOOD--MEDIA DUAL MEET

April 9

Media

Shot: Mink (K); Hancock (K); Gipe (M); Pogue (M); Blender (M). 37' 1 1/2"

120 Yd. H. H.: Worley (M); Pogue (M); Horney (K); Gunter (K); Neff (M). :15.3

110 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Gunter (K); Gipe (M); Guilinger (K); Horney (K). :12

Pole Vault: Pogue (M); Mink (K) and Campbell (M)--tie; Cavins (M); Pape (K). 9' 4"

Mile: Harden (M); Allen (K); Isaacson (M); Kempher (M). 5:19.8

Discus: Gipe (M); Mink (K); Hancock (K); Pogue (M); Carlson (M). 110' 3"

High Jump: Harden (M); Riley (M); Pogue (M) and Gibb (K) --tie; Mink (K). 5' 6"

440: Guilinger (K); Horney (K); Gipe (M); Brokaw (M); Blender (M). :57.5

200 Yd. L. H.: Worley (M); Harden (M); Gunter (K); Horney (K); Blender (M). :24

Javelin: Mink (K); Hancock (K); Gipe (M); Worley (M); Brokaw (M). 144' 1"

220 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Gunter (K); Guilinger (K); Gipe (M); Pogue (M). :24.5

880 Yd. Run: Brokaw (M); Snodgrass (K); Wright (K); Kempher (M); St. Ledger (K). 2:20.6

Broad Jump: Worley (M) and Harden (M)--tie; Pogue (M); Gunter (K); Riley (M). 18' 7"

Varsity Relay: Media; Kirkwood; Media. 1:42.9

Freshmen Relay: Kirkwood; Media. 1:57.7

OFFICIAL K. M. B. S. RECORDS

<u>Event</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time or Distance</u>
120 Yd. H. H.	Worley (M)	1940	15.3
100 Yd. Dash	Worley (M)	1940	10.7
Mile	Roche (S)	1940	5:04.3
440	Guilinger (K)	1940	56.1
200 Yd. L. H.	Worley (M)	1940	23.5
880 Yd. Run	Reynolds (K)	1938	2:15
220 Yd. Dash	Worley (M)	1940	23.4
Varsity Relay	Dixon (B) Verigan Forgey Rankin	1939	1:42.5
Freshman Relay	McLaughlin (K) Hancock Everett Snodgrass	1940	1:53.5
Shot	Booten (S)	1939	40' 9"
Discus	Gipe (M)	1940	114' 4 1/2"
Javelin	Bowen (S)	1939	164' 11"
Pole Vault	Rankin (B)	1939	9' 9"
High Jump	Harden (M)	1940	5' 6 1/4"
Broad Jump	Bowen (S)	1939	20' 7"



K. M. B. S. Track Meet

April 30

Media

Shot Put: Mink (K); Sandy (S); Bisher (B); Anderson (B);
Gipe (M). 37' 9"

120 Yd. H. H.: Worley (M); Forgey (B); Pogue (M); Gunter
(K); Sandy (S). :15.3 (New record.)

100 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Gunter (K); Bisher (B); Horney
(K); Winters (S). :10.7 (New record.)

Pole Vault: Pogue (M) and Bisher (B); Norgart (B) and
Richey (S)--tie; Pape (K), Mink (K), and Campbell (M).
9' 3"

Mile: Roche (S); Harden (M); Allen (K); Carlson (B); St.
Ledger (K). 5:04.3 (New record.)

Discus: Gipe (M); Sandy (S); Mink (K); Hancock (K); Anderson
(B). 114' 4 1/2" (New record.)

High Jump: Harden (M); Wright (K); Riley (M); Mink (K);
Richey (S), and Harvey (S). 5' 6 1/4" (New record.)

440 Yd. Dash: Guilinger (K); Horney (K); Tinkham (B); Bowen
(S); Anderson (B). :56.1 (New record.)

200 Yd. L. H.: Worley (M); Harden (M); Forgey (B); Winters
(S); Horney (K). :23.5 (New record.)

Javelin: Gipe (M); Tinkham (B); Winters (S); Hancock (K);
Harvey (S). 121' 7"

220 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Gunter (K); Bisher (B); Guilinger
(K); Gipe (M). :23.4 (New record.)

880 Yd. Run: Brokaw (M); Roche (S); Snodgrass (K); Harvey
(S); Carlson (B). 2:19.6

Broad Jump: Harden (M); Dixon (B); Riley (M); Bowen (S) and
Gibb (K)--tie. 17' 2 1/2"

Freshman Relay: Kirkwood; Biggsville; Media; Stronghurst.
1:53.5 (New record.)

Varsity Relay: Media; Biggsville; Kirkwood. 1:43.8

HENDERSON COUNTY TRACK MEET

May 7

Biggsville

120 High Hurdles: Worley (M); Pogue (M); Sandy (S); Bowen
(S). :15.9

Mile: Roche (S); Harden (M); Carlson (B); McOlgan (O).
5:07

100 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Davenport (O); Bisher (B); Dixon
(B). :10.8

440 Yd. Dash: Fleige (O); Kilgore (M); Bowen (S); Anderson
(B). :57.7

200 Yd. Low Hurdles: Worley (M); Harden (M); Winter (S);
Bowen (S). :24.4

220 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Bisher (B); Blythe (O); Gipe (M).
:24

880 Yd. Dash: Fliege (O); Roche (S); Brokaw (M); Carlson
(B). 2:16.2

Pole Vault: Richey (S); Pogue (M); Bisher (B); tied, Blythe
(O) and; Campbell (M). 9' 4"

Shot Put: West (O); Sandy (S); Bisher (B); Jones (O).
39' 8"

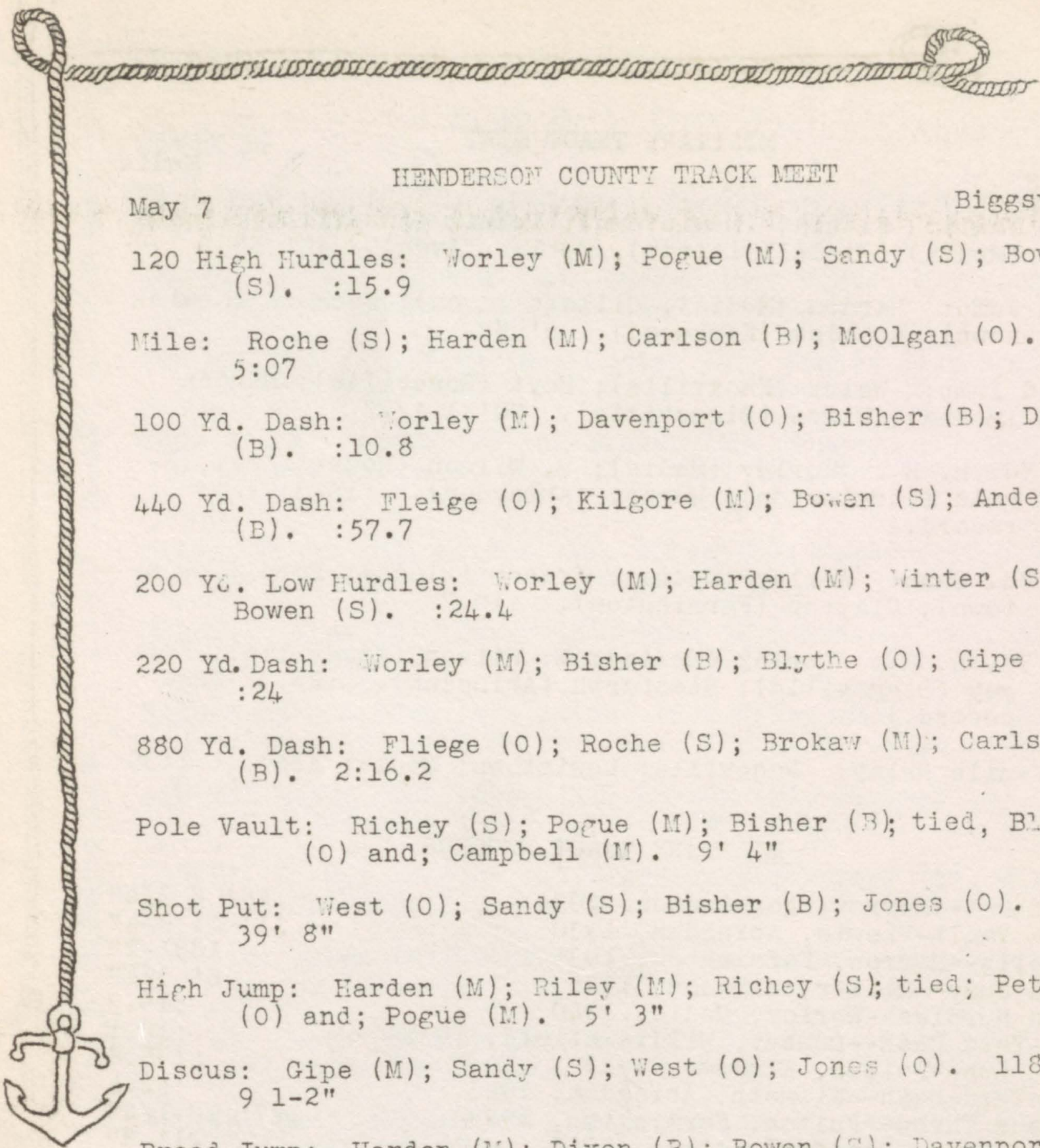
High Jump: Harden (M); Riley (M); Richey (S); tied; Peterson
(O) and; Pogue (M). 5' 3"

Discus: Gipe (M); Sandy (S); West (O); Jones (O). 118'
9 1-2"

Broad Jump: Harden (M); Dixon (B); Bowen (S); Davenport (O).
18' 4 1-2"

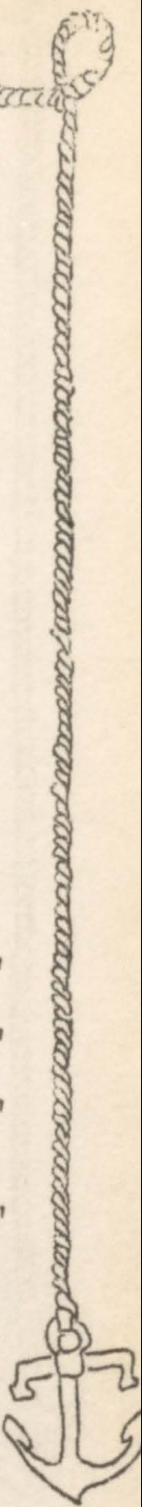
Javelin: Winter (S); Tinkham (B); Gipe (M); West (O).
143' 9"

Relay (Varsity): Biggsville; Oquawka; MeCia. 1:43.7



COUNTY RECORDS

<u>EVENT</u>	<u>HOLDER</u>	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>DIST. OR TIME</u>
100 Yd. Dash	C. Vaughn (M) D. Whiteman (B)	1925 1927	10 1/3
120 Yd. High Hurdles	H. Bowen (S)	1939	15.5
220 Yd. Dash	C. Vaughn (M)	1926	23.3
440 Yd. Run	Millikan (B)	1928	54.5
880 Yd. Run	Bradshaw (S)	1931	2:05.4
Mile	Harden (M)	1939	4:57.2
200 Yd. Low Hurdles	H. Bowen (S)	1939	23.9
Shot Put	E. Whiteman (B)	1925	45' 8"
Discus (New)	Booten (S)	1939	126' 10 1/2"
Broad Jump	Wolfe (L)	1924	21' 1 1/4"
High Jump	M. Veech (S) G. Rankin (B)	1926 1938	5' 10 1/2"
Pole Vault	E. Peterson (S)	1931	10' 11 1/2"
Javelin	Kane (B)	1927	168'
880 Relay	Dixon (B) Verigan Forgey Rankin	1936	1:42.2



BI-COUNTY TRACT MEET

May 15

Media

Shot Put: Hoyt (R); Liggett (A); Sandy (S); Mink (K).
42' 3"

Mile: McVey (R); Twomey (R); Allan (K); Roche (S). 4:55.0

Quarter Mile: Guilinger (K); Horney (K); Lozier (R); Bowen (S). :54.9

High Jump: Raymond (R) tied, Harden (M); Riley (M); Wright (K). 5' 7½"

100 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Gunter (K); Talkin (R); Reid (R). :10.6

120 Yd. High Hurdles: Worley (M); Wilson (R); Randolph (R) Pogue (M). :15.2

Half Mile: Hanna (A); Brokaw (M); Hartley (R); Snodgrass (K) tied; Twomey (R). 2:11.5

Discus: Hoyt (R); Houtchens (R); Sandy (S); Gipe (M).
131' 4½"

220 Yd. Dash: Worley (M); Gunter (K); Reid (R); Bisher (B). :24.2

Pole Vault: Talkins (R) tied, Liggett (A); Simpkins (A); Pogue (M). 9' 9"

200 Yd. Low Hurdles: Worley (M); Wilson (R); Harden (M); Miller (A). :24.2

Javelin Throw: Wilson (R); Mink (K); Gipe (M); Harvey (S).
154' 7"

Broad Jump: Hoyt (R); Harden (M); Harvey (S); Pease (A).
18' 7"

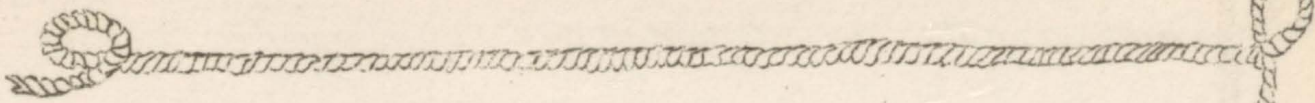
Half Mile Relay: Roseville; Media; Kirkwood; Alexis.
1:40.3

Grade School 50 Yd. Dash: Birdsell (K); Poland (R); Sperry (A); Heap (M). :06.6

Grade School Broad Jump: Poland (R); Furnace (M); Kemp (S); Kirkpatrick (R). 14'

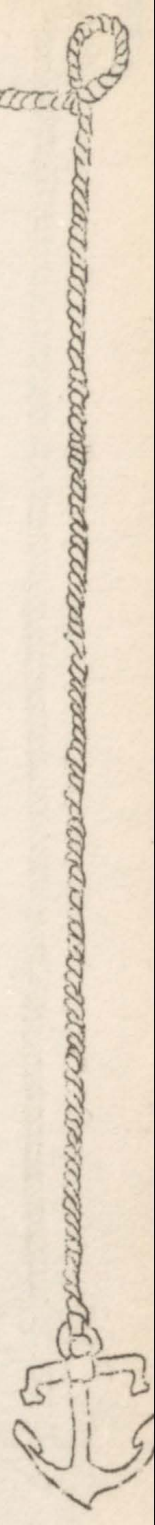
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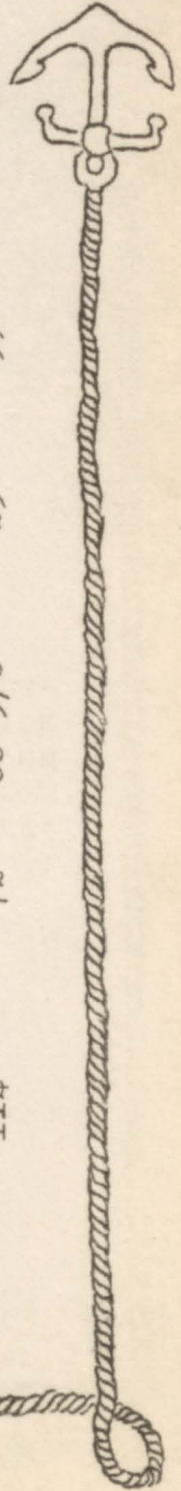
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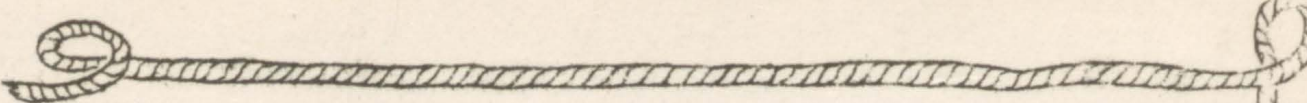
<u>EVENTS</u>	<u>HOLDERS</u>	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>DIST.</u> <u>OR TIME</u>
50 Yd. Dash (Discontinued 1936)	Putney (S)	1921	:05.4
100 Yd. Dash	Pitman (R) Bryan (K)	1912 1921	:10.2
220 Yd. Dash (Straightaway)	Dyson (B)	1909	:22.8
220 Yd. Dash (One Turn)	Worley (M)	1938	:23.8
440 Yd. Dash	Milligan (B)	1928	:54.3
880 Yd. Run	Rankin (B)	1939	2:04.3
1 Mile Run	Scalf (K)	1934	4:48.8
120 Yd. High Hurdles	Worley (M)	1940	:15.2
220 Yd. Low Hurdles (Discontinued 1937)	Mann (K)	1921	:27
200 Yd. Low Hurdles	Bowen (S)	1939	:24
Half Mile Relay	Stronghurst	1924	1:37
Shot Put	Heasley (A)	1938	45' 5 3/4"
Discus Throw (Heavy)	J. Kelly (K)	1929	120' 9"
Discus Throw (Lightw't.)	J. Hoyt (R)	1940	131' 4 1/2"
Broad Jump	K. Kelly (K)	1929	21' 4 1/4"
High Jump	McIntosh (B)	1925	6' 3/4"
Pole Vault	Lamoreaux (R)	1933	11' 3 3/8"
Javelin Throw	Miller (A)	1931	166' 11"



SUMMARY OF INDIVIDUAL POINTS

NAME	KIRKWOOD DUAL	OQUAWKA DUAL	KMBS	MILITARY	COUNTY	DISTRICT	BI-COUNTY	TOTALS
Worley	26 1/2	20	20	15	20	10	20	131 1/2
Harden	18 1/2	17	18	7	16	0	9	85 1/2
Gipe	19	11	12	0	8	0	3	53
Pogue	19 1/2	8	7 1/2	1	6 1/2	0	2	44 1/2
Brokaw	8	5	5	0	2	0	3	23
Riley	5	4	6	0	3	0	2	20
Blender	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Kilgore	0	4	0	0	3	0	0	7
Campbell	3 1/2	1	1/3	0	1/2	0	0	5 1/3
Cavins	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Neff	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Isaacson	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Kempfer	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Carlson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Wetterling	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
	<u>114</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>68 5/6</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>39</u>





1939--1940 TRACK

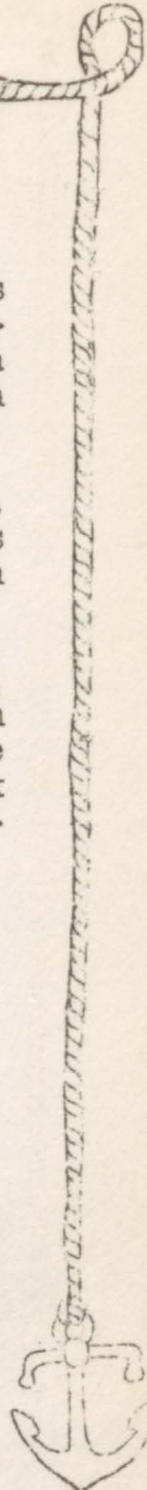
The Bulldog track men set an outstanding record this year. Out of seven meets the squad won first in four; second in one; third in one; and seventh in one. There was a total of eleven thousand twenty-nine points of which Media garnered three hundred eighty-four and five-sixths.

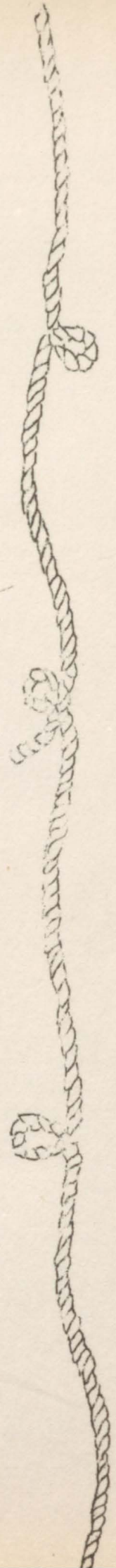
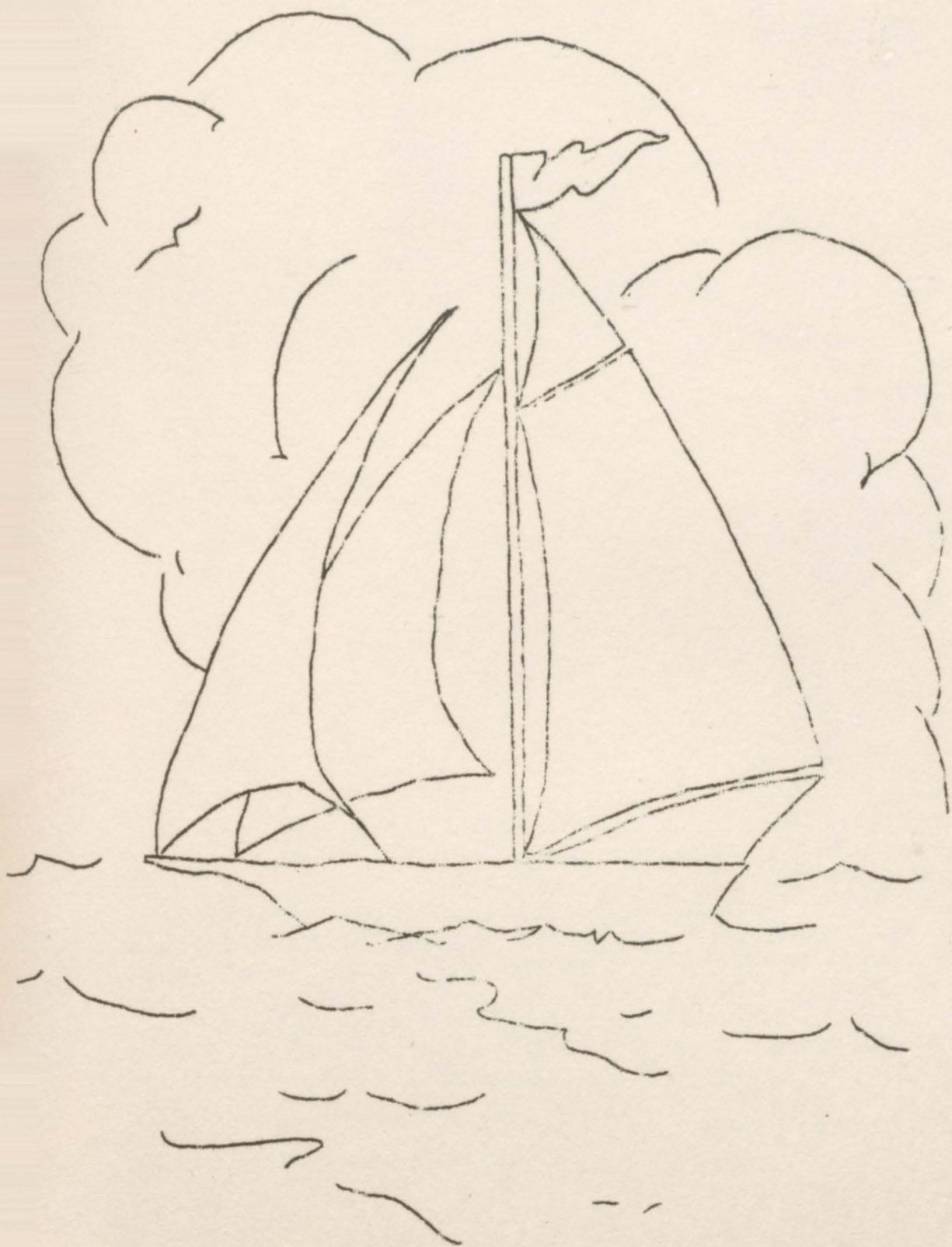
In the ninety events, the squad took fifty-one firsts. An unexcelled accomplishment also made is that the Bulldogs set ten new records, and held high point man in all seven meets.

For the first time in Media High School track history, a representative went to the state meet. J. R. Worley ran high and low hurdles but failed to qualify. J. R. won one hundred ~~thirty-one~~ and one-half points during the track season and he was undefeated in twenty-five races, thereby winning twenty-five firsts.

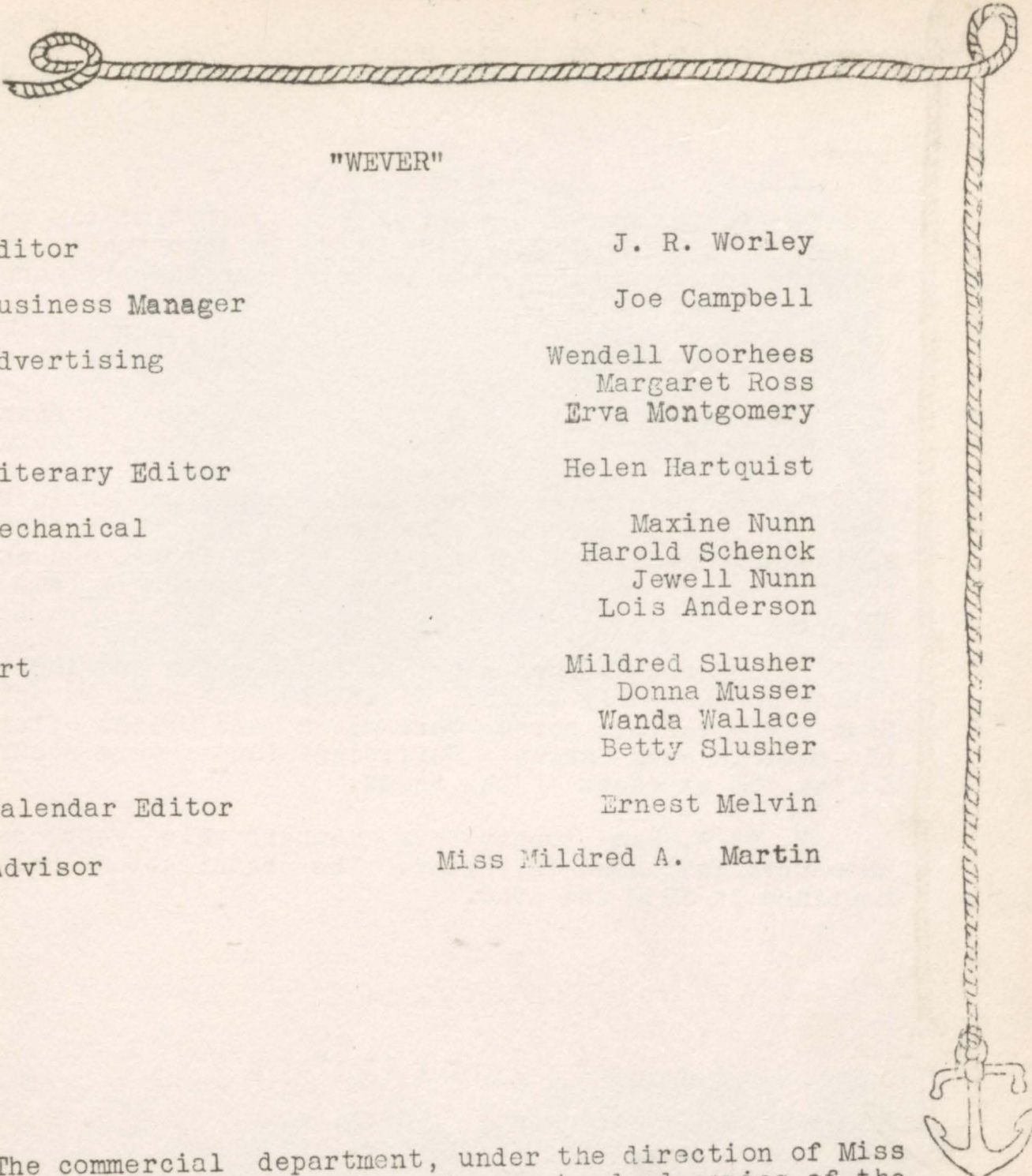
Summary of Meets

Meet	Points Won	Number of Firsts	New Records
Kirkwood Dual	114	10	0
Oquawka Dual	72	11	0
County	59	7	0
KMBS	68 $\frac{5}{6}$	10	6
Bi-County	39	7	1
Military	23	4	2
District	10	2	1





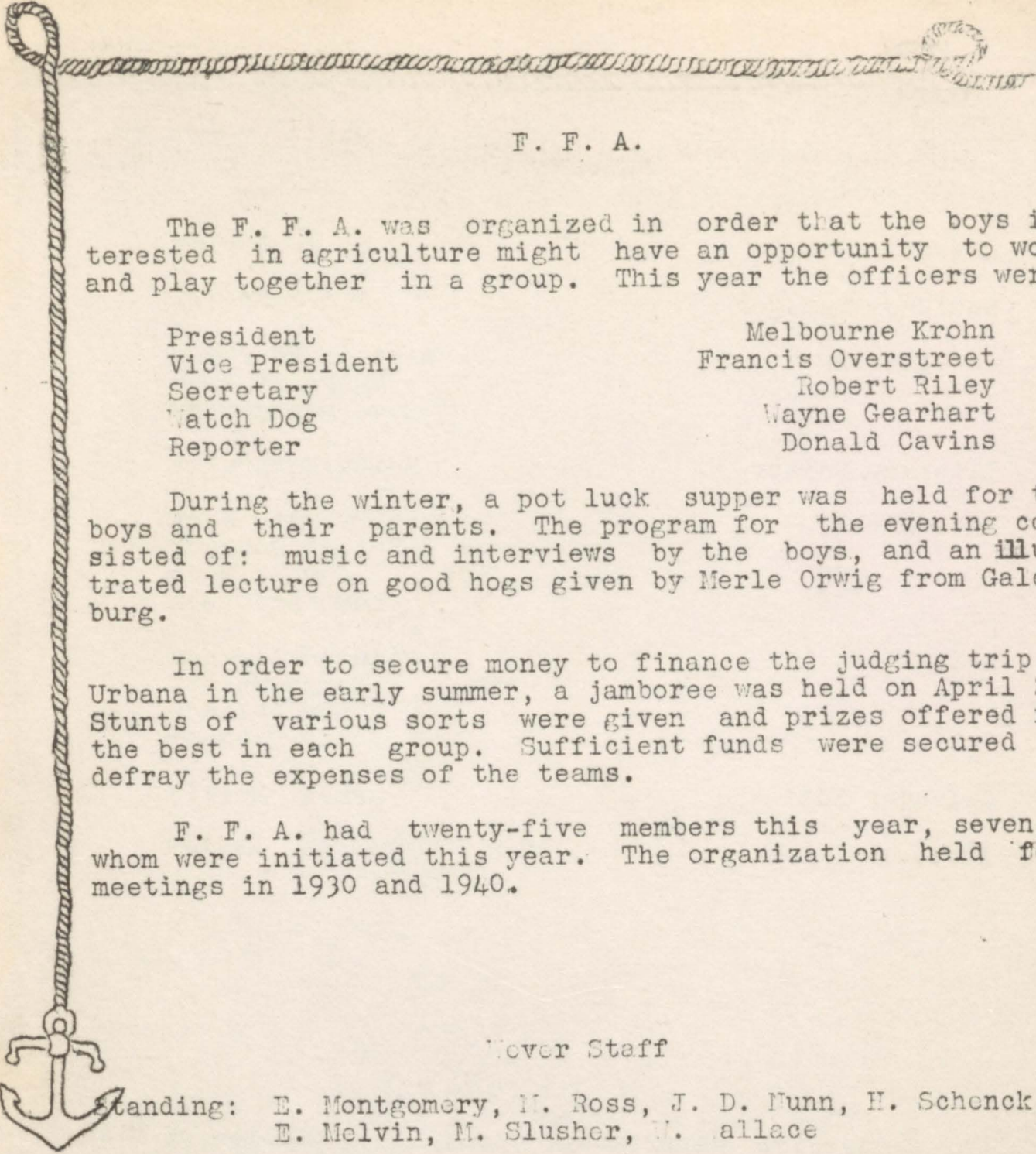
ORGANIZATION



"WEVER"

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The commercial department, under the direction of Miss Martin, made the total number of one hundred copies of the 1940 edition of the "Wever." All of the work was done by the high school students. This included cutting stencils, mimeographing, making write-ups, and doing the art work. "The Wever" was financed by advertising trips to nearby cities, and by selling pop, candy, and novelties at the various sports events. The entire project proved very educational to all of those who were associated in any way with its production. Complete cooperation was necessary and excellent training was received. The advertising interviews allowed students to become associated with actual business people and organizations.



F. F. A.

The F. F. A. was organized in order that the boys interested in agriculture might have an opportunity to work and play together in a group. This year the officers were:


President	Melbourne Krohn
Vice President	Francis Overstreet
Secretary	Robert Riley
Watch Dog	Wayne Gearhart
Reporter	Donald Cavins

During the winter, a pot luck supper was held for the boys and their parents. The program for the evening consisted of: music and interviews by the boys, and an illustrated lecture on good hogs given by Merle Orwig from Galesburg.

In order to secure money to finance the judging trip to Urbana in the early summer, a jamboree was held on April 27. Stunts of various sorts were given and prizes offered for the best in each group. Sufficient funds were secured to defray the expenses of the teams.

F. F. A. had twenty-five members this year, seven of whom were initiated this year. The organization held four meetings in 1930 and 1940.

Wover Staff



Standing: E. Montgomery, M. Ross, J. D. Nunn, H. Schenck,
E. Melvin, M. Slusher, W. Wallace

Seated: L. Anderson, B. Slusher, Miss Martin, J. R. Worley,
H. Hartquist, M. Nunn, J. Campbell, D. Musser

F. F. A.

First row: Mr. Durbin, D. Cavins, M. Krohn, R. Riley, W.
Gearhart, M. Pogue

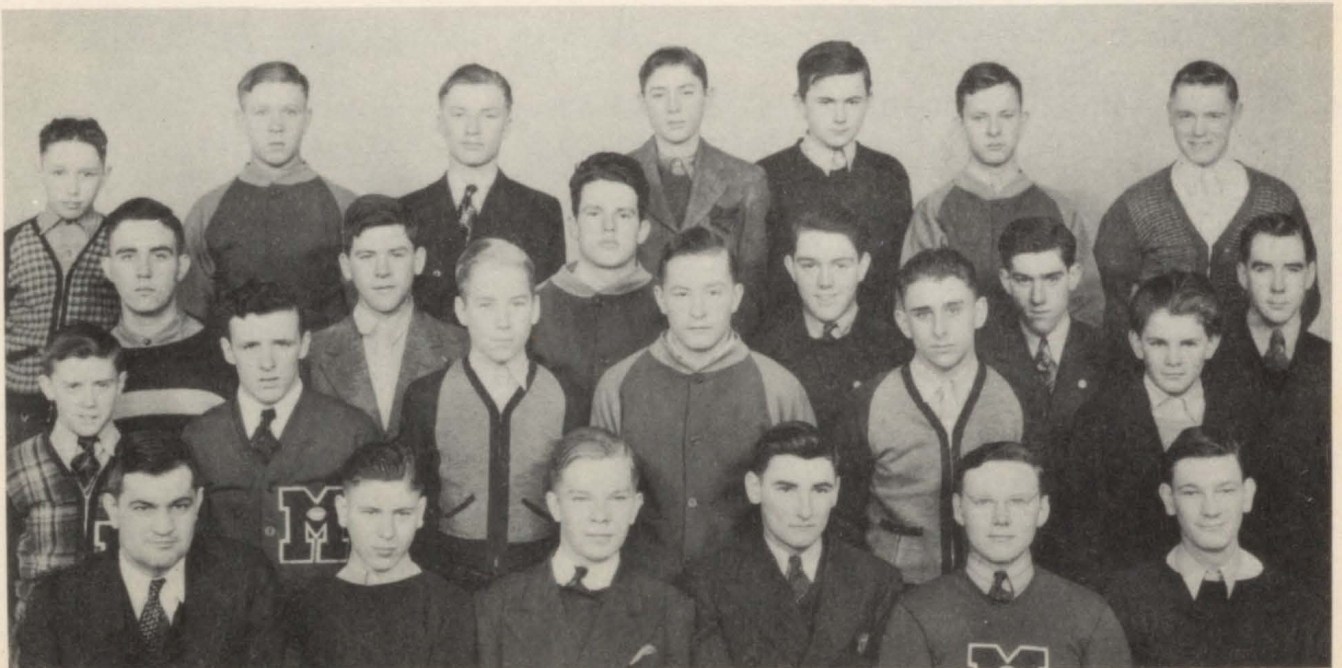
Second row: P. Lee, M. Lee, W. Letterling, R. Roark, E.
Blender, C. Werner

Third row: C. Quinn, R. Mowen, R. Galbraith, Elmer Harden,
E. Harden, O. Shook

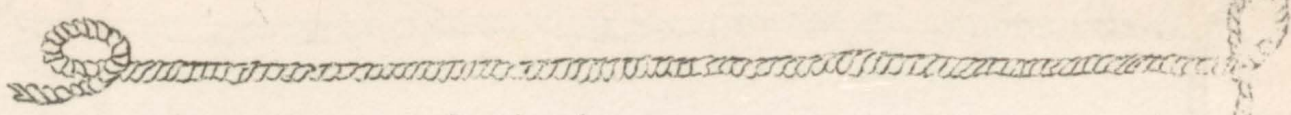
Back row: E. Beresford, C. Carlson, S. Kempher, R. Neff,
R. Henry, E. Melvin, D. Gipe



Wever Staff



F. F. A.



G. A. A.

Officers

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer

Eileen Churchill
Barbara Anderson
Eileen Hilten
Margaret Gearhart

At the opening of the school there were thirty-six members ready for a year of activity. No new members were taken in during 1939 and 1940.

In conjunction with the "M" Club, the G. A. A. sponsored the carnival given in November. Forty dollars was added to the treasury from the gate receipts.

Since the organization funds had increased, the girls decided that some should be spent. Two wings for the stage, to match those purchased by the school a few years ago, were bought.


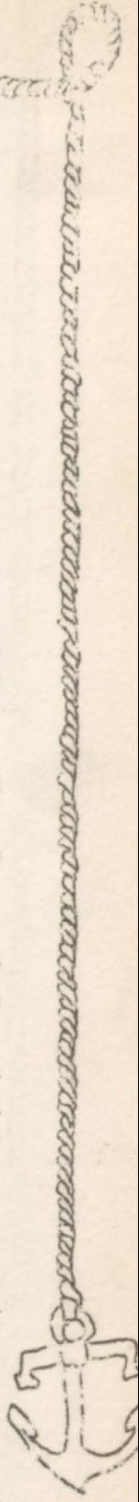
In February, the girls went to Hawcock's for a jolly get together. Since the time was near to Valentine's day the G. A. A. members decided to make a Valentines party of it. Each girl was given a part of a heart as she deposited a valentine in a huge box. In order to find her place she had to match the part of the heart she had with another at the table.

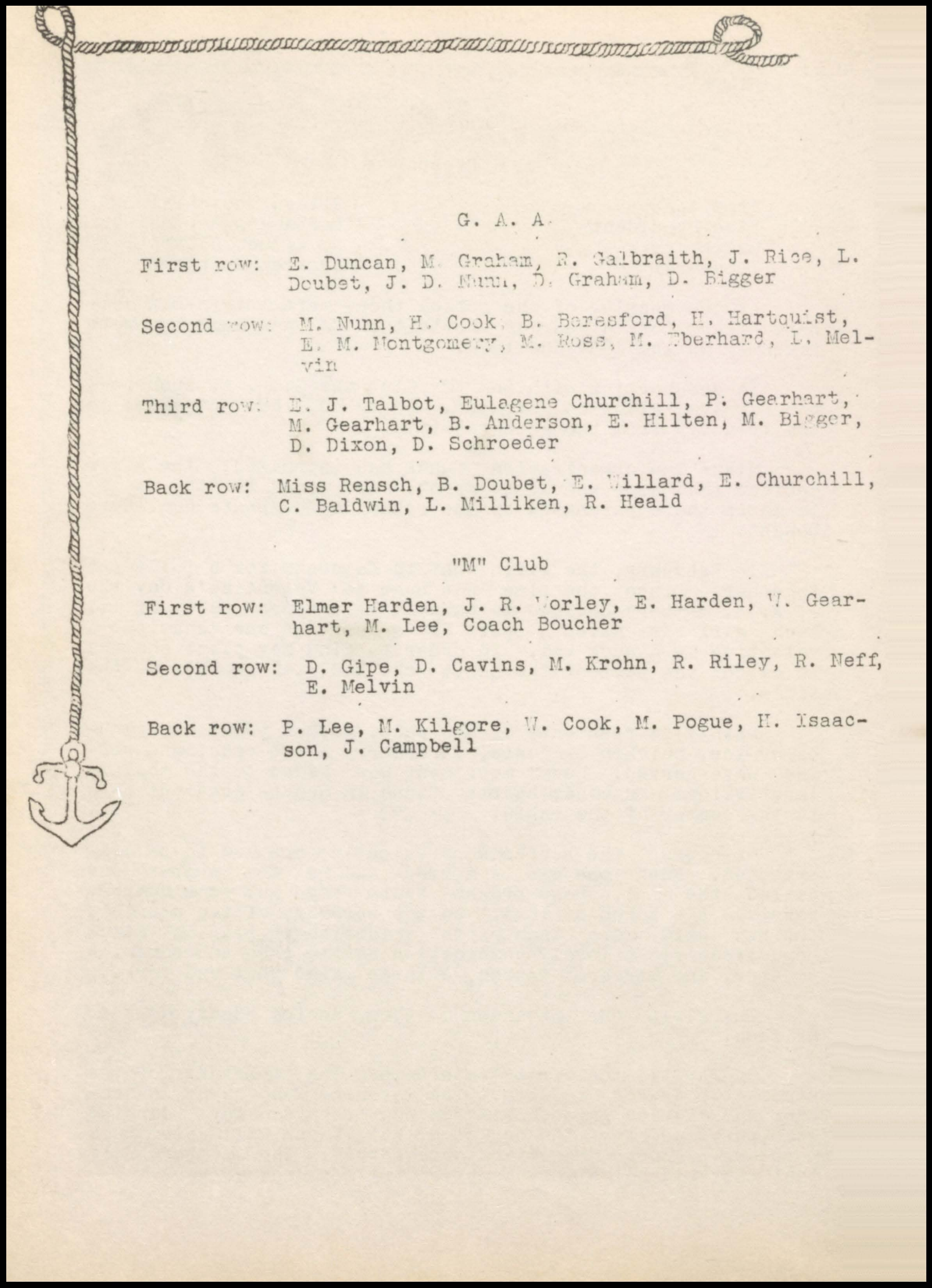
Dainty refreshments of new peas, mashed potatoes, raspberry ice, chicken croquets, strawberry short cake, and coffee were served. Much merriment was added to the meal by inscriptions on candy hearts found in heart-faced nut cups in the center of the table.

Of course, the contents of Valentine box had to be distributed. Each one was numbered and as the number was called the girl, whose broken heart bore the same number, received the token of love. To the surprise of two present, the box held more than paper valentines. Lillian Stone Pogue received a lovely combination waffle iron and sandwich toaster, and Margaret Rensch, a large salad bowl and fork.

The girls then attended a show, seeing "Henry Goes to Arizona."

On May 11, the girls entertained the remainder of the student body and faculty. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games. Fifteen new records for dancing were purchased for the occasion, but these will find much more use. Punch and wafers were served. The members felt that they had had a very happy ending for another year.





G. A. A.

First row: E. Duncan, M. Graham, R. Galbraith, J. Rice, L. Doubet, J. D. Nunn, D. Graham, D. Bigger

Second row: M. Nunn, H. Cook, B. Beresford, H. Hartquist, E. M. Montgomery, M. Ross, M. Eberhard, L. Melvin

Third row: E. J. Talbot, Eulagene Churchill, P. Gearhart, M. Gearhart, B. Anderson, E. Hilten, M. Bigger, D. Dixon, D. Schroeder

Back row: Miss Rensch, B. Doubet, E. Willard, E. Churchill, C. Baldwin, L. Milliken, R. Heald

"M" Club

First row: Elmer Harden, J. R. Worley, E. Harden, W. Gearhart, M. Lee, Coach Boucher

Second row: D. Gipe, D. Cavins, M. Krohn, R. Riley, R. Neff, E. Melvin

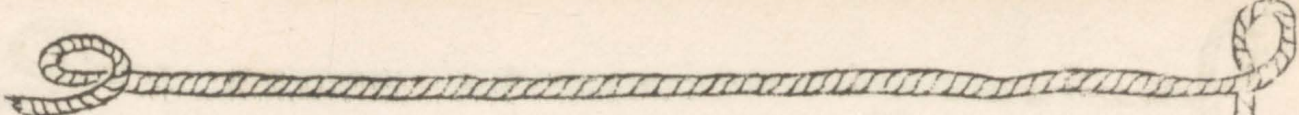
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G. A. A.



"M" Club



"M" CLUB

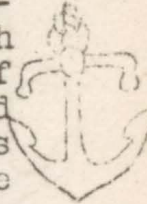
One of the most active organizations in the school is the "M" Club. At the beginning of the year, we had eleven old members in our ranks.

In November, the following fellows were initiated: Paul Lee, Robert Riley, Joe Campbell, Jack Brokaw, Dale Sandy, Elmer Harden, Max Kilgore, Wayne Cook, Robert Neff. Little was heard concerning the occasion, but from the size, number, and shape of the paddles brought to the party, the newcomers must have felt full-fledged members by the end of the program. Billie Beresford, Dick Heald, and Bud Link are yet to be initiated.

On Homecoming day, the "M" Club sponsored an all-school Hallowe'en party where ghosts, spooks, and lanterns created a weird feeling.

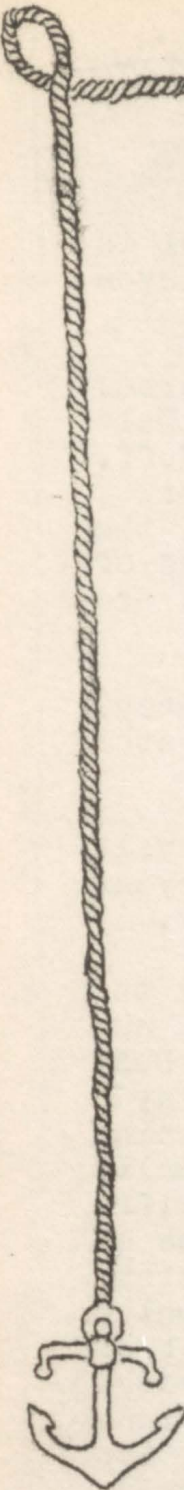
The "M" Club and G. A. A. had charge of the carnival. This was worked out in a very efficient manner, and everyone who attended declared he had enjoyed the evening greatly.

As for many years, a Christmas party was given by the "M" Club on December 22. The faculty, "M" Club members, and their dates first attended The Jones Family in "Too Busy to Work," and then went to Hawcock's. Here they played games for a short time and then were ushered into the dining room which was very artistically decorated. On the walls were festoons of red crepe paper with a Santa Claus motif. At the windows were hung red Christmas bells in groups of threes. The tables were gay with green candles, centerpieces of a log pulled by a boy and girl, and favors which were small logs about which was twined a bright bit of holly. In one corner of the room, a brightly decorated Christmas tree further added to the atmosphere. A delicious and colorful lunch of turkey salad sandwiches, salad, ice cream in Christmas molds, cake, and coffee was served. After the lunch, games were again played and Santa Claus presented lady guests with wall plaques which had been made by the "M" Club members.



A donkey basketball game was sponsored by the club in the early spring. One team was composed of Media men while the other was from Raritan. Probably no other activity of the year brought forth more side splitting spectacles. Raritan won the game.

Perhaps the climax of the "M" Club activities for the year was the dance held on March 30. The theme of the was Hawaiian. A blue false ceiling from which were suspended silver stars, trees in clusters, various colored tulips, pink hibiscus, and green moss gave the South Sea Island touch to the occasion. The stage was canopied by fine streamers of blue crepe paper. The dance programs carried



out further the theme in that they had blue backgrounds with palms and a blue moon. For favors, each guest received a lei of a bright hue. The "Royal Scots", an orchestra from Macomb, provided the music.

Although the membership is made up of athletes, the functions performed by club are more than in an athletic capacity. Through the parties, dances, and the carnival, the social side of the students is developed.

The money earned at the various activities was spent as follows: forty dollars for the noon hour program; fifty dollars for football jerseys; fourteen dollars for basketball suits; and fifteen dollars for basketball sweat jackets. This gave the club an opportunity to use its funds so that the entire student body derived some benefits from them.

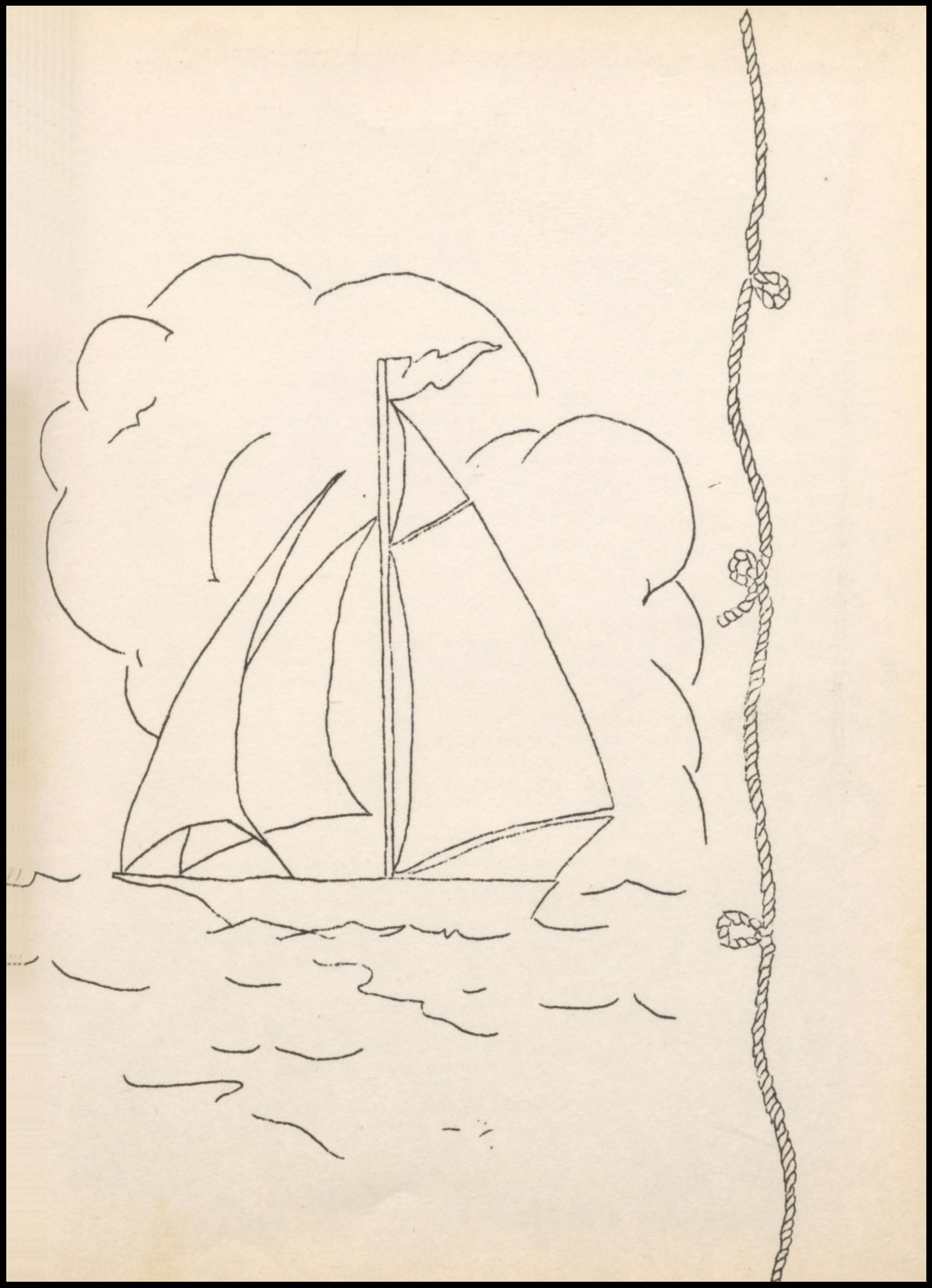
Officers

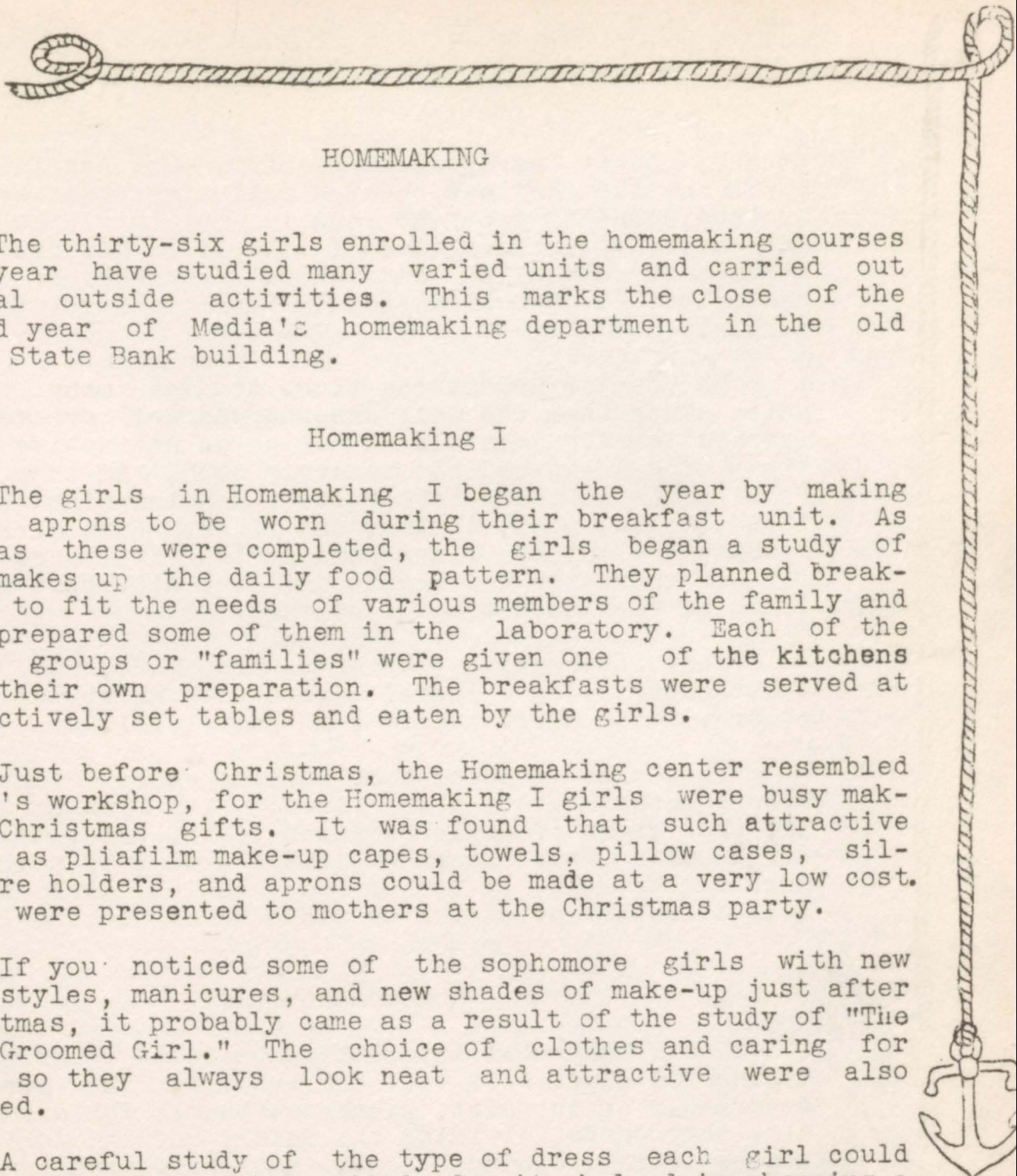
President	W. Voorhees
Vice President	J. R. Worley
Secretary	M. Lee
Treasurer	D. Gipe
Advisor	Coach Boucher

NATIONAL ATHLETIC SCHOLASTIC HONORARY SOCIETY

This organization is purely honorary in nature and does not function as others in the school. Its purpose is to encourage high scholastic work among athletes since in order to become a member a fellow must have earned a letter in a major sport, and have had a scholastic record of B- for three consecutive semesters.

The Media charter was received in 1936. Since that time there have been eleven members. Four more were added this year--Donald Cavins, Dallas Gipe, Robert Riley, and Joe Campbell. In addition to these four, the year's membership consisted of Wendell Voorhees and J. R. Worley.





HOMEMAKING

The thirty-six girls enrolled in the homemaking courses this year have studied many varied units and carried out several outside activities. This marks the close of the second year of Media's homemaking department in the old Media State Bank building.

Homemaking I

The girls in Homemaking I began the year by making white aprons to be worn during their breakfast unit. As soon as these were completed, the girls began a study of what makes up the daily food pattern. They planned breakfasts to fit the needs of various members of the family and then prepared some of them in the laboratory. Each of the three groups or "families" were given one of the kitchens for their own preparation. The breakfasts were served at attractively set tables and eaten by the girls.

Just before Christmas, the Homemaking center resembled Santa's workshop, for the Homemaking I girls were busy making Christmas gifts. It was found that such attractive gifts as pliafilm make-up capes, towels, pillow cases, silverware holders, and aprons could be made at a very low cost. These were presented to mothers at the Christmas party.

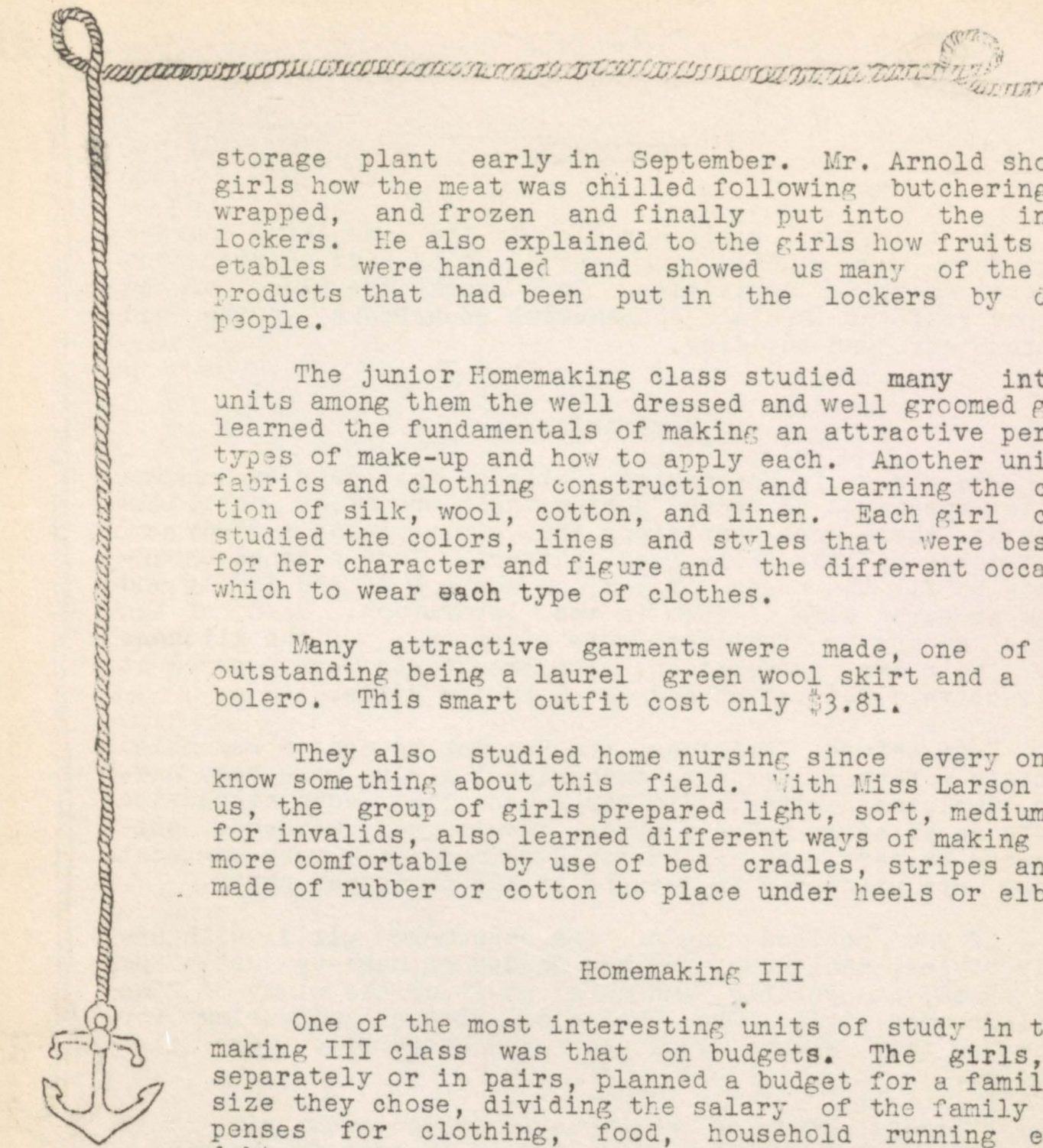
If you noticed some of the sophomore girls with new hair styles, manicures, and new shades of make-up just after Christmas, it probably came as a result of the study of "The Well-Groomed Girl." The choice of clothes and caring for them so they always look neat and attractive were also studied.

A careful study of the type of dress each girl could wear best and material suited for it helped in choosing a sewing project to be made in class. These were school dresses, sport suits, pajamas, housecoats, and cool summer afternoon dresses. When all were finished, each girl modeled her outfit in a style show during the class period.

Plans for what a high school girl might do during the summer months made up the last unit. Travel books, road maps, and information of interesting spots to see helped each girl plan a vacation trip. The clothes, stopping places, and meals were carefully planned. The last unit was a study of each girls own room and what could be done to make it more attractive and convenient.

Homemaking II

The Homemaking II class, accompanied by Miss Anderson, were taken on the bus to Stronghurst to visit the local cold



storage plant early in September. Mr. Arnold showed the girls how the meat was chilled following butchering, cut up, wrapped, and frozen and finally put into the individual lockers. He also explained to the girls how fruits and vegetables were handled and showed us many of the various products that had been put in the lockers by different people.

The junior Homemaking class studied many interesting units among them the well dressed and well groomed girl. We learned the fundamentals of making an attractive person and types of make-up and how to apply each. Another unit was on fabrics and clothing construction and learning the construction of silk, wool, cotton, and linen. Each girl chose and studied the colors, lines and styles that were best suited for her character and figure and the different occasions on which to wear each type of clothes.

Many attractive garments were made, one of the most outstanding being a laurel green wool skirt and a matching bolero. This smart outfit cost only \$3.81.

They also studied home nursing since every one should know something about this field. With Miss Larson to help us, the group of girls prepared light, soft, medium lunches for invalids, also learned different ways of making patients more comfortable by use of bed cradles, stripes and rings made of rubber or cotton to place under heels or elbows.

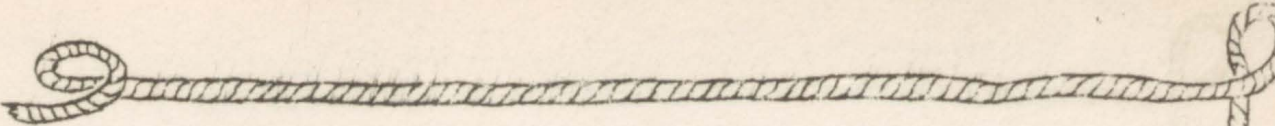
Homemaking III

One of the most interesting units of study in the Homemaking III class was that on budgets. The girls, working separately or in pairs, planned a budget for a family of any size they chose, dividing the salary of the family into expenses for clothing, food, household running expenses, debts, costs of owning and heat, education, and recreation. Some of the girls were planning for their own futures and such a course on budgets proved very beneficial.

During the two weeks previous to Christmas, the senior class, took up the study of Christmas candy. Each girl brought her own ingredients, and experimented with different kinds of candy in class. The last week was devoted wholly to making attractive boxes of candy to be given as gifts to mothers and friends at the Homemaking Christmas party.

Activities

About twenty girls enrolled in some homemaking course went to Macomb on Saturday, May 6, 1939, to the annual Home Economics Conference held there. In the morning all the girls enjoyed the talks concerning home projects given by



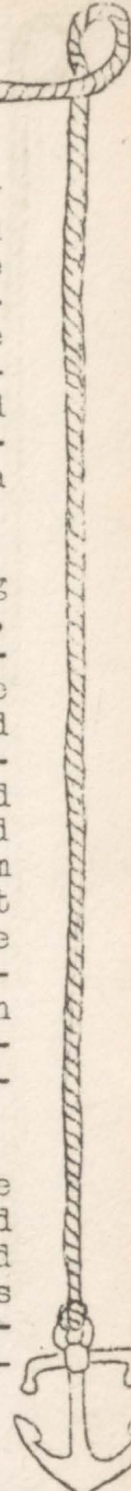
outstanding homemaking students, and speeches given by special speakers. Immediately after, the girls were divided into several groups in which they were to tour the college campus and the new academy building. At noon everyone enjoyed a picnic lunch in front of the main building. In the afternoon conferences of fifteen minutes in length concerning problems in homemaking, such as finishes for walls and floors, buying shoes and hosiery, frozen foods on the market and planning a home, were attended. Following this a tea was served at Monroe Hall.

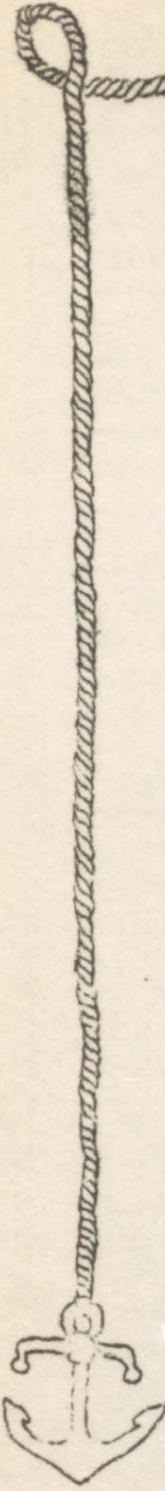
On Thursday afternoon, December 21, the homemaking girls entertained their mothers at a Christmas party. Eileen Hilten and her committee had planned several entertaining games for the group. A short program reviewed some of the units of the first semester. Bonnie Jean Beresford described the home nursing unit, Lois Anderson, the breakfast unit, Eileen Churchill the home furnishing unit, and Dorothy Graham described clothing work which was illustrated by models from the two advanced classes. A telegram from Santa Claus announced he would be unable to be present at the party, and would authorize Evelyn Campbell to distribute the mothers' gifts from under the tree. These were attractively decorated boxes of candy and other gifts made in class. Refreshments of cranberry punch and open face sandwiches were served from a tea table decorated for the holiday season.

One of the outstanding activities of the year was the banquet on Friday, February 9, for approximately one hundred people of the Henderson County Western Club who attended County Institute held at Media High School. The meal was prepared at the homemaking center, and served in the gymnasium. The money was added to the general fund to purchase furniture for the living room.

Projects

The sophomore and junior homemaking girls had their first experiences with summer projects last summer. Twenty-two girls were engaged in the following activities: Evelyn Campbell--child care; Bonnie Jean Beresford--clothing and dress; Helen Cook--salads; Betty Doubet--refinishing furniture; Raamah Galbraith--clothing and knitted sweater; Ruth Heald--clothing and sport outfit; Margaret Heap--gardening and canning; Erva Mae Montgomery--budgeting; Maxine Nunn--cookies; Jayne Rice--care of clothes; Margaret Ross--clothing; Florine Van Arsdale--food and meal preparation; Barbara Anderson--clothing and cotton dress; Doris Bigger--wardrobe planning; Eileen Churchill--candy; Margaret Gearhart--home care of sick; Dorothy Graham--food and dinner preparation; Marjory Graham--food and dinner preparation; Eileen Hilten--kitchen decorating; Louise Milliken--clothing and cotton dress; Betty Slusher--clothing and school dresses and Lorraine Doubet--budgeting.





Junior and senior girls also had projects during the first semester. Some of the most outstanding ones were: child care by Margaret Heap, crocheting by Eileen Hilten, and a meal preparation project by Betty Slusher. The same plan for summer projects will be carried out again this year.

New Equipment

Several pieces of new equipment were added this year including cooking utensils, clothes hamper, and bright kitchen stools making the kitchen more convenient. The board purchased table service for four dozen to be used at school parties and banquets. During the football season, the girls prepared lunches at cost for the boys on the team.

The new living room is perhaps the most outstanding addition of the year to the department. The homemaking classes really feel they had a share in the new room for it was through their efforts the money was earned. The first large sum came from the Soil Conservation banquet last year. The banquet served in February added to this, as did rental from costumes made for "An Old Kentucky Garden."

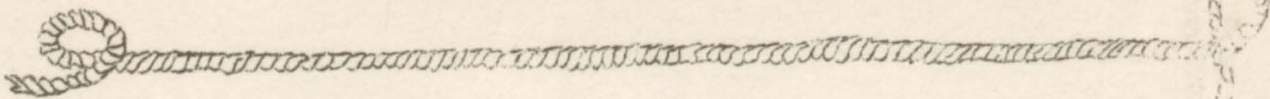
When the class decided to use their funds for furniture, the problem of what to select came up. The senior girls began by studying many styles of furniture, periods, color combinations, wood finishes, cost and combinations of various styles. Each girl planned an ideal home using what she had learned about the furnishings.

After a few week's study, the class was ready to visit Chittenden and Eastman. The salesman was very pleased to show the characteristics of each period style and how to know value when buying furniture.

The girls decided they should have an Early American room selecting a maple love seat, easy chairs, end table, and a drop leaf table. The end table was presented by Mr. Mellor, the dealer who ordered our furniture. The upholstery is green homespun with touches of rust to be repeated in draperies at a later date.

Adult Homemaking

The adult Homemaking class met in ten regular sessions during the year with the average attendance of a little over twenty. This is the second year the women have been given an opportunity to study and discuss homemaking problems. The class began on September 28, with organization plans and a lesson on planning the background in your home. The choosing of wall finishes, colors, types, patterns, and cost were studied. On October 9, Miss Margaret Murphy, a repre-




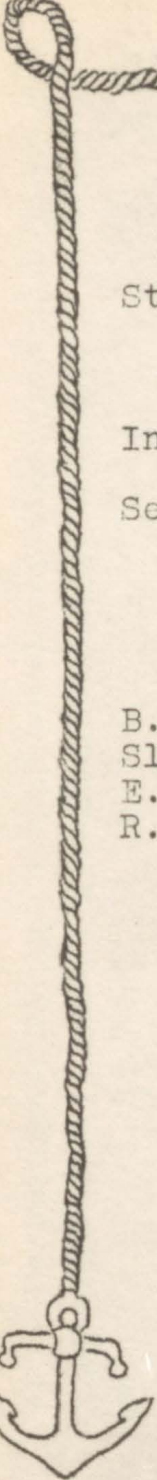
sentative from the Kerr Manufacturing Company, gave a very enjoyable and worthwhile demonstration on canning methods. The film, "The New Adventure", depicting the realms of family financing with Edgar Guest as counselor and advisor to the family, was given.

The interest of the homemakers in clothing needs of the family resulted in one lesson in the fall on choosing fabrics accompanied by an exhibit of samples, and a lesson in spring style trends just before Easter.

Since thrifty homemakers make use of canned foods during the winter months, a lesson on buying, preparing, and serving them met a welcome reception. Tools for the well-equipped kitchen were also studied. This brought forth many interesting suggestions and comments from the group.

Two of the lessons were concerned with food preparation in the home. "How to Entertain" offered suggestions for menus that might be used at parties and teas. Two of the homemaking students, Evelyn Campbell and Bonnie Jean Beresford, assisted in serving refreshments after the lesson. The last meeting of the season was a baking demonstration, during which Mrs. Creasey, the county home advisor, baked a cherry cake. Many cook books and samples from well-known manufacturing concerns were given the homemakers who attended the meetings.





Homemaking I

Standing: E. Churchill, M. Mathers, M. Slusher, B. Reynolds,
D. Schroeder, M. Bigger, D. Trego, Miss Larson, L. Anderson

In Kitchen: P. Gearhart, J. D. Nunn, L. Melvin, L. Link

Seated at table: E. Willard, D. Lauver, F. Keane, E. J.
Talbot, L. Brokaw

Homemaking II and III

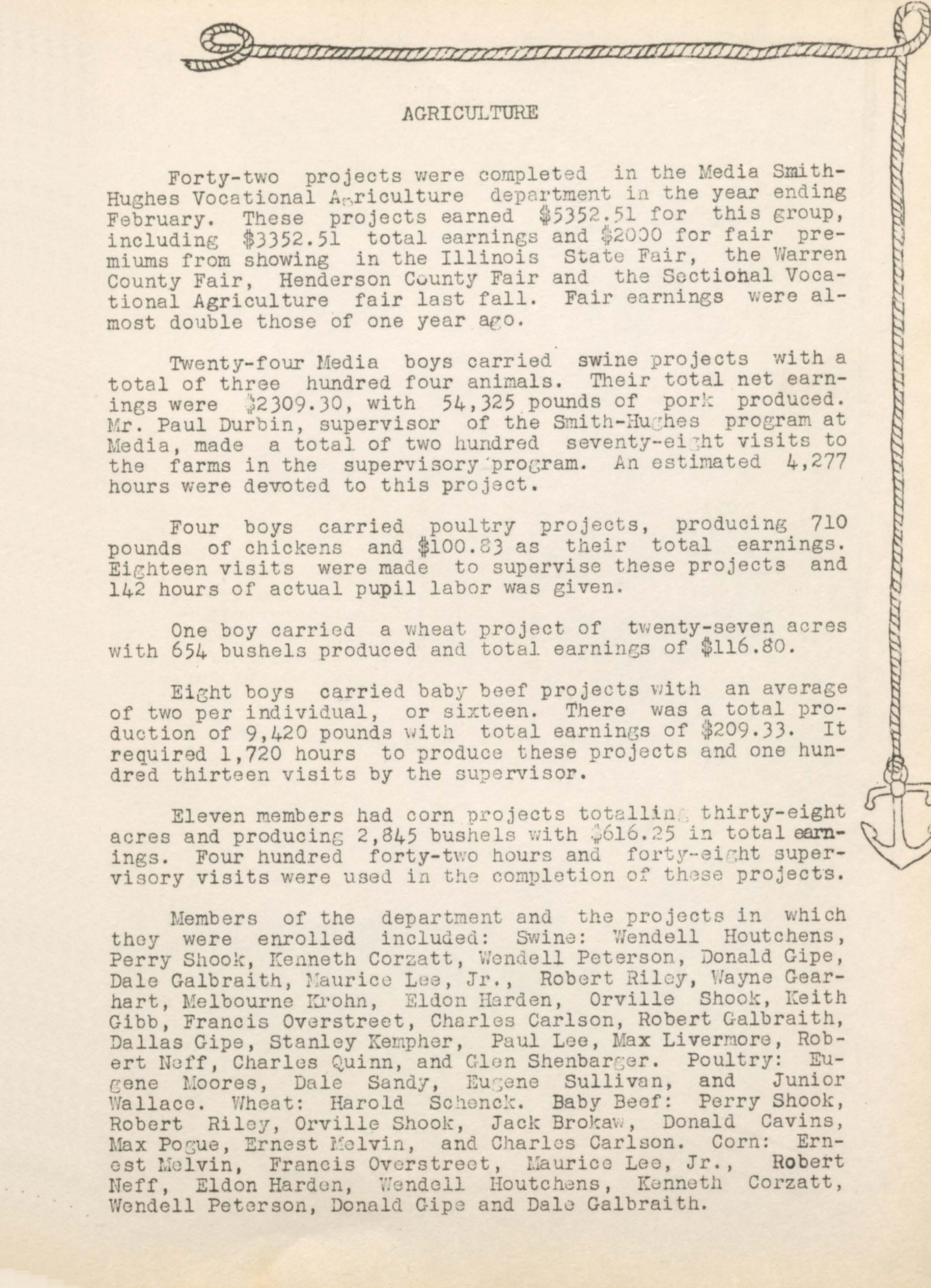
B. Beresford, M. Nunn, J. Rice, B. Doubet, M. Heap, B.
Slusher, E. Churchill, E. Hilton, B. Anderson, M. Gearhart;
E. Campbell, M. Ross, L. Milliken, R. Galbraith, D. Graham,
R. Heald, D. Bigger, H. Cook.



Homemaking I



Homemaking II and III



AGRICULTURE

Forty-two projects were completed in the Media Smith-Hughes Vocational Agriculture department in the year ending February. These projects earned \$5352.51 for this group, including \$3352.51 total earnings and \$2000 for fair premiums from showing in the Illinois State Fair, the Warren County Fair, Henderson County Fair and the Sectional Vocational Agriculture fair last fall. Fair earnings were almost double those of one year ago.

Twenty-four Media boys carried swine projects with a total of three hundred four animals. Their total net earnings were \$2309.30, with 54,325 pounds of pork produced. Mr. Paul Durbin, supervisor of the Smith-Hughes program at Media, made a total of two hundred seventy-eight visits to the farms in the supervisory program. An estimated 4,277 hours were devoted to this project.

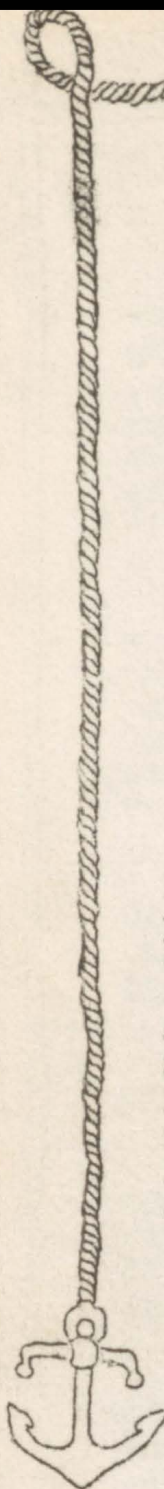
Four boys carried poultry projects, producing 710 pounds of chickens and \$100.83 as their total earnings. Eighteen visits were made to supervise these projects and 142 hours of actual pupil labor was given.

One boy carried a wheat project of twenty-seven acres with 654 bushels produced and total earnings of \$116.80.

Eight boys carried baby beef projects with an average of two per individual, or sixteen. There was a total production of 9,420 pounds with total earnings of \$209.33. It required 1,720 hours to produce these projects and one hundred thirteen visits by the supervisor.

Eleven members had corn projects totalling thirty-eight acres and producing 2,845 bushels with \$616.25 in total earnings. Four hundred forty-two hours and forty-eight supervisory visits were used in the completion of these projects.

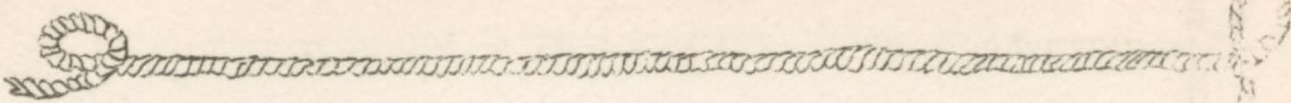
Members of the department and the projects in which they were enrolled included: Swine: Wendell Houtchens, Perry Shook, Kenneth Corzatt, Wendell Peterson, Donald Gipe, Dale Galbraith, Maurice Lee, Jr., Robert Riley, Wayne Gearhart, Melbourne Krohn, Eldon Harden, Orville Shook, Keith Gibb, Francis Overstreet, Charles Carlson, Robert Galbraith, Dallas Gipe, Stanley Kempher, Paul Lee, Max Livermore, Robert Neff, Charles Quinn, and Glen Shenbarger. Poultry: Eugene Moores, Dale Sandy, Eugene Sullivan, and Junior Wallace. Wheat: Harold Schenck. Baby Beef: Perry Shook, Robert Riley, Orville Shook, Jack Brokaw, Donald Cavins, Max Pogue, Ernest Melvin, and Charles Carlson. Corn: Ernest Melvin, Francis Overstreet, Maurice Lee, Jr., Robert Neff, Eldon Harden, Wendell Houtchens, Kenneth Corzatt, Wendell Peterson, Donald Gipe and Dale Galbraith.



For 1940 and 1941, fifty-four projects have been started by twenty-nine boys. Twenty-three will carry swine; nine, corn; one, alfalfa; ten, beef steers; five, beef heifers; one, sheep; two, poultry; and three, dairy heifers. Angus and Shorthorn beef heifers and Geurnsey dairy heifers were added this year because the boys have realized the need of good beef cows to produce their feeding steers when a beef cow can be maintained on grass legume hay and a very small amount of grain. Those who are interested in milk production are convinced it costs no more to feed a cow that will produce three hundred or more pounds of butter fat than those cows who don't produce enough to pay for their feed. They have adopted a motto, "Get rid of your star boarders; replace with cows that will more than pay for their board."

1. Do tell!
2. Stitch! Stitch! Stitch!
3. O. Shook and pet pigs
4. M. Livermore--a future farmer
5. Home Ec. products
6. F. Overstreet and champion
7. D. Gipe enjoys the farm.
8. Wallace leads a prize.
9. Let's read a story.
10. Riley and his Durocs
11. Jack and a winner
12. Charles Carlson--Suey!
13. A busy day
14. A lesson in beauty culture
15. Junior Home Ec.
16. Mike Lee, a little man but a mighty farmer
17. "Carolyn"
18. R. Riley, a promising farmer
19. Ag. man and future Home Ec. girl
20. Robert Russel and a prospective winner.





NOON HOUR ACTIVITIES

No one at Media High School needed to be idle during the noon hour, for numerous quiet and active games afforded an opportunity for everyone to engage in a game of his own choice. In the fall and spring, football and touch football were played outside. Later an inter-class volleyball tournament was held in which the seniors were victorious.

Basketball lasted for a longer period. The boys were divided into four teams, each having an opportunity to play every other team. Six games were played, and team number three won the championship. This team was composed of: Campbell, Neff, Wetterling, Quinn, Elmer Harden, Mathers, Davis, Henry, and Thrush.


The ping pong tables were nearly always busy, and many times there was a scramble to see who could finish lunch first in order to get a chance to play. Several sets of ping pong were played in the tournament. Francis Overstreet and J. R. Worley won and played in the finals. J. R. succeeded in winning the championship.

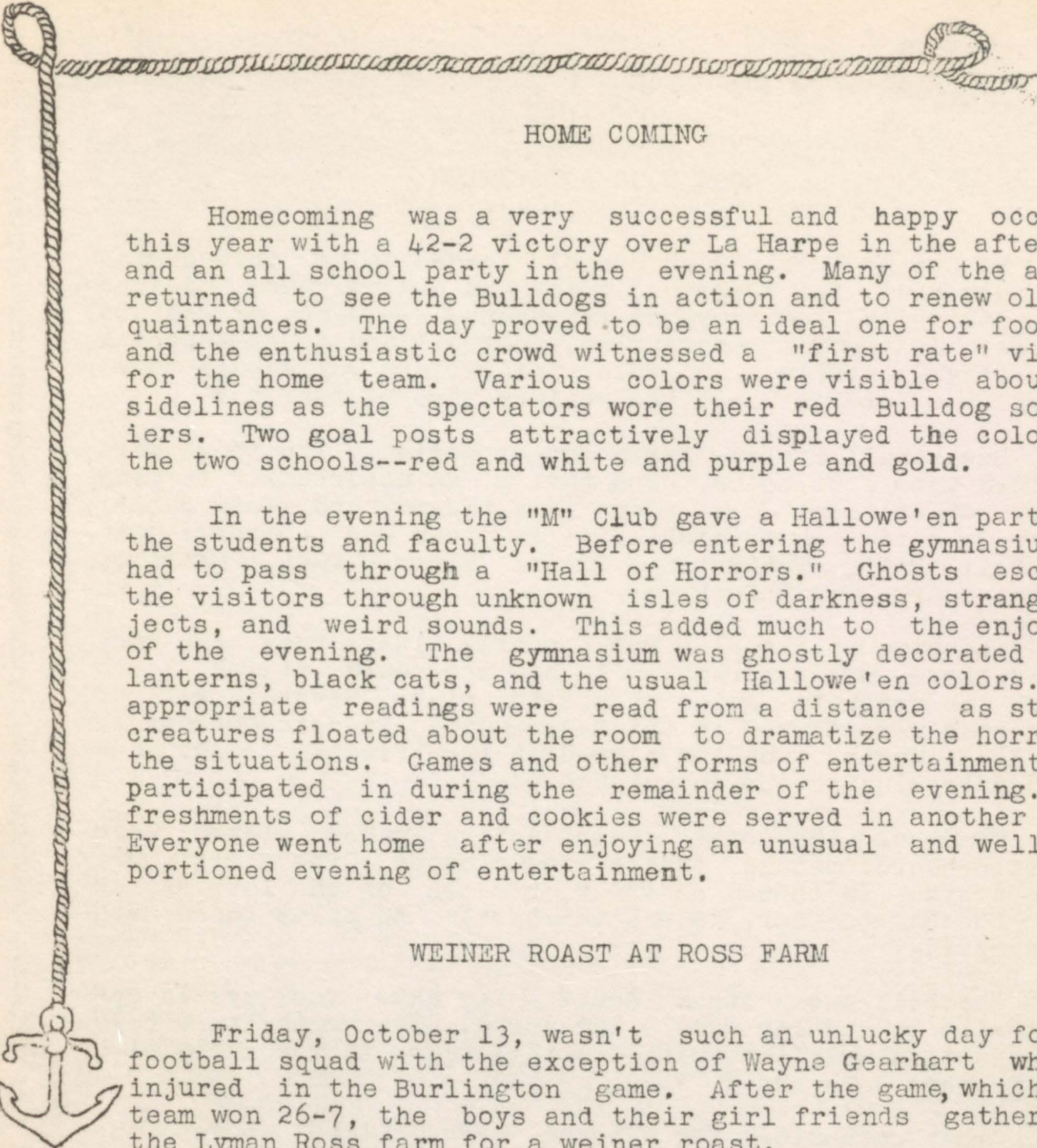
Some of the other less active games played were shuffle-board, paddle tennis, and croquet. The girls were more active in these. However, because of the late spring and the bad weather, it was impossible to enjoy these much this spring.

Softball was another sport which gave the boys an opportunity to develop muscle and speed. The agriculture boys were particularly interested in this since they compete with other schools in the F. F. A.

Great enthusiasm for dancing began a little before the Junior-Senior banquet and continued until the end of the year. This was interesting not only for those who danced but for spectators. There was only one difficulty in dancing, and that was in finding a sufficient number who could play the piano. We hope that during the summer months some more good piano players will develop.

The students of Media High were always anxious to participate in the noon-hour program. Activities were chosen for participation that were not too strenuous and were suitable as co-recreational ones. The program was supervised by members of the faculty.





HOME COMING

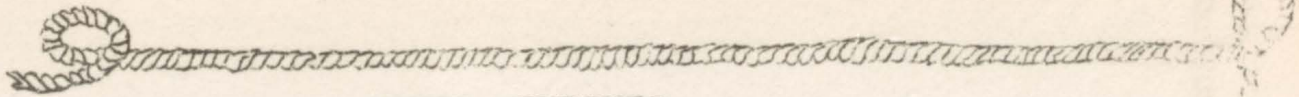
Homecoming was a very successful and happy occasion this year with a 42-2 victory over La Harpe in the afternoon and an all school party in the evening. Many of the alumni returned to see the Bulldogs in action and to renew old acquaintances. The day proved to be an ideal one for football and the enthusiastic crowd witnessed a "first rate" victory for the home team. Various colors were visible about the sidelines as the spectators wore their red Bulldog souvenirs. Two goal posts attractively displayed the colors of the two schools--red and white and purple and gold.

In the evening the "M" Club gave a Hallowe'en party for the students and faculty. Before entering the gymnasium one had to pass through a "Hall of Horrors." Ghosts escorted the visitors through unknown isles of darkness, strange objects, and weird sounds. This added much to the enjoyment of the evening. The gymnasium was ghostly decorated with lanterns, black cats, and the usual Hallowe'en colors. Two appropriate readings were read from a distance as strange creatures floated about the room to dramatize the horror of the situations. Games and other forms of entertainment were participated in during the remainder of the evening. Refreshments of cider and cookies were served in another room. Everyone went home after enjoying an unusual and well proportioned evening of entertainment.

WEINER ROAST AT ROSS FARM

Friday, October 13, wasn't such an unlucky day for the football squad with the exception of Wayne Gearhart who was injured in the Burlington game. After the game, which the team won 26-7, the boys and their girl friends gathered at the Lyman Ross farm for a weiner roast.

Around a huge bonfire the guests gathered to enjoy the food. Mr. Ross furnished cider. Margaret acted as hostess, assisted by our old cheer leader, Kate, who still has as much pep as ever. Afterwards, the group played games in the Ross home. The football squad enjoyed very much the affair and the hospitality shown by the Ross family.



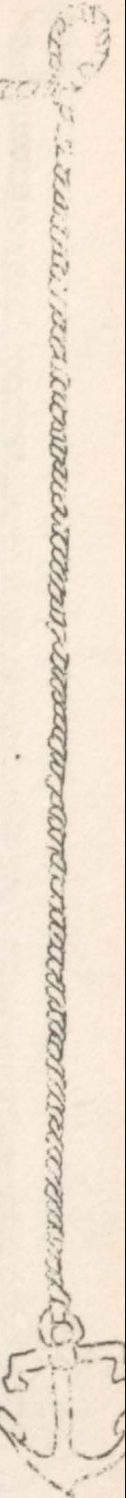
HONOR STUDENTS

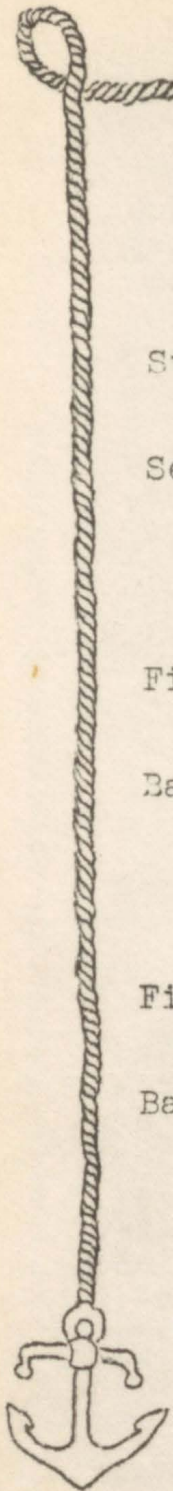
As an additional incentive to study hard, an honor system has been worked out giving certain values to each letter. For example A= 11 points. In order to be on the High Honor Roll, a student must have a total of 42 or more points. To make Honor Roll one must earn 37 or more points. The last semester of 1938--1939 the following made for the semester grades points equivalent to High Honor or Honor Roll: Joe Campbell, Elsie Duncan, Mabelle Eberhard, Margaret Ross, Ernest Melvin, Helen Hartquist, Carol Baldwin, Eileen Hilten, and Nedra Thrush. During the first semester of 1939--1940 the following were on the roll for the term: Wanda Wallace, Donna Musser, Joe Campbell, Elsie Duncan, Mabelle Eberhard, Lois Melvin, Margaret Ross, Helen Hartquist, Eileen Hilten, and Carol Baldwin. Many students whose names did not appear on either roll showed marked improvement in their grades. It is, however, impossible to list all of them for both semesters.

DEDICATION OF THE FLAG

On the morning of September 20 "Old Glory" mounted the flag pole on the high school campus after a dedication program. The ceremony honoring the flag was held before the student assembly. "America the Beautiful" was sung to open the services, after which a prayer was given by Reverend J. C. Gearhart of Smithshire. "Our Colors", a poem depicting the things for which our colors represent, was read by Helen Hartquist. The national anthem, the "Star Spangled Banner", was sung before the audience followed by several of the boys from the Media scout troop to various stations surrounding the flag pole.

An atmosphere of deep and thoughtful silence followed as everyone saluted the red, white, and blue as it rose to its lofty station against the blue sky of the bright day. The pledge of allegiance was said in unison by the group. Mr. Holstine gave a short talk on "Makers of the Flag", after which Reverend Gearhart spoke on "Respect for the American Flag." Everyone joined in singing "America" and Reverend Gearhart gave the Benediction.





A Ready Made Family

Standing: E. Harden, E. Hilten, J. Brokaw, Mr. Halstine, D. Bigger, F. Overstreet

Seated: M. Krohn, H. Hartquist, D. Graham, M. Gearhart, C. Baldwin

Honor Students

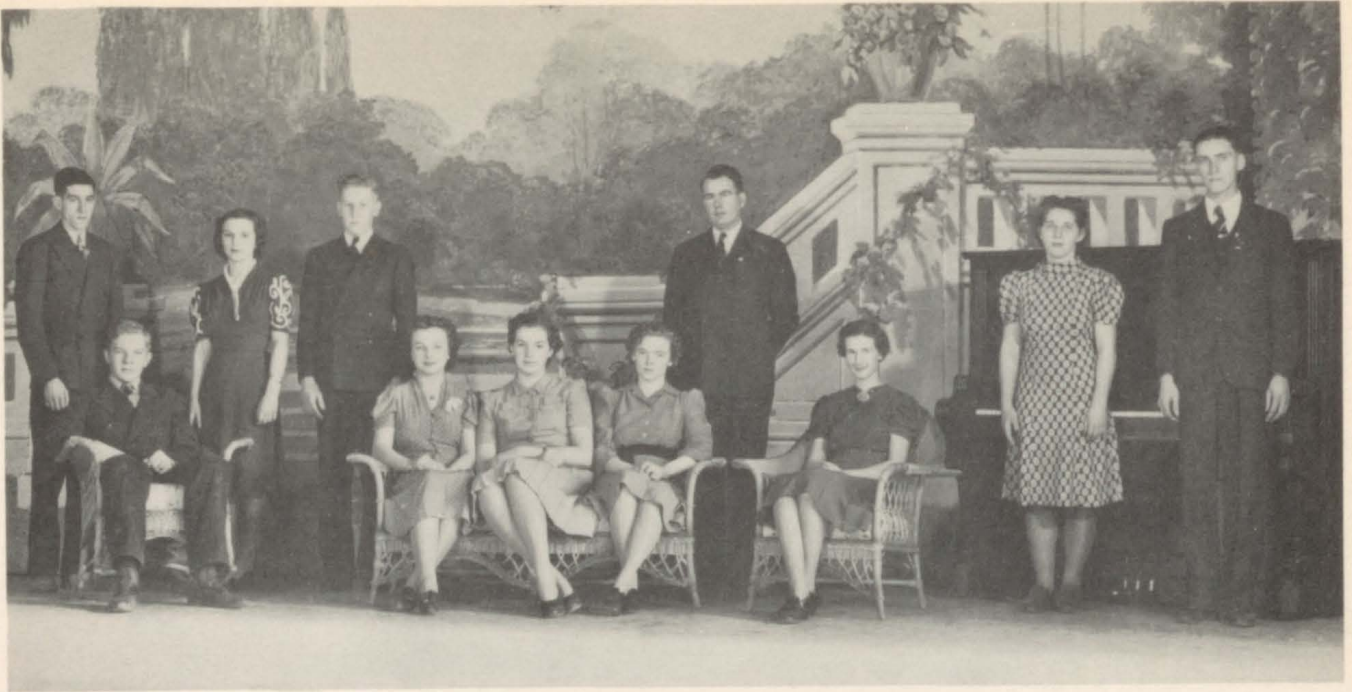
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Back row: M. Ross, E. Melvin, C. Baldwin, D. Graham, D. Cavins, H. Hartquist, J. Campbell

Crowning of King and Queen

First row: R. Overstreet, W. Voorhees, M. Ross, N. Campbell, S. Gregory

Back row: R. Corzatt, W. Wettlerling, M. Kilgore, E. Willard, W. Heap, E. Hilten, E. Churchill



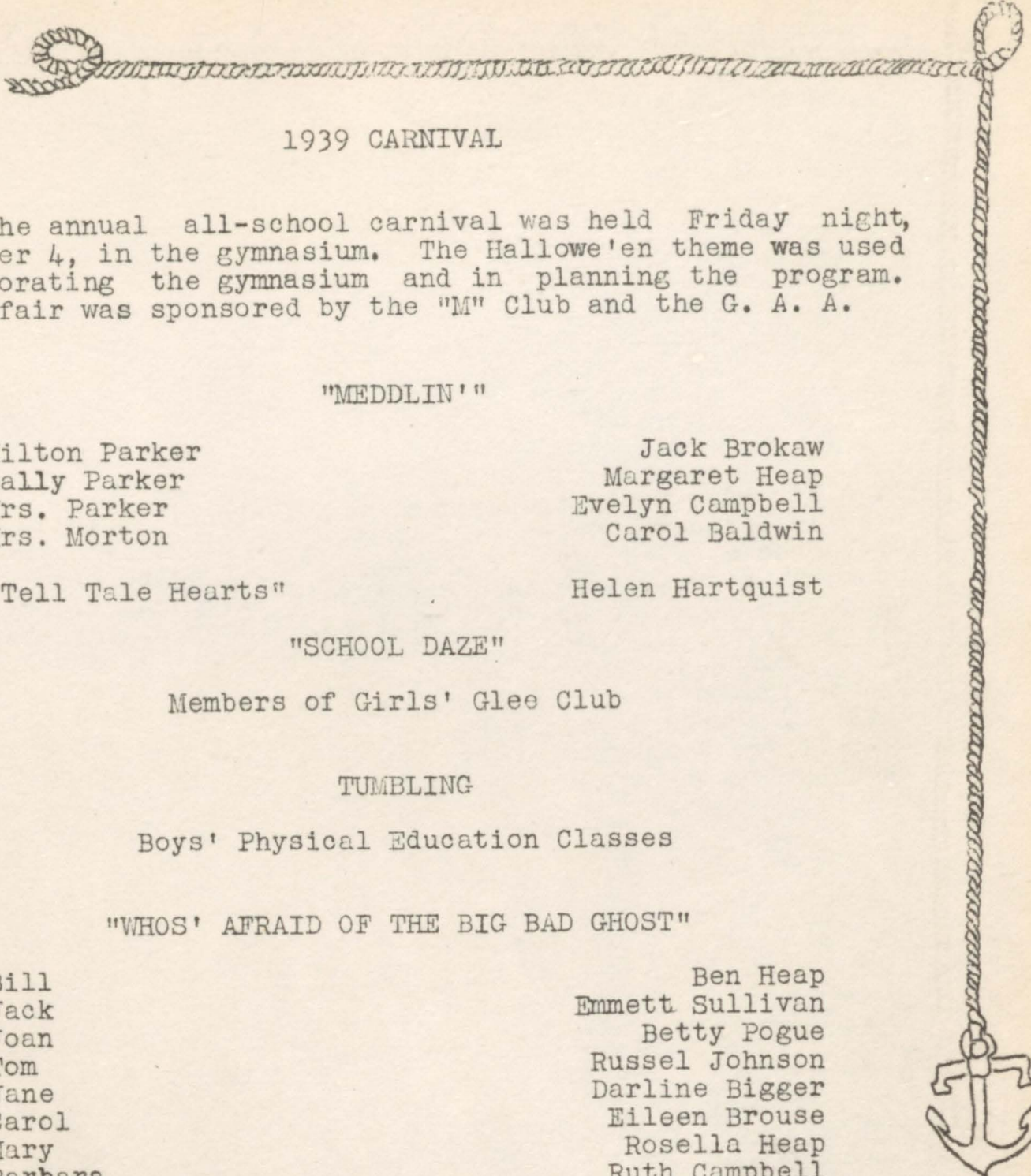
"Ready Made Family"



Honor Students



Carnival Procession



1939 CARNIVAL

The annual all-school carnival was held Friday night, November 4, in the gymnasium. The Hallowe'en theme was used in decorating the gymnasium and in planning the program. The affair was sponsored by the "M" Club and the G. A. A.

"MEDDLIN'"

Milton Parker
Sally Parker
Mrs. Parker
Mrs. Morton

Jack Brokaw
Margaret Heap
Evelyn Campbell
Carol Baldwin

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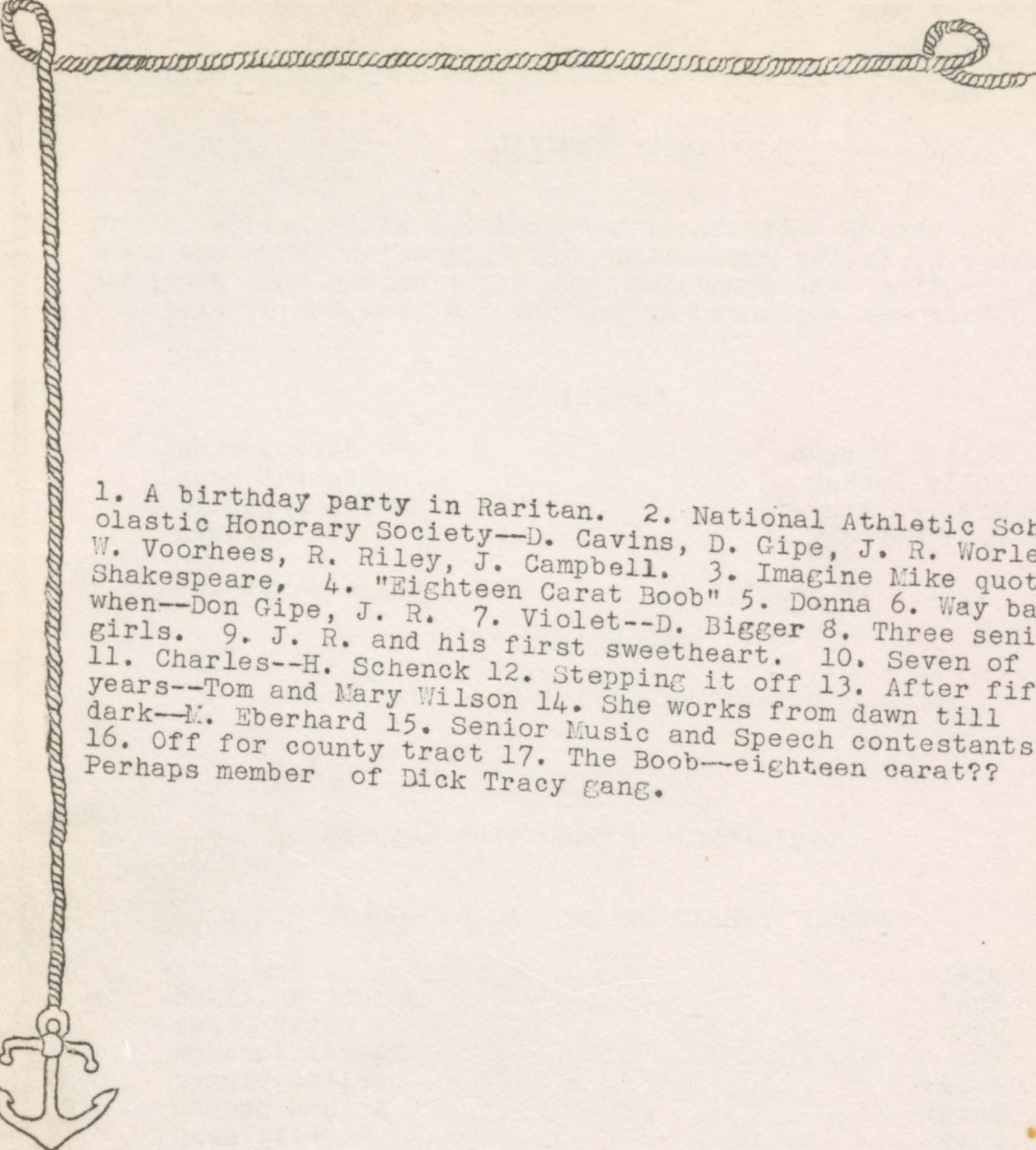
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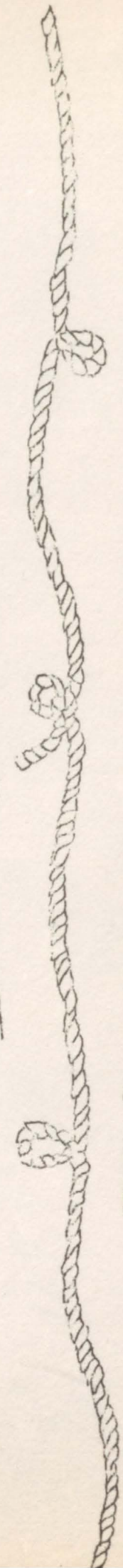
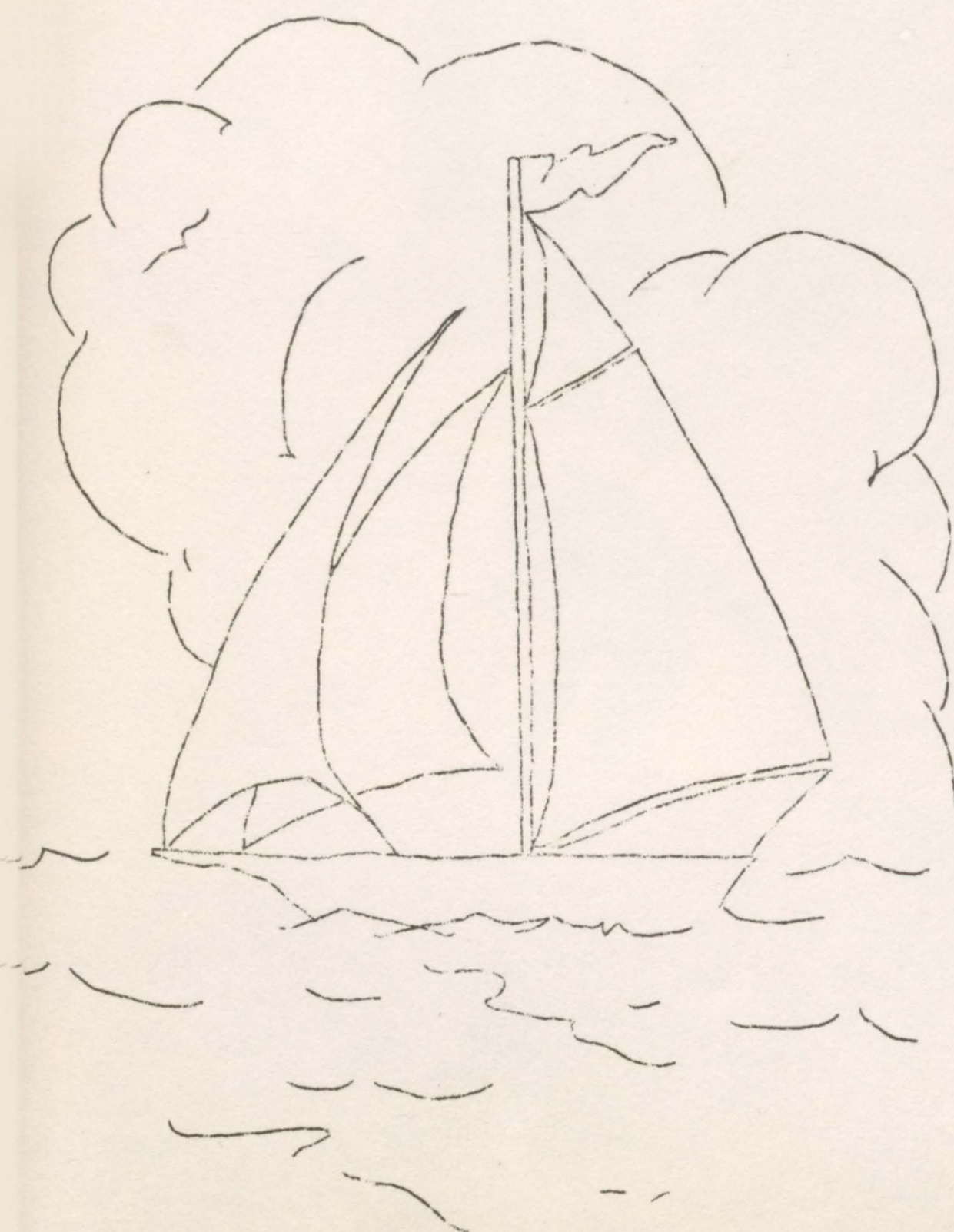
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CROWING OF KING AND QUEEN

Throughout the evening added attractions were bingo, fish pond, devil-in-the-deep, darts at the black cat, ringing the cat's tail, and dog races. Approximately one hundred twenty dollars was cleared and everyone decided the carnival was a success.



1. A birthday party in Raritan. 2. National Athletic Scholastic Honorary Society--D. Cavins, D. Gipe, J. R. Worley, W. Voorhees, R. Riley, J. Campbell. 3. Imagine Mike quoting Shakespeare, 4. "Eighteen Carat Boob" 5. Donna 6. Way back when--Don Gipe, J. R. 7. Violet--D. Bigger 8. Three senior girls. 9. J. R. and his first sweetheart. 10. Seven of 'em 11. Charles--H. Schenck 12. Stepping it off 13. After fifty years--Tom and Mary Wilson 14. She works from dawn till dark--M. Eberhard 15. Senior Music and Speech contestants 16. Off for county tract 17. The Boob--eighteen carat?? Perhaps member of Dick Tracy gang.





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Breaks Two Marks.
The individual star of the track meet was Worley, the Media hurdler and sprinter, who lays claim to given names of "John Robert" but prefers to be called "J. R." In the first running event of the afternoon, trials for the 120 yard high hurdles, he reeled off the strip in 15.3 seconds, clipping three-tenths of a second from the mark. Bowers of Stronghurst set last year. Worley returned to the trials to record the same time and officially shatter the record. A few minutes later he romped ahead of the field in the 100 yard dash. After a cooling-off period, he came back with a vengeance for the 200 yard low hurdles, and skimmed over the sticks in 23.2 seconds, which sliced six-tenths of a second from a mark the same Bowers made last year.

Media 50th Graduation Is Planned

MEDIA, April 1.—(Special)—The Rev. J. C. Gearhart has accepted the invitation of the 1940 senior class to be the annual bac-

MILITARY TRACT MEET; MEDIA HURDLER STARS

"MIXED" DANCE IS GIVEN BY MEDIA SCHOOL SENIORS
MEDIA, Dec. 12.—(Special)—A fairly large crowd attended the senior mixed dance program Saturday evening. The program was

MEDIA ATHLETIC FIELD PROJECT IS GIVEN APPROVAL

MEDIA, March 30.—(Special)—Presidential and final approval was given to the Media

MEDIA BEATS ALEXIS

FIRST TIME COUNTY TEAM WON OVER MEDIA, ROSEVILLE MEET IN BI-COUNTY

POINT SUMMARY

School	Pts.	School	Pts.
Avon	25	Alexis	24 1/2
Biggsville	13	Elmwood	7
Western Academy	7	Williamsville	6 1/2
Stronghurst	6 1/2	Yates City	6
Kirkwood	6	Yates City	6

MEDIA TAKES ANOTHER GAME

WON OVER BURLINGTON RESERVES THERE YESTERDAY, 26 TO 7

Media, Oct. 14.—(Special)—The Media high school football team is losing ground—yesterday it all but another team to make a town.

TO SPEAK AT MEDIA



Mr. [Name], assistant line coach in football, varsity hockey coach and freshman baseball coach at the University of Illinois will speak at the annual community football banquet to be held in the Media High school gymnasium on Thursday evening. This ward was

CROWNS GIVEN SENIOR, JUNIOR IN MEDIA EV

MEDIA, Nov. 6.—(Special)—Wendell Voorhees, Margaret Ross and Media were crowned senior and junior queen of the fall festival at the Media high school gymnasium last night. The coronation was held at 8 o'clock and was a most successful affair. The coronation was held at 8 o'clock and was a most successful affair.

MEDIA HIGH AGAIN WINS

Worley Scores 4 Touchdowns to Lead Team to 34-12 Victory

BIGGSVILLE, Oct. 28.—(Special)—Media's sparkling victory over Biggsville was a 34-12 triumph. Worley scored four touchdowns and made many conversions to lead the team to a decisive win.

MEDIA HIGH WINS 13 OUT OF LAST 14 FOOTBALL TILTS

MEDIA, Oct. 21.—(Special)—Media was very successful at Media with a 42-6 victory over LaHarpe Friday afternoon. Media scored con-

DALLAS GIPE TO CAPTAIN MEDIA'S 1940 GRID TEAM

MEDIA, Nov. 14.—(Special)—Dallas Gipe was elected by his teammates and lettermen to be the 1940 football captain. This was made by Coach [Name] at the banquet.

MEDIA BOYS SHOW STOCK AT CHICAGO SCHOOL ACTIVITY

MEDIA, Dec. 7.—(Special)—Paul Durbin, the agricultural instructor of Media High school, took three students, Max Pogus, Melvyn Cavins, and Ernest Melvyn, to attend the Inter-Livestock exposition in Chicago last week.

MEDIA TAKES LAHARPE

WON HOMECOMING YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, 42 TO 6

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED AT MEDIA

MEDIA, Ill., Jan. 8.—(Special)—The marriage of [Name] and [Name] was announced at the Media high school. The ceremony was held at the [Location].

MEDIA TAKES K. M. B. S. MEET

Winners Break Six with Worley Four for Four

MEDIA, Ill., May 2.—(Special)—Media's victory over K. M. B. S. was a 6-0 triumph. Worley scored four touchdowns and made many conversions to lead the team to a decisive win.

Media School's Committees for Dance Announced

Media, Ill., Feb. 12.—(Special)—The committees for the Media school dance were announced. The committees are: Junior—Margaret Ross, president; Francis Overstreet, secretary; Margaret Gearhart, treasurer; Helen Hartung, secretary.

MEDIA SQUAD HARD AT WORK

Coach Boucher Has Seven Winners in Group Candidates

Parent-Teacher Conference Planned at Media

Media, Ill., Oct. 17.—(Special)—The parent-teacher conference at Media high school will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 17, at 7:30 p. m. in the gymnasium.

Evening School for Homemakers at Media Ja

Media, Ill., Dec. 27.—(Special)—Miss Helen Larson has scheduled the first evening school for homemakers at Media high school. The school will be held on Thursday, Dec. 27, at 7:30 p. m.

MEDIA M CLUB HAS NINE NEW MEMBERS

MEDIA, Nov. 22.—(Special)—The Media M Club has elected nine new members. The new members are: [List of names].

MEDIA HAS FOUR HOME MEETS

MEDIA, March 27.—(Special)—Media high school will be host to four track meets this spring, including two dual meets, one quadrangular meet, and the Bi-County Meet, all of which are to be held at the Media field.

LINCOLN FILM SCHEDULED AT MEDIA SCHOOL

Public Invited to Presentations Jan. 29—No Admission Charge

Baseball Stars to Be Featured in Media Pi

MEDIA, Nov. 22.—(Special)—The Media Pi Club will feature several baseball stars in its upcoming program. The stars include [List of names].

MEDIA DEFEATS BURLINGTON, S

MEDIA, Feb. 1.—(Special)—Media High school defeated Burlington Reserves last night at Media. The score was 35-17.

MEDIA WINS COUNTY MEET

Takes Henderson Track Title Easily as Worley Wins Four Events

SENIORS OF MEDIA PRESENT FARE AS TRIP FUND BENEFIT

MEDIA, Nov. 18.—(Special)—The seniors of Media presented a fare as trip fund benefit for the seniors of the Media high school. The benefit was held at the Media high school gymnasium on Friday evening.

MEDIA TAKES FOURTH GA

SHUT OUT BLANS YESTERDAY BY A SCORE OF 26 TO 0

BI-COUNTY CAGE EVENT OPENS

Worley, Roseville, Stronghurst Win Opening Round Games

MEDIA TAKES

Worley, Roseville, Stronghurst Win Opening Round Games

MEDIA QUINTET WINS AT KIRKWOOD

MEDIA, Dec. 12.—(Special)—Media High won a 40-17 cage decision at Kirkwood last weekend, while the seconds won a 23-12 verdict. Biggsville plays here tonight, while Williamson, Iowa, coached by Eldon Gearhart, will play here Saturday.

MEDIA TAKES

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MEDIA STUDENTS HOLD TOURNEY OF SPEECH AND MUSIC

MEDIA, March 23.—(Special)—The school classes of Media held a tourney of speech and music on Friday evening. The tourney was held at the Media high school gymnasium.

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The Media Spotlight
Calendar
Friday, Sept. 1.—School opened.
Wednesday, Sept. 6 to Friday, Sept. 8.—Henderson County Fair

SEPTEMBER

- 1 School begins. First football practice.
- 7-8 Henderson County Fair. Riley receives slop. Great loss of sleep.
- 9 Alexis Fair. Media makes big showing. \$140 won.
- 11 Class organizations. Scrimmage with Avon.
- 12 Girls' Glee Club officers elected.
- 13 Cheer leaders chosen--Eileen Churchill and Helen Hartquist
- 15 Media vs Monmouth Reserves 20-0
- 18 Paddle tennis and croquet tournaments begin. Sectional agriculture meeting--Galesburg.
- 19 G. A. A. election. Pep Club rehearsal.
- 20 Dedication of Flag.
- 22 Freshmen initiated and all school party. Media vs Alexis 28-0
- 29 Media vs Western Academy 27-0. "M" Club meeting. Gipe's pig proved quite affectionate. Home Ec. girls served lunch to the boys. Voorhees injured in game.

OCTOBER

- 2 "M" club officers elected.
- 6 Media vs Blandinsville 27-0. First night game in Media's history.
- 7 Advertising trip to Monmouth.
- 9 Pilot Durbin took spill into creek. Kerr Canning school in Homemaking Center. Home Ec. girls served boys.
- 13 Institute at Galesburg--no school. Weiner roast at Ross home. Bulldogs beat Burlington 27-7. Wayne Gearhart injured. End of first six-week period.
- 15 "Danny" Holstine arrived. Election of Kings and Queens.
- 17 Parents and guardians meeting.
- 19 Miss Larson went to Chicago.
- 20 Media vs La Harpe 22-6. "M" Club all school Hallowe'en party. Miss Rensch and Miss Stone beware of ghosts! !
- 21 Ad trip to Roseville and Macomb.
- 23 Jack Brokaw fell down stairs.
- 24 Football pictures taken.
- 27 Media vs Biggsville 34-12.

NOVEMBER

- 1 Sleepy people. Hallowe'en has effects !
- 3 Media vs Roseville 13-6.
- 4 All school Carnival.
- 7 Basketball practice begins. New Library books.
- 9 Football banquet with Mr. Eliot as speaker. F. F. A. officers elected.
- 13 Annual staff organized.
- 17 Senior class play, "A Ready Made Family," presented.
- 20 "M" club initiation.
- 23 Thanksgiving vacation.
- 24 Magician here for program.
- 28 Media vs Terre Haute 29-17.

DECEMBER

- 1 Media vs Roseville 15-12.
- 5 Media vs Oquawka 37-28.
- 7 Blankenberg came to take pictures for Annual.
- 8 Media vs Kirkwood 40-17.
- 9 Senior Dance.
- 12 Media vs Biggsville 28-19. F. F. A. meeting.
- 16 Media vs Williamson, Iowa 17-21.
- 19 Media vs Burlington Reserves 38-23. Home Ec. Christmas party.
- 21 Media vs Gladstone 46-18.
- 22 Christmas holiday vacation. "M" Club Christmas party.
- 29-30 KMBS Holiday Tournament at Kirkwood. Media placed second.

JANUARY

- 3 School re-opened.
- 5 Media vs Terre Haute 43-24. Miss Stone announces marriage.
- 9 Media vs Stronghurst 35-23.
- 11-12 Semester examinations. Snowed in.
- 15 Beginning of second semester.
- 16 Media vs Biggsville 40-10.
- 17 Brief vacation--snow.
- 24-27 Bi-County Tournament, Roseville. Lightweights won Championship.
- 30 Media vs Burlington Reserves 35-13.

FEBRUARY

- 2 Media vs Kirkwood 35-32.
- 6 Media vs Oquawka 30-28.
- 9 Annual Eastern Club banquet served by Media Homemaking Department.
- 10 Media vs Roseville 31-21.
- 13 Media vs Stronghurst 44-34.
- 17 Media vs Alexis 35-33. Senior Barn Dance.
- 20 Freshman-Sophomore skating party.
- 21 Junior class play cast chosen.
- 21-24 District Tournament, Stronghurst. Media won third.
- 23 End of fourth six weeks period. Miss Rensch resigned.
- 26 Seniors won inter-class volley ball tournament.
- 27 Miss Johnson arrives.
- 28 Raritan-Media donkey basketball game.
- 29 Pauline Gearhart celebrated 4th birthday.

MARCH

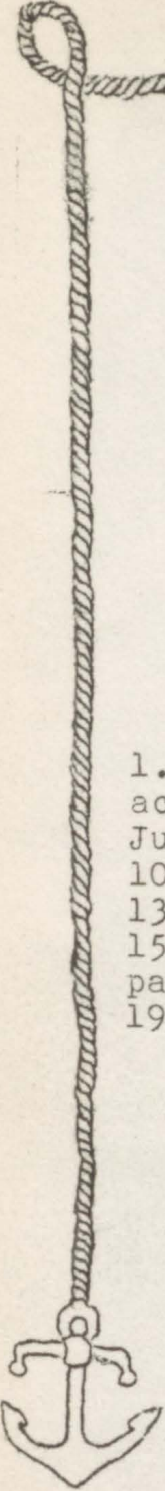
- 1 Miss Margaret Rensch and Mr. Elbert Duncan married at church wedding in Raritan.
- 4 "Little men" given.
- 5 Miss Larson and Mrs. Pogue absent.
- 15 Open house and vocational conference at Western for Seniors.
- 16 F. F. A. Banquet.
- 22 Music and Speech Inter-class Tournament. Seniors winners.
- 28 Last Home Ec. night school.
- 30 "M" Club Spring dance.

APRIL

- 1 4-H club organization meeting for Raritan and Media.
- 2 Sally Deanna Durbin arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Durbin making the faculty family fifteen in all.
- 5 Junior class play, "The Jinx". End of fifth six weeks period.
- 9 Dual Track and Field Meet with Kirkwood. Media won.
- 12 Vocational conference at Bradley College.
- 13 School board election.
- 16 Board and faculty pot-luck supper. Mr. James B. Jackson hired to fill principalship vacancy.
- 19 Senior class play, "Eighteen-Carat Boob."
- 22 Rained cats and dogs. Tournament postponed.
- 24 Music rehearsal for Bi-County Festival, Biggsville.
- 25 Oquawka-Media Track meet.
- 26 Junior-Senior banquet at Macomb.
- 27 Future Farmers' Jamboree.
- 29 Social problems and physics classes tour to Fort Madison Penitentiary and Keokuk Dam, Carthage and Nauvoo.
- 30 KMBS Track and Field Meet. Media won first, Kirkwood, second. Henderson County Music and Speech Meet, Biggsville. Media won Speech Championship trophy. Won third in Music.

MAY

- 1 Music rehearsal for Bi-county Festival, Kirkwood.
- 3 Sophomore party.
- 4 Home Economics Rally, Macomb. Military Tract Meet, Galesburg.
- 7 Henderson County Track and Field Meet, Biggsville.
- 8 Music rehearsal for Bi-county Festival, Alexis.
- 9 Bi-county Music and Literary Festival, Alexis. Helen H. won first in humorous.
- 10 Freshman class party at Donna Jeane Musser.
- 11 District Track and Field Meet, Rock Island. Worley got 2 firsts and broke one record. G. A. A. leap year party.
- 14 Thirty-second Annual Bi-county Track and Field Meet, Media. Roseville, first; Media, second.
- 18 State Track and Field Meet, Urbana.
- 19 Baccalaureate Services.
- 21-22 Semester Examinations.
- 24 Fiftieth Anniversary Commencement Exercises.
- 25 Dairy team judging at Moline and Galesburg.
- 26-June 8 Educational Senior Class Tour through eastern states and Canada.

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1. "M" Club Dance 2. "Hip" 3. Come on Eileen. 4. Ready for action 5. "Now ain't that romantic." 6. The water's fine-- Judith. 7. Paddle tennis 8. At "M" Club party 9. Snowstorm 10. Dedication of flag 11. At home 12. "The Jinx" ah no! 13. Entrance to Isle of Hawaii 14. "Ready-Make Family" 15. Now folks, it's like this. 16. Santa came to "M" Club party. 17. Between halves 18. A former King and Queen 19. After the play.



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