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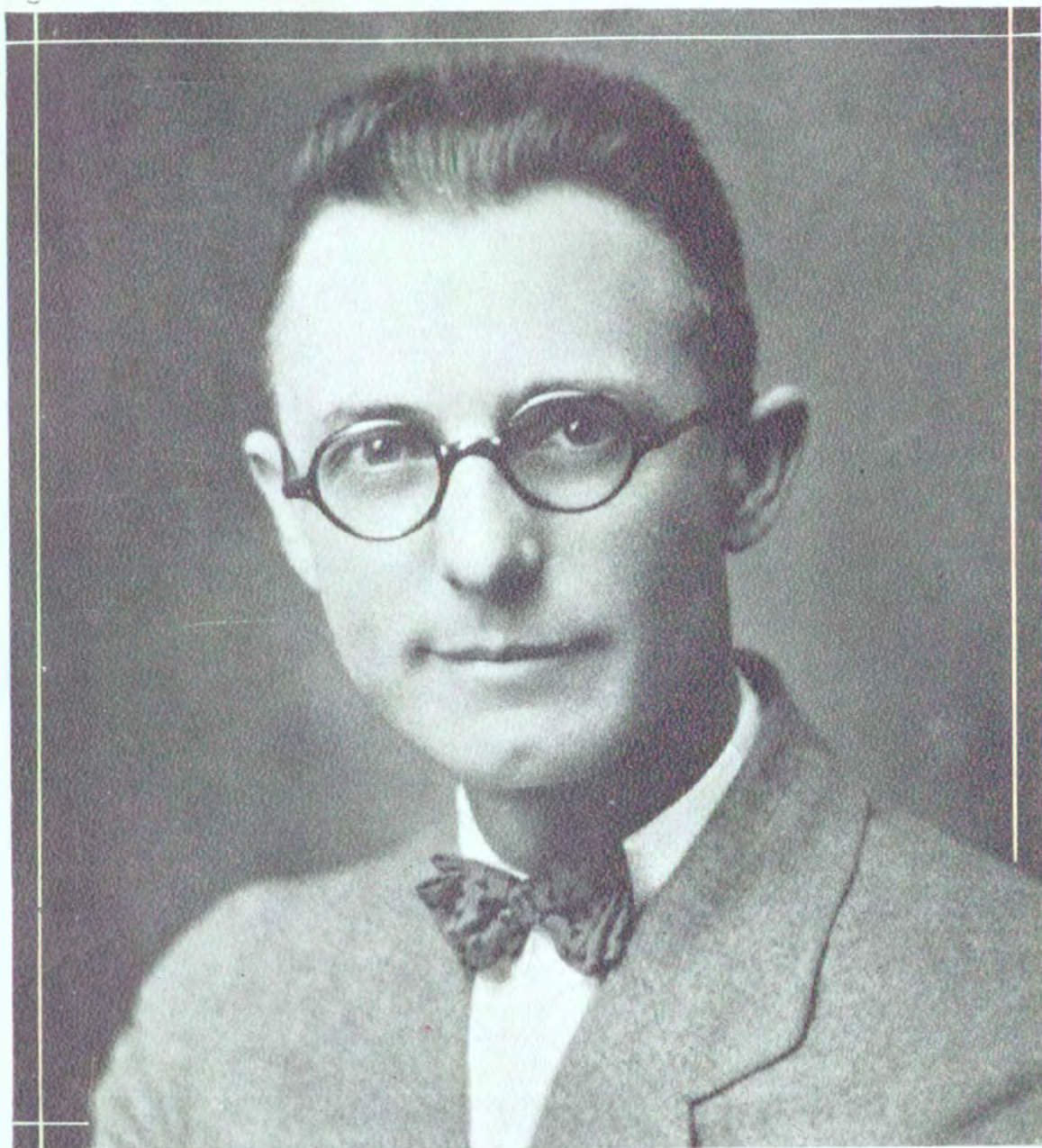
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Foreword

IT IS with much enthusiasm that we, the Staff, present this first edition of LAS MEMORIAS. It has been our purpose to establish between its covers a permanent record of the faces and the deeds of every one directly connected with Orlando High School during the past year. If by means of this book we can tend to maintain in those who depart from here this spring, that sacred spirit of good will and harmony so prevalent here this year, we shall feel that we have been abundantly repaid for the effort and the energy this book represents.

THE STAFF.



Dedication

TO THE MAN, who thru untiring effort has made Orlando High School such a glorious place to be, who through his sterling character, his lofty ideals, his sincerity of purpose, and his earnestness of work has been a constant inspiration to us all; so that the most difficult work has been a joy and a pleasure, we, the Class of 1926, do most affectionately dedicate this first edition of LAS MEMORIAS.

MR. CHARLES B. TAYLOR



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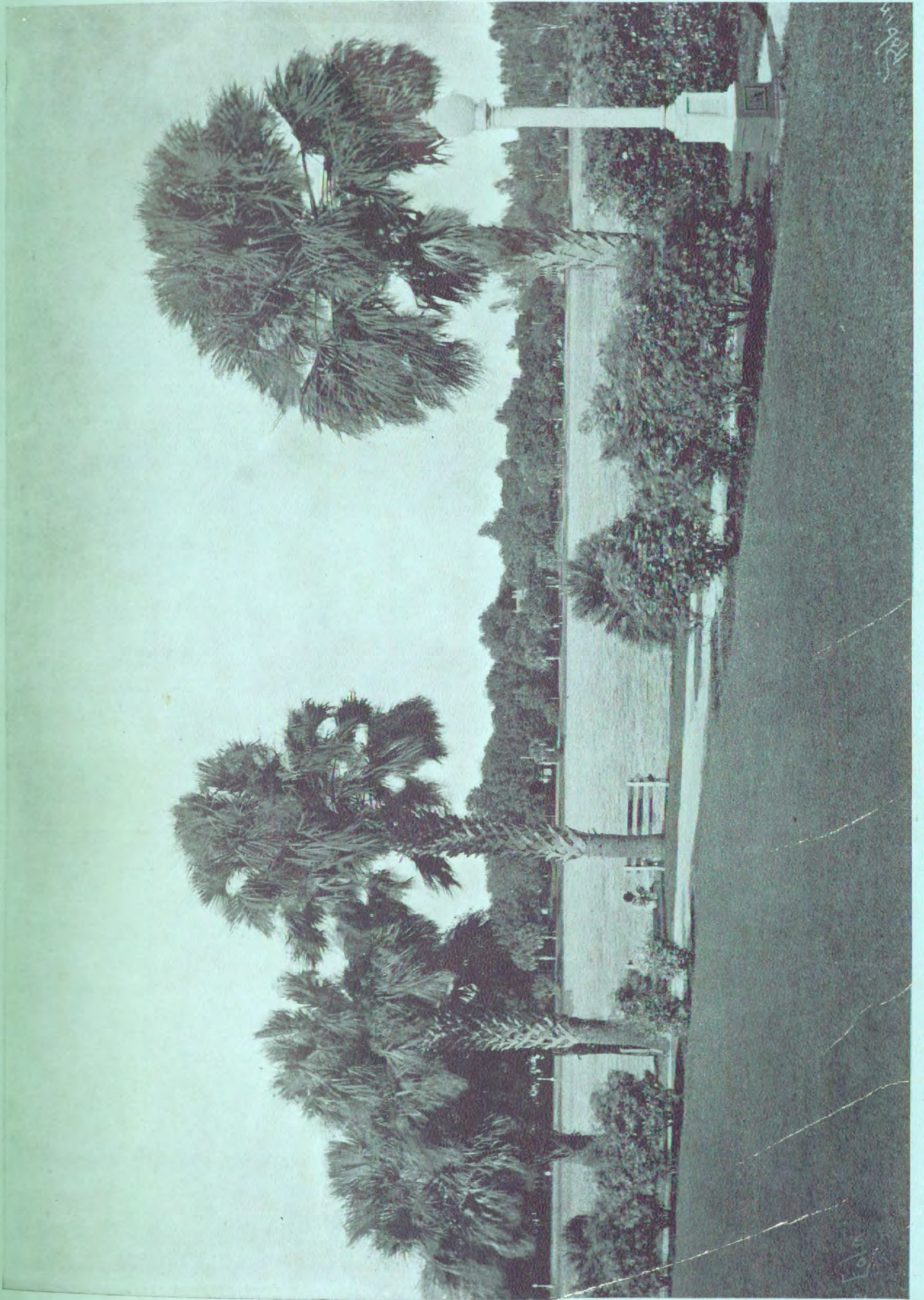
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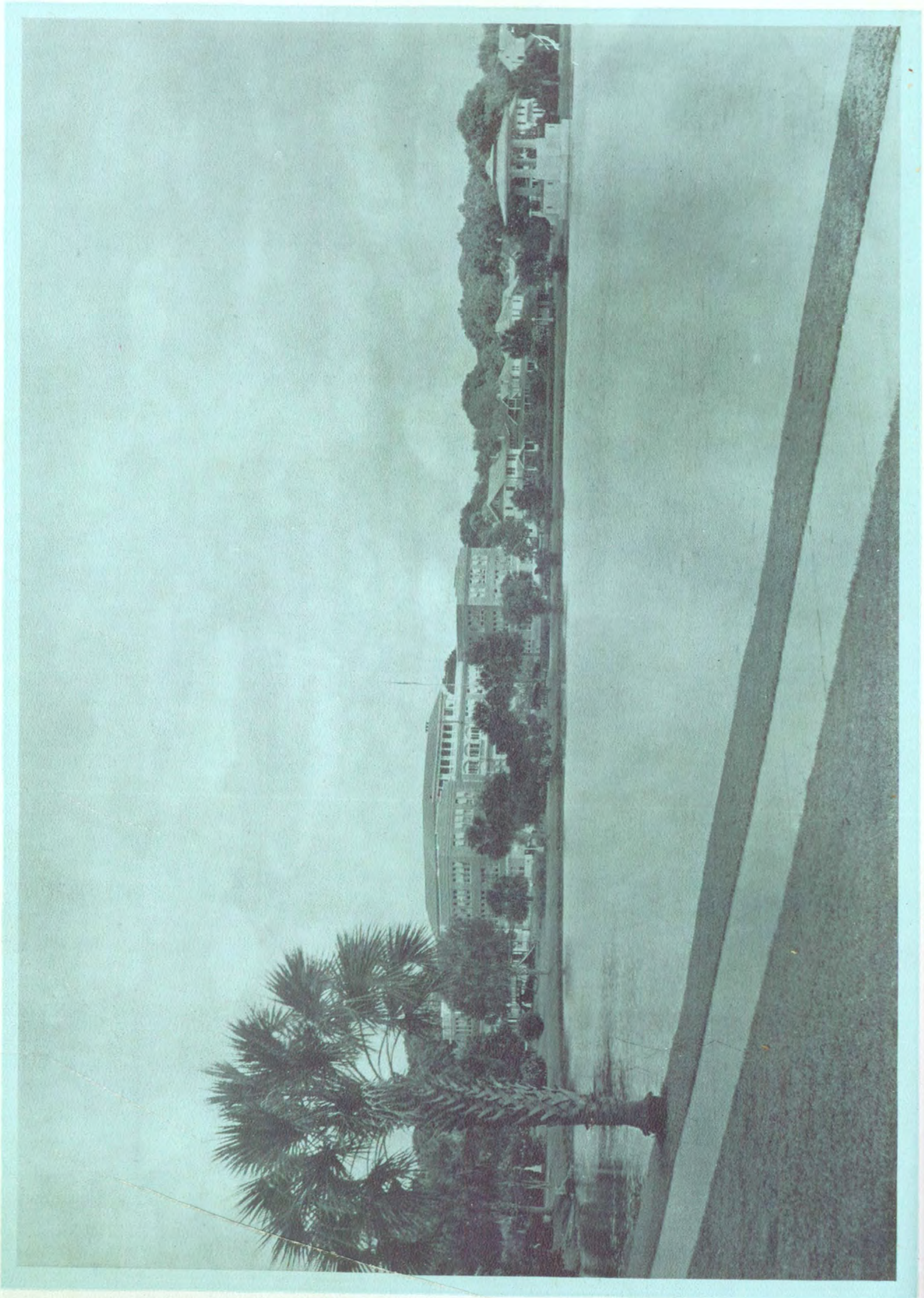
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"To come forth like the spring time fresh and green."



"Each street a barb made, arched and trimmed with trees."



"And the silence was unbroken."



"The budding twigs spread out their fan to catch the breezy air."



"Then all in sweet confusion sought the shade."



*"Where brighter suns dispense serener light
And milder moons imparadise the night."*



"Where smiling spring its earliest visit paid."



"But the silence was unbroken and the stillness gave no token."



"The groves were God's first temples."



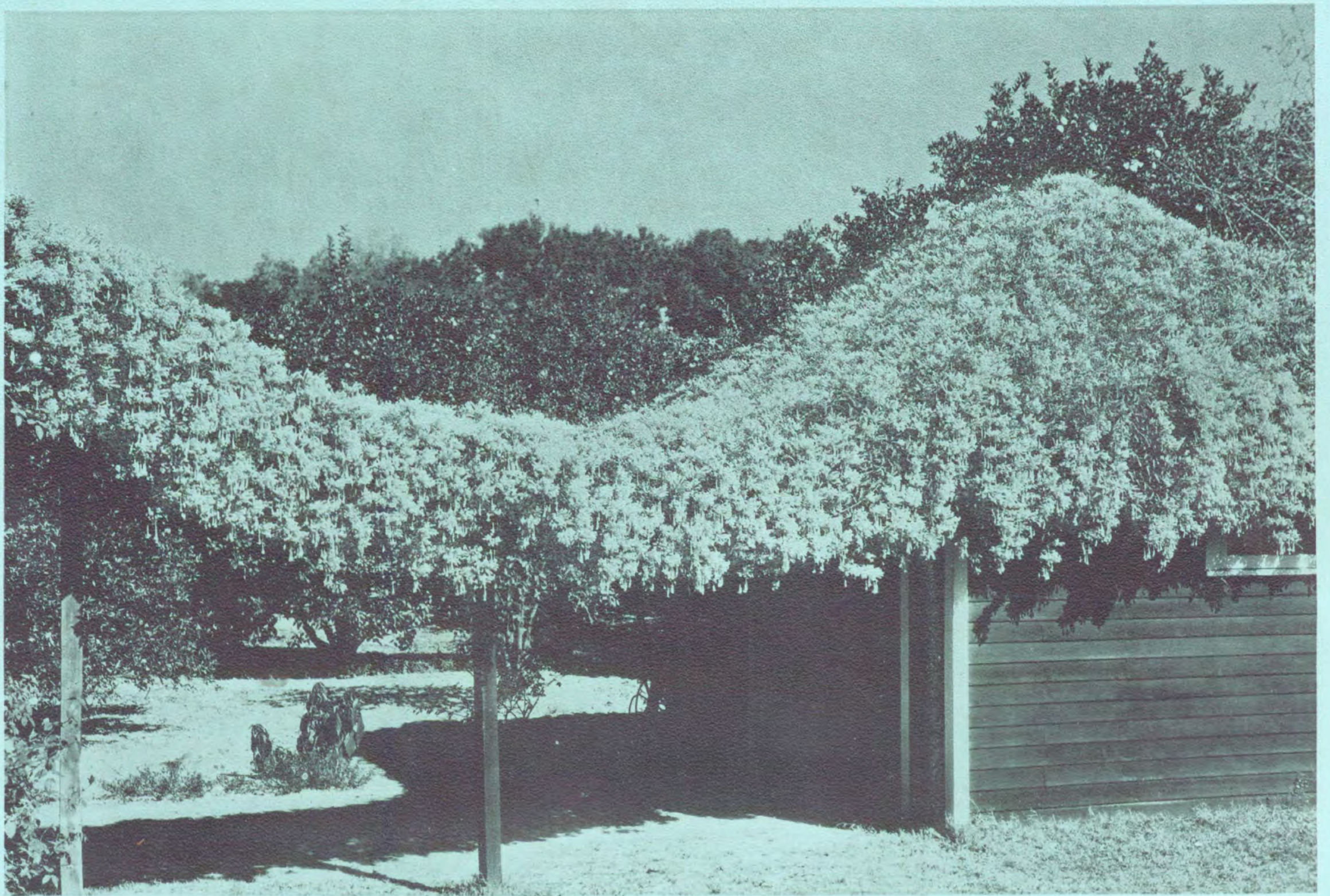
"Nature is always wise in every part."



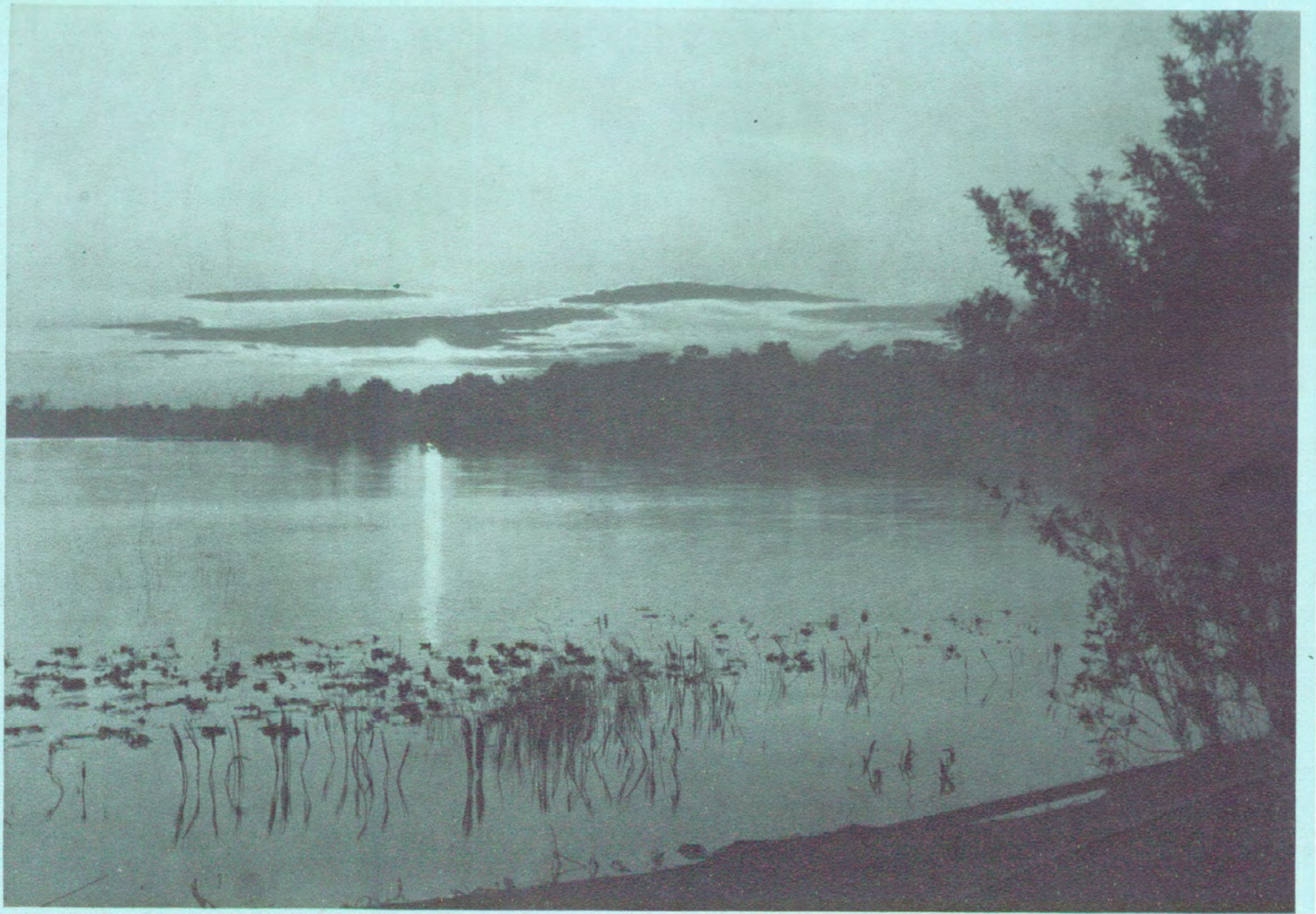
"Come, for the soft, low sunlight calls."



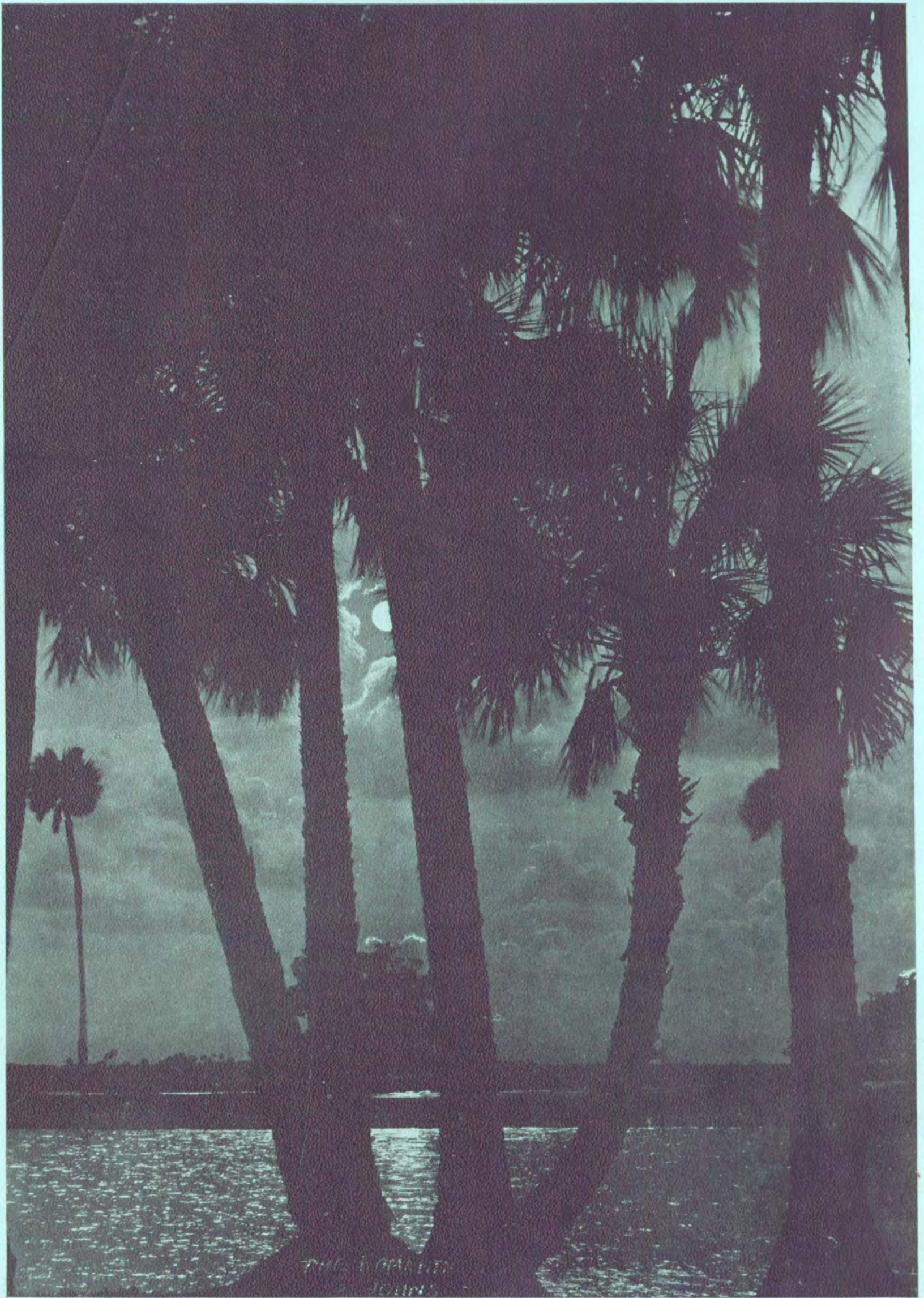
"And the stillness gave no token."



*"The blooming morn
Upon her wings present the god unborn."*



*"Dusky twilight stealthily approaches
And night descends to crown the close of day."*



"The waters slept. Night's silvery veil hung low."



H. F. M. H.

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Tribute

There is scarcely a person in the city of Orlando who does not know, respect, and love Miss Eunice DeLaney. For thirty years she has served the boys and girls of this, her native community, in a spirit of self-sacrifice and devotion that would be almost humanly impossible to surpass. It has been her great privilege to watch the school system of Orlando grow from a tiny village beginning to a splendid modern institution; and, in harmony with this growth, she, too, has developed in all those beautiful personal qualities that characterize the truly great educator.

As teacher, as principal, and as assistant supervisor Miss DeLaney has endeared herself to all with whom she has associated. Thousands of both students and teachers who have labored and progressed under her loving leadership are happier and richer today because of the blessed opportunities that have come through contact with her. Her cheering leadership, her determination to look always ahead, and her dissatisfaction with anything but the best have been fundamental factors in the splendid development of the young manhood and the young womanhood within her realm.

Miss DeLaney is inspirational, she is sympathetic, and she is cooperative. Coupled with these virtues has been a sincere desire to serve, and this accounts for her remarkable record. Her understanding of human nature, her knowledge of youth, and her keen insight into educational problems have helped to build for her the enviable place she now occupies in the hearts and the minds of a host of admirers.

To render greater service has been the constructive aim of Miss DeLaney's life. That she has made other lives happier, that she has helped to model the wholesome atmosphere of her beloved city, and that she has been such a dominant element in the construction of a noble educational enterprise all signify the triumph she has attained. For this service and these achievements the people of Orlando are deeply appreciative and wholly proud.

Grateful for her loving assistance, conscious of her inestimable worth, and confident of her greater victories and rewards, the principals, teachers, and students of the Orlando schools pledge their loyalty and their devotion to their leader and their friend, Miss Eunice DeLaney.



School Spirit

FROM practically every state in the Union, from every section of the United States, students have come to Orlando Senior High School. With them they have brought the ideas and the ideals common to their own respective communities; many have come believing they would spend with us only a single season and then return to their own hometown school; and not a few of them proclaimed their loyalty to the school from which they came. It seemed natural, then, that our students should feel that a real "school spirit" could not be aroused in O. H. S. That feeling now lives only in our memories.

With the opening of school last September a new spirit was born in our midst. Old barriers were torn down; doubt was dispelled; and an atmosphere of joyous, happy comradeship began to be felt. This irresistible feeling grew until every class-room, every hall, and every section of our school campus became charged with enthusiasm and co-operation. Then did we realize that the school spirit of Orlando High had become a splendid reality.

Such a spirit could not be defeated. It accompanied the Tigers on the gridiron and carried a unified student body to the side-lines. Without it our football season could not have been the big success that it was. It did much toward organizing and developing our splendid orchestra. It made possible the brilliant success of our school paper. The Girl Reserves and the Hi-Y clubs caught its influence, and their achievements have been outstanding. Aided by its magnetic power the debate team won the state championship. The remarkable response to the art of declamation only shows how keenly it pervaded that department. It crept into the club rooms with the result that our programs there have been most gratifying. In dramatics, this same influence was manifest in the splendid production at the Christmas season. Another evidence of this silent but mighty force is seen in the way students and teachers alike have co-operated in making our chapel programs entertaining and profitable. Our track team and our swimming team, our basket-ball teams and our baseball team all felt the call to do greater things; and they have attained successes that otherwise they could not have secured. Without this dominant, encouraging, inspiring spirit LAS MEMORIAS could not have been published. Our school spirit has been the keynote to every one of our many successful activities this year.

Not only in the field of activities, but in the class-rooms, as well, this spirit has been recognized and appreciated. It has meant closer co-operation between teacher and student, and this, in turn, has brought finer results in scholarship.

A school can only be a true, living success when vitalized by a healthy, growing school spirit. Orlando High has every reason to be proud that it possesses such a spirit.



FACULTY

LAS MEMORIAS



MISS AGNES McCONNELL

Coach of Girls' Athletics

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History

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English

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Latin and French

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Physics and Chemistry

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History

MISS RUTH BARKER

English

MR. WM. HOLMAN

Office Practice and Bookkeeping

MISS M. D. YARBOROUGH
Household Chemistry and Clothing

MISS MARGARET JOHNSON

Foods and Household Arts

*No picture.



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English and Effective Speaking

MR. LOYD LAPRADE
Chemistry and Biology

MISS ALICE WOOD
Music

MR. W. R. BOONE
Biology

MISS CLARA GATHMAN
Secretary to the Principal

MRS. ROGERS
Latin

MR. HANSELMAN
History

MISS DAISY GRIFFIN
English

MISS BERNICE DANIELS
Trigonometry and Algebra

MR. JOHNSTON
Geometry and Sociology

*MISS ISABEL MAYS
Spanish and French

MR. L. E. DAVIDSON
Coach

MISS RUTH HUNT
Mathematics

*No picture.



Are Teachers People?

From the far corners of the earth they come. Why?
To forget and to get
To recuperate
And to sell real estate.
Would you like to peep behind the scenes?

MR. TAYLOR

The Little Giant.

We all admit his talents are chiefly forensic, but did you know he has been dabbling in real estate—and winning, too? He and Miss Mays, Miss Yarborough are all Real Estaters.

MR. BOONE

“His voice is soft and low, a thing most pleasing in women.” But why was he so favored of the gods? Talk about efficiency, versatility, how is this for a career? Farmer, Realtor, Professor, Scientist, English Teacher.

MRS. GIBEAULT

The war horse of the faculty. What a title for such a little body, but how fitting.

Dorothy Dix claims, and so does Miss Daniels, that one must choose between a husband and a career. Ask Mrs. Gibeault how she manages it? We say, judging by results, she's a “Go Getter.”

MISS MAYS

Did you know Miss Mays wishes she was bald? Curly locks have no charms for her. It is rumored in realty circles that she will enter Walter Rose's office, he prefers to have her as a partner, rather than a rival in business.

MR. HOLMAN

What strange sounds issue forth from the office practice rooms. Bill Holman is putting his class through the rigors of a future business career. In spite of all this, why does everybody love Bill?

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MISS McCONNELL

Agnes says if it is a tragedy to be little, it is a crime to be big, that men never "adore" a big girl. Her daily prayer is, "Oh, to be nothing, nothing, nothing!" Has anyone any advice or consolation to offer Ag? May I add, she has a very affectionate disposition.

MR. HANSELMAN

"To the manner born." Whether in the role of lawyer, teacher or statesman, everything he touches, he adorns.

MISS YARBOROUGH

One of those dainty little creatures who was born to be a lady. She's going abroad this summer. On a teacher's salary? No; Mary D. has lots, and lots, and lots!

MR. BOOKHARDT

"A Prince there was." Secretly, we believe him to be a Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde. How could anybody teach and teach and keep so serene?

MRS. ROGERS

Fresh and sweet as a morning rose, the girls say. Put her anywhere you will, you'll find her always ready. Have you ever seen her ruffled or fussed?

MISS JOHNSON

I slipped into Margaret's room the other night and found her singing "Wish't I Was in Hebben a Settin' Down." I told her she might begin now, by resting on her laurels won this year, but if she wanted to experience the real joy of pleasure after pain, to get a Morris chair, pitcher of lemonade, and a little nigger to fan her, particularly if she expected to live in Florida.

MISS GATHMAN

Sweet but firm, is what they say of her. What would the school day be without Miss Gathman and her announcements? Is there anybody in school who doesn't know her, from third floor to basement? My, but that is an ugly cut.

MR. DAVIDSON

Admits that his one weakness is that he loves the ladies, not wisely, but too well. A talented public speaker, too. Blessings on the Little Man!

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MISS BARKER

After one frivolous winter in Florida will return to New York to enter the political arena. Already, her name is being considered in the mayoralty race in Jamestown.

MISS WOOD

Ask Miss Wood why she came all the way from Denver to Florida. She, too, has talents, both political and social, an authority on "How to Be Charming."

MRS. McCLURE

Says she's glad she's married, so folks won't impose on her. Why should they? When you need a friend, go to Mrs. McClure; when you want someone to carry the big end of the stick, go to Mrs. McClure.

MISS GOODWIN

*"None know thee but to love thee,
Nor name thee but to praise."*

From far away Wisconsin, comes this efficient business woman, but why has she come to Orlando?

She is an opera star, recuperating in Florida.

MISS EGGLESTON

*"And still they gazed and still the wonder grew,
That one small head could carry all she knew."*

And all she knows isn't French and Latin; she is a connoisseur on dress. All the old ladies consult her about making over their last year's wardrobe.

MISS EVERETT

"Thy soul was like a star and dwelt apart."

One of those ethereal beings who lives with her head in the clouds, sure enough. On her way back from New York, however, she came down to terra-firma and ever since, has been looking at things through stained glass.

MISS LATTIMER

"Divinely tall and most divinely fair," is this fair daughter from the South. Her big problem is not whether to buy or sell, but which of the many suitors shall she take? Well, Old Dear, whichever you do, you'll wish you hadn't. So there!



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MR. JOHNSTON

Our Aristocrat.

Walter B. looks like a learned Professor; but he is an expert radio man, with Mr. Boone for his loud speaker.

MISS DANIELS

*"With that grave mathematical look
Makes us believe she's written a wonderful book."*

Entitled, A HUSBAND OR A CAREER. We understand Miss Daniels has decided the question.

MISS HUNT

She crochets and she knits. When told that tatting and knitting seemed so old maidish, she replied that these things were for her "Hopeless Chest."

MR. LAPRADE

Almost any hour of the day can be seen leisurely enjoying his rest. His motto is, "Man wants but little here below, nor wants that little long." "He only asks that Fortune send a little more than he can spend."

MISS GRIFFIN

Wee, modest, unassuming Daisy, says she's glad she's not ambitious.

*"Serene will be her days and bright
And happy will her nature be
When Love is her unerring light
And Joy her own security."*

MRS. WILKERSON

Ever ready, ever efficient, ever capable. Friend of pupil, friend of teacher. The poet has said, "If you want a thing well done, do it yourself," but we can go him one better, and say "Let Mrs. Wilkerson do it."

And now that we have come to the End of the Road, haven't we worked, haven't we played, haven't we lived and haven't we enjoyed it? In the spirit of Love, we bid you a fond farewell.



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Lest We Forget

*How many years behind us lie
How many hours take flight
Before we reach our cherished goal
Our graduation night.*

*But let's not feel impatient
Or chafe at Time's delay
For all too soon our school is over
Our youth has slipped away.*

*And when we're through and looking back
We like to "just preten'"
That we're back once more in grammar school
With it all to do again.*

*For the happiest hours we'll ever know
We see through Time's soft haze
As the years go by, we'll long to recall
Those carefree golden days.*

—LOUISE HOWES, '26.



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Officers of the Senior Class

GEORGE A. BARKER	<i>President</i>
MARY IVES	<i>Vice-President</i>
GRACE WATKINS	<i>Secretary</i>
LUCILE HOTALING	<i>Treasurer</i>

THE PRESIDENT'S FAREWELL ADDRESS

The goal is reached; the victory is won; the triumph is ours. Happy are we in the thought that our four years of high school life are now crowned with joyous success. We stand, today, at the summit of Mount Glorious. Truly, today, we are the conquerors!

We leave our Alma Mater with mingled feelings. Sorry that we shall no longer share her inspiration and her helpful spirit, but glad that we may return to her, through the channels of memory, with feelings only of sincere love and deep affection. To us she has been a mother, loyal, faithful, and true; may we prove to her that we are her children of whom she may ever remain justly proud.

Co-operation has been the keynote to our vivid success. For the harmony and friendliness that we have daily enjoyed, we shall never cease to be grateful to our beloved principal and to our loyal sincere faculty. They have been to us all that is helpful and encouraging, and we leave their guiding influence richer for our associations with them, and confident of a bigger tomorrow because of them.

Classmates, we say, "Farewell." Ours has been, indeed, a glorious high school career, and as we break the bonds that have held us so closely together during these never-to-be-forgotten years, may we do so conscious always of our duty to our Alma Mater, reminded ever of the high ideals for which we have stood, and forgetful never of our pledges of trust to the class of 1926.



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MAURICE F. HODGES

Came to O. H. S. from Lakeland H. S. '24; C. of C. '24; Hi-Y '25; A. A. '25; Pres. Drama Study Club '26; A. A. '26; *Orange and White* Staff '26.

GENEVIEVE FAIRFIELD

Baseball Team '25, '26; Captain Senior Girls' Team '26; A. A. '25, '26; Favor Club Reporter; Track Mgr.; Tennis Club.

LUDOLF EBSEN

Splashers '24, '25, '26; A. A. '24, '25, '26; Sport Ed. *Orange and White* '25; Football '25; Rep. Varsity Club '26; Vice-Pres. Journalism Club '25, '26; Band and Orchestra '25; Orchestra '26; Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Most Wide Awake of the "Triggers."

HAZEL JONES

Basket-ball '25, '26; Mgr. and Capt. B. B. '26; A. A. '24, '25, '26; Favor Club Vice Pres.; Track '26; Swimming '26; Cheer Leader '24, '25.

WALTER STURGES

A. A. '24, '25, '26; Football Team '25; Baseball Team '25; Vice-Pres. Boys' Varsity Club '26; Boys' Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Member of the Glorious Seventh Period Trig Class, "The Triggers."

MARGARET TICHENOR

Science Club '25; Allegretto Club Treas. '25; Athletic Assn. '24, '25; T. N. T. Treas. '25; Glee Club '24, '25, '26; Rep. Drama Study Club '25; Spanish Club Pres. '25, '26; G. R.'s Pres. '26.



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JAMES LEO RUSS

A. B. C. English Club '25; Hi-Y '25, '26; Treas. French Club '25, Pres. '26; Debate Club '26; Football Team '24, '25; Baseball '26; Varsity Club '26; Business Manager 1926 Annual and the "Russty" of the Seventh Period "Triggers"; Member Athletic Ass'n.

MARJORIE HELMS

Glee Club '23, '24, '25, '26; Spanish Club '24; Allegretto Club '24, '25; Hi-Y '25, '26; Girl Reserves '26; Basket-ball '26; Athletic Association '23, '24, '25, '26; Journalism Club '26; *Orange and White* Staff '26; Assistant Editor-in-Chief 1926 Annual.

JAMES CAMPBELL BAILEY

Philomathean-Literary Society '22, '23, '25, '26; Treasurer '23, President '25; French Club '25, '26; Interscholastic Debate Team '22, '23, '25; Track Team '25, '26, Captain of '26 Team; High School Chamber of Commerce '23; Varsity Club '26; Journalism Club '26; Business Manager *Orange and White* '26; Editor-in-Chief 1926 Annual; Member Athletic Ass'n; another one of those Seventh Period "Triggers."

KATHRYN JOYNER

Treasurer Philomathean Literary Society '25; Drama Study Club '26; French Club '25, '26; Girl Reserves '26; President Short Story Club '26; Social Editor 1926 Annual.

HUGH McKEAN

After trying another school last year he decided O. H. S. was the place he wanted to graduate from. During his years here he has been President of the French Club, Art Editor of the 1926 Annual, News Editor *Orange and White*. Another one of those famous Seventh Period "Triggers."

HELEN SMITH

Athletic Association '23, '24, '25, '26; Cheer Leader '26; Allegretto Club '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25, '26; Girl Reserves '26; Journalism Club '26; Assistant Circulation Manager *Orange and White* '26; Hi-Y '25, '26; Sec'y Athletic Ass'n '26; Athletic Editor 1926 Annual.



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GERALDINE BANNER

Spanish Club '24; Allegretto Club '24, '25; Athletic Ass'n '24, '25, '26; Jewelry Making Club '26.



J. DWIGHT BISEL

Came to O. H. S. from Uniontown H. S., Pa.; Rod and Gun Club '26.



ALICE CRUX

Athletic Ass'n '24, '25, '26; Spanish Club '25, '26; T. M. T. '25; Cabinet Member G. R.'s '26; Allegretto Club '24, '26.



ALDAN C. DERTHICK

Science Club '25; Spanish Club '25, '26; Radio Club '26.



RILLA RAMBO

Spanish Club '24, '25; A. A. '24, '25, '26; T. N. T. '24; G. R.'s '26; Hi-Y '26; Coral Club '26; Etiquette Club '25.



LUCIAN MCGEE

A. A. '25, '26; Le Petit Salon Vice-Pres. '26; Radio Club '26; Journalism Club '26; Baseball '26; Tennis Club '26; a shining light in the "Trigger" organization.



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FLORENCE JOSEPHINE JACKSON

T. N. T. Club '24; French Club '25, '26;
Athletic Association '23, '24, '25, '26; Drama
Study Club '26.



KATHERINE NEWELL

Allegretto Club '24; Athletic Association
'23, '24, '25, '26; T. N. T. Club '25; Treas.
Girl Reserves '26; Library Club '26.



HELEN MORROW

Science Club '25; Girls' Hi-Y '25, '26;
Opera Appreciation Club '26; Debate Club
'26; Athletic Association '25, '26.



CLAIRE PATRICK

Glee Club '23, '24, '25, '26; Choral Club
'26; Allegretto Club '24, '25; Vice-President
Etiquette Club '26; Spanish Club '24, '25;
Athletic Ass'n '24, '25, '26; Hi-Y '26; Girl
Reserves '26.



OSCAR BETHEA

President Junior Hi-Y Freshman Year;
Science Club '25; Senior Hi-Y '24; Rod
and Gun Club '26; Sec'y and Treas. Arch-
ery Club '26.



MARTHA E. AUSTIN

Cedartown High School, Cedartown, Ga.;
Jewelry Making Club '26; Gift Making
Club '26; Athletic Association '26; Girl
Reserves '26.



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MARY E. IVES

Sec'y Sophomore Class; Glee Club '24; Treas. Junior Class; Sec'y Science Club '25; Society Ed. *Orange and White* '26; Vice-Pres. Senior Class; Journalism Club '26; G. R.'s '26; A. A. '24, '25, '26; School Pianist '24, '25, '26; Student Council '25.

LOUIS EMERSON GEESLIN, JR.

A. A. '23, '24, '25, '26; Football '25, '26; Boys' Glee Club '26; Pres. Sociology Club '26; Asst. Member Boys' Varsity Club '26; Annual Staff '26; Hi-Y '24, '25; Baseball '26.

MARY MARGUERITE LOBEAN

Glee Club '24, '25, '26; Allegretto Club '24, '25; French Club '25, '26; Hi-Y '25, '26; Rep. Int. Decorating Club '26; Tennis Club '26; G. R.'s '26; Literary Soc. '23; A. A. '24, '25, '26.

JAMES EARLE ROBERTS

Boys' Glee Club '24; Asst. Art Editor Annual '26; Radio Club '26.

GOLDA L. VAN OSTRAND

Glee Club '22, '23; Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Glee Club '25, '26; G. R.'s '25, '26; Party Favor Club '25; Gift Making Club '26.

RALPH W. MILLER

A. A. '24, '25, '26; Drama Study Club '26; A. B. C. Club '25.



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ROBERT MAY

Came to O. H. S. in Junior Year from Somerset High School, Somerset, Ky. In this school he has been a member of the Athletic Ass'n; President of Radio Club '26; Official "Calculator" and "Perculator" for the Seventh Period "Triggers."

HELEN RICE

Came to O. H. S. in 1925. She has been a member of the Glee Club '26; French Club '26; Athletic Ass'n '25, '26; Art Appreciation '26; Girls' Hi-Y '25, '26.

MILDRED SLEMONS

Athletic Association '23, '24, '25, '26; French Club '25, '26; Science Club '25; Etiquette Club '26; Sociology Club '26; Girl Reserves '26; the first half of the Slemmons-Autrey Corporation.

ANNIE AUTREY

Athletic Association '23, '24, '25, '26; Sociology '26; Etiquette '26; Science Club '25; the other half of the Autrey-Slemmons Corporation.

MIRIAM WHITCOMB

Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Athletic Association '23, '24, '25, '26; President Drama Study Club '26; Vice-President Choral Club '26; Accompanist for both the Boys' and Girls' Glee Clubs '26.

E. LORAIN FERRAN

Came to O. H. S. from Deland in 1924. Athletic Association '25, '26; Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Science Club '25; one of the outstanding "Hooters" of that remarkable organization known as the "Screech Owls."



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ALLAN B. COHOON

Boys' Hi-Y '25, '26; Glee Club '26; Science Club '25; Radio Club '26; Member Athletic Ass'n.

NINA LOUISE HERRINGTON

Came to O. H. S. from Swainsboro, Ga., '23; Vidalia High, Vidalia, Ga., '24, '25; Choral Club '26; Pres. Etiquette Club '26; Sec. French Club '26, Glee Club.

LYNN BOYLEN

Literary Society '23; Boys' Chorus '24; Alternate Swimming Team '25; Football '26; Pres. Spanish Club '26; Spanish Club '25.

GRACE LANDRUM WATKINS

Lit. Soc. '24, '25; Sec. and Treas. French Club '25, '26; A. A. '24, '25, '26.

EARLE L. MANN

A. A. '24, '25, '26; Hi-Y '25, '26; Pres. Psychology Club '26; Chamber of Commerce '24.

MARTHA MONROE

A. A. '24, '25, '26; Hi-Y '24, '25, Pres. Hi-Y '26; Allegretto Club '25; P. E. P. '25; G. R.'s '26; Glee Club '26; Tennis '26; Annual Staff '26; Basket-ball '26.



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LILLIE MAY WILMOTT

Glee Club '24, '25, '26; French Club '25, '26; Choral Club '26; Hi-Y '25, '26; Girl Reserves '26; Member Athletic Association.

VIVIENNE A. WEIR

1926 was her first year here but she made good use of it. Member Choral Club, Glee Club, French Club, Girls' Hi-Y, Athletic Association and Girl Reserves.

WILLIAM F. THEOBALD

Began work in O. H. S. in 1924. Member Glee Club '25, '26; Athletic Association; Boys' Chorus '25; Rod and Gun Club '26; Science Club '25.

JANET DAUGHERTY

Athletic Association and Party Favor Making Club '26; Glee Club '25, '26. Janet came to O. H. S. from Versailles, Kentucky.

ANDREW HEYMAN

Science Club '25; Radio Club '26.

IRENE WILSON

Athletic Association and Party Favor Making Club; Library Methods Club; Tennis Club. She comes to us from Appleton, Wisconsin.



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VELMA GARNER

Kingwood, West Virginia, '22, '23; O. H. S. '25, '26; Drama Study Club '26; Library Methods Club '26.

MARGARET MILLS

Drama Study Club '26; Gift Making Club '26; Glee Club '26; Girl Reserves '26.

ERVIN GODFREY

A. A. '23, '24, '25, '26; Senior Boys' Basket-ball '26; Sociology Club '26; Boys' Glee Club '24; Boys' Hi-Y '24.

ESTELLE LINDSEY

Entered O. H. S. Senior Year; Int. Dec. Club '25; French Club '25, '26; Tennis '26; Attended Chamblee H. S., Atlanta, Ga. Only girl member of the Glorious "Triggers."

HENRY LEON HICKS

Kodak Club '26.

DORIS E. PAGE

A. A. '25, '26; Travel Club '25, '26.



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JANET MARJORY RADCLYFFE-CADMAN

T. N. T. Club '23, '24; French Club '25, '26; P. E. P. English Club '25; President of the Party Favor Making Club '26; Hi-Y; Girl Reserves; Athletic Association.

ALBERT M. JOHNSON

Philomathean Literary Society '23; Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Journalism Club '26; Glee Club '26; Drama Study Club '26; Football '26; Track '25, '26; Member Athletic Association and a Contributor to the *Orange and White*. Last, but not least, one of those Seventh Period "Triggers."

RACHAEL B. CRAWFORD

Hi-Y '25, '26; T. N. T. '24, '25; G-4 English Club '25; Travel Club '26; Member Girl Reserves and Athletic Association.

SHIRLEY R. DECKER

Hi-Y '25, '26, Secretary '26; French Club '25, '26; *Orange and White* Staff '26; Annual Staff '26; Journalism Club '26; President Tennis Club '26; Member Girl Reserves and Athletic Association.

HUGH SEIVERT

Winner of the Irvin Bachellor Essay Contest Medal against contestants from the State at large, began his work in O. H. S. this year, coming here from Salamonea High School. He is a member of the Short Story Club and Athletic Association.

LELIA FULLER

Came to us from Winter Park, Fla., in 1925. Allegretto Club '25; French Club '25, '26; Athletic Association '25, '26.



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A. RUPERT STANFORD

Philomathean Literary Society '25; Spanish Club '25, '26; Debate Club '26.

SALLY EASTWOOD

Press Club '25; Science Club '25; *Orange and White* '25, '26; Sect. Junior Class '25; Journalism Club '26; Picture Ed. Annual '26; Glee Club '24, '25, '26; Hi-Y '26; G. R.'s '26; A. A. '24, '25, '26; Sen. Priv. Com. '26.

JAMES M. HASTINGS

Ashtabula High School, Ohio, '23, '24, '25; Radio Club '26; Senior Basket-ball '26.

CHARLOTTE STIENHANS

A. A. '24, '25, '26; Literary Society Sec'y '25; Debate Club '26; Debate Team '26; G. R.'s '26; T. N. T. '25; Member of the State Championship Debate Team from O. H. S. in 1926.

FRANCIS E. HAND

Pres. Debate Club '26; A. A. '26; Athletic Association.

MILDRED HENDERSON

Literary Society '24, '25; Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; A. A. '24, '26; Party Favor Club '26.

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MARY E. ROGERS

Literary Society '24; Debate Club '26.

HANLEY W. POGUE

Football '25, '26; Spanish Club '25, '26;
Varsity '26; Literary Society '23, '24; Rod
and Gun Club '26.

IRENE LONG

Came to O. H. S. from Rogers City H. S.
of Michigan; A. A. '26.

CLINTON COULTER

A. A. '24, '25, '26; Rod and Gun Club
'26; Baseball '26.

LEE WILSON

Hi-Y '26; Journalism Club '26; Tennis
Team '26.

WILLIE MAE PRICE

Choral Club '26; Hi-Y '26; A. A. '26;
G. R.'s '26.



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L. BRAVO HULL

Drama Study Club '26; Debate Club '26; Declamation Team '26; Member Athletic Association.

LOUISE HOWES

Came to O. H. S. during 1925 term from Ft. Myers, Florida. French Club '25, '26; Allegretto Club '25; Drama Study Club '26; Secretary and Reporter for Sociology Club.

JUANITA BOWLES

Took up work in O. H. S. in 1925, coming from Pensacola, Florida. Member Glee Club '26; Drama Study '26; T. N. T. '25; Science Club '25; Girls' Hi-Y '26.

CHRISTINE IDA MOTES

Plant City High School, Plant City, Florida. Philomathean Literary Society '25; Spanish Club '25, '26; Journalism Club '26; Girls' Hi-Y '25; Athletic Association '24, '25, '26.

VIVIAN O'RISSA HORN

Gift Making Club '26; President Ukulele Club First Semester '26; Swimming Team '25; Athletic Association.

RICHARD CLARKE

Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Band and Orchestra '25, '26; Journalism Club '26; Track Team '26; another shining light among the Seventh Period "Triggers."



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JULIAN HOWARD

Pres. Soph. Class '24; Vice-Pres. Junior Class '25; President Athletic Ass'n '26; Pres. Varsity Club '26; Swimming Team '23, '24, '25, '26; Football Team '23, '24, '25 and Captain of This Year's Team; Basketball Team '25, '26; Baseball '24, '25, '26; Track '26.

ALMA ABBOTT

Came to O. H. S. from Central High School, Saint Joseph, Missouri, this year. Vice-President Spanish Club; Club Editor of the *Orange and White*.

ISABEL SMITH

Another one of Ohio's contributions to the Class of 1926. Art Appreciation Club; Girl Reserves.

LUCILE HOTALING

T. N. T. Club '25; Student Council '25; Secretary Allegretto Club '25; Spanish Club '25; Glee Club '26; Journalism Club '26; Literary Editor of both the *Orange and White* and the Annual; Treasurer the Senior Class of '26.

HELEN P. LINK

Glee Club '23, '24, '25, '26; Allegretto Club '24, '26; Member Hi-Y '25, '26, Treas. in '26; President Interior Decorating Club '26; Literary Society '24; Tennis Club '26; Girl Reserves '26.

JOHN R. SETH

Eastland, Texas, contribution to O. H. S. Began work in O. H. S. in '25; Treas. French Club; Pres. A. B. C. English Club '25; Hi-Y '25, '26; Football Team '24, '25; Basketball Team '25, '26, Captain '26; Baseball Team '25, '26; Journalism Club '26; Varsity Club '26; Athletic Association.



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BEULAH CRITTENDEN

Glee Club '25, '26; Athletic Association;
Girl Reserves '26.

EDWARD W. DURRENBERGER

Spanish Club '25; Debate Club '26; Mem-
ber Athletic Association.

MARY ELIZABETH PAYNE

Detroit's contribution to the Class of
1926. A backer of every worth while move-
ment in O. H. S.

LEOLA B. SMITH

Hails from Rocky River, Ohio. Glee
Club '25, '26; Etiquette Club '26; Gift
Making Club '26; Girl Reserves.

CHARLOTTE BARTLETT

Troy High School, Troy, Pennsylvania.
Etiquette Club '26; Athletic Ass'n '25, '26.

EDWARD SMITH

From the Famous Lanier High School
in Macon, Georgia. Spanish Club '24, '25;
Opera Appreciation Club '26; Archery
Club '26.



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LAURA ROSEMAN

Philomathean Literary Society '23, '24, '25; Athletic Association '24, '25, '26; Spanish Club '23, '24; Interior Decorating Club '26; Drama Study Club '26; Girl Reserves '26.

GOLDIE MOYER

Charleston High School, Charleston, Ill. Athletic Association '26; Etiquette Club '26; Glee Club '26.

FRANCES DAVIS

Came from Rome High School, Rome, Ga., in the early part of this year. She has been a member of Etiquette Club '26; French Club '26; Choral Club '26.

KATHLEEN R. BROWN

Started to O. H. S. in early part of 1924, coming from Sheffield, Penna. Party Favor Making Club '26; Athletic Association '24, '25, '26; Girls' Hi-Y '25, '26.

G. DYSON JONES

High School Chamber of Commerce '23, '24; Vice-President '24; Member Athletic Association '23, '24, '25, '26; Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Comic Editor 1926 Annual; and a Member of the Seventh Period Trigonometry Class. Otherwise known as the "Triggers."

EUGENIA AKERMAN

Member T. N. T. '23, '24; Athletic Ass'n '23, '24, '25, '26; Girls' Hi-Y '24, '25; Vice-President Athletic Ass'n '26; President Library Methods Club '26; Girl Reserves '26.



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CARY F. MILLER

Football '25, '26; Basket-ball '25, '26; Hi-Y '25, '26; Varsity Club '26; Member Athletic Association.

CATHERINE LAWSON

Girls' Glee Club '24, '25; French Club '25, '26, Treasurer in '26; Member Athletic Association.

FRANCIS E. RAUSCH

Another Ohioan. St. Vincent High School, Akron, Ohio. Member Kodak Club and Athletic Association.

MARY SMITH

Philomathean Literary Society '25; Press Club '25; French Club '25, '26; Glee Club '26; Hi-Y '26; Girl Reserves; Member Athletic Association.

HIGHE MAGARIAN

Westboro High School, Westboro, Mass. Rod and Gun Club '26; Football Team '25; Baseball Team '26; Senior Track Team '26; Boys' Varsity Club '26; Member Athletic Association.

JOHN M. JONES

O. H. S. '23, '24, '26; Baylor Military Academy in 1925; President Radio Club '26; Varsity Club '26; Football '26; Baseball '24, '26; Member Athletic Association.



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STAFFORD TICHENOR

Freshman at Glasgow, Ky.; Sophomore at Bowling Green, Ky.; Junior at Bowling Green; Senior at O. H. S. Journalism Club '26; Sociology.

MARY DEAN MANN

Hi-Y '25, '26; Glee Club '24, '25, '26; Allegretto Club '25; Interior Decorating Club '26; Tennis Club '26; Philomathean Literary Society '24; Girl Reserves.

THOMAS SCOTT AVERY

West Point, Ga. Debate Club '26; Glee Club '25, '26; Screech Owls; Member Athletic Association.

VIRGINIA LEE DAMERON

Came from Balan, Maryland, in '23; Athletic Association; Hi-Y; Tennis and Interior Decorating Clubs.

JOHN CHARLTON RAGIN

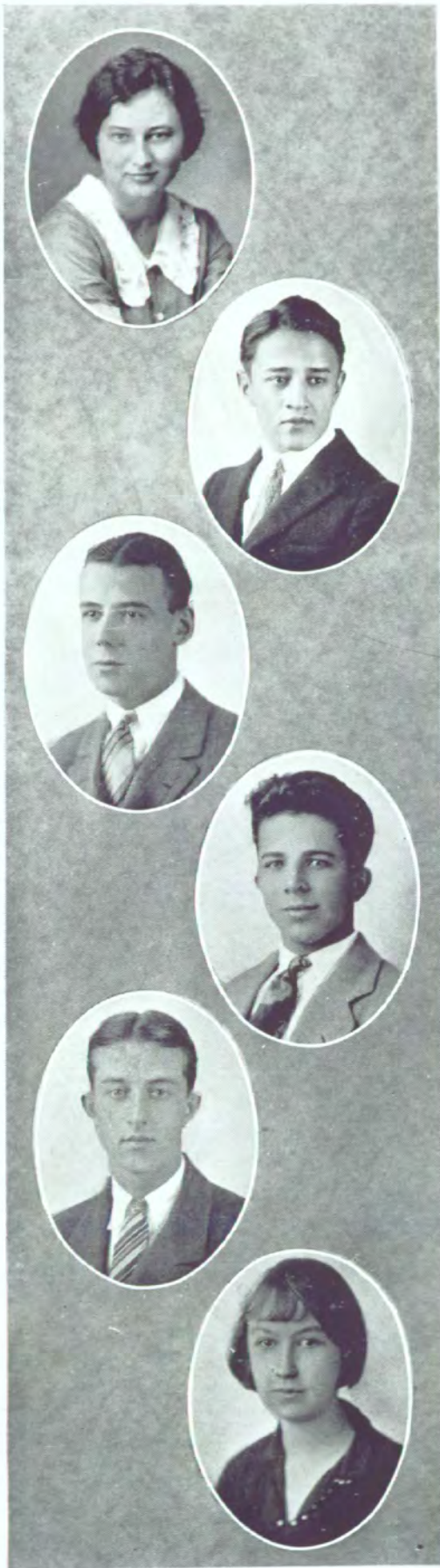
Football Team '25, '26; Basket-ball Team '25, '26; Track Team '25, '26; Band '25; Orchestra '25, '26; Hi-Y '25; P. E. P.; English Club '25; Varsity Club '26.

JUNE HUMPHRIES

Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Basket-ball '24, '25, '26; Track Team '24, '25, '26; Tennis Club '26; Party Favor Club '26; Athletic Association.



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ELIZABETH GODFREY

Library Methods Club '26; Choral Club '26; Girl Reserves and Athletic Association.

HAROLD YARCHOW

Lincoln High School, Lincoln, Illinois; Radio Club and Athletic Association.

CHARLES RAYMOND SMITH

Athletic Association; Etiquette Club and Pianist for the Curfew Six Orchestra. A staunch supporter of all the activities of the Seventh Period "Triggers."

GLOYD ALLISON

Hi-Y '25, '26; Glee Club '26; Rod and Gun Club '26; Archery Club '26; Class Poet and Member Athletic Association.

STANLEY EPPING

Spanish Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25, '26; Journalism Club '26.

JOSEPHINE ROBBINS

Party Favor Making Club '26; Hi-Y '25, '26; Girl Reserves.



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GEORGE A. BARKER

President of the Senior Class; Swimming Team '23; Glee Club '23, '24, '25; Hi-Y '23, '24, '25, '26, President in '26; Football Manager '26; Basket-ball Manager '26; Baseball Manager '26; Varsity Club '26; and one of those Hooting "Screech Owls."

DOROTHY CARR SHEPHERD

A. A. '24, '25, '26; A. B. C. '25; *Orange and White* Staff '25; Allegretto Club '25; Art Appreciation '26; French Club '25, '26; Spanish Club '23, '24; Health Club '24.

DORIS LONG

Jewelry Making Club '26; Spanish Club '23, '24, '26; E. P. 13.

ELEANOR LERCH

Literary Society '24, '25; Poetry and Reading Club '26; Chorus Club '24; Glee Club '26; Tennis Club '26.

EMILIE ARNOLD

Allegretto Club '24, '25; Glee Club '23, '24, '25, '26; Choral Club Sect'y-Treas. '26; Etiquette Club '26; G. R.'s '26; A. A. '24, '25, '26.

RICHARD MAGRUDER

Debate Club '26; Boys' Hi-Y '24, '25, '26; Debating Team '25, '26; "Birds' Christmas Carol." The Webster of that 1926 State Championship Debate Team.

Richard Magruder



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DONALD SMITH

Came from Springfield, Mass., last October. Member Travel Club '26; Athletic Association '26.

VERONICA BERKE

Attended O. H. S. for two years; Psychology Club '26; Jewelry Making Club '26.

B. J. LORD

Spanish Club '25, '26; Journalism Club '26.

CLARICE HARTON

Philomathean Literary Society '23; Glee Club '23, '24, '25; French Club '25, '26; Choral Club '26; Journalism Club '26.

GLENN INGRAM

Came to O. H. S. from Dothan, Alabama, in 1924. French Club '25; "Banana Bunch" '25; High School Orchestra '26; Cerfew Six Orchestra '26; Hi-Y '26; Football Squad '26; Screech Owls '26.

ESTHER HECHT

Philomathean Literary Society '23; Glee Club '23, '24, '25, '26; Choral Club '26; Art Appreciation '26; French Club '25, '26.



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EDWARD McCARTHY

Entered in 1924 from Duval High, Jacksonville, Florida. Spanish Club '25; Hi-Y '25, '26; Journalism Club '26; Editor-in-Chief of the *Orange and White* '26; Seventh Period Triggers.

LILLIAN RICHMAN

Glee Club '23, '24; Drama Study Club '26; Girl Reserves '26; Member Athletic Association.

ROBERT McTYER WOODBERRY

Comes to O. H. S. from Quincy, Florida. Etiquette Club '26; Member Athletic Association; the Champion Sandwich Eater of the Seventh Period Trigger Organization.

ALMA LUDKE

Glee Club '22, '23; Athletic Association '25, '26; Opera Appreciation Club '26; Psychology Club '26.

HAROLD FALOR

Was the World's Champion Horseshoe Pitcher two years ago but had to give up pitching temporarily so he could finish High School. Harold has been one of the mainstays on the Basbet-ball Team and the Baseball Team.

JULIA JACQUEMIN

Glee Club '23; Literary Society '23; Athletic Association '25, '26; Psychology Club '26; Girl Reserves '26.



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SARA AUSTIN

Choral Club '26; Hi-Y '25, '26; Athletic Association '26.



EDWARD EVERETT

Philomathean Literary Society '24, '25; Debate Club '26; Athletic Association.



VIRGINIA BANDY

Glee Club '23, '24, '25; Drama Study Club '26; Library Methods Club '26.



ISABEL LANDRETH PERKINS

Athletic Association '24, '25; Poetry Club '26; Psychology Club '26.



JULIAN JAMES

O. H. S. '23, '24, to Shelby, South Carolina, in 1925, but back to O. H. S. to graduate. Athletic Association; Rod and Gun Club; Seventh Period Triggers.



FREDDIE WORSHAM

Spanish Club '25, '26; Jewelry Making Club '26; T. N. T. Club '25; Girl Reserves '26.



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At Parting

*A victory is won,
Our course partly run,
The goal of an effort is gained.
We've lived and we've learned,
We hold what we've earned,
Though aught has not come without pain.*

*We have walked side by side,
Our paths now divide,
We're off on the highway of life.
To make friends anew,
Friends loyal and true,
That will stick through sorrow and strife.*

*When we wander away,
And our paths lead astray,
From the school that we all hold so dear;
May our memories burn,
And our thoughts all return,
To the life of our yesteryears.*

—EARLE ROBERTS, '26.



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Class Poem

Our High School is a garden that is full of stately views,
Of class-rooms, halls and students wise and books and teachers, too,
With live-oaks on the terraces and Seniors strutting by;
But the Glory of the Garden lies in more than meets the eye.

And there you'll see the gardeners, the working girls and boys
That do as they are bid like men, and do it without noise;
Yes, each can find some needful job that's crying to be done
For the Glory of the Garden glorifieth everyone.

Now, Seniors, when you make your vows on graduation day
Just look up to the Lord above, and pray for help along Life's Way;
For then is the time if ever there's a time, to humbly kneel and pray
For the Glory of our High School it shall never pass away!
And the Glory of our High School it shall never pass away!

—GLOYD ALLISON, '26.



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Class Song

Sung to Tune of "Lonesome, That's All"

*It seems just a day we've been here, O. H. S.
Yet we know it's been all of four year,
But our goal is won and we're glad it's done;
Now, good-bye, with many a tear.*

*We think of our friends and teachers too,
And know that our success is all due to you.
Along life's way you've been our start,
And your memories glow in our hearts.*

*These ole high school days, with so much pleasure
Are the happiest days of our lives,
We are leaving you now, but we're making our vow,
That your memory will ere remain.*

*All of our paths are divided far,
And we may not meet for many a year,
But twenty-six will ever be,
Orlando's choice class for me.*

—MARY IVES, '26.



My Senior Ring

*There's a band of gold on my finger,
It hasn't been there long
And yet when my eyes on it linger,
In my heart there's a tear and a song.*

*A tear for the friends I'll be leaving
For June will soon be here—
My heart even now is grieving
For I hold them all so dear.*

*A song of courage is in my heart
And a spirit of do and dare—
As out on the path of life I start
And leave my high school fair.*

*The band of gold will bind me
O. H. S. forever to you—
And to you, dear Alma Mater
I promise to be true.*

*It will bind me to the class of '26
Which I have grown to love—
As we worked mid the palms and flowers
With the bright blue sky above.*

*Oh, the band of gold will remind me
Of the things we used to do—
And the band of gold will bind me
Orlando High, to you!*

—CONTRIBUTED.



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Senior Knowledge

I entered school as a Freshman,
With a longing for learning and
knowledge,
Hoping that my education
Would help me to enter a college.
And now that I am a Senior
With all my credits well earned,
I shall take up some of your valuable
time
In telling you just what I've learned.
"In Caesar, the African Sailor,
Who hardly needs mentioning at all,
Was aided by Hapzibah Puncheon
In driving the Greeks out of Gaul."
"Aeneas, the dear son of Shylock,
Who rode in his Packard Twin Six
Was suddenly stopped by a blow out
On the edge of the dark River Styx."
"Hamlet, the most famous Trojan,
Who was kicked by the great Wooden
Horse
Was thrown into jail by sweet Phoebe
For shooting a white albatross."
"When Brutus was through killing
Caesar
And had traded a horse for a goose
He found that the square of the other
two sides
Was equal to the hypotenuse."
"Napoleon had conquered the Romans
And swore that in Rome he would dine
But he never got home for his dinner

For they burned his bridge over the
Rhine."
"Cicero preached in the Senate
When he met Catiline, his dear friend,
But he found that if $x-y$ equalled p
It would come out all wrong in the
end."
"His Honor, Sir Roger DeCoverly
Who wrote for the papers a lot
Fell out of a tree and hit a stone wall
While playing with 'Mon Petit
Frott.'"
"Non parallel forces are equal
If stress equals a twist on a Rail
But I've searched the whole world over
For Two Cities have a Tale."
"Hercules painted the Rainbow,
Which is indeed a great piece of art
But Neptune because he was jealous
Sent his lightning to break it apart."
"Science says that once a tornado
Blew the feathers all off of a hen
But the wind just reversed its direction
And blew them all on again."
"Perhaps you think that's untrue
And believe my brain's sadly smitten
But there's exactly as much truth in it
As in everything else that I have writ-
ten."
With this I can't enter a college
But I know of a plan, never fear,
I shall probably go in on my face
And as likely come out on my ear.



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Parting is Such Sweet Sorrow

EVERYTHING looms pleasant through the softening haze of time. Even the sadness that is past seems sweet. Our childhood days look very merry to us now, all nutting, hoop and gingerbread. The snubbings and toothaches and the Latin verbs are all forgotten—the Latin verbs especially.

Yes, it is the brightness not the darkness, that we see when we look back. The sunshine casts no shadows on the past. The road that we have traversed stretches very fair behind us. We see not the sharp stones. We dwell but on the roses by the wayside, and the strong briars that stung us are, to our distant eyes, but gentle tendrils waving in the wind. God be thanked that it is so—that the ever-lengthening chain of memory has only pleasant links, and that the bitterness and sorrow of today are smiled at on the morrow.

Just get a bunch of “old timers” together who have always gone to school in Orlando and listen to their conversation, which goes something like this:

“Do you remember the Penny Circus we had in our Sophomore year?”

“I’ll say, and that Chamber of Horrors, do you remember what a fuss Miss Chalfont made about it? And Dyson Jones nearly burnt his nose off with his smelling salts.”

“Uh-huh, I was looking over some of the Sophomore daily bulletins the other day, and I saw on a Literary Society program that Laura Roseman gave that same reading she gave the other day in chapel—you know that one about his mother’s telling secrets—.”

“Good gravy! When did she learn that anyway?”

Speaking of repeating, I hope that June Humphries will repeat her success of her first two years in track. Gee! Wasn’t it thrilling to know that one of our members was on the winning team!

“Do you remember what a time we used to have in Mrs. Bogess’ English class? And Stanley and Louis giving lessons in—whatever it was we did before the Charleston came along. The Flag Rush! Didn’t we start something then?”

Our Junior year was even more exciting, full of thrilling events, particularly in athletics. June Humphries loomed big on the horizon, and several of our number were on girls’ basket-ball team, which won second place in the tournament.

Our glory was not confined to the athletic field though. Marjorie Helms was chosen to be in “Abie’s Irish Rose,” and when the outcome of



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the popularity contest was announced! Would you believe it? B. J. Lord was found to be the biggest flirt, and George Tuttle was the sheik! We were not surprised to learn that Helen Link had the sweetest disposition and that Julian Howard was the best all-round athlete.

We won fame in other lines, too. The Allegretto Chorus that won the State prize at St. Pete for choral work was largely composed of our girls. The trip over and back will always be remembered. Just ask Helen Smith what kind of a time she had!

But oh, speaking of pleasant memories! Dear to the heart of everyone who was in High School last year is the memory of the Study Hall. For no Argus-eyed brother presided near it, to find out your every act. It was an open forum for the discussion of anything, and the consumption of huge quantities of peanuts and ice cream. But that was in the "good ole days" when the boys wore derby hats and the girls wore hair ribbons, and those who could—long curls.

How delighted we all were with our favors received at the Junior-Senior Prom—beautiful stove-pipe lids and shepherdess hats. How we envied the Seniors of their exalted places at that banquet table!

But the most cherished memory that any Senior of '26 has of his Junior year is the graduation of the Class of '25. How we hated to bid farewell to our sister class. And now we are the Seniors and about to say "Good-bye" ourselves, surely we believe that our Senior year has been the happiest of all."

Many honors have come to us this year. Charlotte Steinhans and Dick Magruder won the State Championship in debating, and Julian Howard named all-state end. Hugh Seivert won the Irving Bacheller medal for best essay. But most wonderful of all, one of our last year's classmates, Margie Railback, has distinguished herself by acquiring not only a husband, but also twins.

As June draws nearer we all find that we are leaving behind us another of life's milestones. We are loath to part with the old ways, but are looking forward hopefully to the new. We have enjoyed the many hours spent in our High School, made many friendships that are dear to us, and so it is not without regret that we leave a place that has given us so many beautiful memories. Truly, "Parting is such sweet sorrow."

—LOUISE HOWES, '27.



Autumn Twilight

*The sun's last dying embers
Like sparks from a golden fire
Lend a peace to this world of sorrow,
Of greed and lust and desire.
Great mountains, blue smoke in the distance
Lend enchantment to coming night
While the birch trees sway in the gentle breeze
And bathe in the amber light.
Cool lakes, once opalescent
Are now as molten gold
As the wind's slim tapering fingers
Bend gently to enfold
The last bright flowers of summer
In a tender parting caress
And then, as an actor leaving a stage,
Darts over the hills to the west.
Oh, great is the beauty of twilight
To those who tire of life
For life is made artificial
By selfishness and strife.
So you who are weary of living,
Who have tasted bitter sorrow,
Will find in God's great open
The promise of greater tomorrow.
Then borrow joy from the singing birds
From the babbling of the brooks
From the lazy crooning of the wind,
From the bumble bee and look
For the joy in a butterfly
And in every tree and flower
For there's plenty of joy for everyone
In God's great twilight hour!*

—COLFAX SANDERSON.





JUNIORS

LAS MEMORIAS

Junior Class

COLORS: *Blue and Gold*

FLOWER: *Yellow Rose*

MOTTO: *Let's row, not drift.*

OFFICERS

KENNETH MILLER	<i>President</i>
WILBUR JAMES	<i>Vice-President</i>
LOUISE AULLS	<i>Secretary</i>
BERNARD DEWITT	<i>Treasurer</i>
MISS BARKER	<i>Sponsor</i>

ACTIVITIES OF THE JUNIOR CLASS

When the Junior class of '26 was first seen in a body, it was remarked that it was the largest and perhaps the most promising of any Junior class in the history of the Orlando High School. The class soon proved itself unprejudiced and wise in the selection of officers for the year. Kenneth Miller was elected president; Wilbur James, vice-president; Louise Aulls, secretary; and Bernard DeWitt, treasurer. Miss Barker was selected as faculty advisor. These officers have worked hard and a good share of the success of the class is due to their untiring efforts.

Soon a finance committee was appointed, the main object of which was to finance the Junior-Senior Prom. This committee began work at once and soon planned the first of several undertakings to make money. This was the sale of tickets on a commission basis for "Pandora In Lilac Time," a civic opera sponsored by the Recreation Department of Orlando. Shortly after, they announced that the Junior class would bring to Orlando the Lotus Male Quartet of Boston. Soon the Juniors were at work with characteristic energy, and helped by the hearty support of the entire school, they put on the concert. It was a great success, both artistically and financially. Other plans have been announced and no doubt the Prom will be made the biggest social event of the school year.

The class has distinguished itself in other lines also. The Junior boys' basket-ball team won the inter-class basket-ball tournament; and both the girls' and boys' track teams figured favorably in the inter-class track meet. The Juniors have also had a large part in other undertakings for the betterment of the school, and have ever been found ready for work as well as play.



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The Junior Song

(VERSE 1)

*I'll tell you about our dear High School
A better never was,
I'll tell you why it's functioning
And the reason is because
Juniors are coming on to run the universe
That's the job we're fitted for, we'll take nothing worse.*

CHORUS

*The Juniors! The Juniors! They're a loyal band,
When e'er there's need of something done,
They're always close at hand.
The Juniors! The Juniors! The class that always sticks!
J-U-N-I-O-R-S of 1926!*

(VERSE 2)

*The Sophomore and Senior class
Can each one do its best,
To lift the name of O. H. S.
High up above the rest.
But the Juniors are needed still, to do their loyal part,
To honor keep within the school, in study, mind, and heart.*

—DONALD WALTERS, '27.

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LAS MEMORIAS

The Cup of Life

(DEDICATED TO THE SENIORS OF O. H. S. '26)

*To you, oh worthy Seniors,
We give the cup of life,
'Tis filled again with pleasure
With happiness and strife.*

*The sparkling bubbles on the tip
Are youth, so hold them dear,
For deeper down, the draught of life
Grows harder, year by year.*

*So when you drink, drink deeply,
Taste well each sparkling drop,
And when the cup is empty
Just sigh, then smile and stop.*

*For what is left is bitter,
And hold it as you will
The bubbling joys of yesterday
Remain a memory still.*

*Though memories are fragile things
Mere shades of yesterday,
Just let them say, "He played the Game!"
Then throw the cup away!*

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SOPHOMORE

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Sophomore Class

COLORS: *Blue and White*

FLOWER: *Forget-me-not*

MOTTO: *Semper Fidelis*

OFFICERS

VERA SUMMERS	President
ROBERT CARUTHERS	Vice-President
LYNN CHURCHWELL	Secretary and Treasurer
MR. BOONE	Sponsor

An Ode to the Sophs

*Blessings on thee, little scrub,
Dumb bell boy; oh what a dub,
With thy turned up eyes so blue,
The wonders of this school to view,
With thy trustful baby stare,
And thy "know-it-all" kind of air,
With a splatch of dirt upon thy face,
And a Sophomore's jaunty grace,
Let me say, "Young scrub, beware,
Or you will lose that trustful stare."
Scrub thou art; the Senior grand
Is what you'll be if you can stand
The pace that's set in O. H. S.
'Twill keep you stepping, you'll soon confess.
Let the Senior air his pride,
You may listen at his side;
And when he lies don't hoot nor yell,
When you're a Senior, stories you'll tell.
So behave yourself as a Sophomore should,
And you'll find the fellows will treat you "good."
Blessings on thee, little scrub,
Dumb bell boy; oh what a dub,
All too soon a Senior you'll be,
All too soon the high school will see
You graduated with honors high,
But secretly you will sigh and sigh,
The thought that your home for four bright years,
Is to let you go will bring the tears;
And you'll wish that time would turn back once more,
To the moment you first set foot on the door,
As a small and scared and a dumb-bell scrub,
Green as green; and such a dub.*

—VERA SUMMERS, '28.



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To The Sophomores

It has often been said and demonstrated that, "A word to the wise is sufficient." And so it is with our high school career. Next year you will be "Noble Juniors," a term of which you will be justly proud, and upon you will rest the responsibility of setting an example for the classes yet to come, even as the Junior class this year you will be called on to take a greater part in the activities of our school, and to do things you have never tried before, and so you may need some council and guidance, and there is but one place to go. That is to the Seniors, who will be only too glad to share with our experiences of directing the responsibilities of such a prominent class. The Junior class wishes you success in everything that you undertake and hope that your year will be a happy and prosperous one.

—KENNETH MILLER, '27.



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DEAR PEGGY:

School is almost over again! It makes me feel quite gay to think that the last Cæsar exam is safely in the hands of Father Time and that the next book report isn't due in a week. You asked about my school year. Since I was in the Sophomore class I shall probably tell you more events concerning that class than any other.

The first time my class had a chance to do team work was in the Athletic Association drive. We began by a pep meeting in assembly—which seems to have caused the Seniors to think we planned the whole thing for them. At any rate they took it very much to heart and came over almost one hundred per cent., leaving the Juniors a few per cent. behind them, and the Sophomores a few per cent. behind them. However, we did gain distinction in the inter-class track meet in which we followed the Seniors quite close, again those Seniors broke a few more buttons and perhaps noses; the doorways are quite low, aren't they, dear Seniors? In fact, Marion Phillips, Sophomore, was so good that she almost totally eclipsed even the Senior stars as an individual point winner.

Owing to the necessity of changing school buildings, we were unable to organize until late in the semester. After election of officers and faculty advisor the next thing was the selection of class colors. We needed the colors for the above mentioned track meet and called a special meeting to choose the colors and being a naturally bright class we chose red and white. But lo and behold! Again those Seniors! We learned that in the ancient times, some three hundred and sixty-five days ago at the obscure event of the Junior-Senior Prom, red and white had been chosen as the Senior colors for '26. There was nothing to do but go through the whole process of selecting colors once more. This time, due to so much disappointment, we decided on blue and white, and I really think blue and white blend their multitudinous (American for multitude meaning many) vibrations into one another more harmoniously than the red and white, and producing the



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desired effects of inspiring chivalry (don't let your teeth chatter on the "chin") and courage as well as increasing the indispensable proclivity of humbleness required of the insignificant Sophomores. But the severity of such trials is lessened when we remember that not even Seniors can stop the wheels of time (although they do have some long-winded orators). Some day we shall be Juniors—then the step is quite short to the Senior year.

We were well enough recovered by the first of March to take keen interest in the State debate contest and you may be sure that when we learned that Orlando had captured the championship, more than mere colors and late dinners (we and the Juniors had to wait until the Seniors had finished their repast) would have been required to keep us from emitting in a great hurrah for O. H. S.

All together the year has been most enjoyable and I am already eager to begin the Junior year in spite of the fact that there are three months of boring vacation in which to work and play before another September comes.

Yours truly, we are

SOPHOMORES!



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Handwritten notes in red ink:
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ACTIVITIES

Reflections

*A stranger sat among our throng,
He scarce could grasp the sight;
He heard the strains of the orchestra
Rise and swell with might.*

*He saw the lower classmen sit,
With reverence that appalled—
And even did the teachers kneel
In rows along the wall!*

*He asked the boy upon his right,
“Pray what’s it all about?”
“Good sir, all must submissive be,
The SENIORS are passing out!”*

—CONTRIBUTED.



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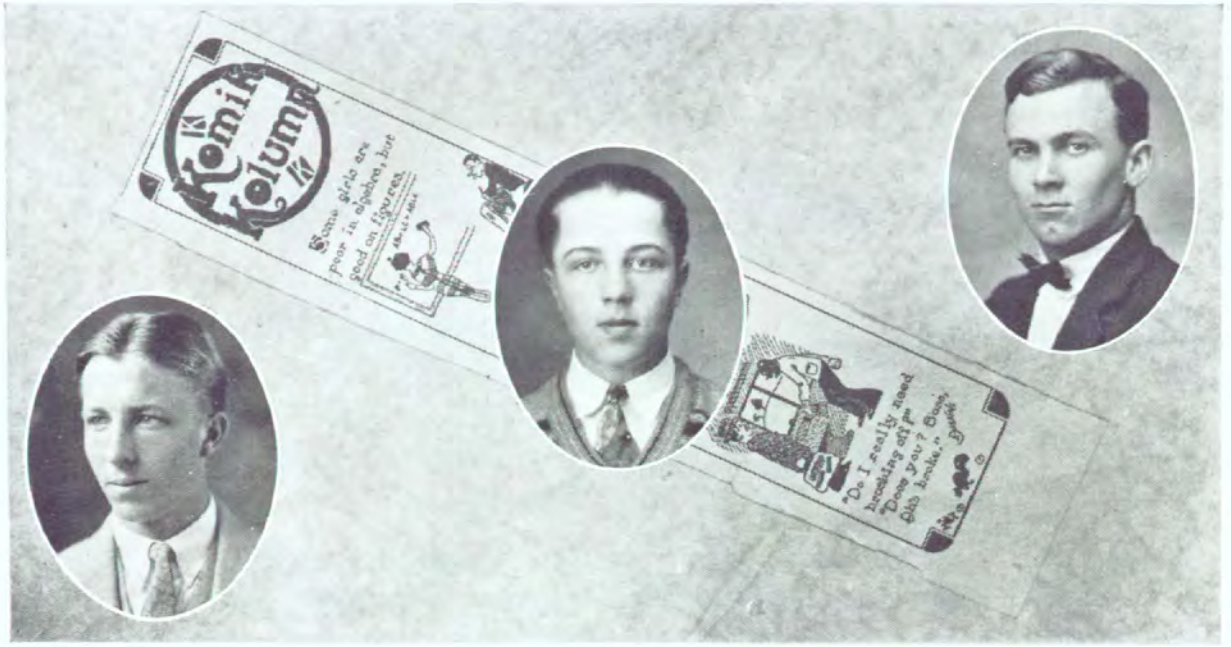
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HUGH SEIVERT
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The Orange and White Staff

EDWARD MCCARTHY	Editor
HUGH MCKEAN	News Editor
LUCILE HOTALING	Literary Editor
BERNARD DEWITT	Athletic Editor
MARY IVES	Social Editor
ALMA ABBETT	Club Editor
SHIRLEY DECKER	Comic Editor
SALLY EASTWOOD	Exchange Editor
FRANK KAREL	Junior Editor
JORDAN JOHNSON	Sophomore Editor
MERTON AUSTIN	Cartoonist
JAMES BAILEY	Business Manager
LUTHER BLAIR	Advertising Manager
LEE MILLER	Circulation Manager
MARJORIE HELMS, HELEN SMITH, MAURICE HODGES	Typists
MISS EOLINE EVERETT	Faculty Advisor

1925-26 was highly successful as far as the school paper was concerned. Due to unavoidable hindrances, journalistic work started late in the year. The best staff obtainable anywhere was secured however, and from December to June conspicuous progress was made in this phase of the school work.

The policy was different this year from that of previous ones; the paper was issued every week instead of bi-weekly; it possessed the appearance and the best characteristics of a commercial newspaper; and it strove continuously to attain such a standard as the staff of succeeding years might find it hard to surpass.

The *Orange and White* had the distinction of being represented in March, 1926, at the Columbia Scholastic Press Association Convention in New York City. The three delegates—and these were the only ones from the State of Florida—were Miss Everett, faculty advisor; Edward McCarthy, editor, and Bernard DeWitt, sport writer.



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Win and Lose On West Coast Tour

Tigers Defeated Friday, But Split Tampa

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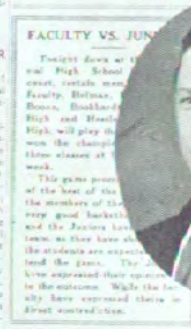
The Juniors have won the Bumby Basketball Trophy. The Juniors have won the Bumby Basketball Trophy.

FACULTY VS. JUNIORS

The Faculty will play the Juniors in a basketball game. The Faculty will play the Juniors in a basketball game.

CUP AFTER DEBATE

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The Girl Reserves of Orlando High School

CABINET

1. <i>President</i>	MISS MARGARET JOHNSON	MARGARET TICHENOR
2. <i>Vice-President</i>	MISS BERNICE DANIELS	JUNE BEAUVAIS
3. <i>Secretary</i>	MISS DAISY GRIFFIN	ELOISE FLANDERS
4. <i>Treasurer</i>	MISS DOROTHY GOODWIN	KATHERINE NEWELL
5. <i>Program</i>	MISS WILLIE LOVE	EVELYN HILL
6. <i>Social Service</i>	MISS MARY YARBOROUGH	PAULINE BENNET
7. <i>World Fellowship</i>	MRS. GERALD HIBBARD	GRACE WATKINS
8. <i>Social</i>	MRS. FRED McCLURE	ALICE CRUX
9. <i>Publicity</i>	MISS EDITH HUMPHREY	MARY STAGG



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The Girl Reserves

The Girl Reserve Club of Orlando Senior High School was organized during the early part of the school year, for the purpose of meeting the needs of the "teen" age girl in the school.

It has come steadily to the front in all activities and has secured a larger membership than any other single club in the school, totaling approximately one hundred girls. This organization has been founded in Orlando High School as a permanent one and as we hope a stepping-stone for a much needed Y. W. C. A. The slogan of the Girl Reserves is to "face life squarely," and their purpose is "to find and give the best"—in everything and in every possible way.

Much has been accomplished during their brief existence at their meetings which are held twice a month where excellent programs have been rendered. Some of which were: The Mother-Daughter Banquet; the Komic Karnival; the Vesper Service; the Initiation Service; and the Charm School. These were all wonderful successes and as Girl Reserves we are trying to be:

Gracious in manner
Impartial in judgment
Ready for service
Loyal to friends

Reaching towards the best
Earnest in purpose
Seeing the beautiful
Eager for knowledge
Reverent to God
Victorious over self
Ever dependable
Sincere at all times.



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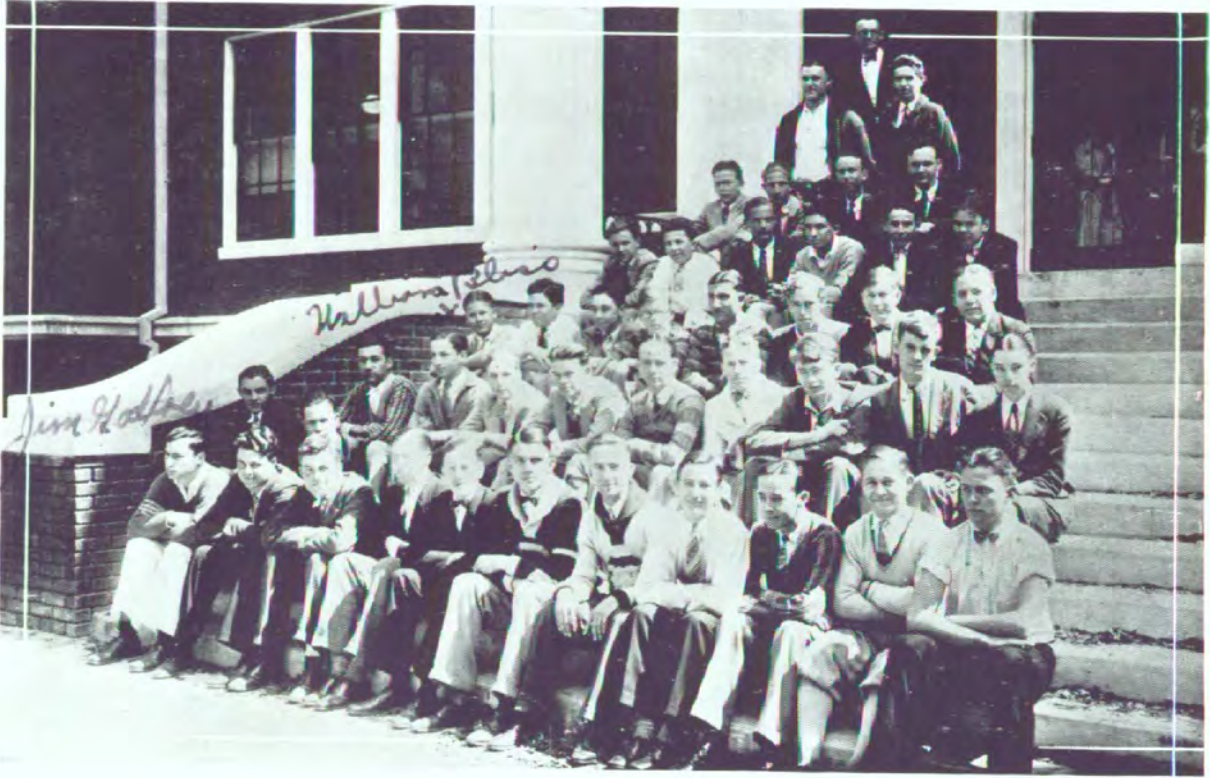
Girls' Hi-Y

The Girls' Senior Hi-Y was organized November 7, 1923, by Mrs. Raymond Rock, county secretary of Y. W. C. A. work. This club, which has become such an important part of the school, began with fifteen charter members, most of whom have graduated and are now in college somewhere. The leader at that time was Mrs. Graham. She was well fitted for the work and endeared herself to all the girls but on account of numerous other Christian duties she was forced to give up the work. Our next leader was Mrs. Pipe. Her heart was in the work and our club grew rapidly under her leadership. Miss Bruce, a former member of the High School faculty, is our present leader. With her as leader the membership has reached about forty. The purpose and aim of Hi-Y is to create, maintain and extend, throughout the school and community, the highest standards of Christian character.

Although this club may have fallen short of its aim and failed in some measure to accomplish its purpose, we feel that we have a strong foundation laid for a better and greater Hi-Y in Orlando High School in the future.



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Boys' Hi-Y

President, George A. Barker, Jr.; First Vice-President, John Seth; Second Vice-President, Kenneth Miller; Secretary, Kenneth Todd; Treasurer, Alex Akerman; Sergeant-at-Arms, James Godfrey; Chaplain, Luther Blair; Assistant Chaplain, Dick Clark; Faculty Advisor, Charles B. Taylor.

The Boys' Hi-Y has been an established institution in the high school since 1918. During this period the club has lived up to its ideals. Its purpose is "To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character"; its aim is "To help the other fellow"; and its watchword is "Service."

The accomplishments of this year's Hi-Y club have been very gratifying. In December the club was presented with a silver loving cup at the Older Boys' Conference at Madison for its exceptional participation in the convention. During January the Orlando degree team journeyed to Sanford and installed a club in that city. The Hi-Y Congress at Lakeland was attended by an Orlando delegation, which took a prominent part in the program. In appreciation for the exceptional leadership rendered by their faculty advisor, Mr. Taylor, the school was presented with an enlarged photograph of him, our well-loved principal.

The work of this year's social committee has added much to the enjoyment of the Hi-Y. According to the established precedent a canoe party was given on the lakes of Winter Park. Another enjoyable social event was the swimming party at Palm Springs. At intervals throughout the year the club enjoyed the pleasure of having joint meetings with the girls' Hi-Y.

Due to the ceaseless efforts on the part of the officers and the remarkable interest shown by the members the 1926 Hi-Y Club will always stand out as one of the finest since its organization.



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EXECUTIVE HEADS OF THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

The Parent-Teacher Association

The National Parent-Teacher Association has adopted for its slogan the following: "Equal opportunity for every parent in every public school."

Besides striving for the attainment of this ideal our High School Association has coined for itself these slogans:

Practical Tasks Accomplished
Parties and Teas

Pull Together All
Put Thyself Aside

The splendid way in which the cafeteria has been managed, the furnishing of a most attractive rest room for the teachers, the purchasing of valuable books for the high school library and the wonderfully helpful and interesting programs arranged and carried out at the P. T. A. meetings testify as to how splendidly they have attained their first object.

Each meeting of the Association has been followed by a delightful informal social hour at which times delicious refreshments have been served. This has made each meeting a delightful occasion and has promoted a feeling of good fellowship.

The Parent-Teacher Association has been a most loyal backer of all student activities and have been ready to help in all possible ways. Not only has their spirit of co-operation extended to the activities of the Senior High but they have been active in co-operating with other branches of the P. T. A. in Orlando and in backing all worthwhile civic activities. One has only to name over all their activities for the past year to realize what sacrifices of personal pleasure they have made.

The work of the P. T. A. is civic work in its highest and broadest sense and every man and woman interested in its aims, is invited to assist in the organized effort to attain them.



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Seventh Period Triggers

The "T. C." was the last and most famous of the O. H. S. clubs of 1926 and was organized at the instigation of our Most Noble President, The Right Honorable James C. Bailey, P. D. Q.

The reason for organization was that it was the only "All Senior" class in 1926, all others being polluted by one or more Sophomores or Juniors. There are sixteen members of this club.

Among the celebrities of this class are found: Miss Bernice Daniels, sponsor; Estelle Lindsey, only girl in class; Hon. Robert May, official perculator and calculator; Dyson Jones, "Old Faithful" (so called because of his being a yearly "Trig." student); Ludolf Ebsen, most wide-awake sinner in O. H. S.; Dick Clarke, the chief nuisance, and Hugh McKean, that *good* looking boy.

This club also has the distinction of having in its midst two of the three who started in the first grade at Magnolia Grammar School in 1913, and continued through all the grades together. These two are Luther C. Blair and "Bert" Johnson.

The class prophet has said that in — Robert May will be Efficiency and Financial Expert of the United States; Miss Daniels will be conducting a Training School for Faculty Basket-ball Coaches; Ed McCarthy, President of the United Pressmen of America; L. C. (Elsie) Blair and L. C. (Elsie) Phelps, retired business men, (business of train robbing); Leo Russ, the celebrated engineer, will have constructed a 58-story office building next to "Bob" Woodberry's Sandwich Factory in Bithlo; in this building is also the office of McGee and James, Lucian and Julian are brokers; and last but not least, he predicts that Ludolf (Sleepy) Ebsen will have awakened and will be known as "Rip Van Winkle II."



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Journalism Club

When the various clubs were organized in the fall of '25 the Journalism Club, directed by Miss Eoline Everett, was one of the most popular.

The members of the Journalism Club at once undertook the publication of the weekly school paper, "The Orange and White." Editors and business manager were elected from this group.

Some special phase of newspaper writing was stressed at each meeting. "Writing for Print," as a guide, was the text used; all the elements of journalism were studied intensely.

From time to time the organization was addressed by editors of the Orlando daily papers and on one occasion there was a trip through one of the local newspaper plants.

Through the three delegates to the Second Annual Convention of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association at New York instruction from many of the foremost journalists of the world was given the Journalism Club. Among those whose ideas were discussed and acted upon were Mr. Windsor McCay, cartoonist for the New York Tribune; Mr. E. S. Meerthey, eastern advertising manager for the American Boy; Mr. B. R. Adams, of the editorial staff of the Literary Digest; Mr. John Carter, of the New York Times; Prof. Allen S. Wills, of the School of Journalism of Columbia University; Mr. Louis Wiley, New York Times; and Dr. Rollo G. Reynolds, Teachers' College, New York City.

Finally, from the members of the Journalism Club, at least two persons decided to follow journalism as their life work.



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Kodak Club

The Kodak Club was organized November 25, 1925, with a membership of eleven. From time to time new members were added until in February it was found necessary to limit the number to twenty-five.

The officers for the first semester were: President, Ralph Crandall; Vice-President, John Parrott; and Secretary-Treasurer-Reporter, Margaret Ferguson. Re-organization the second semester resulted in the election of the following officers: President, Louise Bean; Vice-President, Ralph Crandall; Secretary-Treasurer, Faye Edwards; and Reporter, Margaret Ferguson.

The aim of the club is to stimulate an interest in amateur photography and develop skill in the use of the kodak. With this in view pictures have been studied from an artistic standpoint and the elements of both picture-taking and picture-making experimented with. Different types of light conditions, i. e., artificial, flash, and varying degrees of sunlight have been tried out in addition to developing, printing and enlarging all with fairly good success.

Materials used for developing and printing are paid for by levying monthly dues. An enlarger which accommodates all amateur size negatives and makes prints 7" x 11" has been purchased.

By far the biggest undertaking of the year was the contract for individual pictures of all school athletes for the annual.



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While the set was being constructed the members were getting more knowledge as to its functions by reading radio periodicals and books and from the explanatory talks of some of the members.

Then came the announcement that "Andy" had constructed a one-tube, three-circuit regenerative set, and that results had been obtained. The set was soon brought to the school building and installed. Many a pleasant evening was spent in the club room "listening in" on the set. Trips were taken to WDBO, the Winter Park broadcasting station, where instructions were given in broadcasting.

The Radio Club truly enjoyed the work. The members sincerely hope that the students of future years who are interested in this field of activity will take over the set that is being left them and carry on to a successful conclusion the work that they have given life to.



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Art Appreciation

With such a wide field for discussion and study this has been made one of the most interesting clubs. Not only has the study of paintings and artists been taken up but also the arts of other things as: Literature, Architecture, Sculpturing, Opera, and Handicraft.

These have all been taken up from every angle. With the aid of an able program committee, it has been possible to secure several noted speakers and artists, some of whom were from abroad.

Their most competent sponsor, Miss Petrie, gave several interesting talks on forms of architecture, using her own ideas which she had obtained while abroad.

On account of changing sponsors so many times, during the second semester, the club had to depend a great deal upon their president, Miss Mildred McNeill, and upon the co-operation of every member.

Probably the most entertaining program was a talk, and an exhibition of paintings and linens, which Miss Petrie brought from abroad.

Another topic of interest was the study of "old jewelry"—heirlooms which were brought in by different members of the class and which were discussed.

Quite unusual was the study of modern authors—their lives and style of writing.

It is the wish of every member of the club to have stirred up enough interest and enthusiasm to have the club continue and grow throughout the coming years.



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El Circulo Espanol

El Circulo Español, otherwise known as the Spanish Club, was organized in the fall of 1922 with Miss Ruth Chamberlain as president. The club soon became and has continued to be one of the most prominent and successful organizations in school. Miss Mays, the sponsor, has made the study of modern languages her life work and it has been largely due to her vision and the inspiration received from her by the students which has led them to be such earnest workers and make their club such an outstanding success.

Programs dealing with Spanish history, culture, literature, art and tradition have been used to make the study of Spanish in O. H. S. more than a dry book learning. At the first of the school term each member subscribed to a weekly Spanish newspaper and at each club meeting news articles, editorials and jokes are read and translated into English. Banquets have been arranged where everything had a distinct Spanish atmosphere so that the student might be more vividly impressed with what Spanish life and customs really mean. The club recently bought a beautiful new Victrola with money derived from a Spanish play given in 1925. The Victrola enables the students to study more carefully and thoroughly Spanish music. All of these things have tended to make an otherwise more or less disagreeable language really interesting.

*Isabel Stuart Mays
Dunwoody,
Fla.*

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Le Petit Salon

Three years ago French was definitely established as a permanent part of the curriculum of Orlando Senior High School. The following year, 1924, the French Club was organized as an auxiliary to the department under the name of *Le Petit Salon*. Miss Gertrude Houser was the faculty sponsor, and Charles Hoffer and Walter Randall, the presidents, during the first and second semesters, respectively.

Early during the year of 1925 *Le Petit Salon* reorganized under the leadership of Miss Mays. The officers for the first semester were:

President, Hugh McKean; Vice-President, Walter Randall; Secretary, Grace Watkins; Treasurer, Catherine Lawson; Reporter, James Bailey.

The literary work of the club includes programs consisting of readings, songs, and instrumental music and the study of "*Le Petit Journal*," a French newspaper. The members of the club are divided into groups for the newspaper work and for programs, each group having a leader. The social activities of the club consist in banquets, swimming, parties and picnics. Just before the Christmas holidays *Le Petit Salon* joined with *El Circulo Español* in a banquet which was enjoyed by all. The officers for the present semester are:

President, Leo Russ; Vice-President, Lucian McGee; Secretary, Nina Herrington; Treasurer, Grace Watkins; Reporter, Kathryn Joyner.



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Drama-Study Club

Although the Drama-Study Club is a new organization in O. H. S., it has had a very successful and profitable year under the sponsorship of Miss Barker. The club has for its aim the study of all phases of the drama and the sponsoring of it in student activities.

It has so far accomplished its purpose as to carry out all preparations necessary to the successful public presentation of "The Birds' Christmas Carol." At the weekly meetings they study devices in stage production, such as stage lighting, stage setting, the art of make-up; and to make researches of the rise and development of drama in its various forms.

The officers for the first semester were:

Miriam Whitcomb, President; Maurice Hodges, Vice-President; Martha Monroe, Secretary; William Wilmott, Treasurer; Richard Hadley, Reporter.

With the reorganization of clubs at the beginning of the second semester, these officers were elected:

Maurice Hodges, President; Lillian Richman, Vice-President; Ruth Greenwold, Secretary and Reporter; Dorothy Livingston, Treasurer.



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Declamation

It was in December that the effective speaking classes first began studying on the declamations sent out by the State Declamation Board. There were many kinds of readings from which the individual selected the reading he preferred.

Through many days of practice upon these readings every one who was interested in declaiming gave his selection before the student body. When that day came the following students contested: Nina Herrington, Bravo Hull, Katherine Welch, Annabelle Anderson, Edward Durrenburger, Robert Hooper, Glenn Ingram.

All of these people did so splendidly that it was a very difficult task to say who was best, but it was finally decided that Katherine Welch, Charlotte Steinhans and Bravo Hull should have the most honorable mention. Katherine Welch not only won in debate but also won a place as alternate in this district for the State contest. We are confident that after the start made in declamation in O. H. S. this year we shall not only have a championship debate team but also a champion declamation team next year.



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Richard

Agustine



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The Debate Team

RICHARD MAGRUDER

CHARLOTTE STEINHANS

MR. CHARLES B. TAYLOR, *Coach*

KENNETH MILLER

KATHERINE WELCH

MRS. IVA C. GIBEAULT, *Coach*

VAHAN MAGARIAN, *Alternate*

RUTH BALLAMY, *Alternate*

THE DEBATE PROGRAM

The first victory of the triumphant march of our State Championship Debate Team came on the night of February 12, 1926, when the Affirmative team, consisting of Charlotte Steinhans and Kenneth Miller, with Vahan Magarian as alternate, won from Apopka through default. On the same night, the Negative team, consisting of Katherine Welch and Richard Magruder, with Ruth Jeanne as alternate, defeated Umatilla at Apopka by a unanimous decision.

Thus O. H. S. had won both of its triangular debates, which was absolutely necessary in order to enter a team in the District Contest.

As the team entering this contest was to consist of two members, and one alternate, it was necessary to eliminate all but three. As Katherine Welch was also representing O. H. S. in the District Declamation Contest, which was to be held at the same time, it made it unable for her to take part in further debating. For a number of reasons Charlotte Steinhans was made a member of the team, and so in the Debate Club a tryout was held between Richard Magruder, who was selected to be the second member, with Kenny Miller as alternate.

On February 19th, 1926, the teams journeyed to Umatilla to take part in the District meet. In the afternoon they met Mount Dora on the Negative side of the question and defeated them by a 2 to 1 decision. Seabreeze won from Tavares in the afternoon also, and so on the same night O. H. S. met Seabreeze on the Negative for the District Championship, and won by another 2 to 1 vote of the judges.

The winner of the eight districts in the State met in Gainesville on March 3rd and 4th, for the State Contest.

On the evening of March 3rd Bradenton withdrew, thus forfeiting to Orlando. Then in the afternoon of March 4th, O. H. S. defeated Pensacola on the Affirmative. Immediately after the debate sides were drawn for the evening debate with Ft. Pierce, and Orlando drew the Negative. In less than a few short hours our team changed their complete line of thought and came back and defeated Ft. Pierce by a 4 to 1 decision. Thus Orlando had won the State Championship and were presented with the cup. It was a glorious victory for O. H. S.

The members of the team would like to take this means of publicly expressing their sincere thanks and appreciation to Mrs. I. C. Gibeault and Mr. C. B. Taylor, through whose efforts it was made possible for our team to fly the Orange and White over the State Championship.



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Debate Club

The Debate Club of O. H. S. has achieved one supreme success this year—it has produced the team which won the State Debating Championship for 1926. Under the able supervision of Mrs. Gibeault and Mr. Taylor, the club members have studied and practiced debating in many forms.

The latter part of the school year has been principally occupied by the preparation for the State Debate Tournament, the question of which was "Resolved: That the United States was justified in passing the Japanese Exclusion Law of 1924."

The try-outs were highly successful for a large number of students participated. After the triangular contests Charlotte Steinhans, Richard Magruder, and Kenneth Miller were chosen to represent us.

These were victorious in the final State contest and were proclaimed State Debating Champions, thus winning for O. H. S. the handsome loving cup given.



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The Archery Club

With the extension of the club idea in O. H. S. this year has come the advent of a most interesting and romantic organization. The Archery Club began with only six members, each of whom had had more or less experience with a bow and arrow. In less than a week the membership had jumped to fourteen and it was deemed advisable, owing to the nature of the club to close it to further membership. Mr. Holman was selected sponsor and has proved to be a very able and much appreciated leader.

Although archery equipment can be bought it is very expensive and beyond the reach of the average high school student. To the average group of fellows this fact would have been a very serious handicap but the archers got their heads together and soon they were turning out bows and arrows almost as fast as Ford turns out gas wagons. Their bows are made of lemon wood after old English pattern with buffalo horn tips, while their arrows are made of birch dowells with brass points and feather sails. They even go so far as to make their own flax bow strings. It has been amazing to many what accuracy has been attained by some of the fellows with this equipment. Two archers have been selected to compose a team to enter an archery tournament to be held some time in the near future. In this tournament the boys will compete with archers of long standing and known ability. Go to it, boys, we are proud of your genius and initiative.



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Tennis Club

Under the direction of Miss McConnell the Tennis Club was organized on March 10th, 1926; the following officers were elected: Shirley Decker, President; Mary Dean Mann, Reporter; and as a unanimous vote, Helen Link was appointed official ball chaser. The club members are as follows: Patricia Weingand, Emma Fuller, Tybel Burman, Ruth Meiten, Genevieve Fairfield, Hazel Jones, June Humphries, Marion Phillips, Betty Gier, Pauline Bumby, Frances Fuller, Beula Bradley, Eleanor Learch, Winifred Taylor, Helen Link, Martha Monroe, Marguerite LoBean, Juliette Brown, Pauline Bennett, Mary Dean Mann, Irene Wilson, Edith Wilson, Margaret Tichenor, Janice Garrett, Edith Floyd, Grace Watkins, Louise Johnson, Margaret Medlin, Estelle Lindsey, Mary Mathor, Dorothy Harding, Mildred Almstead, Mary Welt, Louise Tirey, and Ollie Autrey.

As there were thirty-five members in roll, that closed the membership for this year.

Every Wednesday morning the club members met in the gym. After roll call they adjourned to the city tennis courts where they enjoyed an hour's training in tennis. One court was given to the advanced class, while on the beginner's court Helen was kept busy chasing balls.

The club planned for many interesting events, one being the inter-class tennis tournament which took place later in the year.



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Choral Club

*"There's music in the air,
When the Choral Club is nigh!"*

Whether aiding in chapel programs or melodiously echoing through the halls, these carolers are always present.

This club, composed of mixed voices, was organized at the beginning of the second semester. They are sponsored by Miss Wood, who has proven a very enthusiastic leader. Their president is none other than the leading tenor of our school, Donald Walter. The vice-president and pianist, Miriam Whitcomb, is one of the most talented musicians of the Senior class. Emilie Arnold, who has been a member of the various musical departments for the last several years, is their competent secretary and treasurer. Martha Holman has proven very valuable as their reporter, keeping them in touch with the world of music.

Members of the Choral Club have been represented in practically all of the musical activities of the year.

Some of the best singers are members of this club and they are determined to cultivate a deeper love for the beautiful in music.



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Rod and Gun Club

The Rod and Gun Club was organized in the last part of the first semester of 1925, and was reorganized in January, 1926, with the following officers: President, Wilbur James; Vice-President, Thomas Staton; Secretary-Treasurer, Walter Randall.

The membership number was limited to twenty-eight but it was found necessary during the year to admit more than that number.

The purpose of this club is to interest the boys of Senior High School in good sportsmanship and a love for the out-of-doors. The preservation of game and fish is also taught.

The club is sponsored by Mr. Bookhardt, who has won the deepest gratitude from the members of the club.



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The Screech Owls

OFFICERS

GEORGE TUTTLE *President*
COLFAX SANDERSON *Vice-President*
GEORGE BARKER *Secretary-Treasurer*

MEMBERS

*JULIAN METZENGIR	*HAROLD METZENGIR
*FLETCHER PROCTOR	*LORAIN FERRAN
LEN DEFOOR	FRANCIE HAND
*DAVID ALLEMAN	LEE MILLER
*VIRGIL RICHARDS	GLEN INGRAM
*GEORGE TUTTLE	*GEORGE BARKER

SCOTT AVERY
MISS GOODWIN, *Sponsor*

THE ORIGIN

The Screech Owls were organized by a group of boys who found nothing in common with any of the other clubs. After they became organized they were at a loss as to what their purpose was, so they began searching for a purpose. It was finally decided that the purpose of the club would be to give musical concerts and plays for chapel entertainment. Having solved this problem, they immediately started to plan their program. So far they have given only a few entertainments which were pronounced successful. However, they expect better programs for the following year.



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Party Favor Making Club

"Hello, Dottie! Do you know what all the mad rush is about? Ruth Winfrey and Janet Cadman just left school in a terrible hurry and Louise Oates just came tearing down the hall with a cup of water. Anybody hurt down in Miss Yarborough's room?"

"Goodness, no, Margie, it's only the Party Favor Making Club getting ready to make those fierce flapper place cards. I'm just dying to join that club. You remember the Girl Reserve banquet and the pretty red roses that they had for favors? The Party Favor Making Club made every one of them."

"Say, Dottie, I'm giving an Easter luncheon for my cousin; do you suppose that the Party Favor Making Club would make the place cards for me?"

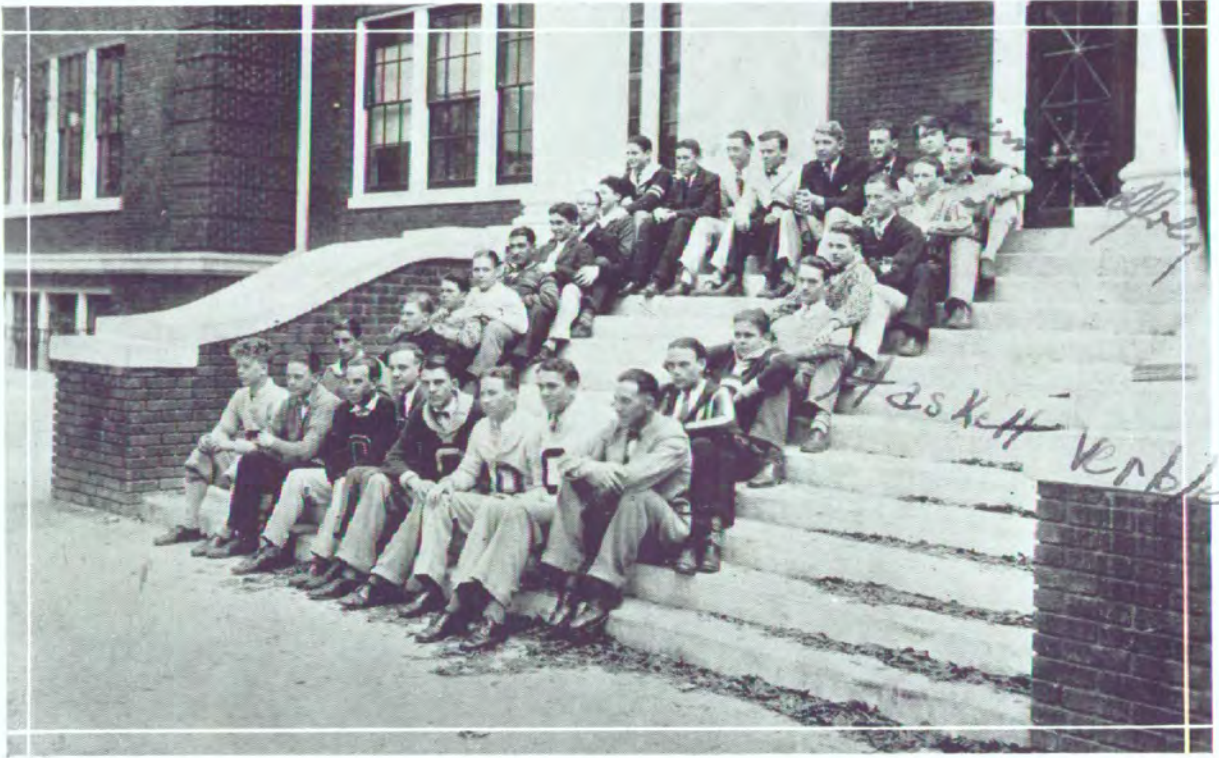
"Sure thing, Margie, they take orders all the time. All you have to do is turn in the number of favors that you want and furnish the supplies; then the members make them at the meetings. You should see some of the cute patterns that they have for favors and it's rumored that maybe they will make them for the Prom. Talk about clubs being active, why you can't step in that room without somebody handing you a pair of scissors and instructing you to whack off a couple dozen strips of crepe paper. It sure is in evidence, too. You watch, every week after club meeting. They come parading into second period study hall carrying Easter lilies, wearing one of St. Pat's bonnets or some such outlandish thing."

"There goes that pesky bell. Well, so long. I hope I'll see you in Party Favor Making Club Wednesday."

"You bet I'll be there, Dottie."



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Boys' Varsity Club

The Varsity Club is recognized as one of the select and exclusive clubs in school. It was organized shortly after the Christmas holidays by the far-sighted athletes of O. H. S. They realized what a source of pleasure a club might be whose membership was made up entirely of men who had won letters in the various branches of athletics. It can readily be seen that such a club would be composed of the real sports and real fellows of the school. The chief object of the club is the promotion of better and cleaner athletics in O. H. S. Under the executive leadership of Julian Howard, President; George A. Barker, Vice-President; and Harold Packard, Secretary and Treasurer, the organization has done some very notable things. Although it was organized too late to give any very material support to football or basket-ball, arrangements were made to finance the purchase of the baseball uniforms and to put across the campaign for the sale of season tickets to the baseball games. In the future it is expected that the Varsity Club will be a very material aid to the Athletic Association in putting over big things.



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Travel Club

The Travel Club organized in November with Miss Eggleston sponsoring. Imaginary trips have been made in a very real way to nearly every noteworthy place on the globe. The club has had a very pleasant and successful year to say the least.



Short Story Club

One of the most celebrated clubs in school this year is the Short Story Club. As might be expected, some of the steadiest students in school belong to it. The most celebrated members are Hugh Seivert, winner of the Bachelor medal, and Bennet Richards, winner of the *Orange and White* Short Story Contest.



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Gift Making Club

MOTTO: *As ye make, so should ye use.*

This club was organized later than most of the others but due to the enthusiasm of the members and the ability of the sponsor it has accomplished more than many of the other older clubs have.

The object of this club is to learn to make dainty gifts of all kinds. When the club was first organized it was the object of criticism by some of the students because they said it sounded like an old maid's club, but when some of the products of this organization were exhibited in the hall there was no such criticism heard. A number of students were heard remarking that they wished they had joined. The many hikes and swimming parties that the club has put on have endeared the members to one another in a way that will long be remembered.



The Psychology Club

The Psychology Club was formed at the beginning of the second semester with Miss Latimer as sponsor.

As the name implies, the work of this club consists of studying the powers and functions of the human mind and its reaction on the soul and body. This study is fast becoming a major instead of a minor course in every college in the country and it is expected that some time in the near future this High School will have regular classes on that subject and give credit for it just as it now does Sociology.

The course taken up in the club has not only been of a very practical nature but has been very interesting. Earle Mann is President of the organization, and Frank Wynn fills the offices of Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. Officers are of little importance in this club because the work is carried on more on the basis of a class recitation than is any other club. Every one is proud of the start made in the study of psychology by this club this year. You'd better look out, some of the members of this club will know what you are going to do under certain circumstances before you do yourself.

The Astronomy Club

Do you know the "Horse and Rider" in the handle of the "Big Dipper?" Do you know what causes eclipses of the sun, moon and stars, and how to determine when they will take place? Have you seen the variable Star Algal and do you know the legends about Orion, the mighty hunter of old? If you don't you are missing something which contains untold thrills and at the same time gives you a different feeling towards mother earth and the universe than you ever before experienced. These are just a few of the things that the Astronomy Club studied about this year. It took up detailed studies of the larger planets, their action and their relation to our earth and to other planets. The members of the Astronomy Club have come to be called the "Star Gazers" because groups of them have been observed gazing into the heavens at night when they should have been either studying Virgil or sleeping. Although this club was not organized until the second semester, it has made some other clubs in school, of much longer standing, sit up and take notice in a way that was a tribute to the members of the Astronomy Club.



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Library Methods Club

Librarians? Well, I guess we are. With the aid of our sponsor, Mrs. Wilkinson, we have learned a little of all there is to know about managing a library.

In our study we took up the organization, arrangement, and administration of an ideal library. After our imaginary libraries were complete in our minds, we did some actual work, cataloging books for our own school library. Cataloging—what a world of work there is in that one word!

Another interesting phase of this course was the bulletin board. We hope that the members of school have profited by this board, on which we have kept pictures of the news of the day.

Maybe we don't know as much as we think we do but at least we have learned to appreciate the value of books and the patience of librarians.

Sociology Club

This society was one of those newly organized at the opening of the second semester. Louis Geeslin was chosen as president, and Mr. Boone, who has had much experience along these lines, is the very capable sponsor. Although this was the first club of its kind in O. H. S., the membership quota was speedily filled and all the members say that they belong to one of the best clubs going.

The purpose of this organization is, of course, to study human welfare under varying conditions and how it may be improved. To accomplish this end, numerous programs concerning different phases of sociological interest have been given. Perhaps the most unusual was the trip to the city hall. Chief Baker took the club downstairs to see the city police station and jail. Some of the members interviewed the prisoners while others inspected a vacant cell. Then upstairs finger print records, the rogue's gallery and a hold-up man's outfit were displayed.

The club has discussed such topics as the "Psychology of Social Progress," giving selfishness as the chief objection to human betterment, "The Kallikak Family," a detailed study of the influence of heredity in feeble-minded families and the "Peoples of Latin America."

Plans are being made to visit the county home and other public institutions in order to come in actual contact with social conditions as much as possible. The members feel that the year has been well worth while and hope that this will be continued next year.



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Boys' Glee Club

MISS WOOD, *Sponsor*



Girls' Glee Club

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Mother-Daughter Banquet

DEAR DIARY:

FEBRUARY 11, 1926.

I am so happy and deliciously sleepy that I feel like slighting you tonight, but I must tell you about this glorious evening. There has never been another one quite so full of real pleasure and profit.

It was all because of the Mother-and-Daughter banquet, the one I told you I thought would be dry. Dry? Diary, it was wonderful! I have a great surprise for you about the happy ending it had for me, but first I must tell you about the banquet itself.

The table was surely the work of magic. Its snowy length, sparkling with silver and glassware, its banks of red and white sweet peas, the heart-shaped programs and favors of red roses at each place, cast a spell over the hundred and twenty-five girls and their mothers gathered around it. The room was so artistically dressed in red hearts and other Valentine decorations that I just felt something wonderful would happen. It did, Diary! But that part must come later.

There was something so sacred about being there with our mothers that we sang the Doxology as a grace, with a little thrill. Then Eugenia Akerman, the toast-mistress, introduced Margaret Tichenor. She is our Girl Reserve president, you know. "Tichey" gave a speech of welcome: lovely things about us being pals with our mothers. It was then that Elizabeth Godfrey gave a toast to our mothers. It was so pretty that I want to tell it to you. She said:

*Here's a toast;
Your belief in us is strongest,
You have been our own the longest,
And of you we are the fondest;
Here's a toast.*

Then Grace Watkins' mother responded with the sweetest talk I have ever heard. We were next entertained by four girls in a funny act of school-girl life, and then a graceful old French minuet by eight others in old-fashioned costumes. Last was a dramatization of the Girl Reserve code.

The evening was perfect, and now comes the most wonderful thing of all. We found tonight that we could be such good pals, Mother and I, that we are going to slip away as soon as graduation is over, and tour Europe, just us two. Europe, Diary! It is almost too wonderful to believe, but it is true. My head is just whirling with plans and dreams.

To think that it all came from the idea of having a banquet to bring the mothers and daughters closer together. Tonight just started the idea. The custom will be kept up as long as the organization lasts; and such as that of the Girl Reserves should last forever.

Why, Diary dear, look how much I have written. You will expect this much every night. But this evening was an exception. I will remember it years and years.



Komic Karnival

The Komic Karnival, the first big event undertaken by the Girl Reserves, was a success in every possible way. It was held in Magnolia Senior High, which was gayly lighted and decorated in many colors, orange and white were predominant. The Karnival took place on March 19, and that date to every Girl Reserve means more than merely a frolic. It means that for the first time in the history of O. H. S. a practically new organization planned and put across one of the biggest events ever undertaken by any organization in the school.

The Karnival was a very large affair. There were about twenty side shows, featuring almost every kind of entertainment; some serious and educational, others ridiculous.

The event of the evening was the big vaudeville. The Haberdasher was effectively represented. Louise Oats sang as a solo, "My Arrow-Collar Man." There was a real representation of all the popular magazines, "The Girl on the Magazine Cover." The Romeo and Juliet stunt was very much enjoyed, also. The "famous" faculty quartet sang several selections which were received with much glee by the audience. The Jazz Wedding was a great success. The audience almost went wild with shouts of laughter during the entire ceremony.

Of course, there were stands where popcorn, candy, peanuts, cold drinks and confetti were available.

In all, the affair was all that could be wished, and marks a red-letter day on our school calendar.



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“The Hall of Fame”

<i>Best looking girl</i>	CATHERINE LAWSON
<i>Best looking boy</i>	WALTER RANDALL
<i>Cutest girl</i>	MILDRED SLEMONS
<i>Cutest boy</i>	STAFFORD TICHENOR
<i>Sweetest girl</i>	MARJORIE HELMS
<i>Sweetest boy</i>	KENNETH MILLER
<i>Most loyal girl</i>	MARY IVES
<i>Most loyal boy</i>	GEORGE BARKER
<i>Biggest girl flirt</i>	LOLA FRANKLIN
<i>Biggest boy flirt</i>	LEN DEFOOR
<i>Best all-round girl</i>	HELEN SMITH
<i>Best all-round boy</i>	KENNETH MILLER
<i>Most popular girl</i>	VIRGINIA CRENSHAW
<i>Most popular boy</i>	KENNETH MILLER
<i>Dizziest girl</i>	ALICE ROGERS
<i>Dizziest boy</i>	HANLEY POGUE
<i>Biggest girl bluff</i>	LOLA FRANKLIN
<i>Biggest boy bluff</i>	DAVID ALLEMAN
<i>Best girl athlete</i>	VIRGINIA LAWRENCE
<i>Best boy athlete</i>	JULIAN HOWARD
<i>Best girl dancer</i>	VIRGINIA CRENSHAW
<i>Best boy dancer</i>	COLFAX SANDERSON
<i>Most studious girl</i>	ELIZABETH GODFREY
<i>Most studious boy</i>	JAMES GODFREY



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Red Letter Days of 1926

SEPTEMBER

14. School again! Farewell, vacation. Why the strains of "Prisoner's Song" everywhere? It is only half sessions! Whoopee!
15. Schedule mixups. Grand rush for classes.
24. Athletic Association picnic—Olivia Park—eats by the tubfuls—swimmin'n everything.

OCTOBER

31. Hallowe'en—by beautiful Lake Eola—booths, contests, confetti—hilarious fun!

NOVEMBER

1. New Home. What a relief and such a pleasant surprise.
11. Armistice day—football—O. H. S. tied DeLand, and Rollins played Southern.

DECEMBER

2. Spanish-French Clubs banquet.
11. Hi-Y boys won loving cup at conference. Another trophy for our full cabinet!
18. "Birds' Christmas Carol."
19. Merry Christmas! Nothing but fun and frolic for two whole weeks.

JANUARY

4. School again. Enough said.

FEBRUARY

7. Mr. Laprade narrowly escapes death by gas heater explosion. We have told him about smoking in the bath tub.
8. Night of Fritz Kreisler's concert. Wonderful.
- 9-10. "Pandora." Didn't our girls look sweet?
10. Clubs reorganized.
11. Hi-Y boys went to Lakeland to second annual congress of Hi-Y Clubs.
12. Debaters won first contest—good beginning.
18. Seivert won Essay contest. Good old Hugh.
19. Debaters won district contest. Going strong!
20. Shower for Miss Petrie.
22. Tennis tournament.
24. Miss Petrie became Mrs. Stoutemire. We sure did hate to lose her.

MARCH

1. Juniors won Bumby Basket-ball trophy.
4. Debaters won State Championship! "We can't be beat!"



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5. State Floral Festival. Many O. H. S. clubs and organizations represented in parade by beautiful floats.

8. Hi-Y boys presented Mr. Taylor's picture to school during assembly. We are proud of it. Just look on the wall over the platform, and get an inspiration from what you see there.

10. Orange and White delegates left for New York. Lucky folks!

10. Lotus Male Quartet brought to City Beautiful by Junior Class.

16. Little Theatre Players presented four one-act plays. Fine.

19. Komic Karnival—big event of season.

APRIL

3. Tampa meet.

16-17. State meet—Gainesville.

MAY

1. May Breakfast for Seniors. Our farewell party. Sponsored by Girl Reserves.

15. Senior Day—Dickson-Ives.

21. Junior-Senior Prom.

24. Final exams for Seniors. United we fall!

28. Junior-Senior Day at fair grounds.

30. Baccalaureate Sermon.

JUNE

1. Senior Play: "The Charm School."

3. Class Night. Oh thrills!

4. Behold our Dips!

Graduation!



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The Call of the Orange Blossom

THE steady clug of a motor boat was the only foreign sound that disturbed the peaceful tranquility of a delightful mid-winter afternoon, save the gentle whisper of the wind as if in conversation with the trees, the joyful chirp of a contented songster and the lulling, swelling motion of the peaceful lake.

Emile stretched himself luxuriously and leaned back, letting the boat choose its own course. Through his half closed eyes he watched the landscape. On the right of the lake graceful orange trees, covered with their fragrant blossoms, seemed to invite him to enjoy them, as the fair maids had Ulysses when in search of the Golden Fleece, so long ago.

Running the boat on shore, he alighted and wandered among the trees. He selected a cluster of the blossoms to wear. Something about the white petaled flower overpowered him, as though he was under a spell.

"I wonder who owns this marvelous place," he mused. Then after walking for quite a time and seeing no one he again thought half aloud. "Doesn't anyone live here?"

As if in answer to his half spoken inquiry a picturesque old negro was seen trudging across his path. Emile called to him. On hearing a voice the old fellow turned, respectfully removed his battered head gear, awaiting further questioning.

"Does anyone live here?" he asked

"Yes sah, this is Massa Cameron's grove. Does yo' all wanta see him?"

It seemed that "Massa" Cameron was in the garden. Emile followed this antique guide through the grove. Presently they came to a winding lane bordered on both sides with swaying palms, back of which bloomed a profusion of semi-tropical foliage.

At length they came upon a terraced garden in front of a beautiful home, whose lofty columns and spaciousness portrayed the hospitable southerner of the old order.

The old servant led him to a secluded nook at the side. Several inviting chairs were grouped under the shade of a huge tree, whose unusual shape reminded Emile of an opened umbrella.

"Massa" Cameron was seated in one of the chairs absorbed in an old volume. Hearing footsteps he glanced up.

"Yes, Ben?" he questioned, then seeing the stranger he rose.



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"You are Mr. Cameron?" Emile asked as he extended his hand. "I am Emile Lemaitre. I wish to beg pardon for trespassing upon your grounds, but the scent of the delicate blossom seems to draw me to them." He extended his small cluster in explanation. "I even took the liberty of picking a few. How can you resist them?"

"Is this your first visit here?" Emile nodded assent. "Their scent is fascinating, especially when you are introduced, as it were, to a grove full at once. Come, be seated and tell me how you got here."

Emile explained that he was staying across the lake and had been trying out a new motor boat. The charming scenery together with the lulling motion of the boat had made him immune to anything save the sense of being in an earthly paradise. He had come upon this grove and had been so bewitched by the fragrance of the blossoms that he had dared trespass.

Now and then in the course of their conversation Emile had caught a fleeting glimpse of a girlish figure. Now she came toward them with a basket filled with flowers of rivalling beauty over her arm. She was tall and stately like her father. Her pale face, with its delicately chiseled features, framed by a rippling cascade of ebony black hair made Emile think of a rare cameo.

Seeing that her father was engaged she started to withdraw but Mr. Cameron called:

"Come, Peggy. Let me present Mr. Lemaitre, my daughter, Marguerite."

Peggy gave him a slow, gracious smile which seemed to warm Emile's heart. She was all that was needed to complete a perfect picture.

"Mr. Lemaitre came to tell me that he becomes quite powerless when under the influence of the orange blossoms. It seems they have led him here." Mr. Cameron smilingly explained Emile's presence to his daughter.

Peggy turned a sympathetically amused glance upon Emile. "They do effect one that way at first. Perhaps you will accept an invitation to my orange fete this evening. I am on my way now to decorate the tea bower."

"I'd love to come," exclaimed Emile. "Could you use me in any way?" he added hopefully.

"No, thanks. I always do my decorating alone—then I know it's done."

Emile bade them farewell until evening. Old Ben was summoned and led him back to his boat.



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That evening as he was dressing he carefully placed the sprig of blossoms between the leaves of a favorite book.

Shortly after the appointed hour Emile descended from a cab and was once more in the now beautifully illuminated garden. He found his host who presented him to a group of distinguished gentlemen. Mr. Cameron directed Emile to the tea bower where Peggy was receiving.

He found her surrounded by a laughing, chatting group of young people.

"We were waiting for you," Peggy told him after he had been introduced to everyone.

She led them to the center of the garden where a raised pavilion had been laid. An orchestra was tuned waiting the signal to commence the first dance.

Several times during the evening Emile had a few minutes alone with Peggy, but never for long, for someone would rush up and carry her off to dance. When he said good-night she asked if she might notify him when they had another such affair.

One evening a few weeks later, Emile was driving Peggy home after an afternoon of golf. He wondered how he had managed to exist before he met her, so necessary had she become for his happiness.

As he was leaving her at her door he asked if he might call that evening.

"Why, of course, please do!" she had answered.

They wandered out into the moonlit garden. Never before had anything been so perfect, so beautiful. Emile was afraid to breathe, for fear the garden would vanish as a dream. The soft chugging sound of a playing fountain seemed a fitting accompaniment for the heavenly solo of a nightingale—but over all the fascinating odor of the orange blossoms drew him irresistibly. But wait, something was missing from the scene. He turned, there beside him, looking very much like a fairy princess, was Peggy. Emile looked into her eyes and whispered:

"Now, the night is perfect."

—KATHLEEN KELLY, '28.



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Junior-Senior Prom

NEW COUNTRY CLUB HOUSE

May 21st

"On with the dance, let joy be unconfined"

The most delightful affair of the entire school calendar is the annual Junior-Senior Prom, at which time the Juniors become hosts to the Seniors. On this occasion, all cares are forgotten and the evening is made merry with dance and song, happiness reigns supreme!

And—as a crowning climax to a most happy year comes the banquet itself—

*"Now good digestion wait on appetite,
And health on both."*



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ATHLETICS

Mother

*When I am sad and lonely,
And all the world seems wrong;
There's only one can cheer me
And lend my soul a song.*

*There's only one whose gentle voice,
Through all the hardened years;
Can drive away the sorrow
And dry the bitter tears.*

*There's only one whose soothing hands,
A song of joy can bring,
To tired heart and weary mind
And make me see the things*

*God placed on earth to cheer me,
When all was sad and blue;
The birds, the trees, the flowers,
The skies of azure blue.*

*There's only one who knows me,
And understands my ways,
And she's the best companion
I've had in all my days.*

*And though it may seem strange to say,
I do not really know
Just what it is about her,
That makes me love her so.*

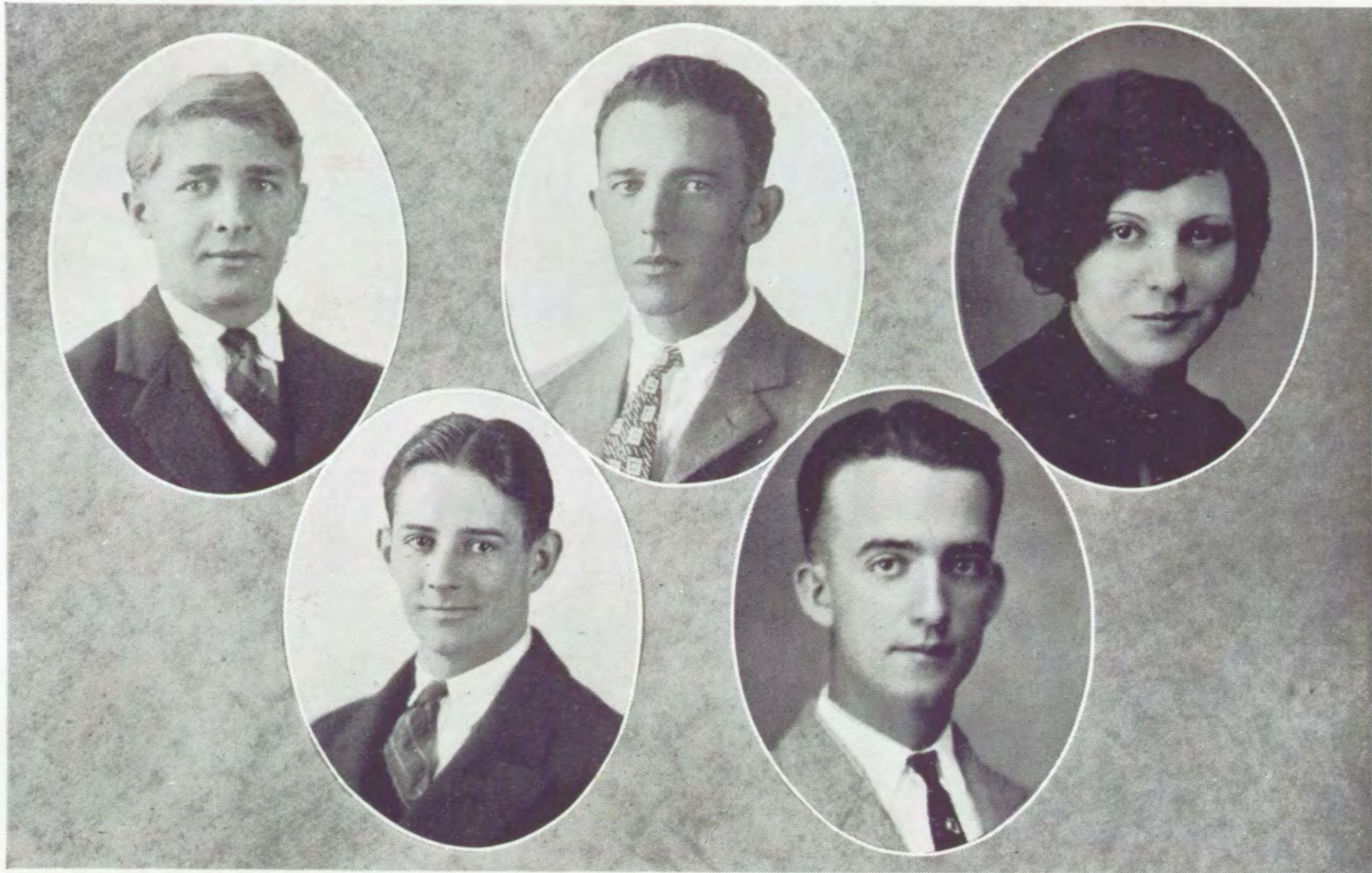
*Her hair is soft and sweet,
Like foam of silvery sea,
Yet it isn't that, that holds her,
So infinitely dear to me.*

*It isn't even her gentle voice,
Or eyes so soft and brown;
It's not her silvery laughter
Or disapproving frown.*

*Each one of these is perfect
But I guess it's just her way;
That makes me love her more and more,
With each succeeding day.*

*And though true friends may come and go,
At one time or another;
My heart and soul will always sing
When I am with my mother.*

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Captain—Julian Howard finished his season in a blaze of glory for himself and the team. Always dependable, never failing, Julian led the team on to victory time and time again. He graduates this year, and his loss to the team will leave a gap, hard to fill.

Coach—The success of our football team is due largely to the respect and admiration held to our Coach Davidson. Although this is his first year at O. H. S. he has made many friends among the student body. Coach instilled into the squad a fighting spirit which makes his teams almost unbeatable.

Manager—The manager of a football team is required to do a lot of work—so when election time came around, and O. H. S. wanted a dependable man for this position, she elected George Barker. As usual, "George A., Jr." has filled his position well and pleased the whole student body by arranging a series of interesting games.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION '26

The officers of the Athletic Association for 1926 were as follows: President, Julian Howard; Vice-President, Eugenia Ackerman; Secretary, Helen Smith; Treasurer, Dyson Jones.

The Association was not as active as it was in '25. This was largely due to the few meetings that were held.

CHEER LEADERS

It was Helen Smith who was largely responsible for the splendid spirit shown by the students during the 1925 football season. She was on the job at all games, both at home and away.

The students saw in Dave "Puss" Alleman a real boy cheer leader, but owing to the fact that he was "doing his stuff" on the gridiron he was unable to lead the football cheering. But "Puss" has been making up for all lost time since the sow-skin season.



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Football Squad, 1925

LAKE WALES 0, O. H. S. 21

The Tigers took on the Lake Wales eleven for their initial game. It was an interesting game throughout, but when the final whistle was sounded, the local warriors emerged from the first game of the season, carrying the heavy end of the 21-0 tally.

BARTOW 6, O. H. S. 7

The gridders of O. H. S. journeyed to Bartow and took on the pig skin chasers of Summerlin Institute. This was one of the hardest games played. The game started off with the opposing team going strong, but the locals settled down at the end of the first quarter and fought their way to a 7-6 victory.

TAMPA 18, O. H. S. 7

The O. H. S. Tigers met their only defeat at the hands of the Hillsboro Terriers. The game was played at Plant Field in Tampa before a large crowd of both Tampa and Orlando fans. The Tigers were in high spirits to begin and did not give up until the final whistle had sounded. This was shown when their only score came in the last quarter of the play. The score was 18-7.

BRADENTON 0, O. H. S. 18

On their own field the Tigers demonstrated their true worth by trouncing the Bradenton eleven to the tune of 18-0. The visitors presented a plucky team and they played a game that was worthy of note, but were unable to check the onrush of the Orange and White defenders.



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WINTER GARDEN 0, O. H. S. 77

Next the Tiger Reserves took on the Winter Garden eleven. It was Winter Garden's first year in football and this was shown in the game. The lack of the Gardeners' experience was evident during the entire fray. They were unable to halt the steady onrush of the "scrubs" and succumbed, carrying the goose-egg end of a 77-0 score.

LEESBURG 6, O. H. S. 45

On October 31 the Orlando High School eleven easily defeated the Leesburg High School gridders in that city by the decisive count of 45-6. In this game the entire squad was given a chance to "do their stuff." The scrubs displayed their ability by piling up almost as many points as the first team.

SANFORD 0, O. H. S. 26

At the Winter Park Athletic field Orlando High swamped the Sanford Celery-feds to a 26-0 count. The keen rivalry that has always been displayed between these teams was an outstanding factor in making the game an unusually interesting one. The Tigers fought them to a standstill, having the goal line threatened only twice during the entire game.

DAYTONA 3, O. H. S. 12

The boys next journeyed to Daytona, filled with over-confidence. This was readily seen when the Tigers held the small end of a 3-0 score at the end of the first half. In the second half they came on the field with renewed vigor and a determination to win. After much hard fighting under a scorching sun they crossed the opponents' goal line twice, but failed to kick goal either time. Thus the game ended with the score standing 12-3 in Orlando's favor.

DELAND 0, O. H. S. 0

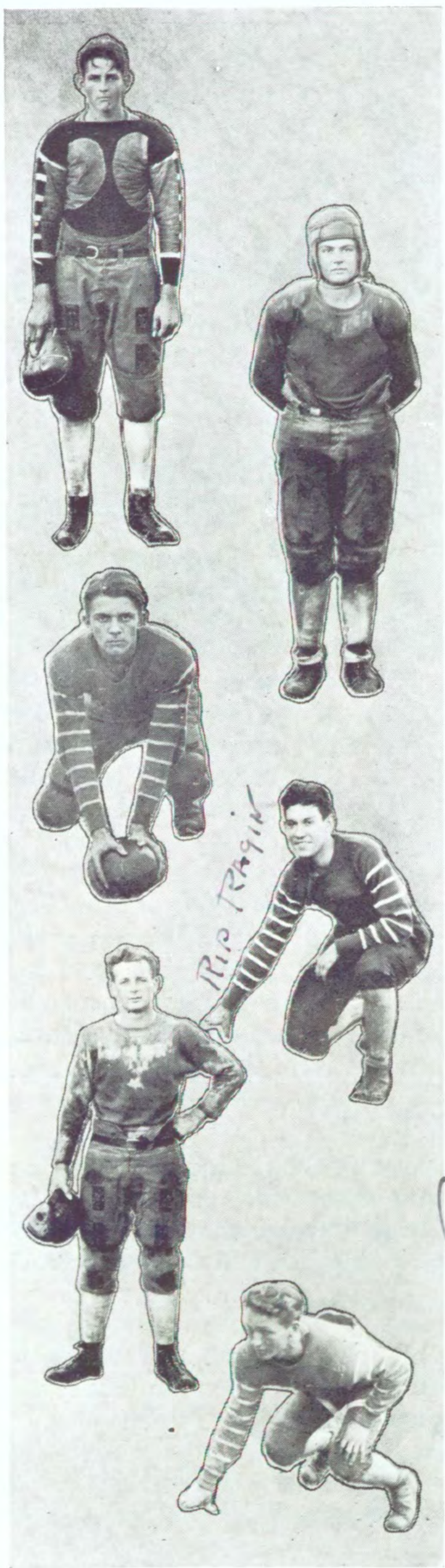
Playing before what is thought to be the largest crowd ever to witness a high school football contest in the local grid the O. H. S. football Tigers were held to a 0-0 score by the DeLand High School Bulldogs. The teams were most evenly matched of any clash in which the Tigers had been in the season, neither team having advantage throughout the game, although the goal lines of both teams were threatened.

PLANT CITY 0, O. H. S. 28

What has proved to be in past years one of the most if not the most thrilling and exciting games of the season turned out to be an easy victory for the Tigers of '25. On November 27 the local warriors journeyed to Plant City for the annual Turkey Day struggle. The game had been looked forward to by students and fans of Orlando, but was more or less of a "fizzle" from a Plant City standpoint, for the Tigers easily romped away with a 28-0 victory. This game brought to a close the most successful season that Orlando High has realized in recent years. Although the Orlando-Plant City game has been the annual Thanksgiving affair for the past several years, the Planters have been dropped from the football schedule of '26.



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CAPTAIN HOWARD, *Left End****

Julian is the boy that piloted the Tigers through the most successful season of many years. This was his third year on the varsity team and O. H. S. will miss the best captain she has ever had. Howard held down his end in great fashion, playing a most reliable and steady game which resulted in an all State position for him.

BLAIR, *Left Guard***

Luther, "the baby giant," was a bulwark of strength on his side of the line. It was next to impossible to run anything over him as he was a stone wall on the defense.

SETH, *Center***

John put up a good fight for an all State berth and there never was a Tiger warrior who played a more consistent game than John has for the last two years. A quick and accurate passer makes him a super-valuable aid on the offensive. His defensive work was also outstanding.

RAGIN, *Right Tackle**

"Rip" was a tower of strength on the line and as a result of his timing of plays and his "never die" spirit, very few yards were gained through his position by the opposing backfield.

TUTTLE, *Quarter***

George ran the team remarkably well while playing quarter. He used a wicked twist in going through the line and seemed to drop would-be tackles in his wake. His art with the stiff arm and side step made him a terror to stop.

RAILSBACK, *Halfback***

One of the scrappiest men on the grid-iron, "Willy," the smallest member of the squad and probably the hardest fighting. It was he who made our only touchdown in the hard fought Tampa game. Loose him in a broken field and he will soon have the whole works trailing him. His sterling personality and unquestioned ability brought about his being captain-elect for next year.

*Indicates number of letters.



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ALLEMAN, *Fullback***

One of the hardest driving backs that ever wore the Orange and White. Dave was a demon on bucking the line and when a few yards were needed, "Puss" could always be relied upon.

PACKARD, *Center**

Harold played a steady and reliable game. His super-strength and giant frame made him a terrific charger, and when he charged something had to give way.

EBSEN, *Right Guard**

Ludolf, better known as "Buddy," won the reputation of being one of the best guards O. H. S. has ever had. He was strong on both offense and defense. He has the old grit and fight that it takes to make a football player.

RUSS, *Right End***

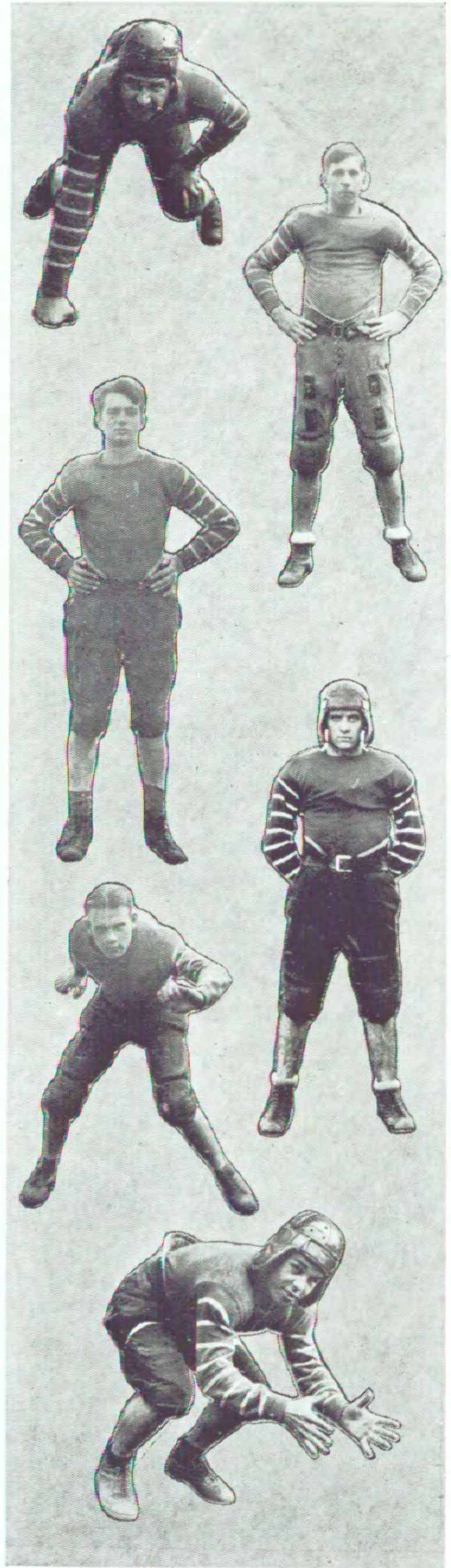
After playing two years of football Leo developed into a fine end who could always be relied upon to outplay his opponents. He is fast and has remarkable ability in covering down on punts. He was also especially adapted in picking forward passes out of the air.

GEESLIN, *Left Tackle***

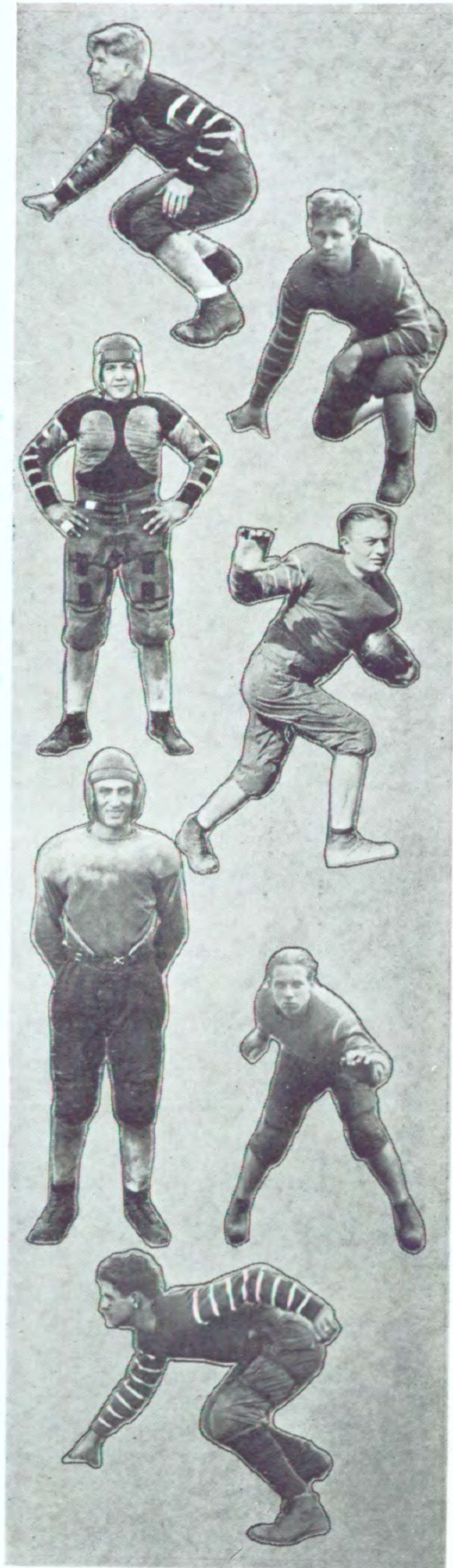
Louis played his second year at tackle. His elongated frame was a continual menace to the opposing linemen. He is what is known as a dead sure tackler. Louis is another of those who are to be but cherished landmarks in the land of memories after this year.

STANSBURY, *Quarter**

Raymond was always fighting and put the pep into the whole team. End runs were his specialty. "Strawberry" will be back next year and we look for a great year from him.



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KINGSTON, *Half**

George, the midget backfield man, proved himself to be an all-round player by playing every position in the back field in great style. Whenever a gain was needed Kingston was given the ball. His playing showed that he knew the game from A to Z.

STURGES, *Tackle**

Walter developed into a stellar tackle who was a terror to the opposing backs. He made a good hole and always stopped his man.

JAMES, *Full***

A heavy plunger and a hard tackler, always ready with the old fight. Wilbur was one of the main reasons for our successful football team. He not only made a name for himself as a fullback, but proved himself a tackle of note.

STRICKLAND, *Halfback**

Fine on both offense and defense. He was a great line bucker as was shown time and time again. Aubrey turned out to be one of the best open field runners and side steppers that has ever donned the Orange and White.

MAGARIAN, *Full**

Highe was a hard line bucker. Any time the ball had to be pushed over, he got it and accomplished his purpose. On the defense he was as good as on the offense.

BOYLEN, *Left Guard**

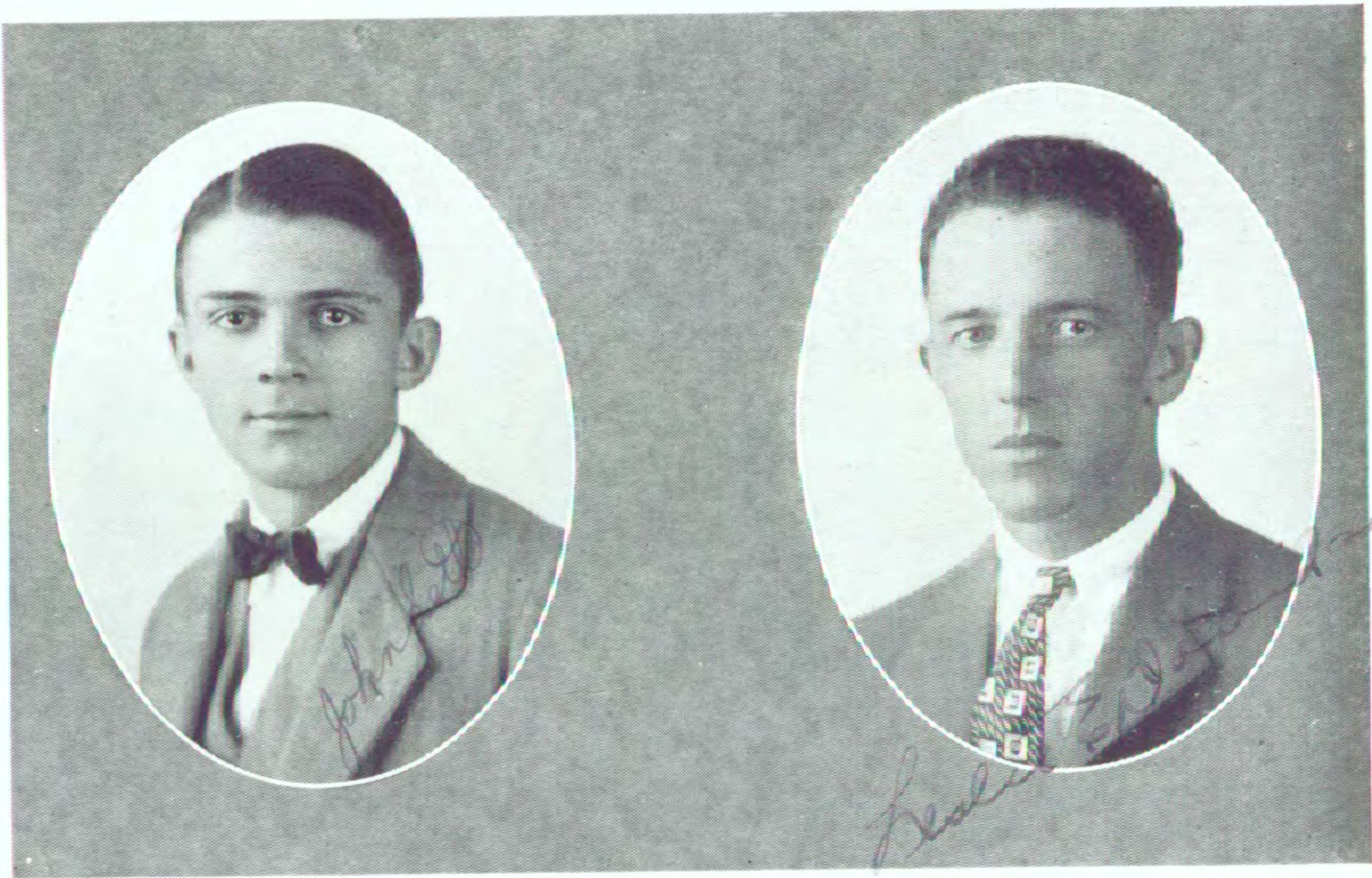
Lynn had a knack of recovering fumbles which pulled the team out of many holes. He was always ready with the old spirit to put the ball over.

ZIMMERMAN, *Half**

Carl proved to be a find. Coming to O. H. S. from Tech High, he developed into an able open field runner. "Be a man" was Zimmerman's favorite expression, and he practiced what he preached on the grid-iron.



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Coach Davidson proved himself to be an efficient basket-ball coach as well as football. This was shown by this year's team.

The boys found a real leader in John Seth. John is well known to all athletic fans, for he is a three letter man.

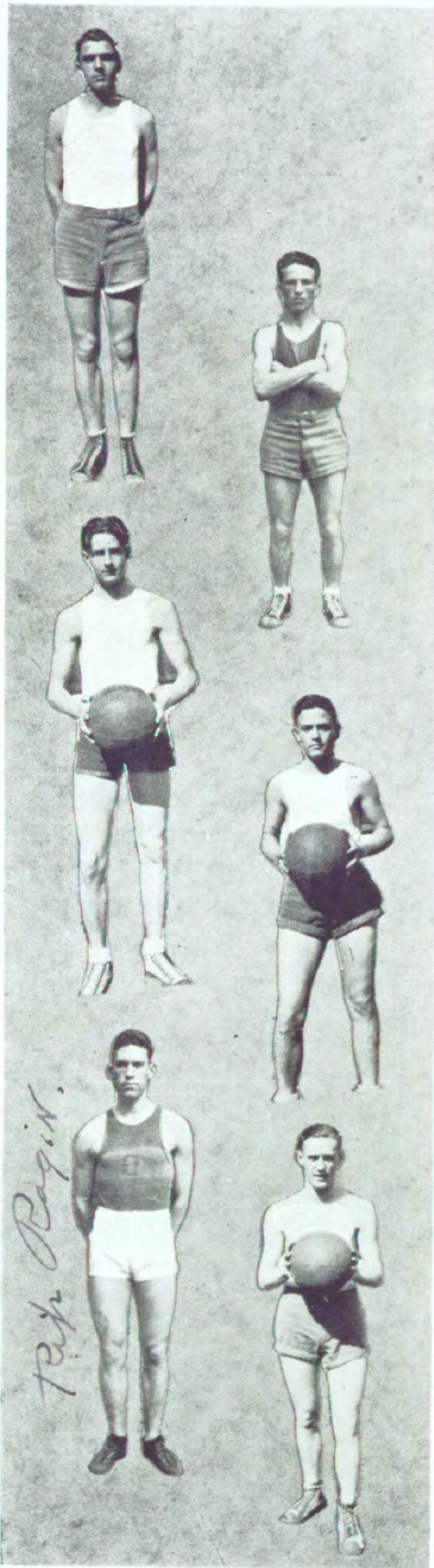
Contrary to former customs, Orlando High School had a playing manager this year. He was Willy Rainsback, who not only managed the '26 team successfully, but also aided materially in helping his teammates make a good showing for the season.

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SETH, *Center***

John played a steady game throughout the entire season. He was not flashy but could always be depended on to make the baskets when they were most needed. Occasionally John was shifted from center to guard and he filled this position well enough to delight many an Orange and White rooster.

RAILSBACK, *Forward***

"Wee Willie," although small, played a speedy game. His defensive as well as offensive playing was an outstanding feature of the season. Many a fan was thrilled by Wiley's sensational shooting and speedy floor work.

HOWARD, *Guard***

Although not a man of great speed, Julian made every move count. "Cubinola" was forced to give up basket-ball toward the end of the season due to the breaking of his left arm while playing in the Bradenton game.

MILLER, *Guard**

Cary has shown up well this year as a guard. Last year was his first year at basket-ball but no one would recognize the fact if they watched his playing. He is an example of what hard work can do.

RAGIN, *Guard***

"Rip" is one of the neatest and quickest guards ever to tread the local sport arena. Ragin and Howard alternated at this position until the latter was forced out of the game, due to injuries. Since then he has played in every game.

MALASKA, *Forward**

Chester is a new man in O. H. S. Coming in late during this season he quickly made a position on the team. O. H. S. found in him a good player and one who was willing to fight to the end for the school.



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JUNIOR BASKET-BALL TEAM

Inter-Class Basket-Ball

A tournament was arranged between the three classes this year in basket-ball, and through the kindness of the Bumby Hardware Co. the winning class was presented with a beautiful basket-ball trophy.

Members of the classes came out almost 100% strong for the teams and the games throughout the tournament proved to be very exciting and interesting.

The Juniors proved their superior strength over the Seniors and Sophomores by not losing a single game during the entire encounter, and winning the trophy for the year '26.

The main object of having the tournament was to stimulate inter-class school spirit and to arouse the interest of those who were not coming out to the varsity teams; and so that next year we might have a championship winning team.



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Coach Miss McConnell has revolutionized things this year. By her physical fitness, and her spirit of fair play, she has won the friendship and support of the entire team.

Captain and Manager Hazel Jones has proved her efficiency as a leader in girls' activities. She has arranged some good games for the girls and helped them to win by her cheerful encouragement and her own determination to win.

Only a few inter-class games were played between the girls. The Championship belongs to the Seniors, because they won every game they played.



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Girls' Basket-Ball Squad '26

The Tigerines started the year with the natural instinct of their race. They defeated the Alumni by the score of 17-11.

At the New Smyrna game, played on the home court, they were crippled by the absence of Virginia Lawrence, jumping center, so that when the final whistle blew, the O. H. S. girls came out with the small end of a 23-14 score.

Apopka High School played us here next. During this game, both June Humphries and Virginia Lawrence were put out, but we managed to keep two points ahead of them.

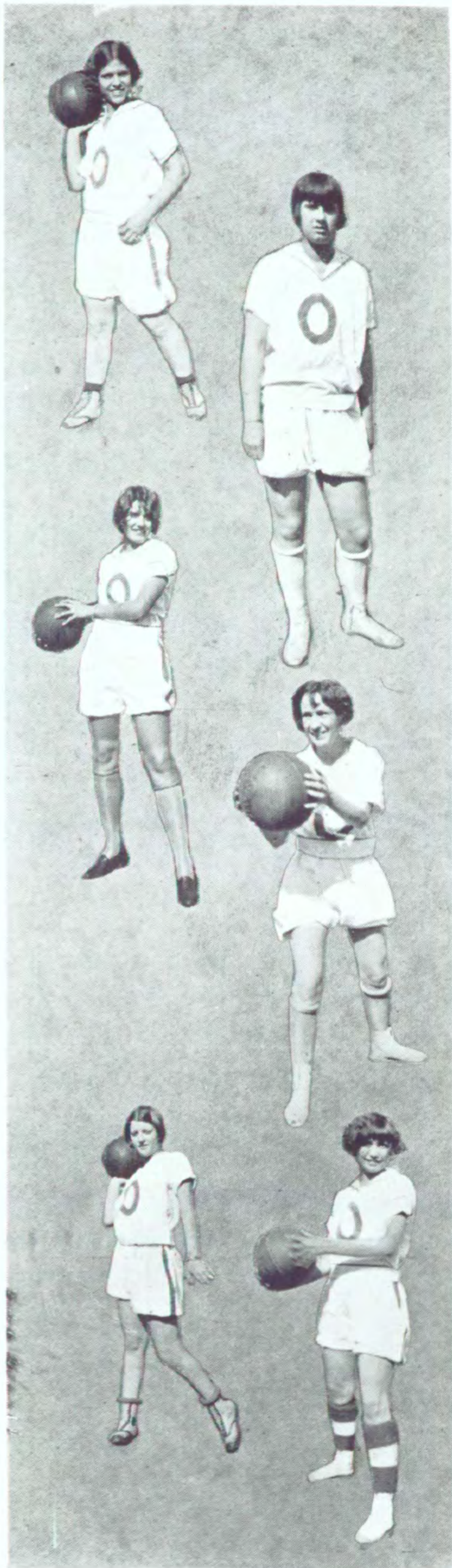
Stetson University vs. O. H. S. resulted in a 25-12 count, O. H. S. claiming the 25.

After a long journey to Jacksonville, our girls were determined to "bring home the bacon" but were disappointed. They lost a 24-22 game. That did not keep them from having a good time on the trip, however, even though they did have to detour, continually changing of gears, but passing everything on good roads. The clouds had evidently started something they couldn't stop, because it rained all during the returning trip.

The Tampa girls proved their good sportsmanship by treating the O. H. S. team perfectly grand, even after they had been defeated by them, the score being 29-21 in favor of Orlando.



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HAZEL JONES, *Guard***

Captain and Manager

Hazel plays a brilliant game of guard and she played it in the true O. H. S. style that hard old fight all the time. She graduates this year but leaves a host of friends, who respect and love her.

JUNE HUMPHRIES, *Guard****

June played a wonderful game of guard. She was nicknamed "Brick" because she was just like a brick wall with no gates to get around. June graduates this year and it will be some time before another can successfully fill her place.

VIRGINIA LAWRENCE, *Center***

Judging from appearances, Jinny certainly was the "center" of the team. Jinny will be with the remaining "varsity" next year and says her motto is "Every year I get better and better."

DOROTHY RAILSBACK, *Center**

Dot made her first appearance on a basket-ball team for O. H. S. She was hardly big enough to be seen yet she led all the other centers a merry chase. "Do your stuff again next year, Dot."

GENEVIEVE FAIRFIELD, *Forward***

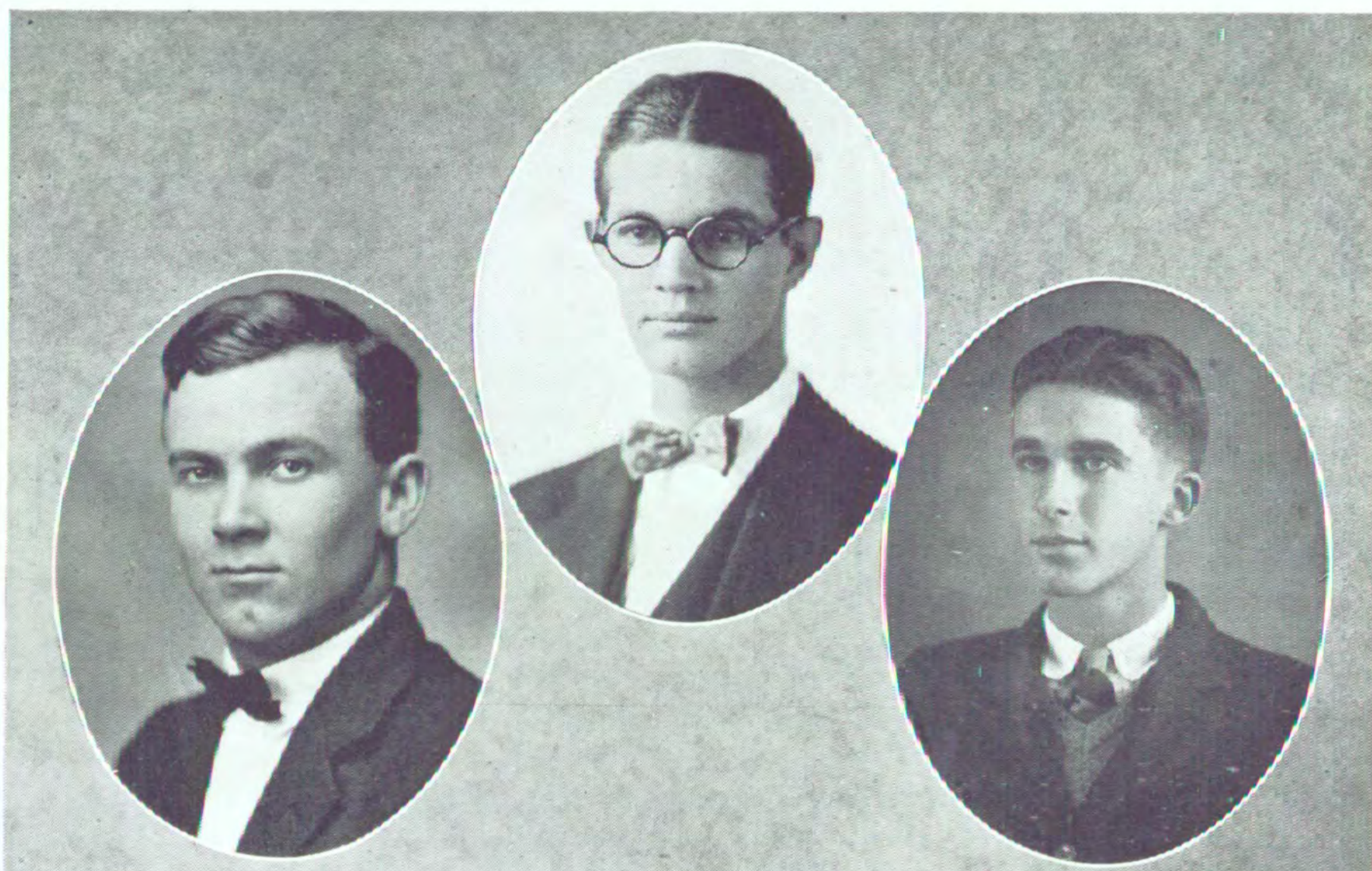
Gina has made herself known this year on the basket-ball team by her long shots which hardly ever fail to go through the basket. She is a Senior, and O. H. S. will lose a valuable player this year.

HELEN ROWE, *Forward**

This was Helen's first year on the team and she has certainly done her part toward the victories of O. H. S. Since she is a Junior, she will be able to help defend her school again next year.



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In former years no special provision has been made for a coach for the track team. This year, however, the tide was turned. "Bill" Holman, head of the Commercial Department, in O. H. S., himself a track man, offered his services. They were gratefully received and proved to be of great value to the team.

"Bo" Randall, a Junior and a letter man of last year. "Bo" engineered the Tigers at Tavares and also managed the Inter-class meet, both of which were huge successes for O. H. S. He is now formulating final plans for the Tampa, Daytona and Gainesville meets.

James Bailey, captain of the '26 track team, has again proved himself as a leader in track annals. His pleasing personality and ability as a runner was much appreciated by the entire team. This was shown by their faithfulness and their willingness to do anything that he thought best.



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Jack Persons



1926 Track Squad

O. H. S. began a very successful track season with an overwhelming victory in a Central Florida meet held at Tavares, Florida, on Armistice Day by the American Legion. Although this was out of season for track activities the entire squad turned out and went through strenuous practices every day. When the final day came the boys walked off with six first places out of ten events and a majority of the other places. Captain Bailey, Manager Randall and Owen Rice led in the scoring.

The next step was the staging of an inter-class meet at the fair grounds track. A half holiday was declared and the student body turned out in mass to support his class team. As was to be expected, the Seniors won the meet and thereby coped the Balfour trophy. The Seniors finished with a total of 94 points; the Sophs came next with 69 points, and the Juniors on the light end with 62. Both boys and girls participated in the meet and everyone said it was the most thrilling event of the year up to that time. The work of Rip Ragin, Bo Randall, Marian Phillips and June Humphries was particularly outstanding.

The next thing on the schedule was a dual meet with Winter Park. Our boys easily won this meet, as was shown by the final count of points. Orlando had 107 points to Winter Park's 15.

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Jack Persons



1926 Track Squad

O. H. S. began a very successful track season with an overwhelming victory in a Central Florida meet held at Tavares, Florida, on Armistice Day by the American Legion. Although this was out of season for track activities the entire squad turned out and went through strenuous practices every day. When the final day came the boys walked off with six first places out of ten events and a majority of the other places. Captain Bailey, Manager Randall and Owen Rice led in the scoring.

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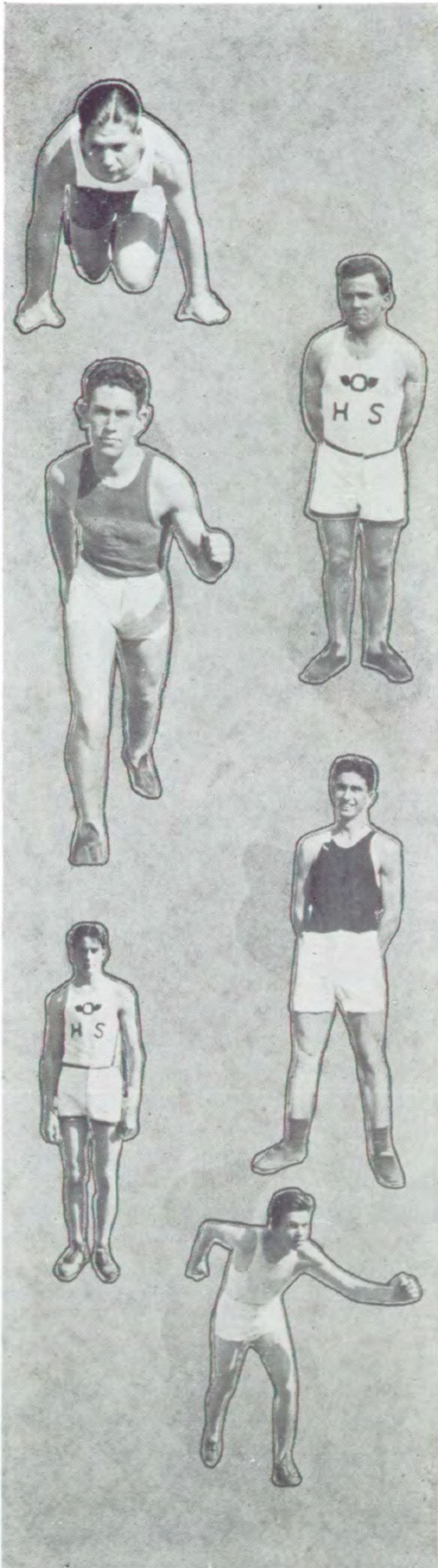
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WILBUR JAMES

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JAMES BAILEY

Another letter man of last year but sad to say he graduates this year. As captain of the team he has brought glory upon himself and his school on every hand this year. He specializes on the mile, 440 and half but if a place is vacant on the 220 or relay Jim Bailey is the man who usually fills the place.

RIP RAGIN

Rip will be another sad loss to our track team this year. He is always the high point man for his team and usually high point man for the meet. He jumps, hurdles, runs dashes and relays, puts the shot, slings the discus and in fact anything except the distance runs.

BO RANDALL

One of the shining lights in track work in O. H. S. He brought back one first and two second place medals from the State meet last year. Bo is right on the job in the low hurdles, high hurdles, pole vault, and high jump. As manager of the team he has done his part in triumphant march of our tracksters this year.

JULIAN HOWARD

Julian's favorite event is the javelin throw. On several occasions he has thrown it ten or twelve feet further than any of his opponents. He also sets the standard in high jumping and broad jumping.

OWEN RICE

A letter man of last year with still another year to go. Owen has the prettiest stride that has been seen anywhere in the State. Not only is it pretty but it gets the results too. He is our mainstay in that run of runs, the mile. If every man on the team was an Owen Rice O. H. S. would enter the Marathon.



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Girls' Track Team

Having already won the State title in track for two successive years, the girls are working with a vim and a determination to win, which is going to be very difficult to overcome. One more time and the cup becomes the permanent property of this school. This year instead of having one big State meet at Tallahassee there will be sectional meets in the various districts of the State. Officials will be sent out to the meets to take the official records of the meets. The results will be wired in to Tallahassee and the winner announced. The meet for this district will be held here in Orlando at the Fair Grounds track during the latter part of April.

Miss McConnell and her faithful workers are to be seen every day "doing their stuff" with the javelin, shot and discus. O. H. S. is certainly fortunate to have such a capable coach for girls' athletics. Under her supervision we are expecting to make as clean a sweep of girls' track as we have done the past two years. The staff regrets that it can not give the final returns of the meet here, but it is absolutely impossible to hold up the publication of this book until that time.



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Albert Church

"Buddy"
Elsen



Outlook of the Swimming Teams

Since the warm weather has arrived, there have been more and more students coming out for swimming practice. The squad is lucky to have as their coach, Bobby Howard, who coached them to victory last year. From the latest reports there is some very good material. Although several of our swimming "stars" graduated last year, there are some new boys and girls who show up well.

Team O. H. S. has won the State Championship for the last two years in succession—one more year and it is ours—so come on, gang, and win that cup for your High School! All our hopes are for you—let's go!

So far no meets have been arranged except the State Meet to be held at Rollins College, Winter Park, on May 1, 1926. It is expected that a number of minor meets will be held after the major one is over.

The boys who are so far best qualified for the team are: Stanley Epping, 220 relay; Lynn Boylen, 220-440 relay; Jordan Johnson, diving, dashes, relay; Julian Howard, dashes, relay; Haskel Verble, dashes; Joe Gannon, dashes, relay; Gloyd Allison, dashes, relay; Albert Church, dashes, relay; H. L. Schofield, Jr., plunge; Ludolt Ebsen (captain), dashes, breast stroke, relay.

The girls are: Betty Geier, 25-50-75 relay; Virginia Crenshaw, diving; Virginia Arnold, plunging; Virginia Lawrence, 100-150-220 relay; Vilma Ebsen, breast stroke.



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BASEBALL SQUAD 1926

Outlook of the Baseball Season

Although there were a number of letter men to graduate last year, the prospects of this year's baseball season are very encouraging. There are quite a few new faces on the diamond this year, some of whom are Jones, Rogers, Gwynn, Braswell, Drenden, Whittaker, Geeslin, Magarian, Godfrey, and others. In addition to these men there are several old standbys, including Verble, Railsback, Stansbury, Seth and Howard.

Coach Davidson is speedily getting the boys in shape and O. H. S. expects to accomplish what she nearly accomplished last season—winning the pennant.

These Tigers expect to take on some of the best teams of the State.



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Alma Mater

For four years we have been with you. You have watched our struggles, our successes; our sorrows, our joys; our defeats, our victories. Now we have finished our time with you. Our days at Orlando High are over; we must leave. The Juniors of '26 will be the Seniors of '27; the Senior class of 1926 will be history, a thing of the past. But always we will remember our school.

Throughout our years in high school we have been spurred on by the spirit of our Alma Mater. It has helped us to work for success, and when the work was over to accept the defeat or to enjoy the victory. We have known and admired the ideals of the school; and so perhaps when we have become a part of the world we can take with us the principles learned here, and make the spirit of the world better.

So, the Seniors of 1926 will graduate. We have fought the good fight, we have finished our course, and, in a measure, we have kept the faith. If we have done well we thank those who have co-operated with us; if we have left any misfortune in our wake, we are truly sorry, and beg forgiveness. May the classes that follow reap the grain we sowed, and may they remove the tares we have failed to destroy.

Graduation night will probably be the last time we will be together as an entire class. But, bound by the ties of friendship, and by our love for Orlando High, we will remain forever a body intact, striving always to live up to the principles for which the class of '26 has stood.

—EUGENIA AKERMAN, '26.

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*The world is old, yet likes to laugh;
New jokes are hard to find;
A whole new editorial staff
Can't tickle every time.*

*So if you meet some ancient joke
Decked out in modern guise,
Don't frown and call the thing a fake;
Just laugh; don't be too wise.*

—DYSON JONES.

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The new musical comedy came to town. The billboards read: 34 Beautiful Girls; 30 Gorgeous Costumes."

ODE TO LAP.

*Listen my children and you shall hear
Of an accident to our teacher dear
Which happened not so long ago,
So some of you probably already know
Of this sad tale I'm about to relate
Which caused our hearts to palpitate.*

*The victim of this sad mishap—
None other than our dear Prof. Lap.
Intended at this hour and time
To wash away the weekly grime,
That had accumulated so
From teaching Chemistry you know.*

*But we no farther can proceed
For Fate, the cause of this sad deed,
Decided that she'd interfere,
With the weekly dip of said teacher dear,
So she caused the gas to be instigated
And poor Lap. got asphyxiated.*

—MAURICE HODGES.



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LOLA F.: "Isn't this one of the oldest golf courses in the country?"

GEORGE I.: "What makes you think so?"

LOLA F.: "I just heard a man say he went around in '79."

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DOT SHEPARD: "Were you ever proposed to?"

MISS LOVE: "Yes."

D. S.: "Oh, tell me about it."

MISS L.: "Well, a gentleman, talking to me over the phone, asked me to marry him, but he had the wrong number."

EVELYN AND JOHN (Tune: Reuben and Rachel)

*Evelyn, Evelyn, I've been wond'ring,
If your answer will be yes,
Do I love you? I don't miss it
More than you could ever guess.*

*Johnnie, Johnnie, please don't worry,
I am working for a ring,
When you ask I can assure you
I shall say the proper thing.*

"Deacon White," asked Parson Jackson softly, "will you lead us in prayer?" There was no answer.

"Deacon White," this time a little louder, "will you lead?"

Still no response. Evidently the deacon was slumbering. Parson Jackson made a third appeal and raised his voice to a high pitch that succeeded in arousing the drowsy man. "Deacon White, will you lead?"

The deacon in bewilderment rubbed his heavy eyes and announced: "Lead yourself—I just dealt."

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JAMES BAILEY: "I dreamed I died last night."

MARGE HELMS: "What woke you up?"
J. B.: "The heat, of course."



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KUIPS: I ran across one of my old classmates this morning. What should I do for him?

KRANKS: Take him to the hospital.

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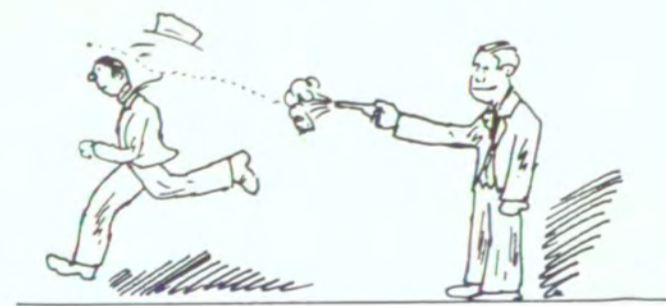
KUIPS: What is a chain store?

KRANKS: Place where you get marriage licenses.

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KUIPS: Please tell me what is meant by I love, you love, he loves.

KRANKS: That is one of those triangles where somebody gets shot.



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KUIPS: Should a man propose to a girl on his knees?

KRANKS: Well, just a little advice. Either that or she should get off.

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KUIPS: What is Cæsar's greatest saying?

KRANKS: "I came, I saw, I conquered, she divorced me." How is that?



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WHAT'S IN A NAME?

(Faculty)

W ood
McConn E ll

M A ys
Lap R ade
Rog E rs

Mc C lure
Bro O khardt
L ove
Goo D win

H anselman
Gib E ault
Holm A n
Yarbo R ough
Everet T
Dani E ls
Davi D son

(Seniors)

What kind of a dress should Vivian Wier?
Is Helen Rice or Oates?
What is the Price of by "Hek"?
Who'd Marie Christian Motes?
If Eleanor Barrows from the Richmond Mills,
Would she go Eastwood or over the Hill?
Could Helen Morrow wait till May to Joyner Mann?
Katherine Newell Andrew the Hand.
Is Berdie Mae Long or Highe?
And who Woodberry Annabelle and 'er'son if they die?
John Seth "Love the Lord,"
So farewell friends until we meet again.

—L. HORTON.

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All men who have one wife too many are not bigamists.

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MISS MAYS: "How dare you speak to me like that! What do I look like?"
STANLEY EPPING: "I'd rather not say, ma'am."



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The Agony of Being Little

In the present day and age there is a tendency to ignore the person who, by no fault of his own, does not possess the usual magnitude of body.

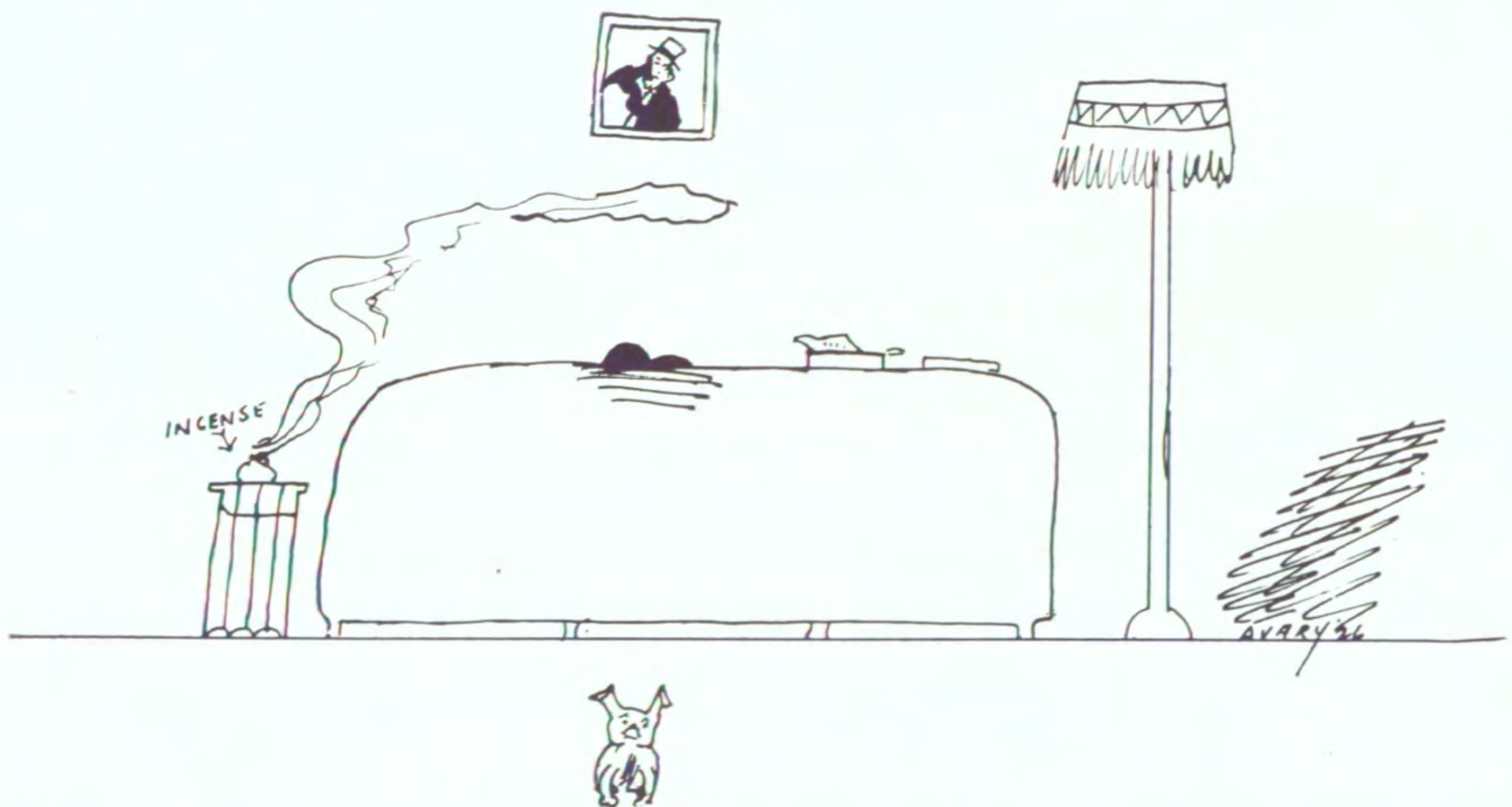
Oh, the agony of being a little man. Can't be heard, can't be seen, can't do this, can't do that, just because he isn't fat. Can't go here, can't go there, for he simply wouldn't dare—he's too small. He can't sing, he can't dance, for they don't give him a chance. And he always gets the blame, 'cause he can't protect himself. Girls for him will never fall, just because—he is too small. They want their heroes big and strong, so when anything goes wrong they can't fight.

Yet for all that's said and done, there's one battle he has won, for some day he might grow large, while the man that's really big, never, never can grow small.

And as for the little lady, why they treat her like a baby, and she never has a lover, 'cause she has to stay with mother—she's too small.

—KENNETH MILLER, '27.

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Mothers, buy a davenport and keep your daughters at home.



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