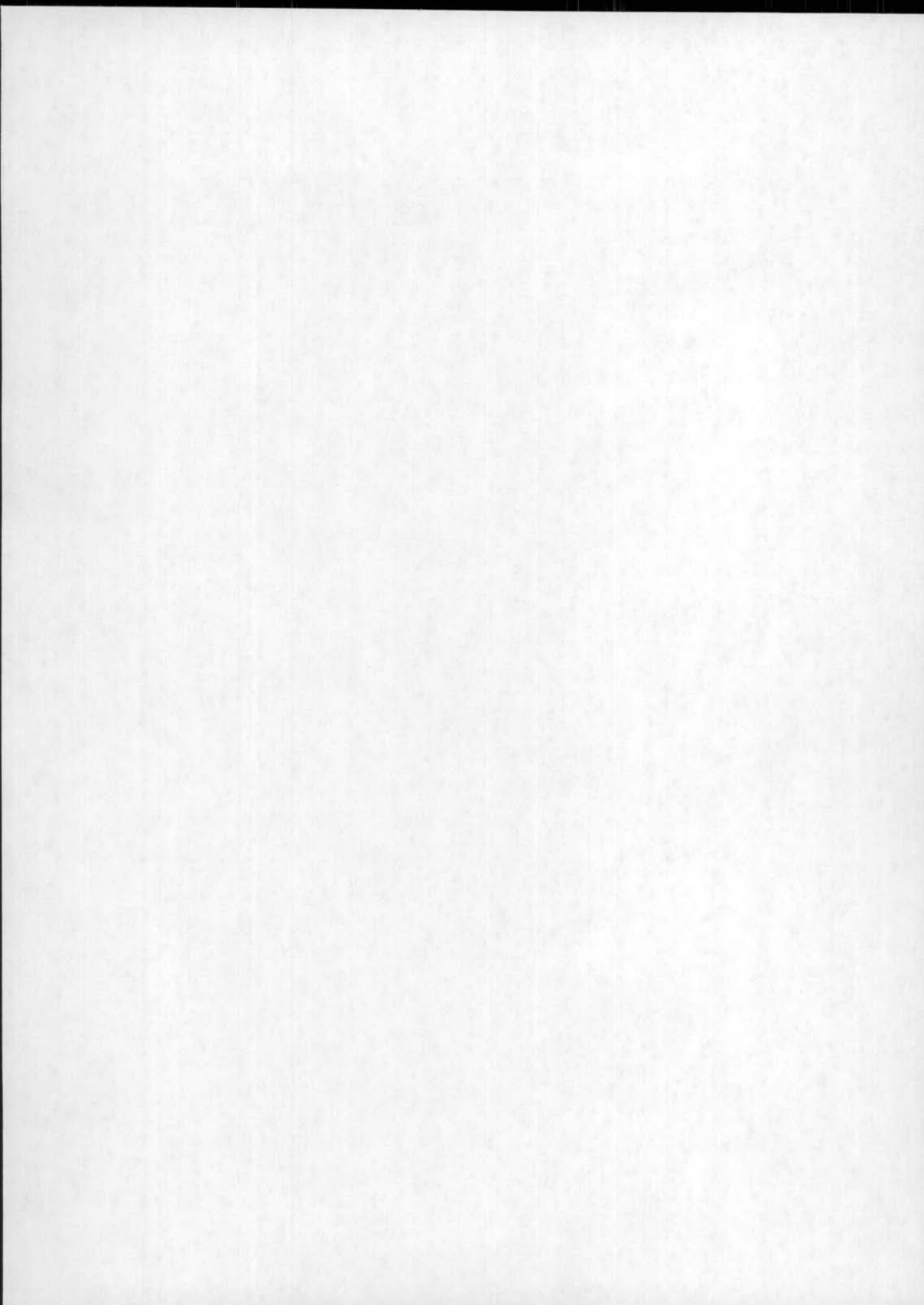
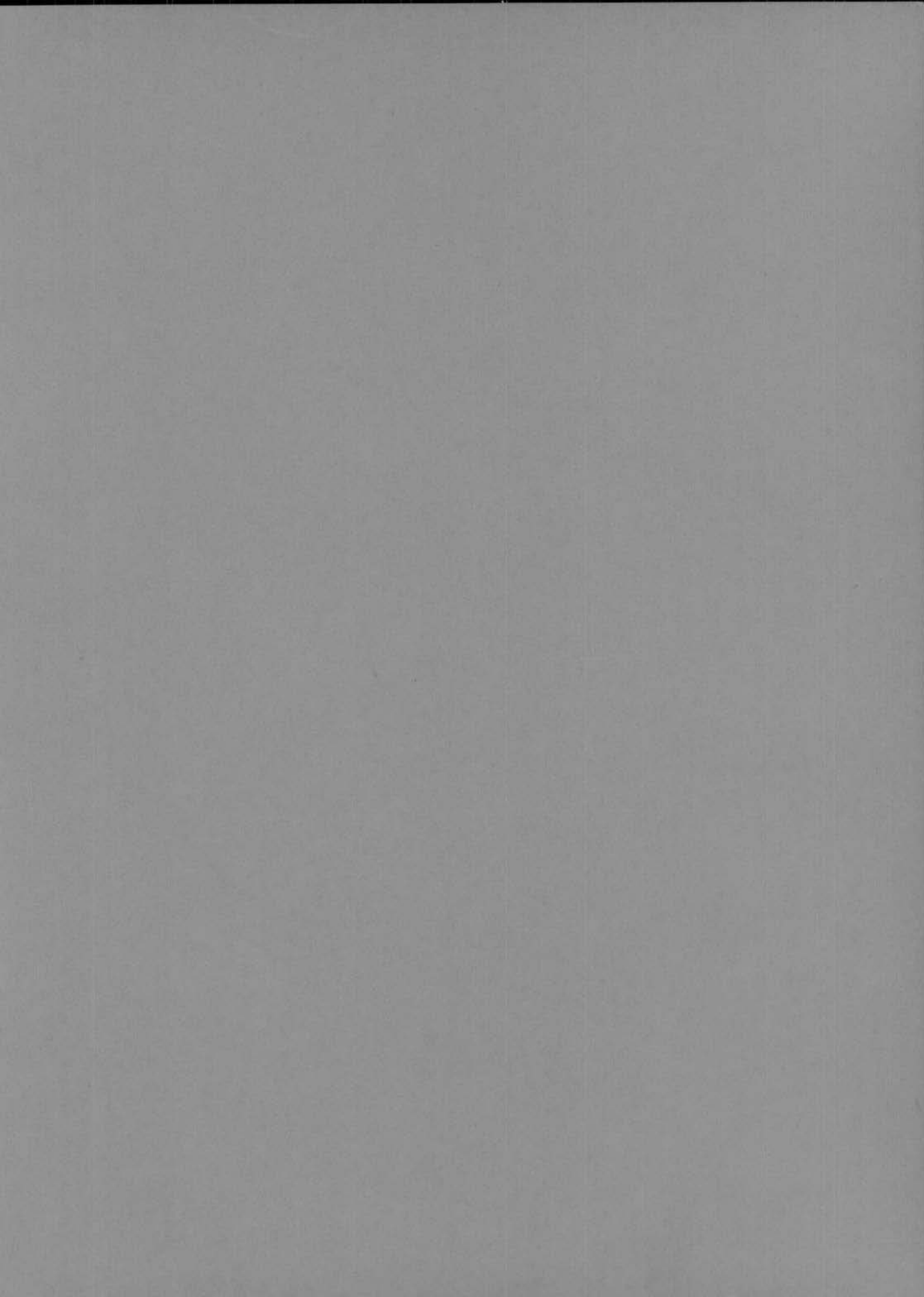
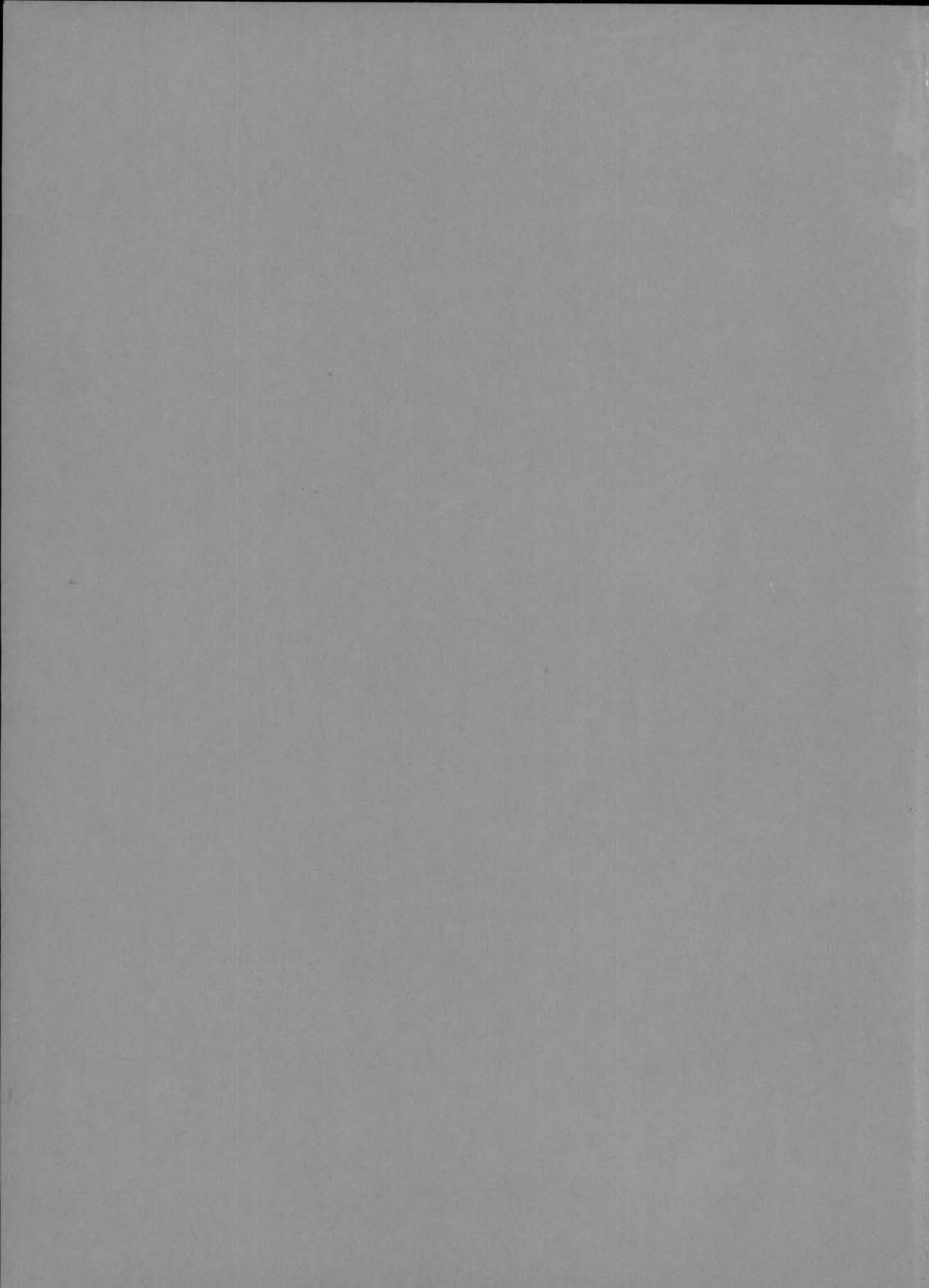




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THERE comes a time in everyone's life when he must as it were, "throw off the old life and put on the new." At this point one may take nothing with him except his memories. So with this idea in mind we have tried to make each drawing, each picture and each writeup worthy of being taken forth from the Prep by the Seniors and their friends. We trust that this book may long be remembered and that in the days to come it will be often brought forth and that in poring over it many a happy thought will be recalled. If we shall have truly succeeded in this aim, we shall consider our effort very well rewarded and then we shall depart from our Alma Mater, the Prep, contented.

ORD



SUCH is Friendship, that through it we love places and seasons, for as bright bodies emit rays to a distance, and flowers drop their sweet leaves on the ground around them, so friends impart favor even to the places where they dwell. With friends even poverty is pleasant. Words cannot express the joy which a friend imparts; they only can know who have experienced. A friend is dearer than the light of heaven, for it would be better for us that the sun were exhausted than that we should be without friends.

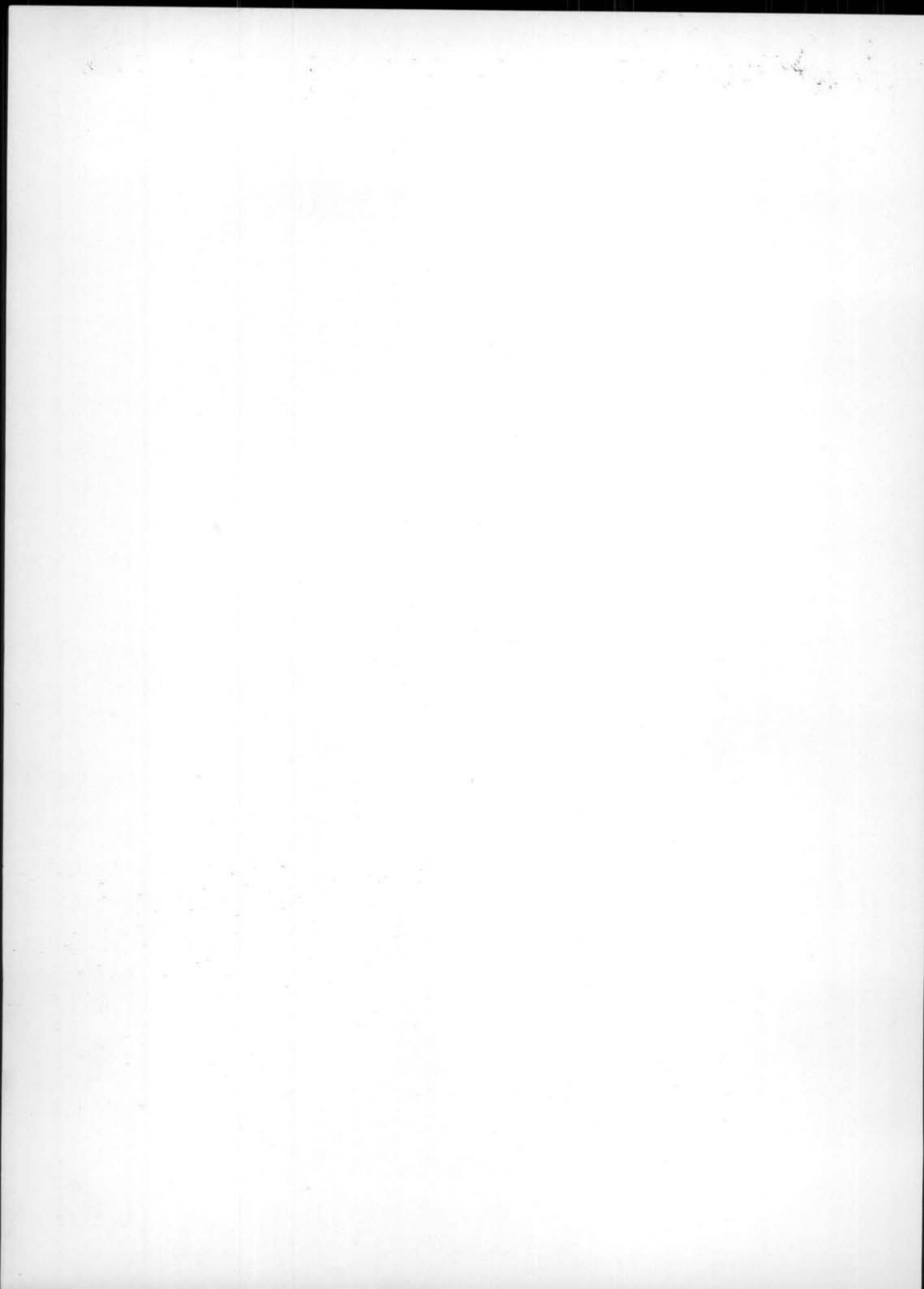
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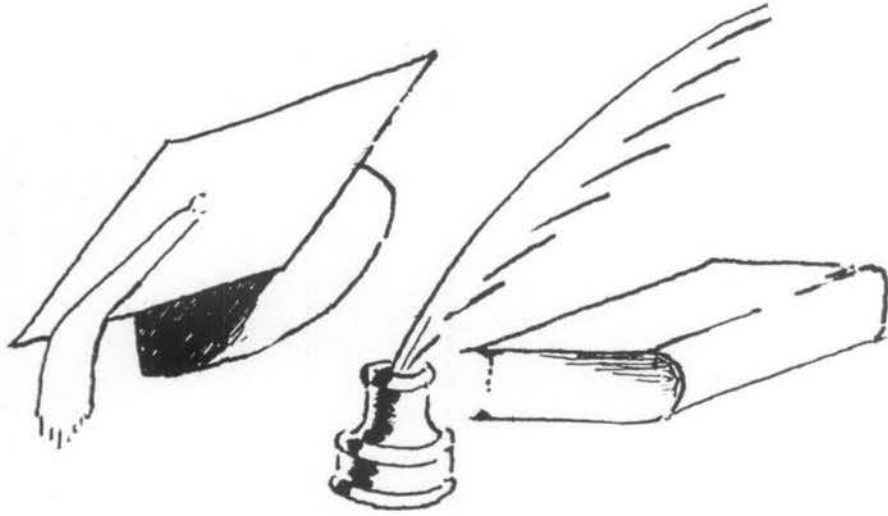




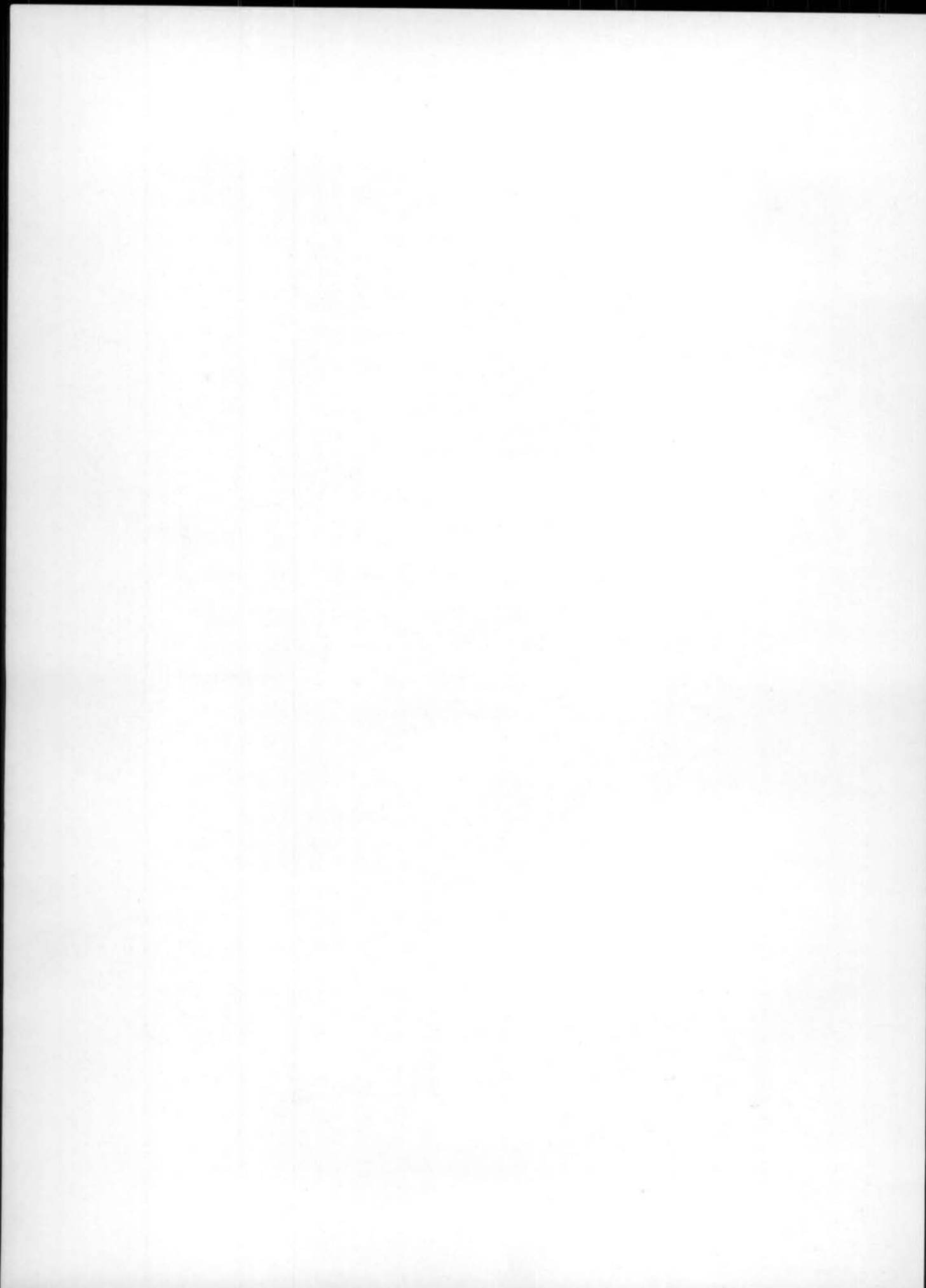
DEDICATION







FACULTY



TO TEACH all nations was a divine command and you have obeyed this edict in some small way. For four years have you tried to inculcate in us, the pupils, the knowledge which you the teachers, possess. You have taught us the rudiments of Latin; you have exposed to us the mysteries of Science and the beauties of Greek; you have shown us the correct method of doing a factoring problem. Whether or not we shall profit by this myriad of knowledge, only time will tell. However, all our relations have not been those of teacher and pupil. You have served as moderators for our various clubs and societies or you have coached us in the different fields of athletics. Then, too, many are the times that you have discussed some happening of the day or perhaps you took the time to give us a bit of friendly advice and recall us to the path which leads to the only real success. Wherefore, it is in this latter role, that of friend, that we shall long remember you. And in days to come, when we shall take down this book from the shelf and when we shall look upon the pictures herein engraved, we shall recall with joy the days we spent at Prep under your guidance. And we shall nod our heads, as the shadows of the past seem to say—"well done, ye good and faithful servants."



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Graduate Manager of Athletics

WE, THE Senior Class of Brooklyn Preparatory School of Brooklyn, New York, being of sound mind and memory (we hope) and realizing the uncertainties of this life, do hereby publish and declare this to be our last will and testament and we devise and bequeath:

To Reverend Father Rector, our sincere thanks for the interest that he has evidenced both for our spiritual and our temporal welfare;

To Father Klocke, the assurance that the ideal which he has tried to instill in us will remain with us always;

To the rest of the Jesuit and Lay Faculty, a promise of better days and better classes, now that we have departed;

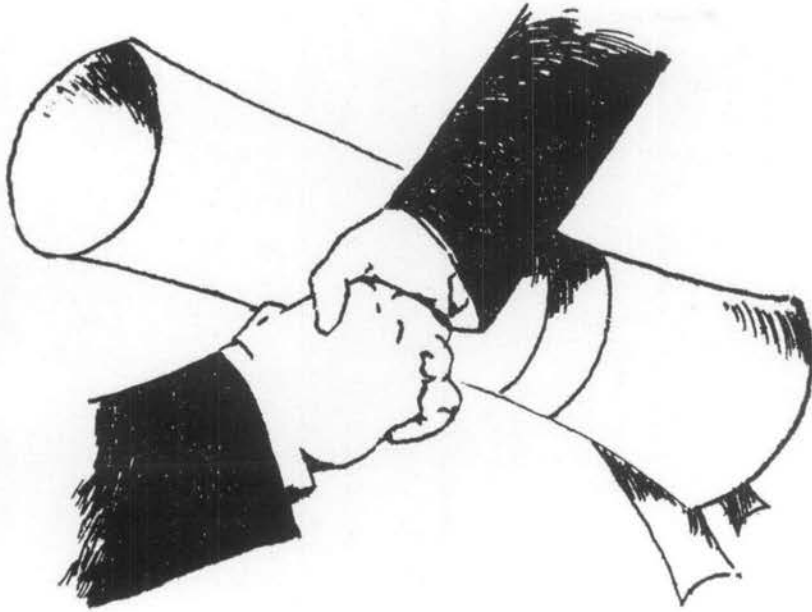
To the new Seniors, our lunch passes;

To the rest of the school, our hope that trots may one day be brought into the school without incurring magisterial displeasure;

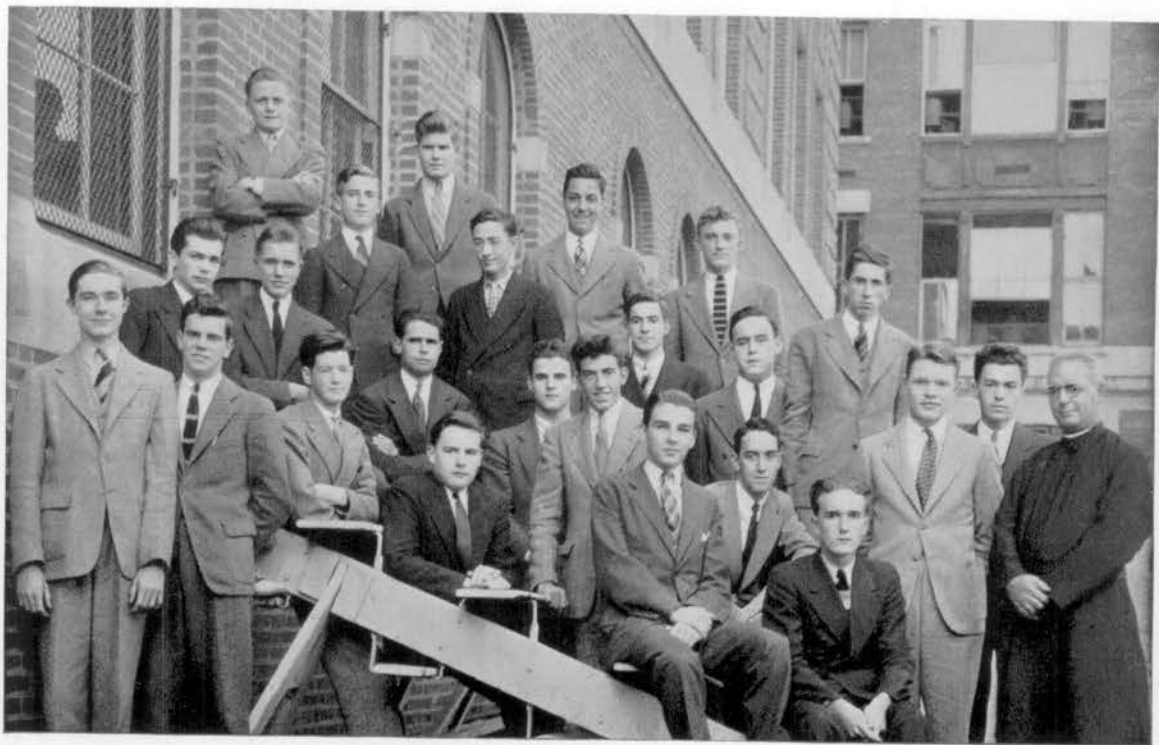
To the athletic department, about two dozen or more, scholastically inclined athletes;

To the janitors, all the old papers which they may find in our lockers;

In witness thereof we hereby affix and subscribe our seals in this year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.



SENIORS



FIRST ROW— McCarthy, Rothlein, O'Hara, Carey, Giordana, Reilly, Smith, Walsh, Scholl, Father McAree. SECOND ROW—Swett, Biggs, Bachmann, Saunders, Carroll, McManus, Schwartz. THIRD ROW—Carley, Kane, Clark, Ghelardi, Yodice, Cooper, O'Neil.

COMMENCEMENT is at hand. For us this will not mark any ending but rather will be a beginning of a new life for which Brooklyn Prep has endowed us with a preparation which is unsurpassable. In addition to the moral and scholastic training which has been ours, how can we ever forget the lasting friendships which the last four years have cemented? Walter Biggs, Ebby Whalen, Ray Smith, Bob Roethlein, Gus Scholl, Teddy O'Neil, John O'Hara, Jim Clark and Frank McManus shall never forget winning their varsity letters. Joe McCarthy, Charles Yodice and Herb Kane shall not forget the school they represented. Dances, boat rides, social functions . . . they still live for Jack Carroll, Art Saunders, Ray Reilly and Jack Carley. Bob Swett and John Schwartz are still one and the same person to many, this book of ours and its illustrations will often evoke a wry smile from Joe Walsh, so too the riding club and Gerard Carey, while Nick Giordana, Ed Cooper and Ray Ghelardi will long cherish their class officialdom.

CLASS 4B¹ JANUARY

♦ ♦ ♦ CLASS 4B² JANUARY

"TIME has come for parting"—Yes, it's the same old tune, but it is with a different feeling that we must sing it this time as a group of swell fellows come to take their leave of the Prep and of each other. The friendships formed by this group are not the type that graduation can end, but are such that they will live on far beyond the power of any parting to take away. The memory of this class who laughed together, worked together for four years is sure to endure. Their spirit will live forever in the Prep classrooms.

This was a class of students outstanding in both scholastic and extra-curricular activities. The Student Council, as well as the Debating and other Societies will long remember the work of the students of the class of 4B2, February 1939. The various sports, too will feel the loss of the members of this section. It is with sincere sorrow that the Prep extends a farewell to this class. And it is with more sincere sorrow that we extend the same to the Prep.

FIRST ROW—Chellis, O'Neil, Lee, Donlan, Calahan, O'Toole, Hassell, Brennen, Mr. Duffy. SECOND ROW—Lynch, Sandford, McManus, Callery, Whelan, McAllister, Lynch, Gallagher. THIRD ROW—Firth, Franghiadi, O'Brien, Knight, Bowne, Fitzpatrick, Harris, Mathias. FOURTH ROW—Neagle, Haslach, O'Reilly.



CLASS 4B¹ JUNE . . .

C'EST FINI! It is over. Four long years have we battled the intricacies of Latin, eluded the snares of Greek, slipped through the clutches of the monster Science and overcome the evils of French and German. All in all, the past quartet of years has given much more than simply studies. To Ed Melvin it has brought the supreme honor of President of the Student Council. To Tom Braunworth it has given the distinction of captaining the Blue and White football team. It has placed upon the able shoulders of Artie Herbert the leadership of the Prep "fighting five" and given us Jack Galvin as captain of the indoor track team. The mad jokes of Pumo, the ping-pong of Tollner, the witticisms of Delaney, the bow ties of Bowler, the translations of Sheridan, the Currie Buick, the Brush reserve, the McKinney tonsure, the acting (sic) of Bennett and Lapham, the aquatics of Bardwil, the suits of Brown and the shadow of Hugart . . . they fade now, dissolve and vanish forever into the twilight of memory.

FIRST ROW—Tollner, McKinney, Bardwil, Currie, Bennett, Bowler, Pumo, Lapham, Mr. McCabe. SECOND ROW—McGuire, Reynolds, Gunther, Gorman, Brush, Herbert, O'Sullivan, Braunworth. THIRD ROW—Hugart, Schaer, Brown, Sheridan, Galvin, Melvin.





SITTING—Conroy, Conway, Sheehan, Yeno, Scannell, Shanahan, Kiefer, Kerr, Larkin, Harrington. KNEELING—Cahill, Albertine. STANDING—Baxter, Powers, McDonald, Lawless, Dolan, Mansfield, Meagher, Murphy, Perry, Kennedy, Father Kenna.

As we neared the completion of our senior year, we drew down the curtain on four years of unforgettable friendships and hard-earned education. Excellence in studies and in extra-curricular activities, have made the class outstanding.

McDonald and Powers headed the list of honor men. Our class basketball team, composed of Harrington, Murphy, Meagher, Kennedy, Albertine, Conroy, and Captain Ray Larkin, was undefeated. Meagher was captain of the cross-country team and Larkin distinguished himself in the backfield of the football team. Scannell was co-captain of the tennis team, and Cahill our contribution to boxing. The Blue Jug was headed by Lawless, Kiefer, and Kerr. Perry played varsity basketball.

Soon we are to graduate and separate for good. But as long as we live, we shall be proud to claim the title, "Prepman". And we hope to live for a long, long while and prove the worth of the title.

CLASS 4B² JUNE

*Jack +
Albertine*



JOHN P. ALBERTINE

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1; Blue Jug 1;
Gold Medal, Elocution 1, 4; Student
Council 1, 2, 3; Debating 1, 2, 3, 4.

JOSEPH A. BACHMANN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball; 1, 3, 4; . . .
Spanish 4; Track 2.



AMEEN G. BARDWIL

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Swimming 1, 3; French
Club 4.

MARTIN M. BAXTER

Student Council 1; Baseball 1; Hockey 1,
2, 4; Debating 1, 2.



Thomas M. Bennett

THOMAS M. BENNETT

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Elo-
cution, Silver Medal 2, 3; Riding 1, 2;
Gold Medal 3; Student Council 1, 3, 4.

WALTER J. BIGGS

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 4; Hockey
3, 4; Blue Jug 4.

JAMES V. BOWLER

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sect. Music Club 1;
Library 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1;
Sodality 3; German Club 3, 4.



WILLIAM H. BOWNE

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1;
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.



THOMAS A. BRAUNWORTH

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, Capt.
4; Basketball 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Ger-
man Club 3, 4.

Tom Braunworth

WILLIAM R. BRENNAN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2; Student
Council 3, 4; Baseball 1; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4;
Ping Pong Champion 2; Debating 3, 4.

WILLIAM J. BROWN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 4;
Track 2, 3; Tennis 2, 3; German Club 3;
Cross Country 2, 3, 4.



LESTER T. BRUSH

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1.



THIS NEVER HAPPENED BEFORE



"HOLD TIGHT"



THE CRITICS

A¹ JITNEY



WHAT THE WELL DRESSED MEN
ARE WEARING



HORSEPLAY





PAUL D. CAHILL
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3; French Club 3, 4; Boxing
4; Debating 1, 3, 4.

PAUL F. CALLAHAN
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 4; Student
Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross
Country 2, 3, 4.



WILLIAM A. CALLERY
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, Prefect
4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, President 4;
Blue Jug 1, 2, 3, Editor 4; Debating 1,
2, 3, 4.

GERARD M. CAREY
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; De-
bating 1, 2, 3, 4.



JOHN P. CARLEY
K.B.S. 1, 2; Track 1; French Club 3.

JOHN A. CARROLL
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1; Student
Council 1, 2; Football 1; Track 1, 2.

ROBERT F. CHELLIS

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Debating 1, 2, Sect. 1; Blue Book 2.



JAMES J. CLARK

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1; Spanish Club 3, 4; Basketball 1, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.



JAMES T. CONROY

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Basketball 1; Track 1.

EDWARD R. COOPER

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 4; Spanish Club



ALFRED F. CURRIE

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 4.

Alfred F. Currie Jr.

DAVID P. DELANEY

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2; French Club 4; Chemistry Club 3; Blue Jug 1.

C. J. Dolan



CHARLES J. DOLAN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3; Camera Club 2, Vice-Pres. 3; Debating 1, 2, 4; Blue Jug 1, 2.

GEORGE S. DONLAN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Blue Jug 3, 4; Dramatics 2; French Club 3; Debating 1, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 4.



ROBERT J. FIRTH

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2; Football 1; Baseball 1, 3; Hockey 3, 4; Spanish Club 4.

WALTER C. FITZPATRICK

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4.



GEORGE J. FRANGHIADI

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; French Club 3, 4.

EDWARD J. GALLAGHER

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Blue Jug 1, 2, 3; Sports Editor 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-Pres. 4; Tennis 3.

Ed Gallagher

JOHN F. GALVIN

K.B.S. 3, 4; Student Council 3; Football 4; Track 3, Captain 4; Swimming 3; Debating 3.



RAYMOND P. GHELARDI

Debating 1, 2; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Chemistry Club 3; German Club 3, 4.



DOMINICK R. GIORDANA

Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 2, 4.

VINCENT A. GORMAN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Football 3, 4.



JOHN R. GUNTHER

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 3, 4; Tennis 3, Co-Captain 4; German Club 3, 4; Debating 4; Student Council 1.

WILLIAM H. HARRINGTON

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, Grand Knight 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Blue Jug 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3, 4.

Wm. Harrington



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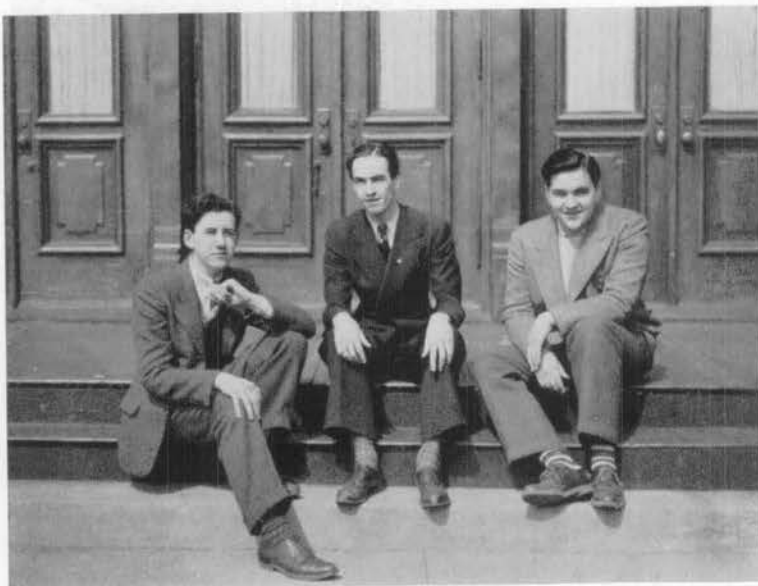


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WILLIAM J. HARRIS

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; Baseball 3, 4; Debating 4; Track 2, 3; Duces Club.



JOHN T. HASLACH

K.B.S. 2, 3, 4; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; French Club 3, 4; Dramatics 2.



LAWRENCE L. HASSELL

K.B.S. 1; Debating 4.



ARTHUR W. HERBERT

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Cross Country 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, Captain 4.



ARTHUR E. HUGART

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 4; Basketball 1, 3; Class Knight 4; Class Officer Guard of Honor 4.



HERBERT T. KANE

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 4; Spanish Club 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 1, 2, 3, 4.

Charlie Kennedy

CHARLES J. KENNEDY

K.B.S. 1, 4; Football 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.



JOHN C. KERR

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Blue Jug 3, Associate Editor 4; Debating 4.

WILLIAM C. KIEFER

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 3, 4; Blue Jug 2, 3, Associate Editor 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 4.

Bill Kiefer



JOHN J. LAPHAM

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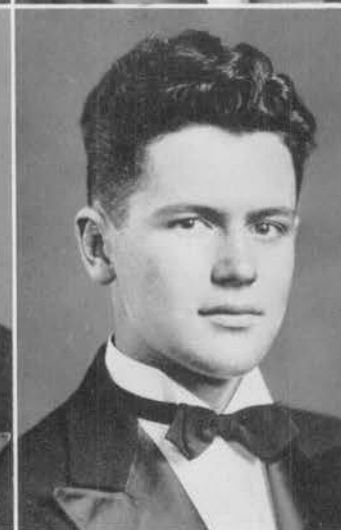
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Ray Larkin

EUGENE T. LAWLESS

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, Pref. 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, Vice-Pres. 4; Debating 1, 2, 3, Pres. 4; Blue Jug Ed.

Eugene Lawless





JOHN R. LEE

Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Debating 1, 2, 3, 4; Blue Jug 2, 3, 4; Library 2, 3, 4; Blue Book 3, 4.

DONALD M. LYNCH

K.B.S. 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2, 3; Debating 4; Spanish Club 4; Baseball 1, 4.



LEO J. LYNCH

K.B.S. 1, 3, 4; Sodality 3, 4; Track 1, 3; Cross Country 1, 3; French Club 3; Debating 1

Leo Lynch

CHARLES F. MANSFIELD

K.B.S. 1; Sodality 1; German Club 3.



PAUL E. MATHIAS

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3; Swimming 2.

RODERICK H. MCCALLISTER

K.B.S. 1, 2; Sodality 1.

JOSEPH F. X. MCCARTHY

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Blue Jug 3; French Club 4.



JOSEPH E. McDONALD

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3; French Club 4; Library Board of Directors 4.

J. E. McDonald

JOHN J. MCGUIRE

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 4; Chemistry 3.



PAUL K. MCKINNEY

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Debating 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 2, 3, 4.

Paul K. McKinney

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K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 3, 4; Debating 2; Spanish Club 4.



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K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4.



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K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, Pres. 4; Blue Jug 2, 3, Sports Editor 4.

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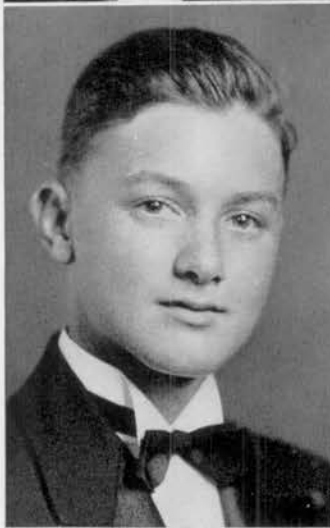


JOSEPH P. MURPHY

K.B.S. 1, 2; Sodality 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2; Football 1.

THOMAS H. NEAGLE

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4, Grand Knight 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Blue Book 4.



WILLIAM J. O'BRIEN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1.

JOHN L. O'HARA

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; German Club 3, 4, President 4; Track

FRANCIS J. O'NEIL

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 1, 2.



THEODORE V. O'NEIL

Sodality 1, 2; French Club 3; Debating 4.



JAMES E. O'REILLY

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Cross Country 2; Spanish Club 4.

RICHARD J. O'SULLIVAN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; French Club 4; Silver Medal 1, 3; Gold Medal 2.

FRANCIS P. O'TOOLE

K.B.S. 1, 2, 4; Debating 3, 4.



WALLACE J. PERRY
Basketball 4; Debating 4.

J. Wallace Perry



RICHARD A. POWERS
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 4; Library
4.



ANDREW J. PUMO
K.B.S. 2; Football 2, 3; Baseball 1, 3;
German Club 3; Debating 2, 4.



DANIEL P. QUINN
K.B.S. 1, 2; Dramatics 1.



EDWARD J. REYNOLDS
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Base-
ball 2, 3, 4; French Club 4.



ROBERT J. ROETHLEIN
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4;
Track 2, 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; German Club
3, 4.



ROBERT E. SANFORD
Basketball 1; Baseball 2; Debating 3, 4;
Ping Pong 2, 3, 4.

ARTHUR H. SAUNDERS
Track 3, 4; K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4.



JAMES B. SCANNELL
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 4; Tennis 3, 4; Debating 1, 2, 3, 4; Blue Jug 4; Orchestra 2, 3.

WILLIAM G. SCHAEER
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; German Club 3, Pres. 4; Debating 1, 2, 4; Blue Jug 1, 2, 3, 4; Riding Club 1, 2, Pres. 3, 4.

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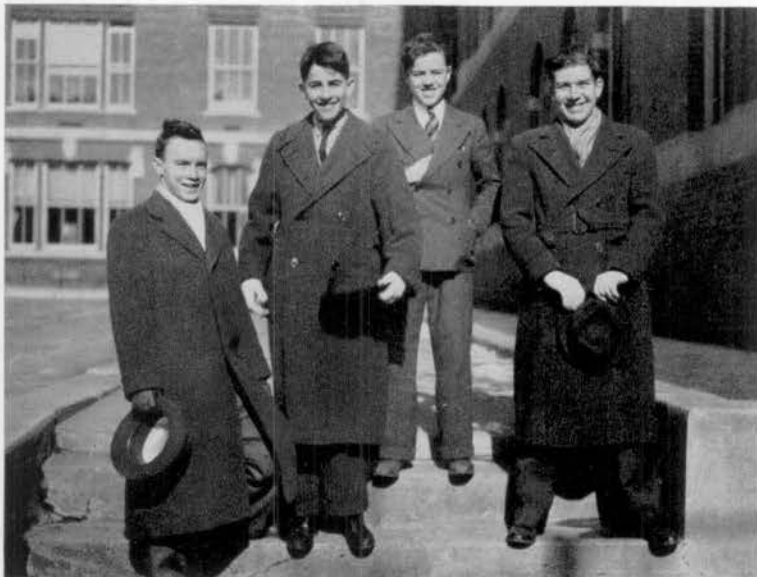
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K.B.S. 1; Sodality 1, 3; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 2, 3, 4; Blue Jug 1, 2, Sports Editor 3.

Ed Shanahan

AUGUST F. SCHOLL
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; German Club 3, 4.



JOHN M. SCHWARTZ
K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2; Track 2, 3; Hockey 4; Blue Book 3, 4; Dramatics 2.



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K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 4.



ROBERT J. SWETT

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EUGENE H. TOLLNER

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 4; Blue Book 3; Blue Jug 3, 4.



JOSEPH E. WALSH

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Track 4; Debating 2; Blue Book 4.

EDMUND D. WHELAN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1.



WILLIAM P. WHELAN

K.B.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4;
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Blue Book 4; Library 4; Track 2, 3.



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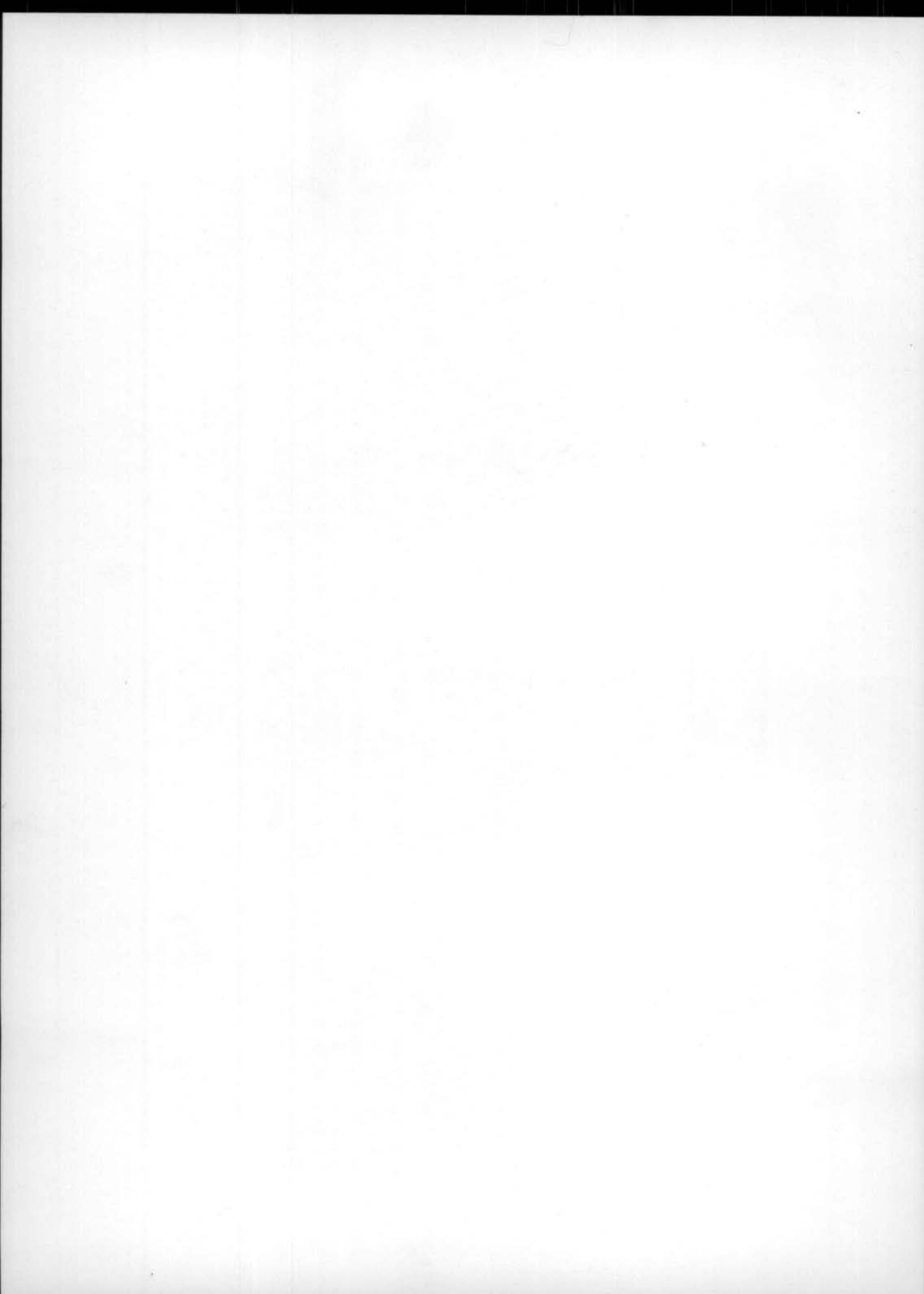
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August Yeno



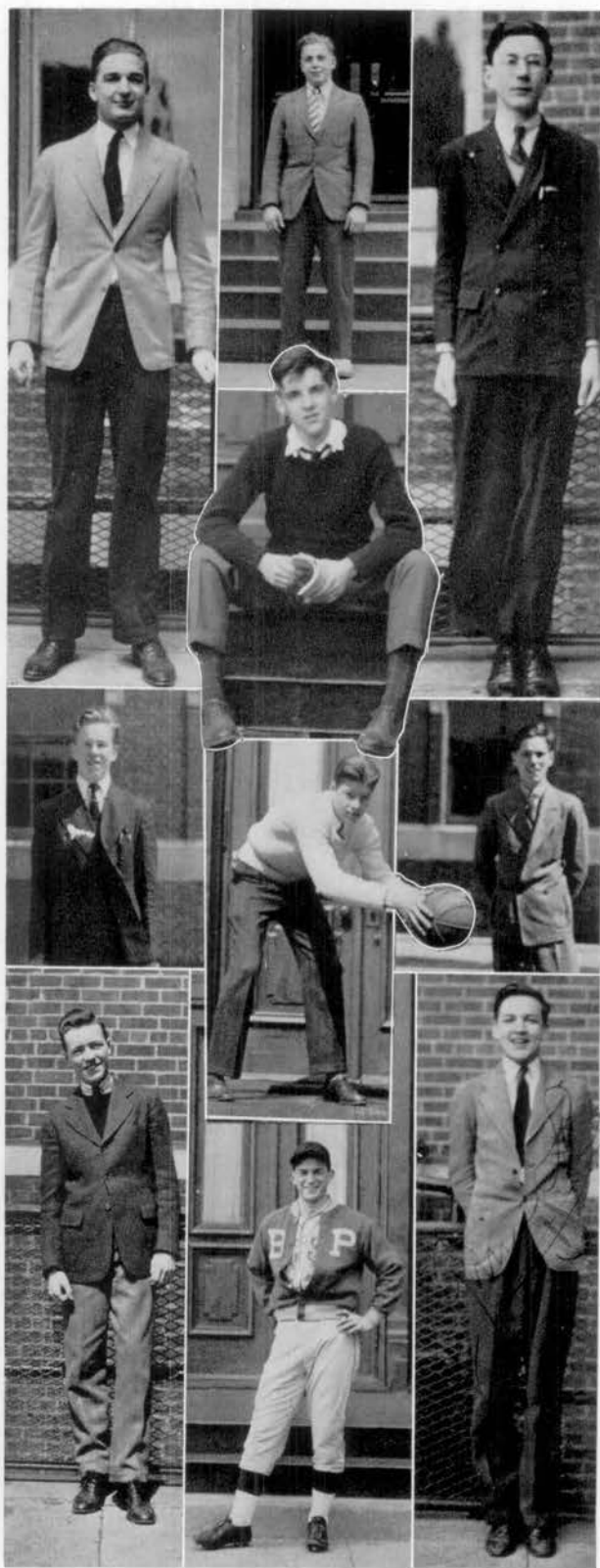
CHARLES J. YODICE

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Debating 1, 2, 3, 4; Library 4;
Blue Jug 4.



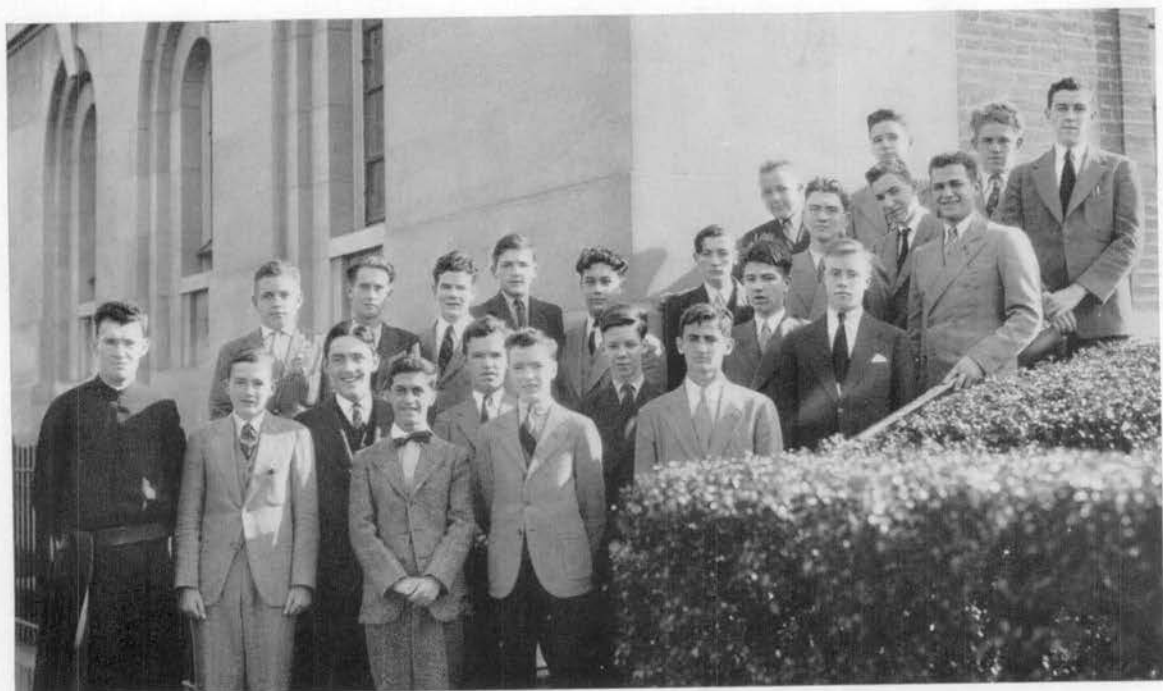


UNDERGRADUATES



Joseph E. Sheerin

The outstanding Juniors included in this picture are (top to bottom):
 First column — CHARLES SCHEID, Swimming; DICK HICKEY, Sodality; JACK KIRK, Hockey.
 Second column—ED AHRENS, Football; JOE SHEERIN, Blue Jug; HANK GEHRHARDT, Basketball; MIKE SANTIMAURO, Baseball.
 Third column — JOHN SHULTS, Studies; ANDY LAWRENCE, Track; JIM FEE, Debating.



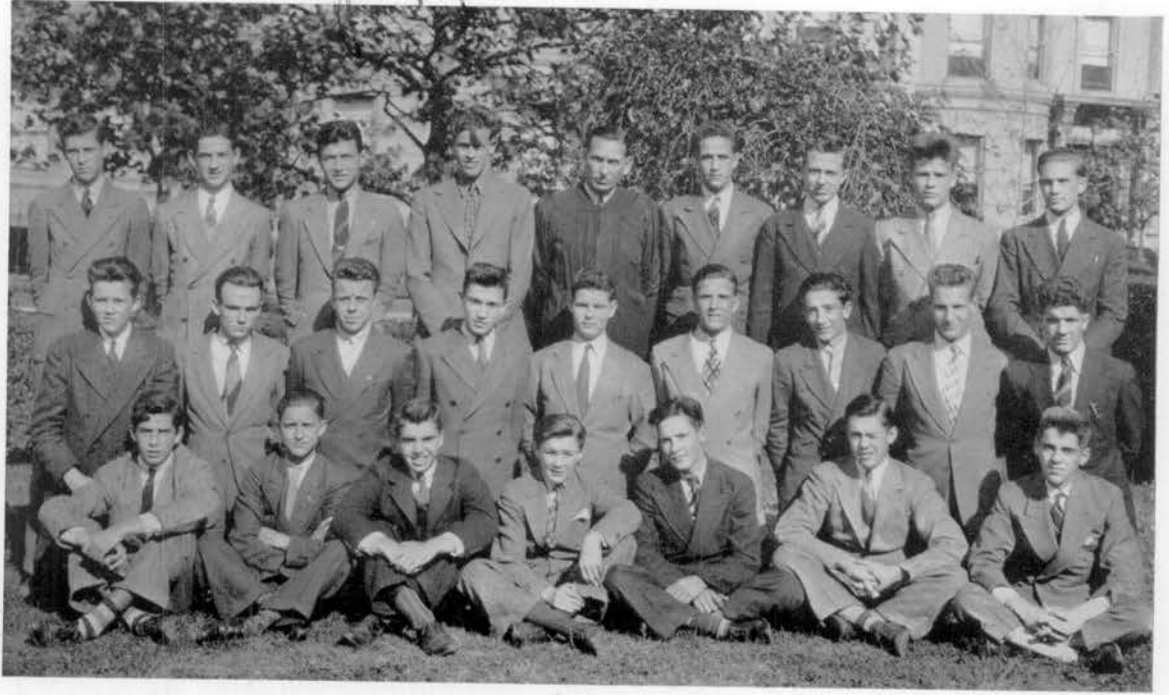
FIRST ROW—Mr. Clarkson, Schaefer, Raimond, Kirk, Carlin, Boden, Santimauro, O'Rourke. SECOND ROW—Tonery, Griffin, Hankinson, Schmitz, Gallagher, Quinn, Gunderson. THIRD ROW—Ahrens, Hallett, O'Hara, Fee, Scotto, Barrett, Lundemann, Owens.

*Rennith
Gallagher
and Jack*

DURING the past year we numbered among our members some very diversified characters: O'Hara is Vice-President of the Student Council; Ahrens and Carlin were members of last year's varsity eleven; Santimauro won baseball fame with his booming bat; Fee is a renowned orator; Boden and Gunderson played Jayvee basketball; Owens and Griffin reap the first honors; Hallett is the artist; Ludeman supplies the comedy relief; jitterbug Hankinson also is an expert ping-ponger; Scotto is a boxer—after a fashion; Schmitz' motto is "Information, Please"; Tonery writes out theorems for Mr. Foley; O'Rourke narrowly escaped the clutches of the semi-pro football moguls; Schaefer will teach French in ten easy lessons as soon as he masters it himself; Barrett is an omnivorous reader—of everything but schoolbooks; Jack Kirk, gets his exercise pursuing a hockey puck; Ed Quinn gets his exercise pursuing a life of leisure. Mr. Clarkson gets his exercise pursuing us and who will dare to call it vicarious?

◆ ◆ ◆ CLASS 3B¹ JANUARY

Jack Mc Kown



SITTING—Loughlin, Fischer, Stuckart, Breslin, Sammon, Cagney, Sheerin. KNEELING—Moriarty, Jurgens, Carroll, Manning, Oliver, Madden, Schaefer, Pollack, Grogan. STANDING—Glynn, Morrell, McGovern, Donovan, Mr. Foley, Hart, Wallin, Murtagh, Parks.

Doug Cagney

SINCE our last year book appearance in '38 we have been metamorphosed to a degree—that is we have lost four of our population through the channels of departure. Re scholastic achievement we are still quite normal, thanks to Jim Morrell and "Long John" Glynn. But brains are not the summum bonum of the classroom. Imagine life without the interruptions of Donovan, the Sage of Bar Harbor or the occasional harangues of "Soap-box" Breslin! Our zenith is reached outside the classroom; with Madden, for instance, a swimmer of exceptional prowess and the mainstay of the basketball five. There's Doug Cagney, class prez and Pollock of the Prep line and what issue of the "Blue Jug" lacks a cartoon from the pen of Jack Hart. Ours is a fair enrollment in debating and sodality, while tennis, fencing and ping-pong know us for what we are. So there you are . . . another year gone . . . another one ahead . . . years may come and years may go . . . we go on forever.

CLASS 3B² JANUARY ♦ ♦ ♦

CLASS 3A¹ JUNE

IT WOULD be difficult to find a better all-around class than that of 3A1. We are ably represented in the field of studies by Appleyard, Cascio, Ciccione, Gill, Hickey, Mullens, McCallion, Schultz, and Walsh. Louprette is a French scholar.

In the sports department, Bob Mullens and Bob Breslin are basketball standouts. Vic Miles is a member of the hockey team. The class basketball team consisted of Cato, Frey, Hickey, Mallon, McManus, Novak, and White.

Dick Hickey

Rod O'Halloran and Bob Wallace are prominent Sodalists. Jack Ross, Student Council Representative, gets pointers on oratory from that old master, Cliff Tollerton. The class officers are: Dick Hickey, President; Bob Mullens, Vice-President; Walt Frey, Treasurer. Rounding out this array of talent are those silent students, Werneken, Gould, and Stofan. We can say, without undue pride, that we have one of the school's outstanding classes.

FIRST ROW—Stofan, Schutz, McManus, White, Louprette. SECOND ROW—Father Higgins, Sallows, Tollerton, Ross, Novak. THIRD ROW—Hickey, Cato, Appleyard, Kenny, Ciccione, Pope. FOURTH ROW—Werneken, Druhan, Ingham, McCallion, Gill, Walsh, Cascio, Gould, Giancola, O'Halloran, Mallon. FIFTH ROW—Wallace, Breslin, Stevens, Miles, Mullens, Frey.



CLASS 3A² JUNE . . .

STUDIES, spirit, and sports are three fields in which our class excels. Powers, Robinson, and Ruger lead the list of scholars. Gehrhardt stars at basketball, ably assisted by Diamond and Milde. Scheid is a swimmer of rare ability. The talented Titus, Goodwin, Nelson, Orr, and Brophy were our contributions to the gridiron. Orr and Schwartz are members of the hockey team. Kelly captained our class basketball team which finished second in the league. Mead starred on this team. Fay is an artist. Calnan, class president, Merrill, Lorenzen, and Sheridan are debaters. Lawrence is a track star.

McNamara, Patterson, and Fuchs look on with a superior air as Bower and Peterson ponder over the orations of Cicero. Rounding out a well-balanced class are two pals, Leinz and Lilly. Altogether, we think, a very talented array. So the class is completed by Joe Calnan, budding sodality columnist, and Griffin Foley, the runner in the world of tomorrow.

Joe Calnan

KNEELING—Williams, Gianquinto, Sheriden, Bower, Peterson, Brophy, McPadden, Parelli, Leinz, Maddock, Nelson, Powers, Fuchs. STANDING—Mr. Devlin, Scheid, Mead, Foley, Milde, Brophy, Gerhardt, Orr, Diamond, Lilly, Titus, O'Leary, Goodwin, Calnan, Beardall, McNamara, Schwartz, Kelly, Heller, Callahan.





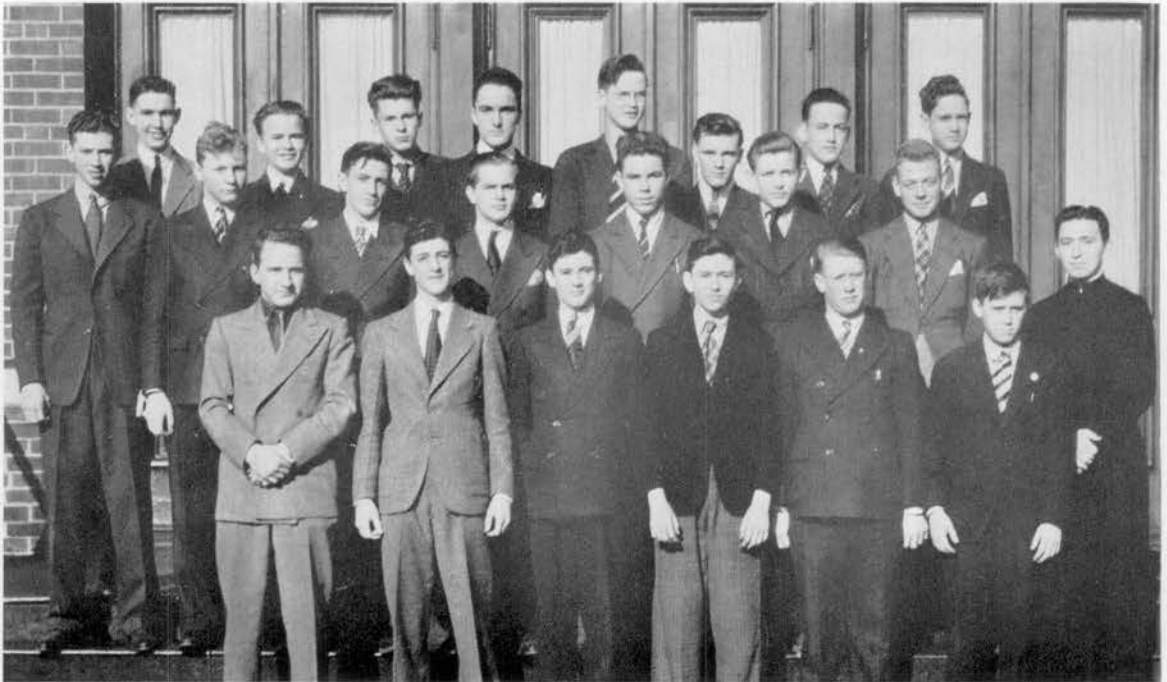
FIRST ROW—Mr. Reiners, Valinoti, Merrill, Sullivan, Fleming. SECOND ROW—Robinson, Vitelli, Gelshion, Heuschkel. THIRD ROW—McNamara, McInerney, Mackay, Mead, Schaeffner, Haag. FOURTH ROW—McCormack, Lightcap, Spaeth, Lawrence, Mulkeen, McElroy, Granger. FIFTH ROW—McElduff, Neusse, Pflug, Scanlon, LaBorne, Fay. SIX ROW—Meagher, Keys, Lorenzen, Lance.

J. F. W. Meagher

WORD hath it that: George Fay, our beadle displays stupendous ability in his inspiring job. The bull-like charges of McCormack and Neusse opened many a hole in the line for backs like Spaeth and LaBorne. President Scanlan received a varsity letter for basketball and Lawrence the same for track. "Smokey" Gelshion, Sullivan, Robinson and Fleming are animated during the exercises by the mellifluent 1-2-3-4 of sonorous Joe Lightcap. Lorenzen, the boxer, no longer fears the luminous, hypnotic eyes of Enrico Vitelli. Remaining as always, those quiet steady scholars, Merrill, Granger and Meagher. The impromptu horse-plays of "Oscar" Schaeffner contribute much to our joviality. Heuschkel is up and about at 6:45 A. M. anticipating Mulkeen by two full hours. Pflug is forever in the groove; John Lance is always up the creek. As long as Joe Valinoti deals in hundreds so long will we be seeing you. And that will be after another year has run its course.

Joe R. Valinoti

◆ ◆ ◆ CLASS 3A³ JUNE



FIRST ROW—Alexander, Gilman, Mahoney, Carney, Reilly, Hennessy. SECOND ROW—Dwyer, McGuire, W. Carlin, Goris, P. Galvin, O'Rourke, Lawson, Mr. Faulkner. THIRD ROW—Cody, Lawrence, Braun, Kenny, P. Smith, Gill, Moore, Conroy.

HEAR YE! Hear ye! The jury will now disclose its findings in the case of Brooklyn Prep VS. the Class of 2B1. We find the defendant guilty of Prep Spirit. Herb Braun and Ben Conroy are ringleaders in an intellectual conspiracy. Tommy Moore another scholar, paced the "Hill and Dale Boys" all during the Fall cross country season while that Gill and Galvin did fancy steps on the gridiron. Sleepy Jim Dwyer did extra snooze duty and the higher the jump why the higher Carlin jumps. Smith and O'Rourke bring tales of the flowers of Bay Ridge . . . Goris, Hennessy, Kenny, Lawson and Alexander are content if they can just bring themselves from Flatbush. Gilman's watch works overtime due to a hungry Reilly-Ferguson combine . . . the sterling plays of Captain Moe Mahoney were the highlight of the junior tournament . . . one thing puzzles: what have a fog, Lawrence and J. A. M. in common? The verdict—continue quo coepistis. The sentence—two years at hard labor and the devil take the slacker.

CLASS 2B¹ JANUARY ♦ ♦ ♦

CLASS 2B² JANUARY

RINGING down the curtain on our underclassmen days at Brooklyn Prep we feel that we have presented and shall continue to present a galaxy of stars who can play their parts to perfection. During the past semester we have enjoyed the tutelage of the finest teachers conceivable and to them we of the class of 2B2 tender our sincere acknowledgment. High in esteem stands diminutive Jerry Maher of footlight fame; McCoy, Notine and Fleck, stellar gridiron warriors all, brought us the intra-mural championship of the school. Austin McCormack, lean, lank and likeable and Bill Kelly, our sodality organist are honor men of the golden seal. There's Edwards of ping and pong fame . . . and Charlie Hagan the junior tennis champ . . . Umla the immigrant boy from Long Beach . . . Murphy and Celano, sodalists than whom there is none more faithful and for class loyalty we nominate Hession, Reed and Dunker. Its a class of which we are all proud and we hope that we shall always be justified in that pride.

FIRST ROW—Dunker, Murphy, Edwards, Foley, Blaber, Celano, Mulvey, Murray, Notine, Kelly. SECOND ROW—Hennelly, Hessian, Dunham, Umla, McCoy, Reid, McCormack, Loth, Fleck, Hagan, Mr. Giegengack.



CLASS 2B³ JANUARY ♦ ♦ ♦

WE KNOW that for the past two years you have glanced at our faces in the Year Book and wondered. However, don't be alarmed. Appearances are deceiving. The Class of 2B3 had a good scholastic rating as well as excellent athletic ability. We were ably represented in all the intra-mural sports as well as the interscholastic ones. While our football team did not win any trophies we finished right up with the leaders. The team consisted of Murphy, O'Connell, Campbell, McDonnell, Nussey, Peters, Payne and Daly. We were also very active in the Sodality.

This term the Class was increased by the arrival of several new members: Culyer, Gauch, Glover, Pisani, O'Donohue and McCarthy. Campbell was the class president, and Daly the beadle. We hope that when you see us again in the '40 Year Book, we may present as good a record as we boast of now.

Mr. Hennessy even has higher hopes; he reads of our boast and he has access to our record so he bids us set a course for the stars.

FIRST ROW—Payne, Arnone, Culyer, Nussey, MacDonald, O'Donoghue, Vachris, Daly, O'Connell, Mr. Hennessy. SECOND ROW—McCarthy, Murphy, Pisani, Campbell, Mulqueen, Senft, Glover. THIRD ROW—Gardner, Hannon, Peters, Gauch.





SEATED—Heller, Mearra, Pinggera, Rambusch, Haerle, Keady, Bruel. KNEELING—Riley, Whelan, Geoghan, Coogan, Castle, Smith, Healy, Keane, Rogers, Newman. STANDING—Mr. Sullivan, Flanagan, Delaney, Sullivan, Cassidy, Sweeney, McNamara, Leonard, Harrs, Lamb, Perham, Cavagnaro.

As we look about room 203 we cannot miss Art Cassidy exercising his bidellic authority much less Bob Coogan, good on the courts and at the books. There's Jack Sullivan, our gift to the varsity football team. And Jim Healy, Ed Whalen, Bill Smith and "Chuck" Sweeney of Jayvee basketball fame are there with Larry Keane who has had two years as basketball manager. Bill Harrs is with the junior racqueteers and Paul Bruel is still the Prep's hope for the mile grind. Our debating nominee . . . Jack Delaney, by all manner of means. Who manages track? Its Keady and Bill Geoghan bodes well for hockey. Then we have Gene Riley, the man with the political bent. Bob Perham is our genial new-comer while Jack Leonard and his capers have taken the blue from out many and many a Monday morn. There is not much room left us to continue our looking about . . . but do come around and look in sometime. Then shall you be convinced of the mighty understatement that has been ours.

Bill Geoghan

♦ ♦ ♦ CLASS 2A¹ JUNE



TOP ROW—Heffernan, Healy, Keating, Cahill, Mr. McMahon, Newbatt, Pizzi, Growney, Connelly. MIDDLE ROW—King, Moran, Beckley, Walters, Cuff, Lilly, Carroll, Collins, Cullen, Sweeney. BOTTOM ROW—Rich, Gallagher, Jameson, Flynn, Pfeifer, Guglielmo, Hurley, Forrest, Mulcahey, Phelan.

“SOPHOMORES think that they are pretty good,” remarked a senior from a position among the clouds. “Think! We know it.” To insure the rectitude of our thought we append the following. At the top of the list is the class president, Joe Pfeiffer, as smart as a steel trap. The athletically inclined inmates (pardon the slip) students do well in their field. “Squeaky” Gallagher crashed the varsity football team and also plays junior varsity basketball and baseball. Sweeney, Walters and Connelly are also jayvee basketballers. Bill Rich, who eats baseballs and likes them as well as apples, looks like a good bet for the varsity. Ed Keating plays at hockey. Hurley, Forrest and Gallagher infest that corner of the room which requires a purge every now and then from Mr. McCabe. Kenny, red headed and a ping-pong demon, does not inhabit the aforementioned corner. Many and many a laugh is provoked by Growney with his auspicious frown. And so there you are!

CLASS 2A² JUNE ♦ ♦ ♦

♦ ♦ ♦ CLASS 2A³ JUNE

IF ANYONE should ask Mr. Giegengack what he thinks of our class, he would probably be answered in no uncertain terms. We admit that we are not the most brilliant class ever to sit in a classroom, but we manage to survive. Bob Farmer is our president and Jerry O'Reilly the vice-president; Kehoe treasures the treasury and Wedlock is the beadle. The deficiency of brain matter is partially recompensed by the cheers of O'Keefe and Blair, the beef of Barbu and Tynion, the swimming of Reddington and Morton, the basketball of Brennan and Ambraz and Selgas too. These are but a few of our feats and we are willing to wager that many of our teachers will regret the day that promotes us to another class. What will Mr. Wedder do without the incessant chatter of Rock? Where, oh where Mr. Giegengack will you come upon another class so replete with brilliant Latinists and civic minded citizens? Time alone can answer that and until such time we bid you goodbye.

FIRST ROW, KNEELING—Wedlock, Schmitz, Jordan, Murphy, Blair, Hayes. SECOND ROW, KNEELING—Brolley, New, Farmer, Keyhoe, Tynion. FIRST ROW, STANDING—Mr. McKeon, Siesfeld, O'Reilly, Nicoll, Carroll, Mackin, O'Keefe, Trottner, Bingham, Moore. SECOND ROW, STANDING—Collins, Brennan, Bauer, Selgas, Morton, Rock, Ambraz. THIRD ROW, STANDING—Barbu, Redington, Stevens, Barnett.





SITTING—Strype, Klauberg, McCarthy. FIRST ROW—Murphy, Mr. Lahey, Cook, D'Amato, Polglase, Deegan. SECOND ROW—Laurencot, Bajohr, Boylan, McLoughlin, Masterson, Fenn, Martin. THIRD ROW—Aldridge, Miller, Welch, Kopke, McCauley, Brickfield. FOURTH ROW: Sperry, MacCauley, Gallimore, Ready, Beal.

Eugene Boylan

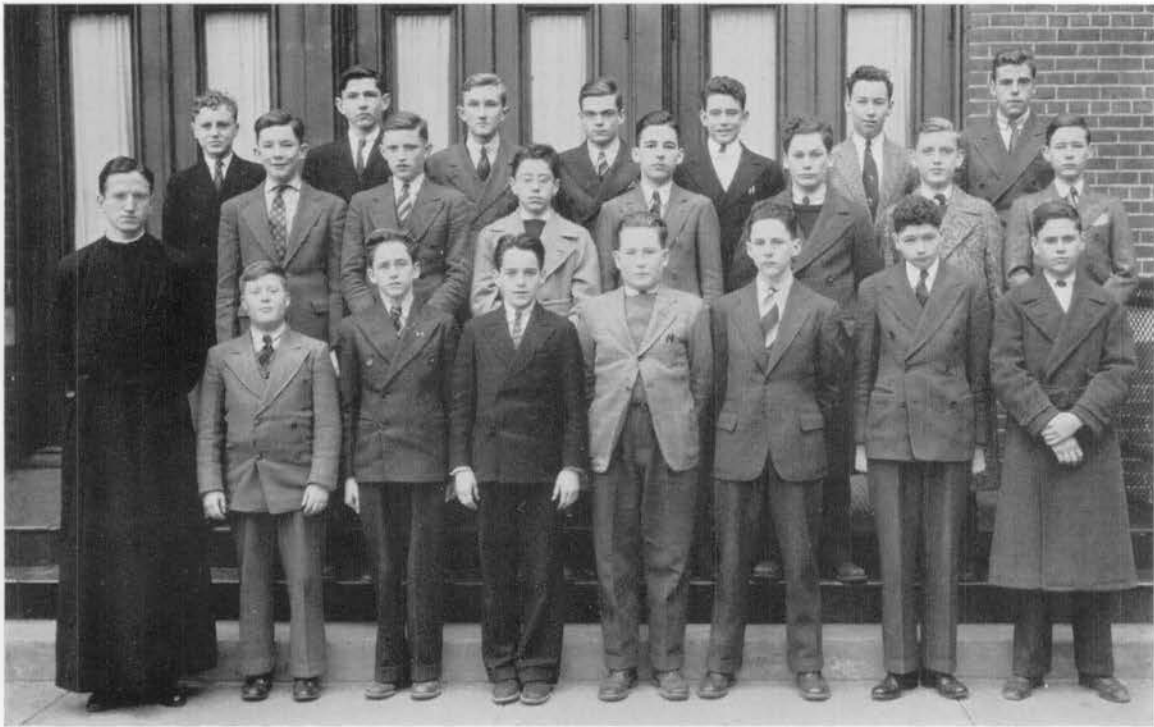
TEN to nine, third floor, room 308 . . . Sperry in a mad dash for his locker, Martin en route from the library and Guilfoyle buying blue books and more blue books (we use them nigh on every day). We have taken our seats . . . in struts "Napoleon" Bajor, encased in long pants for the first time; McCauley checks attendance . . . we take our last (perhaps our first) look at X. D. So it goes in class. In sports, in every sport, there are we . . . Beal and Ready promise much for track . . . Welsh, McCarthy and Polglase are specialists in football. Murphy and D'Amato wield a wicked racquet on the courts and Kopke races close behind the speediest puck. Boylan and basketball are synonymous terms. Towards the end of the term we were asked to lend a hand for the field fund raffle. We loaned a hand and it took in forty dollars in prize money, not to mention an invitation to a banquet. After the feast we went off to the Garden to see the Bruins and the Rangers go at it.

CLASS 1B¹ JANUARY ♦ ♦ ♦

◆ ◆ ◆ CLASS 1B² JANUARY

GENTLE reader, permit me to introduce to you some of the people with whom I come in contact every day in the class of 1B2. In the first seat, there is Johnnie Brennan, who started the football season as waterboy and ended it as quarterback. In the same row is his hardhitting teammate and captain, Jim Chellis. Eddie Orr looks like and is a potential Weissmuller; Herb Lane, class diplomat, still believes the class meeting should have lasted five minutes longer. "Rosey" Rossano never wearies of posing questions for teacher. . . . McMonagle has decided to do right by Mr. McMahon and come out for the quintet. Strang is as quiet in the classroom as he is deadly on the gridiron. Joe Wiseman and John O'Hara are our scholars. Bob Ledermann still insists that "it could mean this, Mister"; so speaking for the class of 1B2, I say adieu until next year when you will hear from us as sophomores; and speaking for myself, this is "ave atque vale."

FIRST ROW—Mr. Meagher, Reilly, Byrne, Lyden, Lane, Brennan, Wiseman, Walsh. SECOND ROW—Orr, Chellis, Rossano, O'Hara, Holahan, Schmittberger, Salmon. THIRD ROW—Enright, McMonagle, Strang, Driscoll, McCoy, Conlon, Saunders.



CLASS 1A¹ JUNE . . .

ONE sunny day in September a group of freshmen stepped over the threshold of Room 206 and entered into their Haven of Knowledge. For the first time the newcomers see the place where they will spend many enjoyable hours. They see the teachers who will use all the tricks of their profession to bring them home under the wire. Little did they know that in their midst were some of the future stars, both athletically and academically, who were going to give their all for "Old Alma Mammy."

The starting center of the Freshman team was "Bricktop" Hodson. A good end and tackle in the order named were Vinnie Soukup and Jerry Walters. The guard was that bruiser, Jack Feder. Some of the more amusing characters in class are Ed Linder, and another red-head, "Fire Brain" Conneely, the "wise-cracker" with the "Greenpernt" vocabulary. The Class Officers are Mulcahy, President; Dolan, Vice-President and McManus, Secretary.

SITTING—Tracy, Dolan, Brunner, Freese, Garside, DeRoberts, McDonough. KNEELING—Oppido, McManus, Leavy, Cassidy, Raverta, Mulcahy, Conneely, Linder. STANDING—Feder, Regan, McLaughlin, Kennedy, Mr. Goode, Walters, Pirundini, Sutton, Gorman.





1st SITTING—Esswein, Hughes, DeMari, L'Episcipo, Schwartau, Mosca, O'Neil, Cuddihy. 2nd SITTING—Downey, Roth, Cavanagh, Vittelli, Burns, Hogan, Lauro, Kelly. STANDING—McCoy, Reilly, Quinn, Bishop, Leonard, Fagan, Larkin, McCarthy, Jameson, Gartierez, McCurdy, Mr. Fernandez.

VERSATILITY is the word for 1-A-2. A jitter-bug of the genuine jittery type is class president Jameson. Our treasurer Jim Mosca, Leonard and Quinn are the kings of the gridiron; beadle Bishop is tops in Latin while historian McCurdy takes another scholastic honor. Those wise-cracking Irishmen, Kelly and McCarthy represent us on the basketball court while De Mari pounds the boards. "Anton" Reilly creates elegant coiffeurs during Latin class; Cavanagh adds his dram of humor to room 207 while Esswein is the Knight faithful. Hughes, McCoy and Roth are our "equites illustres"; Burns, the silent one, is slowly making toward the top while Cruickshank and Cuddihy are able orators. Fagan is our own Prof. Quiz and Hogan is our Guard of Honor consultant. L'Episcopo, Vitelli, O'Neil and Downey round off a spiffy class. We are represented in the orchestra, Blue Jug, debating, sodality, dramatics and so we ask you: Are we not quite the real thing?

◆ ◆ ◆ CLASS 1A² JUNE



FIRST ROW—Yates, Detwiller, Durham, Rattinger, Moran, Ryan, O'Neill. SECOND ROW—Mr. McCarthy, Hughes, Wafer, Winters, Conway, Adams, Simmons, Otters, Olsen, Devlin, Shannon, Dondero. THIRD ROW—Sullivan, Stabler, Donlan, Gilway, McGuire, McCullough, Lankenau.

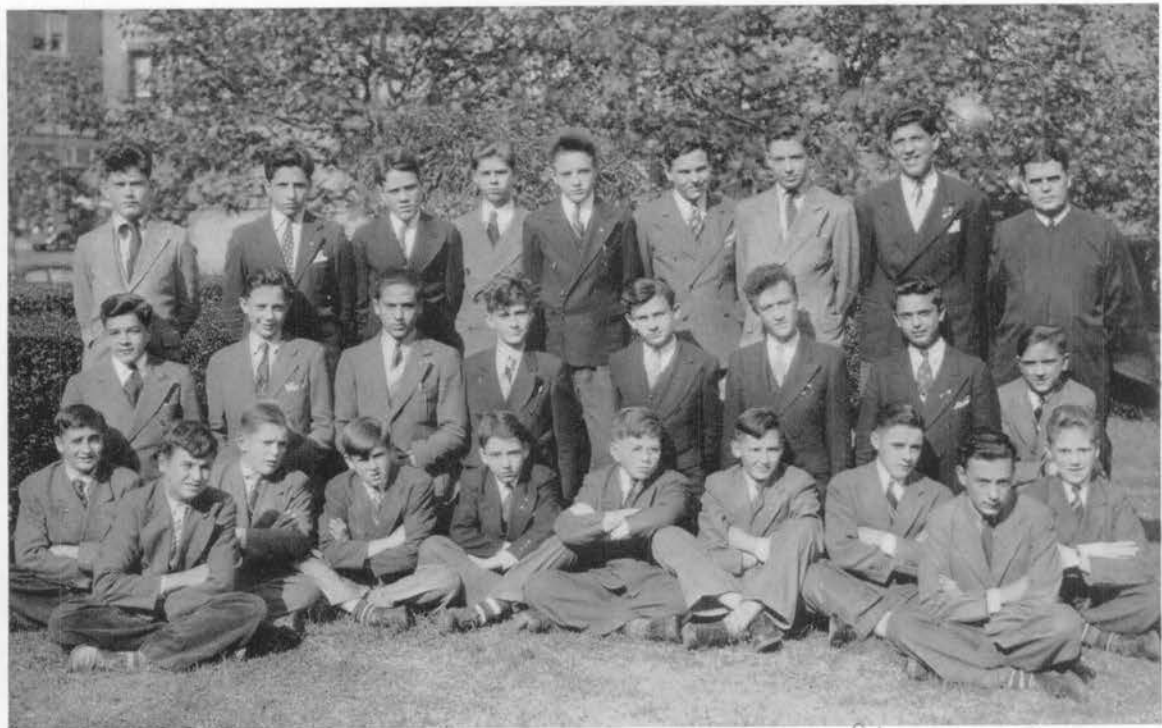
WHEN we first entered the halls of Brooklyn Prep it was a sore disappointment to realize that we were shorn of the high and mighty airs breathed by those of the upper grades. We soon adjusted ourselves to our new environment. Glancing over our new and strange class we discovered Jack Winters promising all sorts of things in football and baseball. Bob Lankenau already had that scholarly something about him; Ryan's wit was already beginning to bubble; Detwiller had already been launched on a career in the class presidency, while Donlan was learning to become adept at collecting and caring for the filthy lucre. When the footlights of the Academy of Music called, we sent John O'Neill to answer. Came the Spring and warmer weather, came a new game, volley-ball, came also Jack Adams and Gene Olson to take advantage of it all. We are becoming used to things now and by the time we appear in these pages again we will be the real thing.

CLASS 1A³ JUNE . . .

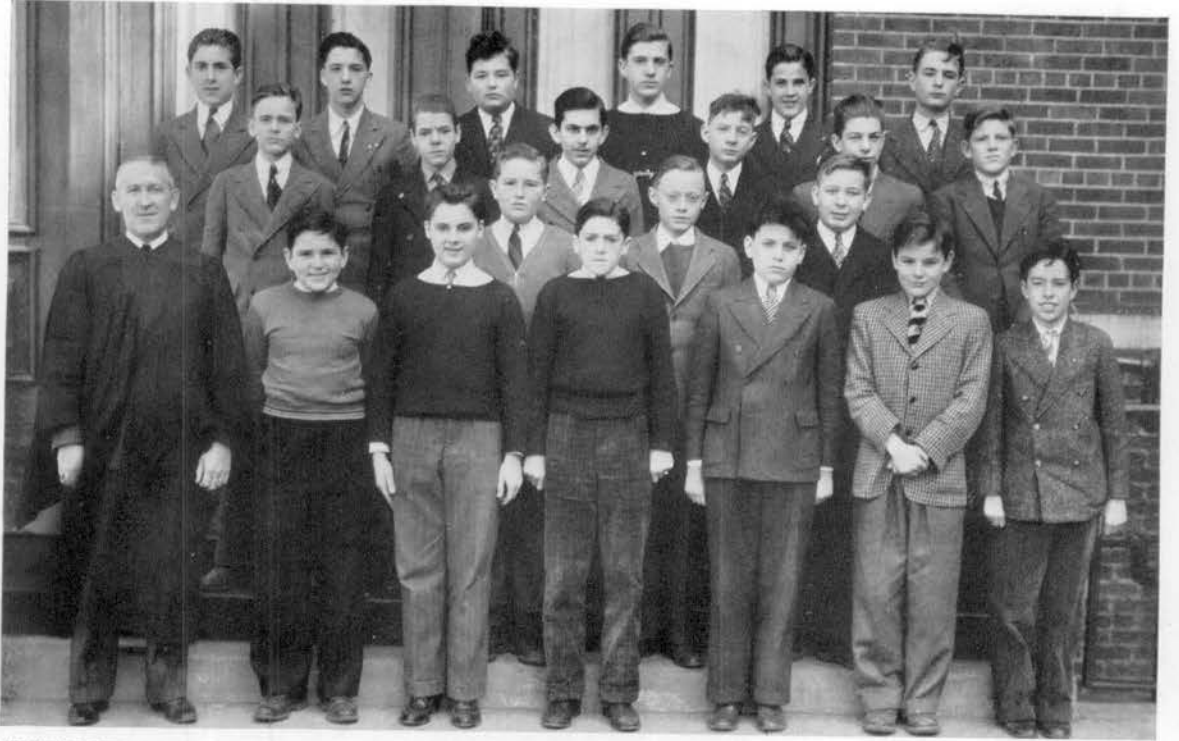
♦ ♦ ♦ CLASS 1A⁴ JUNE

SEPTEMBER 1938 found a new group of Freshmen entering the halls of Brooklyn Prep soon to partake of Prep teaching, traditions and athletics. Foremost in a talented array is Jack Murray, class humorist and hockey mainstay. Don Tynion is president. Tony Mulé will be Herbert's successor at basketball. Football claims Golden, Kane and Farrell. Beardall and Doran vie for best wisecracks. Holm is on the swimming team. "Red" Carroll plays with the orchestra. Johnnie McCabe gained honorable mention for his acting in "Penrod." Our orator is Logomasini while Xiques excels at ping pong. Stapleton, Sauchelli and McDuffee a battery of fun ignore O'Brien who seeks honors in the vocal department. McEntee, Crowley and Mercurio are basketball headliners. Bruzzese, Latin scholar; Cantwell, Fuchs, McBride and Williams round out this array. Stout fellows, one and all. Crager, eyeing you sceptically from the corner down there really is not as bad as the photographer would have him.

TOP ROW, STANDING—Carroll, Mulé, McEntee, Stapleton, Crowley, Golden, Murray, Mercurio, Mr. Lyne. MIDDLE, KNEELING—Tynion, Cantwell, Bruzzese, O'Brien, Logomasini, Williams, Souchelli, Xiques. BOTTOM ROW—Beardall, Kane, Holm, Farrell, McDuffee, Fuchs, McBride, McCabe, Crager, Doran.



Johnnie McCabe



FIRST ROW—Mr. Lahey, Lawless, Lisankie, Boles, Scott, Schmitz, Hanley. SECOND ROW—Leavy, Slottman, Antz. THIRD ROW—Reilly, Blehl, Coliccio, Beyer, Esswein, Braunreuther. FOURTH ROW—Griffin, DePeter, Steinbugler, Saunders, O'Leary, Schaefer.

ON FEBRUARY 1, 1939, when the students of the Prep gathered for their assembly, it was for many the beginning of another term but for the freshmen themselves it was the start of a new life. Though 1A1 is last, it is not least. Members of the class are already going places in the activities they have entered. Jerome Lisankie, a scholarship man, is our beadle; Josephy O'Leary fills the office of secretary and treasurer; Lawless, Reilly, Blehl and Smith represent us on the Student Council. The aforementioned, together with Slottman are members of the Bellarmine Debating Society. In the good ol' realm of sports Scott and De Peter are prominent in the way of baseball. Coliccio and Schaeffer are giving their all to the orchestra. Esswein, Braunreuter and Schmitz raise the turf of Prospect Park Fridays at two o'clock sharp. Thus have we started on our way and thus we hope to continue. One guarantee that we shall continue will be our perseverance in the spirit with which we started.

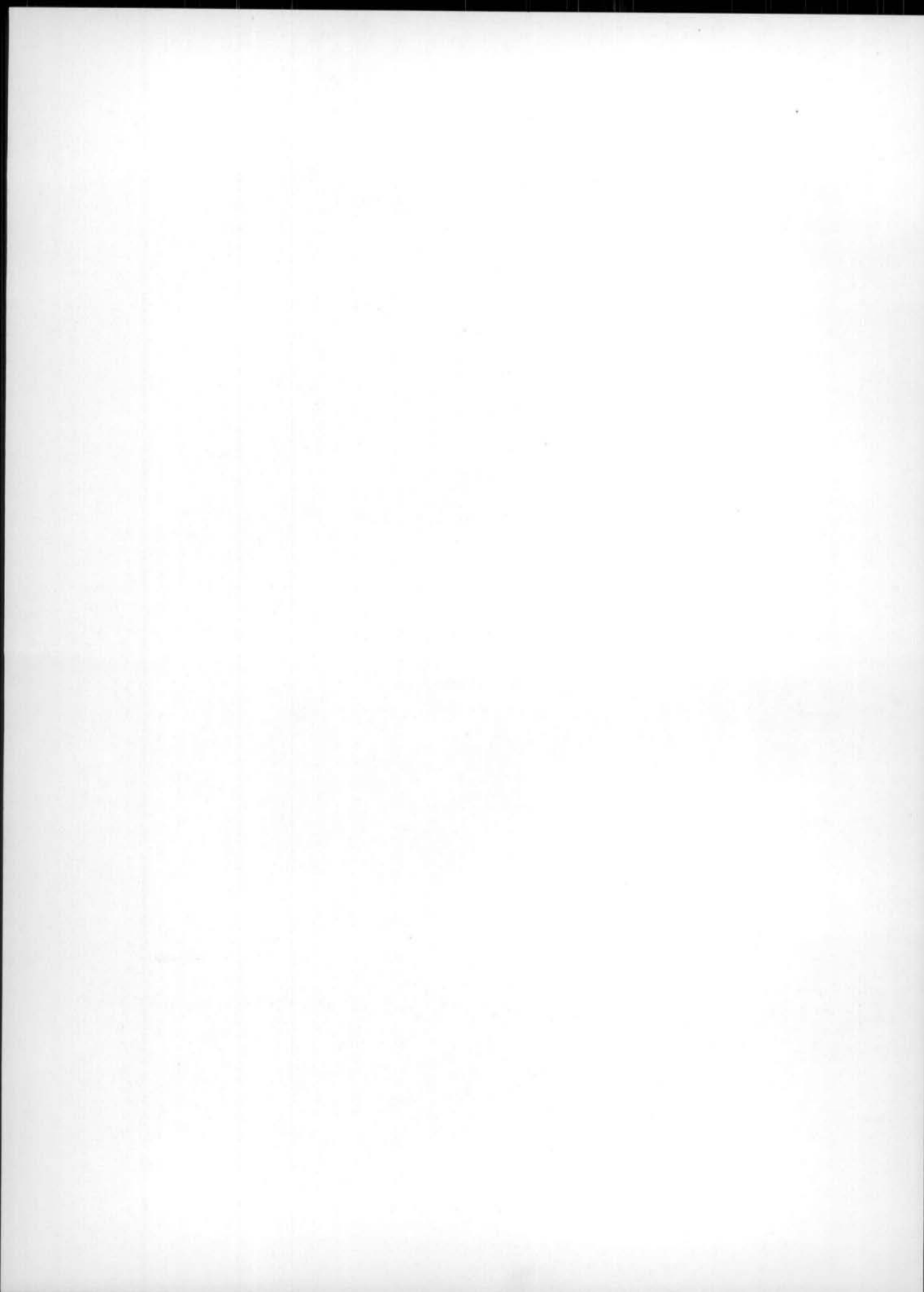
CLASS 1A¹ JANUARY . . .

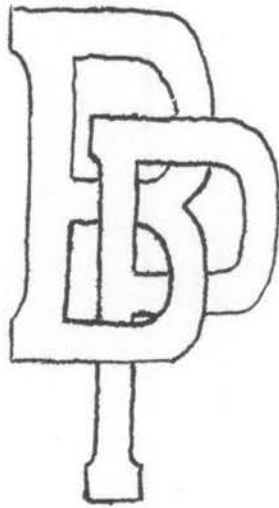
♦ ♦ ♦ CLASS 1A² JANUARY

You may as well take a good long look at us now, because that is what everybody is doing. We are beginners, fellows who are looking over the Prep, conscious that the Prep is at the same time looking us over, hoping that within four years each shall find what each is looking for. Scholarship is not to be mentioned herein, excepting for the fact that Jimmy Casey is our representative of "How to get in the Prep for nothing"—our scholarship man. Classroom activities may be summed up in our comedian, Frank Ciannella. His mastery of the Italian language has put many spasms of laughter between learnings. Our athletes are numerous, so much so that it is too difficult to enumerate them. The track is pounded by many a fellow classman; we had a brief part in ice hockey, a better part in basketball and a fair share of baseball. Debating, as well as the BLUE JUG have also felt our presence. Believe it or not but it is a group like the one above that makes the Prep.

FIRST ROW—Lynch, Pollock, Higgins, Hagan, Casey, Baxter, Walsh, Angalo, Menendez, Mr. Meagher. SECOND ROW—Reynolds, Brownson, Hart, McKeon, Weeks, Slevin, Cianella. THIRD ROW—Spaldo, L'Episcopo, Leonard, Kavanagh, Brown, Shields, McLean, Geory.







ACTIVITIES

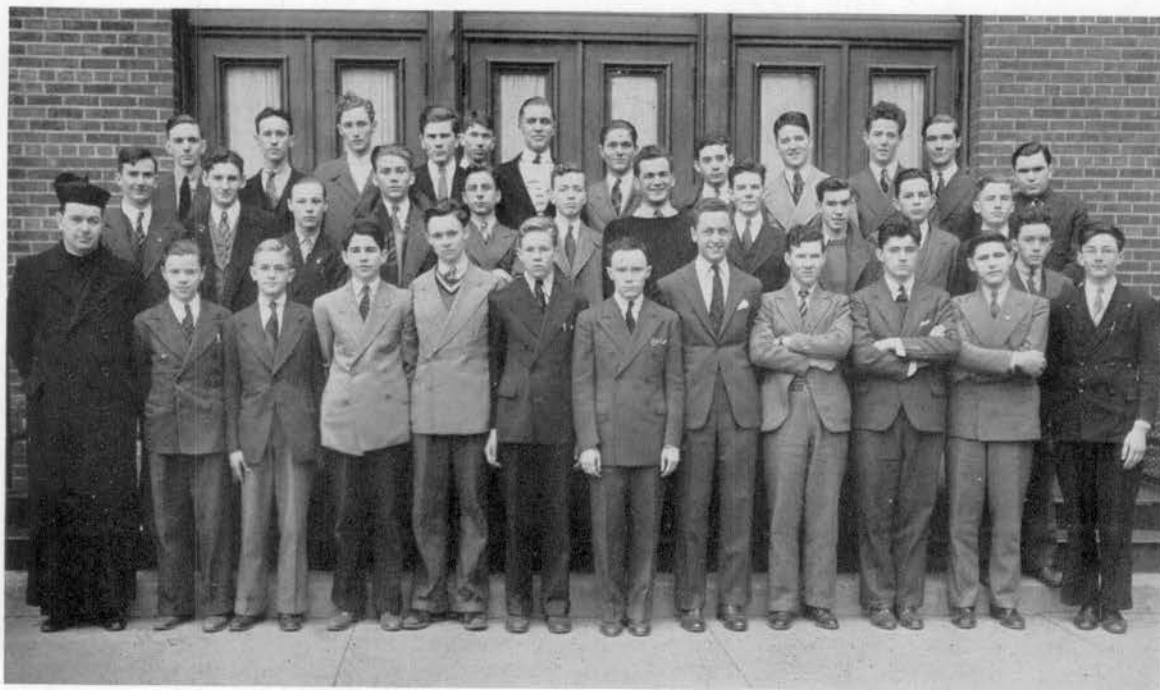
SODALITY

THE purpose of the Sodality is to turn out leaders who will carry out in their daily lives the principles of Catholic Action and who will by their Catholic methods of living set the example for the outside world to follow. The Senior Sodality of Brooklyn Prep is doing just that. Year upon year the Sodality sends forth men who show that they are leaders and who are well able to carry out into the world the torch of Catholic truth. Men have left the Prep Sodality upon graduation to higher things and have carried with them the principles which have been impressed upon them during their four years in the Sodality. These men have proven themselves leaders and have courageously set forth in their later lives those principles which they learned to cherish in their years of instruction in the Sodality. Principles are nothing unless translated into action.

The Senior Sodality is still carrying on this work under the direction of Father James Higgins, S.J. His talks and instruction are filled with the zeal and fire that he wishes to impart to the Sodalists before him. His able leadership is fully capable of moulding leaders from the group of faithful Sodalists who frequent the Students' Chapel every Thursday morning. These future leaders are those who will have to carry the standard which has been set before them.

Under Father Higgin's guidance the various branches of the Sodality have flourished. The Christian Doctrine section is still engaged in capably teaching Christian Doctrine classes. The Vigilance Committee holds regular meetings while the Guard of Honor and Minute Men sections join in that prime requisite of Catholic living—prayer.

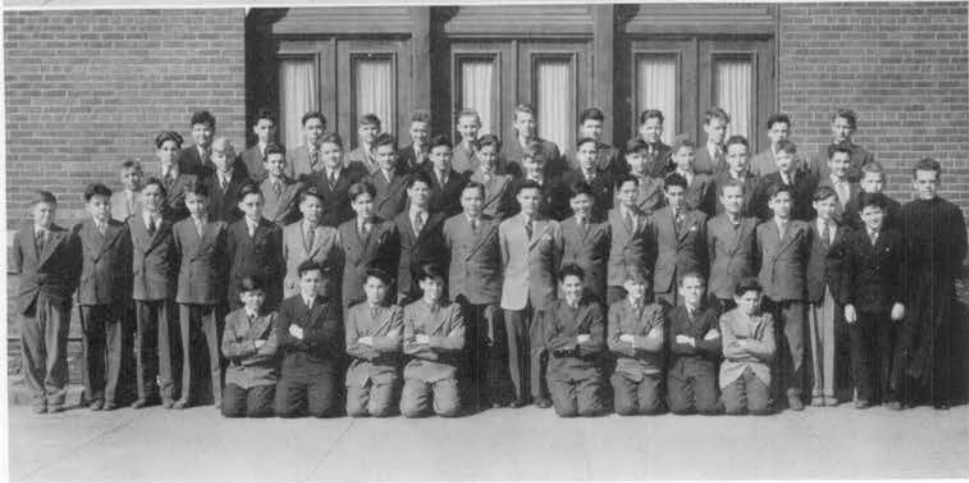
THE SENIOR SODALITY



SECOND
YEAR



FIRST
YEAR



"*AD JESUM Per Mariam*" was the principle which guided our activities during the year. Every Tuesday morning at 8:30 we met in the Prep Chapel to recite the office of Our Blessed Mother and to hear some phase of her life discussed by our Moderator. Practically every one of the sixty sophomore sodalists joined the Guard of Honor and Minute Men. Many others were members of the Frequent Holy Communion Club and the Mission Stamp Exchange. A fruitful source of sodality activity was the "Ecclesiastical Latin Club" composed of several of our group who met weekly to study the literature of the Church.

SODALITY is a purely voluntary activity whose driving force must come from within. Within it are the Knights of the Blessed Sacrament and the Guard of Honor. Members of the former hear Mass and receive Holy Communion every Friday morning in the auditorium; the latter consists of a group of volunteers who watch one day a week for the ten minutes of their recess period before the tabernacle of the Prep chapel. Sooner or later, after the shouting and the tumult die, we shall learn that Catholic Action must first begin with one's own self, if ever it is to extend to one's own neighbor. Sodality, we repeat, is a terribly personal thing.

STUDENT COUNCIL



WILLIAM CALLERY
President



EUGENE LAWLESS
Vice-President



EDWARD MELVIN
President



JEROME O'HARA
Vice-President

Jerry O'Hara

DURING this, the tenth year of its existence, the Student Council has accomplished much towards the improvement of extra-curricular activity at the Prep. It may be said that the administrations of both William Callery and Edward Melvin were equally successful.

William Callery took office for the first term in September, 1938. Eugene Lawless and Raymond Smith were vice-president and secretary respectively. During the term the Council sponsored football, basketball and ping-pong tournaments between the classes. The basketball league was composed of all the classes and each team wore uniforms with the class color. Great interest and enthusiasm were manifested and the winners of the Senior and Junior divisions were presented with basketball jackets.

Under the guidance of the Council a successful social was tendered to the football team. The dance, as usual, took place after the annual St. John's game, in the Prep auditorium. The music was furnished by Arthur Thursland and his "Sophisticated Swing."

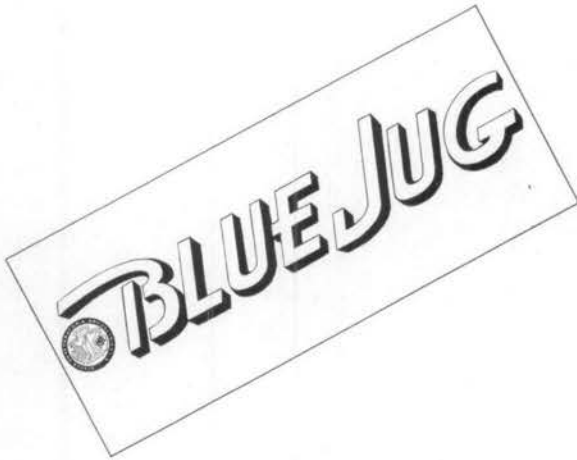
Upon the graduation of William Callery, Edward Melvin succeeded to the office of the presidency while Jerome O'Hara was elected to the vice-presidency and Eugene Lawless took over the secretarial duties.

The new term continued the intra-mural activities and focussed interest upon them throughout the school. The Council ran another basketball tournament on the same plan as the previous one. The league play continued until after Easter because the baseball field was under construction and not available for a baseball tourney. The ping-pong contest was concluded to the content of its enthusiasts. Father Coffey, director of athletics, instituted a new sport, among the classes of the Prep. He conducted a volley-ball tournament in two divisions to help the efforts of the Council in stirring up intramural activity. The Senior division consisted of all classes in third and fourth year while second and first years made up the Junior division. The success of the 1939 outing was due largely to the support and the enthusiasm manifested by every member of the organization. With the outing over and gone and Council officers elected for the new year the business of the Student Council was concluded for the year '38-'39.



The
Student
Council

BLUE JUG



EQUIPPED with a remarkable editorial staff the "Jug" was not only received with enthusiasm by the Prep student body but merited well of the Catholic Press Association. In the first term, William Callery headed the paper as editor-in-chief; assisting him were Eugene Lawless, assistant editor, and Edward Gallagher, sports editor. During the second term, the "Jug" reached a new high, celebrating its tenth anniversary. Under the new editor-in-chief, Eugene Lawless, the paper published a special edition, featuring interviews with past editors and famous alumni. Edward Melvin did a great job writing the "Sports Short" column and serving as Sports Editor. Another combination that met with success was William Kiefer and Joseph Sheerin, wielders of the pens behind the all important "Round the Prep"; likewise were they Assistant and News Editor respectively. The task of Business Manager was capably executed by Richard Hickey.

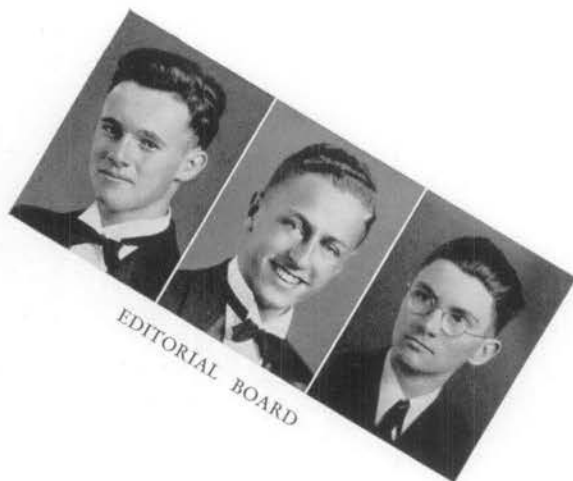


BLUE JUG
STAFF

BLUE BOOK

SINCE late November of last year, the Blue Book staff has been hard at work in an effort to make the 1939 Year Book every bit as good, and, if possible, even better than its predecessors. Much time and energy has been expended by the Editors and it is hoped that the finished product will meet with the approval of the students of Brooklyn Prep.

The Editors here wish to acknowledge the debt they owe to the Moderator, Mr. Theodore J. Clarkson, S.J. Whatever success the book attains is due, in great measure, to his untiring and unselfish efforts. This year the staff was exceptionally small. Serving as co-Editors were William Harrington and Edward Melvin. Harrington also acted as Business Manager. William Whelan and Kenneth Gallagher filled the position of Associate Editors. Joseph Walsh and John Meagher had the important roles of Staff Artist and Staff Photographer, respectively.



BLUE
BOOK
STAFF

PREP PLAYERS



JEROME MAHER
Gold Medal

JOHN LYDEN
Silver Medal

THE PLAY

The Cast of Characters

Tim	Vincent Mallon
Della, the Schofield cook.....	John McCabe
Mary Schofield, Penrod's mother.....	James Fee
Mr. Bassett.....	Thomas Cody
Jarge	Thomas Bennett
Robert Williams.....	Eugene Lawless
Henry P. Schofield, Penrod's father.....	John Lapham
Margaret Schofield, Penrod's sister.....	John O'Neill
Herbert Hamilton Dade.....	William Harrington
Penrod Schofield.....	John Lyden
Sam Williams.....	Jerome Maher
Georgie Bassett.....	William Schwartau
Rev. Lester Kinosing.....	Francis McNamara
Herman	Herbert Rambush
Verman	Joseph Valinoti
Mr. Coombes, Chief of Police.....	Raymond Larkin



Under the able direction of Mr. Stuart Fox, who was celebrating the tenth anniversary of his association with Prep, "The Brooklyn Prep Players" presented one of the most successful plays in the history of that group.

The title of the play was "Penrod", adapted by Edward E. Rose from the Booth Tarkington book of the same name. The first performance, a matinee, was given for the Religious on December 8, while the performance for the Students and their relatives and friends was presented on the evening of December 9. Both of these performances were given at the Brooklyn Academy of Music.

The finished product, the result of two months of hard labor, furnished laughter, romance and villainy to an eager audience.

Most of the laughter was stirred up by those mischievous youths, Penrod (John Lyden), Sam (Jerome Maher), Herman (Herbert Rambush), Verman (Joseph Valinoti) and Georgie (William Schwartau). For their

sincere efforts to track that "horsethief Dade" to his lair and their comic efforts to escape detection caused the audience to laugh long and often.

However, a great deal of mirth was also provoked by Mr. Schofield (John Lapham), who played his role of the distracted father perfectly. Also on the humorous side were the Irish cook, Della (John McCabe), Rev. Kinosling (Francis McNamara), and Jarge (Thomas Bennett).

The romance was handled by Bob Williams (Eugene Lawless) and Margaret Schofield (John O'Neill) under the watchful eye of Mrs. Schofield (James Fee).

Mr. Dade (William Harrington) aroused the dislike of the audience in his role of the suave confidence man and Tim (Vincent Mallon) also incurred a bit of odium in his role of the supposedly reformed crook. It fell to the lot of Chief Coombes (Raymond Larkin) and Mr. Bassett (Thomas Cody) to reveal these villains and they accomplished their aim successfully.

The gold and silver medals for the two best performances of the night were awarded to Jerome Maher and John Lyden, respectively. Honorable mention went to Eugene Lawless, James Fee, John McCabe and John O'Neill. The winners of the honorable mentions were awarded three silver dollars by the coach of the play, Mr. Fox.



PENROD



ORCHESTRA

THREE years have passed since the reorganization of the orchestra as a Prep activity made it a successful and flourishing activity. Many new students reported in September along with those returning from last year. Immediately, its director, Mr. Sobel, started work for the season's debut at the Academy of Music.

The annual play "Penrod" occasioned the debut. Their efforts were rewarded with further encores at school events. The Christmas entertainment, Parents' Night, the Elocution and Oratorical contests, all heard the nascent maestros. Applause begot further appearance which in turn begot applause. A blue military jacket and white ducks were as easy on the eyes as their trained and perfect renditions were upon the ears.

In view of this crowning success, it must be realized that too much credit cannot be given to Father Klocke and Mr. Sobel. To the former for his untiring efforts to bring new members into the outfit and to the latter for the excellent direction he has given the orchestra and the endless hours he has spent in coaching the newer musicians. Years hence, many a fretful hour and not a few weary voids may owe their rapid rout to this interest we were taught to foster in the sunshine of our youth.



LIBRARY

THE Library has long been the center of intellectual activity at the Prep. Its doors, continually open to the student, summon him to partake of the vast knowledge contained in the multitude of volumes therein. It furnishes to the student opportunities of reading both for reference and for pleasure. Such opportunities are well afforded among the shelves of books and periodicals which have steadily increased in number together with the scope of the Library during the years of its existence.

The Library owes much of its success to the guidance of Dr. FitzGerald, Faculty Librarian, who has labored incessantly to advance the Library for the sake and benefit of the students of Brooklyn Prep. Much credit goes also to the Library Staff for their efforts in aiding Dr. FitzGerald and in their care of the Reading Room and the bookshelves.

Through the cooperation of the Faculty, interest in the Library has been increased by the many exhibits which have been shown on the Reading Tables and in the various exhibit cases of the Reading Room. These exhibits include some of the earliest printed books and other antiques which prove of educational value and interest to the students.



SR. DEBATE

AD PERPETUAM rei memoriam . . . activity and success have marked the Campion Debating Society of 1939. Debates with Regis, Loyola of Baltimore, Friends' School, St. Peter's and also with many high schools that participated in the Kew Forest Debate contest provided the Prep debaters an opportunity to display their forensic talents and add new laurels to those of the past. The first public debate took place at Regis High School. Ed Gallagher, Jack Albertine and Gene Lawless defended the government's duty to provide for needy citizens. Although Prep lost a very close decision, Fr. John Smith, S.J., debate moderator at St. Peter's College, gave his vote wholeheartedly to our debaters. In the Kew Forest contest seventy-five teams participated. Prep debaters were the runners-up in two semi-final contests and gave an excellent account of themselves in the finals. A victory over Friends' School of New York City was the next major event. Soon after that Loyola High School fell a prey to the fiery oratory and persuasive logic of the Prep team represented by Hickey, Valinoti and Lawless. The weekly debates afforded all the members of the society the chance to exercise the art of public speaking and argumentation. Open forums proved most popular.



JR. DEBATE

TRUE it is that the time to start gaining experience for public speaking is from the first years of high school. With this in mind and the added incentive of representing the Prep in interscholastic debates, the first and second year debaters completed an enthusiastic year and, we add with pride, a successful one. The first test came when three of our teams were entered in an interscholastic competition with seventy-six teams representing the junior and senior debating societies of twenty-five other schools. In the first eliminations at Dwight School one of our teams survived the opposition of twenty-five teams to reach the finals. That, we think, is sufficient testimony of the oratorical ability of our representatives. Later in the year our teams engaged those of Fordham Prep, St. Peter's Prep and Regis. Spurred on by the active leadership of Presidents Thomas Cody and Robert Farmer, weekly meetings showed that same vigor, knowledge of current world problems and capable argument which characterized our interscholastic debates. All this may seem too optimistic a review, a necessary note of such histories, but we know it is justified by what we think is a genuine resurgence on the part of Prep students of the true results of debating.



FRENCH CLUB

LE CLUB Français est un petit groupe social dont le but est la perfection de la prononciation, l'appréciation de la culture française et l'amusement des membres du club. Tous les mercredis nous nous réunissons dans la Salle Française à trois heures moins quart. Nous parlons en français, à chaque reunion, des évènements du jour. Chaque membre a l'opportunité d'exprimer ses idées parce que c'est cela qui aide sa connaissance de la langue française.

Cette année nous avons assisté aux représentations du theatre français à New York—le Théâtre des Quatre Saisons—et nous sommes allés plusieurs fois au cinéma.

Il faut que l'on soit un bon élève avant que l'on devienne membre du Club Français. A cause de cette règle nous avons un groupe choisi qui a beaucoup d'enthousiasme pour la langue française et qui a fait beaucoup de progrès pendant l'année passée. Notre saison a été très heureuse et bien qu'il y ait quelques membres qui partiront cette année, les autres qui resteront dans le Club se dévoueront, avec l'aide des nouveaux membres, au progrès continuel de notre petite société.

RICHARD POWERS 4 B 2
JOSEPH McDONALD 4 B 2



GERMAN CLUB

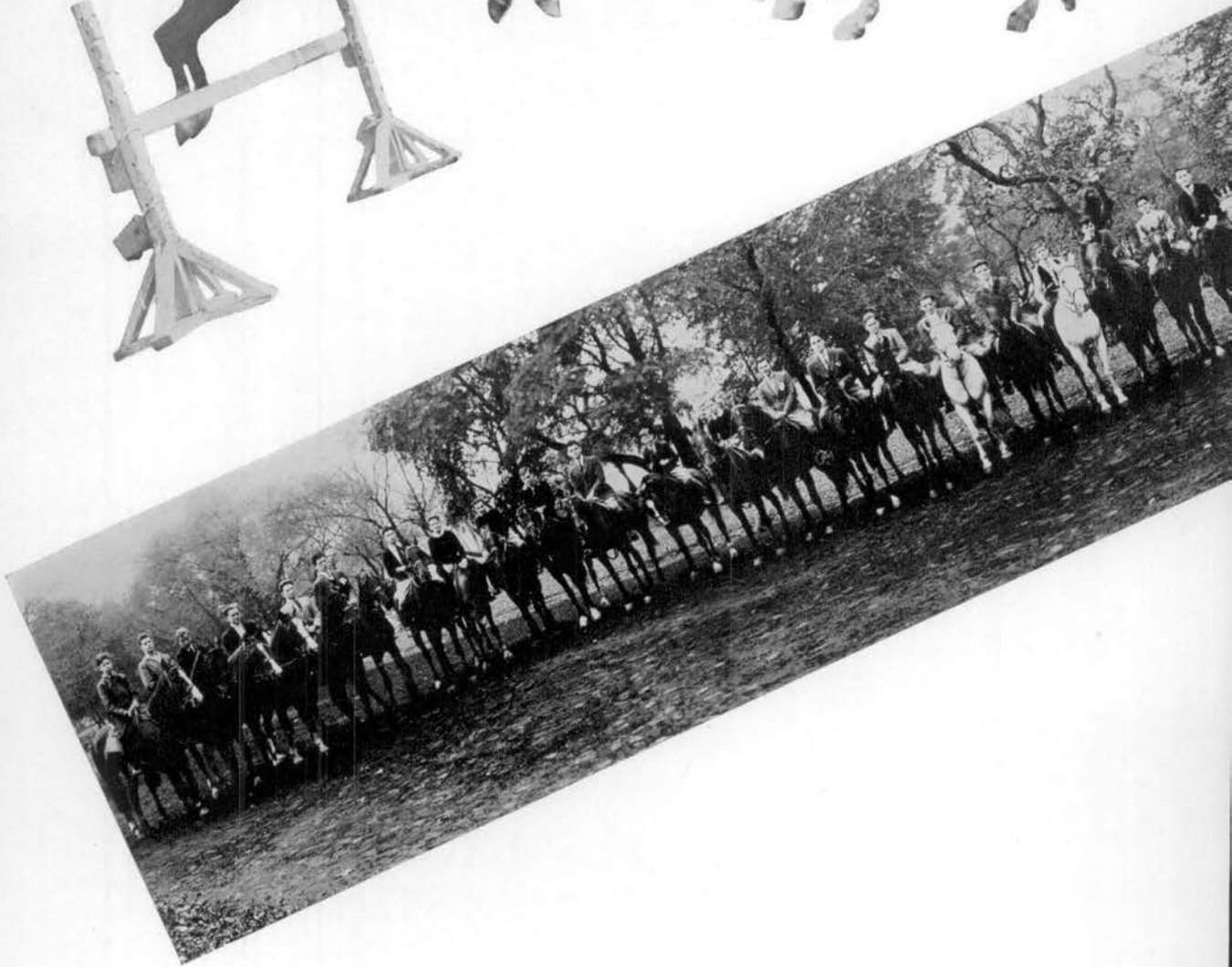
Seit dem Jahr 1934 hat der Deutsche Verein, die älteste Neusprachliche Genossenschaft der Prep, den größten Erfolg und die eifrigste Mitwirkung der Mitglieder gewonnen. Trotz der Schwierigkeit, eine Sprache wie das Deutsche zu bewältigen, nimmt eine große Studentenanzahl in den Klubtätigkeiten teil.

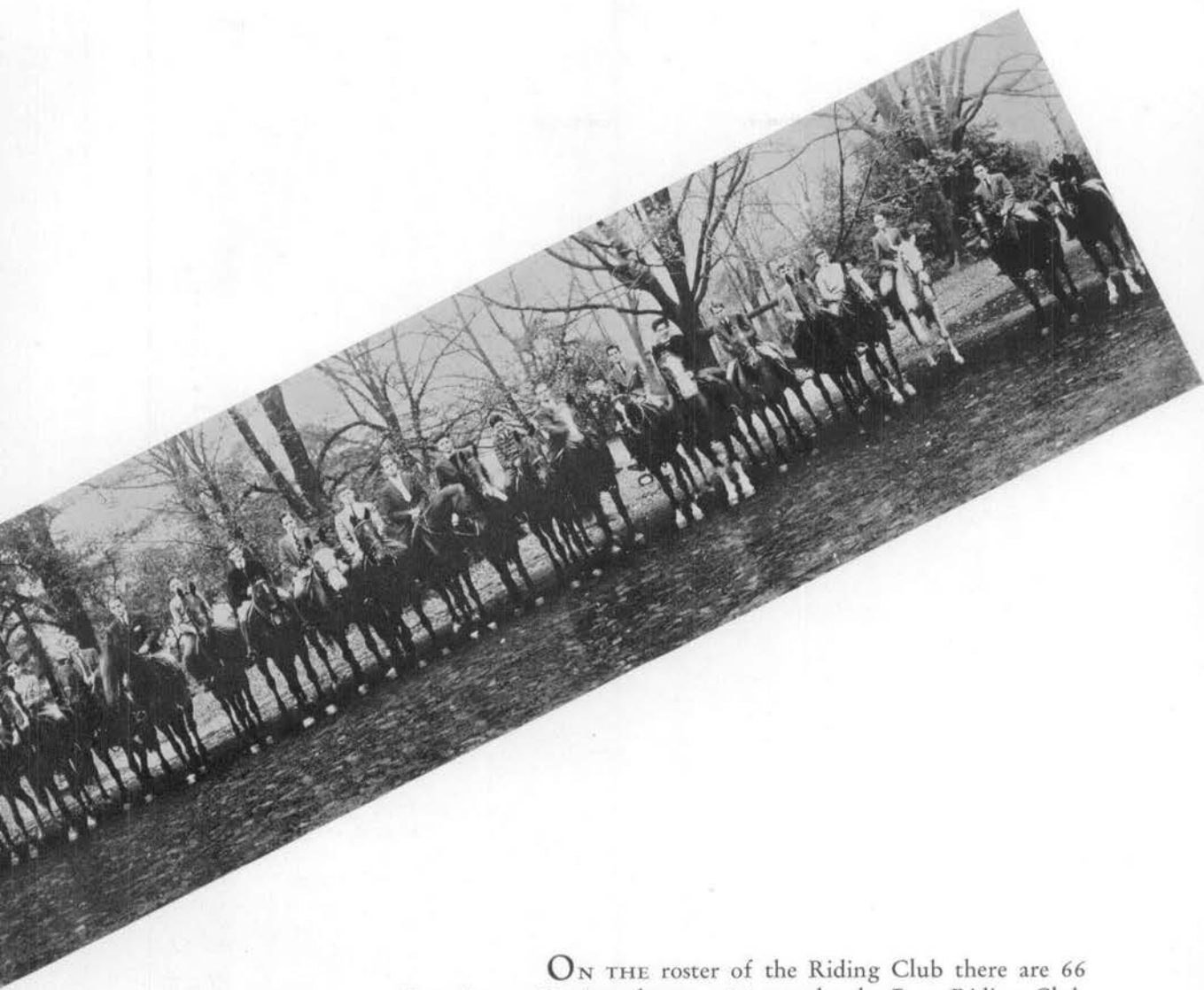
Im letzten Jahrgang haben sich die Mitglieder zweimal jeden Monat versammelt, um Rätselspiele zu spielen und Unterhaltungen zu führen. Auch zweimal hat der Verein Ausflüge in den deutschen Bezirk New Yorks gemacht um der Vorstellung eines deutschen Tonfilms beizuwohnen und später einen geselligen Abend zusammenzufeiern.

Das Schauspiel „Der Bauer und der Advokat“ von Johann Lee geschrieben und geleitet wurde im Dezember vor dem Verein und vielen Besuchenden dargestellt. Danach hielt der Pater Klocke eine interessante Rede über die Schönheit und Nützlichkeit des Deutschen. Im Frühling wurde „Schultage“, ein Drama von Ruprecht Günther und Thomas Bennett geschrieben, vorgestellt und fand großen Beifall.

Schließlich können sich die Vorsitzenden des Vereins während des Jahrgangs 1938-9, Hans O'Hara und Wilhelm Schaer, eines erfolgreichen Jahres rühmen, worin der Verein seine bedeutende Stelle im Leben der Prep unterhalten hat.

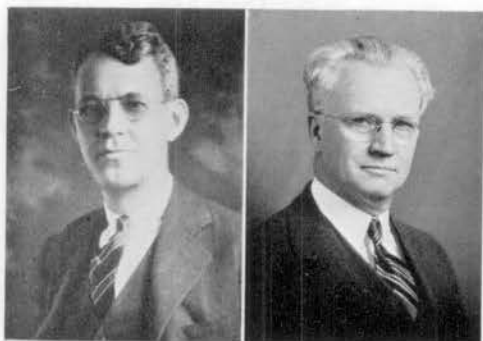
RIDING CLUB





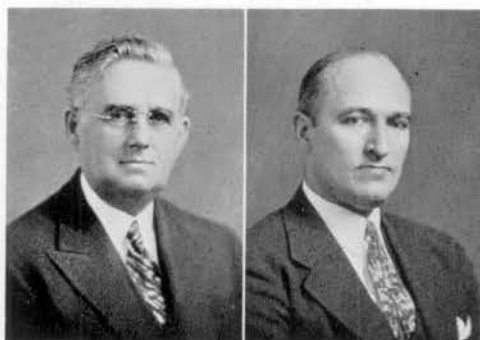
ON THE roster of the Riding Club there are 66 Prep boys. During the past 14 months the Prep Riding Club has averaged 32 riders per week. 42 members have been entered in 3 shows. 13 members have won ribbons, 3 have won trophies. There are at all times at least three experienced riding-masters on hand to teach and train the members of the Club. In this time at least 70 boys have advanced from "scratch" to rightly termed efficiency. Several have learned to jump. All have enjoyed lancing, military formations, music rides, park rides, etc. Once a month a handsome trophy, donated by a friend of the Club, is awarded in competition for the best display of horsemanship. In this event all members of the Club are urged to participate. On one afternoon a week, quite regularly, an hour is devoted to classroom work explaining by chart and pictures the technique of equestrian art. As in all other major sports at Prep, a major athletic letter may be won for riding, and eligibility rules for studies are enforced. That ability to ride is decidedly a lifetime asset, must be readily conceded.

FATHERS GUILD



LEO. J. HART
Treasurer

EDWARD I. CULLEN
President



JAMES D. C. MURRAY
Vice-President

JOSEPH E. BRESLIN
Secretary

ONE of the fondest memories that we shall take forth with us from the Prep is the fact that our fathers had enough interest in us, to devote their time and efforts toward making our stay at the Prep a happy one.

For the four years we were here, our "Dads" helped to make successful the Communion Breakfast, the Annual Card Parties and the yearly Parents' Night celebration. Any profits derived above the annual expenses of the Guild went to make the school a better place to attend. Among the improvements that we saw installed at the school, the new suite of offices stands forth as the best example of work well done.

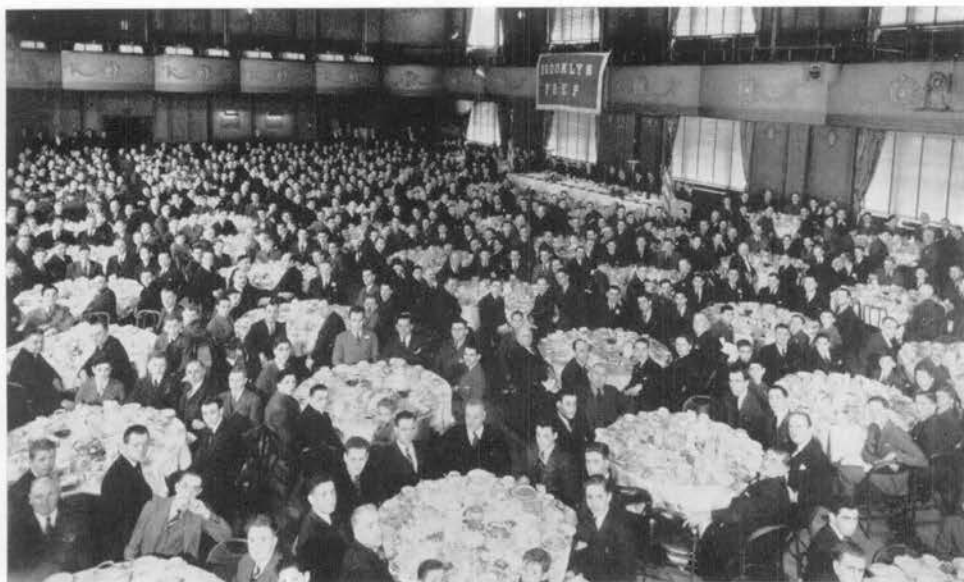
This year the good work was continued as the Guild sought to aid in the fixing of the field. All the proceeds of the Annual Card party were presented to the authorities of the school to this end.

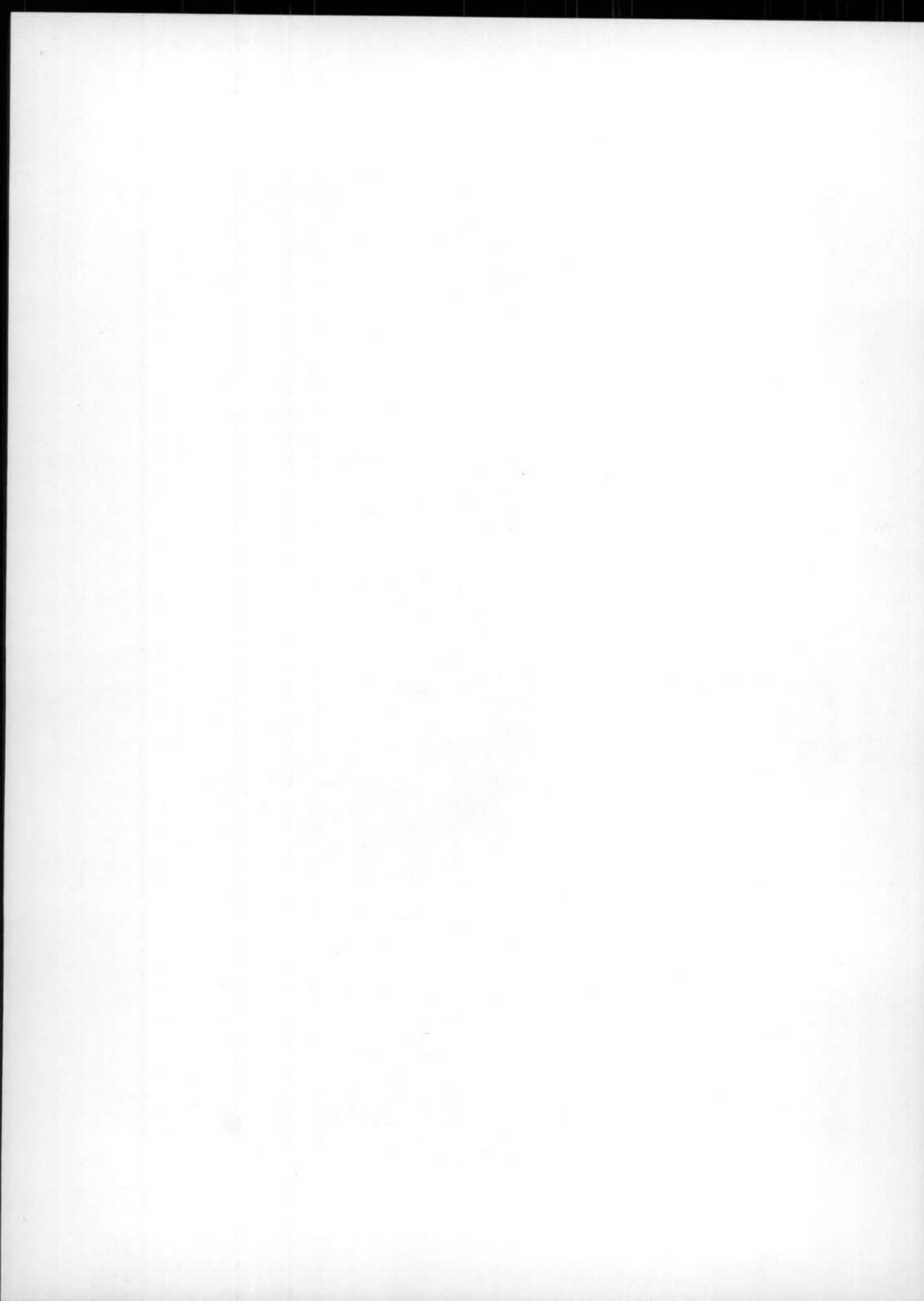
Under its officers the Guild held many interesting meetings throughout the term. The features included moving pictures on the activities of the United States Navy and a lecture on "Oberammergau and the Passion Play" by Dr. Anton Lang Jr.

The first event of the season was the Card Party which was held on the night of January 20, in the Prep auditorium. The Chairman of the general committee was Mr. Walter C. Biggs who was ably assisted by the Chairmen of the various sub-committees.

The next important event on the program was the Communion Breakfast which was held on March 26, Passion Sunday. As in previous years, His Excellency, Rev. Raymond A. Kearney, S.T.D. Auxiliary Bishop of Brooklyn, celebrated the Mass. The speakers at the Breakfast were Rt. Rev. Monsignor Francis P. Connelly, Mr. J. Andrew Burke, Edward Melvin and Rev. Gerald C. Treacy, S.J. Mr. Vincent Mallon was the Chairman of the Committee.

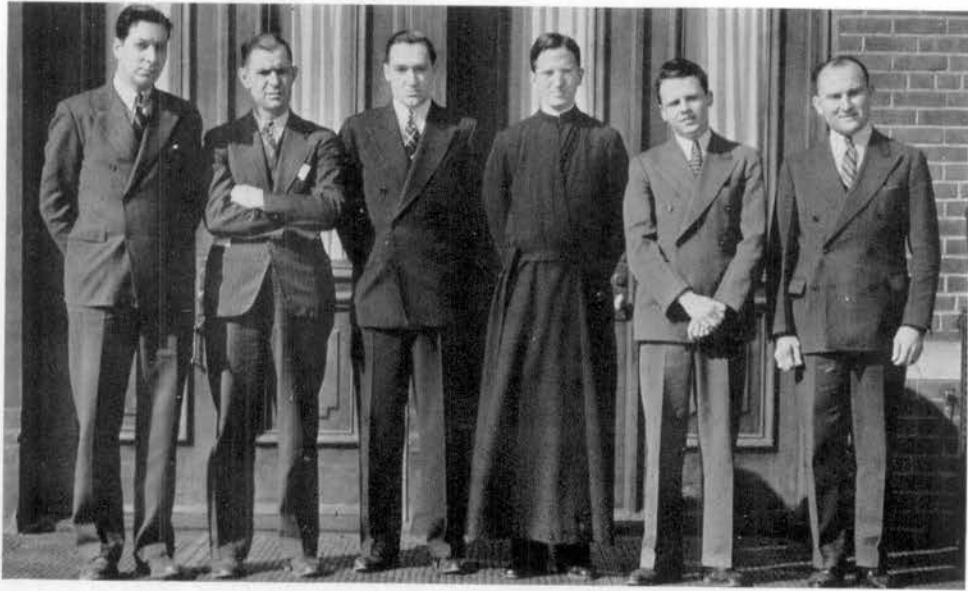
The officers of the Guild for this year were President, Mr. Edward I. Cullen and Mr. James D. C. Murray, Vice-President. Also Mr. Leo J. Hart, Treasurer, and Mr. Joseph E. Breslin.







ATHLETICS



Coaches

Goode

Shanahan

Hambrecht

Meagher

Dobbins

McMahon

PATRICK MEAGHER
Captain, Track Team

ARTHUR HERBERT
Captain, Basketball

JAMES SCANNELL
Captain, Tennis

THOMAS BRAUNWORTH
Captain, Football



FOOTBALL

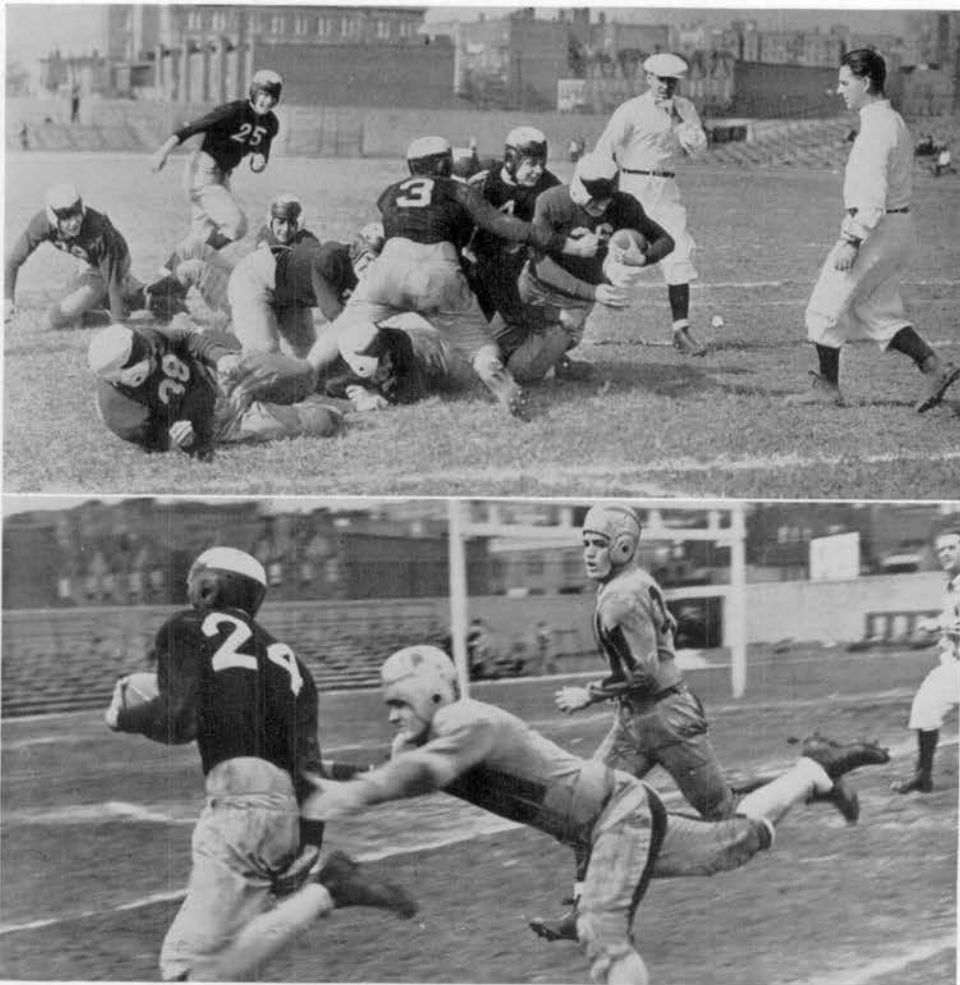
CLIMAXING a thrilling season, five thousand wind-swept spectators saw Brooklyn Prep bow to St. John's, 6-2, in the annual Thanksgiving Day classic at Boys' High Field. Playing in bitter cold, the two teams battled scorelessly throughout the first period; then, in the second quarter Dunham climaxed a St. John's drive by scoring from the twenty yard line. Prep tallied when a St. John's player, attempting to recover a fumble, was snowed under behind his own goal-line.

The game was the highlight in a season of thrillers. The opening contest, on October 8, found Prep on the short end of a 12-0 score as the team went down to defeat before a hard-charging Mt. St. Michael's eleven. St. Michael's staged two long touchdown drives and effectively checked Prep's scoring threats.

A week later the Blue and White registered its only victory, coming from behind to win, 13-6, from Fordham Prep. Prep trailed by six points when Fordham pushed over an early touchdown. But George Titus scored one touchdown and passed to Ray Larkin for another to provide the margin of victory.



George Titus
Bob Nelson



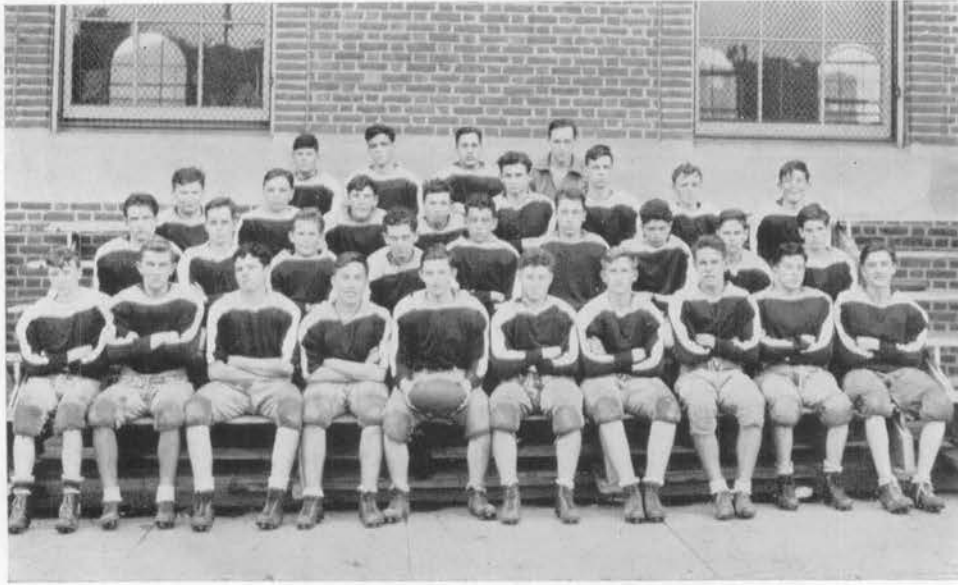
ST. PAUL'S handed the team its third setback on October 2, to the tune of 14-9.

A single point spelled defeat for Prep in the traditional struggle with Poly on October 28, as the latter triumphed, 7-6. A first period touchdown and Alex McCurry's conversion tallied seven points for Poly. The game was lost to Prep, when, after a 20 yard scoring jaunt by Jim LaBorne, the attempted conversion failed.

An under-rated Xavier team won a last quarter victory over the Crown Heighters, 12-7, on November 5. After the Cadets drew first blood with an early touchdown, George Titus' score and Larkin's conversion put the Prep in the lead. A pass interception set the stage for the winning points.

The Blue and White succumbed to an alert Adelphi aggregation on Armistice day, 12-6.

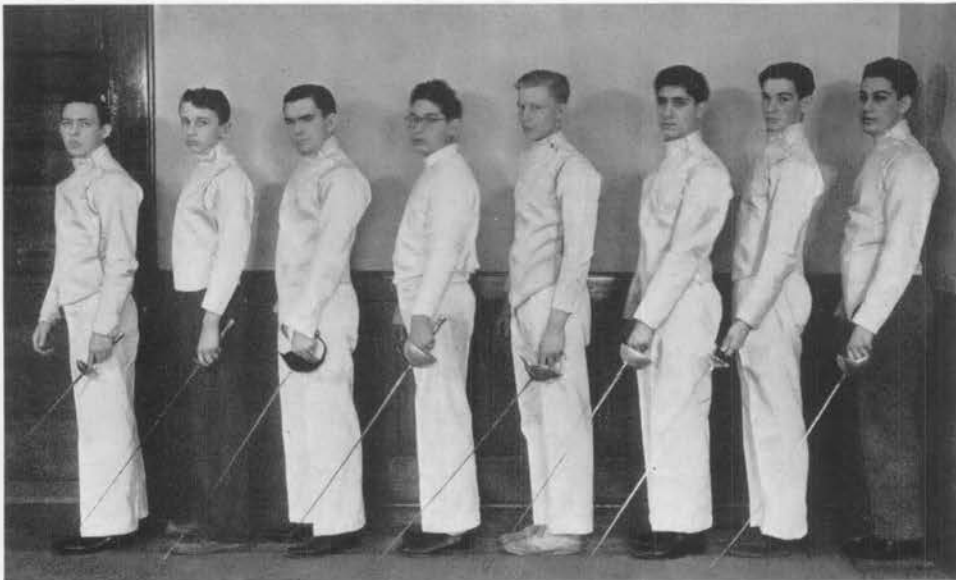
Captain Tom Braunworth, Ed Ahrens, George Titus, Jim LaBorne, and Jack Galvin were all widely mentioned on All-Scholastic teams.



FROSH FOOTBALL

Captain Jim Chellis piloted the Freshman Football team through a successful 1938 season under the watchful direction of Coach George Hambrecht. With such stars as Klauberg and Hodson we can be rightly proud of our future varsity grid-men.

This year a new sport—fencing—was introduced at the Prep. An experienced coach was hired and the "Men of the Sabers" practised under his guidance. A few matches were held but the ultimate goal was building for next year, when Mr. Stevens has several contests booked.



FENCING



VARSITY BASKETBALL

THE slap of leather, the swish of cords, the shock of a whistle and the hoarse shouts of the spectators often echoed and re-echoed throughout the Prep gym as the Blue and White basketball team fought its way to the runner-up position in League competition and the winner's diadem in the Jesuit High School Tournament.

Leading the Prep quintet was Arthur Herbert who topped the team in scoring with a total of 125 points in fourteen League games. Henry Gerhardt and Robert Mullins, the other two veterans, along with Dick Scanlon and William (Red) O'Brien, comprised the first team, while Jim Diamond stood by, ready for that turn in the fray which would need him. Dick Parks, Doug Cagney, Walter Fitzpatrick, Edward Milde and Wallace Perry comprised the rest of the squad.

In five non-league tilts the Prep won four and lost one. Those defeated were: Columbia Grammar (40-26), Poly Tech Freshmen (35-34), Poly Prep (44-31) and Adelphi (32-21). The only defeat was suffered at the hands of Regis (26-39).

JAY VEE BASKETBALL

Trinity twice fell before the Prepsters; at home (27-17); away (38-27). Loughlin also lost twice (31-26) and (33-20), while another two time loser was Cathedral (33-20) and (41-30). The Prep also gained victories over St. Francis (27-23), St. Augustine (28-25) and St. Michael's (30-25). On the loss side of the column can be found games dropped to St. John's (22-27) and (29-44) and one apiece to St. Augustine's (26-28), St. Michael's (34-37) and St. Francis (24-39).

In winning the Jesuit Tourney the Blue and White defeated Xavier (31-20) and Regis (31-21). In the finals the Prep eked out a thrilling victory over Fordham Prep (36-33) and thereby gained a second leg on the Tourney Cup.

Besides the team honors, individual honors were gained by three members of the team. Herbert won the center position on the Brooklyn All-Scholastic team and was named captain and center of the all-Catholic team. Gerhardt and Mullins also gained places on the all-Catholic teams.

Among those who competed in Junior Varsity place were Wallace Campbell, Bob Coogan, Thomas Cody, Dick Gallagher, Joseph Boden and Jerome O'Hara; also Thomas Foley, Jim Connolly, Joseph Gunderson and Joseph Ciccione. The managers were James Walsh, William Harrington and Lawrence Keane.





FROSH
BASKET-
BALL



SWIMMING

THE yearling basketball squad of the Prep opened its season against the junior varsity of Bayonne High School. Showing the effects of only two weeks of practise, the Blue and White found themselves on the short end of a 29-8 score.

The team gave promise of superiority in spirit and team play over those cagers of previous years.

UNDER the tutelage of Coach David Yates and Mr. Augustine Meagher, S.J., the Moderator, the Swimming team, although not outstanding as a whole, did develop several individual stars, in Captain Bill Madden, Charlie Scheid, and Gerry O'Rourke, a newcomer who looks like a potential champion. Madden's event was the 50 yd. freestyle, while Scheid set records in the back-stroke. Both men were All-Scholastic performers.

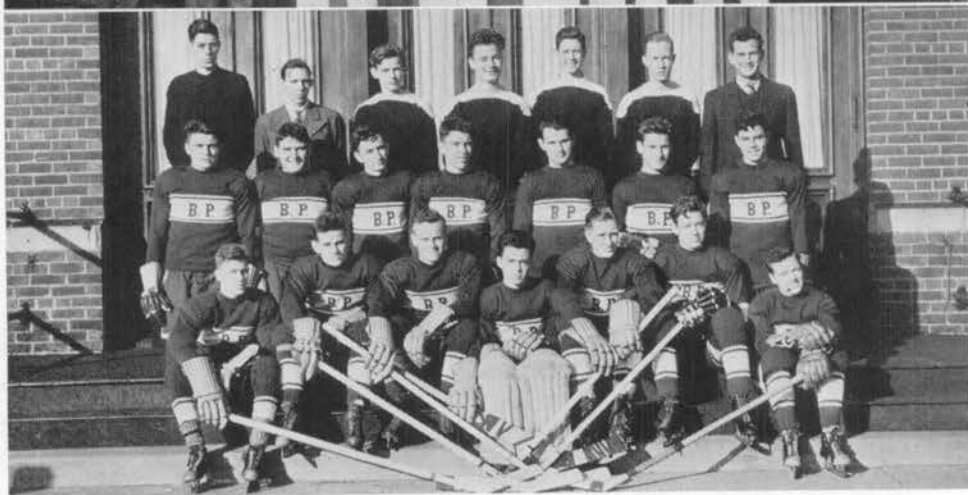
THIS year's Tennis Team, coached by Mr. Charles Goode and Mr. Stephen V. Duffy, S.J., was both a credit and an honor to Brooklyn Prep. Those players who excelled in singles were Bob Swallows, champion of the school, Jerry O'Reilly and Charlie Hagen. The doubles players were represented by Bobby Gunther and Wallace Campbell together with Jake Scannell and Carl Fisher. Bill Geoghan and John Meagher acted as the alternating doubles team.

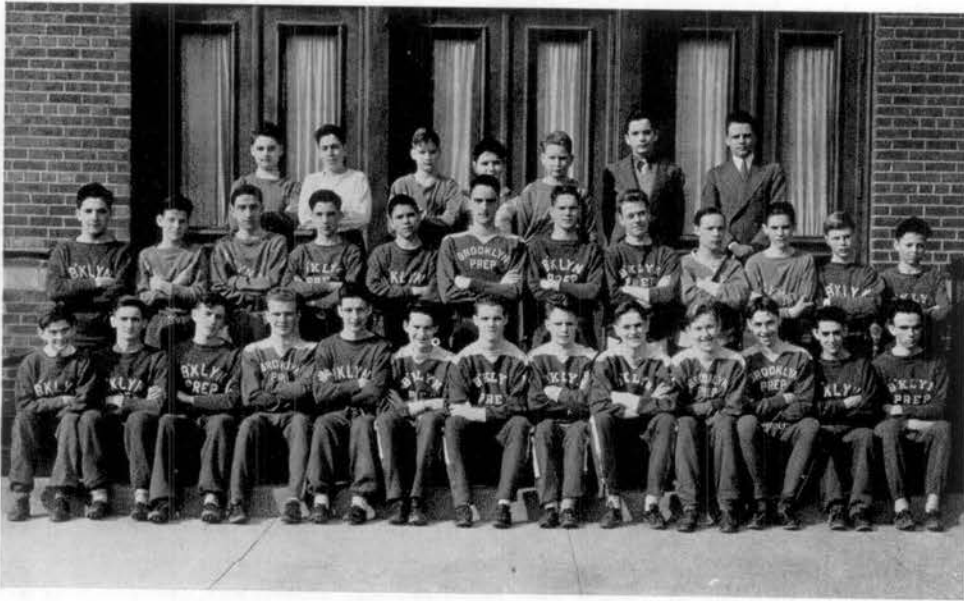
LED by Coach Wally Murray and Mr. Stephen Duffy, S.J., the Moderator, the Hockey team finished third in the Prep school league with a record of three wins, four defeats and one tie. Eb Whalen captained the outfit and also led the team in points scored. Ray Larkin was runner-up to Whalen for team scoring honors. Jack Kirk, who will have a three year varsity record when he graduates, was elected captain for next year.

TENNIS



HOCKEY





TRACK

AFTER the cross-country season the indoor track squad was made up primarily of the hill and dalers. Mr. James Dobbins, coaching his first indoor team, had his chargers training two and three times a week at the armory. Although hampered by a rather small turnout, [it could hardly cope with the larger squads of other institutions], a fine exhibition of fight and spirit was shown in all the meets.

The season opened with the mile relay placing fifth in the O.L.P.H. meet. Lawrence crossed the finish line sixth in the mile run and the freshmen relay, showing signs of future greatness. It was at the Catholic High School Championship that the Blue and White runners turned in their finest performance of the year. The Prepsters finished second in the Junior division and sixth in the Senior. The point-getters among the Seniors were Andy Lawrence and Captain Jack Galvin, both of whom finished second in the half and quarter mile respectively. "Flash" McElduff garnered first in the 220 yard dash of the junior event. Bill Carlin out-jumped all competition in the running high jump. Joe Lightcap tied the existing record for the eight pound shot put; all aided no little to put the Blue and White in second place. In the Dickinson meet Lawrence and Galvin again bore the scoring ability of the Prep, Lawrence taking third in the mile and Galvin fifth in his specialty, the quarter. The Prep's lone point in the National Interscholastic meet was scored when Galvin finished fifth in the 440. At the K. of C. meet, the mile relay, composed of Jack Galvin, Andy Lawrence, Bob McCallion and Ed McElduff, took fourth place.

CROSS COUNTRY

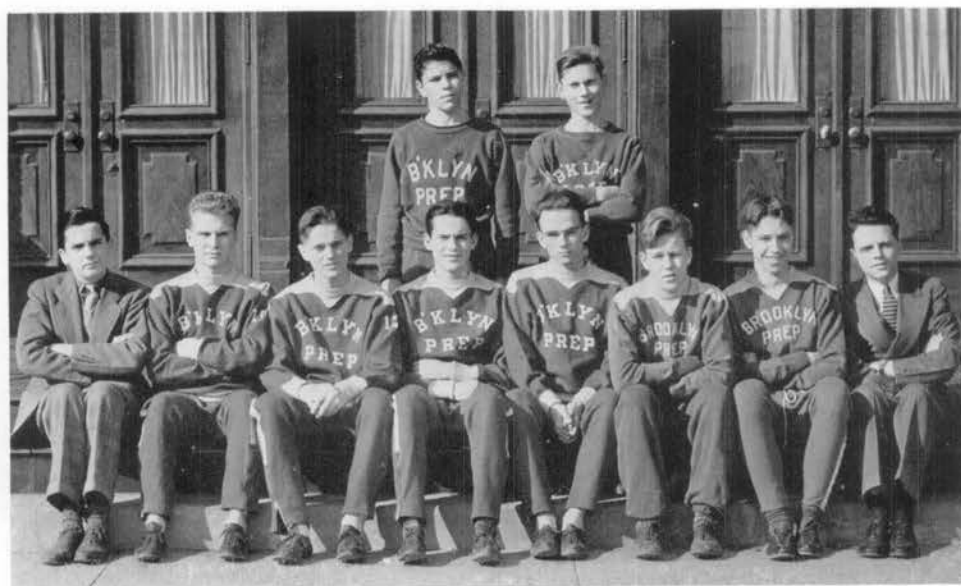
THE 1938 cross country track season presented its thrills and disappointments to Brooklyn Prep and her students. Preparing with intensive training soon after school opened under their new mentor, Mr. James Dobbins, the Harriers followed in the footsteps of their predecessors. The first team, led by captain Pat Meagher, consisted of Bill Brown, Andy Lawrence and Dick Hickey. The second team was made up of Joe Jurgens, Gus Scholl, Francis McCauley, Paul Callahan and Eugene Tollner.

The opener was an unofficial meet between Brooklyn Prep and the Fordham freshmen which the Ram took easily by the score of 25-33. The team encountered Erasmus in its first official dual meet of the season and dropped a close decision, 28-27. This was the first dual contest lost in five years. Don Leary, Erasmus' P.S.A.L. champ, broke the tape, followed by Lawrence and Meagher, Brown and Hickey of the Prep.

Traveling over to Poly Prep the Blue and White hill and dalers conquered their opponents, 25-30. Andy Lawrence led the pack home in the excellent time of 12.07 and Brown finished a close third.

In the big meets of the season Prep enjoyed rather unusual success since the team functioned minus the six veterans. Lawrence paced the Prepsters in the Private School championship by taking fifth. It was a close race all the way with Barrett of Loughlin winning in the last few yards. Again Lawrence led the Prepmen, this time in the Catholic school meet and finished sixth.

The season's record under the new coach was victorious over De LaSalle, Poly Prep and Drake Prep, the Blue and White losing the only one dual to Erasmus.



BASEBALL

Charlie Kennedy



THE
VARSITY

Monday, April 10
RHODES SCHOOL.....Away

Thursday, April 13
BOYS HIGH.....Away

Monday, April 17
MADISON.....Away

Wednesday, April 19
ERASMUS.....Away

Friday, April 21
ST. FRANCIS.....Home

Saturday, April 22
ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE
FROSH.....Away

Tuesday, April 25
CATHEDRAL.....Away

Friday, April 28
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Saturday, April 29
BROOKLYN TECH.....Away

Tuesday, May 2
LOUGHLIN.....Home

Friday, May 5
ST. AUGUSTINE.....Home

Tuesday, May 9
ST. MICHAEL'S.....Home

Friday, May 12
ST. FRANCIS.....Away

Thursday, May 18
ADELPHI.....Home

Friday, May 19
CATHEDRAL.....Home

Tuesday, May 23
ST. JOHN'S.....Away

Friday, May 26
LOUGHLIN.....Away

Monday, May 29
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Friday, June 2
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