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1948

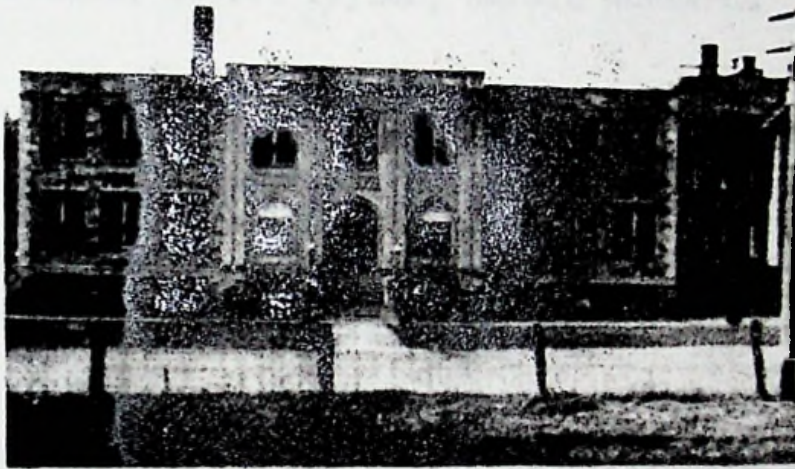
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DEDICATION

To our principal, Mr. Berl G. Haney, whose untiring efforts to improve McDermott school have earned him the respect and gratitude of all the students, we sincerely dedicate this, our first issue of Memoria.

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Administration



ADMINISTRATION

County Superintendent Edward R. McCowen is a native of Scioto County and has worked in the field of education for many years. He received his bachelor's degree from Ohio University and the master's degree from Northwestern University.

Mr. McCowen served as a Lieutenant in the Navy during World War II and returned to his duties as County Superintendent in 1946.

Superintendent McCowen has pointed out that many new classes are being planned for the future to keep up with the modern trends in education. A major addition in the field of education was made by the county office this year, which is, the filming of all schools in Scioto County. These films will be available free of charge to all rural schools.

Assistant Superintendent--N. B. Pott-

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 Marshall College
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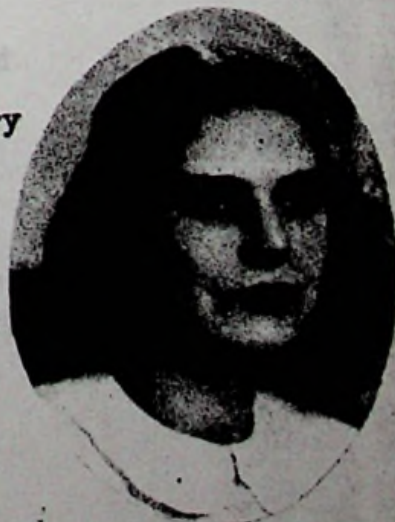


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March	18.....	Junior Class Play
	19.....	Junior Class Play
	27.....	Amateur Show
April	8.....	Minstrel
	9.....	Athletic Banquet
	15.....	Senior Class Play
	16.....	Senior Class Play
	24.....	Junior Senior Banquet
	27.....	Carnival
	30.....	Festival
May	2.....	Bacculareate
	6.....	Commencement
	21.....	School Closed

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SENIOR CLASS



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Belle Leonard
Glee Club 3,4, Scholarship
Test 2,3,4, "Grandad Steps
Out", "Angel of Red Canyon"



Helen Crabtree
Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Band
1,2,3,4, Scholarship
Test 1,2,3,4, Class
Secretary 3,4, Newspaper
Staff, Annual Staff
"Grandad Steps Out"
"Angel of Red Canyon"



Dolores Kirkendall
Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Band 1,
2,3,4, Class President 3,4
Newspaper Staff, Annual
Staff, "Grandad Steps Out"
"Angel of Red Canyon"



Austin Taylor
Basketball 1,2,3, Class
President 1, Class Vice
President 4, Newspaper
Staff, Annual Staff
"Grandad Steps Out"
"Angel of Red Canyon"



Ida Pertuset
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Harold Hubbard
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Baseball 1,2,3,4
Newspaper Staff, Annual
Staff, "Angel of Red
Canyon" Class Secretary 2



Zelma Lundy
Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Class
Treasurer 4, Annual Staff
Commercial Course
"Grandad Steps Out"
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Joanne Jordan
Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Band
1,2,3,4, Scholarship
Test 1,2,3, Class Vice
President 2, Annual
Staff, "Grandad Steps Out"
"Angel of Red Canyon"

James Fairchild
General Course
"Angel of Red Canyon"



Clarence Pierce
Basketball 1
"Grandad Steps Out"
"Angel of Red Canyon"



Margaret Koch
Glee Club 1,2,3,4
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Madeline Montavon
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SENIOR CLASS



Julia Smith
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Winona Lunday
Glee Club 1,2,3,4
High School Queen Attendant 3, "Grandad Steps Out"
"Angel of Red Canyon"



David Brown
Band 1,2,3,4
Scholarship Test 3
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Newspaper Staff
Annual Staff
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Fred Brown
Band 1,2,3,4
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Scholarship Test 3
Class Treasurer 3
Newspaper Staff
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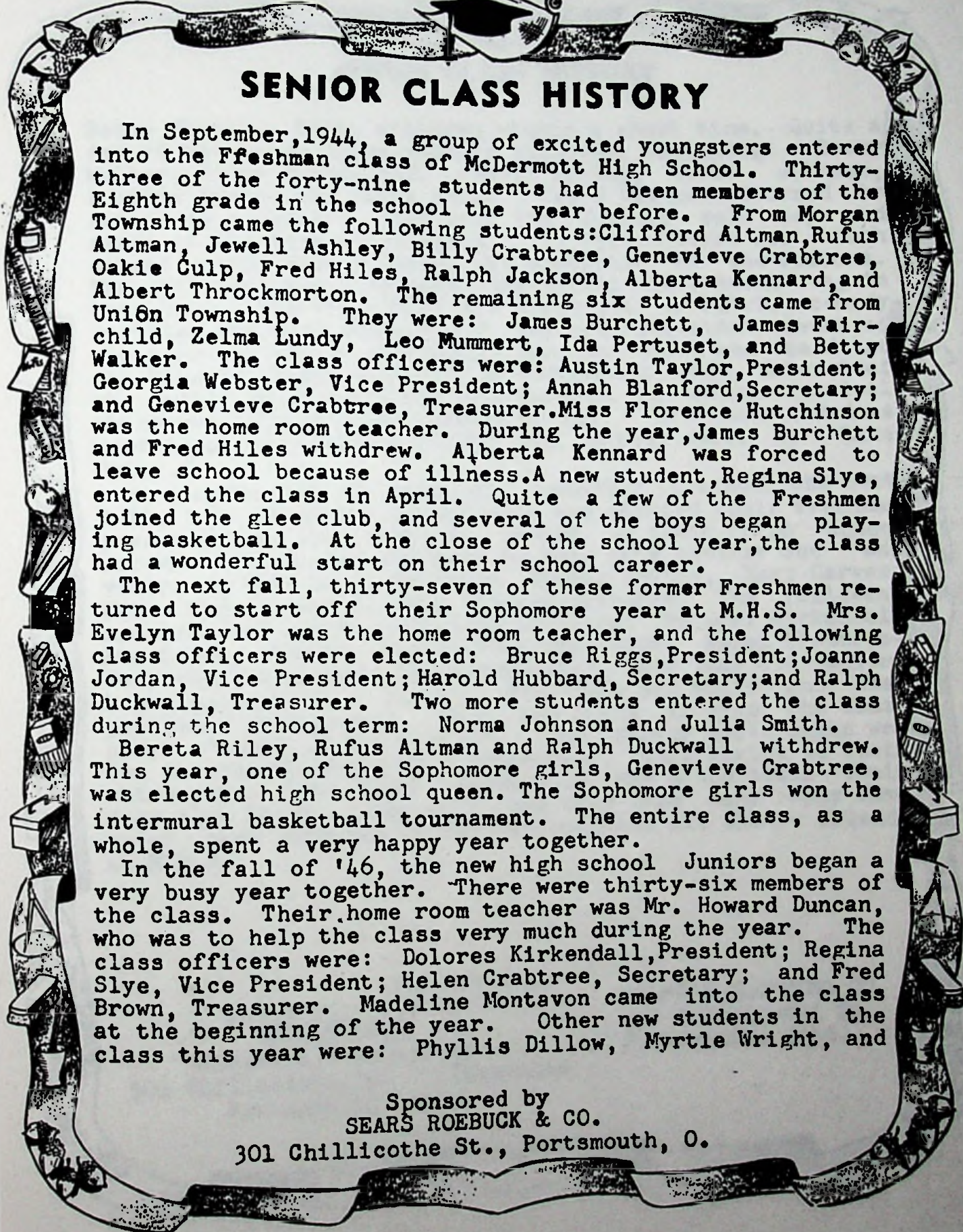


Annah Blanford
Glee Club 1,2
Band Vocalist 3,4
Newspaper Staff
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Homer Hubbard
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Baseball 2,3
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SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

In September, 1944, a group of excited youngsters entered into the Freshman class of McDermott High School. Thirty-three of the forty-nine students had been members of the Eighth grade in the school the year before. From Morgan Township came the following students: Clifford Altman, Rufus Altman, Jewell Ashley, Billy Crabtree, Genevieve Crabtree, Oakie Culp, Fred Hiles, Ralph Jackson, Alberta Kennard, and Albert Throckmorton. The remaining six students came from Union Township. They were: James Burchett, James Fairchild, Zelma Lundy, Leo Mummert, Ida Pertuset, and Betty Walker. The class officers were: Austin Taylor, President; Georgia Webster, Vice President; Annah Blanford, Secretary; and Genevieve Crabtree, Treasurer. Miss Florence Hutchinson was the home room teacher. During the year, James Burchett and Fred Hiles withdrew. Alberta Kennard was forced to leave school because of illness. A new student, Regina Slye, entered the class in April. Quite a few of the Freshmen joined the glee club, and several of the boys began playing basketball. At the close of the school year, the class had a wonderful start on their school career.

The next fall, thirty-seven of these former Freshmen returned to start off their Sophomore year at M.H.S. Mrs. Evelyn Taylor was the home room teacher, and the following class officers were elected: Bruce Riggs, President; Joanne Jordan, Vice President; Harold Hubbard, Secretary; and Ralph Duckwall, Treasurer. Two more students entered the class during the school term: Norma Johnson and Julia Smith.

Bereta Riley, Rufus Altman and Ralph Duckwall withdrew. This year, one of the Sophomore girls, Genevieve Crabtree, was elected high school queen. The Sophomore girls won the intermural basketball tournament. The entire class, as a whole, spent a very happy year together.

In the fall of '46, the new high school Juniors began a very busy year together. There were thirty-six members of the class. Their home room teacher was Mr. Howard Duncan, who was to help the class very much during the year. The class officers were: Dolores Kirkendall, President; Regina Slye, Vice President; Helen Crabtree, Secretary; and Fred Brown, Treasurer. Madeline Montavon came into the class at the beginning of the year. Other new students in the class this year were: Phyllis Dillow, Myrtle Wright, and

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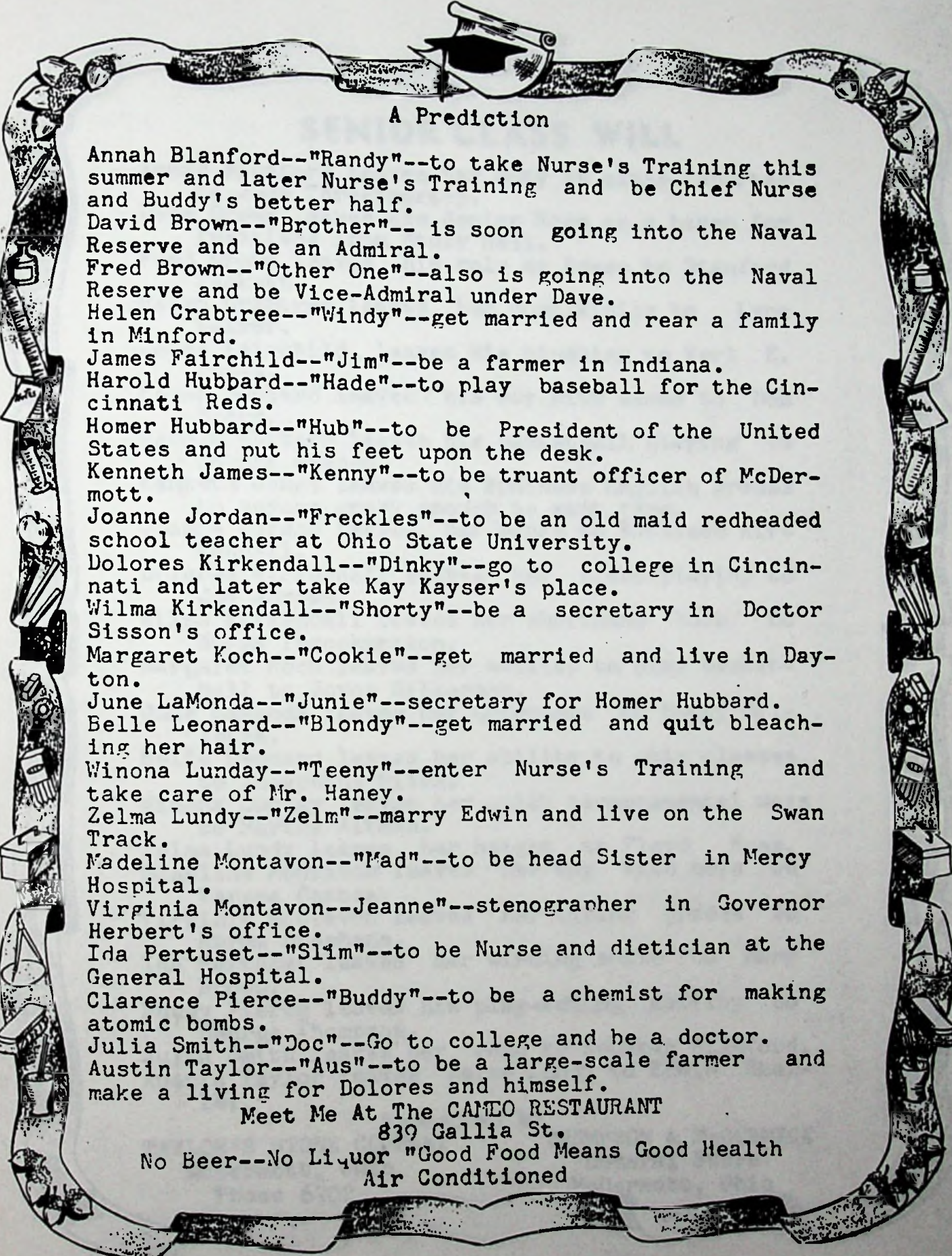
SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

Belva Murray. Belva withdrew within a short time. Quite a few of the other class members withdrew, including: Betty Walker, Betty Strickland, Jewell Ashley, Norma Johnson, Lucille Lyons, and Oakie Culp. Oakie has now returned to school as a Junior. This year the Juniors sold pop and candy at the basketball games. In the contest for high school queen, Winona Lunday was nominated by the Juniors. The girls won the intermural basketball tournament again this year. The Juniors gave a class play in March. A comedy entitled "Grandad Steps Out." The most important event of the year was the Junior-Senior banquet which was held at the Masonic Temple Building at Portsmouth, Ohio. Several of the Junior boys and girls took part in the spring festival which was held at Wheelersburg in May. The class ended a very happy year with a picnic and weiner roast at Lake White.

As the Seniors of 1947-48, returned to school the next fall, only 26 of the 49 students who started their Freshman year together were there to finish up their high school career. Mr. Duncan returned as home room teacher and advisor. Within a short while Eugene Adkins, Mary Carver, Bruce Riggs, and Georgia Webster withdrew. The following seniors were elected as class officers: Dolores Kirkendall President; Austin Taylor-Vice President; Helen Crabtree-Secretary; and Zelma Lundy-Treasurer. This year the Seniors began publishing a paper, "The Blue and White" and also published this annual. They are going to give the class play "Angel of Red Canyon". The Senior girls again won the intermural basketball tournament, this making it their third year. When they Graduate on May 6 and leave their dear Alma Mater, they will take with them many happy memories, made possible by the teachers and all their friends at M.H.S.

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A Prediction

Annah Blanford--"Randy"--to take Nurse's Training this summer and later Nurse's Training and be Chief Nurse and Buddy's better half.

David Brown--"Brother"-- is soon going into the Naval Reserve and be an Admiral.

Fred Brown--"Other One"--also is going into the Naval Reserve and be Vice-Admiral under Dave.

Helen Crabtree--"Windy"--get married and rear a family in Minford.

James Fairchild--"Jim"--be a farmer in Indiana.

Harold Hubbard--"Hade"--to play baseball for the Cincinnati Reds.

Homer Hubbard--"Hub"--to be President of the United States and put his feet upon the desk.

Kenneth James--"Kenny"--to be truant officer of McDermott.

Joanne Jordan--"Freckles"--to be an old maid redheaded school teacher at Ohio State University.

Dolores Kirkendall--"Dinky"--go to college in Cincinnati and later take Kay Kayser's place.

Wilma Kirkendall--"Shorty"--be a secretary in Doctor Sisson's office.

Margaret Koch--"Cookie"--get married and live in Dayton.

June LaMonda--"Junie"--secretary for Homer Hubbard.

Belle Leonard--"Blondy"--get married and quit bleaching her hair.

Winona Lunday--"Teeny"--enter Nurse's Training and take care of Mr. Haney.

Zelma Lundy--"Zelm"--marry Edwin and live on the Swan Track.

Madeline Montavon--"Mad"--to be head Sister in Mercy Hospital.

Virginia Montavon--Jeanne"--stenographer in Governor Herbert's office.

Ida Pertuset--"Slim"--to be Nurse and dietician at the General Hospital.

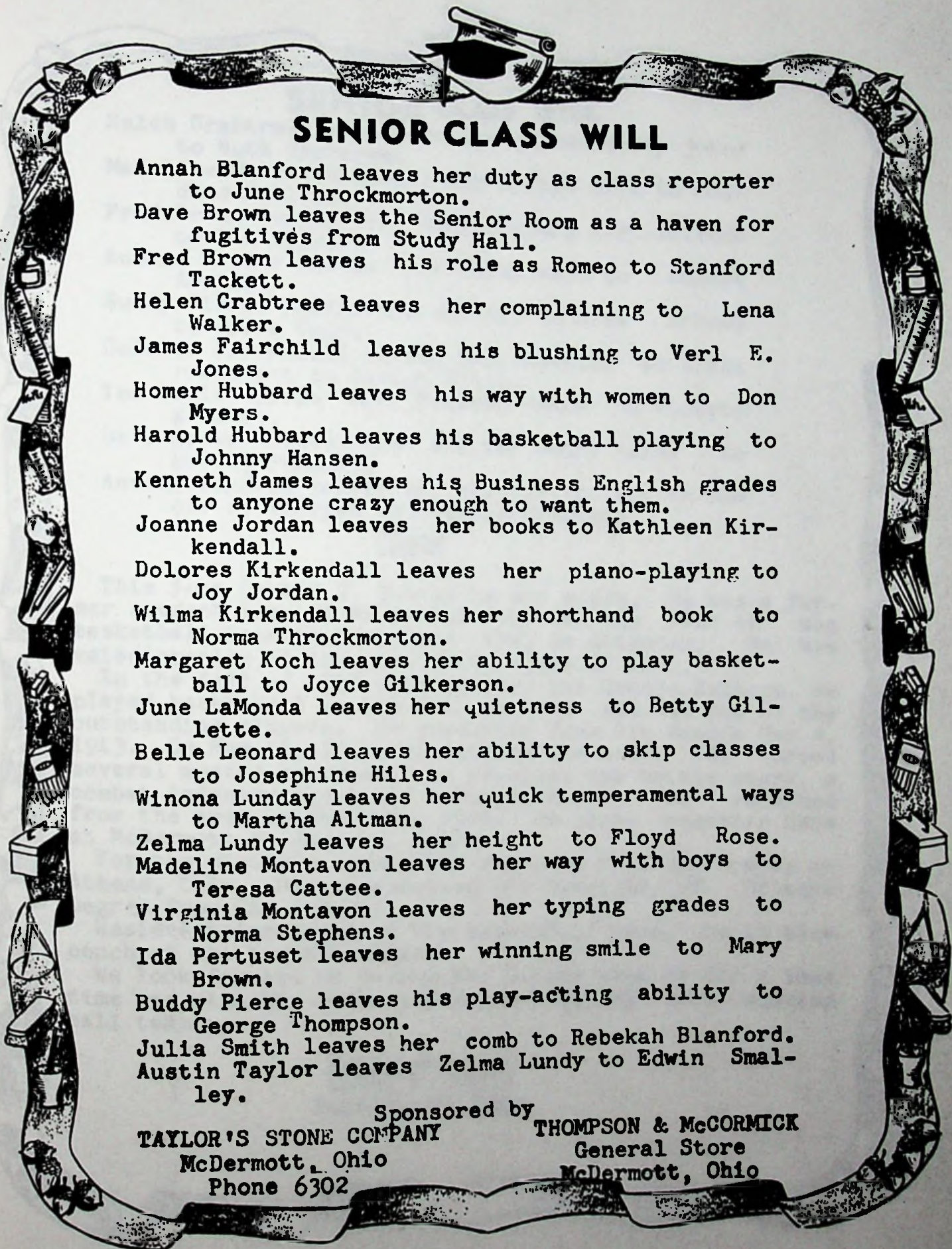
Clarence Pierce--"Buddy"--to be a chemist for making atomic bombs.

Julia Smith--"Doc"--Go to college and be a doctor.

Austin Taylor--"Aus"--to be a large-scale farmer and make a living for Dolores and himself.

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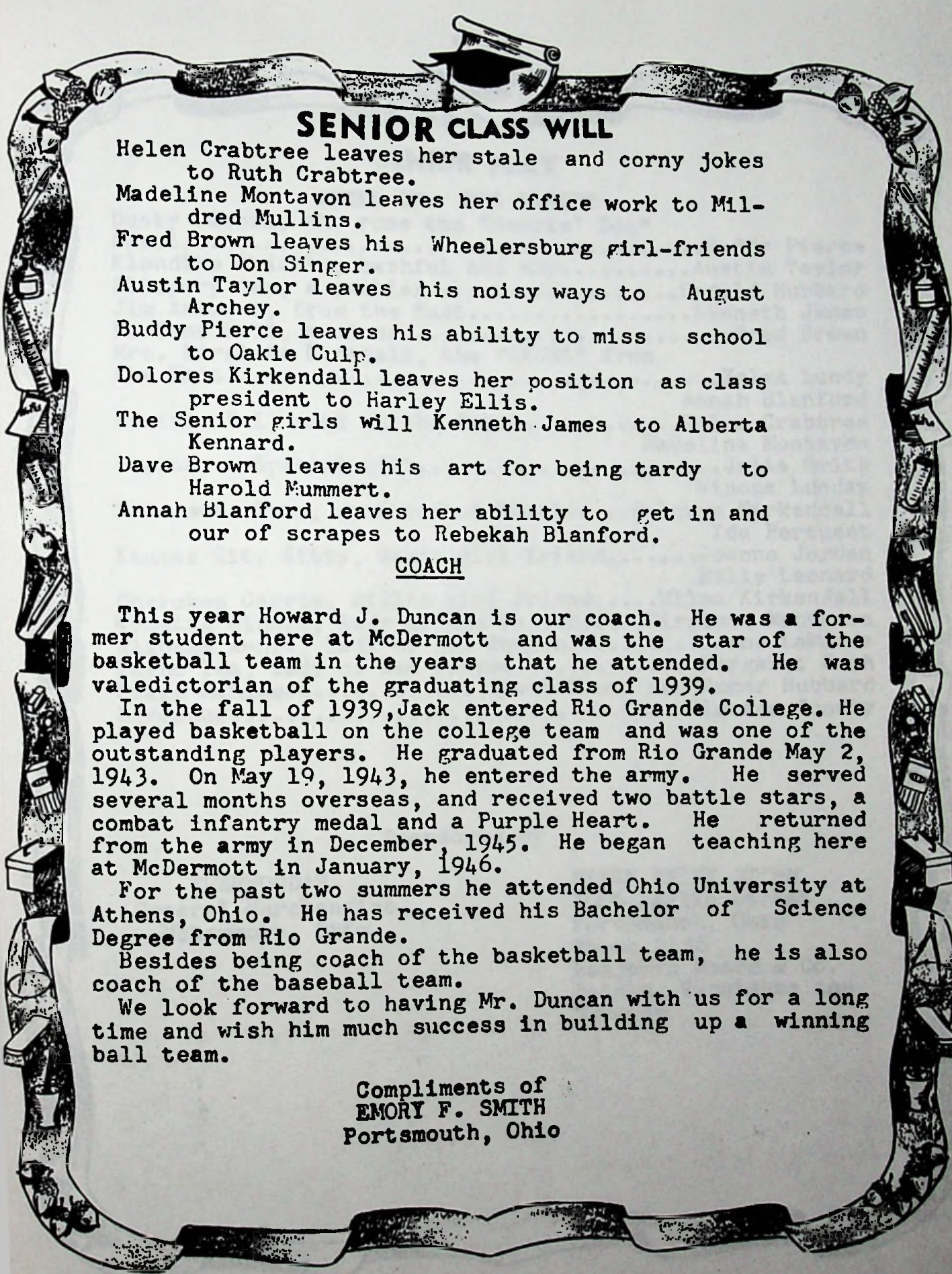


SENIOR CLASS WILL

Annah Blanford leaves her duty as class reporter to June Throckmorton.
Dave Brown leaves the Senior Room as a haven for fugitives from Study Hall.
Fred Brown leaves his role as Romeo to Stanford Tackett.
Helen Crabtree leaves her complaining to Lena Walker.
James Fairchild leaves his blushing to Verl E. Jones.
Homer Hubbard leaves his way with women to Don Myers.
Harold Hubbard leaves his basketball playing to Johnny Hansen.
Kenneth James leaves his Business English grades to anyone crazy enough to want them.
Joanne Jordan leaves her books to Kathleen Kirkendall.
Dolores Kirkendall leaves her piano-playing to Joy Jordan.
Wilma Kirkendall leaves her shorthand book to Norma Throckmorton.
Margaret Koch leaves her ability to play basketball to Joyce Gilkerson.
June LaMonda leaves her quietness to Betty Gillette.
Belle Leonard leaves her ability to skip classes to Josephine Hiles.
Winona Lunday leaves her quick temperamental ways to Martha Altman.
Zelma Lundy leaves her height to Floyd Rose.
Madeline Montavon leaves her way with boys to Teresa Cattee.
Virginia Montavon leaves her typing grades to Norma Stephens.
Ida Pertuset leaves her winning smile to Mary Brown.
Buddy Pierce leaves his play-acting ability to George Thompson.
Julia Smith leaves her comb to Rebekah Blanford.
Austin Taylor leaves Zelma Lundy to Edwin Smalley.

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SENIOR CLASS WILL

Helen Crabtree leaves her stale and corny jokes to Ruth Crabtree.

Madeline Montavon leaves her office work to Mildred Mullins.

Fred Brown leaves his Wheelersburg girl-friends to Don Singer.

Austin Taylor leaves his noisy ways to August Archey.

Buddy Pierce leaves his ability to miss school to Oakie Culp.

Dolores Kirkendall leaves her position as class president to Harley Ellis.

The Senior girls will Kenneth James to Alberta Kennard.

Dave Brown leaves his art for being tardy to Harold Mummert.

Annah Blanford leaves her ability to get in and our of scrapes to Rebekah Blanford.

COACH

This year Howard J. Duncan is our coach. He was a former student here at McDermott and was the star of the basketball team in the years that he attended. He was valedictorian of the graduating class of 1939.

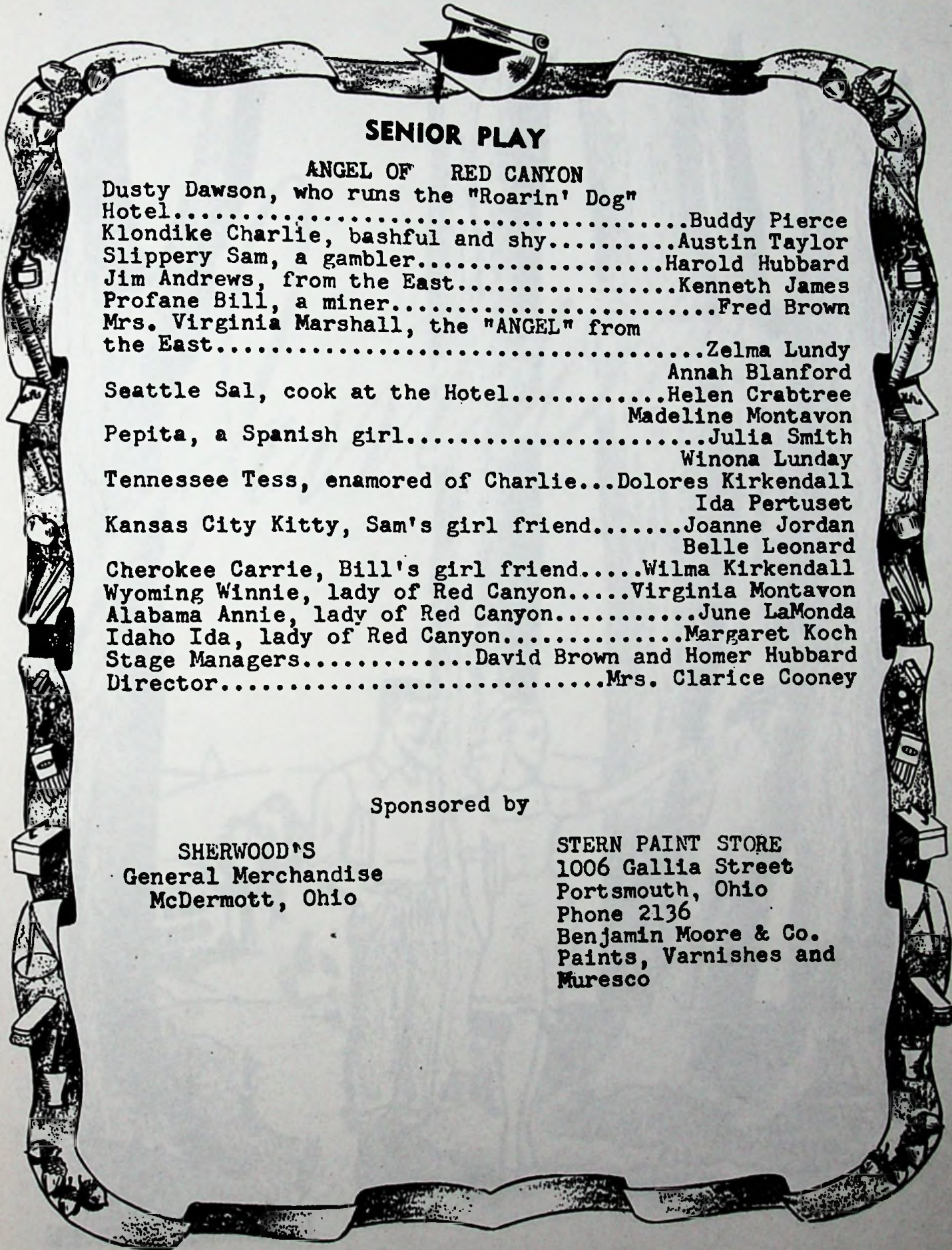
In the fall of 1939, Jack entered Rio Grande College. He played basketball on the college team and was one of the outstanding players. He graduated from Rio Grande May 2, 1943. On May 19, 1943, he entered the army. He served several months overseas, and received two battle stars, a combat infantry medal and a Purple Heart. He returned from the army in December, 1945. He began teaching here at McDermott in January, 1946.

For the past two summers he attended Ohio University at Athens, Ohio. He has received his Bachelor of Science Degree from Rio Grande.

Besides being coach of the basketball team, he is also coach of the baseball team.

We look forward to having Mr. Duncan with us for a long time and wish him much success in building up a winning ball team.

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SENIOR PLAY

ANGEL OF RED CANYON

Dusty Dawson, who runs the "Roarin' Dog"
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Slippery Sam, a gambler.....Harold Hubbard
Jim Andrews, from the East.....Kenneth James
Profane Bill, a miner.....Fred Brown
Mrs. Virginia Marshall, the "ANGEL" from
the East.....Zelma Lundy
Annah Blanford
Seattle Sal, cook at the Hotel.....Helen Crabtree
Madeline Montavon
Pepita, a Spanish girl.....Julia Smith
Winona Lunday
Tennessee Tess, enamored of Charlie...Dolores Kirkendall
Ida Pertuset
Kansas City Kitty, Sam's girl friend.....Joanne Jordan
Belle Leonard
Cherokee Carrie, Bill's girl friend....Wilma Kirkendall
Wyoming Winnie, lady of Red Canyon....Virginia Montavon
Alabama Annie, lady of Red Canyon.....June LaMonda
Idaho Ida, lady of Red Canyon.....Margaret Koch
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JUNIOR CLASS

First Row: Martha Altman, August Archey, Rebekah Blanford, Mary Louise Brown, Teresa Cattee, Ruth Crabtree, Oakie Culp. Second Row: Joyce Gilkerson, Betty Gillette, John Hansen, Josephine Hiles, Verl Jones, Joy Jordan, Alberta Kennard. Third Row: Kathleen Kirkendall, Mildred Mullins, Harold Mummert, Donald Myer, Don Singer, Edwin Smalley, Norma Stephens. Fourth Row: Stanford Tackett, George Thompson, June Throckmorton, Norma Throckmorton, Lena Walker, Harley Ellis, Floyd Rose.

Advisor-Beata Lindner

Class Officers

President Harley Ellis
 Vice President Alberta Kennard

Secretary Ruth Crabtree
 Treasurer Teresa Cattee

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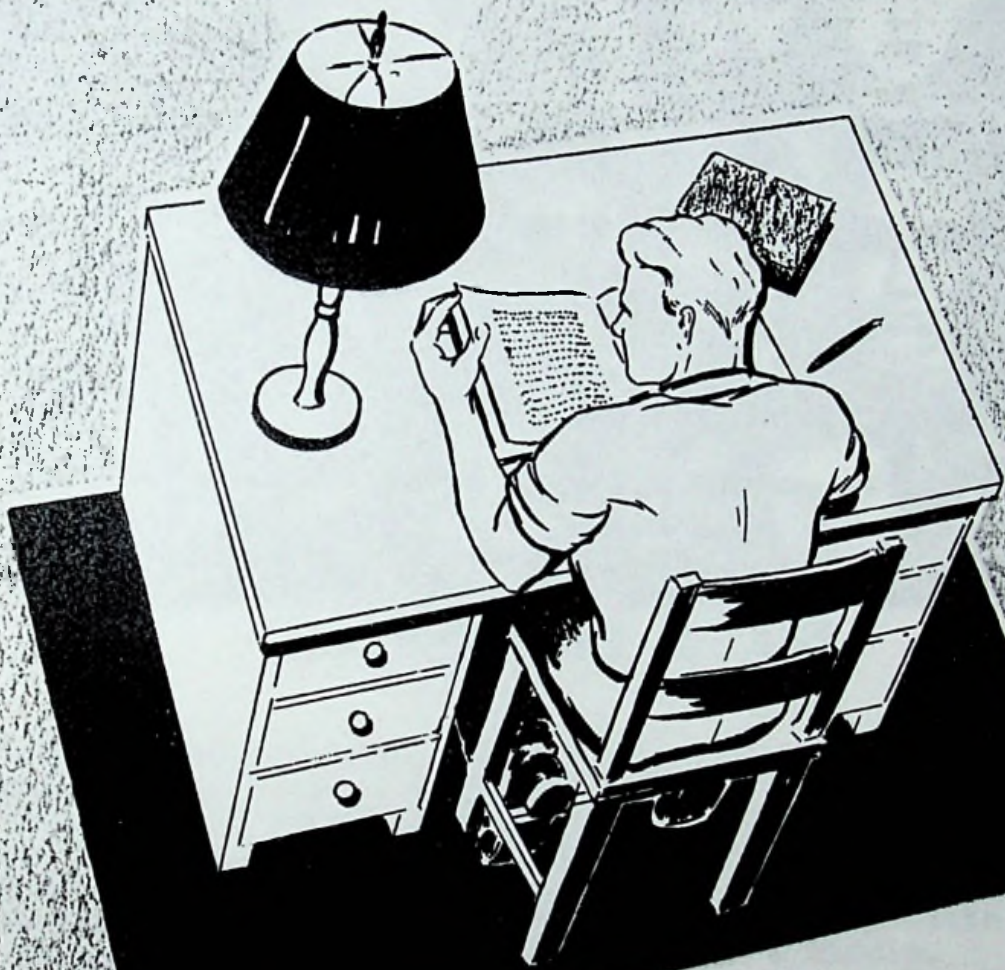
HER EMERGENCY HUSBAND

Nicholas Napoleon Nutt, "Nicky"
a newlywed.....John Hansen
Harold Mummert
Arlene Nutt, 'his bonny bride.....Joyce Gilkerson
Joy Jordan
Aunt Jubilee, Negro cook.....Josephine Hiles
June Throckmorton
Elberta Peach, her dumb daughter.....Betty Gillette
Teresa Cattie
Dorothy Dolson, "Dot" who got jilted....Rebekah Blanford
Ruth Crabtree
Bill Jones, Dot's emergency husband.....Don Singer
Harley Ellis
Wilmer Sneed, Dot's jilter.....Stanford Tackett
Audrey Hardwick, Bill's fiancee.....Alberta Kennard
Mildred Mullins
Hiram Hardwick, Audrey's hard-boiled uncle....Verl Jones
Floyd Rose
Aunt Hazel Nutt, Nicky's militant old-
maid aunt.....Norma Stephens
Martha Altman
Mrs. Jarboe, Arlene's dominating
mother.....Norma Throckmorton
Lena Walker
Wildman, who eats human flesh.....Oakie Culp
Director.....Mrs. Clarice Cooney
Announcer.....Kathleen Kirkendall
Stage Managers.....Edwin Smalley
Don Myer
August Archey
George Thompson

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SOPHOMORE CLASS

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 Advisor-Evelyn Taylor.

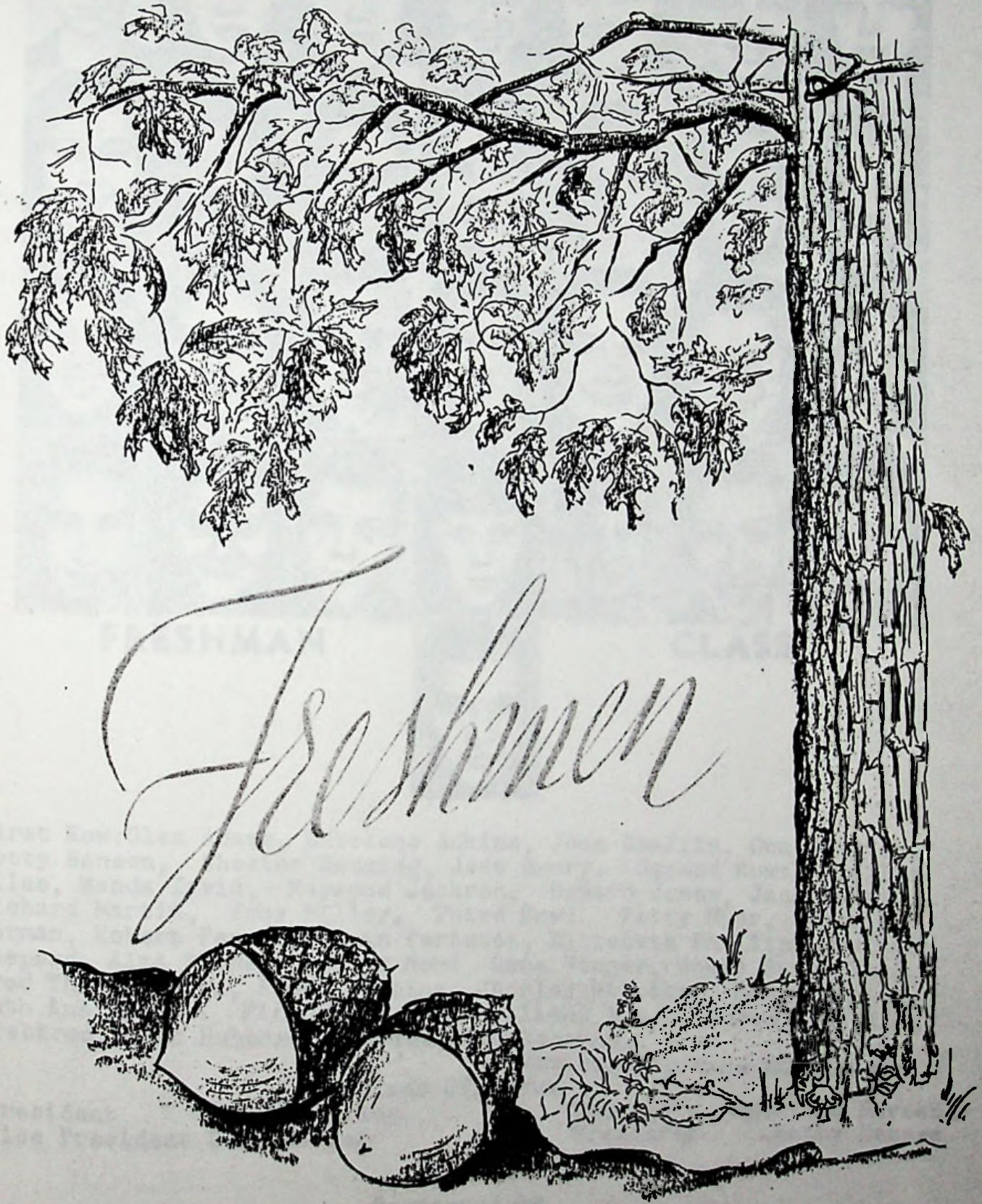
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 Vice President Raymond Smalley

Secretary Eileen Crabtree
 Treasurer Judy Stockham

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Freshmen



FRESHMAN

CLASS



First Row: Glen Adams, Estolene Adkins, Jean Chaffin, Ona Compton, Betty Hansen, Chester Hemming, Jean Henry. Second Row: Phyllis Hiles, Wanda Irvin, Raymond Jackson, Howard Jones, Jack Martin, Richard Martin, Tony Miller. Third Row: Patty Myer, Patricia Norman, Robert Penn, Benjamin Pertuset, Elizebeth Phillips, Pauline Sheperd, Alma Shope. Fourth Row: Gene Singer, Wanda Strickland, Fred Throckmorton, Naomi Vastine, Charles Whitaker, Billy Wooten, Ruth Ann Mullen. Fifth Row: Marvin Allen. Not Pictured: Lillian Crabtree, Jack Hubbard, Lillian Throckmorton.

Advisor-Florence Hutchinson.

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Vice President Gene Singer

Secretary Patricia Norman
Treasurer Betty Hansen

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ELEMENTARY



EIGHTH GRADE

First Row: Virginia Beckett, Carolyn Brannon, Myra Lee Byars,
 Janet Bending, Louella Calvin, Oliver Carver, Venus Cooper. Second
 Row: Carl Copas, Clarissa Crabtree, Homer Blaine Crabtree, Edwine
 Cubine, Betty Culver, Jacqueline Cunningham, Janice Cunningham,
 Third Row: Julia Cunningham, June Dinkler, Alvin Ellis, Gene
 Ellis, Jane Ellis, Leroy Ellis, Bill Gartin. Fourth Row: Betty
 Hiles, Helen Lute, Clyde McGraw, Eugene Miller, Wilma Montavon,
 Elmes Montgomery, Thelma Newman. Fifth Row: Ray Odle, Emma Jean
 Osborne, Helen Slaydon, Donald Spradlin, Oma Lee Stephens, Harry
 Strickland, Geraldine Taylor. Sixth Row: Laura Tackett, Darrell
 Thompson, Millie Wilson, Mary Lee Zuefle, Marilyn Duncan, Viola
 Brannon. Advisor-Clarice Cooney.

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SEVENTH GRADE

First Row: James Adams, Phyllis Adkins, Paul Baker, Peggy Banks, Richard Bending, Harry Blevins, Leroy Boldman. Second Row: Teresa Boldman, Phillip Carver, Donald Chaffin, Robert Colley, William Colley, Homer Lee Crabtree, David Dunlap. Third Row: Marjie Ellis, Dorothy Ewing, Bobbie Fulk, Peggy Gillette, Dean Hall, Jimmie Hansen, Fred Hubbard. Fourth Row: Bobby Hoop, Ruby Ivers, Marjorie Jones, Robert Hall, Ray Lee Lute, Helen Martin, Winona Martin. Fifth Row: Connie McClure, Herbert McGraw, Edward Mershon, Marilyn Miller, Wayne Miller, Helen Montavon, --- (Continued on next page) Richard Murphy.

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SEVENTH GRADE (-Concluded)

First Row:- Bill Odle, Betty Phillips, Carol Pollock, Shirley Sparks, Diane Sherwood, Ethel Spencer, Geraldine Suthers. Second Row: Algen Motes, Orville Tackett, Truman Throckmorton, Louella Whitaker, Chloe Ella Windle, Benny Webster, Buddy Kirkendall. Advisor-Foster Wilson.



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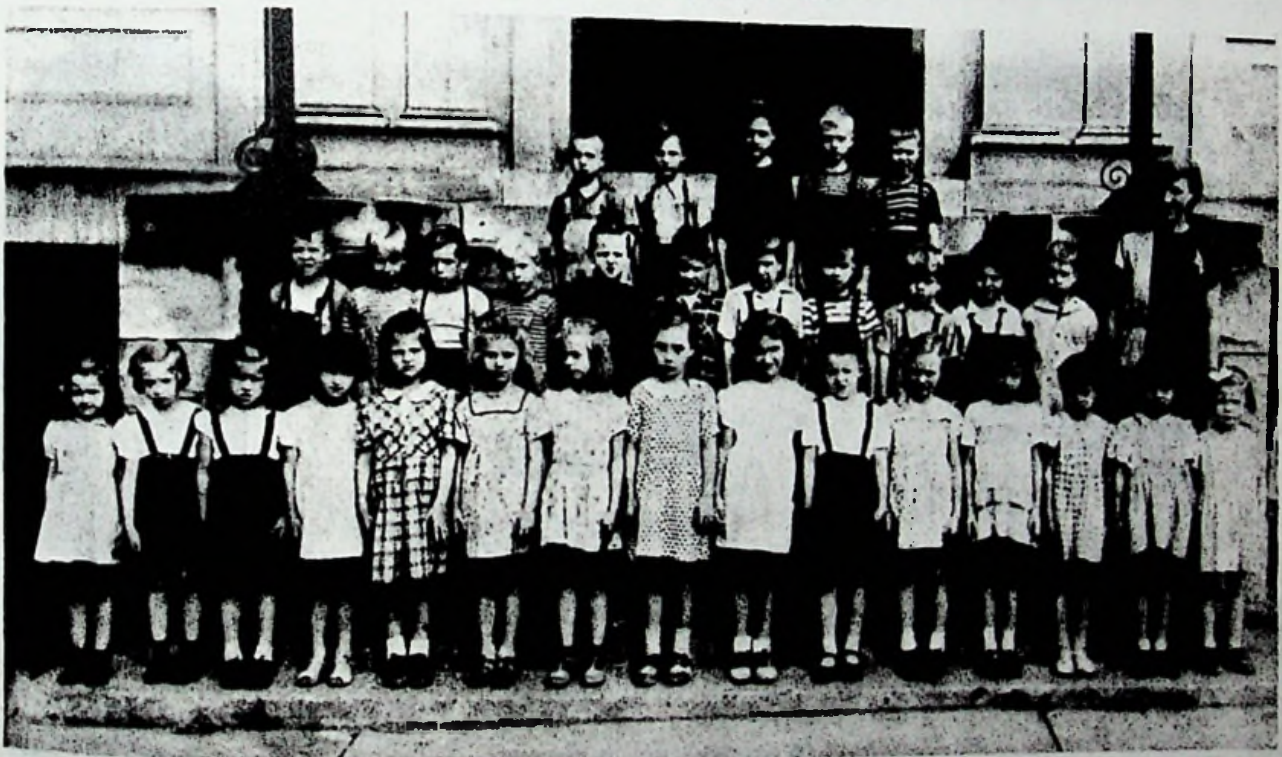


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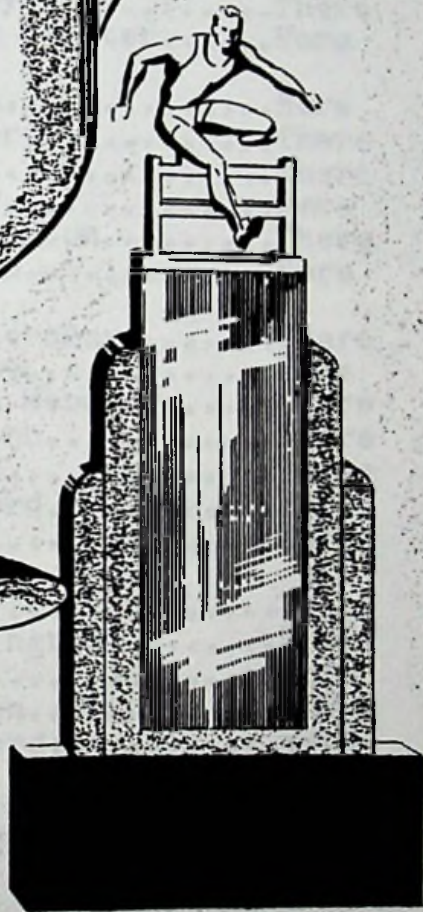
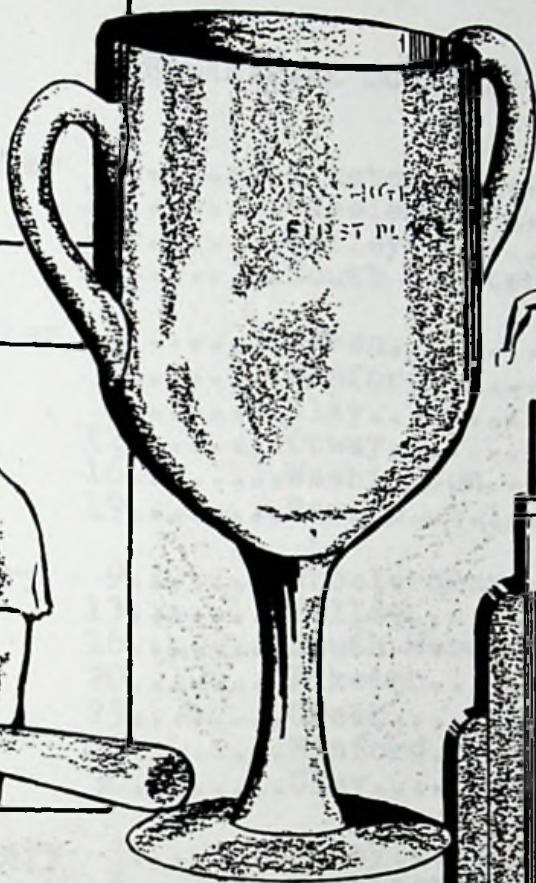
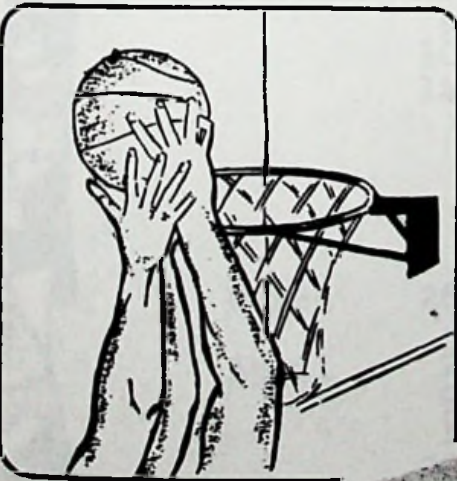
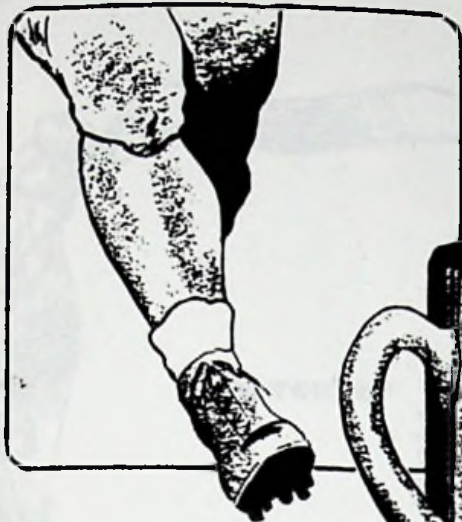


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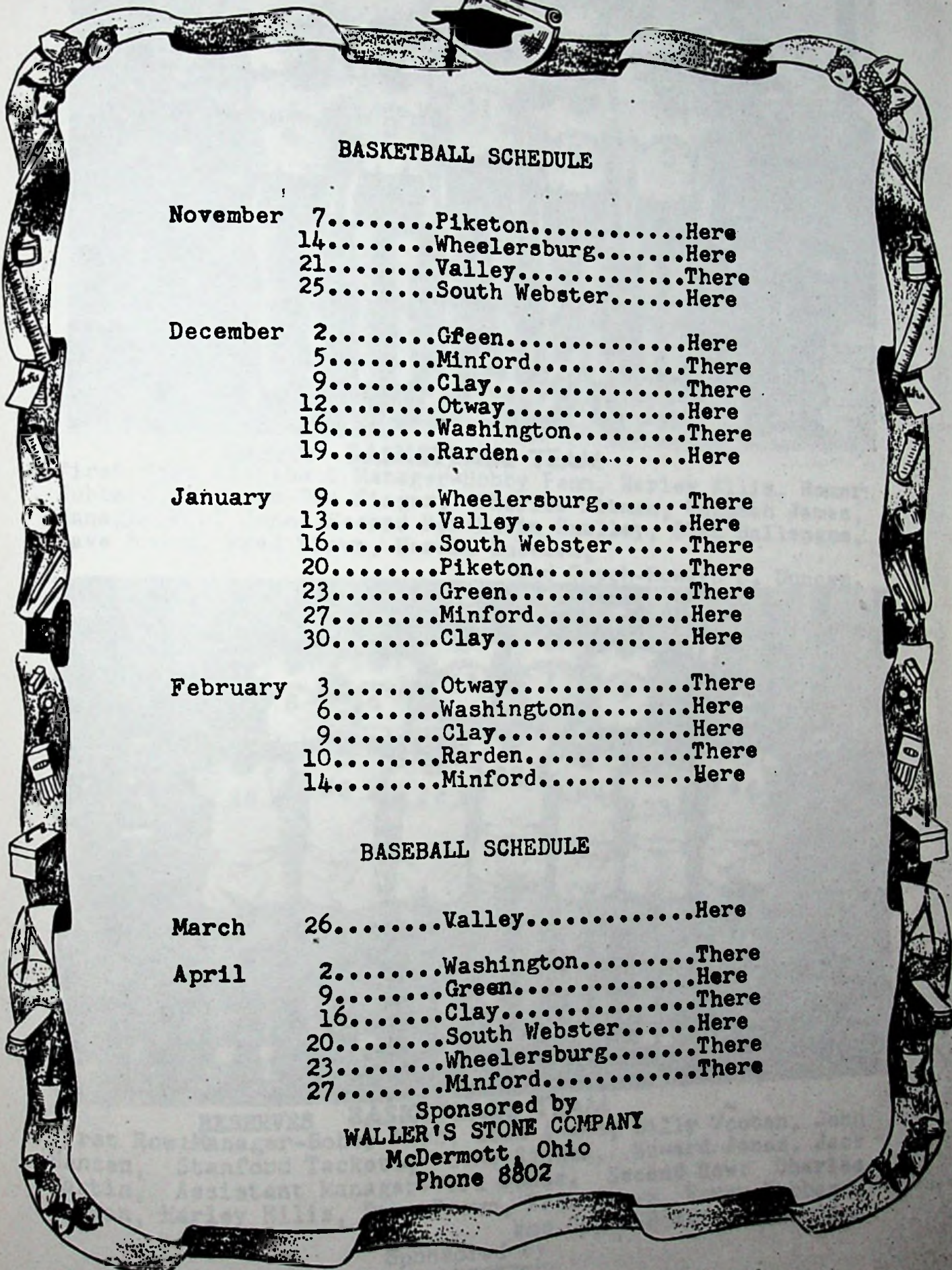
Three cheers for old McDermott
Our M.H.S.
Now all together, cheer for M.H.S.
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BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

November 7.....Piketon.....Here
14.....Wheelersburg.....Here
21.....Valley.....There
25.....South Webster.....Here

December 2.....Green.....Here
5.....Minford.....There
9.....Clay.....There
12.....Otway.....Here
16.....Washington.....There
19.....Rarden.....Here

January 9.....Wheelersburg.....There
13.....Valley.....Here
16.....South Webster.....There
20.....Piketon.....There
23.....Green.....There
27.....Minford.....Here
30.....Clay.....Here

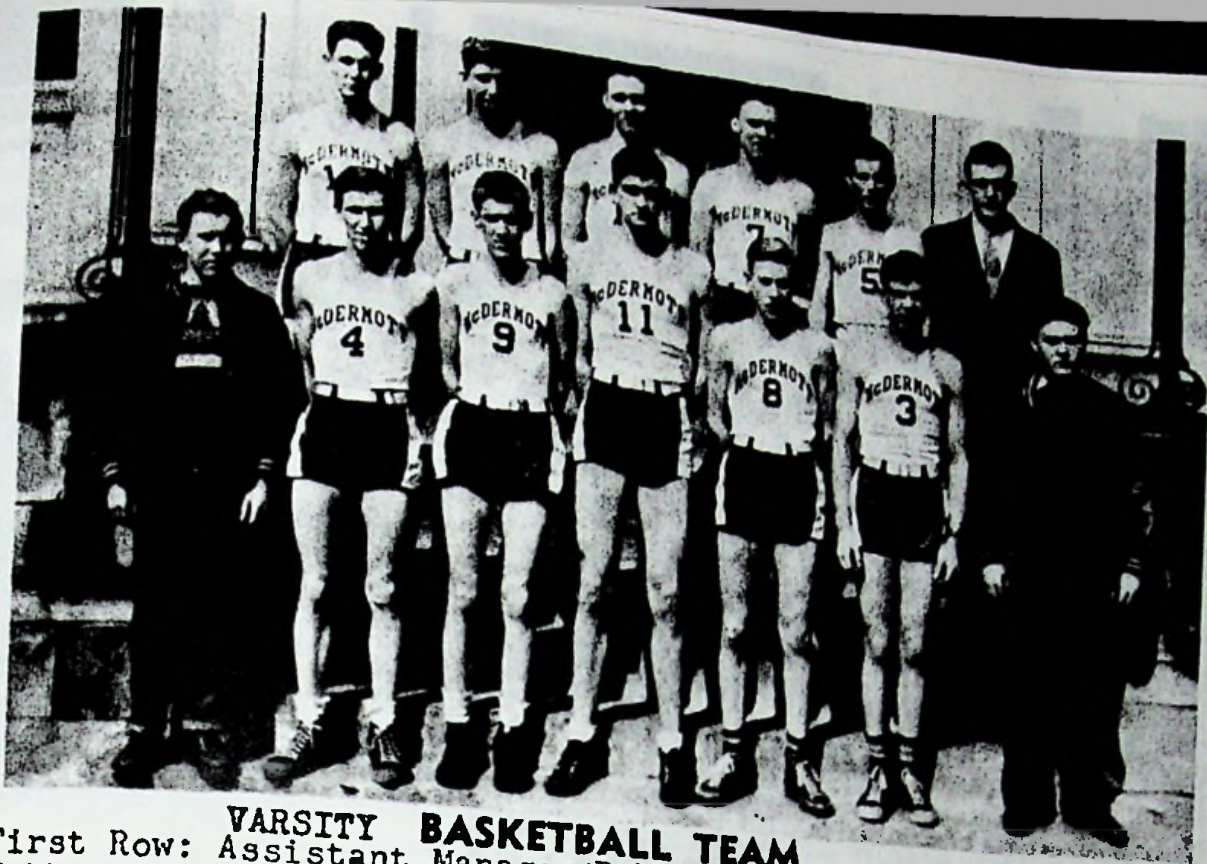
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BASEBALL SCHEDULE

March 26.....Valley.....Here

April 2.....Washington.....There
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16.....Clay.....There
20.....South Webster.....Here
23.....Wheelersburg.....There
27.....Minford.....There

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RESERVES BASKETBALL TEAM

First Row: Manager-Bobby Penn, Glen Adams, Billy Wooten, John Hansen, Stanford Tackett, Gene Singer, Howard Jones. Jack Martin, Assistant Manager-Verl Jones. Second Row: Charles Altman, Harley Ellis, Dave Brown, Fred Brown, Homer Hubbard, and Coach-Howard J. Duncan.

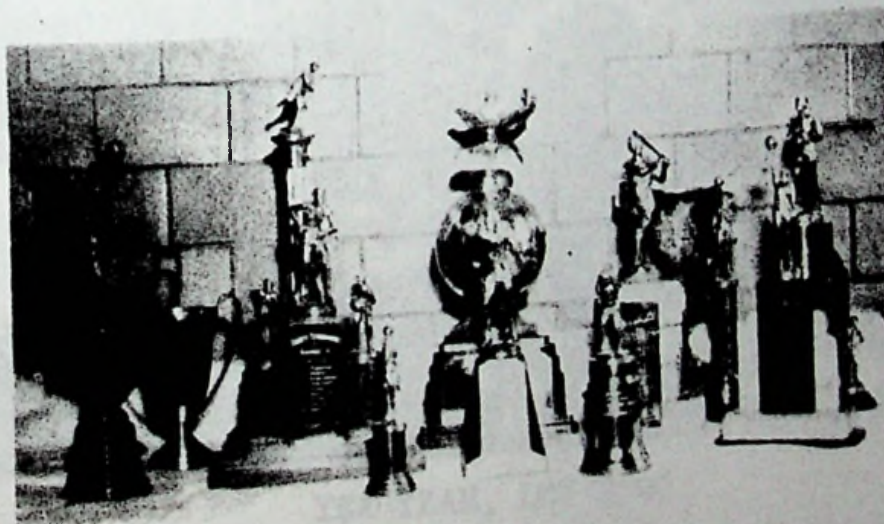
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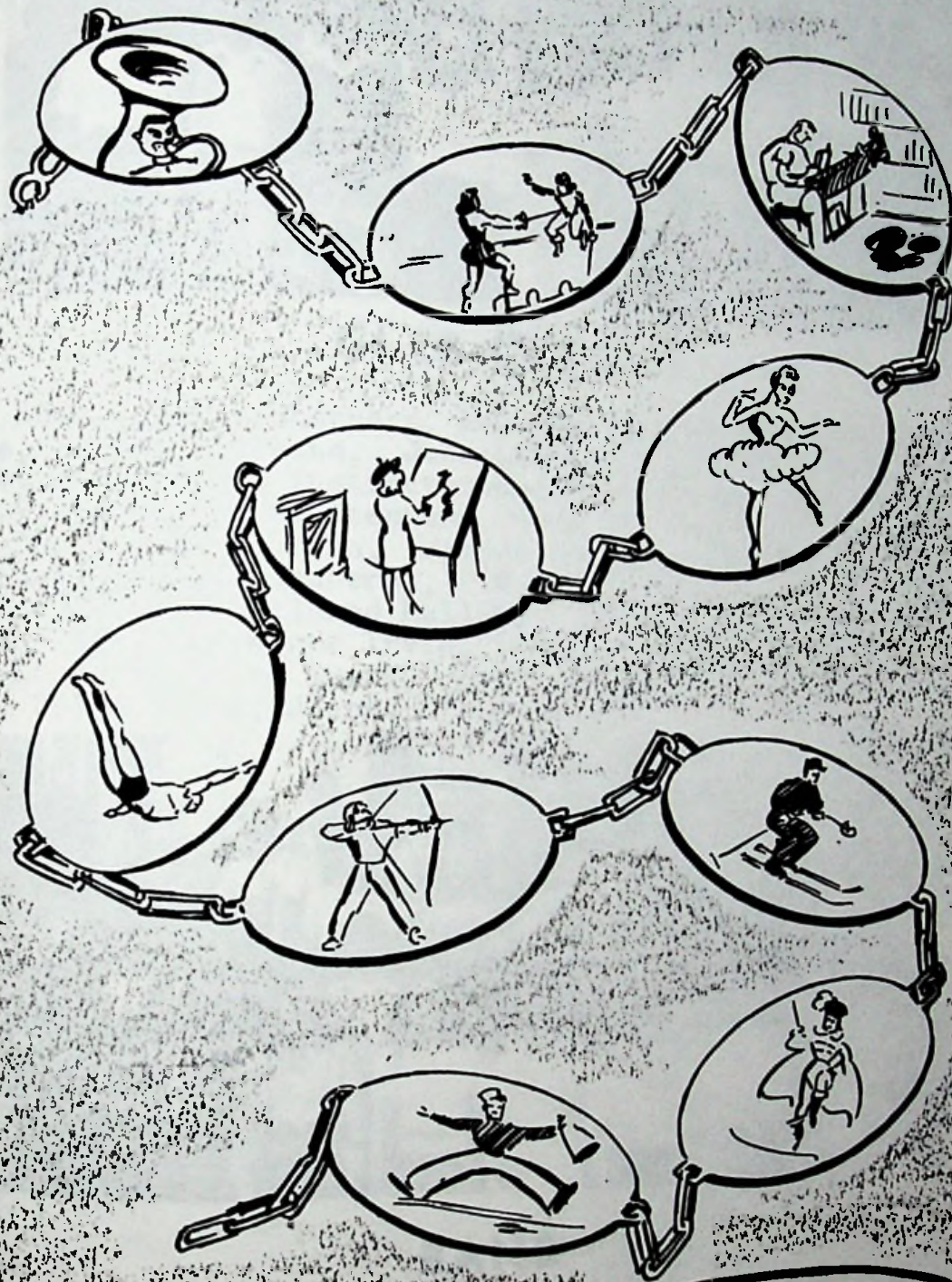
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Activities



GLEE CLUB

First Row: Pauline Shepherd, Lena Walker, Janet Floyd, Teresa Gattee, Betty Gillette, June LaMonda, Kathleen Kirkendall, Elizebeth Phillips, Instructor-Harriet Martin. Second Row : Naomi Vastine, Norma Stephens, June Strickland, Ona Compton, Betty Shope, Joy Jordan, Winona Lunday. Third Row: Dolores Kirkendall, Helen Crabtree, Margaret Koch, Betty Hansen, Patricia Norman, Mildred Mullins, Jean Chaffin. Fourth Row: Estolene Adkins, Wanda Irvin, Dorothy Hall, Rebekah Blanford, Belle Leonard, Zelma Lundy, Joande Jordan. Not Pictured: Julia Smith, Velma Ewing, Jeanne Grady, Joyce Gilkersch.

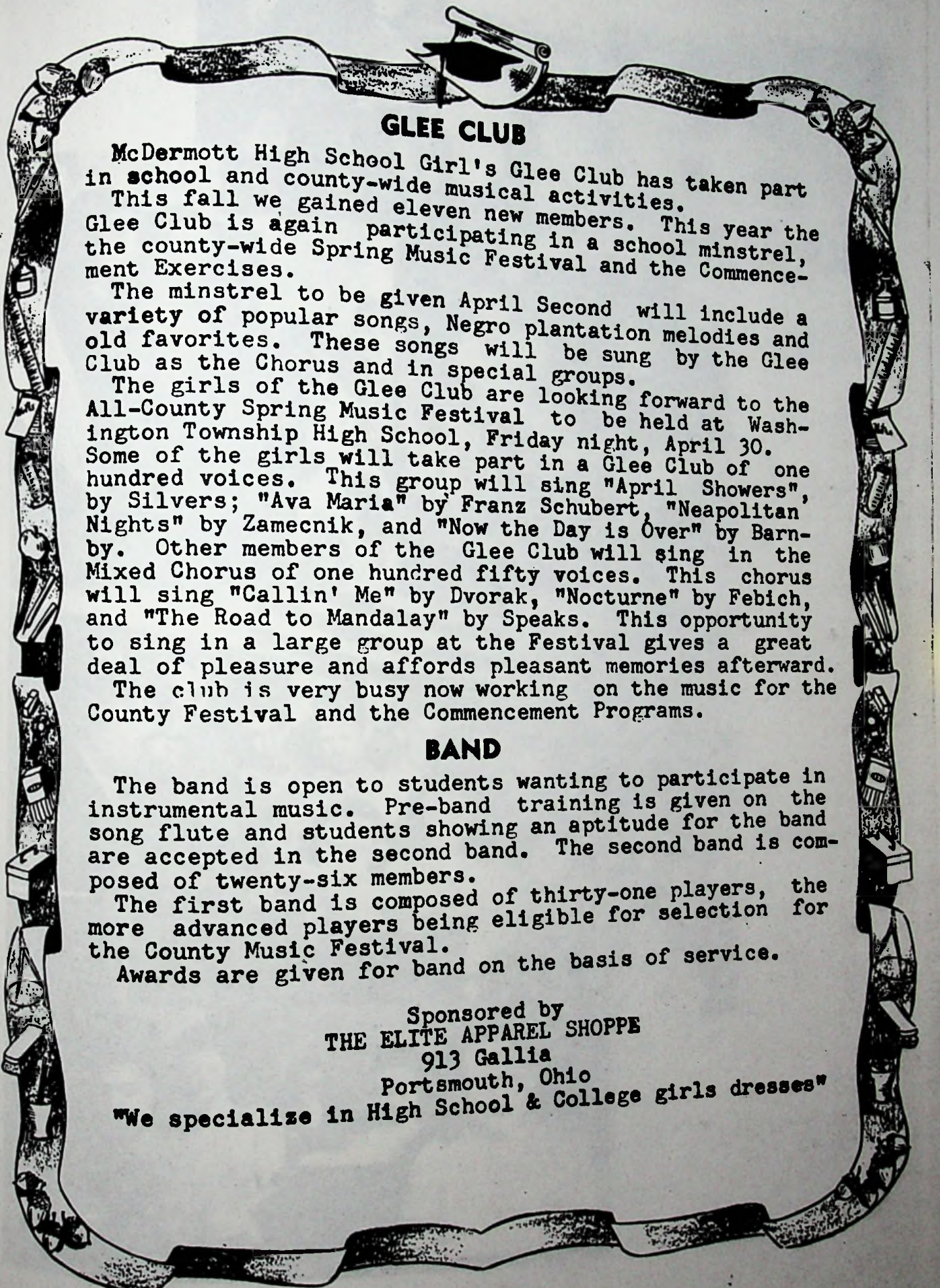


BAND

First Row: Rebekah Blanford, Joy Jordan, Jean Chaffin, Helen Slaydon, Louella Calvin, Nancy Brown, Norma Myer, Patricia Norman. Second Row: Verl Jones, Don Shultz, Carolyn Brannon, Dianne Sherwood, Ralph Brown, Dean Hall, Helen Montavon, Linda Shaffer. Third Row: Oscar Gartin, Wanda Irvin, Helen Crabtree, Dolores Kirkendall, Homer Crabtree. Fourth Row: John Hansen, Bobby Penn, Dave Brown, Elizebeth Phillips, Instructor-Dale Gillette, Phyllis Adkins, Fred Brown. Not Pictured: Alberta Kennard, Garnett Riggs, Jimmie Hansen, Kathleen Kirkendall.

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GLEE CLUB

McDermott High School Girl's Glee Club has taken part in school and county-wide musical activities. This fall we gained eleven new members. This year the Glee Club is again participating in a school minstrel, the county-wide Spring Music Festival and the Commencement Exercises.

The minstrel to be given April Second will include a variety of popular songs, Negro plantation melodies and old favorites. These songs will be sung by the Glee Club as the Chorus and in special groups.

The girls of the Glee Club are looking forward to the All-County Spring Music Festival to be held at Washington Township High School, Friday night, April 30. Some of the girls will take part in a Glee Club of one hundred voices. This group will sing "April Showers", by Silvers; "Ava Maria" by Franz Schubert, "Neapolitan Nights" by Zamecnik, and "Now the Day is Over" by Barnby. Other members of the Glee Club will sing in the Mixed Chorus of one hundred fifty voices. This chorus will sing "Callin' Me" by Dvorak, "Nocturne" by Febich, and "The Road to Mandalay" by Speaks. This opportunity to sing in a large group at the Festival gives a great deal of pleasure and affords pleasant memories afterward.

The club is very busy now working on the music for the County Festival and the Commencement Programs.

BAND

The band is open to students wanting to participate in instrumental music. Pre-band training is given on the song flute and students showing an aptitude for the band are accepted in the second band. The second band is composed of twenty-six members.

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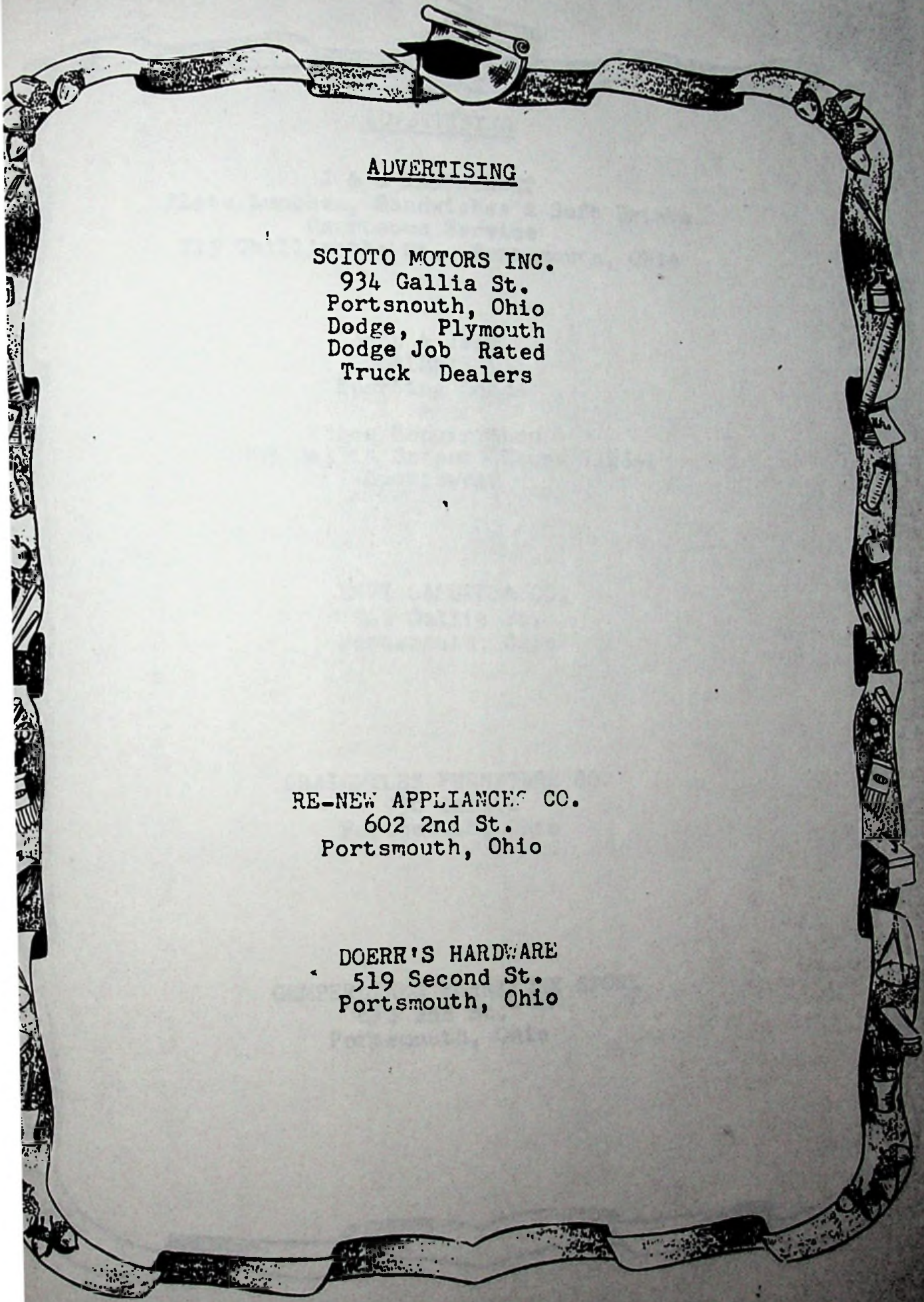
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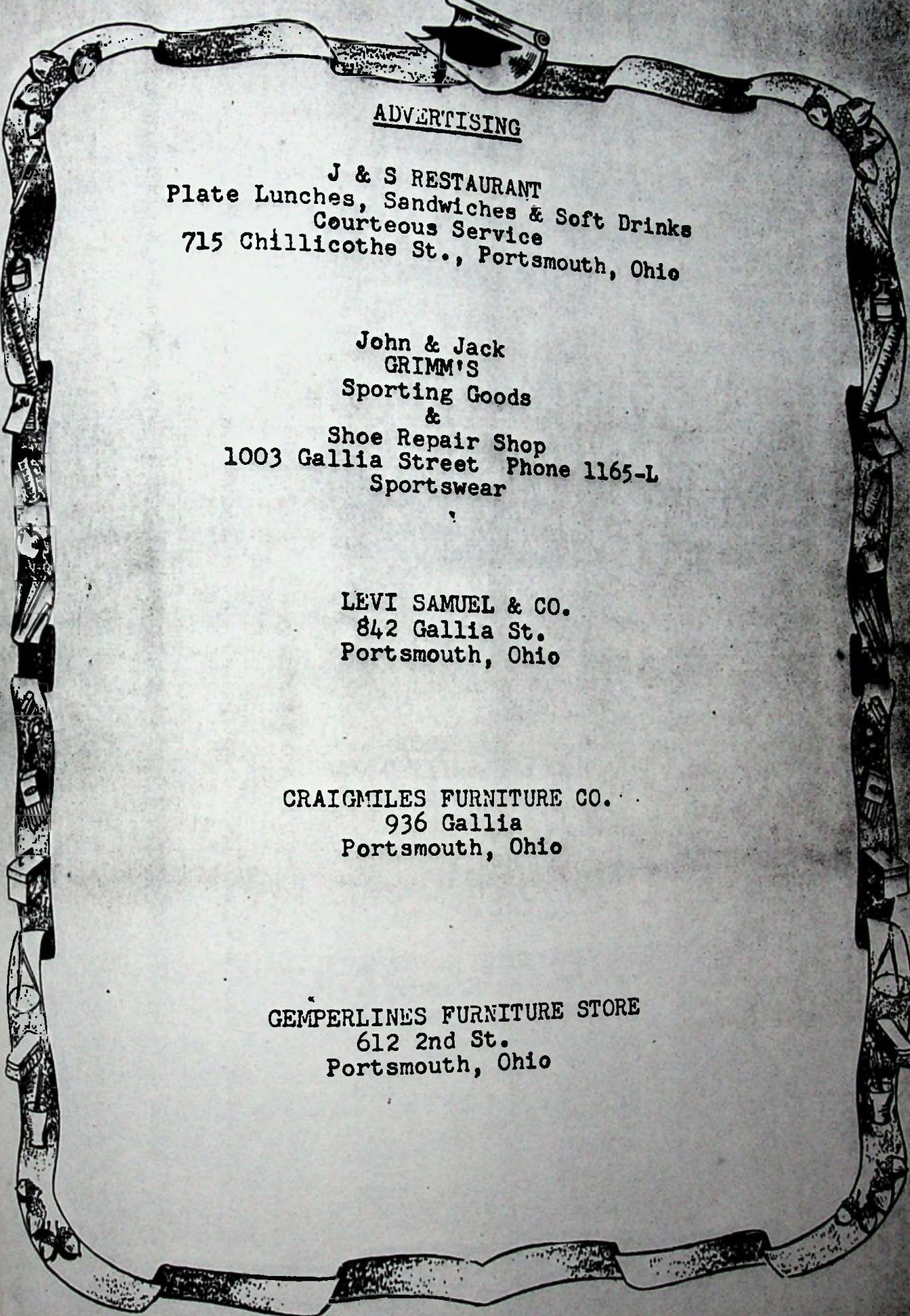


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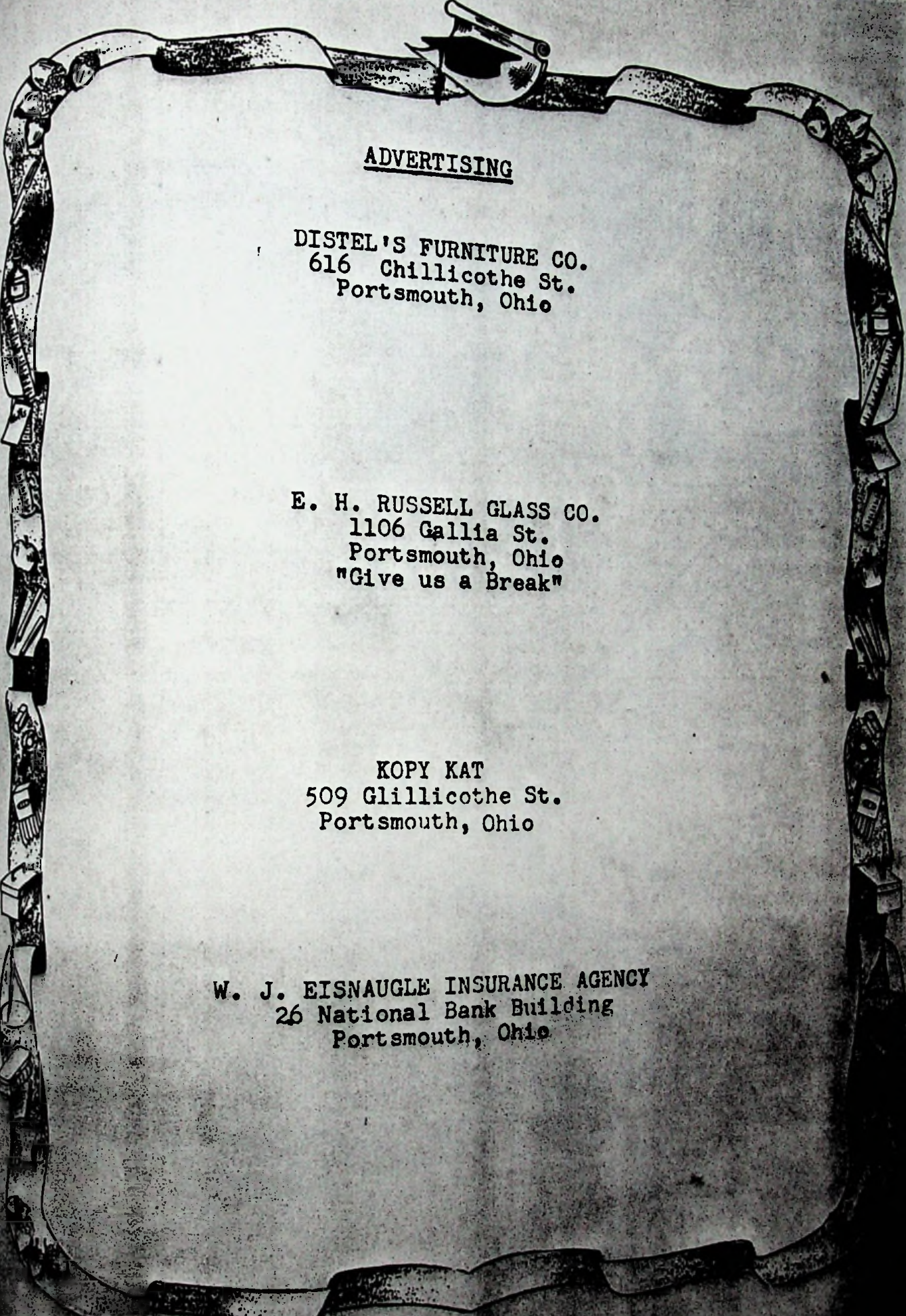
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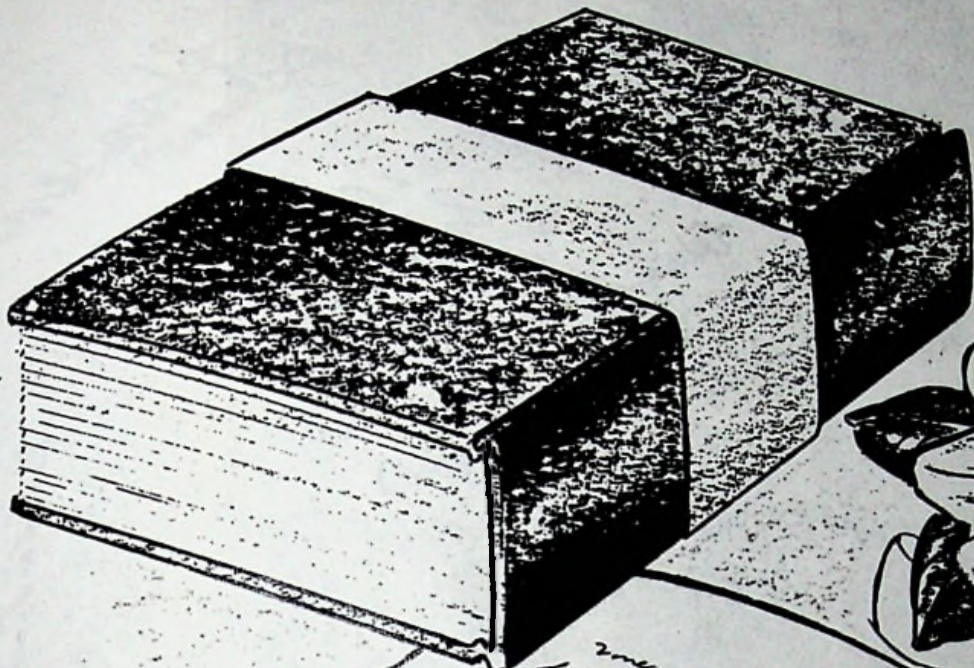
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Class of 1948, McDermott High School is celebrating its 51st anniversary. First row: from left, Annah Blanford Fromm, Kenneth James, Joanne Jordan Murphy, Wilma Kirkendall Hobbs, Homer Hubbard and Madeline Montavon Hoover; Second row: Harold Hubbard and June Lamonda Hiles; Third row: James Fairchild, Zelma Lundy Smalley, Austin Taylor, Dolores Kirkendall Pyle, Helen Crabtree Pertuset and Clarence (Bud) Pierce; Fourth row: Belle Leonard Hiles, Julia Smith Stone, David Brown, Fred Brown, Ida Pertuset Price and Margaret Loch Wallace; Fifth row: Winona Lunday Fultz, Florence Hutchinson, teacher (Deceased), Dale W. Gillette, teacher, Berl G. Haney, superintendent/principal, Clarice Cooney, teacher (Deceased) and Virginia Montavon McCall; Sixth row: Evelyn Taylor, teacher (Deceased), Foster Wilson, teacher (Deceased), Beata Lindner, teacher, Charles Hundley, teacher (Unknown), Harriet Martin, teacher, (Deceased) and Jack Duncan, teacher (Deceased). Not pictured, Kenneth Byars, who was serving with the Navy at graduation time.

