











ALMA MATER

Midst verdure of these ancient hills Our loyalty we sing, O'er stately portals majesty Oh, let our voices ring. For soon to toil and life's grim strife We, guided by thy light, In sorrow leave thy classic halls, All hail, Maroon and White!

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Shadows Grows Up

This publication marks the twenty-first birthday of Shadows. The first volume, published in 1921, was dedicated to the Board of Education.

In honor of the occasion, a coming-out party has been arranged by Shadows' proud parents. More than three hundred and fifty loyal subscribers have signified that they will be on hand to welcome Shadows and to help celebrate its new state



of maturity. Shadows will be stunningly attired for the party with a black and white printed frock and a maroon jacket, accented with white figures.

Shadows' twenty-one years have reflected tremendous growth in the physical plant, as well as the actual school organization. Only two members of the present faculty—Mr. Wilkin and Mr. Goeltz—can recall Shadows' first birthday in 1921. The "Shadows" of that year were cast from the old high school on Bloomfield Avenue.

Verona High School at that time housed seventy-three students, only ten of which were graduated in the Class of '21. Classical and commercial courses were taught by the ten members of the teaching staff. The activity program had not yet come into its own, although varsity baseball and basketball teams were successfully coached by Mr. Wilkin and Miss Swift.

Shadows' social diary of 1921 tells of the high school "frankfurter roast" at the Newark Reservoir in Cedar Grove, the school's trip "up the Hudson" in June, the freshman-sophomore party, the sophomore dance at Hallowe'en, a junior-senior dance, and a junior-senior progressive supper.



The "grown-up" Shadows of 1942 shows to some extent the progress of Verona High. Ten times as many graduates, six times as many in the studentbody, three times as many in the faculty; a complete program of clubs and functioning committees, a complete calendar of social events; eight varsity sports and a host of intramural games —this is the picture of Shadows in its twenty-first year.

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PAUL E. DIMMERS

We, the staff of the 1942 "Shadows," dedicate this publication to our friend, teacher, and adviser, Mr. Paul E. Dimmers.

We are happy, indeed, for the opportunity to show our gratitude to one who for the past five years has poured into Shadows so much of his energy and counsel.

We had hoped Mr. Dimmers could remain with us, but the United States government required his services. On March 6, 1942, he became a private in the IV Army Corps.

We all wish him luck in the army and look forward to the time when he will return to Verona High School.



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And then we come to the SENIORS who also have grown up



"RICHIE"

Richard Abramson, one of V.H.S.'s star pole-vaulters, has been a track man for three years. He has also been one of the high scorers of the bowling team. "Richie" played on the varsity soccer team in his senior year. Besides being athletic he has done some fine vocal work in the Glee Club.



"BEA"

Beatrice Adams has been a prominent athlete during her four years of high school. She has won the girls' golf championship several times and has been very active in the Girls' A.A. As for her less strenuous activities, she has ably assisted the Junior Red Cross and "Shadows."





PHYLLIS

Phyllis Abrell is one of the more talented Seniors. She was an active member of both the Art and Glee Clubs. To this she has added membership in the Opera and Dramatic Clubs. Phyllis also served on the Prom Committee of '41 when she was a Junior.



HAROLD

Harold Aiello is another one who has enjoyed the benefits of the Boys' Glee Club. He never entirely completed his senior year, but joined the U. S. Navy shortly after the Christmas holidays. Nevertheless, he received his high school diploma.



GRAHAM

Graham Adair, an industrious member of the class, could usually be seen working around the shop at V.H.S. He was known for the fine work he did there. Graham also worked on the Assembly Committee helping arrange the weekly programs.



RUTH

Ruth Balne, the blond genius of the Commercial Department, used her typewriting skill on the staff of the "White Hornet." Besides her commercial work, Ruth has served Verona High School on the Traffic Patrol and on the Lost and Found Committee during her last years in V.H.S.

ALBERTA

Alberta Beald has been an interested member of the I.S.S. for the last three years. In her freshman year Alberta joined the Movie Club, and in her sophomore year, when she was more accustomed to V.H.S., she found time for the Girls' A.A. and Dance Club. She was also in the Cooking Club.



Elaine Bentley has made a name for herself as a secretary. As a junior she was secretary of her class and as a senior she acted as secretary of the Dramatic Club. Besides this she was appointed secretary of the new Student Court. Elaine has also been doing secretarial work for "Doc" in the consumer interest field of home defense.





FRANK

Frank Bedford was an outstanding golfer in the annuals of Verona High. He led the team to many triumphs and scored among the best in the State High School Tournament. Even though Frank excelled in golf, he was a member of the bowling team and was active in the Finance Committee and Science Club.



VIGGO

Viggo Blaes, our Danish student, came to V.H.S. as a Sophomore. He soon became acquainted and in his junior year he became an I.S.S. member. He also joined the Forum Club as a Senior. He intends to become an engineer and will probably be seen on the campus of Stevens next year.



MERLE

Merle Bedford is outstanding for her fine appreciation of classical music. She was a member of the Opera Club for several years. She also participated in the work of the "Shadows" staff and of the I.S.S. Merle intends to become a journalist after finishing college.



"BOB"

In his junior year, Robert Black was voted the most outstanding athlete of his class. He gained further prominence for V.H.S. as a mainstay of the football team, a wellknown basketball star and an allaround athlete. His spare time was devoted to athletics.



FRED

Fred Brookwell, one of the more active students of V.H.S., was president of the newly organized Forum Club in his senior year. He was active in such sports as golf, tennis, bowling and intra-murals throughout all his four years. In addition Fred was on the "Shadows" staff and warbled in the Boys' Glee Club.



"TONY"

Tony Caputo came to Verona in his freshman year and immediately made a host of friends. He was noted for his keen sense of humor and very friendly personality. Although not very active in school clubs he did take part in the Golf and Bowling Teams.



RALPH

Ralph Buggeln was a member of the newly organized Slide-Rule Club in his senior year. He was one of the few upper classmen in this unique club. Ralph was also in the Glee Club and the Pen and Pencil Club and, in his junior year, became a member of the Model Club.



JEAN

Jean Carlson was very active in athletics in her high school career. She became girls' tennis champion in her sophomore year and president of the Girls' A.A. in her junior year. She also worked on the "White Hornet" staff. Jean is especially noted for her witty remarks in class.

"BLONDIE"

Ruth Burke, called "Blondie" for obvious reasons, is rather wellknown for her feuds in English class. She was a member of the I.S.S. for two years and of the Dance Club for one year. Ruth also served V.H.S. as a member of the Locker Patrol in her Senior year.

"BILL"

William Casper bids fair to become a crack marksman. He put in two years as one of the boys in the Rifle Club. In his sophomore year he also participated in the Pen and Pencil Club and the Chess Club. Not to ignore sports, Bill played intra-mural basketball.





"SHORTY"

Betty Cavalero was a member of the Traffic Patrol for three years and in her senior year became cochairman of the patrol. She vocalized in the Girls' Glee Club for three years, was Secretary-Treasurer of the Dance Club in her senior year, and was also in the Dramatic Club for three years.



"BOB"

Robert Connelly will be remembered in the halls of V.H.S. for his artistic ability. During his senior year he was one of the key workers on the Poster Committee. However, he was interested in athletics too, for he was a member of the basketball squad during his last year in Whitehorne High.



RALPH

Ralph Cestone, a very active debater of the Senior Class, is the man with the great memory for facts and figures. This year he was a member of the Forum Club. For a hobby, Ralph does a fine job of breeding wild game. He is usually seen driving his gray Ford.



"PETE"

Raymond Conover was one of the more enthusiastic and active members of the Dramatic Club. For several years he did his share of the stage work connected with the school play. He completed his career in the Dramatic Club by becoming treasurer in his senior year.

"BOB"

Robert Chestnut has made a name for himself in Verona High School as a dancer of no mean ability. He used this skill in the Dance Club where he was a welcome member. To vary his activities Bob became a member of the Dramatic Club.



"CONNIE"

June Conrad's main interest was in the Glee Club. As a Junior she was the only fortunate girl in V.H.S. who was chosen to represent us in the All-State Chorus. In her senior year she participated in the activities of the I. S. S.



MILDRED

Although Mildred Coon came to Verona High School in her junior year, she has been active since her arrival. She was outstanding for the fine work she did during her senior year as a member of the Thanksgiving Basket Committee. She was also a member of the Forum Club.



PHYLLIS

Phyllis Courter, one of our newer classmates, came to Verona High School this year from Cleveland, Ohio. Last fall she was initiated by the Dramatic Club and has been an interested member of the club ever since. Phyllis usually pals around with Margaret Kautzmann and "Ginny" Priest.





"DOT"

Dorothea Corwin, one of our more seriously-minded students joined the Dramatic Club in her sophomore year. She was also a member of the Glee Club for two years. As a Junior she served on the Prom Committee. This year she is the Corresponding Secretary of the Dramatic Club.



GEORGE

George Cullen came to V.H.S. from Montclair in his freshman year. He soon joined the Dramatic Club and also found use for his sax in the Orchestra. Outside of school, he was interested in photography. George is now often seen through the windshield of a green Chevrolet.



"EL"

Eleanor Corwin has been a member of the Dramatic Club for several years. She has ably assisted in the I.S.S. and was a member of the "White Hornet" staff in her Junior year. She has also lent her voice to the activities of the Glee Club.



JUNE

June Davis was interested in the Movie Club during her freshman and sophomore years and soon became an active member. To vary her activities in school she joined the Dance Club in her senior year and also took an active part in this.

CAROL

Besides being an ace linguist, Carol Dodd is one of the more outstanding class wits. She is also athletically inclined and had held membership in the Girls' A.A. during her entire high school career. Carol has also been active in the Girls' Glee Club, the I.S.S., Dramatic Club and "Shadows."



ELLEN

Ellen Erickson is usually seen about Verona High School with Shirley Rekoon. Ellen, an ardent bridge fan, became a member of the Bridge Club in her junior year. She also helped to retrieve all articles lost, strayed, stolen, or otherwise, on the Lost and Found Committee.





"DON"

Donald Easton was often heard telling his corny jokes in the locker room. His most noteworthy activity was his chairmanship of the Finance Committee during his senior year. Don was also a member of the School Council and as such did his share of supervising study halls.



"JACK"

John Farley has been Verona High School's efficient football manager for two years. In his freshman and sophomore years in high school he worked with the Model Club under Mr. Dwyer. In his senior year "Jack" became a member of the newly-organized Forum Club.



"CHARLIE"

Carl Eklund became a star soccer fullback and played on the varsity for two years. Any of the fellows in his math classes can tell you that he's a whiz on paper too! Carl is another person who hopes to become an engineer and he may attend Stevens next year.



ANNE

Anne Farrar's most important activity this year was that of class secretary. During her sophomore and junior years she had the more strenuous job of cheerleader. This year, aside from being a member of the Social Committee, Anne was also active in the Forum Club and the I.S.S.



"BOB"

Robert Farson, another witty member of the class, was noted for his enlivening remarks in class. "Bob" reported for the "White Hornet" for a while but soon became a columnist and the author of "Meow." He also took up track and did quite a bit of running.



RUTH

Ruth Feltham was usually found in the midst of things. She was most noted for her work as editor of the "White Hornet." She also displayed her leadership in the fulfillment of her duties as president of the I.S.S. Besides all this, Ruth was an "A" student during her four years at V.H.S.



JANIS

Janis Feistel, one of the live-wire seniors, has participated in the activities of the Girls' A.A. for three years. Janis had the distinction of being one of the charter members of the newly-formed Forum Club. She also sang for V.H.S. in the Girls' Glee Club for two years.



MAUDIE

Maudie Gibson has been an interested member of the Student Council both as an alternate and a representative. She has shown her athletic leanings by her membership and enthusiastic support of the Girls' A.A. She was also a member of the ever-popular Dance Club.

"BUD"

Charles Feltham, this year's editor of "Shadows", received some of his training from his job as its Business Manager last year. He is also noted for his dramatic interests and his part in the school play. In addition to his activity in sports, Charlie was a member of the "White Hornet" staff for two years.



"GRIF"

Gladys Griffin has combined her ability of leadership and geniality to become one of the well-known girls in the class. She has shown her leadership by taking over the presidency of the Dramatic Club. She's been quite active in sports and especially in the Girls' A.A.





"CHARLIE"

Charles Gulla was always willing to assist the faculty with his skill on the typewriter and his knowledge of shorthand. He was a member of the Student Council and chairman of the Study Hall Committee. Charles was also a prominent member of the Golf Team and of the Bowling Team.



"RAY"

Raymond Hathaway's cheerful face was often seen heckling Mr. Dimmers between classes this year. He also was a member of the Boys' Glee Club for several years. This year "Ray" was a helpful addition to the bass section.



"HARBECKEY"

Joan Harbecke was one of our most famous sportswomen. She was in the Girls' A.A. for four years and acted as manager of sonie of their sports. This year Joan was president of the A.A. She was also a member of the Traffic Patrol and this year was co-chairman.



"BEA"

Beatrice Hays in her sophomore year displayed her artistic ability in the Art Club. She also had an appreciation for both swing and classical music. She was a member of the Swing Club during her first year in V.H.S. and joined the Opera Club as a Junior.

"BOB"

During his years at V.H.S. Robert Harris was active in the field of sports and music. He bowled, played soccer, was a valuable addition to the track team, as well as playing intra-mural baseball, basketball, soccer, and football. "Bob" added the stirring "oompahs" to the band and orchestra on his bass horn.



"DOT"

As a sophomore Dorothy Henderson was one of those who chose to elect the Radio and Movie Club as one of her outside activities. Another of our activities receiving her support was the Girls' A.A. This year she was elected Vice-President of the A.A.



EVELYN

Evelyn Henderson in her first two years as a student of Verona High School belonged to the Radio and Movie Club. She was also an active member of the Lost and Found Committee. She finished off her senior year by participating in the Dance Club.



"ART"

Arthur Jacob is known as a track star in more places than V.H.S. He has been our outstanding half-miler for several years. His athletic ability won him the captaincy of the track team this year. Art's also noted for his enlightening comments in class.





"MIKE"

Maurice Henderson went out for the Soccer Team for several consecutive years. This year he played on the varsity as a wing. "Mike" also participated in the volleyball intra-murals in his junior year.



"DAVE"

David Hoest, although not a varsity man, took an active part in the intra-mural program. He went out for football intra-murals in both his sophomore and junior years and basketball intra-murals in his third year. "Dave" also joined the Art Club and the Boys' Glee Club.



"MIDGE"

Margaret Kautzman seems to be interested in the finer things of life. She has actively participated for one year in the French Club, the Opera Club, and the Dramatic Club. For four years she has contributed her fine voice to the Girls' Glee Club.



"SUE"

Sylvia Johnson was one of Miss Anderson's right - hand assistants. "Sue" could be found working in the office any fifth period. As one of the commercials, her skill in typing and shorthand was available to both faculty and students. However she did find time to join the Movie Club in her Freshman year.

"P.K."

Paul Kreuder was busily occupied in the fall and spring as football and track manager respectively. He participated in intra-mural baseball, basketball, and soccer. For the last two years he was an active member of the Dramatic Club and has taken part in some of the productions of that organization.



"DOTTY"

Dorothea Manchester, one of the more lively girls of the class, was an active member of the Dramatic Club and in her sophomore year had one of the major parts in the school play. "Dotty" was also in the I.S.S., on the "White Hornet" staff, and a charter member of the Forum Club.





IRENE

Irene Lamb came to Verona High School during her senior year. Her first accomplishment was to win a high place for herself on the Honor Roll. The only school organization which she joined in her short time in V.H.S. was the Junior Red Cross which she served faithfully.



BETTY

As a freshman, Betty Mansfield was a member of the Student Council. She participated in the Girls' Glee Club and displayed her athletic ability in the Girls' A.A. Betty was also a member of the I.S.S. in her last three years as well as a charter member of the Forum Club.



"MOUSE"

Betty Lehman has been an active member of the Girls' A.A. for four years. As a freshman she was a member of the Riding Club and for the last two years has been in the LS.S. This year she was an industrious member of the Traffic Patrol.



"ANDY"

Andrew Mau arrived at the doors of Verona High School late in his junior year. He had attended Seton Hall up to that time. "Andy" played baseball while he was at Seton Hall and continued to do so after he came to Verona High.



"MAC"

To strangers, Joan McBratney seems quiet and serious, but her friends know she is full of fun and has a wonderful sense of humor. "Mac" spent four years in the A.A., becoming treasurer this year and was also treasurer of the I.S.S. Among other activities she belonged to the Orchestra, Traffic Patrol and Assembly Committee.



"BURT"

Although Burton Neblo was not found on many varsity teams he took part in several intra-mural sports, including baseball, football, and basketball, and was a great asset to the Tennis Team for three years. "Burt" also served V.H.S. on the Social Committee in his sophomore year.



"CHICK"

Edward Meehan has spent four years on the Basketball Team. Another sport in which he was interested and in which he participated was baseball. Besides his athletic activities, Edward was active in the Dance Club during his sophomore and junior years as a student in V.H.S.



PARKER

Parker Newell, an active member of the student body, was president of the School Council this year. He was also, like Mr. Roosevelt, a "third termer," having been class president for three years. In the field of sports, Parker was on the varsity soccer and golf teams. He was also a charter member of the Forum Club.

DIANA

Diana Messina was fond of Home Economics and often helped Mrs. Wood by working in the cafeteria in her spare time. She also joined the Cooking Club. Diana came out of the kitchen long enough to participate actively in the well known Dance Club.



JEAN

Jean Newsom was one of our versatile classmates. She was a member of the Social Committee for three years and topped it off in her senior year as chairman. Being a participant in the Forum Club, harmonizing in the Glee Club and jumping hurdles in the Riding Club are some of her other high school interests.





HELEN

Helen Nordeen, besides being one of V.H.S.'s promising commercials, showed she has a domestic side. She belonged to both the Sewing and Cooking Clubs. Helen also had the distinction of being one of the charter members of the Forum Club. Her membership in the Girls' A.A. shows her interest in sports.



EARL

Earl Rast is outstanding for his Dramatic Club work. His excellent stage-work helped immensely to insure the success of the club's productions. Earl is co-chairman of the newly organized Student Court, and during his high school career was a member of the Dance Club as well as working on "Shadows" and the "White Hornet."



ANN

Ann Peck has the distinction of being the only girl in Verona's 1942 graduating class who took up Mechanical Drawing. Ann proved herself the equal of the boys in this more technical subject and in doing so proved Mr. Dwyer's belief about an interested girl's ability in his subject.



"MAURIE"

Maurice Ready participated in a variety of sports. Throughout his four years, Maurice was active in baseball, basketball, and football intra-murals. He played with the football J. V.s in his sophomore year and was on the track team his senior year. He was also in the Forum and Rifle Clubs.

"GINNY"

Virginia Priest, by nature a quiet girl, was an interested member of the I.S.S. and the Glee Club. As a lover of classical music, she was a member of the Opera Club in her sophomore and junior years. Her athletic interest was shown by her membership in the Bowling Club and the Girls' A.A.



SHIRLEY

Shirley Rekoon was an active member of the Bridge Club in her junior year. She became a member of the Lost and Found Committee in 1941. For three years Shirley was one of those French students who attended the meetings of the famous I.S.S. organization.



DORIS

Doris Reuter, well-known for her gorgeous, big, brown eyes, was an active member of the "White Hornet" advertising staff in her junior year. In her sophomore year she showed her interest in horses by joining the Riding Club. Doris continued her advertising career in her senior year on "Shadows."



MARY

Mary Schneidewind, an art enthusiast, held membership in the Art Club for two years. She was also interested in athletics and became a member of the Girls' A.A. Mary held the position of Circulation Manager of the "White Hornet" in her senior year. She also participated in the work of the "Shadows" staff.





JANE

Jane Roberts is interested in most types of athletics but is especially fond of horseback riding. She is one of the most outstanding horsewomen of V.H.S. and has shown this interest by becoming an active member of the Riding Club in her sophomore year. Jane was also a member of the "Shadows" staff.



"DICK"

Richard Schoof came to V.H.S. from Lyndhurst High School in his sophomore year. He was initiated into the Dramatic Club upon his arrival and took a very active part in their social events and also in one of the plays. He also found time to belong to the I.S.S. for a year.



RALPH

In his extracurricular activities Ralph Sayer has shown the most interest in athletics. In his sophomore, junior, and senior years, he went out for intra-mural football, and in his sophomore year he also played on the junior varsity football team. Ralph was a member of the Rifle Club in his sophomore and junior years.



"MARGIE"

Marjorie Silver in her high school career has been interested in sports. For several years she belonged to the Girls' A.A. besides participating in the activities of the Riding Club. Marjorie was often seen at her post as a member of the Cafeteria Patrol.

"ART"

Arthur Smith is another product of the Dramatic Club and is wellknown for his acting ability. He played "Lefty" in "The Ghost Train" and "Malley" in "The Lady Elects." He also worked on "Shadows" and as a reporter on the "White Hornet" staff.



"JACKIE"

Jacquelyn Smithline started her life in V.H.S. by becoming secretary of the Radio Club. She climaxed her four years of High School activities by doing a very good job as Business Manager of the "White Hornet." "Jackie" started this job in the last part of her junior year and continued through her senior year.





CAROL

Carol Smith was usually seen accompanied by Marjorie. She has been interested in sports and became a member of the Girls' A.A. and of the Riding Club. More on the classical side is her participation in the LS.S. for two years and in the work of the "Shadows" staff.



"EDDY"

Edwin Smoot acted as one of the valiant men of the Verona High Football Team's line. He did a fine job of blocking in the many games in which he played. "Ed" also was very active in the Dramatic Club. He usually helped on the stage work connected with the school plays.



"DOT"

Although one of our smaller seniors, Dorothy Smithers has participated actively in sports for the past four years. She became Vice-President of the Girls' A.A. in her senior year. She expresses her journalistic interests by working on the staffs of the "White Hornet" and "Shadows."



BERNICE

Bernice Soleau spent a great deal of her extra time in Clubs. As a freshman she joined the Radio Club. In her sophomore year she again belonged to the Radio Club and also the Movie Club. As a Junior and Senior she belonged to the Dance Club.



"MICKEY"

Le Roy Van Brunt, another of the football stars of V.H.S., also took part in various intra-murals. Aside from athletics, "Mickey" has been active in the Slide-Rule Club and the Chess Club. He also served on the Hall Committee.



"TEX"

Norman Weiner is well known for his tenor voice and for his participation in the "Lunch Hour Quartet." He used his musical ability in the Glee Club to which he belonged for all four years. Norman also brought glory to V.H.S. as a member of the Football, Basketball, Track, and Baseball Teams.



"BOB"

Robert Van Derveer is another of Verona's artists and belonged to the Art Club. He is better known, however, for his love of photography. When you see Bob, you see a camera in his hands. In fact, you never can tell when he will pop up and snap a candid of you.



"BOB"

Rowan Whealdon left the halls of Verona High School during his senior year to enlist in the Army of the United States. During his career in V.H.S. he was interested in the Rifle Club and became an active member of it. He also participated in intra-mural basketball.

"DOUG"

Douglas Wettach was voted best looking in the class of '42 in his junior year. His main interest in High School was Golf. He joined the Golf Team and was a member for two years. His second interest was the Radio and Movie Club to which he belonged in his sophomore year.



"DOT"

Dorothy Youmans in her four years of High School has to her credit two years in The Movie Club. This membership occurred in her freshman and sophomore years. Although "Dot" has not been very active in extra curricular activities, this does not apply to her classwork.





"ZAP"

During the fall, James Zingg could be seen daily working out on the football field. He was one of our able veterans from last year and he gained more laurels for himself as our football Captain. Jimmy was also a member of the basketball squad and the baseball team. The School Council received the attention of Jimmy in his Freshman and Senior Years.



"LUKE"

Richard Kearcher was one member of Verona's champion track team. This team was undefeated in dual meets and Richard, as a member, gained some of the glory which the team won so brilliantly for the honor of V.H.S.



"ZACK"

Frank Zink, one of our famous football linesmen, also excelled as this year's class President. His fine musical ability won him the presidency of the band and orchestra. In the spring Frank upheld the school's laurels as a member of the track team.

"KLIP"

George Klippel was most outstanding in Verona High School for his energetic work on the varsity football squad. In his senior year, "Klip" showed great promise as a singer. The quartet of Klippel, Morrison, Brighton, and Weiner serenaded the student body in the gym every lunch period.



"EDDIE"

Edward Rogers was active in almost all sports during his high school career. "Eddie" took part in intramural baseball, basketball, and football, as well as being on the J. V. football and basketball teams. "Eddie," a lively addition to the Dramatic Club, was in the school play in his junior year.





SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

President, Frank Zink Vice-President, Dorothea Manchester Secretary-Treasurer, Anne Farrar

'TWAS A "SHADOWY" DAY, indeed, when our blundering herd of bewildered Freshmen stampeded the stately portals of Verona High. Though terribly confounded, we were determined to make the best of our new situation. We began officially by electing Frank Zink our president, Parker Newell our vice president, and Elaine Bentley, secretary-treasurer. After choosing these fine leaders, it was a natural consequence that everything we undertook was destined to be a success.

The first entry made in our freshman scrapbook was the "Frosh Fish Fling," our class dance. We were very well represented in such extracurricular activities as music and sports. Brenda Lyons, our future opera star, and Bob Berry, our second Bing Crosby, soon became indispensable to the Glee Clubs. Betty Beaton, our dynamic little swimming ace, distinguished herself and the entire Freshman class by her record breaking swimming accomplishments. Another of our outstanding classmates was Fred Lynn, who helped to melt the icy stares of the upper classmen by his spectacular athletic feats on the pitcher's mound. Fred was the only Freshman to receive a varsity baseball letter.

IN THE FALL OF '39, we returned to the familiar corridors of our fairest alma mater, a bit more light-hearted and worldly-wise. The trials and tribulations of our terrifying "freshman daze" were over at last, and now we were elevated to the status of sophisticated Sophomores. At our first class meeting, we lost no time in electing Parker Newell our president; Frank Zink, vice-president; and Betty Beaton, secretary-treasurer. By this time, we knew Mr. Wilkin's perennial jokes by heart and had the wisdom to enjoy them for the umpteenth time hoping to curry favor and perhaps good marks. At this time Confucius, the ancient Chinese philosopher, was foremost in the minds of the high school jokesters, and in keeping with the times, our class dance was entitled "Confucius Say," complete with Chinese lanterns and all the trimmings. Now that we had more faith in ourselves, we became quite active in school affairs. We were greatly honored by having Dorothea Manchester and Charles Feltham enact two of the leading roles in the annual Dramatic Club production, "The Ghost Train." Anne Farrar and Betty Beaton, super-cheerleaders, made sure that the teams had the full support of the Sophomores. The two aces of the Golf (Continued on Page 70)



AND NOW-THE JUNIORS

We have just enjoyed our first taste of being upperclassmen. Ah! What bliss to repay the scorn that was felt by us as bewildered Freshmen and struggling Sophomores. We are proud of our illustrious "Class of '43."

The officers of the class were elected shortly before the close of school in June, 1941. The honored recipients of the offices were: President, Robert Fielding; vice president, Janet Dryden; and secretary-treasurer; Ruth Stahlschmidt.

Among other things, the Juniors have been especially active in the field of sports this year. Tom Brighton ably filled the captaincy of our soccer team. Supporting him on the team were Charles Breiner, Ray Kandel, Art Guancione, and Sonny DeVito. The football team was fortunate in having Bob Fielding, our class president, Bill Morrison, Bob Nelson, Harry Dougherty, Tom Morley, and Sonny Vitale to provide a good part of the thrills and chills of the season. Edward Mech, Buddy Miller and Sonny Vitale contributed to the success of the basketball team. We were well represented in baseball by Harry Dougherty, captain of the team; Ray Kandel, Tom Brighton, Tom Morley, and Ray Farley. Bill Morrison, Gilbert Yeskel, and Wyman Connor were our stars on the track team.

Several members of the class have taken part in and contributed greatly to the band and orchestra. Wyman Connor, trombonist, represented V.H.S. in the allstate band and orchestra. Gilbert Yeskel, Miriam Colvin, Katherine Cederroth, Sonny De Vito, and Janet Dryden were other members of the school orchestra and band.

Wyman Connor and Janet Dryden brought glory to their Alma Mater by being invited to appear on a radio quiz program. "It was a lot of fun," they said.

Our literary star was Miriam Colvin, assistant-editor of "Shadows" and secretary of the "White Hornet." In photography Gilbert Yeskel won second prize in a contest sponsored by Bamberger's. Talent was shown by Thelma Burris also, who gave a snappy sketch and tap-dance during the annual V.H.S. amateur assembly hour.

To round off an active and happy year, the traditional "prom" in June, shortly before graduation, was presented by the Juniors. The dance was given in honor of the graduating Seniors.

With the strains of the orchestra still in their ears, the Juniors depart for the summer months satisfied that they have made some significant contributions to the life of their Alma Mater.



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CLASS '43

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Molinari, Catherine Morley, Thomas P. Morrison, William G. Moskowitz, Eva Munsey, Janet Nelson, Robert Newton, Loretta Oster, David O. Palladino, Frederick Peer, Edward Pfeiffer, Edwin W. Purlson, Doris Robertson, June Rodgers, John Roycroft, Alice Sayer, James Shaw, Joseph Sheehan, Raymond Smoot, Mildred Sprague, Joy Anne Stahlschmidt, Ruth Stenstrom, Helen Struble, Edward R. Vitale, Joseph Wall, Patricia Whealdon, Margery Wicks, Frances Williams, Henry Wirthlin, Donald Wood, Marion Yeskel, Gilbert D.

1944 MARCHES ON

In spite of being lowerclassmen in V.H.S., the members of the Class of '44 have not entirely remained in the background. The first job of the Sophomores was the election of officers. The successful candidates were: Mary Grace Teti, president; Glenn Knowles, vice president; and Joyce Mills, secretary-treasurer. These officers were elected in June of 1941.

At the second class meeting, after much discussion, the date of October thirty-first was finally decided upon for the class dance. Rose Marie Timken was appointed head of the dance committee, which included the decorating, advertising, and poster groups. Because of the hard work of all the Sophomores, the "Witches' Waltz" proved to be a success.

Pepping up the morale of the sports' stars was the all-sophomore squad of cheer-leaders. During football season, they were one group; but in basketball season, the girls were divided into two squads of five each. "Muffie" Shaw was in charge of one squad consisting of "Peg" Herter, Shirley Fischer, "Kitty" Rowley, and Mary Grace Teti; while Joyce Mills, Phyliss Gerard, Mary Ellen Tompson, and Jacqueline Dempsey were headed by Norma Smith. Helping them with this job was Doris Lelong, who helped keep the school keyed-up at the football games by leading the drum-majorettes.

Turning to the realm of sports, the Sophomores were well represented on the football team by Alex Schreiber, Willis Cutler, Jack Howat, and Bob Lazar. Fred Ingold, Johnny Farrar, and Allen Tucci upheld the honor of the Class in soccer, and Fred Ingold also starred on the varsity basketball and baseball team. Last, but not least, there are the promising track stars: Glenn Knowles, Willis Cutler, Alex Schreiber, Ted Warner, Bob Howard, Bob Hayes, and Chuck Bentley.

Leaving athletics, we see that the band and orchestra was composed of many Sophomores. Besides taking part in the band and orchestra, several members took their place in a string quartet, and there was even a swing band composed of the Class of '44. This swing band played in an amateur hour in assembly, during which another talented Sophomore, Marie Poppolardo, sang "This Love of Mine" and scored quite a hit by singing "A Shanty in Old Shanty Town."

The Class of '44 has also taken part in other assembly programs. Muriel Grossman, Clarence Thyren, and Doris Booker were in one of the one-act plays put on by the Dramatic Club; Peg Herter and Kitty Rowley were cast in "Buddy Answers an Ad." Another achievement in the "dramatic field" was Jimmy Courter's role as Jimmy in the school play.

Now—as you can see after this brief summary, the Sophomore class has done pretty well for itself. Even better days are coming.

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Finkel, Mildred Fischer, Shirley Fredericks, Stephen W. Friedman, Barbara Gerard, Phyliss May Gould, Richard Green, Mary Greene, Harry Griffin, Richard N. Grossman, Muriel R. Hageman, Mary Elizabeth Hall, Doris Ann Halverson, Kenneth Hammes, Sally Marion Harris, R. William Hayes, Robert Healy, Joseph T. Hemion, Dwight A. Herter, Margaret Hochheiser, Marion Hoffmann, Edith Howard, Robert Howat, John Huey, Chester Ingold, Fred Jacobus, Doris Ida Johnson, Roland Jungling, Jean Kirspel, Walter Knoderer, Alice Knowles, Glenn Korte, Alma Lazar, Rudolph Robert Lelong, Doris Liljestrand, Kenneth Maack, Bernadette A. Mann, Gertrude Maroot, Florence Marriott, Helen

Ferris, Anne E.

Miller, Frank Mills, Joyce Nelson, Martha Newton, Loretta O'Neill, Mary A. Paulsen, Donald P. Penndorf, Jack Pischl, Edward Porter, June Reed, Elizabeth Rowley, Katherine A. Roycroft, Agnes T. Roycroft, Alice Tydd Sager, Richard D. Schreiber, Alex Shaw, Martha Shearer, Margaret Sica, Gloria Silver, Barbara C. Smith, Norma Soleau, Richard Spohn, William St. Clair, Dorothy May Steffen, Jean Stemmle, Ruth Teti, Mary Grace Thyren, Clarence Timken, Rose Marie Tompson, Mary Ellen Tucci, Allan Vincent, Jean Margaret Warner, John T. Waterman, Donald Watts, Frances M. Weise, Hannelore Wettach, Jean Whealdon, Susan Wiesing, Theodore Wiggins, Virginia Wolff, William Arthur Wright, Francis N.

Introducing The Freshmen

It all began on September 3, 1941, when a group of slightly bewildered young people wandered into the corridors of Verona High School. They were a group of confused students, who were invariably late for every class, usually reporting to the wrong room, and always asking the wrong question at the wrong time. Considering all this, it is rather easy to realize that they were the Class of "45."

After a few weeks, the first meeting of this promising class was held. It was at this time that Sven Peterson was elected to be the illustrious president; Jack Cougan, the ready vice-president; and last but not least, Barbara Sniffin as the industrious secretary-treasurer.

Late in February, a second class meeting was held. At this meeting, plans were made for a class dance. David Wilson was elected head of the decorating committee. The class decided on the name of "Jumpin Jive." After much planning by Mary Marfield, Nan Fifoot, Bill Bruckmann, George Burnett, and Ailsa Smith, the dance was staged in the school gym, April 7. Decorations were in green, white and yellow. It was a "record dance" in every way.

The Freshman Class was well represented in the sports of Verona High. Members of the soccer team were Sven Peterson, George Penndorf, James Harris, Leonard Tucci, and David Bamford, who scored a sensational goal for the soccer team against Spring Valley. Jack Cougan and Richard Gartley proved themselves worthy of their berths on the varsity football team. Cougan did a noble job as a blocking-back. Bill Bruckman, Bob Beaton, Frank Cebello, Bob Fox, David Wilson, and Erle Horton were other members of the squad. Besides football, Bill shows promise of being one of our tennis champions. Frank Cebello, David Bamford, and Bob Fox also are on the baseball team. All are pitchers. Richard Gartley has been doing some outstanding work in track as a hurdler. Sven Peterson is pole-vaulting this year and is expected to do V.H.S. honors in the future. Other members of the track team are John Nichols, Earle Courter, Jack Cougan, Joe Morley, and David Wilson. John Dean was the manager of the team.

George Bremser has shown himself to be another "Einstein." He has excelled both in classes and out of them. The class was very proud of George's progress as a radio quiz-kid.

The Freshman Class has cut its seal into Verona High life in a truly impressive manner. The future — well, with this bright beginning no one needs to fear the inability of the 45'ers to "carry the torch" of our school and carry it high.



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CLASS '45

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Guancione, Edith Gulla, Ann Gustavson, Robert Haberbush, Paul Hadaway, William S., Jr. Handeville, Edward R. Harris, James D. Hathaway, Charles Healy, Peter H. Herbert, Norman Hermey, Audrey Higgins, Robert A. Hoffmann, Florence L. Horton, Erle M. Jacob, Audrey L. Jacobus, Elmer Johnson, Ib Johnson, Irving H. Johnson, Roland Kaptein, Lena Knoderer, Carol Jean Laux, Edward Lippman, Kathryn E. Livelli, Rosalina Loibissio, Josephine McBratney, Mary D. McDowell, George E. McGovern, Thomas A. Maffucci, Mary J. Mann, Gertrude Marfield, Mary Adair Martinelli, Luena Molinaro, Catherine Morley, Joseph H. Nelson, Margie Nichols, John Nighland, Mary T. Norwood, Nadine Oakenell, William Oldham, Vincent R.

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Most Likely to Succeed















On the following pages Shadows chronicles some of the year's ACTIVITIES



WE CAST OUR

Shadows "comes out." You see, this year Shadows celebrated its twentyfirst birthday. Fortunately, for Verona High students, Shadows' draft number hasn't yet been called. However, Mr. Paul E. Dimmers, who has been our faculty adviser for many years, was called to service the latter part of February. Mr. John E. Mattis, one of our newer faculty members, consented to assume the job of Shadows' adviser and has worked enthusiastically with the staff on this edition.

Charles Feltham was this year's very capable editor who carried on despite the many changes in plans. Miriam Colvin was assistant editor and as such contributed much to the literary efforts and year-book organization. Ruth Stahlschmidt held the job of literary editor, and the sports section was edited by Steve Bonta.

The literary staff, who were responsible for the writing in the book, consisted of J. Bruso, M. Finkle, M. Feistel, B. Mansfield, J. Dryden, P. Wall, J. Feistel, D. Smithers, C. Mol-

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inari, D. Longley, G. Griffin, and W. Connor.

Jean Newsom, circulation manager, and her staff had the thankless task of collecting Shadows' payments and increasing the subscription rate.

Members of the circulation staff were: J. Harbecke, M. Kautzmann, E. Corwin, B. Adams, J. McBratney, J. Dryden, C. Dodd, D. Corwin, C. Smith, M. E. Schneidewind, P. Courter, M. Bedford, G. Teti, and D. Reuter.

In charge of all business matters and financial affairs was Charles Gulla, assisted by George Bremser.

Parker Newell and Shirley Fischer, co-advertising managers, and the advertising staff (J. Carlson, B. Lehman, G. Cullen, D. Manchester, K. Rowley, and C. Thyren) had the tedious job of soliciting ads from near-by merchants.

The Shadows' staff have attempted to do a faithful and intelligent job in mirroring our Verona High of 1941-42.



EXTRA! EXTRA! HERE'S

THE WHITE HORNET

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THE WHITE HORNET

"You can't get a new spring bonnet for only a nickel, but you can buy the 'White Hornet' at that low price!" This typical announcement heralded the appearance of one of the White Hornet's twelve issues. The paper started the year off with a bang by coming out in a special edition the first day of school.

The White Hornet is self-supporting and affords splendid experience in financial management.

Ruth Feltham, who was an exceptionally excellent editor, is to be complimented on her pertinent editorials which varied in both type and topic.

Memorable "front page stories" were the interview with Boris Karloff by A. Smith and B. Farson, and J. Bruso and M. Finkel's exclusive interview with Judith Anderson. The year's outstanding sports article was the play by play account of our Thanksgiving Day game with Caldwell by G. Bremser.

The students also read enthusiastically Bob Farson's gossip column, "Meow"; "La Jeune Fille," column for girls by Dot Longly; and the speculative "From the Stands" by Wyman Connor. Gilbert Yeskel did the photography.





"ALL THE WORLD'S



A STAGE...

The 1941-42 edition of the Dramatic Club cast one of the greatest "shadows" in its highly successful career. With a great onrush of enthusiastic freshmen, the membership topped eighty. Governing this large and rather important group were: president, Gladys Griffin; vice president, Dorothea Manchester; secretary, Elaine Bentley; corresponding secretary, Dorothea Corwin; and treasurer, Pete Conover. Mr. Butterworth enthusiastically directed the group's activities.

Eagerly awaited by the older members of the club was the initiation party, the first big social event of the year. Dick Schoof, as master of ceremonies, helped Carol Dodd clean a chicken, poured water down Bob Farson's gym suit, and coached several love scenes. All in all, the party proved very entertaining.

"Archie Comes Home," a one-act play, was greeted enthusiastically in assembly. Heading its cast was Arthur Smith, as Archie. Supporting him were Muriel Grossman, Doris Booker, Paul Kreuder, and Clarence Thyren. "Buddy Answers An Ad" was a clever one-act play, excellently directed by Miss Clarinda Kier, and presented April 29 to the students. The cast included Eddie Rogers as Buddy; Phyllis Abrell, Robert Farson, Katherine Rowley, Margaret Herter, Edwin Pfeiffer, and Catherine Molinari.

The school play, a yearly event in V.H.S., was one of mystery and unusual originality. "A Murder Has Been Arranged," written by Emlyn Williams, was presented by a capable cast, headed once again by Arthur Smith, this time as Maurice Mullins, a crooked murderer. Gladys Griffin enacted the role of the cockney, Mrs. Wragg. Elaine Bentley portrayed Beatrice, wife of the murdered man. Carol Dodd was her mother, a boisterous and ill-bred character. Sir Charles Jasper, the murdered man, was played by Richard Schoof; Jimmy Courter acted the nonchalant reporter, James North; and Dot Longley was the "mysterious "woman." It was agreed by all that this was one of the dramatic players' finest productions.



Alas For Those That Never Sing!



Have you noticed the drastic change in the program for the Girls' Glee Club this year? Instead of one club meeting twice a week, as in the past, there are now two smaller clubs, each meeting once a week. The First Glee Club includes only those girls who can really read music well, and the Second consists only of those who want to sing, but who do not necessarily have any particular musical knowledge.

The officers of the First Glee Club are: Joan Harbecke, President; Carol Dodd, Secretary; Helen Stenstrom and Muriel Grossman, Librarians. The Second Glee Club has two librarians—Marjorie Nelson and Hannelore Weise. Miss Lewis is in charge of both clubs. No operetta or concert was given this year—not because there wasn't enough interest or talent, but because so many of the boys participate in sports and wouldn't have time to spend the great number of hours needed to produce a program.

The boys have one glee club, which they enjoy to the utmost. Their pleasure is partly due to the jovial character of Mr. Schill, who provides many a pleasant afternoon for the fellows.

Verona High is proud of the interest shown by the students in its musical organizations.

And The Band Played On



Remember the rousing music of martial air that floated over the football field last fall? That was our band! In addition to spurring on the football team and thrilling the fans, the band also played for several community gatherings and took part in the big West Essex Civilian Defense Rally last fall.

The orchestra gave an instrumental concert in May, which was enthusiastically received. Steve Bonta, our super cellist, played in the All State Orchestra and Wyman Connor performed splendidly on the trombone at the spring try-out for this year's All State Band. The String Quartette, composed of Doris Ann Hall, first violin; Donald Paulsen, second violin; Janet Dryden, viola; and Steve Bonta, cello; exhibited its skill at the State Competition in April.

Great strides have been made in the

music department under Mr. Schill. For the first time in its history, the music department, with Mr. Sampson's help, has arranged a schedule for section rehearsals. Band and orchestra members were assigned to one of the following groups: A-trumpets and cornets, B-strings, C-clarinets and saxophones, D-trombones, horns, and drums, F-String Quartette. Each group met in a different period Monday mornings. The schedule was arranged, so that the groups moved ahead one period each week. Every fifth week the group met after school, and the sixth week they had no rehearsal. Beginning the seventh week, the schedule started rotating again. These section rehearsals have been of great value in improving our band and orchestra.

Frank Zink was elected president of the Band and Orchestra last fall.

La France Libre à Jamais

The International Students Society had a membership of about sixty. The officers, who were elected at the final meeting of last year, were: Ruth Feltham, president; Carol Dodd, vice president; Joan McBratney, treasurer; Dorothy Smithers, secretary; and Eleanor Corwin, corresponding secretary. Ruth Stahlschmidt served as refreshment committee chairman.

Meetings were held once a month in the cafeteria, where programs of interest were presented. A typical monthly meeting might consist of French songs, a play or puppet show, some French games, and refreshments. Each year at Christmas, a special meeting is held. At this meeting the members exchange presents and cards with each other. There is also a typical French Christmas ceremony observed each year. This year it was carried out by some of the girls dressed in French costumes.

Aside from the usual contribution for refreshments, another collection was taken just before Christmas for two little English refugees. Quite a large sum of money was collected for these girls. With the money, some of the I.S.S. members bought toys and sweaters. Besides helping their little English friends, the club members have also been sending some money to unoccupied France to help a little boy there.



Of, By, And For - - - The Students

The School Council acts as the student body's legislature, making permanent and current laws, and revising others. It consists of one representative from each homeroom, one member from any club with thirty or more members, plus three officers. This year, under the leadership of Parker Newell, the president; Bill Morrison, the vice president; Dot Longley, the secretary; and Miss Howell, the faculty adviser; the Council accomplished a great deal.

The most important problem undertaken by the Council was the attempt to maintain a 2:30 dismissal. Much thought and discussion took place at the weekly meetings. After ideas concerning this plan were received from the student body through an open meeting, the Council, with the help of a senior English class, presented a plan for the 2:30 dismissal to Mr. Sampson. He, in turn, presented it to the Board of Education. This plan was accepted and went into effect on Monday, January 26. The Council also succeeded in having student-controlled study halls.

One of the important events of the year was the Victory Dance, presented by the Council the day after the Verona-Caldwell football game. Parker Newell and Dorothy Longley represented Verona at a meeting of the Suburban Conference of School Councils. Dorothy also attended meetings every few weeks with representatives from the suburban conference schools, which was for the purpose of exchanging ideas. Joe Shaw attended a conference at Princeton in behalf of our school.





Town Meeting Tonight!

Look what a trip to Millburn started!

After a few hours in a Millburn auditorium, several forum-minded Verona High School students were aroused to the possibilities of having their own Forum Club. Organization proved to be a difficult problem requiring an advisory visit to Verona by three of Millburn's Forum Club officers. Finally, using this helpful first - hand information, arrangements were completed and the following four officers emerged: president, Fred Brookwell; vice president, Wyman Connor; secretary, Jacqueline Dempsey; and treasurer, Maurice Ready.

The first meetings drew large crowds of interested students. With this attendance as encouragement, the members, under Miss Howell's supervision, began to plan future discussions. The general topic chosen was the "Pan-American Good Neighbor Policy." At subsequent meetings, members of the club and outsiders discussed various phases of the topic.

The culmination of the Club's hopes may be realized next year through planned forum assemblies, operating much like radio's famed "Town Meeting of the Air."

Students active in the movement are: D. Manchester, E. Bentley, J. Fiestel, B. Mansfield, M. Coon, G. Cullen, R. Farson, M. E. Thompson, M. Marfield, A. Jacob, N. Fifoot, K. Butts, W. Dix, A. Farrar, R. Cestone, J. Dryden, C. Feltham, D. Longley, S. Hammes, J. McBratney, M. Silver, J. Gittleman, V. Blaes, J. Harbecke, J. Mewsom, C. Dodd, G. Griffin, J. Carlson, B. Adams, J. Dempsey, P. Courter, V. Priest, H. Nordeen, N. Weiner, R. Chestnut, J. Farley, A. Farrar, S. Browning, and M. Schneidewind.



"Let's Face The Music and Dance"



"Why thank you so much. I'd adore to. Why I think it's more of a waltz, really. Isn't it? Don't you just love Harry James music? Goodman? Well, y e s."

This was the kind of patter one heard each Thursday in the cafeteria when sixty Dance Club members congregated to learn the latest steps and instruct the more awkward in the ways of the "graceful art."

Donald Easton presided over this group, while Shirley Fischer served as vice president and Betty Cavalero as secretarytreasurer.

Although the Dance Club was organized three years ago to provide opportunity for social training, the present group with its sixty members stood as a highlight of our school's activity program. Much of the credit belongs to Miss Ruth Root, adviser, for her efficient organization.

The students in the club were very fortunate in having Lilyan Singman, a professional teacher, come to their meetings every two weeks to teach them the latest steps. The members paid five cents every week to meet this expense. With Miss Singman's valuable instruction the students learned to waltz, Rumba, La Conga, and dance the Polish Polka.

The club was divided into six groups. Each group had a captain who made sure the members knew the steps and changed partners. The following people were captains: Shirley Fischer, Joyce Mills, Mary Grace Teti, Norma Smith, Bernice Soleau, and Evelyn Henderson.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

No slackers were the members of the Junior Red Cross in the "Volunteer for Victory" drive. Under Miss Cook's guidance, the following girls offered their services: B. Bender, E. Benecke, I. Lamb, H. Marriott, S. Whealdon, H. Stenstrom, and President R. Feltham.

The girls spent many hours in sewing, knitting, and hemming unlimited garments for the benefit of soldiers and refugees.

Another worthy project of this group was the organization of the special Red Cross Drive, in which the students of the school contributed the tidy sum of forty dollars.

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

This year the Assembly committee, under Joan McBratney, has attempted to plan for worthwhile and entertaining assembly programs each week. Programs were taken from various fields—movies, sports, and vocations as well as from the fine arts of art and music. Several programs were staged by the Dramatic Club and various classes. In March, an amateur show was held. Mr. Schill was in charge of this performance. The favorable reaction of the student body toward assembly presentations is an accurate indication of the Committee's success.



CAFETERIA PATROL

During the last two years one of our active service groups has been the Cafeteria Patrol. Operating at five assigned posts, the Patrol members have encouraged proper order and honesty in the lunch line; they have prevented confusion at service tables and disposal window; they have given courteous seating assistance to students in the cafeteria. The two divisions of the Patrol serving alternate weeks consist of: J. Carlson, R. Cestone, D. Manchester, J. Newsom, M. Silver, A. Johnson, Adviser; G. Congdon, M. Daly, B. Lehman, D. Smithers, S. Whealdon.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Each year the Social Committee endeavors to help make the dances and parties of Verona High School a huge success. With the willing guidance and help of Miss Root, it has certainly lived up to the standards of other years. After a late start, the Social Committee began to work with the greatest efficiency. Jean Newsom, who was chairman, has worked very hard and under her direction some excellent results have been obtained.

LOST AND FOUND COMMITTEE

It is the duty of this committee each year to try to find the owners of the many articles that are lost in the locker rooms, homerooms, halls, and on the grounds. Lost articles are turned over to the members of the Lost and Found Committee, and they in turn take them to room 27 where they are carefully stored. Miss Cheney helpfully supervised the work of this committee.

HALL PATROL

This new traffic group was first organized in March, 1942. Members of the Hall Patrol are primarily concerned with keeping our five large building corridors free of loitering students before 8:25 in the morning and after 2:30 in the afternoon. The student personnel filling the seven traffic posts includes: J. Addis, J. Cougan, B. Cullen, P. Kreuder, B. Neblo, E. Rogers, H. Swartz; A. Johnson, Adviser.



FINANCE COMMITTEE

Collecting money sounds like a soft job, doesn't it? Well, that's what the Finance Committee does. One member is present at every function, social or otherwise, in which money is involved. This year there was the added attraction of federal taxes and inspection to worry about. However, Donald Easton, the chairman, and Mrs. Prince, the faculty adviser were equal to the task. Other members of the Finance Committee were: C. Gulla, M. Henderson, T. Caputo, E. Struble, R. Hathaway, and P. Newell.

TRAFFIC PATROL

Since the fall of 1932, this service organization has fulfilled definite responsibilities in our building. Members of the Patrol have guided student traffic during the passing of classes; they have directed student movements to and from Assembly; they have very efficiently supervised our regular fire drills. Traffic personnel this year includes: J. Harbecke, B. Cavalero, Co-chairmen; J. Dryden, S. Fredericks, R. Balne, M. Hochheiser, R. Kandel, M. Loibissio, J. McBratney, G. Penndorf, H. Stenstrom, G. Teti, D. Wachtel, P. Wall, T. Wands; A. Johnson, Adviser.

GROUNDS PATROL

A new-comer in the way of committees has been added to Verona High School during these last few months. Under the leadership of Fred Palladino the members of the committee patrolled the school grounds daily and were always on the lookout for after dinner smokers, wanderers, and grass-tramplers. Those chosen to serve on the committee were: N. Smith, J. Daily, J. Mills, M. G. Teti, S. Peterson, and J. Howat. Although in existence only a very short time, this group has done a great deal to improve the appearance of the grounds.

LOCKER ROOM PATROL

The Locker Room Patrols are newly organized groups started by the Student Council. The girls' locker room is under the supervision of Gladys Griffin while Clarence Thyren heads the boys'. The patrol was formed because of the lack of order in the locker rooms. There are two people stationed in each locker room every period to check on those entering the room and to maintain order. The locker room conditions have been greatly improved since the installation of the patrol.



THE STUDENT COURT

One of the most progressive moves toward the assumption of student responsibility was realized this year through the Council's formation of a Student Court.

The Student Court first functioned last April 16, under the able leadership of Clarence Thyren. Earl Rast, Joyce Mills, Ailsa Smith, and Ruth Stahlschmidt were appointed members of the newly-formed committee, with Frank Zink and Norman Wiener as alternate judges, Elaine Bentley as court secretary; and Glenn Knowles and Sven Peterson acting as Sergeants-at-Arms.

Many difficult problems must be met and many sacrifices made before this Committee can attain its maximum usefulness.

STUDY HALL COMMITTEE

Attention please, Mr. Hitler! Gestapo tactics are finding little favor in the study halls of Verona High these days. Maybe it's our aversion to storm-troopers.

Would it surprise you to know that in our "Schule," capable student leaders assumed control of discipline during periods of study? Yes, our student government chose Dorothy Longley, Joan McBratney, Gladys Griffin, Charles Gulla, Jean Newsom, Parker Newell and Ailsa Smith as proctors.

The courteous qualities shown by this group of people was rewarded by splendid cooperation from the students.

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Left to right, front row: Manager J. Farley, A. Schreiber, R. Nelson, J. Cougan, T. Morley, R. Fielding, N. Wiener, Captain J. Zingg, E. Smoot, R. Black, M. Van Brunt, J. Vitale, W. Morrison, and W. Cutler. Top row: Coach J. Mattis, W. Bruckmann, G. Burnett, R. Lazar, J. Rodgers, R. Fox, J. Howat, D. Wilson, W. Dix, R. Gartley, J. Addis, J. Courter, W. Schneidewind, G. McDowell, R. Avis, G. Bremser, R. Schneider, and Asst. Coach N. Smith. Missing: F. Palladino, G. Klippel, and H. Dougherty.



Left to right: Coach P. Goeltz, A. Tucci, R. Maxwell, R. Wolf, E. Fox, F. Ingold, C. Eklund, Captain T. Brighton, R. Bersworth, E. Rodgers, J. Penndorf, C. Feltham, R. Abramson, S. Peterson, J. Harris, L. Tucci, and D. Bamford.

FOOTBALL

September 30, 1941, was the greatest day in Verona's abbreviated football history. The Maroon and White achieved its first league victory in a game more devastating than the 9-3 margin would indicate. Millburn was the unhappy victim.

The debit side of the ledger showed losses to Summit 0-13, Glen Ridge 0-23, Madison 0-19, Harrison 7-20, and Caldwell 0-7. However, every one of these teams found the Hornets a mighty tough eleven. The Verona gridders had an easy day against Wharton High at Dover, winning by a 32-0 score.

The team was honored this year by having Fred Palladino selected as a member of the All-Suburban Conference first team. Schreiber, Morley, Zingg, and Morrison received honorable mention. Captain "Jim" Zingg was also selected to attend the Heisman Trophy Dinner as most representative of the team.

The most colorful game of the year was the annual Turkey-Day clash with Caldwell on the latter's new gridiron before a crowd of approximately 3,000 enthusiastic fans. The Maroon and White lost a heart-breaking 7-0 decision to their traditional rivals, after threatening three times in the first half of the game within the very shadows of the goal line.

Boys receiving letters were: T. Morley, H. Dougherty, R. Fielding, A. Schreiber, W. Cutler, R. Lazar, R. Nelson, J. Vitale, F. Palladino, W. Morrison, J. Cougan, J. Rodgers, N. Wiener, E. Smoot, L. Van Brunt, R. Black, G. Klippel, J. Zingg, and F. Zink. The last seven will be lost through graduation.

SOCCER

"We may not have repeated our feat of last year as North Jersey Group II soccer champs, but the 1941 boys go down in my record book as a group of fellows showing as much fight and getting as much enjoyment out of the game as any team I have ever coached." This was "Doc" Goeltz's impression of this year's soccer squad.

Perhaps the most satisfying win of the season was the 5-0 victory over Spring Valley, New York. This marked Spring Valley's first defeat of the year. Two other victories were achieved by the Veronians over Kearny and Summit. Individual honors went to Tom Brighton, captain of the team and All-State center half; and Parker Newell, All-State second team center-forward.

Among the letter-men were Tom Brighton, Parker Newell, "Sonny" De Vito, Bob Maxwell, Allan Tucci, Elwood Fox, Fred Ingold, Johnny Farrar, Charles Breiner, Charles Feltham, Ray Kandel, Carl Eklund, Joe Fear, Jack Penndorf, Maurice Henderson, and Wesley Smithers, manager.

Next year's team will lose only four veterans: Carl Eklund, Parker Newell, Charles Feltham, and Maurice Henderson.



Left to right: Manager T. Morley, J. Vitale, S. Peterson, E. Mech, R. Black, Captain J. Zingg, J. Penndorf, E. Meehan, F. Ingold, and Coach P. Goeltz.



Left to right, front row: Mascot R. Johnson, T. Morley, R. Kandel, R. Farley, E. Fox, Captain H. Dougherty, F. Palladino, F. Ingold, W. Powers, W. Smith, E. Jung, and Manager R. Beaton. Top row: R. Black, E. Meehan, R. Maxwell, F. Cebello, A. Mau, R. Fox, Coach P. Goeltz, T. Wissing, T. Brighton, C. Gilbert, J. Farrar, G. Penndorf, and J. Zingg.

BASKETBALL

A shot rang out! A joyous shout from the Verona cheering section echoed throughout the gym. The shot announced the end of the Millburn game. It was a tired but jubilant Verona team that retired to the locker-rooms having defeated the Millburn squad 21-18. Our varsity quintet for that game consisted mostly of inexperienced players since several of the "regulars" had disqualified themselves. Despite this loss, the Verona passers, showing a magnificent determination to win and a clean, fighting spirit, came through and won their only conference victory of the season.

Conference games were dropped to Glen Ridge 19-43, Millburn 20-35, Summit 20-30, Madison 20-31, Caldwell 24-31, Glen Ridge 31-36, Madison 18-36, Summit 20-37, Caldwell 23-30.

The members of the varsity squad were Ed Mech, Ed Meehan, and Fred Ingold, forwards; Bob Black, center; Captain Jimmy Zingg and Sonny Vitale, guards. Captain Jimmy Zingg headed the varsity scoring.

In spite of the fact that the team had more than its share of bad breaks and suffered many defeats, everyone agreed with Coach "Doc" Goeltz as he said, "All the new players did very well. There were none left over from last year."

BASEBALL

"Play ball!" shouted the umpire, announcing Verona's opener with Bloomfield High—and play ball the Hornets did, for they sent the former Greater Newark Champs down to the tune of 3-1. The gods of the diamond frowned, however, on championship ambitions, as the nine dropped successive league games to Glen Ridge 16-3, Millburn 9-6, Madison 4-1, and Summit 3-1.

Faces familiar in the game line-ups were those of Harry Dougherty, catcher; Bob Black, Tom Brighton, and Johnny Farrar, pitchers; Ray Kandel, first base; Fred Palladino, short stop; Fred Ingold, second base; Ellie Fox, third base; Tom Morley, Bob Maxwell, and Jimmy Zingg, outfielders.

Bill Powers, Bob Fox, Frank Cabello, George

Penndorf, Ray Farley, Wes Smith, and Andy Mau proved themselves worthy replacements.

Individual honors went to Harry Dougherty, the hard working captain and catcher. Elwood Fox, Fred Palladino, and Ray Kandel were fairly effective with the bat while Fred Ingold and Bob Black gave dependable support in the field.

As the team neared the end of its first meetings with league opponents, Coach "Doc" Goeltz had this to say, "If the team can spruce up its hitting, they will be able to win many of the second-round games. Johnny Farrar's fine and steady pitching should help considerably." As if fulfilling a soothsayer's prophecy, the team proceeded impressively to trounce Glen-Ridge 4-1 and Caldwell 10-5 to begin its second-round campaign for victory.



Left to right, top row: W. Harris, S. Peterson, R. Gould, J. Rodgers, R. Hayes, J. Howat, S. Bonta, J. Cougan, M. Ready, E. Peer, J. Morley, W. Connor, J. Fear, J. Addis, E. Courter, R. VanDerveer, R. Sayer, D. Wilson, J. Healy, V. Blaes, H. Edgren, D. Easton, P. Haberbush, R. Gustavson, G. Bremser, F. Wright, and Coach N. Smith. Middle row: E. Horton, G. Cullen, J. Nichols, S. DeVito, C. Feltham, R. Howard, K. Butt, R. Cestone, C. Bentley, G. Yeskel, W. Wolf, J. Fitzpatrick, and Manager J. Dean. Front row: R. Gartley, W. Cutler, J. Livelli, J. Warner, R. Harris, Captain A. Jacobs, N. Wiener, W. Morrison, G. Knowles, A. Schreiber, and R. Nelson.



Left to right: Manager P. Livelli, R. Schneider, A. Caputo, Captain F. Bedford, T. Dean, P. Newell, C. Gulla, Coach E. Williams.

TRACK

"We did it before, and we can do it again" was the war cry of our track team this spring as they entered the third year undefeated in dual meets. The cindermen pointed toward winning the conference championship on May 23.

The credit for these triumphs is due to no one man in particular, but to all the boys. Captain Art Jacob has been an important factor in Verona's victories, as have Glenn, Knowles, Bob Harris, Bill Wolff, Norman Wiener, Bill Morrison, Alex Schreiber, Ray Sheehan, Dick Abramson, and Bob Nelson. The squad was fortunate in having Norman Wiener win the Group III shot-put championship at the Newark Invitation Meet. Art Jacob and Bob Harris also placed at this meet. Norman Wiener holds the school record for the shotput, Bill Morrison has the low hurdles record, and Bob Harris the high hurdles record.

The team started off with a bang, defeating Mountain Lakes to the tune of $79\frac{1}{2}$ to $29\frac{1}{2}$ and followed this up with a $57\frac{1}{2}$ to $32\frac{1}{2}$ victory over Caldwell. Next in line for defeat was Madison, who was downed $79\frac{3}{4}$ to $39\frac{1}{4}$.

GOLF

Thirty wins in thirty starts—that's the way we do it at Verona. So boasts the golf team. Ask Frank Bedford, Parker Newell, Terry Dean, or Charlie Gulla. Who are they? Why they are the four linksters who, sparked by their exacting southpaw coach, Elmer Williams, have amassed such an impressive record. These mainstays, backed by the formidable Fred Brookwell and Tony Caputo, achieved an average score of 76 in competition with Madison.

The scores of the first four matches of the season were: Verona 11, Bloomfield 1; Verona

18, Madison 0; Verona 17, Caldwell 1; Verona 15, Summit 3.

Co-captains Frank Bedford and Parker Newell played the best golf, with Parker shooting an excellent 73. Terry Dean, too, played a fine game, having had two "eagles" to his credit. Paul Livelli did an efficient job as manager of the team.

Looking into the future, it is regrettable to note that only one of this championship team, Terry Dean, will be playing for Verona next year. Coach Williams, however, may be depended upon to let no grass grow beneath the structure of a new team of stars.



GIRL'S A. A.

For the more athletic-minded girls who enjoy extracurricular sports, the Girls' Athletic Association was again organized this year, meeting every Monday and Thursday afternoons. The officers elected in the beginning of the year were: Joan Harbecke, president; Dorothy Henderson, vice president; Joan McBratney, secretary; and Dorothy Smithers, treasurer. The individual sports managers appointed were: Marjorie Silver, baseball; Maud Gibson, basketball; Sue Johnson, hockey, Betty Lehman, tennis; Barbara Cullen, ping pong; and Doris Booker, archery.

Mrs. Aline Van Houten proved invaluable in advising the girls in their business affairs and coaching the finer skills of the sports.

The games with Caldwell were always much anticipated. This year the girls tied their neighboring rivals in hockey with a 0-0 score, but were defeated in basketball and tennis.

The climax of the year's activities was the "Sadie Hawkins' Day Dance," given on March 20, and sponsored by the club. With the aid of a "Date Bureau" and much publicity urging every "gal to bring her L'il Abner along," a record attendance was achieved. Ten dollars of the proceeds were donated to the Red Cross.

Unfortunately, all of the officers and a good portion of the members of the club will be lost through graduation. To make up for this loss, many enthusiastic freshmen are expected next year to help carry on the good work.

BOWLING

The bowling team members were Thursday afternoon "regulars" at the new Verona alleys. When the scores of a few of the boys reached the decent 200 mark, competition was sought among other Essex schools. Double victories were scored against Caldwell and Belleville while one win and one loss resulted from the Montclair matches.

Mr. Lape, replacing Mr. C. Smith, acted as adviser to the team which included R. Abramson, A. Caputo, F. Brookwell, C. Gulla, A. Mazzei, and R. Maxwell.

TENNIS

Verona High was represented this year for the first time in the Suburban Conference Tennis League. Matches were played against Summit, Millburn, Glen Ridge, Caldwell, and Madison. Number one man on the team was Jack Doremus, closely followed in ability by James Courter, Captain Burton Neblo, Charles Feltham, William Bruckmann, Thomas Mc-Govern, and Donald Paulsen. Howard Gibson was appointed manager. Under the direction of Mr. Mattis, the boys performed creditably against seasoned competition.

SOFTBALL

In spring a young man's fancy, lightly turns to thoughts of softball—at least among the boys of V.H.S. This year's group of eightyeight boys were divided into eight teams, which were appropriately named Yankees, Philadelphia, Boston, Washington, Dodgers, Giants, Pittsburgh, and Detroit. Weathering a storm of stiff opposition, Philadelphians walked away with the honors and the final victory. The members of this winning squad were: J. De-Witt, W. Morrison, R. Farley, D. Oster, T. Brighton, J. Gittleman, C. Benz, R. Healy, and R. Nelson.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

Boys who like basketball had an opportunity to be a member of a team this year even if their "shooting eyes" weren't what they might have been. Everyone was invited to join either the Freshman-Sophomore or Junior-Senior League. The games were played in the school gymnasium after the regular dismissal hour.

The winning team of the league of underclassmen was Yale, whose membership included J. Healy, D. Griffen, E. Laux, M. Zara, W. Powers, and J. Cougan.

The Purdue team, composed of G. Breiner, P. Kreuder, A. Mazzei, W. Caspar, E. Fox, T. Wiesing, had no difficulty in annexing the junior-senior title.





CHEERLEADERS

Ten vivacious sophomore lasses mobilized Verona High's cheering strength throughout the football and basketball seasons.

Working in the pep-unit were Norma Smith and Martha Shaw (co-captains), Grace Teti, Katherine Rowley, Phyliss Gerard, Joyce Mills, Shirley Fischer, Jacqueline Dempsey, Mary Ellen Tompson, and Margaret Herter.

When these girls "stepped on the starter," "snapped their fingers," or gave their novel interpretation of "Susy-Q," the thermometer of school spirit soared to a warm and enthusiastic support of the team.

BOXING

"The War for Survival" has given new meaning to boxing as an activity in the boys' physical education classes. Ever since the Jap raid on Pearl Harbor, the boys have been exchanging blows with a vengeance. An elimination was held to determine the winners of certain weight groups in each grade.

The climax to the boxing program came in late spring when various grade winners were brought together to determine the school champions. Those who survived were: heavyweight, F. Palladino; light heavyweight, T. Morley; middleweight, A. Guancione; welterweight, W. Powers; lightweight, E. Fox; bantamweight, J. Cartabona; and paperweight, D. Bamford.

VOLLEYBALL

The popularity of volleyball among the boys of Verona High was clearly evidenced by the 32 teams which formed to compete for the school championship. The games were played during the after school hours in early spring. The organization of the tournament called for the immediate elimination of any team losing one game.

Teams who adopted the names "Yale" and "Harvard" seem to have adopted also the spirit of the two Ivy League schools, for when the fury of the batting was ended both had achieved an equal number of victories. The Yale men were T. Morley, D. Hemion, R. Healy, D. Hoest, C. Eklund, and A. Oster.

Harvard's team included A. Guancione, W. Caspar, W. Sager, R. Kearcher, E. Pfeiffer, and S. Gilbert.

TOUCH FOOTBALL

Eight touch-football squads with some sixty potential Tommy Harmons battled for the intramural championship last fall. A roundrobin of thirty-eight games was held to determine the winner. The team having the highest percentage at the end of the season was found to be Fordham. Of their thirty-eight games, Fordham won twenty-four, lost eight, and tied six. Members of the team included Bob Howard, Ken Butt, Bob Connelly, Bob Van Derveer, Joe Fear, Bob Dickinson, Bill Wahl, and George Bremser.
The WHITE HORNET



SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

(Continued from Page 25)

Team, Frank Bedford, first man, and Parker Newell, second man, also distinguished our class. And golf wasn't the only sport in which we surpassed the other; Bob Black, Norman Wiener, Frank Zink and Eddie Smoot were members of the school's first football team. And thus we triumphantly passed the second memorable milestone in our class history, looking forward to bigger and better things in our junior year.

AND NOW the pages turn to that fabulous year, when quietly and unheralded, we became upperclassmen. Now we knew the joys of looking down on the lowerclassmen and the satisfaction of having them look up to us. By this time, electing Parker Newell president had become habitual. Norman Welsh was elected vice president and Elaine Bentley, secretary-treasurer. This year, as in the two previous, we were extremely well represented in sports. Bob Black, a three-letter man, played on the varsity football, basketball, and baseball teams. "Dynamite" Klippel, the pride and joy of the football team, also showed that the Juniors "had what it takes." Charles Feltham, Parker Newell, and Carl Eklund were members of our Group II championship soccer team; and Art Jacob, cyclone of the cinders, brought unforgettable laurels to the track team. We brought our junior year to a close with one of the most gala events of the season, the Junior Prom-our farewell gift to the Seniors!

THEN CAME THE GREAT DAYthat glorious day when we became Seniors. Now we were "the" people of the school -the pride of the faculty and the envy of the "small fry." We embarked on our senior year with the usual high hopes for a grand finale fraught with happiness, honor, and esteem. After we had become well saturated with that inevitable seniority complex, we held our first class meeting and elected Frank Zink president, Dorothea Manchester vice president, and

Anne Farrar secretary-treasurer. Just before the Christmas vacation, we sponsored our class dance, the only semi-formal dance of the year.

This year many of our class members held executive positions in school organizations. Parker Newell held the most admired office in our school life, the presidency of the Student Council. Frank Zink and Norman Wiener attained the esteemed position of judges of the newlyformed Student Court. The Feltham twins proved their ability in the literary field-Ruth was the editor of our school newspaper, "The White Hornet"; and Charles was the capable editor of this yearbook. Our record-breaking track team was captained by Art Jacob; and Jimmy Zingg was captain of both the football and the basketball teams. Elaine Bentley and Arthur Smith starred in the Dramatic Club production, "A Murder Has Been Arranged," and they were supported by Gladys Griffin, Carol Dodd, and Richard Schoof.

But studies, sports, and dramatic achievements were not our only concern during this last year at V.H.S. Hovering war clouds, the disaster at Pearl Harbor, and the inevitable declaration of war had a strong, sobering effect on our lives. Thoughts of duty to our country, Red Cross activities, and interest in the progress of our defenders abroad were as much in our minds as our school work and extra activities. Three of our boys were not content with merely thinking about the national emergency; they decided to do something about it by entering the armed forces of our country. These boys are Harold Aiello, Bob Whealdon, and George Klippel; and we're mighty proud of them.

This recorded history indicates to a small degree the memories we bear. We shall-all of us-leave our school with a deep gratitude for the help we have received in preparation for the uncertain vears we face.

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Cestone, Ralph Chestnut, Robert

Connelly, Robert

Conover, Raymond Conrad, June Coon, Mildred

Corwin, Dorothea Corwin, Eleanor Courter, Phyllis Cullen, George

Davis, June Dodd, Carol Easton, Donald Eklund, Carl

USUALLY SEEN

In the bowling alleys With Dot, Irene, and Bea Riding his bicycle With Jean Under a car With "Jackie"

With Jack On a golf course With Doris or Eleanor Looking for Connelly On his Danish bicycle On the athletic field Playing Golf With "Pete" With June Conrad Bowling alleys In "Guy's" Phil's Sweet Shop Nurses office

In his gray Ford In the company of Zingg and Hemion Bowling alleys and "Guy's" At Phil's With Ruth Burke Laughing at "Tony"

With Ben and Phil With Merle and Jane With "Dotty" and "El" With the nearest crowd of girls With Dot Youmans Around a male Working? Sulking around with Ralph Sayer

NOTED FOR

Being absent Her artistic ability Wasting time French pronunciation Good nature Eating anything, any time, any place Veronica Lake hairdo Dubbing around Size Being such a wolf His hats Athletics Bowling ability Not smoking Wisecracks Corney jokes "Clever" remarks Being a woman hater Being short and getting around Long dissertations His secret way with the women Driving ability

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Hoest, David Jacob, Arthur Johnson, Sylvia Kautzman, Margaret Kearcher, Richard Klippel, George Kreuder, Paul Lamb, Irene Lehman, Betty Manchester, Dorothea Mansfield, Betty

Mau, Andrew

McBratney, Joan

Meehan, Edward

Messina, Diana

USUALLY SEEN

NOTED FOR

With Shirley Talking In a maroon Ford Pushing a delivery truck Driving a tan convertible All around school In the office Combing her hair

With Bill

Playing golf Riding in a beautiful Ford

On the track Roller skating With Dottie and Phyllis Cooking With the gang from Blfd. Bowling alleys (Montclair) At Donahue's Running In the office Buying lapel gadgets Hitch-hiking Broadway and 42nd St. In his car With Phyllis With Dot and Doris Always on the run At the Chicken Barn with George In a green "Olds"

In her merry Oldsmobile In "Guy's"

With Kitty Ditzell

Sedateness Managing football Dancing ability Loud socks Wolfing Free rides on D.L.&W. Her pull Slowness

Yelling at her study hall group Bowling a 275 Her athletic ability

Jumping hurdles Wolfing Her naturally wavy hair Athletics Talking in class Arguing with Miss Root His quiet way His way with the women Friendliness Her blond hair Interest in sports His height Hair cut High honor roll record Being cute Talking Being a sweater girl

Climbing out his bedroom window Getting one-hundreds in history Arguing with Mrs. McAninch Cooking

WEAKNESS

Princeton and Syracuse 2:30 dismissal Blond, curly hair Jean Newsom Lake Mohawk The Year Book Flirting To have a date with a Harvard fellow Bill

Mrs. Burton Knitting—and big hair bows Track Girls Old Orchard Beach, Maine Salem, N. Y. Johnny Miss Root

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CLASS WILL

We, The Class of 1942, of the Henry B. Whitehorne High School, of the borough of Verona, County of Essex, and State of New Jersey, being of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding, do make and publish this our last will and testament:

FIRST: We order and direct all of our sophistication, pull, and special privileges to be given to the Junior Class. To the Sophomores, we leave our sunny dispositions, what good graces of the teachers we managed to acquire, and some new cheers for the all-soph cheerleader squad. To the inexperienced Freshmen, we leave our technique of bluffing, and our theme song, "This Is No Laughing Matter."

SECOND: We order and bequeath: a fund for the purchase of a new nylon stocking for Mr. Johnson; to Miss Howell, anyone who can fill the gap caused by the loss of Ralph Cestone's arguments; to "Skipper" Smith, our orginal (?) but inadequate excuses for getting out of gym; and to Mr. Sampson, cleared halls.

THIRD: We dutifully relinquish to . . . (anyone or everyone): Bob Farson's noon-time rendezvous with Jean Newsom; Ralph Sayer's amazing vocabulary; Norman Weiner's talent and capacity for manufacturing noise; Betty Mansfield's good looks; Bob Chestnut's dancing ability; and Art Jacobs' grin.

LASTLY: We nominate, constitute, and appoint ARTHUR MAC-ARTHUR as the sole executor.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We the Class of 1942, the testators, have hereunto set our hand and seal this 18th day of June, A.D., one thousand nine hundred and forty-two. (1942).

(The Class of 1942) (SEAL)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above testators, as and for their last will and testament in the presence of us who have hereunto, in their presence and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

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