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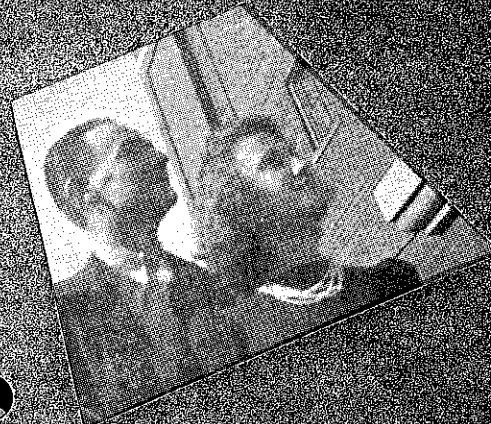


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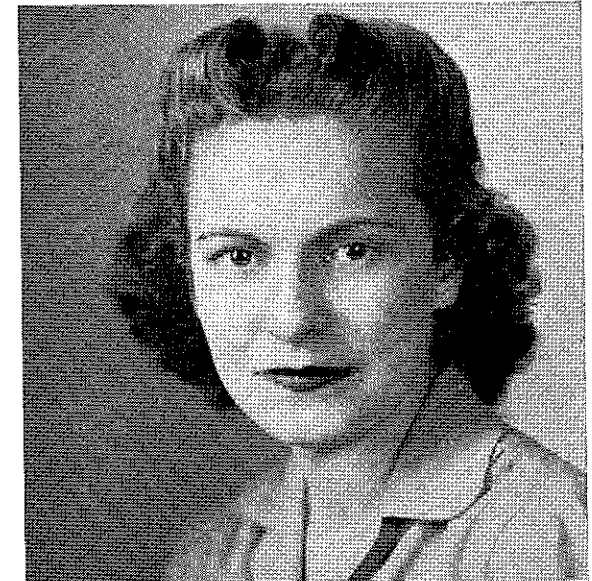
UP



"**Y**ESTERDAY by foot, today by wheels, tomorrow by air." Not so long ago this prediction was on the lips of many a man. But now that tomorrow has arrived! Sending an air-mail letter, reading about the new stratoliners, or meeting Uncle John at the airport have become a part of our daily lives. Thus to commemorate the advancement made in aviation, the Staff this year dedicates the **Griffon** to the "air." Through this medium we have endeavored to portray life as it exists at Junior College. The entering freshmen are rooted to the ground, but soon they are searching the skies for new knowledge. The graduating sophomores have achieved their first goal — a pilot license. Between these two stages school life is full of dogrolls, tailspins, snaprolls and Cuban eights. As you thumb through the pages of this book you will discover Junior College looking up!

STUDENT OF THE YEAR

MISS HELEN LYNCH, a personality who won a place for herself in every heart at J. C., is the student of the year. Helen represents the highest type student at school and her activities range from Secretary of the Student Senate, to an owner of a student pilot's license. She is a member of the Mace, Co-editor of the Griffon News, and on the "Penny Whistles" staff. Nice flying, Helen — and always happy landing.



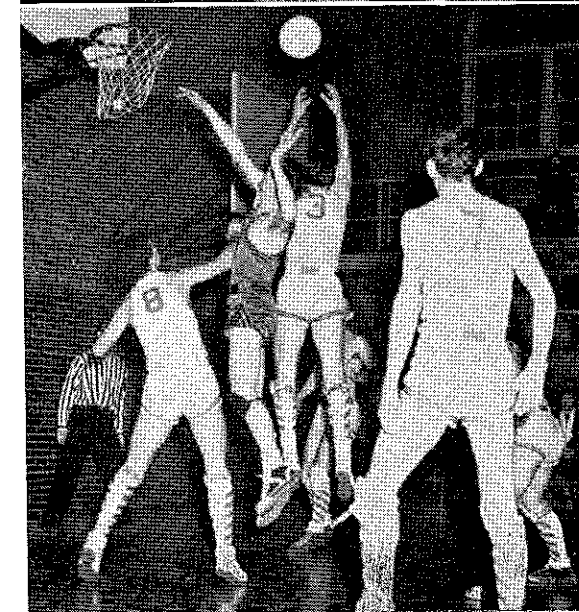
SHOW OF THE YEAR

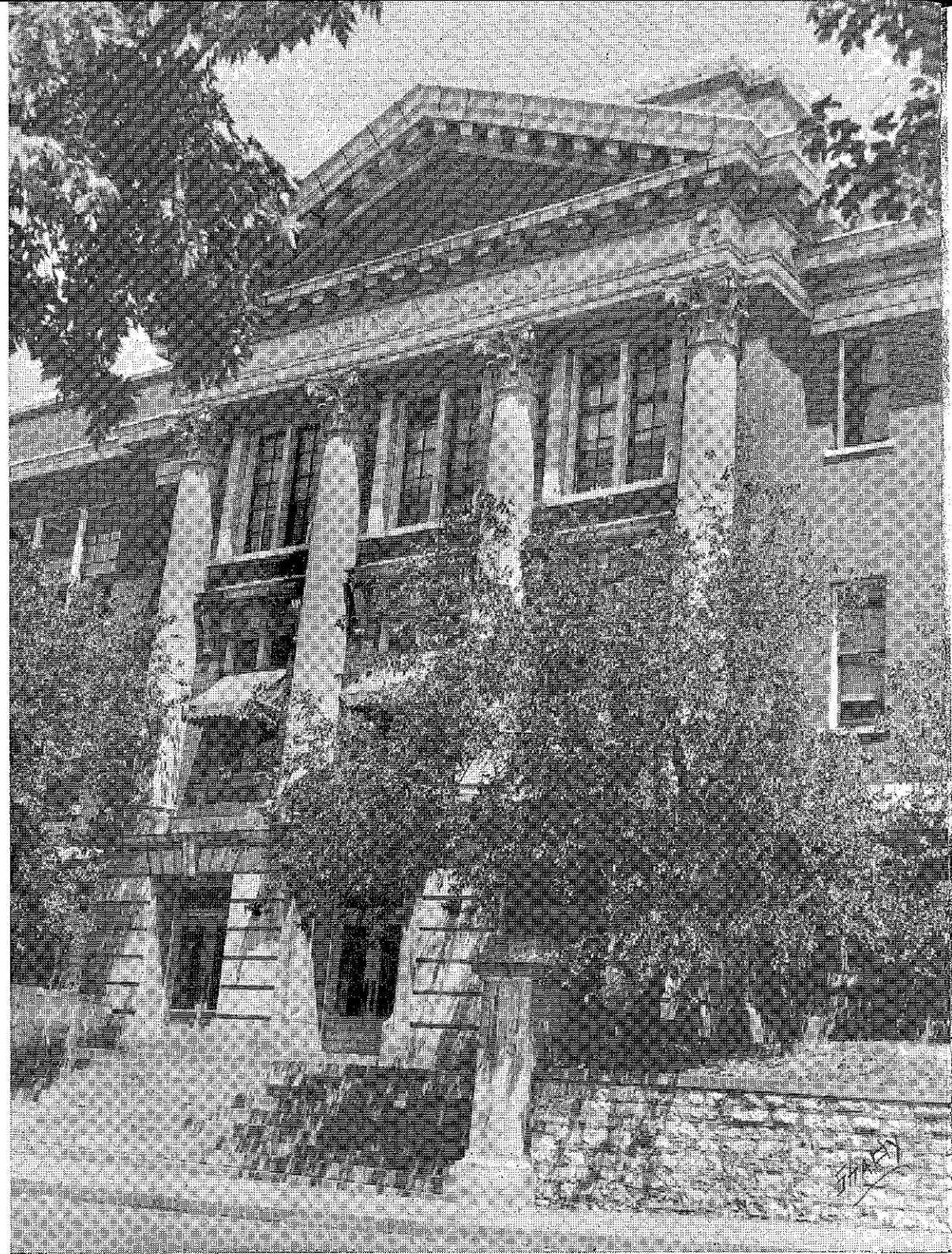
"**FOOTLIGHTS**" always tops any and all entertainment at J. C. Under the direction of Norma June Klein and George Pilgram the show went over with the usual success. Popular music, original skits and a complete display of Junior College individual talents gave a large audience much enjoyment. There was no flying around that night, for every J. C. pilot was in the main auditorium hanger. It was the show of the year.



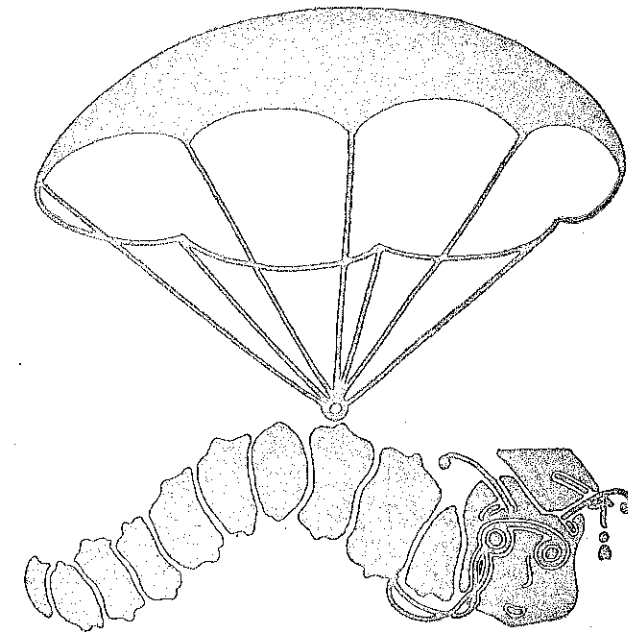
GAME OF THE YEAR

THE GRIFFONS of Junior College played their best game against Trenton. It was a full night of entertainment as Bill Barton, Vaughn Linnell, Roy Musser, Duke Turner, and Jack Baker gave the champion Trenton quintet a real "dog fight." The final score gave the Bulldogs a two point advantage — but a minute more would have seen a victory for us. Miss Doris Brohn was crowned "Queen" during the half. Truly, it was the game of the year.





LOOKING UP



## ADMINISTRATION

YE CHEERFUL PROF glides gracefully down to our campus to begin his classes. Around him revolves the entire education of the cadet for his great flight into unexplored and uncharted life. From our Regional Superintendent of Flying, Mr. Tracy E. Dale, and his Board of Education, to our Flight Commanderess, Miss Nelle Blum, and her staff of flight instructors, there is assembled a capable administration doing a splendid job. Our airfield searchlight burns eternally, serving ever as a beacon to chart the course of man's progress and transforming the blinding darkness of prejudice into the brilliant halo of understanding. All administrative work in our Junior College hangars; in convocation, field trip, laboratory, and in the lecture hall has opened new vistas, stressed new ideals, and parachuted particles of knowledge into fertile fields of thought.

## Faculty Executives



MISS NELLE BLUM is the dean of Junior College. Under her capable management all the administrative work in the school is carried out. Miss Blum became dean in 1931, and has since led the school to a new high standard, not only in the number of students enrolled but in the variety of interesting and helpful courses offered. She received her A. B. degree from the University of Oklahoma and her A. M. degree is from Columbia University in New York. In addition to her administrative work, she teaches classes in psychology, philosophy and logic.



MISS RADIANCE ZOLLINGER is a graduate of our Junior College, from which she received her A. A. degree. Miss Zollinger is the registrar of the college. She is also school treasurer, secretary to the dean, and she handles all office business.



MR. RAYMOND ELLIOTT is the advisor to men and head of the music department of the college. Outstanding in his work is the training and directing of the A Cappella choir which has made numerous public appearances this past year. Both his B. S. and M. S. are from the University of Kansas, and he has done graduate work at New York University.

## The Faculty



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

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

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

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

MR. GEORGE DUERKSEN: B. S., State Teacher's College, Weatherford, Oklahoma; A. B., Tabor College; A. M., University of Kansas. Chemistry.

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

MISS MARION HARVEY: A. B., Northwestern University; A. M., University of Chicago. History, and advisor to the Griffon News and the Griffon Annual.

MISS LETHA LOWEN: S. B., University of Chicago; A. M., Columbia University, N. Y. Mathematics and sponsor of the Engineers' Club.



## The Faculty

MR. R. E. STONE: A. B., University of Idaho; A. M., University of Washington; Graduate work at the University of Chicago and California. Economics and Political Science.

MR. GRANT PISTORIUS: B. S., State Teacher's College, Emporia, Kansas; A. M., University of Kansas. Instructor of Physics and sponsor of Phi Theta Kappa.

MR. FRANK POPPLEWELL: B. S., M. S., State Teacher's College, Pittsburg, Kansas; A. M., University of Missouri. History; sponsor of the Debate Team and College Y.

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

DR. MARY F. ROBINSON: A. B., University of Michigan; Ph. D., University of Chicago; A. M., Washington University. Psychology.

MR. RYAN: A. B., Bethany (W. Va.) College; M. S., Ohio State University. Chemistry.

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

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



## The Faculty



MISS JEAN TROWBRIDGE: Graduate of Library School of the University of Wisconsin. Librarian.

MISS GEORGIA B. VAUGHN: B. S., Northeast Missouri State Teacher's College; A. M., Columbia University, N. Y. Home Economics.

MR. ERNEST H. WERNER: B. S., University of New Hampshire; A. M. Y., University of Nebraska. Sociology, Social Pathology, ground instructor of C. A. A.

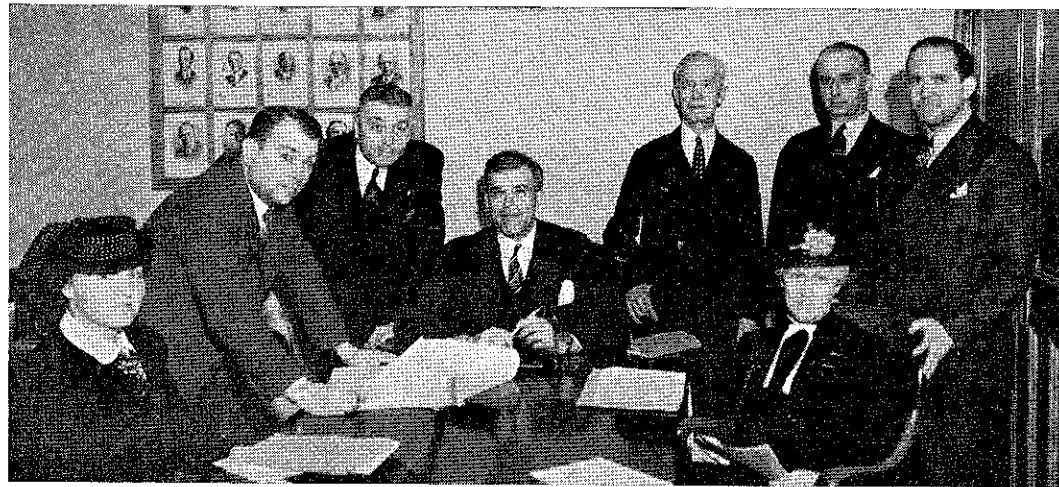
MR. B. O. WILLHITE: B. S., Central Missouri State Teacher's College; A. M., University of Missouri; student at Stout Institute. Engineering Drawing and Surveying.

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





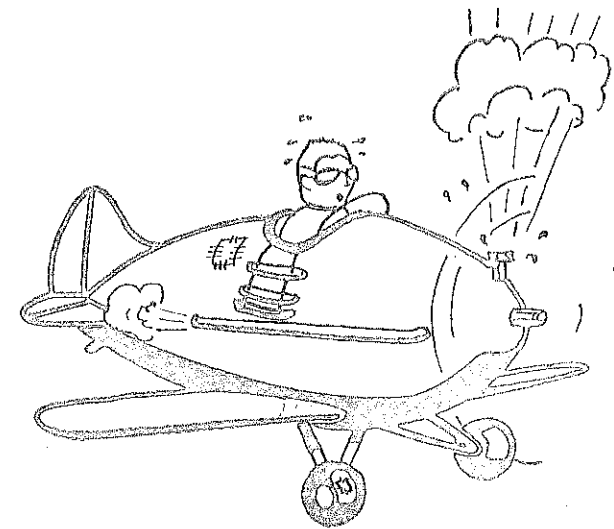
## Board of Education



THE BOARD of Education of St. Joseph is composed of public spirited men and women who see that our schools are maintained at a high level. Junior College owes much to their interest and generosity.

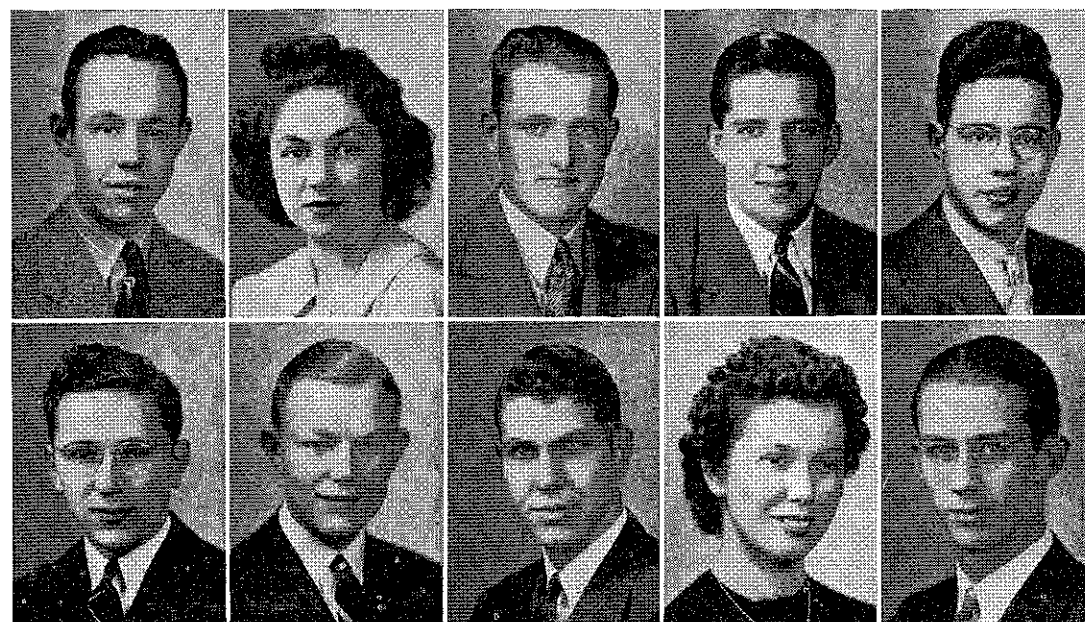
The members of the board shown in the photograph above are: seated, Mrs. True Davis, Dr. Horace Carle, and Mrs. Clifford Adams, president of the board; standing, Mr. George Blackwell, secretary to the board, Mr. Tracy Dale, superintendent of schools, the late Mr. G. D. Berry, Mr. E. F. Garvey, and Mr. David Hopkins.

Mr. Tracy E. Dale, the superintendent of schools, has shown a personal interest in the welfare of the college and has been one of its most loyal supporters.



## SOPHOMORES

THE STRATOSPHERING sophomore zooms confidently into the zenith of the unexplored. Proudly displaying his newly won "wings" and diploma of two years of flight instruction, his eyes are now focused on new frontiers . . . new fields to conquer. Throughout his fourteen or more years of pedagogical training his instructors have striven to prepare him for his ultimate solo. He has scrutinized his texts, charts, diagrams, and test tubes; he has pondered on electrons and vainly attempted to visualize infinity. With his knowledge of the safety belt and parachute as margin for error, the sophomore cadet can now master any situation. Wherever destiny chooses to send him the fine polish of Junior College is stamped upon him indelibly. His next flight may be under adverse conditions but with the educational background of his instruments and the radio beam to guide him he can overcome all obstacles and fly ahead.



Alvie Allen, Mary Lee Allison, Betty Lou Andrews, Laura Joyce Bailey, Doyle Beattie.  
 Marian Bedford, Anieta Bixler, Laura Margaret Bowen, Dorothy Lee Breit, Doris Brohn.  
 Kenneth E. Brown, Lilly Marie Carter, Robert Crews, Irvin Downing, Jerome Downs.  
 Joe Droher, Jack Duehren, Roger Ellershaw, Elnora Jane Ferguson, Jack D. Fitzgerald.

ALLEN, ALVIE: 60 hour.  
 "Alvie will always be successful."

ALLISON, MARY LEE: 60 hour.  
 "A versatile musician."  
 A Cappella, French Club, "Footlights."

ANDERSON, BETTY LOU: 60 hour.  
 S. T. C.  
 "Quiet but capable."  
 Library Club, J. C. Y. W. C. A.

BAILEY, LAURA JOYCE: S. T. C.  
 "Vivacity and charm will carry her far."  
 "Footlights," Library Club, Commencement usher, Spanish Club.

BEATTIE, DOYLE: A. S.  
 "An all-around good person."  
 Track, Griffon News, Griffon Yearbook, Engineers' Club, All-School Play, Natural Science Club, "Footlights," "Penny Whistles."

BEDFORD, MARIAN: S. T. C.  
 "Her sense of humor provides fun for all."  
 Science Club, Library Club, W. A. A., Pep Club.

BIXLER, ANIETA BERNIECE: 60 hour.  
 "A willing and efficient worker."  
 Band, J. C. Y. W. C. A. president.

BOWEN, LAURA MARGARET: 60 hour.  
 "An able executive, musician, and student."  
 League of Women Voters, A Cappella, "Footlights," Phi Theta Kappa.

BREIT, DOROTHY LEE: 60 hour.  
 "She has a pleasing manner."  
 Griffon News Staff, League of Women Voters.

BROHN, DORIS: 60 hour.  
 "Our basketball queen, who could well qualify for our beauty queen."  
 A Cappella, Natural Science Club, "Footlights," Basketball Queen, Cheerleader.

BROWN, KENNETH E.: A. A.  
 "Kenny will do big things."  
 C. A. A.

CARTER, LILY MARIE: A. A.  
 "Lovely to walk and talk with."  
 Spanish Club, French Club, "Footlights."

CREWS, ROBERT: 60 hour.  
 "Bob will be remembered as a grand fellow."

DOWNING, IRVIN: 60 hour.  
 "Personality and friendliness."

DOWNS, JEROME: A. A.  
 "A jovial young skeptic."  
 Vice-President, German Club, Bowling.

DROHER, JOE: A. S.  
 "Silent, but mighty."  
 Engineer Club, Griffon News Staff, Griffon Annual Associate Editor, "Footlights."

DUEHREN, JACK: 60 hour.  
 "Our redheaded cheerleader."  
 Bowling, Cheerleader.

ELLERSHAW, ROGER: 60 hour.  
 "Pep and enthusiasm."

FERGUSON, ELNORA: 60 hour.  
 "An ambitious and industrious student."  
 J. C. Y. W. C. A., W. A. A.

FITZGERALD, JACK D.: A. S.  
 "A new comer who made a place for himself."  
 President of Sophomore Class, Sophomore Sports Manager, Freshman Friday Enforcement Committee Chairman, Ice Breaker Committee.

## Sophomores



Jack J. Fitzgerald, Margaret Gaddy, Sarah Jean Gardner, Bebe Garrett, Betty Gifford.

Rita Jane Goehner, Carl Goss, Muriel Haber, Margery Habluetzel, Agnes Hamlet.

Rita Harling, Betty Jane Hurd, Shirley Hurt, Frances Inscho, Betty Jennings.

Donald Jones, Mary Ann Jones, Robert Jones, Higdon Junk, Elizabeth Kellogg.

## Class of '41



FITZGERALD, JACK J.: A. A.  
"Brilliance and dignity are characteristic of Jack."  
Cheshire Cheese, French Club Vice-President, "Penny Whistles" Associate Editor, Property Committee of All-School Play, Griffon News Staff.

GADDY, MARGARET: 60 hour.  
"Another fine musician."  
A Cappella, Orchestra, German Club.

GARDNER, SARAH JEANNE: 60 hour.  
"A lovely little miss."  
Natural Science Club, Spanish Club.

GARRETT, BEBE MARIE: A. A.  
"A swell all-around person."  
"Footlights," Attendant to Basketball Queen, Spanish Club, Bowling, Student Senate, Prowl Day Committee.

GIFFORD, BETTE JANE: A. A.  
"Beautiful and blond."  
"Footlights," "Penny Whistles."

GOEHNER, RITA JANE: 60 hour.  
"A little girl with a great musical talent."  
French Club, A Cappella, Commencement Chorus.

GOSS, CARL M.:  
"Carl has a most amiable disposition."

HABER, MURIEL: S. T. C.  
"A voice as pleasing as her personality."  
A Cappella.

HABLUETZEL, MARGERY: A. S.  
"Efficiency is high."  
Natural Science Club."

HAMLET, AGNES: 60 hour.  
"Five feet of pep and vigor."  
W. A. A., Band, Library Club.

HARLING, RETTA:  
"A dignified young miss."  
A Cappella, J. C. Y. W. C. A., Pep Squad.

HURD, BETTY JANE: 60 hour.  
"Her flashing eyes denote a sparkling personality."  
Bowling Team-Champion, "Footlights."

HURT, SHIRLEY: A. A.  
"Attractive Shirley draws pictures."

INSCHO, FRANCES: S. T. C.  
"She loves to laugh."  
Library Club, J. C. Y. W. C. A., W. A. A.

JENNINGS, BETTYE: A. A.  
"She has friends, intelligence, and is good looking."  
Griffon News, Griffon Annual, A Cappella, Beta Phi Gamma.

JONES, DONALD: A. S.  
"Don's interest lies in engineering."  
Engineers' Club.

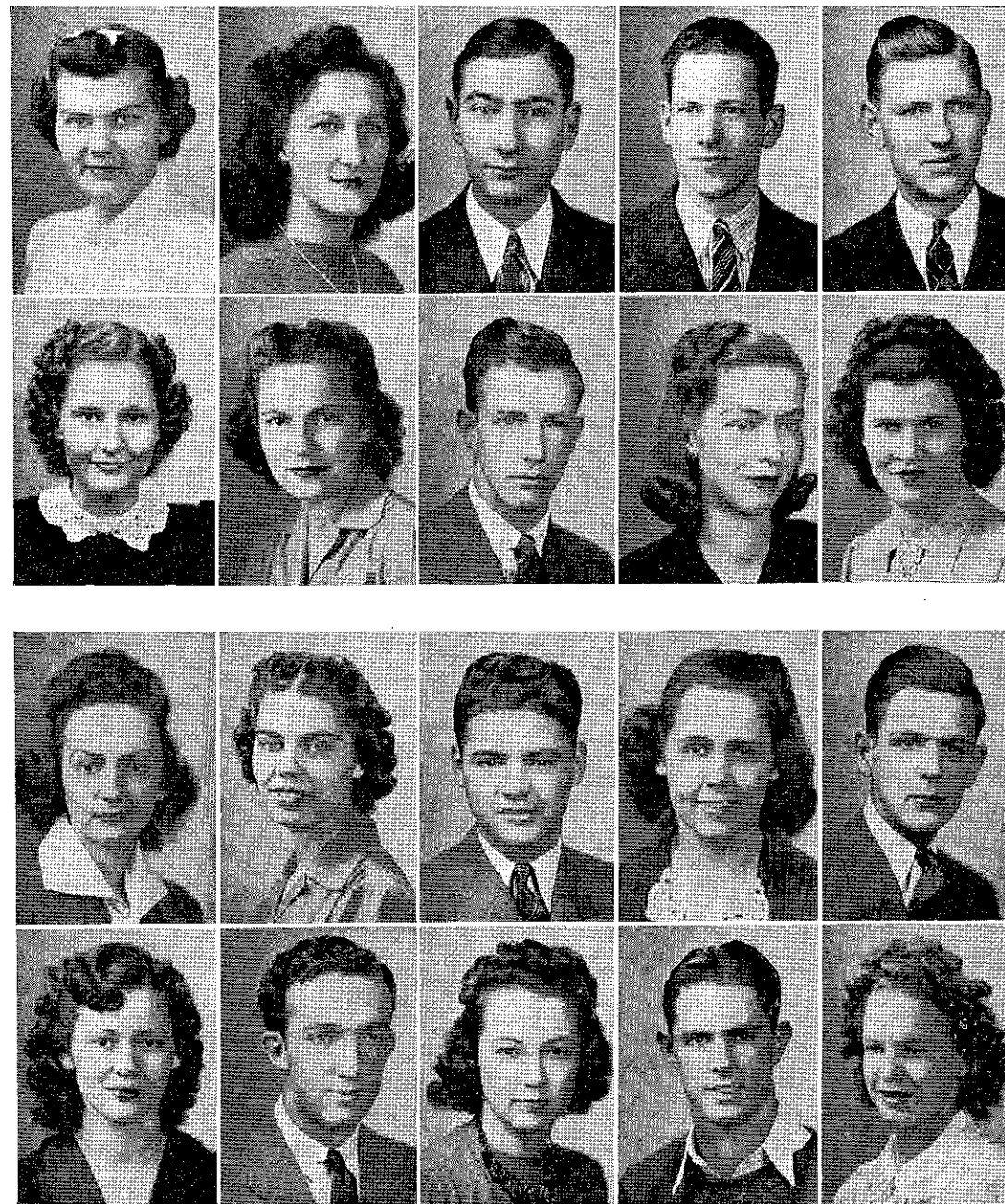
JONES, MARY ANN: A. A.  
"Jolly and full of fun."  
A Cappella, Spanish Club Secretary, Natural Science Club Vice-President, "Footlights," Quartette.

JONES, ROBERT PAUL: A. S.  
"He's liked by everyone."  
Track Team.

JUNK, HIGDON: A. S.  
"A popular young man."  
Engineers' Club, A Cappella, "Footlights," Treasurer.

KELLOGG, ELIZABETH:  
"A quiet young miss."

## Sophomores



Dorothy Kitzenberger, Norma June Klein, Bernard Kneib, Bob Koser, Lee Lamar.  
 Rose Marie Lofton, Helen Lynch, Allen McCalley, Julia McClure, Helen McHugh.  
 Jean McPherson, Louise Madison, Paul Mejia, Annabelle Meyer, John Michel.  
 Ethel Mae Mooney, Louis Moore, Mary Ann Mottz, Roy Musser, Ruth Myers.

## Class of '41



**KITZENBERGER, DOROTHY MAE:** 60 hours.  
 "Brilliant as both student and musician."  
 A Cappella, French Club.

**KLEIN, NORMA JUNE:** A. A.  
 "A true leader 'of the people'."  
 President of Student Senate, Mace, Phi Theta Kappa, Secretary-Treasurer Freshman Class, German Club, Cheshire Cheese, W. A. A., "Footlights" General Manager, Griffon News Staff, Athletic Council, A Cappella.

**KNEIB, BERNARD:** A. S.  
 "His interest is engineering."  
 Engineers' Club.

**KOSER, BOB:** A. A.  
 "Kelly Field, here he comes."  
 Mace, Engineers' Club, Senate, C. A. A.

**LAMAR, LEE:** A. S.  
 "Another scientific mind."  
 C. A. A., Engineers' Club, Chemistry Assistant.

**LOFTON, ROSE MARIE:** 60 hour.  
 "Friendliness and neatness."  
 J. C. Y. W. C. A., Vice-President W. A. A.

**LYNCH, HELEN C.:** A. A.  
 "An attractive woman journalist."  
 Feature Editor of Griffon News, Cheshire Cheese, Co-Ed of Griffon News, French Club, Mace, Secretary Treasurer of the Student Body, Delegate to M. I. P. A. at Columbia and A. C. P. at Detroit, Treasurer of Mo. Interscholastic Press Assn., Beta Phi Gamma Vice-President

**McCALLEY, ALLEN:** A. S.  
 "A true sportsman."  
 "J" Club, Basketball.

**McCLURE, JULIA:** A. A.  
 "What pretty red hair."  
 Spanish Club, French Club, Phi Theta Kappa, League of Women Voters.

**McHUGH, HELEN:** S. T. C.  
 "A peppy girl with a peppy personality."  
 W. A. A. President, Reporter to Athletic Council, "J" Club, Natural Science Club, Tennis Champion.

**McPHERSON, JEAN:** 60 hours.  
 "The lady sings."  
 A Cappella, "Footlights," Convocation.

**MADISON, LAURA LOUISE:** A. A.  
 "A quiet, dignified young miss."  
 Griffon News, Business Manager Griffon Yearbook, A Cappella Chorus, League of Women Voters, Beta Phi Gamma.

**MEJIA, PAUL:** A. S.  
 "He's liked by everyone."  
 President of Engineers' Club.

**MEYER, ANNABELLE:** A. A.  
 "Annabelle has a winning way."  
 "Footlights," Bowling Team.

**MICHEL, JOHN WARREN:** A. S.  
 "The last of the musical Michels."  
 Engineers' Club, Band, "Footlights" Orchestra, Tennis.

**MOONEY, ETHEL MAE:** 60 hours.  
 "A lovely voice and a pleasing personality."  
 A Cappella, "Footlights," All-School Play, Griffon News, Convocation.

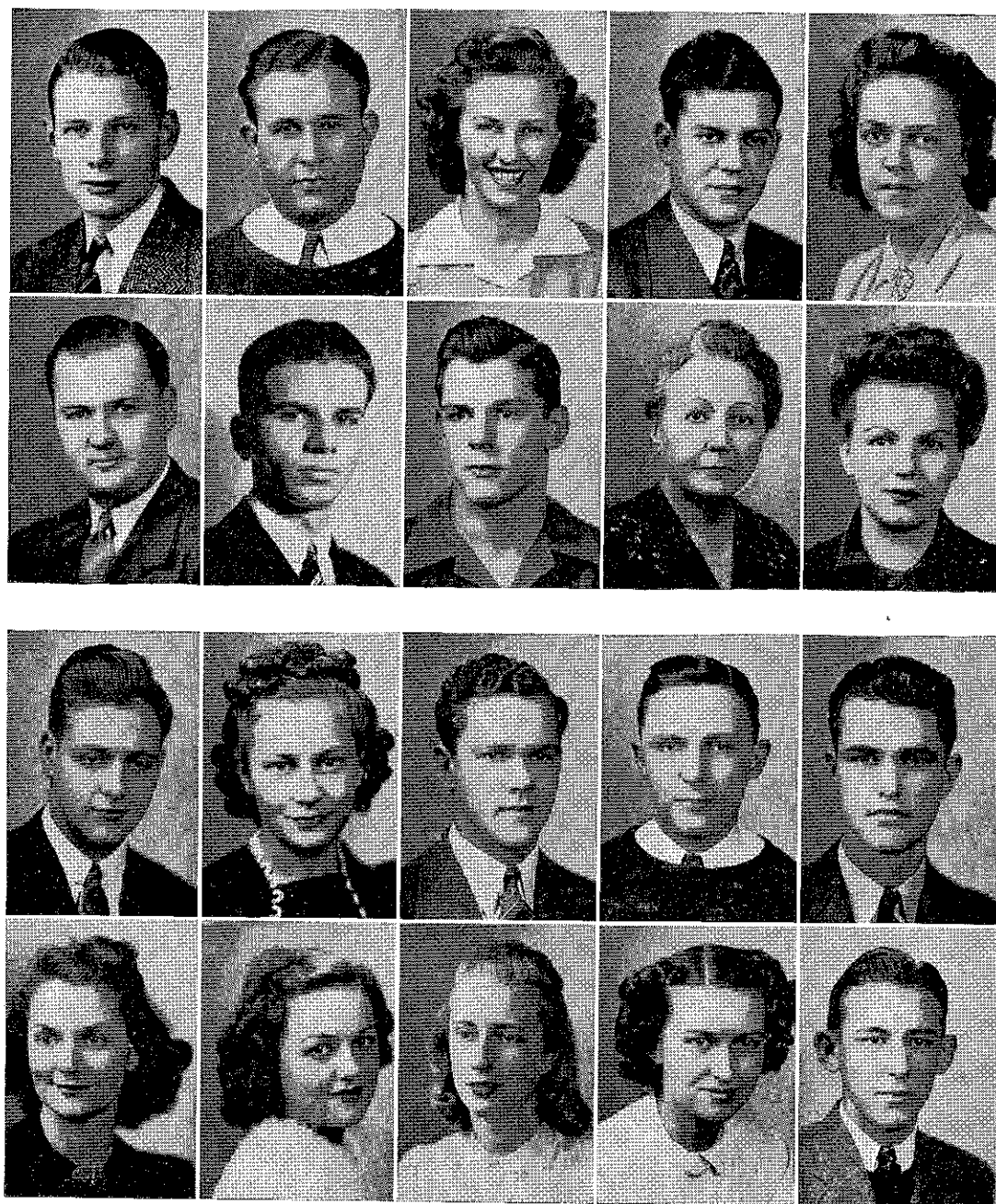
**MOORE, LOUIS:** 60 hours.  
 "And he has curly hair."  
 Natural Science Club, Intra-Mural Basketball, Bowling.

**MOTTZ, MARY ANN:** A. A.  
 "What a gal."  
 Griffon News Staff, Cheshire Cheese Chairman, French Club, Spanish Club President, German Club, "Penny Whistles" Editor.

**MUSSER, ROY:**  
 "A true, sincere sportsman."  
 Vice-President of Sophomore Class, "J" Club, Basketball, Track Team, Intra-Mural Sports, Athletic Council, Intramural Basketball Captain, Freshman Hat Committee, Co-Captain Basketball.

**MYERS, RUTH:** 60 hours.  
 "She has a ready smile for all."  
 J. C. Y. W. C. A., Library Club, W. A. A.

## Sophomores



Warren Neff, John Newhart, Bennie Orth, Gregory Pankiewicz, Betty Phelan.

James Powers, Frank Punzo, Joe Ready, Mrs. Luther Reid, Gerry Roberson.

Lawrence Robinson, Rosa Lee Royalty, Guy Saxton, Frank Schellhorn, Frank Seay.

Barbara Seufert, Delorus Shields, Jessie Sigrist, Jerene Snuffer, Paul Springer.

## Class of '41



NEFF, WARREN: 60 hours.  
"Soft spoken and swell."  
C. A. A.

NEWHART, JOHN W.: 60 hours.  
"The brawn of the band."  
Current Affairs Discussion Club, Orchestra, Band, Spanish Club, Debate Team (Negative.)

ORTH, BENNIE: A. A.  
"Plenty of pep in the small person."  
German Club, A Cappella, "Footlights," Student Senate, Griffon News Staff, Attendant to Basketball Queen.

PANKIEWICZ, GREGORY: A. S.  
"Always doing his bit for J. C."  
President Engineers' Club.

PHELAN, BETTY JANE: A. S.  
"Tall, quiet, and capable."  
League of Women Voters, Griffon News, Griffon Annual.

POWERS, JAMES: A. A.  
"Of the ping-pong Powers."  
Table-Tennis Doubles Champion.

PUNZO, FRANK: 60 hours.  
"The man with the camera."  
Griffon Yearbook Staff.

READY, JOSEPH: A. A.  
"The fighting irishman."  
Member of Student Senate.

REID, MRS. LUTHER:  
"A smile for everyone."  
Natural Science Club, Spanish Club.

ROBERSON, GERRY:  
"Pep and enthusiasm are abundant."  
Natural Science Club, Cheerleader, Sports Editor for Griffon, Member of W. A. A., Tennis Finalist, French Club, Beta Phi Gamma Secretary.

ROBINSON, LAWRENCE C.: A. E.  
President of Current Affairs Discussion Club, Griffon News, Debate Team, Radio Program.

ROYALTY, ROSA LEE: 60 hours.  
Baptist Student Union, Library Club, J. C. Y. W. C. A.

SAXTON, GUY: A. S.  
"What a sweet guy."  
Engineers' Club Reporter.

SHELLHORN, FRANK: A. S.  
Engineers' Club, Bowling.

SEAY, FRANK: A. A.  
"The best looking boy in school."  
Spanish Club.

SEUFERT, BARBARA: A. A.  
"Cute Barbara has a knack with a paint brush."  
German Club, League of Women Voters, W. A. A.

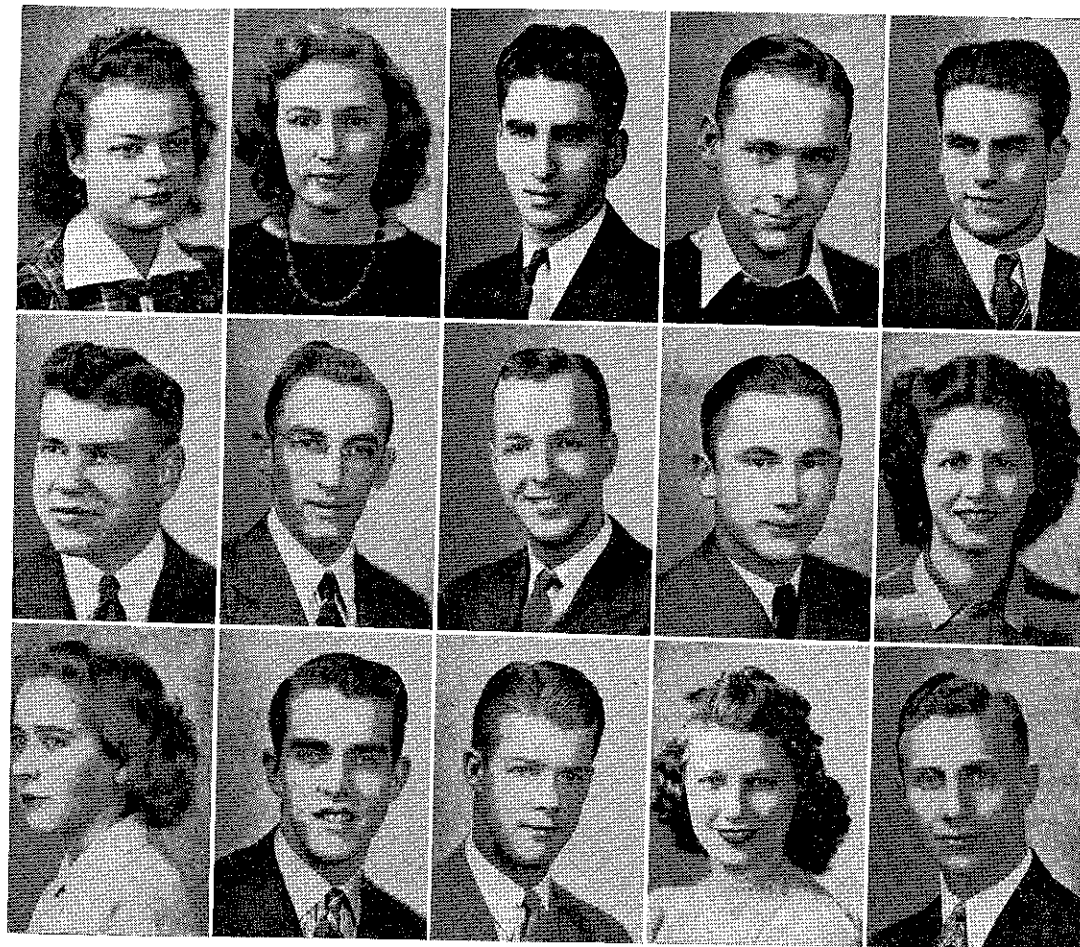
SHIELDS, DELORES: A. A.  
Spanish Club.

SIGRIST, JESSIE BERNICE: 60 hours.  
"A very lovely blond."

SNUFFER, JERENE: 60 hours.  
"A girl of exceptional abilities."  
Editor of Griffon News, Freshman Editor of "Penny Whistles," Member of League of Women Voters, Secretary of Natural Science Club, Phi Theta Kappa, German Club, Yearbook, Cheshire Cheese.

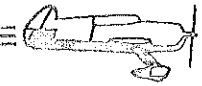
SPRINGER, PAUL: A. A.  
"Efficiency is high in this manager."  
Spanish Club Vice President, Debate Club, Student Manager of Basketball and Track, A Cappella.

## Sophomores



Charlotte Talbott, Patricia Taylor, Lloyd Thompson, Wesley Tilden, Bob Trapp.  
 Bill Wasserkrug, Carl Webster, Jack Westpheling, Bill Willoughby, Frances Wilson.  
 Ellen Wood, Dwane Wylie, Bill Yount, Frances Yunker, Charles Zultoski.

## Class of '41



TALBOTT, CHARLOTTE: A. A.  
 "A talented actress."  
 "The Show-Off," Hell Bent Fer Heaven," President of Dramatic Club, A Cappella, Convocation Play "Sham."

TAYLOR, PATRICIA: 60 hours.  
 "An artist of no little ability."  
 Pep Club, Designed Costumes for "Footlights."

THOMPSON, LLOYD: 60 hours  
 "Tall, dark, and handsome."

TILDEN, WESLEY: A. A.  
 "A quiet, good-looking, red-head."

TRAPP, ROBERT: A. S.  
 "He's tops in everything."  
 Secretary of Engineers' Club.

WASSERKRUG, BILL: A. A.  
 "The typical Junior Collegiate."  
 Vice-President of Senate, President Natural Science Club, Editor-in-Chief Griffon Annual, Feature Staff Griffon News, Delegate to A. C. P. Convention Detroit, M. I. P. A. Convention Columbia, Mace, President Beta Phi Gamma.

WEBSTER, CARL D.: 60 hours  
 "The deep thinker."

WESTPHELING, JACK: 60 hours.  
 "He plays hot trumpet."  
 Band, "Footlights."

WILLOUGHBY, BILL: 60 hours.  
 "A pianist of great ability."  
 "J" Club, Varsity Track Team.

WILSON, FRANCES: A. E.  
 "She's cute."  
 A Cappella Chorus, Commencement Chorus, W. A. A.

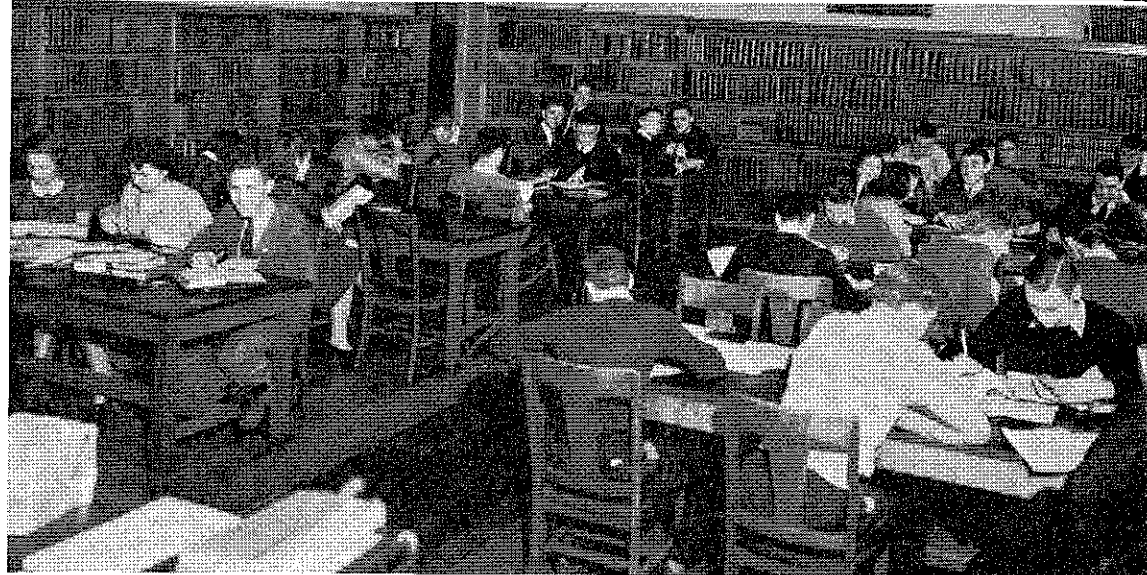
WOOD, ELLEN: A. S.  
 "A pretty and intelligent blond."  
 A Cappella, German Club, Science Club, Secretary Phi Theta Kappa, "Footlights" Dance Chorus.

WYLIE, DWANE: 60 hours.  
 "His humor and smile gets us."

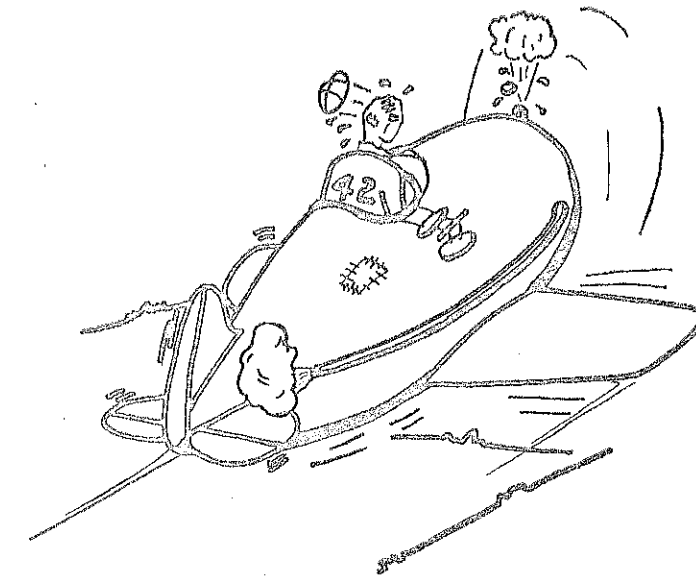
YOUNT, BILL: A. A.  
 "J. C.'s handsome Bill."  
 President of Sophomore Class, Mace.

YUNKER, FRANCES: S. T. C.  
 "The vivacious Fannie."  
 A Cappella Chorus (Freshman), "Footlights" Chorus, Maid of Honor, Attendant to Queen, Griffon News.

ZULTOSKI, CHARLES: A. S.  
 "The chemical flash."  
 Engineers' Club.



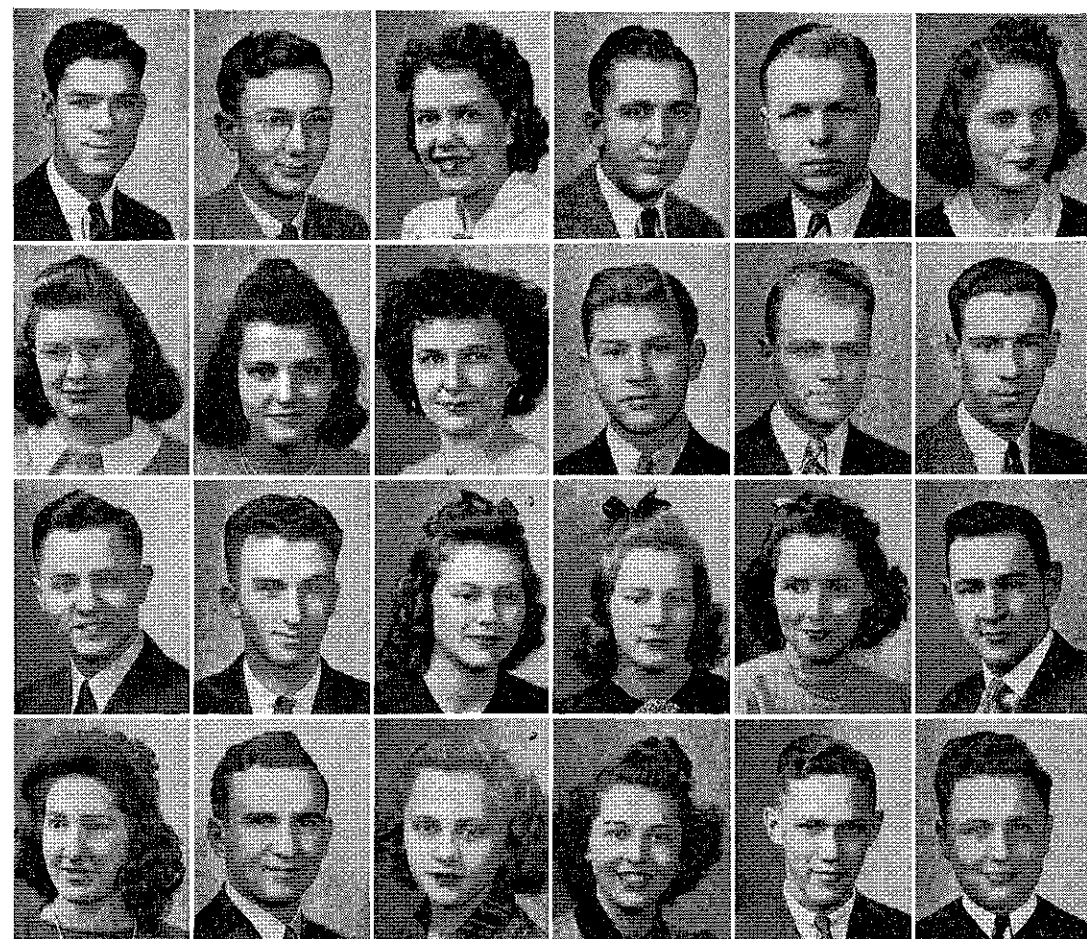
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## FRESHMEN

"LISTEN — the wind!" No, not the wind exuding from a gabby freshman cadet engaged in a bit of contumacious argumentation, but the back-wind generated by the propellers weeping over the wings and the fuselage of the training ship as la fresh makes his first attempt at flying. The quick adjustment from prep-ground school to underclassman is not smooth and the cadet bounces and bumps about a great deal during the process. Once in the air he breathes easier and to minimize the danger he climbs into higher atmospheres of learning. With his tiny green hat, helmet of all first year cadets, perched at a rakish angle on his head, he breathlessly anticipates many new experiences. After becoming a full fledged member of the "Dawn Patrol" for eight o'clock classes each morning, he will be awarded his "wings" signifying his upperclassmanship.

# Freshmen



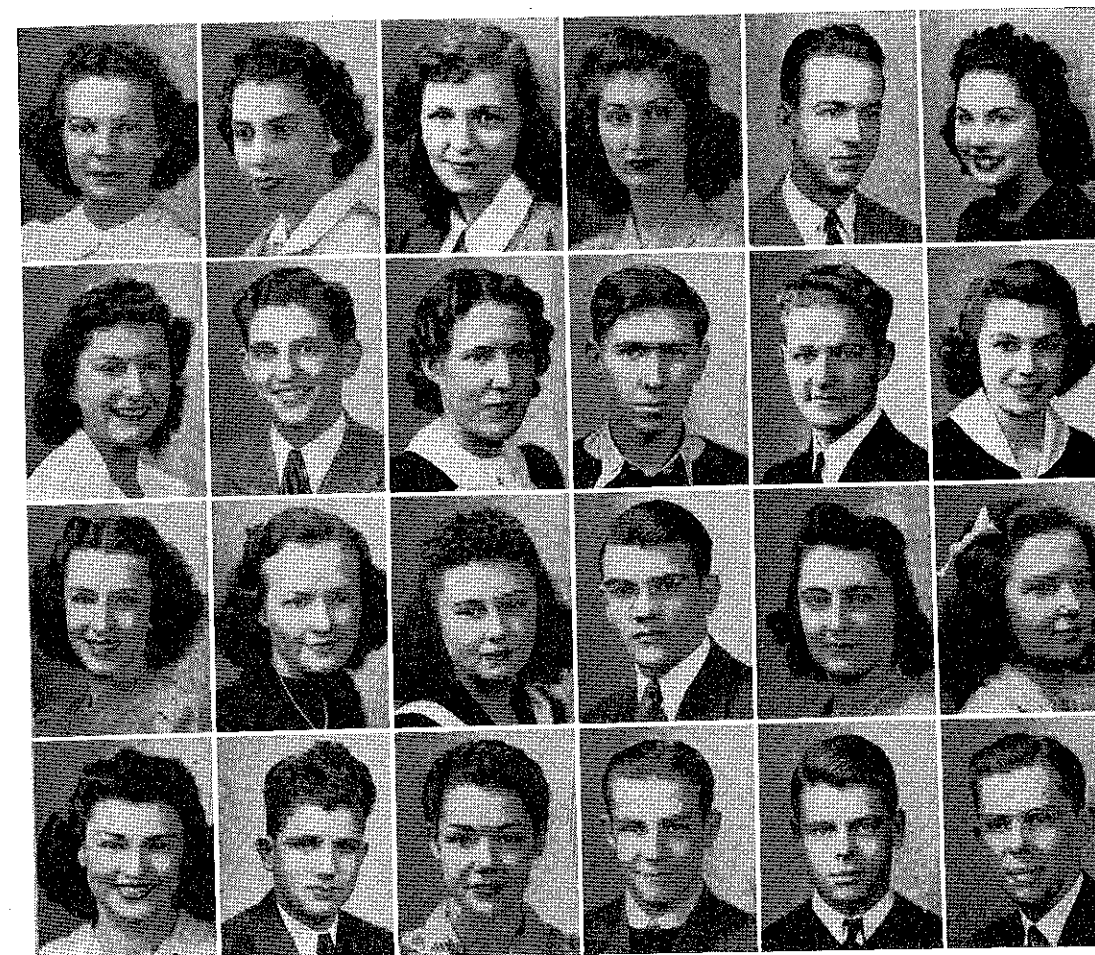
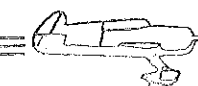
Top Row:  
Bill Adams, Wilmer V. Allen, Beverly Ann Bailey, Jack Baker, Robert M. Barnhart, Bette Bedford.

Second Row:  
Rosemary Bloom, Betty Mae Bone, Barbara Ann Borden, Bernard Bolt, Kenneth L. Brown, Orville Burgess.

Third Row:  
Charles C. Callison, Jr., J. C. Campbell, Eldora Castle, Pauline Castle, Barbara Clark, Frank D. Connett, Jr.

Bottom Row:  
Charlotte Dallam, Tommy Deneen, Jeanne Dobler, Marian Dobler, Leland Dubach, John Egli.

# Class of '42



Top Row:  
Dorothy Elliott, Katherine Elliott, Jacqueline Farley, Shirley Grimm, Tymon Hamer, Evangiline Hancock.

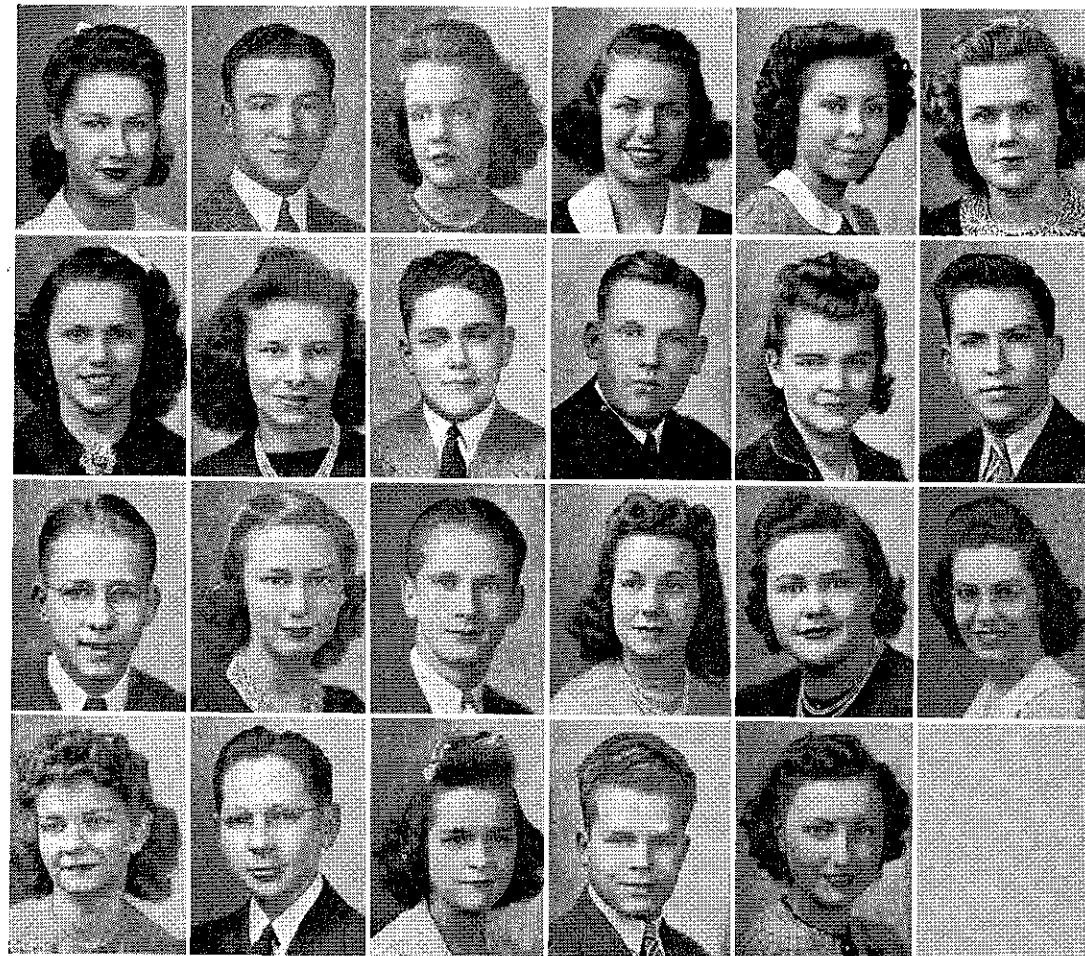
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Eleanor Harpster, Gene Hawk, Betty Alice Hayes, Archie Higgins, Willis Hintz, Norma Lee Hochman.

Third Row:  
Mary Margaret Habius, Betty Lou Hoffman, Dorothy Holding, Phil Humbert, Beverly Ann Hurst, Virginia Kramer.

Bottom Row:  
Mary Lammers, Don Lanning, Kathleen Lard, Charles McQuitty, Glenn Miller, Joseph Nash.



# Freshmen



Top Row:  
Gloria Neill, Harold Nelson, Rose Mary Neudorff, Rosemary Pedrick, Virginia Price, Roberta Ransdell.

Second Row:  
Julia Ann Ready, Virginia Roth, Jack Segell, Jack Sewell, Barbara Simpson, Warren Snuffer.

Third Row:  
Robert Spalsbury, Dorothy Springer, Ernest Steinman, Helaine Stone, Katherine Utz, Margaret Van Cleave.

Bottom Row:  
Elizabeth Watson, Sidney Wienshienk, Dorothy Wigington, Marvin Winburne, Elaine Younger.

# Flying Blind



## Sophomores

Ackerman, Jane  
Allison, Mary Lee  
Anderson, Betty Lou  
Bailey, Laura Joyce  
Bayne, Dorothy Jean  
Black, James  
Borchers, Wilma  
Braun, Beverly  
Breckenridge  
Buck, Laverne  
Caldwell, June  
Catron, Jack  
Chaney, Anna Lee  
Clark, Norman  
Cole, Charles Harold  
Colloff, Sarah

Connor, Mary Virginia  
Curry, James  
Davis, Worden  
Fansher, Franklin  
Frampton, Georgia  
Geil, Henry John  
Gray, Richard  
Green, Grace  
Greer, John F.  
Greer, Tom  
Harvey, Thomas  
Huddleston, Eddie  
Hughart, Marguerite  
Hunt, Dorrit  
Jewett, Eugene  
Karns, Harriete  
Keller, Shirley  
Kieber, Robert  
Landree, Muriel

Leucht, Kathlyn  
Lindsay, Kathleen  
Linnell, Vaughn  
Lofton, Rose Marie  
McDonald, R. A.  
McKeown, Alberta  
Marteny, Edward  
Minor, Frank  
Moorman, Margarita  
Myers, Earl R.  
Nahas, Cecilia  
O'Connor, Eugene  
Ooyman, John  
Patt, Walter  
Peters, Reed  
Phillips, Mrs. Justine  
Pickerel, James  
Porter, Virginia Lee  
Priebe, Virginia

Ready, Gene  
Riley, Betty Jo  
Robertson, Wm.  
Ruff, Vivian  
Scott, Earle  
Smith, Dixie  
Swinney, Bob  
Turner, Lewis  
Vavra, Bill  
Vennekohl, Donald  
Vequist, Jeanne  
Waegle, Maurice  
Weaver, Richard  
Westpheling, Thomas  
Wiedman, Mary  
Wilson, Robert  
Williams, J. T.  
Wolfe, Lloyd  
Yancey, George

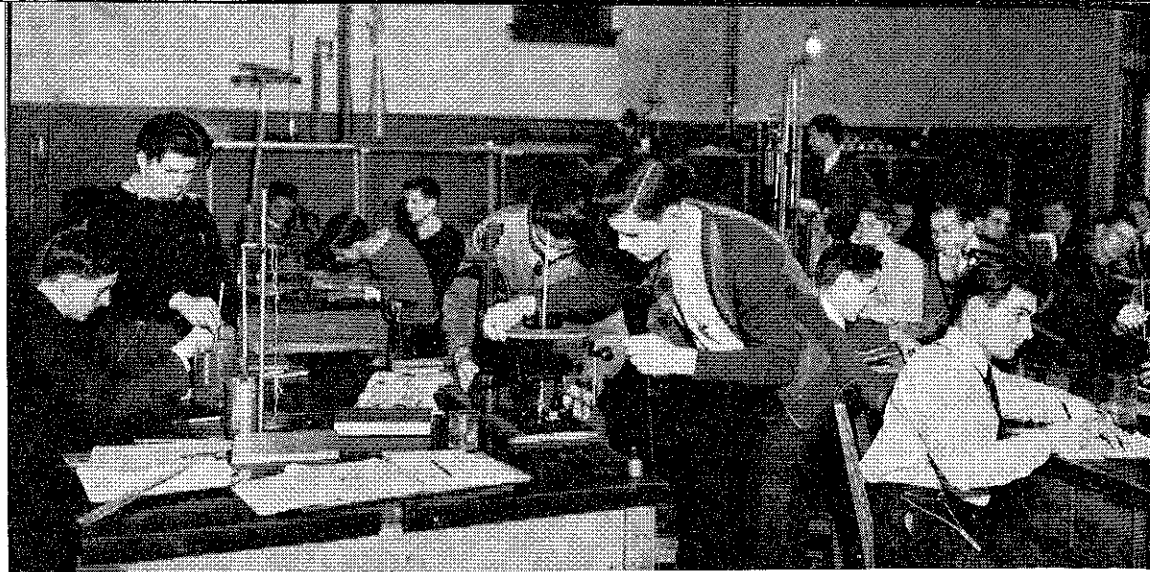
## Freshmen

Adams, Maida  
Agianoff, Harry  
Alberts, Robert Paul  
Allen, Leland  
Anderson, Robert  
Armour, Richard  
Atteberry, Martha Ann  
Bagby, John  
Barthel, Wayne  
Barton, Marjorie  
Beck, Kenneth  
Benner, Roy  
Benton, Marjorie  
Bergeson, Virgil  
Bertram, Donald  
Black, Marjorie  
Border, Vaughn  
Bricker, Bob  
Brough, Don  
Brownlee, Nelrose  
Burger, Eleanor  
Burnett, Fred  
Burton, Junior  
Carolus, Robert  
Carrel, Geneva Jo  
Carrillo, Alex  
Carson, Jack  
Cates, Joseph  
Cheney, George  
Clayton, Martha Jean  
Cole, John W.  
Cole, Loran Dale  
Cole, Ruth Dale  
Collins, Patricia Ann  
Compton, Maurice  
Costello, Victor  
Costello, Mark  
Cox, Kenneth  
Crooks, Bill  
Cummings, Clyde  
Dankers, Bob  
Darrow, Wesley L.  
Davis, John  
Deatherage, Charles  
Demaree, John  
Dickinson, William C.  
Drake, John T.

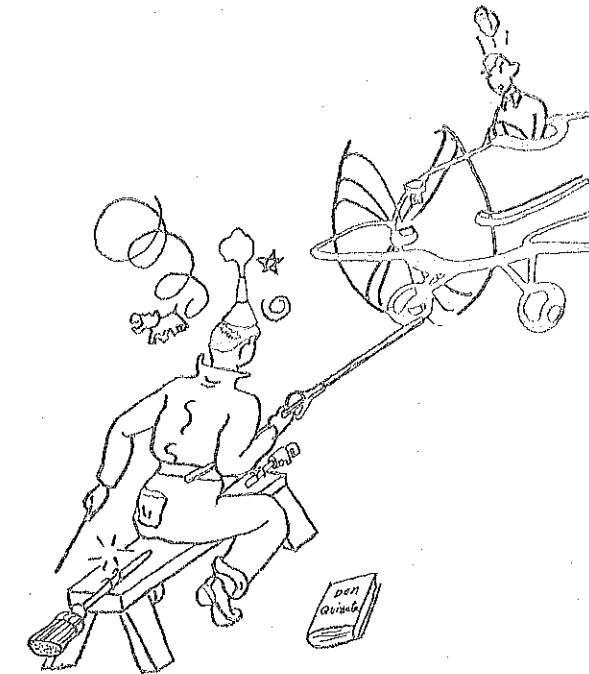
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Driver, Barie  
Durtschi, Kenneth  
Edgar, Walter F.  
Ellis, Bob  
Eveloff, Philip  
Fairbanks, Charles Byron  
Fansher, Eileen  
Fehman, Maxine  
Fisher, Joseph C.  
France, Nina Lu  
Gaddy, LaVerne  
Gardner, Betty Lou  
Gerber, Barth  
Gex, Robert Brooking  
Gill, Frank  
Gill, Maurice  
Gilley, Raymond  
Glasbrenner, Edith  
Glick, Gregg F.  
Gordon, Dixie  
Gray, Joseph  
Habert, Wayne  
Hall, Merle  
Haller, Gene  
Hansen, Norma  
Harden, Bill  
Harper, Ralph  
Harrison, Mary Jane  
Harvey, Dorothy  
Hawman, Marolyn  
Hayden, Susan  
Henson, Eugene  
Holcomb, Margaret  
Holtslander, Earl  
Homan, Richard  
Hopkins, Betty Ann  
Hopkins, Mary Elizabeth  
Hoskins, T. J.  
Huber, Virginia  
Huephrey, Robert Lee  
Johnson, Frances  
Johnson, Janeth  
Johnson, Lena  
Jones, Betty Leile  
Jones, Dorothy Lou

Jones, James  
Jones, Lorna Gayle  
Kessberger, Jack  
Knotts, Woody  
Kranitz, Ted  
Lawhon, Howard  
LeFlore, Babette  
Leibowitz, Paul  
Leininger, Frank  
Leppie, Roland  
Lingelbach, Dale  
McAfee, Bob  
McClure, Birt  
McCoun, Robert  
McMullin, Anna  
Matthews, Emerson  
Maxwell, Stanley  
Meierhoffer, Mary  
Miller, Kenneth  
Miller, William  
Minter, George  
Mohler, Martha Mae  
Mooney, Bill  
Morgan, Gerald  
Morton, David  
Mueller, William  
Mundy, Mildred  
Myers, Emerson  
Nelson, Florence  
Noel, Paul  
Norris, Norman  
North, Leland Vern  
Olson, Edmond C.  
Patterson, E. Kingsley  
Petrie, Helen Ruth  
Pickerel, Mary  
Pilgram, George  
Pipkin, Dean  
Planck, Marie  
Polsky, Libbie  
Potts, Bette Lou  
Prosnell, Boob  
Raidt, Bob  
Ray, Bette Ann  
Reavis, Bob  
Riepl, Marvin

Robinson, Jane  
Rosenthal, Jacobah  
Rosenthal, Meyer  
Ruoff, Richard  
Ryan, William  
Sakellaris, Jimmie  
Sampson, Helen  
Sandberg, Annette  
Sanduske, Max  
Schirmer, Henry  
Schofield, Robert  
Schreiber, Richard  
Schwarz, Pauline  
Scott, Jack  
Serocki, Edward  
Shaw, Barbara  
Shoup, Norman  
Sledd, Evelyn  
Smith, Foster  
Smith, Rod  
Snow, Rose Marie  
Sonnenberg, Edward  
Spalsbury, Duane  
Stahlin, Betty  
Stallard, Donald  
Sterling, Frank  
Swenson, Mariella  
Tomplin, Ralph  
Tobin, Madeline  
Townsend, John  
Urquhart, Bob  
Verner, Robert  
Vories, Jeanne  
Wagner, Theodore  
Walker, John  
Weaver, Frank  
Weber, Bernard  
Webster, Carl  
Whalen, Jack  
Wharton, Dixie  
Wiezorek, Edward  
Wood, John  
Wyatt, Regina  
Wymonol, Philip  
Yackie, Wenzel  
Yount, Bob



MASS PRODUCTION



## ATHLETICS

**SWISH!** Don Quixote alias Coach Streeter gallops by on his streamlined steed and charges the hapless windmill to joust a bit in the spirit of competition!

**Swish!** Through the net for another basket by the Griffon cagers featuring shooting accuracy and sparkling floor play.

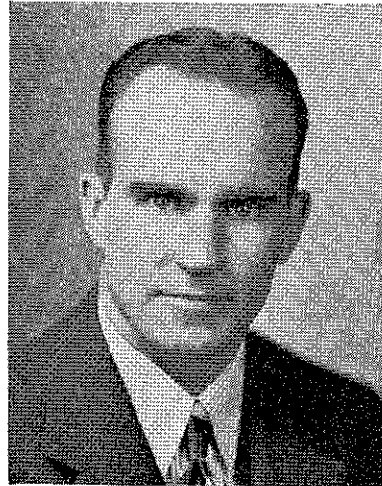
**Swish!** Like a flash he passes, burning up the track to gain new honors for the J. C. track team.

**Swish!** A clean cut smash! One of the many thrills of ping-pong, the fascinating game that is one of the most popular intramural sports.

**Swish!** Wow! A strike to boost the score of a bowling team in the intra-collegiate league. No poodles allowed when the Griffontonians take over the bowling alleys.

All of which adds up to a varied and healthy sports program featuring clean fun and sportsmanship. To see this program in action merely turn the page — **swish!**

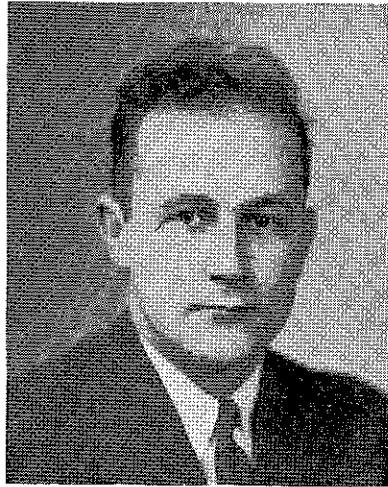
## Coachs and Manager



Streeter

WHEN WE think of sports at J. C. — we think of one man, James H. Streeter. He is a person of intelligence and understanding and he has been instrumental not only in winning games but also in guiding our young men toward a better, cleaner, and healthier way of life. Every boy admires and respects "Jimmy." As proof that the efforts of our coach have been recognized and rewarded — he was elected president of the coaches section of the Missouri Junior College Conference.

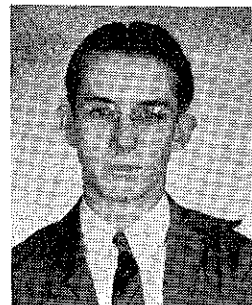
MR. ERNEST WERNER was the director of minor sports. Last year he built up excellent golf and tennis teams which he matched against other colleges. Work in the C. A. A. took Mr. Werner away, first, from his coaching position — and then from St. Joseph Junior College. This year the intramural managers were in charge of minor sports.



Werner

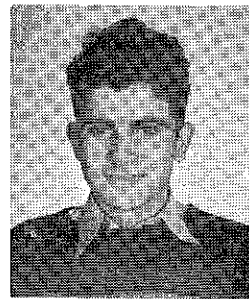
### INTRAMURAL MANAGERS

JUNIOR COLLEGE was fortunate this year in having two live wire intramural managers. Sophomore Jack Fitzgerald and Freshman Don Lanning created interest among



Fitzgerald

the students by providing sports activities in which both boys and girls could engage. Basketball, bowling, tennis, table tennis, baseball, and volleyball were the main activities. The smoothness with which these sports are carried on is a tribute to their efforts.



Lanning

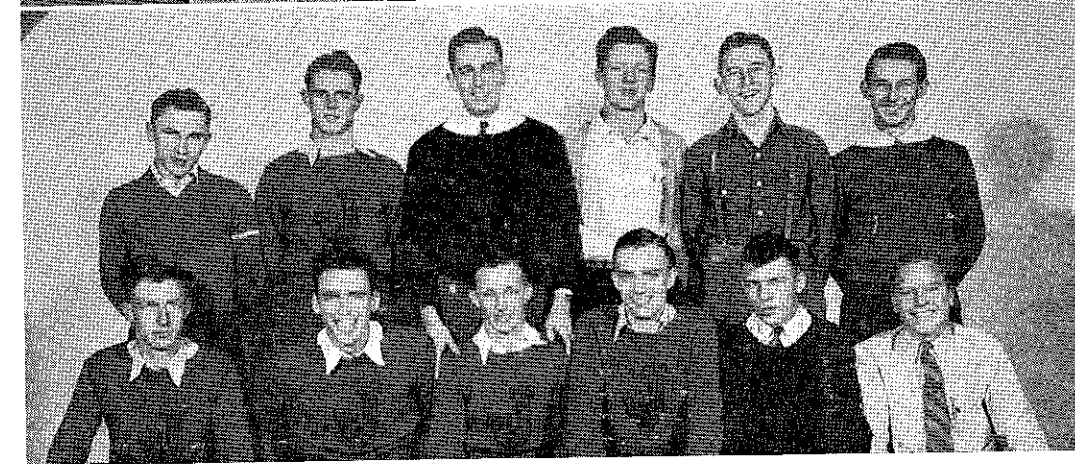
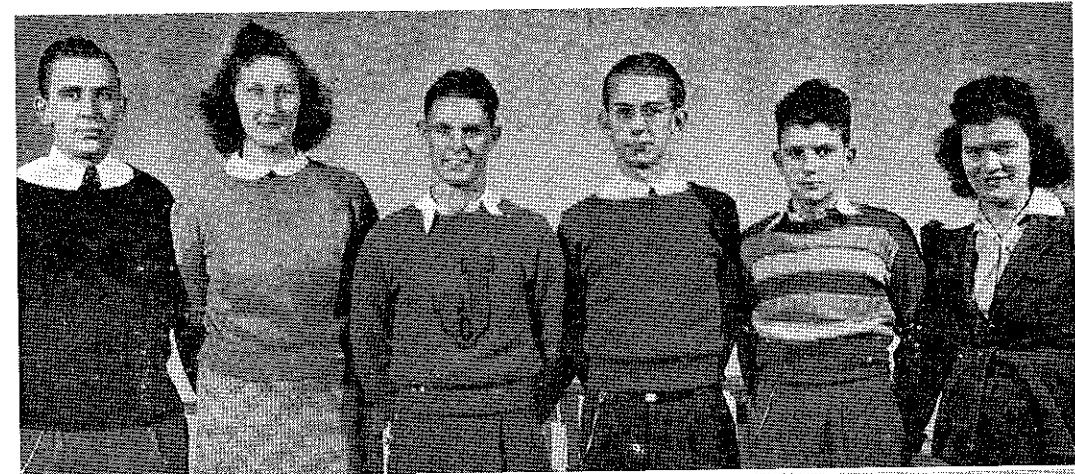
## The Council and "J" Club

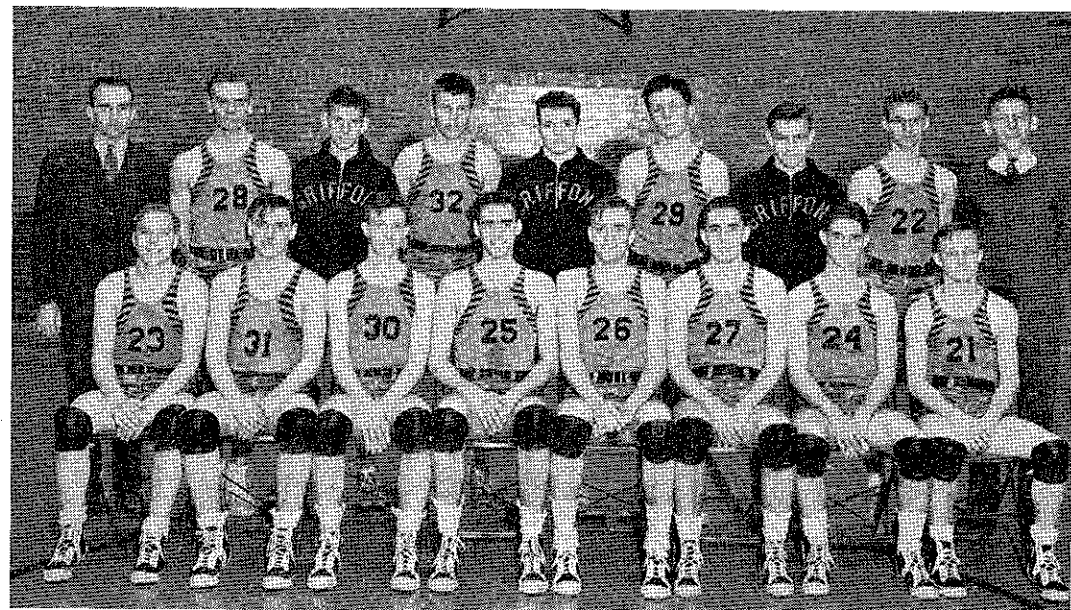
THE ATHLETIC COUNCIL of Junior College sponsors the program of sports at the school and is composed of representatives from the track, tennis, basketball teams, the W. A. A., and the Senate. At the beginning of the school year, the council elects an intramural manager, who likewise becomes a member of the group.

The present members of the Council shown below are: Jack Baker, Norma June Klein, Roy Musser, Jack Fitzgerald, Don Lanning, and Helen McHugh.

THE "J" CLUB is an organization composed of lettermen. Eligibility is based upon the receiving of a letter in a major sport at J. C. The officers of the club are Bill Barton, president; Roy Musser, vice-president; and Duke Turner, secretary.

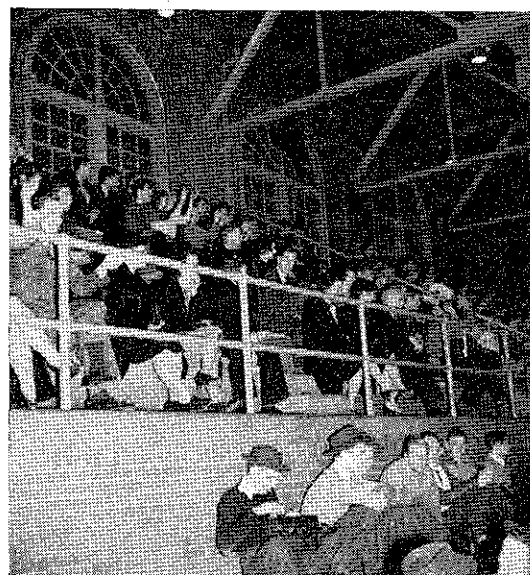
Members of the club are: Seated; Allen McCalley, Vaughn Linnell, Duke Turner, Bill Barton, Gene Haller, and Barie Driver. Standing; Bill Willoughby, Roy Musser, Jack Baker, Frank Gill, Paul Springer, and Jack Fitzgerald.



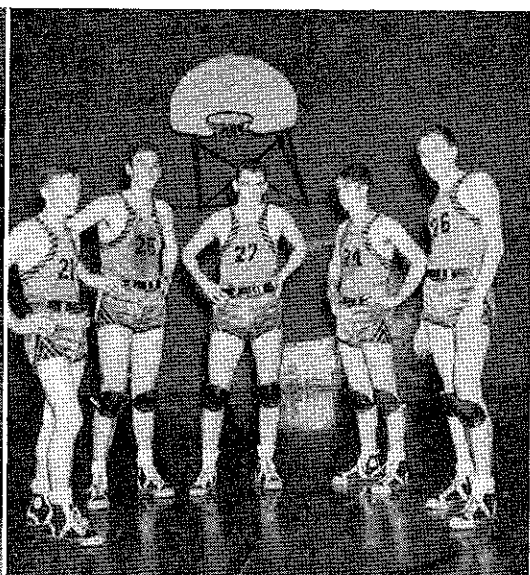


### THE SQUAD

Coach Streeter, Kingsley Patterson, Don Brough, Gene Haller, Mose Gill, Frank Gill, Charles McQuitty, Bill Harden, and Student Manager Paul Springer. Front Row: Barie Driver, Norman Norris, Allen McCalley, Vaughn Linnell, Bill Barton, Jack Baker, and co-captains, Roy Musser and Lewis Turner.



"GIVING THE BOYS A HAND"



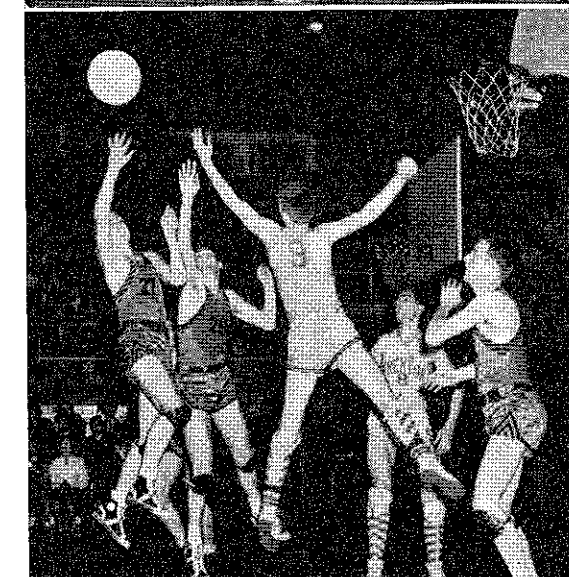
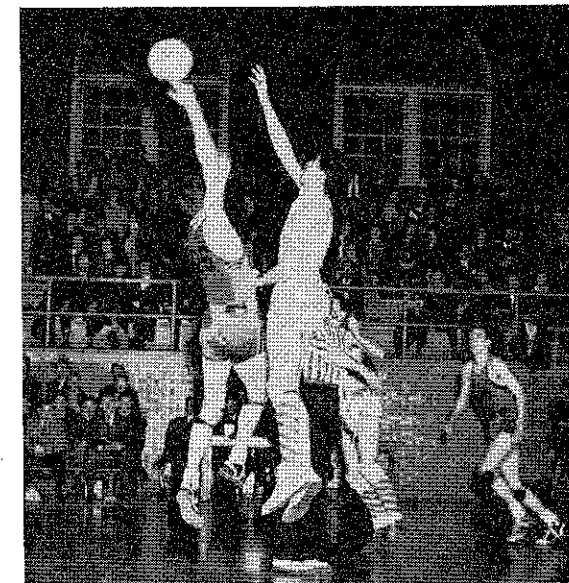
"STARTING LINEUP"



THE 1940-1941 SEASON found the Griffons with a real team. The returning lettermen were Allen McCalley, Vaughn Linnell, Roy Musser, Bill Barton, and Duke Turner. With these boys as a nucleus Jimmy Streeter led them to a .625 game average.

While you are flying around let's recall some of the games. We started off by beating Haskell 36-25. Then Kansas City, Kansas, fell to the Griffons 39-26. The local boys took Southwest Baptist 32-22. Bill Barton was the scoring ace of this game. All of us remember his clownish tactics on the court.

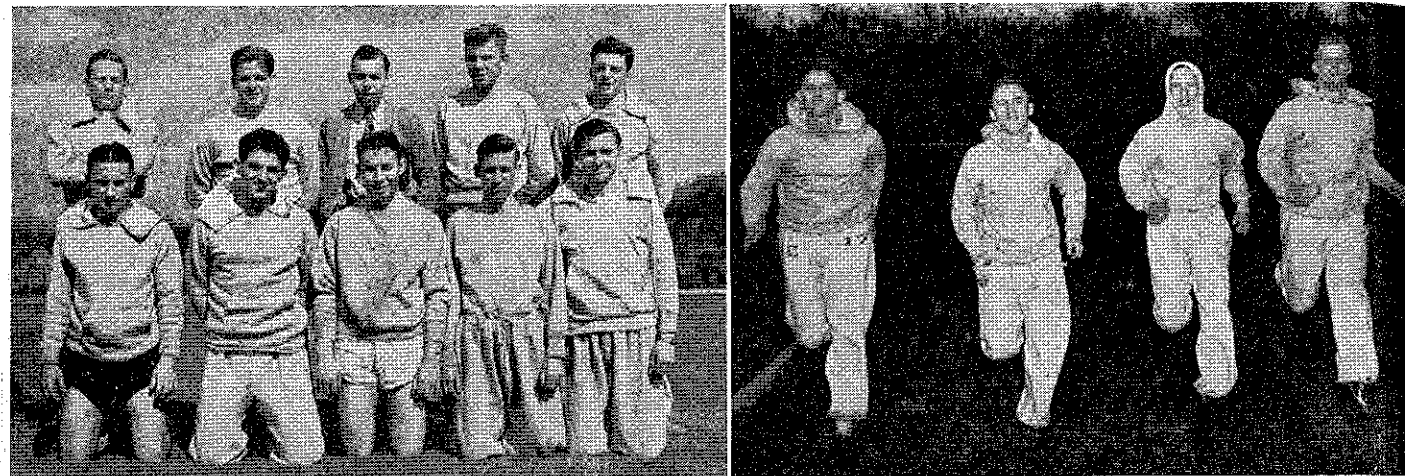
Awards to the lettermen went to Barie Driver, Norman Norris, Allen McCalley, Vaughn Linnell, Bill Barton, Jack Baker, Roy Musser, Duke Turner, Frank Gill, Gene Haller, and Kingsley Patterson. Honorary co-captains were Musser and Turner. High point man of the season was Linnell.



Top picture: Barton outjumps Booe of Trenton.

Lower picture: The fighting "Griffons" rebound.

## Track



DESPITE SEVERAL unfortunate accidents, which resulted in the loss of several of our thin clads, Junior College had a very fine season. Gene Hawk, freshman wonder, was the leading Griffon scorer and through his consistency our school always was sure of a high meet standing. Other outstanding tracksters were: Doyle Beattie, John Townsend, Eugene Haller, Bill Willoughby, Bill Young, Bob Yount, Jack Kessberger, Bob Hall, and Fred Burnett.

In the first meet of the year the Griffons took fifth place at Kemper. In Columbia the next week J. C. bowed to Kemper again. In the Haskell and Wentworth contests our boys held

down third place. We won second place at Chillicothe. Gene Hawk was high individual scorer of the meet. Trenton was the scene of the state outdoor and in this meet we were fourth.

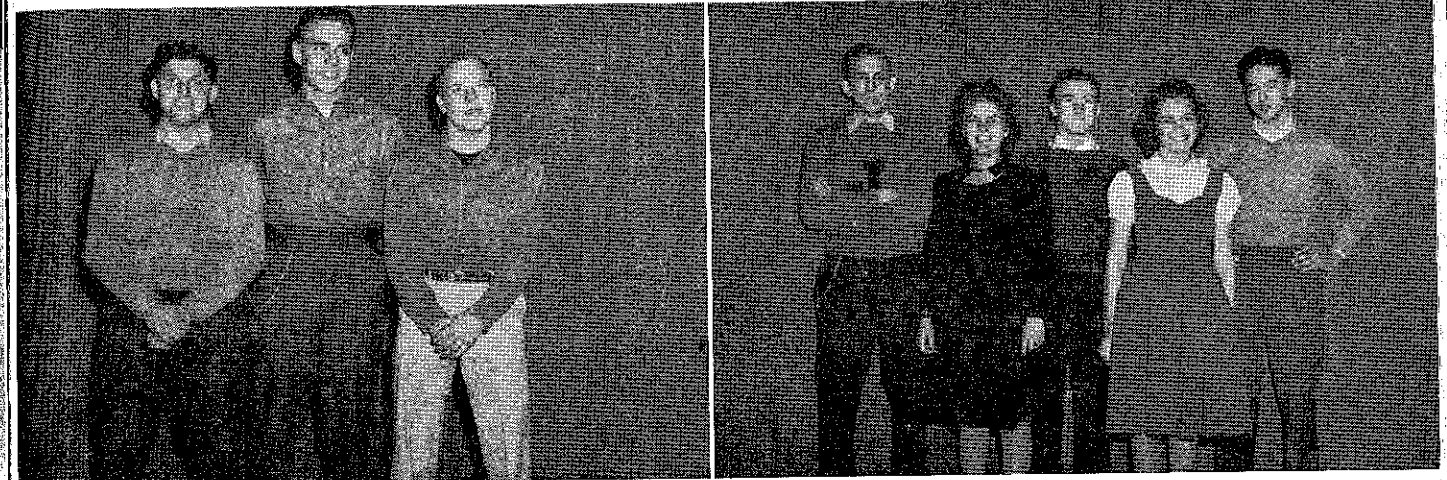
The hurdles were under the mastery of Kessberger and Burnett. They did a nice bit of running for the Black and Gold. Townsend and Yount were in charge of weights. Three men represented J. C. as high jumpers — they were: Patterson, Kessberger, and Burnett. Doyle Beattie ran the mile. Our champion relay team was composed of Fred Burnett, Bill Willoughby, Gene Hawks, and Bob Hall. The many returning lettermen promise a bright out-look on track next year.

## Golf and Tennis



OVER HILL, dale, and sand trap — our Griffon golfers tread. Despite the handicap of having no coach, one inter-collegiate match was held between our famous squad and the Kansas City, Kansas, team. Extremely bad weather made it necessary to call off most of our other matches. In the photograph

INTRAMURAL tennis found itself part of Junior College's athletic curriculum. Single contests, doubles and mixed doubles tournaments were sponsored. Due to the loss of the tennis coach our tennis team saw no outside action. However, the appearance of their names among others out for in-



below are Hershel Hockman, Robert Urquhart, and Barie Driver. Not in the picture, but members of the team, are Bernard Bott, and Eugene Haller.

A very good intramural golf tournament was held and approximately thirty students took part. Mary Katherine Lammers and June Caldwell were the par busters for the women.

tramural made the contests much better than in years past when team members were unable to participate. The students in the above picture are those who have displayed the greatest talent in tennis. They are: Jack Baker, Gerry Roberson, Harold A. Nelson, Mary Meierhoffer, and Robert Raidt. Although these students have not won the tennis tournament, they are, however, the seeded players.

## Table Tennis and Bowling



THE INTRAMURAL bowling leagues reached new heights this year. In the two tournaments held, over eighty boys and girls participated. Fair play and good sportsmanship marked both semesters.

Eddie Tanner was awarded a gold engraved trophy for the honor of being high man. His final pin total was 2,606 pins in sixteen games. Gene Ready was second. Betty Jo Riley received the women's trophy with 2,095 pins. Julia Ann Ready took second place honors. Yancey's "Terrors" was the first place team.

Gene Ready and Betty Pinkston were the trophy winners the second semester. Duehren's "Dopes" was the first place team.

In the above picture Julia, Bebe, and Duane hope for a strike.

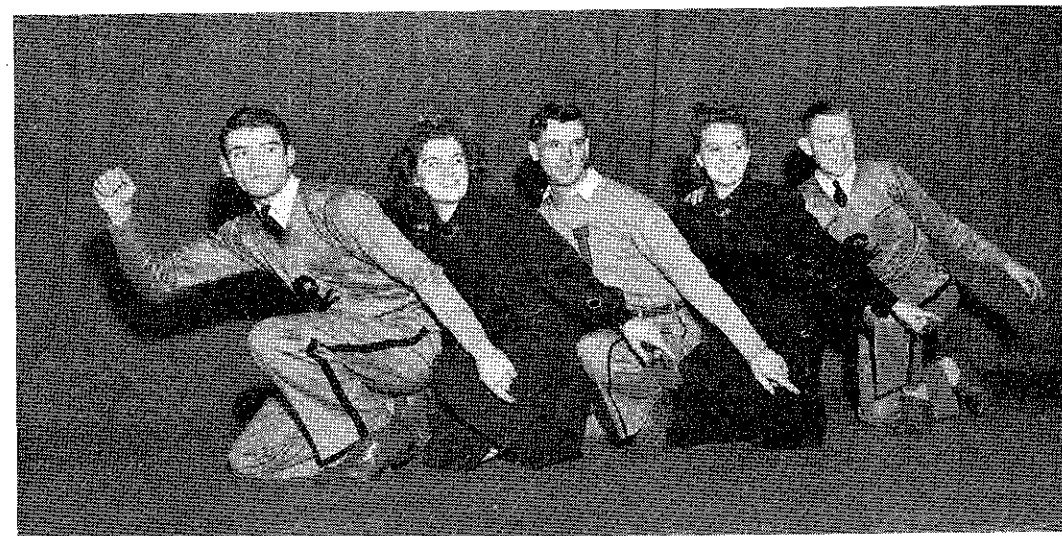
TABLE TENNIS has provided much recreation and entertainment for several hundred boys and girls during their free period and lunch hour. Personal matches and plus tournaments kept interest always at a high pitch.

In the picture John Michel and Bill Harden battle Jim Powers and Phil Humbert. The ball is right over the net. Who won? Jim and Phil.

In the finals of the all-school doubles tournament Powers and Humbert were the victors. This was the battle of battles in the recreation room. Higdon Junk and J. J. Schiesser were the opponents. The room was over crowded and all four boys were applauded for their ability.

New to the school were matches played during the halves at the basketball games. The crowds always received these with much enthusiasm.

## Cheerleaders



SCHOOL SPIRIT at Junior College was higher this year than ever before. The increased number of cheerleaders and the addition of two young ladies made the Griffon fans really yell. Black and gold banner flags enlivened the gym.

In the above picture are: Phil Humbert, Doris Brohn, Jack Catron, Gerry Roberson, and Jack Duehren. Jack Catron was the head cheerleader. It was the duty of all five to conduct the pep assemblies and to lead all of Junior College fans in our famous "Give 'Em the Ax."

Special attraction on one convocation was Professor Frank S. Popplewell's famous Blitzkreig speech before an enthusiastic game between the Griffons and the Trenton Bulldogs.

Due to the efforts of these cheerleaders the turn outs at the games were increased. Their efforts were rewarded by receiving a trip to Chillicothe with the team, the band, and the royalty of J. C. New yells were introduced and mass hand movements were invented — the black-skirted Misses and gold uniformed Masters did their work well.

## The Coronation



THE 1941 BASKETBALL queen is the beautiful — Doris Brohn. This is one of the highest tributes that can be paid a girl at Junior College. The smiling sophomore was crowned February 11 during the Junior College-Trenton game. Her four attendants are the very popular Beverly Ann Hurst, Frances Yunker, Bennie Orth, and Bebe Garrett. The "J" Club picks its queen from those girls who qualify by selling a certain number of season tickets.

In the upper photograph are Frances Yunker, Bennie Orth, Bebe Garrett, and the queen's attendant, Beverly Ann Hurst. The middle picture shows Superintendent of Schools Tracy Dale pinning a corsage on the queen. The lower photograph is the royal family with the royal jester and school mascot Bobbie Streeter.

## The Queen



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## Women's Athletic Association



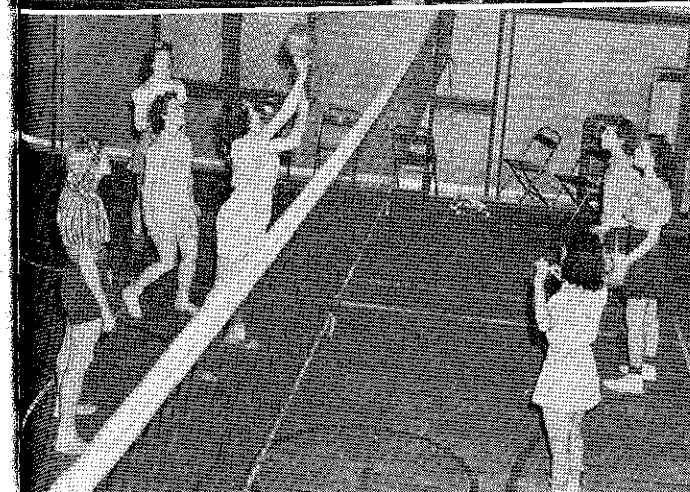
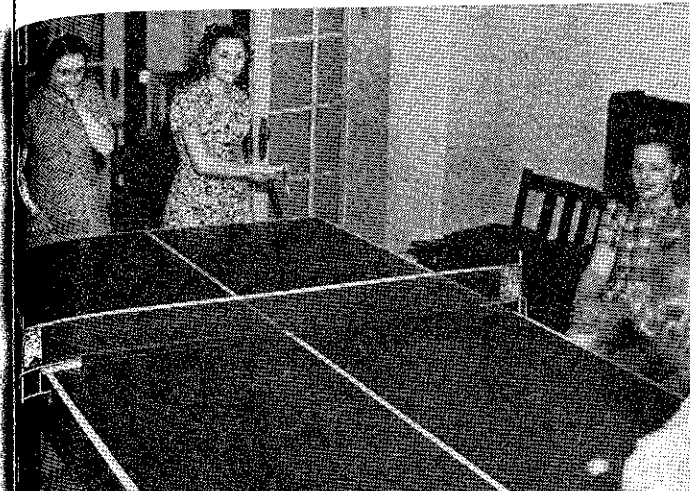
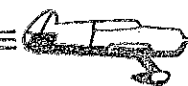
THE WOMEN'S Athletic Association is one of the most active organizations at Junior College. The primary purpose of the group is to engage in healthful sports, but good fun follows along with good health. The W. A. A. stands for sportsmanship, wholesome competition, physical skill, and leadership training. A credit of 500 points for active participation in various sports entitles a member to a school letter. One thousand points wins for her a gold "J" pin.

The girls have a great number of intramural sports. The W. A. A. sponsors play in tennis, ping-pong, baseball, volleyball, and basketball. This year the group took part in a state meet at Warrensburg, May 3.

This year's membership is composed of — front row: Norma June Klein, Dorothy Wigginton, Betty Stahlin, Eileen Fansher, Cecilia Nahas, Jane Furgerson, Helen McHugh, Charlotte Dallam. Middle row: Annette Sandburg, Francis Inscho, Virginia Porter, Jane Ackerman, Kathleen Leucht, Marjorie Barton, Marian Bedford, Anna McMullin, and Gerry Roberson. Top row: Maryr Pickerel, Marie Lofton, Dixie Horton, Barbara Simpson, Rosemary Bloom, Margie Benton, Betty Bedford.

Helen McHugh is president of the organization.

## Women's Sports



SOME OF THE activity carried on by the W. A. A. is played at the Y. M. C. A. About fifty girls turned out for all sorts of sports. In the upper left hand photograph, Marian Bedford bites her nail in fear of a smash return in table tennis. The upper right hand picture shows Betty Stahlin and Charlotte Talbott trying to get a rebound for their opponents. The determined baseball batter is Dorothy Wigginton who lets one go by for catcher Frances Inscho. The lower photograph is the volleyball tournament.



# The Summary

## BASKETBALL

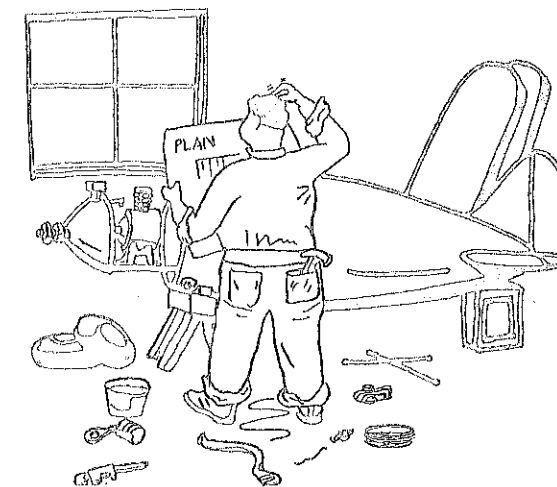
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48 Highland	32	Arkie Linnell .....	16	45	16	26	106
34 Central Wesleyan	38	Roy Musser .....	16	39	21	15	99
17 Flat River	31	Bill Barton .....	15	37	16	24	90
29 Hannibal	26	Duke Turner .....	15	35	8	16	78
25 Joplin	34	Jack Baker .....	15	22	15	32	59
28 K. C., Kansas	22	Kingsley Patterson ..	13	14	9	12	37
36 Alumni	26	Barie Driver .....	15	15	6	13	36
32 Southwest Baptist	25	Gene Haller .....	11	8	2	11	18
39 K. C., Kansas	31	M. Gill .....	14	2	4	11	8
36 Haskell	39	N. Norris .....	14	2	4	8	8
40 Highland	28	A. McCalley .....	15	2	4	4	8
32 Chillicothe	35	B. Harden .....	2	0	0	0	0
38 Southwest Baptist	33	C. McQuitty .....	1	0	0	0	0
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41 Chillicothe	47	G. Cheney .....	1	0	0	0	0
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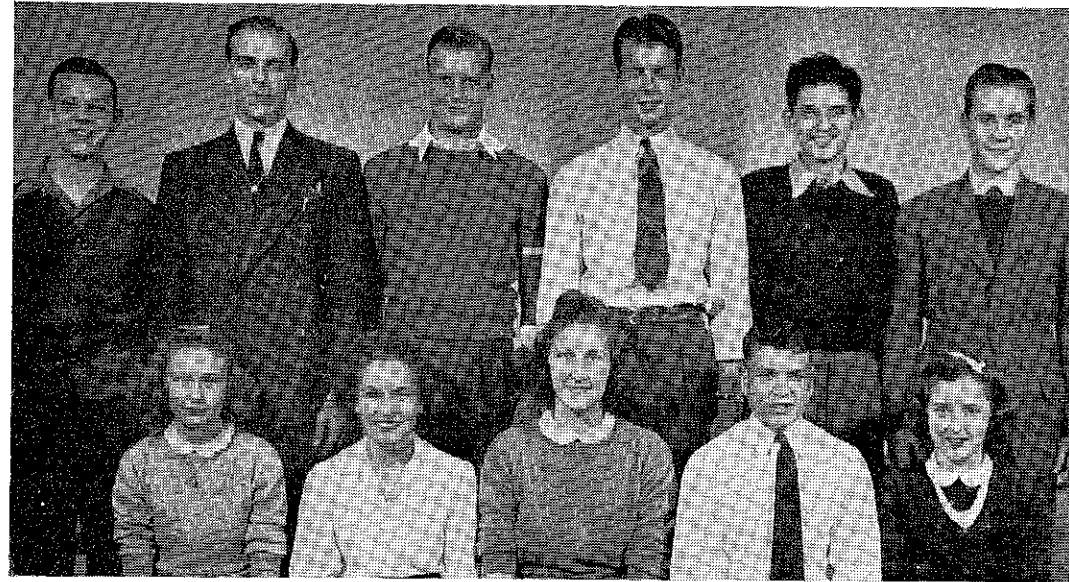
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High jump .....	Patterson, Kessberger, Burnett	Wentworth .....	Third
Mile run .....	Beattie	Chillicothe .....	Second
440-yard dash .....	Hawk, Burnett	North Kansas City .....	Third
100-yard dash .....	Hall, Hawk, Willoughby	Trenton (State Outdoor) ..	Fourth
880-yard run .....	Beattie, Gill, Myers		
220-yard dash .....	Willoughby, Hall, Hawk		
Discus .....	Yount, Hawk		
Javelin .....	Yount, Hawk		
Broad jump .....	Hawk, Willoughby		
Relay .....	Burnett, Willoughby, Hawk, Hall		



# ORGANIZATIONS

BLUEPRINTS for activity! Design for living! With the plans constantly before him the cadet meticulously construct his craft according to specifications, for the plane that will eventually roll off the assembly line must withstand every maneuver it is put through by Life, the chief test pilot. Realizing that precision machines function perfectly only when planned and assembled with minute attention to detail, the plan at the J. C. plant is to develop every desirable trait, broaden the store of knowledge, and offer socializing influences. This is accomplished by appealing to special interests and avocations be it the mastery of French or the clarinet. The primary prerequisite in the various clubs is merely a genuine interest and shortly after joining the cadet is absorbed in the limitless scope of activities. Tops in fun and gaiety, these extracurricular activities reflect the true image of college spirit. Blueprint for activity! Design for living! We have it!

## The Senate



FOR THE SECURING of cooperation between the faculty and student body, a Student Senate was created. It is a law-making body which keeps J. C. in safe altitude and prevents any type of tail spin. From the entire student body are chosen seven sophomores and seven freshmen, including the class presidents. In these students' hands rest the voice of their classmates.

The Senate sponsors such activities as the "Ice-Breaker Dance" and "Prowl Day." It also appoints all standing committees and the general manager for the "Footlights." The officers are: President, Norma June Klein; vice-president, Bill Wasserkrug; and secretary-treasurer, Helen Lynch.

The members shown in the above photograph are: Top row; Fred Burnett, Kingsley Patterson, Bill Yount, Bob Yount, Gene Hawks, and George Yancey. Bottom row; Dorothy Springer, Helen Lynch, Norma June Klein, Bill Wasserkrug, and Barbara Clark.

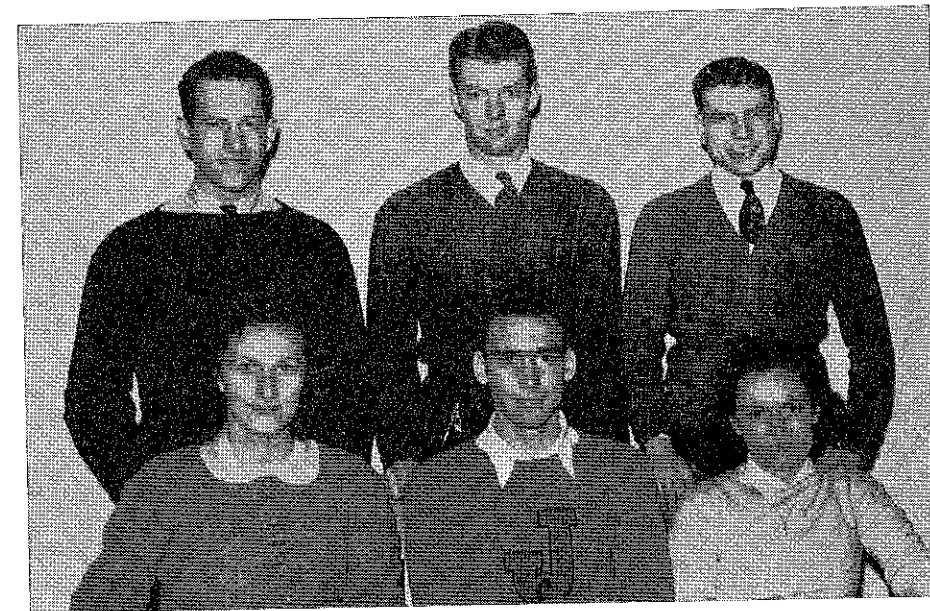
The initial idea behind this fine student organization is that of democracy. Students are allowed complete self government within the reasonable bounds established by the administrators.

## The Mace

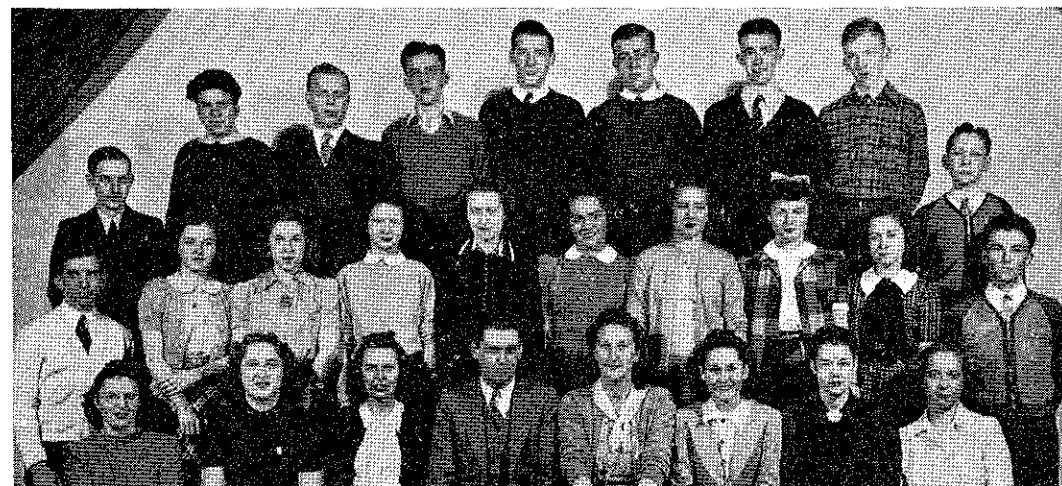


THE MACE IS the honorary activity society of Junior College. It is unique in that there are no officers and that only one meeting of the organization is held each semester. At this meeting the new members are elected for the following semester. Sophomores are elected the first semester and freshmen A's the second. There are never more than three new members admitted at one time and six is the limit set for the membership. Members are chosen not only for scholastic ability but for their contributions to the college life in the form of activities outside of the classroom. The only requirement made of members is that they keep up their admittance standards. Those in the photograph are: Back row; Bob Koser, Bill Yount, and Bill Wasserkrug. Front row; Norma June Klein, Vaughn Linnell, and Helen Lynch.

These outstanding students have contributed whole-heartedly to every phase of campus life. Unselfishly, they have given their time and efforts to the betterment of Junior College. This year's membership includes the school president, a basketball star, and the editors of two school publications.



## Phi Theta Kappa



PHI THETA KAPPA, national junior college honorary scholastic society, finds itself part of the organization system at our school. It has for its goal the promotion of scholarship and the development of character. To be eligible a student must be in the upper tenth of his class and have a grade average of seven and one-half points for all of his college work. After students are pledged to Phi Theta Kappa, they must maintain this high average for nine weeks before they are initiated into full membership. The chapter activities include regular monthly meetings and a large banquet at the close of the second semester.

Members of the club are: Bottom row; Eileen Fansher, Vivian Ruff, Rosemary Pedrick, Mr. Grant Pistorius, the sponsor, Norma June Klein, Laura Margaret Bowen, Kathleen Lard and Ellen Wood. Second row; Ed Marteny, Margaret Holcomb, Marjorie Barton, Mary Jane Harrison, Jerene Snuffer, Mary Meierhoffer, June Caldwell, Mary K. Lammers, Marguerite Hughart, and J. C. Campbell. Top row; Robert Wilson, Franklin Fansher, Robert Barnhart, Donald Stallard, David Morton, Walter Patt, John Davis, and Bill Dickerson.

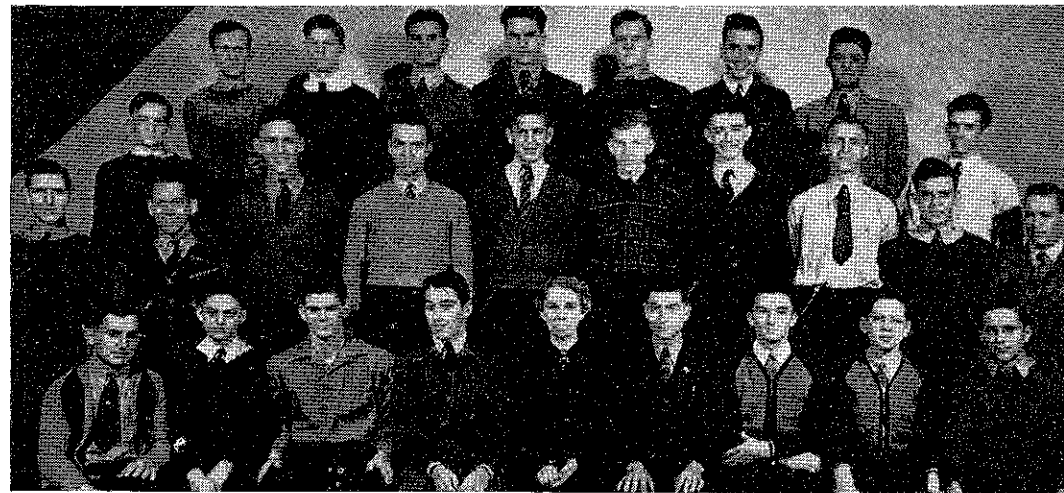
## J. C. Y. W. and L. of W. V.



THE JUNIOR College Young Women's Christian Association is the older girl's branch of the Girl Reserves. It is sponsored by the Y. W. C. A. of St. Joseph and Miss Amy Dorothy Ewan is the faculty advisor. The goal of the organization is to set up and maintain Christian ideals and standards, and to promote friendship among girls. The club meets regularly for a discussion of topics of the day. Outside speakers are often guests of this group.

THE COLLEGE League of Women Voters is an organization whose purpose is to arouse the interest of J. C. girls in world affairs. This in turn enables them to become more competent voters and citizens. The League is sponsored by the State League of Women Voters, and Miss Emily Wyatt is the faculty advisor. This semester the officers are Laura Margaret Bowen, president; Barbara Seufert, vice-president, and Jeanne Vories, secretary. There are eighteen members in the club.

## Engineers and Library



THE ENGINEERS Club is composed of students who are interested in engineering. Despite the newness of the organization it has grown to be one of the largest and most enthusiastic of the groups. During the meetings every phase of engineering is studied and discussed. Under the fine sponsorship of Miss Lowen, the members have enjoyed a varied program of guest speakers. This semester Paul Mejia was president.

THE LIBRARY Club is an organization made up of girls who assist the librarian of the school. This year the staff decided to organize a club. At their meetings, books are discussed and proper care for books is explained. Under the leadership of Miss Trowbridge, the club's sponsor, the girls have had an opportunity to become better acquainted with the duties of a librarian.

## The Magazine



THE CHESHIRE CHEESE is one of the most prominent organizations at Junior College. Its membership is limited to fifteen students who are selected from those who do superior work in English.

Every year this group compiles and publishes "Penny Whistles," the literary magazine of the school. For a number of years "Penny Whistles" has been judged the best literary publication of all the junior colleges in the

state at the M. I. P. A. convention. This year it again placed first.

Members of the club as shown in the above picture are: Back row: Jack FitzGerald, Jerene Snuffer, Norma June Klein, Jean Vories and Katherine Utz. Front row: Helen Lynch, Kathleen Lard, Mary Ann Mottz and Jane Harrison. This year's editorship was in the hands of Miss Mottz. The organization's sponsor is Miss Edith Moss Rhoades.



THE GRIFFON News is the news agency of the College. It is published semi-monthly during the school year. Any student in school may work on the Griffon News, the only requirement being an interest in newswriting. All work is voluntary, but if the student's work is satisfactory one hour's college credit is given.

The paper is always entered in the M. I. P. A. contest and many of the staff enter individual stories. This year's co-editors were Helen Lynch and Jerene Snuffer. Their associate editors were Virginia Priebe and Maurice Compton, respectively. The faculty advisor was Miss Marian Harvey.

Those in the photograph are: Front row: Gerry Roberson, Mary Ann Mottz, Francis Yunker, Virginia Priebe, Helen Lynch, Jerene Snuffer, Maurice Compton, Gene Hawk and Norma June Klein. Second row: Billy Wasserkrug, Harriett Karns, Bettye Jennings, Dorothy Jean Bayne, Jean Vories, Mrs. Reid, Jacqueline Farley, Laura Louise Madison, Bob Schofield and Clyde Cummings. Top row: Harold Nelson, Ethel Mae Mooney, Warren Snuffer, Theodore Kranitz, Lawrence Roberson, Betty Phelan, and Dorothy Bren. Helen Lynch and Maurice Compton represented the paper at the Associate Collegiate Press Convention this year at Detroit.



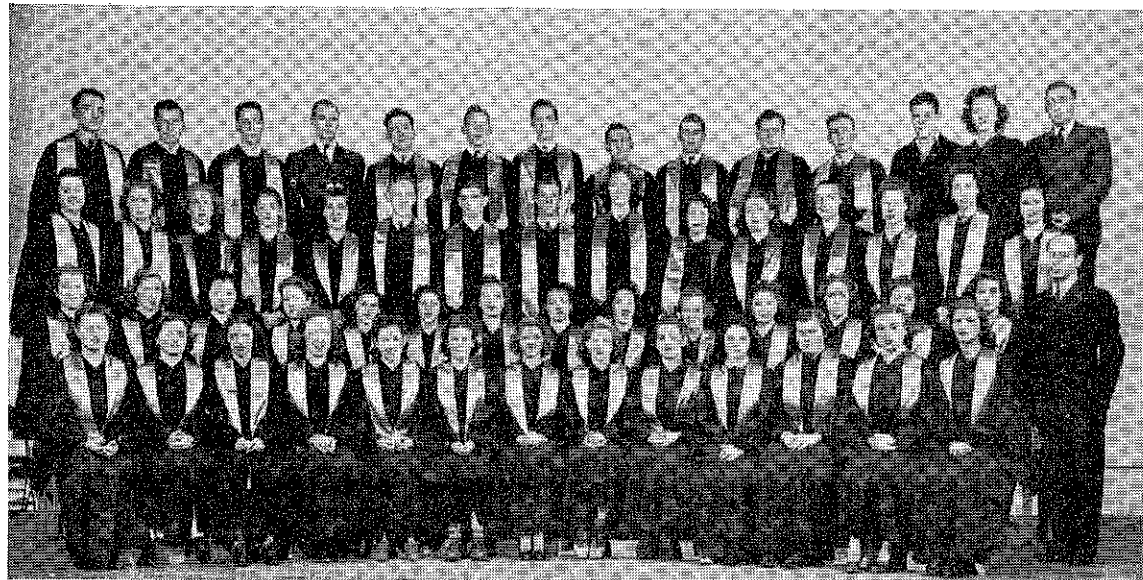
THE 1941 GRIFFON Yearbook is published by a picked staff of students from the entire student body. In the publishing of an annual much work is needed in the assembling of students for organization's pictures, in securing subscriptions in the making of a layout dummy. Then all the work must be systematized to give a professional appearance.

In the upper picture the complete staff is shown. They are: Front row: Jean Vories, Betty Bone, Harold Nelson, Billy Wasserkrug, Laura Louise Madison and Joe Droher. Second row: Helaine Stone, Jerene

Snuffer, Maxine Fehrman, Rosemary Pedrick, Wilma Borchers and Francis Inscho. Top row: Gerry Roberson, Doyle Beattie, John Cole, Jack Segall, Frank Punzo, Helen Lynch and Bettye Jennings. Miss Marian Harvey is faculty advisor to the staff.

The lower group picture is that of the working staff. The individual photograph is that of the editor, Billy Wasserkrug. Managing editor is Joe Droher; business manager, Laura Louise Madison; feature editor, Harold Nelson; class editors, Betty Bone and Bettye Jennings, and art editors, John Cole, Maxine Fehrman and Rosemary Pedrick.

## The Choir



THE A CAPPELLA Choir, directed by Raymond Elliott, is one of the outstanding musical organizations in this school. The choir is run on a strictly democratic basis, a vote of the members being required before an engagement is accepted. The choir has made one trip out of town this year and has been very active in the city where they have entertained the high schools. At the end of the year it will hold a large, city-wide concert. Nearly every year the choir take a spring tour stopping and singing at many towns in the St. Joseph trade area. Induction into the choir is marked by a simple, but beautiful ceremony.

The complete membership includes: Wilmer Allen, Mary Lee Allison, Beverly Anne Bailey, Laura Joyce Bailey, Wayne Barthel, Marjorie Barton, Margaret

Laura Bowen, Allen Breckenridge, Eleanor Burger, John Cole, Mary Virginia Conner, Charlotte Dallam, Tommy De-  
neen, Jeanne Dobler, Leland Dubach, Katherine Elliott, Byron Fairbanks, Nina Lou France, LaVerne Gaddy, Margaret Gaddy, Rita Jane Goehner, Joe Gray, Richard Gray, Muriel Haber, Eleanor Harpster, Margaret Holcomb, Dorothy Holding, Phil Humbert, Mary Ann Jones, Janeth Johnson, Lena Johnson, Dorothy Kitzenberger, Norma June Klein, Kathleen Lard, Alberta McKeown, Martha Mae Mohler, Mildred Mundy, Gloria Neill, Bennie Orth, Kingsley Patterson, Virginia Lee Porter, Virginia Priebe, Vivian Ruff, Annette Sandburg, Paul Springer, Warren Snuffer, Charlotte Talbott, Margaret VanCleave, Elizabeth Watson, Mary Wiedman, and Ellen Wood.

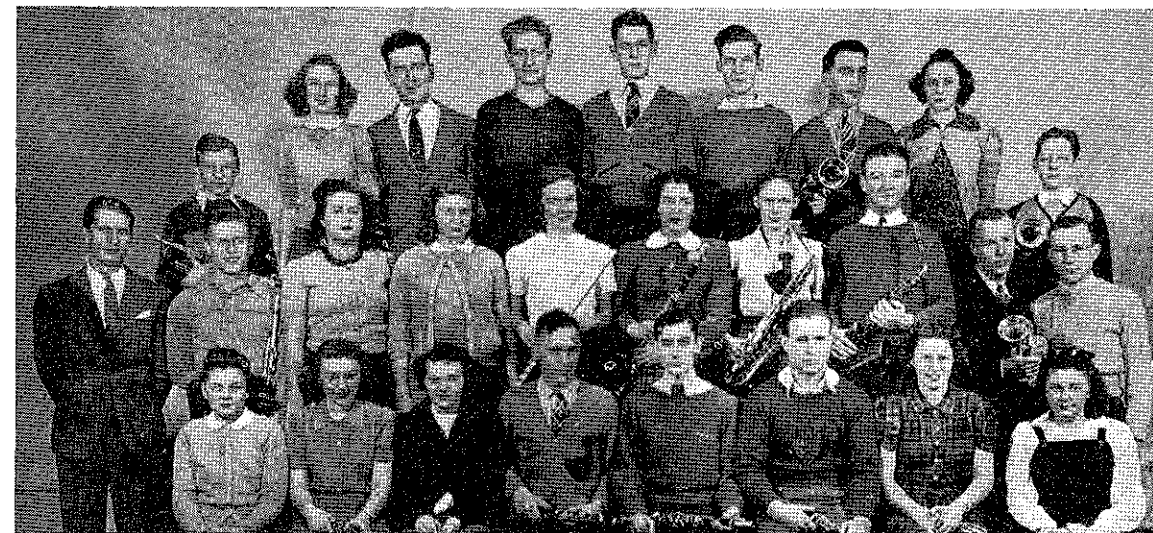
## The Pep Band



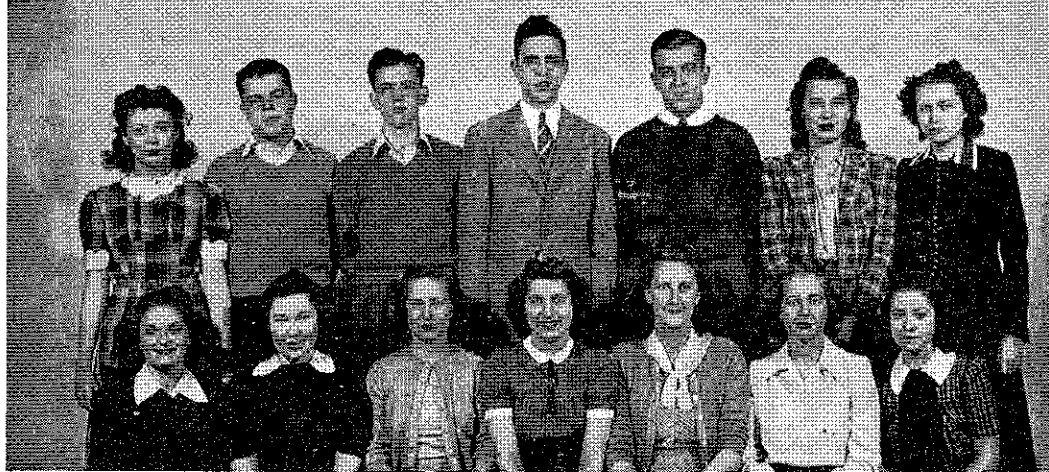
THE JUNIOR College band under the student direction of Ernie Steinman has greatly increased in number. This pep band has been enthusiastically acclaimed in all its appearances at home games. The snappy music and clever arrangements meant much work for the band members, but in true "Gold and Black" fashion they did their duty well. They have appeared on many convocation programs as well as at pep assemblies.

For their efforts, the band was permitted to accompany the basketball squad, the J. C. royalty, and the cheer leaders

to the Chillicothe game. Those in the photograph are, bottom row: Jane Robinson, Anetta Bixler, Margie Benton, Leland Dubach, Frank Lightinger, Johnny Newhard, Eileen Fansher, and Dorothy Holding. Second row: Ernie Steinman, Kenny Beck, Katherine Utz, Rosemary Bloom, Virginia Kramer, Beverly Bailey, Agnes Hamlet, Harold Nelson, Jack Westpheling, and Bob Keiber. Top row: Junior Demory, Dorothy Springer, Wesley Darrow, Willis Heuse, John Warren Michel, Ray Gilly, Walter Drannan, and Dorothy Jean Bayne.



## The Linguists



## Societies



THE SPANISH Club was organized to develop greater fluency in speaking the Spanish language and to familiarize members with Spanish customs. The organization includes second year students and second semester students who have made an "S" average in the subject. During the meeting only Spanish is spoken and all programs, games, and songs are of Spanish nature. This is one of the most popular language clubs and has the largest membership. Every Christmas the club adopts a poor family of Spanish ancestry and provides them with clothes and toys. Members of the organization are, bottom row: Norma Henson, Delores Shields, Kathleen Lindsey, Mary Ann Jones, Mary Ann Mottz, Frances Johnson, Mary Meierhoffer, Bebe Garrett, and Virginia Priebe. Second row: Babette LaFlore, Marjorie Barton, Sarah Jean Gardner, Beverly Hurst, Eleanor Harpster, Jacqueline Farley, Dorothy Springer, Virginia Roth, and Evelyn Sledd. Top row: Laura Bailey, Johnny Newhart, Frank Seay, David Morton, Paul Springer, Bob Spalsbury, Duane Spalsbury, Meyer Rosenthal, and Dorothy Elliott.

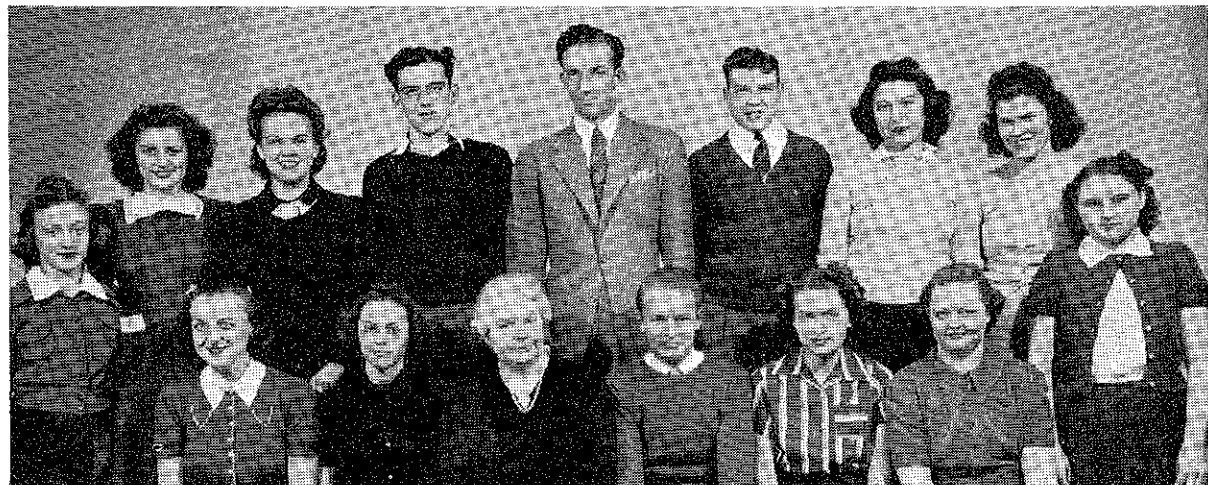
Miss Helen Brown is the faculty sponsor.

THE FRENCH Club gives students, who are interested in this language, help in speaking more fluently. This organization also gives them the opportunity of studying the customs and culture of the French people. In this club, as in the other language clubs, all regular meetings are carried on in French and the membership is gained through an "S" average in the class grade.

Members of the organization as shown in the photograph are: bottom row; Betty Jo Riley, Margarita Moorman, Mary Tegeler, Dorothy Kitzenberger, Rita Jane Goehner, Virginia Porter, and Helaine Stone. Middle row; Barbara Clark, Margie Holcomb, Jean Dobler, Mary Ann Mottz, Dorothy Elliott, Mary Katherine Lammers, Dean Pipkin, and Marguerite Hughart. Top row; Charlotte Dallam, Gerry Roberson, Beverly Braun, Mary Jane Harrison, Jean Vories, Jack J. Fitzgerald, and Helen Lynch. Miss Clara Albrecht is faculty sponsor.

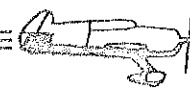
THE GERMAN Club is an organization whose purpose is to acquaint German language students with the once beautiful traditions of old Germany. These students meet regularly and only that language is spoken during the evening of the meeting. Membership is made up of sophomores and "S" average freshmen. An interesting program is always presented when they meet and often outside lecturers contribute to the entertainment. The club's officers are Walter Patt, president; Jerome Downs, vice-president; and Marguerite Hughart, secretary-treasurer.

Members of the organization that are shown in the photograph are: bottom row; Barbara Seufert, Shirley Keller, June Caldwell, Virginia Priebe, Norma June Klein, Ellen Wood, and Marguerite Hughart. Top row; Mary Ann Mottz, Richard Gray, Robert Schofield, Jerome Downs, Walter Patt, Margaret Gaddy, and Jerene Snuffer. Miss Clara Albrecht is the faculty sponsor of the group.



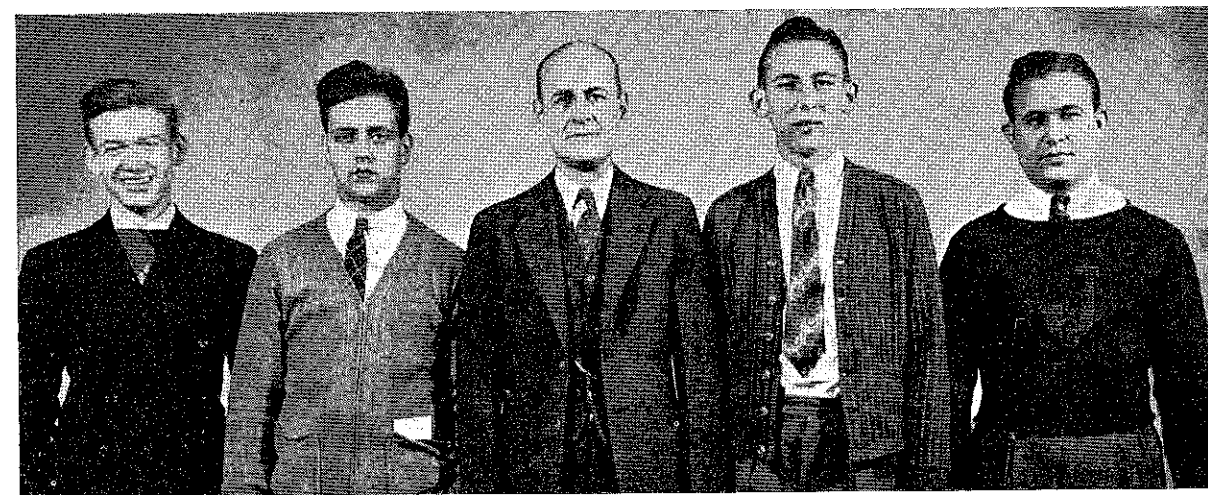
The NATURAL Science Club is one of the oldest and most active organizations in Junior College. The initial purpose of the club is to preserve the interests of students in natural science. To gain admission into the club, a student must have an "S" average in Botany or Zoology and be voted in by the old members. This club sponsors the Saint Joseph Museum which it founded, and every year the club publishes the "Saint Joseph Museum News Letter." They hold regular meetings at members' homes. Other activities of the organization are: a Christmas party, giving baskets to the poor, and a breakfast. During regular meetings scientific subjects are discussed.

Members of the club as shown in the photograph are: seated; Mary Ann Jones, Dorothy Jean Bayne, Miss Orrel Andrews, Dale Lingelbach, Jerene Snuffer, and Katherine Lindsay. Standing; Sarah Jean Gardner, Doris Brohn, Gerry Roberson, Donald Stallard, Louis Moore, Bill Wasserkrug, Beverly Braun, and Helen McHugh. Dorothy Jean Bayne was first semester president, and Donald Stallard held the office during the second. Miss Andrews sponsors this group.



THE DEBATE team which is coached by Frank S. Popplewell takes a very active part in our inter-collegiate activities. During past years, questions for debate that have risen from the conference tables of large universities, have been chosen for the argument. This year the topic for debate was "Resolved: The United State should form a Union with the nations of the Western Hemisphere." Our debaters took this question and studied it from every possible angle. They prepared themselves so as to be able to take either the affirmative or negative side during the argument. As can readily be seen, this requires much individual effort and time.

Members of this year's debate team as shown in the photograph below are: Robert Guyot, Lawrence Robertson, Coach Popplewell, Paul Springer, and Johnny Newhart. These boys had the pleasure of representing Junior College on several occasions. They were the guests of Graceland College of Lamoni, Iowa; the Missouri Valley College of Marshall, Missouri; and Hannibal-LaGrange University of Hannibal, Missouri. They were very successful on all their trips and report that they had a good time as well.





## Dramatics



THE DRAMATIC Club of Junior College has had a full year this season. Not only have the members entertained others by their performances, but they also have had the opportunity of receiving enjoyment by studying plays.

The club presented "The Sham" before a Junior College audience during one convocation. Frank Connett gave an interesting performance in the role of the gentleman thief. Phil Humbert, Warren Snuffer, and Charlotte Talbott also played their parts with professional skill.

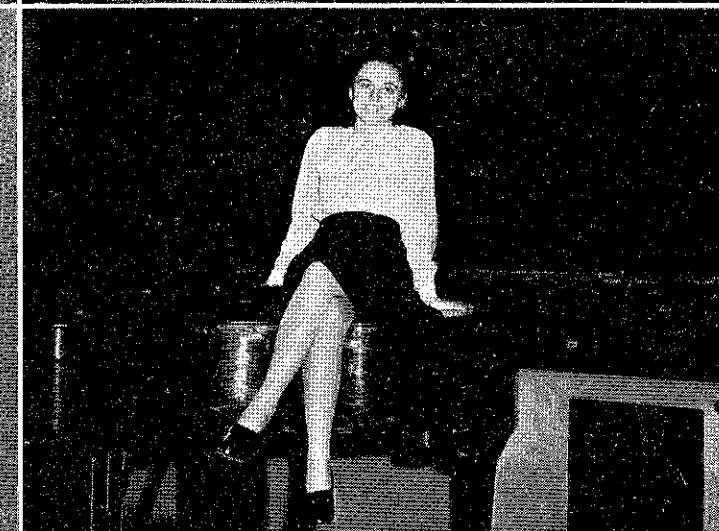
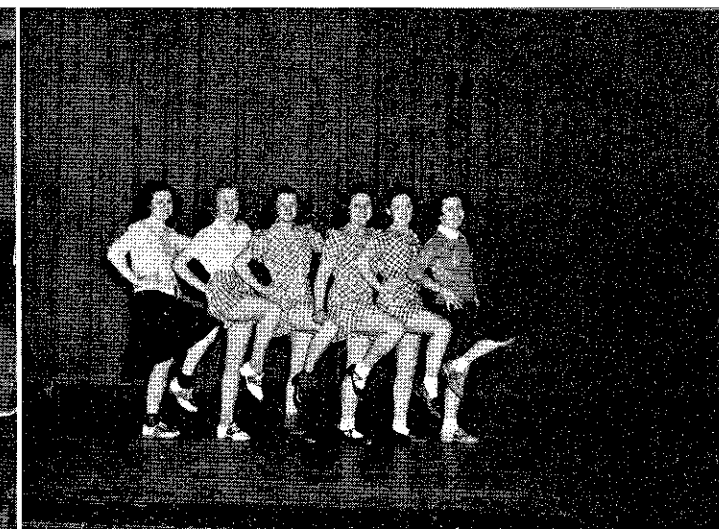


A different type of all-school play, "Hell Bent Fer Heaven," was chosen this year. It was presented before a large audience of Junior College patrons and was widely acclaimed. The cast was composed of Frances Johnson, Doyle Beattie, Charlotte Talbott, Hershel Hockman, Howard Hatfield, Phil Humbert, and Frank Connett.

Club members are, seated: Dorothy Jones, Rosemary Pedrick, Virginia Priebe, Charlotte Talbott, Frank Connett, and Hershel Hockman. Standing; Helaine Stone, Betty Jones, Phil Humbert, Warren Snuffer, Jack J. Fitzgerald, Madeline Tobin, and Helen Lynch.

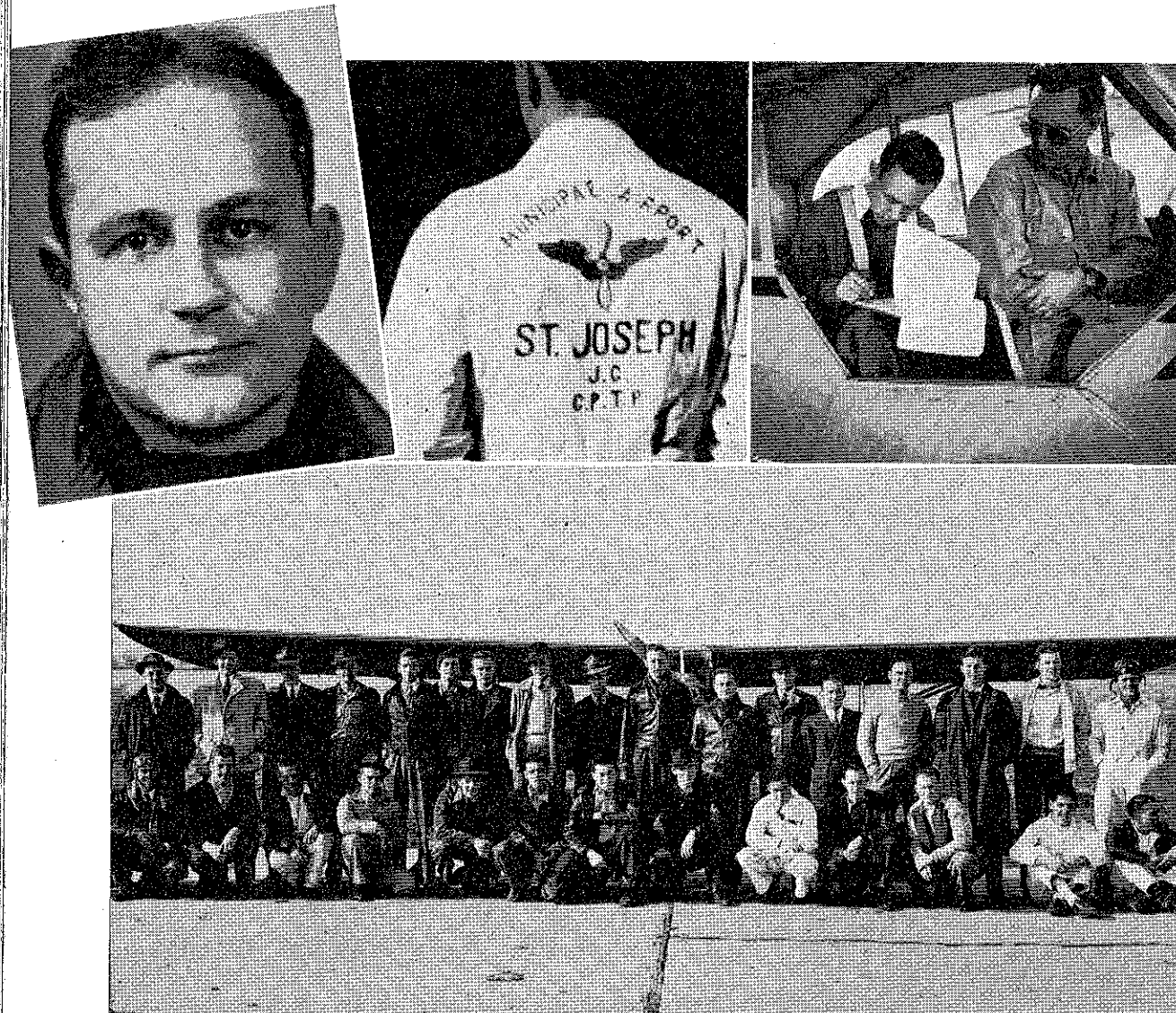


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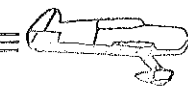
"FOOTLIGHTS" with an ALL AMERICAN theme was the all-school talent production at Junior College. A few rehearsal shots show the band, under the direction of George Pilgram, swinging out. Six little Misses kick high in the can-can. Mary Ellen Carle does a novelty dance although the camera man found her smiling. Mary Lee Allison is the singer and she really gave the audience a thrill.

## Student Flyers



THE PROGRAM of the Civil Aeronautics Authority which began two years ago, increased in popularity this semester. The flyers of Junior College also have qualified for the secondary course. Mr. Ernest Werner, in above tilted photograph, was ground school instructor. The picture to the right of this shows the uniform of our students. The upper right photograph is Kenny Brown finishing his report. The lower picture shows a representative group of trained student pilots that have won licenses under the C. A. A.

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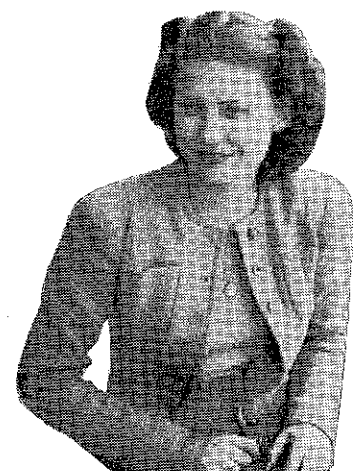
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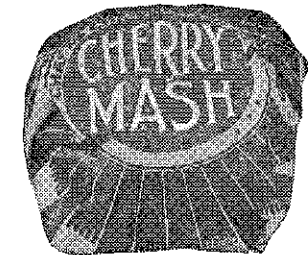
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