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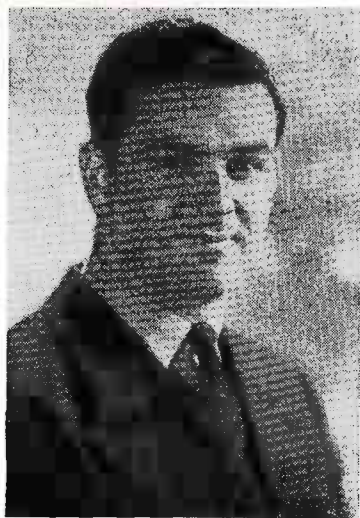
Preface

This year we, the staff of "The Wilsonian," present to our public a complete record of the school year 1942.

For the Seniors we leave a book of pleasant memories of their last year in high school.

We want to thank the following for their cooperation and services: Miss Corwin, Mrs. Tuthill, Miss Evans, Mr. Stillwell, Mr. Chamberlain, and Mr. Hart. Especially we wish to thank all advertisers and well-wishers for making this book possible.





Mr. Wiedrich

Dedication

To Mr. Wiedrich and Mr. Fluent, the students, the Press Club, and the Class of 1942, dedicate this, the third yearbook of Wilsonian High School.



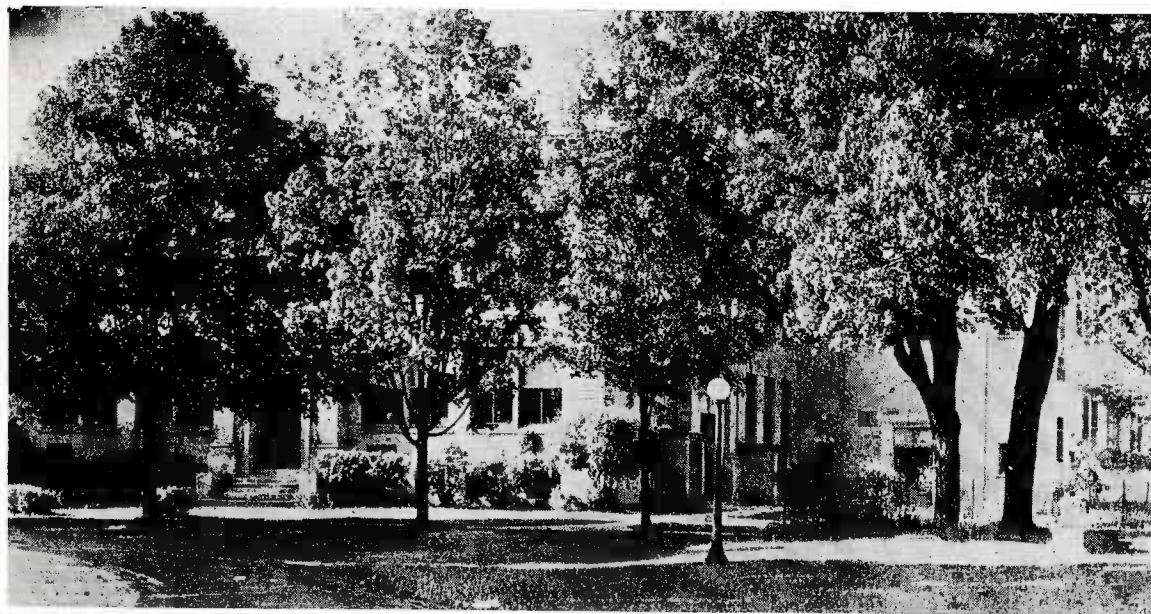
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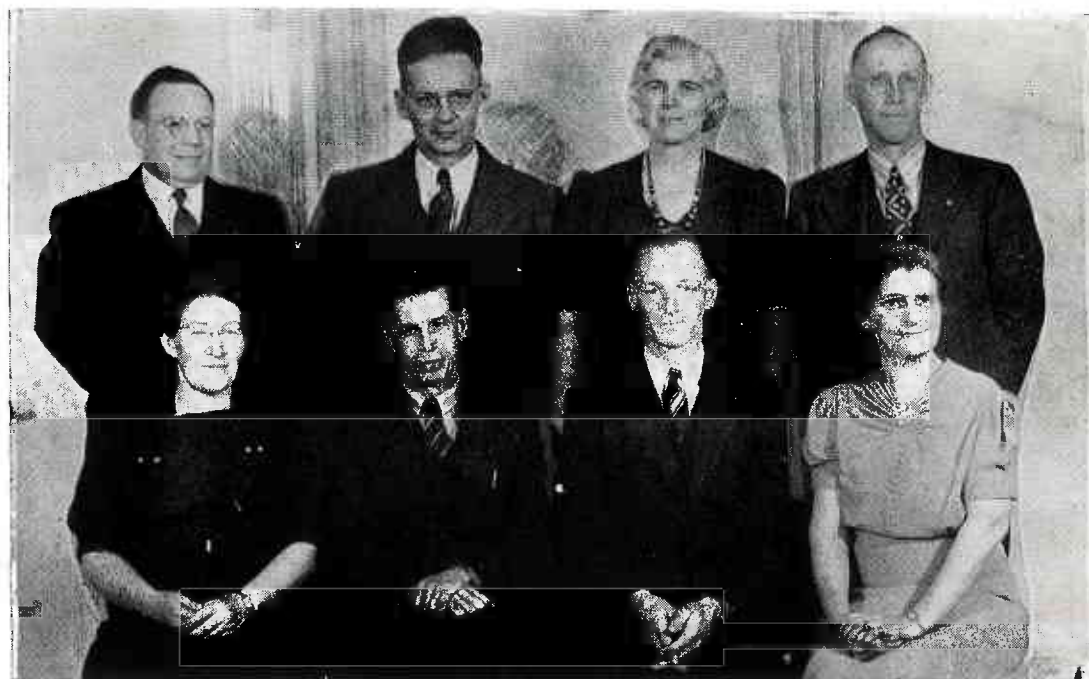




Alma Mater

All hail to thee, Wilsonian,
This school we love so dear.
Thy loyal sons and daughters true,
Throughout the passing years,
Will always fondly think of thee
And gladly sing thy praise.
All hail to thee, Wilsonian,
And Alma Mater days.





Board of Education

Front Row, left to right—Mrs. W. F. Lilly, Mr. E. W. Dorsey, President Raymond Mott, Mrs. G. A. Palmer.

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Geneseo State Normal School
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Buffalo State Teachers College
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Elmira College, A. B.
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Houghton College, A. B.
St. Bonaventure, B. S., M. A.
Fredonia Normal
Ithaca College

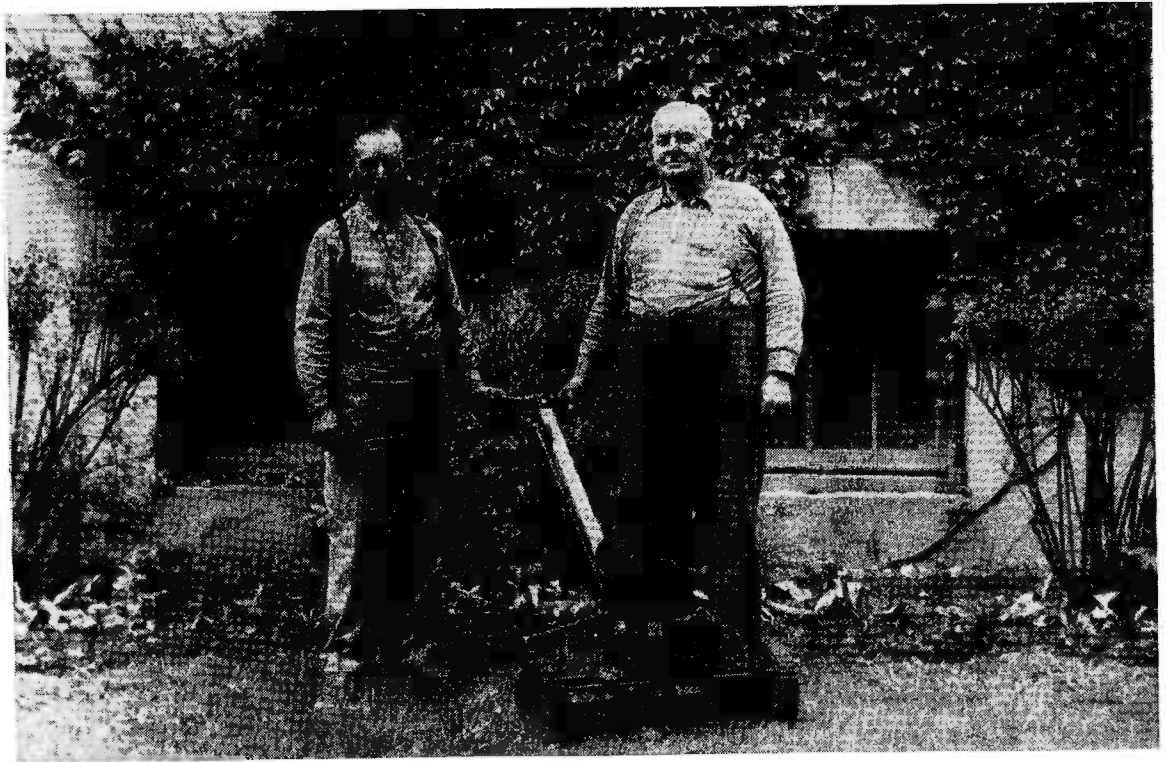
Principal
First Grade
Second and Third Grades
Fourth and Fifth Grades
Sixth Grade
Seventh Grade, Art
Eighth Grade
Commercial Department
Latin Dept., English I, Ec. Geog.
English Dept., Library, History B
French Dept., Social Studies
Science, Mathematics
Music Department
Physical Education





Janitors

Bruce Deming and Allan Wallace



Academic





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BUTTON, ARTHUR PAUL
(Art)
Treasurer of Student Govt. 4
Glee Club 4
Basketball 2-3-4
Baseball 2-3-4
Gym Demonstration 3-4
Manager of Senior Play 4
Soccer 3-4
Allegheny County Class C Basketball All-Star 4
Operetta 4
Captain of Basketball Team 4
Senior Dance Decorating Committee 4
"Sow the seeds of toil, and you will reap the harvest of success."



COLBURN, DOROTHY L.
(Dot)
Latin Club 2-3
Press Club 4
"Life is what you make it."



DOWD, EDWARD (Eddie)
Latin Club 1-2-3-4-5
President 5
"Is he man or mouse?"

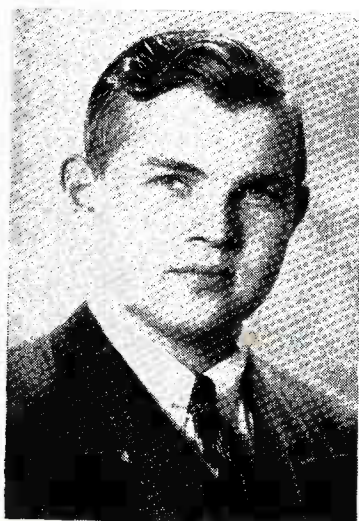


CRONK, LILA JEAN
(Cronkie)
← "To be or not to be."





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FELDBAUER, ROBERT JOSEPH (Bob)
Basketball 2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Soccer 2-3-4
Glee Club 2-3-4
French Club 3
Band 4
Physical Education Demonstration 2-3-4
Senior Play 4
Operettas 2-3-4
Badminton 1-2-3
Senior Dance—Chairman of Checking Coats
Science Club 1
"His voice is as a nightingale's."



FIELDS, MYRTLE JANE (Mo)
Science Club 1
Press Club 2-3-4
Latin Club 1-2-3-4
"Gentle, painstaking, forgiving."



GRAHAM, SARA (Toots)
Latin Club 1-2-3
Glee Club 1-3-4
Operetta 1-2-3
Physical Education Demonstration 1-2-3
Press Club 4
"The way to a man's heart is through his stomach."



GALLMAN, ROWENA (Roe)
Latin Club 1-2
French Club 3-4
Press Club 3
Physical Education Demonstration 2-4
Senior Play—Property Manager 4
"When I grow too old to dream—"





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HALL, DONALD ERWIN
(Donnie)
Press Club 4 Basketball 2-3-4
Latin Club 2 Baseball 2-3-4
French Club 3 Soccer 1-2-3-4
President Student Gov't. 4
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1-2-3-4
Glee Club 2-3-4; Sr. Play 3-4;
All Star (Bsktbl) Roch. Sec. 4
All County A-B-C 4 and C 4
Olean Times All-Star Player 4
Operetta 2-3-4; Sch. Mimeo. 4
Senior Dance—Dec. Com. 4
Chrmn Stud. Const't'l Conv. 4
Orchestra 1-2 Band 1-2-3-4
Chief Ref. Intra. Basketball 4
Treasurer of Junior Class 3
Olean Herald Quiz Contest 4
Science Club 1
Vice-Pres. Senior Class 4
"Oh where the paths of life may
lead him."



HOWE, DORIS JANE
Glee Club 2-3-4
Physical Education Demon-
stration
Press Club 3
Latin Club 2
French Club 2-3-4, President 4
Senior Play 3-4
Operetta 3-4
Senior Dance Chairman 4
Cheerleader 3-4
Junior Class Secretary 3
"Beauty plus."



MORTON, MURIEL (Mary)
Glee Club 1-2-3-4
French Club 2-3-4
Press Club 1
Operetta 3-4
Physical Education Demon-
stration 1-2-4
Latin Club 1
Science Club 1
"One is enough."



JONES, GERALD (Jonesy)
Basketball 1-2
Manager of Basketball 4
Manager of Soccer 4
Baseball 2-3
Senior Play 4
Operettas 2-3-4
Glee Club 2-3-4
Senior Dance Publicity Man-
ager 4
Physical Education Demon-
stration 2
"As talkative as a run-down
phonograph."





MOTT, ARLENE W. (Montie)
Vice-President Student Council 4
Latin Club 1-2-3
French Club 2-3
Senior Play 2-4
Press Club 1-2-3-4
Operetta 2
Physical Education Demonstration 2-4
President Senior Class 4
President Junior Class 3
State Typing Contest 2
Olean Herald Quiz Contest 4
Glee Club 1-3-4
Drama Club 1
Science Club 1

"A stitch in time saves nine."



PALMER, HARLAND
ROBERT (Perna)
Latin Club 1-2
French Club 3-4
Soccer 4
Physical Education Demonstration 3-4
Operetta 4
Senior Play 2-3-4
General Science Club 1
Band 4
Orchestra 1
Glee Club 4
Olean Herald Quiz Contest 4
"Carry on."



SCHOLLA, ELMAR (Ella)
Sec'y Student Council 4; Sec'y Senior Class 4; Glee Club 3-4; Operetta 3-4; Press Club 3-4; Latin Club 1-2-3; Sec'y French Club 3; French Club 4; Phys. Ed. Dem. 2-4; Science Club 1
"Ready and willing."



RENIFF, MATILDA (Tillie)
←
Salutatorian; Glee Club 2-3-4; French Club 1-2-3-4; Fr. Club Treasurer 4; Science Club 1; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Op. Prompter 4; Press Club 2-3-4; Drama Club 1; Stud. Council Rep. 4; Senior Play 2-4; Gym. Dem. 4; Sr. Dance, Refreshmt. Chrmn; Latin Club 1.

"Let a word to the wise be sufficient."





SILFIES, MAXINE (Babe)

Latin Club 1
French Club 1-2-3
Glee Club 2-3-4
Senior Play 3
Physical Education Demonstration 1-2-3-4
Operetta 1-2-3-4
State Typing Contest 3
Winner of Badminton Tournaments 2-3
Cheerleader 1-2-3-4

"Be ye kind one to another, tender-hearted, forgiving each other."



TIDD, LOIS (Lidd)

French 2-3-4

"To forgive is to be forgiven."

STILLWELL, GLORIA (Gordy)

Valdictorian
Press Club News Editor 2
Press Club Editor 3-4
Latin Club 1-2-3
French Club 2-3-4
Senior Play 2-3-4
Class Officer, Vice-Pres. 3;
Treasurer 4
Orchestra 1-2-4
Band 1-2-4
Physical Education Demonstration 2-4
Olean Herald Quiz Contest 4
New York State Typing Contest 3
Treasurer of ACSPA 4
"Patience has its own reward."





Senior Outline

	Nickname	Biggest Crush	My Best Pal	Destination	My Specialty
A. Button	Art	Doris	My little feet	Pro. baseball player	Writing compositions
D. Colburn	Dot	Undecided	Bashfulness	Beautician	Studying
L. Cronk	Cronkie	Could be Shorty	My candy box	Nurse	Walking to the Post Office
E. Dowd	Eddie	Dot Balcom	My truck	A-1 farmer	My Latin
R. Feldbauer	Bob	Not certain	Whiskers	Singer	English IV
M. Fields	Mo	Ed. Simmons	Dot Balcom	Nurse	Selling tickets
R. Gallman	Roe	Bob W.	Marsha	Hard telling	Drawing Milk to Belmont
S. Graham	Toots	Gordy	Butch	Mrs. Demick	Making noises
D. Hall	Hallie	Jane	Jane's little brother	Physical Ed.	Flirting
J. Howe	Howe	Don	The car	Dietician	Bicycling
G. Jones	Jonesy	Loretta	My mouth	Center St.	Mowing lawns
M. Morton	Mary	Claire	Ella	Secretary	Biting my finger nails
A. Mott	Montie	Pvt. Finch	My letters	The Army	Eating candy bars
H. Palmer	Perna	B. Schuyler	Ability to entertain	Cub reporter	Throwing away gum
M. Reniff	Tillie	Charlie	My ring	A Mrs.	History C
E. Scholla	Ella	Town of Perry	Not my brother	Beautician	Fighting with my brother
M. Silfies	Babe	Art O.	My flowers	Beautician	The moon
G. Stillwell	Gordy	Red F.	My money box	Secretary	Skiping Sunday School
L. Tidd	Lidd	Roy Rogers	My brother	A good fisherman	Being absent





Class Will

We, the class of 1942, do hereby will and bequeath these, our choicest possessions, to those we deem best suited to make proper and fit use of them.

To Bob Warner we leave Edward Dowd's ability to drive a truck, so he may get to school easier.

To Roy Olmstead we give Gloria Stillwell's excellent bookkeeping talents.

Perhaps Keith Sisson could use a few of Harland's many impersonations.

Sara Graham thinks that Merrill Anne would like her ability to catch a man.

With Babe Silfies' permission, we will leave her luck at getting nice jewelry to Audrey Platt.

Jane and Donnie leave their arts of matchmaking to Bob Dorsey and Meda Smith.

We hope George can use Art's super experience as a basketball captain.

Now that Tillie is taken care of, we leave her love life to Dorothy Persutti.

Gerald Jones' heart we will give to Loretta.

Elmae leaves her nickname, Elmie, to Mr. Fluent, so he can twist his tongue for someone else.

Bob Warner might be able to use a few words of encouragement from Rowena.

We will leave Dorothy Colburn's quietness to Mary Persutti.

To Corretha Clark we bequeath Lila Jean's unusual hair-do's.

Probably Howard Torpey would like Bob Feldbauer's talents for singing.

Myrtle Fields is going to loan Julia her desire to be a nurse.

We thought Lois Tidd would like to give her ability to get out of reading an English composition to John Newman.

Last, but not least, to Wilma Rose, Mary Morton wills her talkativeness.

On this, the 21st day of May, 1942, we witness this, the last will and testament of the Senior Class of 1942.

Delores Fitzgerald

Bill Kinhead





Class Prophecy

As the class asked us to prophesy their future, we set sail in our dreamboat for a look into the future.

When we reached shore the first thing in view was a large farmhouse, situated on a hill. As we rapped on the door to inquire about our location, we were greeted by none other than Tillie Reniff, now Mrs. Charles Comstock. We were invited in, and seated on the floor were children noisily talking in French. After a short visit, we decided to be on our way toward town. As we traveled along, a big red truck stopped, and the driver asked if we wanted a lift. To our surprise, it was our old schoolmate, Eddie Dowd, hauling products from the Comstock farm. Trucking seems to be right down Eddie's line.

As we were let out at the corner, a car went whizzing by. A quick glance told us that it was W. H. S.'s old stand-by, Wayne Scott, as usual going no place fast.

Above our heads was a large sign advertising the afternoon's ball game between the Giants and Yankees. As we had no other plans for the afternoon, we decided to attend the game. On the way to the stadium we passed the first aid tent where we saw Lila Jean, dressed in a white nurse's uniform, busily attending to Harlie Palmer, now Cub reporter, who was suffering from sunstroke. We noticed as he slowly recovered, that Harlie still possessed all of his entertaining abilities.

The game was about to begin when two figures walked out onto the field. These two appeared to be very good friends. As they took their places on the field we found that one was Art Button, now a professional pitcher, and the other Don Hall, Coach. Among the crowd we heard a familiar voice shouting, "Come on, Art, do your stuff!" Looking up, we saw Gerald Jones. We were informed that he was now running a soda fountain. It rained fiercely before the game was ended and our hair was a sight. So we scurried to the nearest beauty salon. There we noticed the sign hanging in front which said, "The Three Beauts." There was Elmae Scholla as head beautician, Babe Silfies, who we thought would be Mrs. Arthur Olsowsky, and Dorothy Colburn as assistants.

After sitting in the beauty parlor for three hours we became very hungry, so decided to go to the nearest restaurant for a bite to eat. Who should come to wait on us but the dietitian, Jane Howe. After she had finished with us, she returned to where Coach Hall was sitting with a cute, dark haired little boy beside him. He seemed to address Jane as "mummy," so she must now be Mrs. Donald Hall.

After being served a most delicious dinner we hurried to the theater. Whom should we meet but Gloria Stillwell managing the financial part of the business. After we had been seated we heard a slight commotion and turned around only to find Rowena, now Mrs. Robert Warner, busily nudging her "hubby" in an effort to keep him from snoring. The main event of the evening was a solo, "The White Cliffs of Dover," rendered by Bob Feldbauer, another classmate. This was the song that started Bob on his career. Because the excitement was too much for him, he suffered a severe stroke. An ambulance was summoned, and soon three capable nurses came on the stage. We thought we recognized them, and as we rushed forward we found to our amazement our old pals, Arlene Mott, now Mrs. Finch, Lois Tidd and Myrtle Fields, a Red Cross Nurse now doing her bit for the army.

As we started back for our dreamboat we passed a small cottage. Through the window we saw Mr. and Mrs. Fluent, now an elderly couple, chatting by the fire-side, with their dog, Topper, lying at their feet.

We reached our boat and immediately sailed for home.





Junior Class



Back—Marian Veley, Loretta Armstrong, Merrill Anne Metcalfe, William Kinkead, John Duffy, Roy Olmstead, LaRue Stafford, Dorothy Persutti, Keith Jones, Frank Lowe, Miss Evans.

Front—Bernice Breitwieser, Ellen Dowd, Richard Britton, Keith Sisson, Ruth Jones, Ethel Palmer, Mary Remsen, Gerald Palmer, Robert Dorsey, Everette Colburn, Joseph Herdman.

The Junior Class is composed of twenty-one members. The officers are as follows: President, Bob Dorsey; Vice-President, Keith Sisson; Secretary, Ethel Palmer; Treasurer, Bob Warner.

Several meetings were held by the class this year. During one they decided to select senior rings. At other meetings parties were discussed and student council representatives were selected. The two representatives chosen were Roy Olmstead and Joseph Herdman. The activities for the year consisted of a sleigh ride and a skating party.





Sophomore Class

The Sophomore officers which were elected at the beginning of the year are as follows:

President, James Parson; Vice-President, Bruce Spangler; Secretary and Treasurer, Phyllis Thomas. Student Council Representatives, James Parson, Ann Remsen.

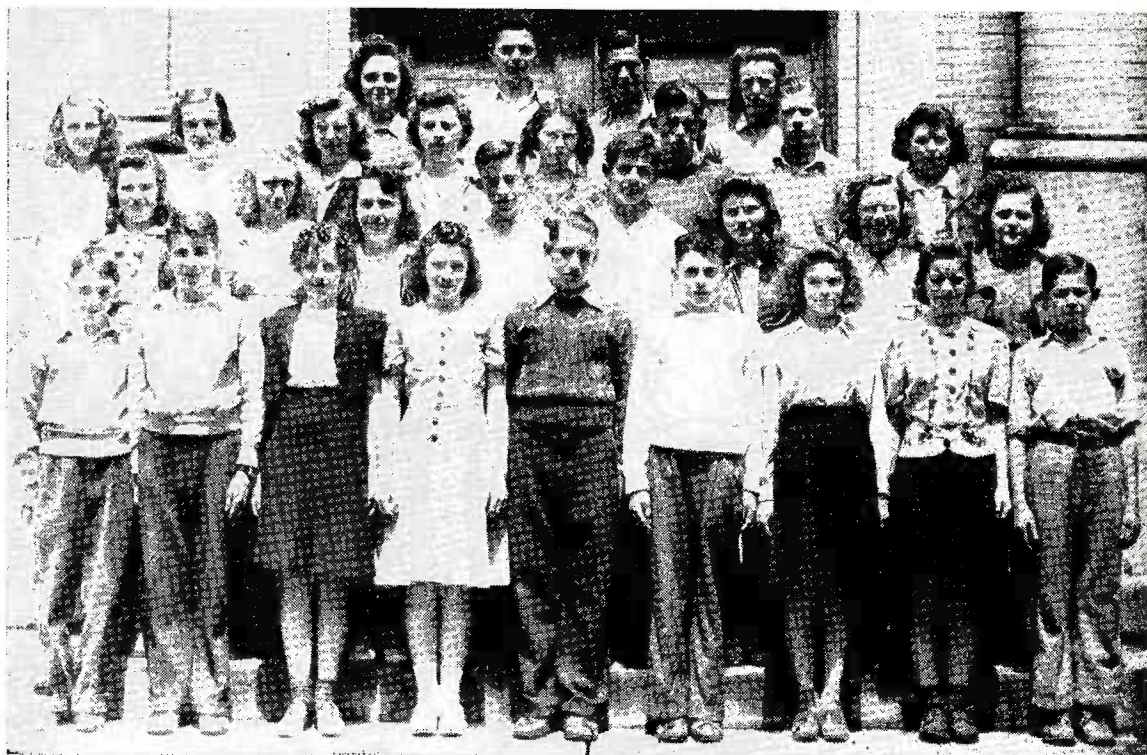
Second Row—Phyllis Thomas, Delores Fitzgerald, Bert Crawford, Marcia Morton, Jeannette Mott, Mary Breitwieser, Ethel Prentice, George Robinson, Mrs. Tut-hill.

First Row—James Parson, Bruce Spangler, Mary Persutti, Ernest Cole, Janet Eldridge, Leo Jones, Wilma Rose, Malcolm Crandall, Corretha Clark, John Newman





Freshman Class



Fourth Row—Ellen Aldrich, Claud Aldrich, Shirley Saxton, Dorothy Hubner.

Third Row—Sally Kitchen, Beulah Clark, Janet Barker, Gertrude Hoffman, Doris Webster, Harry Hooker, Harlan Schrlau, Gladys Bullock.

Second Row—Rita Duffy, Sophie Stucks, Ada Kunz, Howard Torpey, Harry Feldbauer, Audrey Platt, Frances Peckham, Charline Beckwith.

First Row—Robert Britton, Lyle Grusendorf, Rosemary Lytle, Leta Graham, Jack Evans, Bill Thomas, Meda Smith, Mavis Cranda'll, Donald Criss.

At the first meeting of the year, the Freshman Class elected the following officers and representatives to the Student Council:

President—Jack Evans.

Vice-President—Leta Graham.

Secretary-Treasurer—Rosemary Lytle.

Representatives—Donald Criss, Jack Evans.



Elementary





Eighth Grade



Third Row—Arthur Carson, Gertrude Platt, Gladys Oaks, Mati'da Simmons, Sam Meek, Barbara Howe, Edwin Robinson, Ralph Persutti, Betty Case.

Second Row—Miss Daley, Pauline Gotshall, Betty Schuyler, Joyce Daley, Donald Kemp, Shirley Wilson, Betty Webster, Everett Hoffman, Frances Barnes.

First Row—Virginia Hooker, Valerie Simpson, Donald Scholla, Hartley Maxson, Frances Sullivan, Betty Perham, Helen Dearr, Robert Dixon, Wil'iam Remsen.

The following students were elected to the following offices of the eighth grade:

President—Shirley Wilson.

Vice-President—Joyce Daley.

Secretary—Frances Sullivan.

Treasurer—Donald Scholla.

Student Council Representatives—Donald Scholla, Betty Schuyler.

The most important events taking place this year were: the minstrel show which they presented in assembly and the spelling contest which made Valerie Simpson the champion speller.





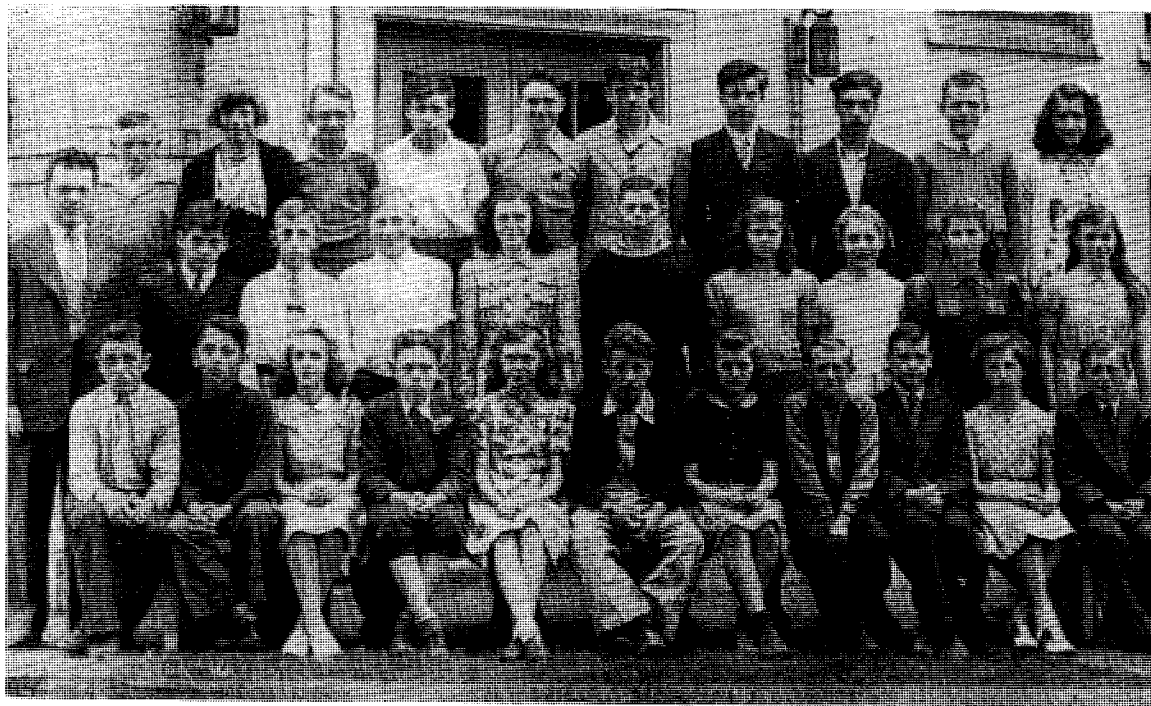
Seventh Grade

The outstanding event during the school year was a puppet show which was presented in assembly.

Third Row—Frank Persutti, Mary Simmons, Donald Hough, Glenn Morris, Donald Ross, Jack Dixon, Jack Brandes, Luther Farnum, Frederick Brounell, Doris Rowe.

Second Row—Mr. Mapes, Neil Mott, Joseph Illerbrun, William Mehlenbacher, Ernestine Crandall, James Feldbauer, Della Bennett, Alberta Bailor, Peggy Roberts, Carol Bailor.

First Row—Hubert Clark, Robert Dixon, Agnes Illerbrun, Donald Rouse, Mary Lou Schuyler, Neil Reniff, Norma Curry, Robert Seeley, David Sisson, Mary Dowd, Donald Tucker.





Fifth and Sixth Grade



Third Row—Ernest Hubner, Mary Louise Perry, Uvonne Beckwith, Lester Morris, Joan Dodge, Clifford Aldrich, Joyce Lilly, Glennora Kemp, Gibson Hufstader, Owen Duffy, Richard Engle.

Second Row—Robert Torpey, Edwin Metcalfe, June Roberts, Anne Roberts, Leslie Mull, Betty Lou Platt, Evelyn Jones, Billy Bosard, Clair Harding, Morton Howe, Miss Barber.

First Row—Eleanor Rose, Mary Ann Dixon, Herbert Protain, Laura Crandall, James Ross, David Oakes, Josephine Sullivan, Duane Waid, Frederick Wixon, Grace Clark, Raymond Brandes, Helen Button.

Representatives to the Student Council for the Fifth and Sixth Grades are: Uvonne Beckwith and Richard Engle.

The grade operetta was considered their most important event, because most of the soloists were from their room.





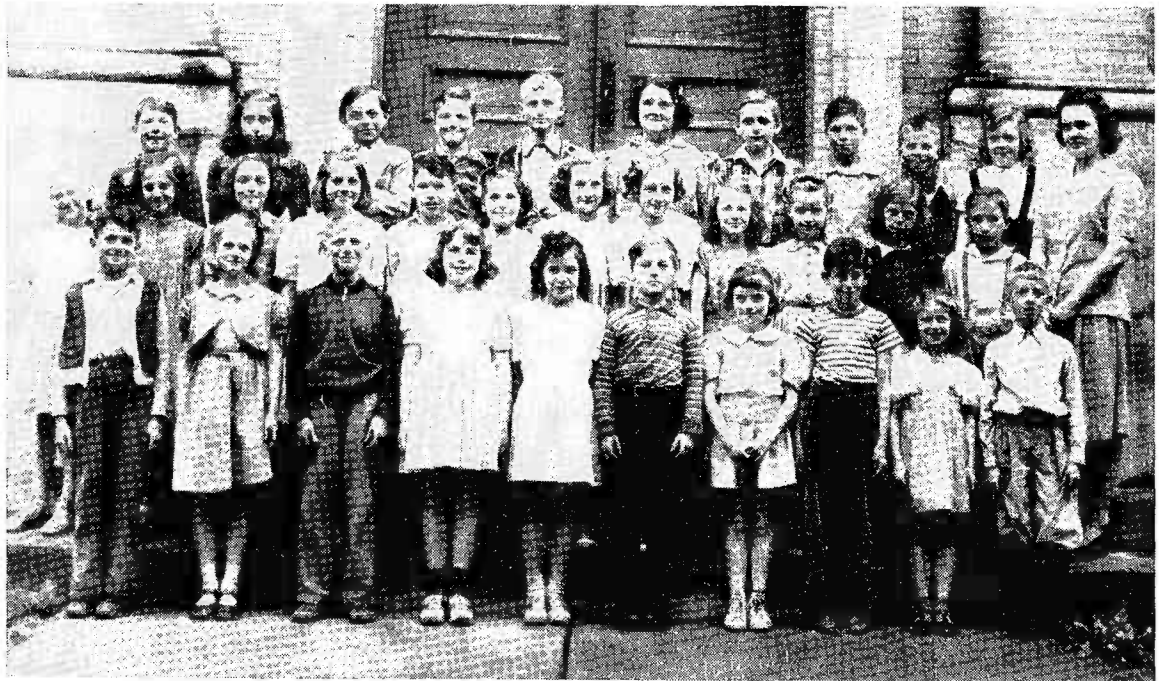
Third and Fourth Grades

The children in the Third Grade helped the Fourth Grade with their Dutch project. They also gave a play about Holland. The big event in the Third Grade were the store they made and their party on Valentine's Day.

Third Row—Lloyd Harding, Doris Kemp, Alvin Simmons, Charles Lane, Vernon Protain, Joan Flanders, Earl Aldrich, Irving Burdick, Stephen Remsen, Patricia Welch.

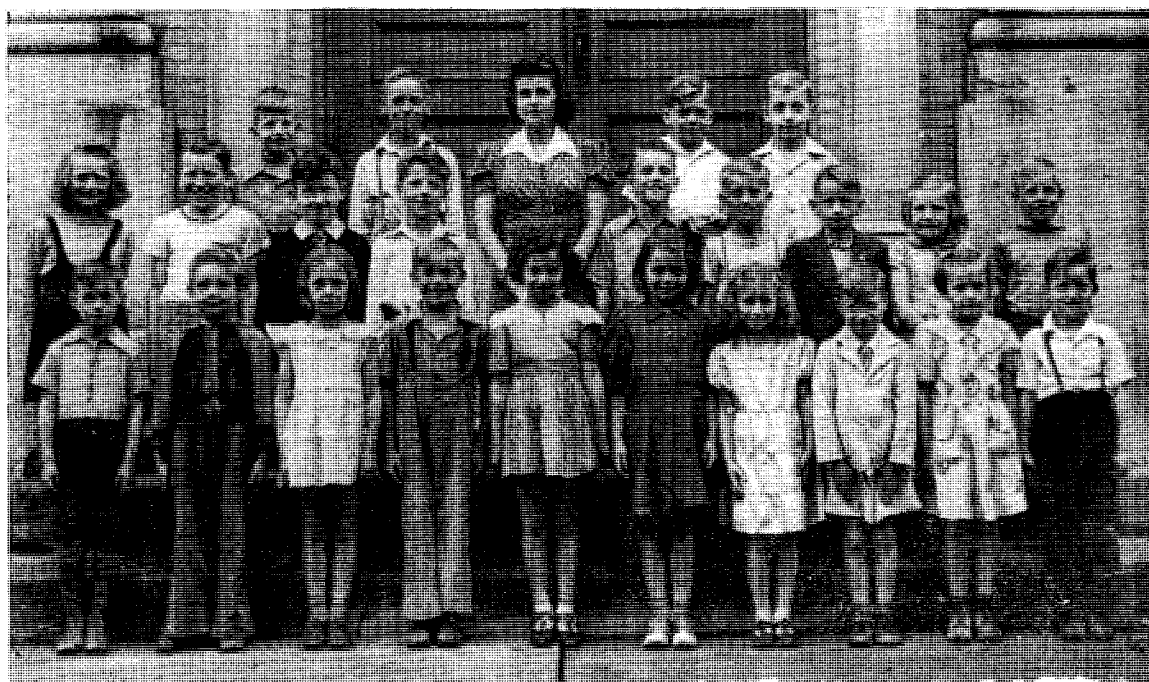
Second Row—Lois Hough, Violet Kimball, Marilyn Chaffee, Jessie Jones, John Ryan, Sally Barker, Jean Jacobs, Joan Jacobs, Janice Graham, Beverly Wilber, Barbara Frazier, Thomas Harding, Miss Burlingame.

First Row—Glenn Bullock, Almeade Mull, Edwinn Hoffman, Carol Hufstader, Jeaneane Beckwith, Donald Bailor, Doris Dodge, Robert Jones, Jeannine Brundage, Donald Waid.





Second Grade



Third Row—Richard Sortore, Kenneth Snyder, Mrs. Smith, Gary Harding, Robert Case.

Second Row—Jacquelyn Best, James Duffy, Alan John Kitchen, Roy Button, Raymond Aldrich, Frank Button, Robert Perry, Beatrice Harding, Eugene Beckwith.

First Row—Robert Crandall, James Perham, Mary Ann Button, Howard Harding, Marilyn Maxson, Betsy Dixon, Neva Hoffman, Asa Simpson, Gail Harding, Albert Spangler.

This year the Second Grade helped with the grade operetta and presented a play in assembly.





First Grade

The children in the First Grade who are old enough to go into Second, have read nine pre-primers, five primers, and five first readers.

Second Row—Donald Roberts, Gloria Harding, Robert Snyder, Maurice Cairns, Mrs. Chamberlain, Andrew Mott, Larry Van Zile, Donna Perry, Ralph Schneider, John Button.

First Row—Mary Jean Mull, Bonnie Aldrich, Virginia Simmons, Mary Lou Oakes, Sandra Grastorf, Benny Baker, John Hunt.



Activities





Student Council



Third Row—Ronald Rouse, Roy Olmstead, Robert Dorsey, Joseph Herdman.

Second Row—Mr. Wiedrich, Mr. Fluent, Richard Engle, James Feldbauer, Donald Scholla, James Parson, Jack Evans, Doris Rowe, Uvonne Beckwith, Matilda Reniff.

First Row—Arthur Button, Arlene Mott, Donald Hall, Elmae Scholla, Betty Schuyler.

This year, for the first time, Wilsonian High has a student government or a government run by and for the students. Early in the year each class from the Sixth Grade on up met and chose two representatives, with the exception of the Senior Class, which chose four. They composed the Constitutional Convention which drew up a constitution consisting of a preamble and several articles for running a student council.

Later the classes met and chose four seniors, Arlene Mott, Jane Howe, Gloria Stillwell and Donald Hall, to run for president of the Student Council. Following this, there was a week of campaigning by the candidates and their campaign managers, climaxed by short speeches in assembly on Friday afternoon. The students then retired to their respective rooms to vote. The results showed a large majority for Donald Hall, who became our first student president.

Since that time the classes have had other meetings to choose their representatives to the Student Council for the remainder of the year. Later the council had a meeting and chose Arlene Mott, Vice-President; Elmae Scholla, Secretary; and Arthur Button, Treasurer.





Press Club

At the first business meeting held by the Press Club the following officers were elected:

President—Phyllis Thomas.

Vice-President—Janet Eldredge.

Secretary—Mary Persutti.

Treasurer—Ethel Palmer.

During the year their work consisted of a column in the "Angelica Advocate" called the "Wilsonian Whispers." They also published several "Keyholes" (the school paper) and the Yearbook.

A new mimeographing set was purchased at the beginning of the year. This greatly improved the "Keyhole" publication.

The following is the party calendar:

Hallowe'en Party—October 30.

Thanksgiving Party—November 13.

Christmas Party—December 15.

Press Club Party—March 19.

Banquet—May 26.

STAFF

Editor-in-Chief—Gloria Stillwell

Asst. Editor-in-Chief—Janet Eldredge

Business Manager—Bert Crawford

Joke Editors—Phyllis Thomas, Delores Fitzgerald

Artists—Keith Sisson, Robert Warner

News Editor—James Parson

Reporters:

Club—Ethel Palmer, Mary Persutti, Rosemary Lytle.

Regular—Gladys Bullock, Charline Beckwith, Sara Graham, Ann Remsen, Dorothy Persutti, Billy Thomas, Kenneth Scholla, Arlene Mott, Janet Barker, Dorothy Colburn, Wilma Rose, John Newman, Merrill Ann Metcalfe, Howard Torpey, Jack Evans.

Typists: Dorothy Balcom, Ruth Jones, Mary Breitwieser, Ellen Dowd, Bernice Breitwieser. Mimeographer: Donald Hall

Third Row—Charline Beckwith, Janet Barker, Merrill Anne Metcalfe, Jane Howe, Phyllis Thomas, Elmae Scholla, Sara Graham, Arlene Mott, Bertha Mae Weaver, Bernice Breitwieser.

Second Row—Miss Corwin, Mrs. Tuthill, Dorothy Persutti, Keith Sisson, Howard Torpey, James Parson, John Newman, Delores Fitzgerald, Lee Dodge, Mary Persutti, Gladys Bullock, Donald Hall, Kenneth Scholla, Miss Evans.

First Row—Jack Evans, Rosemary Lytle, Myrtle Fields, Matilda Reniff, Ethel Palmer, Gloria Stillwell, Janet Eldridge, Bruce Spangler, William Thomas, Wilma Rose, Dorothy Colburn, Bert Crawford.





Latin Club



Back—Myrtle Fields, Dorothy Balcom, Leta Graham, Mavis Crandall, Meda Smith, Dorothy Persutti, Janet Eldredge, Phyllis Thomas, Beulah Clark, Doris Webster, Sally Kitchen, Mrs. Tuthill.

Front—Frances Peckham, Janet Barker, Jeannette Mott, Ethel Palmer, Bert Crawford, Audrey Platt, Edward Dowd, Delores Fitzgerald, John Newman, Charline Beckwith, James Parson, Mary Persutti.

In the fall of the year the Latin Club elected the following officers:

President—Edward Dowd

Vice-President—James Parson

Secretary—Ethel Palmer

Treasurer—Bert Crawford

The activities of the Latin Club have been varied. A skating party at Wells-ville began the club's activities for the year. Next, a movie at Hornell was held. A Christmas party with the Press Club took place in the gym. The high light of the evening was a jitterbug contest. In February, an ice-cream and cake party was held at Ethel Palmer's home, and the following month John Newman entertained the club at his home. At this meeting, ways for earning money for the May banquet were discussed. It was decided to sell chocolate milk and fudge at school.

The big event of the year was the annual banquet for which committees worked arduously. At the banquet all ate according to Roman customs, that is, without using any silverware.





French I Club

On October 19, the French Club elected officers for the coming year. The following officers were chosen:

Mary Persutti—President
Ann Remsen—Vice-President
Rosemary Lytle—Secretary and Treasurer

At Christmas time they had a party at the school where they exchanged gifts, played games, and were served light refreshments.

During the time of heavy snow the class enjoyed a sleigh ride party. They sang songs and took turns riding the horses.

On February 27th the class presented a typical French school room scene in the French assembly.

On April 29th they had a French Banquet which was greatly enjoyed by everyone.

Second Row—Mary Persutti, Dorothy Persutti, Dorothy Hubner, Gladys Bullock, Marcia Morton, Jeannette Mott, Corretha Clark.

First Row—Rosemary Lytle, Miss Duggan, Wilma Rose, Sophie Stucks, Ada Kunz, Rita Duffy, William Thomas, Lyle Grusendorf, Robert Britton.





French II and III Club



Second Row—Miss Duggan, Mary Remsen, Lois Tidd, Muriel Morton, Elmae Scholla, Jane Howe, Gloria Stillwell, Maxine Silfies, Rowena Gallmann, Matilda Reniff.

First Row—Keith Sisson, Bruce Spangler, Harland Palmer.





Senior Play

On December 20th, the students of Wilsonian High School presented for the benefit of the Senior Class of 1942, the play titled "A Howling Success."

"A Howling Success" concerned the antics of a typical American boy and his pal who unraveled a mystery with the help of the hero's Aunt Hepzibah who tried to pacify his parents as they attempted to keep peace and sanity in their home.

The play really lived up to its name, and the fact was not only attributed to the cast's performance but to the hard work of Miss Evans as director; Art Button as stage manager; Ann Remsen as prompter; Rowena Gallman as property manager; Sara Graham and Maxine Silfies as costume managers; and Keith Jones as lighting manager. Others who contributed to the production were: Gerald Jones, publicity manager, and Gloria Stillwell, financial manager.

From left to right—Robert Feldbauer, Ethel Palmer, James Parson, Jane Howe, Harland Palmer, Arlene Mott, Miss Evans, Janet E'dridge, Donald Hall, Mary Remsen.





Celebrity Contest

	BOY	GIRL
Most popular Senior	Donald Hall	Jane Howe
Most popular High School Student	Donald Hall	Ethel Palmer
Best Looking	Donald Hall	Ethel Palmer
Best Student	Roy Olmstead	Gloria Stillwell
Most Athletic	Arthur Button	Maxine Silfies
Best Dancer	Gerald Jones	Delores Fitzgerald
Most Competent	Donald Hall	Gloria Stillwell
Most Bashful	Ernest Cole	Ethel Prentice
Teachers' Worst Pest	George Robinson	Delores Fitzgerald
Laziest	Perry Slade	Maxine Silfies
Best Dressed	Gerald Jones	Jane Howe
Pessimist	William Kinhead	Delores Fitzgerald
Optimist	Donald Hall	Merrill Ann Metcalfe
Biggest Bluff	Lee Dodge	Maxine Silfies
Most Stubborn	George Robinson	Delores Fitzgerald
Biggest Grinner	Ernest Cole	Mary Persutti
Wittiest	Harland Palmer	Delores Fitzgerald
Sweetest	Ernest Cole	Ethel Palmer
Biggest Flirt	Robert Dorsey	Janet Barker
Most Natural	Donald Hall	Elmae Scholla
Dreamiest	Perry Slade	Maxine Silfies
Greatest Talker	George Robinson	Janet Barker
Teachers' Pet	John Newman	Maxine Silfies
Has Done Most for W. H. S.	Donald Hall	Gloria Stillwell



Music





Glee Club



Fourth Row—Arthur Button, Gerald Jones, Harland Palmer, Mr. Metcalfe, Robert Feldbauer, LaRue Stafford, Keith Sisson, Dona'd Hall, Sam Meek.

Third Row—Janet Barker, Jeannette Mott, Barbara Howe, Arlene Mott, Sara Graham, Jane Howe, Rita Duffy, Mary Persutti, Marian Velej, Merrill Ann Metcalfe, Dorothy Persutti, Ellen Aldrich, Muriel Morton, Mary Remsen, Matilda Reniff.

Second Row—Gertrude Hoffman, Francis Peckham, Betty Schuy'ler, Sally Kitchen, Howard Torpey, Robert Dorsey, Elmae Scholla, Gladys Oaks, Bernice Breitwieser, Ethel Prentice.

First Row—Leta Graham, Wilma Rose, Mavis Crandall, Shirley Wilson, Rosemary Lytle, Ada Kunz, Betty Case, Donald Scholla, William Remsen, Maxine Siffies, Charline Beckwith, Joyce Daley, Valerie Simpson, Ethel Palmer.

On the twenty-third of December, 1941, the chorus went Christmas caroling through the town. Afterwards they enjoyed sandwiches, cake, and cocoa at the home of Mrs. Newman. A selected chorus from the glee club presented an operetta entitled "The Nautical Knot," on April 24, 1942. On May 15, 1942, the glee club presented a joint concert with the band and orchestra. The Glee Club also took part in the annual Spring Music Festival at Houghton College.





Band

The school band this year is much better and larger than ever before. The credit for vast improvement goes to the director, Mr. Metcalfe.

There are 31 members in the band. They have furnished music for a few grade assemblies. They played for the Spring Concert on May 15th and made a tour to Houghton to play there at the Music Festival on May 21st. Also, during the year the band entertained the Firemen and marched for the Memorial Day Parade.

Standing—Jeannette Mott, Mr. Metcalfe, Donald Hall, Robert Feldbauer, Merrill Ann Metcalfe, Mary Remsen.

Third Row—Dorothy Hubner, Gladys Bullock, Mavis Crandall, Beulah Clark, Bert Crawford, Robert Beckwith, Howard Torpy, William Remsen, Joan Dodge, Stephen Remsen, Gerald Palmer, Donald Ross, Bob Dorsey.

Second Row—Audrey Platt, Leta Graham, Everette Hoffman, Jack Evans, Barbara Howe, Gertrude Platt, Ada Kunz.

First Row—Gloria Stillwell, Rosemary Lytle, Janet Barker, Harold Palmer, Malcom Crandall, James Parson, Sally Kitchen, Betty Schuyler, Mary Persutti.





Orchestra



Third Row—Mr. Metcalfe; Mary Remsen, Bass Horn; Merrill Anne Metcalfe, Bass Drum; Ada Kunz, Trombone; Marian Veley, Piano; Dorothy Persutti, Piano.

Second Row—Corretha Clark, Violin; Beulah Clark, Violin; Barbara Howe, Trumpet; Sally Kitchen, Cornet; Betty Schuyler, Trumpet; Mary Persutti, Cornet; Gladys Bullock, Saxophone; Leta Graham, Clarinet; Audrey Platt, Clarinet.

First Row—Jeannette Mott, Violin; Charline Beckwith, Violin; Gloria Stillwell, Clarinet; Rosemary Lytle, Clarinet; Janet Barker, Clarinet.

The orchestra is composed of seventeen members this year. Although it is a young organization, the orchestra has played several times in public and has done very commendable work. It furnished intermission music for the Senior Play and also presented a joint concert with the Glee Club and Band on May 15th.





Senior Operetta

"A Nautical Knot" or "The Belle of Barnstapole," was presented by the high school music department on April 24th. Dealing with the love complications of the sailor lads and their maidens, the operetta provided many moments of suspense, beauty, and humor.

Third Row—Leta Graham; Sam Meek, Mary Persutti, Robert Dorsey, Howard Torpey, Arthur Button, Robert Feldbauer, Gerald Jones, Sally Kitchen, Dorothy Persutti, Mary Remsen, LaRue Stafford, Ada Kunz, Charline Beckwith, Jane Howe, Robert Warner, Ethel Palmer, Muriel Morton.

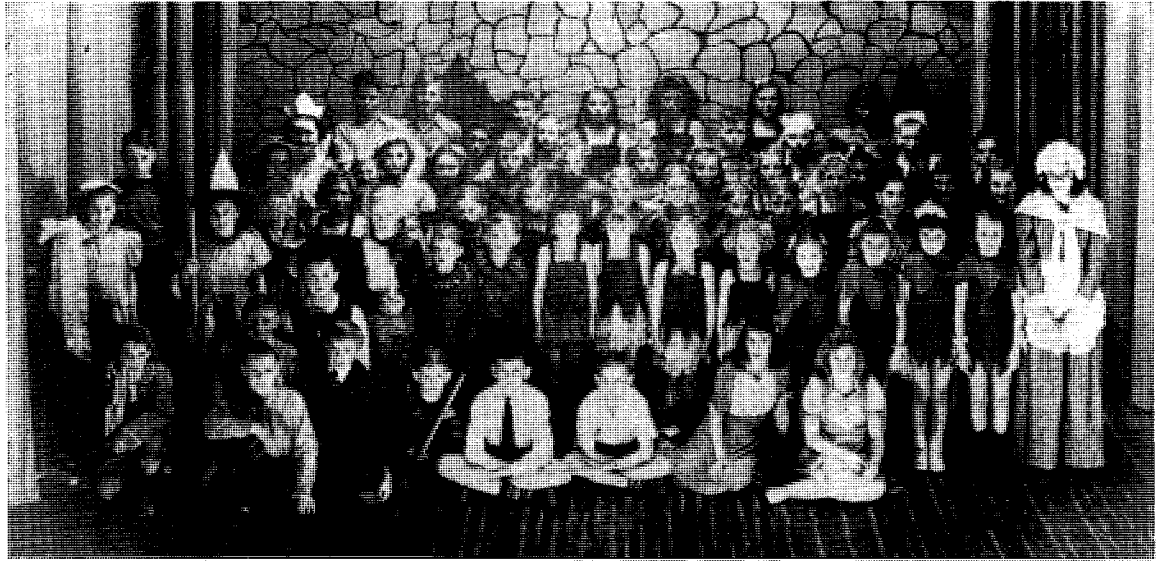
Second Row—William Remsen, Donald Hall, Maxine Silfies, Betty Schuyler, Harland Palmer.

First Row (Seated)—Jeannette Mott, Janet Barker, Donald Schol'a, Keith Sisson.





Junior Operetta



Fifth Row—James Feldbauer, William Mehlenbacher, Grace Clark, Agnes Illerbrun, Evelyn Jones, Alberta Bailor, Ernestine Crandall, Edwin Metcalfe, Carol Bailor, Mary Louise Perry, Della Bennett, Ernest Hubner, Clair Harding.

Fourth Row—Joan Flanders, Lois Hough, Joan Dodge, Marilyn Chaffee, Patricia Welch, Helen Button, Florence Burd, Mary Ann Dixon, Uvonne Beckwith.

Third Row—Richard Engle, Joyce Lilly, Jacquelyn Best, Martin Skiver, Patricia Skiver, James Duffy, Kenneth Snyder, Frank Button, Robert Case, Eleanor Rose, Norma Curry.

Second Row—Anne Roberts, Josephine Sullivan, Morton Howe, David Oakes, Albert Spangler, Richard Scholes, Marilyn Maxson, Sylvia Graham, Mary Ann Button, Sandra Grastorf, Jeaneane Beckwith, Janice Graham, Doris Rowe.

First Row—James Ross, Frank Persutti, David Sisson, Donald Tucker, Andrew Mott, Neil Mott, Robert Seeley, Peggy Roberts, Betty Lou Platt.

On March 20th the Grade School presented "The Land of Dreams Come True," an operetta in three acts. This musical drama dealt with children who, growing tired of everyday life, wished for a look at Mother Goose Land. By eating magic berries they entered this Land of Dreams Come True where they had many enjoyable adventures.

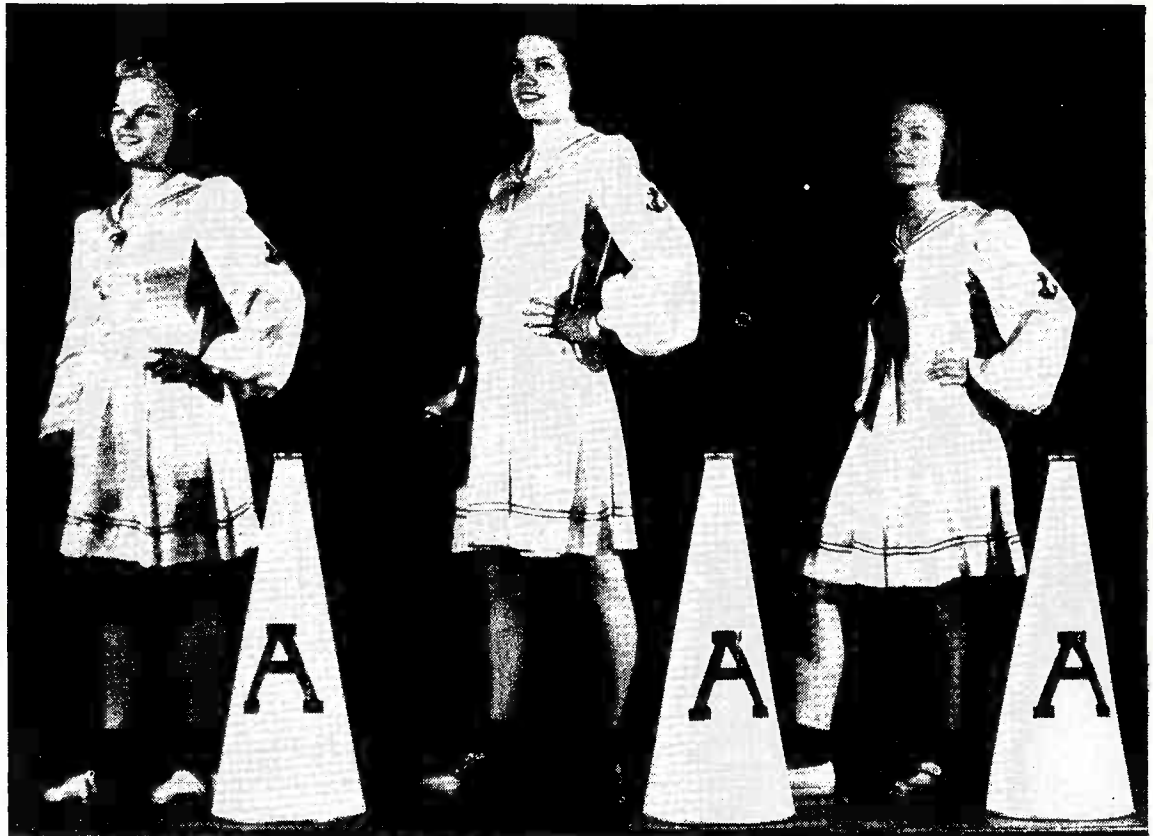


Sports





Cheer Leaders



Left to Right—Ethel Palmer, Jane Howe, Maxine Silfies.

Physical Education Demonstration

This year Coach Wiedrich presented a program which surpassed those of other years. The schedule consisted of marching, volley ball, pyramids, and mat and spring board work. Of course there was the usual comedy act which was very amusing.

The climax of this year's program was in reality one of the most entertaining features of the program. The lights were turned out, and then a mysterious sound was heard. At a given command lights were turned on. These lights were flash-lights covered with red cellophane. Boys held these lights in a position so that they formed a V. Also there were three dots and a dash representing V in Morse code.

This demonstration showed many long hours of practice on the part of the boys and girls, as well as the coach.

Athletic Banquet

This year the annual Athletic Banquet was held in the Methodist Church. The invocation was given by Father McCarthy. After a fine meal was eaten, Manager Jones gave statistics about the scoring of the various players throughout the basketball season. Coach Wiedrich then presented the awards for basketball, baseball, and soccer. The guest speaker, Coach Yunevich of Alfred University, gave a thought-provoking speech concerning good sportsmanship.





Basketball

The "Red Raiders" of 1942 again set a new record for consecutive victories. After three defeats, administered by Arcade and Alfred-Almond, they started their winning streak which carried them to Rochester, where they met defeat after a hard fight against North Rose. Their record of conquest is as follows:

Friendship 28-21; Belfast 34-29; Rushford 40-7; Belmont 23-18; Canaseraga 38-24; Friendship 20-15; Belfast 44-28; Rushford 37-26; Belmont 30-25; Canaseraga 36-22.

County Play Off

Whitesville 43—Angelica 54

Quarter Finals

Savona 34—Angelica 38

Rochester Play Offs

North Rose 32—Angelica 22

Groveland 37—Angelica 28

Individual scoring for the season is as follows: Donald Hall—184; Arthur Button—150; Robert Feldbauer—115; Harry Feldbauer—22; Bruce Beckwith—7; George Robinson—29; William Kinkead—5; Robert Dorsey—4.

Standing—Gerald Jones, Manager.

Left to right—Robert Dorsey, George Robinson, Coach Wiedrich, Arthur Button, Donald Hall, Robert Feldbauer, Harry Feldbauer, Jack Duffy, Malcolm Crandall, William Kinkead, LaRue Stafford.

In front—Morton Howe, Mascot.





Baseball



Second Row—Mr. Wiedrich, George Robinson, Robert Feldbauer, Donald Hall, Arthur Button, John Duffy, Keith Sisson, Robert Dorsey, James Parson.

Front Row—William Thomas, Harry Feldbauer, Bruce Spangler, Frank Lowe, Kenneth Scholla.

The 1942 baseball season for Wilsonian High School proved to be very successful. The team became Allegany County Champions for Class B-C, after winning 6 games and losing 1. The Alfred-Almond game was won by Spangler's hit in the last of the seventh when the bases were loaded. In like manner, a hit by Sisson brought victory over Scio. In the play-off at Belmont, the Angelica team defeated Fillmore 8-2, and thus they became the champions of Allegany County. This enabled them to encounter the Arkport team which they defeated in Hornell. As a result of this victory the team journeyed to Rochester, where they lost to Churchville, 13-2.

Players	Position	Bat'g Ave's.	Games Played	Won	Lost
Sisson	Third base	.346	Alfred-Almond	(here) 8-7	
Spangler	Pitcher, ss	.320	Scio	(here) 12-11	
Button	Pitcher, ss	.476	Whitesville	(there) 10-8	
R. Feldbauer	Left Field	.458	Andover	(there)	5-3
H. Feldbauer	Catcher	.368	Canaseraga	(here) 21-4	
Hall	Pitcher, 1b	.312	Andover	(Belmont) 9-6	
Duffy	Second base	.090	Fillmore	(Belmont) 8-2	
Scholla	Right field	.000	Arkport	(Hornell) 11-2	
Lowe	Center field	.200	Churchville	(Rochester)	13-2
Robinson	2nd base, cf.	.125			
Dorsey	Right field	.066			





Soccer

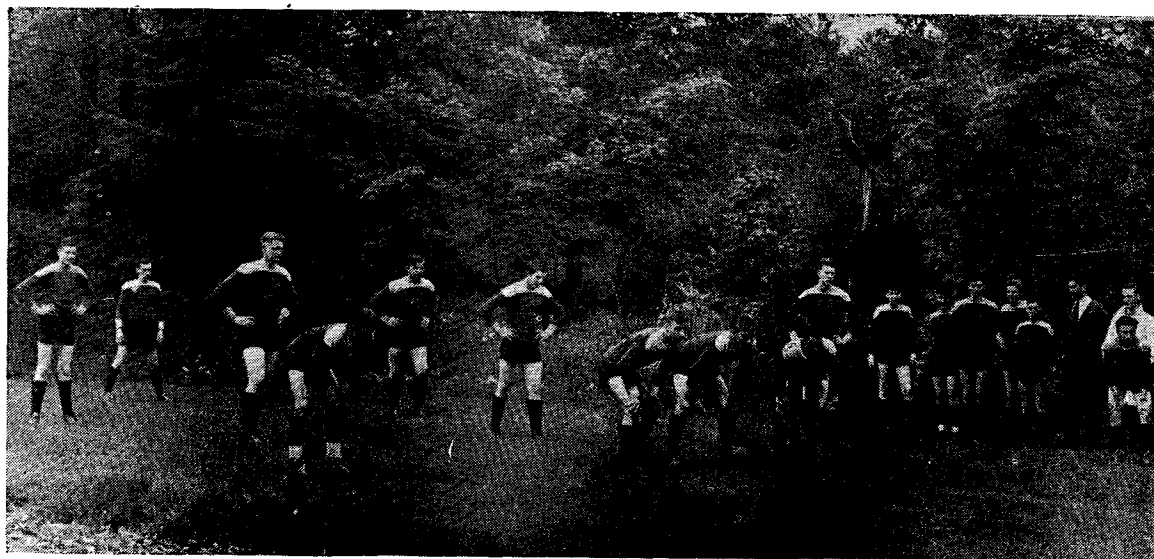
The Wilsonian High School soccer squad played a total of four league games, winning one and tying one. Outstanding members of the squad were Hall, top scorer, and Robinson.

Men lost to next year's squad include Hall, Button, Feldbauer, Palmer, and Beckwith.

Schedule of the season with scores, is as follows:

Angelica 0	Canaseraga 2
Angelica 0	Fillmore 6
Angelica 6	Belmont 5
Angelica 0	Rushford 0

Left to right—Lee Dodge, Keith Sisson LaRue Stafford, Bruce Spangler, Robert Feldbauer, Harry Feldbauer, George Robinson, Arthur Button, Donald Hall, Harland Palmer, John Newman, James Parson, Claude Aldrich, Bert Crawford, Kenneth Scholla, Coach Wiedrich, Gerald Jones (Manager), Malcolm Crandall.





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for three years of outstanding advice and help given to every student whether in Science classes or not.

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for one year's service in our musical organizations.

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for business teacher's ability and genial good-will during the past year.





Insignia

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