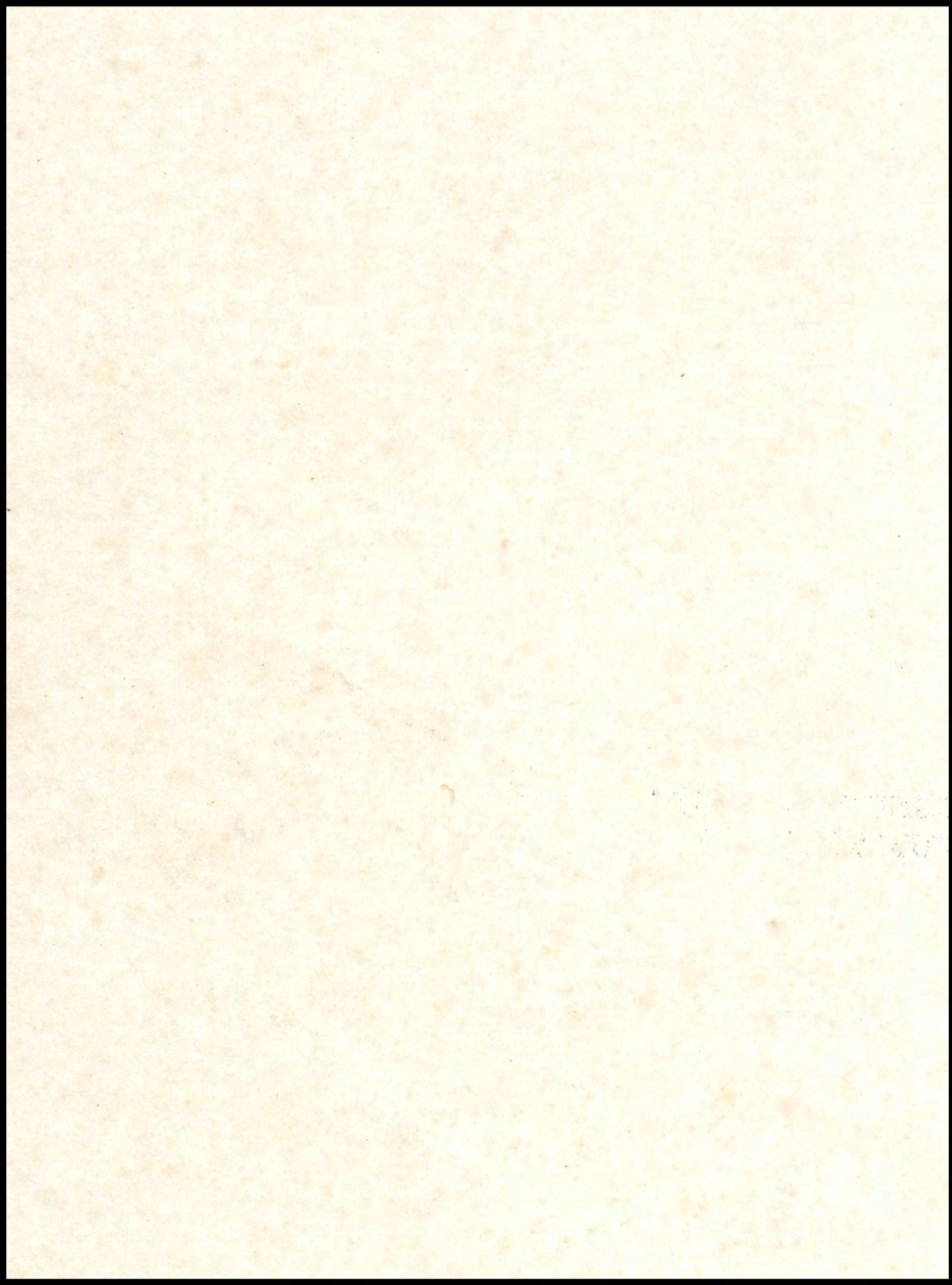


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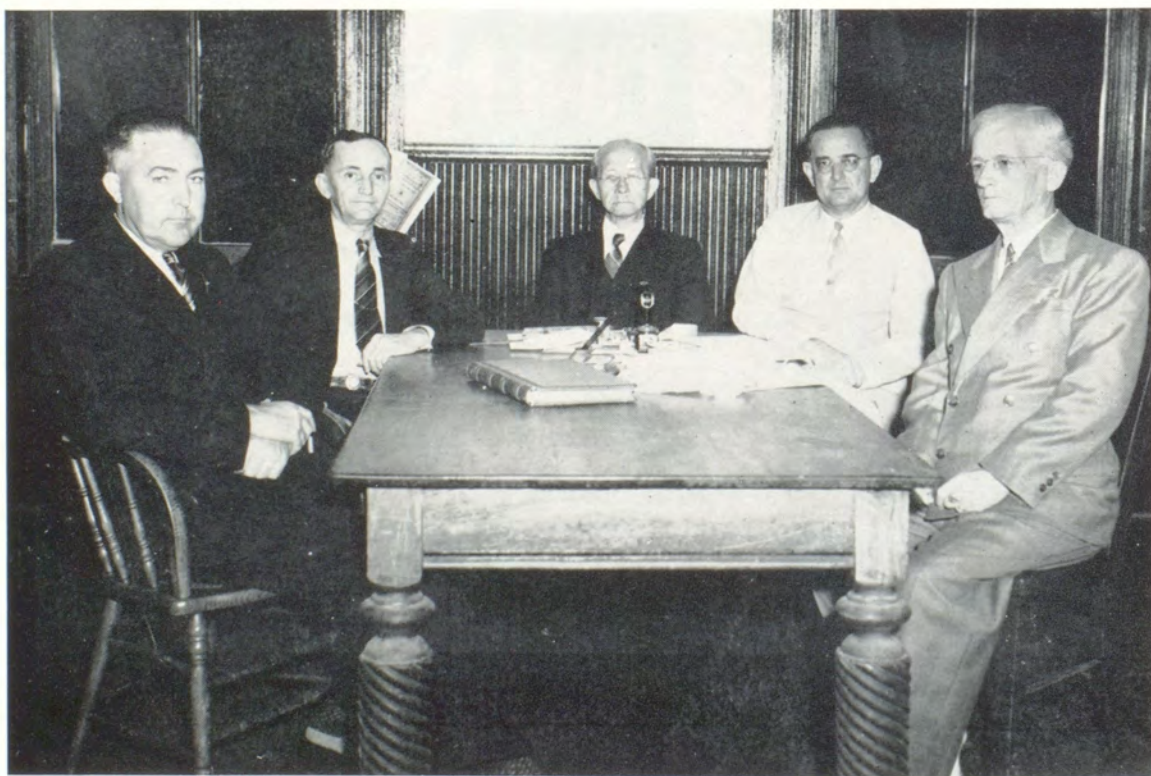


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KEY WEST JR. SR. HIGH SCHOOL
KEY WEST, FLORIDA



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WE WISH TO EXPRESS OUR SINCERE APPRECIATION TO MISS MARGARET NEFF AND MISS CLARA LANKFORD FOR THEIR ASSISTANCE AND COUNSEL TO THE CLASS OF NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-ONE.

Class Poem '41

OUR FAITH LOOKS UP! So we are gay
 Though we go out with merry May.
 Like fledglings, we must leave our nest . . .
 Our Alma Mater preened our breast
 Against the storms that might delay
 A braver heart than ours. Away
 Then, and farewell! Faint hearts betray
 The wing that dares the mountain crest . . .
 OUR FAITH LOOKS UP!

Our hopes are not lost sheep that stray
 Beneath the golden stars' array.
 In fine formation, we bequest
 A peace against the burnished West . . .
 His Peace . . . for us and ours who pray.
 "OUR FAITH LOOKS UP!"



C L A S S E S

Freshman B



Freshman B

Freshman B Class Roll

Sponsors—MISS MARGARET NEFF, MRS. GAMBLE

OFFICERS

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Ralph Arnold
Ernest Avilla
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William Bethel
Noelia Lee Bravo
Orlando Cabana
Willette Camalier
Raymond Campo
Bernard Carmona
William Cates
Paul Colgate
Buddy Curry
Glorina Curry
William Diaz
Gustavo Disdier
John Espinosa
Oneida Garcia

Daniel Garcido
Lorraine Goethe
Lucille Gomez
Mercedes Gonzalez
Harold Haskins
George Jensen
Jennie Johnson
Ray Johnson
Anna Key
Madge Key
Mary Elizabeth Knowles
Robert Knowles
William Lloyd
Doris Lowe
Madge Mallory
Henry Munro
Hugh Papy
Joe Pierce
Walter Roberson
Harry Robidere

Aspinal Roberts
Josephine Rodriquez
Orlando Rodriquez
Everett Rosam
Charles Sanchez
John Sands
Nell Rose Sands
Ray Schoneck
Philip Scherurer
Lew Smith
Oscar Solano
Henry Soldano
Gloria Suarez
Eugene Sweeting
Rose Mary Symmonette
Nellie Thrower
Elza Toledo
George Toppino
Ruby Wharton
Rosetta Wise

Freshman A Class Roll

Sponsor—MISS IDA ENGEL

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Robert Albury
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Nestor Casteneda
Charles Cervantes
Neal Chancellor
Frances Collins
Jack Costar
Barbara Curry
Eloise Curry
Oscar Fabal
Daniel Gibson
Gloria Giles
Dorothy Johnson

Mary Helen Jones
Leonard Key
Persis Larsen
Peggy Moss
Frances Poe
Mary Louise Porter
Dorothy Ranger
Lavinia Ricketts
Gloria Riggs
Joe Roberts
Kenneth Roberts
Cleo Rosam
Eugene Rosam
Iver Russell

Lorraine Russell
Robert Laubscher
Alice Salgada
Dario Sanchez
Phyllis Saunders
Daniel Sawyer
Wilma Sellers
Jimmie Singleton
Leona Spillman
Eugene Sweeting
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Henry Varela
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Freshman A



Sophomore B

Freshman A Class Roll

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Jack Aguero	Foster Gomez	Lucille Quesada
Violet Albury	Argelia Gonzalez	Herbert Riviere
Margaret Alvarez	Faye Gwynn	Betty Lou Roberts
Leona Arias	Billy Kling	Rayford Roberts
Aramis Betancourt	Geraldine Labrada	Will Roberts
Reba Bethel	Martha Lopez	Reba Saunders
George Billson	Alice Lowe	Jack Steadman
Alfa Cabrera	Barbara Lowe	Eddie Stickney
Jack Carey	Raymond Maloney	Phillip Strunk
Calvin Cates	Manuel Marshall	Ethyl Thompson
Mary Frances Craft	Buddy Navarro	Marie Thompson
Jacqueline Doughtry	Doris Nottage	Fred Valdez
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10B Class Roll

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Anthony Boza	Odes McKillip	Mary Louise Sawyer
Anita Camalier	Louise Nunez	Eugene Spencer
Henrietta Carey	Arnold Page	Vida Thompson
Betty Chastain	Ernest Perez	Glenwood Torres
Fernando Garcia	Agnes Pinder	Charles Wallace
Evelio Hernandez	Donald Pinder	Malcolm Watler
Edna Hoff	Georgina Quereda	Harold Wells
Betty Lou Johnson	Margaret Russell	John Yates
Laurietta Kemp	Ernest Salazer	Zenaido Yado
Claudina La Fe		

Sophomore A



Sophomore A

Sophomore A Class Roll

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✓ Mary Bell Archer	Sidney Lowe	Burdock Stephen
✓ Jack Aritas	Jack Lowry ✓	Virginia Stocking ✓
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✓ Hertell Bonniwell	Dorothy Pierce	Jane Thompson ✓
✓ Enrique Cabana	Archie Potter	Mervin Thompson
✓ Harry Carey	Doris Roberts ✓	John Watkins
✓ Lila Demeritt	Eugene Roig	Charles Warnock ✓
✓ Ellen DeNegro	Charles Rosam ✓	William Wellons ✓
✓ Daniel Fernandez	Harold Russell ✓	Franklin Wickers ✓
✓ Oneida Gonzalez	Charles Salas ✓	Joe Williams ✓
✓ Robert Hamlin	Jerome Sawyer ✓	Ruth Woods
✓ Tom Ketchings	Henry Schulte	

10A Class Roll

Sponsor—Mrs. ADDAH RAMSEY

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Rosalind Albury ✓	Joseph Howell ✓	Virginia Rodriquez ✓
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George Barber ✓	Betty Kline ✓	Grace Sanchez ✓
Eugene Berkowitz ✓	Kenneth Knowles ✓	Charles Sands ✓
Elizabeth Carrera ✓	Lysle McCown ✓	Sylvia Sawyer ✓
Mario Castro ✓	John Neff ✓	Norma Six ✓
Catherine Conner ✓	Elsie Perez ✓	Richard Skelton ✓
Della Mae Curry ✓	Peter Perez ✓	Yvonne Stewart ✓
Ernestine Evans ✓	Margaret Pinder ✓	Everette Sweeting ✓
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Junior B



Junior A

Junior B Class Roll

Sponsors—MRS. BESSIE EAGAN AND MRS. HILDA SALIS

President.....Armando Canalejo
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 Secretary.....Ruth Thompson
 Treasurer.....Rose Mae Saunders

MEMBERS

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 Roy Henson ✓
 Gloria Hernandez ✓
 Donovan Herrick ✓
 Russell Hyman ✓

Fannie Ingraham ✓
 Barbara Johnson ✓
 Eola Johnson ✓
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 Marvin Kemp ✓
 Margaret Knowles ✓
 John Malone ✓
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 Lillian Pent ✓
 Laudelina Perez ✓
 Isebella Poe ✓
 Helen Pinder ✓
 Ray Pinder ✓
 Charles Roberts ✓

Paul Roberts ✓
 Veral Roberts ✓
 Andrew Rodriguez ✓
 Celia Rodriguez ✓
 Warren B. Russell ✓
 Frank Saunders ✓
 Rose Mae Saunders ✓
 Eugene Sawyer ✓
 Henry Sawyer ✓
 Jack Sawyer ✓
 Ben Schoneck ✓
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 Juanita Spencer ✓
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Junior A Class Roll

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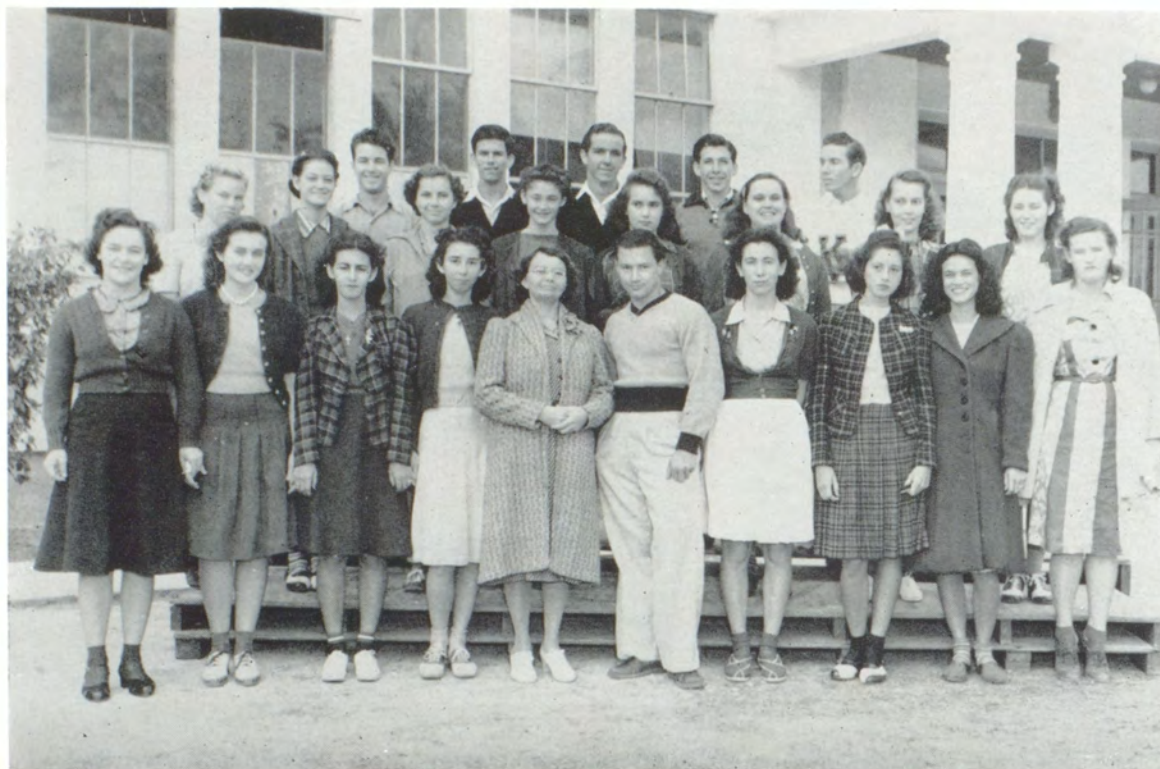
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 Secretary.....Betty Bowen
 Treasurer.....Billy Cates

MEMBERS

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 Orquidia Bermudez ✓
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 Billy Cates ✓
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 Harry Colgate ✓
 Mae Sue Craft ✓
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 Rosaleen Doherty ✓
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Helio Gomez ✓
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 John Romero ✓
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 Muriel Warnock ✓
 William Warnock ✓



Senior B Class Roll

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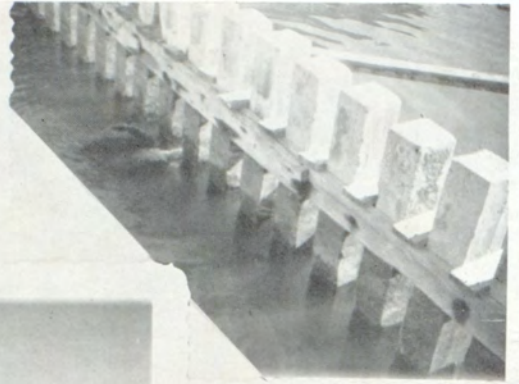
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Ruth Currie ✓	Dewitt Roberts ✓
Harry Elwood ✓	Ottilie Roberts ✓
Eloina Hernandez ✓	Edith Sands ✓
Geraldine Kennedy ✓	Mary Frances Smith ✓
Katherine Knowles ✓	Evelyn Solano ✓
Donald Lowe ✓	Lorene Taylor ✓
Maureen McFarland ✓	Nellie Tift ✓
Anthony McMahon ✓	Rose Valdez ✓
Angelina Parra ✓	Roy Watson ✓
Tommy Reyes ✓	Helen Rose Wells ✓

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Senior Class



KEY WEST ON PARADE—Pelicans Fishing; Turtle Crawl; Silhouette; Anchors Aweigh; Out to Sea; Distant Docks; Old Timers; Headin' for Shore.

CLASS HISTORY '41

On September 1937 we, a group of young warriors, found ourselves stranded on Big Chief O'Bryant's shores searching for knowledge. He investigated to ascertain whether we had brought with us a trophy in the form of "promotion cards" which would make us satisfactory additions to his tribe. We were then told that we might set up our wigwams and search for the game we desired.

It was a rugged country in which we found ourselves. We became discouraged and wished we had never come. There were too many tangled trails to blaze and too many wild animals to tame. On the whole the outlook was gloomy.

Big Chief O'Bryant said that we, as a tribe, must be named. After much deliberation we were called "Freshmen" which being interpreted means "New and Green."

Our unfamiliarity with the strange country caused us to make many mistakes and lose our way through the grounds. We were often late for our classes which caused our chieftain great concern lest he accepted a tribe too wild to train. However, we soon began to understand our position and gained a more firm foothold. Big Chief realized that our tribe needed a wise counselor so he placed us in the custody of Miss Clara Lankford.

By this time our tribe was acquiring more bravery and was spending more time hunting and fishing for knowledge as well as learning to play basketball which added to our physical and mental development. One thing that claimed the attention of our tribe was the American Legion medal of scholarship awarded to Betty Lewin and Sergio Alvarez.

Twice during the Freshman year a terrible massacre took place. Some strange creatures called Examinations in Latin, Algebra, English, History, and Science confronted the tribe. They had to be conquered in order that the tribe might go into the next hunting ground. A fierce battle ensued at which time a few members of our tribe were injured but the larger majority were successful in marching bravely into the Sophomore hunting ground.

September, 1938, brought our tribe further into the hunting ground. Heretofore, we had just invaded the border. Having been so successful in the battle with the Freshman Examinations we were braver than ever before. Big Chief realized that we would no longer be called Freshmen, so the name Sophomore was selected which means "Promoted to the second section of the hunting ground."

In assuming new responsibilities it was necessary for the tribe to be organized. In due form the following officers were selected: Arthus Lujan, President; Betty Lewin, Vice-President; Alicia Borges, Treasurer; Ray Pierce, Secretary, and Carolyn Hart, Student Council Representative. Counselor was Miss Clara Lankford, who was a great help in advising and leading us on our great hunts and chases. As we were advancing further into the thicket of the forest and the paths were becoming more and more rugged, we began to assume a more serious attitude.

One of our number was chosen as officer in the Student Council. Representatives from the Sophomore Tribe were called to help in all organizations in the school thus reflecting the true worth of the tribe. Carolyn Hart was the tribe's reporter for the *Snapper*, the school paper. Even though our paths through the Sophomore forest were dense and many knotty problems in Algebra had to be solved, we found some social life that was interesting. For us the outstanding social event of the year was a Cart Ride in which the tribe, along with others in two big wagons, ended up in Raul's Beach where frankfurters and Coca-Colas were en-

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joyed by all and, as a result, five dollars were added to the treasury. At the end of the year we had gained valuable trophies and were fully prepared to march bravely and happily into the Junior Hunting Ground.

September, 1939, we were lined up ready to invade a new hunting ground as Juniors with all the self-confidence and pride the name implies.

There seemed to be much contention among the tribe for prominence in various activities such as athletics, glee club, and dramatics. This spirit of rivalry caused the warriors to put forth a greater fight than ever, thus adding strength to the tribe.

The most outstanding warriors on the Athletic field were William Schoneck, Tony Soldano, Roberts Smith, and Elmore Rosam who brought renown to the class because of their might and muscle. In dramatics Elaine Carney, Blanche Cervantes, Flossie Mae Key, Alicia Borges, Anthony Perez, Ray Pierce, Jack Weech, Carolyn Hart, Ellie Rae Gwynn, Walter McCook, and Barbara Guerro, won coveted places.

Alicia Borges as Editor-in-Chief of the *Snapper* and Ray Pierce as President of the Junior Tribe are of worthy mention in leadership ability.

Of social importance during the year I have recorded the Junior-Senior Prom. This event had a "Gone With the Wind" motif. There were many lovely Scarletts accompanied by dashing Rhettts. Juniors having outstanding costumes were Barbara Guerro, Ray Pierce, Eric Curry—with Griselda Garcia receiving an old-fashioned corsage for the Best Scarlett Costume. Our success in the final examinations gave us the self assurance necessary to march onward to invade and conquer the last section of Big Chief's hunting ground, called Seniors. Our days of training were nearing an end, and care and thought was exerted in the selection of officers for this final conquest of graduation. We selected for President Ray Pierce with Walter McCook, Vice-President; Elois Sawyer, Secretary; Betty Lewin, Treasurer; Elizabeth Roberts, Assistant Secretary, and Anthony Perez as Student Council Representative.

Not only were we trained in methods of modern warfare but in business as well. The Student Council, the high school Annual, *Snapper*, Hi-Y, Tri-Hi-Y, and Dramatic Club called for leaders from our group. Barbara Guerro was elected president of the Student Council. Under the supervision of Miss Margaret Neff with Roberts Smith as Editor-in-Chief, the Annual was planned and executed. A number of brilliant social events marked our Senior year. An "All American" dance was given at the Cuban Club for purpose of raising funds toward installing a sound system for the use of all tribes. The Dramatic Club, sponsored by the Senior Class, presented the play, "Hold Everything"; funds went for the same purpose. Recognition for outstanding loyalty, patriotism, and citizenship among girls was the awarding of the D. A. R. medal to Betty Lewin, with certificates for Barbara Guerro and Flossie Mae Key.

An occasion that stands out in the memory of our whole tribe was Conch Day, on which day it is traditional for Seniors to hand down to the Juniors the Conch Shell, symbol of leadership and good will.

Even though preparation for the Senior Tribe play was hard work, we enjoyed every moment of it, and were pleased beyond words to see our hard work turn to a success.

GRISELDA GARCIA, *Class Historian*.

The Last Will and Testament

To Whom It May Concern:

We, the members of the Senior Class of 1941, of Key West High School, situated in the town of Key West, in the county of Monroe, in the state of Florida, being in our usual sane and sensible minds, with no outside influence being brought to bear upon us, do make, publish, and declare this our last will and testament.

After the payment of all just debts, funeral charges, and expenses of administration, we bequeath:

To our Principal, Mr. Horace O'Bryant, the patience to deal with incoming Seniors. No more need be said.

To the teachers we leave all the fear, admiration, and disrespect that we have held them in during the past three years. We give them our deepest sympathy for the most impossible task of teaching incoming Seniors.

To the Junior Class, we bequeath a share of our brilliant minds. May they profit by our mistakes.

To the Sophomore and Freshman Classes, just the hope that they will bear the brunt of our sins of commission and omission with a meek and humble spirit to which they have not already become accustomed.

I, Louise Niles, gladly leave to Lillian Pent, my technique of having fun in school.

I, Richard Chapman, leave some of my skill in building model airplanes to Edward Strunk.

I, Elaine Carney, bequeath to Elinor Larsen, my ability of excessive talking and saying nothing.

We, Roberts Smith and William Schoneck, donate our abilities to play basketball to Harry Colgate and John Menendez.

I, Flossie Mae Key, bestow on Orquidea Bermuda, my melodious voice.

I, Herman Bethel, leave my ability to sleep any and everywhere to William Warnock.

I, Sylvia Roberts, bestow on Ruth Baker, my trim figure.

I, Florence Adams, leave to Claudia Isham, my serene calmness in times of distress.

I, Jack Weech, bestow on Helio Gomez, my technique in love making.

I, Ellie Rae Gynn, lend to Rose del Pino, my ability to make friends.

We, Barbara Guerro and Ray Pierce, leave our abilities as leaders to Helen Pinder and Jack Richardson.

I, Elmore Rosam, leave to Donovan Herrick, my studious attitude.

We, Nellie Perez and Olga Machado, leave our "one-man" attitudes to Celina Valdez.

I, Anthony Perez, donate my big baby stare to Raymond Ovide.

I, Phyllis Matcovich, leave my place in the library at Miss Trevor's desk, to Mae Sue Craft.

I, Sergio Alvarez, leave my knowledge of sociology to John Thomson—since I don't use it anyhow.

I, Hollis Knowles, bequeath to Margaret Villate, my business-like attitude.

We, Shirley Almyda and Rita Disdier, leave some of our diet lists to Rosaleen Doherty and Amalia Blanco.

I, Jack Ellis, leave my popularity among girls to John Marzyck.

We, Viola Mae Whitmarsh, Eloina Hernandez, and Dorothy Curry, leave our abilities to be seen and not be heard to Rosemary Demeritt.

I, Zelia Carmona, pass on to Betty Ann Pierce, my ability to be bad and look innocent.

I, Ray Demeritt, leave some of my shy ways to Walter Price.

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I, Eleanor Carney, leave to Esther Calzidilla, my love of books—other than educational ones.

I, Elizabeth Roberts, bestow on Sara Ann Lowell, my somewhat shy, but all-around good nature.

I, Hastings Adams, leave to Hilary Crusoe, my love of all the beautiful women.

I, Lois Lowe, leave my ability to dance and jitterbug to Grace Perez.

I, Cecelia Alonso, bequeath my Madonna-like appearance to Lenora Lopez.

I, Delfin Jimenez, graciously donate my beautiful wavy black hair to Pat O'Neal.

I, Clarence Allshouse, leave to Billy Cates, my ability to annoy teachers and schoolmates with my corny jokes.

We, Alicia Borges and Velia Castro, bestow on Laudelina Perez, our fiery tempers.

We, Jack Miller and Clyde Stickney, leave some of our height to Ormond Cordova and James Kelly.

I, Carolyn Hart, leave the everlasting heritage of my graceful dancing to Bettye Ann Stocking.

I, Warren Russell, drop all my bad habits at Charles Lord's feet.

I, Griselda Garcia, bestow on Gertrude Gonzalez, my cheery smile.

I, Gilbert Valdez, bequeath to Jack Newcomb, my technique of smoking a pack of cigarettes a day and of not getting sick.

I, Florida Pinder, bequeath some of my extreme hatred for men to Praxedes Norcisa, since I'm beginning to change my mind.

I, Fred Boris, gladly leave my carefree personality to Paul Roberts.

We, Elois Sawyer and Edna Spencer, give to Florence Boza, our wit and freedom of wise-cracks.

We, Maude Roberts and Betty Lewin, leave all of our bashful blushes to Copelyn Ramsey and Emma Carrera.

I, Arturo Lujan, donate my ability of making dark looks to Eugene Sawyer. They proved troublesome to me.

I, Eric Curry, leave to Henry Roy Canfield, my extraordinary musical talent.

I, Blanche Cervantes, leave to Betty Bowen, my dainty feet.

We, Walter McCook and Charles Milford, leave some of our superfluous weight to Dick Noyes and Franklin Wickers.

I, Humbelina Norcisa, bestow upon Wilma Russell, my skating technique.

I, Tony Soldano, bestow my Spanish accent on John Romero.

We, Mary Louise Pinder and Anita Stewart, leave to Fannie Ingraham and Gloria Hernandez, our love for Uncle Sam's boys.

I, Floyd Pinder, endow Fred Johnson with some of my tidiness.

I, Shirley Elbertson, leave to my successor, all the bad tempers and sleepless nights I have experienced while composing this, in the hope that he will profit by my mistakes.

All the rest of our property, whatsoever and wheresoever, and of what nature, kind and quality, after the payment of all our funeral expenses, we leave to our Key West School Board and Superintendent. May they grow rich and independent from the proceeds.

In Testimony whereof, we hereunto set our hand and seal, and declare this to be our Last Will and Testament, this thirtieth day of May, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-one.

SHIRLEY ELBERTSON, *Testatrix*.

CLASS PROPHECY

As your prophetess, the medicine woman of the Senior Tribe, I shall tell you what your future will be.

I see in the smoke strange faces and hear the call that comes.

Ugh! A shrill cry of the siren; it stops in the back of the great Monroe County Clinic. Attendants are rushing in the body of Ray Pierce. He has just collapsed from hunger while on his non-stop around the world flight. Betty Lewin, head nurse and her assistants Ellie Rae Gwynn and Blanche Cervantes, will be in charge of the case.

And here's our most beautiful girl, Florence Adams, the Fifth Avenue dress designer, back from the Bahamas; she is designing the Duchess of Windsor's new wardrobe.

Driving up to the old Alma Mater I see Rita Disidier, Cecelia Alonso, Zelia Carmona, and Olga Machado taking their youngun's to school. But wait, look, it can't be, but yes, it is—none other than our own little Libby teaching the children to stand in single file.

In a small but modern shoppe up town selling gifts and souvenirs are Velia Castro, and Anita Stewart. An ad in the paper tells us that Velia will soon be needing a new partner, Anita plans to be married in June.

The Medical Journal today tells us that Walter McCook, the great dentist, has just received the Pulitzer Prize for a new type of false teeth. That's just like Walter—always thinking of his stomach.

In Washington, congressman Eric Curry is in his office, while his secretary, Alicia Borges, takes dictation. He is trying to put a bill through so that all of his old classmates will receive pensions for the rest of their lives.

Humbelina and Delfin are singing at the "21" Club in New York.

Jack Weech is selling his latest book of poems; it is dedicated to his wife, a great poetess in her own right.

Clarence Allshouse is taking over the Pepsodent show. He is acclaimed the greatest comedian on radio. Incidentally, he's still pulling some of the jokes he pulled in high school. Well it has often been said that big things come in small packages.

A new battleship is in port, on it, swabbing the decks are Warren Russell, Tony Soldano, and Bobby Schoneck. They are working up a fog so they can go to the nearest Y. W. C.A., where they will be entertained by Dorothy Curry, Hollis Knowles, and Viola Whitmarsh.

At the next luncheon of the Junior Woman's Club, Barbara Guerro, recognized as one of the outstanding social workers of the day, will speak on "Bigger and Better Cheese for Mousetraps."

Bustling around in his honor the mayor's private car is Dick Chapman, whose well-filled calendar takes him from grave City Council meetings to balancing tea cups with the Ladies' Aid Society.

According to Associated Press dispatches, Sergio Alvarez is being awarded the Medal of Valor for heroic service in the R.A.F. Well, it took him several years to get there but he finally made the grade.

On Duval Street are the two Carney sisters, whose column entitled "Whatta Day" is syndicated in 267 newspapers.

On Fleming Street a new beauty salon called the "We-Make-Em-Beautiful" is owned by Carolyn Hart. Working with mudpacks, curlers, and facelifting are Nellie Perez, Maude Roberts, and Mary Louise Pinder.

CLASS PROPHECY

We can see that Fred Boris is still the same. He keeps trying to get Arthur Lujan, proprietor of "We've-Got-It-Grocery" to sell potatoes one cent a pound cheaper. But you know Arthur, he won't break down.

Walking by the garage of our old pal, Charlie Milord, we find him at work on a large Rolls Royce belonging to Jack Ellis, who is taking the place of Clark Gable, Tyrone Power, and Robert Taylor in the hearts of American women.

Eloina Hernandez, as leading florist, is supplanting Dorothy Dix with her clairvoyant advice to bewildered Romeos inquiring "Shall I send her violets or roses, Miss Hernandez?"

At the New York Metropolitan Opera House, Flossie Mae Key is making her debut in "Grits, Grunts, and Gravy" by the great Cayo Hueso composer Roberts Smith, who has given us "The Conch Girl" and "A Night at Boca Chica," both outstanding successes.

It seems that Hastings Adams is in the ice cream business. He pumps his new bicycle Ice Cream Shop around while he shouts "Come get your ice cream, two boxes for five cents—cheaper today because of the heat." Right next to him is Elois. She has a hamburger stand of the same design—as usual she is taking orders.

The Great General Clyde Stickney is due to arrive today to speak to the Senior High Assembly, the subject will be "From Buck Private to General in 10 easy lessons."

In Lois Lowe's dancing studio learning ballet, are Pretty Boy Floyd Pinder and Elmore Rosam. It's all being done for the sake of art. And then too, it is helping Elmore in his basketball playing. You know in making baskets more gracefully.

Down at the beach in his modern up-to-date fish market is Ray Demeritt. He is selling fish to Griselda Garcia and Shirley "Ham" Almyda. They are trying to see who can cook the best fish chowder to win the Citizen's prize of \$15.

Edna Spencer is opening up a grill "The Ant Hill" by name, on Whitehead Street. Slinging hash there are Shirley Elbertson and Phyllis Matcovitch. Both are taking law courses at night school.

Now we find Herman Bethel as office boy at the Gas Company. Well, his motto always was "Keep loafing—maybe I'll get there someday."

Anthony Perez now has a large office at the Park Avenue medical center. He's listening to the "Oh's" and "Ah's" of the 400. Just like Anthony—he never did like a crowd.

Well, Florida Pinder takes it easy now. She's married to Mr. Strats-Potter of the Strats-Potter's of Pigeon Key. Living a life of ease, she advises the young unmarried girls of today, "Go out after your man, get hold of him, make him propose, and then pester him ever after."

Jack Miller is writing "Chemistry, As You Like It." Coach Huddleston will use it in his classes.

Salter Sinchell reports that the stunning John Power's model, Sylvia Roberts, is flying down to Rio with trunks of clothes to pose for pictures which will appear in the next issue of Harpers and Mademoiselle.

Louise Niles, our most athletic girl, is receiving an award for many athletic feats. Among them a husband, a prize from one of her races on Sadie Hawkins' Day.

How times do change. Gilbert Valdez is hustling around nowadays from grocery to grocery in order to sell his animal crackers before they get stale.

SYLVIA ROBERTS, *Prophetess*.

S E N I O R S

FLORENCE ADAMS

(Flo)

They always think who never talk.



GERALD H. ADAMS, JR.

(Governor)

*Full of fun and in mischief, too,
Doin' things he shouldn't do.*

CLARANCE E. ALLSHOUSE

"Studies were not meant for me.



SHIRLEY A. ALMYDA

(Ham)

A good person to call a pal.

CECELIA ALONSO

(Ceci)

Generous, good-hearted, good-natured.



SERGIO ALVAREZ

(Rongi)

Happy go lucky and a very good friend.

HERMAN HARRISON BETHEL

There's no use rushing through life.



ALICIA DOLORES BORGES

(Shorty)

*Double-daring all the boys,
She uses all of them as toys.*

ZELIA CARMONA

(Moni)

A still tongue makes a wise head.



FREDERICK SCOTT BORIS

(Fred)

*All great men are dead, and,
I'm not feeling so well myself.*

RICHARD CHAPMAN

(Bonavez)

Drawing is for men, art is for me.



BLANCHE ELAINE CARNEY

(Laney)

*She is gentle, she is shy,
But there's mischief in her eye.*

S E N I O R S

ELEANOR M. CARNEY

(Tootz)

*Very sweet, very wise,
But, oh, those wicked, wicked eyes!*



ERIC ALDEN CURRY

(Ironstein)

Speaking generally, he is generally speaking.

RAY EDWARD DEMERITT

(Gunner)

O ladies, good ladies, leave me alone.



VELIA E. CASTRO

(Chi-Chi)

True happiness comes from within.

BLANCHE ROSE CERVANTES

(Blanca)

*Very jolly, very small,
Nothing worries her at all.*



JACK AUSTIN ELLIS

Ask and ye shall know.

DELFIN ANTONIO JIMENEZ

*Fain would I climb, but that I fear
to fall.*



DOROTHY MAE CURRY

(Dotty)

Kind hearts are more than riches.

RITA RAMONA DISDIER

*To show our simple skill is a true
beginning of our end.*



ARTHUR B. LUJAN

(Abey)

Noisy, but not at all dangerous

WALTER RAMON McCOOK

(Cooky)

*For even tho' vanquished, he could
argue still.*



SHIRLEY GAIL ELBERTSON

(Shirl)

*A cheery, gay air,
With a touch of don't care,
And a loyalty, too,
That will ever hold true.*

S E N I O R S

GRISELDA GARCIA

(Grissy)

My object is to have a man on every ship.



JOHN D. MILLER

(Jack)

Women will be the death of me yet.

CHARLES BIRTON MILORD

I was not made to swim.



BARBARA MAE GUERRO

(Bobby)

*Everything she is in,
All the boys think it's a sin.*

ELLIE RAE GWYNN

(Blondie)

The kind of person you can depend upon.



ANTHONY HENRY PEREZ

(Domingo)

Life is just what you make it.

RAY SAMUEL PIERCE

(Tiger Ray)

The tide always changes.



CAROLYN ELIZABETH HART

(Cherry)

Time is not always wasted.

ELOINA G. HERNANDEZ

As placid as a meadow brook.



FLOYD HILBURN PINDER

(Pretty Boy)

How do I do it?

ELMORE SKELTON ROSAM

(Neck)

The will of a man is by his reason swayed.



FLOSSIE MAE KEY

Likeable and then some.

S E N I O R S

HOLLIS LUCRETIA KNOWLES
(Harlar)
Always willing.



WARREN YOUNG RUSSELL
(Coasty)
Cigar, where do you carry that man?

WILLIAM ROBERT SCHONECK
(Bobby)
*Life is a jest, and all things show it,
I thought so once, and now I know
it.*



BEATRICE CANFIELD LEWIN
(Betty)
*Very cute and innocent, too,
There's nothing that she wouldn't
do!*

LOIS MARGARET LOWE
(Jitterbug)
*But there's more in me than thou
understandeth.*



ROBERTS VOGHT SMITH
(Pee-Wee)
*The only trouble with school is that
it interferes with my athletic career.*

ANTHONY SOLDANO
(Tony)



OLGA MACHADO
*A pleasant companion for all,
And in height neither tiny nor tall.*

PHYLLIS MAE MATCOVICH
*A little work, a little play,
Helps to make everyone gay.*



CLYDE PIERCE STICKNEY
*Measures, not women, have always
been my mark.*

GILBERT VALDEZ
(Gibby)
*Always in trouble but not too deep,
He'd rather waste his time asleep.*



LOUISE FLORIETTE NILES
I am sure care's an enemy to life.

S E N I O R S

HUMBELINA NORCISA

(Humby)

*A jolly, happy, generous sort,
There never was a better sport.*



JACK HENRY WEECH

*His honest efforts show that he is
made of the real stuff.*

NELLIE PEREZ

(Skeekie)

*For never anything can be amiss,
When simpleness and duty tender it.*



FLORIDA C. PINDER

*Not too melancholy, not too gay,
A real good pal in every way.*

MARY LOUISE PINDER

(Peggy)

*She hath a natural, wise sincerity,
a simple truthfulness.*



DOLLIS ELIZABETH ROBERTS

(Libby)

Impulsive, earnest, prompt to act.

MAUDE M. ROBERTS

(Maudie)

She has a smile for everyone.



SYLVIA M. ROBERTS

(Sibby)

*Dance away sorrows and cast away
fears.*

MAVIS ELOIS SAWYER

*A smile so sweet, an air so gay,
That's this little girl in every way.*



EDNA PEARL SPENCER

(Pearl)

*Pass me the bottle, pass me the gin,
Open the door, but don't come in.*

ANITA STEWART

A sailor a day makes school O. K.



VIOLA MAE WHITMARSH

(Billie)

Quiet, gentle, meek and calm.

SENIOR HONORS

FLORENCE ADAMS

C. T. '39; Dramatic Club '41; Tri-Hi-Y '41; Glee Club '41; Potawatomi Club '41; Prettiest Girl Senior Class.

GERALD HASTINGS ADAMS, JR.

C. T. '40, '41; Boys State '41; Most Popular Boy Senior Class; Student Council Representative '40.

SHIRLEY ANTOINETTE ALMYDA

C. T. '41; Poetry '40, '41; Annual Staff.

CLARENCE EUGENE ALLSHOUSE

Wittiest Boy Senior Class.

CECELIA ALONSO

C. T. '38, '39; Monitor '40, '41.

SERGIO ALVAREZ

Safety Board.

ALICIA DOLORES BORGES

Snapper Staff '40, '41; Tri-Hi-Y '39, '40, '41; Monitor '40, '41; Class Treasurer '38, '39, '40; Dramatics '39, '40; F. T. A. '40, '41; F. T. A. Vice-President '40.

HERMAN HARRISON BETHEL

ZELIA CARMONA

Safety Department '39, '40, '41; Tri-Hi-Y '39, '40.

FREDERICK SCOTT BORIS

Basketball Varsity '39, '40; Basketball Class Tournament.

RICHARD CHAPMAN

Art Editor *Conch*.

BLANCHE ELAINE CARNEY

Safety Department '39, '40; C. T. '38, '39, '40; O. G. A. '39, '40; Certificate of Proficiency; Dramatics '39, '40; Secretary and Treasurer Commercial Department '40, '41; Jane Eyre '40.

ERIC ALDEN CURRY

Certificate of Proficiency.

VELIA E. CASTRO

Monitor '40; C. T. '39.

RAY EDWARD DEMERITT

Business Manager *Conch*; Student Council Representative '38, '39, '40; C. T. '38; Operetta '39; Hi-Y '39; Class President '38.

BLANCHE ROSE CERVANTES

C. T. '38, '39, '40; Dramatic Club '38, '39, '40; Treasurer Dramatic Club '40, '41; Glee Club '39, '40, '41.

JACK JUSTIN ELLIS

Safety Board.

RITA RAMONA DISDIER

Monitor '39; C. T. '38; Class Treasurer '37.

ARTHUR B. LUJAN

DOROTHY MAE CURRY

O. G. A. '40.

DELFIN ANTONIO JIMENEZ

Boys' Chorus '38; Glee Club '40, '41; C. T.; Creative Poetry; Monitor; Poetry.

SHIRLEY GAIL ELBERTSON

Glee Club '39, '40; President Glee Club '40; Operetta '40; Dramatic Club '39, '40; Student Council Representative '39; C. T. '38; O. G. A. '39; Class Testatrix.

WALTER RAMON MCCOOK

Hi-Y '38, '39, '40, '41; C. T. '40; Secretary Hi-Y '41; Dramatic Club President '41; Operetta '39, '40; Monitor '41.

GRISELDA GARCIA

Circulation Manager *Snapper* '40; Circulation Manager *Conch*; Secretary-Treasurer Monitors '40, '41; Tri-Hi-Y '40, '41; Knitting (Red Cross) '41; Class Historian '41.

JOHN D. MILLER

President Hi-Y '39, '40; Glee Club '39, '40; Safety Board '39, '40; Dramatic Club '39, '40.

BARBARA MAY GUERRO

President of Student Council '40, '41; Dramatic Club '39, '40, '41; Tri-Hi-Y '39, '40, '41; President of Monitors '41; President Poetry Club '41; Class Poet; D. A. R. Certificate '41; C. T. '48; Knitting (Red Cross) '41; *Snapper* Staff '39.

CHARLES BIRTON MILORD

C. T. '39, '40; *Snapper* Staff '41; Potawatomi Club '41.

ANTHONY HENRY PEREZ

Glee Club '38; Student Council Representative '39, '40, '41; Hi-Y Club '39, '40; Dramatic Club '39, '40, '41; Jane Eyre '39; Athletic Association '39; "Imaginary Invalid" '40; *Conch* Staff; Secretary of Potawatomi Club '41.

ELLIE RAE GWYNN

Basketball '38, '39, '40; C. T. '39, '40; *Snapper* Staff '39, '40, '41; Tri-Hi-Y Treasurer '39, '40, '41; President of Class '38, '39; Monitor '39, '40; Knitting (Red Cross) '41; Detail Editor of *Conch* '41; Assistant Cheer Leader '40; "Jane Eyre" '39.

SENIOR HONORS

RAY SAMUEL PIERCE

Orchestra '39, '40; Operetta '39, '40; Hi-Y '39, '40, '41; Secretary of Class '38; President of Junior Class; Assistant Editor of *Snapper* '40, '41; President of Senior Class; Business Manager of Dramatic Club; Vice-President of Potawatomi Club '41.

CAROLYN ELIZABETH HART

C. T. '39, '40; Class Representative Student Council '38, '39; Tri-Hi-Y President '40, '41; Dramatic Club '40, '41; Monitor '41; *Conch* Staff '41; *Snapper* Staff '40, '41.

FLOYD HILBURN PINDER

Most Handsome Boy Senior Class.

ELOINA G. HERNANDEZ

ELMORE SKELTON ROSOM

C. T. '40; Boys' Chorus '38; B. B. '39, '40, '41.

FLOSSIE MAE KEY

Glee Club '39, '40, '41; Operetta '39, '40, '41; Treasurer Glee Club '40; Safety Board '40, '41; Dramatic Club '40, '41; Recording Secretary Student Council '39, '40; Corresponding Secretary Student Council '40, '41; C. T. '39.

WARREN YOUNG RUSSELL

Safety Board; Class Tournament; B. B. '40, '41.

HOLLIS LUCRETIA KNOWLES

C. T. '41; O. G. A. '40; B. B. '38.

WILLIAM ROBERT SCHONECK

B. B. '38, '39, '40; Hi-Y Club '39, '40; Athletic Association, Vice-President '40; Safety Board Director '40, '41; Tennis Club '40, '41; Letterman's Club '41; Class Tournament '41.

BEATRICE CANFIELD LEWIN

Vice-President Class '38, '39, '40; Class Treasurer '40, '41; Tri-Hi-Y '38, '39, '40; Vice-President Tri-Hi-Y '40, '41; C. T. '38, '39; Vice-President Student Council '39, '40; D. A. R. Award '41; *Snapper* Staff '39, '40; Annual Staff '40, '41.

ROBERTS VOGHT SMITH

President Letterman's Club '41; Captain Basketball, Varsity, '40; Representative to Boys State '40; Glee Club '39, '40; C. T. '39; Editor of Annual '41.

LOIS MARGARET LOWE

Glee Club '38, '39, '40, '41; Monitor '39, '40, '41; Library Staff '41.

ANTHONY SOLDANO

Class Tournament '38, '39, '40, '41; Monitor '41; Basketball '39, '40; Treasurer Letterman's Club '41; Who's Who Most Athletic Boy.

OLGA MACHADO

Monitor '40, '41; Vice-President Monitors '41.

CLYDE PIERCE STICKNEY

PHYLLIS MAE MATCOVICH

GILBERT VALDEZ

LOUISE FLORIETTE NILES

Junior Hi Reporter '38; Class President '39; Operetta '38; Basketball '38, '39, '40; Cheer Leader '40; Class Treasurer '40; C. T. '39, '40; Most Athletic Girl '41; Assistant Business Manager Annual; Monitor '40, '41.

JACK HENRY WEECH

HUMBELINA NORCISA

Operetta '38; Monitor '38, '39, '40, '41; O. G. A. '40; C. T. '39, '40; Knitting Club (Red Cross) '41.

NELLIE PEREZ

Class Secretary '39, '40; Annual Staff '41; Giftorian of Senior Class; Knitting Class (Red Cross).

FLORIDA CATHERINE PINDER

Glee Club '40.

MARY LOUISE PINDER

DOLLIS ELIZABETH ROBERTS

C. T. '39, '40; *Snapper* Staff '40, '41; Monitor '39, '40; Knitting (Red Cross) '40, '41; President F.T.A. '40, '41; Student Council Representative '39, '40; Assistant Secretary Senior Class.

MAUDE MAGDALENE ROBERTS

SYLVIA M. ROBERTS

Monitor '39, '40; *Snapper* Staff '40, '41; Knitting (Red Cross) '40, '41; President Potawatomi Club '41; Class Prophetess '41.

MAVIS ELOIS SAWYER

Class Treasurer '38, '39; C. T. '38, '39; Glee Club '39, '40; Secretary Tri-Hi-Y '40, '41; Secretary Senior Class; Most Popular Girl in Senior Class; Assistant Detail Editor *Conch*.

EDNA PEARL SPENCER

Who's Who Most Witty Girl; Monitor '38, '39; C. T. '39, '40.

ANITA STEWART

VIOLA MAE WHITMARSH

Dramatic Club '40, '41; Tri-Hi-Y '40, '41; Potawatomi Club.

ELEANOR MARGARET CARNEY

O. G. A. '40; C. T. '39; Certificate of Proficiency '40; Safety Department '38, '39; Dramatic Club '40.

WHO'S WHO

*Most Popular
Girl*

ELOIS
SAWYER



*Most Popular
Boy*

HASTINGS
ADAMS, JR.

*Best Looking
Boy*

FLOYD
PINDER



*Prettiest
Girl*

FLORENCE
ADAMS

*Wittiest
Girl*

EDNA
SPENCER



*Wittiest
Boy*

CLARENCE
ALLSHOUSE

*Most Athletic
Girl*

LOUISE
NILES



*Most Athletic
Boy*

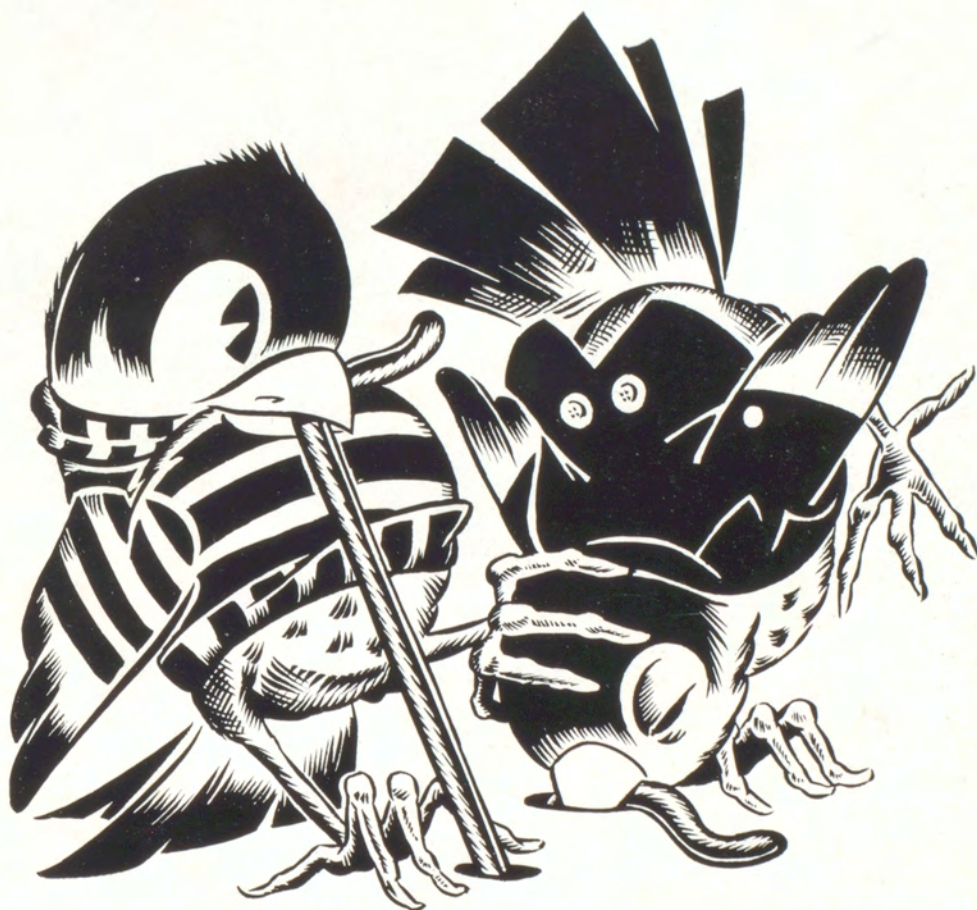
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SOLDANO



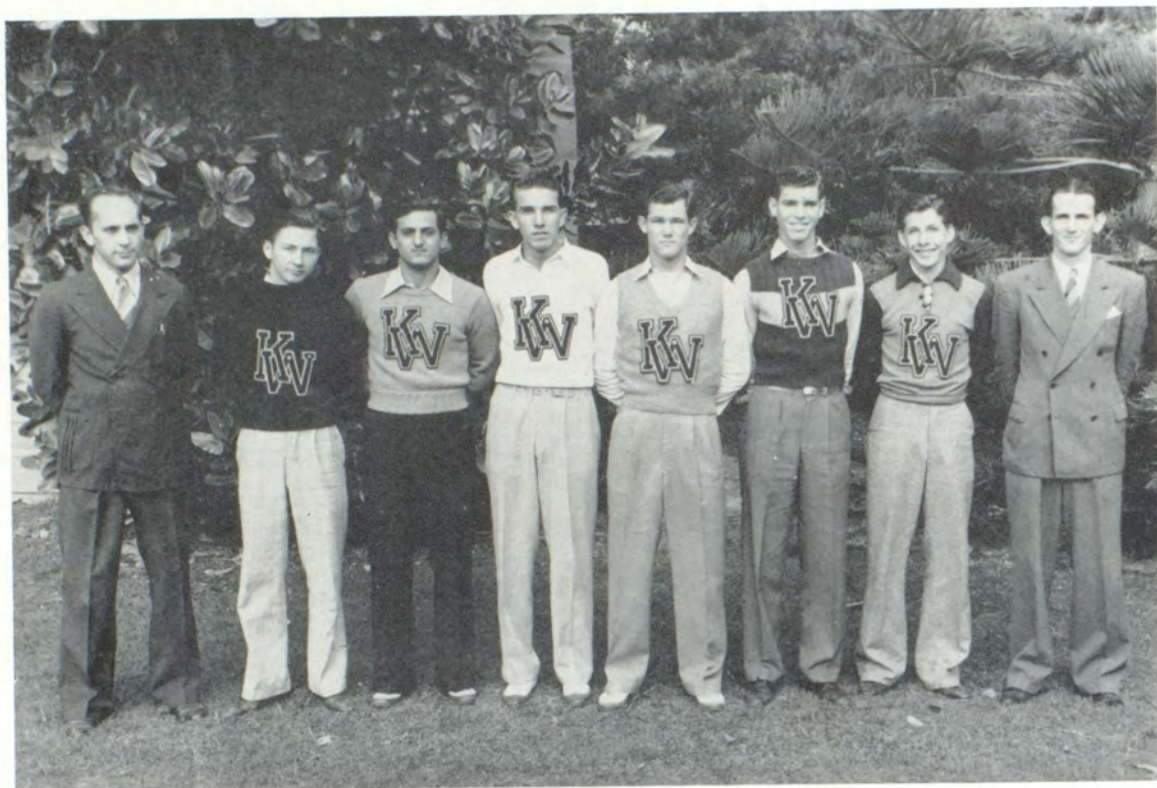
SCHOOL SHOTS—Old Glory; Our Honorable Opponents; Scarlett and Rhett; Guys and Gals, mostly Guys; Junior-Senior Promenade; Hurrah! Free Balloons; End of a Perfect (?) Day; At-ten-shun!

Things We Never Saw Till Now





A T H L E T I C S



Left to right—Mr. John Berry, Roberts Smith, Tony Soldano, Anthony McMahon, Bobby Schoneck, Frank Saunders, Dewitt Roberts, and Coach John R. Offutt.

Lettermen's Club

OFFICERS

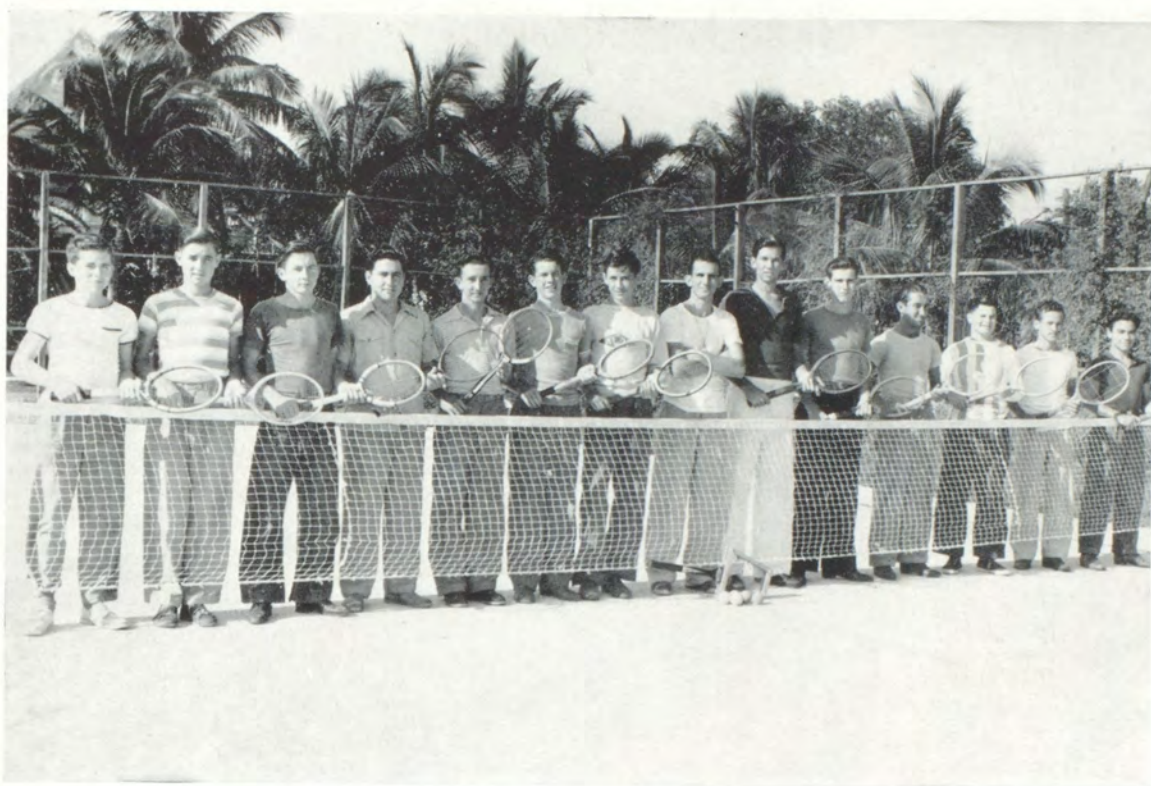
Sponsor.....	Coach John R. Offutt
Faculty Representative	Mr. John Berry
President.....	Roberts Smith
Vice-President.....	Anthony McMahon
Secretary.....	Dewitt Roberts
Treasurer.....	Anthony Soldano
Publicity.....	Frank Saunders
Social.....	William Schnoeck
Sergeant-at-Arms.....	Eddie Nelson

MEMBERSHIP

Any boy who becomes a student at the Key West Senior High School may become an active member of the Lettermen's Club upon earning an athletic letter in some varsity sport.

OBJECTIVE OF CLUB

The aim of this organization is to create interest in the athletic activities of the school; to organize and promote more sports into our varsity athletic curriculum. To administer athletics in such a way as to build rational and wholesome sentiments, habits, and traditions among the pupils of the school; to establish educational leadership; to develop wholesome intra-school consciousness, and to build up public opinion in support of athletics organized for the physical benefit of the participants and a social and moral welfare of the students.



Left to right—James Brown, Jack Costar, Roberts Smith, Buddy Curry, Daniel Sawyer, Harry Colgate, Paul Herrick, Coach Johnny Offutt, Donovan Herrick, Eugene Sawyer, Charles Rosam, Eugene Berkowitz, Ralph Arnold and John Yates.

Boys' Tennis Team

An elimination tournament was held the first part of the school year to determine who were the best tennis players in Key West High School. These boys have been placed in a tennis ladder according to the results of the elimination. Matches are to be scheduled with the Alumni team and with teams from the high schools upstate. This year will be the start of a varsity tennis team for Key West High every year.

Following is the tennis ladder:

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|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Harry Colgate | 12. William Russell |
| 2. Roberts Smith | 13. Earl Adams |
| 3. Harry Elwood | 14. Bobby Schoneck |
| 4. John Yates | 15. Arimas Betancourt |
| 5. Eugene Sawyer | 16. Paul Herrick |
| 6. Tony Soldano | 17. Frank Saunders |
| 7. Helio Gomez | 18. Buddy Curry |
| 8. Eugene Berkowitz | 19. Billy Schoneck |
| 9. Donovan Herrick | 20. Daniel Sawyer |
| 10. Jack Costar | 21. Ralph Arnold |
| 11. Enrique Cabaña | 22. Marvin Kemp |

Basketball Summary

VARSITY GAMES

Games	Opponent	Field Goals	Foul Shots	Personal Fouls	Total Points	Opponent's Score	Won or Lost	City League or High School
1	Peppers.....	22	2-6	7	46	40	W	C.L.
2	Army.....	14	7-10	1	35	27	W	C.L.
3	Lions.....	14	4-11	8	32	58	L	C.L.
4	VP53.....	17	4-10	2	38	30	W	C.L.
5	Marines.....	15	3-5	7	33	61	L	C.L.
6	Peppers.....	21	3-12	9	45	46	L	C.L.
7	Army.....	16	6-11	4	38	27	W	C.L.
8	Lions.....	16	11-25	14	43	51	L	C.L.
9	Marines.....	15	3-8	5	33	55	L	C.L.
10	VP33.....	14	9-13	7	37	50	L	C.L.
11	Andrew Jackson.....	8	4-12	7	20	25	L	H.S.*
12	Ponce de Leon.....	16	11-15	11	43	23	W	H.S.*
13	Stuart.....	13	14-18	5	40	21	W	H.S.†
14	Pandora.....	11	8-17	3	30	34	L	C.L.
15	Lions.....	19	7-10	12	45	44	W	C.L.
16	Army.....	13	12-19	13	38	36	W	C.L.
17	VP33.....	11	10-18	7	32	26	W	C.L.
18	Marines.....	10	3-13	5	23	61	L	C.L.
19	Pahokee.....	14	4-12	8	32	39	L	H.S.*
20	Stuart.....	19	6-10	2	44	33	W	H.S.*
21	Marines.....	18	7-12	5	43	68	L	C.L.
22	Army.....	32	8-20	16	72	58	W	C.L.
23	Ponce de Leon.....	9	5-10	3	23	26	L	H.S.†
24	Ponce de Leon.....	13	5-12	8	31	14	W	H.S.†
25	VP33.....	19	6-10	6	44	38	W	C.L.
26	Miami High.....	10	10-22	6	30	47	L	H.S.‡
27	Lions.....	17	18-14	14	42	68	L	C.L.
28	Pandora.....	1	0-0	0	2	0	W	C.L.
Totals	28	417	180-355	195	1014	1106	10-10 4-4	20 C.L. 8 H.S.

*Away. †Home. ‡District Tournament.

VARSITY SCORING

Games Played in	Players	Field Goals	Foul Shots	Personal Fouls	Total Points
28	Anthony McMahon.....	118	43-78	30	279
28	Dewitt Roberts.....	102	45-75	33	249
28	Roberts Smith.....	77	41-75	39	195
27	Frank Saunders.....	48	20-44	16	116
27	John Menendez.....	17	11-38	30	45
22	Harry Colgate.....	15	11-17	22	41
11	Ralph Arnold.....	17	3-5	9	37
17	Ormond Cordova.....	8	1-2	4	17
16	Lysle McCown.....	5	0-2	0	10
12	Robert Hamlin.....	2	1-4	6	5
8	Daniel Sawyer.....	2	1-3	0	5
13	George Barber.....	2	1-2	0	5
4	Ben Schoneck.....	1	2-9	1	4
4	Tony Soldano.....	1	0-0	3	2
19	Elmore Rosam.....	1	0-0	1	2
7	Paul Herrick.....	1	0-1	1	2
5	Paul Roberts.....	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	17	417	180-355	195	1014

"B" TEAM GAMES

Games	Opponent	Field Goals	Foul Shots	Personal Fouls	Total Points	Opponent's Score	Won or Lost	Home or Away
1	Stuart "B".....	7	5-9	10	19	22	L	Home
2	Pahokee "B".....	8	3-7	7	19	18	W	Away
3	Stuart "B".....	10	4-8	4	24	23	W	Away
Totals	3	25	12-24	21	62	63	Won 2 Lost 1	

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Front Row, left to right—Leonard Key, Elmore Rosam, Daniel Sawyer, Eugene Berkowitz, manager, Harry Colgate, Ormond Cordova and Paul Herrick.

Back Row, left to right—Roberts Smith, Lysle McCown, Anthony McMahon, Coach John Offutt, Frank Saunders, Dewitt Roberts, and John Menendez.

Basketball—Varsity

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Anthony McMahon
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 Roberts Smith
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 Ormond Cordova
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Lysle McCown
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 Daniel Sawyer
 George Barber
 Ben Schoneck
 Tony Soldano
 Elmore Rosam
 Paul Herrick





FIFTH PERIOD—EIGHTH GRADE

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Physical Education Class

CHAMPIONS FIRST SEMESTER

Foul Shooting

Orlando Rodriguez—17-25
Ernest Avila—14-25

Dribbling and Shooting Race

Ralph Arnold—10 points
Richard Tobias—8 points

Volleyball

Ralph Arnold, Captain
Ulrich Sweeting
Orlando Rodriguez

Eugene Rosam
George Jensen
Arthur Armayor
Harry Parks
Alfred Lowe

Bowling

Harold Haskins, one game—88
Ward Herrick, one game—87
Everett Rosam, five games—393
Ward Herrick, five games—391

Touch Football

Daniel Sawyer, Captain
William Lloyd
Ernest Avila
Leroy Sawyer

Horse Shoes

Ralph Arnold, Champion
Kenneth Roberts, 2nd
Harold Haskins, 3rd
Henry Soldano, 4th

SECOND SEMESTER

Foul Shooting

Robert Albury—13-25
Charles Lounders—11-25

Dribbling and Shooting Race

Joe Roberts—12 points
Robert Albury—12 points

Volleyball

Malcolm Archer, Captain
Irving Bush
Douglas Kendall
Wallace Bjerknes
Leon Kincaid

John Collins
Bernard Rentz
Richard Tobias



SIXTH PERIOD—EIGHTH GRADE

Front Row, left to right—Richard Barber, Charles Pritchard, Richard Light, Arthur Vinson, Frank Guerro, Frank Papy, Charles Tift, Norciso Castillo, Andrew Garcia, Eloy Rodriquez, Lanier Craft, Kermit Sweeting, and Dencil Russell.

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Back Row, left to right—Claudius Spencer, Albert Cash, Milliard Anderson, Bobby Curry, Bobby Sawyer, Andrew Woody, Coach Johnny Offutt, Clarence Higgs, Jack Costar, Daniel Sawyer, William Burchell, George Toppino, and Alberto Calero.

Physical Education Class

CHAMPIONS FIRST SEMESTER

Foul Shooting

William Filer—18-25
Norman Baker—14-25

Dribbling and Shooting

Arthur Thompson—13 points
Albert Del Valle—8 points

Volleyball

Arthur Thompson, Captain
Malcolm Archer
Orlando Cabana

Edward Wells

Frank Guerro
Harry Robidere
Bobby Curry

Bowling

Alberto Calero, one game—93
Albert Del Valle, one game—91
Albert Del Valle, five games—403
Arthur Thompson, five games—399

Touch Football

Arthur Thompson, Captain
George Toppino
Frank Guerro
Charles Tift

Horse Shoes

Eloy Rodriquez, Champion
Charles Tift, 2nd
Arthur Thompson, 3rd
Malcolm Archer, 4th

SECOND SEMESTER

Foul Shooting

Frank Guerro—15-25

Dribbling and Shooting Race

Edward Wells—14 points
Arthur Thompson—10 points

Volleyball

Frank Guerro, Captain
Albert Del Valle
Eloy Rodriquez

Albert Cash

Kermit Sweeting
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Basketball Summary

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"B" TEAM SCORING

Games Played in	Players	Field Goals	Foul Shots	Personal Fouls	Total Points
2	Ralph Arnold.....	7	3-5	2	17
3	Lysle McCown.....	7	0-2	4	14
3	Ormond Cordova.....	5	1-3	6	11
3	George Barber.....	3	2-3	1	8
2	Robert Hamlin.....	2	4-6	4	8
1	Harry Colgate.....	1	0-1	1	2
1	Leonard Key.....	0	2-4	0	2
1	Daniel Sawyer.....	0	0-0	0	0
1	Paul Roberts.....	0	0-0	3	0
Totals	3 9	25	12-24	21	62

FOUL SHOOTING
 Harry Colgate, 64.7%
 Dewitt Roberts, 60%
 Roberts Smith 56%
 Anthony McMahon, 55.1%
 Frank Saunders 45.4%

ONE GAME
 Colgate (6-6)
 Roberts (5-6) (6-7)
 Smith (3-3)
 McMahon (4-4)
 Saunders (4-5)

HIGH SCORER IN ONE GAME
 Anthony McMahon—against Peppers 27
 Anthony McMahon—against Lions 25
 Roberts Smith—against Army..... 23
 Dewitt Roberts—against Army..... 20

Girls' Basketball Team



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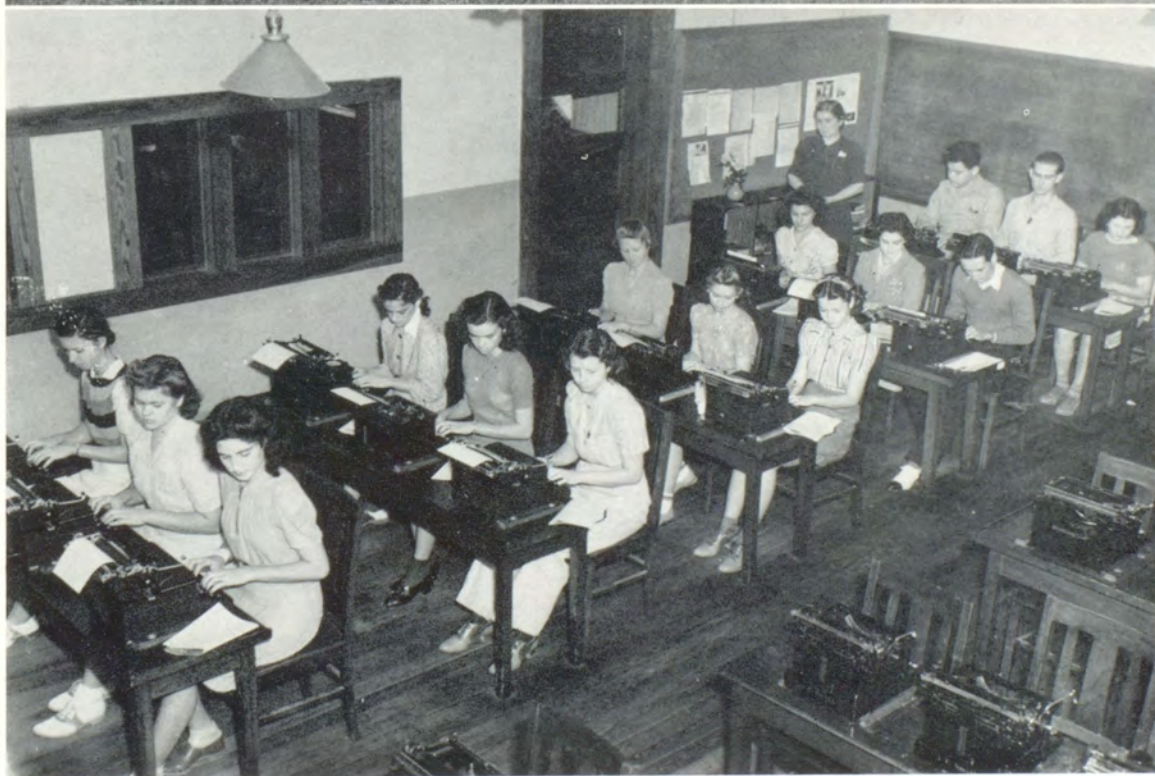
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A C T I V I T I E S

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM RECORD

High School.....	7	Convent.....	10
High School.....	20	Convent.....	9
High School.....	20	Convent.....	12
High School.....	12	Convent.....	14
High School.....	9	Convent.....	11
Total Points.....	68	Total Points.....	56
Won.....	2	Lost.....	3
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Elmore Rosam: "The essential differences between those who settled Massachusetts and those who settled Virginia were the same."

Mrs. Thompson: "Tell what you can of the Boston Tea Party."

Clarence Allshouse: "The Boston Tea Party was a party given by Mrs. Washington in honor of General Lafayette."

Mr. Jones: "What was the first sin that came into the world?"

Ray Demeritt: "Eve."

Mrs. Russell: "What is the chief product of the Hawaiian Islands?"

Betty Lewin: "The chief product of the Hawaiian Islands is rainfall."

Mrs. Ramsey: "Tony, where is Denver located?"

Tony Soldano: "Denver is just below the O in Colorado."

Miss Neff: "William, what happens when there is an eclipse of the sun?"

Bobby Schoneck: "A great many people come out to look at it."

Mr. Huddleston: "Floyd, what was an outstanding achievement of Pasteur?"

Floyd Pinder: "When a cow died he cut it open and discovered that it died of silk worms. The worms got into the cow's stomach and tickled her to death."

Mr. Huddleston: "Why do we not raise the silk worm in the United States?"

Walter McCook: "We get our silk from the rayon. He is a larger animal and gives more silk."

Mr. Huddleston: "Walter, what is water composed of?"

Walter McCook: "Water is composed of two gins. Oxygen and Hydrogin. Oxygen is pure gin, Hydrogin is gin and water."

Mr. Offutt: "What part did the U. S. Navy play in the war?"

Gilbert Valdez: "It played the Star Spangled Banner."

Teacher: "Louise, give your definition of an isthmus."

Louise Niles: "An isthmus is a piece of land joining two seas."

Mrs. Ramsey: "Herman, where is the greater part of Europe?"

Herman Bethel: "In New York."

Mrs. Salis: "Cecila, how did Cromwell die?"

Cecila Alonso: "Cromwell was thrown from his horse, suffered a fracture of the Feudal System and died of it."

Mrs. Thompson: "Where was Abraham Lincoln born?"

Angelina Parra: "Abraham Lincoln was born in a little log cabin, which he helped his father to build."

Mrs. Eagen: "Anthony, when did Robert Louis Stevenson write 'Travels with a Donkey'?"

Anthony Perez: "When he got married and went on his honeymoon."

Mrs. Thompson: "Gilbert, what did Paul Revere say at the end of his famous ride?"

Gilbert Valdez: "Whoa."

Mrs. Salis: "Elois, what made the Tower of Pisa lean?"

Elois Sawyer: "There was a famine in the land."

Mrs. Salis: "Florence, could Edward III have become King of France?"

Florence Adams: "Yes, if his mother had been a man."

Mrs. Eagen: "Ray, give your definition of a miracle."

Ray Demeritt: "A miracle is something that someone does than cannot be done."

