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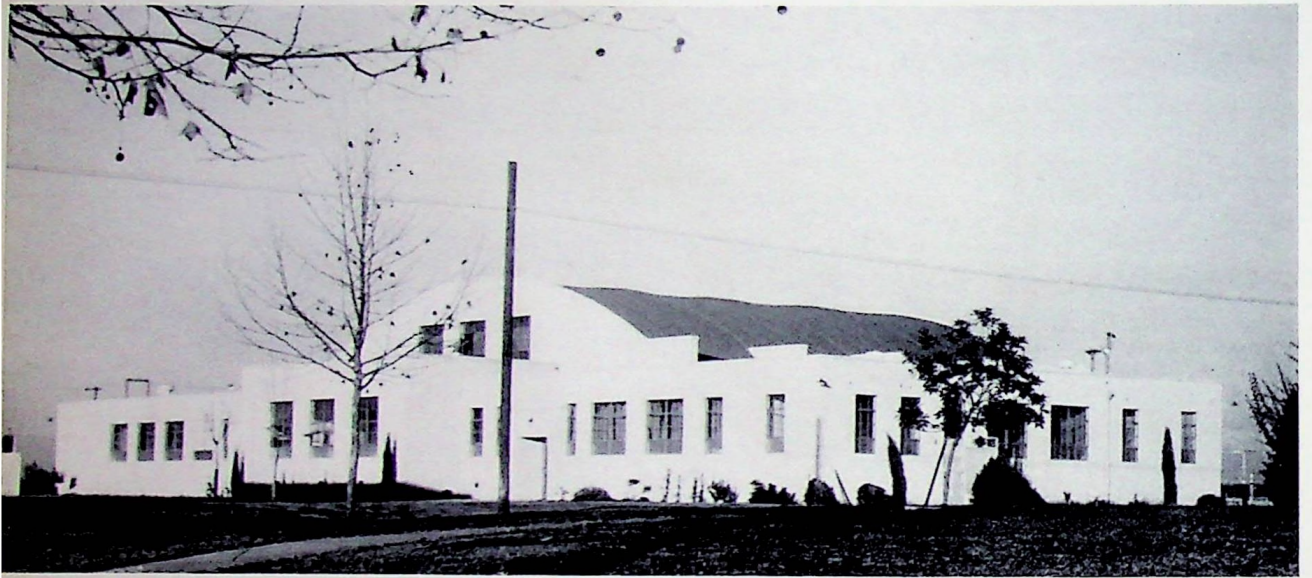
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## FOREWORD

Today science is a vital factor in the perpetuation of our American Ideals and of our Freedom. Realizing its importance in the future life of a high school student, whether or not he continues his formal education, we the class of "42" have adopted science as our theme.

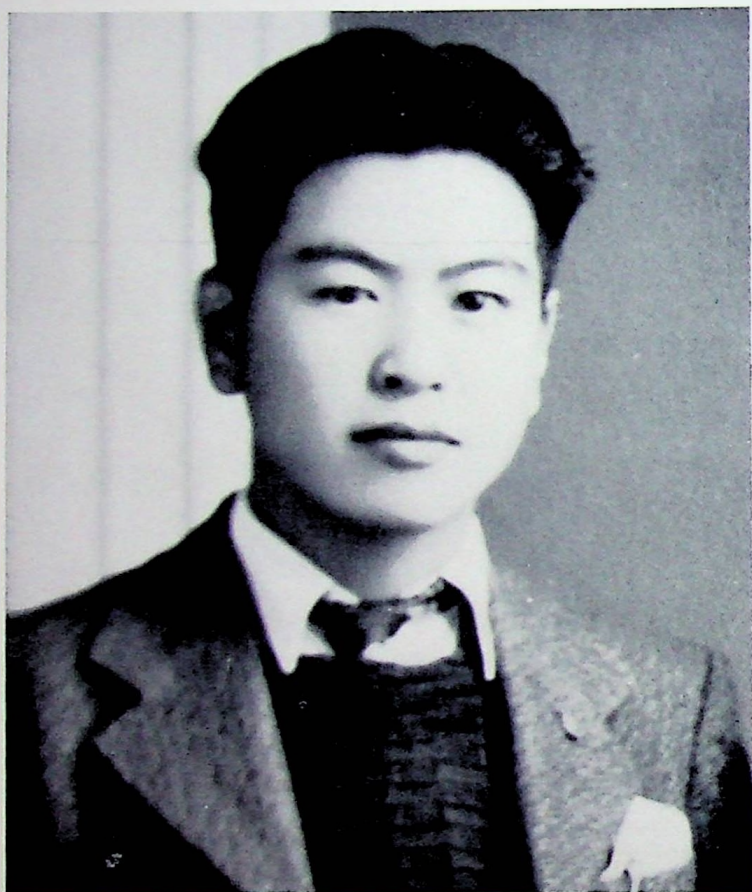
We hope that in this Viking we have given you a complete analysis of the past year at Kingsburg High.

# DEDICATION

To Mrs. Elsa Smith, teacher and advisor who has our friendship as well as our respect, we, the class of '42" dedicate this Viking annual.







# IN MEMORIAM

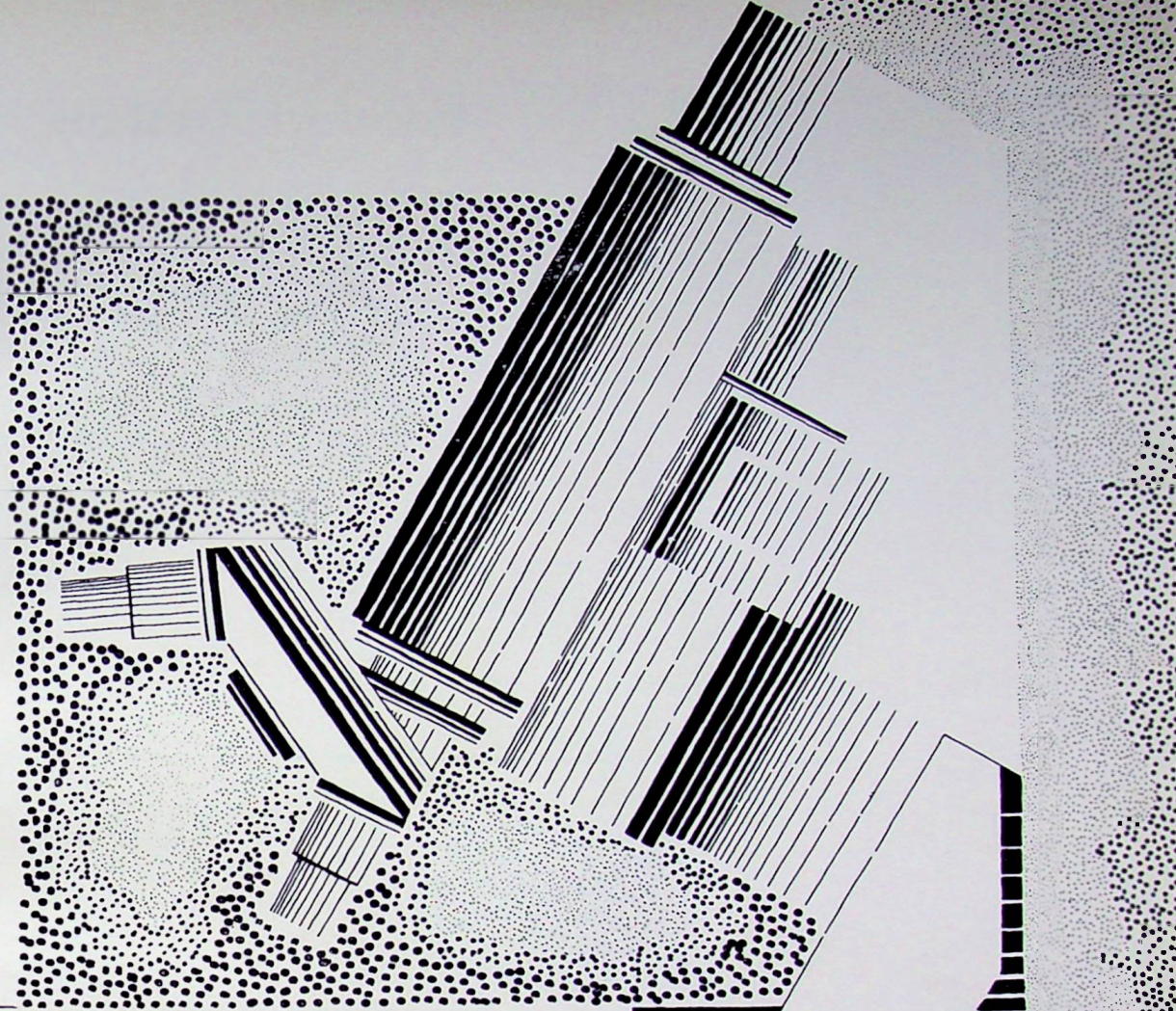
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## GEORGE MATSUOKA

"Leaf after leaf drops off, flower after flower,  
Some in the chill, some in the warmer hour:  
Alike they flourish and alike they fall  
And earth who nourished them receives them all.  
Should we, her wiser sons, be less content  
To sink into her lap when life is spent?"

—By Walter Savage Landor

# THE SCHOOL



Bill Avery

## Board of Trustees



Dr. Ewald Larson



Mr. Harry Aslan



Mr. Enoch Nystrom



Mr. Edward Berg

The trustees are essential to the high school as a scientist is to the laboratory. It is their duty to supervise the functions of the school. Their wise leadership is very essential to a successful school, and they are chosen carefully. Our trustees are responsible for another happy and successful school year and we wish to heartily thank them.



Mr. Emil Johanson  
President

# Administration

Free public education is truly the keystone of American Democracy. It extols the integrity and dignity of the individual. It trains him for his own sake, not primarily for the sake of the state. In reality free public education is at one and the same time the child and protector of democracy.

The youth of America is a product of this free public education, and it is through the influence of



Miss Faye McDaniel  
Secretary



Mr. Ejnar C. Peterson  
Vice-Principal



Mr. John F. Pierce  
Principal

this system of education that the young people of today possess an abiding faith in the integrity of democracy as a way of life.

To assure the continuance of this way of life, we must understand, teach, and practice tolerance and respect for the rights and privileges of others. We must so train ourselves to accept these principles as fundamental tenets of democratic living that our greatest institution FREE EDUCATION shall endure.

It is to the furtherance and guarantee of these rights and privileges that the facilities of your high school have been dedicated.

# Faculty



Miss Jeanette Arbios  
Social Science and Na-  
tional Development.

Miss Virginia Breed  
Freshmen English and  
Forensics.



Miss Rose Chaplin  
National Development.

Mr. William Bunger  
Boys' Physical Education  
and Coach.

Mrs. Ruth Croft  
Typing and Shorthand.



Mr. Lloyd Darley  
Shop and Background of  
World Problems.

Mr. Carl M. Dodson  
Problems of a Democ-  
racy and Background of  
World Problems.

Miss Grace Devereaux  
School Nurse.



Mr. Gilbert Ewan  
Chemistry, Physics, Al-  
gebra, Plane Geometry.

Mr. Truman Frane  
Agriculture.



# Faculty

Mrs. Betty Hilliard  
Art.

Mr. George Henderson  
Typing, Bookkeeping,  
Business Training, and  
Commercial Law.



Mr. Frank Lumpe  
Auto Mechanics.

Miss Bernice Newbecker  
Home Economics.



Mr. Ejnar Peterson  
Mathematics.



Mrs. Pauline Nordstrom  
English II, English IV,  
Dean of Girls.



Mr. Elwyn Schwartz  
Band, Orchestra Cho-  
rus.

Mrs. Jean Smith  
Girls' Physical Educa-  
tion.



Mrs. Elsa Smith  
Library Science, Biol-  
ogy, General Science,  
Background of World  
Problems.

Mrs. Olive K. Wallace  
English II, Spanish,  
Latin.





First Row: M. Hansen, J. Andrews, D. Danielson, B. Swanson, M. Carlstrom, C. Klamroth, J. Bishop. Second Row: J. Nakata, E. Swenson, J. Wallin, K. Nordstrom, J. Clark, D. Peterson. Third Row: G. McNary, P. Olson, H. Johnson, K. Vaughn, D. Trabing, Mr. Peterson, advisor.



Ted Hallsten, President.

## Student Body

Under the direction of capable officers supported by students and faculty, the board of managers has terminated a successful year for that important organization, the student body.

The board of managers is composed of the student body officers and the President, Vice President, and Treasurer of each class. Its duties are to provide and arrange the activities of the school.

The various activities sponsored by the student body, are the programs, lyceums, athletics, concessions at the games, student body card sales, and inter-school contests.

In completing this year, the board of managers feel that the above enterprises have been very worthwhile.

### STUDENT BODY OFFICERS

President	- - - -	Ted Hallsten	Pianist	- - - -	Janet Wallin
Vice President	-	Eleanore Swensen	Yell Leaders	- - -	Mildred Hansen
Secretary	- - -	Joyce Bishop			Shigema Okuno
Treasurer	- -	Katherine Nordstrom			Jimmy Mack
Business Manager	- -	Philip Olson	Song Leaders	- -	Bertha Swanson
Sergeant at Arms	- -	Kenneth Vaughn			Lowell Nelson



Top Row: Mr. Dodson, G. McNary, S. Okuno, Mrs. Smith. Bottom Row: E. Christiansen, M. Carlstrom, B. Swanson, P. Crouch.



Donald Trabling, President.

## Senior Class of '42

As we dissect the years we have spent at Kingsburg High we find many interesting events which have made our years successful.

Entering High School as little, inexperienced Freshmen, we started the year by defeating the Sophomores in the Annual Brawl. We were guests of honor at a reception given by the Seniors.

As Sophomores we again won the brawl. Each year we have had several parties which have been enjoyed by all.

The highlight of our Junior year was the patriotic Junior-Senior Banquet which was successful. The Junior Play "Almost Eighteen" was enjoyed by everyone who attended. At the end of the year we had a picnic which we won through interclass sports and contests.

Beginning our Senior year we entertained the Freshies at a reception. Senior Dress Up Day presented an interesting parade of costumes.

The Senior Play, "The Hutchinsons, Bless Them," was well received by the audience. The Juniors gave us a very fine banquet. The highlights of our four years, however, were Baccalaureate and Commencement.

We, as Seniors feel that these days at K. H. S. have been exciting as well as successful. It is with deep sadness that we end our days at Kingsburg High.

# Seniors



John Aquiar  
Football.



Efra Ahlstrand  
Girls' "K".



Stanley Ahlstrand  
Football 3, 4, Basket-  
ball 4; F. F. A. 1, 2,  
3, 4; Boys' "K".



Michiko Ando  
Girls' "K"; Forensics.



Virgil Anderson  
Bristora, Nebraska.



Betty Avery  
G. O. S. Officer;  
Girls' "K".

Bill Avery  
Annual Staff; Foot-  
ball 4; Forensics 3,  
Boys' "K".



Harold Berger  
Football 3, 4; Junior  
Play; Boys' "K";  
Hi-Y.



Joyce Bishop  
C. S. F.; Viking News;  
Annual Staff; Student  
Body Officer; Girls'  
"K"; Forensics.

Edna Bjork  
Orchestra 1.

John Brillhart  
Baseball 2, 3, 4.



Emma Bujulian  
Girls' "K"; Girls'  
Athletic Manager.

Marjorie Carlstrom  
Annual Staff; Class  
Officer.

Evelynne Christiansen  
Annual Staff; Class  
Officer.



# Class of '42

Pearl Crouch  
Girls' "K"; Tennis 3;  
Volleyball 1; Baseball  
1; G. O. S. Council;  
Viking News; Junior  
Play.

Juno Daves  
Girls' "K"; Volleyball  
1; Baseball 1.



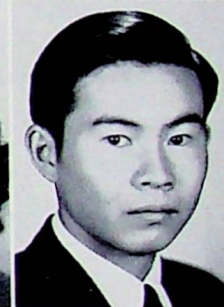
Roy Dequchi  
C. S. F.; Football 2,  
3, 4; Basketball 1, 2,  
3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4;  
Boys' "K".

Raymond DeYarmin  
Hi-Y; Baseball 3, 4.

Roger Erickson  
Band, 2, 3.



Shirley Erickson  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Student Director.



Sumiko Ezaki  
Chorus 1, 2, 4.

Chester Fukagawa  
Football 3; F. F. A.  
1, 2, 3, 4.



Cecelia Garcia  
Chorus 3, 4.

Ted Hallsten  
Student Body Presi-  
dent; Football 2, 3,  
4; Baseball 2, 3, 4;  
C. S. F.; Hi-Y Presi-  
dent; Boys' "K"; Red  
Cross Council.

Chiyo Hirakawa  
Interclass Sports; Or-  
chestra 1, 2.



Albert Hovnanian  
Track 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y;  
Baseball 2, 3, 4;  
Boys' "K".

Gloria Howell  
Girls' "K"; Baseball  
1.

Marqie Jackson  
Chorus 1, 3.

# Seniors



Gladys Jacobson  
Girls' "K"; G. O. S.  
Officer.

Thelma Jacobson  
G. O. S. Council;  
Class Officer.



Abe Janzen  
Track 2, 3, 4; Annual  
Staff; Boys' "K";  
Hi-Y; Tennis 1; C. S.  
F. President; Red  
Cross Council Presi-  
dent.

Merilyn Johnson  
Band 1, 2; Chorus 4.

Amos Kleinsasser  
Bakersfield High  
School; Track 4; Hi-Y.

Pauline Kolander  
Junior Play; G. O. S.  
Officer; Viking News.

Fred Lawn  
Interclass Sports.

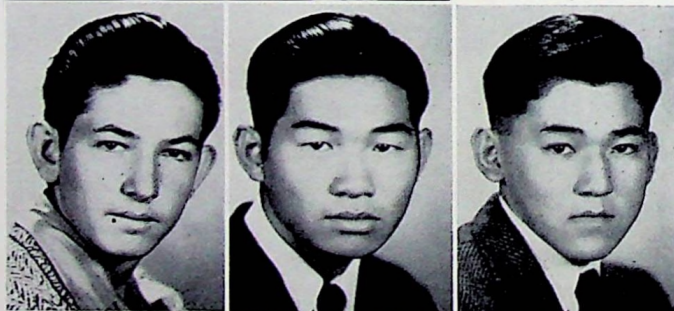


Donald Leaf  
Football 4; Basket-  
ball 4.

Jimmy Mack  
Hi-Y; Viking News;  
Junior Play; Basket-  
ball 1, 2.

Masayuki Matsushita  
Interclass Sports.

Tohoru Matsushima  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Football 4.



Shizuko Matsuoka  
Girls' "K".

Gordon McNary  
Annual Staff; Foren-  
sics; Class Officer.



# Class of '42

Priscilla Mentzel  
Parlier High School.

Genevieve Meyers  
Glee Club, Junior  
Play.



Bonnyline Miller  
Interclass Sports.

Michiko Mizutani  
Glee Club 1.

Willis Nelson  
Basketball 1; Hi-Y;  
Viking News; Track 4.



Katherine Nordstrom  
Viking News Editor;  
Forensics; Class Of-  
ficer; Dance Commit-  
tee; G. O. S. Officer;  
Red Cross Council;  
Student Body Officer;  
Junior Play.



Tokio Ohashi  
F. F. A. 1; Track 2, 3;  
Baseball 2, 3, 4.

Shigema Okuno  
Forensics, Red Cross  
Council; Viking News;  
Track 3, 4; Basketball  
1, 2, 3, 4; Student  
Body Officer.



Bonnie Olson

James Olson  
Oakland; Hi-Y;  
Dance Committee;  
Football 4.

Philip Olson  
Student Body Officer;  
Football 2, 3, 4; Jun-  
ior Play; Hi-Y; Viking  
News; Boys' "K".



Chikiye Osaki  
Interclass Sports.

John Peterson  
Bakersfield.

# Seniors



Phyllis Peterson  
Chorus 3, 4; Orchestra 4.

Lois Phillips  
Interclass Sports.



Jack Puckett  
Orchestra 3, Band 1, 2.

Bob Quattrin  
Football 4; Hi-Y; Baseball 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Boys' "K".

Betty Robb

Norman Rosander  
Football 4; Boys' "K".

Robert Rouch  
C. S. F. Life Membership; Viking News Editor; Class Officer; Hi-Y; Basketball 3; Football 3, 4; Dance Committee; Annual Staff.



Glen Rudholm  
Interclass Sports

Galen Rydelius  
Baseball 1, 2.

Ruby Safarjian  
Volleyball 1; Baseball 1; Girls' "K".

Betty Seto  
Interclass Sports.



Shirley Shellstrom  
Junior Play; Baseball 1; Girls' "K".

Suzuko Shimoide



# Class of '42

Frances Smelser  
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Major-  
jorette 1, 2, 3.

Calvin Strid  
Junior Play.



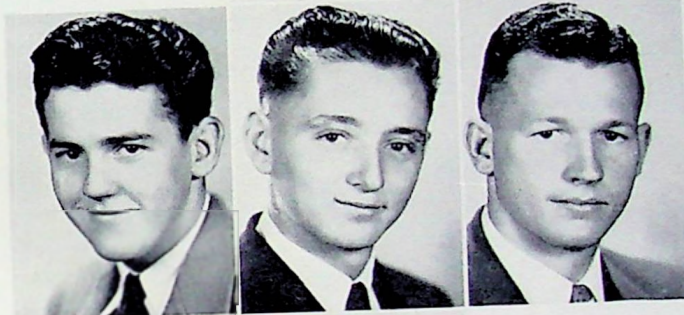
Bertha Swanson  
Viking News; G. O.  
S. Council; Class Of-  
ficer; Student Body  
Officer.

Eleanor Swenson  
Student Body Officer;  
Junior Play; Class  
Officer; Viking News;  
G. O. S. Council.

Helen Swenson  
Junior Play.



Donald Trabing  
Football 1, 4; Base-  
ball 1, 3, 4; Hi-Y;  
Class Officer; Drum  
Major; Boys' "K";  
Dance Committee;  
Viking News.



Andrew Ulrich  
F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Kenneth Vaughan  
Football 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Stu-  
dent Body Officer;  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;  
F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Hi-Y; Boys' "K".



Harvey Witnov  
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Student Director.

Flora Woods

Robert Yano  
Football 1, 4; Basket-  
ball 1, 3, 4; Track 3,  
4; F. F. A. 1, 3, 4.



Kimiko Yoshida  
Girls' "K".

Yoshiya Yoshimoto  
Interclass Sports.



# Juniors



J. Clari,  
Mrs. Wallace,  
Mr. Lumpe.



1st Row: I. Satterstrom, D. Bonander, D. Naile, L. Taylor, B. Michigan, E. Anderson, T. Yamada.  
2nd Row: M. Carlsson, R. Jerpe, L. Nordahl, L. Roseen, J. Monks, M. Shinmoto.

1st Row: M. Beckstrom, A. Anev, E. Christenson, A. Teqelberg, N. La-Corte, G. Gunnarson, L. Yardumian.  
2nd Row: L. Mc-Niel, V. Magnuson, J. Fishel, D. Redemer, R. Anderson, R. Kouns, G. Lawn.



# Class of '43



J. Nakata,  
F. Ralston,  
A. Ellberg,  
D. Danielson.



1st Row: R. Peterson, B. Larson, F. Minnich, G. Sjoberg, A. Cedervall, G. Debaghian, R. Morton.  
2nd Row: G. Lockhart, J. Bonander, R. Cronin, M. Nyberg, H. Paulsen, F. Jacobson.



1st Row: M. Kobota, K. Kataoka, W. Reilly, R. Warren, H. Iwata, G. Ohanessian, C. Rosander.  
2nd Row: G. Parra, V. Wiley.  
3rd Row: D. Larson, L. Gonzales, C. Jacobson, W. Riise, B. Hunt, O. Loyd, F. Sanders.

# Juniors



J. Clark,  
Mrs. Wallace,  
Mr. Lumpe.



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# Sophomores



Mr. Darley, Adviser.  
Herbert Johnson, President.  
Miss Arbias, Adviser.



1st Row: J. Kimura, M. Tagami, W. Rosander, M. Bare, I. Bjork, C. Seaward, L. Nelson.

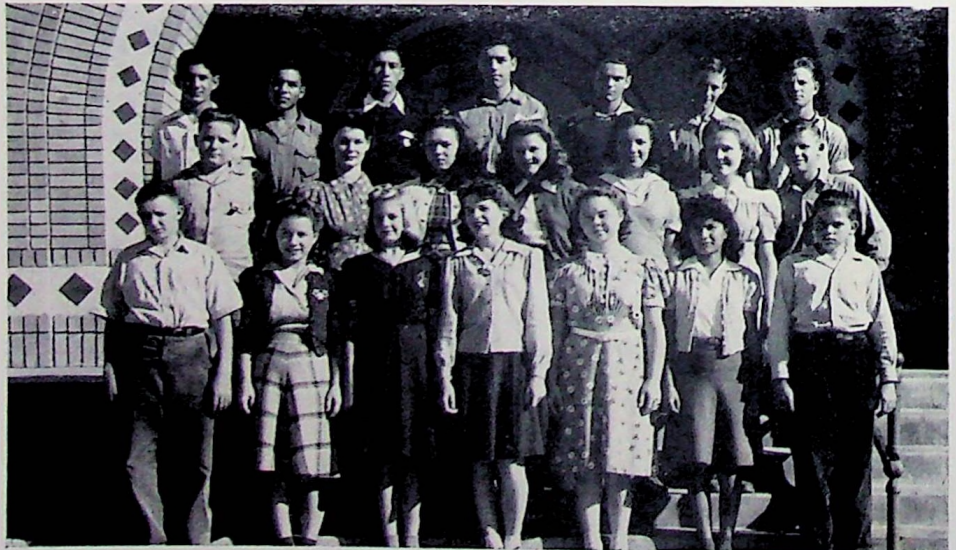
2nd Row: W. Ando, M. Kawano, I. Thompson, G. Pearson, L. McNary, R. Bonander, D. Peterson.

3rd Row: H. Dequchi, W. Hillblom, A. Shaghoian, P. Johnson, G. Hanson, H. Petracchi.

1st Row: L. Levin, H. Bandy, J. Ratliff, D. Batten, M. Kelly, O. Saldana, W. Seaward.

2nd Row: R. Westlund, G. Frazier, C. Nelson, E. Nordstrom, N. Meirsonne, J. Meyers, J. Tabor.

3rd Row: L. Avetikian, S. Garcia, G. Sedillo, R. Stevens, D. Crass, A. Watson, J. Morris.



# Class of '44



Class Officers:  
 1st Row: Mildred Hansen, Judy Andrews.  
 2nd Row: Dorothy Hayes, Edna Strom, Janet Wallin.  
 3rd Row: Bill Reed, Jack Martin.

1st Row: B. Reilly,  
 D. Loaf, F. Norman,  
 L. Lagerstrom, H.  
 Enns, E. Larson, E.  
 Bordson.  
 2nd Row: N. Yo-  
 shida, L. Kolander,  
 M. Anderson, F.  
 Phanson, B. Petris,  
 H. Satterburg, J.  
 Smith.  
 3rd Row: B. Bowen,  
 T. Samuelson, K.  
 Hill, R. Alves, J.  
 Bromark, R. Swans-  
 on.



1st Row: M. Mat-  
 suoka, H. Bungo,  
 K. Devine, M. John-  
 son, T. Murayama,  
 K. Hamada, S. Ya-  
 mada.  
 2nd Row: N. Ya-  
 mada, R. Seto, G.  
 Berg, H. Peterson,  
 C. Rydelius, M.  
 Ohara.  
 3rd Row: K. Yagi,  
 W. Brewer, L.  
 Woods, D. Satter-  
 burg, P. Bystrom,  
 H. Murayama.

# Freshmen



Mrs. J. Smith, Adviser.  
Mr. Ewan, Adviser.  
Douglas Peterson, President.



1st Row: C. Johnson, M. Worley, E. Anderson, L. Anderson, H. Panosian, M. Shimoide, L. Carlson.

2nd Row: H. Molina, M. Munoz, G. Mack, B. Parra, W. Bare, C. Tavares, L. Pendola.

3rd Row: D. Nyström, J. Burnitzki, A. Middleton, W. Nelson, R. Jones, J. Carvalho, D. R. Olson.

1st Row: D. Couch, M. Alves, A. Wells, D. Jones, K. Deguchi, P. Kobata, M. Shiine.

2nd Row: M. Kawano, L. Johnson, A. Hanson, V. Graves, P. Larson, R. Maier, H. Hirakawa.

3rd Row: J. Willems, B. Morgan, T. Rosander, D. Cronin, L. Johnson, C. Johnson, K. Anderson.



# Class of '45



## Class Officers:

1st Row: E. Rice, C. Klamroth, B. Peterson, B. Carlson.  
 2nd Row: B. Johnson, H. Stephens, B. Linman.

1st Row: S. Yagi,  
 J. Isom, B. Cohen,  
 H. Cederquist, F.  
 Overstreet, L.  
 Brand, H. Yamagata.

2nd Row: E. Moore,  
 B. Lucero, C. Eliot,  
 P. Bray, M. Smith,  
 S. Tavez, H. Chabolla.

3rd Row: H. Hallsten,  
 T. Vargas, J.  
 Chester, A. Wells,  
 J. Wells, A. Rameriz,  
 H. Smith,  
 C. B. Forbes.



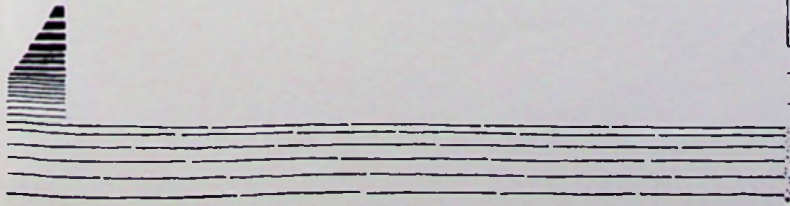
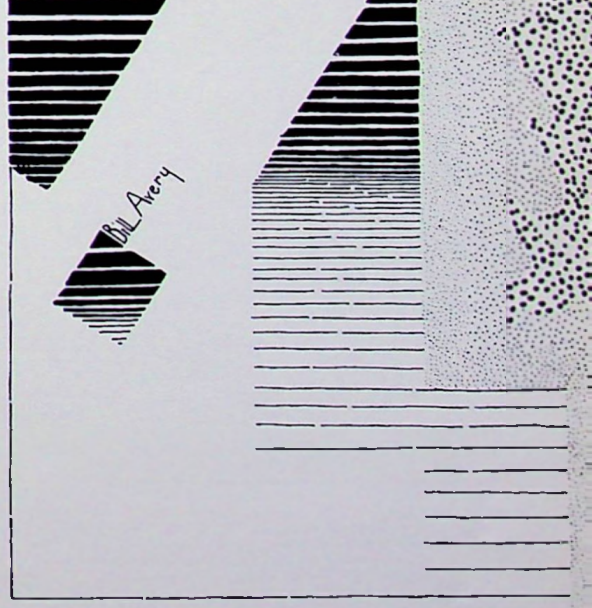
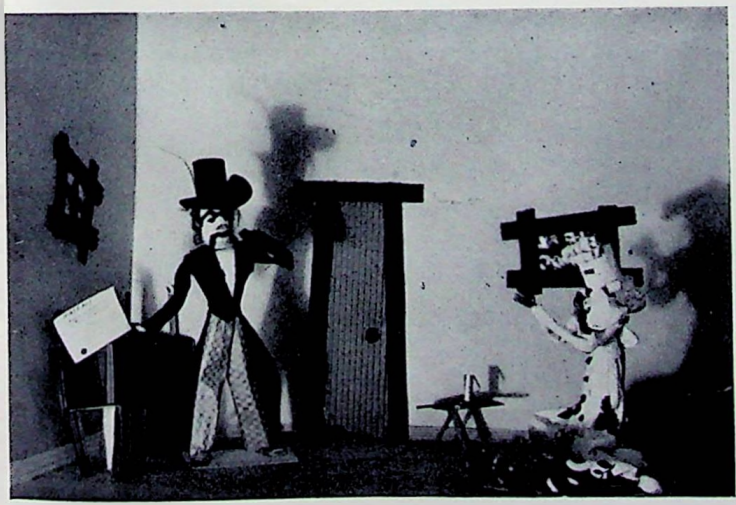
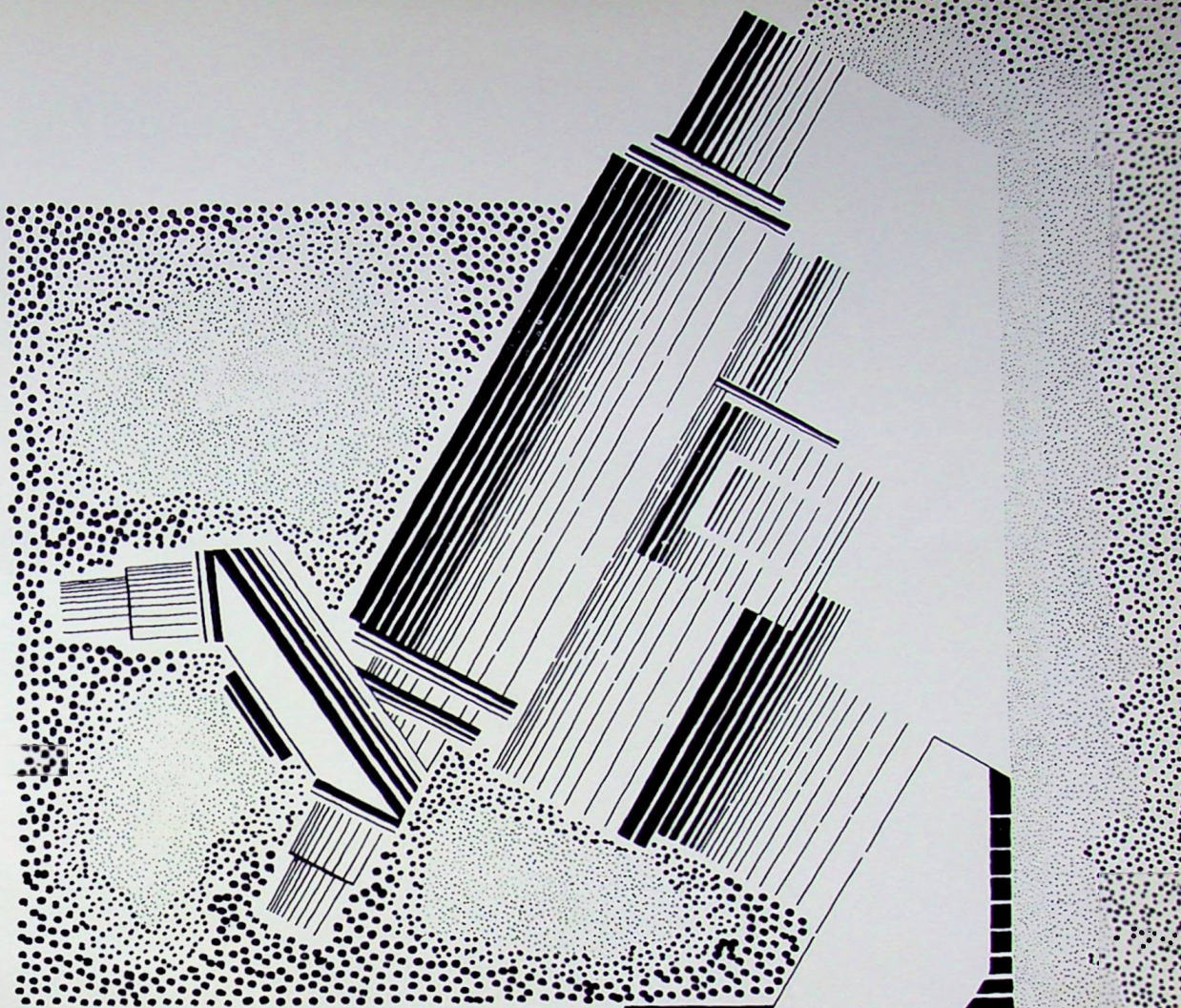
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 B. Johnson, B.  
 Carlson, M. Wells,  
 V. Pearson, P. Dodson,  
 R. Peterson.

2nd Row: J. Tehee,  
 P. Hepner, I. Aguir,  
 B. Hurst, J.  
 Buaer, M. French,  
 J. Anderson, D.  
 Smith.

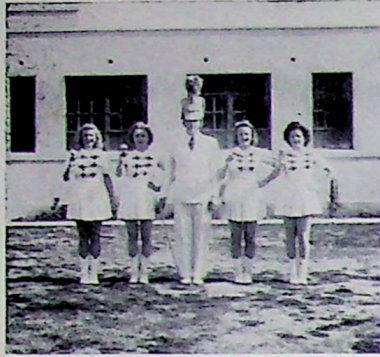
3rd Row: O. Rogers,  
 R. Hood, R.  
 Tucker, D. Simpson,  
 B. Richardson,  
 G. Luttrell, D.  
 Ayala.



# ACTIVITIES



# Music



C. Klamroth, H. Stephens, D. Trabling, A. Aney, D. Batten.



1st Row: J. Wallin, L. Kolander, M. Anderson, G. Sjöberg.  
 2nd Row: F. Minnich, E. Strom, P. Mentzel, Mrs. Smith.  
 3rd Row: H. Enns, C. Rydelius, H. Peterson, E. Anderson.  
 4th Row: I. Thompson, L. McNary, I. Bjork.



First Row: L. Johnson, W. Hillblom, A. Tegelberg, A. Shagpian, H. Berger, L. Nelson, H. Johnson, L. Avedikian, C. Strid, W. Ando, J. Tehee. Second Row: S. Shellstrom, B. Reed, H. Paulsen, R. Warren, A. Hanson, B. Johnson, L. Anderson, H. Stephens, J. Ratliff, E. Nordstrom, C. Nelson, J. Andrews, Mr. E. Schwartz. Third Row: M. Johnson, B. Linman, M. Hansen, D. Danielson, M. Beckstrom, A. Aney, C. Jacobson, G. Rydelius, V. Magnuson, L. Woods, L. Johnson, B. Carlson, E. Bordson, R. Anderson. Fourth Row: J. Meyers, B. Richardson, R. Peterson, D. Trabling, J. Tabor, W. Erickson, L. Norrahl, B. Morgan, J. Monks, D. Nystrom.

# Department



Mr. Schwartz.

From Left to Right:  
G. Sjoberg, L. Yardumian, B. Michigan, R. Maier, R. Stephens, S. Erickson, B. Swanson, E. Rice, M. Shimoide, D. Jackson, C. Klamroth, A. Wells, J. Wallin, I. Satterstrom, L. Levin, E. Nordstrom, P. Peterson, G. Gunnerson, Mr. Schwartz, D. Peterson.



First Row: C. Travarez, M. Hansen, S. Okuno, H. Witnov, A. Kleinsasser, B. Avery, D. Satterberg, M. Nyberg, J. Mack, W. Rosander, M. Kelly.  
Second Row: S. Ezaki, I. Bjork, M. Johnson, D. Christensen, F. Jacobson, J. Bunker, M. Anderson, M. Carlstrom, B. Peterson, K. Devine, H. Bandy, C. Garcia, D. Couch.  
Third Row: Mr. Schwartz, P. Peterson, N. LaCorte, A. Aney, F. Norman, E. Bujulian, B. Avery, L. Kolander, M. Beckstrom, E. Swenson, J. Isom, F. Overstreet.

# Class Room



National  
Development

Typing

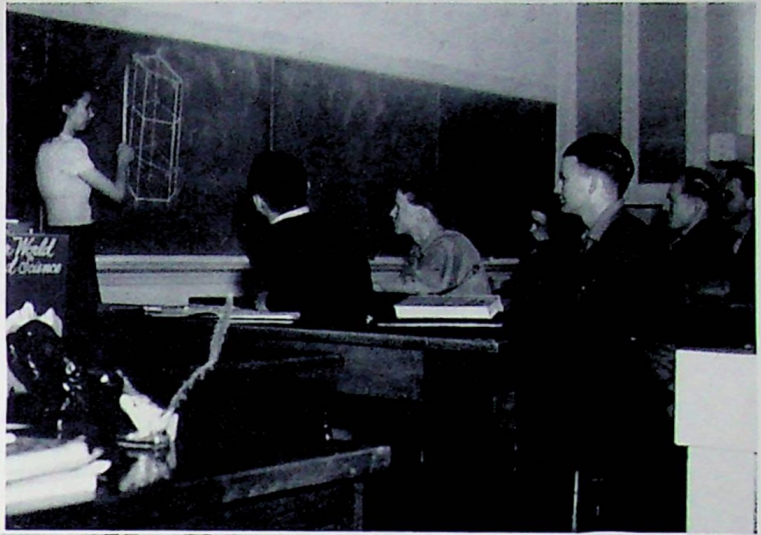


Girls'  
P. E.

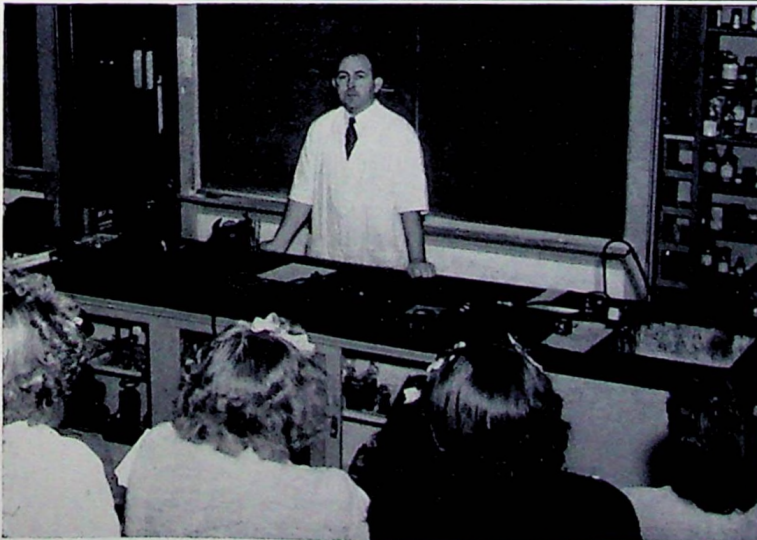


# Activities

Solid  
Geometry



Spanish  
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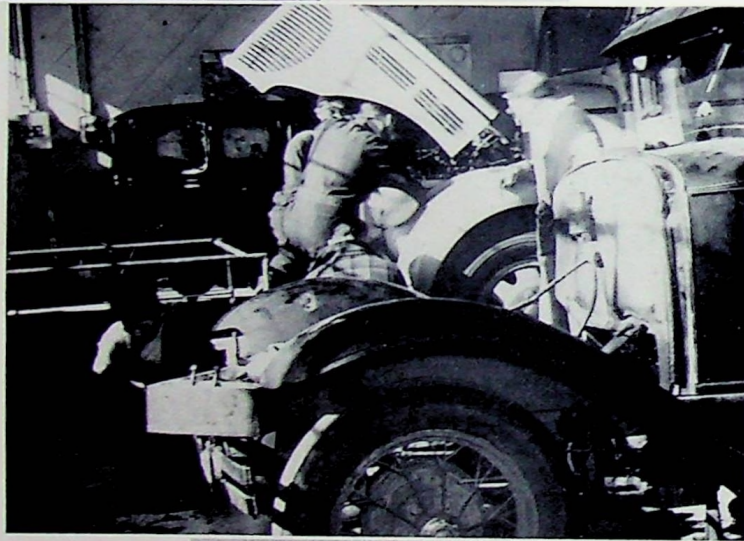


Chemistry

# Class Room



Wood Shop



Auto  
Mechanics



Agriculture

# Activities

Art



English I



Cooking



# Junior Play

Wrong Number

by

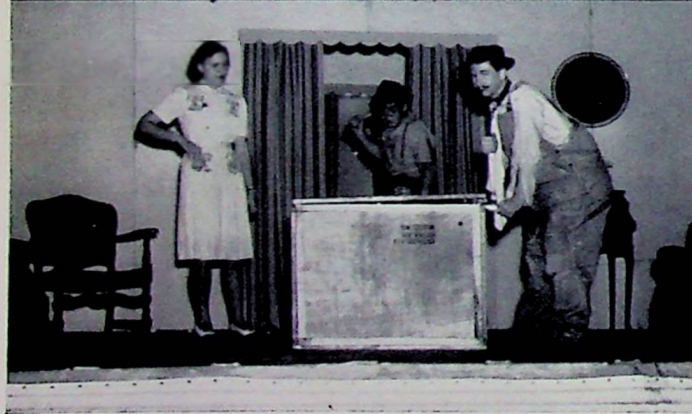
ELOISE KEELER

directed by

OLIVE K. WALLACE

## Cast of Characters

Victor Morrison - Dean Redemer  
 Caroline Morrison - Dorothy Ellen Nail  
 Bennvenuto (Benny) Morrison Duane Turk  
 Cerings(Sissy) Morrison Florence Minnich  
 Ana - - - - Marion Beckstrom  
 Rowene Lankershim - Grace Dabaghian  
 Valerie - - - - Beatrice Michigan  
 King Carson - - - Maurice Nyberg  
 William Becker - - - Bob Anderson  
 Mrs. Becker - - - - Rose Warren  
 Kitty Peterson - - - Barbara Larson  
 Stevens - - - - - John Fishel  
 First Furniture Mover - Lowell Nelson  
 Second Furniture Mover Virgil Magnuson



D. Redemer, V. Magnuson, L. Nelson, D. Turk, D. Nail, M. Nyberg, B. Larson, G. Dabaghian, B. Michigan, R. Warren, R. Anderson, F. Minnich, M. Beckstrom, J. Fishel.



# Senior Play

The Hutchinsons—Bless Them

by

EDWARD J. LEVY

directed by

OLIVE K. WALLACE

## Cast of Characters

Lorraine Roberts - Priscilla Mentzel  
 Paul Hutchinson - - - - Jim Olson  
 Joe Hutchinson - - - - ?  
 Minerva - - Katherine Nordstrom  
 Kay Hutchinson - Eleanor Swenson  
 Eileen Hutchinson - Pauline Kolander  
 Mary (Mom) Hutchinson - Bonnie Olson  
 Grandma Davis - Shirley Shellstrom  
 Ralph Hutchinson - - Bob Rouch  
 Joyce Wells - Evelynne Christiansen  
 Davey Burnside - Donald Trabling  
 Mr. Jackson - - Harold Berger  
 Announcer - - Harold Berger



B. Olson, H. Berger, J. Olson, K. Nordstrom, B. Rouch, S. Shellstrom, E. Christiansen, P. Mentzel, P. Kolander, E. Swenson, D. Trabling.



First Row: L. Yardumian, B. Linman, E. Anderson, B. Peterson, K. Deuchi, K. Yoshida. Second Row: H. Peterson, E. Christenson, F. Pearson, D. Nyall, L. Lagerstrom, J. Bishop. Third Row: R. Rouch, A. Janzen, T. Hallsten, R. Deguchi, Mrs. E. Smith.



Life Members  
Robert Rouch, Joyce Bishop

## CSF

In the fall at the twentieth district convention, held at Roosevelt High School in Fresno, Evelyn Christenson, our representative, acted as Vice President of the twentieth district. The theme was "Vocations."

On December 15 the CSF put on an enjoyable pot-luck supper, which was attended by twenty members. Students who were not on the CSF but who showed promise of becoming members were invited.

Due to the rubber conservation program Kingsburg was unable to send any representatives to the spring district convention, which was held in Palo Alto in May.

In May a picnic was held as the party for the second semester.

In order to receive a life membership award in the California Scholarship Federation one must be a member of the CSF for six semesters, one of which must be in the Senior year. Life members are Joyce Bishop, LeRoy Deguchi and Robert Rouch.

### OFFICERS

President	- - - - -	Abe Janzen
Vice President	- - - - -	Dorothy Ellen Naill
Secretary-Treasurer	- - - - -	Lavonne Lagerstrom

# Forensics

Although only a small group of students signed up for Forensics, invaluable training and experience were given all nine members.

Probably the highlight was the debate tournament held in January at Fresno High with Kingsburg participating with twelve other schools in the county.

Our teams composed of Joyce Bishop, Shigema Okuno, affirmative and Bertha Swanson, Bobby Peterson, negative won their way to the semi-finals. Out of eight contests these debaters won 6, lost 1 and tied 1.

In the spring the spotlight turned to the patriotic orations which were prepared for both the inter-school and American Legion contests.

The American Legion Auxiliary sponsored an essay contest on "Characteristics of a Good American" in which all members participated.

The students gave talks to various local city organizations as part of their regular work.

The year ended with work in choral reading and two banquets at which the class members had real practice in giving banquet talks.

As a result of a year's work in forensics these students have gained much, not learned in any other classroom, and have acquired at least a few of the minimum requirements of speech essential to the arts of public and private discussion.



Miss Breed

First Row: S. Okuno, M. Ando, D. Naill. Second Row: B. Peterson, G. Hanson, J. Bishop, G. McNary, B. Swanson, G. Lockhart.



# The Viking

Acting as head supervisors the Annual Staff has worked throughout the year with their dissecting needles and other implements analyzing every section of the school.

These sections which you will see through the lens of their numerous microscopes will reveal to you what composed Kingsburg High School in 1941-1942.

The staff is indebted to Mrs. Hilliard and all members of the art department who helped in this book. Also the staff wishes to express its appreciation to all faculty members and students who helped in any way toward this book.

In February the staff presented a skit to advertise the annual. The scenes, representing the various places where work is done on the year-book, took place in Stanton's Studio, Blinker's Recorder and Engraving Office, and Cee's Print Shop. The laughter of the audience showed it was well received and the number of sales were high.

Staff members were Robert Rouch—Editor, Joyce Bishop—Secretary, Gordon McNary—Photography, Marjorie Carlstrom—Calendar, Bill Avery—Art, Bobby Rouch and Donald Trabing—Advertising, Evelynne Christiansen and Abe Janzen—General Work.

It is hoped that every portion of this book, including the new and traditional sections will not only be enjoyed by the students today but by those of the next generations who will curiously peep into the microscopes to learn about this high school in 1942.

Robert Rouch, Editor.

J. Bishop, R. Rouch, A. Janzen, Mr. Peterson, G. McNary, E. Christiansen, M. Carlstrom.





Mrs. Croft, Advisor.



First Row: Y. Yoshimoto, R. Rouch, J. Mack, W. Nelson, S. Okuno. Second Row: J. Andrews, K. Yoshida, E. Swenson, F. Minnich, D. Danielson, P. Kollander, J. Bishop, K. Nordstrom, A. Hovnanian, G. Lawn.

## Viking News

Even though the publication of the school paper was stopped in December because of the paper shortage, the Press Club has been a functioning organization throughout the year. The "Viking News" was put out semi-monthly from September to December. A party in the spring was the social function. Members of the news staff were:

Editor	- - - - -	- Robert Rouch
Business Manager	- - - - -	- Katherine Nordstrom
Exchange Editor	- - - - -	- Judy Andrews
Boys' Sports	- - - - -	- Albert Hovnanian
Girls' Sports	- - - - -	- Pauline Kollander
Art	- - - - -	- Jimmy Mack
Society	- - - - -	- Donald Trabing
Poetry	- - - - -	- Shigema Okuno
Gossip	- - - - -	- Florence Minnich
Music	- - - - -	- Eleanor Swenson
Proof Reader	- - - - -	- Joyce Bishop
Typists	- - - - -	- Kimiko Yoshida and Yoshiye Yoshimoto
Advisor	- - - - -	- Mrs. Croft



First Row: D. Olson, J. Willems, A. Middleton, D. Cronin, B. Morgan, H. Cederquist, L. Carlson, J. Tehee, M. Kawano. Second Row: P. Bystrom, L. Johnson, G. Wells, R. Hood, W. Nelson, B. Hunt, P. Johnson, A. Ulrich, K. Shinmoto. Third Row: D. Crass, E. Samuelson, D. Meyers, K. Vaughan, L. Meyers, R. Alves.



Stanley Ahlstrand, President;  
Mr. Frane.

## F. F. A.

The F. F. A. has experienced an exceedingly varied year of events. By having the honor of being the first class to use the new 20 acres purchased this year for them, much valuable experience was gained along many lines. Various members attended a Grand National Livestock convention held in San Francisco, November 15 and 16. Several of the boys gave a broadcast over station KMJ, December 29, on "Make the Farm Feed the Family." Our School was also well represented at the State Convention in San Luis Obispo. The Annual Father and Son Banquet which was held in April was a huge success.

There were several outstanding projects from each class. Kenneth Vaughan representing the Senior Class has beef, dairy cows, pigs and chickens for his projects. The Juniors are represented by Donald Meyers who raises swine. From the Sophomores is Elmer Samuelson who has pigs, and Albert Middleton from the Freshmen has cows and pigs. This year was also the first that the boys entered their projects in the local Kingsburg Fair.

As usual a rodent and pest elimination contest was held between the two Freshmen Ag. classes. Individual prizes were awarded and the losing class gave the winners a picnic.

The Kiwanis Club sponsored a project competition in which every F. F. A. member entered. Competition was divided into four classes: Swine, Poultry, Garden, and Miscellaneous with prizes of \$5, \$3, and \$2 in each class. Also a grand prize of a \$25 defense bond was awarded to the boy with the most complete farming program.

# Girls of Service

The purpose of the Girls' League can easily be defined by its name, Girls of Service. Every girl in school is considered a member of the organization.

The league has four main events during the year which are: A reception at the beginning of the school year in honor of the Freshmen girls; a Christmas party for underprivileged children; "Spring Day" at which time all the girls wear new spring dresses; and the Mother and Daughter reception when a formal installation of the newly-elected officers is held.

Regular meetings are held once every month with an outside speaker participating or a musical program presented.

Mrs. Jean Smith, Miss Newbecker, and Mrs. Nordstrom are the advisers. The officers for this year have been: President, Katherine Nordstrom; Vice-president, Betty Avery; Secretary, Gladys Jacobson; Treasurer, Pauline Kolander; Reporter, Joyce Bishop; Song leader, Eleanor Swenson; and Pianist, Janet Wallin.

A very important part of the work of the Girls' League is done by the various committees appointed by the President. The officers and the chairman of each committee form the G. O. S. Council. The committees and the chairman of each are: Program, Bertha Swanson; Sunshine, Helen Swenson; Red Cross, Evelyn Christenson; Social Service, Thelma Jacobson; Publicity, Barbara Larson; Refreshments, Florence Minnich; and Decorations, Dorothy Jean Danielson.

Katherine Nordstrom,  
President.



First Row: J. Andrews, E. Swenson, P. Kolander, B. Swanson, B. Larson. Second Row: J. Bishop, F. Minnich, E. Christenson, T. Jacobson, G. Jacobson, J. Wallin. Third Row: Miss Newbecker, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. Nordstrom.





# Hi-Y

Hi-Y Purpose: To create, maintain and extend throughout the school and community, high standards of Christian character.

Hi-Y Slogan: "Clean Speech, Clean Sports, Clean Scholarship, and Clean Life."

The Kingsburg Hi-Y club of 1941-42 with Mr. Dodson for adviser has had a very active year. The Hi-Y was host to Fowler and Selma during the fall of 1941. During the Christmas season the Hi-Y with the cooperation of students and teachers, gave a helping hand to the needy families of the community.

This year the Hi-Y had two parties which were gala affairs. The fall party was an informal dinner while the spring affair was a chicken dinner.

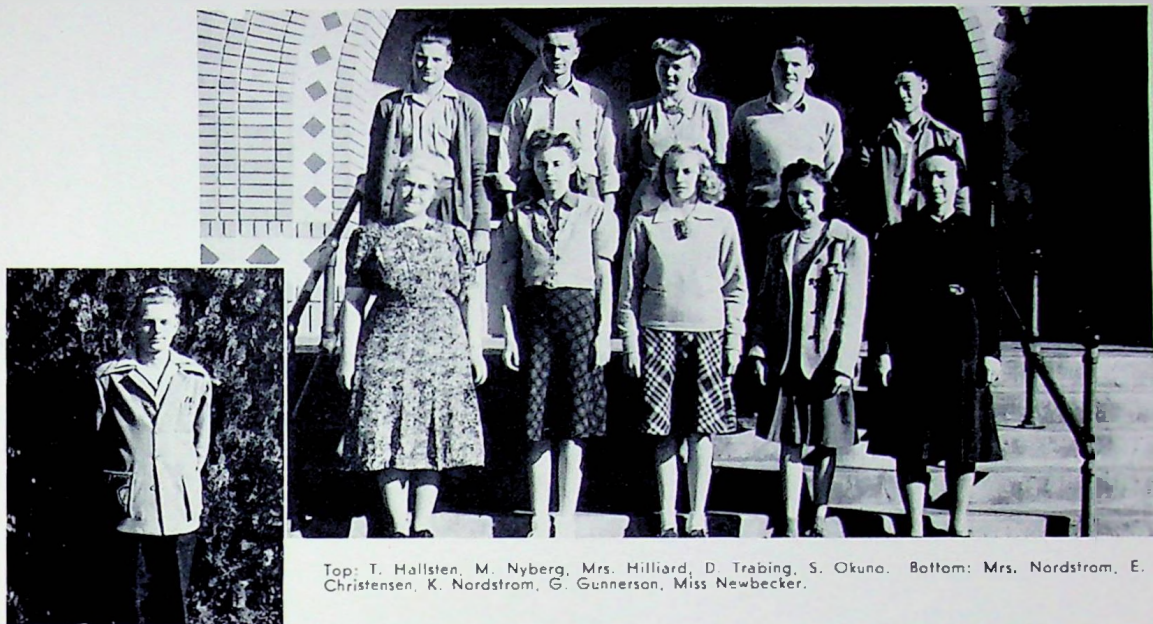
The meetings were well attended and speakers were present at many of them. Some speakers were Fred Danielson, Kingsburg Civilian Defense Coordinator, Elmore Peterson, former Hi-Y leader, C. F. Mueller, Fresno County Y. M. C. A. secretary, and Arthur Johnson, Reedley Banker.

Hi-Y Benediction: Let the words of my mouth and the meditations of my heart be acceptable in thy sight, Oh Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

Ted Hallsten, President;  
Mr. C. M. Dodson, Adviser.

First Row: R. Rouch, A. Janzen, B. Anderson, F. Ralston, R. DeYarmin, A. Hovanian, B. Quattrin.  
Second Row: A. Rosenberger, P. Olson, H. Berger, A. Kleinsasser, W. Nelson, R. Jerpe. Top Row:  
D. Redemer, W. Riise, K. Vaughan, D. Turk.





Top: T. Hallsten, M. Nyberg, Mrs. Hilliard, D. Trabing, S. Okuno. Bottom: Mrs. Nordstrom, E. Christensen, K. Nordstrom, G. Gunnerson, Miss Newbecker.

Abe Janzen

## Junior Red Cross

The Junior Red Cross Council is a relatively new organization in the school, having been organized in the fall of 1941. The Council consists of representatives of all four classes with three faculty advisers—Mrs. Nordstrom, Mrs. Hilliard, and Miss Newbecker.

The Council has been active in planning and carrying out various projects such as the enrollment of every student as a member of the Junior Red Cross, the raising of money, the making of needed articles, the collection of games, sheet music, and phonograph records for the use of the men in the nearby base camps, the purchase of numerous magazine subscriptions for base libraries, the collection of several tons of waste paper, the proceeds of which were used to purchase athletic equipment for the use of "our boys."

The Kingsburg High School Junior Red Cross has adopted Hammer Field, Fresno and the Basic Flying Field at Lemoore as its special province and is striving to supply as many as possible of the needs of the men there. Kingsburg High School finds it fun to help.

Officers of the Council are: Abe Janzen, president, Gloria Gunnarson, secretary, and Maurice Nyberg, treasurer.

# Girl's "K" Club



First Row: S. Matsuoka, K. Kataoka, N. LaCorte, G. Dabaghian, A. Tegelberg, M. Beckstrom, M. Kabata, R. Salarijan, Second Row: M. Ando, Y. Yoshimoto, H. Iwata, M. Johnson, J. Bishop, D. Danielson, G. Howell, W. Reilly, M. Hanser, Mrs. J. Smith, Third Row: K. Yoshida, B. Sato, S. Shellstrom, J. Daves, G. Frazier, D. Hayes, L. Lagerstrom, E. Anderson, G. Sjoberg, Fourth Row: B. Avery, D. Christensen, G. Jacobson, F. Jacobson, D. Naill, P. Warren, E. Ahlstrand, E. Bujulian, F. Minnich, H. Paulson.

The Girls' "K" club composed of 40 members is the largest in the history of the school. Meetings are held once a month and there is always a large attendance.

In January the club sponsored "Color Week," an activity which took in the whole community.

Two pot luck suppers were held, a skating party, a Christmas party, a dress up party, a sports spread, and a wiener roast.

The officers of the club are:

President	- - - - -	Shizuko Matsuoka
Vice President	- - - - -	Gloria Howell
Secretary	- - - - -	Pearl Crouch
Treasurer	- - - - -	Gladys Jacobson
Athletic Manager	- - - - -	Emma Bujulian
Volleyball Manager	- - - - -	Efra Ahlstrand
Basketball Manager	- - - - -	Kimiko Yoshida
Baseball Manager	- - - - -	June Daves
Tennis Manager	- - - - -	Helen Paulson
Individual Sports Manager	- - - - -	Dorothy Jean Danielson

## Boy's "K" Club



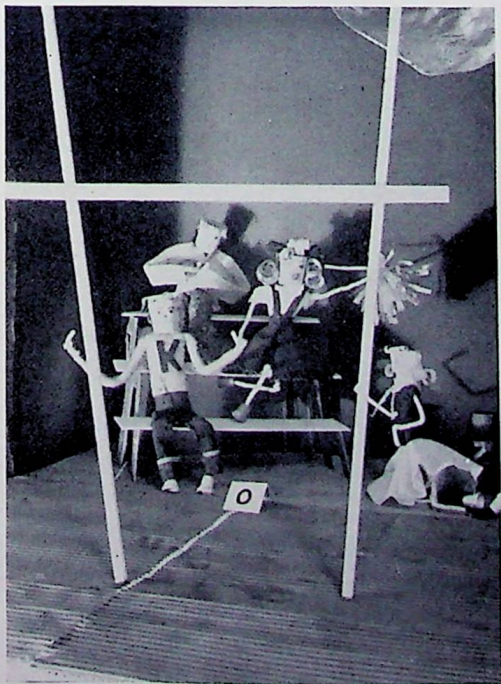
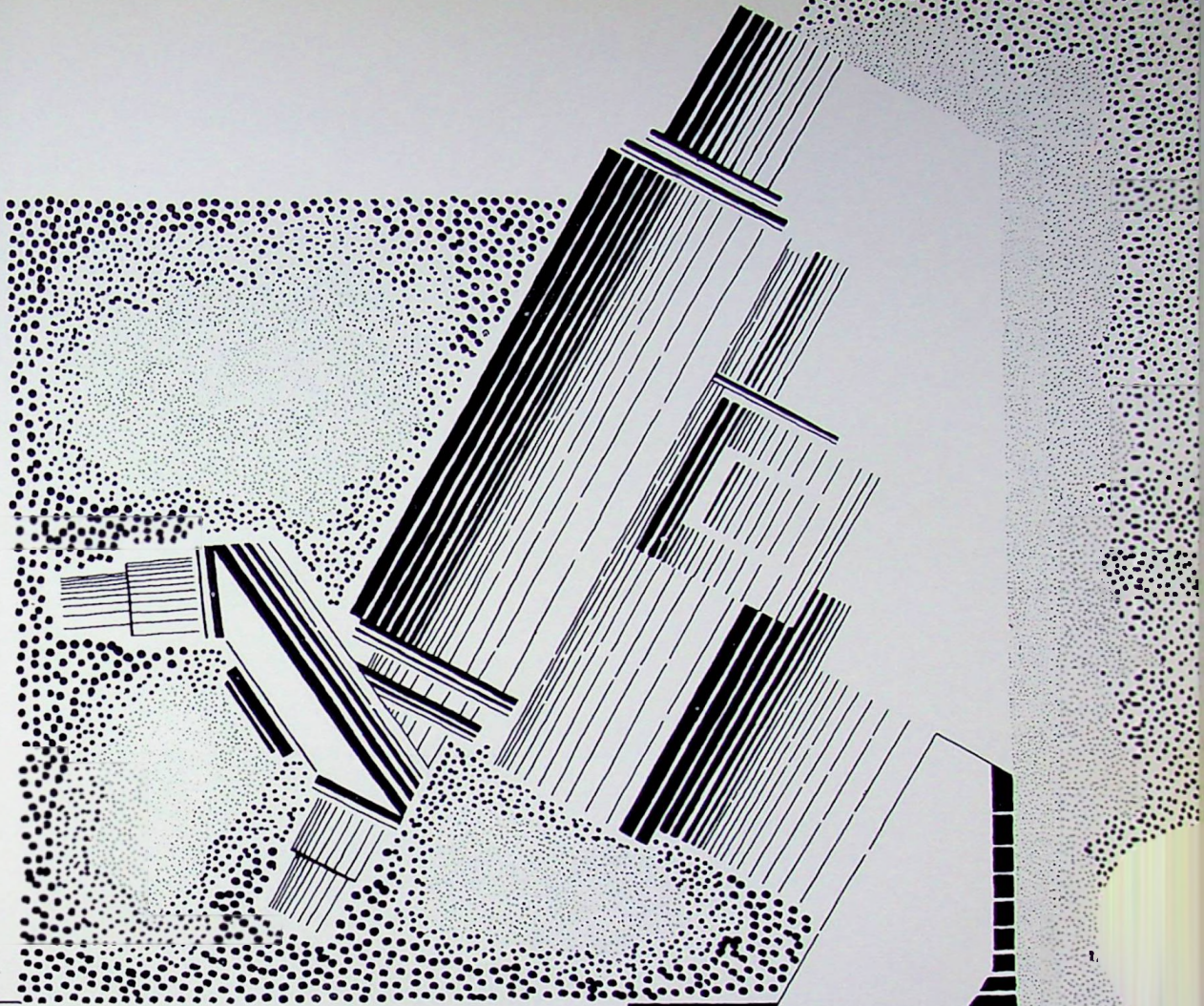
First Row: R. Deguchi, K. Shinmoto, B. Kouns, A. Hovnanian, B. Quattrin, N. Rosander. Second Row: R. Yano, A. Janzen, J. Clark, D. Trabing, R. Jerpe, L. McNabb. Third Row: J. Mack, P. Olson, D. Meyers, T. Hallsten, W. Erickson, A. Kleinsasser. Fourth Row: H. Johnson, S. Ahlstrand, B. Hunt, L. Meyers, Coach Bunger.

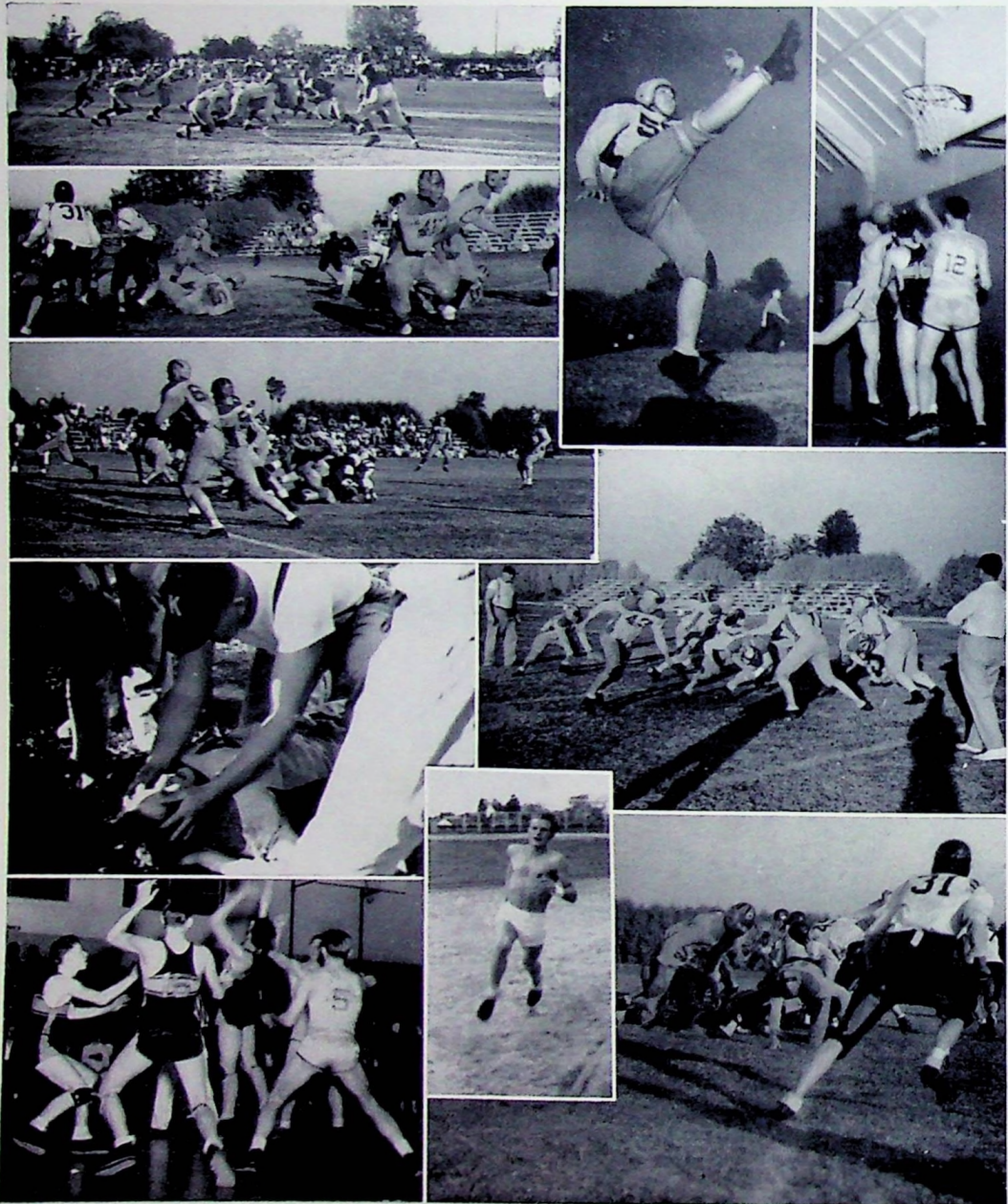
The Boys' "K" Club consists of boys who have earned a letter either in an "A" class sport or in tennis.

Usually they earn money compiling and printing programs of the basketball games but this year they decided that it was better to let the money go for a worthier cause: War Bonds and Stamps.

The annual swim and hamburger feed was held at the end of the year and was enjoyed by all present. The "K" club in the past year has had quite a large membership despite the discontinued athletic program, and we hope that it will continue to be an active High School Organization through the hard years that are to follow.

# ATHLETICS





# Athletics

Focusing the microscope on athletics we first see the coaches, Mr. Bunger and Mrs. J. Smith, who have been given valuable assistance by Mr. Dodson, Mr. Lumpe, and Mr. Darley.

Athletic Managers Emma Bujulian, Gayle Hansen, and Terumi Yamada have been very busy taking care of sports equipment and athletes.

Our teams tried hard for victory with some success in basketball.

Due to war conditions, the shortage of rubber and the need for well developed young men, the athletic setup at Kingsburg was radically changed in March.

Until the war ends there will be no more interschool contests. Instead a system of intramural competition was developed which satisfied everyone.

In spite of the discontinuation of interschool contests, a league track meet was arranged. Each school held a meet on their own track; the results were then recorded and mailed to a central point. Although the trackmen lacked stiff competition, they were able to see how they stood in comparison with other schools.

Both trackmen and baseball players were able to earn letters by meeting certain requirements.



Managers Hanson and Yamada.



Coaches Mrs. J. Smith and Mr. Bunger.



# "A" Football



Co Captains  
Teddy Hallsten  
Kenneth Vaughn



## SCORES

Kingsburg 6	Reedley	12
Kingsburg 0	Selma	0
Kingsburg 0	Sanger	0
Kingsburg 7	Washington Union	19
Kingsburg 0	Fowler	27
Kingsburg 0	Lemoore	0



First Row: R. Yano, N. Posander, J. Clark, H. Berger, T. Hallsten, H. Johnson, R. Quattrin. Second Row: Coach Bunger, R. Cronin, J. Fishel, P. Olson, R. Kouns, D. Meyers, R. Deguchi, Coach Dodson. Third Row: S. Ahlstrand, B. Hunt, K. Vaughn, D. Trabing, W. Erickson, K. Shinmoto.

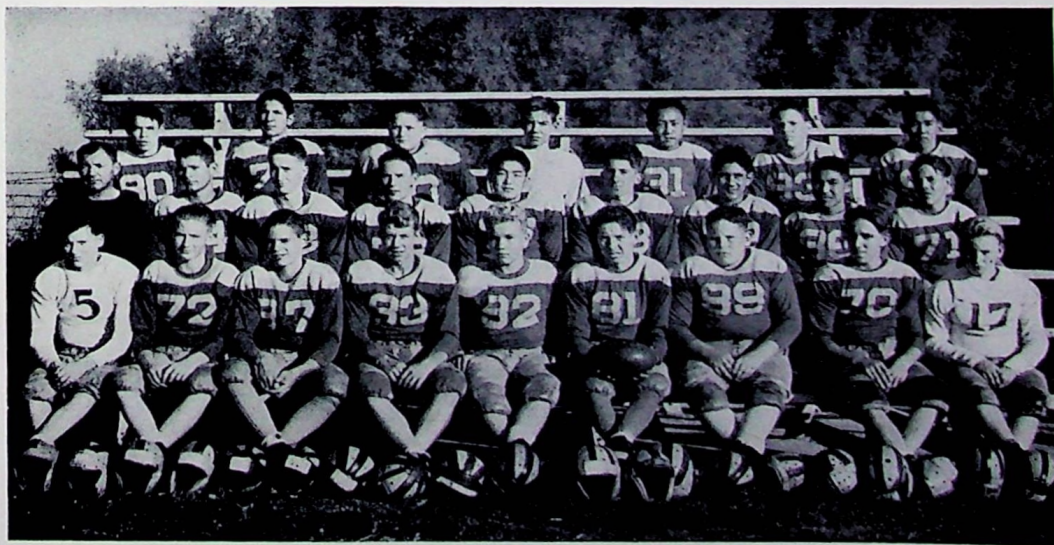
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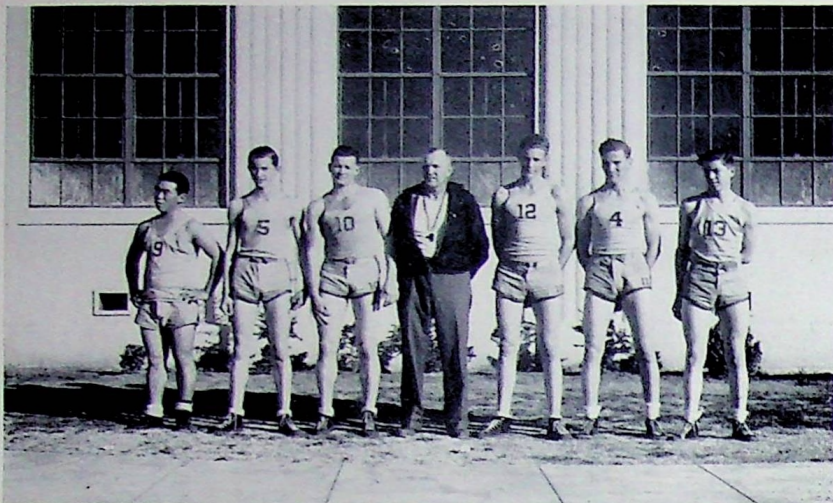
Captain  
Raymond Jerpe

## SCORES

Kingsburg 0	Reedley	19
Kingsburg 0	Selma	0
Kingsburg 2	Sanger	25
Kingsburg 0	Washington Union	6
Kingsburg 0	Fowler	20
Kingsburg 0	Lemoore	6



Front Row: J. Bromark, E. Bordson, B. Bowen, J. Olson, D. Nystrom, J. Nordahl, D. Olson, D. Leaf, C. B. Forbes. Second Row: Mr. Lumpe, K. Hill, B. Reed, J. Martin, N. Yoshida, D. Turk, L. Avedikian, S. Yamada, T. Rosander. Third Row: R. Rouch, A. Shagoian, R. Westland, R. Hood, M. Shinmoto, O. Rogers, T. Matsushima.



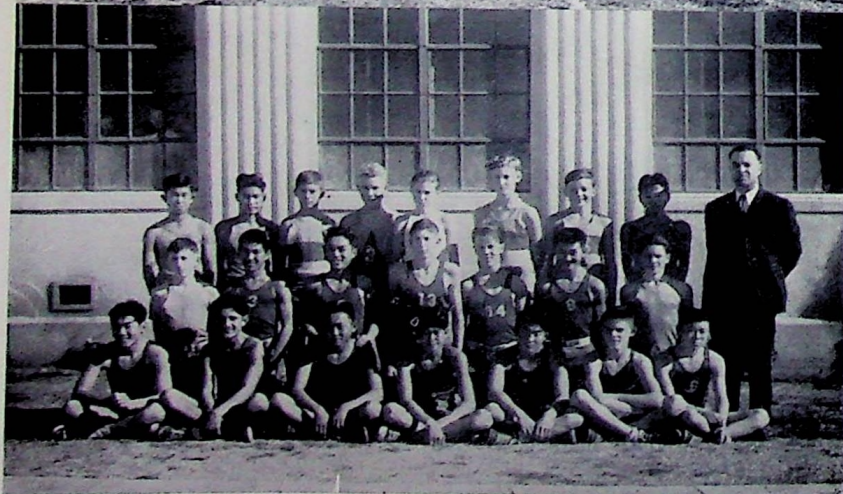
### "A" Class

R. Yano, L. Meyers, K. Vaughan, Coach Bunger, S. Ahlstrand, B. Hunt, D. Myers.



### "B" Class

1st Row: S. Okuno, D. Leaf, B. Quattrin, T. Matsushima.  
2nd Row: J. Nordahl, B. Reed, H. Johnson, W. Hillblom, R. Terpe.



### "C" Class

1st Row: M. Ohara, L. Avetikian, M. Shinmoto, H. Murayama, N. Yoshida, B. Bowen, M. Matsuoka.  
2nd Row: R. Maier, S. Yamada, J. Nakata, R. Cronin, T. Rosander, H. Deguchi, J. Carvalho.  
3rd Row: S. Yagi, J. Kimura, D. Peterson, D. Nystrom, R. Meyers, R. Swanson, L. Johnson, J. Tehee, Mr. Dodson.

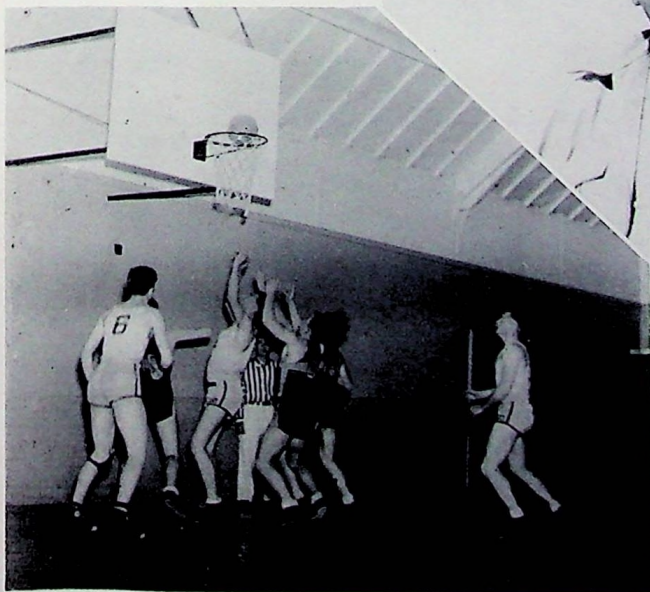
# Basketball

## "A" Score

Kingsburg	17	Reedley	31
Kingsburg	27	Lemoore	21
Kingsburg	28	Washington	22
Kingsburg	19	Sanger	23
Kingsburg	21	Fowler	34
Kingsburg	36	Selma	22

## "B" Score

Kingsburg	17	Reedley	28
Kingsburg	33	Lemoore	31
Kingsburg	29	Washington	16
Kingsburg	26	Sanger	12
Kingsburg	10	Fowler	34
Kingsburg	23	Selma	18



## "C" Score

Kingsburg	17	Reedley	20
Kingsburg	15	Lemoore	26
Kingsburg	30	Washington	12
Kingsburg	7	Sanger	10
Kingsburg	23	Fowler	13
Kingsburg	12	Selma	11

# Girls Athletics



**Girls' Basketball Winners—First Row (Freshman Team)** E. McNabb, M. Munoz, C. Klamroth, B. Parra, B. Johnson, P. Bray, B. Linman, M. Shimoida. **Second Row: (Senior Team)** M. Johnson, S. Matsuoka, Y. Yoshimoto, G. Jacobson, E. Ahlstrand, J. Daves, K. Yoshida, M. Ando. **Third Row: (4th period interperiod Team)** L. McNary, G. Dabaghian, R. Warren, E. Strom, E. Bjork.



**Volleyball Winners**—G. Jacobson, S. Matsuoka, B. Avery, E. Ahlstrand, J. Bishop, Y. Yoshimoto, B. Seto, C. Hirakawa, J. Daves. **Second Row:** J. Ratliff, N. LaCorte, A. Aney, L. Lagerstrom, F. Minnich, H. Paulson, G. Sjoberg, B. Johnson, K. Kabata, E. Bujulian, K. Yoshida. **Third Row:** S. Shellstrom, B. Olson, M. Smith, D. Nail, R. Warren, G. Mack, D. Christenson, E. Christensen, B. Carlson, B. Johnson.



**After School Volleyball—First Row:** M. Johnson, G. Dabaghian, G. Jacobson, G. Sjoberg, H. Paulson, B. Avery, E. Ahlstrand, B. Parra, K. Kalaoka, B. Johnson. **Second Row:** B. Johnson, N. LaCorte, L. Lagerstrom, W. Riley, D. Hays, A. Tegelberg, H. Stephens, E. Anderson, J. Jacobson, D. Danielson, F. Minnich, R. Safarjian. **Third Row:** M. Beckstrom, Mrs. J. Smith, A. Aney, E. Bujulian, V. Graves, D. Christenson, H. Panossian, J. Bunker, L. Anderson, R. Warren, B. Linman, H. Satterberg, P. Dodson, G. Mack, J. Bishop, B. Carlson, J. Ratliff, K. Devine, I. Thompson.

# The Intramural Program

In mid-year we were unable to continue our proposed athletic schedule but the new program has functioned smoothly.

Under the new program the boys of the school were divided into four groups, A, B, C, and D.

The schedule consisted of each group playing every other group two times in each sport.

On each play day two groups played doubles handball, two games of singles ping pong, three games of doubles badminton, two games doubles and two games singles tennis, and American ball, while the other two groups played softball with three teams from each group participating. One track meet was held.

Points were totaled on the following basis:

	Points
Each team winning a baseball game - - - - -	10
Each team winning an American ball game - - - - -	10
Winners of a singles Tennis match - - - - -	2½
Winners of a doubles Tennis match - - - - -	3
Winners of a doubles Badminton match - - - - -	3
Winners of a doubles Handball match - - - - -	3
Winners of a singles ping pong match - - - - -	2½
Winners of a track meet - - - - -	40
Runner up in track meet - - - - -	20
Third placer in track meet - - - - -	10
Fourth in a track meet - - - - -	5

Each member of the winning group was awarded a green silk T-shirt with Kingsburg and a Viking head on the front.

Each group elected their four best baseball players and these boys received Baseball "K's". Students who trained regularly and who took a first place in the May tournament received a Tennis letter.

Everyone is now looking forward to a better and more successful intermural program next year.

# Intramural



Group A

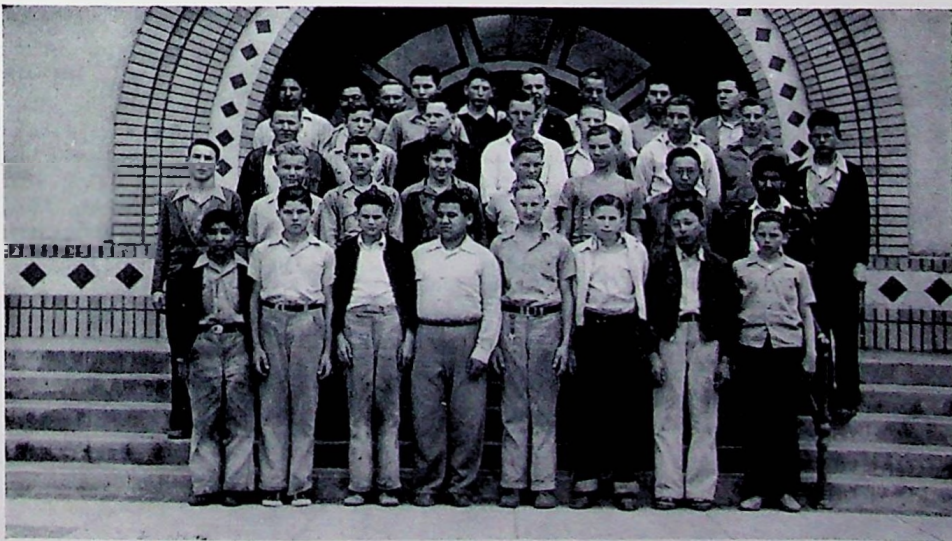


Group B

# Sports



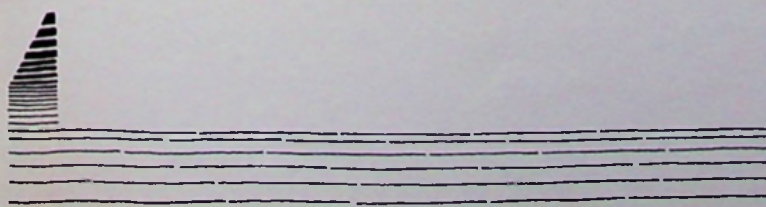
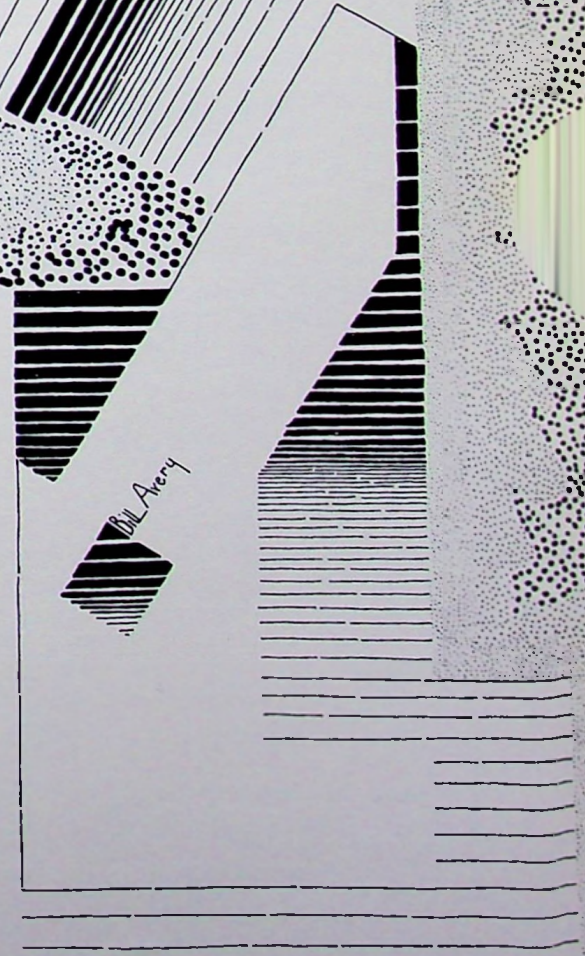
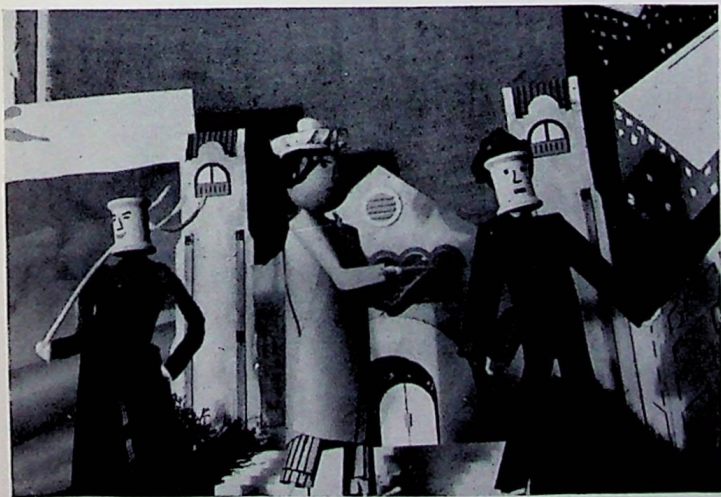
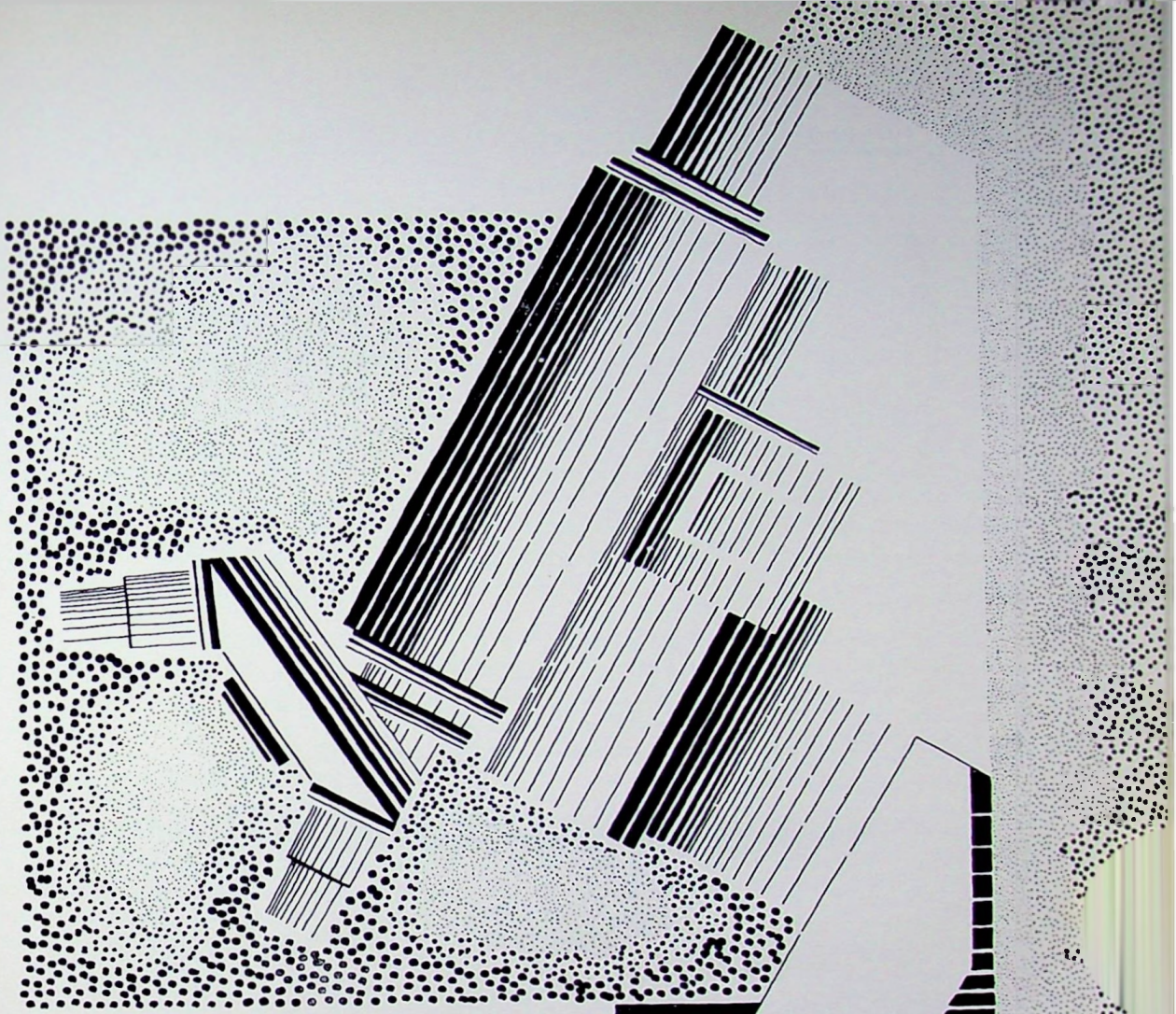
Group C



Group D



# FEATURES



## Kingsburg Is Kingsburg

Kingsburg is a good town to be from.  
To grow up in a town of character  
Is something one does not regret.  
Churches for all  
A small town hall  
Wide streets  
Flowers and lights  
Well built schools  
Lots of rules  
Teachers to guide you right.  
You know almost all, large or small,  
You say "hello" when you meet.  
But now I am older and must be on my way;  
When I get homesick, I'll come back to stay.  
Kingsburg's a good town to be from.

Donald Trabing

Out in the ocean  
Or maybe  
In the sea  
A school of fishes  
Were happy  
As could be.  
They frolicked and played  
Through the livelong day;  
But when through the night  
They swam by moonlight  
Up the river, to the lake  
(What a terrible mistake)  
Far away from the ocean and sea,  
They failed to watch out  
For the voracious, ugly snout  
Of an ancient piscatorial enemy.

Philip Olson

## Finis

## A Word to the Wise

Seemingly trivial events may have a tremendous influence on the younger generation. Whenever a child hears of someone's doing something unusual, he immediately wants to duplicate the feat.

One day after mother had read the story of Jack and the Beanstalk to little Caroline and slightly bigger Henry, she went into her room to take a nap.

Some time later she was rudely awakened by agonized squawkings. She rushed out into the yard to find Caroline and Henry chasing the chickens. Every so often Caroline would point a finger at one of the hens and say in a deep and commanding voice, "Lay."

When asked the why and wherefor of all this, Caroline and Henry were singularly noncommunicative. Puzzled and a little angry, mother, after warning the children to leave the hens alone, went back into the house.

The answer to the puzzle was discovered several days later as mother was repeating "Jack and the Beanstalk" for Caroline's benefit. When she came to the part where the Giant said, "Lay," and the hen laid a golden egg, Caroline piped up and said, "Our hens just won't!"

**MORAL: IF YOU WANT TO HAVE ANY PEACE OF MIND, DON'T READ THE STORY OF BLUE-BEARD TO YOUR CHILDREN.**

Robert N. Rouch

## Freedom

Four walls, a stove, and a roof;  
That formed for me a whole creation.  
To me they brought complete satisfaction  
Because the noisy humdrum city life was gone.  
I could hunt and never fear starvation;  
I could hike and never know exhaustion.  
This all seemed to me proof  
That all one needs for contentment  
Is four walls, a stove, and a roof.  
Of course there were the hills and the trees,  
The birds, the game, and the crystal streams,  
The flowers, the bees, and insects too,  
The changing vistas always new.  
I could have lived on there for years  
And led an easy, pleasant life;  
But no, I must turn back again  
To the worldly din and strife.  
My country needs me. I must give  
My life, that all, free men may live.

Philip Olson

## Doors

Did you ever listen to the voice of a door  
As an old, enfeebled man cautiously opens it?  
Or as a child, grown tired of the house,  
Quits his indoor games and runs out doors for  
fresher pleasures?

The old man opens and closes the door with care,  
And the door creaks back gratefully.

The youth runs, pushing the door wide and letting  
it slam;

The door groans, trying to hide its hurt,  
But cries outright when

It can no longer suppress its pain.

Philip Olson

# Characteristics of a Good American

Our forefathers were proud of America's reputation as a haven, a port in the storm, so to speak, where the oppressed could find freedom and safety. They strove to make America a land of equal opportunity where even the poorest lad could rise to become president of a free nation.

One of our greatest leaders was just such a lad. Although born in a log cabin, he achieved through his own effort and perseverance the presidency and heroically helped his people through a dark, bitter struggle.

As a youth this lad spent much time traveling up and down a river, where, watching its current, he learned all of the tricks in a contest requiring constant watchfulness, ingenuity, and adaptability. The river taught him how to reach a goal—to let life flow as it must, through the hazards, over the shallows, around the obstacles, but to move irresistibly onward toward its termination. Sometimes the movement may be sluggish, sometimes swift, but by patience, persistence, and perseverance it will reach the end of its journey and pour forth into the ocean.

Such was the way Abraham Lincoln patterned his life, and such is the way any true patriot must pattern his. One must always be striving onward to direct his life toward the single purpose of making America a nation where peace and liberty prevail.

There are many important tributaries along this stream of American life, and those tributaries make up the characteristics of a good American.

The first tributary to note is the acquisition of an education. In the life of an individual, education is a process which must never cease. Many of our greatest leaders were men who had but a few months of formal schooling but by their own endeavor, educated themselves so that they could become leaders of a democracy. Democracy can never succeed without educated supporters.

The next tributary is a dual one of cooperation and obedience. One must have respect for the laws of his country and of his home. For the best interests of his country a good American willingly makes sacrifices, foregoes pleasures, and performs any task, no matter how small, large or undesirable it may be.

The third tributary is one of an attitude of tolerance toward all people regardless of nationality or belief. A tolerant person allows no religious, racial or class prejudice to enter into his opinions. It was because of the intolerance in Europe that settlers flocked to our shores, and true Americans must work to maintain their country as a haven for the oppressed.

The fourth tributary is one of hard, honest work. A good American has a desire to accomplish and an ambition to succeed. Through work he overcomes obstacles which were seemingly unconquerable.

The fifth tributary is one of determination. An American general expressed this characteristic quite adequately when to his battered battalion he said, "Our right flank is surrounded. Our left flank is crumpled up. Our center is driven in. We will advance." And they advanced and won the battle.

Americans with high standards of education, cooperation, obedience, tolerance, hard labor, and determination must, like the river with all its tributaries, sweep ever onward toward the ultimate goal.

Americans must "not swerve in their common faith and must work for the day when the sun shall shine on a world where the weak shall be safe and the strong will be just."



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|----------------------|----------------|
| 1. Smiles.           | 7. All wet.    |
| 2. Three Musketeers. | 8. Ride 'em.   |
| 3. Well, Jack.       | 9. Hi!         |
| 4. No!!!             | 10. Holy arch. |
| 5. A-ten-shun!       | 11. Music Box. |
| 6. Band played on.   | 12. Well?      |



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|----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. As usual.         | 6. Spires.               |
| 2. All set.          | 7. Caught redhanded.     |
| 3. Ummm.             | 8. Lonesome.             |
| 4. You, too?         | 9. Stag line.            |
| 5. White house lawn. | 10. Cherry blossom time. |

# Calendar

## September

- 22 School opened.
- 26 First school dance—Back to School Hop.

## October

- 1 First lyceum—National Music Champions.
- 3 Reedley defeated us in football.
- 3 Freshmen-Senior reception.
- 8 G. O. S. reception for the Freshmen girls.
- 10 Scoreless football game with Selma.
- 15 Senior pictures taken.
- 17 Scoreless football tie with Sanger.
- 22 Bob Wood, Cartoonist, entertained the Student Body.
- 24 Washington Union defeated the Vikings 19-7.
- 30 Sophomores won the brawl.
- 31 Hallowe'en Dance.

## November

- 7 Fowler defeated the Vikings 27-0.
- 14 Thanksgiving vacation started.
- 21 Benefit Dance.
- 28 Junior Class presented the play "Wrong Number."

## December

- 5 Girls' play-day at Selma.
- 12 Hi-Y Benefit Basketball game.
- 15 CSF party.
- 18 G. O. S. Christmas party.
- 18 Senior sweaters arrived.
- 19 Choir and Orchestra presented the Christmas Cantata.
- 22 Hurrah! Christmas vacation.
- 22 School Alumni dance.

## January

- 5 School resumed after vacation.
- 5-9 Color Week.
- 9 Basketball game with Reedley.
- 14 Salom Rizk from the Readers Digest.
- 14 Arthur Hook gave a talk on Alaska.
- 16 Basketball game with Lemoore.
- 21 Girls' "K" Club party.
- 30 Basketball with Washington Union.
- 31 Debate tournament in Fresno.

# Calendar

## February

- 6 Basketball game with Sanger.
- 12 Holiday—Lincoln's Birthday.
- 13 Semester ended.
- 13 Basketball game with Selma.
- 20 Basketball game with Fowler.
- 20 Annual Staff gave a skit in Assembly.
- 22 Holiday—Washington's Birthday.
- 26 Dr. Henry Burke talked to the Student Body.
- 27 Band presented a concert of American music.

## March

- 3-6 Interclass basketball.
- 6 Barn Dance.
- 20 Seniors presented "The Hutchinsons—Bless Them."
- 25 Girls came out in their new spring dresses.
- 26 Flag program by the Band and selected choir.

## April

- 1 Seniors dressed up.
- 2 Hi-Y party.
- 10 Black Out Dance.
- 16 Girls' "K" dress-up party.
- 17 Orchestra and Choir presented the Spring Concert.
- 24 G. O. S. skate.
- 24 League track meet.
- 28 C. F. Mueller spoke to the boys.
- 28 Delbert Harter—Lyceum.
- 30 Public Schools Week program.

## May

- 1 Senior Class party.
- 8 Sophomore Class party.
- 13 Croatian Singers.
- 15 Freshmen Class party.
- 22 Band Concert.
- 26 Lyceum—Inside Germany by Dr. Hall.
- 29 Senior Steak Bake.

## June

- 5 Jr.-Sr. Banquet.
- 7 Baccalaureate.
- 10 Commencement Exercises.



# Hold It!



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|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Goat.                  | 8. We support.           |
| 2. Wuzza matter baby?     | 9. Big shot.             |
| 3. Affectionate Three.    | 10. What's cooking?      |
| 4. Hallowe'en.            | 11. Waiting.             |
| 5. To work.               | 12. Swing it.            |
| 6. At the end of the day. | 13. Good morning to you! |
| 7. Up and down.           |                          |

# Please



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|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1. Baby Berger.         | 9. Bert.                              |
| 2. Just Seniors.        | 10. Kut and Bish.                     |
| 3. Lillie Turnipseed.   | 11. Smacker.                          |
| 4. Class President.     | 12. Raggedy Anne and<br>Raggedy Andy. |
| 5. He-man Berger.       | 13. Miya.                             |
| 6. The Robot.           | 14. Dee.                              |
| 7. Old Black Josephine. | 15. Off-size.                         |
| 8. Rudy.                |                                       |

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