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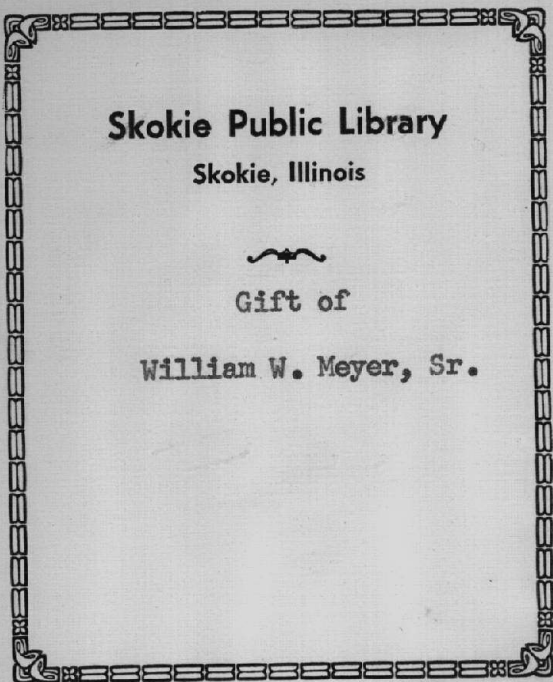
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Niles Township. School District
219. East Division

Nilehi Reflections

NILES TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

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Our School— The Center of Our Community—

Niles Township High School, in its evolution throughout the years to its present architectural perfection, retains all of the friendly attributes which make it the true center of enthusiastic community interest.

Patriotic rallies, school plays, church meetings, athletic contests, entertainments, and various worthwhile and instructive occasions have brought the community together in frequent and friendly interest at the school.

In cooperation with the national war effort two important patriotic programs were presented at Nilehi. On December 7, 1942, one year after the historic Pearl Harbor attack, a rally was held in the gymnasium. In February, preceding the beginning of food rationing, the Office of Price Administration presented a program to acquaint adults and students alike with the new point system.

On the more frivolous side of the community program were dances and parties sponsored by local clubs and by the school, and games between student teams and community athletes.

Music too played its part in making Nilehi the center of the community. The band played at patriotic rallies and at athletic games. The spring concert as usual drew a large number of people to the school.

Parents' night, the water carnival, and dramatics night, all were "open house" nights to the community.

Night classes for adults were conducted throughout the year, offering an accelerated program of instruction made necessary by the war.

Not only the students of Nilehi, but also the citizens of the community, turn to our school as a source of education, inspiration, and entertainment.



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Our Board of Education



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A MESSAGE TO THE GRADUATES:

To you graduates of 1943, for whom particularly this annual has been prepared, the Board of Education offers its congratulations. You have the honor of being the first class to spend four full years in the "new" building, and to that distinction you have added commendable citizenship and scholarship.

You are also the first class to graduate from Niles Township High School fully aware of the immediate responsibilities awaiting you, the youth of a great country now geared to its second year of war. For your important part in this worldwide conflict, you have been preparing diligently both in regular and special classes. Now, with keener minds, stronger bodies, more practical skills, greater appreciation of cultural values, and a more serious outlook, you are ready for new duties and privileges.

Some of you will go directly into the armed forces of our country; others plan to work in essential industries; still others will find it possible both to serve their country and to go to college. Whatever your new work may be, the Board trusts that you will find your preparation for it adequate; that you will bring to it the kind of loyalty and dependable service that you have given your high school for four years; and that you will continue to be a credit to your school, your community, and your country.

MILDRED E. TESS

Our Superintendent Says:



A. L. BIEHN, A.B., M.A., Ph.D.
Superintendent-Principal

To serve youth is man's great privilege, second only to the privilege of serving his Creator and his country; to serve the boys and girls of Niles Township is no exception. Each student at N.T.H.S. has been an inspiration or a challenge. Your varied interests, personalities, and aptitudes would tax the imagination of even those who would pose as having an understanding of youth. Such is a wholesome condition and I commend you for it.

Our school is evidence of the interest that the citizens of this community have in you. Through their sacrifices and the efforts of the Board of Education you have been provided with a high school which is equal to the best in the country, and you have shown by your actions that you are grateful to them.

This has not been an ordinary year. We could not, even if we had desired, have carried on as usual. In our effort to adapt the program at N.T.H.S. to the interests, needs, and abilities of the individuals, and to the needs of the nation, we sought to make your experiences here worthwhile. If we have succeeded, our efforts will be rewarded by the kind of citizens that will be so desperately needed in the reconstruction period to follow the present world struggle. I am as thoroughly convinced that the youth of today will win the post-war struggle as I am that the youth of yesterday will win the war itself. With healthy bodies, sound minds, and divine guidance we shall not fail.

A. L. Biehn
Superintendent



D. W. FLAGG, A.B., M.A.

Our Guidance Director,

Class Advisers and

Our class sponsors have always been willing to lend advice and help to the students of Niles Township High School. These teachers, in guiding the various students, have not only helped maintain the morale of the students but have certainly made seven league steps in creating a wholesome attitude between the faculty and student body. We all feel gratified that we have had and will continue to have the excellent guidance of these four fine representatives of higher learning.

They are: Senior adviser, H. R. Ohlson, B.S., M.S., Physics, Chemistry, and chairman of the science department; Junior adviser, Grace G. Harbert, M.A., instructor of history and chairman of the department; Sophomore adviser, John C. Benette, B.S., M.A., Biology and Photography; and Freshman adviser, Miss Marjorie Ronalds, A.B., M.A., Latin, English, and chairman of the foreign language department.



H. R. Ohlson
John C. Benette

Grace G. Harbert
Marjorie Ronalds



Adelaide Berry
John Lienhard

Marie Green
Alice Line

Harold Isaacson
Edith Lytle

Clara A. Klaus
L. R. Mackey

Department Chairmen

Here are the big ten of the faculty. These department chairmen, holding regular meetings with Dr. Biehn, plan, organize, and direct our teaching program. It is in a large measure due to their efforts that the program of Niles is not only educational but also interesting. Their job is a hard and thankless one requiring much time and thought.

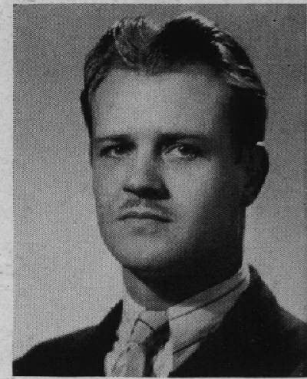
Most of their work is done outside of regular school hours. But, after a glance around the school, we readily see that their work has not been done in vain. Because of their increasing efforts, Niles Township is one of the most progressive schools in the state. They correlate the class activities so that the students derive the greatest possible benefits from their studies during their school career, and are prepared to assume successfully the role of good Americans. To these teachers we wish to extend a very special "thank you."



Louise Myers

Mildred A. Schaefer

ADELAIDE BERRY — A.B., A.M., Diplome. English, French.
MARIE GREEN — A.B., M.A. Bookkeeping, Business Training, Typewriting. HAROLD ISAACSON — B.S. Boys' Physical Education and Athletics. CLARA A. KLAUS — B.S., M.S. Music, Choral, Music Theory. JOHN LIENHARD — B.S., M.Ph. Mathematics. ALICE LINE — B.S. Home Economics. EDITH LYTTLE — A.B., M.Ph. Mathematics (successor to Mr. Lienhard). L. R. MACKEY — B.A., B.S. Electrical Shop, Auto Shop, Mechanics, Mechanical Drawing. LOUISE MYERS — A.B., B.S. in L.S. Librarian, MILDRED A. SCHAEFER — B.P.E., B.S., M.A. Physical Education, Swimming, Girls' Athletic Association.



Wilbur Blanke
 Lester E. Galitz
 Norman C. Kent
 Lucille Ronalds

Clifford W. Collins
 Florence B. Harrison
 Theresa E. Kranz
 Doris M. Sayre

Margaret de Booy
 Edith B. Hebblethwaite
 A. V. Larson
 Lorraine J. Spikings

Jesse Walter Dees
 Dorothy Hinman Hind
 Carolyn A. Lumpp
 John G. Wilkins



Our Faculty—

The foundation of an effective education rests solely upon its faculty. We wish to express our appreciation and gratitude to these teachers who have accomplished so much in upholding the high standards and ideals of our high schools.

Having been fully qualified, they have presented their subjects in a competent, interesting, and lucid manner.

With this firm basis of learning which they have given us, we feel determined to apply our education for the promotion and progress of humanity.

Therefore, we pay tribute to our versatile faculty. Members are, reading across the page:



WILBUR BLANKE, A.B., A.M. English, Journalism. CLIFFORD W. COLLINS, B. Mus. Band, Orchestra. MARGARET de BOOY, B.S., M.A. Mathematics. JESSE WALTER DEES, Jr. A.B., M.A. Geography, History. FRIEDA M. ELLERBRAKE, A.B., A.M. English. RUTH ESCH, B.O., MO., ARTISTS, Radio, Dramatics. LESTER E. GALITZ, B.S. Mechanical Drawing, Physical Education, Athletics. FLORENCE B. HARRISON, B.S., Ph.M. General Science. EDITH M. HEBBLETHWAITE, A.B., M.A. Spanish, English. DOROTHY HINMAN HIND, A.B., A.M. Geometry, General Mathematics. ADA IMMEL, A.B., M.A. Shorthand, Business Training. HELEN JOHANNNS, B.Ed., M.A. Typing, Office Practice. NORMAN C. KENT, B.A., M.S. General Science. THERESA E. KRANZ, A.B., M.A. U. S. History, German. A. V. LARSON, A.B. Woodshop, Mechanical Drawing. CAROLYN A. LUMPP, B.S., M.A. History. CLEMENT F. MEIER, Ph.B. Printing, Civics. MICHELLE RESNICK, B.S. Spanish, English. LUCILLE RONALDS, A.B., M.S. English. DORIS M. SAYRE, A.B., M.A. English. LORRAINE J. SPIKINGS, B.E. Physical Education, Swimming, Civics. JOHN G. WILKINS, B.S., B.A.E. Art.



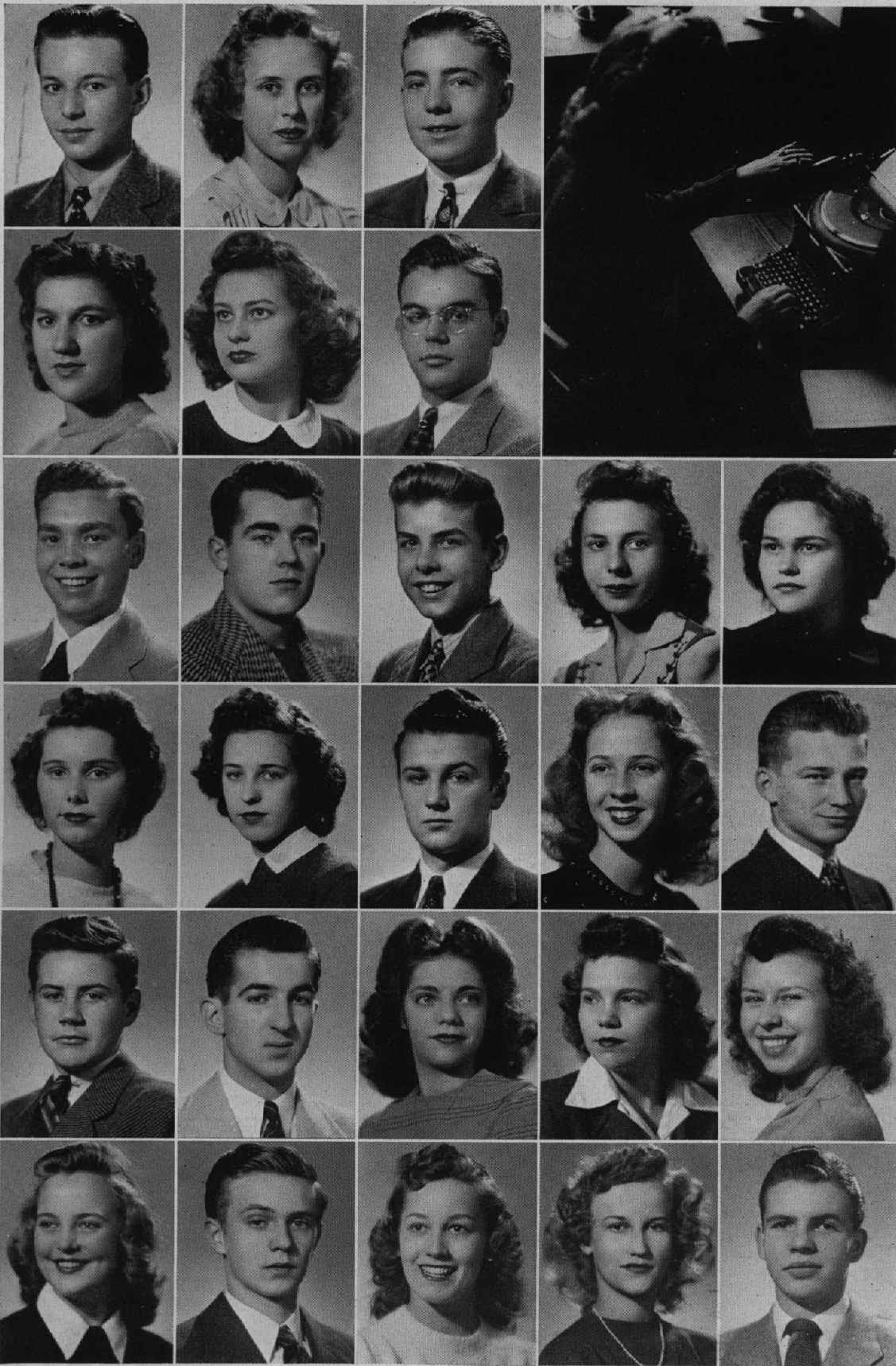
Frieda M. Ellerbrake
Ada Immel
Clement F. Meier
Irene Ahrens

Ruth Esch
Helen Johannns
Michelle Resnick
Agnes E. Harte

Rosemary Miller

Viola Rentzsch

Our office force has ever been courteous, efficient, helpful. They are IRENE AHRENS, Bookkeeper; AGNES E. HARTE, Office Manager; ROSEMARY MILLER, Secretary, first semester; VIOLA RENTZSCH, Secretary, second semester.



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J. Baumhardt

M. Baumhardt
H. Becker
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M. Beuder
H. Biegert

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R. Boyd
V. Boyd
B. Brauch
P. Brooks

A. Brown
B. Brunson
D. Burklund
M. Burklund
T. Canty

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Edwin Albright

N. Y. A. Vocational Project 4. Newspaper 3, 4. See Chicago Club 4.

Nancy Jean Allen

Bowling 3, 4. Junior Prom Committee 3. Leaders 4. Homeroom Secretary 1. Play Day 1. Victory Hop Dance Committee 3. Citizens of Tomorrow 4. Forum Vice-President 3. Forum President 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. See Chicago Club Captain 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Camp 3. Cheerleader 1. Pep Club 3.

Leslie A. Ahrens

Photography 3.

Constance Anderson

Graduated February, 1943.

Lucile E. Anderson

Transferred from Lake Geneva H. S. 3. Forum 4. Homeroom Secretary 4. Foreign Language Club 4.

Roger A. Bailey, Jr.

Transferred from Senn H. S. 2. Football 3, 4. Swimming Team Manager 3, 4. Ushers and Monitors Club 3, 4. Pep Club 3, 4.

Russell J. Bair

Track Manager 1, 2, 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 3, 4. Pep Club 2, 3, 4. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Orchestra 1, 2. Color Guard 3.

Robert G. Balfour

(No picture.) Foreign Language Club 2, 3. P.A.P. Club 4. Ushers and Monitors Club 1, 2. Band 2, 3, 4. Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4.

Richard Barber

Transferred from New Trier H. S. 2. Synchronized Swim 3. Play (Old Doc) 4.

Henry M. Barkow

Basketball 4. Swimming Team 1, 2. Synchronized Swim 2. Track 1, 2. Newspaper Staff 2. Junior Prom Decorations Committee 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Pep Club 2, 3, 4.

Adele M. Bartz

Gold Pin 4. Silver Pin 3. See Chicago Club Captain 3. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 2. Pep Club 2.

Jane Baumhardt

Bowling 1, 2, 3. Home Nursing 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 3. G.A.A. 1, 2. Forum 2.

Merry F. Baumhardt

Horseback Riding 1. Twirling 2. Bowling 1, 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Plays ("Old Doc," "Don't Take My Penny," "Footlight Fantasy," "Rationing.")

Helen Becker

Photography 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Glee Club 1.

Gene Bergmark

Football 1. Basketball 1, 2, 3. N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. Homeroom President 1. See Chicago Club 3.

Muriel Beuder

Senior Cabinet 4. Homeroom Secretary 1, 2, 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 2. Glee Club 1. Treble Choir 3. Mixed Chorus 2, 3. Girls' Sextette 3. High School Studio Party

1, 2, 3. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4. Football Dance Ticket Committee 4.

Helmut A. Biegert

Football 1, 2, 3, 4. Baseball 4. Basketball 1, 2, 3. Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4. Track 1, 2, 3. Forum 1, 2. Photography 3. Foreign Language Club 2. Ushers and Monitors Club 2. Pep Club 3, 4.

Bert A. Bloethner

Track 1. Junior Prom Ticket Chairman 3. Junior Council 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Ushers Club 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 3. Color Guard 4. All School Social Committee 1. Baseball 3.

George Bolek

(No picture.) Baseball 2, 3.

Richard C. Boyd

Football 2, 3, 4. Silver Pin 3. Gold Pin 4. February Fling Dance Committee 4. Forum 2. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Pep Club 3. President 4. Glee Club 1. Choir 1, 2. Plays ("My Heart Beats For You," "Old Doc"). High School Studio Party 2, 3. Citizens of Tomorrow 4. Herald American Oration 4.

Violet F. Boyd

Forum 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Glee Club 1, 2. Mixed Chorus 3.

Bettie Jean Brauch

Horseback Riding 1, 2, 3. Tumbling 3. Home Nursing 2. Football Dance Committee 2. Forum 2. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Pep Club 3, 4.

Phyllis L. Brooks

Newspaper 3. Yearbook Staff (editor) 4. Intra-State Chorus 2. Homecoming Dance Committee 4. Forum 3. Homeroom Vice-President 4. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Play Day 2. Glee Club 1. Treble Choir 1. Choir 2, 3. High School Studio Party 2, 3. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4. Pep Club 2.

Audrey Mae Brown

Silver Pin 3. Gold Pin 4. Intra-State Chorus 3. Forum 1. Homeroom Chairman 1. Secretary 2, 3. See Chicago Club (Captain) 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Treble Choir 3. Mixed Chorus 4. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Girls' Sextette 4. Choir 1, 2, 3, 4. Christmas Play 4. High School Studio Party 2, 3. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4. Color Guard Accompanist 4.

Bob Brunson

Tumbling 1, 2. Junior Prom Committee 3. Dance Committee 1. Junior Council 3. Photography 3.

Doris C. Burklund

Bowling 3, 4. Junior Prom Committee 3. Homeroom Vice-President 1. Secretary 2, 4. President 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. Secretary 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Play Day 2. Camp 3. Pep Club 2, 3, 4. Cheerleader 1, 2, 3. Play ("What a Life") 1.

Marjorie Lorraine Burklund

Bowling 4. Senior Cabinet 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Play Day 1. Pep Club 3. Band 1, 2, 4. Orchestra 1.

Ted Canty

P.A.P. Club 3. Pep Club 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 1, 2, 3. Football 1, 2, 3, 4. Baseball 1. Track 2, 3. Forum 4.

These wide awake, mentally alert seniors comprise the senior cabinet, seemingly busily engaged in planning the senior breakfast. Notice the hungry look in President Krupa's eyes as he watches Rosemarie Meyer, secretary, writing out the menu. Bert Pearson is dreaming of the bacon and eggs he sees in Margie Burklund's eyes. And look at those fiery looks (hot enough to burn the toast) that are darting from Therese Sutter to Bettie Perrin!



William B. Carroll

Football 1, 3, 4. Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Homeroom President 2, Vice-President 4. Photography 3. See Chicago Club 3. Pep Club 2, 3. Prom King 4.

Leonard Christensen

Transferred from Senn H. S. 2. Horseback Riding 3. Tennis 2, 3. Foreign Language Club 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 3. Swing Band 3. Bowling 3.

Norbert J. Conrad

N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. Photography 2, 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Ushers and Monitors Club 4.

Peter Conrad

N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. Junior Prom Committee 3. Junior Council 3. Homeroom President 4. Photography 1, 2. See Chicago Club (captain) 3, 4. Ushers and Monitors Club 4.

Virginia Conrad

See Chicago Club 3. G.A.A. 1. Glee Club 1. Mixed Chorus 2. Choir 3, 4. Citizens of Tomorrow 4. High School Studio Party 2, 3.

Dorothy Mae Cowie

Horseback Riding 3. Bowling 4. First Aid 3. Photography Club 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 3.

William R. Dahm

Swimming Team 1, 2. Bowling 2, 3. Track 2. Photography Club 2.

Gordon V. Davis

Football 1. Basketball 1, 2. Homeroom President 1, 2, 3, 4. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 2, 3. Plays ("Don't Take My Penny," "What a Life," "My Heart Beats For You," "Old Doc"). High School Studio Party 4.

Geraldine D. Deily

Synchronized Swimming 1, 2, 3. Captain 4. Horseback Riding 2. Homeroom Secretary 2, President 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 4. Play Day 1. Pep Club 3. Leaders Club 3, 4. Glee Club 2.

Danny Dever

Basketball 1, 2, 3. Cross Country 3. Track 1, 2, 3. Silver Pin 3. Gold Pin 4. Intra-State Chorus 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Choir 1, 2, 3. Boys' Chorus 2, 3. Plays ("My Heart Beats For You," "Old Doc"). High School Studio Party (choir) 2, 3. Citizens of Tomorrow 4.

Mary Katharine De Witt

Junior Council 3. Forum 1. Homeroom President 1. Foreign Language Club 1, 2. Pep Club 1.

Pat Dickinson

Bowling 3. Junior Council 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign

Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Orchestra 1, 2. Plays 1, 2, 3. Junior Prom Committee 3.

Mary Jane Didier

Transferred from St. Mary's H. S., Fond du Lac, Wis., 2.

Erwin J. Dombrowski

(No picture.) Mixed Chorus 2, 3. Color Guard 4.

Jean Helen Donaldson

Horseback Riding 2. Twirling 2. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2. Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4.

Warren Richard Donarski

Transferred from Lane Tech H. S. 2. N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. Forum 1, 2. See Chicago Club 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 3.

Carol M. Ellis

Transferred from Sullivan H. S. 2. Bowling 4. See Chicago Club 4. G.A.A. 4. Ushers and Monitors Club 4.

Robert Engert

Transferred from Senn H. S. 2. Baseball 3. Band 3, 4. Orchestra 4. Plays ("Old Doc," Christmas Play).

Fred E. Epsom

Transferred from New Trier H. S. 1. Track 2. Dance Committee 3. Choir 3. Band 2, 3, 4.

Virginia M. Foote

Transferred from Sacred Heart H. S., Lisle, Illinois 3. "Young America Answers" 4.

Lucille Frank**Dagmar Franson**

Graduated in February, 1943.

Bradley Fredericks

Swimming Team 3. Captain 4. Life Saving 1. Tumbling 1. Photography 3, 4. See Chicago Club 3. P.A.P. Club 2. Pep Club 3, 4. Color Guard 3.

Virginia H. Gabel

See Chicago Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Orchestra 1.

Patricia Jean Galitz

Life Saving 3. Bowling 2, 3. Captain 4. Red Cross Drive (Chairman) 2. Tuberculosis Drive (Chairman) 2. Silver Honor Pin 3. Gold Honor Pin 4. Junior Prom Committee 3. Trojan Victory Dance (Chairman) 3. Turnabout (Chairman of Decorations) 4. Junior Council 3. Forum 1, 2, 3, 4. Homeroom President 1. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Play Day 1. Pep Club 2, 3, 4.

Bernice E. Gehrs

G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. See Chicago Club 3. Pep Club 2, 3, 4.

Bob Glatz

Basketball 1, 2, 3. Most Valuable Player Award 4. Cross-Country (Captain) 3. Senior Cabinet 4. See Chicago Club 3. Pep Club 3.

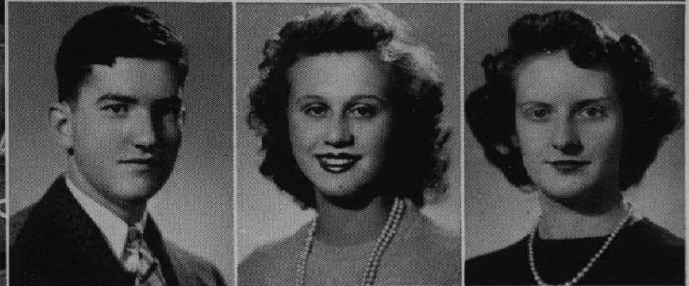


This bright group of intelligent faces comprises Miss Harbert's eighth period Problems class. Jean Donaldson really looks as if she has a problem. And who is Terrible Touhy Glatz slyly watching? I wonder what Lucille Suo is thinking about. Could it be Problems? Miss Harbert is unobtrusively sitting in the back row fondly (?) watching her charges.

W. Carroll
L. Christensen
N. Conrad



P. Conrad
V. Conrad
D. Cowie



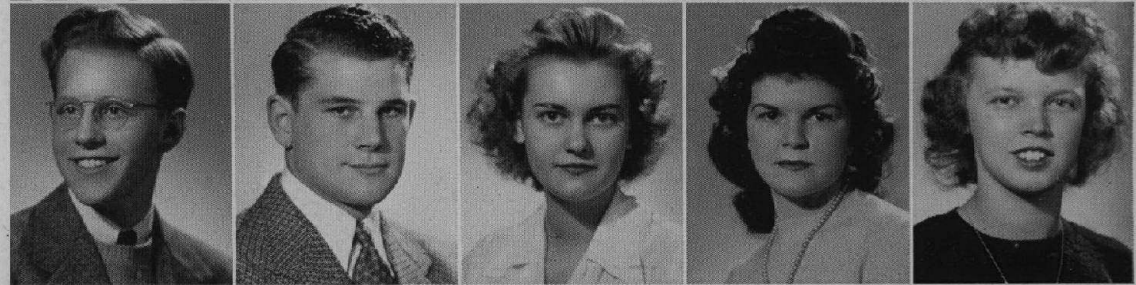
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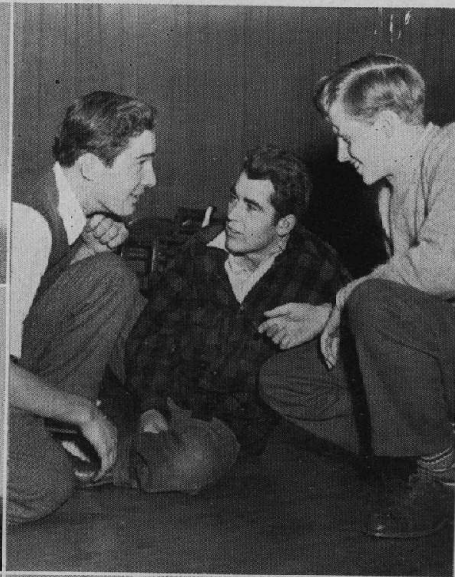
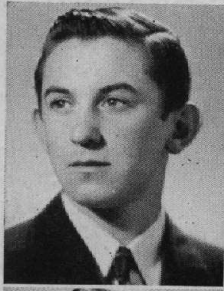
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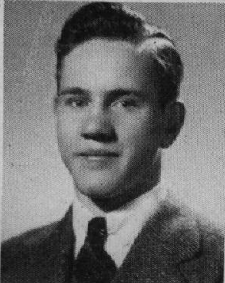
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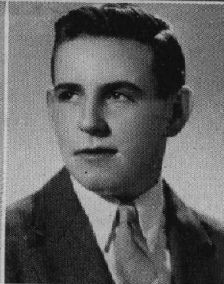
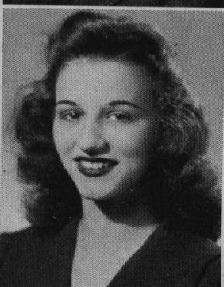
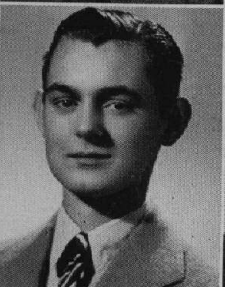
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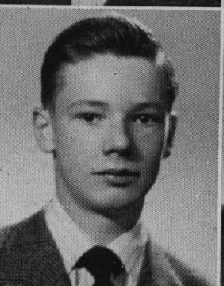
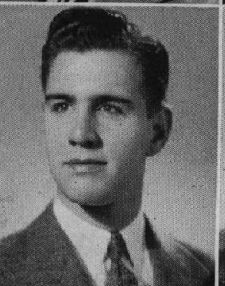
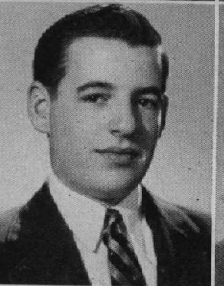
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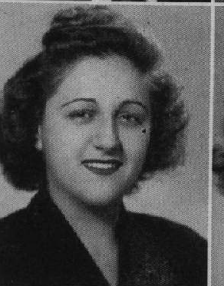
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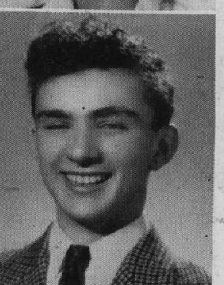
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C. Huemmer



E. Jacobs
L. Jaycox
D. Johnson
C. Juniac
P. Kansteiner



W. Keiser
I. Kenning
R. King
L. Kittleson
J. Kittredge

S E N I O R S

Richard Glauner

Football 3, 4. Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4. Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Homeroom President 3. See Chicago Club 3.

Dolores Grembecki

Horseback Riding 3. Bowling 4. Homeroom Treasurer 2, President 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. P.A.P. Club 4. G.A.A. 2, 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 3. Glee Club 2. Mixed Chorus 2, 3.

Warren C. Gockenback

Swimming Team Manager 3. Track 1. Junior Prom Committee 3. See Chicago Club 3. Band 3, 4.

Marian Louise Hacker

Bowling 2. Home Nursing 3. Junior Prom Committee 3. Junior Council 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 4. G.A.A. 1, 2. Mixed Chorus 1.

Russell Hallberg

Basketball 1, 2, 3. Homeroom President 2. Photography 2, 3. Foreign Language Club 3. Baseball 1, 2. Ushers and Monitors Club 3, 4.

John Handler

Ushers and Monitors Club 3, 4. See Chicago Club 3. Baseball 1, 2. Photography Club 3.

Patricia L. Harms

Bowling 1, 2, 3, Captain 4. Life Saving 2. Synchronized Swimming 1, 2. Freshman Social Committee 1. Forum 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Play Day 2, Camp 2. Home Nursing 2. Leaders Club 3, 4. Glee Club 1. First Aid 3. Play ("What a Life"). Homeroom President 1. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3.

Richard N. Hawkinson

Swimming 2. Synchronized Swim 3. Life Saving 2. Tumbling 1. Newspaper 3. Foreign Language Club 3.

Agnes T. Heinz

Horseback Riding 3. Bowling 2. Homeroom Secretary 4. Photography 3. See Chicago Club 3. G.A.A. 1, 2. Glee Club 1.

Ruth Hennig

Bowling 1, 4, Captain 2, 3. Tumbling 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Play Day 2. Pep Club 2, 3. Glee Club 1. Treble Choir 3. Mixed Chorus 2. Choir 2, 3. High School Studio Party 1, 2. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4.

Michael J. Hermes

Football 1. Basketball 3, Manager 4. Homeroom President 4. Photography 2. Foreign Language Club 2. Ushers and Monitors Club 2, 3. Glee Club 2. Choir 3. High School Studio Party 3. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4.

Paul N. Hermes

Football 1. Forum 4. Photography 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 2, 3.

E. Donald Hezner

Football 1, 2, 3, 4. Basketball 1, 2. Life Saving 2. Track 3. Forum 3. See Chicago Club 3.

Darrell F. Hoffman

Transferred from Sullivan H. S. 2. Bowling 3. Forum 3. Homeroom Vice-President 2. Photography 3. See Chicago Club 3. Pep Club 3.

Ann Marie Hoth

Junior Prom Committee 3. Junior Council 3. Forum 3, 4. Photography 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Camp 2.

Thomas B. Howard

(No picture.) Transferred from Schurz H. S. 4.

Carolyn Mary Huemmer

Twirling 1, 2, 3, 4. Majorette 3, 4. Photography 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 3. Pep Club 2, 3.

Eleanor Jacobs

Twirling 1, 2, 3, 4. Life Saving 4. Bowling 4. Forum 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 2, 3. Glee Club 2. Mixed Chorus 1, 2. High School Studio Party (chorus) 1, 2.

Lois R. Jaycox

Horseback Riding 2. Tumbling 2. Newspaper 2. Junior Prom Committee 3. Forum 2. Homeroom President 2. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Play Day 2. Pep Club 2, 3, 4. Home Nursing 2. Cheerleader 2, 4. Glee Club 1.

Doris Johnson

Transferred from Fenger H. S. 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4.

Claire Juniac

Bowling 3. G.A.C. S. (Lieutenant) 4. First Aid 3. Program Chairman Junior Prom Committee 3. Junior Council Secretary 3. Homeroom President 3. Photography 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Vice-President 3. Executive Board 2, 3, 4. President 4. Play Day 3. Pep Club 4.

Peggy Jayne Kansteiner

Transferred from Senn H. S. 3. Bowling 4. Homeroom Officer 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 3.

William Keiser**Irene Kenning**

Home Nursing 2. See Chicago Club 3. G.A.A. 1, 2. Color Guard 3.

Rosanna K. King

G.A.C.S. (Lieutenant) 4. First Aid 3. Newspaper Staff 2, 3, (Editor) 2. Forum 4. Homeroom President 1, 2. See Chicago Club (Captain) 3. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. (Treasurer 3, 4). Play Day 2, Camp 1. Pep Club 2. Glee Club 2. High School Studio Party 2.

Leon E. Kittelson

Transferred from Alcester H. S., South Dakota 3. N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. Band 4.

Jack Kittredge

Football 2, 3, 4. Basketball 3. Track 1, 2, 3, 4. Tumbling 1. Band 1, 2. Orchestra 1.

Here we have Arline Madsen, a budding artist of the senior class, doing her bit for victory by putting the finishing touches to a war bond poster.



Barbara Koeune

Horseback Riding 3. Bowling 2, 3. First Aid 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Pep Club 3.

Constance Kohtz

Bowling 2, 4, (Captain) 3. Junior Prom (Chairman Decorations Committee) 3. Forum 1, 3. Homeroom Officer 1, 2, (President 1, Secretary 2). See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Play Day 1. Pep Club 2, 3. Cheerleader 1, 2, 3. Mixed Chorus 2. Band 3, 4. Orchestra 1, 2, 3. Plays ("What a Life," "Don't Take My Penny") 1, 2.

Virginia Kopp**Delores Kott**

Horseback Riding 3. Bowling 4. Junior Prom Committee 3. Dance Committee 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 3. Pep Club 2, 3. Glee Club 2. Mixed Chorus 1.

James F. Kozak

See Chicago Club 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 1, 3, 4. Color Guard 4.

Elsie Kraft

Home Nursing 2. First Aid 3. Forum 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 4. Radio 2.

Catherine M. Kretsch

Bowling 4. Dance Committee 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Mixed Chorus 3.

Evelyn Kreutter**Richard Krewer**

Basketball 3, 4.

Raymond J. Krezeniski

N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Band 1, 2.

Frieda E. Krueger

Home Nursing 3. Junior Prom Committee 3. Foreign Language Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 2. Glee Club 2. Mixed Chorus 3. High School Studio Party 2.

Edward J. Krupa

Football 2, 3 (Captain) 4. Baseball 2, 3. Basketball 4. Senior Cabinet (President) 4. Homeroom President 2, 3. See Chicago Club 2, 3. Glee Club 1.

Lillian J. Krupa

Tumbling 1, 2, 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2. Pep Club 2, 3. Cheerleader 2, 3. Mixed Chorus 1, 2. First Aid 3.

Arlene F. Lalashis

Tumbling 1, 2, (Captain), 3, 4. Homeroom Secretary 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Camp 2. Pep Club 2, 3. Glee Club 1, 2.

Betty Ann Lannert

Transferred from Alvernia H. S. 2. Horseback Riding 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Pep Club 3. Junior Prom Committee 3.

Virginia Lenzen

Tumbling 2, 3. Gold Pin 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. (Captain) 3. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Play Day 3. Ushers 3. Pep Club 2, 3.

Lucille I. Lindemann

Home Nursing 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 4.

Dorothy A. Lund

Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4. (Captain 2, 3.) G.A.C.S. 4. Junior Prom Committee 3. Junior Council 3. Homeroom Secretary 1, 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Leaders 3, 4. Play ("My Heart Beats For You").

Arline Madsen

Yearbook Staff 4. Junior Prom Decorations Committee 3. Forum 3. See Chicago Club Captain 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2. Play Day 2. Camp 1. Pep Club 3, 4. Glee Club Accompanist 1. Treble Choir 3. Girls' Sextette 3, 4. Choir 3, 4. Play ("My Heart Beats For You"). High School Studio Party 3. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4.

Gloria B. Malchrist

Transferred from Senn H. S. 2. Homeroom Secretary 3. See Chicago Club 3. G.A.A. 3. Pep Club 2.

Bill Marson

See Chicago Club 4. Foreign Language Club 2.

Francis R. May

Golf 1. Dance Committee 2. Football 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Captain 3. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Orchestra 1, 3. Choir 1, 2, 3. High School Studio Party 1, 2.

Edward H. May

Monitors Club 2.

John P. May

Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 3, 4. Captain 3, 4. Glee Club 1, 3. Color Guard Captain 4.

Rosemarie Meyer

Bowling 3, 4. Captain 4. First Aid 3. Yearbook Staff 4. Senior Cabinet Secretary 4. Forum 1. Homeroom Secretary 2. Homeroom President 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Play Day 3. Pep Club 2, 3. Cheerleader 1, 2. Glee Club 1. Treble Choir 1, 4. Girls' Sextette 3, 4. Choir 2, 3, 4. High School Studio Party 2, 3, 4. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4.

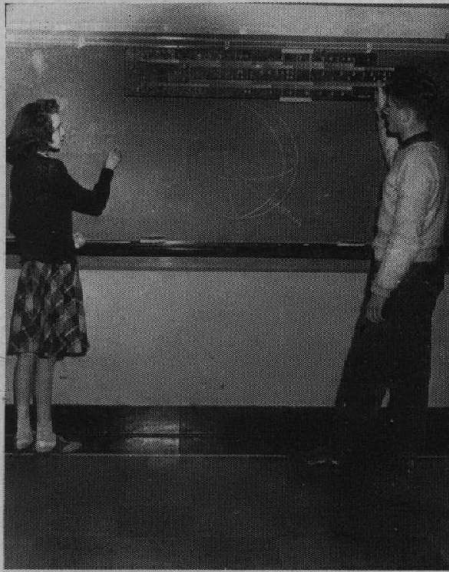
Dorothy L. Miethke

Home Nursing 3. Yearbook Staff 4. Photography 2. See Chicago Club 3. Captain 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Glee Club 2, 3.

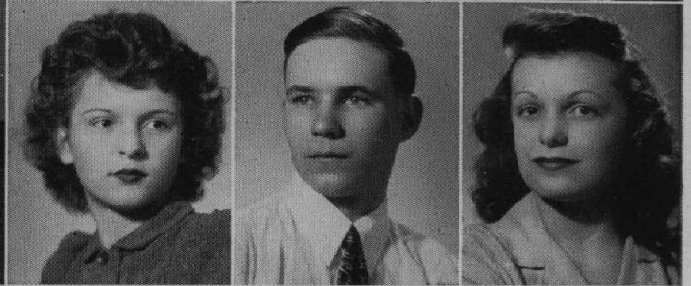


Ah! And who are these seniors? Why, everyone knows them. They are, from left to right: Willy Smockfisch, Nanny Neever, and Stiola Voll, winners of platinum honor keys for their inspiring countenances.

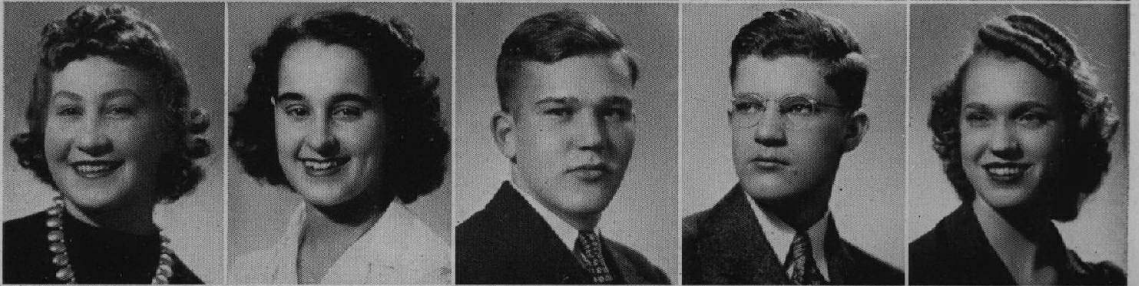
B. Koeune
C. Kohtz
V. Kopp



D. Kott
J. Kozak
E. Kraft



C. Kretsch
E. Kreutter
R. Krewer
R. Krezenski
F. Krueger



E. Krupa
L. Krupa
A. Lalashis
B. Lannert
V. Lenzen



L. Lindemann
D. Lund
A. Madsen
G. Malchrist
B. Marson



F. May
E. May
J. May
R. Meyer
D. Miethke



S E N I O R S



A. Nelson
J. Nelson
J. Neuson

C. Neutz
E. Nordquist
R. Paroubek

B. Pearson
B. Perrin
L. Platz
W. Randquist
J. Rau

A. Rechtermann
J. Reiland
R. Rentzsch
D. Rings
G. Ruesch

L. Ruthenbeck
J. Schmidt
F. Schramm
M. Schultz
H. Sondermann

B. Spiczka
E. Stermer
B. Stielow
B. Stockfisch
V. Stoll

S E N I O R S

Allan Nelson

Transferred from Foreman H. S. 1. Football 1, 3. Basketball Manager 1. Homeroom Secretary 1. Photography 2, 3. See Chicago Club 3. Ushers and Monitors Club 2, 3. Plays ("Old Doc," "Don't Bring the Band") 4.

Jeanne M. Nelson

Bowling (Mixed Doubles, Singles, Tournament winner) 4. First Aid 3. Junior Prom Committee 3. Forum 4. Homeroom Secretary 3. Junior Prom Queen 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language 2, Secretary 3. Pep Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Play Day 3. Camp 3. Mixed Chorus Accompanist 2.

Jean E. Neuson

Bowling 4. Homeroom Vice-President 1. See Chicago Club 3, Captain 4. G.A.A. 1, 2. Pep Club 3.

Cherie Neutz

Transferred from Immaculata H. S. 1. Horseback Riding 2. Junior Prom Committee 3. Junior Council President 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 1, 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 3, 4. Band 2, 3. Plays 2, 3, 4.

Ernest W. Nordquist

Gold Pin 4. Silver Pin 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. "Young America Answers" 4.

Robert R. Paroubek

Forum 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Ushers and Monitors Club 3. Pep Club 3. Mixed Chorus 3.

Burton Pearson

Transferred from Von Steuben H. S. 2. Swimming Team 2. Senior Cabinet 4. Photography 2. Ushers and Monitors 4. N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4.

Bettie Jane Perrin

Bowling 2, 3, 4. Junior Red Cross Council 2, 3. Home Nursing 3. Dance Committee 4. Senior Cabinet 4. Forum 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Play Day 3. Ushers Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 2, 3, 4.

Lucille M. Platz

Twirling 3. Bowling 2, 3. Dance Committee 3. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Glee Club 2. Mixed Chorus 2. High School Studio Party (choir) 2.

William Randquist

Football 2. Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Cross-Country 3. Track 4. Junior Prom Committee 3. Football Dance 4. Senior Cabinet Vice-President 4. Homeroom Treasurer 2. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language 2. Pep Club 2, 3, 4. Color Guard 3.

Jim Rau

Football 1, 2, 3, 4. Basketball Manager 1. Track 1. Forum 4. Ushers and Monitors 3.

Arlene H. Rechterman

Twirling 1, 2. Bowling 1, 2 (Captain). Mixed Chorus 2. Home Nursing 3. G.A.A. 1, 2. See Chicago Club 3.

Jack Reiland

Football 1, 2, 3, 4. Most Valuable Player Award 4. N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. See Chicago Club 3.

Ralph V. Rentzsch

Tumbling 2.

Dorothy Rings

Home Nursing 3. Silver Pin 3. Gold Pin 4. Homeroom Secretary 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language 2. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Pep Club 2, 3.

George W. Ruesch

Track 1, 3.

Lois June Ruthenbeck

Home Nursing 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Usher and Monitors 4. Glee Club 1.

John P. Schmidt

See Chicago Club 3. Homeroom Officer 2, 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Pep Club 4. Band 2, 3, 4. Orchestra 1, 2.

Florence Schramm

Synchronized Swimming 3. Horseback Riding 2, 3. Bowling 2. Forum 4. Homeroom Vice-President 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Play Day 2, Camp 3. Play ("Old Doc") 4.

Melvin H. Schultz

Dance Committee 4. Homeroom Officer 4. See Chicago Club 3. Ushers and Monitors 3. Band 4. Orchestra 4.

Howard Sonderman

Baseball 1, 2. Photography 1. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Pep Club 3.

Bernadette Marie Spiczka

Homeroom Secretary 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Glee Club 1, 2, 3. Mixed Chorus 2.

Elaine Louise Stermer

Horseback Riding 3. Bowling 1, 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2. Ushers and Monitors 3. Pep Club 2.

Betty J. Stielow

Silver Pin 3. Gold Pin 4. Newspaper 2. Forum 1, 3. Homeroom President 1, 4. Secretary 2. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Pep Club 3. Glee Club Accompanist 3. Mixed Chorus 2. Band 3, 4. Orchestra 2, 3, 4. Citizens of Tomorrow 4. Color Guard Accompanist 4. Swing Band 3. Winner Junior Speech Contest 3. Medal Winner of Essay Contest 1.

Bill Stockfisch

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Silver Pin 3. Gold Pin 4. Newspaper 2. Yearbook Staff 4. Forum 4. Homeroom President 2. Photography 2. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Vice-President 3. Citizens of Tomorrow, (N. T. H. S. Honor Student) 4.

Viola C. Stoll

First Aid 3. Gold Pin 4. Silver Pin 3. Newspaper 2. Homeroom Secretary 1, 2. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 4. Pep Club 3. Glee Club Accompanist 2. Choir 3. High School Studio Party 2, 3.

The success of the Niles Township High School Varsity basketball team this year was largely due to its five seniors.

Those who started the games were Carroll, Krewer, Stockfisch, Weldon (captain), and Glatz, who was voted the most valuable player.

The reason for their excellent record is that the boys were graduating, and the coach, Mr. Galitz, was leaving for the navy at the close of the season.



Marie Stritch

Horseback Riding 1. Bowling 1, 2, 3. Home Nursing 3. Newspaper 2. Yearbook Staff 2. Forum 3. Homeroom President 1, 2, 3. Photography 3. See Chicago Club 1, 2. G.A.A. 1. Mixed Chorus 3. Rationing Play 4.

George Struck

Forum 1. Photography 1, 2, 3. See Chicago Club 3. P.A.P. Club 4. Band 2.

Lucille M. Suo

Horseback Riding 3. Home Nursing 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

Theresa Sutter

Bowling 2, 3, (Captain) 4. First Aid 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Forum 1. Mixed Chorus 2, 3. Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4. High School Studio Party 3. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4.

Robert Swardstad

Transferred from Kelyvn Park H. S. 2. Swimming Team 2. N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. Dance Committee 2. Homeroom Officer 2. See Chicago Club 3. Pep Club 3. Mixed Chorus 2. Junior Band 3.

Richard L. Taylor

Transferred from Von Steuben H. S. 3. Track 4. See Chicago Club 3. Band 3. Orchestra 3.

Cleo Thlimmenos

Newspaper 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Pep Club 2, 3. Glee Club 1, 2.

Maureen Evanne Thomas

Synchronized Swimming 2, 3, 4. Horseback Riding 2, 3, 4. Life Saving 3, 4. Yearbook Staff 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Pep Club 3. Glee Club 3. Mixed Chorus 2, 4.

Betty Lou Thompson

Transferred from Moscow H. S., Idaho 4.

Gerry Thulstrup

Synchronized Swimming 3. Horseback Riding 2. Life Saving 4. Bowling (Captain) 2. Home Nursing 2. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Play Day 1. Pep Club 2, 3. Mixed Chorus 2. Citizens of Tomorrow 4.

Patty Todd

Bowling 3, 4. Yearbook Staff 4. Homeroom Secretary 1. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3. Pep Club 2. Glee Club 1. Band 3. Girls' Sextette 4. Choir 2, 4. High School Studio Party 2. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4.

Harvey C. Tolzien

Tumbling 1. Newspaper 3, 4. Photography 2. Ushers and Monitors Club 4.

Robert H. Martin Tolzien

Tumbling 1, 3. N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. Newspaper 2. Forum 1. Photography 2. See Chicago Club 3. P.A.P. 3.

Zenon Gene Turski

Basketball 1, 3. Horseback Riding 3. N.Y.A. Vocational Project 4. Intra-State Chorus 3. P.A.P. 1, 2, 3, 4. Forum 2, 3, 4. Homeroom Officer 1. Foreign Language 3. Choir 2, 3. Band 3, 4. Pep Club 2, 3.

Jack R. Vaughn

(No picture.) Tumbling 1, 2, 3. See Chicago Club 3.

Robert J. Wagner

Transferred from St. George's H. S. 1. Horseback Riding 2. Foreign Language 3. Pep Club 3.

Mary Lois Wagner

See Chicago Club 3.

Joe J. Webber

Basketball 1. Synchronized Swimming 3, 4. Bowling 1, 2, 3. Tumbling 1. Photography 2.

Howard Weldon

Football 3, 4. Basketball 2, 3, 4. Honorary Captain 4. Homeroom President 4. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3. Pep Club 3, 4.

Betty Grace Westerlund

Bowling 2. Silver Pin 4. Forum 3. Photography 3. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Pep Club 2. Foreign Language Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Newspaper 2. Medal Winner of Essay Contest 1.

Doris Willney

Will be graduated in February, 1944.

Katherine M. Winger

Bowling 2. Forum 1. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2. Pep Club 2. Glee Club 1. Band 1, 2. Orchestra 1, 2.

Maralyn Woodworth

Silver Pin 4. Newspaper 2, 3, 4. Yearbook Staff 4. See Chicago Club 3, 4. Foreign Language Club 2, 3, 4. Ushers and Monitors Club 4. Pep Club 2. Glee Club 1, 2, 3. Treble Choir 1. Choir 4. Citizens of Tomorrow (choir) 4.

John V. Wuerth

Transferred from St. George's H. S. 2. Baseball 4. Glee Club 2.

Virginia Wyatt

Horseback Riding 2. Home Nursing 2. Newspaper 3. Forum 2. Homeroom President 1. Homeroom Secretary 4. See Chicago Club 3. Foreign Language Club 2. Vice-President 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 4. Glee Club 1.

Paul C. Zeller

Transferred from Amundsen H. S. 2. Forum 3. Homeroom President 1, 2.

Irene Loretta Neumann

See Chicago Club 3, 4. G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 2. Glee Club 1, 2. Mixed Chorus 3.

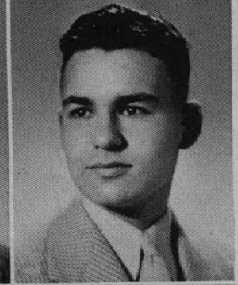
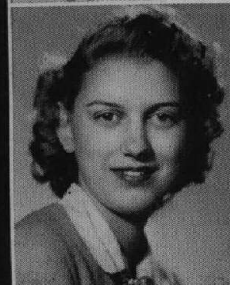


"Will the room please come to order" is the chant of these senior homeroom presidents. Conducting homeroom meetings and promoting business is their main purpose, and we know they are well qualified for the job. They are from left to right, seated: Marie Stritch and Betty Stielow. Standing: Gordon Davis, Michael Hermes, and Peter Conrad.

M. Stritch
G. Struck
L. Suo



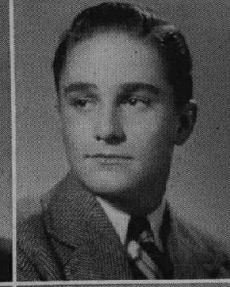
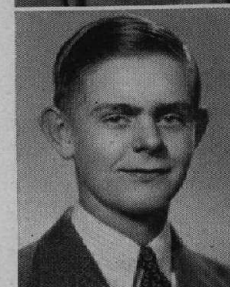
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R. Taylor



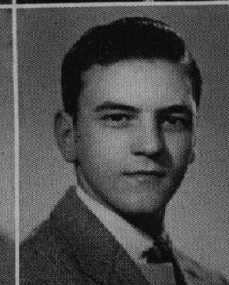
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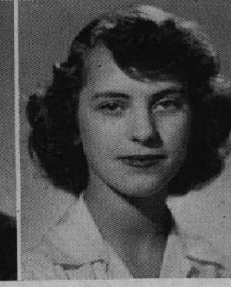
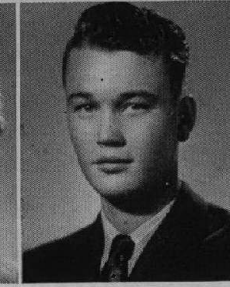
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Z. Turski
R. Wagner
M. L. Wagner



J. Webber
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K. Winger

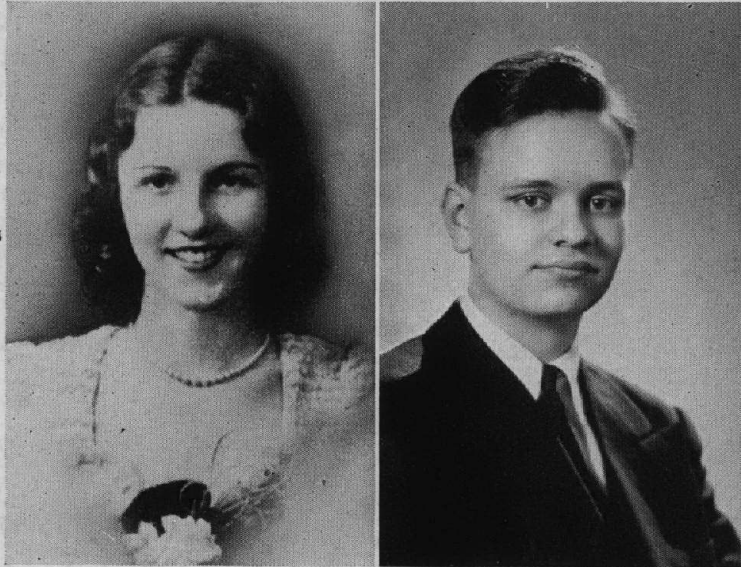


M. Woodworth
J. Wuerth
V. Wyatt
P. Zeller
I. Neumann



S E N I O R S

In Memoriam



Olga Razkow

On August 25th death took Olga Razkow from us. Her community and high school friends felt a great blow and loss at this news. She had been fighting death for a great many months at the Evanston Hospital, but when she left last summer to visit her place of birth in Cuba everyone thought she was well on the road to recovery.

Although she was one of the smallest girls in school, she was always spirited, energetic, and willing to cooperate and learn. She had a talent for dancing and twirling which she demonstrated for the school many times. To all, she stood for friendship and companionship, and leaves memories of her vivacious personality in our hearts.

James Watkins

James Watkins left us during the Christmas holidays. We miss James. We grieve that one so young and so fine had to be taken from us. He accomplished much in the time he was with us. He was eager to learn and his fine scholarship inspired many of us to greater effort in study. We liked his quiet friendliness; we admired his seriousness. We felt his influence in many ways when he was here with us but his death has made us realize for the first time what a great leader he had been, what a fine intelligent young man he had become, what a good friend he was to all.

Our Forum

On this page you will find the groups which compose this year's Student-Faculty Forum. Since the Forum is the student-governing body of the school, its responsibility, "to promote the welfare of the members of the faculty and the student body," is a grave one.

Perhaps this and the fact that this is the first all-girl officer group in the Forum's history causes the members of this group in the first picture to look so business-like. Beverly Kramer, vice-president, and Betty Bray, secretary, both seem to be listening intently to their president, Nancy Allen, who no doubt has something very important to say. Meanwhile Mr. Flagg, faculty sponsor, is referring to records pertaining to the subject.

Next in line is this group of worthy seniors. They are represented by Florence Schramm, Pat Galitz, Nancy Allen, president, Jeanne Nelson, parliamentarian, and Marie Stritch. In the upper row we have Zenon Turski, Paul Hermes, Lucile Anderson, Rosanna King, Ted Canty, and Bill Stockfisch.

Looking rather informal and having mixed expressions are the juniors. Harriet Hart and Hildegard Schottleitner look very amused, while Nona Holappa, Jim Moore, Barbara Mason, Eugene Putman, Bob Pasek, Beverly Kramer, vice-president, and Betty Bray, secretary, look more or less pensive.

Last but no means least we have the freshmen and sophomores. Outstanding voices often heard from this group are: Hildegarde Jarosch, Marion McClain, Tom Wetmore, Bob Hartney, Shirley Lawrence, Stanley Noesen, Ed Dean, and Joan Trietsch.





• Creeping quietly into Father Kent's little sanctuary, the photographer caught this happy little family group completely unaware(?) How nice to have such a continuous calm for one hour with a group of angelic cherubs such as Matthew Boemmel or Norman ("Dumbo") Glauner. Tsk, Tsk, Jay Fuller's feet are on the desk again. As usual Bruce Cook and Lucien Di-Salvo are playing tit-tat-toe on the desk top. Fred Borneman prepares to ring a loud bell which will throw the class into its everyday free-for-all in which Charles Jaap is continually beaten up by Charles Massman. The fight is usually stopped by Mr. Kent's belaying pin, made of old turtle bones.

• Pushing through dense underbrush, we come upon this oasis in the middle of a biological jungle. These earnest biology students are discussing such problems as Nonleguminous, Spiragyrá related to Algæ, and the Chlorophyll in Zygaspore.

Sitting at the front table is Billy Stielow, who used to pull plants instead of weeds from the family garden. Next to Billy is Virginia Mueller and behind her, Warren, her brother. (P.S. They don't get the same grades in exams.)

Diligently inspecting the plants in search of insects to dissect are three of the "brains" of the ninth period, Ed Ballantine, Edna Southworth, and Eleanor Koch.

• If noise is any qualification of greatness the woodshop should rank highest in the community. The orderly bedlam that daily issues forth from it testifies to the busyness within.

In the woodshop the student is more intent on his work than at any other time, for in this he can incorporate his own ideas and inspirations. When he gets home he will probably discover his mother has more than enough of the whatzit, but no matter—it isn't the object that counts, it's the work behind it.

A typical woodworker is Jack Massman, pictured here with a lathe, one of the most interesting machines in the woodshop.

• Arriving in the third floor corridor, a tempting aroma greets our nostrils and so, following our nose in the traditional manner, we enter the cooking room. Within these clean and glistening walls many of the culinary experts of Nilehi first learned

to boil water successfully. Here each day savory and delicious concoctions are prepared and sampled by their creators. So far not a cook has been lost as a result of her own handiwork. This is indeed some sort of record.

At the table in the foreground, cautiously testing their own dishes, are those long experienced cooks, Shirley Ahrens, Lois Baity, and Violet Behrens.

• Mix a little of this with a little of that and what have you? In chemistry it's possible to tell what you get, if you're good enough. There is some sense, we hope, to that maze of tubes and bottles arranged in chemistry class.

Dagmar Franson is busily engaged in getting a piece of rubber tubing over a pipe. (So far nothing spectacular has happened.)

A future would-be chemist, Ralph Rentsch, appears to be holding down a bottle. Is it going to fly off, Ralph?

Between the strands of a pulley, Edwin Albright is doing a one-handed job. Where did you get the technique, Ed—driving on-moonlight nights?

• Hold that press—while we introduce the boys that are responsible for printing the Nilehilité, programs and tickets for all performances, library stubs, report cards, and last, but not least, failure notices.

In the foreground we see Frannie May busily setting type, with Ray Kryzenski apparently supervising the job. What's the joke, Chuck?

And could it be a comic book or a copy of the Nilehilité that has completely diverted the attention of Clarence Hacker, Don Baumhardt, and Patrick Bennett in the left hand corner?

In the right hand corner, we can barely see Fritz Daiberl and James Kozak. We find them running the press.

• The first day of meat rationing finds us down in the cafeteria. As we near the tables we find students hurrying through a lunch of spaghetti, knowing that their much prized meat has gone for a good cause. At the table there is Richard Taite who is interested in protecting his chocolate milk. Don't worry, Dick, it isn't rationed yet! On his left we find some freshman boy so engrossed in his lunch that the photographer has no part of his life. Coming next are Raymond Baumgartner and William Barbour, who munches on a sandwich as if it were his last. Quite a mouthful, I'd say!! Next are Jack Zimmerman, Nick Boznes and John Aliprandi.

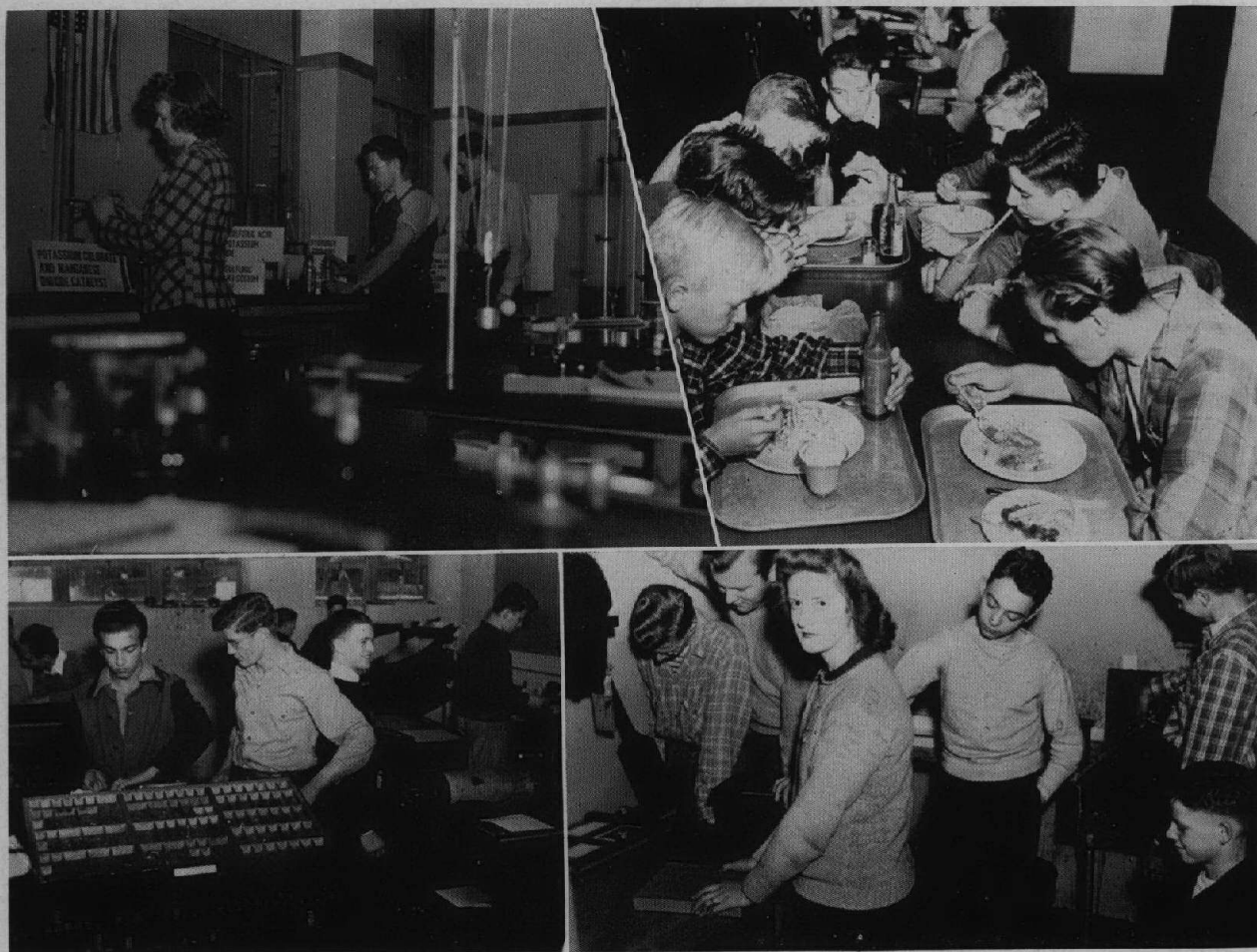
• Photography in the darkroom stage is no pushover, yet Tom Davidson seems to have nothing to do or maybe he works twice as fast as the others and can stand around for the rest of the period with his hands in his pockets.

Dorothy Cowie seems more interested in the camera than anything else.

Wilfred Johnson and Willard Maier are busily engaged in turning the water off or on and working outside the picture.

Bob Weidenmiller is holding up the enlarger, while Bradley Fredericks meditates, "How much light shall I give this one?"

Oh, by the way, what goes on in that dark room?



Interesting, Vital Classes Plus

• Music is in the air as the eighth period choir fills the beautiful music room with melodious harmony. "Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast," but we don't see how some of the music can be soothing when Jimmy Moore sings out at a discord. This class was being entertained by Phil Egebrecht before the picture was taken. He holds the championship for being able to wiggle his ears. "Skip" Sutter is thinking of a humorous joke to tell to her fellow sopranos.

• Dancing to the music of Dick Lewis' Band (or just listening) was the luck of several Nilehi students at the Pep Club Dance. Katie Clarke, Tom Allen, and Irve Witte, prom king of '41, seem to be fascinated by the "birdie." And how unusual! There is Eleanor Nelson next to Tom. Far off in the distance can be seen June Ohlson and Ed Dean. Well, if you look hard enough you can see him!!! (He's slightly hidden by June's hair.) Helen Howard seems to be **very** happy dancing with her eyes closed. Is it the fellow or the music, Helen??

• Como estan ustedes, señores? That is the question many in this class greet one another with when meeting. La pequená Señora Hebblethwaite, who is no longer with the school, is barely visible back of Señorita Arline Madsen. Don't let

Eleanor Klinge fool you; she is studying too intently. Perhaps you wonder who the unseen person is on the other side of Jerry Deily. It is Señor Gordon Davis who took the course so that he would know how to say "yo te amo" in two languages to we know whom.

• What grace! What lovely symmetrical legs we have here! In truth the girls in swimming classes have not been idle. They have practiced hard and finally mastered many unusual and sometimes queer stunts. The entrancing effect of these wonderful feats is expressed on the faces of those reclining beauties draped about the pool.

The four accusing toes pointed upward may seem a little wobbly, but their owners are really quite steady; just a little water-logged, like most Niles students. We heartily wish them success and long-life among the lilies. May their fins grow long and graceful.

• Let's peek at Miss Lumppp's eighth period World History class. They're energetic looking, aren't they?—oops—seems as though they're not all energetic. It's not sleeping beauty, though, just Dick Wilton. Too much lunch, Dick?

Way in the back we find the bright and beaming face of Charles Bailey. Ah, there's Miss Lumppp hidden away in the far corner.

The studious looking young lady in the front row is Virginia Walden, and this is one case where appearances aren't deceiving—she really is studious.

• The scene below is the desk in the library. But who is missing? Could it be Miss Myers? And could she be off quelling some disturbance? Could be! Anyway, her capable assistants at the desk are hard at work among their beloved books.

The boy in the foreground is Robert Hartney. Next to him is a typical student of Niles, Evelyn Kasper. Beside her, Evelyn Miethke is deep in some very technical literature. Lorraine Belinski tries vainly to hide behind her. The camera fiends aren't really that bad, are they? Altogether, the scene gives an accurate picture of our peaceful library life.





• One of the largest and ablest organizations in the school is the Nilehi band. This group, composed of fifty music-minded members and directed by Mr. Clifford Collins, is on hand at almost every large community gathering. This year it has played at all the home football and basketball games, the Pearl Harbor rally, Rationing Night, and school assemblies, not to mention the Spring Musicale to which the band contributed a major part.

Members of the band pictured here are left to right: 1st row: Nona Holappa, Ted Roess, Bob Humburg, Connie Kohtz, Bob Engert, Harriet Hart, Lecta Harper, Tom Wetmore, Gordon Brown. 2nd row: Herbert Behrens, Peter Hegarty, Eugene Anderson, Betty Farr, Audrey Brown, Stanley Martin, Howard Haynie, Russell Bair, Harry Peterson, Bob Balfour, Helen Handler, Bettie Stielow, LeRoy Harms, Quentin Blewitt, Clark Battle, Lavern Grover. 3rd row: Melvin Schultz, Kenneth Hoffman, DeForest Hamilton, Bernice Stoll, John Cogdell, Warren Gockenbach, Wayne Hansen, Mr. Collins, Francis May, Rosemary Racine, Lorraine Krier, Bob Farrell, Fred Epsen,

Horace Lindecker, Charles Massman, Milan Voyvodich, Herbert Jarosch, Earl Krmicek, Don Falknor, Louis Nachbauer. 4th row: Roger Loefgren, Zenon Turski.

• What's this, another band? Well, not exactly. This is the Niles Township High School orchestra, and though part of its personnel is composed of band members it is in most part an organization for string players to demonstrate their talents. The orchestra has played for several community gatherings, but its main appearance this year was at the Spring Musicale in preparation for which the ambitious members willingly attended night rehearsals.

Orchestra members here are left to right: 1st row: Hortense Harles, Herbert Jarosch, Connie Kohtz, Melvin Schultz, Ted Roess, Nona Holappa, Harriet Hart, Lecta Harper, William Barbour, John Kircher. 2nd row: Jean Donaldson, Mars Bishop, Gus Boznos, Stanley Martin, Dorothy Gustafson, Russell Bair, Gordon Brown, Tom Wetmore, Horace Lindecker, Helen Handler, Bob Balfour, Virginia Waldin. 3rd row: Bettie Stielow, Doris Hampton, Mr. Collins, Francis May, Lorraine Krier.

The Finest of Music Plus

• This solemn group of juniors is Mr. Dees' 8th period United States history class. Most of the kids look as if they have lost their best friend—all except for smiling Mae Kennedy in the third row. The Casanova in the first row is Bob Warehan. He's putting on a good act trying to look busy. Guarding the pencil sharpener in the back row is the president of the junior class, Jack Harrer.

What can it be that Marilyn Tilton and Jane Breckenridge are looking at? Bob Farrell, in the second row, looks as if he might fall asleep any-time. Who's the unidentified soul behind Betty De Chambre? Can it be that he's camera shy?

• This beehive of activity represents the Office Practice class, open to senior girls. Virginia Lenzen and Bernadette Spiczka are undoubtedly ready to greet any and all callers that might interrupt their reading. Miss Johans seems to be telling Bernice Gehrs, Dorothy Rings, and Muriel Beuder some of the finer points of their work, but is Muriel listening? Notice Adele Bartz and Jean Neuson working so industriously back there in the corner. Virginia Gable is holding a vital telephone conversation. Who is he, Virginia? Ruth Hennig is demonstrating how she looks at her copy and types at the same time.

• To the upper right is Miss Green's 8th period typing class. This class should rate an A for behaviour—no dreamy or wandering gazes, no "watching for the birdie" or just plain resting. Everyone is busily at work "tickling the type." Must be hot work, for Marvin Berens has his sleeves rolled up, pitching in hammer and tongs. Mary Clark had better change her posture, or she'll find that she's developed a stiff neck. Think of the things Bernadette Creany could get away with being hidden by George Struck. Everyone must be complimented on his ability to refrain from watching the cameraman and sticking strictly to work.

• "All alone, I'm so all alone," sighs Jim Ehmer as he gloomily stares ahead into the depths of room 110. Please observe Joan Homdasch's smirk. It can't be her book, can it? Who is that shy girl behind Bill Roden? Do you think she has a police record and is afraid to show her face? Irene Donaldson and her black locks come straight from Tahiti. All that's missing is the sarong. Don Comstock, you may not like studying, but at least when your picture is being taken you could make a pretence of reading!

Any shortcomings that may be noted in this picture can be easily explained by remembering that all present are little freshmen.

NTHS





• No, the above is not a presentation of "The Women," but the ration play that was given by the dramatics group. The play was given for the students to familiarize them with the use of ration points. Dorothy Lund was the narrator. Store clerk Merry Baumhardt and shopper Marie Stritch must have found the subject of rationing very entertaining. What were Jean Donaldson and Pat Dickinson discussing so earnestly? Rationing? Cherie Neutz looks about as popular as the seven-year itch.

Arlene Lalashis wouldn't have been able to buy as much with her points if it hadn't been for the assistance of registrar Marilyn Tilton.

• Just as on many occasions the high school has been the place to which the community has come to enjoy itself, so on rationing night it was here that representatives of community families gathered—not to be entertained but to become acquainted with the complicated point rationing system.

Here the community viewed the model store constructed on the stage and listened to the playlet and explanation. This suddenly made the complicated point rationing system seem simpler.

• The curtain went down on "Old Doc" and everyone applauded the performance of the players wholeheartedly. Most of them, however, probably did not think of these eleven people who did much toward putting the play over. Pat Lannert, Eleanor Klings, Gloria Westerberg, and Jean Pearson saw to it that everyone received a program and was shown to a seat.

Ann Schirra and Dolores Johnson, as prompters, were partially responsible for the smooth flow of the lines throughout the three acts. The properties and sound effects were under the able direction of Marion Jennetten.

Jean Donaldson and Arlene Lalashis had charge of makeup. You did a swell job, girls! Thanks to Marie Stritch and Marilyn Hynes for presenting the short skits over the sound system and contributing articles to the local papers so that everyone in the community knew about the play. Orchids to you all.

• Typists of sincerity. That's what you would think at a glance at this picture. Carol Ellis, at the end, is so intent on what she's typing. It must be good, for she doesn't usually work that hard. Doris and Mae certainly have a determined look on their faces. Could it be that test we heard so much about? Mary Ann was excited about the story so she stopped and read it before finishing typing.

Unusual feature seen here: a serious-faced Mary Ann Wenzel and Betty Farr when they're sitting next to each other. Oh well, it's just a picture!

• Well, well, well! Look what we have here. Miss Berry's French class, I do believe. Why, Rose Marie Norum, are you copying Dick Mussil's homework? It looks as if Betty Brauch is serious again, doesn't it? You can't fool us, Cherie

Neutz, your thoughts aren't here in class. Or are they? It certainly looks as if Betty Nossler is having trouble understanding our photographer's French, and, Jim Whalen, are you STILL studying? All that ambition! And why is la belle professeur sitting in the back row?



• And a gay time was had by all! All the students of N. T. H. S. were given the Schick test for diphtheria this year as a precaution.

Will you look at that serious but "try hard-to-smile" expression on Jerome Buhrke as Dr. E. A. Piszczek inserts the needle in his arm. The onlookers are Paul Brice, William Hughes, and Paul Even.

Walter Campany with his crew cut seems to be having a gay time of it, however. The assistants standing are Miss Eagan and Miss Raessler. Seated is Miss Kale.

• The picture above, Miss Frieda Ellerbrake's eighth period sophomore English class, is shown in a natural pose (?). Members clearly shown in this outstanding class are: R. Wedel, R. Bollow, B. Harris, T. Podraza, L. Breckenridge, E. Anderson, P. Canty, B. Burns, E. Heartstedt, P. Jacobs, M. Clark, H. Reynolds, B. Hayes, D. Berg, J. Ohlson, M. Drehabl, E. Reiman, C. Olsen, Miss Ellerbrake, P. Lannert, I. Weiss, and J. Musgrove.

Notice the picture of wonderment on Bill Harris's face, and the deep thinking going on in Bill Hayes' mind. I wonder if Pat Canty and David Berg have the same idea in their thoughts? There isn't much you can say for the absent member of the class in the first row!

• The above scene depicts newspaper reporters who will undoubtedly go down in history. Various geniuses have made 216 invaluable, but none have surpassed Teddy Roess and his amazing ability for reading upside down. Leota Harper, we've heard, is organizing a campaign for correcting the spine, but from the appearance of the class, it seems as though she'll have a hard time recruiting fellow members. What is it newspapers have that is more interesting than textbooks? (not to mention any names, of course). And what's on that small piece of paper which takes such serious contemplation, Lucille? Can anyone tell us why Mr. Blanke is huddled in the corner of the room behind his motley crowd? Is he camera shy?

• Thinking of country before self, these members of the Junior Red Cross meet several times a week under the competent direction of Miss Alice Line. One of their outstanding projects is the display in the south hall showcase, showing the pictures of graduates now in the various armed forces of the United States.

That big cross in the background caused many stiff necks during the Red Cross Drive, for it was the scoreboard upon which was recorded the homeroom numbers and the extent to which they participated.

The girls in the pictures are shown working on some of the other Junior Red Cross projects. They are, left to right, Connie Anderson, Lois Ruthenbeck, Peggy McNeil, Leota Harper, and Joan Cutsler.

Worth While Projects Plus

• "Mine eyes have seen the glory of the colorful plaid shirts." Seven of them, are in this freshman civics class. The lumber jacks are Backes, Koch, Alterini, Colano, Guenther, Zahus, and Paoletti. One of the most shocking sights in the whole picture was that of Colano's shapely ankles. Show-off! You'll make the rest of the boys jealous. On second thought, I wonder if those legs belong to Vito's neighbor Baumez. That presents a baffling problem.

Napoleon couldn't have looked more self-confident than Grotz. Had you just won an argument with your teacher? It appears Bob was also one of the "plaid shirt gang."

• At last, a student's dream comes true—his parents are forced to submit to the difficulties and tribulations of attending daily classes. On Parent's Night these trusting souls left their comfortable homes and ventured forth to try a hand at an old art—that of attending school.

Seated in Mr. Ohlson's physics class and trying to look studious, these parents are attending the same classes their young ones enjoy so much during the day. From their bewildered expressions, it is obvious that they prefer their own lot to that of us students.

• "Mary, Mary, quite contrary . . ." or something to that effect might be the title of the group picture in the solarium. Gus Boznos and George Lutz had better stop cutting up Mr. Bennette's plants if they don't want to get into trouble. Can you find Dorothea Sandberg? She's there camouflaged behind the plants. Brunette Betty Stielow resembles a black-out next to Audrey Brown. Midge Winger would be much more comfortable if she joined the girls at the table. She's going to get writer's cramp in that position. If you can figure out what Bob Kunze is doing behind that foliage, please report to Room 216 to give all information.

• License number 262 718 has gone to war! As you can see here, the drive for old license plates at NileHi, like most of its other drives for victory, was highly successful.

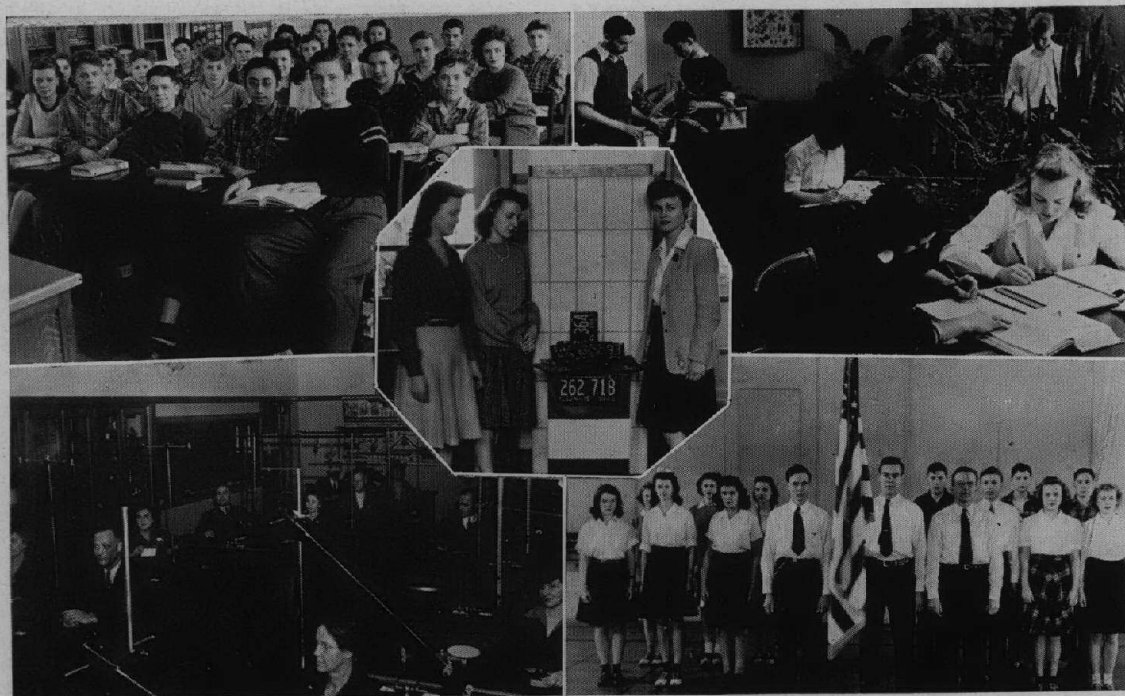
The committee in charge of this drive has a right to be proud of the response they received from their request for scrap. The three girls making up the committee are, from left to right: Rosanna King, Beverly Kramer and Jeanne Nelson.

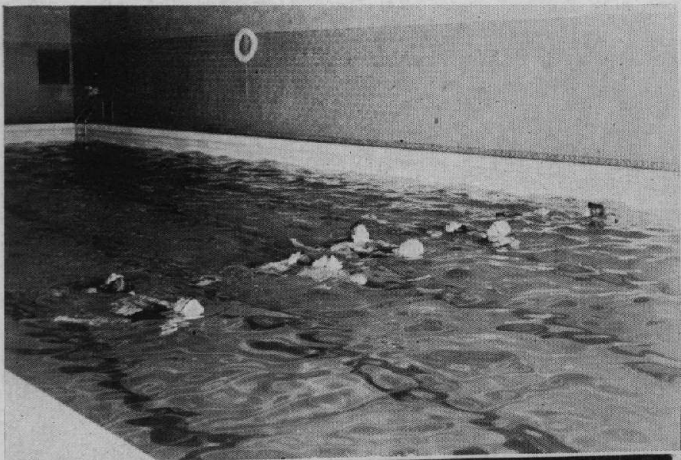
The plates brought by our students will make a mighty fine scrap pile. As the junk man carts it away, we hope it has a long happy trip to Tokyo, Berlin, or some other point of interest.

• This is a group of students well-deserving of the highest praise. As a result of arduous drilling, they have become proficient in posting and retiring our colors for school assemblies and other activities. Because these services are so appropriate at this time and so aptly carried out by these students, the time and effort contributed by them and their instructor, Miss Harbert, are appreciated by all of us.

The boys with the flag are, J. Kozak, J. May, J. Gafford. Next row: N. Perrin, D. Wolcott, F. Dietsch, H. Jarosch, A. Brown, and L. Peters. Last row: J. Kelley, B. Abbott, S. Gregor, B. Bloethner, F. Borneman, J. Ohlson.

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- The Girls' Junior and Senior Life Saving Class gives a demonstration of some water carries. From left to right: Jerry Thulstrup and Betty Bray in the hair carry, Shirley Lawrence carrying Nona Holappa in the cross-chest carry, Betty Heiniger and Marion Eichelkraut in the tired swimmers' carry, and Nancy Perrin with Mary Lou Kendall and Jane Permer with Peggy McNeill in the head carries. The Girls' Life Saving Class was held after school once a week under the direction of Miss L. Spikings.

- "Double, double toil and trouble." It seems that not one of these freshmen girls has time for play during class. Or is that a slight smirk on Lois Kerley's face? And is Betty Dumont writing notes to her seemingly studious companion, Geraldine Coleman? Perhaps it's the lack of manpower in this freshmen science class that causes such serious expressions.

Did you notice that Nancy Guthrie is actually facing the front of the room! And can you possibly imagine Joan Flavin not talking?

On leaving, here is a thought: Does Allison Ash maintain her high grades by being teacher's pet? See back row.

- What is it about good old Niles that brings 'em back at night after being here both morning and noon? Perhaps one had better ask Mr. Wright, school engineer, or Warren Gockenbach, senior. Both seem to be deeply immersed in the mysteries of engineering drafting, as taught by another prominent Nile-Hiter, Mr. Larson. Phyllis Braeske, '41 graduate, is another who cannot leave the school for long.

This class is one of the several offered by the extension division of the University of Illinois in the interests of national defense. Serving students, graduates, and teachers, it again demonstrates that our school is the center of community life.

- "Calling Dr. Wittorf! Calling Dr. Wittorf! Emergency operation on A. Frog!" The good doctor seems to be doing all right, if he can keep his hair out of his eyes. Tolzien seems to be assistant surgeon, but what is Audrey doing? She can't be holding the patient's hand, since he (or rather it) has no hands. Dolores and Helen seem to be viewing the remains of the dearly beloved and sadly departed, or is that just a new way to discover if one has a shiny nose?

Can it be said that these students are about to get at the heart of the matter? (Joke)

Efficient Direction Plus



● One o'clock and all's well—that is, if we can believe that all those interested looks are really genuine. I wonder how the poor crayfish that they're dissecting feels to be the life of the party under such adverse conditions. Ugh! Is Virginia Waldin giving herself a manicure, or is that part of the unlucky guest in her hand? At any rate, she seems to be braver than Dick Barber, timidly peeping at the spectacle from a safe distance. Some of the more exclusive biologists have turned their backs to us but over there by Mr. Benette, we recognize Violet Carlson, Dorothy Gustafson, Grace Nelson, and Bill Dahm. (I wonder what happened to the remains of the crayfish—has anyone noticed any queer tasting meat from the cafeteria?)

● Ah, Miss de Booy's freshmen math. class. What a superb assortment of maturing brawn, brains, and intelligentsia! Marvin Struck seems to be between the devil and the deep blue sea (just kidding). Don't back away Marv, they don't bite any more. Is that Marilyn Burns in the back row whom John Lane seems to be carefully and cautiously wolfing? Careful, John! Miss de Booy is hovering near. The next to the last row takes the prize. Oh no, don't run away, it's not a police line-up even with the presence of Walter Company. Here we see Harry Mueller, who is following in Johnny's steps as a basketball player, Frank Zallar, who promises to run the world's first four minute mile, and W. Berkow, another basketball player of future renown. How can Roland Hacker and "Bud" Anderson have such self control in the nearness of Elinor Nelson. Ah me! Lucky freshmen!

● Directed by Mr. Collins, (right rear) these members of the freshman band are already "hep" to the fundamentals of the music and notation and will soon be in competition with the members of the advanced band.

Playing first cornet, we have—not Harry James, but Louis Nachbauer and presiding over the clarinet section is De Forest Hamilton. "Slapping that bass," is Alison Ash.

The trombone section, composed of Lois Lumpp, Jack Massmann, and Harry Jensen, is quite unique in that they are all so good, it is hard to decide who shall play first trombone.

However, we are proud of all our freshmen musicians and hope they will go far in the future.

● This is the eighth period auto shop under the supervision of Mr. Mackey. The fellow second from the left about ready to bite off his tongue is Jim Whalen. You might think that Jim Tagney is contributing his intellectual advice in the hope that John May will successfully complete the task he is now endeavoring to accomplish. Bert Bloethner is the one giving you that big loving smile on the engine to the right. Erwin Dombrowski seems to be disapproving of the work that is being performed on the engine to the left. To satisfy your curiosity the half-face fellow beside Le Harms is Bob Denley. If Dick Barber doesn't watch what he is doing, he is going to rub that dirty old rag all over Le Harms' pretty white shirt. With such a choice selection of mechanics laboring over these two engines, do you imagine that they will ever be the same again? The engines, I mean.

● TOP LEFT: One equals two. Oh, you don't believe it? Miss Lytle, pictured with a wayward flock of mathematicians can prove it to you.

But let's leave that perfectly fascinating subject and get down to the mathematicians themselves. Recognize the headless girl? Well, it's Shirley Beuder and we hasten to assure you that she doesn't generally appear in this unique pose.

And look at Earl K.—that joyous beam can't come from the study of math. Bet he's deep in the latest adventure of Superman.

Have you noticed the suspicion with which Nick Boznos is eyeing the problem? H'm, a doubter in the class.

The "thinker" in the third row is Donna Norum. Tough problem, Donna?

Well, it's time to leave the happy flock to earnest contemplation on what $2x-y$ equals. (And I wish them luck. That one always has stumped me!)

● LEFT CENTER: These little darlings gathered around the Christmas tree are eagerly awaiting Santa Claus. Probably they are asking each other what they expect to receive from good old Nick, but from the looks of it Santa Claus is hardly an appropriate topic for conversation in the left corner. It also seems unnatural that Gordon and Wayne would be engrossed in conversation with two lovely belles standing near.

Confidentially, Joe G. whispered to us that his only wish for Christmas was a new telephone number.

● BOTTOM LEFT: Dear Parents: If you recognize yourself in this picture, you will probably remember it is as part of Parents' Night, Nov. 13. You are in the shop with Mr. Larson, and he seems to have had a lot of fun explaining the buzz saw. Better be careful, Mr. Larson. It won't be so funny if you saw off a few fingers. Chances are, however, the saw isn't even running. Wonder what the housewives are thinking. Those were the

days when bread went unsliced and having one of those saws around would really do the trick.

● TOP RIGHT: Notice the executive air about our junior presidents. It must be a tough job, judging from their expressions.

We're hoping Ed Podolinsky doesn't get a stiff neck and Rollie Poehlmann eye strain trying to read Barbara Pearson's "business for the day." (By the way, that tie is very becoming, Ed.)

Our little red-head, Grace Nelson, appears to be quite absorbed in her work. And take a look at Rosemary Racine. There's nothing like a friendly smile to help you along.

In spite of all the kidding we're pretty proud of our junior presidents.

● RIGHT CENTER: Snow, snow, beautiful snow, Filling the sky and earth below,
It falls on the heads of people you meet,
It gives you, alas, a cold and wet feet.

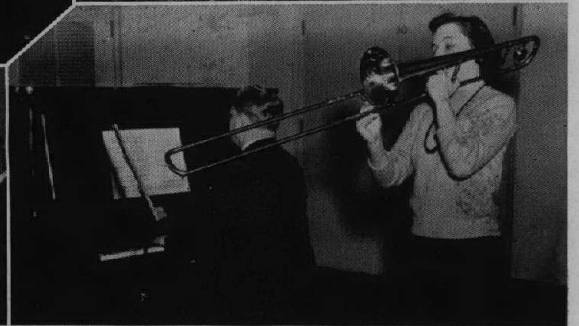
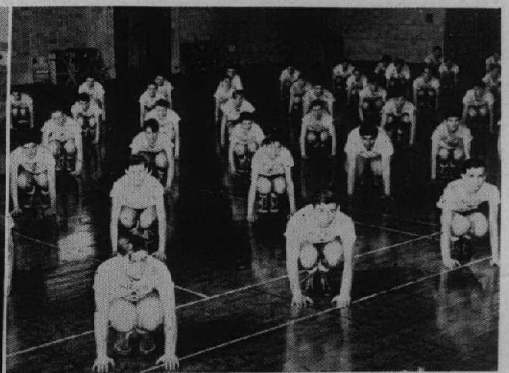
These erudite words remind us of those hardy souls (a mere 35% of the student body) who, though no physical culture experts, trudged hardily to school on a cold and stormy day last winter. Head body builders "Shaeff" and "Ike" huddled close to their radiators, lucky them!

Our warmest praises (and after the walk they could probably have used them) to members of the "polar bear club" who braved the chill winds for the sake of education.

● BOTTOM RIGHT: Actors seem to have something, so they say. Well, Ed Fisher has it, whatever it is. Serene rapture, we would say. But don't you think Dick Boyd looks a little pigeon-toed these days? But then maybe it's the camera. Of course you all know the play—we are sure no one missed it. It's one of the complete casts from "Old Doc" and don't they look actorish? Dick Barber, "Old Doc" to you, looks as if something's in the wind. And we didn't know that old ladies wore derbies. At least our grandmothers didn't—we don't think!



The
Very Best
Equipment
Plus



• TOP LEFT: Stand by for the further adventures of Susy Smith. Seen around the mike are Eddy Kretsch, who looks as though the script is not up to standard; Mary Jane Nelson, who evidently has a dynamic role; and Sally Fjellman, who is aptly expressing her views on the script. Rupert Roegner, studying his next cue, Hildegard "Pepsodent Smile" Schottleutner, Ann Marie Schirra, and production manager Mary Ellen Racine are also tops on Nilehi's Crossly ratings.

• LEFT CENTER: No, this isn't right school. It's just another means of acquainting our parents with our school and teachers as well as our daily program, on Parents' Night, Nov. 13.

Maybe these parents don't know how to type, but they're learning what May, Tom, and Jack have to go through during their school day.

Looking at the faces of our parents, I'd say they are pretty concerned about us.

Sorry, kids, that old excuse won't hold up any more. Now they know.

• BOTTOM LEFT: These are the chins you love to touch, but heavily. Seriously now, Gloria Westerberg and Florence Schram in real life, apart from the play "Old Doc," in which they played the part of Helen, are not as egotistic and self-centered as they appeared in the play.

Enacting such an unfavorable part does not seem to have hurt Glo or Flo a great deal, for the masculine sex still keeps their front door-bells ringing.

• TOP RIGHT: Undoubtedly after exercising the "Trojan Ten," these bright young athletes will no longer have the energy to cause their already over-heckled teachers any more annoyance.

Performing for us are such well known figures as Bill Moorad, who after bravely struggling through for "Ike," was sent to California to recuperate. Also represented are Jack Fredericks, "Nosey" Bailey, Gus Wagner, and Bill Randquist, all waiting for their second wind.

The "Trojan Ten," dreamed up by Coach Isaacson, is supposed to build up the most lowly physical specimen into a Trojanette dream.

• RIGHT CENTER: Ah, here we see a young lady who is going to be a success in life by merely letting things slide. Seated at the piano accompanying this feminine Tommy Dorsey and offering a few pointers is Eddie Duchin, alias Nilehi's own maestro Mr. Collins. In case you are not very well acquainted about school, the lass is Bettie Stielow; and that beautiful piece of brass she is clutching is Esmeralda, her trombone.

This picture is typical of the scene portrayed each day when the ambitious young musicians of the school assemble their chosen instruments to receive valuable instruction.

• BOTTOM RIGHT: This group of freshmen homeroom presidents must have just finished reading the slogan below the flag, for they are certainly giving the business of the moment their undivided attention. To Miss M. Ronalds, head frosh adviser, and to these people goes the credit of having steered the largest freshman class in the history of the school safely through its first year.

A Splendid Student Body



• The girls of N.T.H.S., not to be outdone by the military women of our age, the W.A.A.C.'s, W.A.V.E.S., S.P.A.R.'s, W.O.W.S., and others, have started one of their own, the G.A.C.S. They learn to drill and to follow military instructions. The requirements for joining and advantages of belonging to the more adult groups are also brought to them.

• These five girls, Joan Trietch, Sally Fjellman, Rosemarie Meyer, Violet Boyd, and Catherine Kretsch are typical of all the girls in the physical education classes.

Swimming, exercises, volleyball, archery, obstacle courses, pingpong, marching in formation, and baseball are some of the things included in physical education classes under the energetic instruction of Miss Spikings, Miss Schaefer, and their "Leaders."

• The Leaders Club puts forth with the familiar "L" by which they are all distinguished. They are: Jerry Diely, Bernice Tolzein, Mae Kennedy, Nancy Allen, Betty Bray, Pat Harms, Rosemary Racine, Dorothy Lund, Beverly Kramer, Marion Eichelkraut, Dolores Chapman, and Grace Nelson.

Every girl can look forward to having all but three of these girls back next year with their cheery bark, "Fall In!"

• Did you ever see such a battered-and-bruised-looking bunch of girls? You'd think the war had invaded Nilehi. But if it did, we're sure that these girls could handle the casualties, for they are the First Aid class, prepared for any and every emergency.

In the foreground, Delores Chapman and Pat Galitz are administering artificial respiration to two unidentified victims.

• This group of bright-eyed, all-American looking girls head the Girls Athletic Association. Claire Juniac, standing majestically in the center, is the president of the executive board. Eleanor Nelson is staring vacantly off into space, while Jackie Perrin seems to be deeply engrossed. Rosanna King is peering over Claire's arm, and Beverly Kramer is undoubtedly recording everything that's said.

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• Strike—spare—railroad. These terms are familiar to many students of our school due to our bowling teams. Every year Miss Schaefer organizes several girls' bowling teams and the teams meet once a week. At the end of six months the best bowlers receive pins.

Here are Ruth Hennig, Mary Ann Trausch, and Beverly Markus, trying for that strike.

• "One little, two little, three little, four little, five little"—twirlers all in a row. We wonder whom these fair maidens have turned out en masse to propose to. They are, reading from left to right: Lois Piske, Gladys Rossmann, Annaliese Nachbauer, Helen Koshne, and Carolyn Huemmer. This method of proposing is rather unique, but maybe that doesn't matter.

Equals A Great School

War Band and Stamp Chairmen

● These Nilehi students are the people responsible for the sale of \$4750.00 worth of War Bonds and Stamps during the past year. They did their bit each week by acting as stamp and bond salesmen in their respective homerooms. Much credit and thanks should be given to Miss Green, faculty sponsor, whose efficient and enthusiastic guidance greatly helped to make our weekly sales successful. Three cheers for June Ohlson, stamp chairman of homeroom 210, who helped carry that homeroom to the top of the ladder with 100% sales for many consecutive weeks!

Amateur Gardeners

● These students are promoters of "Better Schools and Gardens." They are the down to earth students of N.T.H.S. who went after dandelions with lust in their eyes and came back with blisters on their hands. The sight of the day was Miss de Booy madly digging at the unpleasant growths with an instrument which reminded one of a contorted golf club. Several members of the women's division were seen reclining on the green while others helped with a camouflaging job. The boys of the company, who were outnumbered, deposited their contributions with smiles wreathing their faces. A happy time was had by all.

Beginning Photography

● From the critical expressions on these otherwise pleasant faces one would rate them among the experts. Is Marie Stritch

trying to conceal something on the corner of that picture? Paul Winger is studying photography from an angle. Rae Ohlson is attempting to scan several pictures at one time. Perhaps she's in a hurry.

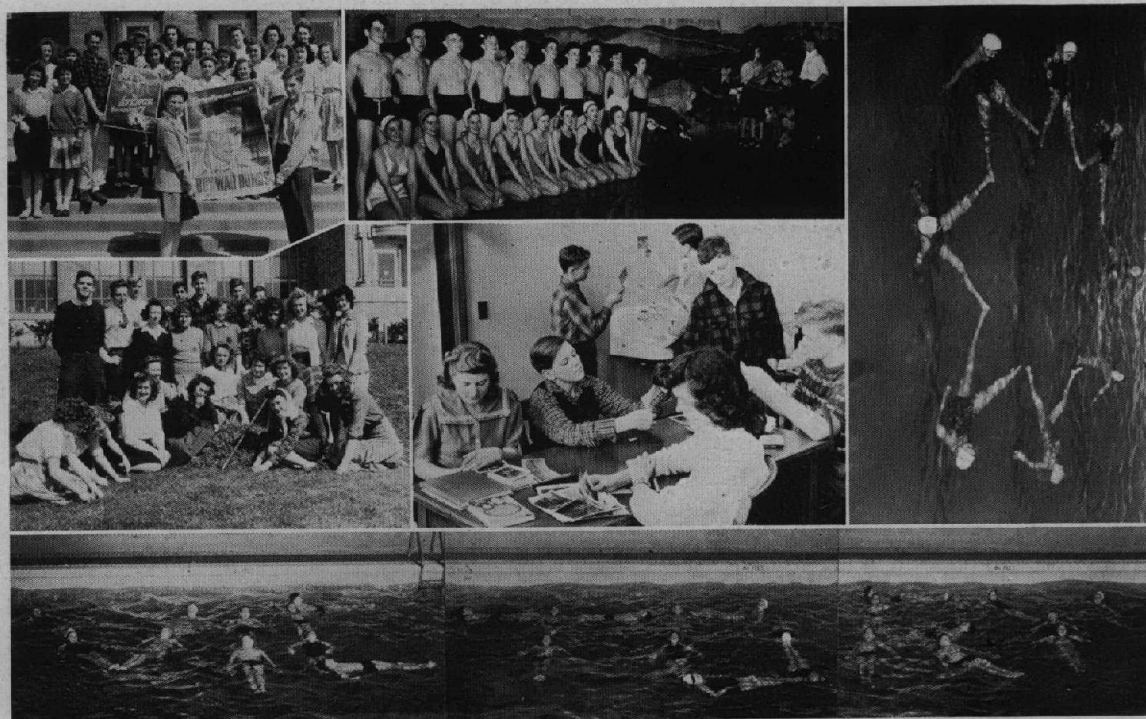
Serious faced are Don Lyon and Jack Fredericks as they pass judgment on a picture. Art Schmidt is looking over their shoulders. Developing negatives we have Joe Byron and Richard Becker who can't wait to see the pictures printed.

Mum-Taz Mahal

● Water, water everywhere—well, almost everywhere, for this panel is dominated by pictures of our well trained synchronized swimming groups. But then our water carnival, under the inspired guidance of impressario Schaefer, certainly rates top billing in any group, at any time.

The top picture features most of the illustrious cast of "Mum-Taz Mahal." Instead of the beauty and the beast, assembled here are nine and eleven. (Just joking, fellows, really you seem quite handsome.) Beauties: B. Bray, G. Deily, B. Farr, M. Callmer, J. Taylor, E. Thomas, and B. Schwabe. Others: J. Lannert, J. Webber, B. Clynes, J. Moore, T. Cook, P. Hegarty, D. Lyon, T. Davidson, T. Tagney, and T. Wetmore. To the right, and deep in a story conference are narrator Mary Ellen Racine and hero Richard Halliburton (Jack Fredericks to you).

The other pictures illustrate two of the carefully planned, earnestly practiced, and nicely achieved formations seen in the carnival. The victory formation puts just the right closing touch on our group pictures.



Our Housekeepers



● As we wander down our long and spacious corridors, we marvel at the neatness and the preserved newness of our building which is now four and a half years old. However, the perfect condition of the premises is maintained only by tedious hours of labor.

Each evening after the thundering mob of students has vacated this institute of learning, (and left as a remembrance various assortments of wrappers, second-hand gum, candy, waste-paper, etc.) our able crew of custodians man their trusty mops and brooms to set aright the reigning chaos.

This picture of Mr. Brunke, Mr. Boyd, and Mr. Ahrens is the familiar one that greets anyone who is unavoidably detained after the usual school hours. The student body and all those associated with the school owe their heartiest appreciation to these gentlemen for nightly clean up crusades. The highest gratitude is especially felt for the chief-engineer, Mr. Wright, who so ably handled the fuel supply last winter and kept Nilehi comfortable and happy. Two others, Mr. Ide and Mr. Kirscht, not in the picture, also do their part to keep our building spick-and-span.

● Few of us realize, as we enjoy the excellent food and environment of our cafeteria, what careful planning, patience, and work it takes to make it that way. Mrs. Kestenholz, our beloved "Katie", directs Mrs. Frieda Harms, Mrs. Harriet Fiech, Mrs. Schuler, and Mrs. Fontaine, and does a fine job of meal planning, preparation, and keeping the cafeteria attractive. Shortages of staple foods have not made her job easier, but still our cafeteria meals are attractive, delicious, and nutritious.

Besides being our chief cooks and bottle washers, these ladies were the cause of publicity for our school. When our first meatless day was observed on Wednesday, November 4th, reporters from Chicago newspapers came out and not only took pictures but also enjoyed one of Katie's delicious meals.

Around the Sports Clock

With Our Athletes

Football—The Will to Win

Overconfident because of four straight wins, the Trojans had visions of the Conference Championship only to have them dimmed by an under-rated but hard fighting Lake Forest eleven.

The Trojans ended the season by losing a close fought game to Libertyville, wiping out all chances of even a tie for the Championship.

Basketball—Hard Fighting Cagers

The basketball team led by Coach Lester Galitz, had one of the most successful seasons in the history of the school. The boys brought thrills to the home town folks by winning all home games. During the season the squad beat such outstanding schools as Evanston, Maine, New Trier, Libertyville, and Waukegan. Too bad the Libertyville game didn't count for the regional, as they came back to trim us in the semifinals of the Waukegan tournaments.

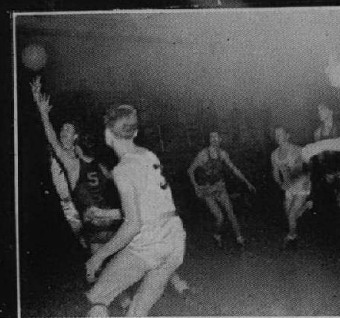
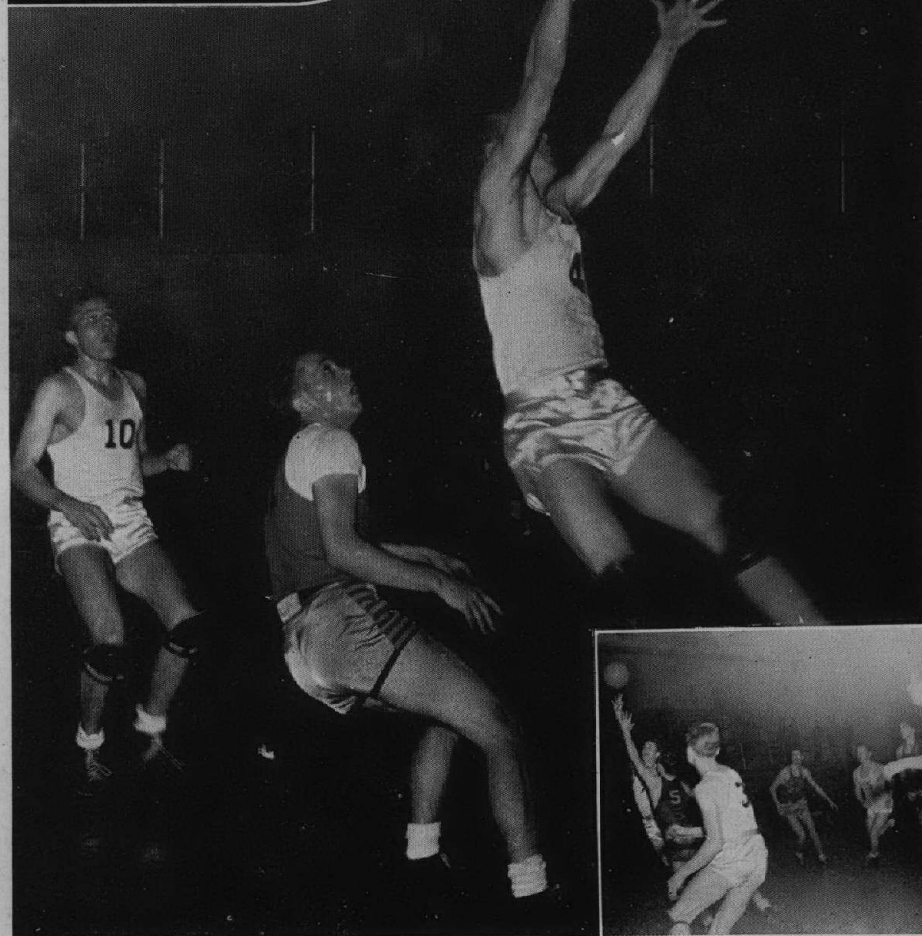
Swimming—Actions Aquatic

The Trojan swimming team, like the track and baseball teams, was kept down in the shadow of defeat all season, losing six straight meets against larger North Shore schools. The bad showing of the team was due to the fact that there was not enough interest in the sport and thus not enough material.

There is always another year, so come on fellows, get behind your team!

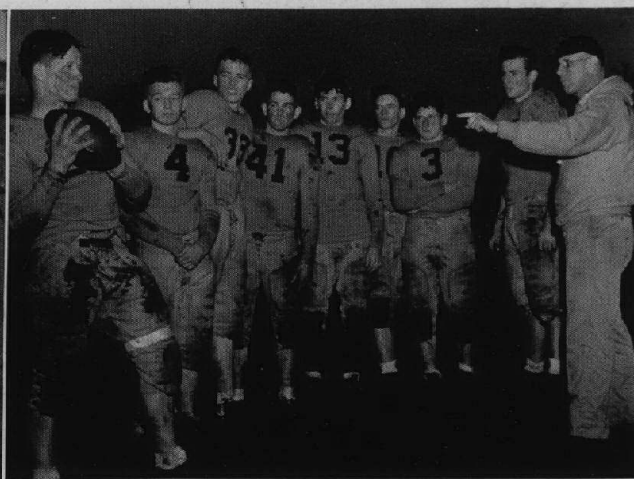
Track—(To May 1)

The Trojan tracksters did not fare so well this season due to the fact that they could not win their field events. The Trojans were led by Howie Johnston, whose fine showing in the mile and half mile events was not sufficient to spark his team to victory.



Baseball—(To May 1)

Lack of hits and an abundance of errors kept the Trojans away from victory in their first three games. The pitching staff made up of "Butch" Glauner and Rollie Poehlmann kept the opposing teams down to an average of 7 hits; but the opposing teams kept the Trojans down to an average of 2 hits, spelling defeat for the home team.



Footballers

NORTHEAST CONFERENCE FOOTBALL STANDINGS

1942

	WON	LOST	TIED
LIBERTYVILLE	4	0	2
LAKE FOREST	4	0	2
ARLINGTON	4	2	0
NILES TWP.	3	2	1
LEYDEN	2	2	2
WARREN	2	4	0
WOODSTOCK	1	4	1
CRYSTAL LAKE....	0	6	0

Eugene Paulsen—center... A junior who won't be back next year, although he probably would have played a lot of center in '43.

Bruce Gifford—center... Another junior from whom "Mr. Ike" expects a lot of play next fall.

Ed Dean—guard... One of the few sophs to make the varsity this year. He ought to be of value come fall.

Frank Boufford—guard... A junior who played a good steady game. Always to be relied upon.

Jim Rau—guard... In his last year, he was really a capable ball player, although his ability was not shown in every game.

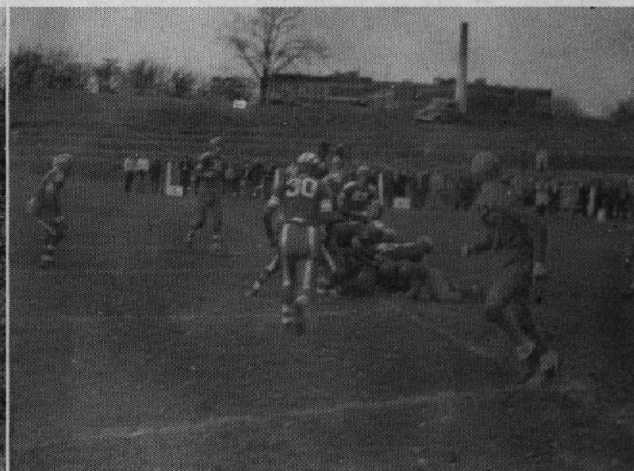
Fred Tolzien—tackle... A junior who developed into a regular in the latter part of last season.

Jack Reiland—tackle... Jack, playing his last year, was a good, consistent, tough player, particularly good on defensive play. He was elected as the team's most valuable player.

Roger Bailey—guard... A senior who improved as the season went along although injuries kept him out most of the year.

Roland Piastrelli—tackle... Another junior who began to play ball at the end of the season.

Bill Carroll—end... Bill, a senior, was a good consistent defensive player who broke up opponents' end plays.



Duke Hezner—end . . . A senior and 4 year man who came around well in his last year.

Dick Boyd—end . . . Dick, a senior, was kept out most of the season by injuries.

Richard Glauner—end . . . "Butch," another senior, really looked strong at times last fall.

Howard Weldon—quarterback . . . "Hezz," a senior, was a heady quarterback who did a fine job all season.

Jack Ritter—quarterback . . . Jack, a junior, was a fine blocker and tackler who should be a real help next fall

Helmut Biegert—halfback . . . Another four year man who deserves a lot of credit. His main ability was his speed and agility.

Leroy Kuhn—halfback . . . A junior who looked better as a sophomore. He's a speedy ball player.

Jack Harrer—fullback . . . Another junior, Jack played a consistent game. He was a good, dependable kicker.

Chuck Gockenbach—halfback . . . A junior who played his first year on the varsity. He found himself at the end of the season.

Joe Gagliardo—fullback . . . A sophomore who developed into the team's most consistent ground gainer. Unfortunately, he transferred to St. Mel's at mid-year.

Ed Krupa—halfback . . . Ed, a senior, was one of the team's best all around ball players. He was elected honorary captain by his teammates.

Jack Fredericks—halfback . . . Another soph that came through, Jack displayed his ability as both a good kicker and fine pass receiver.

Jack Kittredge—guard . . . A fracture laid Jack, a senior, out most of the season although he really would have been a big help.

Robert Denley—guard . . . Bob, a junior, was especially strong on defense. If he returns next year, he will play regularly.

NILES FOOTBALL RECORD 1942

NILES	OPPONENTS	
25	EVANSTON J. V.	0
13	LEYDEN	6
25	CRYSTAL LAKE	7
19	WARREN	7
0	LAKE FOREST	21
12	WOODSTOCK	12
19	LIBERTYVILLE	25

1. VARSITY FOOTBALL

Front Row, Left to Right: H. Biegert, D. Christensen, J. Gagliardo, J. Ritter, E. Krupa, E. Dean, J. Rau, I. Reiland, R. Piastrelli. Second Row: F. Tolzien, F. Boufford, D. Hezner, W. Carroll, H. Weldon, E. Paulsen, B. Gifford, E. Podolinsky, C. Gockenbach. Third Row: Coach H. Isaacson, L. Kuhn, J. Fredericks, R. Boyd, J. Harrer, R. Glauner, R. Denley, R. Bailey, Mgr. M. Voyvodich.

2. THE WILL TO WIN

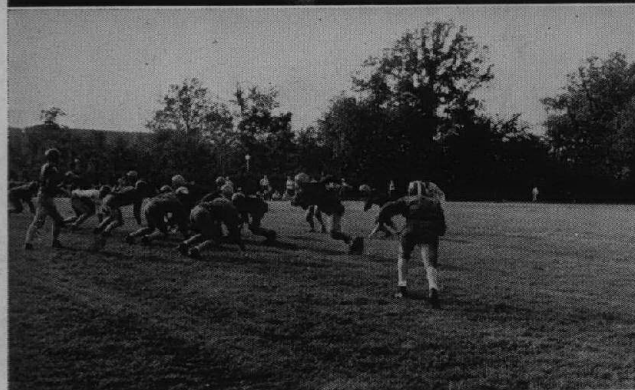
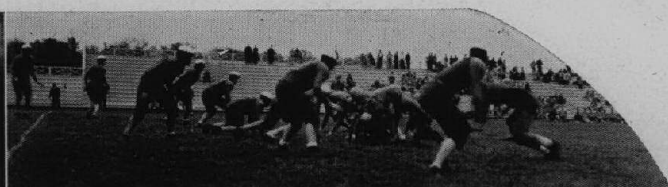
The Trojans' hopes for the conference championship were flying high when they defeated Warren, last year's champs, for their third straight conference win.

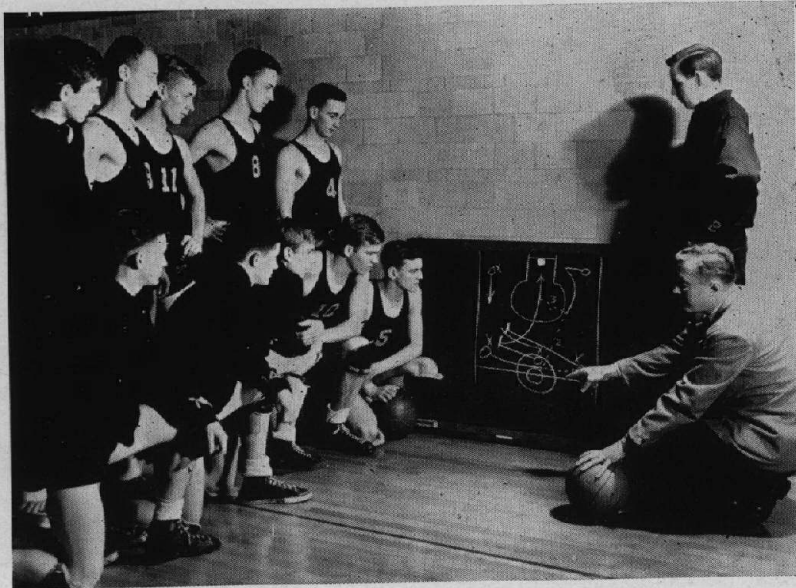
3. OPENING GAME

Tearing off the cover of the 42-43 sports calendar, the Trojans took on a perennially tough Evanston Jr. team and defeated them despite the lack of sufficient practice.

4. LOCKER ROOM SESSION

Waiting to pounce on the enemy, the team absorbs one of Coach Isaacson's pre-game pep talks.





VARSITY BASKETBALL
 FRONT ROW, Left to Right: C. Gockenbach, E. Krupa, H. Barkow, R. Krewer, H. Weldon, Coach L. Galitz, Mgr. M. Hermes.
 BACK ROW: R. Glauner, R. Glatz, W. Stockfisch, W. Randquist, W. Carroll.

The Players—

Dick Krewer—Senior—guard and forward. Dick was one of the best on defense, although he really showed his ability on both offensive and defensive rebounding. In addition, Dick was right in there pitching when it came to scoring.

Hank Barkow—Senior—guard . . . Hank was one of those who missed the glory in the games but really stuck it out and took a beating in his last year.

"Hezzie" Weldon—Senior—guard . . . Another fellow who started as a freshman and kept right on up, "Hezz" played plenty of guard for the Trojans this year. Elected honorary captain at the close of the season, he was an excellent guard as well as a good shot.

Ed Krupa—Senior—forward and guard. After a late start, and handicapped by a bad knee, Ed came around to cover his man in every game and to drop in some telling points when they were most needed.

Bill Randquist—Senior—forward and center . . . Another of the four year men who really worked hard. Bill was plagued by illness in his first three years, keeping him out of action quite a bit of the time. A good rebounder and possessor of a good one-hand shot.

OUR COACH

Nilehi's loss was Uncle Sam's gain as Lieutenant Lester Galitz discarded that black suit so familiar on the Nilehi bench this winter, for the Navy blue at the close of the basketball season. Head basketball coach for three years, he gave Nilehi its first conference basketball championship in the 1941-42 season. Respected and well liked by the players, he was a key man in every team he coached. Not only the teams that he led but the entire school really misses him and wishes him

all the success in the world in encountering a tougher enemy than he ever faced in his years as player and coach.

Bill Stockfisch—Senior—forward and center . . . One of the four Bills on the team, Bill Stockfisch was noted for his great support to the team when the going was tough. An able shot, and fine defensive man.

Chuck Gockenbach—Junior—guard . . . One of the two juniors on the varsity, Chuck got plenty of seasoning this year, and should lead the team on to new heights next winter. Chuck showed particular ability on defense.

"Butch" Glauner—Senior—forward . . . A four year man who was the life of the team. When "Butch" entered the game, it always took on a new beat. A real ball hawk, and good shot.

Bill Carroll—Senior—forward and guard . . . A particularly able defensive player who really got into the opposing teams' hair all the way down the floor. One of the strongest teeth in the Trojan attack, with speed and a sharp eye.

Bob Glatz—Senior—forward . . . Bob led the Trojan scoring and was a real offensive threat with his uncanny long shots. An able rebounder and wide-awake defensive player, he really deserved the honor of "most valuable player" bestowed upon him by his mates.

Mike Hermes—Manager. Here's a boy who deserved a lot of credit. He didn't get in there to get the cheers, but he was out there for every practice and every game.

Not on Picture

Bill Shay—Junior—forward . . . Bill came in at mid-season, and consequently took a while to catch on to the Trojan style of play although he managed to show his ability in making bewildering long shots on several occasions.

Undefeated On Home Floor—



New Trier November 17

True to an old Trojan custom, the team found itself on the short end of the score in the season opener, falling to New Trier 40-34, making a poor showing on both offense and defense. The score was close only because the Trevians' play was equally as poor.

Evanston November 20

The Trojans were whipped solidly by Evanston, and tasted their second straight defeat 40-27. The Trojans, however, did not lose hope, for it was remembered that last year's championship Trojan five looked equally bad in its first two contests. In addition, the schedule this year also made it possible for the Trojans to gain revenge for both of these defeats.

Leyden December 4

The Niles quintet finally hit its stride, winning its home opener over a hapless Leyden five 44-17. The team clicked on both offense and defense and looked to have regained its 1941-42 confidence.

Maine December 5

Niles travelled to Maine and lost a heartbreaker, 41-39 in the final seconds of play. After the Trojans led by 2 points at the half, Maine turned the tables on the team by outspeeding and outbreacking them. The game showed the team that they still had plenty of room for improvement.

Evanston J. V. December 11

The team still looked weak in defeating the Jr. Wildkits 37-31 although holding the upper hand throughout the game.

Evanston December 18

The Trojans won their 3rd straight home victory by upsetting overconfident Evanston 48-47 to gain revenge for the earlier defeat administered to us by the same team only a month previous. The team played about the best game of the season, and undoubtedly the most exciting. In view of this victory, the '42-'43 team became the first Trojan team in Niles history to defeat Evanston. Behind by 7 points with a little over two minutes to play, the Trojans put on the pressure, dropping in the winning basket with less than 30 seconds left to play.

Waukegan December 30

The Trojans travelled to Waukegan during the Christmas vacation to succumb to the away game jinx and lose a heartbreaker to a powerful Waukegan team 33-32.

Alumni January 9

Battling without the services of Bob Glatz, high scoring forward, the Trojans knocked off the best of Niles' grads 43-32 in a struggle that was much closer than the score indicated. In a rough game, the team pulled away only in the closing minutes after a see-saw battle through the first three quarters. The victory was the team's fourth straight home victory. However, the Trojans had yet to win an away contest.

Zion-Benton January 15

Niles travelled to Zion City to encounter a tall Zion-Benton team. In a slow moving game the Trojans won handily, 42-20, controlling the ball most of the game. The team took an early lead, and was never headed.

Libertyville January 22

The Trojans fell victim to the away game jinx once more in a "rip-snorting" battle, 34-32. The game was plenty rough, as one "ref" was missing, and the other had his hands full watching the ball. The game left the Trojans with another call for revenge in a later contest.

Leyden January 29

Experimenting with a new "man to man zone all over the floor" defense in the first half, the Niles five ran into unexpected trouble at Leyden, behind at the half 26-25. However, abandoning the new tactics, the Trojans wiped up the hapless Eagles to roll up a 53-37 victory.

New Trier February 6

The Trojans played what was probably their best game of the year before a home crowd to gain a revenge victory over highly touted New Trier. The Trojans were hit solidly by the Trojan onslaught, and fell to the tune of a 44-28 score. The game was the Trojans' second successful revenge game of the year, and was recorded as our fifth consecutive home victory.

Zion-Benton February 11

Playing at home again, the team took a thrilling 49-48 contest from a hot, battling Zion-Benton team which led until late in the last quarter when the Trojans finally slipped into the lead and kept it through the last seconds of play. The game showed the Trojans that they were still far from ready for the regional tournament only three weeks away.

Libertyville—February 19

Gaining revenge for an earlier defeat, the Trojans showed the home crowd that they really had what it takes by overwhelming the Libertyville Wildcats by a lop-sided score of 66-42. Following this game, the experts rated the Trojans as a strong contender in the oncoming regional tournament at Waukegan.

Maine—February 26

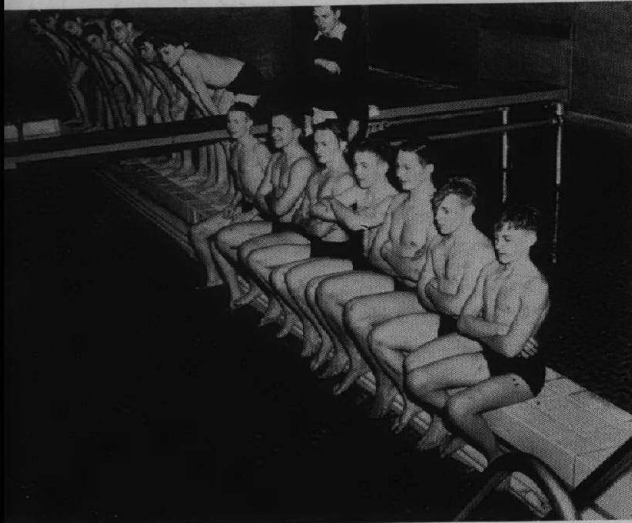
Eight Trojan seniors played their last home game for Niles in whipping the Demons from Maine who had beaten them 40-39 earlier in the season. This revenge victory for the Gold and Blue gave Niles the first unblemished home record in its history. The Trojans took the lead after a slow start to head the Demons all the way for win number 10.

Waukegan Tournament

The Trojans opened the Waukegan tournament by defeating the host school 37-31 in a game that was a deadlock until the last minute. Particularly encouraging was the large group of Trojan rooters who made the long trip to be there and watch their team in action. Two nights later however, the fellows had a bad night, when everything seemed to go wrong, and the Trojans bowed out of the tournament to Libertyville 32-24. It seemed the whole team was "off the beam" all at once. The season was over, but the boys had the satisfaction of holding at least one victory over every opposing team this year.



Swimming, Reserve Basketball,



SWIMMING

H. Reynolds, F. Borneman, R. Dobroth, R. Didier, J. Ohlson, C. Massman, D. Lyon, Mgr. R. Roegner, E. Fredericks, J. Gafford, R. Kirscht, T. Cook, A. Wittorf, D. Christensen, J. Tagney.

Although the swimming team did not make the best showing this season, the whole school owes them a vote of thanks. It's mighty easy to stick with a winning team, but the fellows really worth while are those who can keep on practicing and trying—win or lose. That's what our swimmers did, and with Fredericks, Wittorf, and Tagney sparking the team, next year is bound to be better.

JUNIOR VARSITY PLAYERS

Art Anderson—guard... "Automatic," a sophomore, was a good defensive player who also had an eye for the basket.

Norm Bailey—guard... "Nosey," was also a good defensive player and a sophomore.

Jack Fredericks—center... Another sophomore, Jack used his height to good advantage all season.

Ed. Heartstedt—forward... A sophomore who played a good, steady game.

Bill Meyer—guard... A junior who wasn't stopped by anyone until the "doc" told him he had better take a rest.

Jim Moore—forward... Both a defensive and offensive star, Jim was elected captain of this year's J.V.'s. This junior should help next year.

Eugene Putnam—center... A junior who was in there fighting all season. Watch him next year.

Ernie Reiman—guard... Switching this sophomore from forward to guard during the season didn't affect his playing ability at all. He still rolled on in good style.

Dick Wilton—guard... Another sophomore who could be depended upon for a good steady game.

Rollie Poehlmann—forward... Rollie, a junior, sparked the team to many of their wins. "Mort" was a real fighter.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

FRONT: N. Bailey; A. Anderson; R. Poehlmann; J. Fredericks; J. Moore; E. Reiman; W. Zust. BACK ROW: G. Thibedeau; J. Price; J. Aliprandi; G. Wagner; F. Tolzien; E. Heartstedt; W. Kunkel; J. Whelan.

CHEERLEADERS, left to right: Marilyn Burns, Junior Varsity; June Ohlson, Varsity Captain; Betty Burns, Varsity.

CHEERLEADERS, Varsity, left to right: Grace Nelson, Betty Farr, Lois Jaycox, Nancy Cates.



PREDICTION

Swimming in a group, to form the familiar "V," the Trojan swimmers predict their season outcome.

Varsity Basketball 1942-43

Niles 34—New Trier 40
Niles 27—Evanston 40
Niles 40—Maine 41
Niles 44—Leyden 17
Niles 37—Evanston J. V. 31
Niles 48—Evanston 47
Niles 32—Waukegan 33
Niles 43—Alumni 32
Niles 40—Zion-Benton 20
Niles 32—Libertyville 34
Niles 53—Leyden 37
Niles 44—New Trier 28
Niles 49—Zion-Benton 48
Niles 66—Libertyville 42
Niles 53—Maine 39
Niles 37—Waukegan 31
Niles 24—Libertyville 32

Varsity Team

Won 11—Lost 6—Pct. .647
Pts. Scored 703—Opponents 602

Junior Varsity Basketball 1942-43

Niles 25—New Trier 30
Niles 19—Evanston 40
Niles 27—Leyden 11
Niles 17—Maine 37
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Niles 28—Evanston 21
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Niles 40—Maine 23

Baseball and Track



BOTTOM ROW: R. Poshlmann, pitcher; W. Shay, 1B; J. Moore, RF; E. Podolinsky, RF; R. Piacastrelli, C; E. Krupa, 2B; C. Gockenbach, SS; R. Sandin, 3B; G. Wagner, RF; R. Glauner, pitcher. TOP ROW: C. Bernard, LF; W. Nissen, 2B; C. Valkenaar, CF; R. Krewer, LF; M. Dinelli, pitcher; H. Barkow, pitcher; H. Biegert, LF; B. Gifford, CF; B. Anderson, SS; N. Kent, coach.



The Niles Township Track team of 1943 is as follows: Coach Dees, B. Gafford, J. Suydam, H. Langan, A. Schroeder, H. Meinke, C. Massman, P. Kapouri, M. Alterini, W. Walmsley, N. Hall, J. Ehmer, H. Johnston and L. Kuhn, the Trojans' two sure-fire point winners this season, must have been afraid of the camera man, for they were absent when the picture was made.

BASEBALL

Weak hitting and poor fielding, both probably caused by cold weather which cut practice time sharply, was responsible for the loss of the first two ball games played this year. The work of the two pitchers, Glauner and Poshlmann, was outstanding in both games, but weak support from the rest of the team marred their fine work.

In spite of the two early season losses, steady improvement was noted in the practice and with a break from the weather the Trojans are certain to cop some of their remaining contests.

TRACK

Strength in the distance runs and weakness in the field placed the Trojan tracksters behind the eight ball this season.

Coach Dees, handicapped by the lack of veterans, still was able to turn out a team that was capable of challenging any other team on the North Shore. The Trojans were led by Howie Johnston, undefeated in the mile and half mile events, and Leo Kuhn, who broke track records in the 220 and the pole vault events.

All Niles is looking forward to next year when Coach Dees will exhibit a team composed of ten of this year's regulars and plenty of capable reserves.



They Grunt and Groan—

No, these three pictures are not advance notices of those two movie sensations, "Commandos Strike at Dawn" and "Tarzan Swings Out" with an all star Nilehi cast. Chicago Daily News Photographers took these to tell the world that our school has one of the best—and toughest!—obstacle courses around. The school got another publicity break when Mr. Isaacson and Mr. Mackey wrote

an article for the nationally circulated magazine "School Shop," which also featured the pictures.

Below George Thibedeau seems to have his best foot forward leading the way over the wall while John Schmidt is really getting down to earth. After completing this course, tank warfare, jeep riding, or paratrooping will seem positively tame.



Thank you!

The following people have spent long hours and earnest effort in producing this year book. If the annual has succeeded in presenting the school in a favorable and attractive light, that success is due to these individuals:

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The following people, regular staff members, are mighty thankful to the above, and also mighty glad that this, the last page, is finished.

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