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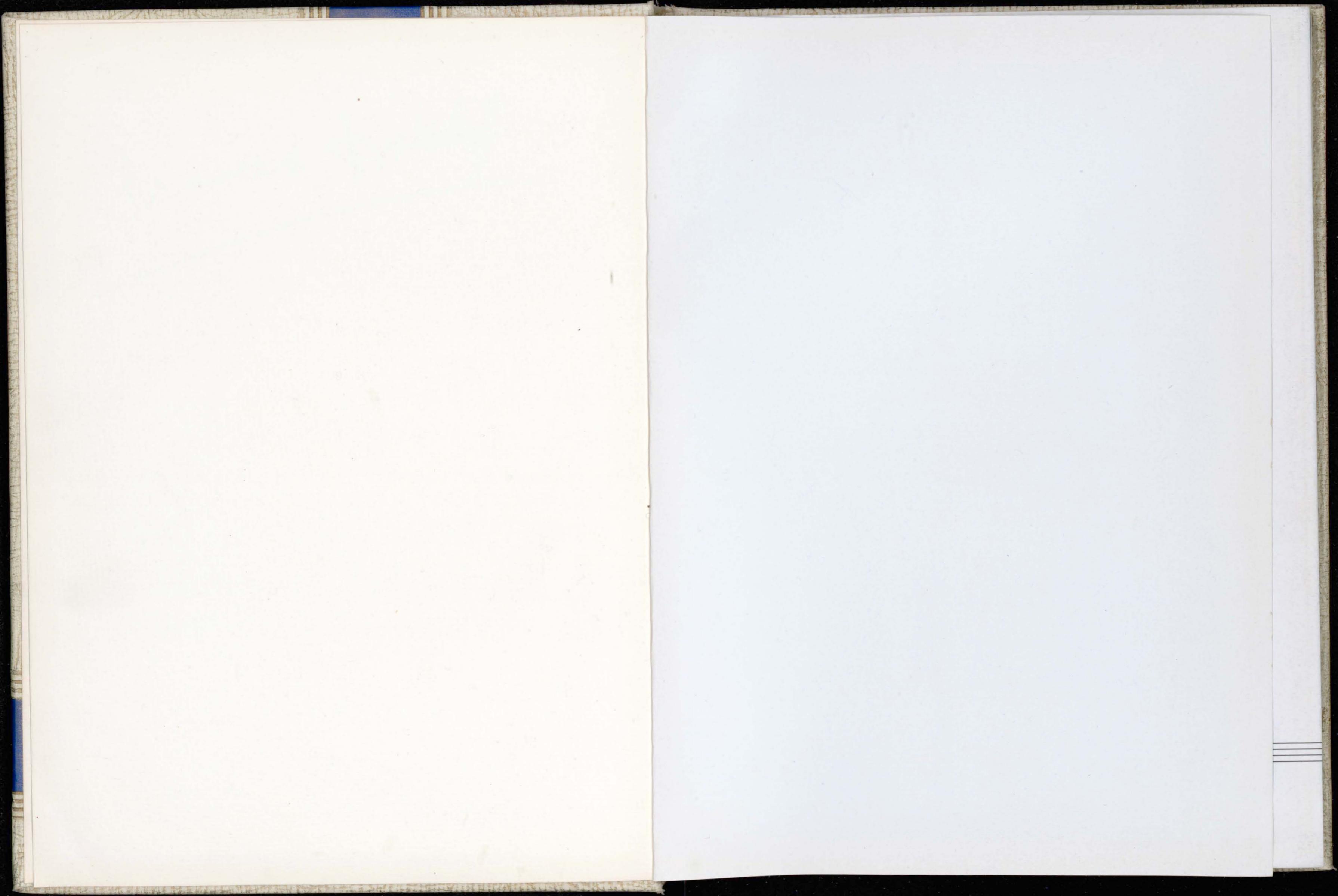
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1938

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Boiling Pot of 1938

FOREWORD

To present, in pictorial and written form, a significant record of this college year, is our task. If in perusing these pages you are inspired to recall the pulsing of your campus life, those moments of quiet inspiration, of emotional poignancy, of humorous adventure, of happy frivolity, or of cultural stimulation, our goal has been achieved —our task completed.

Ruth Schroeder
— Editor

Karl W. Lambooy, Jr.
— Business Manager

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DEDICATION

In appreciation of his loyalty,
his interest, and his enthusiasm,
we dedicate the Boiling
Pot of 1938 to

Dr. Charles True Goodsell, historian in his own right.



KALAMAZOO—We hail thee . . .

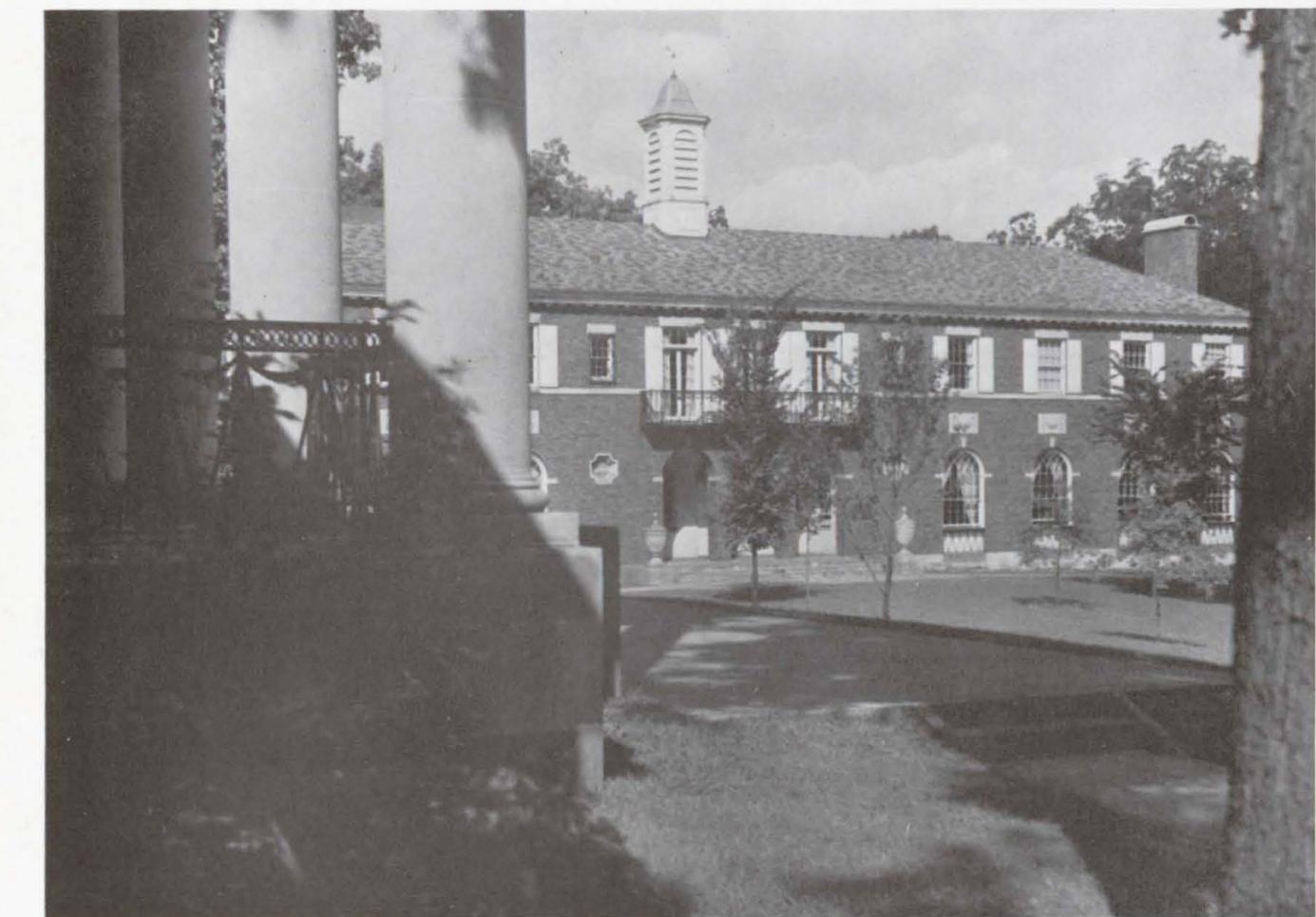


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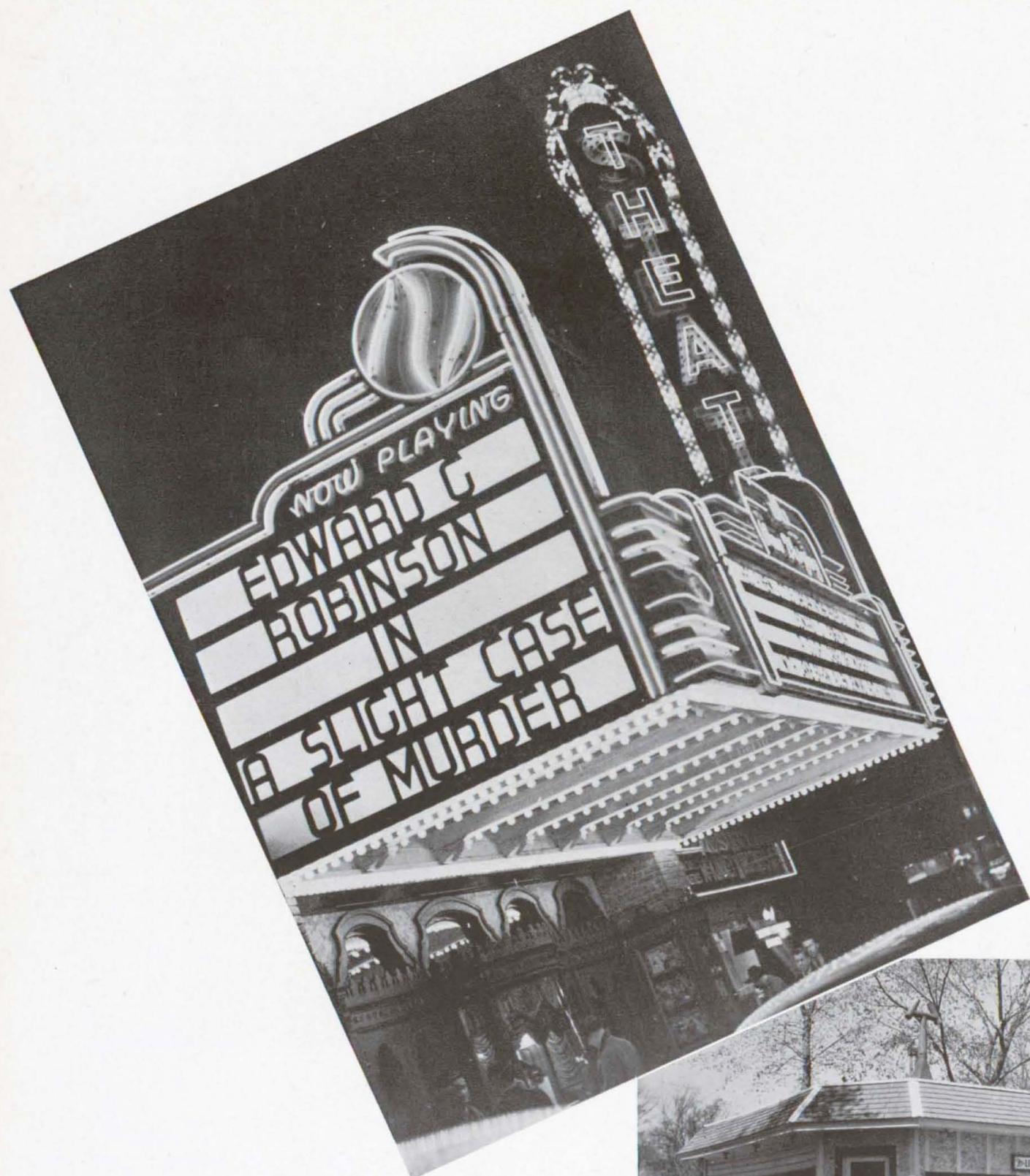


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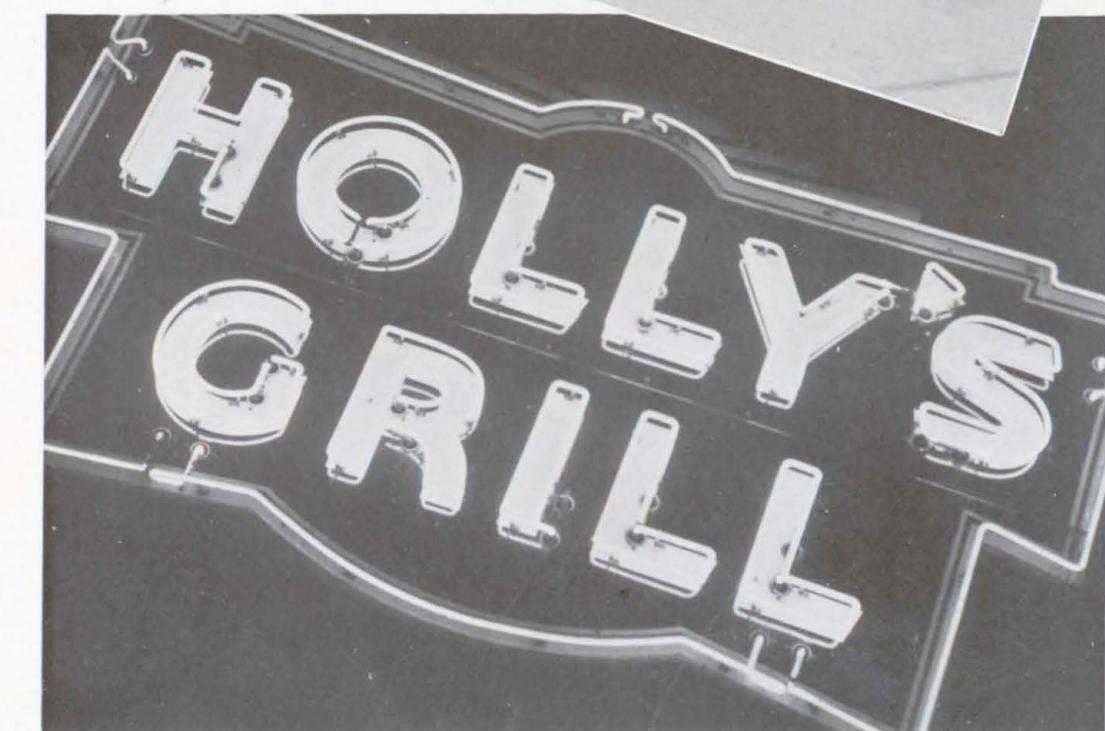
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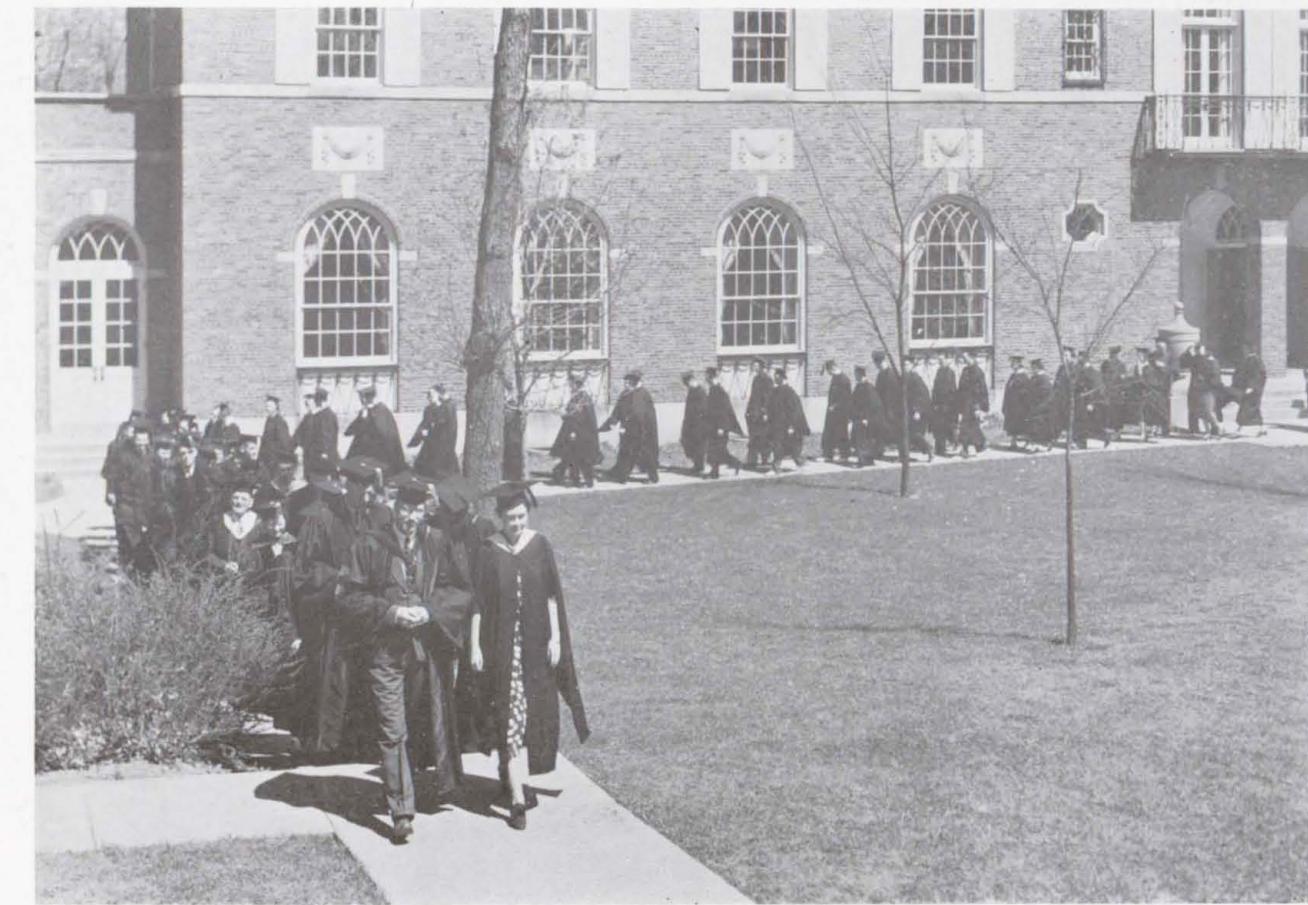
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FACULTY





STEWART GRANT COLE President

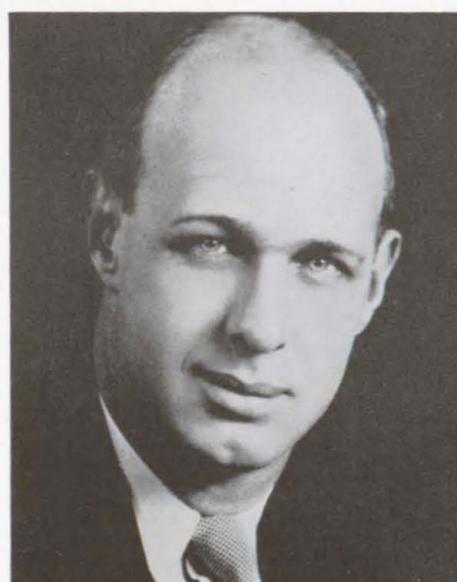
When you see a tall, dignified, but quick-stepping gentleman crossing the campus, urging the team to victory, presiding at banquets, or advising students, you may know it is "Our President." He's the chief executive of our Fellowship in Learning—the one whose duty it is to maintain the balance between the two elements which comprise that fellowship, namely the faculty and the students.

ADMINISTRATION

SHERWOOD GATES

Professor of Education;
Dean of the College

Our good friend Noah Webster defines a "dean" as the chief officer of any faculty in a college. Knowing our dean, we would add, one interested in students, blessed with a sense of humor, and a clever Washington Banquet toastmaster.



GENEVIEVE CHASE

Professor of Psychology;
Dean of Women

Although she is the only faculty woman with a "doctor" before her name, don't let that title fool you, for underneath you will find a charming, courteous, and cultured lady who is always willing to help you solve your problems.



FACULTY

GLADYS ANDREWS

Instructor in Physical Education for Women
It's rumored that while in college, her friends called her "Glad" Andrews. That one syllable nick-name exactly describes her, for whenever you meet her, she's glad about something—May Fete, basketball, or the like—and we're glad that she's glad.

JUSTIN H. BACON

Professor of French; Secretary of the Faculty
To quote a certain author in our midst, "he's a neat deflator of balloons"—we might add especially on the day the Index appears. From his office come those fatal white slips which too often tell a story—at home.

FRANK B. BACHELOR

Business Manager
Some one has said, "Love may make the world go 'round, but money oils the bearings," and he's the one who regulates the oil. We all have dealings with him, and he's the same helpful and understanding friend to everyone.

CHESTER S. BARNARD

Director of Athletics
A coach by any other name might do the work, but it's Chester who gives us those championship teams. He has what it takes and we appreciate it, so all hail to the teams and the coach.

HELEN M. BOWIE

Assistant to Librarian
One of her duties is to keep the library quiet, even though it doesn't suit her southern instinct for hospitality. Therefore, she paces the library and quiets the offenders, but she's really as young and lively as the noisiest of them.

ROBERT F. CORNELL

Professor of Political Science
Someone has said, "Good things come in small packages," and that's how the "poly sci" classes feel about "Bobby" Cornell. In case you don't know, he's the short, little man, who always wears a hat and carries a brief case.

FRANCES DIEBOLD

Associate Professor of Biology
Just like many of us, she abhors eight o'clock, and Dame Rumor whispers that she even keeps her clock three quarters of an hour fast so she can sleep longer. Biology majors call her "Dibby" and are always praising her seminars.

WILLIS F. DUNBAR

Assistant Professor of History (On sabbatic leave)
His "I have prepared for your edification and amusement" has become a campus classic. A booming voice, griddle cake breakfasts, marching bands, stimulating history classes, the Alma Mater song—just reminders of one whose return next year we anxiously await.

MARION H. DUNSMORE

Professor of Religion
To parody a popular western song, "O show us the place, where Dunsmore's not roamed," for he loves to travel. He's a great sports enthusiast whether he sits in the bleachers or plays on the volleyball court.

RUTH JOHNSON DUNSMORE

Teacher of Piano
Her students love her kind and sympathetic teaching, while we all enjoy those musically soothing chapel programs in which she takes part. Especially do we like those piano and organ duets which she and Mr. Overley do so well.

VIRGINIA EARL

Assistant Professor of French
With her perfect poise, fashionable clothes, sleek black coupe, and knowledge of French, she is often held in awe by freshmen. However, when one really learns to know her (did you know she can wiggle her ears?) she becomes a friend.

CAREY K. GANONG

Assistant Professor of Economics
At times his kindly blue eyes are almost obscured by that very unruly mop of black hair, but he is ever ready to think through a problem with you, whether it concerns the national debt or your insurance policy.

CHARLES T. GOODSELL

Associate Professor of History
Of large stature with booming voice, bushy eyebrows, and sparkling eyes, a true scholar and a kindly friend—a composite of these is our popular history professor. His devotion to organization is something we may well develop and admire him for.

LUIKE J. HEMMES

Professor of Philosophy and Psychology
A friendly, courteous, and hospitable gentleman and philosopher who brightens philosophy lectures with subtle remarks about current theater attractions. Speaking of the theater, what senior or faculty member will ever forget his imitation of a certain famous movie siren?





RAYMOND L. HIGHTOWER

Assistant Professor of Sociology
Although his stature doesn't exactly fit his name, if puns are allowed, one might say he towers mentally. He's noted for fair exams, well-prepared lectures, trips to Chicago, interest in social work, ability to see a joke, and stimulating seminars.

KATHRYN A. HODGMAN

Director and Instructor in Art
The library boasts a small studio where Kazoo's embryo artists work under her direction. Through her influence we see unusual art displays. She's an efficient doctor's wife, a competent mother, and a talented artist—all rolled into one package.

JOHN W. HORNBECK

Professor of Physics
Although he "whistles while he works," he takes his work seriously. He's respected for his knowledge and loved for his unconscious humor. Idiosyncrasies—closes windows to draw straight lines and deplores that we haven't a decent photograph of Venus, astronomically speaking, of course.

LYMAN S. JUDSON

Associate Professor of Speech
Flash! A sportily dressed gentleman snapping candid shots of campus personalities. You may safely bet a Kodak to a ten cent film that it's Dr. Judson, especially if you see a group of girls, mostly freshmen, somewhere in the vicinity.

ALICE B. MERRIMAN

Acting Librarian
She's the keeper of Minnie Mandelle library's twenty-seven thousand eight hundred and ninety-six books. In such a position one must meet the public, and she does it with a grace and charm distinctly her own.

ARNOLD MULDER

Professor of English
"Love doesn't butter any parsnips" is only one of the unique quotations with which this angler-author-professor delights his classes. Although he hails from the Tulip City and Hope College, our friendly rival, he has become an integral part of life at Kalamazoo.

HENRY OVERLEY

Head of the Music Department; Teacher of Organ
Beloved of musicians and music lovers alike, this master organist is the inspiration for that "pause in our day's occupation"—the Thursday musicals, and if those Glee Club reminiscences are right, he's a top-notch trooper and just altogether all right.

MABEL PEARSON OVERLEY

Teacher of Voice
The Christmas Carol service with its twinkling candles and melodious voices, and the Gaynor Club's spring concert, are the result of her careful direction. But she's more than a directress, for her well-trained voice often delights us in those aforementioned "pauses" we enjoy so much.

ESTHER DEAN RASMUSSEN

Teacher of Violin
As the French would say, she has the soul and talent of "l'artiste" (the "i" sounds like "e") which she expresses through the medium of her violin. Her students say she never fails to detect one of those blue notes.

GILMER G. ROBINSON

Instructor in Physical Education;
Director of Intramural Athletics
Familiarly known as "Gil", he has, in one short year, found his niche in our fellowship through his pleasing, southern personality and athletic ability. Chester likes him, the boys like him, (girls too!), the faculty likes him—we all like him.

EDWARD C. RUSSEY

Acting Director of Band
Strike up the band! And he's the one who can do it. What's a football game without a band's harmonious blaring? What's a basketball game without that certain musical stimulus? And what would Kazoo's band do without its peppy leader?

HOWARD S. SEIFERT

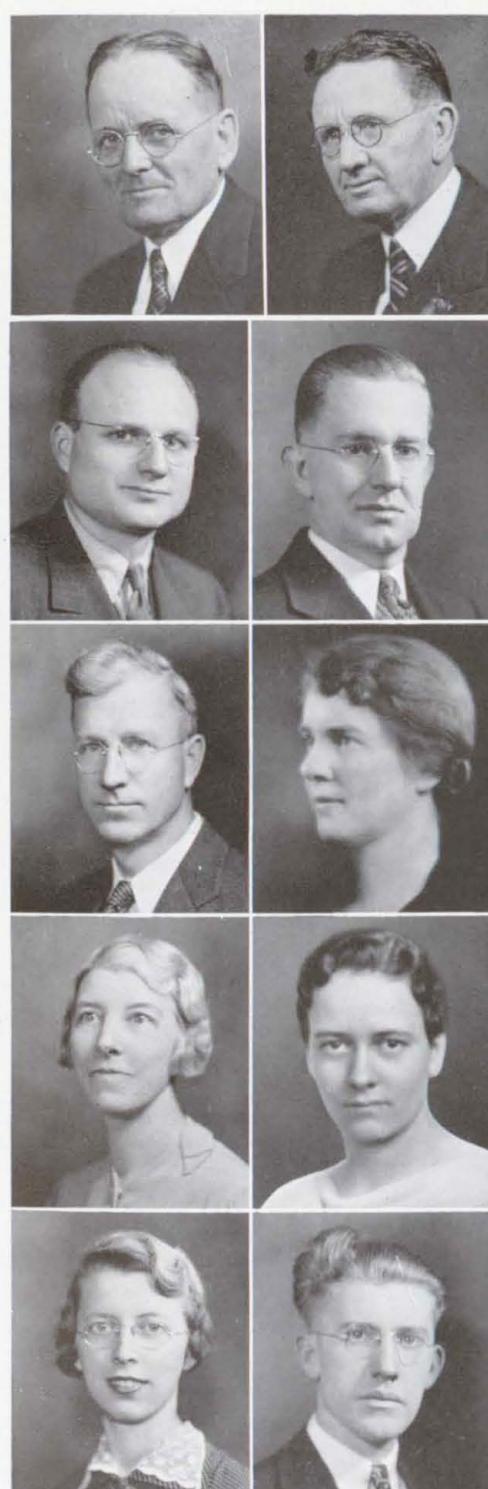
Assistant Professor of Physics
Many great men have been small and he can join their ranks. Intrigued by that call of "Go East, young man, go East," with his family and knowledge, he left the Golden West and has successfully strengthened this Fellowship in Learning.

MARY H. SEIFERT

Instructor in Latin
She's one of those petite, little teachers whose friendly, charming personality makes a pleasant place of the classroom. Her students answer to their first names, and she delights them with modernized myths as the one in which Mercury invented the barbecued sandwich.

HERMON H. SEVERN

Professor of Greek and Latin, Emeritus; Dean, Emeritus.
The freshmen never knew him but love to hear of him; the upperclassmen and faculty know him and love—and miss him. But he's earned his rest in the land of sunshine, and we'll not forget him—our Dean, Emeritus.



MILTON SIMPSON

Professor of English Language and Literature
Bombastic energy covered with chalk—with a soul sensitive to the greatest literature of the world. You've missed a part of Kazoo if you haven't dashed to his eight o'clocks, and breathless, followed him into realms where even trains are forgotten.

LEMUEL F. SMITH

Professor of Chemistry
An affinity for Hershey bars, a would-be beau brummel, and an optimistic philosophy—"Even little me can comprehend"—he has been a bright spot in countless otherwise foggy freshman years. And what chem. major could forget his learned but kindly guidance?

PAUL C. STAAKE

Instructor in Marketing and Merchandising;
Director of Publicity
Punctual, precise, and publicity conscious, his job is to put Kalamazoo on the map. He gets his most successful inspirations for publicity stunts while rapidly pacing the floor of his office, and as fast as he thinks, he acts.

ALLEN B. STOWE

Professor of Physical Chemistry
For him, tennis is not only a relaxation and a hobby but a business and a joy. On the courts he's known as "Doc," and Hornet netters regard him as their coach, their inspiration, and the father of their mascot, Bobby.

THOMAS O. WALTON

Olney Professor of Mathematics
In the spring the math teacher's fancy turns to thoughts of—gardens—and wise is the student who cultivates an interest in horticulture as well as algebra, calculus, and differential equations. Subject matter may fade, but the memory of his personality will remain.

MARY MUNRO WARNER

Assistant Professor of Education;
Director of Placement Bureau
Midst the throes of units, case studies, and practice teaching, through which the embryo teachers must pass while learning when, how, or whether to wield that mythically popular hickory stick, it is her friendly encouragement that makes it all seem worthwhile.

LEFA T. WORTH

Assistant Professor of English
As a member of her freshman classes, one learns not only rules of grammar and how to write themes, but to appreciate the kindness and gentleness of her character. She's a helpful adviser, and an understanding friend during those hard days.

MARGARET I. BOYS

Director of Women's Residence and College Dining Hall
Our dark-haired, dark-eyed, dietitian, directress, and friend is the supreme authority for all campus food committees. Out of Trowbridge kitchen comes food fit for the majority of the gods. It can't fit all since history records that gods have different tastes.

SARAH HILL

Resident College Nurse
The Florence Nightingale of the campus, or so she seems, Miss Hill is also a member of the graduating class. Whether a blistered toe, a twisted ankle, a burning throat, or an aching appendix is bothering you, she knows the remedy and you live to tell the story.

LOUIS C. REMYNSE

Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds
The man behind the scenes. Whether you realize it or not, his fine handiwork is all about you. Velvety lawns, cleanly swept buildings, warm rooms in winter, beautiful May Fete scenery—he superintends it all—and we appreciate it.

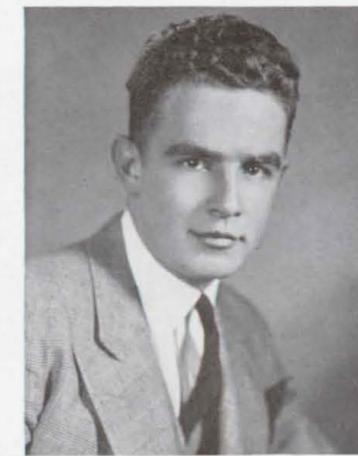
CLASSES





CULMINATION

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SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

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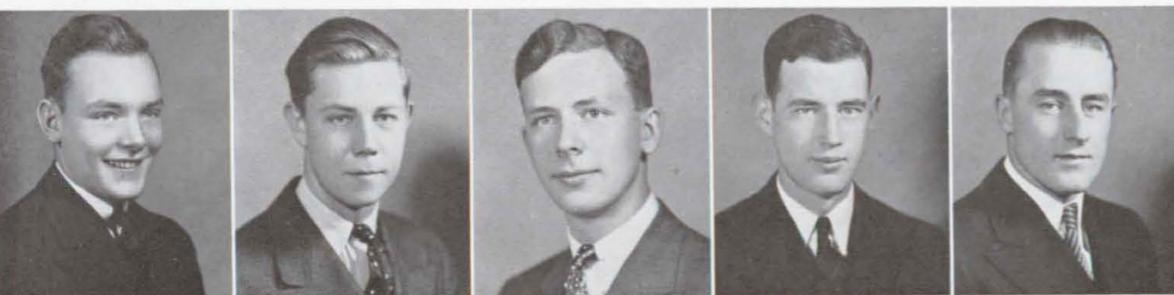
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Sherwood, Vice-Pres., 4; Track manager, 2-3;
Boiling Pot, 3-4; Co-Bus. Mgr., 3, Bus. Mgr., 4;
Senate Social Committee, 4.

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Kalamazoo
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2-3-4; Track, 2-3-4; Captain, 4; Class Vice-Pres.,
2, Pres., 3; Mgr. of Athletics, 3; Representative,
MIAA Athletic Board, 4.

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French
Kappa Pi, Vice-Pres., 3, Sec., 2, Social Chair-
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Drama Club, 1-2-3-4, Sec., 2; Women's League
Council, 3.



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Sociology Kalamazoo
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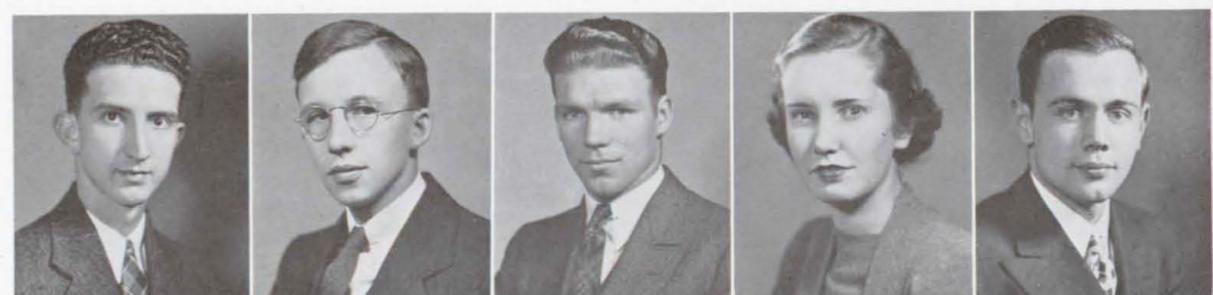
E. F. BUSKIRK
Physics Shelbyville
Philolexian, Sergeant-at-arms, 2-3; Football, 2-3-4; K-Club.

BETTE CLEMENTS
English Literature Wausau, Wis.
Kappa Pi, Usher, 1, Treas., 2, Alum. Sec., 3; Chairman of May Fete, 4.

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Political Science Benton Harbor
Sherwood; Tennis, 1-2; Golf, 4; Band, 1-2; Debating, 1-2.

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Biology Shelby
Philolexian, Sec., 3, Pres., 4; Tumbling, 2-3; Swimming, 4; Band, 1; Glee Club, 1-2-3-4, Pres., 4; Society of Caduceus, Vice-Pres., 4.

RUTH DESMIT
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Economics Allegan
Century Forum, Pres., 4; Tennis, 1-2-3-4; Football, 1-2-3-4; K-Club, Pres., 4.

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Economics Hancock
Century Forum, Treas., 4; Michigan College of Mining and Technology, 1-2.

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Physics South Haven
Sherwood; Football, 1-2-3-4; Basketball, 1-2-3; Track, 1-2-3-4; Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; Science Club, 2-3; K-Club.

WILSON EBY
Political Science Cassopolis
Philolexian.

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History Jackson
Kappa Pi, Chaplain, 4, Alum. Sec., 4; Maryland College for Women, 1; University of Michigan, 2.

WALTER GRAHAM
Biology Kalamazoo
Century Forum, Sec., 2, Vice-Pres., 4; Society of Caduceus, 4.



JACK HARTUNG
Economics Kalamazoo
Sherwood; Band, 1-2-3-4, Vice-Pres., 4; Football, 3; Golf, 3-4.

ROBERT HEERENS
Chemistry-Biology Evanston, Ill.
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ROBERT HENDERSON
Sociology Kalamazoo
Sherwood; Cross-country, 1; Tennis, 1-2-3-4; Index, Critic, 3.

SARAH HILL
Sociology Laconia, N. H.
Alpha Sigma Delta; Battle Creek College, 1.

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Political Science-Economics Kalamazoo
Sherwood, Treas., 3-4; Drama Club, 1-2-3-4; Senate Social Committee, 3.



RONALD JENNINGS
Economics Watervliet
Philolexian; Band, 1-2-3-4; Drama Club, 4.

ANN LOCHER
Chemistry Kalamazoo
Alpha Sigma Delta; Tennis, 3-4; Society Basketball, 2.

MARY LOCHER
English Literature Kalamazoo
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EUGENE McKEAN
Economics Watervliet
Century Forum.

BARBARA McKINSTRY
French Kalamazoo
Kappa Pi, Rec. Sec., 4; Miami University, 1-2.



MARY PALMER
Latin Birmingham
Kappa Pi, Vice-Pres., 3, Pres., 4; Basketball, 2; Tennis, 2; Choir, 1-2-3; Gaynor Club, 2-3; Sec. of Model Convention, 2; I. R. C., Sec. 3-4; Boiling Pot, 3.

CLARENCE RICE
Biology Buchanan
Philolexian; Society of Caduceus, 4; I. R. C., 4.

ADA RUTZ
History Kalamazoo
Kappa Pi, Treas., 3, Pres., 4; Volleyball, 2-3-4; Basketball, 2-3-4.

JOHN POWER
Chemistry Kalamazoo
Sherwood; Society of Caduceus, 4; Western State Teachers College, 1-2.



GUSTAVE MOESSEN
Chemistry Kalamazoo
Philolexian; Football, 1-2-4; Tennis, 1, Mgr., 2; Index, 1, 2; Science Club, 1, 2, Vice-Pres., 2; Boiling Pot, 3.

CARL MORRIS
Political Science Kalamazoo
Sherwood; Pi Kappa Delta; Debate, 3-4.

CHARLES MORSE
Psychology Lansing
Sherwood; Band, 1-2-3-4.

LEWIS NEELANDS
Physics St. Johns
Sherwood; Track, 2-3-4; Williams Hall, Treas., 2; Hoben Hall, Vice-Pres., 4; Tumbling, 2-3; K-Club.

ALFRED JACK NUTHALL
Public and Industrial Relations Kalamazoo
Sherwood, Sec., 3; Swimming, 4; Index, 1-2-3-4, Ass't Bus. Mgr., 1-2, Bus. Mgr., 3-4; Camera Club, 3; General Council of Republican Model Convention, 2; Human Relations Clinic Staff, 3-4.



RUTH SCHROEDER
English Marshall
Alpha Sigma Delta, Usher, 1, Corr. Sec., 2, Reporter, 2-3-4, Social Chairman, 3-4; Basketball, 3-4; Volleyball, 3; Women's League Council, 2; Board of Publications, 2-3-4; Index, 2-3-4, News Ed., 3; Boiling Pot, 3-4, Co-Ed., 3, Editor, 4; Ink, 3; Mary Trowbridge Sec., 2.

MARJORIE SPITLER
History Hart
Eurodelphian, Critic, 2, Sec., 3, Vice-Pres., 3, Pres., 4; Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Mary Trowbridge Vice-Pres., 4; I. R. C., 3-4; Women's League Council, 3-4.

MILDRED SPITLER
English Hart
Eurodelphian, Chaplain, 2, Treas., 4, Pres., 4; Mary Trowbridge Vice-Pres., 3; Senate Social Chairman, 4; Basketball, 1-2-3-4.

JOHN B. SOMERS
Political Science Kalamazoo
Century Forum; Football, 1-2-3-4; Co-Cap't., 3-4; Basketball, 1-2; K-Club.



ELIZABETH KELLY STERN
Psychology Cherokee, Iowa
Kappa Pi; Soccer, 1; Basketball, 1-2-3;
Volleyball, 1-2-3; Religious Committee,
3-4; Mich. Intercollegiate Speech Asso-
ciation, 2; Drama Club, 1-2-3-4, Sec-
Treas., 3; Vice-Pres., 3, Pres., 4.

VIVIAN SUMMERS
English Lansing
Eurodelphian, Social Chairman, 2,
Chaplain, 3.

BARBARA G. TAYLOR
History Otsego
Kappa Pi, Chaplain, 2; Basketball, 1-2-
3-4; Volleyball, 1-2-3; Mary Trowbridge
House, Treas., 2, Vice-Pres., 3, Pres., 4;
Index 3-4; Boiling Pot, 4; I.R.C., 3-4;
Drama Club, 4.

BARBARA R. TAYLOR
English Literature Dowagiac
Kappa Pi; Basketball, 2-3-4; Women's
League, Vice-Pres., 4; Drama Club, 3-4;
Index, 2-3; Boiling Pot, 3-4.

HENRY THEUNNISEN
Chemistry Kalamazoo
Century Forum.



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Mathematics Niles
Eurodelphian, Treas., 2, Chaplain, 3;
Women's League, Pres., 4; Choir, 1-2-4;
Vocal Ensemble, 3-4; Gaynor Club,
Vice-Pres., 3; Tri-State Religious Conf., 3.

ROBERT H. WOLFE
Economics and Political Science Detroit
Philolexian; Track, 1-2-3-4.

DONALD R. WYMAN
Economics Kalamazoo
Sherwood; Band, 1-2-3-4, Pres., 4; Cam-
era Club, 3.

DONALD NIBBELINK
Biology Kalamazoo
Sherwood; Track, 1; Swimming, 4; Glee
Club, 1-2; Band, 1-2; Ensemble, 1-2;
University of Michigan, 3.

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ADELINE FAWCETT
French Wayton, Arkansas
Eurodelphian; Gaynor Club, 2; Senior
Play, 3.



FLOYD VANDOMELEN
Political Science-History
Muskegon
Century Forum; Football, 3; Muskegon
Junior College, 1-2.

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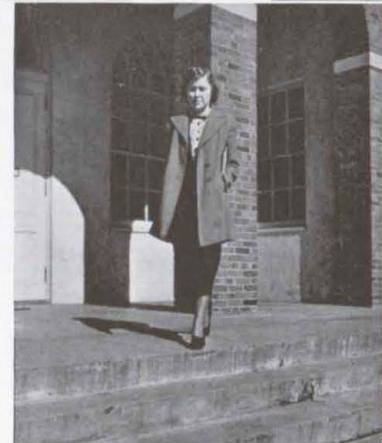
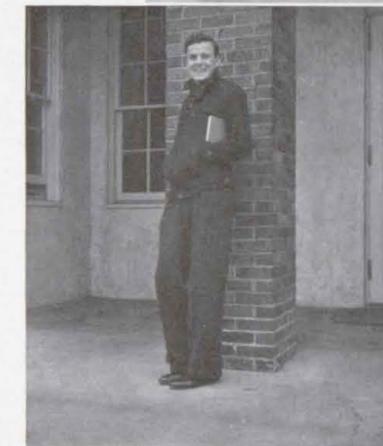
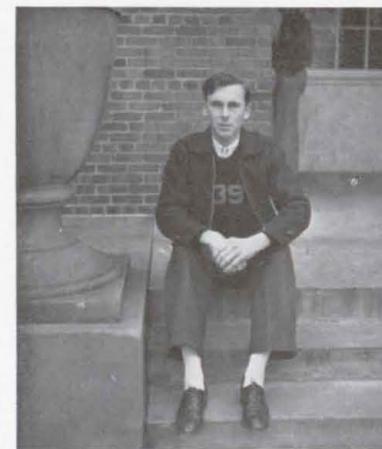
JEAN WALSH
English Kalamazoo
Kappa Pi, Social Chairman, 3; Naza-
reth College, 1.

ROSEMARY WALTON
Biology Kalamazoo
Eurodelphian; Tennis, 1-2-3; Basketball,
1-2-3; Volleyball, 1-2-3.

DALE WHITE
Biology Copemish
Philolexian; Class Vice-Pres., 3; Track,
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ceus, 4.



INSPIRATION



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JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

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| • PRESIDENT | David Kurtz |
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| • SECRETARY-TREASURER | Betty McLay |
| • SENATOR | Robert Gillespie |
| • ATHLETIC MANAGER | Fred Speyer |



Back Row:

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Front Row:

Robert Goostrey, Arleta Turner, Edith Gordon, Pauline Bohls, Frances Ring, Donald Simpson.



Back Row:

Harlan Colburn, John Braham, Gordon Preston, John Lilly, Fred Speyer.

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Harold Handelsman
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ATHLETICS



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Jewel, Porky, and Martha Jean instill a little of the old "Fight 'em! Fight 'em! Fight 'em!" into the Kazooites.



Next year's football captains talk it over after the Football Victory Banquet.



Coach Barnard shows them how it's done.

COACHES



Yes, sir, he is still putting out championship teams and more of them every year. That "he" is none other than Coach "Chet" Barnard, our athletic director and varsity football, basketball, and track mentor.

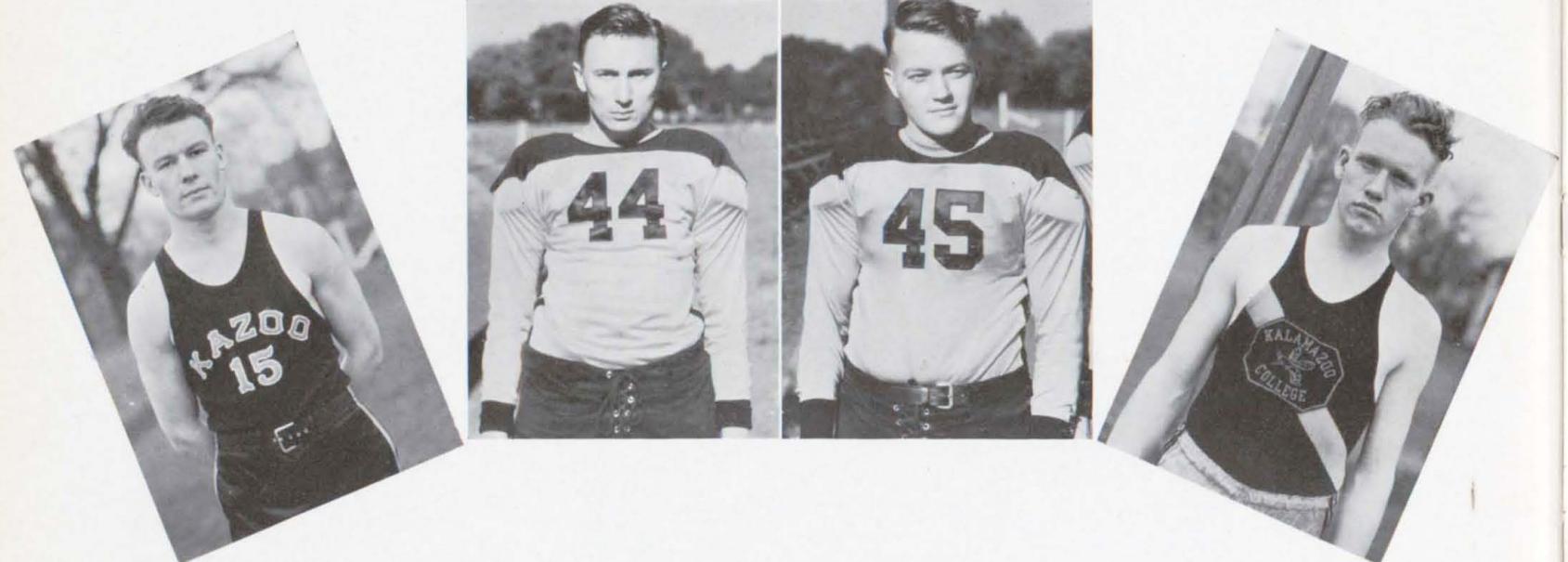
For the year of 1937-38, he has produced MIAA champions in football, basketball, indoor track, and may capture the outdoor track title in the 41st annual field day games.



If there is anyone who is really a tennis intoxicated fan, it is our own state-wide known tennis coach, "Doc" Stowe. His greatest ambition is to produce championship tennis squads and this he has been doing. His team this year was the best ever developed in the College history. "Doc" is also well recognized as a tournament director of tennis and badminton, and has a two-year appointment to the Board of Control of the Western Lawn Tennis Association.

And then there is popular "Gil" Robinson, our director of fresh football, basketball, and golf coach, assistant varsity mentor, director of all intramural sports, plus a few odd jobs such as instructor of badminton, tumbling, and swimming. Gil is a "Sudner" from North Carolina and can play any sport that may be mentioned. He has won high honors in all major sports and has played professional football.

In reference to his scholastic ability, Gil has Bachelor and Master degrees in physical education and is co-author of two physical education booklets.



"JUMPING JOE" HOWARD is everything the name of our basketball captain indicates. He may not have been high scorer, but he collected baskets when they were most needed and was a great moral support with his superb guarding in deciding moments of play. It was his jumping and guarding that helped bring to Kazoo the much-awaited basketball title.

"CONSISTENT" JOHN SOMERS, co-captain of football, still remained the indispensable cog in our gridiron machine. His backing up of the line, pass interception and valuable experience of last season have been the outstanding and important factors in many of the games.

"STUB" LANE, the junior captain, continued last year's fine work as a blocking back in addition to his new duties as one of the field generals and signal callers. Though his name was not in newspaper headlines, he was one of the mainstays behind the scenes, and belongs high in the Hall of Unsung Heroes of football.

HARRY RAPLEY deserved to be selected track captain for he has been Kazoo's outstanding distance and relay runner for the past three years. His consistency and earnestness have given him a place with the Kalamazoo track "greats" of the past.

JOLLIE ALLEN, although never having had the honor of playing number one position on the tennis squad, has earned the privilege of being elected captain through his undying interest and support. In his three years of varsity competition, he has been one of the top ranking players in singles and doubles.



DICK SWIAT had quite a task the last two seasons trying to keep Kazoo in the running when it came to golf. And for his hard work and interest, he was elected to the captaincy this year. This season, he was fortunate in getting teammates who could shoot low scores so that this well-balanced quartet closed a very successful year.

AGAIN MIAA CHAMPIONS

Not being satisfied with one championship, the sophomores and juniors of last year's team and the members of last season's Frosh team who were combined to form a gridiron machine, even better than the 1936 champions, captured the 1937 title. The going for this year's champions was much harder because they were defending the crown and everyone was out to conquer them and destroy their record of consecutive victories.

On the evening of September 24 on College Field, the Golden Horde launched their 1937 football campaign by overwhelming a strong Albion eleven 22-6. This game added one more number to their string of nine straight victories from last season. In this gridiron tussle, the backfield displayed the desired scoring punch and "Red" Hunt continued his 1936 brilliance in open field running.

The second game took the champions down into Ohio, the longest road trip ever taken by a Kazoo football team, where they contested Wittenberg College in a non-conference game. Although heavily outweighed and unable to stop the running attack, Kazoo was in the lead 7-0 when the final gun sounded. The kicking of Steve Dalla and Jones, the line backing of Somers, and the passing and receiving duet of Hunt and Wood were instrumental in the surprise victory.

The Hornets paced by "Red" Hunt continued to increase the string of victories by completely outplaying the Olivet Comets 33-7 on our field. This encounter was considered a non-conference game because Frosh were used on the Comet squad. Olivet managed to score on Kazoo's second stringers.

After coming all the way from Ohio, Bluffton could not achieve the satisfaction of stopping the Hornets' two year winning streak. To their chagrin they found themselves on the short end of a 22-0 score. Steve Dalla's line plunging and the Hunt to Wood passes were just too much for the Bluffton grididers.

Kazoo's Homecoming game with Hope was one of the real tests for the gridiron machine. The Dutchmen came to College Field unscored on and untied, determined to win the much prized wooden shoes and upset the Hornets. Led by Dan Wood's sensational runs and passes, Hope was smothered under a 26-0 score and was eliminated from the title chances. The Dutchmen

were bewildered by the fast running attack and commendable blocking.

For the first time this year, the Golden Horde had to come from behind to win 15-12 in a second half rally after being outplayed in the first half. Alma, the dark horse of the conference, and undefeated, was conquered for the first time on their own field at their homecoming game. Anybody's contest to the final whistle, Dalla's field goal was the deciding factor, while Somers' pass interceptions and Wood's tackling were of great help in overcoming the Scots.

With a 20-13 triumph over a heavy Hillsdale eleven, Kalamazoo closed a successful and undefeated MIAA campaign. The conflict was evenly matched and hard fought but the Dales were hampered by too many fumbles. Steve Dalla scored all of the 20 points to surpass Dan Wood, former high scorer of the Association, by collecting a season's total of 47 points. Wood was second in total number of points for the year.

The final game of the season was a non-conference tilt with Central State Teachers College, when the Hornets tasted their first defeat in two years, breaking their string of 17 consecutive victories. The final result was 30-0. Kazoo, demoralized by the size and weight of the opponents and the early scoring, fumbled continuously in the danger zone. The loss of Wood, whose collar bone was injured in the Hillsdale game, was greatly noticed.

Kalamazoo College had the honor of placing eight of its football players on the All-MIAA team, three on the first team and five on the second squad. Somers, one of the best defensive centers in the conference, Wood, one of the best runners and safety men, and Dalla, the best goal kicker in the MIAA were on the first squad. Buskirk, Fowler, Braham, Warren, and Hunt were named to the second eleven.

Although some of the team members did not break into headlines their work and hard consistent playing were just as important and outstanding as that of the stars, and without their support there would have been no stars. In the backfield were Rapley, Kramer, Duncan, Kurth, and Clarke. In the line we had the services of Braham, Burt, Buskirk, Jones, Baker, Born, Clark, Clay, DeHaven, Harry, Kuitert, Robinson, Shappee, and Drier. Stan Lane was the signal caller and field general.



1937 MIAA
Football
Champions

FROSH

With the passage of time, the freshman sport program has continued to increase in scope, and this year has been one of the most active for the greenlings, due largely to the hard work and coaching of Gilmer Robinson.

The football yearlings lost two games and tied the Hillsdale and Hope frosh, seventeen men being awarded football numerals.

The Frosh basketball team displayed some unusual technique and skill this season, emerging with four wins and two defeats. Glen Smith captured high scoring honors and Captain Russell Zick was outstanding in his floor work. Ed Drier, Hunter, Lemmer, Tait,

Walker, Nash, and Williams also added to the yearling's line-up.

Losing their first dual track encounter by a small margin of $60\frac{1}{2}$ - $57\frac{1}{2}$ to Albion, the Hornet Frosh tracksters were not discouraged and also entered in the State Meet at Lansing and the MIAA tournament.

Several promising tennis men for future teams emerged among the Frosh netters this spring. They engaged in matches with Michigan State greenlings, Albion and Wayne University Frosh, and George Williams College Varsity.

Four golf meets were scheduled for the freshmen, namely, with St. Augustine, Albion freshmen, Central High varsity, and Grand Rapids number two team.

1937-38 MIAA
Basketball
Champions



MORE CHAMPS

Kazoo's 1937-38 basketball team was built around a group of sophomores and the lettermen from last season. The team entered the MIAA competition as a dark horse, with few chances of capturing the title, and in the end won the race.

Kalamazoo College basketeers ushered in the basketball campaign with a non-conference series. They first defeated McKendree College, 42-27 in a "toning-up" game at the College gym. The Alumni were next in order to be downed, and almost by the same score, 43-25.

That week-end the Hornets spent in Detroit playing Wayne University and Detroit Tech. They nosed out Detroit Tech, 26-21 in a hard fought contest, but Wayne had too much speed and polish for the Kazoo quintet and overwhelmed them 47-30. The next non-MIAA opponent was Grand Rapids Junior College, to whom the Hornets bowed on the former's floor.

Our MIAA campaign was initiated at Alma, and the Scots were the victims of revenge for previous losses of the Hornets, for they were conquered 36-27 in the final minutes of the game. Spalsbury was high scorer of the contest.

With the varsity five playing only a half, Adrian was swamped under a 66-26 outcome. Harrison Jones broke into the scoring column in this game. On Albion's court, the Kazoo five tasted their first defeat, 29-37, in this season's MIAA competition and were forced into a second place tie. The fighting Britons were just too determined to win and every ball they threw into the air went into the basket.

Next, after trailing almost a whole game, the college basketeers eked out a 38-36 win over Hillsdale to take second place in the MIAA race. Jones pulled the game out of the fire with two last minute goals.

In an overtime period before a packed house in the College gym, the Hornets managed to conquer Hope, the defending champions, in a seesawing and nerve racking game. The final outcome was 38-36. It was Spalsbury who put in the winning basket and captured high scoring honors for the evening. The playing of Howard, Jones, Webb, and Hunt was indispensable. This conquest gave our quintet strong hopes for the title.

Repeating an earlier performance, Grand Rapids Junior College again defeated Kazoo by almost the same score of 57-45, with Rapley replacing Webb who was lost to the team for the rest of the season. And again Adrian suffered defeat at the hands of the College shooters on the former's floor, but this time with a much closer score, 39-30.

Making sure that there would be no close score again, the College quintet walloped Hillsdale on the opponents' home grounds, 41-18. This victory put Kazoo into a first place tie with Hope. Jones took the high scoring honors for the evening.

Continuing their winning ways, the Hornets drubbed the last position Olivet five, 50-20, on the latter's floor. Dan Wood appeared in the lineup for the first time and played a fine floor game. Bill Drier received an opportunity to display some of his latent basketball ability in this tussle.

The College cagers nosed out the third place team, Albion, 33-28, in a very hotly contested battle at our gym. The Britons tried very hard to repeat their earlier victory but the Hornets had too much at stake to lose. Spalsbury and Howard were high point men with ten counters each. This victory placed Kazoo on top with Hope and gave them a chance at the championship.

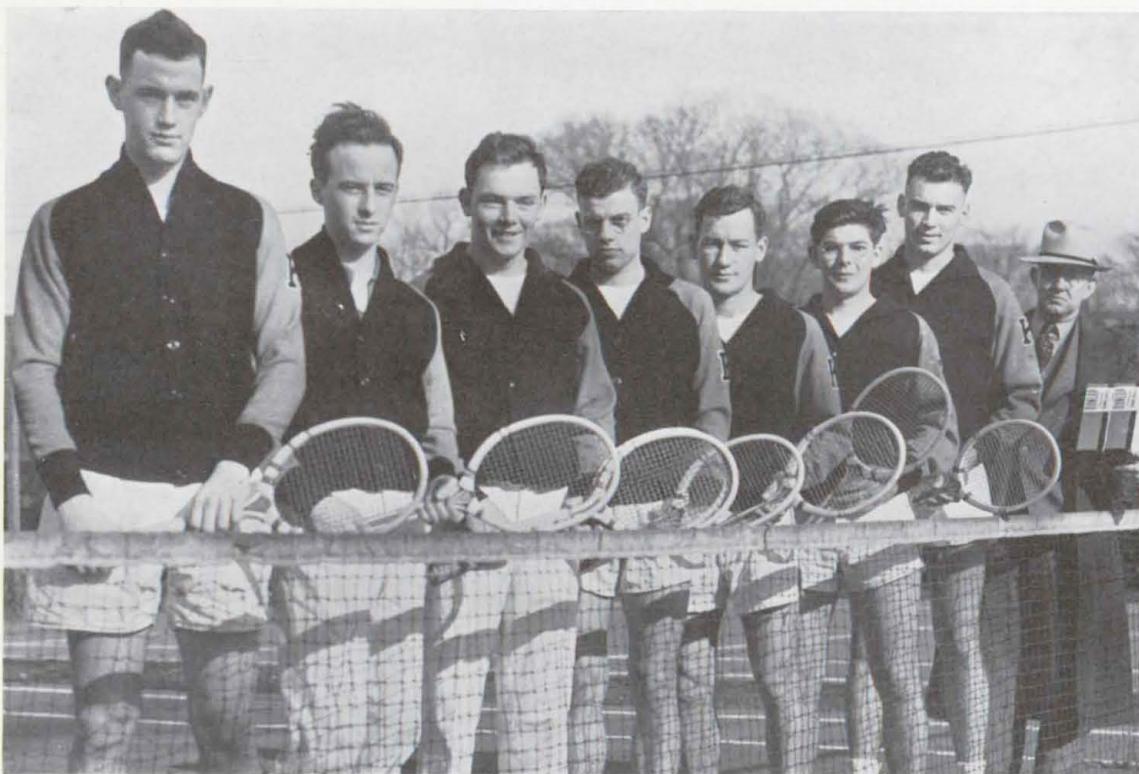
A non-conference game followed when Kazoo defeated George Williams college in Chicago, 44-23, after which Alma was easily routed 54-30.

When Hope downed Kazoo 48-41 at Holland, they assured themselves of a tie for first place necessitating a later playoff. In this contest, the Dutchmen led all the way, but the game was much closer and tenser than the score indicated. Three times the Hornets pulled up to within one point but Hope's guarding was too difficult to penetrate. The Holland Armory was packed to the rafters with rooters from Hope and Kalamazoo, and the game was broadcast to Hoben hall by telephone, with Stan Lane acting as student commentator. The game was a sell-out two weeks in advance.

Kramer and Rapley started as first stringers in a game in which Olivet was overwhelmed 57-20, giving Kazoo the right to meet Hope in the playoff to decide the ruler of the MIAA basketball courts. Spalsbury set a new MIAA seasonal high point record of 175 points.

Before a capacity crowd of 4,000 people, Kalamazoo College whipped Hope 44-31 in the playoff on a neutral floor, the Civic Auditorium in Grand Rapids, winning the Conference basketball championship for the first time since 1931. The Hornets were without question the better team when the game ended. It was Spalsbury's and Jones' accurate shooting, Wood's and Howard's guarding, Hunt's and Kramer's fighting, that brought the title to Kalamazoo after six years. Credit was also due to Rapley, Drier, Clark, and Schwartz who did their best when given the opportunity.

The basketball team was honored by a victory dinner, when members were awarded letters and gold basketballs. Joe Howard and Don Spalsbury were elected co-captains for next season.



TENNIS

Kalamazoo College tennis team under the splendid coaching of "Doc" Stowe continued its winning ways by sweeping aside all MIAA opponents for the seventh consecutive year, and by conquering highly rated squads throughout the Middle West and South. This season's schedule was the largest ever undertaken by a Hornet team, since it included a 2300 mile trip in a circuit of eight states in the South, competing against some of the best netters in that part of the country and matching colleges in Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, and Indiana.

Shane, the Sophomore number one man, and the College singles champion for the past two years, was the outstanding member on the squad. In 1937 he received a national ranking of 16th by the Western Lawn Tennis Association, and teamed with Don Worth, varsity number two man, they were ranked 5th in doubles. This duo has been College doubles champions for two consecutive years.

The Southern trip initiated a somewhat early tennis season for the varsity racqueeteers. Miami University of Ohio was the first victim to be conquered, 8-1. In the second contest, the Hornets suffered the only defeat of the trip at the hands of the Duke University frosh. To vindicate themselves, they downed Wake Forest College 9-0, North Carolina State, 6-3, Presbyterian College 5-2, and Eastern Tennessee Teachers College 7-2. The latter was the Smokey Mountain conference champions for two consecutive years. On the entire trip, Shane failed to lose one match and he played some high ranking men in the South.

Returning home, the team traveled to Lansing to be defeated 5-4 in a close match by Michigan State. The State netters were too strong in doubles while the singles matches were divided three all. The Hornets compensated this set-back by coming from behind to overpower Grand Rapids Junior College 4-3, by swamping Ypsilanti Normal 6-1, and Loyola College of Chicago 7-0.

In the opponents' own back yard, the College racquet wielders conquered Ohio State College net men, members of the Big Ten Conference, 5-4. Shane continued his perfect record of no defeats in singles and doubles. Kazoo netters suffered their second setback of the season at Ann Arbor, when University of Michigan, another Big Ten member, defeated them 7-2.

After a fine display of tennis against non-conference opponents, Kalamazoo College tennis team launched its MIAA championship drive by humbling Olivet 6-1, Hillsdale 7-0, and Albion 7-0.

Other matches played were with Wayne University, Hope, and Alma Colleges. The squad was entered in the Michigan Mixed Intercollegiates at Western State and the MIAA tournament.

The players who contributed to the success of the team and their rankings are as follows: No. 1—Shane; No. 2—Worth; No. 3—Captain Jollie Allen; No. 4—Jones; No. 5—Born; No. 6—Henderson; No. 7—A. Clarke.

Indoor
Track Team



Outdoor
Track Team



TRACK

The Hornet Speedsters perpetuated the MIAA track championships for the seventh straight year. They captured the Indoor track meet at Hillsdale by a comfortable margin, with Howard and Heerens establishing new records in broad and high jumps, and the half mile.

Kalamazoo sent one relay team to the Michigan State Indoor Relays and the quartet copped two events. Five men were entered in the Central Indoor Collegiates, at Notre Dame, but the competition was too much for our runners.

The College tracksters opened the outdoor track season by capturing a triangular relay meet on Col-

lege field with Olivet and Hope as the contenders. The final results were Kalamazoo 59, Olivet 39, and Hope 32.

After being defeated by Grand Rapids Junior College, the Hornets ran against Alma and Hillsdale in dual meets and were entered in the Beloit Relays at Wisconsin, the State Meet at Lansing, and in the MIAA tournament.

Credit is due the following for success in both indoor and outdoor competition: Captain Rapley, Howard, Neelands, Reed, Heerens, Burt, Buskirk, M. VanKeuren, Wood, Wolfe, Fowler, Kurtz, Clark, Warren, Kramer, Braham, Blanchard, and Fry.

SWIMMING



For the first time in the history of the College, Kalamazoo presented to the public a varsity swimming team. However, there was no MIAA competition. In victories, the season was not a success, but in spirit, organization, and support, the team was to be congratulated. The schedule consisted of eight meets, seven ending in defeat, and one was a tie contest. Inexperience greatly handicapped the mermen. The local Y. M. C. A. tank was the home pool.

The team lost twice to Battle Creek College, once to Jackson High School, Central High School of Kalamazoo, Battle Creek High School, and twice to Battle Creek Recreation Association, and tied Jackson Junior College in a thrilling splash which was contested to the very last event, the medley relay. In some of the contests, the Hornets were just nosed out by one stroke in many of the events.

The most consistent point collectors were Captain John Lilly, Braham, Colburn, and Davidson. Speyer and Davidson were the diving entrees of the team. As the season progressed, Benedict, Waters, Royce, Nuthall, Nibbelink, Blanchard, Boudeman, O'Brien, and Bell showed great improvement.

TUMBLING



Under the very capable leadership of the student instructor, Fred Speyer, tumbling has continued to exist as one of the prominent activities on the college sport program.

There were no meets for the group because the sport is not recognized by the MIAA. However, their skill and abilities were displayed and tested in exhibition on All College Day, between halves of basketball games, and in shows at the local Y. M. C. A. They also combined their efforts with other tumbling groups and presented a program for the All City Picnic.

The following in addition to Speyer were the mainstays of the team according to their ranking: No. 1, "Bud" Moore; No. 2, Packard; No. 3, John Dye; No. 4, Gillespie; No. 5, Snip; No. 6, Myers; No. 7, Burpee; No. 8, Yehle.

GOLF

It was because of our weakness in golf, due to inexperience and lack of confidence, that Kalamazoo lost the All-Sports Trophy last spring after winning three championships out of five sports. Such was not the case this year, however. The team made up of players like Captain Swiat, Shale, Malnight, and Correll, all of whom consistently shot scores between 70 and 85, went out and achieved an enviable record.

The team opened the season with Grand Rapids Junior College, a non-MIAA opponent, who vanquished the Hornets 9½ to 2½. The visitors were ranked very high in the state. Malnight was low scorer for Kazoo.

In the MIAA conference curtain raiser, Hillsdale was swept aside 10½-1½ on their own course. Malnight brought in the lowest score of the match.

Albion was the next conference victim to be subdued 9½-2½. Captain Swiat took the low count honors for the day.

On home ground, Grand Rapids Junior College made a clean sweep 12-0, to make it two straight victories over our club swingers.

However, the Hornets continued to win in conference matches by downing Hope College 11½-½ on home course. In this contest, our entire team shot scores in the seventies.



Kazoo split in the next two matches which were with non-MIAA opponents. They traveled to Ypsilanti to be defeated by Michigan State Normal 10½-1½ and to Battle Creek to conquer Calvin College 9½-2½.

The team also had matches with Alma and Olivet in the MIAA and with Illinois State Teachers College.

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

To the intramural program of 1937-38 which was under the very capable guidance and direction of Coach Gilmer Robinson, were introduced three new sports in addition to the previous activities. The program was the best ever attempted and was received with great interest and large participation.

Inaugurating the season, the juniors conquered the seniors in an overtime period for the touch football crown.

The basketball tournament was a league of real competition and struggle, as well as close scores. But it took the team under Dick Clark's captaincy to finally settle the question of who was the best quintet.

Volley ball was next in line, and the juniors with very good support had the pleasure of taking top honors from the freshmen, who were strong contenders until the end.

The seniors broke into the winning column by drowning out the juniors in the local Y. M. C. A. pool for the water polo title. This sport was one of the additions to the intramural program.

In intramural badminton, "Buck" Shane was crowned ruler, and Ken Rahn annexed the college ping pong title, with Gil Robinson ending as runner-up in both sports.

Behind the fine pitching of "Red" Kurth, the sophomores broke into the winning column by taking the softball crown.

In addition to intramural athletics, there was also an intersociety program including swimming, bowling, basketball, track, softball, and tennis.



WOMEN'S ATHLETICS

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Tennis - swimming - basketball - volleyball - soccer - badminton - golf - horseback riding - and a little baseball and archery—does this sound sufficient to keep Kalamazoo co-eds healthy and husky? These have provided an extensive sports program in which nearly all the women of the college have participated at some time. A few even tried to learn a little tumbling on Thursday evenings. One of the favorite winter occupations was skiing and tobogganing down Chapel hill, accompanied by much screaming, laughter, and delightfully concluded by head-first dives into the snow.

In addition to the sports, dancing and the May Fete have consumed a share of the time. Interpretive dancing classes were held Friday afternoon, being followed by such remarks as "Anyone is supposed to look graceful when they do this step."

Starting off with a bang in the fall was the tennis tournament which brought Barbara Worth out with top honors. Peppy fall weather then inspired class soccer games, where bruised shins, freezing arms and legs, and a good time were had by all.

Badminton next appeared on the scene, with the McLay sisters, for the second year, ending up in first place. Inter-society basketball displayed the prowess of the Euros. Each society played eight games, which

proved to be fast and spirited, although spring vacation caused a decided "slipping" in basketball technique.

Spring breezes called early to tennis fanatics only to have activities stopped by snow. A week later, however, the courts were again filled and inter-society tennis took the fore.

In March, the May Fete committee headed by Bette Clements, made plans for this annual affair which this year produced an original story "Janos and Getaway" the tale of a wooden soldier and his horse. On May 25 this colorful event was staged for the pleasure of the May Queen, Ann Draper, and her court composed of Mildred Spitler, Marjorie Spitler, Jane Merson, Agatha Whitcomb, Arleta Turner, and Ruth Sinclair.

Individual and team activities were put aside when the women cooperated in the Women's League picnic in the College Grove, and a Winter Sports' night. Hillsdale entertained Kazoo co-eds at the MIAA Play Day last fall, continuing an annual affair of three years' standing.

This whole program was supervised and arranged for by Miss Gladys Andrews with the aid of Betty Walker, chairman of the women's athletic board, and the committee.



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Kurth, Lawrence
Lambooy, Karl
Lawrence, William
Malnight, Robert
Maxwell, William
Meyer, Jack
Montgomery, John
Moore, Lansford
Morris, Carlton
Morse, Charles
Neelands, Louis
Norris, Robert
Nuthall, Alfred Jack
O'Brien, Edward

Packard, William
Pearsaul, Edward
Power, John
Rahn, Kenneth
Rankin, Arthur
Rapley, Harry
Rayman, Douglas
Redmond, Charles
Richter, Paul
Ries, Edwin
Robinson, Ernest
Royce, Henry
Sanderson, Wayne
Schwartz, Carl
Shale, Wilfred
Shappee, Bartlett
Smith, Glen
Snip, Russell
Somers, Jack
Southon, James
Stafford, Howard
Tolhuizen, James
VandenBerg, Richard
VanderRoest, John
Verdon, John
VerHey, William
Waters, Spencer
Wearne, Robert
Watson, Robert
Williams, George
Wood, Dan
Wyman, Donald
Zick, Russell



SIGMA RHO SIGMA

Sigma Rho Sigma, or in any man's language, the Sherwoods, is the oldest of the men's societies on the campus, and is particularly representative of the town students.

Their program this year has included a variety of outside speakers. Among them: Mr. Darrel C. Wicke of the Identification Bureau, Mr. Ralph Ralston, representing the alumni, and Mr. Dan Parker, who spoke on sailing.

In common with the other two organizations, they gave a formal spring dinner-dance at the Gull Lake country club, held a stag party or two, and were active participants in inter-society athletics. Joint meetings were also held at intervals during the year in cooperation with the women's societies.

The Eurodelphians are the sister society of the Sherwoods.



PHILOLEXIAN LYCEUM

First Semester

Donald Davidson
Donald Simpson
Robert Gillespie
Arthur Whiteley

OFFICERS

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer

Second Semester

Donald Davidson
Donald Simpson
Robert Gillespie
Gordon Smith

MEMBERS

Allan, James
Barney, Robert
Benedict, Douglas
Bezanker, Abraham
Bittner, Alvin
Blanchard, Raywood
Bogart, Gordon
Burpee, Orlo
Burt, William
Buskirk, Elwin
Colburn, Harlan
Davidson, Don
Diem, Gerhard
Eby, Wilson
Foster, Jack
Gillespie, Robert
Grabber, Jack
Harrison, Edson
Heerens, Robert
Hinga, Kenneth
Hotelling, Robert
Howard, Bowen
Jennings, Ronald
Johnson, Robert
King, Edward
Krill, Charles
Krueger, Norman

Kurtz, David
Lilly, John
Moessen, Gustave
Myers, Arthur
Olson, Kenneth
Perry, Adolphus
Rice, Clarence
Rowland, Robert
Simpson, Donald
Slavin, Michael
Smith, Donald
Smith, Gordon
Speyer, Fred
Tait, Charles
Todd, Floyd
Towne, Cullen
Towsley, Frank
Weber, William
Webster, Jean
White, Dale
Whiteley, Arthur
Wodtke, Carlton
Wolfe, Robert
Wood, Ernest
Woodland, Taylor
Yehle, Eugene
Young, James



PHILOLEXIAN LYCEUM

Dormitory men comprise the major constituency of the Philolexian society, the youngest of the men's groups.

The Philo calendar for this year included two stag parties, one in the fall and one in the spring, inter-society athletic competition, and a formal dinner-dance held at the Otwellegan country club in May. Holding up the tradition initiated by the Philos, the men held joint meetings with all the women's societies this year. One of the most successful was a "splash party" at Battle Creek.

The programs for the current year have been arranged and carried out by the active members, and have included speakers, discussions, and business meetings.

Causing somewhat of a stir on campus, each February witnesses a crop of strangely clad figures, and odd antics—the annual week of informal initiation given by the Philo "masters" to their neophytes. This year twenty-one lads survived "Hell Week" and were added to the ranks of regular members.



CENTURY FORUM

First Semester

Edward Born
Walter Graham
Earl Kayser
Albert Homoki

OFFICERS

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer

Second Semester

Edward Born
Walter Graham
Arthur Clarke
Albert Homoki

MEMBERS

Baker, Russel
Barnebee, James
Born, Edward
Braham, John
Clark, Richard
Clarke, Arthur
Cox, Logan
Dalla, Steve
DeHaven, George
Dickson, Henry
Drier, Edward
Drier, William
Duncan, Robert
Ehrman, Frank
Freiwald, Oscar
Fry, David
Graham, Walter
Hagerty, Don
Handelsman, Harold
Harrison, Floyd
Harry, Sidney
Hayworth, Eucile
Hetzler, Donald
Homoki, Albert
Howard, Joe
Hunt, Clifford
Hunter, Winfred
Johnston, Harry
Jones, Harrison
Kramer, Charles

Lane, Stanley
Lemmer, Richard
Levine, David
Matkowski, Walter
Mauder, Robert
McKean, Eugene
Munn, Eugene
Nash, Donald
Negrevski, John
Pierce, Jack
Presley, Oran
Shane, Marion
Somers, John
Spalsbury, Donald
Squires, David
Stearns, Earl
Theunissen, Henry
Thompson, Charles
Tiberti, Jelindo
VanDomelen, Floyd
VanKeuren, Matthew
VanKeuren, Paul
VanderVeen, Casper
VanderWeele, John
Vickery, John
Walker, Richard
Warren, Robert
Webb, Bert
Worth, Donald
Zednick, George



CENTURY FORUM

Traditionally associated with the athletes of Kalamazoo College, the Century Forum society members, did no little bit in upholding their reputation this year. They took part in all inter-society sports and came off with their share of the honors.

Century meetings aim to be congenial, informal get-togethers for the men, and chief among the speakers who entertained them this year was Mr. Gene Thomas, coach at Kalamazoo Central high school.

Unlike the Philos and Sherwoods, the Centuries do not prolong their initiation of new members through one long-suffering week, but administer it in one dose (on Saturday night so the neophytes have Sunday to recover) and some of the distasteful duties are the subject of conversation for weeks.

Annually, in keeping with other societies, Century Forum holds a formal in the spring, also a stag steak roast, and joint meetings with the women's literary organizations.



KAPPA PI

First Semester

Mary Palmer
Priscilla Crum
Barbara McKinstry
June Wilcox
Ada Rutz

OFFICERS

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Social Chairman

Second Semester

Ada Rutz
Harriet Potts
Florence Niffenegger
Patricia Braddock
Ann Draper

MEMBERS

Aspergren, Harriet
Ballard, Babette
Benedict, Margaret
Bichowsky, Barbara
Braddock, Patricia
Brenner, Nydia Jane
Clements, Bette
Crum, Priscilla
DeSmit, Ruth
Draper, Ann
Dufner, Marie
Folz, Jean
Frisbie, Lura
Gildersleeve, Ruth Helen
Gilmore, Carol
Gleason, Barbara
Godfrey, Anne
Johnson, Eleanor
Judd, Vara
Kuitert, Kathryn

McKinstry, Barbara
McLay, Betty
Niffenegger, Florence
Palmer, Mary
Peck, Priscilla
Potts, Harriet
Ring, Frances
Rutz, Ada
Sisson, Janet
Stern, Beth
Stroud, Betty
Stroud, Elise
Sweitzer, Jane
Taylor, Barbara G.
Taylor, Barbara R.
TerBeck, Geraldine
Todd, Barbara
VanderVeen, June
Walsh, Jean
Whitcomb, Agatha
Wilcox, June



KAPPA PI

Representative mainly of the town women is the Kappa Pi society. They have a busy alumnae group who are entertained each fall at an Alumnae Spread as well as the Homecoming tea. The Kappas found their membership increased by one fine, new radio last fall, the result of the enthusiasm of their alumnae group.

Annual events on the Kappa calendar include a faculty tea, an exchange meeting with the Thomas a Kempis society of Nazareth College, bi-annual rummage sales, and inter-society sports.

Hobbies occupied the literary programs during the first semester. The second half of the year was devoted to the reviewing of books written by contemporary women writers. Meetings with the men's societies and the spring formal party took care of the social side of their activities.

Concluding the year is always the Kappa house party, generally on the shores of Lake Michigan.

Miss Virginia Earl is the society's adviser, and Professor Milton Simpson is their critic.



EURODELPHIAN GAMMA

First Semester

Marjorie Spitzer
Edith Gordon
Helen Helrigel
Mildred Spitzer
Eleanor Schaffer

OFFICERS

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Social Chairman

Second Semester

Mildred Spitzer
Dorothy Chapman
Evelyn Lee
Ruth Cary
Eleanor Schaffer

MEMBERS

Billingham, Bette
Brown, Martha Jean
Cary, Ruth
Chapman, Dorothy
Dalm, Ruth
Gordon, Edith
Gordon, Mary
Grewe, Barbara
Helrigel, Helen
Hootman, Margaret
Hunter, Klar
Ingersoll, Lois
Katz, Sophie
Kelly, Harriet
Kelsey, Olive
LaVene, Pattie
Lee, Evelyn
Libby, Betty
Magnus, Hadassah

Worth, Barbara

McCauley, Truey
McLay, Catherine
Meachum, Velda
Merson, Jane
Pearsaul, Rheta
Penn, Alice
Schaffer, Eleanor
Scherer, Marian
Shaler, Betty
Spitzer, Marjorie
Spitzer, Mildred
Starkweather, Jewel
Stewart, Barbara
Summers, Vivian
Temple, Jean
Walton, Rosemary
Watson, Elizabeth
Whiteside, Helen
Williams, Rachel



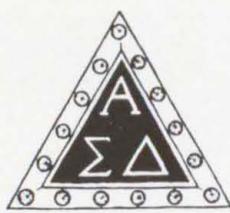
EURODELPHIAN GAMMA

Most ancient in years of existence of the women's societies, Eurodelphian Gamma was organized in 1856. They are representative of both dormitory and town co-eds, and as a literary group they have this year studied and criticized contemporary drama from the American stage.

Their annual program includes a rummage sale or two, a meeting honoring their mothers, and a closed Christmas party. Their active alumnae group is entertained at a literary meeting, as well as a tea given at Homecoming time. Joint meetings have been held with all the men's societies this year.

The spring term sees inter-society athletic competition, (with the Euros again coming out on top in basketball), the spring formal, and the commencement luncheon in honor of the graduating members.

Immediately after the close of the school year, the society members gather for a house party at a near-by lake, and this year we hear the trek is in the direction of the sandy shores of Gull Lake.



ALPHA SIGMA DELTA

First Semester

Ruth Sinclair
Kathryn Farwell
Pauline Bohls
Virginia Walton
Arleta Turner

OFFICERS

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Social Chairman

Second Semester

Dorothy Powell
Arleta Turner
Leona Snyder
Dorothy Young
Ruth Schroeder

MEMBERS

Ally, Genevieve
Bohls, Pauline
Brisbane, Grace
Case, Gladys
Conrad, Margaret
Fadden, Eleanor
Farwell, Kathryn
Gagnier, Cleora
Glass, Evelyn
Hill, Sarah
Holmes, Mary Louise
Johnson, Elizabeth
Jones, Ellen
Kippam, Isabelle
Kuitert, Edith
Lambert, Betty
Locher, Ann
Locher, Mary
Luder, Emma Jean
Masselink, Ethel

Meyer, Judith
Powell, Dorothy
Roosevelt, Naomi
Ross, Dorothy
Sahler, Sadie
Schroeder, Ruth
Sinclair, Ruth
Slosberg, Sidell
Snyder, Leona
Spencer, Ruth
Summers, Carol
Sundstrom, Marjorie
Surine, Rebecca
Taylor, Catherine
Tuller, Betty
Turner, Arleta
Waide, Margaret
Walker, Betty
Walton, Virginia
Young, Dorothy



ALPHA SIGMA DELTA

In spite of her newness in years, Alpha Sigma Delta has several permanent affairs on its social and literary calendar. Among them is the Alpha Sig Soiree, an entertainment given annually for the other women's societies. Dr. C. E. Boys spoke in April, and showed colored movies which he took in Hawaii.

Other dates annually reserved by the Alpha Sigs are the Mother's tea in May, the alumnae meeting with a program given by former members, rummage sales, the Homecoming tea in October honoring the alumnae, the spring formal at Gull Lake, the commencement luncheon, and the Leap Year dance every four years.

A much enjoyed tradition engaged in annually just before Christmas vacation, is when the Sigs go in a group to sing carols at the faculty homes.

The program this year has been varied, including speakers, book reviews, travel talks, and a newly decorated society room has added to the enthusiasm of the members in attending. A Shamrock Shag with the Sherwoods, a skating party with the Centuries, and a picnic with the Philos, comprised their joint meetings.

ACTIVITIES





BAND

They strutted around the football field under the super-struttable Kayser, blew around on the basketball floor, rode around Michigan to high schools (where some of the boys had requests for autographs), and blew sweet music into the ears of a good sized Sunday afternoon audience.

Regular Chapel programs (except when someone fixed the chancel floor so the choir would crackle when it came in), special Chapel programs, out of town concerts, and best of all, "The Seven Last Words"—the program of the College Singers this year. Rehearsals on Mondays and Fridays—when the choir sang Foo and Bud Moore caught a bat that was seeking the peace of the Chapel.

COLLEGE SINGERS



MEN'S GLEE CLUB

They don't sing often, but when they do it's in all the glory of a stiff shirt and the program of the Glee Club Tour, which still offers interesting echoes—the "Old Apple Tree" on a program, the "Two Grenadiers" burlesque, little girls in the Glee Club in Kenosha, and so on—for further details see the Index of April 7 or the Glee Club!

GAYNOR CLUB

For the first time in several years the Gaynor Club, this year under the direction of Mrs. Overley, presented a Spring concert. They didn't limit themselves to that, however, for throughout the year they "tried out" some of their concert numbers on several out of town programs, appeared on the College program over WKZO, and formed the nucleus of the annual Carol Service. Barbara Worth was accompanist.



Christmas Carol Service



One-third of the String Trio

CAROL SERVICE

On December 15, 1937, the Chapel was darkened, save for the light of white tapers, for the annual Christmas Carol Service sponsored by the Women's League. Barbara Todd as the Spirit of Christmas, music by the white clad carolers, the girls' octet, the varsity string trio, and soloists, the Christmas story—whiteness and candlelight—"Peace on earth, good will to men."

STRING TRIO

Barbara Worth, pianist, Edward Hodgson, violinist, David Squiers, cellist—the Varsity String Trio. All are new on campus, and their talents are not limited to the trio. Barbara is a tennis star, Dave, an artist of no little repute, and Edward, a member of Kalamazoo's symphony orchestra.

SOCIETY OF CADUCEUS

"To know what it means to be a pre-med student"—that's the aim of the Society of Caduceus. A group on campus, with Robert Heerens taking the initiative, formed the club in November, 1937. Miss Diebold and Dr. Floyd Boys are honorary members, the other twenty-five being those students with a major interest in medicine, a "C" average, and the approval of the Membership Committee.

It is an exclusive and active group with a written constitution, closed meetings every two weeks, and even a club library of catalogues from all the acceptable medical schools.

Programs have included joint meetings with the nurses at Bronson and Borgess Hospitals, movies of obstetrics—later shown to a general group of students, informal discussions with their pipes and Dr. Boys, and talks from prominent medical men.

It is a fact that its meetings are attended by almost every member—an evidence that it is helpful and has established a definite place for itself on campus.

SENATE



Back row: Robert Gillespie, senator; Wm. Burt, Mgr. of Athletics; Harry Rapley, senator; Robert Goostrey, Mgr. of Forensics; Harry Johnston, senator.
Front row: Helen Whiteside, president of Women's League; Mildred Spitzer, social chair-man; Ann Draper, secretary; Robert Heerens, president of the student body.
Absent: Braham, publications; G. Smith, music manager.

Led by red-haired Robert Heerens, the officers of the student body, who make up the student senate, have been unusually active the past year, from supervising the freshman orientation program in the early fall to the All-College Day activities in the spring.

Highlights of the senate functions have been sponsoring the broadcast of Hope-Kalamazoo championship basketball game, planning the biggest social event of the year—the Washington Banquet, cooperating with the music department in preparing for the Glee Club's spring tour, and sanctioning Women's League activities.

Student Curriculum Committee



The Senate, as the governing body of the students, acted upon two important motions during the year. The first was concerned with offering "scholarships for leadership" to be awarded on All-College Day to outstanding students from class B, C, and D high schools. The second was the formation of a Community Affairs Committee, composed of senate members and five of the faculty. This committee was to bring about a closer relationship between the student body and faculty by having monthly meetings at which the student members would discuss student problems with the faculty, receiving aid and guidance in these matters.

WOMEN, INCORPORATED



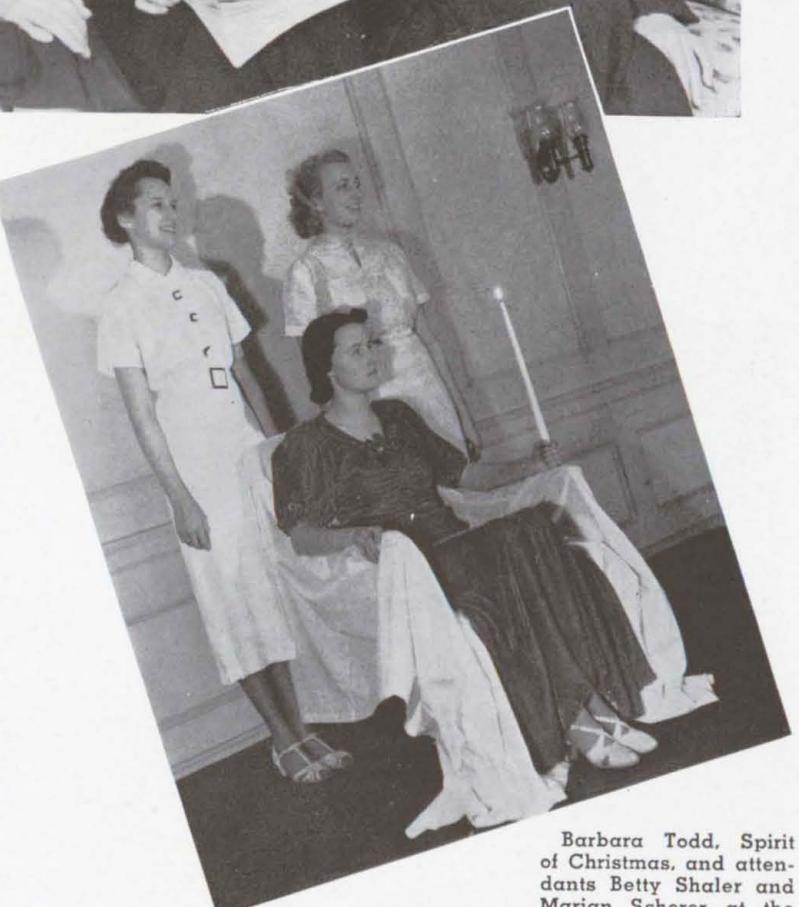
On the first Wednesday of every month, while balancing a teacup or a bowl of soup sedately on one knee, at an informal luncheon, members of the Women's League Council do a great deal of planning, for it is the council of this organization, which includes in its ranks all women on campus, that organizes such events as the Ginling banquet, the Christmas carol service, the Hallowe'en and Valentine dances, a speaker of special interest to members of the League (a beauty specialist held personal conferences and spoke this year), and the biggest event of all—the May Fete in the spring of the year.

May Court, composed of Queen Ann I with Marjorie and Mildred Spiller on each side, and Ruth Sinclair, Arleta Turner, Jane Merson, and Agatha Whitcomb, looking over her shoulder.



The Council, representing the women of the College, has its finger in almost every 'pie'; its members are on the student Senate, have charge of the women's societies, athletics, social activities, and then too, the Big-Little Sister movement is sponsored by the League.

In addition to Helen Whiteside, president, Barbara R. Taylor, vice-president, Frances Ring, secretary, and Helen Helrigel, treasurer, the council is composed of Marjorie Spiller, Jane Merson, Geraldine Ter Beck, Arleta Turner, Betty Walker, and Eleanor Johnson.



Barbara Todd, Spirit of Christmas, and attendants Betty Shaler and Marian Scherer at the Women's League Carol Service.

DRAMA CLUB

"Aha, me proud beauty—" snorts the villain through his mustache, and the audience assembled at old Stockbridge barn roars with laughter as another old-fashioned "melerdramer" is presented by the Drama Club. Continuing a tradition of three years' standing, the thespians presented "Fireman, Save My Child!" on May 11.

However, "melerdramer" is not the sole object of the existence of this club; gone is the sad-eyed heroine, the chesty hero, and the be-mustached "villyan" of the melodrama, to be replaced by suave sophisticates of modern drama when the club sponsors its annual play at the Civic.



Scenes from some
of the one-acts



This year a number of one-act plays have been acted, directed, and entirely produced by members of the club, of the dramatics class, and other interested students. At some of the meetings demonstrations of make-up and special speakers brought the members closer to the theater.

Concluding the dramatic season, the seniors will spend final exam week cramming—well, not for exams—but for the Senior play, Noel Coward's "Hay Fever," which will go on the boards June 11, and which from all appearances will create an hilarious evening of fun.

Dr. Lyman Spicer Judson has been the faculty adviser for the past year's activities.

PI KAPPA DELTA

This year the Forensic Department sponsored not only the varsity debate teams but also contestants in Prose and Interpretative Reading, Oratory and Extempore speaking, with both men and women eligible to participate.

The men's debate teams engaged in a total of twelve debates including the State tournament where they won two out four debates. Those participating in these debates were Robert Goostrey, Donald Simpson, Jack Montgomery, and Carlton Morris. Bob and Don also went to Topeka, Kansas, in April to attend the National Pi Kappa Delta Convention, the former as senator in the student Congress and entrant in the oratorical contest, while the latter was a representative in the Congress and spoke in the extempore speaking contest.

The women took part in eight debates. Besides debates with Western State, they attended a tournament sponsored by Calvin College in Grand Rapids. In the State tournament, held on Western's campus, they equalled the men's record, winning fifty percent of

their debates. Those debating were Jewell Starkweather and Betty Tuller.

The freshmen and sophomores seemed to walk off with the speaking honors this year. Jewell in addition to debating also represented the college in the state extempore speech contest. Margaret Hootman and Marion (Buck) Shane were our entrants in the oratorical contest, Ellen Jones and John Borek were winners in the school Interpretative Reading contest, and Jane Merson by placing first here, represented Kalamazoo in the State Prose Reading Contest.

Logan Cox, by winning second place in the State Peace Oratorical Contest, was made eligible for the national contest.

Robert Goostrey, Donald Simpson, Carl Morris, and Betty Tuller are members of Pi Kappa Delta, and the others are eligible for membership at the end of the year.

Dr. and Mrs. Lyman Judson have coached the students this year, and Robert Goostrey was manager of forensics.



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INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

Being co-hosts with Western State to the International Relations Club conference was the highlight on this year's program of our local I. R. C. Two days were taken up with six round-table discussions and mass meetings. Seven mid-western states sent representatives.

A series of Sunday night supper meetings in the playroom of Trowbridge house was planned for this year's regular programs with a paper on an international topic of interest to be given by a member. In November, Western State International Relations Club members were guests at a meeting and tea.

In short, efforts are made to stimulate interest in international relations by friendly group meetings and interesting informal discussions.

Officers for the year 1937-38 have been: president, Donald Simpson; secretary-treasurer, Mary Gordon; and faculty adviser, Dr. Robert Cornell.



THE INDEX

Almost every member of the INDEX staff has found that this year "putting out the rag" has been an unusually exciting job. Never before has last minute news of immense importance come so often and so late. This was a chaotic year as far as campus events go, and Johnny and "the boys" spent more than one Wednesday night scrapping the previously made-up front page and starting all over again with a two-inch banner head.

The INDEX itself took pleasure in causing some mild excitement of its own throughout the year, for instance when it came out at Homecoming in a novel streamlined dress. That aroused much comment pro and con, and here's a secret—there were certain members of the staff who thought it was wonderful—it cut down the headline writing fifty percent. Not that headlines aren't fun to mull over, Eleanor can vouch for that. And Jack Grabber was fond of that make-up, too, for his clever features really got the spotlight—right across the top of the page.

Another innovation the paper introduced this year was the series of editorials on the front page. This was a part of the policy of the editorial staff which steadfastly maintained an aggressive attitude in upholding the

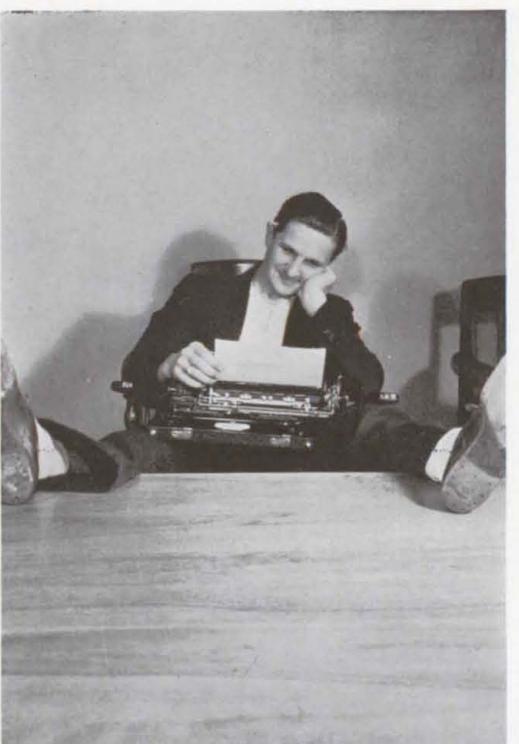
interests of the College. As the venerable editor, John the Third, ceremoniously proclaimed one afternoon, "We have dodged no issue where there was room for constructive criticism, and I cannot help but feel that our liberal attitude has enervated the entire paper and encouraged more student response."

Perhaps it was due to the large number of athletes on the staff, led by the enthusiastic and versatile Stan Lane, and also to the fact that the College was "in the groove" as far as sports championships were concerned, but at any rate the activities in that field were played up considerably this year, frequently rating first position on the front page.

However, Judy and her reporters kept in mind the fact that the paper is the only written record of the current events of the College, that it alone functions to preserve the campus activities, and so tried to cover every story in every field.

One of the biggest jobs of the year was to strive to balance the budget and decrease the deficit, and it is a wonder that Jack Nuthall succeeded so well in doing his part where this is concerned, for so much of his time was occupied by his efforts to put real "umph" into the theatre blurbs!





When it gets to the point where the editor wakes up in the night to ask her roommate if she has just been out "easter egg rolling" and when the business manager begins to travel about with that glazed look in his eye—it means the Boiling Pot, with its accompanying worries, is well under way.

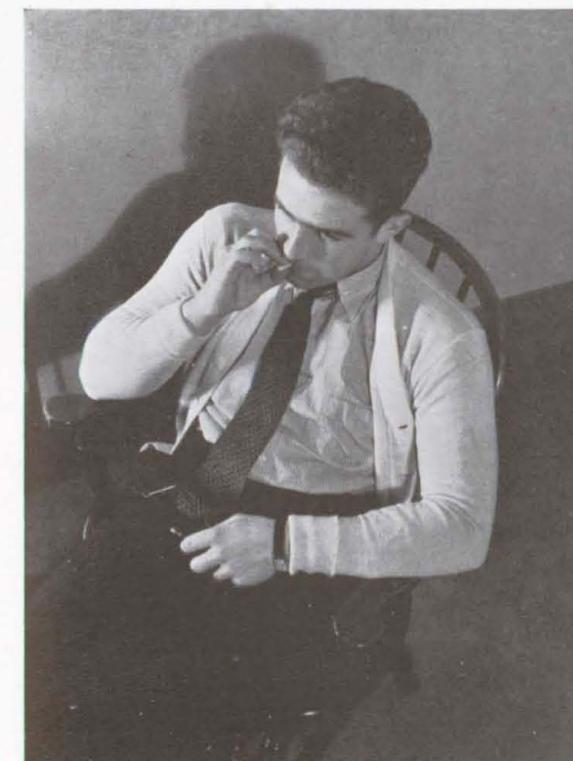
But no undertaking is worth while which does not call forth some anxiety, some discouragement, and much pre-occupied thinking. And now that "deadline fright" has passed and we no longer lie awake nights trying to create ideas, we realize what fun it has been to produce your Boiling Pot, and feel it has been worthwhile.

Sport's enthusiast, Walter Matkowski, covered the athletic situation.

Arleta Turner handled the I.R.C. and Society of Caduceus, while Pauline Bohls painted a picture of Trowbridge for a prospective resident.

Harriet Potts garnered tales of Hoben and also wrote up the literary societies. Barby Taylor spent her time and energy producing biographies of the faculty.

BOILING POT



Jelindo Tiberti gathered snapshots for the feature department and Carol Summers used her talents to write up the various musical activities.

Betty Tuller served as typist, interviewer, general helper, and reporter of forensic activities and women's athletics.



Lending their talents and enthusiasm to the editor and business manager this year were: Charles Krill, photographer; Walter Matkowski, sports' editor; Barbara G. Taylor, faculty commentator; Harriet Potts, Arleta Turner, Carol Summers, Barbara R. Taylor, and Pauline Bohls, authors of activity write-ups; Jelindo Tiberti, snapshot collector; Betty Tuller, writer, typist, and general handy man; "Pat and Gay", general helpers; Jack Nuthall, who contributed some of his fine photographs; William VerHey who did the art work; and Jack Fisher who aided on the business staff.

Trowbridge



Hoben





Dr. Chase is welcomed to Trowbridge.

Dear Ruthie:

Really, it's awfully hard to give you a picture of our life here in Trowbridge, but since you plan to come here next year I'll try to tell you something about it. Because you'll be a freshman, you'll of course be initiated by the dorm girls; then too, there is the matter of telephone duty, and the traditional Christmas answer, "Mary Trowbridge, Merry Christmas" all in one breath.

Serenades by the frosh fellows, mail from home (and checks), reducing exercises, figuring out how to make the "ceiling" stay up when you decorate for house formals, studying for exams, midnight spreads, and a roommate from whom to borrow clothes will all make up your life.

Of course, you'll experience a few pie-beds and find cracker crumbs when you crawl into bed all worn out from cramming for finals. Don't fall prey to the favorite phrase, "just one more hand" or you'll find that you have a major in bridge instead of history! The Christmas dinner with candles, turkey, and carols is always swell, and there is nothing on earth that seems as good as the tea Miss Boys serves every afternoon during exam week.

I'll never forget when Jimmy's Butch produced nine white baby rats; we really expected a banner headline in the Index! So you see, regardless of WHAT happens, something always happens in Trowbridge.

Pauly

SIDE LIGHTS

"Parlor, bedroom, and kitchen" is just a synonym for "at home" in Trowbridge. Their rooms are where the dorm girls study, indulge in between-meal snacks and midnight spreads, and steal a five to five-thirty snooze in the afternoon. It may have a few disadvantages, but it has companionship and fun, and it's "home".

Sundays and evenings after dinner, or at house meetings, informal groups gather in the parlors to play the piano and sing before beginning more serious efforts of concentration on history and philosophy. Such groups as these are a not too frequent sight around Trowbridge and should be promoted oftener.

Frequent visitors of the smoking room tell us we must label this the "Den of Iniquity." Inhabitants of this favorite "camping ground" have their own code of ethics in the form of twelve rules nailed to the door, a volunteer fire brigade, and a never-ending game of bridge. The room serves as a beauty parlor, newspaper (to get the latest gossip!), reading room, study hall, game room, art gallery, and oh, yes—a smoking room!

The Trowbridge beauty salon enjoys a flourishing shampoo and finger-wave business, with an especially gratifying rush before formals. Although customers are often required to wait patiently, with hair dripping, while the operator talks on the 'phone, the finished product is generally conceded to "get results".





HOBEN HALL, in spite of the newness of its structure, has many activities carried over from the Williams and Stockbridge days. Each year, two dances are held at Hoben; there is a closed Thanksgiving party, and a Christmas celebration when the men exchange gifts—ah! sweet memories of last December. In the fall, the lounge is the scene of a reception given for the men of the faculty.

For the uninformed, the structure of the building is in the shape of a "C"—if a "C" had square corners—thus producing what is fondly referred to as the North and South wings. Then the architect tucked a sturdy partition immediately in the middle of Hoben (some say it tends to discourage egg rolls which might be celebrated from North to South and vice versa if the whole length of the hall had been left enticingly open).

A "bull-session" before the fireplace.

In either of the wings below the first floor, are game rooms where the lads release their pent-up energy in rousing games of billiards, ping-pong, Tunk, fan-tan, pool, and bridge. A real crop of experts is emerging as a result of many hours whiled away in this last-named sport.

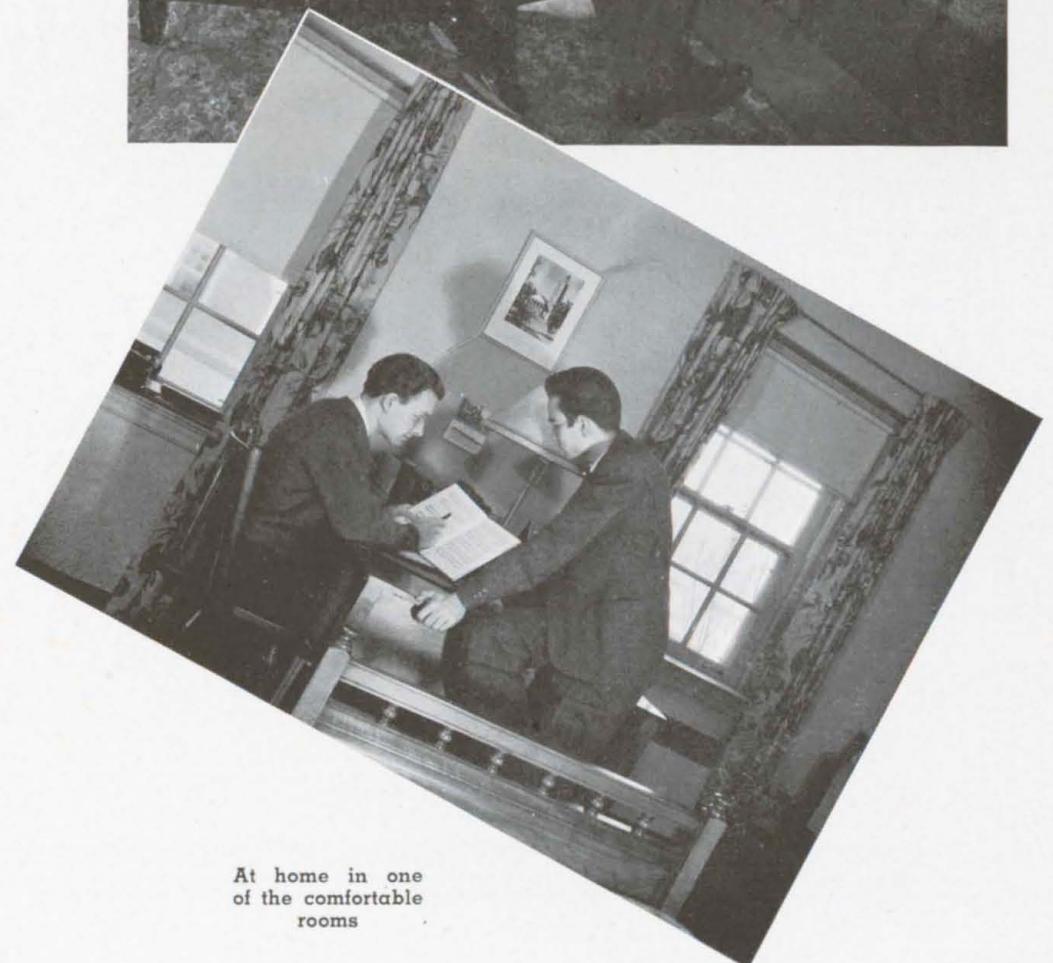
One flight up is what is usually referred to as "The spacious lounge of—" (but it really is) where receptions are held and dances given.

During Homecoming Hoben entertains with open house activities, and everything is whipped into shape for the approving eyes of the co-eds who peer reticently into the rooms.

House government is presided over by a president who is elected each semester. William Burt and Lewis Neelands shared the honors this year. Meetings are held once a month followed by "sings" into which every member enters enthusiastically. Gilmer Robinson is house director.

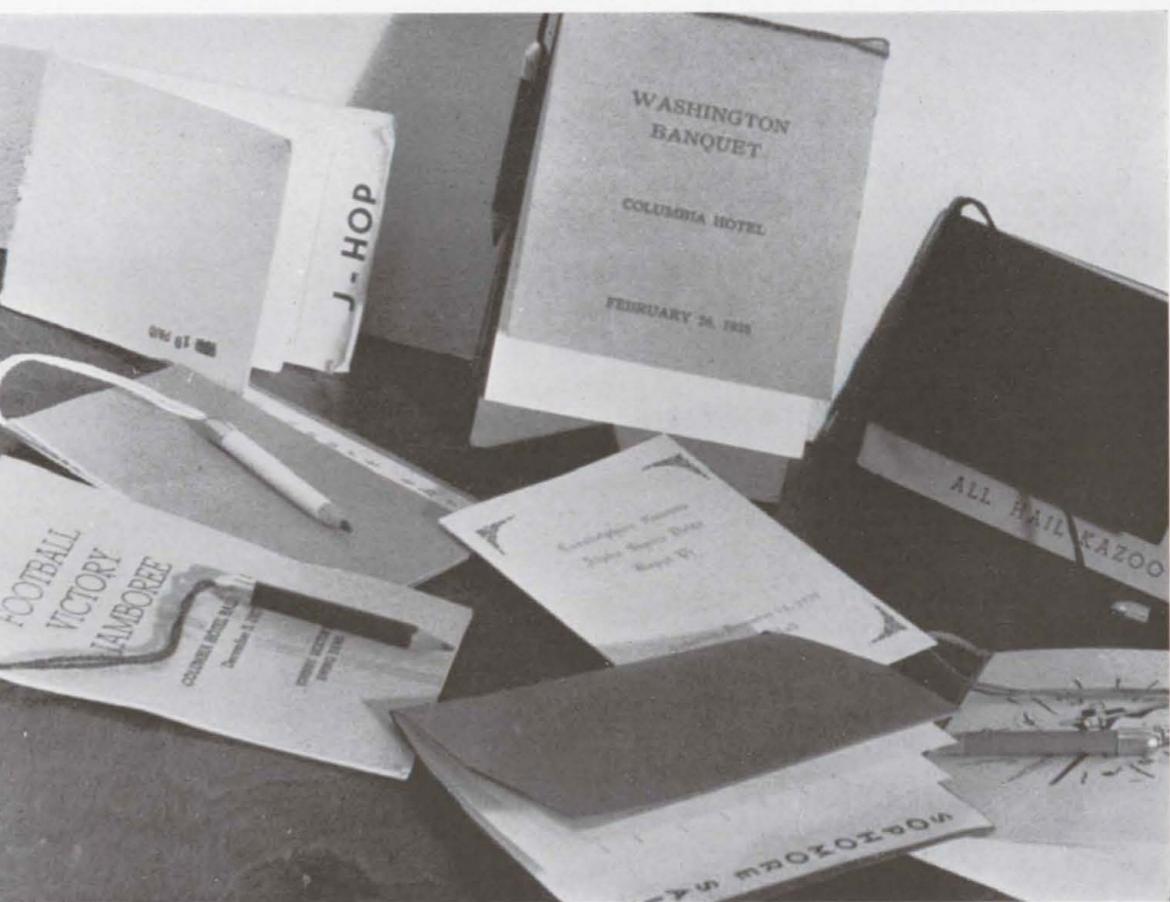


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Trowbridge House dance committee looks mystifying



Cream of the crop—
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is "tops" for the year



Student body president
and secretary at the
Homecoming banquet



New additions to the faculty
are duly sworn in



Alpha Sigs entertain
at a Shamrock Shag



One of the most
popular informals —
the Sophomore Sail



Even the strike brought
a day of dancing



All dances have their
effects — this is what
happened to Sally and
Benny



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An inter-society party
at Trowbridge

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chose the prettiest, fun-
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party-goers



Early arrivals at an off-
campus party and all
set to—"truck on down."



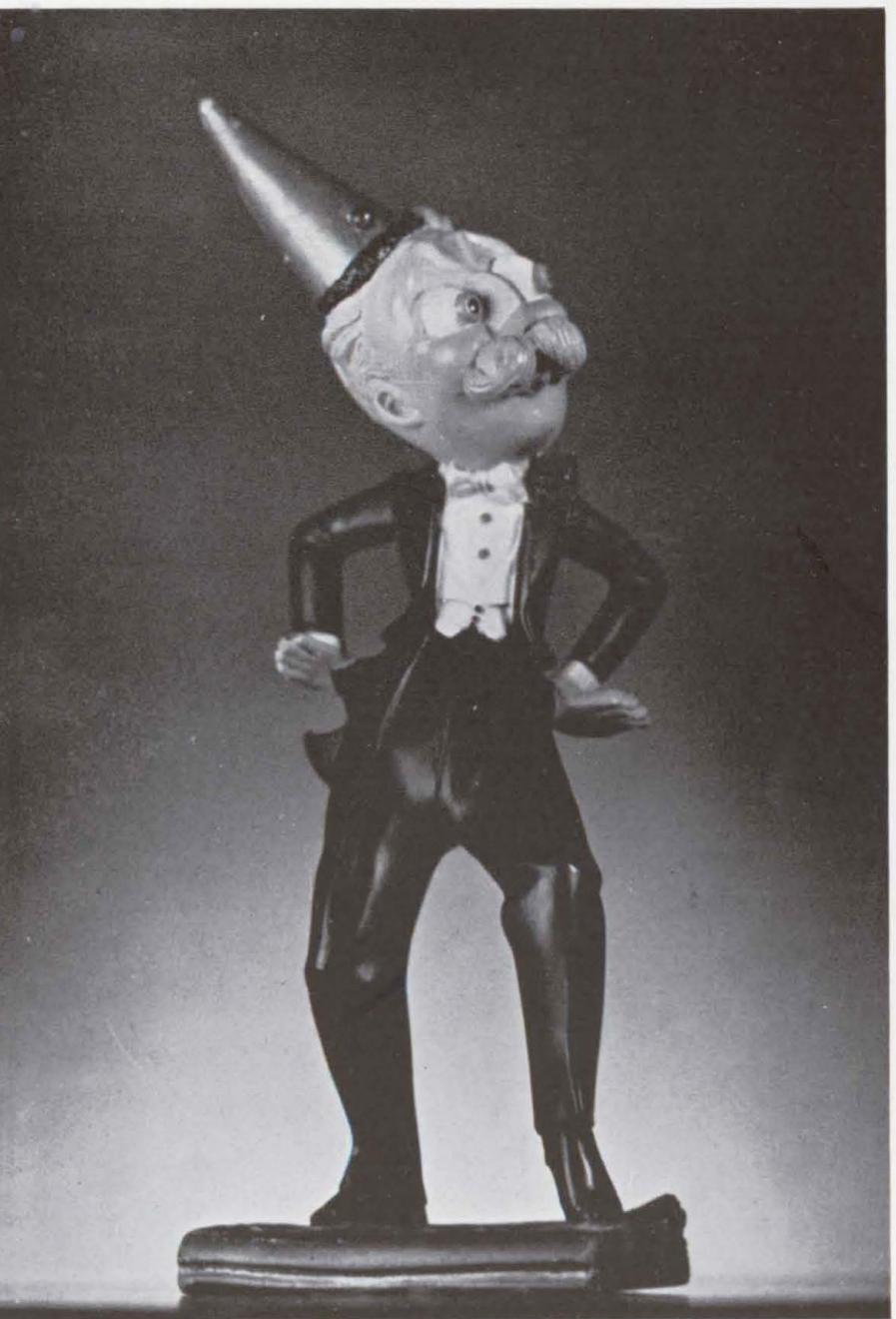
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magazine ad — but it's
only Kay and Don
arriving at a dance



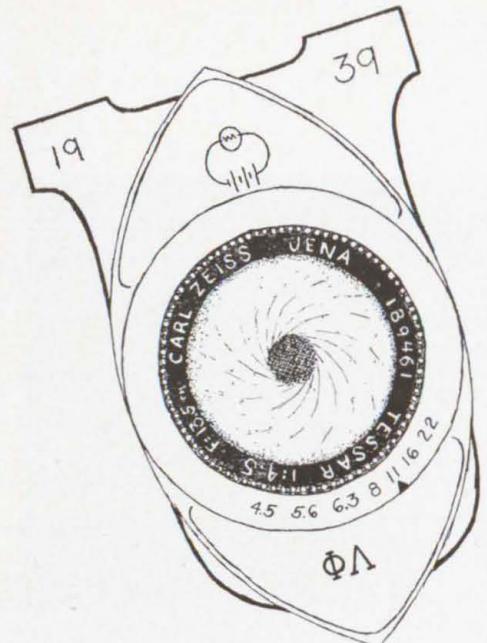
Trowbridge dancers take
time out from the "Big
Apple Swing" to have
their "pitchers took"

MEMORIES

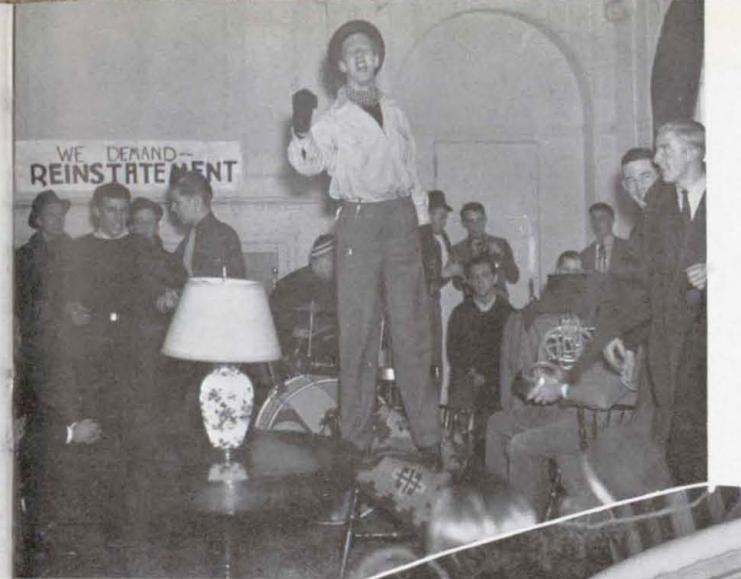
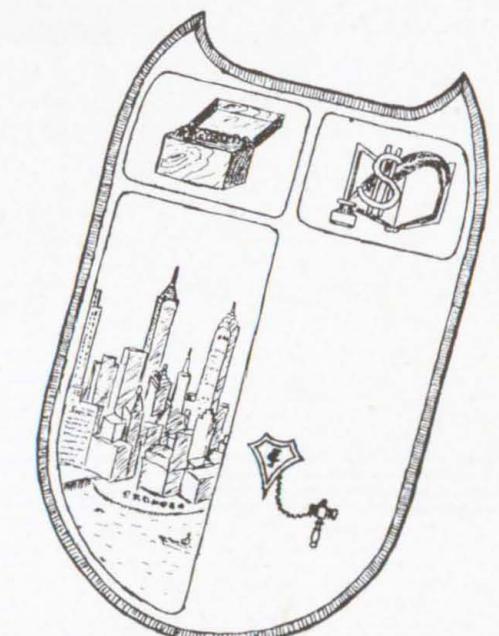
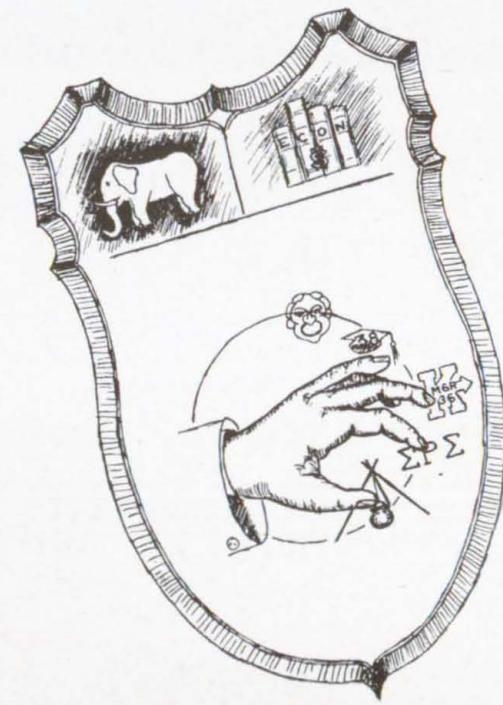
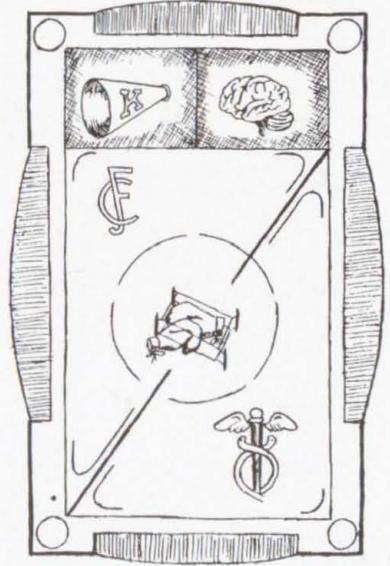
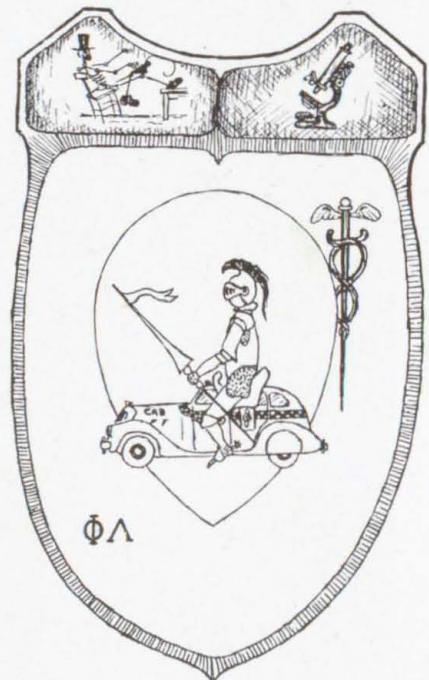
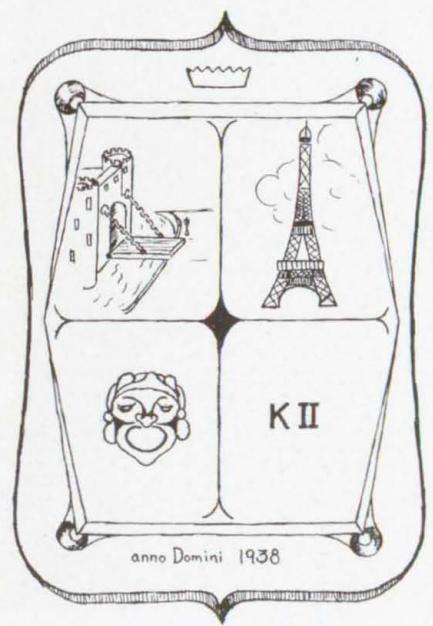
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GUESS
WHO
?



THREE-DAY



HOLIDAY





REVELATIONS

(Reading counter-clockwise)

1. The campus barber.
 2. The "morning after."
 3. Trowbridge dining hall gets a bath.
 4. So the frosh can see how he used to look.
 5. Pauly—such manners!
 6. Howard heard skirts were being worn shorter this spring.
 7. Looks like a term paper.
 8. Who is she?
 9. The pause that refreshes.
 10. The "Bell" of the campus.
 11. Rachel LOVES to have her picture taken.
 12. We thought of something about monkeys, but that wouldn't have been nice.
 13. A poor substitute for a man!
 14. Two Esquires.
 15. Nightmare.
 16. "This is the way we pay our bills...."
 17. Ogre of the bookstore.
 18. The editor after eight months' work on the Boiling Pot.





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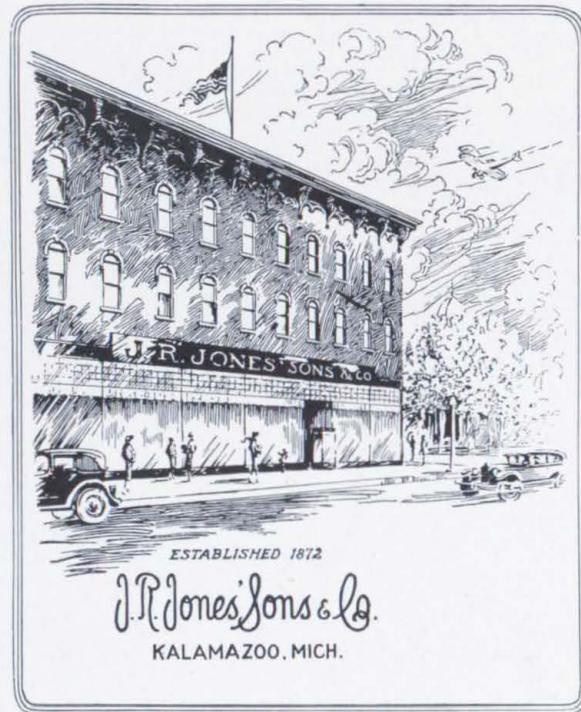
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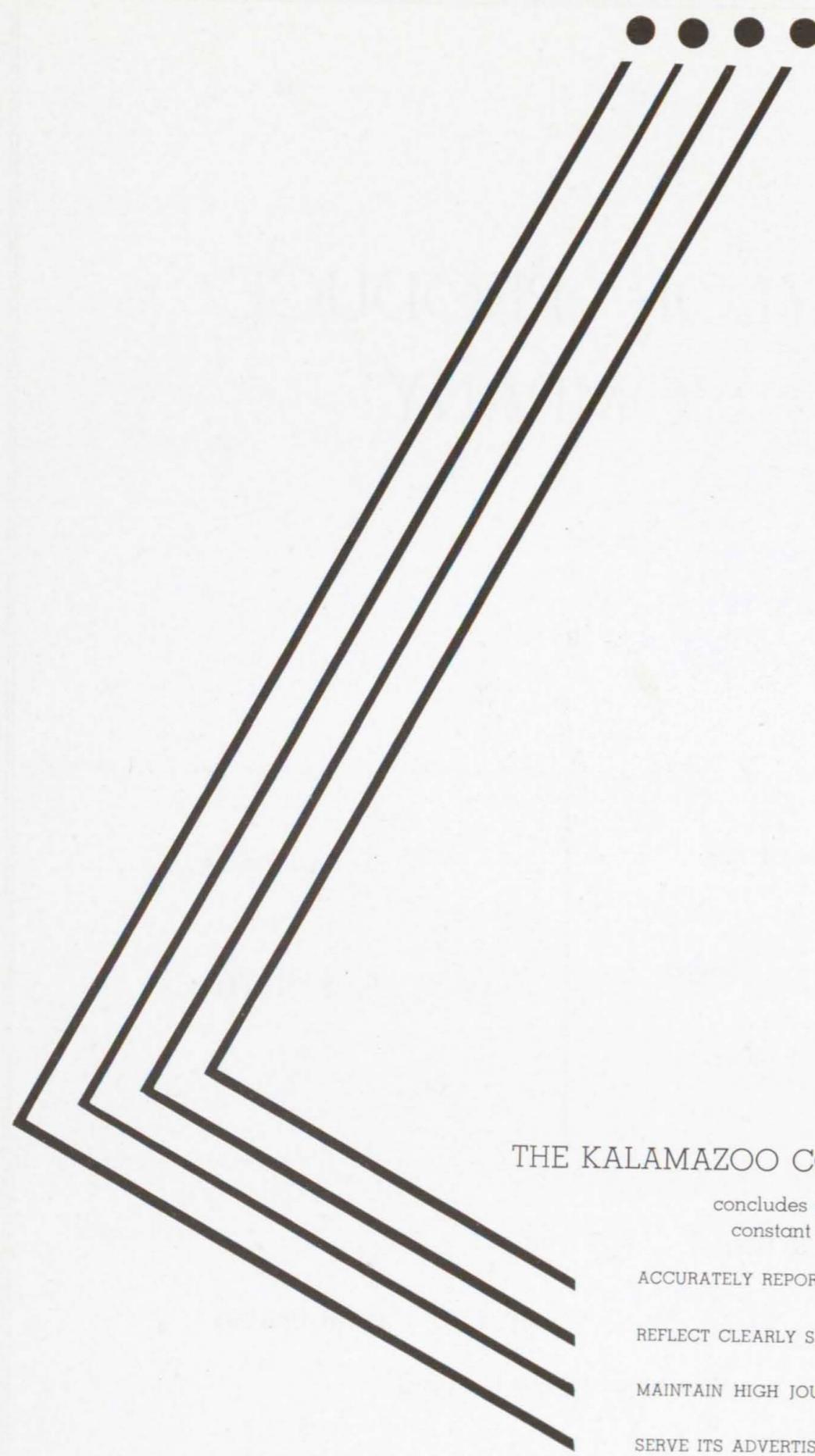
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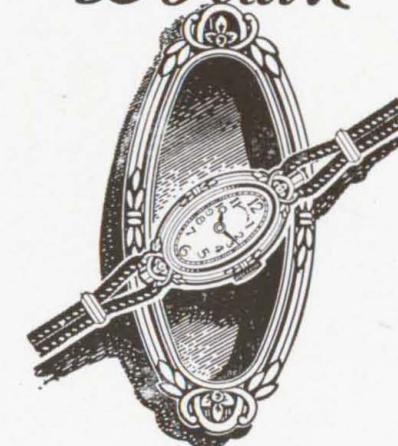
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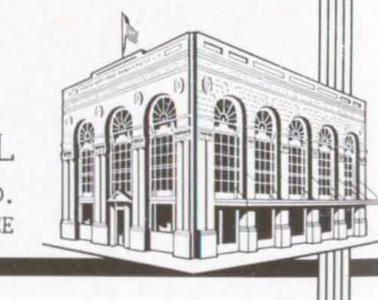
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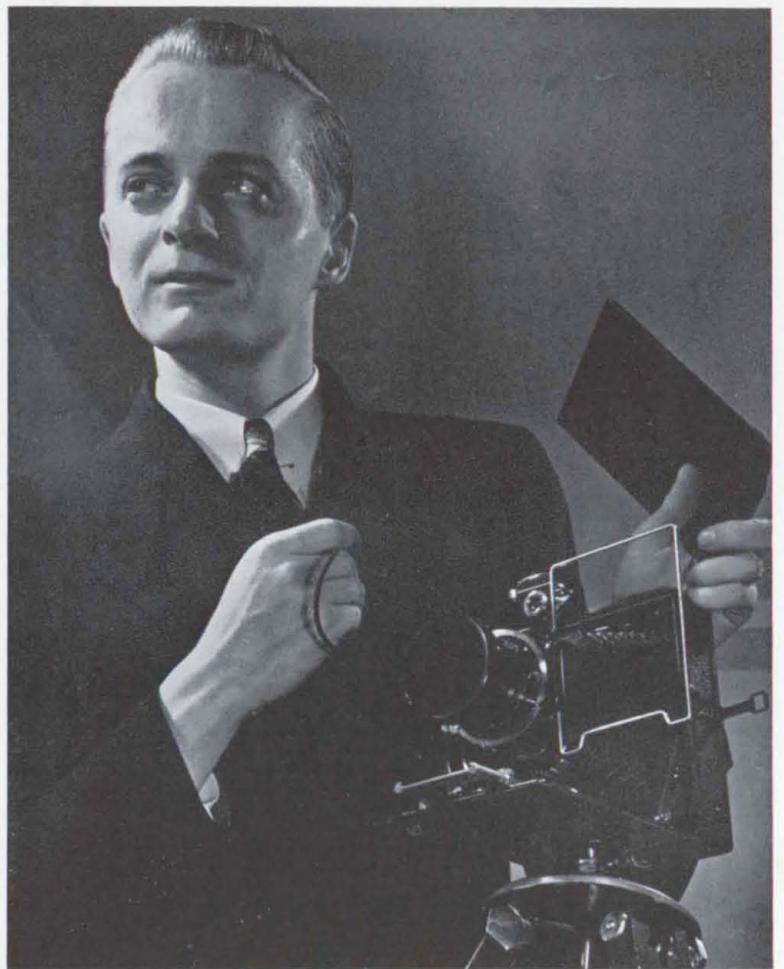


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