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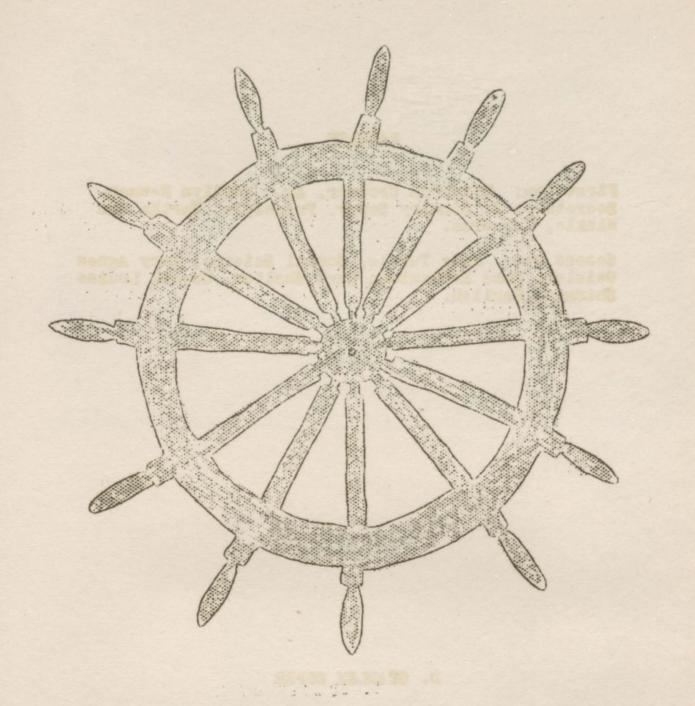
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#### DEDICATION

To the two members of the Class of 1945 who are Apprentice Seamen in the United States Navy, Russell Johnson and Emmett Sullivan, and to all alumni and former students of Media High School who are serving their country in the armed forces, this WEVER is respectfully dedicated.



FACULTY

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First Row: Leighton Cropper, Ag.; Marilyn Newman, Secretary; D. Stanley Soper, Principle; Martha Van Winkle, Commerce.

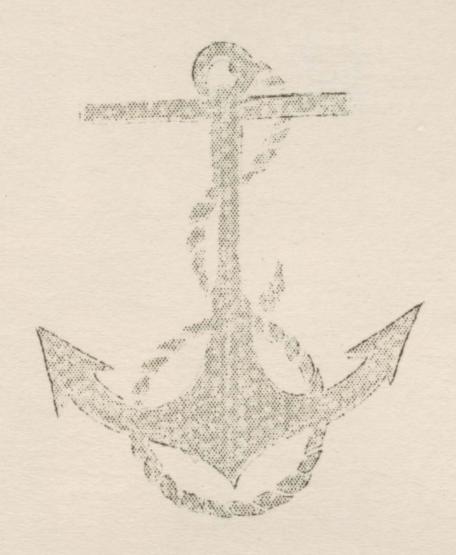
Second Row: Jane Tuttle, Social Science; Mary Agnes Geisler, Home Economics; Carl Sholton, Coach; Louise Shimmin, English.

#### D. STANLEY SOPER

Western Illinois State Teacher's College-B.E. Columbia University-M. A.







CIASSES



Marvel Boyd



Eileen Brouse



Helen Cleland



June Cletanu



Howard Erickson



Rachel Gibson



Eva Marie Harden



Jane Heap



Lila Jean Houtchens



Russell Johnson



Elizabeth Keane



Jean Lauver



Arline Lindgren



Clidean Rankin



Mary Ross



Leona Saben



Ada Slusher



William Spears



Emmett Sullivan



Katherine Vestal

#### MARVEL BOYD

Class President-1
Class Treasurer-2
G. A. A. V.Pres.-4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
G. A. A.-2,3,4
Chorus-2,3,4
Bi-County Chorus-2,3,4
Operetta-4
Trio-4
Mixed Chorus-1
Band-1
Spotlight-3
Librarian-3
Transfer, Hillsboro, Iowa-1

#### EILEEN BROUSE

Class Secretary-1
G. A. A.-2,3,4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Chorus-1,2,3,4
Bi-County Chorus-2,3,4
Operetta-1,4
Jr. Class Play

#### HELEN CLELAND

Home Ec. Treasurer-3
G. A. A.-1,2,3,4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Chorus-1,2,3,4
Bi-County Chorus-3,4
Operetta-4
Speech-1,2,3,4
Bi-County Speech Contest-3
Sr. Class Play
Carnival Skit-4
Transfer, Good Hope-1

#### JUNE CLELAND

G. A. A.-1,2,3,4 Home Ec. Club-2,3,4 Chorus-1,2,3,4 Operetta-4 Transfer, Good Hope-1

#### HOWARD ERICKSON

Class President-1
Class Treasurer-4
M Club President-4
Student Council Pres.-4
M Club V.Pres.-3
Annual Staff-1,4
Jr. Class Play
Sr. Class Play
Class King-1
Football-1,3,4
Basketball-1,2,3,4
Track-1,2,3,4

#### RACHEL GIBSON

Class President-2
G. A. A. President-3
Home Ec. Secretary-3
G. A. A. Treasurer-4
G. A. A.-2,3,4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Chorus-1,2,3
Operetta-1
Annual Staff-3,4
Spotlight-4
Jr. Class Play
Sr. Class Play
Librarian-4
Carnival Play-1
Class Queen-1

#### EVA MARIE HARDEN

Class Vice President-2,3
Home Ec. Vice-President-4
G. A. A. Secretary-4
G. A. A. Treasurer-3
G. A. A.-2,3,4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Student Council-2
Chorus-1,2,3,4
Bi-County Chorus-2,3,4
Operetta-1,4
Music Contest-1
Trio-3
Speech-3
Jr. Class Play
Sr. Class Play
Librarian-3,4
Cheerleader-2,3,4

#### JANE HEAP

G. A. A.-3,4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Chorus-1,2,3
Annual Staff-3
Jr. Class Play
Sr. Class Play
Librarian-4
Class and Carnival Queen-3

#### LILA JEAN HOUTCHENS

V. Pres. Home Ec. Club-3
President of G. A. A.-4
Asst. Sec. of G. A. A.-3
G. A. A.-2,3,4
Student Council-4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Chorus-1,2,3,4
Bi-County Chorus-4
Operetta-1,4
Editor of Spotlight-3
Jr. Class Play
Sr. Class Play
Librarian-4
Class and Carnival Queen-4

M. Club-4
F. F. A.-2
Jr. Class Play
King of Class-4
Football-1,3,4
Basketball-1,2,3,4
Track-1,2

#### ELIZABETH KEANE

Class Treasurer-1
G. A. A.-4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Chorus-1,2,3,4
Operetta-1,4
Speech-1,2,3,4
Asst. Ed. Annual Staff-4
Sr. Class Play
Carnival Skit-4

#### JEAN LAUVER

Class Secretary-3
Home Ec. President-4
G. A. A.-3,4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Chorus-1,2,3,4
Operetta-1,4
Music Contest-1
Annual Editor-3
Annual Staff-2,3
Spotlight-3,4
Jr. Class Play
Cheerleader-3
Librarian-3

#### ARLINE LINDGREN

G. A. A.-2,3,4
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Chorus-1,2,3,4
Operetta-1
Annual Staff-2
Jr. Class Play
Sr. Class Play

#### CLIDEAN RANKIN

G. A. A.-3,4 Home Ec. Club-2,3,4 Speech-3

#### MARY ROSS

Secretary Home Ec. Club-4 Secretary G. A. A .- 3 G. A. A.-2,3,4 Home Ec. Club-2,3,4 Chorus-1,2,3,4 Bi-County Chorus-1,2,3,4 Operetta-1,4 Music Contest-1 Trio-4 Speech-2,3 Editor of Annual-4 Annual Staff-3,4 Speech Contest-2 Jr. Class Play Sr. Class Play Cheerleader-3,4 Librarian-3,4

#### LEGNA SABEN

G. A. A.-4
Home Ec. Club-3,4
Chorus Pianist-4
Chorus-4
Speech-4
Transfer, Gladstone-3

#### ADA SLUSHER

Class President-4
Secretary Home Ec. Club-2
Home Ec. Club-2,3,4
Student Council-2,4
Chorus-1,2,3,4
Bi-County Chorus-2,3,4
Operetta-1,4
Trio-3,4
Annual Staff-1,2,3,4
Spotlight-3
Sr. Class Play
Librarian-3
Queen of Class-2

#### WILLIAM SPEARS

Class President-3
F. F. A. Secretary-3
F. F. A.-1,2,3
Chorus-1,2,3
Annual Staff-4
Jr. Class Play
Sr. Class Play

#### EMMETT SULLIVAN

Class Vice President-4
Class Treasurer-3
M Club Treasurer-3
M Club-2,3,4
F. F. A.-2
Student Council-4
Jr. Class Play
Class King-2
Honorary Football Capt.-4
Football-1,3,4
Basketball-1,2,3,4
Track-1,2,3

#### KATHERINE VESTAL

Home Ec. Club-2,3,4 Chorus-4 Operetta-4 Speech-4

#### CLASS OFFICERS

Lila Jean Houtchens, Howard Erickson, Emmett Sullivan, Ada Slusher

KING AND QUEEN

Russell Johnson, Lila Jean Houtchens





#### CLASS HISTORY

#### CHAPTER I

In September, 1941, Media High School opened its doors to twenty-seven new members who are commonly called "green freshies." The Sophomores made us feel welcome after a tortuous initiation. Our class officers for that year were: President, Howard Erickson; Vice-President, Donald Bricker; Secretary, Eileen Brouse; Treasurer, Elizabeth Keane. Miss Pearson was chosen as our class advisor.

Rachel Gibson and Howard Erickson represented us as candidates for King and Queen of the Carnival.

We returned the Sophomores a hobo party on the evening of November 14, 1941.

Leo Mowen, Howard Erickson, Emmett Sullivan, Donald Bricker and Russell Johnson were members of the football squad. Harry Mesecher acted as one of the managers for the team, In basket ball. R. Johnson, H. Erickson, E. Sullivan and D. Bricker took part.

The following members left the ranks of our class during this year: L. Mowen, D. Russell, G. Casteel, and G. Thomas. We gained one member, M. Boyd. So ended our Freshmen year.

#### CHAPTER II

As Sophomores we began the year with twenty-five members. We lost one member when D. Bricker transfered to Stronghurst, and June and Helen Cleland joined our ranks. Early in the year, J. Lane joined the group only to leave at the end of the first semester. Still later we gained two more with the entrance of L. Saben and R. Collinson.

Miss Welsh helped us to get organized. We elected the following officers: President, R. Gibson; Vice-President, E. M. Harden; Secretary, H. Erickson; Tressurer, M. Boyd. As it was our duty to initiate the Freshmen we gave them a hearty welcome. From the class M. Ross, A. Slusher, E. Brouse, M. Boyd, D. Burkett and E. M. Harden represented us in Bi-County Chorus. W. Spears was the only boy from our class in chorus that year.

Since we didn't have football this year we were well represented in basketball by E. Sullivan, H. Erickson and R. Johnson. Erickson and Sullivan participated in all the varsity games and they both won letters.

As King and Queen candidates of our class we chose A. Slusher and E. Sullivan, Other milestones of the year were four parties enjoyed by the class and their guests.

With the help of our advisor, Miss Welsh, we feel that this year will always be remembered.

#### CHAPTER III

Another eventful year began at M. H. S. with twenty-three Juniors enrolled. We had lost R. Collinson at the first of the year. Later on we lost D. Burkett and W. D. Vestal.

The first event of importance was election of class officers: President, W. Spears; Vice-President, E. M. Harden; Secretary, J. Lauver; Treasurer, E. Sullivan. We chose Miss Welsh again as our guide for the year.

The candidates for King and Queen were J. Heap and H. Mesecher. Heap was elected Queen of the Carnival.

Our football and basketball representatives remained the same, having improved and profited by their former experience. Letter winners were Sullivan and Erickson in football, basket-ball and track.

A new experience occurred in the lives of twelve members of our class when they appeared in the Junior Class Play "Watch Out For Spooks," under the capable direction of Miss Van Eston. The cast worked diligently for weeks and finally presented the play in Movember. Something, however, that thrilled the whole class was the arrival of our class rings on November 23.

The following girls again took part in the Bi-County chorus: M. Boyd, M. Ross, E. M. Harden, E. Brouse and H. Cleland.

On May 7th we honored the Seniors with a banduet at Hawcock's in Monmouth. The theme was Hawaiian. This concluded another year in the lives of the class of '45.

#### CHAPTER IV

The last, but not least, year of our high school career began on August 31, 1944.

A few changes have been made. We are no longer the "green Freshmen," the "silly Sophomores," or the "jolly Juniors" of our former days. Now We Are Seniors! "Dignified Seniors!" We pace the halls of our domain and look forward. Two of our members are gone. Harry Mesecher took up farming and Winifred Roche moved to Monmouth, but we still number twenty.

Our class advisor for the year was Miss Tuttle. To guide us this year we had as chief executive A. Slusher. E. Sullivan was her assistant. Her secretary was L. J. Houtchens and her treasurer, H. Erickson.

This year the Bulldogs had E. Sullivan as honorary captain of the football team. In basket-ball H. Erickson and E. Sullivan acted as co-captains. For three years past, girls of our class had shared honors with the team as yell leaders. E. M. Harden, M. Ross and J. Lauver had all taken their turns as cheerleaders.

The Seniors sponsored a dance in October with the Hallowe'en theme. Bob Polite's Rhythm Kings furnished the music. Later King and Queen candidates were chosen for the Carnival. They were L. J. Houtchens and R. Johnson. L. J. honored us by being Queen of the Carnival.

Bi-County representatives from our class were M. Boyd, E. M. Harden, L. J. Houtchens, M. Ross, E. Brouse, A. Slusher and H. Cleland.

We began practicing March 1 for the Senior Play "A Mind of Her Own," and presented it April 6.



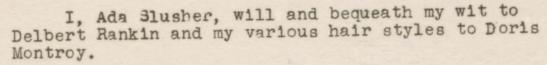
An exciting day for the Seniors was November 23, when we had our Senior Pictures taken. It brought us close, somehow, to that day when we graduated. May 18 was the eventful day, when twenty proud and happy Seniors received diplomas for four years of hard work well done!

#### CLASS WILL

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify the following to be our last will and testiment, drawn on this eighteenth day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fourty five in the city of Media, County of Henderson, State of Illinois in the United States of America. Being in reasonably sound mind we, the undersigned, do will and bequeath the following articles:

- I, Marvel Boyd, will my giggle to Maxine Thomas and my "Oh George" ditty to Mary Lee Hemminger who ought to be able to put it over.
- I, Howard Erickson, will and bequeath my gift of gab to Blocky Thomas and my conceited manners to Lyle Voorhees to set him off on a good start.
- I, Rachel Gibson, bequeath my shortness to Jennie Ann Torrance and my books on "Love" to Esther Ann Johnson.
- I, Eva Marie Harden, will my interest in the Navy to Lorna Campbell who is interested in that line herself. I leave my cheerleading ability to Ruby Davis.
- I, Russell Johnson, do hereby will the radiator in the English room to whoever needs it to put his feet on. I hope Kenny Link grows enough to put his feet on it. I leave my love of Miss Shimmin to next year's Senior Class, especially Kenny.
- I, Arline Lindgren, will my hopes for the future to Adalee Harden and my interest in Biggs-ville to Marilyn Corzatt who has a slight interest there also.
- I, Eileen Brouse, leave my interest in Stronghurst to Zoe Mathers providing she watches it closely and my good nature to Adalee Harden.

- I, Jane Heap, do hereby will and bequeath to Jane Ross, the extra "Link" in my chain, and to Shirley McNary, my figure--also my diet book.
- I, Elizabeth Keane, will my hope chest to whoever else has hopes and my collection of slang to Esther Ann Johnson;
- I, Clidean Rankin, will my collection of bright remarks to my cousin Delta and my interest in the "Wright Way of Life" to Marie Melvin.
- I, Mary Ross, will my loyalty to Media to everyone who is loyal and my Biggsville letter sweater to Bill Brokaw who can use it as he sees fit.
- I, Helen, Cleland, bequeath my wedding dress to Zoe Mathers and I hope she'll use it soon. I leave my love of school to Frank Torrance.
- I, Lila Jean Houtchens, will my "Fairview" on life to Carolyn Jane Harden and my ability to get to the bus just on time to Babe Wallace.
- I, June Cleland, will and bequeath my many dates, especially my love for a certain "Swede," to Kenny Link who also likes Swedes and my ability to see more than there is to see to Doris Montroy.
- I, William Spears, leave my Blonde from Smithshire to anyone who likes blondes and my lame brain to "Bird-Brain" White.
- I, Emmett Sullivan, will my interest in cheerleaders to "Potty" White who also has interest in cheerleaders here and there. I leave my big feet to Pat Keane whose chances of equalling my record are improving.
- I, Leona Saben, do hereby will my liking for Sophomore boys to Lois Ann Brouse who also likes them. I leave my slow talking to "Doc" Mesecher who talks too fest.



I, Jean Lauver, will my Air Corps Cadet to whoever wants him and my typing ability to Dick Palmer who might send it to his brother "Jim".

I, Kathryn Vestal, will my "Bulldog" determination to John Hobart Spears and my quietness to Martha Jean Neff who can use it.

We, as a class do not will anything to the faculty, underclasses, or the janitor. They will long remember us as it is.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered the Senior Class of "45" Media High School.

It was a dark and gloomy morning as Elizabeth and I gathered together ourselves and our baggage and started on our much publicized U. S. O. tour of army camps abroad. We were accompanying Sing Crosbey's outfit as entertainers—Elizabeth using her "hoochie coochie" art and I as lady sword swallower. We left for destination unknown (we thought it better not to prewarn them) on a B-29, but encountered a little trouble along the way and crashed over Trinadad.

During our stay there--mostly at the hospital-we met one of our old classmates of Media High, who
hearing the song "Rum and Coca Cola," had decided
Trinadad held possibilities and had chartered a plane
and taken off post haste. He doesn't want us to disclose his name here so----P. S. It was William Spears.

Fully recovered, we took off from where we left off and again headed for destination unknown. When we finally landed at a muddy airfield far from civilization, we found we were to entertain the boys of North Africa. Immediately, we got ready to put on our show. The crowd was collecting and soon reached countless numbers being fully 3,000 strong. Our show was a huge success and we were surprised to find another classmate, Ada Slusher, doing a noble task as an army nurse.

After fully explaining my art of sword swallowing to her, we prepared to take off for our next show. We were delayed by great excitement on the field and soon afterward a Navy plane swooped in for a landing. It had been caught off the coast in a atorm and came in to land because of lack of gas. When we saw the name "Little Eva" painted on her nose we suspicioned immediately who her pilot must be. We were right as it was Emmett Sullivan who unfolded his long frame from the cockpit and greeted us. When questioned he finally told us his plane's namesake was waiting at home keeping house for their two fine sons. You readers will remember her as Eva Marie Harden.

Since nothing now delayed us, we started off again in our special plane. A number of miles had been covered when the pilot in great excitement informed us an unidentified plane was approaching and to fix our parachutes. We were both frightened and

amazed when the plane dipped under us and drew along side with the pilot yelling and waving wildy. We saw that it was none other than Howard Erickson, our old classmate. By radio we informed him of our mission and he decided to accompany us to our next destination as he expressed it "our fame had spread far and wide-mostly wide."

We wondered how he could have known it was us and then we remembered our ship was a special plane and had our names painted on it. And as Red also wanted to look up some of his old girl friends, he flew alongside. We didn't dare ask him how he was going to explain his absence, but then Red always did have a gift of gab.

Without further trouble we arrived in Alaska. The boys there were mad about us. We almost drove them nuts with our shows, but they hadn't seen women for so long they didn't mind. It was so cold icidles froze on Elizabeth's grass skirt and my swords became coated with ice making them much easier to swallow. We went into an igloo to thaw out when who should come crawling into it to see us but Clidean Rankin who was a teacher among the Eskimos. She said furs did something for her figure so she was making Alaska her permanent home. Kathryn Vestal was her helpful assistant.

We decided to leave the Eskimos to them and we boarded our plane and left Alaska post-haste. By the way, Howard decided Alaska was just the place for him and decided to wire his base for permission to stay. By some hook or crook he managed to convince his commanding officer to transfer him and we left him there, eating whale blubber and winking at an Eskimo girl.

We continued on our tour, our next stop being England. It was such a foggy day that we arrived very quietly without attracting attention. That evening, no show being scheduled, we attended the cinema where the show "Edmund Strikes Again" or "My Lost Love" or I Want Him Back Again" starring Edwina Wallace. We were immediately startled to find Edwina was none other than our old classmate, June Cleland.

The next day we looked her up in the Hollywood of London and spent the entire afternoon in her

luxurious apartments. She told us she was accompanied by her maid who was making her fame as a concert pianist on the side. She was none other than Leona Saben and when called in was very glad to see us. While we were reminiscing, she told us Helen was still in the States raising a brood of small Carlsons and being a good wife to a big Carlson. She was very happy and didn't envy her sister's fame as a British film star.

Because of a huge bombing raid over Germany which left the boys of London in no mood for a show, we left as scheduled the next night wintout presenting our acts. Paris was the next stop for our troupe and Sing Grosbey sang "The Last Time I Saw Paris" very appropriately as we marched through the streets. We had a terrific welcome and were made comfortable in a hotel in the heart of the city.

While attending one of Paris's famous side walk cafes that night we encountered in the shadows of a stone wall a very familiar figure. It was Russell Johnson who told us in strictest confidence he was now the head of the French Underground, but because it had become known, he had to go out only at night as there were still a few German sympathizers in Paris. He had become a Nazi prisoner when his ship had been torpedoed and he had been picked up by a German submarine. He could not give us the details of his escape but he could tell us that because of his heroic work in helping comrades to escape had been given command of the entire French Underground. Because he was endangering the work of the underground by becoming known as the leader of it, he had relinquished his position to another American who had proved herself capable of such a responsibility. We can now release the fact that Rusty's follower to Supreme Command was Marvel Boyd whose "Old George" had become the password of all those escaping from Germany.

After our little talk, Rusty melted away in the shadows and was lost to sight. All the luck in the world, had it been ours to give, would have been extended to Rusty at that moment.

The next day we left for Africa, the Dark Continent. There we were taken to the very smallest

out posts to do shows for men who had been without entertainment for months. In one of these places we ran into Commander C. Link whose wife, the former Jane Heap, had stowed away on a boat, eluded the customs officers and joined her husband in Africa. After our show she invited us to tea, and we caught up on all the African gossip. She told about a few of our classmates of whom we had lost tract: Rachel Gibson, who had married a farmer, was concentrated on all out production for the war effort. Jean Lauver had married an army cadet and was climbing the "Hills" of California to be near him, another classmate who had chosen the path of matrimony was Lila Jean Houtchens who was living in Fairview helping her husband run his huge farm and rearing their two children. We would have liked to have stayed longer, but our ship was scheduled to leave the next morning. So we turned in for the night.

Next morning we were up early and in the gray dawn our take off was perfect. The next night we landed in Italy where we ran into a former Stronghurst boy who told us that his wife, Eileen Brouse, was living in Stronghurst taking care of the three little Cargills. After doing our show we boarded our plane to go to the good old United States. We arrived in San Francisco and were immediately rushed to Hollywood to do a movie version of our tour with Sing Crosbey and Hob Bope. It was called "All Roads Lead to Biggsville and Stronghurst". After the completion of our picture the following item appeared in the "Hollywood Gazette:"

"Two movie actresses, Elizabeth Keane and Mary Ross, who have just completed a movie version of their U. S. O. tours, left this morning on the Chief for Biggsville and Stronghurst."

So our trip had a happy ending. Elizabeth was met at the station in Stronghurst by the former Eileen Brouse and I took a bus to Biggsville where a station wagon bearing the name "Larson Farms" and driven by the former Arlene Lindgren took me to a certain farm south of Biggsville where I took up where I had left off and started raising little rose "buds."

### SENIORS

Name	Ambition	Nickname	Favorite Song	Saying
Boyd	Several	"Murviel"	There Goes That Song Again	"By Golly"
Brouse	Housewife	"Brousie"	A Little On The Lonely Side	"Oh Sugar"
Cleland, H.	Housewife	"Toot"	Lets Bring New Glory to Old Glory	
Cleland, J.	Housew1fe	"Cleland"	Girl of My Dreams	"oh Sugar"
Erickson	To be a rich lawyer		My Dreams Are Getting Retter All The Time	
Gibson	Housewife	"Babe"	A Little On The Lonely Side	
Harden	Housewife	"Harden"	Pell Bottom Trousers	"Oh Pooh"
Неар	Housewife	"Janie"	A Fellow On a Furlough	"Nuts"
Houtchens	Farmer's Secretary	"Jeannie"	A Little On The Lonely Side	"Boy"
Johnson	To be a Navy Officer			e"One Chance in a Million"

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Keane	Housewife	"L1z"	Goodnight "Shadrach" Wherever you Are
Lauver	Secretary	"Jeanne"	I Had a "Gee Whiz" Little Talk With the Lord
Lindgren	To go abroad	"Lindy"	A Little On "Nuts" The Lonely Side
Rankin	Teacher	"Pete"	San Frenando"Is That So" Valley
Ross	Several	"Ish"	Don't Take "Oh Cry" Your Love From Me
Saben	Pianist	"Saben"	Whispering "Jeepers Creepers"
Slusher	Nurse	"Slush"	Twilight "Shoot a rabbit"
Spears	Good Farmer	"Bill- William"	Don't Fence Me In
Sullivan	Naval Engineer	"Sully"	Together "Naturally"
Vestal	Secretary	"Kate"	There will "Gosh" be a Hot Time in the Town of Berlin

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#### SENIOR CLASS PLAY

#### " A MIND OF HER OWN"

Comedy in Three Acts by Anne Ferring Weatherly

Cast of Characters:

Jim Bartlett
Delia Bartlett
Bunny Bartlett
Tommie Bartlett
Nettie Bartlett
Lizzie
Jessica Atwood
Delphine Lindley
Steve Henderson
Hugh Randall
Carol Russell
Miss Flora Fenwick
Mrs. Phelps

Business Manager Stage Manager Properties Costumes Makeup Lighting Publicity Howard Erickson
Elizabeth Keane
Rachel Gibson
Kenny Link
Ada Slusher
Arline Lindgren
Mary Ross
Eva Marie Harden
Jim White
William Spears
Jane Heap
Lila Houtchens
Helen Cleland

Jean Lauver
June Cleland
Marvel Boyd
Eileen Brouse
Leona Saben
Katherine Vestal
Clidean Rankin

The scene of the play is at the Bartlett's summer cottage. Two of Bunny's friends, Delphine and Jessica, visit the family while they are there. Jessica is a very dramatic person who likes to cause trouble. During her short visit she tells Carol Russell that Tommie is only fourteen. Bunny believes her friend Jessica when she tells her Mr. Bartlett is bankrupt. This causes him to lose his chance of doing big things with the contractor, who turns out to be the contractor's wife, Mrs. Phelps. Steve Henderson, Bunny's boy friend, is coaxed into one of Jessica's schemes so that Bunny thinks he and Jessica are in love.

Finally, to top them all Jessica dresses in Bunny's costume and goes with Hugh Randall to the Club. Bunny sits at home all evening wondering where Hugh is. Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett come home to find Bunny asleep in the living room. They are worried about her because she hasn't come to the Club. Soon Jessica's schemes are discovered and Bunny doesn't forgive her. At the end Steve and Bunny make up and Mr. Bartlett gets his contract for the government job.

Miss Tuttle did an excellent job of directing the play.

#### SENIOR CLASS POEM

To start out with what we're going to write, We use our President as our guiding light; Turn on the brain work--you can not hush her, She's plenty smart--this Ada Slusher.

But there's another who is not lacking, His themes in English can send you packing; A farmer boy free from fears, None other than our William Spears.

Roseville steps into our class
Ask Lila Jean, she's as likely lass;
Liles Roseville boys--that is to say
Who come to visit--just can't stay away.

Another school we might mention here
Who houses someone to Howard very dear
Is Stronghurst--but we won't go into that;
We'll just let Red give "Casey At The Bat."

Apprentice seamen-in our Navy now

Are Rusty and Emmett who have made their yow

To serve their country as long as need be,

They'll do a good job--just wait and see.

And so we deem it best to mention now Emmett's constnat companion-and How! It can be no other than Eva Marie, They are a steady twosome as you can see.

And now for Jume who is always busy Comparing her man with Helen's and Lizzy's; We hope they all will get married someday, That they are well started is all we can say.

Jean and Leona may someday gain fame
And though they may not, they should just the same.
Music's their specialty, these pianists two,
They're bound to be good whatever they do.

She's all our for soldiers—we understand why, And maybe his absence is what makes her sigh; Someday she's bound to take that leap, We're happy to say it's our own Jane Heap.

Farmers from Biggsville are represented, too, For Mary Ross likes one--oh, so true!
Mary will sing later tonight,
The exit is this way--please don't fight.

Katherine and Clidean are two of a kind,
They disagree, they argue, they fight all the time;
We are happy to say that above isn't true
They are peaceful and quiet -- we were just kidding you.

The joker and cutup of the '45 croud
Is Marvel Boyd-her feet on the ground, her head in
the clouds.
She's happy and carefree and loads of fun,
Of all those who like her-well here's one!

A ring on her finger, and bells on her toes. And for one Bob Neff she really goes; Rachel is blond of hair and has blue eyes. She couldn't be other than nive if she tried.

Last but not least we have here tonight Lindy and Brouse, their smiles gay and bright; Seniors together and friends always too, We like them well and so would you!

And so go the pupils of '45
Trustworthy and friendly, willing to strive;
Together they stand, they never will fall
The Seniors of '45 have it all on the ball!!

Mary Ross Howard Erickson

## COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

## Media High School

## May 18, 1945

ProcessionalEsther Ann Johnson
Invocation
Vocal Selection
Address
Vocal Selection
Presentation of Class
Presentation of DiplomasWaldo M. Erickson Pres. Board of Education
Benediction
Recessional

## BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM

# Media High School

# May 13, 1945

Processional	Esther Ann Johnson
"America"	Audience
Invocation	Rev. A. L. Steinfeldt
"Finlandia"	Girl's Chorus
Address	v. Kenneth H. Hesselink
"Prayer Perfect"	Stevenson Girl's Trio
Benediction	Rev. A. L. Steinfeldt
Recessional	Esther Ann Johnson

#### JUNIOR CLASS

First Row: Dick Gibson, Shirley McNary, Jim White, Lorna Campbell, Miss Shimmin.

Second Row: Alice Casteel, Jean Rankin, Mary Lee Hemminger, Esther Ann Johnson, Zoe Mathers.

Third Row: Martha Jean Neff, Kenny Link, Ray Musser, Pat Keane, Marie Melvin.

Fourth Row: Marilyn Corzatt, Delta Pearl Rankin, Shirley Hallberg, Jennie Ann Torrance, Betty Steinfeldt, Adalee Harden.

CLASS OFFICERS

Standard ....

CLASS KING

Jim White, President Shirley McNary, Vice-Pres. Lorna Campbell, Secretary Dick Gibson, Treasurer

Jim White







#### THE JUNIOR CLASS

We, the Juniors, having slowly struggled up to the year 1945, "eagerly" began school with twentytwo members, having admitted a new student, Betty Steinfeldt, by name. About mid-year we were sorry to lose Ruby Wright, who moved away.

We enthusiastically elected the following executive staff:

Jim White. . . . . . . . . . . . President
Shirley McNary. . . . . . . Vice-President
Dick Gibson. . . . . . . . . . . . . Treasurer
Lorna Campbell. . . . . . . . . Secretary

All four of these students were representatives on the Student Council. We also elected Miss Shimmin as our advisor.

One of the outstanding events of the year was the school carnival where we sponsored the side shows and where our Jim White was crowned King. Ruby Wright was the Queen of our class and an attendant to the Queen of the Carnival.

For entertainment it was the Junior class that sponsored the first juke box dance in the history of the school. For the class play we selected "Here Comes Charlie", a comedy concerning the transition of two mountaineers into "real society folk".

The Juniors were well represented in all the school clubs, as there were two boys in F.F.A. and four in the "M" Club. Fourteen girls participated in G.A.A. and sixteen were in the Weaverettes. Pat Keane was our crooner in the Bi-County Music Contest.

We are also very proud of the good job done by Jim White, Kenny Link and Ray Musser on the Varsity team with Dick Gibson as a substitute.

On May 4th; at the Burlington Hotel, Burlington, Iowa, we honored our beloved Seniors at the Junior and Senior Banquet.

It has been a very eventful year for us, and as we separate until the beginning of another school year, we thank you, Media High, for the progress we have made, and the glory which we have attained, because of your loyal support.

#### "HERE COMES CHARLIE"

Cast

Uncle Alec Twigs
Charlotte Hopps
Larry Elliot
Mrs. Carolyn Smythe-Kersey
Mortimer Smythe-Kersey
Vivian Smythe-Kersey
Mrs. Farnham
Ted Hartley
Tim McGrill
Nora Malone

Jim White
Lorna Campbell
Ray Musser
Adalee Harden
Dick Gibson
Betty Stienfeldt
Marilyn Corzatt
Kenny Link
Pat Keane
Marie Melvin

Director: Miss Shimmin.
Assistant Director: Martha Jean Neff.
Property Crew: Alice Casteel, Jennie Ann Torrance,
Jean Rankin, Shirley Halberg.
Stage Crew: Esther Ann Johnson, Delta Pearl Rankin,
Ruby Wright.
Business: Shirley Halberg and Zoe Mathers.

The mountaineer, Charolotte (Charlie) and her Uncle Alec, came to visit her recently deceased father's friend, Larry Elliot. Charlie came believing Larry to be much older, but was near the same age.

The rich, citified Mrs. Smythe-Kersey, Mortimer and Vivian came to see Larry, as Vivian and Larry were to be married in the near future. It was discovered by the hilarious antics of Uncle Alec, that the motive of Mrs. Smythe-Kersey wanting her daughter married to Larry was the need of some of Larry's fortune.

Uncle Alec help's Charlie to show them she can be dignified, too. Larry falls in love with Charlie, and leaves Vivian to her mothers' care.

#### SOPHOMORE CLASS

First Row: Edward Slusher, Joe Hess, Marjorie Livermore, Kenneth Davis and Martha Van Winkle.

Second Row: Doris Montroy, Betty Hendrickson, Ruby Davis, Katherine Lant and Louise Link.

Third Row: Frank Torrance, Tom Hilton, Waldine Wallace, Ralph Mowen and Dean Mesecher.

Fourth Row: James Cook, Lawrence Lawyer, Dale Cleland, Dick Sullivan and William Brokaw.

KING

CLASS OFFICERS

Tom Hilton

Marjorie Livermore Edward Slusher Kenneth Davis Joe Hess







# SOPHOMORE CLASS

When August 28th came our Sophomore class found it had eighteen members--Betty Hendrickson and Bill Brokaw having been added to our ranks.

At the first class meeting we held the election of class officers. Marjorie Livermore was chosen President; James Hess as Vice-President; Kenneth Davis as Secretary; and Edward Slusher as Treasurer. Miss Van Winkle was chosen advisor.

On the gridiron Mowen, Brokaw, Hilten, Sullivan, Lawyer and Torrance were very active. Mowen and Lawyer received letters for their exceptionally good work in the games.

Freshman Night! Yes, it was quite a day and night for the Freshmen. The Sophomores gave them a very rousing greeting. They had to wear cute costumes, and that night we sponsored an all school party in which the Freshmen again were brunt of all fun.

The F.F.A. Banquet was next in line. The fellows of our class, and those others who belonged, entertained our parents. Those who belong from our class are Torrance, Mowen, Brokaw, Sullivan, Lawyer, Hilten and Cook.

When the Carnival time came we chose Betty Hendrickson and Tommy Hilten as candidates for King and Queen. Our highest hopes were not rewarded however, -----those Seniors again!

The basketball season rolled around and found all the fellows in our class out for this sport. A very nice showing they made for themselves too, with Dick Sullivan winning a letter for his outstanding playing in the Stronghurst game which incidently we won!

To get a little more recreation we decided to hold a party. We each invited a guest and entertained them here at the High School. This turned out to be a big success.

In March we found that we had lost one of our members. It was Betty Magee who had moved to Gladstone. Thus the Sophomores ended a very educational and eventful year. We hope! Well it was eventful anyway!

# FRESHMAN CLASS

First Row: Mary Mowen, Romona Torrance, Jane Ross, Helen Lauver and Mary Agnes Geisler.

Second Row: Lois Ann Brouse, Clidean Sparrow, Delores Rothzen, Caroline Jane Harden, Phyllis Lant and Maxine Thomas.

Third Row: John Hobert Spears, Donald Johnson, Dick Palmer, Max Thomas and Richard Blender.

Fourth Row: Leon Hallberg, Delbert Rankin, Richard Gunter, Donald Cleland and Lyle Voorhees.

QUEEN and KING

CLASS OFFICERS

Jane Ross Max Thomas Helen Lauver
Jane Ross
Mary Mowen
Ramona Torrance







#### FRESHMAN CLASS

The Freshman Class entered Media High School with twenty-three members. As our advisor we chose Miss Geisler, the Home Economics teacher, and as our officers: Jane Ross, President; Ramona Torrance, Vice-President; Helen Lauver, Secretary; and Mary Mowen, Treasurer.

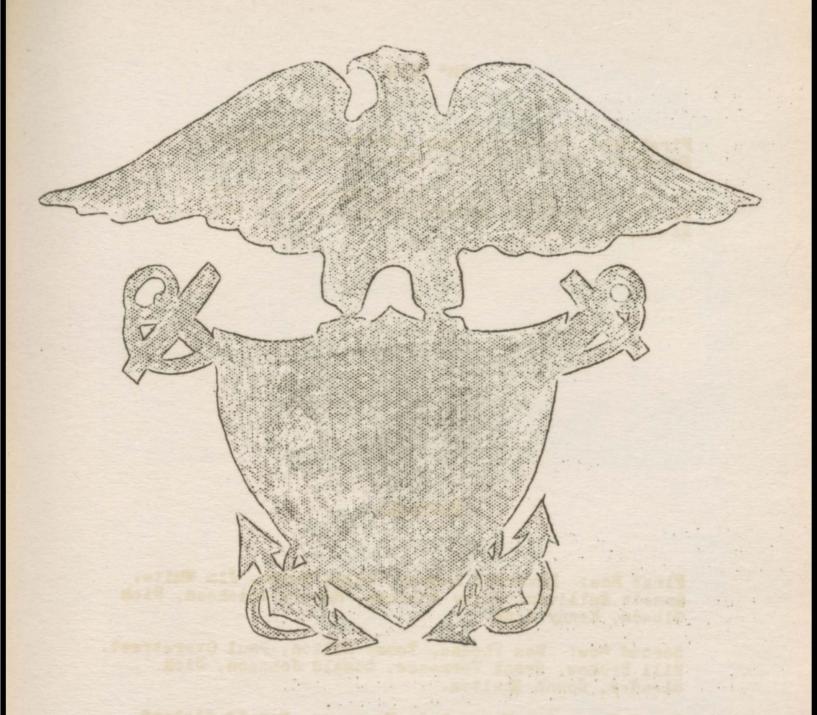
Although we were new here, we were not left out of social gatherings, for not long after school started the Sophomores gave us a party. The girls wore pajamas and their hair straight while the boys wore dresses and ribbons in their hair. We were made to do various stunts, but we all had a good time. In time we returned the Sophomores party with a weiner roast out on the school farm.

Before the carnival, the class chose Max Thomas and Jane Ross to represent their class as King and Queen.

Most of the class took part in the school activities. Girls and boys took part in Chorus. We were happy to have John Spears from our class in Bi-County Chorus. Several of the boys took part in basket ball, and Dick Blender and Lyle Voorhees played on the Varsity team as Substitutes.

During the year we lost four members: Odell Lawhorn, our former Vice-President, (whose place was taken by Ramona Torrance), Buck Lawharn, Paul Overstreet, and Lyle Wright. At the beginning of the second semester we gained two new members; Clydine Sparrow and Bobby Hull.

So this ends our first year at Media High School, and we, as the Freshman Class, are looking forward to our Sophomore year.



SPORTS

## "M" CLUB

First Row: Rusty Johnson, Ray Musser, Howard Erickson, Coach Shelton, Emmett Sullivan.

Second Row: Kenny Link, Dick Gibson, Delbert Rankin, Jim White, Lawrence Lawyer, Ralph Lee Mowen, Joe Hess.

# FOOTBALL

First Row: Lawrence Lawyer, Ralph Mowen, Jim White, Emmett Sullivan, Rusty Johnson, Howard Erickson, Dick Gibson, Kenny Link.

Second Row: Max Thomas, Tommy Hilton, Paul Overstreet, Bill Brokaw, Frank Torrance, Donald Johnson, Dick Blender, Coach Shelton.

Third Row: Joe Hess, Lyle Voorhees, Donald Cleland, Dick Sullivan, Dick Palmer, Manager, Ray Musser.





#### FOOTBALL-1944

On September 1st Coach Shelton issued a call for football boys, and 19 responded. Five of these were lettermen from last year's squad. They were E. Sullivan, J. White, D. Gibson, R. Mowen and H. Erickson. These boys, along with R. Johnson, composed the line-up for the six man game. The team had a successful season, winning six games after losing the first one to Orion. E. Sullivan was elected honorary captain at the end of the season. The team manager was James Hess.

WE		THEY
12	Orion	52
2	Atkinson (Forfeit)	0
28	Corpus Christi	12
42	Table Grove	6
24	Corpus Christi	20
12	Stronghurst	0
48	Table Grove	28

The lettermen this year were: Erickson, E. Sullivan, Johnson, White, Gibson, Mowen and Lawyer.

The second team was composed of Link, Thomas, Hilton, Voorhees, Blender, D. Sullivan, Donald Cleland, Brokaw, D. Johnson, Overstreet, Palmer and Torrance.

This was the second year that 6-man football was tried here in Media. The attendance was increased a great deal over the games at home last year.

Two parties were held for the football boys. One by the cheerleaders, Mary Ross and Eva Harden, at the Ross home, and a banquet at the Home Ec. Building by the Senior girls. The football members and the faculty were present at both of these.

# "M" CLUB

The six "M" CLUB members, Erickson, E. Sullivan, White, Mowen, Gibson, and Musser, began this year by electing as president of the organization Howard Erickson and secretary-treasurer, Ray Musser. At initiation five more members were gained. They were Lawyer, Link, Johnson, Hess, and Rankin.

The Annual "M" Club Banquet was held at Hotel Lamoine, Macomb, Illinois on February 24. Nine members, their guests and the faculty were in attendance. After the dinner a short meeting was held at which letters for the year were awarded and then the group adjourned to a movie.

Following the usual custom, the "M" Club sponsored the bingo stand at the Carnival.

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# VARSITY TEAM

Kenneth Link, Ray Musser, Jim White, Emmett Sullivan, Rusty Johnson, Dick Sullivan, Howard Erickson, and Coach Shelton.

#### RESERVE TEAM

First Row: Pat Keane, Tom Hilton, Donald Johnson, Ralph Mowen, Dick Gibson, Dick Palmer, Joe Hess, Dick Blender.

Second Row: Frank Torrance, Lyle Voorhees, Lawrence Lawyer, Dale Cleland, Coach Shelton, Edward Slusher, Kenneth Davis, Donald Cleland, and James Cook.





# BASKETBALL INDIVIDUALS



# EMMETT SULLIVAN

"Sully" was our serious threat as a rebound man this year. He was always able to make a good share of the points. His ability to get the ball and come through out of tight spots was spectacular. Very nice work "Sully."

#### HOWARD ERICKSON

"Red" too came through in fine shape this year, and always managed to get his share of the points. His amazing luck at long shots kept many a basketball fan spellbound during a game. You did all right "Red."

## RUSSELL JOHNSON

"Rusty", another senior, gave plenty of support to the squad. He went in and played a good game. He wasn't a high-scorer, but he was always ready for defense. Three cheers for you, "Rusty."

# KENNETH LINK

"Pickle", though a "Tiny Atom", really gave speed to our team. Without him and his own special brand of playing we wouldn't have gone as far as we did. He's the only one yet we've seen who could throw the ball and manage somehow to be on the other side of the gym to get the rebound. We're planning on you next year Kenny.

#### JAMES WHITE

"Big Jim", "Little Abner", or "Potty", whatever we call him, really showed us this year that he was just made for a ball player. He will be a great assest to our team next year. Here's saying that we're proud of you Jim.

#### RAY MUSSER

"Mus" proved himself an efficient ball-handler. He showed us that he really could take it and he did. We'll be seeing you on the floor all the time next year "Mus."

## BASKETBALL 1944-45

The 1944-45 basketball season was a blazing success for Media. After winning the District Tournament, the team had a record of 20 wins and 7 losses. They lost only one game on the home floor during the entire year. The Bulldogs were conquered by only three teams: Stronghurst, Roseville, and Corpus Christi. The hi-light of the season was the 37-33 victory over Stronghurst for the District Title.

WE		THEY
13	Roseville	14
37	Alexis	20
25	Oquawka	21
45	Burlington Sophmores	34
45	Terre Haute	31
38	Stronghurst K.M.B.S. TOURNAMENT	52
38	Kirkwood	27
22	Stronghurst	30
	CORPUS CHRISTI INVITATIONAL	
31	Atkinson	25
31	Corpus Christi	43
62	Oquawka	17
44	Kirkwood	31
46	Biggsville	27
50	Kirkwood	25
	BI-COUNTY	
44	Alexis	18
47	Biggsville	33
36	Roseville	46
22	Burlington Sophmores	21
62	Oneida	51
55	Terre Haute	46
25	Stronghurst	31
34	Biggsville	23

	DISTRICT TOURNAMENT	
34	Blandinsville	26
38	Kirkwood	27
37	Stronghurst	33
	REGIONAL TOURNAMENT	
37	Bushnell	34
37	Roseville	43

Lettermen this year were Erickson, E. Sullivan, Johnson, White, Link, Musser and Dick Sullivan.

The second team was composed of Mowen, Davis, D. Cleland, Lawyer, Hilton, Voorhees, Blender, Palmer, Donald Cleland, Gibson, Hess, Cook, Keane, Slusher, Torrance, and D. Johnson.

Our varsity this year was the first team that had been in the Regional Tournament, from Media, since the team of '39. During the year they placed second in the K.M.B.S., second in the varsity division of Bi-County and first in the District Tournament.

Two members of the team, E. Sullivan and Russell Johnson, have enlisted in the Navy and left shortly before school was out. They were both Seniors and mainstays of the team.

The entire team was honored at a party held March 22, at the gym. The party was held by Eva Harden and Mary Ross, who were the two cheerleaders for the year.

The letter winners were given their letters at the M Club Banquet.

High Scorer for the year was Sullivan, who scored 515 points during the season. The rest of the team scored as follows:

Erickson	281
Johnson	46
Musser	37
White	92
Link	60

# TRACK 1945

Track practice began the last week of March for eighteen boys. They were:

Emmett Sullivan
Howard Erickson
James White
Richard Gibson
Kenneth Link
Ray Musser
Pat Keane
William Brokaw
Lawrence Lawyer

Dale Cleland
Ralph Mowen
Edward Slusher
Kenneth Davis
Richard Blender
Lyle Voorhees
Leon Hallberg
Richard Palmer
Donald Cleland

Six meets were scheduled for this season, all at Media, except the Bi-County held at Monmouth College Field, and the District Track Meet. They were:

- Apr. 5 Triangular Meet-Stronghurst, Oquawka and Media--at Media.
- Apr. 12 Triangular Meet-Kirkwood, Blandinaville and Media--at Media.
- Apr. 20 K. M. B. S. Meet -- at Media.
- Apr. 26 Bi-County Meet -- at Monmouth College.
- May 3 Henderson County Meet -- at Media.
- May 11 District Meet-at either MaComb or Monmouth.

In the first meet Oquawka and Media tied and . Stronghurst came in second.

On April 12, Media won over both Blandinsville and Kirkwood.

# G. &. A.

First Row: Rachel Gibson, Marvel Boyd, Lila Jean Houtchens, Eva Marie Harden, Miss Shimmin.

Second Row: Louise Link, Lorna Campbell, Marie Melvin, Alice Casteel, Esther Johnson, Zoe Mathers, Clidean Rankin.

Third Row: Jean Lauver, Kathyrn Lant, Leona Saben, Betty Hendrickson, Mary Lee Hemminger, Eileen Brouse, Ruby Davis.

Fourth Row: Marjorie Livermore, Marilyn Corzatt, Helen Cleland, Delta Pearl Rankin, Jane Heap, Martha Jean Neff, Jean Rankin.

Fifth Row: Adelee Harden, Arline Lindgren, Mary Ross, Jennie Torrance, Elizabeth Keane, Shirley Hallberg, June Cleland, Waldine Wallace.

# CHEERLEADERS

Eva Marie Harden, Mary Ross.





## G. A. A.

The G. A. A. held its first meeting in September and elected the following officers for the year.

President Vice-President Secretary Treasurer Lila Jean Houtchens Marvel Boyd Eva Marie Harden Rachel Gibson

We had a Chile Supper October 19 at the Home Economics Center and initiated the new members who were: Leona Saben, Delta Pearl Rankin, Elizabeth Keane, Esther Ann Johnson, Ruby Davis, Kathyrn Lant, Alice Casteel, Louise Link, Marjorie Livermore, and Betty Hendrickson.

The G. A. A. had a Christmas Party with the Home Economics Club December 18 at the Home Economics Center.

G. A. A. members took part in the Illinois League Basketball Throwing Contest and sponsored inter-class basketball games.

Active members are Lila Jean Houtchens, Marvel Boyd, Eva Marie Harden, Rachel Gibson, Jane Heap, Arline Lindgren, Eileen Brouse, Mary Esther Ross, Martha Jean Neff, Jean Rankin, Clidean Rankin, Jennie Ann Torrance, Shirley Hallberg, Jean Lauver, June Cleland, Helen Cleland, Marie Melvin, Waldeen Wallace, Zoe Mathers, Mary Lee Hemminger, Marilyn Corzatt, Adalee Harden, Lorna Campbell, Leona Saben, Delta Pearl Rankin, Elizabeth Keane, Esther Ann Johnson, Kathyrn Lant, Ruby Davis, Alice Casteel, Louise Link, Betty Hendrickson, and Marjorie Livermore.



CIUBS

# F. F. A.

First Row: Tom Hilton, Pet Keane, James Cook, Ray Musser, Lawrence Lawyer, Dean Mesecher, and Mr. Cropper.

Second Row: Frenk Torrence, Dick Palmer, Delbert Renkin, Dick Sullivan, and Max Thomas.

Third Row: John Spears, Ralph Mowen, Bill Brokaw, Leon Hallberg, Donald Johnson, and Dick Blender.

AG. WORKSHOP





# F. F. A. REPORT

The Agriculture department organized at the first meeting of the Future Farmers Organization. We chose as officers:

Ray Musser
Jim Cook
Sandy Lawyer
Tom Hilten
Pat Keane
Frank Torrance
Dean Mesecher
Mr. Cropper

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Reporter
Asst. Reporter
Watch Dog
Advisor

During our first few meetings we began learning Parliamentary Procedure and also to organize for our coming year. We finally decided to make a "Program of Work" for the year; this we would plan and then try to carry out.

About the first real activity of our club was to send our officers to Monmouth to an Officer Meeting of Section Seven. Later on February 21st Pat Keane and Jimmy Cook were delegates to another Sectional meeting at Monmouth.

At the carnival we sold chances on a purebred Hampshire Gilt. The money we received on this went for the F. F. A. Banquet.

After the carnival came the F. F. A. Parent-Son Banquet. We had some special music from the Aledo Chapter. Also at this meeting we made Wilbur Anderson an honorary member because of the fine things he had done for our department.

At the Aledo Fair the F. F. A. boys showed the following things.

Harry Mesecher
Mr. Cropper dairy cows
Harry Mesecher hogs
Dean Mesecher
Jim Cook
Pat Keane
Ralph Mowen
Ray Musser

For about eight weeks, under the supervision of Mr. Cropper, there was a welding course held for all who were interested. Another special project in this club was sheep shearing.

The members of our organization are as follow:

Ray Musser
Pat Keane
Delbert Rankin
Dean Mesecher
Sandy Lawyer
Dick Sullivan
Ralph Mowen
Tommy Hilten

Frank Torrance
Bill Brokaw

Jim Cook
Dick Palmer
Richard Blender
Leon Halberg
John Spears
Max Thomas

Donald Johnson

# HOME ECONOMICS CENTER

# WEAVERETTES

First Row: Eva Marie Harden, Mary Esther Ross, Jean Lauver, Adalee Harden, Miss Geisler.

Second Row: Esther Ann Johnson, Clidean Rankin, Maxine Thomas, Lois Ann Brouse, Marjorie Livermore, Louise Link, Zoe Mathers, Helen Lauver.

Third Row: Lorna Campbell, Rachel Gibson, Doris Montroy, Betty Hendrickson, Katherine Lant, Clydine Sparrow, Shirley McNary, Ada Slusher.

Fourth Row: Marie Melvin, Mary Lee Hemminger, Lila Jean Houtchens, Jean Rankin, Ruby Davis, Eileen Brouse, Marvel Boyd, Alice Casteel, Phyllis Lant.

Fifth Row: Jane Ross, Ramona Torrance, Carolyn Harden, Leona Saben, Marilyn Corzatt, Katherine Vestal, Mary Mowen, Jane Heap, Martha Jean Neff.

Sixth Row: Helen Cleland, Delores Rozine, Arline Lindgren, Elizabeth Keane, Jennie Ann Torrance, Shirley Hallberg, June Cleland, Waldine Wallace, Delta Pearl Rankin.





#### THE WEVERETTES

The Weverettes, the Home Economics Club of Media High School, is made up of all the girls who are taking Home Economics this year or have had it one year. Our Club had forty seven members this year who meet once a month at the Home Economics Building.

The faculty sponser for the year 1944-1945 is Miss Mary Agnes Geisler. The officers are: President, Jean Lauver; Vice-President, Eva Marie Harden; Treasurer, Adalee Harden; and Secretary, Mary Ross.

The Weverettes had a stand at the Carnival and served pie, doughnuts, coffee, cookies, pop, hot dogs, and hamburgers.

The usual initiation of new members was held at the Wever Farm. We roasted hot dogs and drank cider. Games were enjoyed by all later in the evening. Those being initiated were Jane Ross, Mary Mowen, Romama Torrance, Betty Hendrickson, Marjorie Livermore, Kathryn Lant, Delores Rothzen, Phyllis Lant, Maxine Thomas, Louse Link, Doris Montroy, Caroline Jane Harden, and Lois Ann Brouse.

At Christmas, the Weverettes and the members of G. A. A. combined their members and had a big party at the Home Economics Center. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served.

Every three months during the school year, a birthday party is held for members having a birthday the past three months. The guests are honored at a decorated table and refreshments are served.

Shirley Hallberg volunteered and attended a Home Economic meeting at Galesburg on March 1st. She represented the Club in a round talbe discussion on Home Economics problems.

#### CHORUS

First Row: Helen Lauver, Esther Ann Johnson, Betty Hendrickson, Maxine Thomas, Lois Ann Brouse, Miss Tuttle, Louise Link, Zoe Mathers, Ramona Torrance, Clidean Sparrow, Jean Lauver.

Second Row: Ada Slusher, Doris Montroy, Alice Casteel, Marjorie Livermore, Eva Marie Harden, Dick Gibson, Marvel Boyd, Marie Melvin, Shirley McNary, Leona Saben.

Third Row: Helen Cleland, Katherine Lant, Ruby Davis, Jane Ross, Jim Cook, Pat Keane, Katherine Vestal, Phyllis Lant, Eileen Brouse, Lila Jean Houtchens.

Fourth Row: Carolym Harden, Adalee Harden, Delores Rothzen, Arline Lindgren, Joe Hess, Ray Musser, Waldine Wallace, Marilyn Corzatt, Mary Mowen, Martha Jean Neff.

Fifth Row: Mary Ross, Elizabeth Keane, Jennie Torrance, Donald Cleland, Jim White, Dick Gunter, Dale Cleland, June Cleland, Betty Steinfelt, Shirley Hallberg.

# BI-COUNTY CHORUS

First Row: Ada Slusher, Lila Jean Houtchens, Marjorie Livermore, Eva Harden, Mary Ross, Helen Cleland, Eileen Brouse, Marvel Boyd, Leona Saben.

Second Row: John Spears, Pat Keane, Jim White, Dick Gunter, Dale Cleland, Jim Cook, Joe Hess.





## CHORUS

The chorus this year, under the leadership of Miss Jane Tuttle, consisted of both boys and girls. The girls' chorus met on Tuesday and Thursday of each week, and the boys' chorus on Friday.

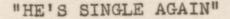
The first part of the first semester the group practiced for Thanksgiving and Christmas programs for assembly. The second part of the semester they practiced and gave a chorus play which was written by three of the chorus members. It was presented on March 9 at the school gym. It contained, as a background, old time songs and dialogue. Several folk dances and folk songs were acted out. The whole chorus took part in the songs although there were but just a few characters. "Abner Is Single Again" was the name of it.

Mrs. Dorothy Whiteman, from Biggsville, led the Bi-County group in their singing. She also led the rest of the chorus in popular songs to be used in the Spring Festival.

Those members who went to Bi-County were: Eva Marie Harden, Mary Ross, Helen Cleland, Marjorie Livermore, Eileen Brouse, Ada Slusher, Marvel Boyd and Lila Jean Houtchens. The boys were represented by Dale Cleland, Jim Cook, James Hess and John Spears.

The Spring Festival was held on the 27th of April. It consisted of "living pictures." This was done by having the chorus sing the songs while other members acted out the songs in a huge picture frame on the stage as they were sung. The second half of the program was made up of individual numbers and a military ending was enacted.

All in all the chorus spent an entirely profitable and worth-while year. They succeeded in entertaining themselves and the public too.



A comedy of the hills, in one act.

Script by Elizabeth Keane, Arline Lindgren, and Mary Ross.
Music: Folk songs of the hill country by the chorus members.

# CAST OF CHARACTERS

(in order of their appearance)

Three old men

Old Abner ........ Ray Musser Herman.....Lawrence Lawyer Oscar......Dick Sullivan Susie.....Jane Ross Uncle Eb.....Pat Keane Jeff......Dale Cleland Barbry Ann......Shirley Hallberg Parson Jones..... Dick Gibson Martha..... Marjorie Livermore Young Abner ..... Dick Gunter Jamie.....James Hess Mrs. Push.....Betty Steinfeldt Agnes......Adalee Harden Will Wolf ...... James White Emmy Lou..... Delores Rothzen Mrs. Horseface.... Marilyn Corzatt Zeke..... James Cook Sally......Mary Mowen 

Scene: Clearing in the woods

Time: The Present

# STAGE COMMITTEES

Stage Manager--Alice Casteel Asst.--Lois Ann Brouse
Stage Setting--Helen Lauver, Carolyn Harden, Phyllis Lant
Properties--Jennie Torrance, Kathyrn Lant, Shirley McNary
Costumes--Ruby Davis, Betty Hendrickson, Doris Montroy
Makeup--Martha Neff, Zoe Mathers, Louise Link
Lighting--Maxine Thomas, Marie Melvin
Technicians--Kenny Link, Dick Palmer
Accompanists--Esther Johnson, Jean Lauver, Leona Saben
Director--Miss Jane Tuttle

## SPRING CONCERT

# April 27th 8 o'clock

## Part I

# Living Pictures

Too-Ra-Loo-Ra-Loo-Ral School Days All American Girl Alice Blue Gown Sweetheart of Sigma Chi I Love You Truly

#### Part II

The World Is Waiting For The Sun Rise Trio
Don't Fence Me In Beys Chorus
Old Man River Chorus
The Lord's Prayer
Let The Rest Of The World Go By Duet
FriendshipQuartet
Medley of popular and patriotic numbers Chorus
An American Prayer
Flags Of Our United States
National Anthem

## Chorus Members

Eva Marie Harden Mary Ross Helen Cleland Jim White Marvel Boyd Jim Cook Betty Steinfelt Louise Link Doris Montory Marie Melvin Jane Ross Marilyn Corzatt Delores Rothzen Adalee Harden

Helen Lauver Mary Mowen Lois Ann Brouse Eileen Brouse Lila Houtchens James Hess Shirley Hallberg Zoe Mathers Alice Casteel Shirley McNary Elizabeth Keane Jennie Torrance

Pat Keane Martha Jean Neff Betty Hendrickson Ada Slusher Dale Cleland June Cleland Ramona Torrance Jean Lauver Dick Gibson Ruby Davis Arline Lindgren Carolyn Harden Marjorie Livermore

#### SPEECH CLASS

First Row: Alice Casteel, Helen Cleland, Elizabeth Keane, Leona Saben, Katherine Vestal, Esther Ann Johnson

Second Row: Lorna Campbell, Adalee Harden, Jennie Torrance, Miss Shimmin, Shirley Hallberg, Marilyn Corzatt, Mary Lee Hemminger

First Row: Pat Keane, Ray Musser, Dick Gibson, Jim White

Second Row: Miss Shimmin, Lorna Campbell, Marie Melvin, Marilyn Corzatt, Betty Steinfelt, Adalee Harden

# JUNIOR PLAY CAST . SENIOR PLAY CAST

First Row: Howard Erickson, Jim White, William Spears

Second Row: Rachel Gibson. Jane Heap, Ada Slusher, Eva Marie Harden, Lila Houtchens

Third Row: Miss Tuttle, Arline Lindgren, Mary Ross, Elizabeth Keane, Helen Cleland







#### SPEECH

The speech class, taught by Miss Louise Shimmin, learned how to read poems, read in unison, and gave declamations. During the first part of the term the group also studied phonetics. They met on Monday and Wednesday of every week.

Those who learned declamations were: Elizabeth Keane, Adalee Harden, Lorna Campbell, Shirley Hallberg, Mary Lee Hemminger, Marilyn Corzatt, Leona Saben, Jennie Ann Torrance, Alice Casteel, and Esther Ann Johnson.

Elizabeth Keane, Shirley Hallburg, Mary Lee Hemminger, Marilyn Corzatt, Leona Saben, Jennie Ann Torrance, Esther Ann Johnson, and Helen Cleland presented three skits at the Carnival.

For the Christmas Program Helen Cleland read The Christmas Story and Elizabeth Keane read The Gift of the Magi.

Miss Gladys Vawter from Macomb chose Elizabeth Keane to represent our school in the Bi-County Declamation Contest. Lorna Campbell and Marilyn Corzatt all took second and third places, respectively.

#### SPOTLIGHT STAFF

First Row: Rachel Gibson, Pat Keane, Jean Lauver, Shirley Hallberg, Dick Gibson and Jane Tuttle.

Second Row: Delta Pearl Rankin, Jennie Ann Torrance, Martha Jean Neff and Jean Rankin.

#### LIBRARY STAFF

First Row: Jean Rankin, Jane Heap, Rachel Gibson and Esther Ann Johnson.

Second Row: Lila Jean Houtchens, William Spears, Dick Sullivan, Mary Ross and Eva Marie Harden.



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# THE SPOTLIGHT STAFF

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F. F. A. News Pat Keane								
Activity News Jean Rankin								
Specials Martha Jean Neff								
Dick Gibson								
Jean Lauver								
Sports Reporter								

#### LIBRARY STAFF

At the beginning of the year a Senior Class Meeting was held to elect those who would be student librarians for the year. Enough Seniors with free periods could not be found so Dick Sullivan, Jean Rankin and Esther Ann Johnson worked with the Seniors. The Library Staff then consisted of:

Rachel Gibson
Jane Heap
Eva Marie Harden
William Spears
Dick Sullivan
Jean Rankin
Esther Ann Johnson
Lila Jean Houtchens
Mary Ross

The work of the Library Staff is to check books in and out, collect book fines, keep the Library in order and keep it quiet.

A number of new books were bought this year for the Library. Those, with the supply of older ones we have, gives us quite a nice Library this year.

#### ANNUAL STAFF

First Row: Miss Van Winkle, Ray Musser, Mary Ross, Elizabeth Keane, Rachel Gibson.

Second Row: Miss Shimmin, Ada Slusher, Mr. Soper, Jane Ross, Miss Tuttle.

Third Row: Betty Steinfeldt, James Cook, William Spears, Howard Erickson, Dick Gibson, Shirley Hallberg.

#### STUDENT COUNCIL

First Row: Lorna Campbell, Emmett Sullivan, Lila Houtchens, Ada Slusher, Howard Erickson, Mr. Soper, Jim White, Shirley McNary, Dick Gibson.

Second Row: Helen Lauver, Ramona Torrance, Jane Ross, Mary Mowen, Eddie Slusher, Kenny Davis, Marjorie Livermore, Joe Hess.



## THE WEVER STAFF

The Wever Staff this year under the leadership of Miss Martha Van Winkle was as follows: Editor in Chief . . . . . . . Mary Ross . . . . Elizabeth Keane Ass't Editor . . . . . Business Manager . . . . . . Ray Musser . . . . Rachel Gibson Senior Editor . . . . . . . Betty Steinfeldt Junior Editor . . . . Sophomore Editor . . . . . . . . . James Cook Freshman Editor . . . . . . . . . . Jane Ross . . . . Howard Erickson Sports . . . . . . . . Shirley Hallberg Organizations . . . . Art . . . . . . . . . . . . Ada Slusher . . . . . Dick Gibson Jokes . . . Also acting in advisory capacity are Mr. Soper, Miss Shimmin and Miss Tuttle.

Special credit is given to the Typing II Class for their assistance in cutting stencils and running them off on the mimeograph.

#### STUDENT COUNCIL

The student council is composed of the officers of each class. Those this year were: Howard Erickson, Emmett Sullivan, Ada Slusher, Lila Jean Houtchens, Jim White, Shirly McNary, Lorna Campbell, Dick Gibson, Marjorie Livermore, Kenneth Davis, Edward Slusher, Joe Hess, Jane Ross, Mary Mowen, Ramona Torrance, and Helen Lauver.

Howard Erickson was chosen as president of the group. Mr. Soper was faculty advisor.

The aim of the council is to discuss in open forum style, problems concerning the students and the school. The students can present their own views, make requests for and sponsor various activities.

This year the Student Council brought about the purchasing of a nickelodian and backed the Red Cross drive in which every student became a member of the Junior Red Cross.



### CARNIVAL KING AND QUEEN

King and Queen: Lila Jean Houtchens, Jim White Freshman Attendants: Max Thomas, Jane Ross Sophomore Attendants: Tommy Hilten, Betty Hendrickson

Senior Attendants: Rusty Johnson

### THE 1944-45 CARNIVAL

The Annual High School Carnival was held in the gym on Friday night, November 10th. The activities were carried on in the midst of general hilarity and confusion.

As usual the Juniors had the honor of taking charge of the side shows and concessions among which were the Ball and Tile, Fortune Telling, Darts and Guns, Water and Beans, the Novelty Stand, Penny Pitch, Dog and Turtle, and the Fish Pond. The Weaverettes undertook the duty of taking charge of the lunch counter and the Cake Walk; the seniors, the Juke Box Dances; the M-Club, the Bingo Stand. The G. A. A. sold chances on a blanket, and the F. A. A., a pig.

At 10 o'clock everyone took time out to relax while we presented a program with Howard Erickson as our very capable Master of Ceremonies.

The musical numbers on the program were a guitar and accordian solo, and a trio who sang "Desert Lullaby. The remainder of the program was made up of short skits which were sponored by such organizations as the Speech Club, the F. A. A., the Boy's Glee Club, the M-Club, and the Boy's Physical Education Classes.

The high point of the evening was the coronation. The attendants of King James White and Queen Lila Jean Houtchens, were Jane Ross, Betty Hendrickson, Ruby Wright, Rusty Johnson, Tommy Hilten, and Max Thomas.

With the evening's work accomplished, we went home satisfied, as we were told that the total gate receipts amounted to \$498.19.

Sully: What! Just crackers and cheese for supper?

Eva Marie: Yes. The meat caught on fire and fell
into the potatoes and I had to use the gravy to
put it out.

"See how I can count, Mother," said Joe Hess.
"There's my right foot-it is one; left foot, two;
two and one makes three; three feet--one yard and
I want to go out and spoon in it with Louise."

Jim White: Please Doc, come to our house quickly.

Doc: Why, Who's ill?

Jim: Everybody but me, I was naughty and they wouldn't let me have any of the Mishrooms Dad brought home from the woods.

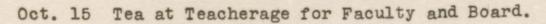
Miss Shimmin: Have you often wondered what you would do if you had Rockefeller's income?
Ensign: No, but I have often wondered what Rockefeller would do if he had mine.

Miss Van Winkle was recently stopped in Galesburg for whizzing through a red light and was given a ticket calling for her appearance in traffic court the following Monday. She went at once to the judge, told him that she had to be at her classes then, and asked for the immediate disposal of her case. "So," said the judge sternly, "your're a schoolteacher? That's fine. Madam, your presence here fulfills a long-standing ambition for me. For years I have yearned to have a schoolteacher in this court."
"Now," he thundered, "You sit right down at that table over there and write 'I went through a stop sign' 1000 times."



#### M. H. S. SHIP'S LOG

- Aug. 30 Librarians elected.
  Election of Senior Class Officers.
  Fair at Aledo----Ag. boys go.
  Teachers move into teacherage. Mrs. Pogue
  is the House Mother.
- Sept. 5 Election of Freshman, Sophomore, and Junior Class Officers.
- Sept. 6 Shortened classes in afternoon for Stronghurst Fair.
- Sept. 8 School dismissed for Stronghurst Fair.
- Sept.14 Movie "Inland Empire."
- Sept.15 District Meeting at Orion.
- Sept.18 Cheerleader tryouts. Mary Ross and Eva Harden won.
- Sept.19 Atkinson football game here.
  Magazine sale started (Curtis).
  Initiation of Freshmen.
- Sept.22 Alpha football game there.
- Sept.27 Magazine sale ended. Goal-\$305. Total-\$798.25.
- Sept.29 Corpus Christi football game here. Senior dance.
- Oct. 4 Bi-County Meeting at Hawcock's.
- Oct. 5 Juniors order class rings.
- Oct. 6 First six weeks ends.
- Oct. 10 Corpus Christi football game there.
- Oct. 11 Home Ec. Club wiener roast.
- Oct. 12 Table Grove football game there.
  Movie "Hi Slouch."
- Oct. 13 Meeting of Western Division of Illinois Education Association at Galesburg.



Oct. 16 Freshmen party.

Oct. 19 F. A. A. and G. A. A. Initiation.

Oct. 20 Movie "Bound To Last". Stronghurst football game here.

Oct. 24 Table Grove football game there.

Oct. 25 Movie "Keep 'em Rolling".

Oct. 29 New Juke Box Delivered.

Oct. 30 "M" Club Initiation.

Oct. 31 Movie "Thread of Fashion".
Movie "Making American Homes".

Nov. 1 Newsreel

Nov. 2 Miss Geisler attends Illinois Home Economics Convention at Morriston Hotel, Chicago. Movie "Livestock and Meat".

Nov. 3 Present playlet "Acting Our Age" at Stronghurst Stunt Night.

Nov. 4 Football party.

Nov. 8 Movies: "No Greater Glory" "Since Pearl Harbor".

Mov. 10 M. H. S. Carnival. Red Cross Drive 100%.

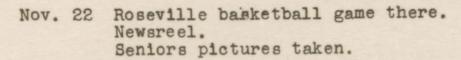
Nov. 14 F. A. A. fourth annual banquet.

Nov. 15 Newsreel. Thanksgiving program.

Nov. 16 Junior play "Here Comes Charlie".

Nov. 17 2nd six weeks ends.
Wilma Warner, State Home Economics visitor.

Nov. 18 Illinois Educational Association Conference.



Nov. 23 Thanksgiving vacation.

Nov. 24 Alexis basketball game there.

Nov. 27 Movie "Radio At War". Tuberculosis Meeting.

Nov. 28 Home Ec. Oyster supper.

Dec. 1 Oquawka basketball game here. Home Ec. Meeting.

Dec. 4 Movies: "Electronics On Parade". "Unseen Worlds".

Dec. 5 Movie "A Nation's Meat".

Dec. 6 Burlington Reserves basketball game here. High School visitor.

Dec. 8 Terre Haute basketball game here.

Dec. 11 No school, snow.

Dec. 12 No school, snow.

Dec. 13 No school, snow. Stronghurst basketball game there.

Dec. 15 Junior's Juke Box Dance.

Dec. 18 Welding Course began.

Dec. 19 K. M. B. S. Tournament at Biggsville.

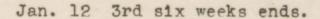
Dec. 20 Christmas program. Vacation.

Jan. 2 End of vacation.

Jan. 4 Oquawka basketball game there.

Jan. 9 Kirkwood basketball game there.

Jan. 11 Home Ec. Banquet.



Jan. 17 Movies: "Coffee, The Pride of Columbia".
"All Work and No Play".

Jan. 19 Kirkwood basketball game here.

Jan. 22 Clydine Sparrow entered.

Jan. 24 Bi-County Tournament at Alexis.

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Jan. 26 Bi-County Tournament at Alexis. Home Ec. Meeting. Movie "Your Neighbors".

Jan. 31 Sophomore party.

Feb. .1 Institute at Stronghurst.

Feb. 2 Institute at Stronghurst.
Burlington Sophomores basketball game there.

Feb. 6 Movie "Cows and Chickens".
Onieda basketball game here.

Feb. 7 Movie "Alaska's Silver Millions".

Feb. 9 Terre Haute basketball game there.

Feb. 14 Stronghurst basketball game here.

Feb. 16 Biggsville basketball game there.

Feb. 20 District Tournament at Stronghurst, Media winners.

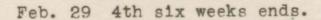
Feb. 21 District Tournament at Stronghurst.

Feb. 22 District Tournament at Stronghurst.

Feb. 23 Home Ec. Meeting.

Feb. 24 "M" Club Banquet at Macomb, Illinois.

Feb. 28 Bi-County Chorus Meeting.



Mar. 2 Annual pictures taken. Robert Hull entered.

Mar. 9 Chorus play "He's Single Again."

Mar. 12 All school party sponsored by Home Ec. Club.

Mar. 21 Bi-County Meeting.

Mar. 22 Athletic party.

Apr. 3 Bi-County Chorus practice.

Apr. 5 Track meet here Stronghurst, Oquawka, Media.

Apr. 6 Senior play " A Mind Of Her Own".

Apr. 9 Speech finals.

Apr. 10 5th six weeks ends.

Apr. 13 Bi-County Chorus at Biggsville.

Apr. 24 Home Ec. Tea and Style Show for mothers.

Apr. 25 Senior Night.

Apr. 27 Senior Skip Day.

May 4 Junior-Senior Banquet at Burlington.

May 5 G. A. A. Banquet.

May 10 Spring Festival.

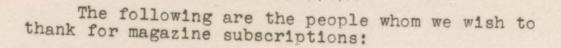
May 13 Baccalaureate.

May 18 Commencement.









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Diers, A. B. Dixon, Mrs. Kenneth Dison, Mrs. Virgil Doole, Paul Dowell, Mrs. Gene Duncan, Elbert Dutton, Lola M. England, Joan Erickson, Waldo Estes, Dick Gearheart, Icel Gibb, Mrs. Charles Gibb, Mrs. Fred. Gibson, Charles Gibson, Rachel Gipe, Garold Grate, Mrs. Bruce Gregory, Mrs. Henry Gunter, Mrs. G. W. Guy, Mrs. W. F. Hall, Mrs. Jessie Hallberg, Shirley Hanson, George Harden, Adalee Harden, Carolyn Jane Harden, Mrs. Elmer Harden, Eva-Marie " Harden, Mrs. Robert Harris, Cpl. Alexander Harris, Mrs. Alexander Heap, Jane Heap, Mary Heap, Perry Hemminger, Mrs. C. C. Hemminger, Mary Lee Hendrickson, Betty Hendrickson, Frank Sr. Hickman, Cleve Hindman, Mrs. Marvin Hornbaker, H. D. Houston, James W. Huff, Gail Hunt, Mrs. Emma Isaacson, Evelyn James, Merlin Johnson, Carl Johnson, Mrs. Carl Johnson, Carlyle Johnson, Esther Ann

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Krohn, Mrs. Melbourne
Lant, Carol May
Lant, Kathryn
Lant, Max
Lant, Phyllis
Lant, Wilkie Lant, Wilkie Lauver, George Lauver, Jean Lee, Mrs. Phyllis Lineman, Mildred Link, F. A. Link, Mrs. F. A. Livermore, Marjorie Livermore, Wayman Lofftus, Everett Lofftus, Pauline Lyons, Mrs. Ruby Marsden, Reeder Mathers, James Mathers, Zoe McCartney, Mrs. Cynthia McMillan, Paul McNary, Shirley McNary, William
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Voorhees, Myrtle
Wallace, Waldine
Waller, Keith E.
Waterman, Mrs. C. F.
Wetterling, Wendell
White, Eldon
Whiteman, Jean
Wilbur, Mrs. S.
Wilson, Alice
Wilson, R. C.
Wright, Ruby
Zang, Kenneth

L. M. Cropper was conscious that trouble was brewing when he went out in the morning. When he got home that night, he learned what he had done. With tears in her eyes his wife exclaimed? "I know you don't love me-you've forgotten my birthday!" "Darling," he said, "I'm more sorry than I can say, but it is really your fault." "My fault?" Mrs. C. exclaimed. "How can that be?" He took her hand in his. "How can I remember your birthday," he asked, "when there is never anything about you to remind me that you are a day older than you were a year age?"

Miss Shimmin: Dick, why did you hand a blank sheet of paper instead of a composition?

Dick: Didn't you say our subject today was "The Result of Laziness"?





