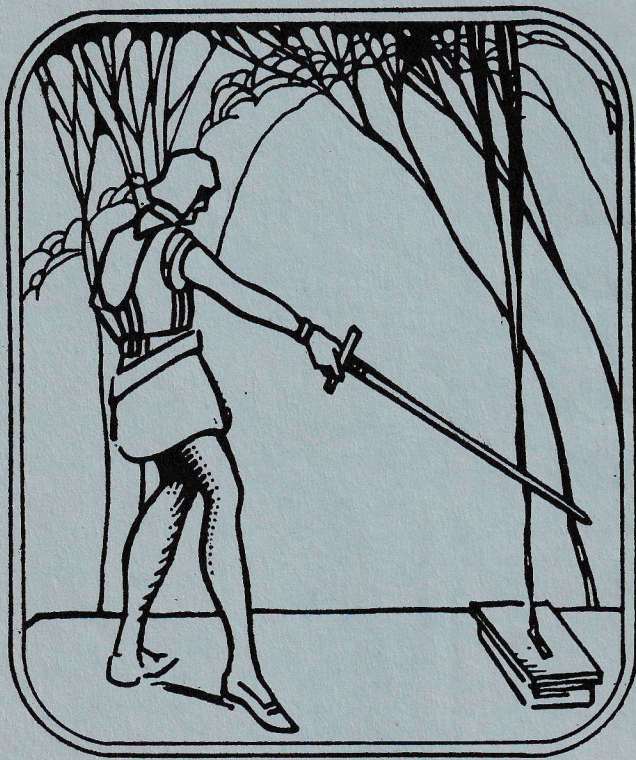
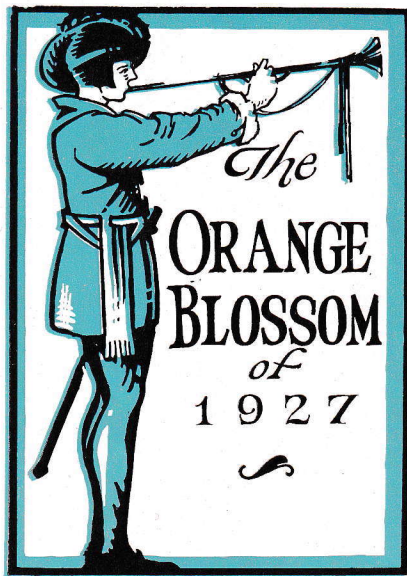


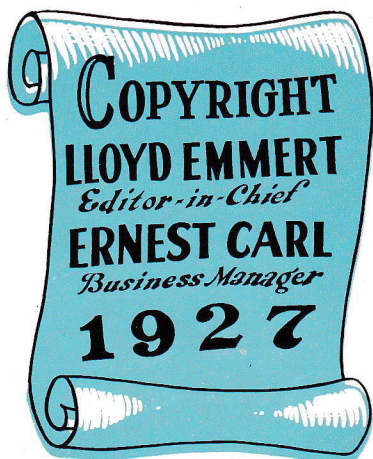


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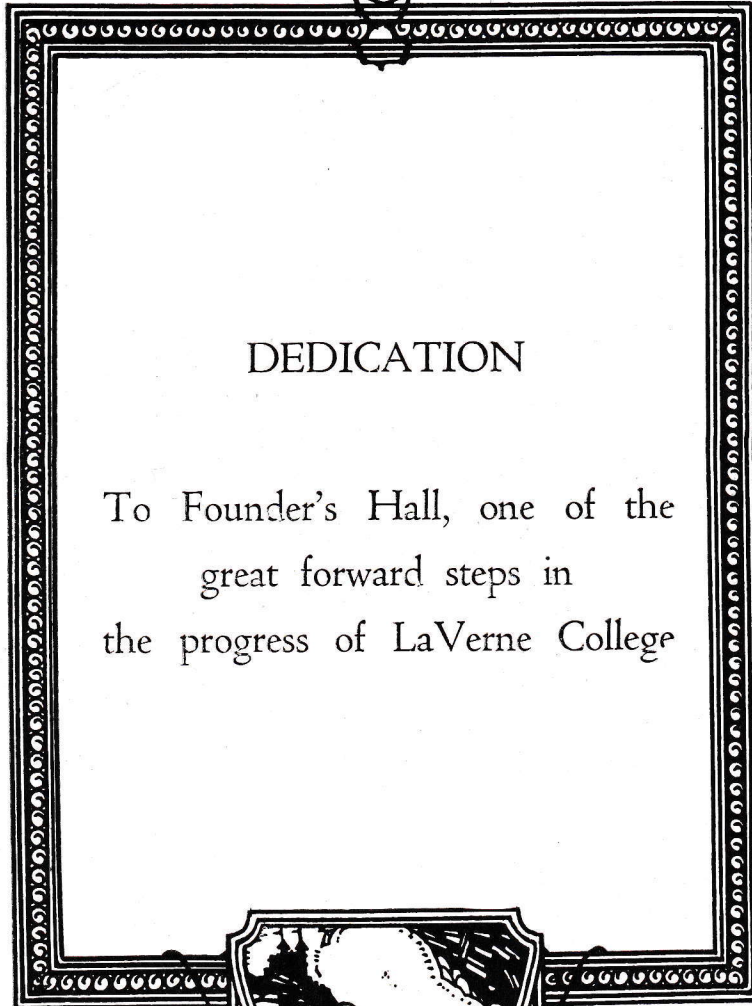
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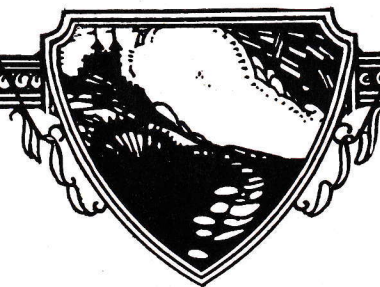


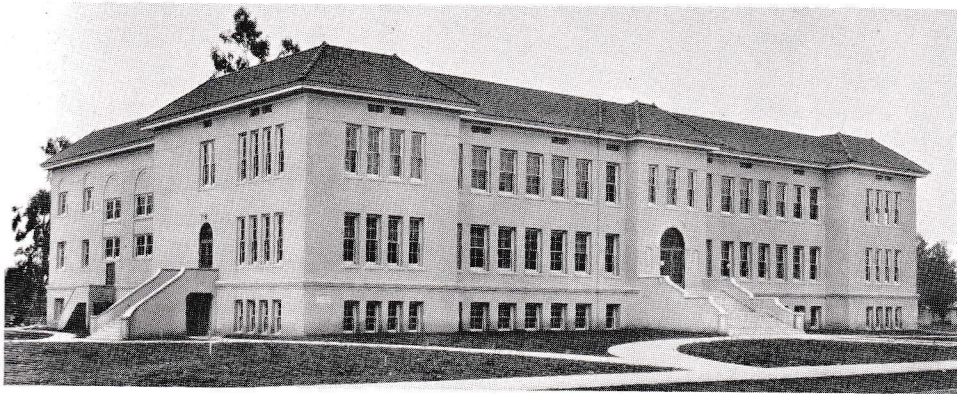
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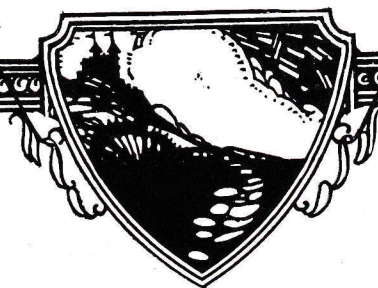
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FOREWORD

*The best of school days, scenes of work and
play,
Companions, teachers, campus, college joys,
All that enriched our lives from day to day,
This Annual's staff employs.*

*Our efforts are not in vain, if each one finds,
In future years, this glimpse of college life
Close to his heart his "Alma Mater" binds,
And leads his ideals upward in the strife.*





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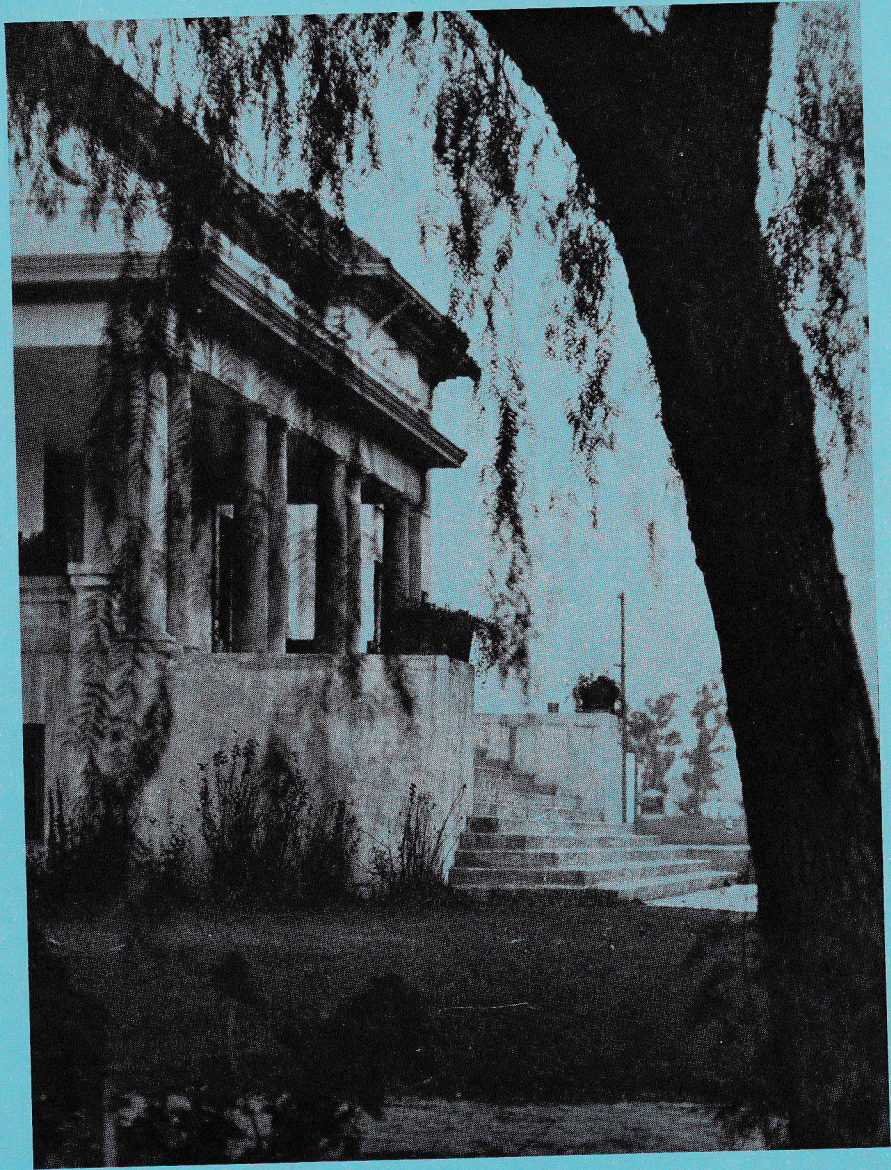
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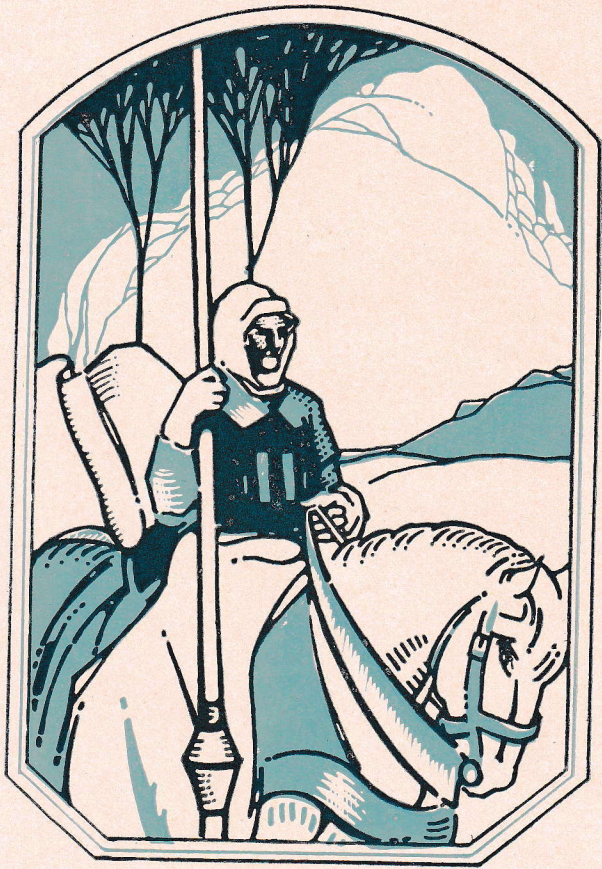








“Me you call great: mine is the firmer seat,
The truer lance; but there is many a youth
Now crescent, who will come to all I am.”



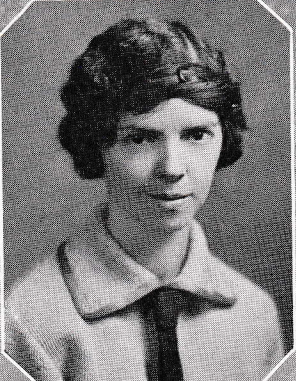
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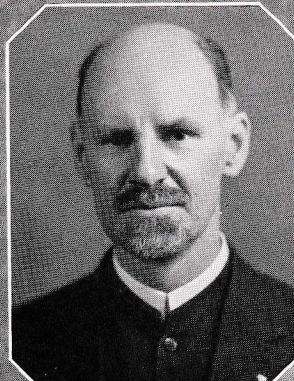
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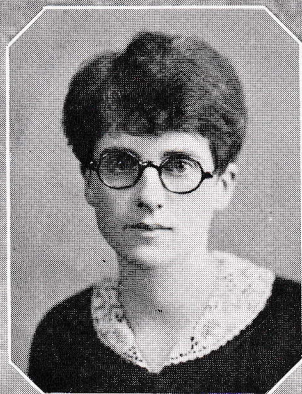
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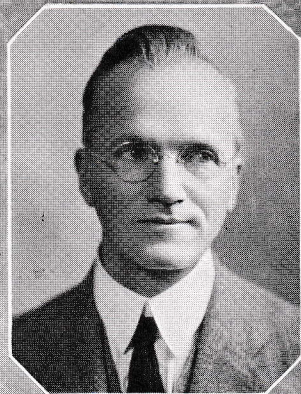
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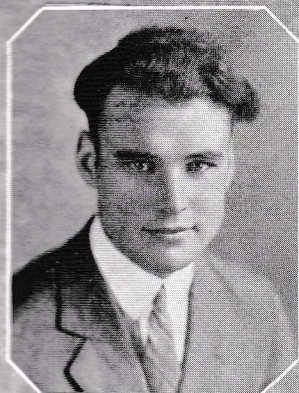
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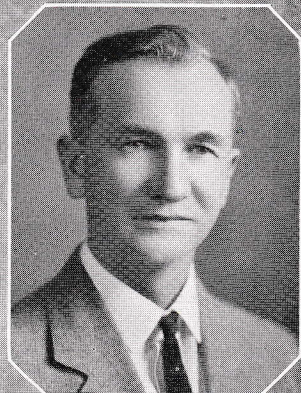
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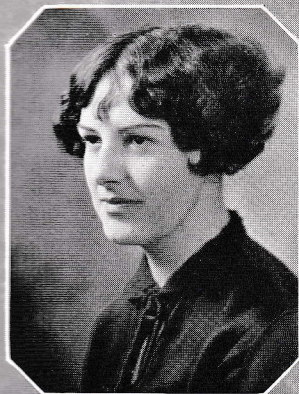
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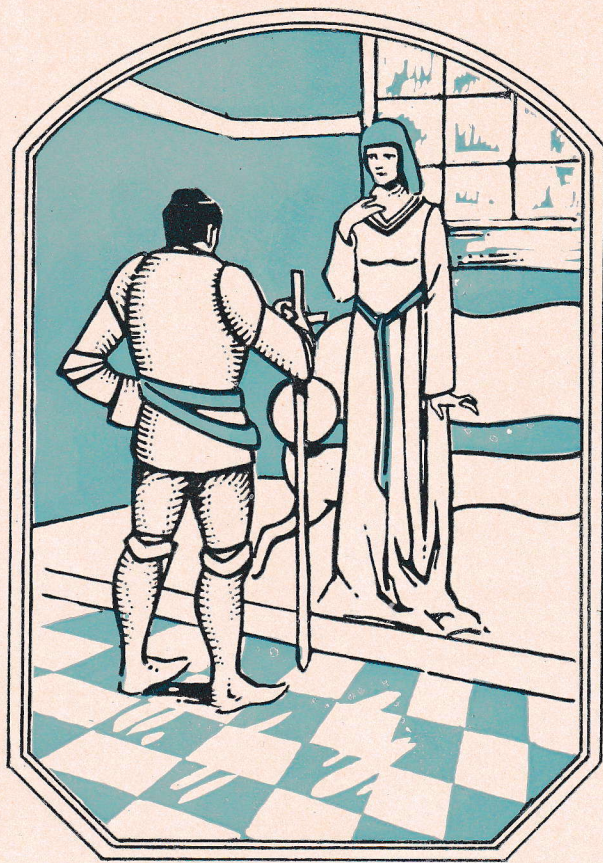


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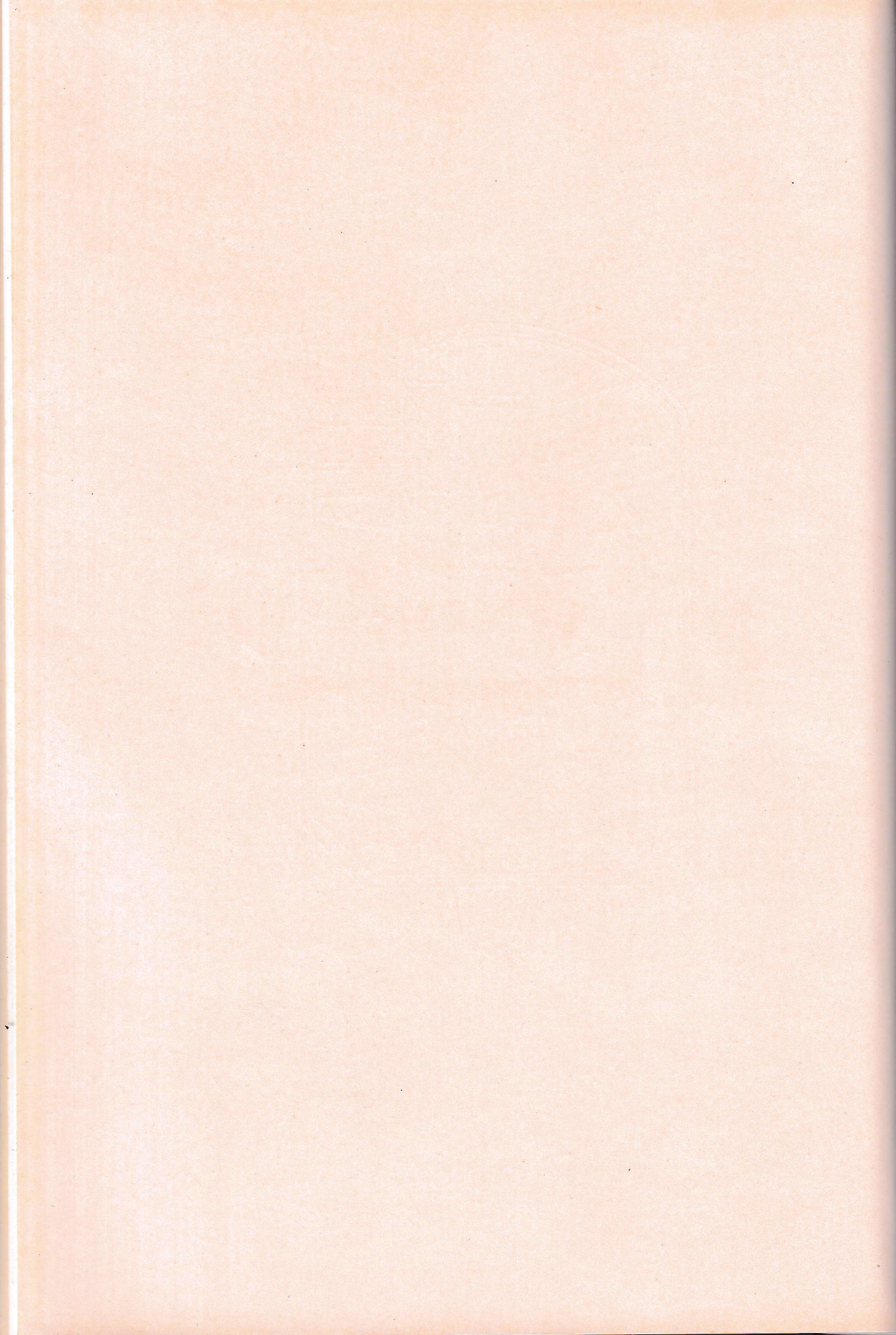


MARY MESSAMER
ASS'T VOICE

“Full pardon, but I follow up the quest
in spite of day and night,
and death and hell.”

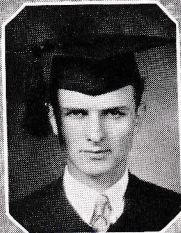
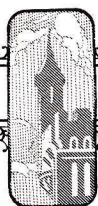


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"And ever well and readily answered he."

President Senior Class, '27



MAE MILLER

"With all good cheer she spake and laughed."

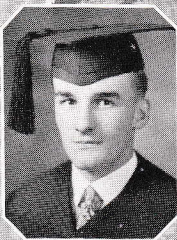
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ROSE LANDIS

"And kind her eyes, and innocent, and all her bearing gracious."

Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, '26



DALE GLICK

"Who revered his conscience as his king."

Commissioner Athletics, '26

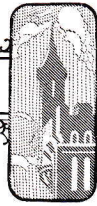
Football Captain, '27



NELLIE HYLTON

"How modest, kindly, all accomplished, wise."

Secretary Student Volunteer, '26



FLORENCE LANDIS

*"I will not leave until I have finished
this fair quest."*

Commissioner Publications, '27

GERALD MILLER

*"Hearest thou this great voice that
shakes the world."*

Glee Club

WILMA RAMSEYER

*"For the deed's sake I have done the
deed."*

LLOYD EMMERT

*"Have proved him in every way one of
our noblest, our most valorous."*

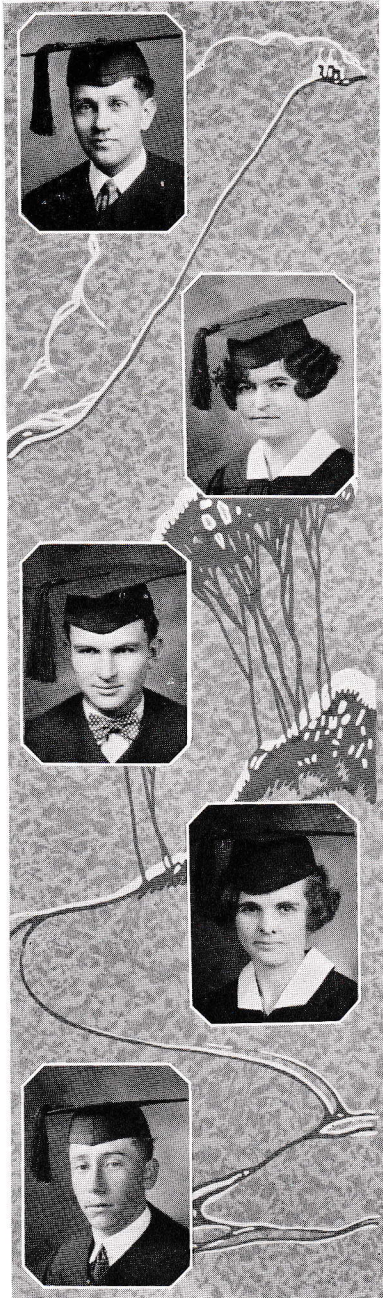
Commissioner Publications, '26

LOIS MARTHA MILLER

"And secret laughter tickled all my soul."

Instructor in Piano





WILBUR HOKE

"What I could I did."

Commissioner Finance, '26

Chairman Commission, '26

VELMA NOLL

"For thou hast ever answered courteously and wholly bold thou art."

Glee Club

PAUL BLOCHER

"He rested content that all was well."

Football Manager, '27

RAMAH MAUST

"Clear honor shining like the dewy star of dawn."

Commissioner Forensics, '27

GRANVILLE BRUBAKER

"Who spoke no slander nor listened to it."



HARVEY EMLEY

"And wrought all kind of service with a noble ease."

President of Student Body, '27

MARY MESSAMER

"Sweet nature gilded with a gracious gleam."

Assistant Voice Teacher

HARVEY BRUBAKER

"How'er you babble, great deeds cannot die."

Commissioner of Welfare, '27
Clarion Four

LOLA SHIRK HARTMAN

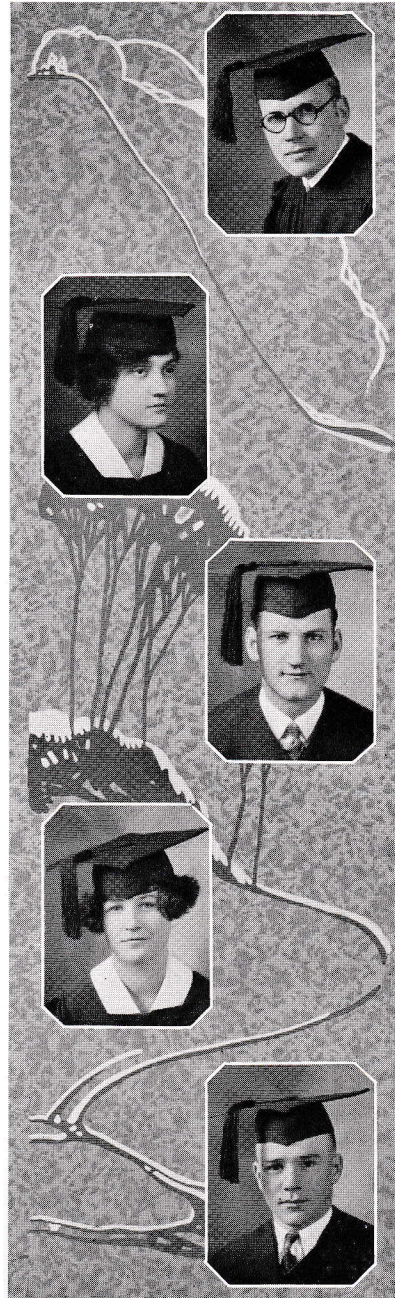
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Commissioner of Welfare, '26

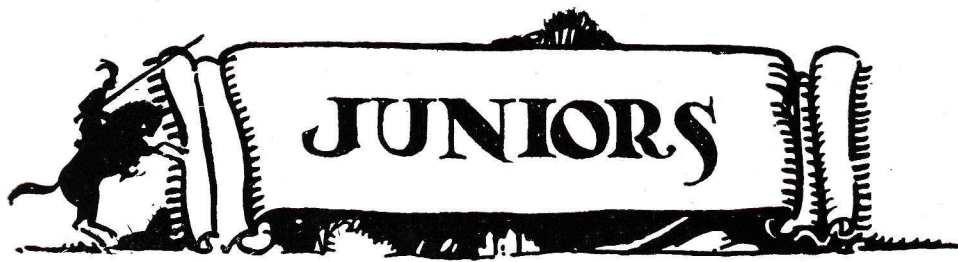
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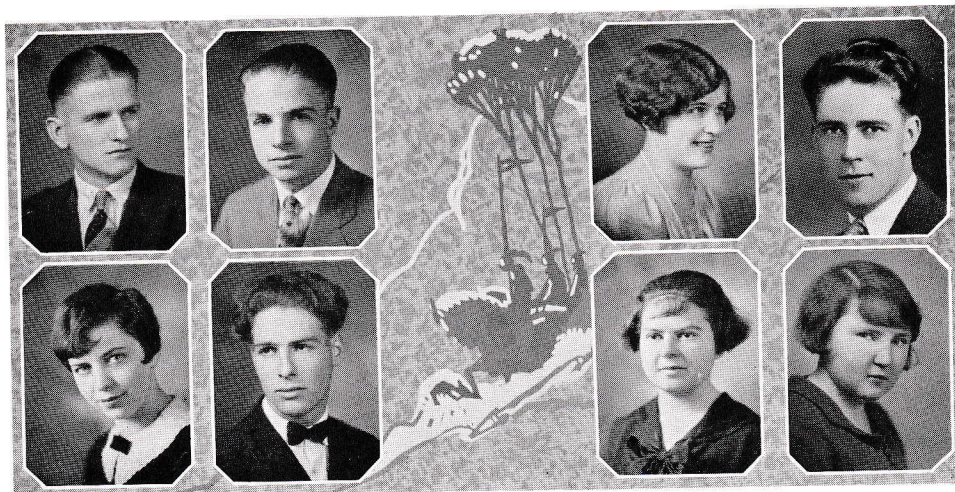
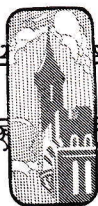
"With sallying wit."

Winner of Football Cup, '23









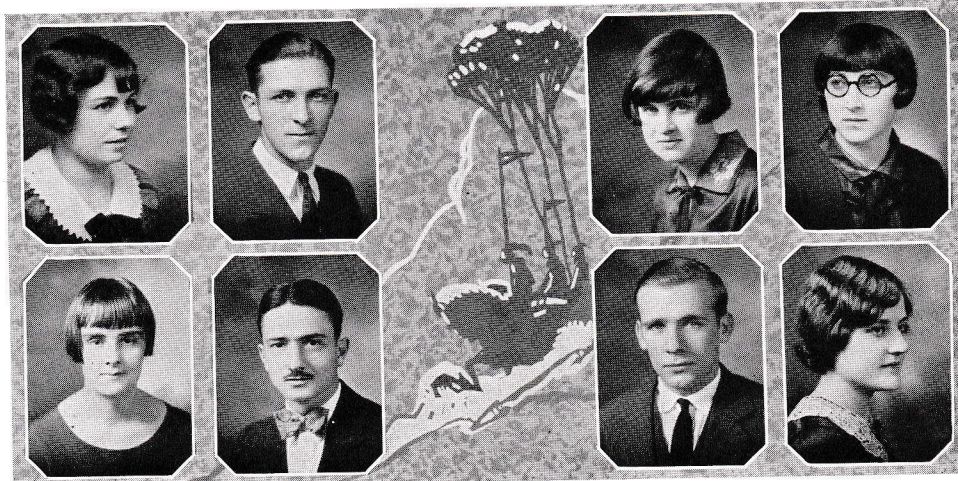
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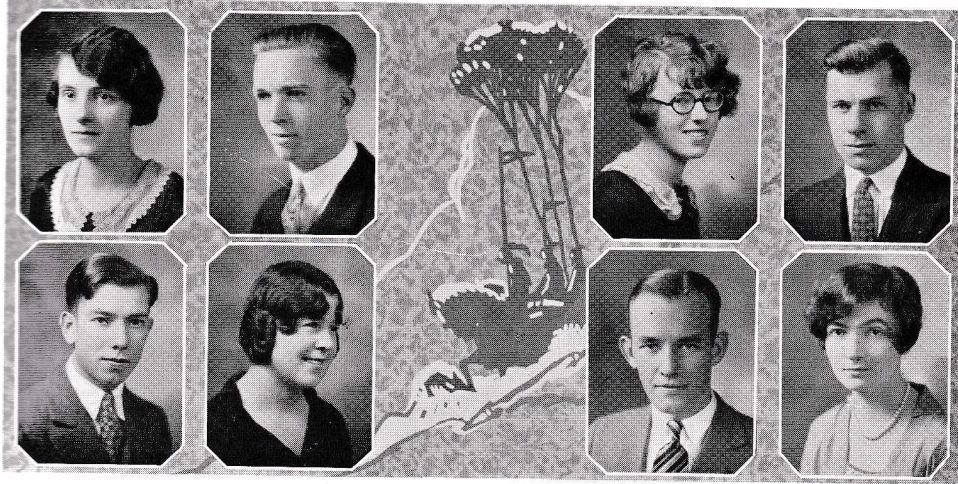
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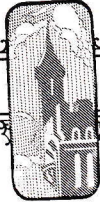
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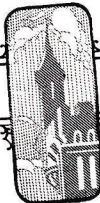


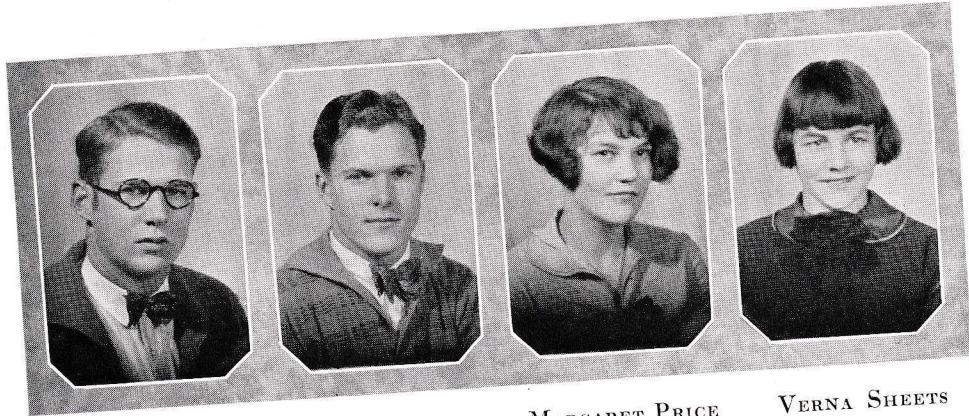
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| Ernest Carl | Chester Shirk |
| Clovie Carroll | Verna Shirk |
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| Francis Crites | Lilian Sonner |
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| Orville Hollinger | Katherine Strate |
| Amos Ikenberry | Hazel Studebaker |
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FRESHMAN CLASS ROLL

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George Armstrong	Naomi Metzger
Harry Blickenstaff	Arno Meyers
Roland Brownsberger	Don Miller
Harold Brubaker	Whitcomb Overholtzer
Emerson Button	Mary Platt
May Chronister	Margaret Price
Everett Clanton	Leta Ramsey
Glen Dellenbach	Gladys Reppert
Zola DuBoise	Melvin Rothrock
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Grace Eisenbise	Erma Saladin
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Mabel Garman	Donald Snider
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June Hershey	Dorothy Temple
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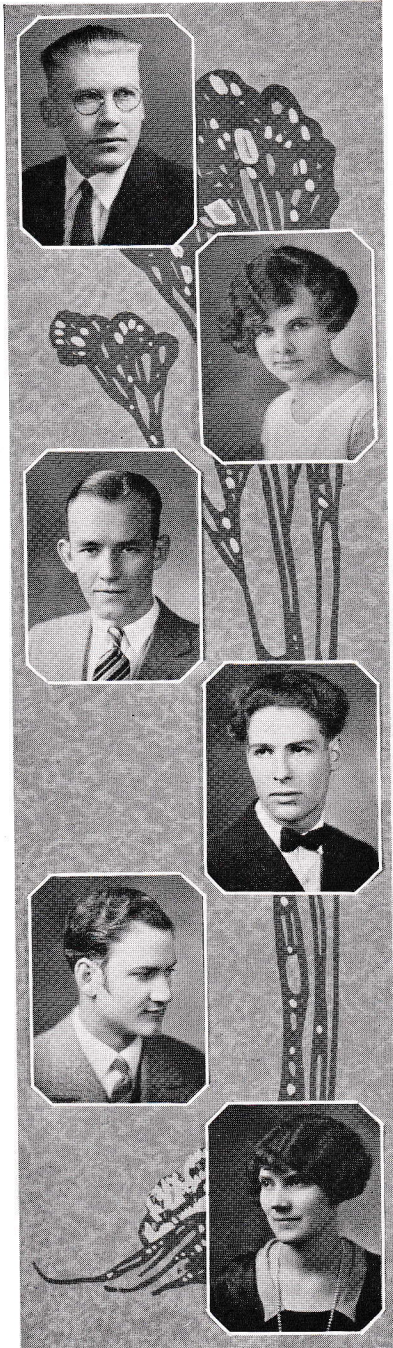
“About the founding of a Table Round,
That was to be, for love of God and men
And noble deeds, the power of all the world.
And each incited each to noble deeds.”



ACTIVITIES







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Student Body President

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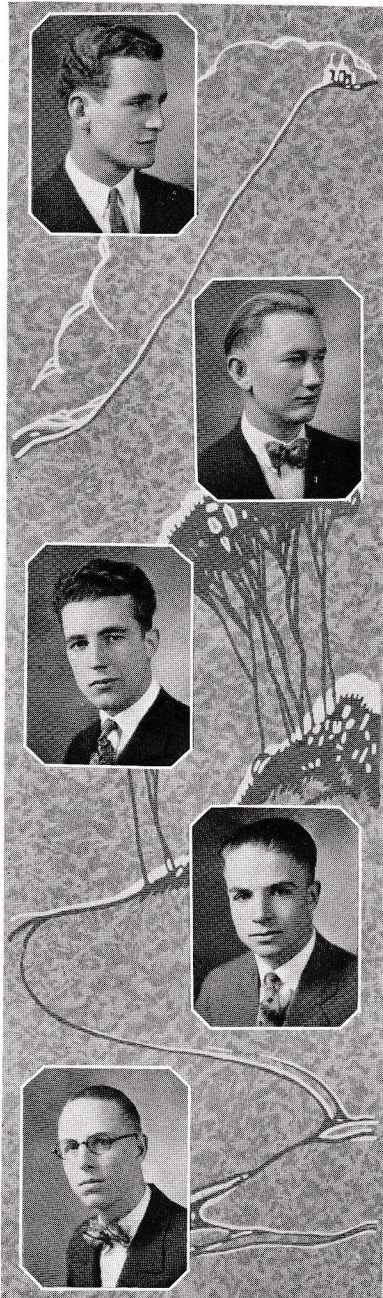
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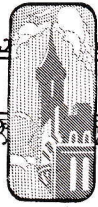
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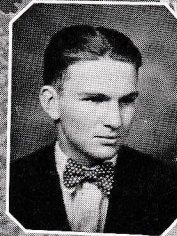
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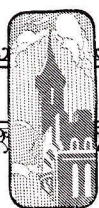


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VERDA BRUBAKER	<i>U. R.</i>

Since the time of its organization in 1925, the Y. W. C. A. has gradually increased in membership, activity and prestige until at present it plays a vital part in school life.

Under the leadership of Nellie Frantz an intensive social and world educational program was put on during the past year, in an attempt to lead college women into happier and more truly Christian relations with each other and to widen their thinking. Hoping to accomplish the ends embodied in the objective—"to break down barriers, to deepen thinking and to broaden the scope of our love"—the association has enjoyed a real measure of success in its many activities.



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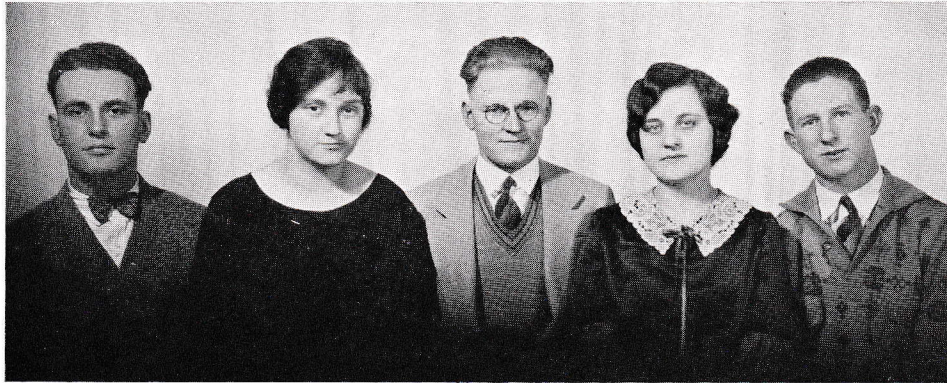
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Y. M. C. A.

The Young Men's Christian Association has a very real place in the lives of La Verne College men. Upholding the ideal of practical Christianity as expressed in clean and complete living, it touches the social, spiritual and moral atmosphere of the campus in a most wholesome way.

With Dale Glick as president for the year 1926-27, the association has greatly widened its scope and engaged in many worth-while activities with a large degree of success. Among the very substantial accomplishments of the organization this year is the complete furnishing of an attractive Y. M. C. A. room in the new Administration Building.

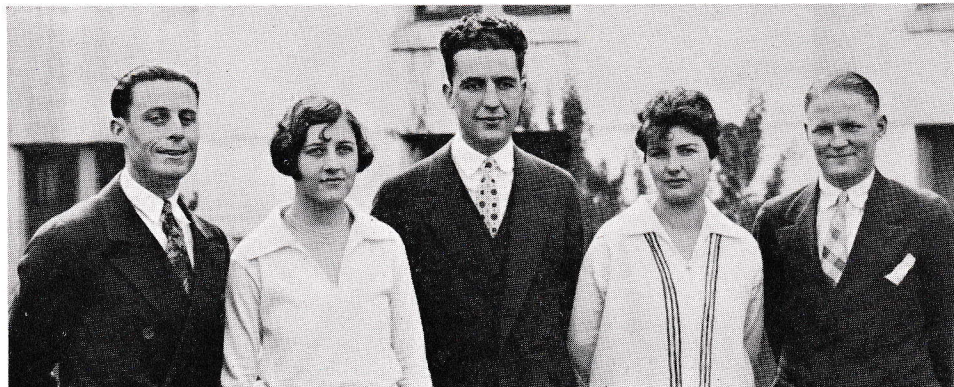


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| LLOYD EMMERT | Deputation Manager |

SOUTHERN DEPUTATION TEAM

The Southern Deputation work is being done this year by two teams who each visit two churches a Sunday. The congregations in the southern districts were divided equally, thus giving each about six churches. One team is the same as visited the northern district during Christmas vacation. The other includes Gladys Ikenberry, Laura Shaver, Norval Caywood, Ernest Carl and Zafon Hartman.





ARIZONA DEPUTATION TEAM

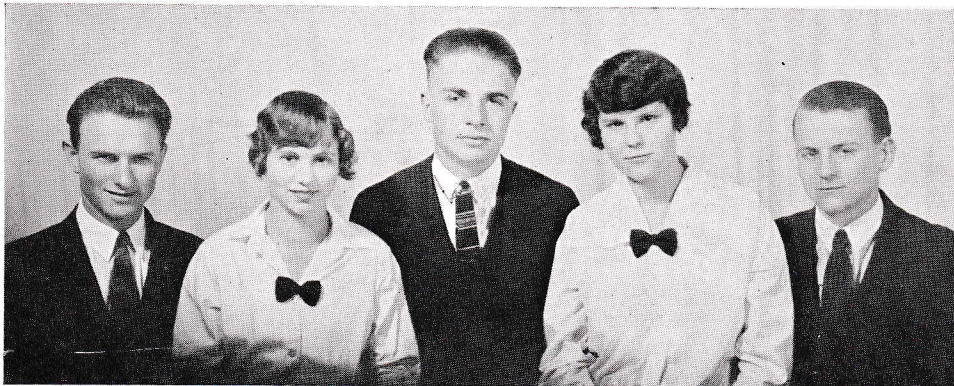
During the Christmas Vacation, the deputation team which visited Arizona churches at Glendale, and Pheonix, also the San Diego congregation, was composed of: Lois Martha Miller, Mina Throne, Ernest Carl, Harold Hoff and Rev. H. A. Frantz.

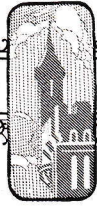
They reported a very enjoyable time in visiting new country and visiting points of interest, but deriving most benefit from meeting new people and assisting in inspirational meetings.

NORTHERN DEPUTATION TEAM

Another team which represented La Verne College during the Holiday Season, brings back a favorable report of good meetings, enjoyable time and a closer feeling between the Northern District and La Verne students.

The personel consisted of Verda Brubaker, Naomi Metzger, Lloyd Studebaker, Merle Butterbaugh and Lorell Weiss.



RAMAH
MAUSTWILMA
LONGMARY
PLATTRUTH
STONERMABEL
CHAMBERS

WOMEN'S DEBATE

The question debated in the Women's Conference this year was "Resolved that a Federal Department of Education be Established with a Secretary in the President's Cabinet." Ruth Stoner and Inez Eshelmen upheld the affirmative side of the question; they debated Redlands and Occidental. Although they lost both debates they did excellent work and La Verne can be proud of them.

Ramah Maust and Wilma Long composed the negative team. They debated with U. C. L. A. and Pomona, winning from Pomona and losing to U. C. L. A.

According to this year's regulations there was only one judge to make the decisions. The Oregon plan of debate was used and well liked by most of the Conference women.





WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB

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| LOIS R. MILLER | ERMA SALADIN | LELA IRWIN |
| GLADYS REPERT | LOIS M. MILLER | GRAYCE LONGNECKER |
| OLIVE SHIRK | MARY MESSAMER | RUTH BLOCHER |
| MARY PLATT | VERDA BRUBAKER | MIRIAM SHIRK |
| KATHERINE ROTHROCK | FLORENCE LANDIS | VIOLET WOLFE |
| NAOMI METZGER | HARRIET WOODY | LAURA SHAVER |
| LOLA HARTMAN | NELLIE FRANTZ | LILLIAN SONNER |

The work of the Women's Glee Club was extensive and effective this year. The club was not only asked to conduct programs, but also it was offered generous sums of money.

There were more trained voices in the club than ever before, a condition which helped the club to establish a name for itself among the various churches of the southland.

Programs were conducted in Chino and Inglewood High Schools, the Congregational Church at Upland, the Methodist Church at Santa Ana and the Churches of the Brethren in Santa Ana, Hermosa Beach, Long Beach and Pasadena.

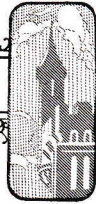


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THE MEN'S GLEE CLUB

The LaVerne College Men's Glee Club has finished a very successful year of programs and special music. The College, though not large can boast of musical ability equalling the larger institutions. The Glee club perhaps as much as any one independent factor has won friends for the College and created a great deal of interest.

The excellent material available was well directed and coached by Prof. Haugh. Lois Martha Miller was accompanist.

The programs given were:

- Feb. 20—Covina Church of the Brethren.
- Feb. 27—Uplands Mennonite Church.
- Mar. 13—Pomona Church of the Brethren.
- Mar. 29—Long Beach Church of the Brethren.
- Apr. 21—La Verne College Auditorium.
- Apr. 22—Day program, Bonita High School.
- Apr. 28—San Dimas Christian Church.
- May 8—Ontario Congregational Church.
- May 12—Hermosa Beach Church of the Brethren.
- May 15—Pasadena Church of the Brethren.

Members of the Glee Club: Urbin Hartman, Harold Hoff, Lloyd Studebaker, Norval Caywood, Ralph Schrock, Francis Crites, Ernest Carl, Lloyd Emmert, Harvey Emley, Paul Smith, Ivan Betts, Mark Lehmer, Emerson Button, Russell Frantz, Chester Shirk, Glen Vaniman, Merle Butterbaugh, Wayne Bohn, Harold Brownsberber, Paul Blocher. Lois M. Miller Accompanist; Prof. B. S. Haugh, Director.



APOLLO CLUB

This year the Apollo Club, one of the musical organizations, has functioned in a very material way for the benefit of their organization as well as the welfare of the school.

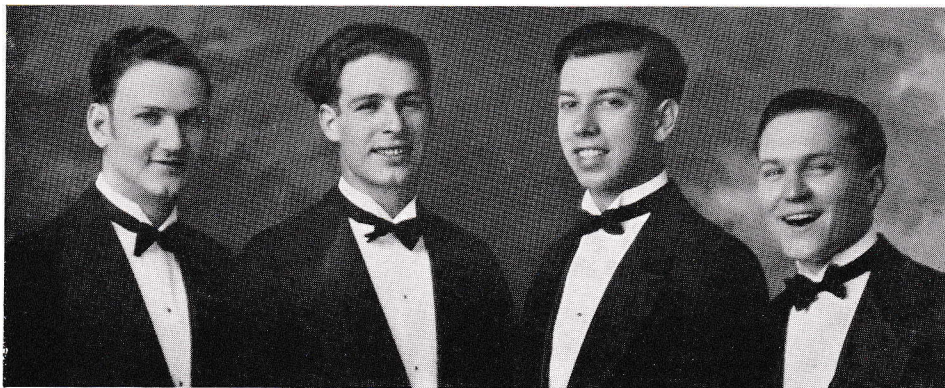
Lola Hartman, as president, has led the club through a very successful year, the main accomplishment being perhaps the buying of a splendid Mason Hamlin grand piano for the new auditorium.

Beneficial and high class entertainments of a musical nature have made the purchase possible.

THE CLARION FOUR

The Clarion Four, due to the sudden death of Howard Hoff, has been reorganized this year with Urbin Hartman, first tenor; Russell Frantz, second tenor; Harvey Brubaker, baritone; Wayne Bohn, bass.

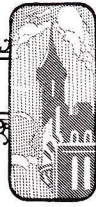
The quartet has done very excellent work and truly represented the spirit of the college in surrounding communities and schools.



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PAGEANT

This year during the annual Bible Institute the History, English and Drama Departments staged a pageant representing the history of La Verne College and vicinity. The first scene was laid in the time of the coming of the Spanish padres.

The story of the foundation-laying of the College and its years of hardships and bitter struggle to keep going and maintain its high Christian standard was graphically pictured. But at last came a brilliant sunrise, after the darkness, and the old was left for the new.

THE LYRIC FOUR

The Lyric Four, the only women's quartet in school, was organized this year and has established a very credible reputation, considering the short time it has been in existence. Their several appearances have been heartily welcomed. First soprano, Erma Saladin; second soprano, Hilda Brubaker; first alto, Laura Shaver; second alto, Verda Brubaker.





“THE FOOL”

“The Fool,” was one of the most successful and effective Senior class plays ever produced at La Verne, due to the advantages of the new auditorium, the superior ability of the coach, Professor Laura E. Haugh, and the hearty co-operation of every member of the class. One unique feature of the play was that every person had a part.

The play was given two nights during the Bible Institute, February 8 and 10, the house being filled both nights.

THE CAST

DANIEL GILCHRIST	.	.	.	.	Harvey Emley
CLARE GOODKIND	.	.	.	.	Lola Hartman
JERRY GOODKIND	.	.	.	.	Hoyt Strickler
GEORGE GOODKIND	.	.	.	.	Harvey Brubaker
UMANSKI	.	.	.	.	Lloyd Emmert
MARY MARGARET	.	.	.	.	Velma Noll
PEARL HENNIG	.	.	.	.	Lois M. Miller
JOE HENNIG	.	.	.	.	Wilbur Hoke
MRS. GILIAM	.	.	.	.	Mae Miller
DILLY GILIAM	.	.	.	.	Rose Landis
MRS. THORNBURY	.	.	.	.	Mary Messamer
MRS. TICE	.	.	.	.	Nellie Hylton
DR. WADBORN	.	.	.	.	Paul Blocher
BARNABY	.	.	.	.	Gerald Miller
BENFIELD	.	.	.	.	Chester Shirk
GRUBBY	.	.	.	.	Paul Blocher
MACK	.	.	.	.	Gerald Miller
MAX STEDMAN	.	.	.	.	Lloyd Studebaker
THE POOR MAN	.	.	.	.	Dale Glick
MRS. HENCHLEY	.	.	.	.	Ramah Maust
MISS LEVENSON	.	.	.	.	Florence Landis
MRS. MULLIGAN	.	.	.	.	Elva Shirk



THE YOUNGEST

The Junior Class presented a three-act play entitled "The Youngest," on May 6. The play is a prize comedy of 1923, written by Philip Barry.

As the title indicates it portrays family life as it looks through the eyes of this youngest son who wants to prove himself, but, like the modern Sir Gareth, he is tied to his mother's apron strings.

The action of the play was laid in a small New York state city and was homelike and appealing as only clever family plays such as this one can be.

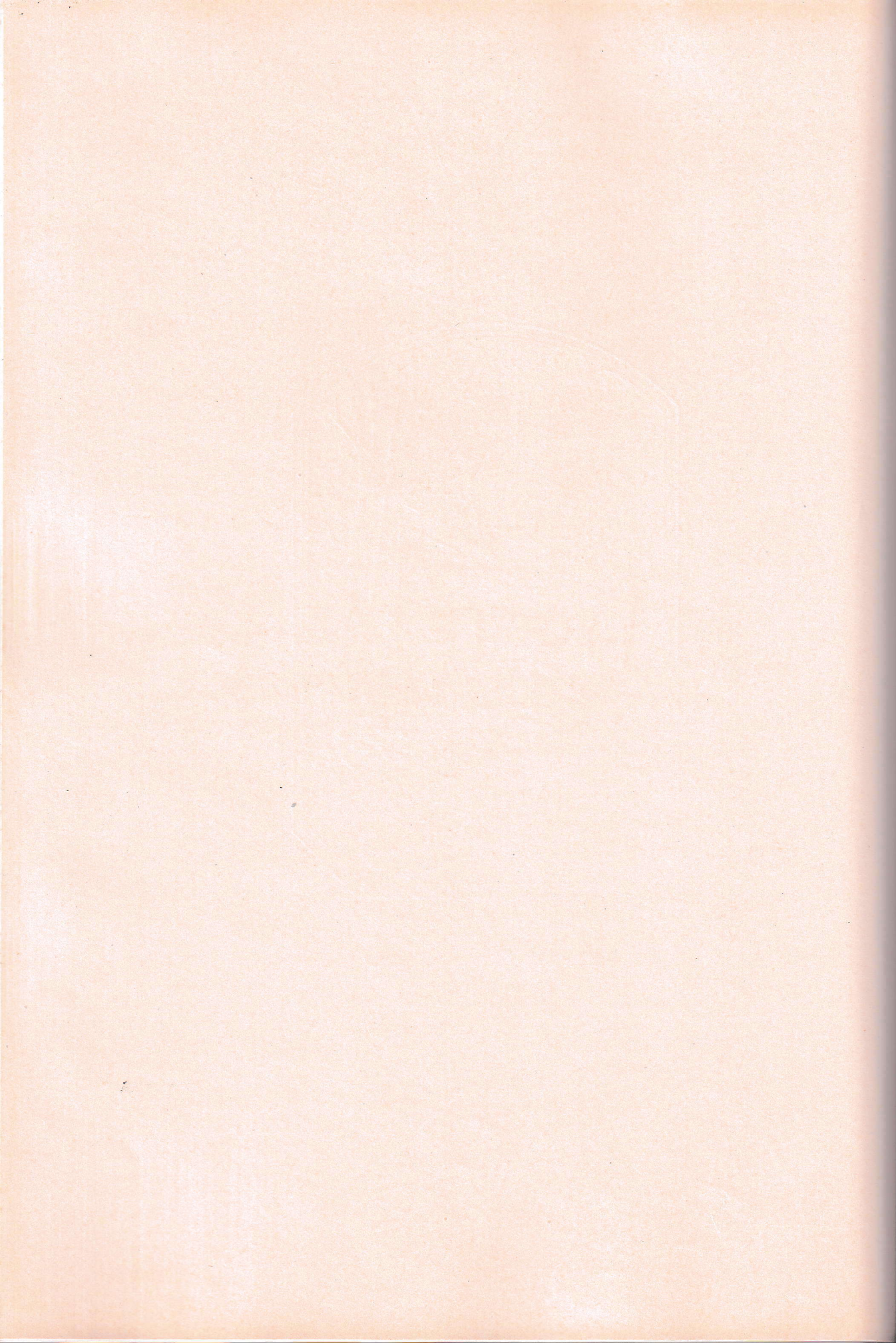
THE CAST

Charlotte Martin	Olive Shirk
Oliver Winslow	Harold Hoff
Martin Winslow	Clarence Wheeler
Alan Winslow	Milton Brownsberger
Augusta Winslow	Grayce Longnecker
Martha "Muff" Winslow	Lois R. Miller
Richard Winslow	John Brubaker
Nancy Blake Miriam	Miriam Shirk
Kate	Ruth Stoner

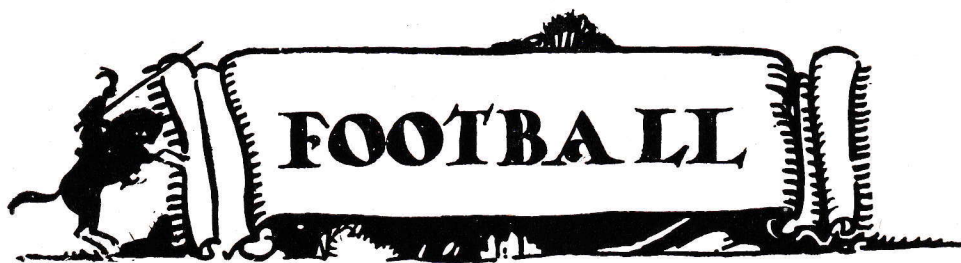
“Strength of heart
And might of limb, but mainly use
and skill,
Are winners in this pastime of our
King.”



ATHLETICS



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COACHES

The question has often been asked, "How can La Verne College make winning teams with only thirty-five men from whom to pick its athletic talent?"

To those who are not closely associated with the College this question often remains unanswered, but to the College men there is, without question, one man upon whose shoulders much of La Verne's athletic success is due. This is none other than Coach Claude Arnett.

Dr. Arnett's success as a coach lies much in his ability to take inexperienced men and make stars of them. Always he keeps the interest of the team he is coaching at a high pitch by his daring methods; ideas which no other coach would think of attempting. In football, which is his game, Coach Arnett is noted all over Southern California as the greatest of Southern Conference strategists. Practically all of the games La Verne plays on the gridiron are won by his unusual system of plays.

However, his strategical methods are not all that make Dr. Arnett a winning coach. He is a friend to all the college men and is ever casting his eye about for new talent.

Dale Glick, one of La Verne's greatest football and baseball stars, coached the Freshmen basketball squad and ably assisted in coaching the Varsity baseball nine, although he devoted much of his time in baseball to the Freshman squad. Paul Blocker was football manager.



I. BRUBAKER

M. BUTTERBAUGH

M. BOOTS

R. FRANTZ

G. VANIMAN

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FOOTBALL

The first annals of the football history of La Verne College in the Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference have been placed in the archives of the school. The honor of being in the conference was the result of the work of former teams. It was the duty of the Leopard team of 1926 to carry these honors in a creditable manner.

Coach Arnett used a semi-Stanford and aerial attack to thwart the invasions of opposing conference teams. This was made necessary by the lightness of his charges in comparison to the opposition. With these methods he built up a fast, shifty and clever team with a strong offensive attack.

This year seven strong teams appeared on the Leopard's schedule—four conference teams and three non-conference teams. They won two and lost one of the non-conference, and lost one, won one and tied two of the conference games. This is a very creditable record for a conference infant.



LETTERMEN

MARK LEHMER
Captain-Elect

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BETTS

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BOHN

ORVILLE
BROOKS

IRWIN
BRUBAKER

The initial game of the season resulted in a 19 to 6 victory over Santa Ana J. C. Lots of good material showed up in this game so that Coach Arnett was not lacking for dope as to who would fill certain positions. Shirk, fullback, and Captain Glick, quarter, worked exceedingly well in the backfield while Emmert, guard, put away doubts as to the effectiveness of a light line.

The following week the Leopards entertained the Whittier Quakers. This was La Verne's first conference game. Much speculation was made about the campus as to the result of this game. Dope gave the heavier, more experienced Whittier outfit the greater edge. The outstanding playing of the game is accredited to La Verne's light line and the sensational aerial displays of Glick to Lehmer. Comparative yardage from scrimmage shows L. V. C. 203 yards, Whittier 194 yards. The first conference score was 0-0.

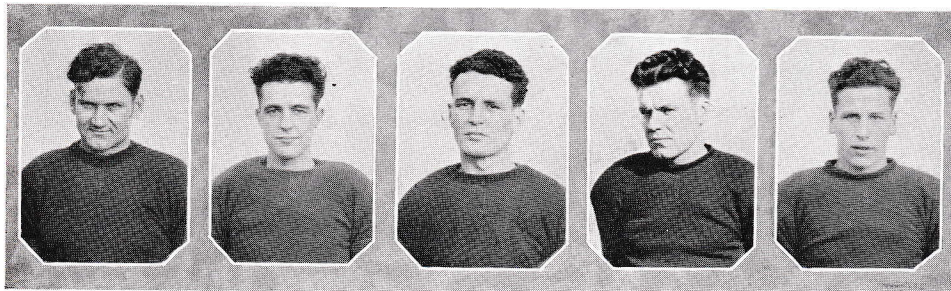


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The next week also furnished a novelty, for it was the first time that La Verne had ever met its nearest collegiate neighbor, Pomona College, on the gridiron. Although the score was 27 to 6, the game was not as lopsided as indicated. Wayne Bohn furnished the thriller early in the game with a 65-yard end run.

The invasion of the domains of the Fresno State College the succeeding week resulted in a score similar to the one of the week before. Shirk and his hard plunges accounted for La Verne's 7 in the 22-7 score.

On October 23rd a 26-3 score marked the fourth consecutive victory of the Leopards over the Redlands Bulldogs. Lehmer scored a touchdown as the whistle blew at the final of each half, and in the second half the Brooks twins each scored a touchdown.





LETTERMEN

DALE GLICK
Captain

MARION
BOOTS

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BROWNSBERGER

OTIS
BROOKS

La Verne ran up its biggest score of the season, 35-7, on the California Christian College team. Captain Glick, nearing the finish of his collegiate football career, furnished 25 of the total number of points in the score.

The last game of the season was fought against the sister school, San Diego State Teachers' College. This game was to show the supremacy of the two schools, and the 7-7 score showed a lack of supremacy. This game was the last for Capt. Glick, Otis Brooks, Harvey Brubaker and Lloyd Emmert.

Thus La Verne ended her first Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference season. The Leopard finished with .500 in the percentage column out-ranking of conference schools, with one game won, one game lost and two games tied.



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BASKETBALL

The Leopard squad was defeated in the last few minutes of play by close scores by all the conference teams except that of Caltech, and thus avoided the cellar championship.

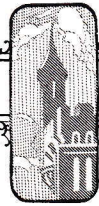
The whole squad will be back next year, with a lot more competition for positions. Capt. Betts, center; Lehmer, forward; Boots, forward; Shirk, guard; Bohn, guard, made up the team that usually represented La Verne. Vaniman, Mahoney, Hartman and Frantz were utility guards and Orville Brooks and Myers supplemented the forward positions.

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INTERCLASS CHAMPIONS

I. BRUBAKER, <i>Mgr.</i>	O. BROOKS	N. CAYWOOD	H. HOFF
F. CRITES	E. CARL	C. SHIRK	G. VANIMAN





VARSITY BASEBALL

A soothsayer and prophet would be the proper personage to write up the baseball season, for the season just starts as the annual goes to press.

The standing of the La Verne College nine in the Southern California Conference is hard to guess. The whole 1926 team is back, with the exception of a pitcher. Whether or not a pitcher can be developed or found that can hold the opposing nines enough so that the fielders can manage to make up the difference in pitching ability is not known.

At present Frantz is the best on the mound, with Boots, Hollinger and Myers ready to relieve him if necessary. Lehmer has the receiving end all to himself, in spite of the aspiration of Hartman and Caywood. The infield, composed of Shirk, first base; Boots, second; Orville Brooks, third, and Bohn, shortstop, is hard to beat. Crites, Betts, Mahoney, Hollinger and Otis Brooks are chasing the lonely ones in the outfield.

The only conference game played at this writing was that 12 to 1 defeat at the hands of the strong U. C. L. A. team.

Coach Arnett expects to build a fielding and hitting team to make up for the lack of a pitcher, and thus keep away from the cellar championship.

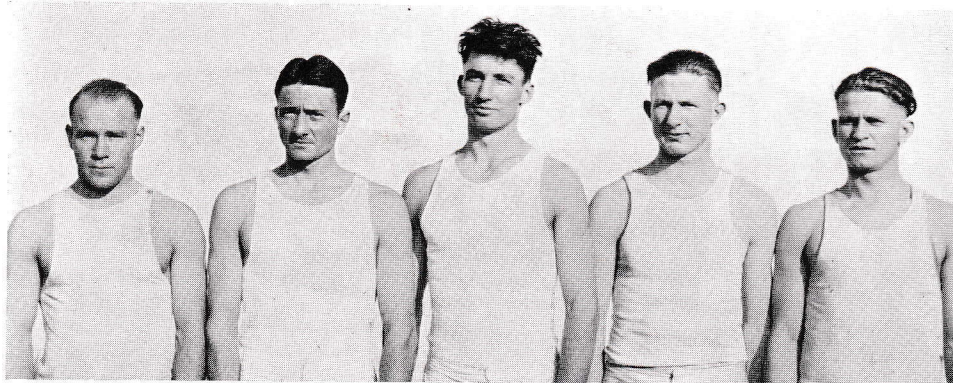


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Coach "Doc" Kurty was instrumental in developing a track spirit which has been dormant at La Verne for a few years. Because of the close proximity of the basketball and baseball seasons, and the participation in both sports by the same men, it does not allow for much time or encouragement in track and field events.

No inter-class meet was held this year on account of perverse weather conditions.

A triangle meet with Pasadena J. C. and California Christian College and a dual meet with Whittier, with seven men representing La Verne, naturally proved disastrous as to score, but it showed some good material.

Captain "Milt" Brwnsberger in the 440 and the sprints and Mark Lehmer in the weights were especially good. Lehmer took second in the conference meet, which entitled him to enter the Conference All-Star meet at Stanford University. Harold Brownsberger manipulated the high hurdles in fair time. Marion Boots could usually be depended upon for points in the discus throw, and the same can be said of Otis Brooks in the dashes. Mahoney and Hartman picked the half-mile and mile, respectively, as their favorite events.



FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

The Leopard Kittens did much credit to themselves as the first Peagreen squad at La Verne. Their greatest achievements were holding the strong Bakersfield J. C. team to a 6-0 score and L. V. C. Alumni to a 7-6 score.

The greatest accomplishment of the Kitten squad was in the developing of varsity material for the next year varsity.

Those working in the Peagreeners' backfield were Capt. Heminger, Dellenbach, Davis, Miller, Clanton and Blickenstaff. The line was composed of Mahoney, Leonard, Brubaker, Zook, Frantz, Smith and Brown-berger.

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL

DALE GLICK, *Coach* O. LEONARD D. FISHER F. MAHONEY E. CLANTON
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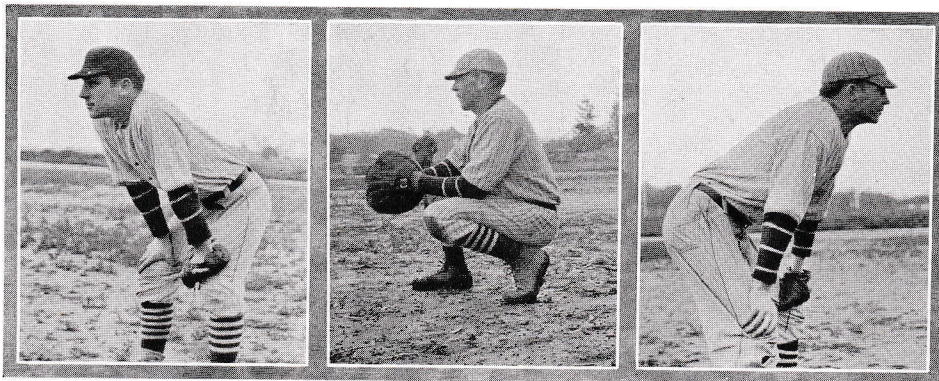




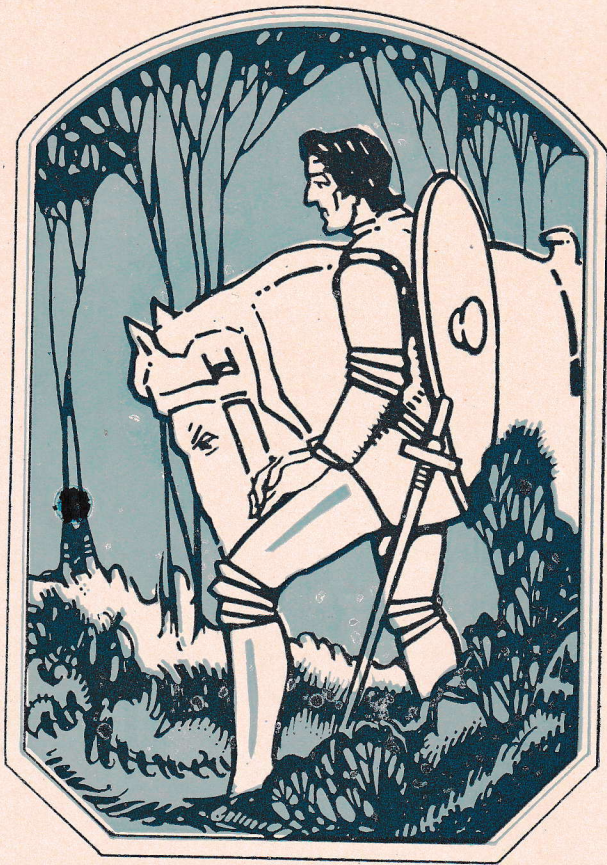
FROSH BASEBALL

The Kitten baseball squad elected Mahoney captain of its squad. They are furnishing plenty of opposition to the high schools and the varsity in practice. Games were played with Bonita, Burbank and Chino High School. The youngsters showed up to a good advantage in these games and much is expected from some of the players as varsity men. Miller, pitcher; Mahoney, shortstop, and Brownsberber, third base, are the more experienced of the diamond men.

Leonard, first base; Heminger, second base; Blickenstaff, catcher, and Brubaker, Rupert and Frantz, outfielders, are the constituency of the rest of the team.



“We go to prove it.
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GEORGE HOLLENBERG, *Pres.*

ALUMNI

What is it that binds us together?

A common school heritage.

We think alike because we were taught alike.

We think and act together because we studied and chummed together.

Common tasks.

Not merely because we helped in the erection of the gym, the fencing of the athletic field, the construction of the bleachers; not only that we boosted and pledged for Founders' Hall; not only that we this year worked together curbing the athletic field—but that our Alma Mater invites us to greater tasks in the future.

Common friends.

We who are near by cherish the privilege of learning new friends each year and meeting old pals in the halls or on the campus when we return for a visit, when we attend programs or when we meet yearly at reunions and banquets. We covet for all Alumni this privilege.

Common desire.

That every effort of students, faculty and friends succeed and be productive of the greatest good for humanity.



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THE SCHOOL YEAR

SEPTEMBER

Genesis

- 6—Students register for a year of hard work.
- 10—Harvey Emley is chosen for Student Body president.
Reception for the new students.
- 17—Y. W. C. A. Get Acquainted Social. And incidently — John Leland Hollenberg arrives.
- 21—Y. M. C. A. Men retreat to Jenks Lake for the week end, during which time they do their own cooking.
- 23—The Dean of Women entertains the Y. W. C. A. Cabinet.
- 27—“L” Day — “Ptomaine Tommies” — around the campfire with some ukeleles.
- 30—A trip to Europe with Mabel Funk during the chapel period.
Frosh 6, Chino High 0. “Still green but growing.”

OCTOBER

- 1—First Court session. “An honest confession is good for the soul.”
- 2—Juniors entertain Frosh with a Kid party — “Scarín’ pore little kids with ghost stories.”
- 9—La Verne Varsity bows to Pomona.
Frosh have a party at the Price home. Self Education! — All the little Freshies step out!
- 13—Y. M. C. A. Cabinet eats waffles and chicken at Cullen’s.
- 19—“In 1492 Columbus sailed the Ocean Blue.” History Class presents photoplay — “Columbus.”
- 20—Seniors entertain Sophs — Refreshments are the main event.
- 23—La Verne whips Redlands.
- 26—All the pretty little boys and girls have their pictures taken. Cleaning the new building — earning an education.
- 29—“When Dreams Come True.” Moving into our new home.

NOVEMBER

- 5—Apollo Club gives a Concert presenting the Mason and Hamlin grand piano, for the auditorium.
- 6—La Verne wallops Cal. Christian — “Feast of Nations.”
- 10—Y. M. C. A. Bean Feed.
- 11—Home Coming Day.
Alumni remember enough of their football tactics to down the Frosh.



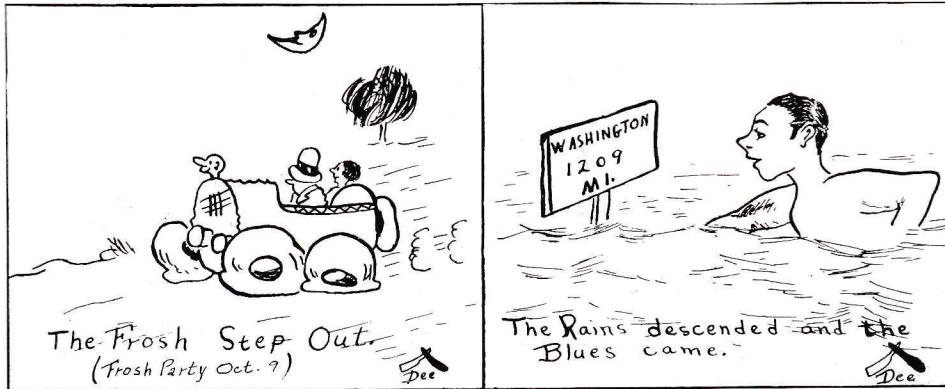
- During the evening's entertainment Jerome Shaffer embarrasses Ivan Betts.
- 13—La Verne holds San Diego to a 7-7 tie.
 - 16—Ross shaves off his mustache.
 - 18—"Who knows, she may go down in history as one of America's leading women!" Kathryn Strate wins \$25 on a W. C. T. U. Essay.
 - 19—La Verne advances! The Annual Football Banquet is held at the "Oma Tea Gardens."
 - 29—Brown-Menely Duo — First number on the LYCEUM COURSE.

DECEMBER

- 3—Rah! Rah! Sophs! Despite the Juniors' record the Sophs take the Inter-class basket ball.
- 8—Christmas Vesper Service.
- 12—Women's Glee Club make their debut at Santa Ana.
- 13—Wherahiko Rawei—Samoan Islander, appears on the Lyceum Course.
- 31—Minnie Dickey and Galen Root are secretly married in San Bernardino
- 17—Jan. 3. Christmas Vacation. During which time "Willie" writes term papers and Nova eats and eats. The deputation teams make their trips.

JANUARY

- 7—La Verne loses first Conference basket ball game to Redlands.
- 11—Temperance Address by Dr. Wise. "Haven't we heard that someplace before."
- 21—Reappearance of Jerome Shaffer.
- 24—Re-registration for the second semester.



29—Cox and Company entertain.

31—The snowflowers from Alabamy drift to La Verne. "Cotton Blossom Quartette."

FEBRUARRY

2—First appearance of Men's Glee Club, at Covina.

5-13—Annual Bible Institute.

8—The Seniors present "The Fool."

11—Y. W. C. A. girls feed 350 people at a cafeteria supper. Historical pageant.

13—Dedication of the new building.

16—Rain—epidemic of the blues—taxi!

21—Wagoner-Jackson — entertainment.

23—L. V. women score a debating victory over Pomona.

MARCH

2—The old Y. W. C. A. Cabinet initiates the new.

11—Bailey gives his lecture, "The Challenge of Life."

12—Lehmer and Brownsberger score for La Verne in the Conference Track Meet.

17—Apollo Club initiates new members.

22—Annual Mothers' and Daughters' banquet.

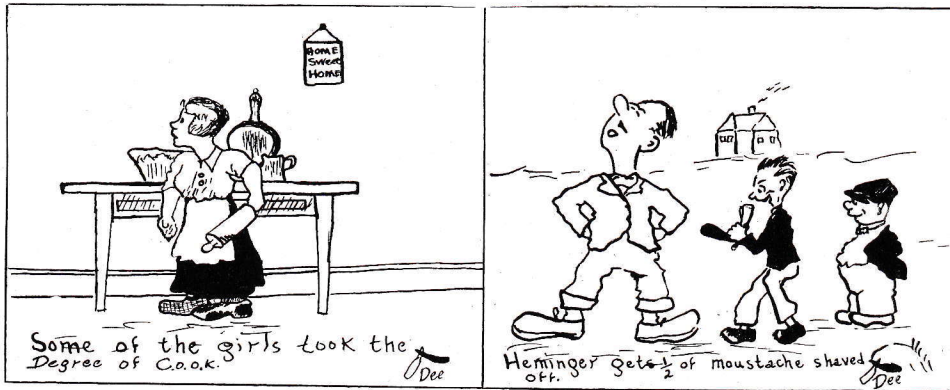
25—Cupid wins! Mr. and Mrs. Urbin Hartman announce their secret marriage in Sacramento on December 27.

26—Student Body steak fry—Howling success!

APRIL

1—Harvey Brubaker introduces the "Alligator sneeze" among other foolishness when the commission entertains in chapel.

2—College Sophs entertain the Seniors. They join the Pirate gang of Captain Kidd for a treasure hunt. Four Seniors present.



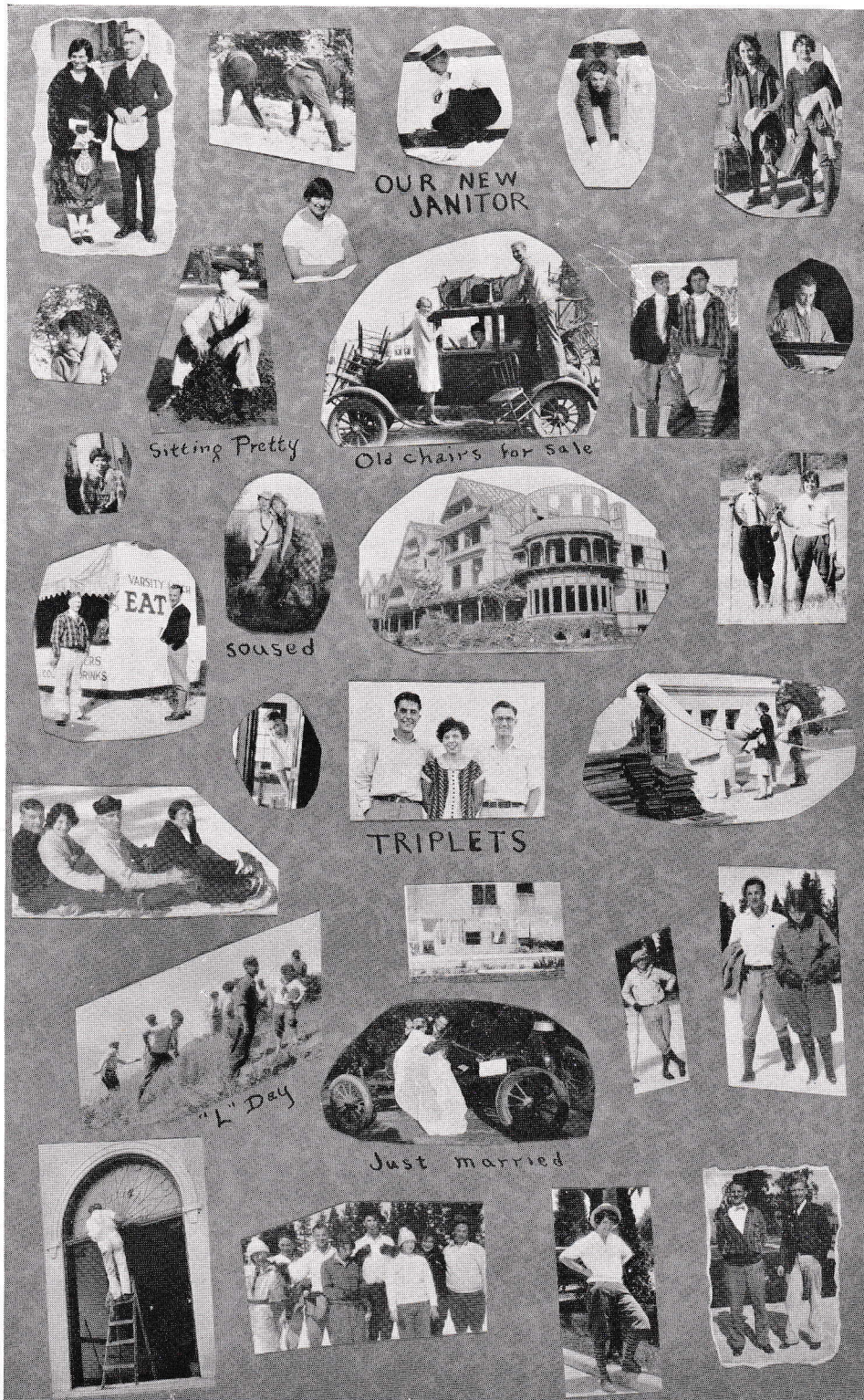
- 4—Y. M. C. A. banquet for high school men.
- 8—Damron, the potter, gives his diversified entertainment to close the Lyceum Course.
- 11-17—Pre-Easter revival meetings.
- 17—Easter Vesper.
- 26—Dramatics Class presents plays for benefit of the Annual.
- 30—Y. M. C. A. goes to Jenk's Lake, Y. W. C. A. has Hi-Jinks.

MAY

- 6—Junior play, "The Youngest."
- 10—Junior-Senior banquet.
- 14—May Day masque. "The Babes in the Woods," with the usual fairies, etc.
- 18—Piano concert.
- 20—President's reception for graduates.
- 21-25—Finals.
- 26—Class day.
- 27—Commencement.

REVELATIONS





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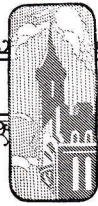
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JOKES

Gibbel (to Mr. Herr): "Will you give me something for my head?"

Mr. Herr: "I wouldn't take it for a gift."

Eve: "What's the date, Adam?"

Adam: "It's Christmas, Eve."

A lady rushing into a hardware store saying, "Quick, give me a mouse trap; I have to catch a train."

Fred M.: "The Polish nobles were so poor that if the dog of one of them sat in the middle of the estate, his tail would be upon a neighbor's land."

Galen S.: "What if it was a bulldog?"

Ernie: "When I'm full I always leave the table."

Ony: "Yes, and that's all you do leave."

Pat: "Did you ever hear of a person killed by a deadly glance?"

Mike: "No; but I know of a guy who got a broken arm due to an empty stair."

"Customers push my goods for me," said the manufacturer.

"What line are you in, anyway?" asked the hardware jobber.

"Baby carriages," was the reply.

Irritable Lady: "Stop pushin', can't yer?"

Stout Man: "I ain't pushin'. I only sighed."

Mrs. Merritt: "You must learn to keep your thoughts in a nut shell."

Harold Brownsberger (in scenario of Rip Van Winkle): "And when he woke up his beard had grown a foot."

Frantz (explaining problem in Chem.): "Now all of you keep your eyes on the board while I go through it again."

Don Miller (in Eng.): "And he had a man that was red-headed in the kingdom."

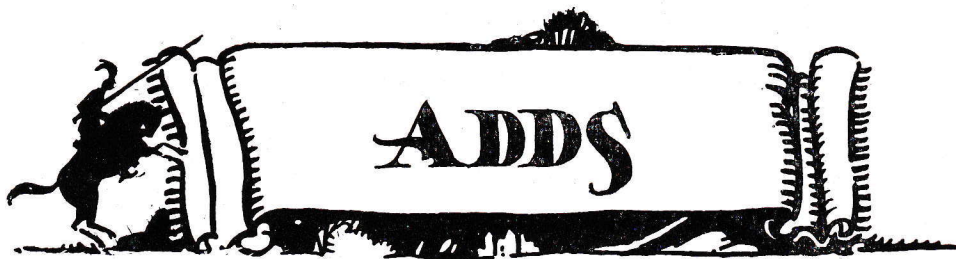
Prof. Hollenberg: "The class will now name some of the lower species of animals starting with—Frantz."

Madam (to caller): "Have a chair."

Caller: "No; I've come for the piano."

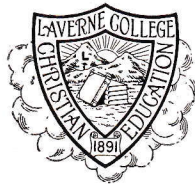
Prof.: "Sir, sit down in front."

Stud.: "Please, I can't."



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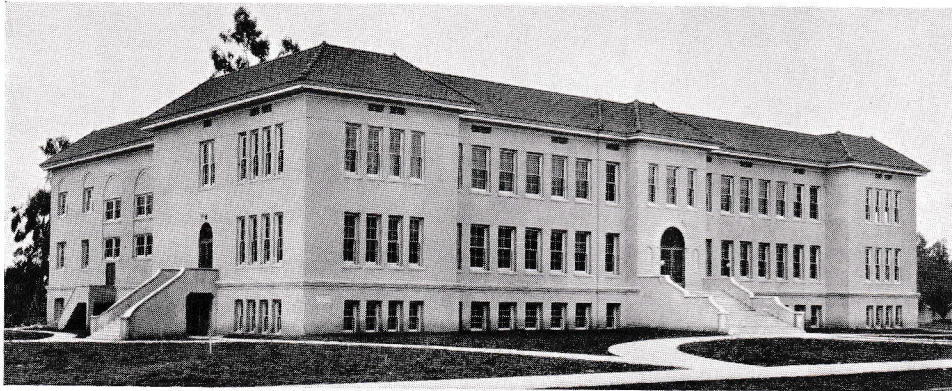
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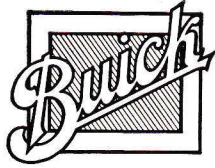
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