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Horizons

"EACH OF us holds in his hands the making of the morrow in the image of his heart's desires. It is in the power of each generation to fashion the endless tomorrows of man according to the dreams of forward-lookers of the human race

Then let us face the future with high hopes and with stout hearts"

—Charles Fleischer

So it is that we, college students of 1939, have the power to create the world in which we shall have to live. Because buildings have always represented one of the material values of the ages we too will have to erect buildings. They will be the products of our training and will represent our thoughts and ideals.

Here in college we receive the elements that we shall need: broader knowledge, vocational guidance, socializing influences, and character training. These will be our walls and our foundations for the lives we are to build and for the buildings we shall plan and erect in the future. So we dedicate this annual to the buildings of tomorrow, both material and spiritual.

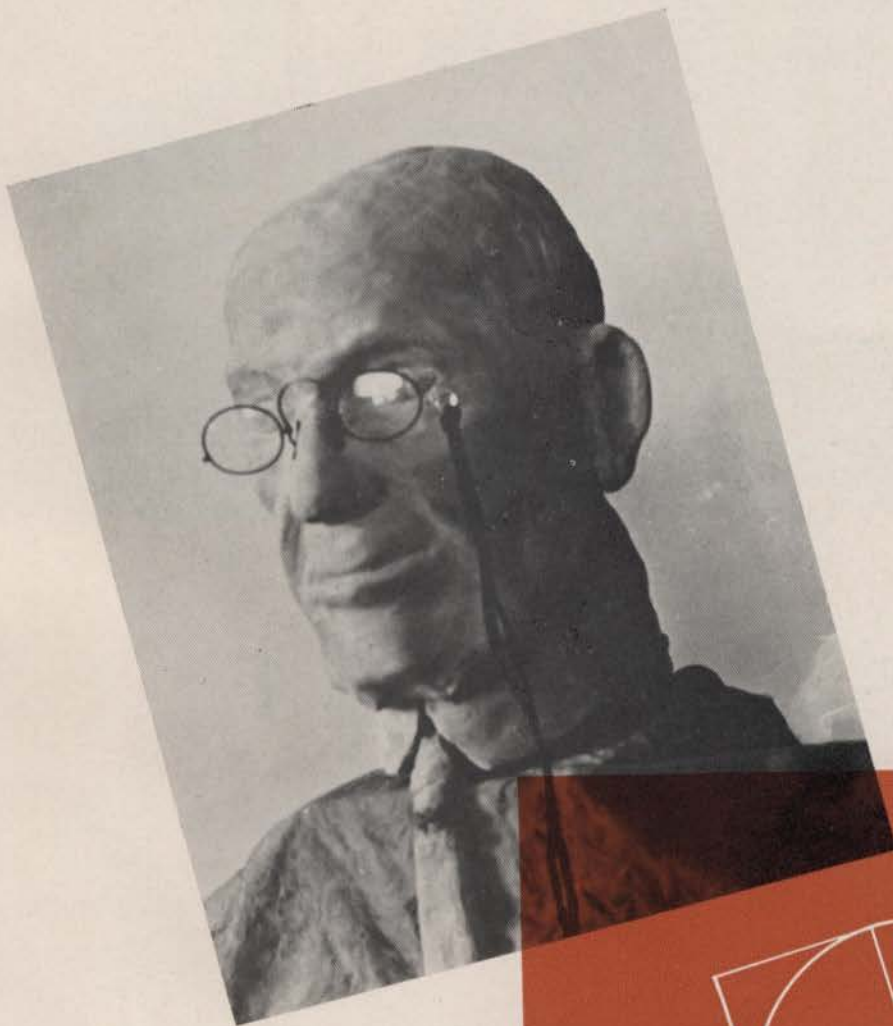




Background

HERE'S WHERE WE LIVE—

What a wealth of souvenirs these walls contain: our joys, our sorrows; our work, our play; our building of today and of tomorrow.



FACULTY





THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

PRESIDING OVER the college as over the other schools of St. Joseph is the Board of Education under the presidency of Dr. Horace W. Carle. Our new superintendent of schools, Mr. Tracy E. Dale, took office in March after the resignation of Superintendent I. E. Stutsman. Mr. George E. Blackwell was appointed to succeed Mr. Dale in the latter's former post as secretary to the board.

Mr. David W. Hopkins, a man prominent in the life of the city, was elected to fill the vacancy left by the death of Mr. John W. Patt, a board member. The picture above includes, reading from the left: Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Dale, Mrs. True Davis, Dr. Carle, Mrs. Clifford E. Adams, Mr. D. R. Berry, Mr. E. F. Garvey, and Mr. Stutsman.



SUPT. TRACY E. DALE

FACULTY EXECUTIVES



COLLEGES ARE known by their administrative policies and their standards. Those of Junior College have been upheld in the past few years by three capable and well qualified persons, our dean, the registrar, and the adviser to men.



MISS NELLE BLUM became Dean of Junior College in 1931. Under her able management the school has continued to grow not only in the numbers of students and of courses, but in cultural advantages to the young people of the community. Miss Blum is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma from which she received the degree, A. B. Her A. M. degree is from Columbia University, New York. In addition to her administrative duties, she has classes in philosophy and psychology.



MISS RADIANCE ZOLLINGER, A. A. from St. Joseph Junior College, is the registrar of the college, the treasurer, and secretary to the Dean.

MR. RAYMOND ELLIOTT is head of the music department and adviser to men. Both his B. S. and M. S. degrees are from the University of Kansas and he has been a student at New York University. Perhaps Mr. Elliott's most outstanding accomplishment in the college is the training of the A Cappella Choir which has given forty public performances this year.

FACULTY

MISS EMILY WYATT: A. B., University of Missouri; A. M., Middlebury College. Instructor of English; sponsor of Dramatic Club and League of Women Voters.

MR. FRANK POPPLEWELL: B. S., M. S., State Teachers' College, Pittsburg, Kan.; A. M., University of Missouri. History; sponsor of Debate team and College Y.

MR. R. E. STONE: A. B., University of Idaho; A. M., University of Washington. Economics and Political Science.

MISS ORREL M. ANDREWS: A. B., Wichita Municipal University; A. M., University of Kansas. Biology and sponsor of the Natural Science Club.

DR. MARY F. ROBINSON: A. B., University of Michigan; A. M., Washington University; Ph. D., University of Chicago. Psychology and sponsor of the Griffon News.

MR. GRANT PISTORIUS: B. S., State Teachers' College, Emporia, Kan.; A. M., University of Kansas. Instructor of Physics and sponsor of the local chapter of Phi Theta Kappa.

MR. ERNEST H. WERNER: B. S., University of New Hampshire; A. M., University of Nebraska. Sociology, Social Pathology, director of the band and assistant in Physical Education.

MISS CLARA ALBRECHT: B. S., University of Missouri; A. M., University of Southern California. German, French, Physical Education, and sponsor of the French Club.

MISS AMY DOROTHY EWAN: B. S., State Teachers' College, Warrensburg, Mo.; A. M., Columbia University, N. Y. English, Education, and sponsor of Junior College Y. W. C. A.

MR. B. O. WILLHITE: B. S., Central Missouri State Teachers' College; A. M., University of Missouri; student at Stout Institute. Engineering Drawing.



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MR. J. H. STREETER: B. S., Northeast Missouri State Teachers' College; Graduate work at University of Missouri. Director of Athletics.



MISS EDITH MOSS RHOADES: A. B., Wellesley College; A. M., University of Wisconsin. Head of the English department; sponsor of Cheshire Cheese Club and Penny Whistles.



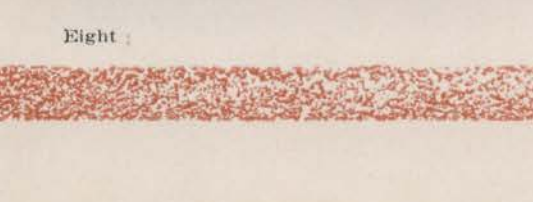
MISS JEAN TROWBRIDGE: Library Training at St. Louis Public Library; graduate of Library School, University of Wisconsin. Librarian.



DR. H. DELAMETER: M. D., University of Alabama. Director of Hygiene in St. Joseph public schools and instructor in Preventive Medicine.



MISS GEORGIA B. VAUGHN: B. S., Northeast Missouri State Teachers' College; A. M., Columbia University, New York. Home Economics.



MISS LETHA M. LOWEN: S. B., University of Chicago; A. M., Columbia University, New York. Mathematics instructor and sponsor of the college yearbook.

MR. DONALD K. SILKS: B. F. A., University of Kansas. Art instructor and supervisor of stage scenery.

MISS HELEN BULLARD BROWN: A. B., University of New Mexico; A. M., University of Wisconsin. Spanish and French; sponsor of Spanish Club.

MR. GEORGE H. DUERKSON: B. S., State Teachers' College, Weatherford, Oklahoma; A. B., Tabor College; A. M., University of Kansas. Chemistry.



SOPHOMORES



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JIMMY ADAMS: All-school play, '39.

CHARLES ALBERTSON: "J" Club; Griffon News staff; intra-mural sports; basket ball.

MORRIS ALEX: Phi Theta Kappa president; alternate Phi Theta convention; senate; sophomore judiciary committee.

THOMAS ALLEN: band.

MARY HELEN ANDERSON: Natural Science Club; secretary Dramatic Club; all-school play, '39.

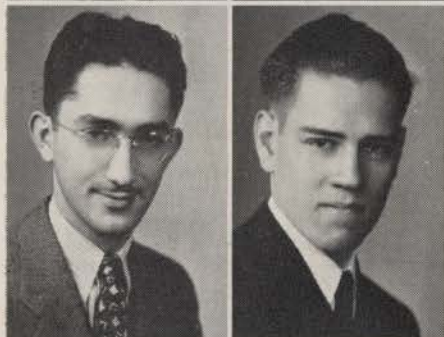
DOROTHY BEALLS: W. A. A.; vice-president "J" Club; all-school play, '38; Spanish Club; Cheshire Cheese; Griffon staff; Griffon News staff; bowling league; Missouri State Sports Meets; Phi Theta Kappa.

HELEN BECKER: French Club; Dramatic Club president; Dramatic Club convocation play, '37.

LYNN BEDFORD: President, student body; basket ball; College-Y; senate; Mace; Dramatic Club; athletic council; "J" Club; intra-mural sports; track.

LUCILLE BLANAR: French Club; Cheshire Cheese; all-school play, '37; Footlights, '37.

FRANCIS BLOOM: A Cappella; track; athletic council; band; intra-mural sports; secretary sophomore class; all-school play, '39.



SOPHOMORES



AMELIA BRADFORD: Spanish Club; French Club; Phi Theta Kappa; Penny Whistles staff; all-school play property committee.



JOSEPH BRANSFIELD: Footlights; mixed chorus; band; orchestra; A Cappella.



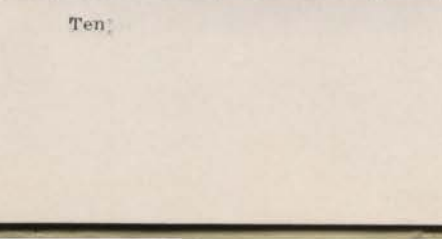
JOSEPHINE BREIT: President, W. A. A.; Griffon News staff; president, "J" Club; J. C. Y. W.; basketball queen attendant; League of Women Voters; bowling league; Missouri State Sports Meets; Griffon staff.



MARGARET BREIT: League of Women Voters; "J" Club; W. A. A.



DICK BRESSLER: Griffon News staff; president and vice-president, Natural Science Club; vice-president, College-Y; golf team; "J" Club; co-editor Griffon; Mace; athletic council; assistant Footlights manager.



VERNON BROWN: College-Y; "J" Club; tennis team; bowling league; intra-mural sports.

JAMES BUCHER: Band; stage crew.

BETTY BURRI: Bowling league; Spanish Club; property committee, all-school play.

GENEVA BUTLER: "J" Club; W. A. A.; League of Women Voters; J. C. Y. W.

DONALD CODER: Reader in Mathematics Department.

PANSY CONGER: Junior College Y. W. C. A.

RALPH COTTIER: A Cappella; Footlights; bowling team captain; intra-mural sports.

MARY KATHERINE CURTIN.

JOHN DOLAN.

BRUCE DROWNS: Ice-breaker committee.

MARTHA DUBACH: Freshman editor, Penny Whistles, '38; editor-in-chief, Penny Whistles, '39; A Cappella; Griffon News staff; Cheshire Cheese; Natural Science Club; Orchestra.

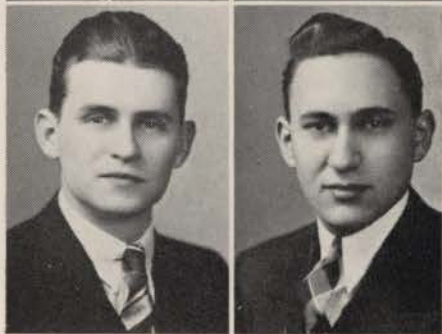
LAMARR EATON.

GLEN EDSON: Freshman and Sophomore basket ball manager; Footlights; "J" Club; Natural Science Club; A Cappella.

ROLLIE G. FEHRMAN: Tennis team; basket ball; psychology assistant.

JOE FRIEDMAN: Griffon News staff, '38; Sophomore Bacculareate Service Committee.

CLASS OF '39



SOPHOMORES



VIRGINIA GARD: Footlights; French Club; bowling league.



ROSE GAWENKA: Natural Science Club; Junior College Y. W. C. A.; League of Women Voters; Phi Theta Kappa.

BETTY GENE GERKIN: "J" Club; W. A. A. outing manager; bowling league, Pep Club.



TED GORTON.

ERLE EDWIN GRAFF: Band; Footlights orchestra.

JAMES GRAHAM: Bowling league; College-Y.



GLADYS GUPTON: Griffon News staff; Cheshire Cheese; Spanish Club; Phi Theta Kappa; president, League of Women Voters; Penny Whistles staff.

NELLIE MAE HADLEY.



BETTY ANN HAGUE: Secretary of student body; secretary Freshman class; French Club; Natural Science Club; Spanish Club; Senate; convocation committee.

EMILY HARPSTER: French Club; Griffon News.

HARLAND HILL: Vice-president Sophomore class; basket ball, '38-'39; cheerleader, '37-'38; vice-president, T. T. B. Club; track; chairman, home-coming; baculareate committee; Footlights; Spanish Club; College-Y; "J" Club; Griffon News staff; intra-murals; ping-pong doubles champion; captain intra-mural basket ball team.

DAVID J. HOPKINS.

CAROLYN HORNING: "J" Club; J. C. Y. W.; League of Women Voters; W. A. A.; Pep Club.

BETTY ANN JOHNSON: A Cappella.

VIRGINIA JOHNSON: A Cappella.

LORENE KAPP: French Club.

VIRGINIA KAPP: Spanish Club.

MARY LOUISE KARNS: French Club; Phi Theta Kappa; Footlights stage setting; Griffon News staff; Penny Whistles staff.

RUTH KELLY: A Cappella; all-school play, '37; property committee all-school play, '38; Senate; Footlights.

JACK KOSER: Vice-president, Freshman class; Footlights manager, '39; bowling team captain; College-Y; chairman green cap committee; Senate; intra-mural sports; Prowl Day committee.



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SOPHOMORES



DOROTHY JEAN LADD: Phi Theta Kappa; Spanish Club.

THELMA LANE: A Cappella; basket ball queen attendant; athletic council; W. A. A.; "J" Club; Pep Club; Missouri state sports meets; girls' ping-pong champion; bowling league; Footlights; League of Women Voters, vice-president; Griffon staff.



PHYLLIS LEWARS: Spanish Club, reporter.

CHARLES McCURDY: Vice-president of student body; bowling league; Natural Science Club; Spanish Club; Mace; Griffon staff; Phi Theta Kappa, treasurer; Senate; T. T. B. Club; intra-mural sports.



DONALD MACMACHEN: A Cappella, business manager; business manager all-school play, '38; Natural Science Club; intra-mural sports.

JOHN MALINOWSKI: Spanish Club.



CLAIRE MEEKER: Footlights, '38-'39; all-school play, '39; basket ball queen, '39; A Cappella; intra-mural sports.

HATTIE LEE MIGNERY: J. C. Y. W.; W. A. A.; Pep Club; "J" Club; Griffon staff.



MARY MINTER: All-school play, '39.

MARY CATHERINE MORIARTY.

BILLY MUSSER: Spanish Club.

DEAN NICHOLS: Spanish Club.

ELEANOR OLNEY: Chorus; Christmas and Easter programs.

ALGALEE POOLE: Natural Science Club; Spanish Club; chairman, Cheshire Cheese; associate editor, Penny Whistles; all-school play, '39.

RUDOLPH POTTCAMP.

SPENCER RAY: Golf team; intra-mural manager; "J" Club; College-Y; athletic council; Missouri table tennis open; Griffon News staff; Griffon staff; homecoming committee; T. T. B. Club.

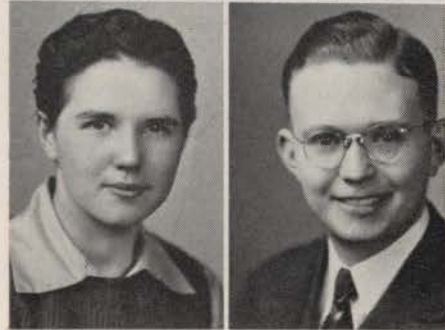
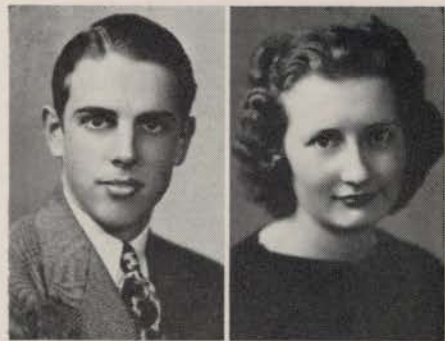
FREDERICK REINERT: A Cappella.

DOROTHY ROACH: Natural Science Club; Spanish Club; Phi Theta Kappa; League of Women Voters; Senate; Griffon News staff; A Cappella.

ALICE ROBERTS: J. C. Y. W.; Natural Science Club; W. A. A.

WILLIAM ROBINSON: A Cappella; band; Spanish Club; Footlights orchestra; all-school play advertising committee.

CLASS OF '39



SOPHOMORES



DOROTHY ROSENTHAL: prompter, all-school play, '38; all-school play cast, '39; bowling league; Dramatic Club; Spanish Club.



LUCILE ROUNER: All-school play, '38; assembly programs; A Cappella; art exhibit.

CHARLES RUBY: French Club; ping pong; usher, all-school play.



JANICE SALING: Spanish Club; treasurer, Natural Science Club.

CARL SCHWAB: Swimming team; bowling league.

PRICE SMITH: Botany and Zoology assistant.



BETTY STALLARD: Secretary, Spanish Club; French Club; Footlights; A Cappella.

ELEANOR STOERKER: Griffon News, editor '38-'39; secretary, Phi Theta Kappa; Mace; all-school play, '38.



MARIE STOUFFER: A Cappella; Cheshire Cheese; Junior College Y. W.

SALLY SUTHERLAND: Property committee, all-school play, '38-'39; French Club, secretary; bowling league; program committee, J. C. Tea dance.

WILLIAM TESCH: Intra-mural sports.

FRANK THEE: Spanish Club; Phi Theta Kappa.

ROSEMARY TOBIN: Tennis champion, '38; prompter, all-school play.

EDWARD VINCENT: French Club; Natural Science Club; band; championship bowling team, '38.

DOROTHY WADDELL: Junior College Y. W.

MARY JANE WARIS: Spanish Club; Footlights, '39.

MELVIN WELCH.

DOROTHY WOLFE: Junior College Y. W., president; Cheshire Cheese Club.

DEE WYATT: Senate, '38-'39; all-school plays, '38-'39; Dramatic Club; national president, Phi Theta Kappa; Mace; Sophomore Ice-breaker committee; Footlights committee; bowling captain.

BETTY YAGER: Junior College Y. W.

CLASS OF '39



SOPHOMORES



MARY ANN ACKERMAN: French Club; all-school play, '39.



CLAY BORCHERS: All-school play, '38; all-school play finance committee, '39.

BILL BRICKER: Footlights, '38; track; band, letterman; orchestra; A Cappella.



HUGH GRAFF: A Cappella; band; orchestra; hand-ball champion, '39; intra-mural sports.

WILMA HADORN: League of Women Voters; secretary, Natural Science Club; secretary and treasurer, J. C. Y. W.; W. A. A.; "J" Club.

ELAINE MAHAN: Footlights; basket ball queen attendant.



COLLIS ROUNDY: Golf team; bowling league; soft-ball.

OTTO SCHENCK.



ROY TANNER: Varsity basket ball, co-captain, '38-'39; captain intra-mural basket ball team; "J" Club; golf champion; golf team; intra-mural sports; Sophomore ping pong champion; treasurer, College-Y; T. T. B. Club; Griffon News staff; school dance committee.

DEANE WILEY: Band; orchestra; intra-mural sports; member champion intra-mural basket ball team; Griffon News staff; Footlights, '38-'39; track.



FRESHMEN



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William W. Abbott

Genevieve Aberle

Kathryn Anderson

James Ashcraft

Paul Beauchamp

Mildred Blamar

Mary Agnes Brady

Melvin Brocker

Myrldene Buller

Mary Ann Burks

Dorothy Butler

Margaret Campbell

Lily Marie Carter

Marian Chambers

Averil Conger

Bradford Cornelius

Lora Lee Crane

Stanley Dale

Marietta Dallam

Richard Dew

Dorothy June Dillingham

Tom Donegan

Harold Dubach

Jack Galley

Charles Garder

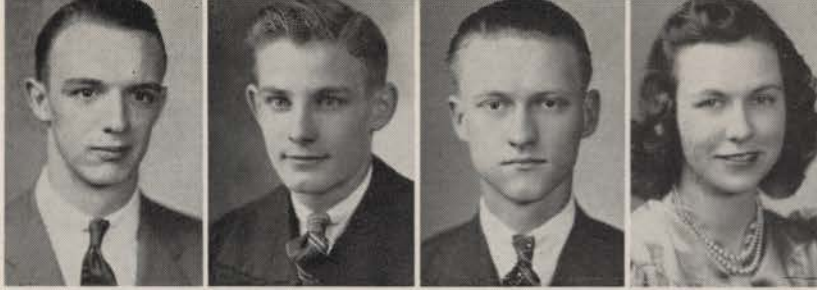
Pette Grant

Mary Ellen Gregg

Geraldine Grinspan



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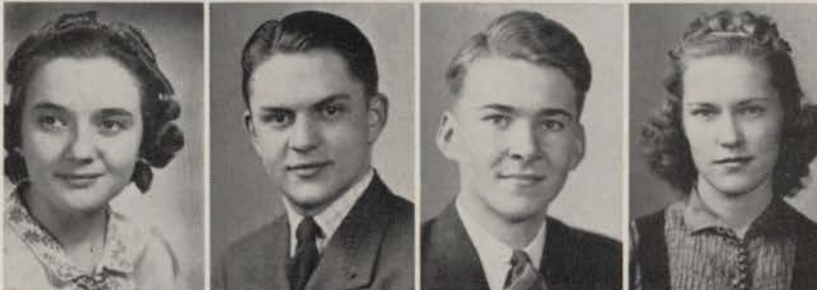
Richard Hamlet
Kenneth Harden
Clifford Harkrider
Louise Harris



Edward Hubka
Jack Hurt
Peggy Igoe
Bettye Jewel Johnson



Walter Johnson
Roy Kackley
Francis E. Keen
Velma Knowles



Aida Kravick
William Lamborn
Walter Landis
Jeane Lewis



Kathleen Lindsay
June Littles
Owen McBee
David E. McKee



Helen McVay
Denton Matteson
Frank Maxey
Donald Michel



Ethelmae Mooney
Ralph William Moser
Thelma Norris
Carl G. Nurski

Cleta Patten

Agatha Priebe

Lorraine Purdy

Margaret Rash

Eugene Ready

Charles Richmond

Earl Riddle

Margaret Riddle

Catherine Riesenmey

Ardell Ritter

Jack Robertson

Raymond Robinson

Jack Rynearson

Mary Seufert

Dorothy Slaybaugh

Betty Smalley

Duane Stevens

Albert Swincheski

Nadine Teaford

Marjorie Thompson

Beverly Vandersloot

Clarnell Wehrli

Jeanne Weil

John Westpheling

Thomas Westpheling

Eugene Whitsitt

Bellarose Wienshienk

William Yount



CLASS OF '40

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● SOPHOMORES

Carol Abercrombie
Billy J. Adams
Charles Beggs
Harry M. Brown
Mont G. Buehler
Robert Burnett
Burman Caton
Evla Cosgrove
William Darnell
Bob DeBord
Robert Deitchman
Albert DeMar
Barbara Jean Dillener
Agnes Doyle
Leona Mae Ebersold
Virginia Farrell
Tom Fiquet
Harry Gillett
Charles Goerlitz
Belden Hamm
Charles Harris

Ann Hathaway
Joeffrey Hillelson
Alma Incho
Malvin Jackson
Harold Joffe
Cone Johnson
Paul Kimberlin
Stanley Lawrence
Charles Lawson
William Leake
Vernell Linch
Mary Frances McCrosky
Roderick McNeal
Harry McPherson, Jr.
Samuel Meites
Norman Minor
Iila Montgomery
Bill Morton
Mrs. Jessie Murphy
Donald Pack
Mrs. Dollye Panigot

Virginia Poynter
Paul Punzo
Mrs. Amy Reid
George Roth
Glenna Smith
Marie Spencer
Mary Lee Spengler
Samuel Steinberg
Amelia Swinford
Kenneth Throckmorton
Kenton VanVickle
Suzanne Voorhees
Helen Walters
Marjorie White
Frederick Wiley
Sanford Williams
William Willman
Elizabeth Wise
John Wiseman
William Woodyard
Virginia Zweers

● FRESHMEN

Joe Aladeen
Ruby Faye Allen
William Allen
Fred Anderson
Irene Anderson
Russell Arnold
Yvonne Atterbury
Clarence Barnes
Kathleen Barnes
Ella Mae Bartlow
Bill Bass
Dorothy Jean Bayne
Donald Bergeson
Don Bertram
Harry Bowersox
Jewell Boy

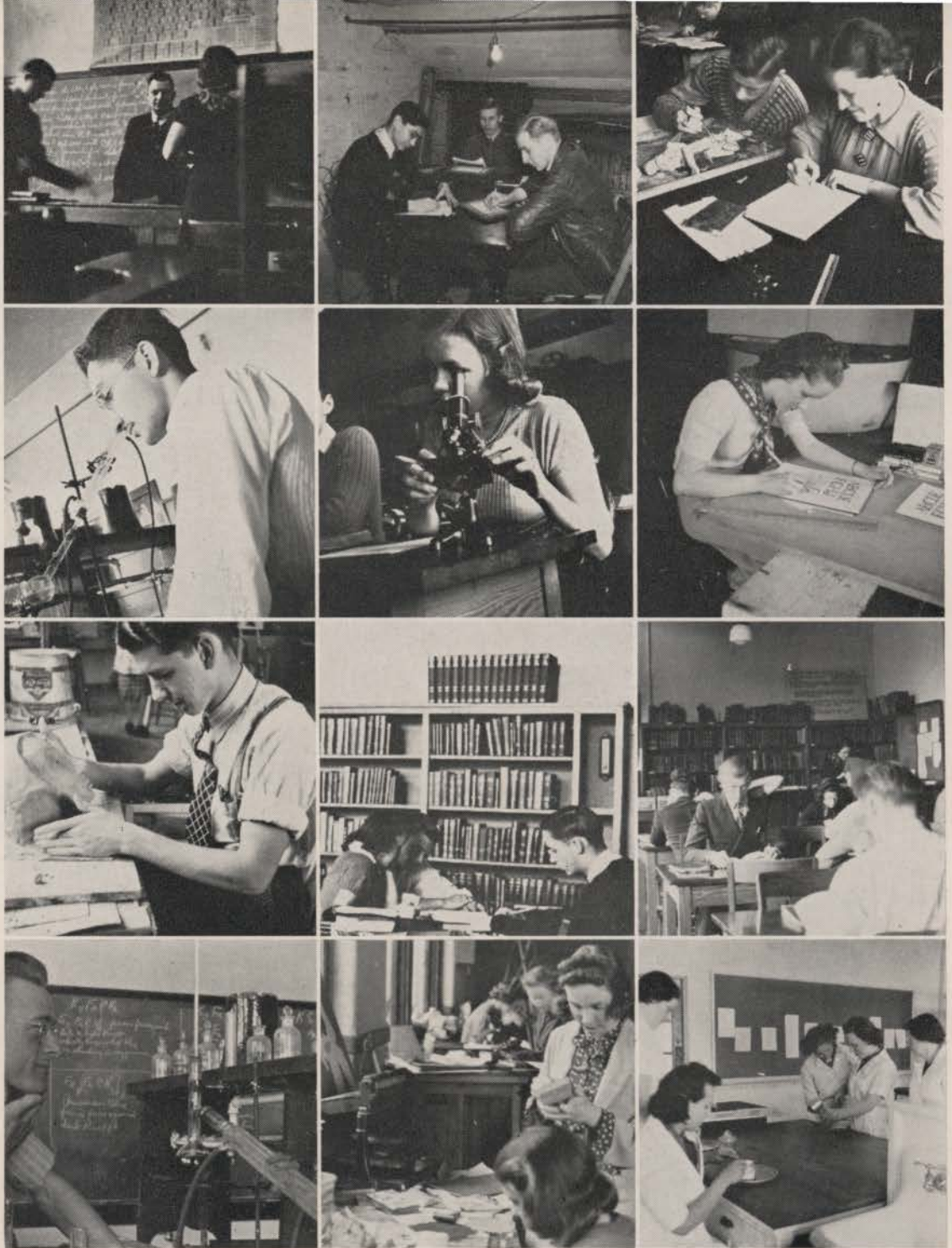
Charles Brock
Allen Brohn
Kenneth D. Brown
Richard Brown
Lucile Bullock
William Burgess
Betty Burke
Carrie Ann Burton
Eileen Burton
Jane Byrne
Bonnie Campbell
Barbara Carson
Mary Ann Catron
Jack Claassen
Norman Clark
Warren Clark

Margery Clayton
Fred Clouse
Rodney Cochran
Dean Cole
Harold Cole
Jack Coleman
Sarah Colloff
Joeffrey Creviston
Lloyd Crumpton
Helen Culver
John Thomas Curry
Gene Davidson
Odell Davis
Worden Davis
Joe Deatherage
Wilbur DeHart

Millard DeShon
Elwyn DeVore
William Dillinder
John Downey
Jimmy Doyle
Michael Draut
Grant Driver
Loretta Edwards
Robert Eisiminger
Ruthanna Elkins
Mimi Elliott
John Conrad Engel
Bill Fenner
Betty Lou Foster
Donald Fraser
Clarence Foussard
Mildred Funk
Fred Gardner
Dorothy Garrett
John Greer
Don Guinn
Carolyn Guthrie
Jean Hager
James Hance
Richard Hance
Jack Hansman
Harriet Hardman
Martha Hartwig
Thomas Harvey
Newton Hatfield
Jean Hathaway
Ross Heaston
Sherman Hensley
Robert Herbold
Alfred Hoffman
Hugh Howard
Louis F. Imm
Gladys Jacobson
Bob James
Helen Jensen
Florence Johnson
Earl Jones
Ryland Jordan
Catherine Judson
Higdon Junk
Robert Keiber
Shirley Keller
Moretha B. Kepley
Herbert Kligman

Lawrence Koenig
Oren La Plante
Thelma Lehman
Selwyn Leibowitz
Carolyn Leininger
Walter Lenox
Joyce Lewis
J. K. Loglan
Gene Logsdon
William McAssey
Mary Ann McCarthy
Julia McClure
Etta Kathryn McGahey
Lura McIninch
James McNeely
Jacob Maddox
John Madget
Galen Mannan, Jr.
Fern Evelyn Marshall
Helen Mathews
Thomas Maxey
George R. Maxwell
Earl Miller
Ray Miller
Frank Minor
Hugh Minor
Maryle Mitchell
R. E. Mittendorf
Robert Moffit
Alvy Moore
Charles E. Moser
Paul Moskau
Bert Newkirk
Richard Olney
William Oayman
Jim Owen
Dale Palmer
Albert Pauly
Ben Petree
James Pickerel
Beulah Powell
Bill Pribil
Paul Quinn
Arthur Ramey
Jewell Reys
Joseph Richey
Jack Roberts
James Roberts
Patricia Roberts

Merlice Rose
Walter Roth
Bob Rush
Juanita Sale
Mary Louise Schiesl
Suzanne Schiesl
Ralph Schopfer
Patty Schwartz
Byron Seever
Anne Sheridan
Norman Sheridan
John Shinabarger
Harold Shorley
Jerry Smith
Scott Smith
Sherman Smolly
Roy Sommers
Robert Speer
Gene Steffens
Marion St. John
Anthony Stock
Reba May Stonebarger
Alfred Stover
LeRoy Strong
Robert Swinney
John E. Switzer
Frank Syata
Edward Tanner
Fred Taylor
Clayton Thomas
Donald Thompson
Morris Trilinski
Margaret Warren
Billy Wasserkrug
Bernard Weber
Donald Weber
Shirley Weiner
Alan Welter
Donald White
Earl Wickam
Jack Williams
Shirley Williams
Don E. Wilson
Virginia Woodbury
Lee Woodworth
Jack Wright
Barton Yates
Billy Young
Dorothy Yount



ROUTINE

TOP ROW: What's an atom, teacher? . . . Those psychologists again . . . Does it smell bad? . . . Second row: And still more scientists . . . See anything? . . . Learning the alphabet . . . Third row: Aren't him pretty? . . . That intellectual huddle . . . Cracking books for a change . . . Lower row: I wonder why, too . . . Art at J. C. . . Here's your chance, boys.



ORGANIZATIONS





THE SENATE is the governing body of Junior College. Three sophomores and nine freshmen are chosen by the student body to represent the views of their respective classes. The most important function is that of making rules and regulations for the betterment of the school. The regular meetings are concerned mainly with solving student problems, appointment of committees to serve in extra-curricular activities such as "Prowl Day" and the school dances, the selection of the general chairman of "Footlights," and the election of editors for the school publications. The officers are: president, Lynn Bedford; vice-president, Charles McCurdy; secretary-treasurer, Betty Ann Hague. In the photograph, *back row*: Charles Richmond, Dee Wyatt, Dorothy Garrett, Patty Schwartz, Morris Alex, and Bill Bass; *front row*: Bradford Cornelius, Bob DeBord, Charles McCurdy, Lynn Bedford, and Bill Yount. Other members not in the picture are: Betty Ann Hague, Ruth Kelly, and Jerry Smith.

The Senate

Twenty-five

The Mace

THE MACE, an organization for the purpose of encouraging constructive student activity in the service of the school, is comparatively new, having been organized during the first semester of the school year 1936-1937. It is unique in that it has no officers and holds no meetings except one each semester for the purpose of electing new members. Selection is based on activities and service to the school. Three members are chosen each semester during the fifteenth week. The constitution provides that the students elected the first semester shall be Sophomores, and those chosen the second semester, Freshmen A's. In the event a Freshman elected in the spring does not return to college in the fall, an additional Sophomore is elected at the end of the first semester to bring the total membership to six. The sole duty of a member is to maintain the same high standards of service to the school which he had before election to membership. The members are: Eleanor Stoerker, Dick Bressler, Bob DeBord, Lynn Bedford, Dee Wyatt, and Charles McCurdy.





PHI THETA KAPPA, Junior College honorary society, has as its object the promotion of scholarship, the development of character, and the cultivation of fellowship among the students of junior colleges. To be eligible for membership a student must be in the upper ten per cent of his class and must have a scholastic average of seven and one-half grade points. After students are pledged they must maintain their grades for a nine-weeks period before initiation. Activities of the chapter include regular monthly meetings and a banquet at the end of the second semester. Ten members attended the annual national convention at Monroe, La., which was held in April. Mr. Grant Pistorius sponsors the group. In the picture are, *back row*: Jack Robertson, Clayton Thomas, Ben Petree, Frederick Wiley, Frank Thee, Morris Alex, Albert Swinchoski, Bill Moser, Bill Morton; *middle row*: Donald Pack, Charles McCurdy, Carolyn Leininger, Beulah Powell, Velma Knowles, Mr. Pistorius, Gladys Gupton, Amelia Bradford, Mary Louise Karns, Charles Richmond; *front row*: Dee Wyatt, Eleanor Stoerker, Dorothy Jean Ladd, Catherine Riesenmey, Amelia Swinford, Bellarose Wienshienk, Thelma Lehman, Etta Kathryn McGauhey, and Melvin Brocker.

Phi Theta Kappa

Twenty-seven

Delta College Y

DELTA COLLEGE Y, sponsored by the Y. M. C. A., was organized to continue in college the work started in the high schools by the Hi-Y clubs. Its general purpose is to create and maintain higher standards of personal character among the young men of the college through the four goals: clean living, clean thinking, clean sportsmanship, and clean scholarship. Meetings are held every Tuesday evening in the homes of members or at the Y. M. C. A. Outside speakers address the club on vocational opportunities, character development or any other topic of general interest. The club's activities include donating to the poor at Thanksgiving and Christmas, holding early morning services during Easter Week, attending church services in a body, giving pledges to carry on World Brotherhood Work, as well as sponsoring several social events. The officers are: Bill Morton, president; Dick Bressler, vice-president; Spencer Ray, secretary; Roy Tanner and Tom Fiquet, co-treasurers. In the picture are, *back row*: Jimmie Hance, George Roth, Donald Guinn, Bill Yount, Lynn Bedford, Bill Lamborn, Bob James; *middle row*: Jimmie Graham, Jack Koser, Walter Roth, George Maxwell, Bob DeBord, Harland Hill, Bill Abbott, Jack Hurt, Bill Moser; *front row*: Melvin Brocker, Tom Fiquet, Spencer Ray, Mr. Frank Popplewell, the sponsor, Bill Morton, Dick Bressler, Roy Tanner, and Albert DeMar.



Twenty-eight



THE J. C. Y. W. is sponsored by the Y. W. C. A. and comes as an outgrowth of the Girl Reserve Clubs in the high schools. The goal of this club is the promotion of Christian ideals and lasting friendships among girls interested in worthwhile activities. The club meets at the Y. W. C. A. building the first and third Friday afternoons of the month. Topics having to do with world affairs, social problems, and religion are discussed at the meetings. Occasionally outside speakers appear before the club. Special activities of the organization include giving a tea for new girls in the fall, giving baskets to needy families at Thanksgiving and Christmas, and cooperating with the Delta College Y in sponsoring the pre-Easter services at the college. In the picture are, *back row*: Carolyn Horning, Lila Montgomery, Marietta Dallam, Margaret Rash, Josephine Breit, Alma Inscho, Catherine Judson; *front row*: Leona Ebersold, Wilma Hadorn, Dorothy Wolfe, Geneva Butler, Rose Gawenda, Marie Stouffer. Members not in the photograph: Mary Agnes Brady, Mary Ann McCarthy, Betty Jean Gerkin, Irene Anderson, and Glenna Smith. Miss Amy Dorothy Ewan is the sponsor.

Junior College Y. W. C. A.

Twenty-nine



THE GRIFFON NEWS staff consists of a varying group of students. Many more than the picture indicates have contributed to the publication of the paper. The work is volunteer and there are no specific requirements except an interest in newspaper work and a willingness to devote some time to it. However, if a student's work measures up to certain standards, he may receive an hour's college credit. There is no regular date for the publication of the paper, but twelve issues were put out at times when they would best serve the school. Two copies of the Griffon News and many individual stories were entered in the Missouri Interscholastic Press Association contests in April. Eleanor Stoerker, Dick Bressler, Jim Ashcraft, Spencer Ray, and Roy Tanner have held key positions on the staff, serving as editor, news editor, and sports editors respectively. Many others have contributed their time in the writing of stories, the securing of advertisements, the typing of stories, and the correcting of proofs. Miss Mary Robinson is faculty adviser to the staff. Members who appear in the picture are, *top row*: Bill Lamborn, Paul Beauchamp, Bob DeBord, Harland Hill, Roy Tanner, Earl Wickam; *middle row*: Margaret Riddle, Martha Dubach, Josephine Breit, Mary Ann Burks, Emily Harpster, Dorothy Roach; *front row*: Peggy Igoe, Jim Ashcraft, Eleanor Stoerker, Dick Bressler, Spencer Ray, Gladys Gupton.

The Griffon News

Thirty

The Griffon Staff

THE GRIFFON is published by a staff of sixteen J. C. students chosen from the student body. The staff has been faced with the difficulties of securing subscriptions, rounding up club members for photographs, chasing after individuals who failed to return proofs, securing advertising, to say nothing of preparing and arranging the contents of the book. The members of the staff wish to thank the advertisers, engravers, photographers, and printers for their assistance. The staff: M. Burks and D. Bressler, co-editors; D. McKee, business manager; E. Riddle, assistant business manager; P. Beauchamp, art editor; M. Campbell, organizations editor; D. Bealls, sophomore editor; M. Riddle, freshman editor; B. Johnson, faculty editor; J. Breit and T. Lane, women's sports; J. Ashcraft and S. Ray, men's athletics; P. Punzo and B. Moser, snapshots; and H. Mignery, secretary to staff. Miss Letha Lowen is the faculty adviser.





A CAPPELLA has helped make more contacts for Junior College than any other organization in the school and has been heard by more people than any other musical organization in the city. The group has made over forty public appearances this year, singing to nearly 15,000 people. Each spring the choir gives a concert, the proceeds of which go toward financing the annual trip. Buses are chartered to take the students to various towns in the St. Joseph trade area. Mr. Raymond Elliott is the director of the choir and Don McMachen is the business manager.

In the upper group, **back row:** A. Swinchoski, J. Bransfield, C. Garder, H. Graff, B. Bricker, F. Bloom, F. Reinert, R. Cottier, B. Hamm, and E. Riddle; **middle row:** M. Thompson, M. Campbell, M. Dubach, G. Smith, Mr. Elliott, B. Dillener, R. Kelly, L. Bullock, and E. McGauey; **front row:** P. Igoe, L. Rouner, C. Meeker, B. Stallard, C. Wehrli, J. Weil, S. Weiner, A. Ritter, M. White, and T. Lehman. Lower group, **back row:** D. McMachen, H. Dubach, H. Junk, P. Beauchamp, D. Michel, K. Brown, K. VanVickle, R. Jordan, G. Edson; **middle row:** E. Mooney, Y. Atterbury, A. Swinford, D. Roach, T. Lane, G. Aberle, A. Priebe, N. Teaford, H. Jenson, K. Anderson; **front row:** M. Stouffer, M. Dallam, H. Hardman, D. Slaybaugh, D. Butler, J. Lewis, E. Burton, B. Johnson, M. Burks, J. Littles, and B. Vandersloot.

A Cappella Choir

Thirty-two

Band and Orchestra

THE J. C. BAND is small in number but mighty in the volume of music it furnishes for pep meetings and basketball games. The group accompanied the team to Chillicothe, and on one occasion they participated in a radio broadcast. Mr. Ernest Werner is the conductor. In the photograph are, **back row:** Carl Nurski, Albert Swinchoski, Clarence Garder, Francis Bloom, James Bucher, Joe Bransfield, Bill Moser, Jack Westphaling; **middle row:** Dick Robinson, Earl Riddle, Wilbur DeHart, Edward Vincent, Jack Roberts, Don Wilson, Jack Switzer; **front row:** Belden Hamm, Eddie Hubka, Hugh Graff, Mr. Werner, Bill Bricker, Deane Wiley, and Ross Heaston.

THE ORCHESTRA, under the direction of Mr. Raymond Elliott, has given one public concert, a radio program, and furnished music for the all-school play. The violin quartet has been in great demand. Its members are: Marjorie Thompson, Don Michel, Marjorie Nan White, and Russell Arnold. Shown in the picture are, **top row:** Carl Nurski, Deane Wiley, Hugh Graff, Dick Robinson, and Earl Riddle; **middle row:** Belden Hamm, Michael Draut, Mr. Elliott, Albert Swinchoski, and Bill Bricker; **front row:** Don Michel, Marjorie Thompson, Ardelle Ritter, Moretha Kepley, Martha Dubach, and Russell Arnold.



League of Women Voters

THE LEAGUE of Women Voters has for its purpose the stimulation of interest in questions of politics and public welfare. The program has included such subjects as the neutrality policy of the United States, the reciprocal trade agreement promoted by Secretary Cordell Hull, and the policy of the United States in relation to South America. The College League is sponsored by the State League of Women Voters which has given much valuable aid and advice. Miss Emily Wyatt is faculty adviser. As its officers this year, the club elected: Gladys Gupton, president; Lila Montgomery, vice-president; and Geneva Butler, secretary-treasurer. Gladys Gupton and Margaret Riddle were sent as delegates to the State Convention which was held at Stevens College, Columbia, where they met with girls from Christian College, the University of Missouri, and other colleges. The members in the picture are, *back row*: Margaret Riddle, Mary Agnes Brady, Eleanor Stoerker, Margaret Breit, Wilma Hadorn; *middle row*: Alma Incho, Carolyn Horning, Josephine Breit, Thelma Lane, Kathryn Anderson; *front row*: Margaret Campbell, Geneva Butler, Miss Emily Wyatt, Gladys Gupton, Lila Montgomery.



Thirty-four



THE NATURAL Science Club is one of the most active in the college. Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of the month in homes, and the members are entertained by a program and games. The purpose of the club is to promote an interest in the natural sciences and to sponsor the St. Joseph Museum, which it founded. They also print annually the "St. Joseph News Letter." A Christmas party is held each year and a basket given to a needy family. On commencement morning the club has a breakfast at which they elect their officers for the next year. Miss Orrel Andrews has been the sponsor since the club was organized in 1923. The officers are: president, Dick Bressler; vice-president, John Wiseman; secretary, Wilma Hadorn; treasurer, Dorothy Roach. The members are, *back row*: Charles McCurdy, Harold Dubach, Harry Brown, Lynn Bedford, Edward Vincent, and Allen Brohn; *middle row*: Alice Roberts, Martha Dubach, Mary Helen Anderson, Glen Edson, Helen McVey, Betty Ann Hague, and Marian Chambers; *front row*: Loretta Edwards, Algalee Poole, Wilma Hadorn, Dick Bressler, Dorothy Roach, Kathleen Barnes, and Catherine Riesenmey.

Natural Science Club

Thirty-five

The French Club

THE FRENCH Club is one of the honorary societies of the college. Two years of high school French, one year of college French, or an "S" average in first semester college French are required for membership. This group meets every two weeks on Monday night for a business session and a program consisting of songs, reports, dialogues, and games, all in French. The purpose is to help the members to become acquainted with French customs and culture and to give them an opportunity to speak the French language. Miss Clara Albrecht is the sponsor of the club. The officers are: president, Mary Seufert; vice-president, Amelia Bradford; and secretary-treasurer, Sally Sutherland. The members are, *back row*: Albert Swinchoski, Jack Robertson, Ed Vinson, Don Michel, Paul Beauchamp, Stanley Dale, Alfred Stover, Jim Ashcraft, Allen Brohn, Amelia Bradford, Sally Sutherland; *middle row*: Aida Kravick, Mildred Blonar, Betty Stallard, Bellarose Wienshienk, Betty Ann Hague, Harriet Hardman, Thelma Lehman, Marjorie Nan White, Virginia Kapp, Martha Hartwig, Virginia Gard, Lily Marie Carter; *front row*: Shirley Weiner, Patty Schwartz, Mary Ann Ackerman, Helen Becker, Geraldine Grinspan, Miss Albrecht, Bettye Jewell Johnson, Catherine Riesenmey, Mary Seufert, Emily Harpster.





LA LUCECITA was organized to develop greater fluency in speaking the Spanish language and to acquaint its members with the life and customs of the Spanish people. Only Spanish is spoken at the meetings and the programs, games, and songs are all Spanish. The club affords its members an opportunity to know and enjoy Spanish and the Spanish speaking countries. The membership is made up of sophomores and second semester students having an average of "S" in Spanish. The officers this year are Amelia Swinford, president; Harry McPherson, vice-president; Betty Stallard, secretary. Miss Helen Brown is sponsor. For the past eight years the club has helped a poor family from Old Mexico, providing food, clothing, and toys each Christmas, and seeds for a spring garden. Those in the photograph, *back row*: Harry McPherson, Peggy Igoe, Gladys Gupton, Charles Richmond, David McKee, Harland Hill, Bill Morton, Amelia Bradford, Charles McCurdy, Eddie Hubka; *middle row*: Dorothy Ladd, Suzanne Schiesl, Mary Jane Waris, Betty Ann Hague, Helen McVey, Genevieve Aberle, Patty Roberts, Phyllis Lewars, Betty Burri, Maryle Mitchell, Tom Fiquet; *front row*: Harriet Hardman, Algalee Poole, Ruby Faye Allen, Betty Stallard, Virginia Kapp, Amelia Swinford, Dorothy Roach, Betty Burke, Florence Johnson, Dorothy Rosenthal.

La Lucecita



CHESHIRE CHEESE, J. C.'s literary club, sponsored by Miss Edith Moss Rhoades, meets every two weeks at a member's home to spend a pleasant afternoon over the teacups discussing literature of merit. Each year the club sponsors "Penny Whistles," the literary publication of the college. Martha Dubach is editor of the 1939 edition. Members in the photograph, **back row:** Peggy Igoe, Martha Dubach, Dorothy Wolfe, Beulah Powell, and Gladys Gupton; **front row:** Mary Ann Burks, Algalee Poole, and Marie Stouffer. Ray Miller and Mary Louise Karnes are not in the picture.

THE DEBATE team was organized in September, 1938, under the sponsorship of Mr. Frank Popplewell. In the photograph are the charter members: Fred Anderson, Mildred Blonar, Stanley Dale, Mr. Popplewell, and Jack Robertson. The group tries to stimulate public speaking ability, and to do intensive research work on some modern problem. This year the question for debate was, "Resolved: The United States shall cease using public funds for the purpose of stimulating business." The team has taken part in about twenty debates this year and has won decisions at Missouri Valley, Hannibal La Grange Junior College, Central Wesleyan, and Tarkio.

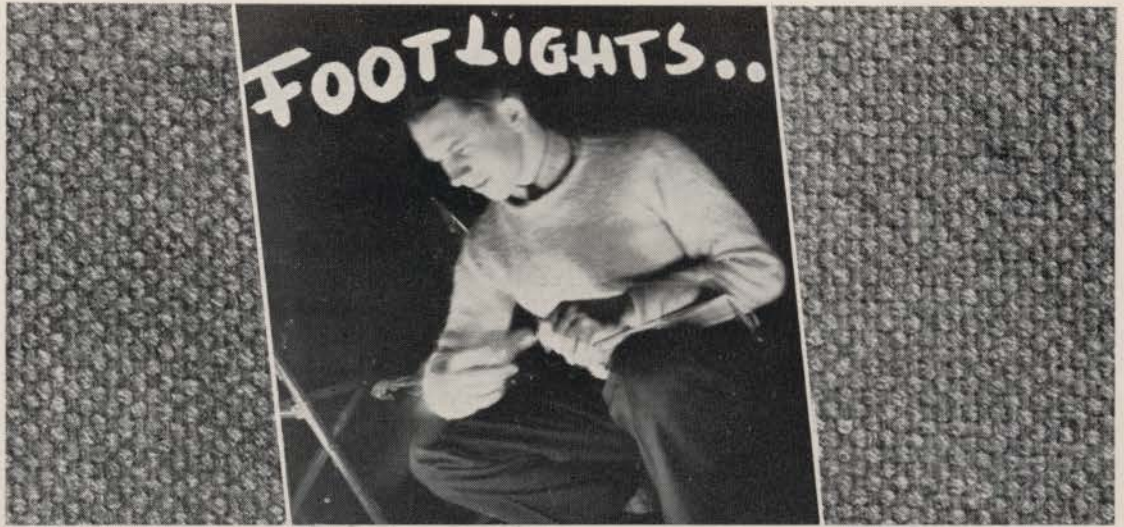
Cheshire Cheese and Debate Team

Dramatic Club and All-School Play

THE DRAMATIC Club not only studies both classical and modern plays, but also informally produces many of them. A play, "The Tub," written by a former J. C. student, Edwin McDonald, was produced in convocation by this group with Louise Harris, Helen Mathews, and Earl Riddle as the cast. Those in the picture are, **back row:** Robert Deitchman, Dee Wyatt, Paul Beauchamp, Lynn Bedford, Mary Helen Anderson, Leroy Strong, Oren La Plante, Dick Dew, Earl Riddle; **front row:** Helen Mathews, Dorothy Rosenthal, Louise Harris, Miss Emily Wyatt, Helen Becker, Jean Weil, and Betty Lou Foster.

"STAGE DOOR," by George S. Kaufman and Edna Ferber, was presented March 24. Miss Emily Wyatt was the director; the cast, **back row:** Earl Riddle, Francis Bloom, Jimmie Adams, Paul Beauchamp, Richard Dew; **second row:** Jack Wright, Gene Whitsitt, Dee Wyatt, Louise Harris, Mildred Blonar, Dorothy Yount, Mary Minter; **third row:** Ralph W. Moser, LeRoy Strong, Mary Ann Ackerman, Ethelmae Mooney, Dorothy Butler, Algalee Poole, Catherine Riesenmey, Irene Anderson, Kathryn Anderson, Peggy Igoe; **front row:** Earl Wickam, Mary Helen Anderson, Dorothy Rosenthal, Jeanne Weil, Harriet Hardman, Claire Meeker, Miss Wyatt, Betty Lou Foster, Helen Mathews.





JACK KOSER, manager of the 1939 Footlights . . . The rhythm boys . . . Ethelmae Mooney, soloist . . . Lamborn, tap dancer supreme and dance director . . . Toe-tap specialty dancer, Betty Smalley . . . Harriet Hardman, soloist . . . Masters of Ceremony, Riddle and Johnson . . . Vocalist, Mary Jane Waris . . . The Footlights committee . . . Lefty Beauchamp on the job . . . He-man stuff in the waltz number . . . Footlights orchestra . . . Trio.



SPORTS



Coaches and Athletic Council



JUNIOR COLLEGE is greatly indebted to coaches J. H. Streeter and E. H. Werner and to intra-mural manager, Spencer Ray, for its outstanding athletic record this year. Mr. Streeter, formerly a twelve-letter man at Kirksville Teachers' College, has won the admiration and support of the student body in one year by his able coaching of the basket ball and track teams. Mr. Werner, former cross country runner and boxer, sponsored the boxing class, the tennis and golf teams, the riding class, and has revived swimming as a Junior College sport. Spencer Ray has conducted intra-mural contests in basket ball, baseball, track, bowling, tennis, handball, golf, and table tennis to the satisfaction of all concerned. The Athletic Council, which has charge of the athletic program of the college, is made up of students representing the various major and minor sports. Members act as hosts to visiting teams and cooperate with the administration in promoting good sportsmanship. The members are: Lynn Bedford, Bob DeBord, Francis Bloom, Dick Bressler, Spencer Ray, and Thelma Lane.





Basket Ball

PERSONNEL: *back row:* Lynn Bedford, George Maxwell, Norman Minor, Duane Stevens, William Willman, Charles Albertson, and student manager Jim Ashcraft; *front row:* manager Glen Edson, Roy Tanner, Bob DeBord, Coach Streeter, Don Guinn, Gene Ready, and Harland Hill.

OUTCOME: The Griffons completed one of the most successful records in their history, winning sixteen out of eighteen games. They dropped a game to a strong Hannibal La Grange team at Hannibal for their only conference defeat, and a non-conference game to Chillicothe after defeating the Ducks on the Griffon's court earlier in the season. This lone conference defeat cost the Junior College squad a tie with undefeated Flat River for the championship in the Missouri Junior College Conference.

COACH: Coach Streeter laid aside his coaching duties at Roosevelt Junior High School to take over a green, inexperienced squad, and molded them into a high-scoring aggregation that nearly eclipsed any team in Griffon history. In his first year he brought Junior College into the basket ball spotlight.

LETTERMEN: Roy Tanner, high scoring guard, paced the Griffons in individual scoring, followed closely by Bob DeBord and Lynn

Bedford, both of whom were hampered by injuries. Harland Hill was in the starting line-up in seventeen out of eighteen games, and was always an important cog in the team. Gene Ready, Don Guinn, and Charles Albertson saw duty numerous times as did Duane Stevens and George Maxwell who completed the list of lettermen.

PROSPECTS: Returning next year will be four lettermen, Gene Ready, Don Guinn, Duane Stevens, and George Maxwell. Lloyd Crumpton and Scott Smith will return also. This aggregation should form the nucleus for another great team.

HOME-COMING, on February 11, was well attended by both alumni and regular students. The Griffons defeated the St. Pauls of Concordia, Mo., by an impressive score of 39 to 13. It was the thirteenth victory out of fourteen games for Coach Streeter's quintet. Lynn Bedford and Roy Tanner made it a big night for the sophomores as they hit from all angles to take individual scoring honors, while Bob DeBord looked on from the bench because of an injury.

CORONATION of the basket ball queen was held during the half. Members of the Men's "J" Club escorted the five candidates to the center of the court and presented each with a corsage. Supt. I. E. Stutsman opened the sealed envelope, announced the name of the queen, Claire Meeker, and escorted her to the place of honor. The other candidates, Elaine Mahan, Dorothy Garrett, Thelma Lane, and Josephine Breit, were the attendants. After the game a dance was given by the "J" Club in honor of the queen, her attendants, and alumni visitors.





THE TRACK TEAM, under the able direction of Coach Streeter, had its best season in years. In the state indoor track meet, they placed fourth with only six men competing. From that time on they continued to improve, and next year the Griffons should be of championship caliber. Outstanding among the athletes were Walter Roth, Scott Smith, dashes; Alan Welter, shot put; Owen McBee, javelin; William Woodyard, pole vault; Gene Davidson, relays; Harland Hill, hurdles; Sam Steinburg, broad jump; Paul Beauchamp, mile; and Francis Keene and Bob Burnett, middle distance men. The team competed in the following meets: Kemper Invitational, State Indoor at Columbia, a triangular meet with Chillicothe and Trenton at Chillicothe, a duel meet with Trenton here in St. Joseph, a triangular meet with Chillicothe and Trenton at Trenton, a quadrangular meet at Wentworth, and the Missouri Junior College Conference meet at Trenton. In the picture are, *back row*: manager Jim Ashcraft, Alan Welter, Francis Bloom, William Willman, Bill Bricker, Ralph Cottier; *middle row*: manager Glen Edson, Charles Harris, Owen McBee, Lynn Bedford, Gene Davidson, Francis Keene; *front row*: George Maxwell, Roy Tanner, Bob DeBord, Coach Streeter, Don Guinn, Gene Ready, Harland Hill.

Track Squad

Forty-four

Golf and Tennis

THE GOLF TEAM of '38-'39, coached by Mr. Ernest Werner, is one of the strongest quartets in a decade. This is a banner year in Griffon athletic history and the golfers are working hard. They enter the state tournament this spring a heavy favorite to capture first place honors. In the picture, left to right, are: Edward Tanner, Dick Bresler, Coach Werner, Roy Tanner, and Spencer Ray. Collis Roundy, a team member, is not in the picture.

THE TENNIS TEAM will without doubt rank as one of the strongest the college has ever sent to a court. From left to right in the photograph are: Vernon Brown, Rollie Fehrman, Jack Galley, Scott Smith, and Harold Joffe. Two of these, Brown and Joffe, are veterans of the '37-'38 campaign. This squad reigns the favorite to cop the M. J. C. C. crown in the state tournament this spring.





SCHOOL SPIRIT at Junior College this year was higher than for some years past. Pep assemblies, conducted under the able direction of William Leake, Bill Lamborn, and Bob Eisiminger and such programs as the one that included Mr. Popplewell's famous speech on Griffonism just before the Hannibal game, were direct results of hard work on the part of these cheerleaders.

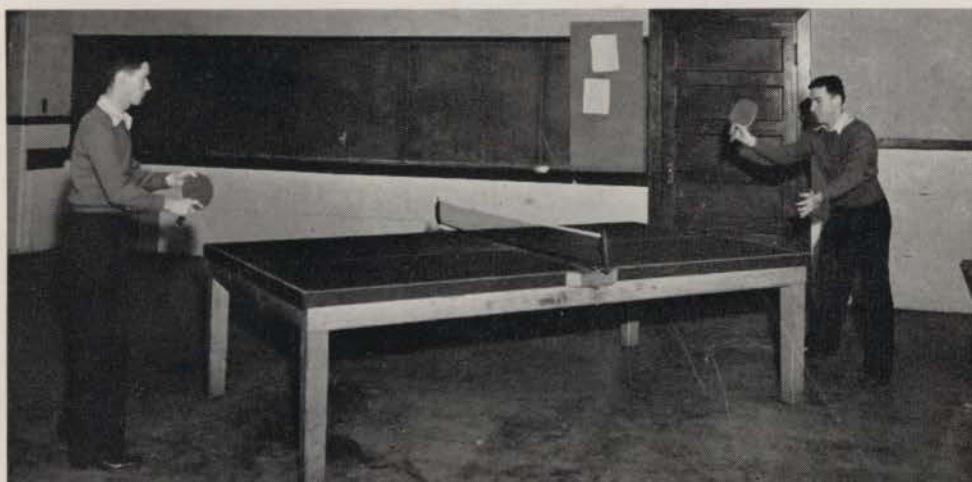
THE "J" CLUB is composed of the cheerleaders, the student managers, and all lettermen of Junior College. The club sponsors the ticket sale which supports the basket ball team, makes the selections of the basket ball queen and her attendants, and is in charge of the Homecoming program. The members are, *back row*: Lamborn, Leake, Maxwell, Ashcraft, Bedford, Willman, Guinn, Ready, Ray, Edson; *front row*: Bressler, Tanner, DeBord, Coach Streeter, Joffe, Brown, Hill.

Cheer Leaders and "J" Club

Table Tennis and Bowling

TABLE TENNIS this year was dominated by a freshman star who hails from Topeka, Jack Coleman. He won the fall all-school tournament, the freshman championship, and the city men's title. Walter Roth and Harland Hill defeated Ed Vincent and Harry Brown in the all-school doubles. In the picture are two blasters, Harold Joffe, freshman champ last year, and Vernon Brown, who saw action in a duel match between St. Joseph and Topeka.

BOWLING, with twelve teams participating, was one of the highlights on this year's intra-mural calendar. The Extras, captained by Jack Koser, were in first place and the Cream Puffs, captained by Collis Roundy, were not far behind when this picture was taken. Charles Harris, under the Schlitz sign, had the highest men's individual average and Betty Gene Gerkin was high for the girls.





MEET THE QUEEN

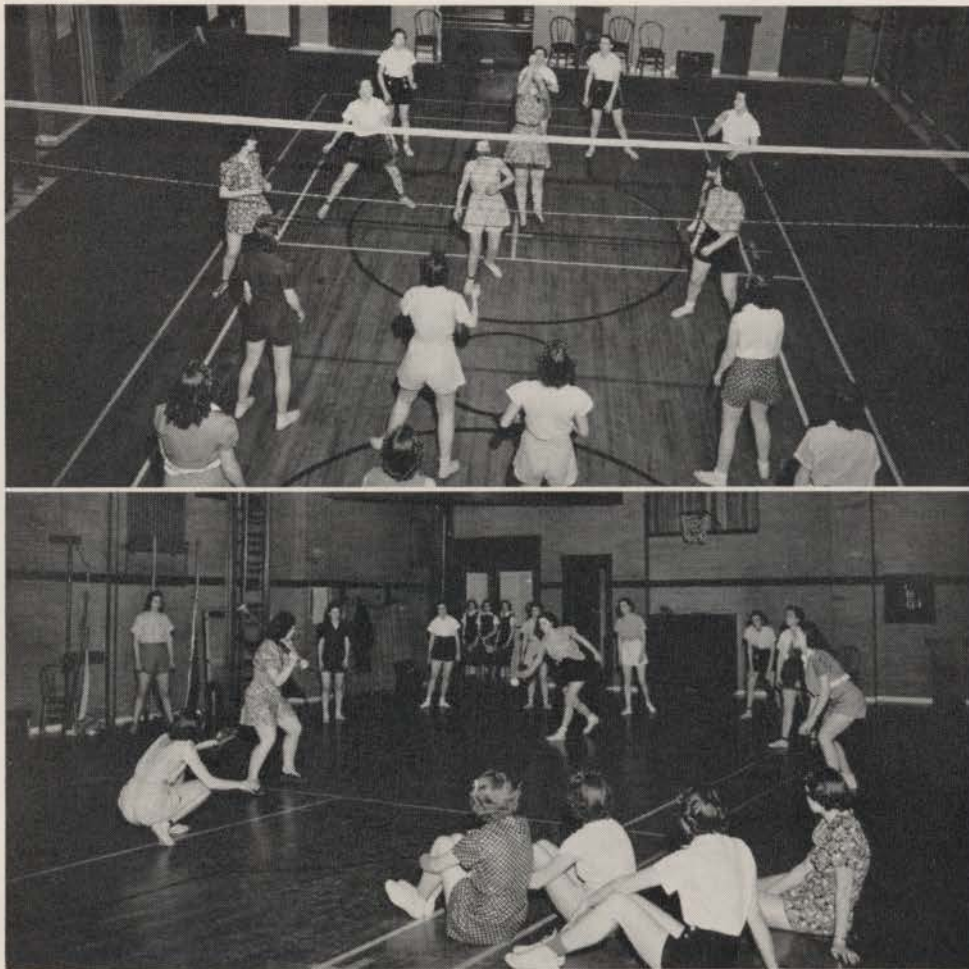
The basket ball queen is the smiling blond, blue-eyed sophomore, Claire Meeker. She was crowned by Supt. I. E. Stutsman at the St. Paul-Griffon game, February 11. Her attendants, Josephine Breit, Thelma Lane, Dorothy Garrett, and Elaine Mahan are enthusiastic supporters of the team.

Winners and "J" Club

HAND BALL champion, Dorothy Bealls, is always in the right place at the right time when it comes to playing hand ball. Ping Pong champion, Thelma Lane, defeated Suzy Voorhees for the title, but it was no easy task. Horseshoe champion, Hattie Lee Mignery, can really throw ringers, but she had some competition in the finals. Tennis champion, Rosemary Tobin, really has some power behind that tennis racket. She also had strong opposition.

THE "J" CLUB is an honorary organization for girls who have won the school letter. The requirements for membership is five hundred points earned in competitive sports. The members are, *back row*: Alma Inscho, Geneva Butler, Margaret Breit, Betty Gene Gerkin, Dorothy Bealls, Wilma Hadorn; *front row*: Lila Montgomery, Thelma Lane, Josephine Breit, Hattie Lee Mignery, and Carolyn Horning.





VOLLEY BALL is one of the major sports of the W. A. A. and is quite popular among the girls. Members of the squad practice twice a week at the Y. W. C. A. Volley ball is one of the sports which the girls entered in the annual state sports meet at Columbia. In the typical action scene shown above we see Josephine Breit volleying the ball back, scoring a point.

BASEBALL has just been added to the list of major sports, and the response has been good. The team entered the state tournament at Columbia this spring. Marietta Dallam is shown pitching a fast curve. Others in the picture are: B. G. Gerkin, K. Anderson, J. Breit, L. Montgomery, M. Rash, W. Hadorn, M. A. Brady, E. M. Bartlow, A. Roberts, B. Vandersloot, G. Butler, A. Inscho, B. Smalley, and C. Horning.

Volley Ball and Baseball

Ping Pong and Basket Ball

PING PONG is the one sport that is played the year round in Junior College. Usually two tournaments are played: the all-school tournament, and the tournament open to W. A. A. members only. The winner of the all-school tournament this year was Thelma Lane, with Suzanne Voorhees, runner-up. Those shown in the picture are F. Marshall, G. Aberle, D. Beals, and T. Lane.

BASKET BALL has proved to be the most popular sport of the W. A. A. members. It is played in the gym of the Y. W. C. A. Much of the time is spent practicing shots and plays in preparation for the final tournament. Beverly Vandersloot and Marietta Dallam are jumping for the tip off and Wilma Hadorn receives the ball. Others in the picture are: C. Horning, J. Breit, B. G. Gerkin, Kathryn Anderson, Miss Albrecht, referee, F. Marshall, B. Smalley, E. M. Bartlow.





THE W. A. A. has for its primary purpose the promotion of healthful sports for college women. The members take part in their own intra-mural games which include baseball, basket ball, volley ball, hand ball, tennis, ping pong, horseshoe, swimming, and hiking. The club stands for physical efficiency, good sportsmanship, wholesome competition, and worthy leadership. A credit of five hundred points for participation in various sports entitles a member to wear the school letter; one thousand points wins her a gold "J" pin. The officers are: president, Josephine Breit; vice-president, Dorothy Bealls; secretary-treasurer, Geneva Butler. In the photograph are, *top row*: Margaret Riddle, Betty Smalley, Mary Agnes Brady, Betty Gene Gerkin, Genevieve Aberle, Wilma Hadorn, Kathryn Anderson; *middle row*: Alice Roberts, Fern Marshall, Alma Incho, Margaret Rash, Margaret Breit, Carolyn Horning, Hattie Lee Mignery; *bottom row*: Ella Mae Bartlow, Lila Montgomery, Geneva Butler, Josephine Breit, Dorothy Bealls, Thelma Lane, Beverly Vandersloot.

Women's Athletic Association

Winning Teams

BASKET BALL tournaments were held during February and March. Three teams were organized with Alice Roberts, Beverly Vandersloot, and Marietta Dallam as captains. Dallam played Vandersloot in the finals and won by one point in an overtime game. Members of the winning team are, *back row*: Fern Marshall, Margaret Rash, Genevieve Aberle, Ella Mae Bartlow; *front row*: Kathryn Anderson, Marietta Dallam, Geneva Butler.



HAND BALL is another popular sport. It is played on the court east of the college building. The girls shown in action are: Margaret Riddle, Fern Marshall, Betty Gene Gerkin, Josephine Breit, Marietta Dallam, Kathryn Anderson.



VOLLEY BALL enthusiasts of the W. A. A. organized four teams of players and met twice a week at the Y. W. C. A. for practice. They worked hard for about three weeks before the annual tournament was held. The captains of the four teams were Nadine Teaford, Carolyn Horning, Alice Roberts, and Dorothy Bealls. Horning's team won the final round. The members are, *back row*: Lila Montgomery, Thelma Norris, Betty Gene Gerkin, Alma Inseho; *front row*: Kathryn Anderson, Geneva Butler, Carolyn Horning, Marietta Dallam.





THE PEP CLUB, sponsored by the W. A. A., was organized to assist at J. C. pep meetings and furnish enthusiasm at Griffon basket ball games. Their theme song, "You Can't Keep Us From Winning," encourages the team and entertains the spectators. Between the halves of the games the club put on several interesting drills. They accompanied the Griffons to Chillicothe for the last basket ball game of the season and gave their flashlight drill. The picture shows one of the figures of a drill, "J. C." The Griffonettes with their peppy cheerleaders, Marietta Dallam and Beverly Vandersloot, will always want to yell, "Yea, Griffons, Yea," when they hear their theme yell, "A-O-Nicka-Socka-Flinga-Locka"

Griffonettes



THE LAST WORD

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