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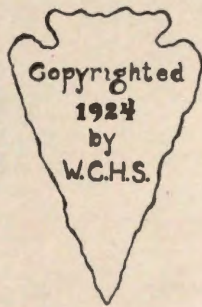


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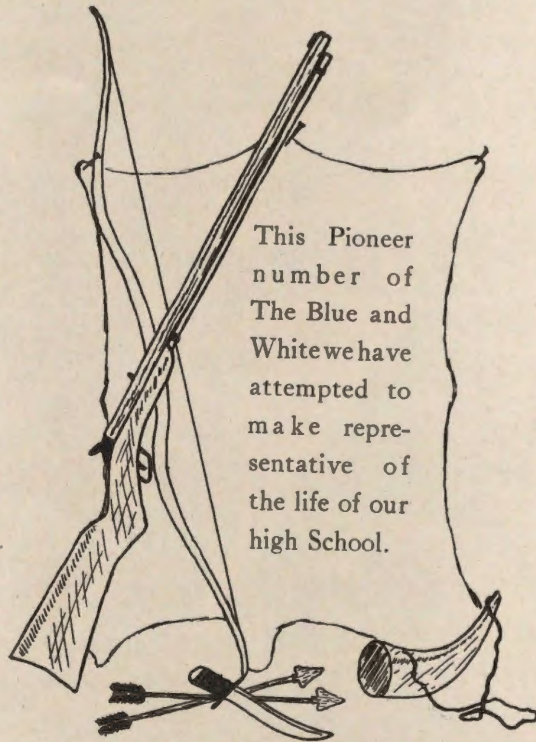
TO COACH ALLAN J. NEWMAN
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school activity and one who
has won the respect and ad-
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this Pioneer volume of THE
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ALLAN J. NEWMAN

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FOREWORD



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WEST CHICAGO COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

The West Chicago Community High School was organized in nineteen hundred twenty-one; heretofore it had been known as West Chicago High School which was established in 1904. The present district is approximately thirty square miles in area, and includes Winfield and Ingallton, besides the city of West Chicago. It is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, its students being admitted to colleges and universities without entrance examinations. At the present time its graduates are attending Universities of Illinois, Chicago, Wisconsin, DePaul, Rockford College, Armour Institute, Northern Illinois Teachers' College and such realms of higher education. There have been 262 graduates to date, who have been organized into an active alumni association which meets annually to welcome the graduating class of the year.



C L A S S E S



OFFICERS OF THE CLASS OF 1924

CHARLES ROUNDY
Vice-President

JOHN AZER
Secretary-Treasurer

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President

HAROLD COOPER . . . "Hal"
*"The time is out of joint, oh, cursed
 spite
 That I was ever born to set it right."*

President '24; Treasurer '23; Class
 Play '24; Business Manager of Play
 '23; Secretary of Hi-Y '24; Glee Club
 '24; Editor of Press Notes '24; Track
 '24; Class Basketball '24; Editor-in-
 Chief "Blue and White".

CHARLES ROUNDY . . . "Turk"
*"Whistle, and she'll come to you, my
 lad."*

Vice-President '24; Football '23,
 '24; Basketball '23, '24; Track '24.

JOHN AZER . . . "Swede"
"Talkers are not good doers."

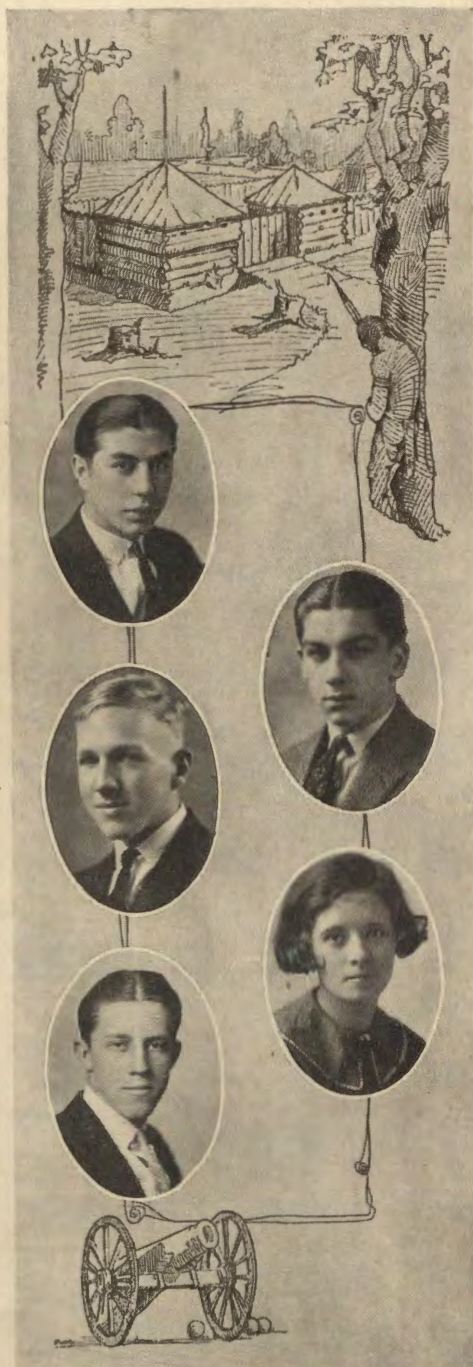
Secretary and Treasurer '24; Class
 Play '23; Treasurer of Athletic As-
 sociation '23; Track '22; Class Basket-
 ball '24; Business Manager "Blue and
 White".

HAZEL KETCHAM . . . "Ketch"
*"Let me have men about me that are
 fat."*

Vice-President '21; Class Play '23,
 '24; Manager of "Blues" (Annual
 Contest) '23; Basketball '22, '23;
 Society Editor "Blue and White".

ROLLAND ROUP . . . "Rol"
"Better late than never."

President '21; Treasurer '22; Class
 Play '23, '24; President of Hi-Y Club
 '24; Annual Board '23; Football '22,
 '23; Basketball '23, '24; Track '22,
 '24; Business Manager of Play '24;
 "Blue and White" Staff.





EDWARD HEINZ . . . "Eddie"
"Blessings on thee, little man."
 Class Play '24.

OLIVE MEFFERD . . . "Oll"
"My love's like a red, red rose."
 Vice-President '23; Basketball '22, '23; Orchestra '22, '23; Class Play '23; Class Historian '23; Editor Press Notes '24; Dramatic Editor "Blue and White".

WILLIAM COSTELLO . . . "Jit"
"O, it is excellent to have a giant's strength."
 Basketball '23, '24; Football '23, '24; Baseball '23; Track '24; Class Play '23, '24.

EDNA AZER . . . "Shorty"
"Short, and to the point."
 Basketball '23, '24; Class Play '23, '24; Music Memory Contest '22, '23; L. C. Smith Certificate; L. C. Smith Medal; Calender Editor "Blue and White".

MICHAEL HEINZ . . . "Mike"
"Wise to resolve and patient to perform."
 Orchestra '22, '23, '24; Glee Club '24.

CHARLES WARD . . . "Chas."

"And he, himself, admits no parallel."

Treasurer '21; Secretary '22; Class Play '23, '24; Senior Press Notes '24; Hi-Y Club '24; Football '23, '24; Basketball '22, '23, '24 (Capt. '24); Baseball '23, '24; Track '22, '24; Historian; Advertising Manager of "Blue and White".

GERTRUDE GRESSENS . . . "Gertie"

"O, may I join the choir invisible!"

Orchestra '22, '23, '24; Music Memory Contest '21, '22, '23, '24; Glee Club Sec. and Treas. '24; Class Play '23, '24; Basketball '22, '23, '24; Music Editor of "Blue and White".

NORRIS CAIN . . . "Gutsy"

"The ladies call him sweet."

Hi-Y '24; Class Play '23, '24; Football '23, '24; Basketball '23, '24; Circulation Manager of "Blue and White".

CORA BERNDT . . . "Sparky"

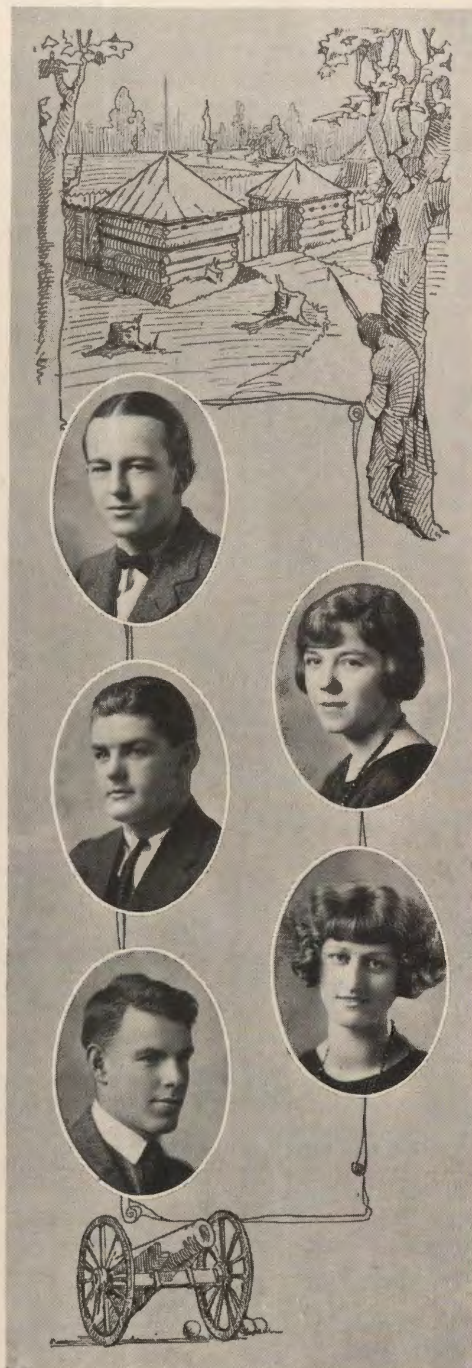
"A woman's work is never done."

Class Play '23, '24; Basketball '23, '24; Underwood Certificate; Underwood Medal; Executor of Will; Girls' Athletic Editor of "Blue and White".

EDWIN ASMANN . . . "Duke"

"Gone, but not forgotten"

Class Play '23; President '23; Vice-President '22; Football '23, '24; Basketball '23, '24; Baseball '21, '23; Senior Play '21.





WAYNE FOX . . . "Doc"
"I love but one—I love no more."

President '22; President Athletic Association '22; Newspaper Staff '24; Hi-Y '24; Basketball '21, '22, '23, '24; All District Basketball '24; Football '23, '24 (Capt. '24); Baseball '21, '23, '24; Track '22, '24; Athletic Editor "Blue and White".

GRACE HENSEL . . . "Red"
"A modest crimson tipp'd flower."

Basketball '23, '24; Class Play '24; Underwood Certificate.

WORTH NORRIS . . . "Hava"
*"A father's pride, a mother's joy,
 A great big bouncing, smiling boy."*

Class Play '23, '24; Treasurer Hi-Y '24; Football '24; Joke Editor Blue and White.

MARCELLA DIERKS . . . "Sally"
*"She speaks, behaves, and acts as though
 she meant it."*

Class Play '23, '24; Basketball '23, '24; Underwood Certificate; Underwood Medal.

CLIFFORD ETTINGER . . . "Clip"
*"I never felt the kiss of love, nor maiden's
 hand on mine."*

Football '23, '24; Basketball '23; Baseball '23; Track '22, '24; Class Basketball '24; Class Prophecy '24.

JOSEPH MCQUADE . . . "Frick"
"They stumble that run fast."

Class Play '23, '24; Senior Play '21;
 Glee Club '24; Football '23, '24;
 Baseball '21, '23, '24; Basketball '22,
 '24.

LILY PLATH . . . "Lil"
*"She would weep if she saw a mouse
 caught in a trap."*

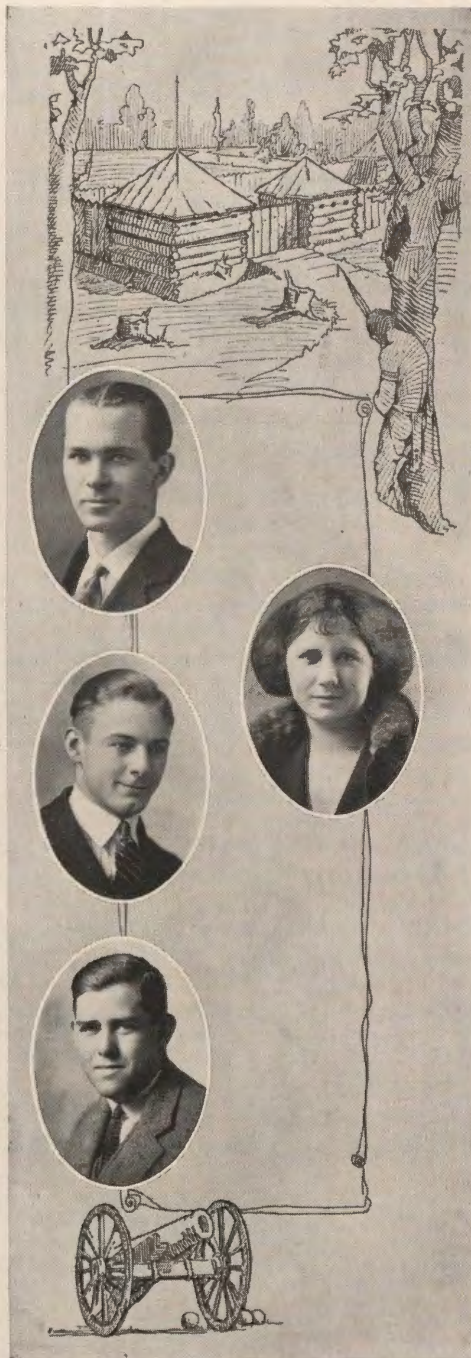
Class Play '23, '24; Glee Club '24;
 Basketball '23, '24; Underwood Certi-
 ficate.

JOHN ALDERTON . . . "Johnny"
"Man's meant for labor."

Orchestra '23; Band '23; Advertis-
 ing Manager of Play '23, '24.

FRANK SITTS . . . "Frankie"
*"Nowhere a busier man than he there
 was,*

And yet he seemed busier than he was."
 Football '23; Class Basketball '24.



SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

The Class of '24 has a record of which to be proud. Ever since the memorable September morning in 1920 when we timidly stepped into high school to wrestle with Latin, Algebra, and English we have made history for the Blue and White.

Back in those freshman days we fondly recall weenie roasts, class parties, and excursions to the city and country. As for athletics, there was no gymnasium at that time and our basketball team won only one game. A baseball team was organized and the class of '24 was well represented as it has been in all branches of athletics since.

Our second year of school opened with more serious faces in evidence than the previous year. A few failures had sobered our members up a little and more studying was done. Mr. Carl Althaus coached basketball, and was very successful. The team gained second place in both the county and district tournaments. A track team was organized the following spring and as usual the team was made up of at least one third of the class of '24.

The last two years of high school are always the ones filled with the most activities, social, scholastic and athletic. Several never-to-be-forgotten parties were held during the junior year. Among these were the Blue and White party, and the Junior-Senior masquerade. Both were very successful and none like them have occurred since. What was said to be the best play ever staged by West Chicago High School students was presented by the class of '24 in April, 1923. "That's That" was a comedy in three acts which was enjoyed by large crowds each night it was presented. The Junior-Senior banquet finished off the season appropriately.

The last year of school opened with the class somewhat depleted in numbers but far from depleted in spirit. The football team had ten seniors in the lineup and there were seven seniors on the basketball squad, so the value of the class in the athletic branch of school life can easily be seen. A mighty tribute was paid the seniors by the lower classmen when they protested against having the first five basketball men participate in the interclass tournament. It seems that they were very much afraid of being badly swamped by the honorable seniors, consequently the senior second team gained only third place in the tournament with the plucky juniors in the initial berth. It has been generally admitted, however, that the seniors were the undisputed champs of the school as we have been every year a tournament was held. The senior class play, "Your Luck and Mine", was written expressly for our class by Jean Karr. This play, the basketball banquet, and the Junior-Senior banquet were the closing "numbers" for the class of '24 in good old West High.

CHAS. WARD

Class Historian

CLASS WILL

We, the Class of 1924, West Chicago High School, West Chicago, Illinois, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make, publish, and declare this our Last Will and Testament:

We, the Class of '24, bequeath to the worthy Juniors our reputation as a "model class" for the lower classmen; but we are wholly convinced that they never can achieve the high honors that we have.

We, the Seniors, bequeath to our faculty our heart-felt sympathy that they will not be able to teach another class as bright and intellectual as the Class of '24

We, the Class of '24, bequeath to the Juniors the power of controlling the halls and supervising in general the many uncontrolled actions of the Freshmen.

We, the Class of '24, bequeath to the Freshmen our studious attention to every word of knowledge that is bestowed unto us during assembly addresses.

I, Marcella Dierks, bequeath my speed as a typist to Berniece Hensel and my tendency to ask questions to May Elliott.

I, William Costello, bequeath my enjoyment in arguing (mostly with girls) to Ernest Sauber and my courtesy in giving the lady the last word to Harry Hurley.

I, Hazel Ketcham, bequeath my admiration for fat men to Frances Cromer and my esteem for college Freshmen to Helen Nelson.

I, Michael Heinz, bequeath my fluency in the French language to Arthur Wirsching, knowing well that he will be able to use it to good advantage.

I, Edna Azer, bequeath my frivolous manner to Gertrude Loveless and my stature to Mervin Kline.

I, Clifford Ettinger, bequeath my bashfulness to Frederick Scharenberg and my speed on the football field to Wendell Rohr.

I, Olive Mefferd, bequeath my talent as a pianist to Mable Wirsching and my high honors in my subjects to Viola Janke.

I, Worth Norris, bequeath my envied physique to Harold Sheahan and my cave man actions to Bob Player.

I, Gertrude Gressens, bequeath my great achievement in mastering the violin to George Murphy and my beautiful contralto voice to Jimmie O'Leary.

I, Rolland Roup, bequeath my ability as a dancer to "Boots" Bollweg and my promptness in arriving at school on time to Edna Lynch.

I, Lily Plath, bequeath my tendency to converse in classes to "Toots" Hurley and my curly locks to Marcus McAleese.

I, Joe McQuade, bequeath my fleetness of foot to Grant Ferry and my recent accomplishments as an actor to Robert Carey.

I, Charles Ward, bequeath my manner of superiority to LeRoy Knott and my desire to act as boss of my class to Edward Sproat.

I, John Azer, bequeath my many numerous leaves of absence from school to Ted Carey and my cigarettes to Mr. C. C. Culbertson.

I, Cora Berndt, bequeath my excess of fat to Edna Sitts and my ability to use slang to Miss Oke.

I, Frank Sitts, bequeath my winsome nature to Charles Daniels and my notoriety in chewing gum to Jimmie Walker.

I, Norris Cain, bequeath my love for women to Carey Ward and my devotion to the "Whizbang" to Miss Morris.

I, Edward Heinz, bequeath my love for physics to Edwin Waffenschmidt and my winning personality to George Correl.

I, Grace Hensel, bequeath my rapidness in gait to Shirley Wills and my skill in basketball to June Haffey.

I, Charles Roundy, bequeath my reputation as the "West Chi Hi Sheik" to Peter Genato and my devotion to history to Marion Goetz.

I, "Duke" Asmann, bequeath my ability to raise a moustache to John Elliott and my dainty appetite to Mary West.

I, Wayne Fox, bequeath my affection for Sophomore girls to Tom Potts and my fame as an athlete to Olenius Olson.

I, Harold Cooper, bequeath my knowledge of how to conduct a class meeting to the president of the Junior Class and my skill in English composition to Otto Schommer.

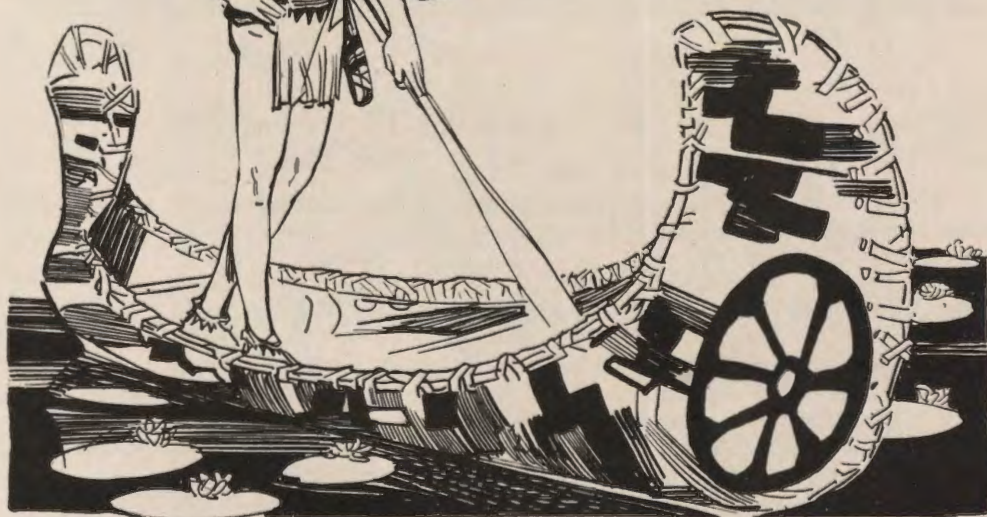
I, John Alderton, bequeath my ability to act as business manager to Ernest Sauber and my fame as a drummer to Catherine Speck.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this fifteenth day of April, 1924.

CLASS OF '24

CORA BERNDT (Executor)

Juniors





JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

The class of 1925 is one of the smallest that ever entered the portals of West Chicago High School, but what they have lacked in quantity they have made up in quality.

Early in the year they elected Miss Peck as class advisor; Edward Sproat, president; Mary West, vice-president; and Edwin Waffenschmidt, secretary-treasurer.

The first social event of the Junior year was a masked ball given in their honor by the Seniors. Later in the year the Juniors complimented the Seniors by giving a party for them in the Lincoln gymnasium. The events now anticipated with greatest interest are the Junior play, "Peg o' my Heart", in May, and the Junior-Senior banquet to be given with the proceeds of this play.

The class of 1925 for the first time in their history made a name for themselves on the athletic field. Several of their numbers were out for football, basketball, and track; and they were winners of the interclass basketball tournament for 1924.

Mildred Haffron, Janice Daniels, and Edward Sproat's names have appeared on the monthly honor roll, with Mildred Haffron leading it several times.

Carey Ward and Mildred Haffron managed a very successful Blue and White contest, selling over three hundred annuals.

As you look over the various activities of the West Chi Hi you will no doubt notice that the Junior class has been represented on practically every project that has gone toward the building up of our school.

EDWIN WAFFENSCHMIDT,

Secretary-Treasurer

Sophomores





SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

On one September day back in 1922, a freshman class, the largest in the history of West Chi Hi entered its doors. We soon became acquainted with our new surroundings, the year passed, and we returned to school again as Sophomores.

We decided the new freshman class was entirely too green, so we resolved to do away with some of the greenness. We made good our resolution soon after at the Lincoln Gym, much to the dismay of the freshmen.

In athletics we were destined to take a prominent part. Five members of our class marched bravely forth each night to exhibit their skill as football players before Coach Newman. One of this number, John McFarland, was awarded a letter at the end of the season. In basketball we covered ourselves with no little glory. John McFarland played regularly on the first team while Henry Anderson, Auldon Richards, and Mervin Kline were on the second team squad. In the Rainbow Tournament our girls covered themselves with glory. The All-Tournament team, Laura Tinnes, Marian Carl, Dorothy Madison, Viola Bancroft, Mabel Wirsching, and Geraldine Singletary is made up entirely of Sophomores.

In scholarship we have also ranked with the best. Marguerite Keese and Bernice Fairbank have been on the honor roll every month since school started, and several months a Sophomore has led the honor roll. Four members of our class play in the band, while three others play in the orchestra.

It would be useless to try to enumerate all the accomplishments of the class of '26, as they are too numerous. You can see the reason for our many achievements as our class is well stocked with first-class material in all its lines of endeavor.

This concludes the history of the class of 1926, but prepare yourself to hear much more about us in the future, for we expect to do great things for West Chi Hi.

ERVIN BESSERT
Class Secretary

FRESHMEN





FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

On the morning of September 10, fifty-eight young people, coming from various outlying grammar schools, entered the West Chicago High School as "Freshies". Of this number fifty remain.

We were cordially greeted and duly initiated by the Sophomores, after which we settled down to business and class politics. At our first meeting we elected Miss Morris, our class advisor; Conley Milligan, our president; and George Murphy, vice-president. We also selected blue and silver for our colors.

We are really a very bright and accomplished class, and have made a very good showing in all our school activities. In basketball and football Conley Milligan and George Murphy hold positions on the second team, while the midget team is composed almost wholly of Freshman boys.

In the girls' annual tournament, Genevieve Kennedy was placed as forward on the second all-tournament team, and honorable mention was given to several others of our class.

Wendell Rohr, Helen Drath, Harold Sheahan, Otto Schommer, Elizabeth Neltner, and Harrison Thrapp play in the school orchestra or band, while many are members of the glee clubs.

In scholarship, the Freshmen have had the largest percentage of people on the monthly honor roll and have led it many times with the highest average!

We are certainly very grateful to all our teachers, and especially to Miss Morris, who helped to make our Freshman year so pleasant and our "greenness" but a part of school history, and we hope we shall all be together again next year.

May the three succeeding years be as pleasant and profitable for the class of '27 as this, their first year has been!

CATHARINE FOXEN
Class Secretary

ALUMNI DIRECTORY 1924

CLASS OF 1906

IRMA BELDING KING, Santa Anna, Cal; Married; two children.
HARLOW BELDING, West Chicago, Ill., Contractor; Married; three children.
CHARLES DEMPSEY, 422½ N. Main St., Wheeling, W. Va., Salesman; Married; two children.
FRANK FAIRBANK, West Chicago, Ill., Contractor; Married; two children.
FLORENCE NORRIS FAIRBANK, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; two children.
HATTIE HOWARTH BRADFORD, Batavia, Ill.; Married; one child.
CLARA HORN, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher; West Chicago Public Schools.
PAUL ISHERWOOD, West Chicago, Ill., Physician and Surgeon; Married; one child.
AUGUSTA NESSLER, 1034 N. Tacoma Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.; Teacher.
MABEL REESE DONAVIN, McHenry, Ill.; Married; two children.
BEULAH REED, West Chicago, Ill., Principal of West Chicago High School.
BEATRICE WARD PARSONS, 207 S. Covell Ave., Sioux Falls, S. D.; Married; one child.

CLASS OF 1907

HARRY BENJAMIN, West Chicago, Ill., Attorney; Trust Dept., First Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago, Ill.; Married.
ELLA HAHN, Died 1924.
RUTH HERRINGTON TYE, 424 Iowa Ave., Oak Park, Ill.; Married; four children.
MILDRED NORRIS, 1038 Indiana Ave., South Pasadena, Calif.; Teacher.
MARY REIHANSPERGER, West Chicago, Ill.; Stenographer.
ARLEIGH WHEELER, 1748 Walnut Ave., Long Beach, Calif., Life Insurance Agent; two children.
FLORENCE HOSFORD COURT, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; two children.

CLASS OF 1908

CLARA ALMENDINGER KAUTZ, Died 1923; two children.
CHESTER BENJAMIN, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.; Married.
MILDRED BUTTS LEE, 11 Chester St., Groton, Conn.; Married; three children.
EDWIN CLANCY, 3815 West End Ave., Chicago, Ill., Western Electric Co.; Married.
MARGUERITE DEMPSEY CARR, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
EDGAR ELLIOT, Washington, Ill.; Lawyer.
RUTH HORN, 1750 W. Congress St., Chicago, Ill.; Nurse.
LOTTIE JUDD BENJAMIN, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
ETHEL MARTIN BOARDMAN, Monroe, La.; Married; one child.

EVELYN MARTIN SARGEANT, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; Music Teacher.
MERCEDES METZGER WHEELER, 1748 Walnut Ave., Long Beach, Calif.; Married;
two children.
WESLEY NORRIS, 914 Asbury Ave., Evanston, Ill., Civil Engineer; Married; one
child.
CHAUNCEY REED, Naperville, Ill., State's Attorney; DuPage County.
EUNICE ROBERTSON ACKERMAN, 1516 Menard Ave., Chicago, Ill.; Married; two
children.
HAZEL SARGEANT MOORE, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
GLADYS STANDIDGE HJORTH, Chesterton, Ind.; Married; one child.
FRANK TYE, 424 Iowa Ave., Oak Park, Ill., Bolles & Rogers; Married; four children.
HERBERT WARD, Waterloo, Iowa; Married.

CLASS OF 1909

ELEANOR AHERN, 74 E. Hollister St., Cincinnati, Ohio, Manager of Home Eco-
nomic Research for Proctor, Gamble Co.
ARTHUR ALMENDINGER, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.; Married.
FLORENCE BARTLETT FELTON, 7 West Maple St., Downers Grove, Ill.; Married;
two children.
GEORGE BUTTS, 941 Clinton Ave., Oak Park, Ill., Ass't. Secretary, Armour Leather
Company; Married.
FRED CAIN, 170 Third St., Kenosha, Wis., Cashier; C. & N. W. R. R.; Married;
two children.
MAY CHILDS NELLIS ALLEN, 7731 Sheridan Road, Chicago, Ill.; Married; two
children.
ROYAL CLARK, 2222 Williams Ave., Norwood, Ohio, Efficiency Man, Mercantile
Company; Married; two children.
MARGARET COLFORD, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher in Chicago Public Schools.
ARVILLA CREAGER KOLTCHOFF, New Hampton, Iowa; Married; one child.
ARDELLA FROELICH HARRINGTON, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
GEORGE HAHN, West Chicago, Ill., Metallurgist, Burlington R. R.; Married; one
child.
MAYME JOYCE, Monrovia, Calif.
HELEN LEKANDER, West Chicago, Ill., Kindergarten Teacher in Chicago Public
Schools.
LEO NACK, 4921 Kimball Ave., Chicago, Ill., Chief Engineer, Commonwealth
Edison Company; Married; two children.
DOROTHY NORRIS WERT, 914 Asbury Ave., Evanston, Ill.; Married; one child.
HALBERT PORTER, Des Plaines, Ill., Undertaker; Married; two children.
DELE SEANOR, Evanston, Ill., Clerk, C. & N. W. R. R.
INA WENGER ZILTZ, Lemmons, S. D.; Married; one child.

CLASS OF 1910

VELVA BALL TREUDT, 565 Rogers St., Bucyrus, Ohio; Married; one child.
CLARA BOYLE, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher.
LILLIAN CARR, West Chicago, Ill., West Chicago State Bank.
MARIE DALY McCABE, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; two children.
PAUL DIEBOLD, 7414 Franklin St., Forest Park, Ill., Engineer, River Forest Pumping Station; Married.
VIOLA MANVILLE WARREN, 29 W. 13th St., Indianapolis, Ind.; Married; two children.
ROY MARTIN, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
KATHLEEN MOORE, Oklahoma City, Okla., Teacher.
RUTH PURNELL, 1052 W. 42 Place, Los Angeles, Calif., Teacher.
MARGARET SHEAHAN WAITE, 308 Broadway, Rodondo Beach, Calif.; Married.
FLORENCE SHEAHAN HILL, 108 Pearl St., Rodondo Beach, Calif.; Married; two children.
STELLA VAUGHAN MILLER, 4828 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
HELEN WARD EARL, 807 S. Dakota Ave., Sioux Falls, S. D.; Married.
RUTH WHITTON, West Chicago, Ill., Chicago Telephone Company.

CLASS OF 1911

VERONICA BRENNAN, 2515 Burlington St., Chicago, Ill., Nurse; Grant Hospital.
MARGARET CHILDS FURNAM, Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
KATHLEEN HERRINGTON, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher, Public Schools.
ESTHER KENNEDY, West Chicago, Ill.
HOWARD LEONARD, Died May, 1920; one child.
ELNORA KRIMBALL SIMMONS, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; two children.
RALPH MARSHALL, 5472 Fulton St., Chicago, Ill., American Bond & Mortgage Co.; Married; one child.
FELIX McFARLAND, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
LEONA PERRY ALMENDINGER, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
VIOLA PURNELL, Cleveland, Ohio, Teacher, Public School.
ROY TIRTLOTT, Williams Bay, Wis., Battery and Vulcanizing Business; Married.
DORA MELL GINSBURG, 411 W. St., Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
HELEN MACK MORRISON, Naperville, Ill.; Married; three children.
HELEN ISHERWOOD, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher, High School, Rockford, Ill.
JANET DUNBAR ADAMSON, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; two children.

CLASS OF 1912

ORA BELDING FINLEY, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
JESSIE BUTTS MICHAELS, 62 Ashland Ave., River Forest, Ill.; Married; two children.

BESSIE BUTTS STAHMER, 924 College Ave., Wheaton, Ill.; Married; two children.
ALLAN CAREY, 7709 Sheridan Road, Chicago, Ill., Kellogg-McCay Company,
Chicago; Married; one child.
HERBERT COLFORD, West Chicago, Ill., The American Surety Company of New
York; Married.
CLARA ELLIOTT WHEELAND, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
KATHERINE FRYE NORTHROP, Wheaton, Ill.; Married.
LILLIAN FRYE, 116 Franklin St., Naperville, Ill., Benjamin Moore & Co.
ROY LEKANDER, 4906 Washtenaw Ave., Chicago, Ill.; Married; two children.
GRACE FROELICH CAIN, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
HELEN GRAMES RICHARDSON, Medford, Minn.; Married; one child.
ALICE SHEAHAN KINGSBURY, St. Charles, Ill.; Married; one child.
ETHEL WHEELER, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher, Aurora, Ill.
HAZEL LEE PHILLIPS, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; two children.
MARIE NACK LAVANANT, Ravinia, Ill.; Married.

CLASS OF 1913

LEROY L. CHURCH, 87 W. Front St., Red Bank, N. J.; Married.
CHARLES M. CLARK, Milwaukee, Wis., Mechanical Engineer; Married; two
children.
EMILY HERRINGTON, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher, Chicago Public Schools.
LAURA HOLMES MCCOY, Batavia, Ill.; Married; one child.
SAM MELL, West Chicago, Ill., Mell & Mell; Married; one child.
EARL SARGEANT, Died 1913.
ESTELLA SIMON, 920 Waveland Ave., Chicago, Ill., Stenographer.
ETHELMAE TOURTELLOTTE BLACKMAN, Allentown, N. Y., Principal High School;
Married.
WILL TYE, West Chicago, Ill., Treasurer, Midland Wool Co., Chicago, Ill.
E. WYLLYS WERT, Died 1920.
MARY HEISLER (Sister Agatha) Teacher; Academy of St. Joseph, La Grange, Ill.

CLASS OF 1914

MARIE BOGART MCGORGAN, 5216 N. Lincoln Ave., Chicago, Ill.; Married.
EILEEN CAREY, 2300 S. Michigan Ave., Metropole Hotel, Chicago, Ill., Nurse.
GRACE DIEBOLD, West Chicago, Ill., Carson Pirie Scott & Company.
IRENE EDDY SMITH, 1640-14th St., Rockford, Ill.; Married; three children.
FRANCES ELICK HOFFMAN, Wheaton, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.; Married.
VIOLA HAFLEY WELLS, Glen Falls, N. Y.; Married; three children.
GRACE HAHN EDSON, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
CELIA KRUSE, West Chicago, Ill., Private Secretary.
CHARLOTTE PLAYER, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher, Wheaton Public Schools.
GEORGE RHEINFRANK, Carnegie, Pa., Union Tool Company; Married.

CLASS OF 1915

MARY AHERN CAREY, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
HELEN BRAUNS, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher, Wheaton High School.
ROLAND COMBE, West Chicago, Ill., Union Tool Company.
WAYLAND DAYTON, West Chicago, Ill., State Trust and Savings Bank; Married.
JOHN FAIRCHILD, 5015 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill., Medical Student.
MARION FAIRBANK CARLSON, West Chicago, Ill., Music Teacher; Married.
CLAUDE LEE, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.; Married.
IRENE MARSHALL LEE, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
MIRIAM LEEDLE, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher, Wheaton High School.
FRANK MCFARLAND, Weiser, Idaho, Real Estate and Insurance.
CORA RHEINFRANK STOUT, 340 Columbia Ave., Rochester, N. Y.; Married; one child.
PAUL TYE, West Chicago, Ill., Bolles & Rogers, Chicago, Ill.
EFFIE WHEELER, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher in Batavia High School.
MYRTLE YOUNKEN, Cresbard, S. Dakota.

CLASS OF 1916

LYLE BALL, West Chicago, Ill., Western Electric Co., Chicago.
ELMA BOLLWEG HADLEY, Wheaton, Ill.; Married; one child.
GEORGE CROMER, Chicago, Ill., Armour & Company, Chicago.
CHESTER FOWLER, Died 1919.
ALICE M. GREGORY, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R., Chicago.
OTTO GRESSSENS, Champaign, Ill., Instructor, University of Ill.; Married.
WILLIAM KENNEDY, West Chicago, Ill., Franklin Company, Engravers.
EDITH MACK BROWN, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
MARY MCQUADE SPOERL, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
GLADYS PLAYER, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher.
ROBERT ROLLER, Wheaton, Illinois.
PAUL SCHLEUTER, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.

CLASS OF 1917

HELEN BROOKS FRANK, 6310 Cabanne Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.; Married.
BERNICE BROWNELL, West Chicago, Ill., West Chicago State Bank.
WILLARD BUCHANAN, West Chicago, Ill., Union Tool Company; Married.
ESTHER BRAUNS LASH, Geneseo, Ill.; Married; one child.
HELEN WIAANT HARRISON, DeKalb, Ill.; Married; one child.
MYRTLE KAUTZ LEE, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
MARETA WILLIAMS, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.
IDA WILDER DIERSHAW, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
CLAIRE NORRIS ADAMSON, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.

CLARA HAYWARD, West Chicago, Ill., Tribune Building, Chicago.
GEORGE WALLISER, West Chicago, Ill., Old Colony Oil Co., Chicago.
CARRIE HAYWARD, West Chicago, Ill., Tribune Building, Chicago.
EDYTH THOMPSON BAKER, Rock Lake, North Dakota; Married.

CLASS OF 1918

MARGARET BOLLWEG McGRIFF, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
MARY CAREY, West Chicago, Ill., Illinois Merchants' Trust Company.
MARY COSTELLO PATTERSON, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
ORA CROMER RUDD, Muskegon Heights, Mich.; Married; one child.
ETHEL RICHARDS WARNER, Chicago, Ill.; Married.
MAURICE COMBE, West Chicago, Ill., Lord & Ayer Tie Co.
PHILIP PERKINS, Fellowship, University of Wisconsin.
ELLEN MURPHY, West Chicago, Ill., Mandel Brothers.
IRENE TRAINOR CURTIS, Rock Island, Ill.; Married; one child.
ELIZABETH MAHONEY, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher.
HELEN BENJAMIN, West Chicago, Ill., Illinois Bell Telephone Co.
THELMA TREUDT SHAW, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; two children.
MARION GARDNER SIMMONS, West Chicago, Ill.; Married.
DARRELL MAIDEN, West Chicago, Ill., Sears Roebuck & Co.
MELVIN RUDD, Muskegon Heights, Mich., Teacher; Married; one child.
HAROLD GRESSSENS, Manager A. & P. Store, Chicago, Ill.
CHARLES MCFARLAND, Checotah, Okla., Teacher.

CLASS OF 1919

DOROTHY LEONARD, West Chicago, Ill., Stenographer.
MILDRED OTTO, West Chicago, Ill., Stenographer.
VIVIAN KIRKPATRICK, 907 S. Wright St., Champaign, Ill., Student.
DOROTHY DETRAY, West Chicago, Ill., Bank Clerk, Aurora, Ill.
LOIS CROMER, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher.
GRACE THOMPSON MACNALLY, West Chicago, Ill.; Married; one child.
ANNA HURLEY, 26th and Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill., Nurse.
SHERMAN LEE, Student, University of Illinois.
HAROLD ALMENDINGER, West Chicago, Ill., Armour Institute.
RALPH BARTSCH, West Chicago, Ill., State Trust & Savings Bank.
ALBERT KAUTZ, West Chicago, Ill., Union Tool Company.
RAYMOND KETCHAM, West Chicago, Ill., Union Tool Company.
LESLIE TUPY, 830 S. Lombard Ave., Oak Park, Ill., Student, University of Illinois.
HOWARD SMITH, West Chicago, Ill., Electrician Apprentice; Married.
JOHN PLAYER, Champaign, Ill., Student.
EDWARD KALLIS, West Chicago, Ill., Union Tool Company.
GEORGE SITTS, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.

WILLIAM WIAINT, West Chicago, Ill.
JAMES KENNEDY, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.

CLASS OF 1920

PEARL BARTSCH, West Chicago, Ill., Stenographer.
KATHERINE BRENNAN, 26th & Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill., Mercy Hospital.
DALLAS GREGORY, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher, Geneva, Ill.
HAZEL HAFLEY, West Chicago, Ill., Teacher.
THOMAS KENNEDY, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.
GLENN MCFARLAND, DeKalb Normal; Student.
HARRY OTTENS, West Chicago, Ill., Plumber.
HAZEL OTTENS, West Chicago, Ill., West Chicago Sash & Door Co.
GRACE VOELZ, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R. Offices.
WILLIAM WILCOX, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.
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CLASS OF 1921

MARY BUCHANAN, West Chicago, Ill., Home.
HELEN DEMPSEY, University of Illinois, Student.
DOROTHY DIEBOLD, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R. Offices; Stenographer.
ADA GRESSSENS, West Chicago, Ill., Music Teacher.
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JULE HURLEY, West Chicago, Ill., Hollister & Hurley Beauty Parlor.
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GUY RUDD, University of Illinois, Student.
THOMAS TRAINOR, University of Wisconsin, Student.
ESTHER TREUDT, West Chicago, Ill., Abstract Office, Wheaton, Ill.
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CLASS OF 1922

EDYTHE BARTLETT, West Chicago, Ill., Moore, Case, Lyman & Hubbard.
LESLIE WILDER, 3423 Walnut Ave., Chicago, Ill., Critchfield Advertising Co.
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DOROTHY ERRANT, West Chicago, Ill., Home.
RUTH GLOECKLER, West Chicago, Ill., Starkweather & Shepley.
FRANCIS WEIMER, West Chicago, Ill., State Trust & Savings Bank.
EDWARD KENNEDY, West Chicago, Ill., Old Colony Oil Co.
PAUL DEMPSEY, Student, University of Illinois.
CLARENCE SMITH, West Chicago, Ill., C. & N. W. R. R.

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 ANTHONY SMITH, West Chicago, Ill., Bell Telephone Company.
 DOROTHY CURRAN, Student, DeKalb Normal.
 HELEN HARTMAN, West Chicago, Ill., Home.
 WALTER SAUBER, West Chicago, Ill., Student, University of Illinois.
 FLORENCE DUNBAR, West Chicago, Ill., Sherwood School of Music, Chicago.
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 KATHERINE MCFARLAND, West Chicago, Ill., Home.

CLASS OF 1923

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 Married.
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 Chicago, Ill.
 HOMER FOWLER, 111 Ashland Ave., River Forest, Ill., Clearing House Dept.,
 Chicago Trust Co., Chicago, Ill.
 THELMA FISHER, West Chicago, Ill., Stenographer, Hartford Fire Ins. Co., Chicago.
 MABLE GOETZ, West Chicago, Ill., Home.
 CHARLOTTE HARTMAN, West Chicago, Ill., Stenographer, County Treasurer's
 Office, Wheaton, Ill.
 HAZEL HOAG KELLY, West Chicago, Ill., Stenographer, John A. Nash, Attorney,
 Chicago, Ill.; Married.
 ARVILLE HOWARD, Wayne, Ill., Farmer.
 EDNA HOPKINS ATCHINSON, Barrington, Ill., Married.
 EVELYN HAFFRON, West Chicago, Ill., American Bond & Mortgage Co., Chicago,
 Ill.
 HELEN KEESE, Williston Hall, DeKalb, Ill., Student, Northern Illinois Teachers'
 College.
 ARTHUR KRUSE, West Chicago, Ill., Clerk, C. & N. W. R. R. Gen. Offices, Chicago.
 HARRY LYNCH, West Chicago, Ill., Old Colony Oil Co.
 KENNETH LUNAK, 404 East John St., Champaign, Ill., Student.
 HAROLD LAZIER, (Unable to locate).
 GARNET ROUP, West Chicago, Ill., Clerical Work, F. E. Compton, Chicago.
 RICHARD RUDD, 907 S. 6th St., Champaign, Ill., Student, University of Illinois.
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 WILLIAM SHATWELL, West Chicago, Ill., Salesman, Old Colony Oil Co., Chicago.
 CHESTER WIRSCHING, West Chicago, Ill., B. A. Rialtor Co., Wholesale Grocers.
 NONA WILLIAMS, West Chicago, Ill., Comptometer Operator, First National Bank,
 Chicago, Ill.
 DONALD MCFARLAND, Produce Hotel, 7th & Central Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

SENIOR PLAY

"YOUR LUCK AND MINE"

On Monday and Tuesday, April 21 and 22, the Seniors staged a very successful play, "Your Luck and Mine". This play was written and directed by Jean Karr, as have been the Senior plays presented by West Chicago High School for several years. Although it contained a small comedy element, this play was of a more serious nature than have been most former ones. It was based upon the spread of the drug habit among high school students. Three of the cast became victims of dope but all were successful in overcoming it with the aid of Sheila Rustumji, a Hindoo girl, who was a friend of the Prescott family. The parts of the addicts were very well done by Norris Cain, Hazel Ketcham, and Charles Ward. As a breezy newspaper reporter Edward Heinz was "top-notch". Grace Hensel made a most natural "granny" of the old fashioned type and Frances Cromer did the unusual part of a frivolous old lady exceptionally well. Called upon at the last moment to fill the place of one of the cast who was so unfortunate as to take the mumps, and with very little time in which to learn the part, John Azer, as Dr. Collier proved himself a real actor. The cast was as follows:

Cyrus Prescott	Joseph McQuade
Mrs. Prescott	Gertrude Gressens
Marion Prescott	Hazel Ketcham
Louise Prescott	Edna Azer
William Prescott	Norris Cain
"Granny" Prescott	Grace Hensel
Martha Gordon	Frances Cromer
Sheila Rustumji	Cora Berndt
Ben Downing	William Costello
Sam Coulter	Eddie Heinz
Richard Cook	Charles Ward
Carrie Cook	Lily Plath
Charles Hall	Harold Cooper
Hattie Collier	Marcella Dierks
Dr. Collier	John Azer
Pete Tyler	Rolland Roup





A C T I V I T I E S

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

The school year of 1923-24 witnessed the founding of two Glee Clubs, one for the girls and one for the boys. Both were organized by Miss Mary McKay, under whose leadership they have accomplished excellent work and added greatly to the advancement of school activities. The enthusiasm of the Boys' Glee Club was stirred by several programs they rendered during the year. The first was on Washington's Birthday when they sang a group of patriotic songs for the High School Assembly, and later for the Woman's Club. They will also take part in the Class Night and Commencement programs. The members are: first tenor—Stephen Goebel, Wendell Rohr, Charles Daniels, Michael Heinz; second tenor—Robert Player, Aulden Richards; first bass—Joseph McQuade, Thomas Potts; second bass—John Alderton, Harold Cooper. Officers—Michael Heinz, president; Thomas Potts, vice-president; Robert Player, librarian.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

The Girls' Glee Club, conducted by Miss McKay and accompanied by Miss Barr, was organized with a membership of twenty-one. This Glee Club sang for the High School Chorus, will sing at the High School Concert, and take part in the programs on Class Night and Commencement. Six of the Girls' Glee Club members entered the team to represent the high school in the Third Annual Music Memory Contest at Orchestra Hall under the auspices of the In and About Chicago Music Club. Members are: first soprano—Mary West, Dorothy Schnitker, Olive Mefferd, Genevieve Kennedy, Berniece Beardsley, Marian Carl, Viola Kimes, Marguerite Keese; second soprano—Frances Cromer, Lily Plath, Mildred Carl, Norma Steven, Mildred Haffron, Helen Nelson; alto—Berniece Fairbank, Shirley Wills, Janice Daniels, Berniece Dieter, Gertrude Gressens. Its officers are: Olive Mefferd, president; Janice Daniels, vice-president; Gertrude Gressens, secretary-treasurer; Mildred Haffron, librarian.

ORCHESTRA

Under the direction of Mr. Alexander Harley, the orchestra took up their work this year, for the third consecutive year. Several members are veterans of the two preceding years, and therefore good work was accomplished. Several times this year the orchestra has taken part in some program. They accompanied the basketball team to the tournament at Dundee, where they played the pep songs for the rooters. A good feed and an enjoyable evening was given them for playing a few selections at the basketball banquet. The orchestra will play at the High School concert, class plays, and take part in the Class Night and Commencement programs. Only two members are of the Senior Class, so the good work can be continued in 1924-25. Members: first violins—Gertrude Gressens, Marion Goetz, Bernice Hensel, Marian Carl; second violins—Michael Heinz, Otto Schommer, Arthur Sauber, Helen Drath, Elizabeth Neltnor; cornet—Wendell Rohr, Richard Sproat; trombone—Thomas Potts; clarinet—Edward Sproat; tuba—Charles Daniels; piano—Shirley Wills, Mary West; drums—Charles Buchanan.



BAND

The high school band was organized in the spring of 1923. Mr. Graves, the present conductor, is one of Chicago's foremost clarinetists, and has done much toward giving them a good start. They will play a group of numbers at the high school concert, May 29, and will also accompany the chorus. Its members are: Thomas Potts, trombone; Edward Sproat, clarinet; Wendell Rohr, Richard Sproat, Lowell Osborn, Harrison Thrap, Clarence Bahnfleth, cornet; Janice Daniels, Ervin Bessert, George Correl, saxophone; Charles Daniels, tuba; Charles Buchanan, snare drum; Harold Sheahan, James O'Leary, bass drum.

HI-Y CLUB

A few weeks after school had begun, when everyone was getting used to the daily routine, Mr. Caster, the Hi-Y leader in DuPage County, visited our school with the purpose of organizing a Hi-Y Club. In a short time the club was organized with the following officers: Rolland Roup, president; Edwin Asmann, vice-president; Harold Cooper, secretary; Worth Norris, treasurer. To start the year's work the club arranged a Four C's Campaign. They secured four men who spoke at assembly; Dr. Lumsden of Wheaton, on "Clean Speech"; Mr. Biester of Glen Ellyn on "Clean Scholarship"; Boyd Walker, the State's Older Boys' secretary, on "Clean Living"; and Coach Winters of Oak Park, on "Clean Athletics". At the Annual Older Boys' Conference arranged by the Hi-Y Clubs of the county and held at Elmhurst, West Chicago Hi sent twenty-nine, the largest representation there. The last event of the year was a weenie roast at the Forest Preserve, where the next year's officers were elected.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLASS

The real activity of the girls of the Domestic Science Class began on November twenty-first and twenty-seventh, when they served breakfasts to themselves in order to become proficient in the art of serving. In December they arranged a little luncheon for the school board at one of their meetings. For one week in January the girls worked faithfully and diligently making candy. They sold this at one of the basketball games, clearing in all \$33.75. The board very kindly added to this sum with which they bought white and gold dishes, silver flatware, and some new equipment which was greatly needed in the laboratory. In May the girls entertained the Woman's Club at a luncheon.

SOCIETY

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE PARTY

The first social event of the season for lower classmen was a party given the Freshmen by the Sophomores. According to custom the Freshies were initiated at this time.

The Freshmen assembled early with much excitement and a wee bit of fear as to the treatment they might receive at the hands of those horrid, rough Sophomores. They were blind folded, and one at a time made to go through a series of terrifying experiences; an electric shock, a whiff of hydrogen sulphide, a dose of red pepper and castor oil, and a climb to the top of a shaky ladder. All survived, however, without serious injury.

The remainder of the evening was spent in playing games, after which lunch was served. The tired and weary children departed soon after this, for it was long past their bedtime.

JUNIOR-SENIOR PARTY

In October the Seniors entertained the Juniors at a costume party. Many beautiful and unique costumes were in evidence.

Dancing was the main diversion of the evening, music furnished by Haffron's Orchestra. Very elaborate refreshments were served by the Senior boys. After considerable urging on the part of Mr. Byerly the party adjourned.

FOOTBALL BANQUET

At the close of the football season a banquet was given to the football boys by the Woman's Club of West Chicago. There were about one hundred twenty present. Supt. Byerly, who acted as toastmaster, called upon each of the letter men. Coach Newman, according to the boys, was largely responsible for the successful season. Judge Steffen of Chicago, twice selected on the All-American Football team, and Coach Oswald of Mooseheart, were the principal speakers of the evening. Both men are football enthusiasts and gave some very interesting facts about the game.

Haffron's orchestra furnished music throughout the evening. Miss Mildred Haffron sang "Call Me Back, Pal O' Mine", accompanied by Miss Evelyn Haffron at the piano. Dancing formed the entertainment for the remaining part of the evening.

It was voted a very pleasing event by all those being fortunate enough to attend, even the boys agreeing that it was worth the agony of making a speech.

JUNIOR PARTY

The latter part of October, the Juniors gave a farewell party in honor of their classmate, Christina Perrow, who expected to leave the first of November to make her home in sunny California.

Dancing and games furnished the evening's entertainment. Lunch was served and the guests departed wishing Christina a great deal of happiness in her new home.

BASKETBALL BANQUET

On Wednesday night, April 2, the Woman's Club furnished our basketball heroes, with a banquet at the Lincoln gymnasium. Dr. C. L. Daniels acted as toastmaster. He called on each member of the first team who responded with a short talk. Supt. Byerly, Coach Newman, and Mr. Culbertson also responded to toasts. The principal speaker of the evening was Dr. Randphaler, Dean of Mooseheart, while Frank Carey, in his usual happy way, led the singing. Charles Ward presented Coach Newman with a beautiful watch charm in behalf of the athletes of the season '23 and '24.

JUNIOR BANQUET

A sumptuous banquet was given by the Junior class in honor of their basketball team, winners of the inter-class tournament, at the Lincoln Gymnasium, Saturday evening, April 12, 1924.

Six o'clock was the hour set for the banquet, but many members of the class, evidently trying to be fashionable, arrived late. Finally the last straggler appeared and the feast began. The menu was as follows:

Scalloped Potatoes	Meat Loaf
Hot Rolls	Butter
Jelly	Olives
Orange Ice	Waldorf Salad
	Cocoanut Wafers

Mr. Newman (toastmaster) called upon many of the boys who responded with short talks emphasizing the fact that it was not alone individual skill on the part of the players but class spirit and cooperation which enabled them to win the inter-class tournament.

The next event of the evening was dish-washing, boys, girls, and even Mr. Newman taking part in the interesting affair. Miss Peck, the class advisor, and Mr. Newman's dinner partner, did her share also. When the dishes were done there was a sigh of relief, as the soft strains of "Don't Mind the Rain", played by Miss Shirley Wills, had drifted into the kitchen. Soon everyone was dancing, the Virginia Reel being a popular number.

At a late hour the weary Juniors turned out the lights and departed for their homes. So ended a perfect night.

GIRLS' RAINBOW PARTY

The basketball girls had their annual Rainbow party April 25, in honor of the Red team. The party began at 8 o'clock with a track meet in which all the teams and their guests took part. The events were as follows: 50 yd. dash; shot put; standing broad jump; peanut race; monkey race; endurance test; handicap; relay race; voice vault; standing broad grin; wheel-barrow race, three-legged race; hop-skip-jump; and high jump. All the teams tried hard to win but the Yellows came out ahead with a score of 22. The Blue team was second with a score of 18, and the Orange team third with a score of 16. The Purples were low with a score of 8.

After the track meet was over refreshments were served. The tables were decorated with the colors of the six teams, and there were also caps, confetti, horns, and serpentines for each person. After the second course was served the teams presented Miss Schaperkotter with a gift, and those on the Yellow team received prizes as winners of the track meet. Each person on the Purple team was presented with a stick of gum which served as a refreshment for their resultless efforts.

SOPHOMORE PARTY

On Saturday evening April 26, the Sophomore held a bunco party in the gymnasium. High scores were won by Bernice Fairbank and Marguerite Keese, and low scores by Gertrude Loveless and Joseph Nagel. The sensation of the evening occurred when Catherine Mahoney attempted to eat pickle sandwiches, and thereby discovered she was developing a case of the mumps. Adjournment was early because most of the girls were rather weary from the Rainbow party the night before.

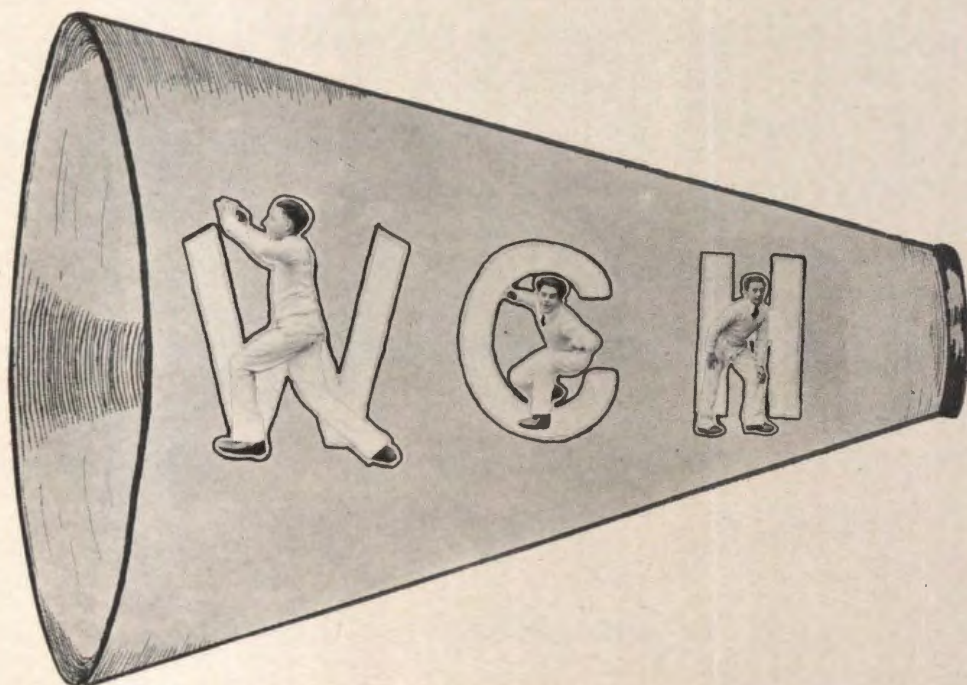
SOCIAL EVENTS TO COME

Blue and White Party	May 29
Junior-Senior Prom	May 27
Senior Picnic	June 4



A T H L E T I C S

OUR CHEER LEADERS



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COACH NEWMAN



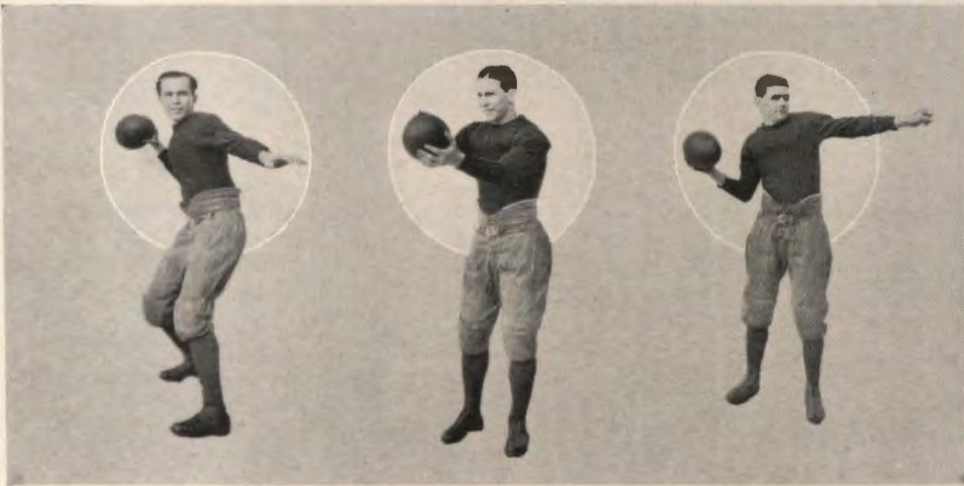
COACH SCHAPERKOTTER



W. C. H. S. SCHEDULE

W. C. H. S.	18	Wheaton	14
W. C. H. S.	0	York	6
W. C. H. S.	9	Geneva	0
W. C. H. S.	13	Mooseheart	0
W. C. H. S.	25	Yorkville	6
W. C. H. S.	46	Maine	0
W. C. H. S.	13	Downers Grove	13
W. C. H. S.	20	Hinsdale	6
W. C. H. S.	13	Glenbard	7
	157		52

Won	Lost	Tied	Percentage
7	1	1	.875



MCQUADE
the human battering
ram. Seldom were his
smashes stopped.

FOX
the heart of the team,
around whom was woven
the majority of the plays.
A speedy and clever open
field runner.

CAIN
a great defensive back,
who was always there
in the pinches.



WARD
a capable field general
and offensive player,
directing attacks with a
cool and careful hand.

COSTELLO
a stellar offensive player
and a bear on defense.
He stopped 'em all.

McFARLAND
forced from the fray
with a broken arm, will
undoubtedly star in the
quarterback's berth next
year.



ROUNDY

shifty and big, feared by all opposing tackles. He always followed the ball.

ASMANN

a ferocious tackle, whom no opponent faced without increased palpitation of the heart.

NORRIS

a bulwark on defense, big as a school and just as hard to get through.



ETTINGER

an end who would gladden any coach's heart. He tackled 'em hard and laid 'em low.

PLAYER

the galloping guard. He didn't wait, but went in after 'em.

ROUP

a vicious tackler with the ability of snaring passes from the merry zephyrs.

REVIEW OF FOOTBALL SEASON

The evening of September 10, 1923, ten veterans and sixteen recruits donned the moleskins for the opening practice of West Chicago's second year of football.

Last year's team had been a dismal failure as far as winning games was concerned, but under the excellent guidance of Coach Newman the team had worked diligently all through the season with the result that those who returned for the 1924 season were fairly well versed in the fundamentals of football and had also gained one year's experience. So it was that the season of '23 laid the foundation for the brilliant achievements of the past year in which 7 games were won, 1 lost and 1 tied, giving a percentage of .875. Although the championship was lost by a narrow margin West Chicago can truthfully say that at the end of the season Coach Newman had perfected a team equalled by none in the West Suburban Conference.

The opening game of the season was against the Wheaton Reserves at Wheaton and resulted in victory for the Blue and White by the score of 18 to 14.

September 29, York provided the opposition in the opening game of the West Suburban Conference at West Chicago.

Early in the first quarter York scored the touchdown that resulted in victory. On an exchange of punts, York's end tackled the West Chicago receiver as he was catching the ball and a fumble resulted, which was scooped up by Neuges, York's right tackle, and carried across the goal. It was the break of the game as neither team was able to do any further scoring. The Blue and White showed the most consistent attack, but were kept from York's goal by some wonderful punting.

The next week the Blue and White engaged in conflict with Geneva, their traditional rivals, and for the first time in the history of the schools the home players were victorious.

Geneva had won their first two games of the season and were fairly confident of adding another, but West Chicago ruled otherwise. The Blue and White started a march goal-ward early in the first period, but frequent penalties prevented a touchdown. A field goal was booted, however, which gave West Chi a 3 point advantage. The second quarter the Blue and White line played havoc with the Geneva forward wall and blocked punts at will, until one was finally recovered behind the goal by Ettinger, the smashing left end. In the last quarter the Blue and White again scored on an intercepted pass, but it was not allowed as the ball had not been put in play at the proper position.

The next two games were away and both resulted in clean cut victories.

Mooseheart Reserves were the first victims by a score of 13 to 0. The game was played on a rain soaked field, but nevertheless the Blue and White did most of their gaining by speeding around the ends. West Chicago scored their two touchdowns in the first half when Ward twice sneaked through center after end runs had brought the ball close to the goal. The second half Mooseheart opened up with long passes in a desperate effort to score, but the Blue and White back-field easily knocked them down.

Yorkville was the next stop and the Blue and White, displaying the best football of the season, handed them a neat 25 to 6 trimming.

West Chicago started an early drive and pushed over a touchdown the first quarter. In the second quarter the Blue and White scored on an intercepted pass, but the referee inflicted a penalty for holding and the score remained at 6 to 0 until the end of the half.

The second half the West Chicago lads, nettled by the loss of 6 points, started with an attack that couldn't be stopped, and before the third quarter was ended had smashed over two touchdowns. At the beginning of the fourth quarter 7

more points were added. The last five minutes the seconds were run in and Yorkville coined their only points.

October 27, Des Plaines, the only team to defeat York, tackled West Chicago here and, although they were one of the strongest teams of the conference, were humiliated by a score of 46 to 0.

Everything seemed to break right for the Blue and White that day. Three touchdowns were registered in the first half, but not content with this the home crew added four more, the last period. Only once did Maine threaten, but inability to catch passes prevented them from scoring.

The fact that Maine later beat York and Downers Grove goes to show the real strength of West Chicago at this time.

Downers Grove was the next opposition and due to a sea of mud nearly defeated the Blue and White.

West Chicago started off strong and scored a touchdown the first quarter, but Downers over-shadowed this by doing likewise on a fumbled kick. The goal was also kicked, putting Downers ahead 7 to 6. The third quarter Downers again scored, but in the fourth the Blue and White by a desperate rally tied it at 13 all. Still fighting they plunged to the one yard line only to have the whistle blow, ending the game. One second more and the Blue and White would have tied for the Conference Championship. On a dry field West Chicago would have swamped Downers as York beat them, 58 to 0, and Maine topped them 30 to 0.

The two final games of the season found West Chicago using a passing attack which was very effective.

November 10 the team traveled to Hinsdale to tuck another victory under their belt, 20 to 6. As usual the first quarter netted its one touchdown, but the scoring then ended for that half. The second half the Blue and White opened up their passing attack and the combination of "Ward to Fox" resulted directly in one touchdown while it brought the ball into position for the final score by Cain. Hinsdale shoved over their only touchdown in the final quarter. This was perhaps the roughest game of the year and left the Blue and White somewhat banged up for the final game.

Glenbard came here November 16 and nearly provided an upset for the locals, but head work saved the day.

West Chicago kicked off to Glenbard's right half back who by some means broke through for a 80 yard run ending in a touchdown. Score 7 to 0. During the remainder of the quarter the Blue and White tried in vain to overcome this lead. The second quarter Ward opened up with passes to Fox which brought the first touchdown, tying the score 7 all. With only a few minutes remaining the Blue and White again rushed the ball toward the goal. Within a yard of goal, time out was taken as only 2 seconds remained, but this gave time to start the play and the whistle could not be blown until play stopped and the ball was shoved over. The second half neither team scored although West Chicago had the best of the battle 13 to 7.

This last game wrote finis to the high school careers of ten of the eleven regulars and it was with genuine regret that they doffed the moleskins for the last time. It is a splendid record of victories and sportsmanship they leave behind for future teams to aim at and the team of the year 1924 will not soon be forgotten.

NEXT YEAR'S PROSPECTS

Although ten regulars graduate, prospects for the coming year look exceedingly bright. Lacking somewhat in experience they will be slightly handicapped, but a heavy line and a fast backfield will offset this considerably. At this time it is not known whether Coach Newman will be back, but if he returns the school can be assured of the best of coaching.



W. C. H. S. SCHEDULE

W. C. H. S.	12	Batavia	28
W. C. H. S.	19	Hinsdale	17
W. C. H. S.	29	Downers Grove	15
W. C. H. S.	12	York	21
W. C. H. S.	22	Maine	15
W. C. H. S.	34	Glenbard	19
W. C. H. S.	27	De Kalb	26
W. C. H. S.	11	Hinsdale	26
W. C. H. S.	19	Batavia	33
W. C. H. S.	29	Downers Grove	16
W. C. H. S.	17	York	29
W. C. H. S.	20	Elburn	22
W. C. H. S.	17	Maine	13
W. C. H. S.	16	Glenbard	10
W. C. H. S.	18	Geneva	25
W. C. H. S.	25	Geneva	18
W. C. H. S.	48	Alumnae	22

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W. C. H. S.	22	McHenry	18
W. C. H. S.	25	St. Charles	19
W. C. H. S.	13	Elgin	29
W. C. H. S.	8	Dundee	19

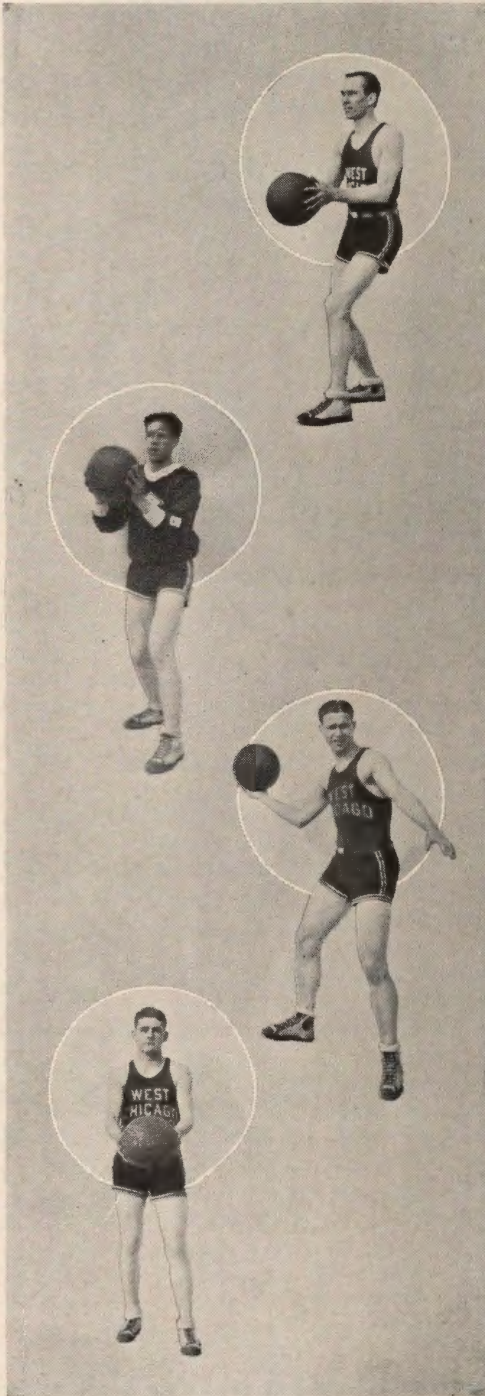
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430

Won
12

Lost
9

Percentage
.571



McQUADE

a fast and capable floor man with a world of endurance.

ROUP

a persistent team worker, always playing for the good of the whole team.

Fox

a fast running guard who is a whale on the offense and who was always ready with the shot necessary to win a game.

CAIN

one of the greatest back guards ever developed at West Chi. He made them earn their points.

COSTELLO

although better known as a football player showed marked ability on the gym floor.

ROUNDY

large and fast always in the right place at the right time.

WARD

a fast and clever forward, always "rarin' to go". His baskets helped win many games.

McFARLAND

small but sly, was likewise blessed with a wicked eye.



REVIEW OF BASKETBALL SEASON

West Chicago's basketball outlook was exceedingly bright at the opening of the year, as about twenty players reported for practice. Among these were eight who had had one year's experience on the first or second teams. These eight men, Ward, Cain, Fox, McFarland, Roundy, Costello, McQuade, and Roup, made up the regular squad for the 1924 season. Their record is one to be proud of and one which has not been equalled by a West Chicago team in many years.

West Chicago opened their basketball season December 7 against Batavia, one of the strongest teams in the state. The Blue and White fought hard, but were unable to stem the tide of baskets of the Batavia veterans and lost the battle by a score of 28 to 12.

The Blue and White's next game was the opening of the West Suburban Conference. Hinsdale was defeated after a desperate battle. Neither side was able to hold the lead for any length of time, but victory seemed assured when West Chi was leading with a minute to go. Hinsdale's center spilled the dope, however, with a long shot. In the overtime period both teams fought to the limit, but the Blue and White squeezed out ahead by two points and Hinsdale went home in gloom.

The next game was at Downers Grove and the West Chicago lads were again victorious. Roundy was the outstanding performer with seven baskets and a free throw. The Blue and White gave a wonderful exhibition of team work and had Downers bewildered at all times. The final score was 29 to 16, but it does not indicate the superiority of the winners.

The following week the Blue and White had their hopes badly crushed, 21 to 12, at York. The large and slippery floor handicapped the work of West Chi, but they were also off in all departments of the game. York had three six footers who had an uncanny knack of dropping in long shots from anywhere on the floor. This defeat dropped the Blue and White from the Conference lead.

Maine Township High, a new school in the Conference was the next opponent and the Blue and White again captured the long end of the 22 to 15 score. Maine had a scrappy outfit, but were unable to get by the West Chicago guards, while Ward dropped in five pretty baskets to take care of the offensive part. West Chicago took the lead at the start and from then on kept a safe distance in advance of the Maine tossers.

West Chicago's next game was at home when Glenbard was forced to suffer, 37 to 19. The Blue and White started strong, and with splendid team work time and again carried the ball to the basket for scores. West Chicago showed a classy attack, which had they been able to sustain throughout the year would have carried them to the top of the ranks. Glenbard although completely outclassed, fought with real spirit, never ceasing to attempt to overcome the large lead.

The following night the West Chicago lads traveled to DeKalb for a game with the Big Seven school of that city. This was one of the greatest games of the year and was won by the Blue and White, 27 to 26. The two teams fought desperately, first one leading and then the other. A minute before the end DeKalb was leading by one point, but Fox dropped in a long shot and the game was soon ended.

Hinsdale took us into camp the next week by a 26 to 11 count. The Blue and White tossers seemed decidedly lost on the large floor and were able to furnish little opposition.

The next night Batavia came here for their return game and departed with a 33 to 19 victory. Although outclassed by these veterans, the Blue and White fought unceasingly and at one time were within four points of the leaders. Batavia had too much in reserve, however, and had forged well to the front by the end.

Downers Grove was the next visitor, but fared rather dismally. The West Chicago five started like a whirlwind and tore through Downers defense with

ease, while the locals' defense was impenetrable. At half time West Chicago led 19 to 3. The second half Downers came back strong and by the end had raised their score to 13 while West Chicago hit the 29 mark.

The following Friday the Blue and White received their third Conference defeat 29 to 17. York was the victor, due mainly to the fact that their center was able to make baskets from almost any place on the floor.

The next night Elburn came here with a fast working offense and after a five minute overtime period copped 22 to 20. The Blue and White were unable to get started the first half and Elburn's fast pace gave them a 12 to 7 lead. The second half the locals tied it up only to lose in the overtime period.

This week a slump hit the team and a ragged brand of basketball was the result, but nevertheless Maine was defeated here 17 to 13 in the poorest played game of the year. The game although close was never in doubt, as Maine likewise showed stale form.

The Blue and White went to Glenbard the next week and by showing flashes of their old form emerged with a 16 to 10 victory. This was West Chicago's last game of the West Suburban Conference and placed them third in the standing with seven games won and three lost. Hinsdale won the championship with nine victories and two defeats, while York was runner up with eight and three.

The next two games were with Geneva and were divided by the same scores. The first game was at Geneva and, although West Chicago was playing poor ball, was a hot battle throughout with Geneva taking the lead the last quarter and holding a 25 to 18 advantage at the end.

The following week at West Chicago, Geneva was hopelessly outclassed. The Blue and White unleashed a smashing offense the first half which netted 18 points, while Geneva was held to 6. The second half was more evenly fought as West Chicago sent in their substitutes.

West Chicago's last game of the season was March 29. The alumni were their opponents, but did not furnish much opposition. The Blue and White set a pace which quickly tired the alumni and from then on took things easy, dropping in baskets almost at will until the score stood 48 to 22.

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

The District Tournament was held at Dundee, March 6, 7, and 8.

West Chicago played the opening game Thursday afternoon against McHenry. The Blue and White were considerably off in form, but a last minute rally gave them a 22 to 18 victory.

The following night St. Charles was met and defeated 25 to 19. The Blue and White started out in true fashion and by the half were leading 13 to 7. In the third quarter Cain was put out on personals and for awhile the team was demoralized. St. Charles tied the score and soon after forged in front 18 to 13. West Chicago stuck pluckily to their task, however, and a minute before the end tied the score with a free throw. In the overtime period the Blue and White showed their class by scoring six points while St. Charles could only collect a free throw.

This game put West Chicago in the semi-finals with Elgin, the strongest team in the tourney. Undaunted by Elgin's reputation the Blue and White fought unceasingly and at the quarter were leading 6 to 2. Elgin proved too strong, however, and at half time led 17 to 6. The last half Elgin scored 12 points while West Chicago made 7 for a total of 29 to 13 respectively. Elgin later won the championship of Illinois. They also beat every other team they played in the Dundee Tourney by 37 or more points, so West Chicago can feel proud of the showing made by its team.

Saturday night West Chicago and Dundee met for third place honors. West Chicago, weakened by the strain of three hard games, could not offer much op-



position to the fresher five, who had only played two games. The final score was 19 to 8.

PROSPECTS FOR NEXT YEAR

Since most of the basketball squad of 1924 were seniors next year will bring out an entirely new five. This year's play, however, has developed a large number of players, so that next year's team can look forward to a prosperous season.

SCHEDULE

The schedules and scores of the Second Team stand:

W. C. H. S.	5	Batavia	14
W. C. H. S.	7	Hinsdale	6
W. C. H. S.	8	Downers Grove	12
W. C. H. S.	8	York	2
W. C. H. S.	10	Maine	9
W. C. H. S.	10	Glenbard	17
W. C. H. S.	5	DeKalb	15
W. C. H. S.	6	Hinsdale	17
W. C. H. S.	10	Batavia	18
W. C. H. S.	11	Downers Grove	6
W. C. H. S.	12	York	13
W. C. H. S.	9	Elburn	12
W. C. H. S.	19	Maine	7
W. C. H. S.	14	Glenbard	12
W. C. H. S.	9	Geneva	14
W. C. H. S.	10	Geneva	13

Total for West Chicago, 153.
 Total for opposing teams, 186.
 Won, 6; Lost, 10; Percentage, .375.



TRACK

April third found the track men out on the cinders for their initial workout. A squad of twenty turned out and prospects are good for a successful season. Several dual meets are being scheduled to condition the team for the West Suburban meet at Hinsdale, May 23. The team is also looking forward to several interscholastic meets sanctioned by Bradley Tech of Peoria, East Aurora High, and DeKalb Normal. There are also prospects of entering several men in the interscholastic at the University of Illinois.

To date Geneva has been the only school West Chicago has competed with. This meet resulted in an overwhelming defeat for Geneva, 61 to 28. West Chicago took eight first places, five seconds and five thirds, while their opponents scored two firsts, five seconds and four thirds.



RED TEAM

CATHRYN SPECK, LILY PLATH, VIOLA BANCROFT, MILDRED EHLENBERG,
LAURA TINNES, MABLE WIRSCHING (Captain), RUTH PERKINS.

YELLOW TEAM

MARIE TINNES, HELEN LYNCH, MARY WEST,
JANICE DANIELS, HELEN NELSON (Captain), MARION GOETZ, MARGARET NELSON.

BLUE TEAM

MARGARET PLAYER, BERNICE HENSEL, HELEN KENNEDY,
MILDRED CARL, EDNA LYNCH (Captain), VIOLA KIMES, JUNE HAFLEY.



GREEN TEAM

EDNA SITTS, CATHARINE FOXEN, EDNA AZER,
GERALDINE SINGLETARY, ELIZABETH NELTNOR, MARIAN CARL,
GERTRUDE GRESENS (Captain)

PURPLE TEAM

MARGUERITE KEESE, MARCELLA DIERKS, GRACE HENSEL, ELEANOR CRICKMAN,
CATHERINE MAHONEY, MARJORIE DEANE, BERNICE MUNSON,
CORA BERNDT (Captain)

ORANGE TEAM

PAULINE HURLEY, SHIRLEY WILLS, CATHERINE ATKINSON, DOROTHY MADISON,
GERTRUDE LOVELESS, GENEVIEVE KENNEDY, GRACE MCALEESE,
BERNICE FAIRBANK (Captain)

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

On December 1, girls' basketball practice under the guidance of Miss Schaperkott of the commercial department began with the greatest enthusiasm, the time in the gymnasium being devoted to basketball practice and calisthenics. Later in the season the Freshmen and the Sophomores chose teams to represent their respective classes. February 1, when the Sophomore teams played the Freshmen teams, the Sophomores displayed their superiority over the Freshmen by being victorious in the two games that were played. The scores made in the games are as follows:

SOPHOMORES
Blue 17, Gold 15

FRESHMEN
Blue 3, Silver 2

On February 25, all the girls participating in athletics held a meeting for the purpose of choosing captains for the Third Annual Rainbow Tournament.

On March 13, the Red and Yellow teams and the Orange and Purple teams were scheduled to play. The Yellows fought hard but were defeated by the Reds with a score of 15-5. In the second game the Purples lost from the Oranges with a score of 16-7.

On March 14 the first game was between the Reds and the Blues, the Red team being victorious with a score of 22-7. The Greens met the Oranges and won in a hard fought game. Score 11-9.

On March 15, Saturday night, the winning and losing teams of the previous night played for first, second, and third places. The game played between the Blues and the Oranges was very exciting being tied 6-6 at the end of the game. During the overtime period the Oranges made one basket making the score 8-6 in their favor. In the last game, which was to determine who would be the winner of the Rainbow Tournament of 1924, the Reds outplayed the Greens proving decisively that they were a superior team. The final score was 26-17. Nine "Rahs" for the Reds! The work of Laura Tinnes, forward on the Red team, who made 24 of their 26 points, contributed in great measure to the success of this team.

The officials of the tournament, Evelyn Carbaugh of Elgin, the referee, and Marian Hadner of Wheaton, the umpire, selected the following all tournament teams and honorable mention list:

RAINBOW TOURNAMENT FIRST TEAM

LAURA TINNES, R.F., Red
MARIAN CARL, L.F., Green
DOROTHY MADISON, C., Orange

VIOLA BANCROFT, S.C., Red
GERALDINE SINGLETARY, R.G., Green
MABLE WIRSCHING, L.G., Red

RAINBOW TOURNAMENT SECOND TEAM

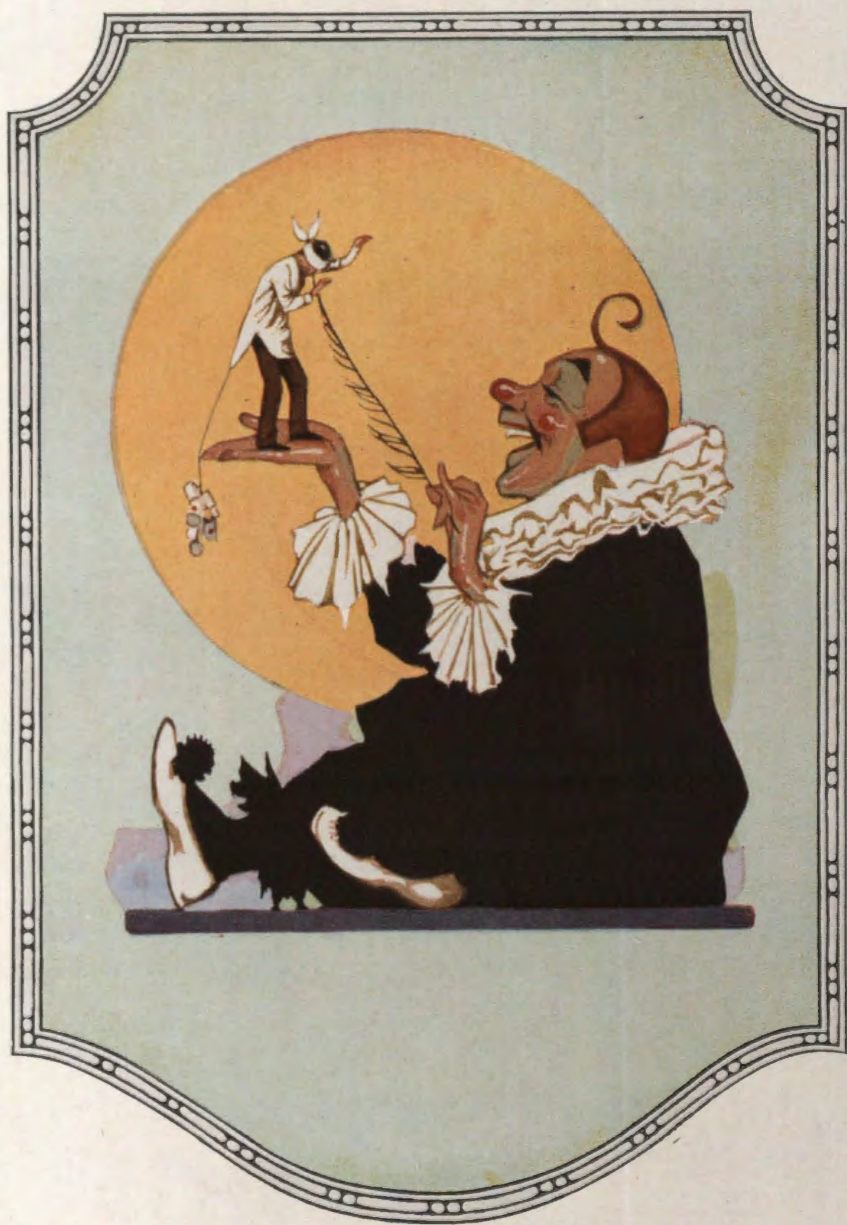
GENEVIEVE KENNEDY, R.F., Orange
HELEN NELSON, L.F., Yellow
HAZEL MILLER, S.C., Green

BERNICE HENSEL, C., Blue
GERTRUDE LOVELESS, R.G., Orange
JANICE DANIELS, L.G., Yellow

THOSE WORTHY OF HONORABLE MENTION

HELEN LYNCH, Yellow
KATHARINE FOXEN, Green
LILY PLATH, Red

GRACE HENSEL, Purple
HELEN KENNEDY, Blue
EDNA AZER, Green
MILDRED CARL, Blue



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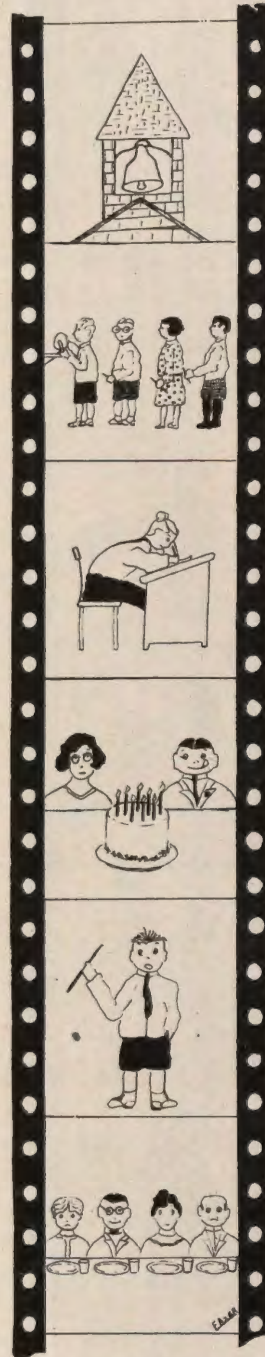
CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

- 10—Back to school. It surely is a grand and glorious feeling.
- 11—School starts on regular schedule. We at last find standing room for all the Freshmen.
- 22—Won our first football game from Wheaton.
- 27—Miss McKay organizes a Girls' Glee Club.
- 29—Lost football game with York.

OCTOBER

- 1—Boys' Glee Club organized. No letting the girls get ahead of them.
- 3—Seniors select class colors. Freshmen stand in line to try new pencil sharpener.
- 4—A large safe was hauled upstairs into the superintendent's office. Seniors finally select class rings.
- 5—Somebody doubted our position as Seniors today, so a mental test was given us.
- 6—Won football game from Geneva, saving Bamby the trouble of moving out of that city.
- 9—Receive first report cards. The whole high school had to stay for being noisy. Department of history receives new maps. Miss Olive Mefford entertains at a birthday party.
- 10—Seniors finish reading Chaucer and everyone of them breathes a sigh of relief.
- 11—Glee Club demonstrates some of their talent during chorus period.
- 12—School has patriotic opening exercises in honor of Columbus.
- 13—Win football game from Mooseheart in drizzling rain. Bamby hires empty trucks to witness this game.
- 15—Jimmy O'Leary assists Miss McKay in leading chorus.
- 17—Mr. Byerly gives the Assembly a talk on character development.
- 19—Freshmen get initiated.
- 20—Win football game from Yorkville. Juniors give farewell party to Christina Perrow.
- 22—Faculty have a dinner party.
- 27—Victorious in football game with Des Plaines. Seniors give masquerade party to Juniors.
- 29—Edwin Asmann and Robert Player sing a duet for us in chorus.





NOVEMBER

- 2—Pupils receive a much needed vacation.
- 6—Receive report cards again. There are a few more happy faces this time.
- 7—Joseph McQuade's main ambition in English is to create amusement. He tries to be a funny ghost.
- 8—Wayne Fox instructs music teacher how to sing a difficult song. Eddie Heinz complains that the teachers are asking altogether too many questions.
- 10—Wayne Fox cuts his lip in football game with Hinsdale.
- 12—Sing old time World War songs in chorus.
- 13—Harry Hurley shows marked improvement in his writing, due to the fact that he is using a yellow quill.
- 15—The big fog this morning wasn't a fog after all. It was found to be the smoke from the corncob of some Senior. Football boys actually shed tears at their last practice this afternoon.
- 16—Football boys victorious in their last game.
- 20—Dr. Lumsden of Wheaton speaks to the Assembly on "Clean Speech".
- 23—Seniors pose for the camera. Teachers attend Teachers' Convention.
- 24—Surprise party in honor of Marcella Dierks.
- 26—Basketball practice begins. Juniors order class rings.
- 28—Orchestra give selections to Assembly. Vacation already begins.
- 29—Turkey Day. Everyone tries to break his record in eating, but Edwin Asmann wins by a large margin.

DECEMBER

- 3—Pupils cannot get in mood for school. Organize High School Editorial Staff. Bill Nicholson's flivver revolts, giving him a broken arm.
- 4—Superintendent of Glenbard High presents our school with silver cup won by last year's shorthand and typewriting team.
- 5—Install new desk arms which Ed Asmann cannot pull off.
- 6—Gertrude Gressens forgets to go to class. We all know she was trying to get out of the big test they were having.
- 7—Lose Batavia basketball game.
- 10—Miss Reed is back and we are all willing to submit to her rule again.
- 11—Mr. Byerly thinks we could start a circus, because we have some girls who would make good clowns.

12—Mr. Harley entertains Assembly with violin selections.

13—Speech on "Clean Living", by Mr. Walker. Football boys banquet.

14—Win basketball game with Hinsdale. Ernie Sauber calls position of quotient of square root, "the upstairs".

17—Snapshots taken for Annual.

18—Norris Cain falls off his chair during class.

19—Bob Carey is loitering around the gym trying to get on the lightweight basketball team.

20—High School Athletic Association receives check from Woman's Club.

21—Annual Roughneck Day.

JANUARY

3—Everyone starts new year by studying hard.

4—New Year's resolutions too much like work, so everyone is again acting natural.

7—Rolland Roup falls asleep in physics.

8—Frank Sitts tells us in English that Hooker wrote on the church. Ho, ho! She gave Rolland a black eye last night. Domestic Science Girls entertain School Board at a dinner.

9—Freshmen take mental test. Choose Blue and White teams for selling Annuals.

10—Half the High School drops chorus, because they learn they have to sing a solo to receive their credit. Shot from physics laboratory missing. We know some Freshman replenished his supply.

11—Victorious in game with Maine Township High. Eddie Heinz tells us that an elegy is a story of a man after he is dead. Let's hope it is a good one.

14—Juniors get their class rings.

15—Year Book selling contest launched.

16—New books added to library.

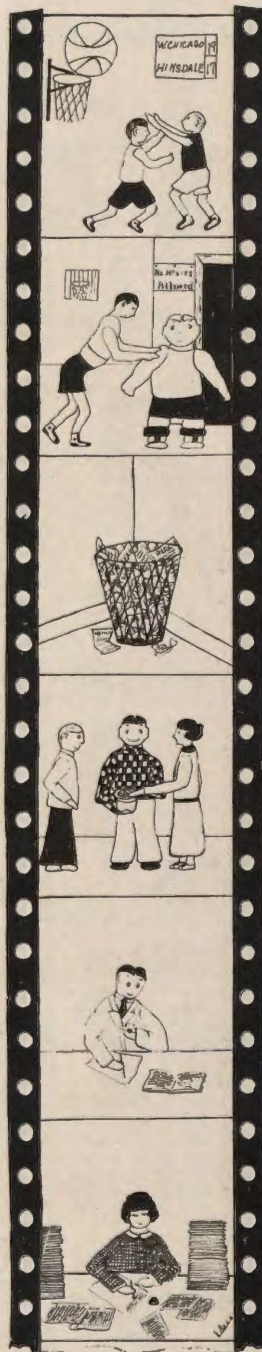
18—Domestic Science girls sell candy at basketball game with Glenbard.

19—Basketball boys let DeKalb know West Chicago is on the map.

21—If we all have to sing as good solos as Gertrude Gressens sang in chorus today we might as well quit. Average temperature in school was 56.

22—Examination elimination list read. Wonder how the student feels who gets out of his exams!

23-24-25—Everyone is writing brilliant examination papers.





28—A dog persisted in being with us today. He thought he belonged with the learned.

29—Worth Norris takes to floor scrubbing. Rolland Roup plays the gentleman by buckling ladies' "goulashes" Senior play read.

31—Girls' Glee Club sing in chorus.

FEBRUARY

4—The snowstorm was so big, Worth had to wear his "goulashes".

5—Henry Waffenschmit was on time this morning and he did not know it.

8—West Chicago show themselves superior to Downers in basketball.

11—Mr. Sanborn gives Assembly a speech on "Vocational Guidance".

12—Speeches by pupils on Lincoln (not Ebby).

13—Mary West moves into Senior section. That does not mean she is a full fledged Senior.

16—Ebby Sproat makes his first basket for West Chicago High.

18—Everyone is carrying a poster to school for Good English Week.

19—Mr. Newman of Wheaton, drew cartoons accompanied with a speech on "Pep", for the Assembly.

21—Program in honor of Washington's birthday, rendered by students. Boys' Glee Club sings.

22—We have a day's vacation. Thanks to George Washington.

23—Freshmen entertain Sophomores at a Valentine Masquerade.

25—Worth Norris snores in his sleep during the sixth period.

26—Install new clock, which was a gift of last year's Senior class.

29—Seniors dedicate the Annual.

MARCH

1—Band plays at basketball game with Geneva.

3—Alden Richards tries to take the statue of Longfellow to lunch with him. Girls' Rainbo Basketball teams chosen.

4—Receive report cards again. Some wear smiles and some wear frowns.

6-7-8—Dundee Basketball Tournament.

10—Everybody's got the mumps.

12-13-14—Girls' Rainbo Basketball Tournament.

17—Cora Berndt gets her Easter bonnet. Jit returns from a siege of mumps. Senior play practice begins. Three new bobbed heads appear.

18—Assistant athletic coach of Oak Park High gives a speech to the Assembly on clean athletics.

24—School Board treat us to instructive and entertaining movies in Lincoln gym.

26-27—Interclass Tournament.

29—Music Memory team go into Chicago to contest in the Music Memory Contest. Basketball boys and girls climax season by winning games from Alumni.

APRIL

1—Nobody fooled.

2—Basketball boys banquet.

3—Miss Dickey has her hair bobbed. All the boys start new fad of wearing neckties above collars. We always knew we had brilliant boys, but did not expect any style dictators.

10—Edwin Asmann visits us, and he is the same old Duke.

12—Junior girls banquet the Junior boys, as a reward for winning the Interclass Tournament.

21—Seniors put on the play "Your Luck and Mine".

25—Basketball girls have a bloomer party.

MAY

19—Juniors present "Peg O' My Heart" on the stage.

27—Juniors banquet the Seniors. At last we eat!

29—The losing Whites give the winning Blues a party.

JUNE

4—Faculty treat the Seniors with a picnic.

9—Last day of school. Another grand and glorious feeling.



JOKES

Mr. C. C. C.: "Can any of you tell me what makes the Tower of Piza lean?"
W. Norris: "I don't know but I would like some myself."

James O'Leary: "Have you seen the famous picture, 'The Four Horsemen of the Eucalyptus'?"

Harold Sheahan: "No, I haven't. I'm tired of those western pictures."

I only kissed her on the cheek,
It seemed a simple frolic,
But I was sick in bed a week;
They called it painter's colic.

Frank S.: "What would your father do if he saw you smoking cigarettes?"
Ted Carey: "He'd lick me; they're his."

Mary: "No, Edward, I am sorry but I'm sure we could never be happy together. You know I always want my own way in everything."

E. H.: "But, you know you could go on wanting it after we were married."

Mable W.: "I know a girl that has a permanent wave in her hair."

Viola K.: "That so?"

Mable W.: "Yep. She drowned in the middle of the ocean and they can't find her."

Miss D.: "What is ratio?"

Art S.: "Ratio is proportion."

Miss D.: "What is proportion?"

Art S.: "Proportion is ratio."

Miss D.: "But what are ratio and proportion?"

Art S.: "I can only answer one question at a time."

Potts, a young fellow with bright red hair,
Once said to a young lady fair,
"For you I would die."
She said, "If you try
Dye slowly but surely that hair."

Miss Peck: "Do you like codfish balls?"

Janice D.: "I don't know, I never attended one."

Miss B.: "When did Caesar defeat the greatest number?"

Charles D.: "I think on examination day."

Francis C.: "Do you always think of me?"

William C.: "Well, not exactly always, but whenever I think of anything, I think of you."

Miss O.: "Discuss thoroughly Washington's second election to the Presidency."

Duke: "Washington ran."

Guess Who!



G. Weimer: "What part of the body is the fray?"

Miss Oke: "Fray! What are you talking about?"

G. Weimer: "This book says: 'Ivanhoe was wounded in the fray'."

C. Ettinger: "What makes you think they're engaged?"

H. Cooper: "She has a ring and he is broke."

SHORT HISTORY OF A JOB

1. Hired Man.

2. Tired Man.

3. Fired Man.

Jimmie O'Leary came home one day with a brand new golf ball.

"Look at the lost ball I found on the links, Dad," he said.

But Dad was suspicious. "Are you sure it was a lost ball?" he asked.

"Surest thing you know," said Jimmie with conviction, "I saw the man and the caddy both looking for it."

C. Daniels: "Your new overcoat is rather loud."

C. Bartsch: "It's all right when I put on a muffler."

R. Player: "Do you know of any good polish to shine ivory with?"

Toad W.: "What-do-ya-wan-a-do, wash your head?"

H. Nelson: "Oh, I wish the Lord had made me a man!"

P. Genato (bashfully): "He did; I'm the man."

M. Heinz: "Why do people cry at weddings?"

A. Wirsching: "Well, I imagine those who have been married themselves start and the others join in."

When cupid hits his mark he usually Mrs. it.

M. Haffey: "Player's got a new siren for his car."

John A.: "Really; what became of the blond one?"

Lily P.: "Are you from up North?"

Duke A.: "No, why do you ask?"

Lily P.: "You dance as if you had snow shoes on."

The undersigned, a member of the Senior class, wishes to correspond with an unlimited number of young ladies between the ages of 16-20. His fancy is:

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Customer: "If this is an all wool rug, why is it labeled cotton?"
Worth Norris (confidentially): "That, madam, is to deceive the moths!"

Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And by asking foolish questions
Take up Modern History time.

John A.: "In what course do you expect to be graduated?"
LeRoy K.: "In the course of time."

Miss R.: "Does anyone know how iron was discovered?"
Harry H.: "Yes, Ma'am."
Miss R.: "Well, tell the class about it."
Harry H.: "They smelt it."

Tom R.: "I thought you took English last year."
Marcus M.: "I did but the teacher encored me."

Martha Todd: "The army approached the Roman camp."
Miss Barr: "Tense?"
Martha Todd: "Oh, yes, the army approached the Roman Tents."

Ed W.: "Are you a Latin student?"
Joe Mc.: "No, Irish."

It is rumored about school that Chas. Roundy intends to accept a position with the railroad after graduation.

Ketch (Curious as usual): "Why, Charles, what are you going to do?"
Roundy: "You know the fellow that goes alongside the train and taps the axles to see if every thing's all right? Well, I am going to help him listen."

Miss Oke: "Why were the Indians more friendly with the French than the English?"
Edna Sitts: "The French married the Indians for wives and treated them like brothers."

Miss Reed: "Give me a sentence using the word gratitude."
P. Hurley: "We study gratitude and longitude in our geography."

C. C. C.: "What do you know about nitrates?"
J. McQuade: "Why they are less than day rates if you are thinking of sending a long distance call."

Byerly: "When I get close to nature it always makes me feel like a little grub."

C. C. C.: "Same here. Let's go and have a bit at the restaurant."

LeRoy K.: "That fellow buying shoes is Henry Ford."
Ebby S.: "That so! I wonder what size he gets?"
LeRoy K.: "Oh, 30x3 1/2, I suppose!"

C. C. Culbertson: "Where do bugs go in winter?"
Bright member of Biology Class: "Search me."

J. Costello: "Do you know how to live to be a hundred?"
J. Azer: "No."
J. Costello: "Don't die."



Miss Reed: "Ted, why are you tardy?"
Ted Carey: "School started before I got here."

Ernest Norris: "When I was a young man I worked twelve hours a day."
W. Norris: "I admire your energy, Dad, but I admire still more the mature wisdom which led you to stop it."

C. C. C.: "One thing you must remember, class, is the fact that it is the law of gravity that keeps us on earth."
Gertrude G.: "But, how did we stick on before the law was passed?"

"Toad" Ward drove up to the curb in his racer which was not so opulent looking as the owner.
"Watch yer car for a nickel, mister."
"Beat it, kid. This car of mine won't run away."
"No, but I kin call yer when it starts to fall apart."

Bamby: "Waiter, what kind of meat is this?"
"Spring lamb, sir."
"I thought so. I've been chewing on one of the springs for an hour."

I thought a thought, but the thought I thought,
Was not the thought that I thought I thought,
And so I think, if again I think,
I'll write it down with pen and ink.

Robt. Carey with a very thick head of hair was one day in center of a few Seniors.
"Why", exclaimed one of them, "your head of hair is like a stack of hay."
"Well", returned the Freshman, "that's what I thought when I saw so many donkeys standing around me."

C. Seanor: "What are those rubber gloves in the window used for?"
Marcus M.: "Why, they're so you can wash your hands without getting them wet."

Our impression of a "dumbell" is a person who thinks a *hamlet* is a part of a pig.

Mrs. Kelly (to first-grader): "What is your name, dear?"
Little boy: "Jule, teacher."
Mrs. Kelly: "Don't say Jule! You should say Julius." Then to the next boy, "And what is your name?"
Second little boy: "Billious, teacher."



C. C. C.: "Deep breathing kills microbes."
O. Olson: "But how can you make them breathe deep?"

Miss Peck: "What three things contain starch?"
Lydia J.: "Two cuffs and a collar."

He laughs best who laughs when the teacher laughs!

Tommy had a pony
He rode it hard and fast
The teacher thought it phoney
But, by George—he passed.

PSALM OF A FORD

The Ford is my car, I shall not want another,
It maketh me to lie down in wet places,
It leadeth me in deep waters;
It soileth my soul;
It leadeth me in the paths of ridicule for its namesake;
It prepareth a break-down in the presence of mine enemy;
Yea, though I run through the valleys I am towed up hill;
I fear great evil when it is with me;
Its rods and its engine discomfort me;
It anointeth my face with oil;
Its tank runneth over,
Surely, to goodness, if this follows me all the days of my life,
I shall dwell in the house of the Insane forever.

Freshie: "I saw the magician turn water into wine last night."
Junior: "That's nothing. I saw Morton Haffey turn his Ford right into
a telephone post."

FAVORITE FOODS

The orator eats tongue, we hear;
The Sultan, turkey lunch;
The undertaker drinks his bier;
The pugilist, his punch;
The acrobats spring water drink;
The banqueteer eats toast;
Shoemakers have filet of sole;
The printer, pie and sweets;
The hungry actor eats his role;
Policeman munch their beats.

WHEN JOKES WERE NEW

Whatever troubles Adam had,
No man in days of yore,
Could say when he had told a joke,
I've heard that one before.



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"Red" Anderson—"What's that?"

"Jit" Costello—"I had a coat on my tongue, and my breath came in short pants."

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S. Goebel—"Generally speaking girls are—"

D. Madison—"Are what?"

S. Goebel—"Generally speaking girls are—"

D. Madison—"Oh, what?"

S. Goebel—"Generally speaking."

Duke—"Yes, I'm raising a football moustache."

Ettinger—"Why, what's that?"

Duke—"Oh, eleven on a side."

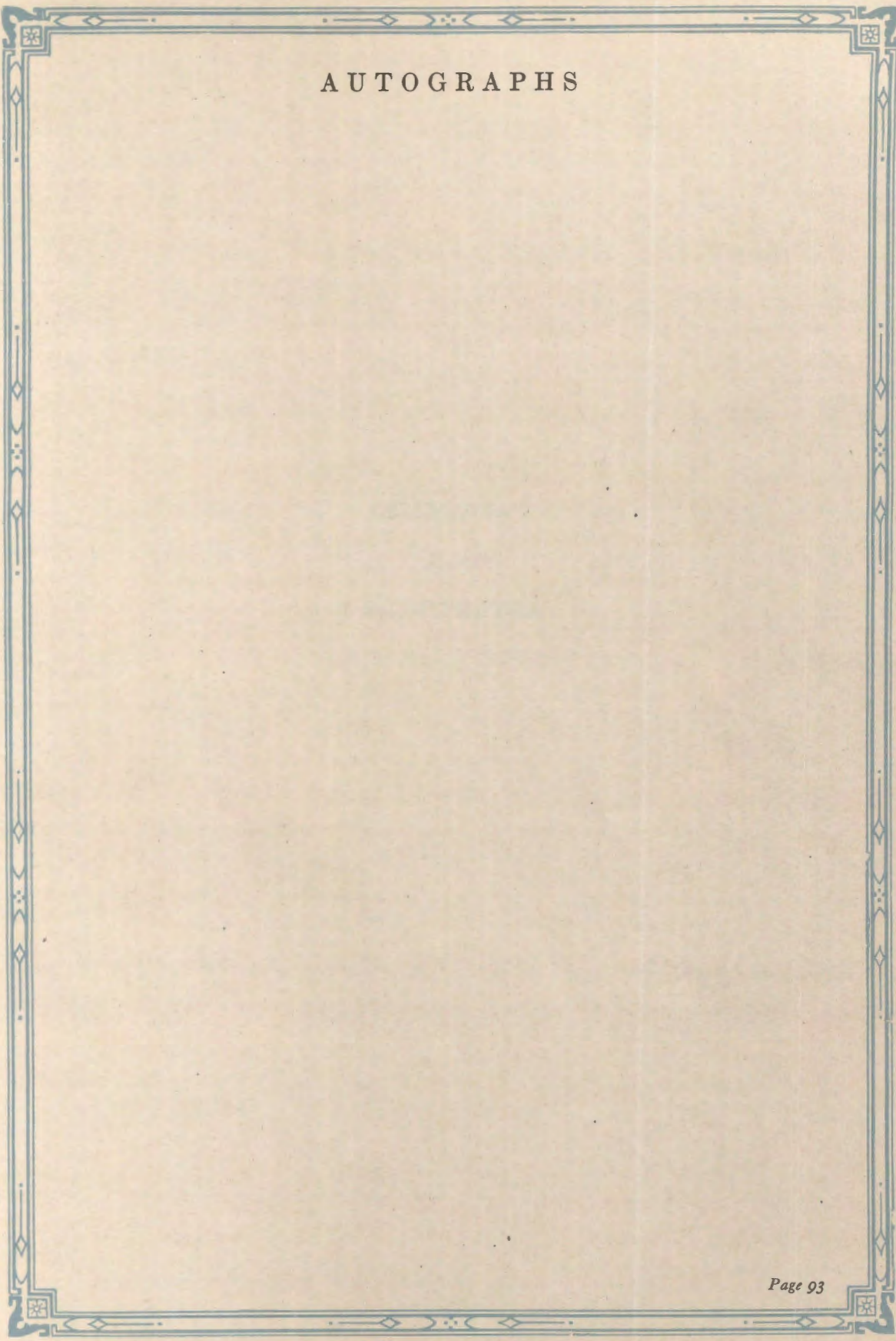
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