HUMBOLDE LIFE
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Grotesquely carved initials.
Idle pencil marks on worn desks.
A cracked blackboard, and crushed chalk.
A class in the study hall . . .
Studying and writing notes.
A boy sitting in the office . . . why?
Marks all over . . .
We made them.

A football game.
Cheering bleachers, and an autumn sunset.
Assemblies, plays, operettas.
We were there . . .
We were part of you.
We made you . . .
Then

There will always be textbooks.
Red ink.
Football teams . . . girls.
You are still . . .
Your walls immovable.
Life is within . . . restless.
It is perishable . . . it is changing:
Laughter . . . youth . . . light hearts
Knowledge . . . sadness . . . care.
You are still . . . constant,
Your walls immovable . . .

We have passed you by
We were you and are no longer
We go on . . . hoping.
Many miles are yet to be traversed
You are still . . . immovable.
Our feet are young and eager.
We scarcely stop . . . just for a while
It is our last farewell.
We dedicate this book
To the home of the orange and black.
Behind us
Forever . . .

The Senior Class of 1930.

Florence Billing.
The Last Will and Testament

WE, THE honorable Seniors of the class of nineteen hundred and thirty, in our last will and testament, do hereby bequeath to you, the Juniors, our most immediate successors, the title hitherto held by us and the following authority and responsibilities in such an undertaking.

It shall be, during your last year at Humboldt High School, your duty and privilege to carry out the aims and ideals of your senior predecessors. Excepting for occasional faculty intervention, you shall have the sole power of dictation over your inferiors; and to impress the above mentioned power, you shall, upon receipt of this promotion, add to your persons a certain amount of dignity.

You shall recall to mind the successful method by which you were once taught submission, and you shall endeavor to be equally as thorough in teaching this lesson to all new-comers. You shall continually be an example to the Sophomores; therefore it will be to your benefit and safety to conceal any actions of yours which are generally disapproved of by the faculty.

Loyalty and school spirit shall be your main aims throughout the entire year, and you shall put forth every effort to promote these noble elements of high school life.

To counterbalance these tasks loaded upon your youthful shoulders, it is an express desire of ours that you inherit, also, the fun which makes up a senior year. We will to you the thrill of posing for a photographer: the peaceful frame of mind which comes only to him whose work is nearly done; the opportunity, after all these years, of recognition: and the joy of exemption from examinations.

And last, it is a final request of ours that you whose position has been elevated by our departure shall, in turn, will your title, rank, and duties to your immediate successors, so that this little planet may continue in its revolutions.

In testimony thereof and in the presence of uninterested persons, namely sophomores, as witnesses, we attest and affix our signatures.

Class of 1930

per Dagmar Tonder.

Honorable witnesses:

James Ryan.

Carol Frautschi.
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Reminiscence

BY DOROTHY MEYERS

As GRADUATION night approaches slowly but surely, and announcements, cards, pictures—all the other little details of that occasion are matter-of-factly met with and disposed of, I am filled with a vague disappointment. I wonder whether some others of you seniors will have that sense of unreality, of detachment, from it all when you step up to take your diplomas.

A diploma—severing absolutely the last tiny connection, the positive proof that high school days are really over for ever. Many things, varied experiences, happy days, sad days, exultant, carefree, youthful days, and blue, wretched days—all these go to make up that comparatively small part of human life—that short three years at high school.

Through eight years of grade school you look with wonder, awe, and adoration at the boys and girls that go in and out of that huge, mysterious building, a high school. Vague ideas of the activities in its halls are gathered from scraps of conversation between your older brothers and sisters and their friends.

Soon you are in high school yourself. You are slightly disappointed—it is not so wonderful, after all. Everything is pre-arranged: it is only a day after day routine. But you find friends; there are parties, entertainments, happy diversions such as were not known in grade school days. Still, however, you subconsciously look forward to the next, the junior year.

A year passes—you are a junior. The whole social year revolves around one huge star, the biggest, most talked-of event in the year—the J. S. It is planned on for months. Its wonders are discussed and debated. You listen with profoundest attention when anyone who has been there speaks. You have been to many dances, but, of course, this is to be entirely different—it could not be the same.

The day comes—and goes. After all, it is only a dance. Most of its glamour and wonder has been supplied by imagination. There is a pageant of beautiful clothes, shaded lights, music—a few short hours, and it is over. Again that vague disappointment. Is it really over? Were you really there?

But, you think, next year, the senior year, will, of course, be wonderful. Now the senior year is almost gone, too. But yet there is still something else to look forward to. Commencement night, the parties and entertainments connected with it. Time passes quickly, however—the play of high school days is rapidly drawing to a close.

What will be my feeling when at last the doors close behind me for the last time? Will it again be with that sense of unreality, that feeling that it is not really I who am leaving there? Will it be with disappointment again or with a thrill at the thought of the work that is to fill the next years of my life and the adventures ahead?
Natalie’s Decision

BY MILDRED KUBE

NATALIE GREY walked slowly on through Sunnyside Woods. Her thoughts were far from the pretty flowers blossoming along the sides of the path she was following. So great a problem filled her mind that she was unaware of the birds singing and the squirrels chattering in the trees.

Don Smith, a rich city man, had proposed to her, and she was to give her answer that day. Don was a happy-go-lucky, fat young man who possessed all the wealth any designing mother of a marriageable girl could desire. But one thing was lacking—that was love. Natalie loved Keith Woodwell, a poor, energetic farmer.

Born of poor parents, Natalie had experienced many hardships, so the thought of marrying money and ending all her drudgery tempted her greatly.

In her earlier years, Natalie, when in trouble, had often come to the woods for consolation. So now again she came to it to settle the greatest problem of her life.

She sat down at the foot of a giant oak tree beside which ran a little babbling brook. The moss around the foot of the tree made an ideal cushion. Soon the troubled girl was wrapped in the arms of the great comforter—Sleep.

It seemed to Natalie that a great white cloud settled on the ground and then ascended. But the reason for its trip to earth was soon made apparent, for, as it rose, scores of graceful little people with beautifully colored wings appeared and danced in the chequered shade of the tall oak trees.

Three fairies, Riches, Love, and Experience danced so close to Natalie that she could hear their conversation.

Experience was saying in a sad voice, “You certainly cause a great deal of trouble, Riches.”

“Yes, I know I do,” replied Riches. “But I certainly try to do right. Many of the people in the world would be very wretched if I did not supply them with wealth.”

“Riches are not all that count,” said Love. “What would the world be without love and friendship?”

“You are right, my child,” agreed Experience. “The other day I chanced to pass a beautiful mansion. I saw a miserable woman bewailing the fact that she had married for money and so had lost happiness.”

“That is a very good example of how the lust for comfort and money deprives one of the better things in life,” soulfully mourned Love as she flitted away. “It is much better to work hard for someone you love and gain happiness by it than to be idle and unhappy with plenty of money.”

“We must be off!” cried the leader of the fairies. So each one mounted a leaf and flew away.

Natalie awoke and rubbed her eyes. Was it a dream or was it real? Had the fairies tried to warn her? Dream or no dream, the fairies dancing in the chequered shade of the oak trees had decided the question for her.

She heard a familiar voice calling her.

“Natalie! Oh, Natalie!”

“I’m coming, Keith,” she answered with a happy ring in her voice. “For always,” she added to herself.
Sky-High
BY JEANETTE FREUDENBERG

HY Violet Monroe, a senior at Woodbridge High, gazed moodily out of the study hall window.

"Lessons, lessons, nothing but lessons and no fun attached. Why don't I get the 'breaks' once in a while and get asked to a party?" she thought. Rosemary and Janet and Ruth were constantly being asked somewhere. Just last period Janet had told her she had a "date" for that evening with one of the school's "sheiks." Well, she would just have to wait, that was all.

It was a fine, spring day not long after this post-mortem of herself, that Violet decided to go down to the airport and watch the planes take off. She was intensely interested in aviation; and as each plane left the ground, a thrill of exultation and freedom ran through her.

"Gee, it must be glorious to fly a plane," she thought.

Suddenly, a smiling, helmet-clad pilot was approaching. Why, it was Jack Tully, voted the handsomest boy in the senior class.

Violet turned to see whom he was smiling at behind her. The field was empty. Could it be—Violet smiled back.

"Hi, Violet, want to go for a sky ride? The air's swell high up. It's a keen day for a hop. My little plane is this red one over here," he elucidated, all in a split-second.

"Why, I'd love to, Jack," answered Violet, with her heart in her eyes.

"But"—she finished in confusion.

"But what? It's the greatest sport on earth. Come on."

"All right, Jack," she assented. It seemed funny to be calling him Jack. Why, he had never even spoken to her before.

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“Here, put on this coat and helmet,” Jack instructed, as they entered the little monoplane. “It’s kinda breezy up in the clouds, you know. Now then, all set?”

“Uh-huh, and I’m just excited to death. This is splendid of you, Jack.”

“Not a bit of it,” that gentleman replied gaily.

A whir of the propellers, a slight jolt, and the little, red monoplane left the ground. Up, up it soared, until it pierced the clouds.

“How does it ride?” Jack called above the noise of the motors.

“Wonderful! I hate to go down.” Violet answered.

“Well, this won’t be the last ride for you, if I can help it,” Jack replied.

Slowly, the plane floated down to earth, like some winged eagle in descent.

Jack climbed out and helped Violet to alight. For once Violet abandoned her shyness. “Thanks a thousand times; it’s been the thrill of a lifetime. Only, where in the wide world did you get a plane, and how did you learn to fly?”

“Well, you know, graduation means presents, and so Dad asked me a long time ago what I wanted. Well, I told him I wanted a plane more than anything. So he got me a plane and signed up for a lesson course.”

Jack and Violet went home in Jack’s roadster. “This won’t be your last flight with me, will it, Vi?” Jack asked appealingly.

“No. I should say not—I mean—er—if you don’t want it to be,” Violet replied.

“I should hope not,” Jack protested vehemently. “Say, I don’t know if I should tell you this or not, but everyone said you were awfully shy and timid. I think you’re a good sport—and you would make a splendid girlfriend,” Jack added mischievously. “You went sky-high with me the first time I really met you.”

And Violet forgot that she had ever been bashful.

Our Garden

The loveliest spot in all the world,
The spot where I love to go
Is our garden, so fragrant and warm and sweet,
Where all of the flowers grow.

There are buttercups, daisies, and holly-hocks, too,
‘Mid sweet forget-me-nots blue,
And sweet, pale roses of delicate pink,
Near pansies of every hue.

The bees buzz busily o’er the flowers
While the sun hovers soft and low,
Making our garden a Paradise
And—a spot where I love to go.

Dorothy Schroeder.
Senior Statistics

WHAT would you say if someone told you that Shakespeare was chosen as the favorite author of the Class of 1930 and that Zane Grey ran a close second? Shakespeare and Zane Grey! Fate chuckled as it played that joke on the venerable seniors.

And, do you know, there must be something in precedent as the seniors have again chosen blue as their favorite color. There surely must be a reason for this, but it is too subtle for us. Green and red were the second and third preferences, a fact which goes to show only that the seniors are really quite childlike and unsophisticated at heart.

Amongst our little women are Lilly Cooper and Edna Bercovitz. Lilly is only five feet tall, and Violet Stassen surmounts her by eight and one half inches. Violet is the tallest girl. Leonard Mason tops all the other boys by one and one-half inches. He is six feet, two and one-half inches—indeed a goodly height. Elmer Schmidt is even shorter than any of the girls: he is only four feet, nine inches.

Most of the students were born in St. Paul or surrounding small towns; however, Fred Hafiz came all the way from Brazil to graduate in St. Paul, and James Wilkus came from Sitka, Alaska.

The statistics show that all the girls dance except four. We, having taken the statistics, could not say they were wrong. Some of the boys did not even bother to answer the question about dancing, but the greater majority of those who did answer dance.

Most of the girls have chosen stenography as their work, but we have one or two that have decided upon aviation as a field to do pioneer work in. and we even have one who aspires to be a beauty specialist. Perhaps she feels that beauty conquers all. The greater number of the boys are undecided as to their life work. They are looking things over, so to speak. However, some have decided on such varied things as architectural engineering, music, medicine, science, forestry, and aviation.

The question “Would you go to college if you could?” elicited an almost unanimous “yes” answer, but a few. and, surprisingly, there were several more girls than boys, have had enough of this noble pastime and would not enter college if they could.

Minerva Rose was chosen by the boys as the most popular senior girl; our editor objected to our having this published, but her objection was overruled. The boys believe Margaret Johnson is the prettiest senior girl, and the girls think that Hugo Schroekenstein is the handsomest boy and Bill Haedrick the most popular. Minerva Rose and Allan Carnes were selected as the most courteous girl and boy.

“Ben Hur” and “Sunny Side Up” are the movies that the seniors have enjoyed most. The class preferences are varied, to say the least. “Ben Hur” and “Sunny Side Up”: Shakespeare and Zane Grey!

Given an opportunity to spend their vacation anywhere they liked, the seniors would travel. This travel has been chosen by every class, and I think it is chosen because it spells mystic adventure to each and every one of us.

Almina Sloat.
Honor Roll
Humboldt High School
Class of 1930

Leonard Mason       Valedictorian
Florence Billing    Salutatorian

Evelyn Geisinger
Max Kolinsky
Ruth Young
Hyman Katzovitz
George Ball
Emmy Lou Wentz
Dagmar Tonder
Almina Sloat
Rose Hanglberger
Irma Falb
Rose Dannovskya
Frank Rigos
Muriel Turpen
Agnes Frey
Ethel Perron
Fern Hansen
Grace Torpey
Ruth Macauley
Eva Abdella
Minerva Rose
Margaret Englebretson
Jeanette Guertin
Velma Nafus
Irving Waldman
Thelma Lamb
Elmer Schmidt
Allan Carnes
Lucille Fransen
Ann Klaimon
EVA ARDELLA - - - - - - “E”
S. O. S.; Honor Roll
“The reward of one duty is the power to fulfill another.”

MELVIN N. ABRAMOVICH - - - - “Mel”
Latin Club; History Club; Orchestra 28, 29, ’30; Checker Club; Assemblies; Dramatic Club.
“And though he was worthy, he was wise.”

HARRIET MARIE ACKERMAN - - - - “Harry”
Civic League; Pep Club; Usher; “Purple Towers”; Social Club.
“A life that leads melodious days.”

LUCILE MYRTLE ALSTATT - - - - “Lou”
Service Club; Student Council.
“Her modest looks the cottage might adorn.
Sweet as the primrose peeps beneath the thorn.”

GEORGE W. BALL
Latin Club; History Club; Social Club; Capt.; Swimming Team, ’30; Ticket Committee; Honor Roll; Student Council.
“He was a man—take him for all in all.”

MARJORIE GRACE BALL - - - - “Baldy”
Treas. History Club; Committees French Club; “The Patsy”; “Enter the Hero”; Mohawk Night; “Floating Island”; Assemblies; Dramatic Club; Social Club; Style Show.
“A sudden thought strikes me—let us swear an eternal friendship.”

DANIEL I. BECKER - - - - “Danny”
“For the good are always the merry.”

DONNA G. BEDORE - - - - “Din”
Red Pepper Club; Usher; P. T. A. Night.
“The long days are no happier than the short ones.”
CHARLES BEGGS - - - - “Chuck”
Football, ’30; Stage Force; Sec-Treas. One Score Six.
“The desire for leisure is much more natural than business and care.”

SUSAN MARIE BELDEN - - - - “Sue”
Girls’ Glee Club; “Purple Towers”; “Belle of Havana”; “Suppressed Desires”; Pep Club; German Club; Latin Club; Home Economics Club; Senior Style Revue, ’28; Senior Circus, ’29; Committees; Assemblies; Life Agent, ’28, ’29; ’30; Usher, P. T. A. Night; Cheer Leader, ’29; Social Club.
“Just a little bit of girl,
But what a great big joy.”

HARRY BELINSKY - - - - - - “Bel”
Cheer Club; Pres. Stamp Club; Assemblies; “Purple Towers.”
“He’ll find a way or make one.”

ALYCE M. BENG - - - - - - - - “Al”
Pep Club; Usher, “Belle of Havana”; Orchestra;
G. A. A.; Social Club.
“I have a spirit as free as air;
And a merry heart that laughs at care.”

DORIS ARVENE BEWELL - - - - - - “Arv”
Latin Club; History Club; Secy. History Club, ’29;
“Wishing Well”; Usher, “Dulcy.”
“Quiet and reserved is she,
But studious as she can be.”

FLORENCE MARGUERITE BILLING - - - - “Flossie”
Pres. Sophomore Class; Pres. Junior Class; “Belle of Havana”; Assemblies; “Maker of Dreams”; History Club; Latin Club; Life Staff; Girl Reserve; Orchestra; Salutatorian; Social Club; Pres. History Club.
“She can laugh with the rollicker
And outwork the best.”

JOHN G. A. BLOMQVIST - - - - - - “Johnnie”
Assemblies; “Wishing Well”; “Belle of Havana”; “Purple Towers”; “Dulcy”; Senior Circus; Harmonica Club; Mohawk Night; Indian Quartette; Trex Tommyhawks; Life Staff; Minstrel Show; P. T. A. Night; Double Quartette, ’30.
“I am sure care is an enemy to life.”

ESTYRE A. BOMBERG
Library Club; French Club; G. A. A.; Civic League;
S. O. S.
“All tongues speak well of her.”
VIOLÉT BOUCHER —— “Fi”
Treas. Service Club; Neend Club; Athletic Assemblies; French Club; Social Club; Office Force; Committees.
“As full of spirit as the month of May.”

DELMER ERVIN BOWERS —— “Def”
Tennis Team; Cheer Leader; Athletic Council; Social Club; Senior Circus; Assemblies; Orchestra; “Suppressed Desires”; Boys’ Glee Club; One Score Six; Swimming Team; Senior Style Show; Athletic Vodvil.
“I must needs laugh; I cannot be sad.”

IONE N. BRACK —— “Nemo”
“The voice so sweet, the words so fair.
At some soft chime had broken the air.”

REBECCA BRANSL —
Library Club; Life Staff.
“Life is not so short but that there is always time enough for courtesy.”

LOIS BRICK
Life Staff; Assemblies; Pep Club; Advertising Club; S. O. S. Club; Home Room Agent; Civic Club; Social Club; Neend Club; French Club.
“I everywhere am thinking.
Of thy brown eyes’ sweet smile.”

WILLIAM BUDKE —— “Bud”
Latin Club; One Score Six; Swimming Team.
“In truth he seemed busier than he was.”

HELEN ANNE BUSCH —— “Lutie”
Home Economics Club; G. A. A. Pres. ’28; ’29; Capt. Basketball ’29; French Club; P. T. A. Night; Girls’ H Winner.
“A quiet conscience makes one serene.”

DOROTHY ELIZABETH CARLSEN  —— “Dot”
French Club; Red Pepper Club; Social Club; Assemblies; Girls’ Athletic Association ’27; Home Economics Club.
“Always jolly and never blue.
She’ll be a faithful friend to you.”
ALLAN G. CARNES
Pres. Senior Class; Vice-Pres. Student Council; Athletic Council; "Dulcy"; "Purple Towers"; Assemblies; Life Agent, '28, '29; Indian Quartet; Boys' Glee Club; "The TRYing Place"; Life Staff; Minstrel Show; Honor Roll.
"In action faithful, and honor clear."

BELLE E. CHASE
History Club; S. O. S. Club; Latin Club.
"On with the dance! Let joy be unconquered."

FREDERICK L. CHRISTOPHERSON - "Freddie"
Civic League; Orchestra, '28, '29, '30; Athletic Council; Assemblies; Home Room Agent; Men's Football Team, '29; Committees: One Score Six; Baseball, '28.
"Gently the troubadour
Touched his guitar."

ROSEMARY CLARKIN - "Rosemarie"
Girl Reserves; Girls' Athletic Association; Athletic Council; Tennis Club.
"Thus I steer my bark and sail
On even keel, with gentle gale."

GRACE GERTRUDE COLLETT
S. O. S. Club; Honor Roll; Glee Club.
"She that was ever fair and never proud,
Had tongue at will, and yet was never loud."

LILLIE VIRGINIA COOPER - "Juccar"
S. O. S. Club.
"The mildest manners with the bravest mind."

MARIE SYLVIA CORDES - "Murphy"
French Club; G. A. A.; Basketball Team, '28; Home Economics Club.
"Intelligence is not her only virtue;
She doeth all things well."

ROSE D’ANNOVSKY - "Ray"
G. A. A.; Home Economics Club; P. T. A. Night; Usher, "The Patry"; Vice-Pres., '28; Pres., '29; Library Club; Honor Roll; Library Club Program.
"Quiet, refined, and studious is she."
GORDON L. DIEDRICH  —  —  —  "Gord"
Swimming, '28, '29, '30; History Club.
"Thy modesty is a candle to thy merit."

O. RALPH EDGERTON  —  —  —  "Ossie"
Civic League; Life Staff; Debate Club; German
Club; Assemblies; Athletic Council.
"He goes out with his dreams through the dingy
city square."

LOUIS EHRLICH  —  —  —  "Lou"
Chess Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club.
"Knowledge is power."

MARGARET E. ENGELBRETSON  —  —  "Mary"
S. O. S. Club; Life Staff; Office Force; Honor
Roll; Home Economics Club; P. T. A. Night.
"Modesty becomes a young lady."

MILDRED MARIE ENGLIN  —  —  "Bennie"
Home Economics Club; S. O. S. Club; Pep Club;
Social Club; Dramatic Club; Tennis Club; G. A.
A.; Athletic Council; Civic League.
"A pleasing countenance is a silent commendation."

IRMA MARIE ELSB  —
S. O. S. Club; Honor Roll.
"A mind adorned with virtues manifold."

HELEN MARIE FARNHAM
Latin Club; "Belle of Havana"; Assemblies; Or-
chestra; Accompanist, Boys' Glee Club.
"Nothing is more simple than greatness; indeed,
to be simple is to be great."

LUCILLE ANNA LEE FRANSEN  —  —  "Lu"
Home Economics Club; Civic League; "Belle of
Havana"; Honor Roll.
"Kind hearts are more than coronets."
DONALD ELLSWORTH FRENCH — "Don"
French Club; History Club; One Score Six.
"Little—but oh, my!"

R. JEANETTE FREUDENTBERG — "Jen"
Associate Ed. "Life"; Life Staff; '28; Home Economics Club; German Club; Pep Club; S. O. S. Club; Committees; Assemblies; G. A. A.
"We love her for her smile, her look, her way of speaking gently."

AGNES M. FREY — "Blackie"
Pep Club; S. O. S. Club; Home Economics Club; Honor Roll.
"Gentle in personage, conduct, and equipage."

EVELYN E. GAETKE
"An ounce of wit is worth a pound of sorrow."

DESMOND J. GALLATIN — "Des"
History Club; Civic League; Tommyhawkers.
"A friend in sunshine and in shade."

EVELYN E. GEISINGER — "Ev"
Home Room Asst.; Life Staff; Home Economics Club; Biology Club; G. A. A.; Library Club; Student Council; Honor Roll.
"Studious and frivolous by turns."

MILDRED R. GLEWWE — "Milly"
German Club; G. A. A.; Sophomore Basketball Team; Assemblies; Secy. History Club; Usher, "Admirable Crichton"; "The Patsy"; "Dulcy"; "Belle of Havana."
"For she was yes! the quiet kind
Whose nature never vary."

LOUIS J. GREENHARD — "Spider"
Football '27; Capt., '28, '29; Swimming, '28, '29; Assemblies; Pres. French Club; Pres. Rolly Holler; Pres. Student Council; Social Club; Athletic Council; Senior Style Revue; Minstrel Show.
"A very proper man, as one shall see in a summer's day."
ANTOINETTE GRACE GROSSUP - - "Tony"
"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

JEANETTE MARIE GUERTIN
French Club; Hiking Leader, G. A. A.; Honor Roll.
"Who knows nothing base, knows nothing known."

GORDON JOHN HABERKORN - - "Gord"
Latin Club; History Club; One Score Six; Civic League; Golf Team, '28, '30.
"He never yet meHelvetica ne said."

WILLIAM CHARLES HAEDRICH - - "Bill"
"Trysting Place"; Assemblies; Pres. German Club, '29; Pres. Student Council, '30; Football, '29; Basketball, '29; "Belle of Havana"; "Dudley"; "Purple Towers"; Treas. Senior Class; Athletic Council; Boys' Glee Club.
"Why should life all labor be;
When there is fun for you and me?"

FRED S. HAFIZ - - - - - - "Frits"
Football, '30; Class Basketball, '27; "Wishing Well"; Boys' Glee Club; French Club; History Club; Chess Club.
"Sober, but not serious;
Quiet, but not idle."

ROSE MARIE HANGBERGER - - - - - - "Ro"
G. A. A.; Pep Club; Honor Roll.
"O rose! the sweetest blossom,
Of spring the fairest flower."

FERN M. C. HANSEN
Office Force; Home Room Agent, '28, '29; Civic League; S. O. S Club; Usher; Student Council; Honor Roll; Mixed Chorus.
"Fair as a star when only one
Is shining in the sky."

EUGENE HAPPE - - - - - "Son"
Basketball, '30; One Score Six; "The Patay"; "Admiral Croxton"; "Dudley"; "Purple Towers"; "The Belle of Havana"; "Wishing Well."
"Bravery never dies out of fashion."

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MILDRED A. HENDRICKS  
"Frenchy"
Girl Reserves; S. O. S. Club; Home Economics Club.
"Whose heart was full of loveliest things."

MADELINE J. HENNING  
"Mad"
Life Staff, '29, '30; French Club; Latin Club; Girl Reserves; Home Room Agent; Social Club; P. T. A. Night; Pep Club.
"Liberty's in every blow; Let us do or die."

GLADYS CORINNE HIGGS  
"Scotty"
Pep Club; Civic League.
"She is all my fancy painted her."

WILLIAM G. HUGHES  
"Bill"
One Score Six; History Club; Latin Club.
"Wise men say nothing in dangerous times."

HILDEGARDE WALBORG HULTGREN  
"Decarde"
"Belle of Havana"; Home Economics Club; Social Club; Pep Club; Girls’ Glee Club.
"Blue were her eyes as the fairy-flax."

EDWIN JERABEK  
"Ed"
Rolly Hollers; Student Council; Orchestra; "Pickles"; Civic League; Life Staff; Football Manager; Tennis Club.
"One may smile and smile, and be a villain still."

LYLE C. JOHNSON  
"Sweedy"
Football, '29; Basketball, '29; One Score Six; "Belle of Havana"; Class Basketball, '28.
"Tomorrow let my sun his beams display,
Or in clouds hide them; I have lived today."

MARGARET F. JOHNSON  
"Kemp"
"Wishing Well"; "Belle of Havana"; Sophomore Class Treats; Junior Class Treats; "Purple Towers"; Booster Club; Neon; Assemblies; Committees; Service Club; Life Staff, '29, '29; Social Club Pres., '29, '30; Pres. Pep Club, '29; Latin Club; Senior Style Revue; Girls’ Glee Club; French Club; Sophomore Follies.
"Her voice is ever soft, gentle, and low; an excellent thing in woman."
OSCAR KAPLAN - - - - "Kap"
Sec.-Treas. Stamp Club, 28; Library Club; Vice-Pres. German Club, '30; History Club.
"Who broke no promise, served no private end,
Who gained no title and who lost no friend."

STANLEY KARTAK - - - - "Bud"
Entered from Park Rapids High School, March ’30.
"He was wont to speak plain, and to the purpose."

HYMAN KATZOVITZ - - - - "Hy"
Chess Club; Latin Club; Honor Roll.
"Thus hast a mind that suits thy fair and outward character."

ANNA R. KIVATINTZ - - - - "JanKiss"
S. O. S. Club; Library Club; Home Economics Club.
"There's nothing so becomes a maid as modest stillness and humility."

ANN KLAIMON
Library Club; Assemblies; Home Economics Club;
Usher, The Patsy'; Honor Roll.
"Nothing she does or seems, but smacks of something greater than herself; too noble for this place."

MAX DANIEL KOLINSKY - - - - "Dunny"
German Club; Vice-Pres. History Club; Social Club;
"Belle of Havana"; "Duley"; "Purple Towers";
Assemblies; Honor Roll; Student Council; Life Staff; Committees.
"Ambition has no rest."

JOE G. KOMER - - - - - - "J"f
Library Club.
"I'm doing what we ought; we deserve no praise, for it is our duty."

HARTLAND A. KORFHAGE - - - - "Hasty"
Basketball, '28; Civic League; Texas. One Score Six; Assemblies; Vice-Pres. Senior Class; Committees;
"Purple Towers"; Athletic Council; Office Force; Minstrel Show; Class Basketball; Quartette.
"The soul of honour and the tongue of truth."

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ELEANOR B. A. KOSANKE
Girl Reserves; S. O. S. Club; Life Staff; Social Club; Usher, "Purple Towers"; P. T. A. Night.
"Few persons have courage to appear as good as they really are."

IRIS KUEHN
Girl Reserves; Red Pepper Club.
"How sweet and gracious even in common speech."

ROBERT THOMAS LACY
Basketball, '28, '29, '30; Orchestra; Jazz Orchestra; One Score Six; Assemblies; Sec, Sophomore Class; Boys' Glee Club; Latin Club; History Club; Archery Club; Baseball, '28; Swimming, '28; Social Club; Home Room Basketball, '28.
"You know basketball? Well, that's me."

KATHRYN D. LA FAVOR
Treas. Latin Club; Pep Club; "Belle of Havana"; Usher, Commencement; Mohawk Night, '29, Mohawk Night, '28; History Club; Girl Reserves; Assemblies; Life Staff; Social Club; "Floating Island"; Sophomore Assembly.
"Bid me discourse, I will enchant thine ear."

THELMA M. LAMB
Latin Club; Life Staff; Honor Roll; Usher.
"Quiet and reserved is she,
But studious as she can be."

VERA L. LAUSTRUP
Pep Club, Pres. Girl Reserves, '28; Inter-club Council Delegate, '29; Home Economics Club; P. T. A. Night; Girls' Glee Club; Double Quartet; Music Contest; Committees; "Purple Towers"; Social Club.
"Oh! she will sing the swaggness out of a bear."

RUTH BERNICE MACAULAY
Vice-Prez. Sophomore Class; Life Staff; Student Council; Honor Roll; S. O. S. Club; Pep Club; Athletic Council; Civic League; Office Force; Usher.
"She is herself of best things the collection."

LEONARD E. MASON
Life Staff; Latin Club; History Club; Art Club; Student Council; Orchestra; Committees; Home Room Agent; Valedictorian; Assemblies; One Score Six.
"He will bow to the line of right; let the chips fly where they may."
FRANK E. MATHES - - - - "Eddie"
Biology Club.
"Large was his bounty and his soul sincere."

BETTY JONE MERMAN - - - - "Bettina"
Pres. Library Club; "Wishing Well"; Girl Reserve;
G. A. A.; French Club; Dramatic Club; History
Club; P. T. A. Night; Assemblies; Home Econom-
ics Club; Vice-Pres. Library Club, '29.
"A smile all the while."

DOROTHY CHARLOTTE MEYERS - - "Buddie"
S. O. S. Club; Home Economics Club; G. A. A.;
Assemblies; Pep Club.
"A friend is worth all the hazards we can run."

RONALD EARLE MICHEL - - - - "Ron"
Vice-Pres. German Club; Sec.-Treas. Biology Club;
Civic League.
"A light heart and a merry smile."

BESSIE M. MUELLER - - - - "Bess"
Civic League; Pep Club; Social Club.
"Her heart the like of a fountain
Where joy was dancing and springing."

MARY C. MURPHY - - - - "Muri"
Pep Club; S. O. S. Club; Usher, "The Patsy"; G.
A. A.; Civic League; Social Club.
"To admire nothing (as most are wont to do)
Is the only method that I know
To make men happy and keep them so."

LILLIAN T. MURRAY - - - - "Babe"
Assemblies; "The Whole Truth"; P. T. A. Night;
"Enter the Hero"; Home Economics Club; S. O. S.
Club, Pres.; Pep Club; Committee; Life Staff.
"Of manners gentle, of affections mild."

FRIEDA MUSCHIK
Civic League; French Club.
"And mistress of herself, though chima fali."
VELMA CLARA NAFFUS
Girl Reserves; "Nothing But the Truth"; "The Trysring Place"; "Dulcy"; Assemblies; Art Club, Sec. '20; Dramatic Club; Orchestra, '28; Honor Roll; Life Staff, '29; Usher, "Belle of Havana"; P. T. A. Night.
What sweet delight a quiet life affords.

MARGARET MARY NEAGLE
French Club; G. A. A.; Athletic Council.
"Happy, laughing, kind and sweet.
Beats a girl who can't be beat."

ELEANORE A. OBERG
Life Staff, '29, '30; "Maker of Dreams"; Nerd Club; Pep Club; Fiction Club; Social Club; Home Economics Club.
"Her eyes are stars of twilight fair,
Like twilight's, too, her dusky hair."

LAURA LENORE OHMANN
S. O. S. Club; French Club; G. A. A.; Home Economics Club.
"Good things come in small packages."

MILDRED LUCILLE OTT
"Wishing Well"; "Belle of Havana"; "Dulcy"; "Purple Towers"; "Floating Island"; Music Contest; Swing Musical; Senior Circus; Indian Day; Committees; History Club; Pep Club; Social Club; Assemblies; Life Staff, '29; Life Agent, '28, '29, '30; Student Council; P. T. A. Night.
"I hasten to laugh at everything, for fear of being obliged to weep."

ARTHUR FRED PAGEL
Chess Club; Football, '29; Life Staff.
"Worry and I shall never meet."

ETHEL M. PERRON
French Club; Girl Reserves; Committees; Social Club; Honor Roll.
"From a quiet spark may burst a mighty flame."

BERNADINE PETERSON
Senior Style Revue; "Floating Island"; "Belle of Havana"; French Club; Indian Day; Girls' Glee Club; Music Contest; P. T. A. Night.
"Soft is her music that would charm forever."
DOROTHY VIOLET PETERSON - - - "Soroe"
Home Economics Club; G. A. A.; Class Basketball; Sec. - Treas. S. O. S. Club; Pep Club; Dramatic Club; Athletic Council; Civic League; Assemblies.
"Biteke, happy, modest, and gay.
She spreads sunshine on every way."

ARTHUR W. PFEIFFER - - - - - "Art"
Biology Club; Swimming, '29; Tommieshawkers.
"On their own merits modest men are dumb."

MILDRED POSAWAD - - - - - "Milly"
"Belle of Havana"; Home Economics Club; Student Council, '29, '30; Life Agent, '29; Social Club; Girls' Glee Club; Pep Club.
"A friendly heart has plenty of friends."

WALTER H. PUSCH - - - - - "Walt"
History Club; Stage Force; Swimming Team; Life Staff; Assemblies.
"My greatest inspiration is a challenge to attempt the impossible."

FRANK J. RIGOS
Assemblies; One Score Six; Pres. Latin Club; Pres. History Club; Student Council; Honor Roll; Swimming Team; '29, '30, Committees.
"It is the mind that makes the body rich."

GORDON WILLARD ROOT
Baseball, '28; Hockey, '30.
"Man is man and master of his own fate."

MINERVA LOUISE ROSE - - - - - "Miss"
S. O. S. Club; Girl Reserves; Life Staff, '29; Editor, Life, '30; Pres. Pep Club; Assemblies; Committees; Social Club; Office Force; P. T. A. Night; Honor Roll.
"Earth has not anything to show more fair."

BETTY LOU RUBERT - - - - - "Bet"
French Club, Vice-Pres., '28; Advertising Club; Sec. '29, '30; Nenod Club; G. A. A. Treas., '28; Pep Club; Life Staff, '29; Student Council; Committees; Social Club.
"They watch what I am watching, but they do not see what I see."
ROSE R. SAPADIN  
S. O. S. Club; Library Club.  
"A countenance in which did meet  
Sweet records, promises as sweet."

ELEANOR LOUISE SCHLETY  
Social Club; Student Council, Sec.-Treas.; Nezad  
Club; French Club Pres., '30; Assemblies; Commit-  
tees: Prop. "Purple Towers"; S. O. S. Club; Home  
Room Agent, '29; Ushe, "Wishing Well."
"If thou appear untouched by solemn thought;  
Thy nature is not therefore, less divine."

RUTH ADELL SCHLUKEBEIR  
Sec. French Club; Student Council; Home Room  
Agent; Nezad Club.  
"Artless as the air  
And candid as the skies."

ELMER J. SCHMIDT  
Biology Club; Orchestra, '28, '29, '30; Harmonica  
Club; Honor Roll,  
"To know how to hide one's ability is great skill."

HUGO SCHROECKENSTEIN  
One Score Six, Ticket, '29, '29, '30; Electric  
Force, '29, '30; Home Room Agent.  
"A finished gentleman from top to toe."

BURT M. SERBINE  
Latin Club; Chess Club; Kittenball, '27; Class  
Basketball, '25, '28; Social Club.  
"Whatever sky's above me,  
Here's a heart for every fate."

ORLOW N. SIMMONS  
Swimming Team, '28, '29, '30; "Belle of Havana";  
Lile Staff; Athletic Council; One Score Six; As-  
semblies.  
"Seeing only what is fair."

ALMINA M. SLOAT  
Honor Roll; Office Force; S. O. S. Club; Latin  
Club; Lile Staff, '30  
"And whenever she spoke, her voice went singing  
Like water up from a fountain springing."
MILTON SMITH - - - - "Milt"
German Club; Checker Club; Boys' Glee Club;
"Wishing Well"; Orchestra; Assemblies.
"Who mixed reason with pleasure, and wisdom with
wirth;
If he had any faults, he has left us in doubt."

EMMA M. STANGER - - - - "Blondie"
G. A. A. German Club; Pep Club; Committees;
Usher, "Dixey"; Fiction Club.
"I am not of that feather to shake off my friend
when he must need me."

EVELYN G. STANTON - - - - "Gas"
Civic League; Nerd Club; Social Club; French
Club; Assemblies; Home Economics Club; Life Staff;
Usher, "Dixey."
"Argument for a week, laughter for a month, and
a good jest forever."

FRANK J. STANTON - - - - "Pansy"
Treas. German Club; Rolly Hollerz; Swimming,
'27, '28; Life Staff; Assemblies.
"Let us do or die!"

VIOLET AGNES STASSEN - - - - "Fi"
Nerd Club; Social Club; Pep Club; Service Club;
Assemblies; G. A. A. Treas. '27; Home Room
Agent, '27, '28; German Club; History Club.
"Oh, bless with temper whose unclouded ray
Can make tomorrow cheerful as today."

CAROLINE MARIE STEENBERG - - - - "Karn"
Student Council.
"Silence more musical than any song."

CLAIRE HELEN STOVEN - - - - "Tom"
Athletic Council; S. O. S. Club; G. A. A.; Pep
Club; Assemblies.
"In her quietness there is charm."

LILLIAN H. SWANT
Entered Humboldt in her Senior year. Pep Club.
"A maiden never bold, of spirit quiet and still."

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MADELAINE ILENE TAURING - - "Mudie"
Student Council; Senior Style Revue; "Belle of Havana"; German Club; "Purple Towers"; Assemblies; Latin Club; Senior Day.
"Come and trip it as you go.
On the light, fantastic toe."

PETE TONDER - - - "Piccolo Pete"
Life Staff; History Club; Study Club.
"Ragged the breath music cannot tame."

GRACE TORFEY - - - "Gracie"
Entered from Hudson, Wis.; Sec.-Treas. S. O. S. Club; Pep Club; Social Club; Honor Roll; Committees; Usher, "Dulcy"; Office Force.
"In friendship I was early taught to believe."

ROBERT E. TRAPP - - - "Bob"
Baseball, '28; Class Basketball, '28.
"For he that lives retired in mind and spirit is still in Paradise."

VERONA J. TRUHAR
Tennis Club; S. O. S. Club.
"How near to good is what is fair."

MURIEL E. TURPEN
German Club Sec.; French Club; Chess Club; Pep Club; Girl Reserve; "Purple Towers"; Orchestra, '27, '28; G. A. A. Dramatic Club; Honor Roll.
"Music is well said to be the speech of angels."

IRVING WALDMAN - - - "Izzy"
Vice-Pres. Stamp Club; History Club; "Dulcy"; Library Staff; Honor Roll; Life Staff; Assemblies.
"There are more things in Heaven and earth, Horatio,
Than are dreamt of in your philosophy."

EMMY LOU WENTZ - - - "Em"
Life Staff; Sec. G. A. A.; Pres. G. A. A., '29;
"Belle of Havana"; Latin Club; S. O. S. Club; Girls' Glee Club; Committees; Honor Roll; Cantata.
"Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace."
JEANNE PATRICIA WHALEY - - - "Jen"
Social Club; Home Room Agent; Study Club.
"Happy-go-lucky, without a care."

JAMES S. WILKUS - - - "Jimnie"
"Men of few words are the best men."

LEONE MAE WRIGHT - - - "Leu"
"Wishing Well"; "Belle of Havana"; "Purple Towers"; Pep Club.
"A simple maiden in her beauty,
Is worth a hundred coats of arms."

ORVILLE K. WRIGHT - - - "Buney"
Stage Force; Orchestra; One Score Six; Jazz Orchestra; Assemblies.
"He is an excellent young man.
Straightforward and open minded."

RUTH JANET YOUNG - - - "DoeDee"
Pep Club; Honor Roll; History Club; Home Economics Club; French Club; Social Club; S. O. S. Club; Neocd Club.
"She is pretty to walk with,
Witty to talk with
And pleasant, too, to think on."

SOPHIE R. ZUSSMAN
S. O. S. Club; Life Staff; Office Force; Library Club.
"Whatever anyone says or does, I must be good."
O Seniors! My Seniors!

In the manner of Walt Whitman

O Seniors! My Seniors! our faithful trip is done,
Our books have traveled through each room, the
prize we sought is won,
The end is near, the books so dear will others
be instructing,
When Juniors take the Seniors' place, will they
be grim and daring?
But O Humboldt! Humboldt! Humboldt!
The school we love so well.
But now those marked up desks we leave,
Standing cold and still.

Edward Jerabek.

Retrospection

(Upon graduating)

Could I return and walk once more
The paths that I have traveled o'er,
I'd pack my grip and straight-away
I'd seek the road to Yesterday.

The thousand things so wrongly done,
I'd blot them out—yes, every one,
And make the best of every chance,
And fill my life with work's romance.

But yet, as thus I reminisce,
My sober thoughts glance back to this,
Whatever flights my fancy takes,
I'd make again the same mistakes.

Jeanette Freudenberg.
IN OTHER parts of the world it was just spring, but for the citizens of St. Paul it was the period of a great change. It was the year 1936 when, after much deliberation, the people had decided to adopt the new city manager plan of government.

In accord with this expectant mood of the city was the smile of a young man who was entering his office. In his hand he held a paper with glaring headlines—"Honest Allan Carnes to Run for Mayor." He had accepted, but why he knew not.

In the midst of his reflections the door opened, and an enthusiastic voice said, "Congratulations, Allan. Meet your new campaign manager."

"Thanks, Bill. You can do just as you want about the campaign. I'll be right back," said Allan as he left the room.

"Get me the St. Paul Daily Spatch, will you, Central. Hello. Get me Orlow Simmons in the city news. Take this down, Ollie. William Haedrich—ahem—successful business man of the city has accepted the management of Allan Carnes' campaign."

The receiver clicked. "Dale 1033! Is Miss Wentz there? Hello, Emmy Lou. Bill Haedrich speaking. I'm managing Allan's campaign, and I need a couple of secretaries and about ten stenographers. Have you them?"

"Surely. Wentz Employment Agency, at your service."

"And now we'll get to work," reflected Bill as his two secretaries, alias Violet Boucher and Florence Billing, arrived.

At this point Allan entered and announced that he had been talking with Susan Belden and Helen Busch, president and vice president respectively of the Federation of Women Teachers, and had made arrangements to speak before their organization.


"Look at this," said Bill as he read an item from the newspaper. "Prominent business men form Business Men's Carnes for Mayor Club: Gordon Diedrich, jeweler; Louis Ehrlich, baker and creator of the jellyless bismarck; Burt Serbine, owner of a local grocery chain; Robert Trapp, proprietor of the Trappdoor Restaurant; Edward Slechtal, night club owner; and Oscar Kaplan, president of an envelope concern."

"Just dropped in to see if I could help," a cheerful voice, identifying itself as Dan Becker's, announced.

"Fine! We can use you. You can do a lot by looking up miscellaneous Humboldt graduates and soliciting their aid. But aren't you working?"

"This is my vacation year. I'm a census enumerator."

"Well, take this down to Gordon Root's print shop and give it to his stenographer, Margaret Neagle."

"Let's call it a day, Bill," said Allan.

"O. K. Don't forget the opera tonight."
The Katzsmith Opera House, owned and operated jointly by Hyman Katzovitz and Milton Smith, was enjoying a successful season. It had recently been rebuilt by Lyle Johnson and Hartland Korfhage, construction engineers, under the architectural supervision of Orville Wright. James Wilků, famous landscape artist, had recently been employed in addition to the regular staff of artists which consisted of Betty Rubert, Velma Nafus, Gladys Higgs, and Harriet Ackerman.

"Who's that blond fellow in the audience?" a lady in the candidate's party asked as they sat down in their box.

"That's Gordon Haberkorn, famous golfer. There are Dagmar Tonder and Madeline Henning, musical critics," Allan answered as he nodded a "Hello" to Lillian Swant and Verona Truhlar, social workers. "That blonde in the first row is Margaret Johnson, beauty culturist. Why, where's Bill?"

"He will be back in a minute," someone said.

"The orchestra is starting to play," Allan went on. "Remember the leader, Edna Bercovitz? Freddie Christopherson is playing the violin. Eugene Happe is there, and that little fellow is Elmer Schmidt. I'm glad to see that Pete Tonder finally learned to play a saxophone."

Allan's speech was interrupted by the return of his manager who announced. "There seems to be a conspiracy to employ only Humboldt graduates here."

"Whom did you see?" they all asked.

"Well, Dorothy Carlsen for one. She and Mary Murphy are makeup artists, and, boy, can they put on the paint! Iris Kuehn and Rose Hangelberger are emergency nurses, and they thought I was an emergency. Lucille Alstatt is the hairdresser. Almina Sloat is wardrobe mistress, and Ione Komer is her assistant. Madeline Tauring is a singer," Bill raved as the orchestra started to play *La Groana*, a musical rhapsody written by Helen Farnham. "Bernadine Peterson is singing today."

The opera was going on, and each player was recognized by the group. Mildred Ott was leading lady, and Ione Brack and Muriel Turpen were in the cast.

After the first act, Ralph Edgerton, naturalist, came to the candidate's box. Friends in all walks of life came to pay greetings to Allan, among whom were John Blomquist, chemist; Donald French, postal employee; Fred Hafiz, dentist; Robert Lacy, forester; and Evelyn Geisinger, laboratory technician.

A change was due in St. Paul. It was evident in the earth and sky, in the flowers, in the people, in the schools, in the atmosphere. Politicians shook their heads in apprehension. There was rumor upon rumor, and everywhere was heated discussion.

In the meantime, the cause of it all was addressing the Federation of Women Teachers. As he looked around the room, he noticed familiar groups. Some were kindergarten teachers: Marie Cordes, Arvene Bewell, and Thelma Lamb. Others he recognized were Lillie Cooper, Ethel Perron, Betty Merman, Rosemary Clarkin, and Leone Wright.

In another part of town, Danny Becker, Federal census enumerator and handsome gob, stopped at a bakery where he purchased five cents' worth of pretzels twisted by Karl Hobbie. Having done this noble deed, he passed on
to the Lau-Mac Department Store owned by Ruth Macauley and Vera Laustrup. He stopped at the office of the ready-to-wear managers where Jeanne Whaley and Lillian Murray were employed. Anna Kivatintz was a stenographer in the office. In the sporting goods department he saw Frank Stanton. He then proceeded to the book department where Fern Hansen sold him a copy of Walter Pusch’s famous new dictionary, “The book with fifty more words in it than Webster’s.” On his way out he saw Freda Muschik, who was a hosiery saleslady.

Out in the air once more, Dan was attracted by the roar of a motor. He looked up to see Delmer Bowers, aviation acrobat, about to leap from a plane piloted by Ed Jerabek, who had recently accomplished a solo flight to the moon. The plane occupied Dan’s attention. It was constructed from a new type of metal perfected by Harry Belinsky, mining engineer; and the plane was designed by George Ball.

At the office William was trying to organize a speakers’ bureau. “Where’s Marjorie Ball?” he asked his assistant.


“That’s fine,” replied Bill.

Dan entered the office flustered. “Stanley Kartak’s in the hospital.”

“Why, what happened to him?” asked Bill.

“Nothing. It’s his hospital. He and Hugo Schroevenstein founded it, and tonight they’re graduating a group of nurses: Stella Allie, Mildred Englin, Irma Falb, Agnes Frey, Mildred Glewwe, Eleanor Kosanke, Donna Bedore, Bessie Mueller, Eleanor Oberg, Alyce Berg. Evelyn Stanton is dietician on the medical staff. They’ve got some stenographers, too. We know them all—Rebecca Transil, Belle Chase, Grace Collett, Eva Abdella, and Estyre Bomberg. And on my way back I stopped in to see Leonard Mason, president of the Northwest Airways, Inc. Jeanette Freudenberg is his secretary, and Art Pfeiffer is vice president. They’ve got an office staff like a roll call. Emma Stanger, Lucille Fransen, Hildegarde Hultgren, and Antoinette Grosscup are stenographers. Frank Mathes, Ronald Michel, Desmond Gallatin, and William Budke are fliers.”

“While you were out, a group of engineers called up and offered their help. Among whom were Frank Rigos, Melvin Abromovitch, Max Kolinsky, William Hughes, and Charles Beggs. Election day will find us prepared,” said William.

The day after election Bill entered the building of The Daily Spacht. On the ground floor he saw Evelyn Gaetke, Laura Ohman, Rose Sapadin, and Ruth Schlukebier, who were want-ad girls. Passing Minerva Rose, editor of the society department, he noticed Dorothy Meyers, fiction writer, was receiving a check from Mildred Posawad, bookkeeper.

He walked up to the editor-in-chief’s office where he found Allan talking to the editor, Irving Waldman.

“Thanks for the support the press gave us during the campaign, Irving,” Allan said.

“That’s all right. I’m glad we could help.”

“Congratulations, Allan. St. Paul’s got the best mayor it will ever have.”

—this from Bill.

“Yes, but wait till we see the new city manager,” was the reply.

Irving Waldman.
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Commencement

WITH the coming of the spring days, when the world is full of singing birds and youth is at its height, the seniors also are experiencing a number of feelings. Some are gay; some are sad; some can hardly wait until the exciting night of June tenth; others think of this occasion with a feeling of regret, as they realize there will be a time when they will not be a part of the busy life at Humboldt.

We have a mental picture of the night of Commencement, when we shall all try to have the manners of a Chesterfield.

As the time draws near, it is with sincere regret that we think of departing from Humboldt. Humboldt has been our home for three years. We have had many good times in our classes. We think of the various clubs to which we have belonged and of those assemblies where we have cheered with all our power.

As we leave this school in the hands of the coming sophomores, juniors, and seniors, it is with the hope that they will keep up the good spirit which now flourishes in it.

Iris Kuehn.

The Good Old Days

OUR fathers often talk about times and experiences they lived through in their youth. Some of them will tell how they stoked boilers for a living for four dollars a week and worked sixteen hours a day, and they will always finish by exclaiming, "Those were the good old days."

How many times have we listened to the harrowing experience of how "Pa" left home because he didn't come straight home from school: how he jumped on the freight train and how the rain beat in his face for a day and a half, and he didn't eat for three days, and finally got a job for seventy-five cents a week. Nine times out of ten he will finish by saying, "Boy, those were the good old days."

I often wonder if they know what they are saying.

Orlow Simmons.

Traditions

SENIORS come. and seniors go. Names flash across the pages of Humboldt's annals, then flicker, fade, and die. Someone now a brilliant, popular idol of the Humboldt populace goes away, and the succeeding sophomores, juniors, and seniors gradually forget his memory. His name may be a by-word for a few years, but following meteorites dim and finally banish his one-time blaze of glory.

But not in vain has his record flashed across the skies of our world. Not for nothing have the students cheered him on the field or admired him in the classroom. Tradition lives at Humboldt as it has lived everywhere, in places large and small. Perhaps by word of tongue or perhaps on these very pages some long-upheld tradition has been handed down in the form of an exploit or adventure of some student who lived in the gaze of his classmates.

Our traditions may not be expressed in so many words, but each one of us students is ever ready to defend his Alma Mater or eager to relate some episode that shows what school life, our life, is at Humboldt High School.

Dorothy Barry

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Smoke from the Camp Fire

As the fire dies down

Today a senior boy told me that he had definitely made up his mind as to what he was going to do for a living. He said he was going to be a lawyer. Yesterday he had decided to be a doctor. The day before it was an engineer. That is characteristic of all senior boys when they make up their minds definitely. The fellow will probably end up as a radio announcer or head of a chain store.

One boy thinks he should be a boxer. He says that he is getting pretty husky and that his right hook is very efficient. There are still a great majority of boys that wish to be aviators, detectives, or both. The crop of professors does not seem to be increasing very rapidly. Neither are there many cooks nor housekeepers in the ranks of the girls. Some are practicing carpentry, while others should be politicians. They do so much unnecessary talking.

O. K. Wright.

Here are some things the seniors will miss when they graduate:

Mr. Wauchope's talks on the splendid school spirit shown at Humboldt.

Mr. Billing when he stalks silently down the aisle, gently tapping a gossiper upon the back and moving the disturbance to some distant corner.

Miss Hovey as she efficiently removes all would-be lunch eaters from the halls during the fourth period.

The various carvings of initials, pictures, and so forth on almost every desk.

The athletic games where the loyal followers come in the hope that the orange and black will sweep through to a victory.

The old bubble fountain that stands at the end of the hall: it has sprayed many a budding flower here at school.

Initiation day when so much paint is smeared around that none is left for Indian Day.

Pete Tonder.

What a load of responsibility we are carrying on our frail shoulders! We feel that we should answer for the conduct of the undergraduates, the negligence of the juniors, and the rather faulty behavior of the sophomores.

All in all, it is a glorious thing to be a senior. "The thrill of a lifetime," as the comic strip says. Years of hard endeavor behind us, and life itself before us.

Oh, undergraduates, some day you will all be seniors. Some fair June night Mr. Wauchope will open the gates and say, "Flee, my lambs, into the pastures of life."

Evelyn Stanton.

So long, everybody! We're going. Oh, I say, we're leaving for good."

There was little heed taken of this goodbye speech of Mr. Senior, and to make matters worse, a sophomore yelled, "Well, what of it?"

Mr. Senior was not at all surprised at this remark but, on the other hand, he let out a hearty laugh. He was expecting such a comeback.

You see we are going, not thinking we shall be missed. We know it is useless to think otherwise. What difference does it make when we graduate?

Just another class got rid of!

Gordon Diedrich.
Two little children each eating an apple, a common ordinary apple. As the core of the apple is reached and the seeds are displayed, the children label each seed: the first, rich man; the second, poor man, and so forth.

Twelve years later—these two children, plus hundreds of others, are in the ranks of high school graduates. The old childhood game that they played in the street while eating the apple still goes on, however. After four years of high school education, what has the future in store for each individual? If we could get at the innate ability of the individual the same as we can get at the core of an apple, we could predict and direct the student’s activities. But since our inherited traits and capacities cannot be made visible, we must go at a hit and miss pace.

Many of these students are going out to work immediately; many are going to college; and many—well, who knows where?

Next year another graduating class—another set of diplomas—another rich man—poor man—beggar man—thief!

Max D. Kolinsky.

HO! HUM! I’m tired. I stayed up so late last night studying. Perhaps I was silly to do that, but I thought it would be very nice to know all my lessons, especially when they are my last lessons during my high school career.

I believe I am excited and nervous. I am hardly able to wait for the end of this study period.

I knew my English perfectly last night, and if I study now, I’ll mix it all up. Oh—there’s the bell!

I feel as though I were going to a funeral. I hope I don’t forget my lesson after all that studying last night. But I fear that when I get to class, I shall not be able to utter a word. Oh, my poor last lesson!!

Lillie Cooper.

Often during our days here at Humboldt we declared that we hated school. Oh, if we could only get out of school! How we detested all the work, the assignments, and the tests: some of us even said the same about the teachers.

But this is the last day of school, and for us seniors, the very last day. Do you notice how silent we are, and the sad and thoughtful expressions on our faces? And how odd to see some of the big, rowdy boys who always declared they could not wait until the last day of school, sitting in class listlessly and gazing around the room. We hear the bell ringing, and it tells us we must go home. As we linger for the last time to look about the schoolroom, we think that we shall never forget this last day, and we are even rather close to tears.

Leone Wright.

School Days

Perhaps we do not know it.
As we grumble round each fall:
But the days spent in the class room,
Are the happiest of them all.

Roberta Hall
Recreation in the Open
An interview with our principal
BY IRVING WALDMAN

In the picture we have our principal, J. A. Wauchope, gathering balsam for a comfortable camp-bed. He looks very serious, but in reality, being out-of-doors, he is very happy. We were fortunate in getting him to talk about outdoor recreation. While waiting for him to complete an important detail, we made a survey of our topic. That he is a man who possesses the rare combination of mental and physical vigor, that he is young for his years, and that his hair retains its natural color in spite of advancing years, we saw at a glance.

"You care a great deal for outdoor life," we said. "What is there in the wide open spaces that attracts you?"

"Men who are engaged in my line of work must have the recreation provided by an active outdoor life. It gives them an opportunity to get away from the cares and worries that bring on an early old age. Nothing leads to a better appreciation of the outdoors than living most of the year in the busy routine of a modern high school.

"Being in the open gives me a chance to think and concentrate upon life and gets me away from the petty, unimportant things that a year from today will have been forgotten."

At this point we were interrupted by a girl requesting an excuse for having skipped fifth period.

"Now you know what I mean by the petty things that don't count," he continued.

"You seem to be friendly to nature," we commented.

"More than friendly. A friend often proves disappointing and expects to get something in return for what he gives. Nature does not."

"Where do you prefer to go for an outdoor vacation?" we asked, taking the lead.

"Most of my outdoor life has been spent in this part of the country. Minnesota and Wisconsin contain some of the finest bits of scenery in the world."

"Is it true that you lived with Indians?"

"I did not live with them in the exact sense of the word, but I became intimately acquainted with a few Black-feet tribes in Michigan and Wisconsin."

"What is the value of outdoor life to a young fellow?" was our closing question.

"The value of living in the open is that such a life broadens the vision, gives one the power to distinguish between the things that really count and those that are immaterial. Helps one in his avocation, gives the proper philosophy of life, and teaches one to look at life through a telescope and not through a microscope."
MISS HOW has had a great deal of experience with many classes and with all sorts of students—office experience which shows us as we really are: therefore, we thought that if we interviewed her, we might get something of value for the seekers after knowledge at Humboldt.

We thought two of us had better interview her so that if she proved reticent, she would have less chance of escape.

She really was very gracious, however, just as she always has been to members of the staff. And we ought to know, being editor and business manager, respectively.

The most important thing we found out was that the present senior class is a most interesting and active class; that its members are always taking people by surprise.

We tried to find out which Miss How likes better—boys or girls, but she declared that she was very fond of both. She admitted, however, that it was easier to correct boys than girls because boys do not hold grudges as girls do. At this stage the business manager chuckled.

Miss How believes that present-day boys and girls are no worse than the boys and girls she used to play around with. Here both the editor and the business manager looked relieved.

We think Miss How judges herself too severely. She said, "I am naturally lazy, and so I like to be outdoors, and I like to putter around my cottage. I don't really accomplish anything, but that is where I am happiest."

We take serious exception to these statements. No one who frequents the office could believe that Miss How is lazy or that she would be content with accomplishing nothing. But we believe that she has a good time at her cottage, and we believe that anyone who is fortunate enough to visit her there is very lucky.

And since we knew that one of Miss How's chief pleasures is driving a car, we turned the conversation to cars, and we discovered that, unlike most drivers, Miss How likes traffic cops because she feels safer when they are about. She prefers women drivers because they are more careful than men.

Besides driving, she likes swimming, and playing contract bridge. Everybody has a pet phobia, and Miss How is no exception to this rule. She does object to having her name spelled "Howe."

She objected also to having her picture taken, but she finally relented and posed for us. We hereby thank her.
Operetta Practice

Our high school operetta was just five days away,
A thought which filled our teacher with terror and dismay.

Five days away,
Five days away,
This thought filled our teacher
With terror and dismay.

For John was always coming late and fooling all the while,
And teacher dear did bawl him out in very proper style.

Four days away,
Four days away,
This thought filled our teacher
With terror and dismay.

And George was full of monkeyshines and caused a great commotion
Till Allan begged of Mr. Powles some pep-destroying potion.

Three days away,
Three days away,
This thought filled our teacher
With terror and dismay.

And Katherine, sad 'tis to tell, came down with the flu this day
"Go away from me, you mean disease. I must be in this play."

Two days away,
Two days away,
This thought filled our teacher
With terror and dismay.

The leading lady flounced about in a temperamental fit
And thus to teacher's trouble contributed her bit.

One day away,
One day away,
This thought filled our teacher
With terror and dismay.

'Tis here at last—this fatal day. "Now do your best—no folly—
And you shall have a fair reward after the grand finale."

Now go away
Go far away
All who filled our teacher
With terror and dismay.

Marjorie Holmes.
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Junior Class

The Junior Class has been active throughout the year. Last October we sponsored a very successful Humboldt Night at the Mohawk Theatre, the production being "A Man's Man," a baseball picture. Candy sales were held after the annual play and the operetta.

The officers of the class are Bernard Fletcher, president; Marvin Geiger, vice-president; Jean Kane, secretary; and James Klingel, treasurer.

Miss Esther Ostergren is the very efficient advisor of the class.

The Junior-Senior Prom, of course, is to be the big event of the year. It is to be held May 29, at the Masonic Temple.

Leaders of the grand march are to be Bernard Fletcher, Junior president, who will have Mary Stevens as his guest; and Allan Carnes, Senior president, whose guest will be Martha McCroskey.

Book Adaptations

"The Sheik" .......................... Harold Carnes
"Reward of the Fairies" .................. Guy Rice
"When Knighthood was in Flower" ...... Dan Becker
"Eyes o' Blue" .......................... Elsie Lindusky
"She Stoops to Conquer" ................ Ruth Travis
"You Never Can Tell" .................... Charles Esensten
"The Conqueror" ........................ Dave Bach
"The Turmoil" .......................... Lunch Hour
"A Full House" .......................... Assembly
"Innocents Abroad" ...................... Junior-Senior Ball
"A Comedy of Errors" .................... American History Class

Junior Ambitions

Herman Firestone ...................... to run a beauty parlor
Ruth King .............................. to be a chorus girl
Bennie Heller .......................... to be president of the United States
Ed Wence .............................. to be an American History teacher
Sam Chernoff .......................... to be a dress designer
Bernard Koenke ........................ to sing in the opera
Martha Mathe .......................... to be a math teacher
Glady's Higgs .......................... to be the first one in the lunchroom
Adron Lenz ............................. to be polite always
Jean Shields ........................... to be a Dutch dancer

Can You Imagine

Arthur Applebaum mending his own socks?
La Vonne Aga disorderly?
Irvin Leizerowitz singing jazz songs?
Cecil Cox not being mentioned in our columns?
Hazel Horsnell a library teacher?
Richard Springer "wrecking" a street car?
Domenic De Valerio a parachute jumper?
George Povey a "bus" driver?
Mary Hosking not talking all day long?
Sophomore Class

ONE of the most industrious and best classes that have entered Humboldt is the present Sophomore Class. We are proud to say that Miss Foerster is our worthy advisor. The officers of the class are William Schlukebier, president; Eleanor Kesting, vice-president; Robert Edmeyer, secretary; and Loretta McAndrews, treasurer.

We feel that we have already achieved a good deal of success, because James Ryan, a prominent class member, is Humboldt’s cheer leader. We have tried to do our best during our sophomore year, and we shall try to continue this attitude during our junior and senior years.

The tribal chief, Miss Foerster, has many small Indians to watch. What? You don’t know what a tribal chief is? Well, I’ll have to tell you. The tribal chief has the huge job of helping and advising the small mischievous children of the tribe.

Although James Ryan is small, he seems to cause a good deal of disturbance in the chief’s mind. She worries dreadfully about his small voice, because it seems to be slightly strained. Another of the tribe’s worries is Theodore Hoag, a big medicine man, who seems to bother the young squaws a good deal. He bothers some of them so that they have to resort to extreme measures of punishment, frequently used in the camp.

Of course, there are many other talented Indians on this reservation. Earl Kirmser, Albert Le Fevre, and Robert Edmeyer play all the dance music. Helen Lastrup often contributes her dancing talent for our entertainment.

When the heap big day of demonstrating athletic skill is drawing near, Jack Smythe is often seen lingering around the tribe’s public tennis court with Eleanor and Elizabeth Kesting. Ishmael Spenser keeps the dancers. Juliet Stieffel, Catherine McDonald, Charles Ablin, Helen Hauge, Carol Frautsch. Carl Berlin, and Charles Calton, in perfect time by continually beating his tom-tom.

When the food supply is becoming scarce, the famous hunters, Harold Alstatt, George Rovey, and William Stuwart, are obliged to go out and shoot buffalo. When the food supply is again replenished, the hunters take their prizes home to the chieftains. The young squaws then dry and stretch the skins for wigwams.

These small, struggling Indians are progressing quite rapidly in their first year of training at Camp Humboldt. They take part in many of the activities, and they are going to try to become famous chiefs in their remaining years at Humboldt.

Marion La Favor.

Famous Sayings of Famous People

Ted Hoag I certainly have a “drag” with the girls.
James Ryan How does it feel to be small?
Catherine McDonald Does my hair look all right?
Helen Horsnall What a break! I forgot my gum.
Edith Hefflon I’m sorry, but I’m busy tonight.
Jack Smythe Who is that girl over there?

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THE general welfare of the student body is in the hands of the Student Council. That is, if anything arises that is disagreeable to the student body, it is taken up at the council meetings. Each room is represented by one delegate in the Council.

One of the important undertakings of the Student Council is the orientation assembly given at the beginning of each new term with the purpose of acquainting the incoming sophomores with the various extra-curricular activities of the school.

ATHLETIC COUNCIL

THE Athletic Council is an organization made up of about thirty members. The object of this council is to foster athletics at Humboldt High School. One of the schemes we tried and put over with great success was the minstrel show. The receipts from that show made football possible.

The officers of the Athletic Council are Daniel Becker, president; Joseph Flynn, vice-president; and Frederick Christopherson, secretary.

Danny Becker.
The Pep Club was divided into two groups, the Red and Green Peppers. The Red Peppers is the senior club. It is a club of girls organized for the purpose of supporting athletics.

A hiking group has been arranged and the girls plan to take hikes at least twice a month.

The club expects to visit the flour mill, the Purity Bakery, Swift's, and other places of interest.

Minerva Rose is president; Mary Trudeau, vice-president; and Dorothy McMann, secretary and treasurer.

Miss Plufka is our advisor.

Eleanor Oberg.

THE Green Peppers is an organization for girls under seventeen years of age whose purpose is to support athletics by going to the games and cheering for the teams.

We are organizing a roller skating club which promises many enjoyable times.

We plan to arouse much interest in the games next year.

Our officers are: president, Bernice Olson; vice-president, Delores Bergman; secretary-treasurer, Stella Neagle.

Our advisor is Miss Sherman.

Stella Neagle.


The undisturbed silence which our office enjoys each night is broken by Miss Bigue, with her friends, the absentees. A few minutes later Miss How plows her way through the line of students that are waiting for their round-trip ticket for the day. Just before the bell for the first period rings, come Margaret Engelbreton and Fern Hansen, wondering if they are late. After they have sorted the morning mail, they type letters for Miss Bigue and prepare the official record of attendance.

Next period we find Eugene Happe filing excuses and answering the telephone. When Miss Bigue gives it a chance to ring. Over in the corner sits Minerva Rose typing a letter just dictated by Mr. Wauchope.

Third period seems to be a very busy one for Edna Bercovitz. She answers many telephone calls and runs many errands. Almina Sloat is usually typing for the "Humboldt Life" or the "Life Junior." She runs the mimeograph with great excellency and turned out a great number of "Life Juniors." As a rule, Miss Fanning sends in this period for information concerning her World News, which is already two days late.

Then comes fourth period—the period for carrying notices. In this period Allan Carnes and Ruth Macaulay are Miss How's assistants.

The fifth period is one of the very busiest periods. This statement is proven by the fact that Miss How has Violet Boucher, Lucille Fransen, and Hartland Korfhage, "Johnny Pest," as her assistants. Violet is kept busy typing requisitions sent in by Tom, the janitor, marked "Please deliver this week." Typing report cards and filing record cards are Lucille's favorite duties. Hartland is kept busy answering the telephone and reading "Will Rogers." This period the office force is aided by Helen Gould, whose diplomatic relations with Mr. Billing have been severed.

In the sixth period we find Mildred Posawad and Grace Torpey working hard. Mildred is usually busy typing letters for Mr. Wauchope. Grace, being in the office after recess, is very ambitious.

In the last period, we find Mildred Hendricks and Agnes Frey. The duty of these girls is to finish the unfinished work of the office for the day.

Thus silence is again restored, and Miss How locks the door.

Hartland Korfhage.
Tommyhawkers

THE Tommyhawkers Club was organized with the purpose of giving organized support to all Humboldt activities. Our name was suggested by its relationship to the Humboldt Indian symbol.

Our president, or big chief, as he is called, is William Kuehn. The little chief is Wilfred Whitson. John Blomquist is the chief Wampum Taker, or treasurer. We have as our advisor Miss How, whom we wish to thank for assisting in all our undertakings. Her counsel has been held as necessary for the functioning of the club.

Our greatest success was the Indian Day celebration. Mr. Wauchope entrusted the entire program to us. We were glad to be of assistance to the school, as Indian Day is fast becoming a traditional event at Humboldt.

John Blomquist.

The Parent-Teachers' Association

THE Parent-Teachers' Association deserves a great deal of credit for the work it has done for Humboldt.

The members have evinced a desire to do what is best for the school without any thought of personal notice.

The football team has always shared especially in the bounty of the organization. Last year the P. T. A. bought blankets for the boys, and this year it provided helmets. The mothers have been interested also in helping to beautify the grounds at Humboldt. They have donated a great deal of shrubbery.

A more recent project was the collecting of books for the Public Library.

In fact, the organization is eager to help the school in every way.

We of Humboldt want the P. T. A. to know that we appreciate its help.

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Purple Towers


CAST OF CHARACTERS

Hank Juckleberry, The factotum of Centerville ................................. George Messenger
Mike Murphy, The law in Centerville ............................................. John Neihart
Earl Parker, An ex-captain ......................................................... William Haedrick
Red Nichols, His forlorn hope ..................................................... Joseph Flynn
Tillie, Maid .................................................................................... Kathryn Ernst
Ursea Applegate, A woman of determination .................................. Muriel Turpen
Helen Trumbull, Her niece ............................................................. Marion Marks
Mary Marble, The girl of mystery ................................................. Ione Brack
Phil Bradley, A writer of novels ................................................... Allen Carnes
Snowball, His valet ......................................................................... James Klingel
Chorus of country girls and boys. townspeople and guests ............. Girls' and Boys' Glee Clubs
French Club

The officers of the French Club this year are Miss Bigue, advisor: Eleanor Schletty, president; June Rom, vice-president; Dorothy Hjortsberg, secretary.

At our meetings we have talks dealing with various subjects relating to France. Some of the topics discussed this year were French styles, French art, French traditions, and French heroes.

Under Miss Bigue's guidance, the discussions of these topics have been very interesting as well as instructive.

Evelyn Stanton.

Art Club

The Humboldt Art and Advertising Club is composed of thirteen members. It is under the supervision of R. E. McKenney.

It was organized in 1928 for the purpose of taking care of the art work and advertising of the school.

Meetings, which are held every Tuesday, are conducted by the president, William Kuehn. Velma Nafus is the secretary-treasurer.

In order to become a member of this club, it is necessary to receive the majority vote of all the members.

Maxine Marschinke.
One Score Six

(With apologies to Thomas Jefferson.)

W e, the members of the Omicron Sigma Sigma (One Score Six), to form a more perfect high school, establish school spirit, insure pep and good cheers, provide for the reprimands from our beloved teachers (by pop-guns and alarm clocks), promote the general up-roar and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our successors, do ordain and establish this reputation of the above club of Humboldt High School.

Our officers are: Robert Lacy, president; Orville Wright, secretary; and Leonard Mason, treasurer.

Leonard Mason.

S. O. S. Club

DURING the last term the S. O. S. club had numerous office devices explained and demonstrated by representatives of the companies manufacturing them.

We have had several successful parties. And you ought to taste the candy our girls prepare for us.

Our O. G. A. contest was very successful this year. Almost every girl sending in a copy of the contest received a certificate or pin. Almina Sloat won the club prize.

Mrs. Ryan is our advisor; Lillian Murray, our president; and Grace Torpey, our secretary and treasurer.

Margaret Engelbreton.
The Nezod Club

1. Violet Carlstrom: "That's so ain't it, huh?"
3. Margaret Johnson: "Let's give a party."
4. Violet Stassen: "Don't be a charlie."
5. Mary Stevens: "Isn't that marvelous?"
6. Betty Rubert: "I'll be seein' ya."
7. Ruth Young: "What should I do? Cry?"
8. Evelyn Stanton: "Wouldn't that slay ya?"
9. Ingeborgh Burnside: "For cryin' out loud!"
10. Eleanor Schletty: "Oh, my osh-gay!"
11. Violet Boucher: "Lo, everybody."
12. Eleanor Oberg: "My land! Honest?"

Girl Reserves

The purpose of the Girl Reserves is to promote a general feeling of good will and friendship among the members. During the year we do service work at specified times. We have ceremonies as well as many kinds of entertainments. Our officers are Rosemary Clarkin, president; Ruth Franz, vice-president; Jean Kane, secretary; Alice Neihart, treasurer.
Latin Club

The officers of the Latin Club are Frank Rigos, president; Tim Lipschultz, vice-president; Dorothy Newcomb, secretary; and Katherine La Favor, treasurer.

Business meetings are usually followed by some kind of entertainment. Everyone has to take part at one time or another in the program.

On alternate Tuesdays the members read together from an interesting Latin book.

The Latin Club has held assemblies, pow-wows, and parties at various times and is a worth-while club for a Latin student.

Emmy Lou Wentz.

German Club

The great aim of the German Club is to further each member's knowledge of this very wonderful and delightful Teutonic language. As many of the students have already learned, the Germans are a culture-loving people, gifted in music and the arts. A few of the members are corresponding with German students abroad.

The organization is under the adviso- rship of Miss Alma Foerster. The present officers are as follows: president, Wesley Sorum; vice-president, Oscar Kaplan; secretary, Mildred Heinsch; treasurer, Katherine Ernst.

Max D. Kolinsky.
Rolly Hollerz

The Rolly Hollerz is an organization of boys to encourage and sponsor athletics and to keep school spirit alive in the students’ hearts. Each boy has to do good deeds for the school either by taking part in athletics or by doing some other helpful thing. Most of the boys in this club play on our athletic teams or take part in some other important activity in the school. The Rolly Hollerz Club has three officers: Joseph Flynn, president (Big Wheel); Marvin Geiger, vice-president (Hub); Edwin Jerabek, secretary (Spokes). Miss Fanning is the leader of these thirteen noisy warriors.

Joseph Flynn.

History Club

The History Club was organized two years ago with the object of studying interesting and important happenings throughout the world.

The League of Nations has been the subject of very careful study by the club. Two members, Florence Billing and Antoinette Smith, took the examination in the League of Nations Contest. The officers of the club are Florence Billing, president; Max Kolinsky, vice-president; Alyce Neihart, secretary; Bertha Ward, treasurer. Miss Hoffman is the advisor of the club.

Kathryn La Favor.
Service Club

THE purpose of the Service Club is to render service for the benefit of the school.

One of the biggest undertakings of the Service Club was serving at the football banquet and decorating the cafeteria.

The girls spent a good deal of their time in making vests for the Minstrel Show and in decorating the stage for assemblies.

The Service Club meetings are devoted to discussions of problems in etiquette. Miss Heinemann, our advisor, has brought many interesting things from foreign lands to show the Service Club.

The Service Club is ready to help with any social affairs in the school.

Marguerite Davis

G. A. A.

THE Girls' Athletic Association is the only club in the school which is devoted entirely to the encouragement of athletics for girls. Members of our club may win an "H" by participating in outdoor sports. A certain number of points are given for each activity. Points are also given if a student takes gymnasium after the regular four terms. For the little "H" six hundred points are needed, and for the large "H" eight hundred points are required. All the members thoroughly enjoy the time spent in these healthy pastimes and are more than delighted with the award they receive.

Ruth Franz.
Biology Club

The officers of the Biology Club are Alvin Jarvis, president; Joe Schwarz, vice-president; James Wilkus, secretary; Glen Gallatin, sergeant-at-arms.

The activities are the discussion of topics having to do with late biologic questions and of miscellaneous things which pertain to life. The Biology Club assumes the care of the school grounds. The members take great satisfaction in being able to pay respect to the memory of Miss Peyton by planting a weeping willow on the school grounds.

The club urges the co-operation of the students in keeping up the campus.

James Wilkus.

Library Club

The purpose of this club is to beautify the library and to become familiar with the good-literature of America. All those who are interested in literature or in library work are welcome to join.

The Library Club recently sponsored an assembly for the benefit of the St. Paul Public Library. Another activity was the selling of pencils to raise enough funds for Humboldt's library.

With the help of Miss Bastin, our advisor, the Library Club has been very active. The officers of the club are: president, Ann Klaimon; vice-president, Anna Cohen; secretary, Eva Cooper; treasurer, Eva Pertzik.

Ann Klaimon.
Chess Club

BECAUSE chess is one of the most interesting of indoor games, the members have joined the Chess Club. Weekly meetings are held in Mr. Powles' chemistry lab room. The students most interested in chess are sophomore boys, but there are a number of older members. Officers are Harry Belinsky, president; Ben Price, vice-president; John Farley, secretary-treasurer; and Mr. Powles, faculty advisor.

Harry Belinsky.

Swimming Club

IF YOU want to join a live organization, see Bernard Koenke, captain for 1931, or Mr. Peterson, faculty advisor. Dues are $1.00, payable at the meeting place. Y. M. C. A. Swimmers, welcome to the Mystic Knights of the Pool.

George Ball has been captain of the 1930 swimming team; Orlow Simmons, student manager; and Mr. Peterson, faculty advisor.

Walter Pusch.
Hockey

The hockey team was made up of such stars as Captain Marvin Geiger, Allan and Howard Van, Mason Carlton, Bill Haedrich, Gordon Barron, James Wilkus, Gordon Root, and John Grogan.

Marvin Geiger, who was chosen captain, Howard Van, and Gordon Root were selected on All-City Teams.

The prospects for next year's team are bright, as most of the players will be back next year.

Wylie Van, a former Humboldt star, coached the team this year. He encouraged a fighting spirit in the boys besides helping their playing.

Joseph Flynn.

The Basketball Team

The Humboldt basketball team had a successful season. In the city conference they won four and lost four. The fact that the winner of the city conference won the state championship shows the kind of opposition our boys were up against.

As Mechanics dominated the play, it was very hard for other schools to place men on the all-star teams, but Humboldt managed to place Knodle and Lacy on the second all-city teams. Matthew Mortenson was given honorable mention.

John Muer and Lyle Johnson were steady players, while Harold Zovatsky and Eugene Happe were good reserves.
ATHLETICS

Looking Backward on the Athletic Year

BY IRVING WALDMAN

WE HAVE just completed the year of 1929-30. From an athletic point of view it has not been a spectacular year, but one of which we need not be ashamed. We have had good teams but no exceptional ones. If our teams have not been sensational ones, they have been the opposite—sensible.

Although our football season resulted in only one conference game victory for our school, the play throughout the season has been such as to merit applause, and appreciation of the team. With a pang of regret we review the Humboldt-Johnson game. For the first time in six consecutive years a Johnson football team succeeded in outscoring a Humboldt group. With the score tied and only two minutes left to play, Johnson made a touchdown. To the astonishment of the spectators the whistle was immediately blown. Our warriors were on the run, and we believe that the gist of our story would have been different had the extra two minutes been played. We have had a group of boys perform for us of whom we may well be proud. Commencement brings with it the passing of William Haedrich, Louis Greengard, Joe Flynn, and Arthur Pagel.

A better comparison of our basketball team is available because there have been more contests from which to judge. Here we had a team in a conference with two

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teams about its equals. A third team that was much better, and the fourth, a super-team, an athletic machine. Here was a team that came back in spite of the setbacks it received and beat both teams that were in its own class, and gave its stronger opponents a hard fight. This team turned the tables on Johnson and beat the Governors, which no other Humboldt basketball team had done for six years. The remarkable Mechanic Arts High School team, which we wish to congratulate upon its fine achievement in bringing the state basketball championship to St. Paul, beat our boys only by three points in the first game played against us. Captain Robert Lacy, Lyle Johnson, and Eugene Happe, who added many thrills to the basketball season, are graduating and their loss is regretted.

Our hockey team was something to write home about. The followers of this sport had the opportunity to see a team of excellent players winning games without a great deal of trouble. Only once were these stars beaten and then only by one chance puck shot that went astray. This defeat was administered through the courtesy of the Mechanics Trainers, and cost our team the championship. Only one round of hockey was played this year. It is our belief that had a longer season been played the championship would be in a different school. If we were asked to point out the biggest disappointment of the athletic year we would place our finger on the short hockey season, Wilkus and Root will not be back next year.

As one who views sports from the sidelines, I believe that I express the sentiment of all the fans in thanking the teams for giving their efforts to Humboldt.

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ALUMNI NOTES

Eunice Ryan, class of '25, who received her B. A. in Music from the University last June, has been continuing her study of music in New York City. the past year under Madame Lhevine of the Juilliard School of Music.

Edward Petry, '29, is an airplane mechanic at the Wold-Chamberlain field for the Universal Air Lines Company.

Stanley Ottinger, '29, is employed at the Western Union Telegraph Office.

Alice Olson, '29, is working for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

Dorothy Truhlar, '29, is working at the St. Paul Dispatch in the circulation department.

Harold Earney, '29, is employed in the office of Armour and Company.

Raymond Staples, '29, is employed by the City Loan Company.

Ronald Gedatus, '29, is working at Rayner Hardware Store.

Glen Kuehn, '29, is employed by Swift and Company.

Sam Silver, '28, is attending the University of Minnesota.

Edward Wentz, '22, of Sharon, Pa., is to be married in August in Oradell, New Jersey.

Albert Pallas, '27, is one of the youngest students attending the University of Minnesota. He is a sophomore.

Pearl Berkus, '29, is attending the Globe Business College.

Lawrence Freudenberg, '23, is a machinist at the American Farm Machinery Company.

Downing Godfrey of the class of 1916, a former Humboldt athlete, died in Baltimore, March 23. The staff extends its sympathy to the members of his family.

The staff also extends its sympathy to the family of Mrs. Jack Perlman (Rose Lipschultz, '16). Mrs. Perlman died on March 6.

Laurence Novotny, '26, is an agent for the Aetna Life Insurance Company.
Robert Smith, '20, is an agent for the Equitable Life Assurance Company. He was admitted to the bar in 1927.

Eleanor Weiss, '29, is employed by the Western Union Telegraph Company.

Robert McCoy, '28, is working for Armour and Company at South St. Paul.

Miss How: "Where is your excuse, Donald?"
Donald: "My mother wasn't at home, she went over to our neighbor's house for some time."
Miss How: "Some time? What are you talking about?"
Donald: "Sure, she said that she was going over to Mrs.—— for a moment."

Editor: "This joke isn't bad. But what has the picture got to do with it? It seems to me to be merely a study of sea and sky."
Lady: "Well, if you read it again, you'll see that it's a conversation between two members of a submarine."

Mr. Powles: "Every plant and flower must have photo-synthesis in order to grow."
Delmer Bowers: "What about mushrooms? They grow in caves."

Miss Plufka: "In the end of the play someone always dies or gets married."
Geo. Messenger: "It's all the same."

First Soph: "Why don't you carry that joke upstairs and throw it into the box? The editor might publish it."
Second Soph: "Aw, that would be carrying a joke too far."

Mr. Billing to wandering student: "Next time you want to speak to someone you ask me—and I'll tell you you can't."
Random Shots
from the bows of Humboldt Indians

RED hair and freckles. I presume that you are thinking I have chosen an unusual topic for a sketch.

Not very many people possess Titian tresses. Perhaps you did not know that four and one-half per cent of the feminine element at Humboldt are redheads.

Red hair has the characteristic of being accompanied, usually, by a quick temper and those tan spots known as freckles.

Although there are only thirty-six so-called "redheads" at Humboldt, they could make things "plenty hot" for the rest of us, should they all become angry at once.

Ethel Skeels.

Irving Waldman: "I just thought of a good joke."

Walter Pusch: "Aw, think of somebody besides yourself."

A new height of optimism has been discovered. George Messenger took a flashlight outside after the performance of Purple Towers to see what time it was by the sun-dial.

Bill Haedrich: "Are you a track man, too?"

John Neihart: "Sure. I used to work on the section."

Betty Rupert has a habit of getting her tongue twisted. One day she walked up to Helen Gould and said: "Oh! Lois, I was going to call you Mary, Violet."

Ruth Goldberg: "Anda then Chaucer—anda after that—anda—"

Miss Graves: "Anda, anda, anda! Always you beginna with anda!"

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