

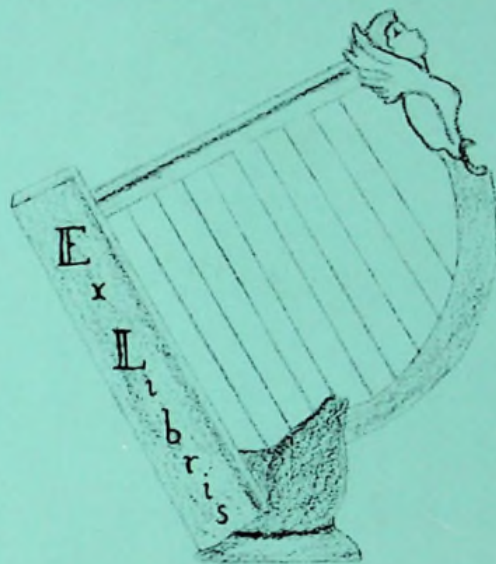
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Dedication

We, the Class of 1939, lovingly dedicate our Annual to Saint Francis of Assisi, praying that we may ever find inspiration in his philosophy of life. May we realize that, like him, we can make this troubled world a happier place in which to live only by leading an intensive Catholic life according to the principles of the Gospel of Christ.



Foreword

In the days when knighthood and chivalry held sway the troubadours roamed o'er the countrysides singing their merry lyrical ballads. They gladdened the hearts of many a peasant as well as a noble with their songs of high ideals, bravery, and sterling character. The troubadours themselves were a personification of innocent happiness in the mere joy of living and they seemed to instill this spirit of light-heartedness into the souls of those who listened to the magic and enchantment of their songs. Their blithe tunes inculcated a spirit of tranquility into the lonely soul of a king and a spirit of peace into the hearts of all.

Just as the troubadours were the heralds of earthly kings, the knights and nobles, so Saint Francis was the herald of the heavenly King. He, the Poverello of Assisi, wandered forth into the hills improvising hymns of praise as he went. He possessed the same qualities of merrymaking and mirth as the troubadours. While the troubadours of the Middle Ages sang of war and riches of the earth, Francis and his troubadours chanted of peace and heavenly riches.

Today, we, the present Seniors of Saint Mary's, who are standing on the threshold of a new world, are endeavoring to follow the songs of peace and nobility of character of Saint Francis through our student society, The Troubadours of Il Poverello, and with the merry heart of a troubadour to carry these principles forth into the world to rich and poor alike.



Reverend T.A. Goebel

THE UNIVERSAL NEED OF RELIGION

Men and women, families and nations, seeking a cure for their troubles, are going away from God. They should return to God and practice religion, if they hope to be happy. Without the revealed truths of religion no man knows from whence he has come, why he is here or whither he is going. He does not know the rules of right conduct nor the sacramental aids to supernatural life. Religion is essential in the education of children. Teachers of public schools admit its need to stop the spread of juvenile crime.

The pagan idea of marriage and family life, the practice of easy divorce, are fast destroying the American home. Religion alone can restore the christian character of matrimony. The bond is sacramental, therefore holy and lasting for life.

Justice is the virtue needed by Capital, Labor and Management. Religion insists that in Industry each member be honest and just towards the other. It condemns greed and selfishness, and encourages fair and humane treatment; where justice does not satisfy all requirements, it proposes the rule of charity. If every citizen were a God-fearing, pious and religious man, economic differences would be easily arbitrated.

The world is at strife today with nations trying to take from other nations what they have. If nations were religious, they would have no need of standing armies; they would have no fear of war. They would be fair and honest in their trading with other nations. Religion would remind rulers that they are accountable to Almighty God, and conscience would urge them to compose their disputes in a peaceful manner.

Nations would profit by professing religion. If the United States paid the cost of having every citizen instructed in Religion the amount would be much less than the annual bill for the losses through crime and the expense of the care of criminals.

With the swift methods of travel and communication, it would now be possible to have a "Parliament of Man, a Federation of the World." It is possible to imagine representatives of all nations meeting each year and arranging the division of the products of the earth between them in such a manner that the surplus goods of one country would be used to supply the wants of others. Religion would be the unifying principle to bring all races of men together for peace and justice, relying on the fundamental religious truth, The Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man.

J. A. Goebel

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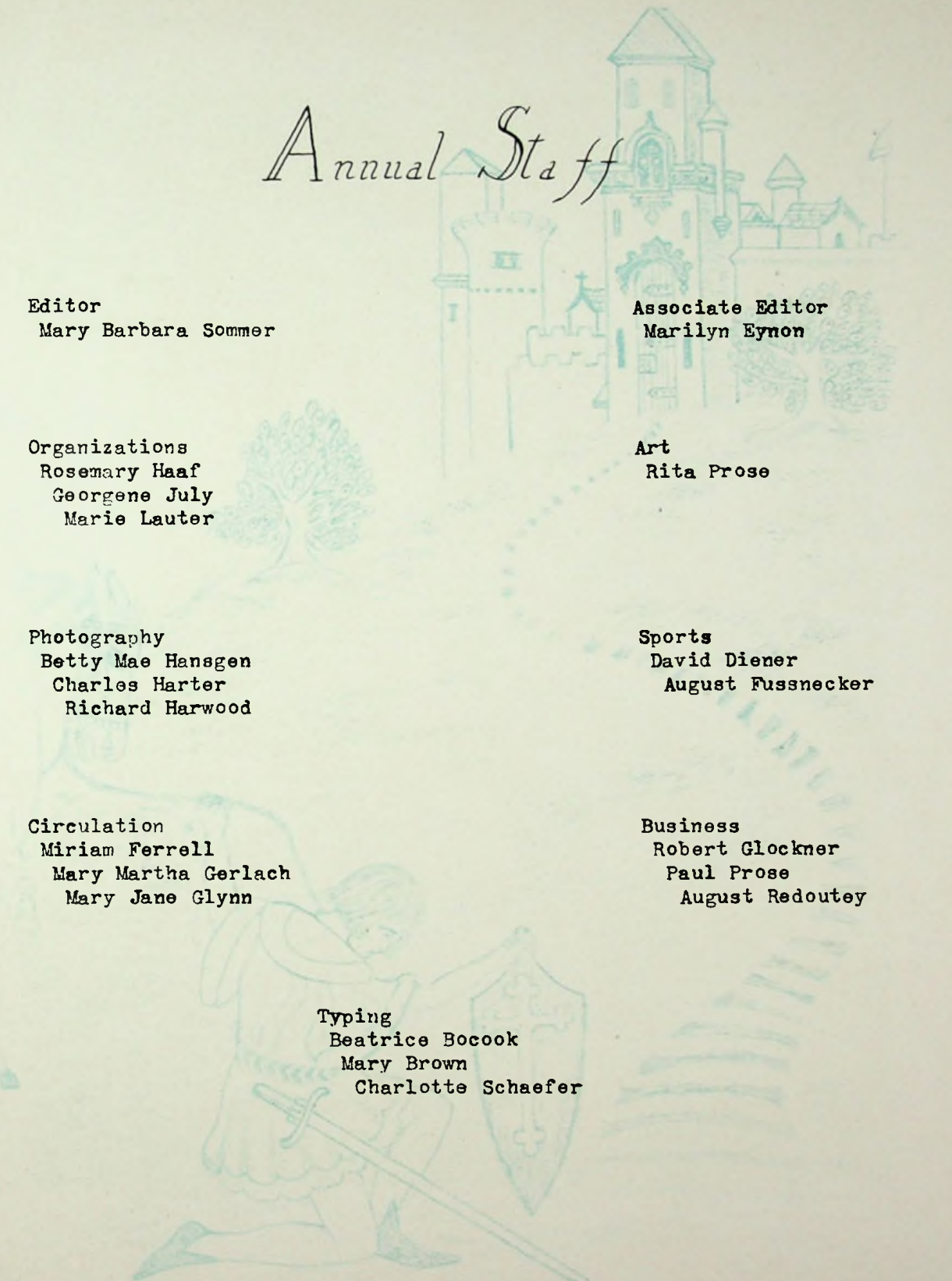
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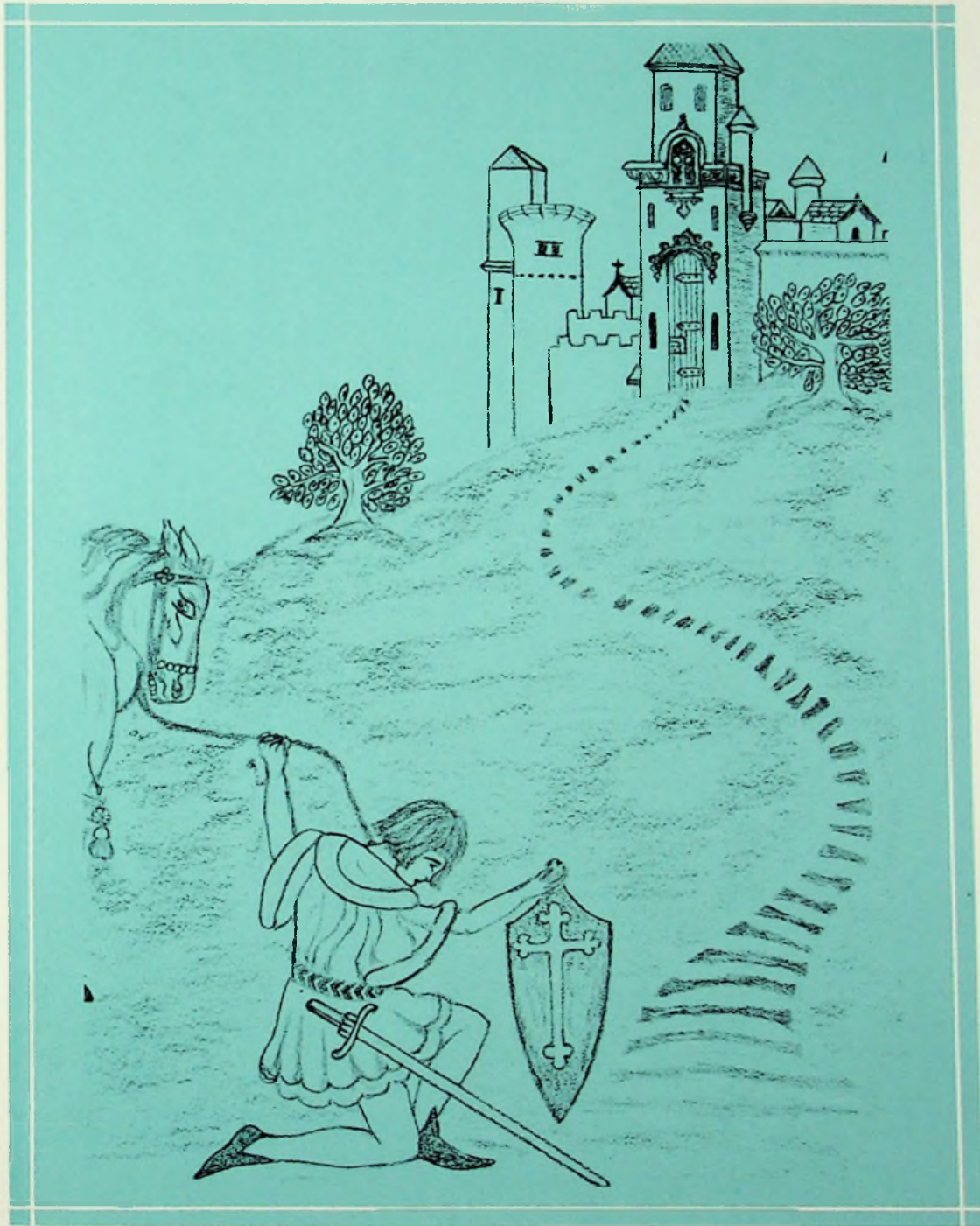
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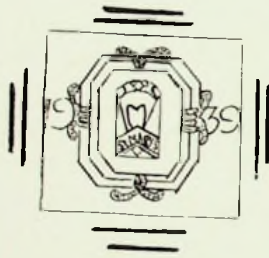
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Senior Class



DAVID DIENER, President

David Donald Daniel Diener, whom we just call "Dave," has shown himself to be a willing and able leader during the four years of his high school career. He towers over all, not only in height, but in personality. As president of the Seniors—a coveted honor—he discharged his duties with intelligence interspersed with a little humor and wit. He has an excellent voice as shown in his membership in the DeSolenne Choir and a part in the operetta, "The Dragon of Wu Foo." He is a happy-go-lucky fellow who pops up in numerous activities such as Glee Clubs, Orchestra, and The Troubadours of Il Poverello simply because he doesn't want to miss out on anything. The best compliment we can pay him is to say he is the "idol" of the senior class.

Harold Duplain



RAYMOND SWITALSKI, Vice President

Raymond, better known as "Swede," is the vice president of the senior class, a fact which speaks for itself concerning his popularity. He has always been an excellent student and possesses an intelligent insight in all matters of discussion. He is one of the Senior wits, and once in a while emits a few sarcastic remarks which are not intended to hurt but merely to create a laugh. He is apt in argument, talented in dramatics as proved by his role of "Uncle Peter" in "The Lady From Paris" and also lest we forget, in piano playing which is a secret passion. Possessing these qualities of intelligence, lively wit, a gentle sarcasm and argumentative ability, he should find success in many varied fields.

John Jones



MARY JANE GLYNN, Secretary

Although you never hear her voice in a crowd she is always willing to do all in her power to help. She has demonstrated this by her enthusiastic loyalty and fine scholastic record. Her proficiency was manifest by her activities in a great many plays, a minstrel, an operetta. She is a member of the Troubadours of Il Poverello and an ardent mission worker, having been a Stamp Club member for two years. Janey's description is that of a typical Irish girl, with brown hair, twinkling blue eyes and a sunny smile. She is studious, efficient and dependable. Even though she is small in stature, she will attain big things.

Georgene July



ROBERT GLOCKNER, Treasurer

"Bob," the capable business manager of the Annual is a dependable young chap. His popularity among the students is evident when we recall that he was chosen as the class president in his sophomore year and is at present class treasurer, which again illustrates the fact that he has a good head for business and should go far in this field. His pet saying, "Interesting, if true," shows that he is always alert to anything that will give him a good laugh, for he has an enviable spirit of light-heartedness. His speaking ability manifested itself in the Oratorical Contest and his acting talent in "Mama's Baby Boy," and "The Lady From Paris." "Bob," a Troubadour of Il Poverello, is a steady, trustworthy, cheerful, and thoroughly likeable lad.

August Redoutey



BEATRICE BACOOK

"Bea" is "spirit of cooperation" personified. She usually has a smile for everybody. Her helpful spirit manifests itself by the fact that she is an untiring worker in the Stamp Club, is Spiritual Treasurer of the C.S.M.C. and is a faithful and steady worker on The Marian Staff. With a ready, cheerful smile and capability she performs her duties in the Girl's Choir, Glee Club, Blessed Virgin Sodality, Round Table and The Troubadours of Il Poverello. If you ever have cause to locate her, look for a young Miss with a smile that never vanishes, who repeatedly asks one simple question, "Why?" She is one important screw needed to keep everything going at full speed.

Betty Mae Hansen



AGNES BOWMAN

"Gay-spirited, laughing and talkative, yes, very talkative" --describes Agnes. She is a friend to all, a good sport and possesses a great deal of good old school spirit. Though the tallest girl in the senior class, she remains on the same level with all of us in friendship. Active in mission work she was Spiritual Treasurer of the class in her junior year and a member of the Remailer's Club in her senior year. She was a member of the Round Table both of these years and received an award for mission activity in 1938. Agnes was one of the chosen few from Saint Mary's to take part in the Northwest Territory Pageant. She also belongs to the Glee Club and The Troubadours of Il Poverello.

Mary Martha Gerlach



MARY BROWN

Mary is one of these people who is studious, intelligent, cheerful and not altogether too quiet. During her four years of high school she has been one of the most active members of the class as she has shown her capability in being treasurer of the C.S.M.C. and an ardent Troubadour of Il Poverello. She is an indispensable asset to The Marian Staff by reason of her excellent typing ability; she is usually found at the typewriter during all free periods. However, Mary is most happy while studying and due to her love of books has been one of those who has made the trip to Athens on the scholarship team several times. In the dramatic efforts of the class, Mary has always been willing to do her share and has taken part in "The Dragon of Wu Foo," "Mama's Baby Boy," and "The Lady From Paris." But Mary's biggest ambition now is to attend college.

Charlotte Schaefer



MARY KATHERINE DICE

Mary Katherine, "Kate" to her classmates, is tall, sweet and cheerful, and has a disposition which has won for her many friends. "Kate" is a very industrious student who has always been willing to do her share in school activities as is evidenced by her participation in the Glee Club, Mission Crusade, Round Table, Sodality and Troubadours of Il Poverello during her high school years. "Kate" is hard to convince but she is admired for her firmness once she has made up her mind. Like any typical American girl her pet saying is "O.K." She also likes to be the first one out when the 3115 bell rings. Always a good sport, she is a loyal and understanding friend.

Rosemary Walters



HAROLD DUPLAIN

Harold, one of the greatest athletes in the history of the school climaxed his four years of football playing by winning in his last year the Legion of Honor Award for his sportsmanship on the gridiron. His placement on the second team at the Catholic Columbus Diocesan Tournament reveals also his singular basketball ability. "Dupe's" dramatic career began as a Freshman with participation in the "Dragon of Wu Foo", and included leading parts in "Mama's Baby Boy", and "The Lady From Paris." His activities range from class president in his freshman year to Acolyte, member of the C.S.M.C., Round Table, Glee Club, and Troubadour of Il Poverello. Taking everything into consideration--"When you are a friend in need, you'll find "Dupe" a friend, indeed."

David Diener



MARILYN EYNON

"Blondie," the saucy Honey Baldwin of "The Lady From Paris," is one of those people who can always be on the Honor Roll and still not be haughty but remain "the life of the study period." She is Heaven's gift to the Latin teachers and it is rumored that she sleeps on a Virgil as a pillow. Her specialty is themes on ducks, and The Marian has often been graced with the excellent samples of her literary talent in writing compositions, editorials and short stories. Some of her other activities include: Secretary of the Latin Club, a Troubadour of Il Poverello, and a recipient of many honors on the Scholarship Team during her four trips to Athens. As a poet, linguist, author, chatterbox, and cutter-upper, Marilyn's high school career is as varied as the spring hats.

Barbara Sommer



MIRIAM FERRELL

Witty, cheerful, bright, vivacious and fun-loving--Miriam is one of the most active members of the senior class. She took part in both "Mama's Baby Boy" and "The Lady From Paris." As a cheer leader she revealed her true school spirit and her love of sports. She is a member of The Troubadours and is one of those who attended the Basketball Tournament in her junior year and the Press Convention during her senior year. She has shown her journalistic ability by her excellent work in her position on The Marian and in handling the important position of Circulation Manager on the Annual Staff. She is a leader in everything and is destined for a life of success.

Mary Brown



RUTH FLANNIGAN

Ruth, or "Ruthie", entered Saint Mary's as a Senior, having spent her other three high school years at Holy Redeemer's High School. However, in the short time that Ruth has been with us, she has become a familiar figure and is always missed when she is absent- which is seldom, for her attendance record is laudable. She has shown herself willing, ready and able to cooperate in the different activities of which she is a member, namely, the Foomistry Club, C.S.M.C. and The Troubadours of Il Poverello. Whenever one hears "Oh Rats" ring out he will know that "Ruthie" is not far away, eager to join in the fun and assist her friends in whatever way she can.

Josephine Yerardi



AUGUST FUSSNECKER

"Augie," the talented sports editor of The Marian, is one of the most active members of the entire senior class. Under the pen name of "Augie Allen" he has displayed unusual writing ability. He has also marked dramatic ability as he showed in "Mama's Baby Boy" and "The Lady From Paris." He has shown his versatility by being in the Oratorical Contest, Choir, C.S.M.C. and Glee Club. In addition, he has been an Acolyte for four years and has journeyed to Columbus twice, once for Press Convention and once for the Basketball Tournament. In his freshman year the Orchestra claimed part of Augie's time as a drummer. However, his greatest hope - that of being a sports writer-is still ahead of him.

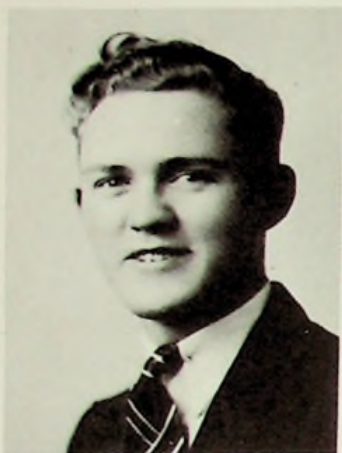
Charles Harter



MARY MARTHA GERLACH

"Light in weight but not in intelligence" aptly describes Mary Martha. Although seemingly reserved and quiet she has always been an active member of the class in both scholastic and extra-curricular work. Throughout her entire high school career she has been a member of the Blessed Virgin Souality, Choir, C.S.M.C. and Orchestra. Her presence on the Honor Roll, as well as her love of Latin, is unquestioned. Her acting ability and cooperative spirit were manifested in "Mama's Baby boy" and "The Lady From Paris." Deserving of praise is her perfect attendance record in her junior year and her few days of absence in her other years. She is an active Miss in studies, dramatics, music and club activities, especially of The Troubadours of Il Poverello and the Latina Societas.

Agnes Cowman



FREDERICK GOINGS

Whenever the cry of "Aw Shucks" echoes throughout the aged halls of old St. Mary's there will appear soon after the figure of Fred Goings. In all probability he will be found near the mimeograph, printing *The Marian*, a task which he has faithfully performed for three of his four years in high school. But *The Marian* hasn't taken up all of his time for he has been very active in the High School Choir, Round Table and C.S.M.C. Dramatics have also claimed some of his time and he has taken part in "The Lady From Paris," the Saint Mary's Minstrel and the Red Cross Broadcast. But with all these activities Fred has remained a thoroughly likeable lad who is in his element when he is in mischief.

Paul Prose



ROSEMARY HAAF

To all her friends, she is known as "Rosie." Her witty remarks pop up unexpectedly and usually at a time when a little laughter is needed. She is studious by nature and takes an active part in all school projects. During the past four years she has been a member of the Glee Club, C.S.M.C., The Troubadours of Il Poverello and the Sodality. As Mrs. Kennedy in the senior class play she was truly superb. The phrase, "To know her is to love her," is truly appropriate but you must really know her to love her, for just a slight acquaintance is not enough. And it can be said that all Seniors love her.

Marie Lauter



BETTY MAE HANSGEN

"Peppy, studious, humorous, popular, and domestic" best describes Betty. She, although very home loving, is also a popular dancer and never will she be found among the wallflowers. Her classmates know her by her witty expression, "I bite." Her high ranking in the Athens Scholarship tests and her usual place on the honor roll reveals her scholastic ability. She has been a member of the Round Table, Caedmon Club, Latin and French Clubs, The Troubadours of Il Poverello and the Glee Club and still finds time to do her share of the work as a member of The Marian Staff. Sympathetic and loyal, her friendship is worth cultivating, and once cultivated its value will never be questioned.

Beatrice Bocook



CHARLES HARTER

"Chuck's" spirit of fun which is evident both in and out of school, usually results in someone else being made the goat of the situation. He is really studious at times, however, and has always been among the leaders in school activities. This is proved by the fact that at various times he has belonged to the Correspondence Club, Caedmon Club, Troubadours of Il Poverello, Chemistry Club and Latin Club. He has displayed unusual dramatic ability in school plays such as "Mama's Baby Boy" and "The Lady From Paris." He is on The Marian Staff and is chief photographer for the Annual. His smile and disposition are as catching as the measles and we claim him with pride and affection.

August Fussnecker



JOHN JONES

"Jack" is a tall, curly-haired, sleepy-eyed boy. But behind it all you will find a great lover of fun, mischief and sports. His favorite sports are football, swimming, and dancing. His school activities have included membership in the C.S. M.C., the DeSolenne Choristers and the Holy Name Society. His natural portrayal of "Cyril" in the senior class play, "The Lady From Paris" won the acclaim of the audience, for it gave him a chance to display his mischievous and fun-loving spirit. "Jack" ought to be able to do bigger and better things when he is out of school and to realize his life's ambition, that of being a Navy air pilot.

Raymond Switalski



GEORGENE JULY

"A friend in need---," efficient, studious, self-willed, determined, fast-talking and dependable" describes "Gene," with the fascinating gray eyes. She is always willing to lend a helping hand to a friend at any time. She is a lover of sports and all outside activities as is shown by her eager participation in the Remailer's Club, Glee Club and Choir. She displayed calm executive ability as a class officer in her freshman year and in her senior year portrayed excellently a temperamental French actress in the senior class play, "The Lady From Paris." Often very quiet and yet sometimes very noisy, ever ready to take part in any thing that is fun, particularly The Troubadours of Il Poverello, makes her well-liked by everyone.

Mary Jane Glynn



MARIE LAUTER

Marie is not easily described. Although on the outer surface she appears quiet, this is deceiving, for anyone who really knows her also knows that she possesses a sense of humor that peeps up with witty remarks ever so often; she can take a joke at any time. She takes her various school activities very seriously and thus can be called upon at any time to perform a task with complete reliability. Her acting ability in the senior class play was exceptionally good since she herself is characterized by a lively, youthful spirit. She belongs to various clubs but her favorite one, she'll have you know, is The Troubadours of Il Poverello.

Rosemary Haaf



PAUL LAUTER

Paul, a popular boy, will never be forgotten by his classmates simply because he is known to tease and play pranks most of the time. If you can't find your history book or a perfectly good eversharp never fear that it is lost for "Mose" will tell you he is just using them temporarily. "Mose" is a good sport personified. That he is outstanding particularly in the field of sports is proved by the fact that he was a member of the football and basketball teams throughout almost his entire high school career. He is the type that seems bold and brusque on the outside but beneath this veneer can be found a sense of shyness which makes itself known.

Ralph Thieken



PAUL PROSE

Paul Prose, the "Pondcreek Panther" has been with us only a short time but one would never know it. In his second year he was unanimously elected vice president of the Sophomores. He cooperated to the best of his ability and proved to be a very successful business manager of the senior class play, "The Lady From Paris." Merely bring up the subject of farming and "Prosie" will sit up and take notice; we expect him to be another Burbank some day. He possesses a jallopy known to the world at large as "That Ford" which is usually covered with dangling students during noon hour, for "'Prosie' is a popular man."

Frederick Goings



AUGUST REDOUTEY

If you saw "The Lady From Paris," you saw August as a fierce, angry Jew--a role which is about as different from his real self as black is from white, for "Augie" is an easy-going, friendly fellow. He is a real student and has a fine school spirit since you will find his name included in nearly every school activity. Within his four years he has been president of the C.S.M.C., a member of the Remailers, the Troubadours of Il Poverello, the Latin and Foomistry Clubs, and a Round Tabler. He went to the Press Convention, Basketball Tournament at Columbus, and to Athens for the Scholarship tests. With his pleasant disposition, "Augie" is bound to fine success.

Robert Glockner



CHARLOTTE SCHAEFER

An excellent student, a true friend, a willing worker--are just three of "Chad's" admirable qualities. Capable and always ready to lend assistance, she stands out as a real worker and a loyal supporter in all activities, particularly The Troubadours of Il Poverello. Charlotte is a very accomplished violinist and has been a faithful orchestra member throughout her high school career. She possesses a fine spirit of fun and playfulness which makes her the center of attraction in any group. In addition, she is a girl of fine ideals, and seldom, it ever, misses a day of school. Her dramatic talent is made manifest by her fine performances in both "Mama's Baby Boy" and "The Lady From Paris." As a typist for The Marian she is invaluable, and where popularity is concerned she need never worry.

Miriam Ferrell



HAROLD SCHERER

Harold, at times, seems quiet, but just let any one try to get the better of him and his voice is immediately heard in protest. Possessing a very good voice, "Scherer" was a member of the De Solenne Choristers in his first and second years. He is the tallest of the senior boys, taller perhaps than any boy in the high school. You rarely hear him but he is usually around somewhere taking part in his various activities--whether it be in the C.S.M.C., the Remailers' Club or the Round Table. He is rather silent and reserved and it is only his closest friends who can see beneath the covering of shyness and get a look at the real Harold, the one that hardly anyone knows.

William Seyfried



WILLIAM SEYFRIED

William, nicknamed "Sy" is a very quiet young chap with an abundance of joyfulness tucked away in the depths of his soul. "Sy" is not quite as tall as most of the senior boys, but he doesn't seem to mind-in fact he doesn't seem to worry about anything. His pet saying is, "What?" which is very appropriate as he never understands anything the first time and always has to be told twice. This is good evidence of the fact that he is just at that dreamy age. His missionary zeal manifests itself in his membership in the C.S.M.C. and Round Table. You never hear "Sy" but he is always around and makes himself known in his own agreeable manner.

Harold Scherer



BARBARA SOMMER

"Sommer," the nine o'clock scholar, is the shorty of the senior class. Describe her? That's simple-a slightly talkative, witty, happy-go-lucky Miss who causes all disturbances, takes the greatest part in them and ends them all. A place on the honor roll is automatically reserved for her each month without hesitation. Her writing ability has long been acclaimed with pride and perhaps a little envy by her classmates. She is the editor of the Marian and Annual, the prize of all accomplishments. She is the only girl of the class to have been president and she has also won honors on the Athens Scholarship Team. As the pert Honey Baldwin of the class play, "The Lady From Paris," "Sommer" delighted the audience by her unassuming naturalness. At present she holds the important position of Cavel of The Troubadours of Il Poverello.

Marilyn Eynon



RALPH THIEKEN

"Thiek," a tall, amiable lad possessing the requisites of a good sport and a "jolly good fellow," is well known to all Seniors for his merry antics. But all his study periods are not devoted merely to the pursuit of the frivolous for he is always eager to do his bit for dear old Saint Mary's. "Thiek" has exhibited this school spirit by being a member of the C.S.M.C., Round Table and Choir. Moreover, he has been a server, and a participant in several Mission plays. His favorite saying is, "I know it," whether he does or not. Ralph is interested in sports and is a very ardent member of the senior football team. All in all, Ralph is a typical American lad.

Eugene Vernier



EUGENE VERNIER

Students may come and students may go but "Eugie" will not be forgotten, for, with his fun-loving ways he has won for himself a warm spot in the hearts of us all. Throughout his four years of high school, he has been a member of the Choir, C.S.M.C. and Glee Club. As a Freshman, he was in the "Dragon of Wu Foo," and this year he contributed to the success of "The Lady From Paris" by taking over the duties of the official stage hand. In mission work, too, Eugie has never lagged but has been a Round Tabler for two years and has taken part in several Mission plays. With his willingness Eugene also possesses a happy, carefree spirit that seems to say, "Keep your sunny side up."

Paul Lauter



ROSEMARY WALTER

"Rosie's" sunny disposition and winning ways have won for her many friends. "A true friend is a real friend," is an accurate description of her. Her pet saying, "Aw, shoot," suggests to one her carefree nature. A first impression of Rosemary is that she is a quiet girl, but in reality she is quite talkative, which is one of the many reasons her classmates value her friendship. Rosemary has shown her capability as printer on The Marian Staff. She is also an active member of C.S.M.C. and the Senior club, "The Troubadours of Il Poverello."

Katherine Dice



JOSEPHINE YERARDI

You never hear her, but her presence is always felt. She is a small dark lass, and a model in deportment, but never get the idea that she is just a goody - goody girl. By no means. She is a person you must learn to know and if you succeed you will never regret the effort. With all her taciturnity, "Jo" can become very excited at times when she is indulging in one of her favorite pastimes - reading an exciting book or playing ball. Her two outstanding club activities are her membership in The Troubadours of Il Poverello and the French Club. She is a friend whom you do not notice until you have need of one and then you will find her there waiting to help.

Ruth Flannigan

Junior Class



Left to right, first row: Rita Prose, Peggy Glynn, Carlita Walter, Betty Ferrell.

Second row: Irene Varhola, Mary L. Francia, Benita Walter, Alberta Emmett, Jeanne Lindner.

Third row: Anna Jane Thieken, Anna Marie Mohr, Dorothy Morrison.

Fourth row: Jerry Garner, Robert Augustine, Joseph Sommer, Otho Robinson, Vasco Luchi.

Fifth row: Francis Balmert, Walter Spangler, Edward Glockner, Leo Glockner, Ralph Keyser.

Sixth row: Carl Scherer, Richard Harwood, Gilbert Bauer.



Class Officers

President	Francis Balmert
Vice President	Walter Spangler
Secretary	Betty Ferrell
Treasurer	Joseph Sommer

Sophomore Class



Left to right, first row: Jeanne Vernier, Janet Harwood, Rosalie Duplain, and Cecilia Virgin.

Second row: Evelyn Jeanguenat, Mary Yerardi, Ann Gerlach, Martha Butler, Virginia July, Helen Switalski, Catherine Schuman, and Frances Kopp.

Third row: Catherine Grummell, Florence Ruffing, Joan Scherer, Joan Dadosky, Eileen Crowe, Mary Jane Adams, Helen Essman, and Dorothy Ferrell.

Fourth row: Mark Vetter, Robert Huels, Charles Bowman, Edgar Gibbins, Louis Vetter, Seraphino De Angelis, and Leo Bocook.

Absent: Eugene Scherer.

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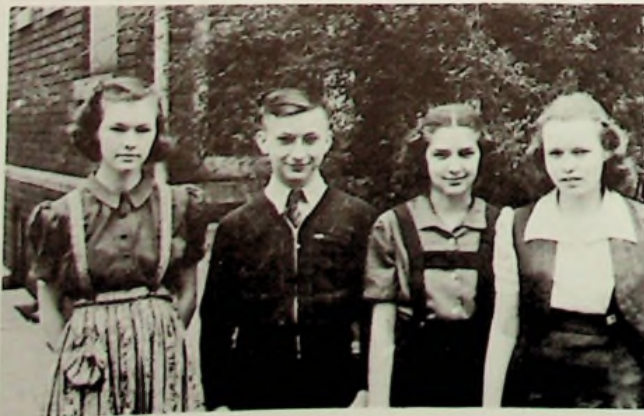
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Vice President	Joan Dadosky
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Treasurer	Edgar Gibbins



Freshman Class



Left to right, first row: William Augustin, Marjorie Pugh, Dorothy Suter, Joan Balmert, Luellen Bocoock, Mary Jones, Marcella Francia, Joseph Luchi. Second row: James Gemperline, Rita Briggs, Mercedes Walter, Janet Russell, Ruth Sommer, Mary Kielmar, Mary Margaret Lindner, James Detwiller. Third row: George Bodner, Virginia Finney, Juanita Allen, Anita Finney, Ruth Emmett, Margaret Dailey, Mary Margaret Lordier, Carl Morrison. Fourth row: Mark Fleming, Marjorie Evans, Rosemary Duplain, Cecilia De Angelis, Jean Russell, Luetta Meiners, Lorraine Turner, Robert Burk. Fifth row: Robert Born, William Kinskey, Robert Gemperline, Martin Glynn, Herman DeAngelis, Michael Spangler, George Vetter. Sixth row: George O'Connor, Richard Goings, Anthony Ferrante, Howard Bauer. Absent: George Bendinelli, Marjorie Lamb, Leslie Rodgers, Mary Taulbee, Albert Varhola.



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Vice President	Robert Burk
Secretary	Dorothy Suter
Treasurer	Marjorie Pugh



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Left, left to right: August Fussnecker, David Diener, Paul Prose, August Redoutey, Robert Glockner.

Staff Members At Work

MARIAN STAFF

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Right: Frederick Goings, Rosemary Walter, Beatrice Bocook.

Left: Charlotte Schaefer, Beatrice Bocook, Mary Brown.





Troubadours of Il Poverello

The Seniors have organized a club, The Troubadours of Il Poverello, for the purpose of discussing current problems in a friendly, social manner. The officers chosen were: Gavel, Barbara Sommer; Strings, Miriam Ferrell; Quill, Charlotte Schaefer. With Saint Francis as their patron and guide, their slogan, "Unswerving loyalty to Christ our King and Mary our Queen," and their theme song, "The Canticle of the Sun," the Troubadours pictured above have come to be recognized as one of the most active clubs in the school. Left to right, standing: Charlotte Schaefer, Mary Jane Glynn, Georgene July, Ruth Flannigan, Agnes Bowman, Robert Glockner, Miriam Ferrell, David Diener, August Redoutey, August Fussnecker, Charles Harter; seated, Marilyn Eynon, Betty Mae Hansgen, Mary Martha Gerlach, Beatrice Bocoock, Katherine Dice, Marie Lauter, Rosemary Haaf, Rosemary Walters, Mary Brown, Josephine Yerardi, Barbara Sommer. Harold Duplain was absent when the picture was taken.



J.A.O.S. Convention

On October 21 and 22, ten members of The Marian Staff attended the Convention of the Journalism Association of Ohio Schools held at Columbus. Valuable information concerning journalistic work was gained at the regular sessions and round table discussions. The members enjoyed a banquet and dance and also witnessed the Ohio State-Chicago football game. Members making the trip, were: M. M. Gerlach, B. Sommer, J. Glynn; M. Brown, C. Schaefer, M. Ferrell; A. Redoutey, R. Switalski, A. Fussnecker and R. Glockner.



Latina Societas

The Latina Societas, composed of members of the three Latin classes, was organized at the beginning of the school year for the purpose of holding various social functions. During the year the following members have thoroughly enjoyed several Wiener Roasts, a Christmas party, and an Easter dance: Front row-Mary Martha Gerlach, Joseph Sommer, Marilyn Eynon. Second row-Martha Butler, Mary Jane Adams, Cecilia Virgin, Ann Gerlach, Evelyn Jeanguenat. Third row-Eileen Crowe, Helen Switalski, Dorothy Ferrell, Frances Kopp, Joan Dadosky, Catherine Schumann, Mark Vetter. Fourth row-Juanita Allen, Joan Balmert, Dorothy Suter, Luetta Meiner, Ruth Sommer, Rita Briggs, Luellen Bocook. Fifth row-Joseph Luchi, Janet Russell, Jean Russell, Marjorie Pugh, Lorraine Turner, Robert Born. Sixth row-Albert Varhola, Michael Spangler, George Bodner, George Vetter, Robert Burk.

Mercedes Walter, Joanne Vetter and Mark Fleming were absent when the picture was taken.

French Club

In September the French Club held its first meeting and elected the following officers: President, Betty Mae Hansgen; Vice President, Jeanne Lindner; Secretary, Charlotte Schaefer and Treasurer, Peggy Glynn. The outstanding event of this club was a Christmas party, which was well attended by the members, and their guests. The members of the club, left to right, are: Josephine Yerardi, Miriam Ferrell, Peggy Glynn, Betty Mae Hansgen, Charlotte Schaefer, Barbara Sommer, and Jeanne Lindner.





Foomistry Club

The Chemistry class, composed of ten students, has organized a chemistry club called the "Foomistry Club." Robert Glockner was elected president and Joseph Sommer as secretary. The club has been very active in visiting and learning the chemistry of our nearby mills and plants first

hand. Among the places visited are the Filtration Plant at New Boston, the Stockham Ice Plant, The Mead Corporation at Chillicothe and the Glass Works and Nickel Factory at Huntington. The Foomistry club enjoyed everyone of these trips and are thankful that they had the opportunity to visit these places. Members of the club are, left to right: Walter Spangler, Joseph Sommer, Ruth Flannigan, Anna Mohr, August Redoutey, Charles Harter, Paul Lauter, Robert Glockner, Francis Balmert, and Richard Harwood.

Junior Scientists

The Junior Scientists, a Freshman Club organized two years ago, have a membership of twenty science students. Officers for this year are: President, L. Turner; Secretary, J. Russell; Treasurer, M. Spangler; Scout, M. Fleming. On recent trips they visited Sommer Brothers' Hardware Store and The Portsmouth Times Office. The members as shown are: girls, top to bottom: J. Russell, J. Russell, L. Turner, R. Sommer, J. Balmert, M. Kielmar, L. Meiners, M. Lindner, and R. Emmett; boys, top to bottom: M. Spangler, R. Born, M. Fleming, R. Gemperline, W. Kinskey, G. Bodner, G. Vetter, J. Detwiller, M. Glynn, and J. Luchi.



Oratorical Contest

On November 18, the annual Oratorical Elimination Contest was held in order to select two students to represent Saint Mary's in the City-wide Oratorical Contest sponsored by the Women's City Club of Portsmouth. Those taking part in the contest in which Joseph Sommer and Francis Balmert



were selected as representatives for the final contest held at P.H.S. Auditorium on December 12, are: seated, Barbara Sommer, Mary Brown, Marilyn Eynon, Carlita Walter; standing: Joseph Sommer, Francis Balmert, Charles Harter, Vasco Luchi, Robert Glockner, Walter Spangler, and David Diener. Dorothy Morrison was absent at the time the picture was taken.



Radio Broadcast

To aid the Red Cross in their annual Roll Call Drive, several members of the senior and junior classes presented a dramatic play entitled "285,000 Lives." It was carried by the local radio station, WPAY and was announced by David Diener, a Senior. The cast included, left to right: Raymond Switalski, David Diener, August Fussnecker, Harold Scherer, Frederick Goings, Edward Glockner, and Vasco Luchi. Hedwig Binder, not included in the picture, was also in the cast.



Left to right, standing: Mary Barbara Sommer, Honey Baldwin; David Diener, Cyril Kennedy; August Fussnecker, Rhett Caldwell; Mary Martha Gerlach, Cecile Le Beau; Harold Scherer, Abe Rosenbloom; Charles Harter, Uncle Peter Kennedy; Mary Brown, Cornelia Palmer; Harold Duplain, Hugh Kennedy. Seated: Miriam Ferrell, Susan Swope; Charlotte Schaefer, Mrs. Kennedy.

"THE LADY

"The Lady From Paris," a light sented by the Seniors on Monday and P.H.S. auditorium. An entirely different cast Hugh, who, in order to get money to pay off the mort-nounces his marriage to a French actress. Uncle Peter immedi-Hugh succeeds in getting the hired girl to pose as the star. When that saves the day for the Kennedys and happily unites Director Abe Rosen-



"You love him, don't you?"



"Why, it's a gopher!"



"I'm mad about thi



Left to right, standing: John Jones, Cyril Kennedy; Frederick Goings, Rhett Caldwell; Raymond Switalski, Uncle Peter Kennedy; August Redoutey, Abe Rosenbloom; Robert Glockner, Hugh Kennedy, seated: Marilyn Eynon, Honey Baldwin; Rosemary Haaf, Mrs. Kennedy; Marie Lauter, Cornelia Palmer; George July, Cecile Le Beau; Mary Jane Glynn, Susan Swope.

FROM PARIS

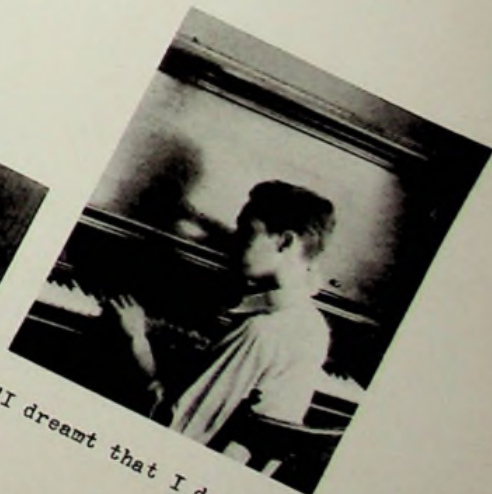
comedy by Robert Ray, was pre-Tuesday nights, February 20 and 21 at performed each night. The play centers around gage and please his celebrity-minded Uncle Peter, anately wires that he is coming for the wedding. In his dilemma, real French film star arrives, Rhett Caldwell, an editor, finds a plan bloom and Cecile Le Beau and the hero and heroine Hugh Kennedy and Susan Swope.



"Susan, the jig's up."



"This is a horrible mistake!"



"I dreamt that I dwelt---



Seated: Father Freund, Moderator; first row: Jeanne Lindner, Vice-President; Dorothy Morrison, Secretary; Joseph Sommer, President; Ann Marie Mohr, Treasurer; second row: Hedwig Binder, correspondent; third row: Walter Spangler, acolyte; Clara Malone, Paladin; Edward Glockner, cross bearer; Genevieve Burling, Paladin; Francis Balmert, acolyte; fourth row: Katherine Lauder, Paladin; Alma Petry, Paladin; fifth row: Ralph Keyser, standard bearer; David Diener, director; Robert Augustin, standard bearer.

C. S. M. C.

The Saint Mary's Unit of the Catholic Students' Mission Crusade again has an enrollment of one hundred per cent. The activities started with the election of officers at the first meeting. They were President, Joseph Sommer; Vice President, Jeanne Lindner; Secretary, Dorothy Morrison; Treasurer, Anna Mohr.

The enrollment was held in front of the high school on November 4. David Diener presided over the exercises, and a speech "The Scope of Mission work" was given by Joseph Sommer. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in Church closed the exercises.

Father Switalski was again selected as our missionary and both spiritual and financial aid have been given him throughout the year.

The C.S.M.C. News sheet, published by the officers of the Unit at each monthly meeting, received special recognition in the Shield which is the official C.S.M.C. magazine.

Round Tables were formed by each of the classes in high school. Their purpose is extensive study in the mission world. All students attending ten Round Table Meetings and completing a special achievement received Paladin Awards.

C S M C Round Tables

SENIORS

Left to right, first row: Georgene July, Chief; Charles Harter, Scribe; Robert Glockner, David Diener, August Fussnecker, Marie Lauter, Miriam Ferrell; second row: Marilyn Eynon, Rosemary Walter, Eugene Vernier, Ruth Flannigan.



SENIORS

Standing, left to right: Harold Duplain, Mary M. Gerlach, Mary Brown, Mary Jane Glynn.



SENIORS

Seated, left to right; August Redoutey, Harold Scherer, William Seyfried, Scribe; Barbara Sommer, Chief; Beatrice Bocook.

SENIORS

Left to right; John Jones, Paul Lauter, Ralph Thieken, Raymond Switalski, Scribe; Frederick Goings, Mary Dice, Charlotte Schaefer, Chief; Rosemary Haaf, Betty Mae Hansgen, Agnes Bowman, Josephine Yerardi.



JUNIORS

Standings: Dorothy Morrison, Rita Prose, Mary Louise Francia, Betty Ferrell, Carl Scherer; seated: Joseph Sommer, Chief; Gilbert Bauer, Scribe; Jeanne Lindner, Benita Walter, Ann Mohr.



SOPHOMORES

Standing: Eileen Crowe, Scribe; Evelyn Jeanguenaut, Frances Kopp, Chief; Rosalie Duplain.



SOPHOMORES

Seated: Catherine Schuman, Dorothy Ferrell, Cecelia Virgin, Helen Essman, Helen Switalski, Robert Huels.

FRESHMEN

Seated, left to right: Lorraine Turner, Mary Kielmar, Luetta Meiners, Ruth Sommer, Jean Russell, Joanne Balmert; standing: Janet Russell, Marjorie Lamb, Rita Briggs, Scribe; Mercedes Walter, George Bodner, George Vetter Chief; Robert Born, Mark Fleming.



Scholarship Team



The following students represented Saint Mary's in the annual district scholarship tests at Athens: first row: J. Luchi, R. Burk, R. Huels, G. Vetter; second row: M. Lamb, B. Sommer, M. Eynon, M. M. Gerlach, M. Pugh, M. J. Adams, J. Dadosky; third row: J. Russell, L. Turner, J. Russell, C. Schaefer, A. M. Gerlach, F. Kopp, M. Brown; fourth row: J. Sommer, R. Glockner, C. Harter, M. Vetter; fifth row: W. Spangler, F. Balmert, A. Fussnecker, V. Luchi; M. J. Butler, J. Lindner, R. Prose, and A. Redoutey were absent at the time the picture was taken.

Honor Roll

Saint Mary's Honor Roll requirements demand a scholastic average and deportment mark of at least ninety per cent. The fifteen students who succeeded in attaining these excellent grades during each six weeks period during the entire school year are: front row, left to right: M. Gerlach, M. J. Glynn, R. Briggs, M. Walter, B. Sommer; second row: M. Ferrell, C. Schaefer, M. Brown, F. Kopp, M. Eynon; third row: W. Spangler, A. Fussnecker, R. Glockner, J. Sommer, R. Huels.



Junior Class Play



"High Pressure Homer" a play presented by the Junior Class represented the everyday lives of the mad family of Woodruffs. The cast included, left to right, first row: Carlita Walter, Boots Woodruff; Joseph Sommer, Junior Woodruff; Alberta Emmett, Bunny Taylor; Margaret Ann Glynn, Zenith; Irene Varhola, Mrs. Margaret Taylor; Francis Balmert, Chester Woodruff; Dorothy Morrison, Mrs. Chester Woodruff; Ann Marie Mohr, Aunt Cora; Walter Spangler, Wade Wainright; Betty Ferrell, Arlene Woodruff; Vasco Luchi, Homer Hampton Haywood; Gilbert Bauer, Chetwynde Cluett.

Saint Mary's Orchestra

Saint Mary's Orchestra, organized for those students who possess musical talent, has progressed greatly this year and has furnished music for various organizations and plays. Members, who thoroughly enjoyed the pleasure they have given to others by their efforts, are: front row, left: V. Luchi, J. Balmert, C. Schaefer, violins; L. Turner, piano; second row: R. Gemperline, R. Sommer, A. Gerlach, violins; front row, right: J. Russell, J. Sommer, clarinets; A. Haag, trumpet; second row: M. M. Gerlach, J. Russell, trumpets; D. Diener, trombone.

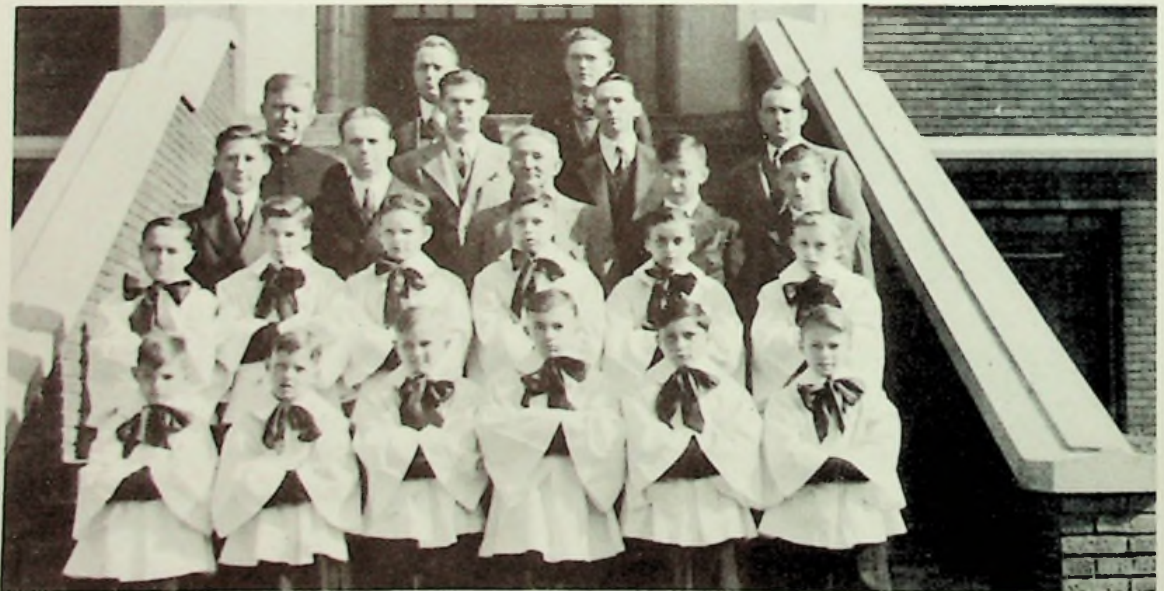




Reverend A. L. Freund

It was two years ago that Father Freund came to Saint Mary's. Since then, through his intense interest and active participation in school affairs, he has become the school's leading figure. Every student in high school has had the pleasure of being in one of his religion classes and many are the Latin students who can say, "Veni, Vidi, Vici Latinam" because of his expert instruction. In addition to his classes in high school Father Freund has found time to direct the organization and activities of the Men's Choir and the Saint Mary's Baseball Team. In school, church, and civic events, Father Freund is recognized as one of Portsmouth's outstanding citizens.

Saint Mary's Male Choir



First Row: D. Russell, C. Jones, J. Dadosky, W. Hansgen, W. Reinhardt, J. Malone; second row: J. Emmett, L. Duplain, A. Haag, R. Diehl, J. Sommer, R. Diener; third row: G. Bodner, C. Reitz, A. Doll, R. Burk, J. Gemperline; fourth row: Reverend Father Freund, J. Crowe, T. Haley, A. Duplain; fifth row: J. Switalski, F. Goings. Members who do not appear in the picture are: J. Adams, C. Bickel, R. Haag, G. Hill, J. Hock, C. Lindner, E. Steahley, R. Switalski, W. Vernier, D. Vetter, C. Spangler, O. Wagner, R. Walters.

De Solenne Choristers



The De Solenne Choristers, composed of young boys who have received special training in voice, include the following: first row: D. Russell, J. Hock, J. Dadosky, W. Hansgen, W. Reinhardt, J. Malone; second row: D. Fleming, C. Jones, J. Emmett, J. Sommer, R. Diener; third row: L. Duplain, the President; J. Mohr, A. Haag, the Vice-President; and R. Diehl.

Acolyte Society



The Acolyte Society, a group of very privileged boys, has the following members: left to right, first row: F. Bruch, C. Fleming, M. Spangler; second row: W. Vernier, W. Hansgen, J. Sommer, J. Dadosky, C. Spangler; third row: J. Emmett, J. Schuler, J. Sommer, L. Duplain, W. Mieners, M. Meisel, A. Haag; fourth row: W. Dadosky, M. Turner, J. Luchi, D. Eynon; fifth row: M. Fleming, C. Bowman, G. Bodner, G. Vetter, R. Burk; sixth row: E. Glockner; seventh row: R. Switalski, R. Glockner, A. Fussnecker, H. Duplain; eighth row: F. Goings, C. Harter.

Girls' Glee Club and Choir



The Girls' Glee Club and Choir, composed of selected voices from the four classes of high school, consists of: first row: left to right: Margaret Dailey, Ruth Sommer, Jean Russell, Lorraine Turner; second row: Mary Martha Gerlach, Catherine Schuman, Janet Russell, Georgene July, Virginia July, Helen Switalski; third row: Beatrice Bocook, Rosemary Haaf, Mary Brown, Joan Dadosky, Charlotte Schaefer, Agnes Bowman; fourth

row: Betty Ferrell, Helen Essman, Dorothy Ferrell, Joan Balmert, Miriam Ferrell, Marie Lauter, Marjorie Pugh; fifth row: Carlita Walter, Barbara Sommer, Martha Butler, Mary Jane Adams, Ann Gerlach, Dorothy Suter, Luetta Meiners; Marilyn Eynon, Irene Varhola, Mary Taulbee, and Cecilia Virgin are not included in this picture.

Boys' Glee Club and Choir



This year six Seniors, six Juniors, three Sophomores and seven Freshmen were chosen to make up the Boys' Glee Club and Choir. These boys, trained to do four part chorus work, are: first row: left to right: Vasco Luchi, Joseph Luchi, James Gemperline, Louis Vetter, Mark Vetter; second row: Joseph Sommer, Walter Spangler, Edward Glockner, Francis Balmert, Leo Glockner; third row: Charles Harter, August Fussnecker, David Diener, Robert Glockner, Fred Goings, Harold Duplain; fourth row: George Bodner, Richard Goings, George Vetter, Mark Fleming, Robert Burk. Edgar Gibbins, a Sophomore, was absent at the time the picture was taken.

Reverend J.R. Lawyer



A former pupil of Saint Monica's school, New Boston, and of Saint Mary's, Portsmouth, will be ordained to the priesthood on Saturday, June twenty-fourth. He will sing his first high Mass in Saint Mary's Church, Portsmouth, Ohio, on Sunday, July second. Jerome Regis Lawyer is at present a deacon completing his studies in the Holy Cross Foreign Mission seminary at the Catholic University, Washington, D.C. Reverend Mr. Lawyer was born in Saint Joseph's parish, Dayton, Ohio, November twentieth, 1912. He attended Saint Monica's School for the fifth and sixth grades. The seventh and eighth were made at Saint Mary's. He went from the eighth grade in September, 1926, to the Holy Cross Order at Notre Dame, Indiana. This eighth grade graduated from high school, June, 1930. It was a class remarkable for the number of vocations. Three nuns and one priest, out of a class of twenty-one, is a high percentage. The future Father Lawyer has pledged himself to work as a missionary in the diocese of Dacca, Bengal, India. He will leave in the

fall, with a group of Holy Cross members, for his distant mission. He will be the second from Saint Mary's Church to represent this parish in India. Reverend Raymond Switalski, C.S.C., has been laboring in Bengal since 1926. Pastors, teachers, friends, and all members of the parish, congratulate Father Regis upon his approaching ordination and wish him God's blessing upon his future labors.

Helen Jane Eynon

Helen Jane Eynon is the latest postulant from Saint Mary's High School. She was born on April 1, 1921, and is the eldest in the family. At the age of five, she entered school and was among those who were the first to study in the first grade of the new grade school building. She received her first Holy Communion while in the second grade, and the Sacrament of Confirmation while in the fifth grade. After completing the eighth grade she entered high school, and during her entire four years participated in every scholastic and extra-curricular activity. She graduated from high school last June, and in August she left Portsmouth to enter the Novitiate of the Sisters of Saint Francis at Rochester, Minnesota. She is one of thirteen postulants who are at present attending the College of Saint Teresa at Winona, Minnesota. In August she will receive the Franciscan habit and enter into a two-year novitiate, after which she will make her first vows.



School Calendar

- September
- 6 The Pied Piper of Hamelin (the school bell) intrigues students back to school.
 - 15 A Latina Societas is formed by slaving Latin students.
 - 23 Central makes her Big Six Debut, galloping madly through the Oak-hill grid machine to pile up 32 points to their opponents 0.
 - 25 The C.S.M.C. holds its annual elections.
 - 28 Latin Club gives a weiner roast. Result: More members.
 - 30 Once more the Titans carry the pigskin to victory by a score of 14 to 0 over Waverly.
- October
- 2-5 All tall students gloat as they are called upon to represent the school in the Northwest Territory Pageant.
 - 4 Hurrah for the Sesquicentennial! This cheer goes up as school closes in order to participate in the parade.
 - 9 The pigskin takes a stubborn spell. Result: Charleston S.H. 6 and Central 6.
 - 9 The senior girls form a club known as The Troubadours of Il Poverello. When refreshments are added six boys join.
 - 21 Ten Seniors attend the convention of the J.A.O.S. at Columbus.
 - 21 Central buries Hamden 51 to 0.
 - 27 Central chases Sciotoville home-26 to 7.
 - 28 The Junior Scientists hold their first meeting.
- November
- 4 Annual Crusade Enrollment is held.
 - 4 The Freshies bravely face Initiation and all have a good time at their expense.
 - 6 Central runs over Holy Family and smashes them 27 to 0.
 - 8 A group of Juniors and Seniors give a radio program and destroy all chances of being future radio stars.
 - 10 Central wallops Vanceburg 12 to 7.
 - 13 What, no victory! No, just a tie to relieve the monotony, the score being 0 to 0 between Central and Ironton.
 - 16 Winners of Essay Contest of Kiwanis Club are announced. Envy is mixed with brotherly love as Joe and Walt receive the prizes.
 - 18 Oratorical Elimination Contest is held in the school hall. Two Juniors, Joseph Sommer and Francis Balmert win highest places.
 - 18 Wheelersburg runs up against the Titan wall and gets bumped-13 to 0.
 - 21 The Seniors entertain the Juniors with a dance. Results: Good time-wrecked feet.
 - 29 Pupils come back to school after Thanksgiving with one less thing to be thankful for-school.
 - 29 The Juniors present a play and pantomime as a Mission program.
- December
- 5 The Seniors get a glimpse of their Christmas presents---their class rings and ah! what beauties they are.
 - 11 Eleven girls are received into the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

School Calendar

- December 12 Pictures on conservation are shown to the student body.
12 The final oratorical contest is held at P.H.S. Though we don't win we're proud of our entrants.
16 The French Club holds a Christmas party and all students wish they had taken French.
23 School closes for Christmas vacation. Three cheers for Old Saint Nick!
23 The grade school gives its annual Christmas play.
29 The Latin Club enjoys a Christmas party with a real Santa Claus (Bodner) and everything!
- January 9 School opens after Christmas vacation with pupils drearier, droopier and drowsier than ever.
20 The Juniors entertain the Seniors with a dance. Result: Another good time-feet more wrecked than ever.
25-27 Terrible mind-racking semester exams are held. Results: Possibilities of a few less diplomas.
- February 3 Report cards are received bravely but all break down later.
10 The lower classmen hold a "get-together" party.
20-21 The Seniors make dramatic bows in "The Lady From Paris."
- March 2 The Conservation Department presents pictures on floods-what a thought!
17 The Junior Scientists visit the Portsmouth Times.
19 Central travels to Columbus to partake in the Diocesan Tournament.
26 Forty Hours Devotions are held.
28 A unique Annual drive pep meeting is staged with good results (we hope).
- April 6 Goody, Goody, Easter vacation starts!
13 The Senior girls are hostesses to Sister Helen and Sister Loyola of the College of Saint Teresa at an informal tea. Result: all Seniors' mothers are politely informed by their daughters that all Senior girls are bound for Saint Teresa-or else!
13 The Foomistry Club visits the Mead Corporation at Chillicothe.
14 The Latin Club holds an Easter dance at the Knights of Columbus Hall.
29-30 Troubadours sponsor erection of May altar in the assembly.
- May 1 The Juniors give a play "High Pressure Homer" to raise funds for the Junior-Senior banquet and prom.
6 Ahoy, Athens! Here comes the scholarship team!
18 Joy Supreme: The annual Junior-Senior affair is on.
28 May Crowning is held.
31 Graduation exercises at last: Seniors smile through tears.





ATHLETICS



First row: Nickels; Donini; Gallenstein; Rudity; Duplain; Schoonover; Wohler; B. Toomey; J. Toomey; second row: W. Spangler; Mantel; Devlin; C. Scherer; Sommer; B. Mantel; Franchi; and Manager Yeunger; third row; DeAngelis; Augustine; Bocook; Spangler; Brennan; Cassidy; Gemperline; fourth row: Kleffner; Russell; Gerken; Huber. Those who are absent are: Glockner; O'Connor; Vetter; Lauter.

Central Titans' Football Team

The 1938-39 football season was the Titans' most successful gridiron venture in recent years. Their eight victories out of eleven games marked the first time since 1933 that a Titan eleven won more than four games in a season. This year's squad defeated Chesapeake 12-0; Oak Hill 32-0; Waverly 14-0; Hamden 51-0; Sciotoville 26-7; Vanceburg 12-7; Ashland Holy Family 27-0; and Wheelersburg 13-0. Charleston Sacred Heart battled to a 6-6 draw and Ironton Saint Joseph deadlocked 0-0 with the Blue

and Gold. The only loss of the entire season was a heart-breaking last quarter 12-7 defeat by the New Boston Tigers. Although this loss smashed the Titans' hopes of a Big Six Championship, they tied for first place honors in the new Tri-State League. This year's squad was outstanding on both offense and defense, scoring 200 points, and holding their opponents to only 32 points. Seven teams were held scoreless by the Titans, while they managed to score in every game but their last, with the Ironton Flyers. To make the season even more successful, two of the Titans, Duplain and Russell, were among the five leading scorers in the greater Portsmouth area.



Duplain



Lauter



Spangler



Glockner



Scherer

1939-40 Prospects

Here is a brief lineup of the Saint Mary's gladiators who will be back for another season on the gridiron:

W. Spangler, Junior, Guard
 E. Glockner, Junior, Center
 C. Scherer, Junior, End
 P. O'Connor, Freshman, Back
 D. Goings, Freshman, Back
 L. Vetter, Sophomore, Tackle
 L. Bocook, Sophomore, Guard
 H. DeAngelis, Freshman, End



O'Connor

Saint Mary's Football Players



Front row: Walter Spangler, right tackle; Paul Lauter, right guard; Edward Glockner, center; Leo Bocook, manager; Louis Vetter, left tackle; back row; Dick Goings, full back; George O'Connor, half back; Harold Duplain, half back; Herman De Angelis, guard.



Coach Petrus

Although Coach Petrus has handled Central teams for three years, it was not until this season that he was able to show his real ability as a coach. With excellent material with which to work, he produced a snappy and clever Central football squad that won eight of its eleven games, losing but one, and tying two.

Even though Coach Petrus' ability is respected by all, his spirit of sportsmanship is respected even more, because this is the true characteristic of a good coach.

Harold Duplain

During his four years of varsity football, "Dupe" has achieved a record of honors and awards, unexcelled in the annals of Central athletics. He was chosen on the all Big Six Star Team, when he was only a Junior, while in his senior year he earned even greater honors. Besides being high scorer in the Greater Portsmouth area, he was among the leading scorers in the entire state of Ohio. He also starred in basketball and was chosen on the second all Star Tournament team. To make his record complete, he was presented with the Legion of Honor Trophy, the highest award which can be given to a Central athlete.

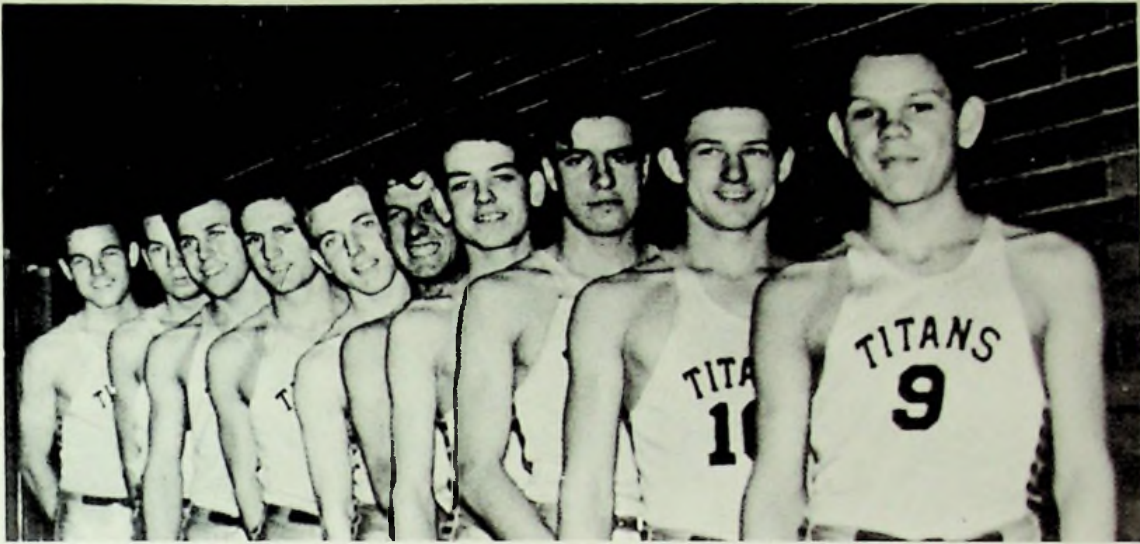


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Miriam Ferrell



Front to back: Dick Goings, Forward; Jim Gerken, Forward; Dave Russell, Guard; Dave Goodman, Guard; Pete O'Connor, Guard; Paul Kleffner, Guard; Jack Wohler, Forward; Harold Duplain, Forward; Ebbie Glockner, Center; Ed Gibbins, Center.

Saint Mary's Basketball Players

13 wins and 8 losses. That tells the story of Central's 1938-39 basketball season. Although the Titans were faced with lack of height and experience, they coordinated perfectly in their teamwork and managed to achieve another very successful year of basketball.

Led by the stellar shooting of Russell and the defensive playing of Duplain, they started the season off in great form taking their first four games in great stride. Then a stubborn Vanceburg team provided the first set back for the Titans by edging out a 27-26 victory over the Centralites. Coach Petrus' boys came back strong, however, and defeated Huntington Saint Joseph for the first time in sixteen meetings.

The Titans split the rest of the season with their opponents, winning 8 and losing 7, to conclude the regular basketball season.

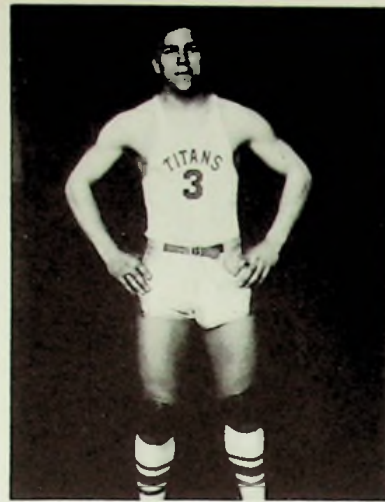
Then came Central's bid to the Columbus Diocesan Tournament where the Titans added more laurels to their season. They upset all predictions by trouncing Sommerset Holy Trinity in their initial game and next defeating a highly touted Columbus Saint Mary squad to advance closer toward the title. Their hopes were blasted, however, when they met Columbus Holy Family and were eliminated from the final playoffs.

This still left the Consolation cup for the Titans to fight for, nevertheless, and they went hopefully in to their final game against Mount Vernon Saint Vincent. Once more fate was against the Titans, however, and they lost their last chances of bringing home a cup, but they did succeed in placing two men, Duplain and Russell, on the two All Tournament teams.



Glockner

Ebbie shared the varsity center position with Gibbins and greatly aided the wins of the Titans' season.



Duplain

Varsity forward and outstanding man, Dupe was chosen on the All Tournament 2nd squad.



Gibbins

The youngest varsity man from Saint Mary's, Gibb shows promises of being a star center next season.

Basketball Schedule

The 1938-39 Basketball schedule was a busy, exciting one for the Titans. 10 of the games were played away, thus giving the Centralites many miles of pleasure during the year. The Titans journeyed to Kentucky, West Virginia, and all over Ohio this season.

The scores of the regular season were as follows:

Titans	28	Chillicothe	19
	25	Otway	9
	22	Latonia	6
	47	Charleston, Sacred Heart	26
	26	Vanceburg	27
	22	Huntington, Saint Joseph	18
	26	Sciotoville	36
	37	Maysville	24
	20	New Boston	36
	22	Whealersburg	32
	45	Charleston	25
	17	Ashland, Holy Family	25
	23	Otway	10
	21	Latonia	18
	18	Whealersburg	36
	22	Maysville	14
	25	New Boston	30
	32	Ashland, Holy Family	30
	34	Sciotoville	21
	19	Huntington	37

Central Titans' Basketball Team



Front row: Dick Goings, Guard; Joseph Luchi, Forward; Mark Fleming, Forward. Back row: Edward Glockner, Center; Harold Duplain, Guard; Ed Gibbins, Center; Leo Bocook, Manager.



Saint Mary's Boxing Team

There's the bell! And out comes Saint Mary's boxing team for their first season of fighting in the history of Saint Mary's athletics. Under the excellent management of Father Freund, the following team is eagerly and capably learning the science of the manly art of self defense: center: Harold Duplain, Edward Glockner, Eugene Scherer; left: Joseph Luchi, Mark Fleming; right: Dick Goings, George Bodner.



Powerhouse

William Seyfried
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Dutchmen

Front row

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 Harold Duplain
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 Paul Prose

Back row

Raymond Switalski
 Ralph Thieken
 Frederick Goings



Senior Sports

Never before at Saint Mary's has there been such rivalry in athletics among senior class members as the 1939 graduates have shown. Although they have always enjoyed their physical education classes, they have made this period even more exciting this year by dividing the class into two teams known as The Dutchmen and The Powerhouse. The teams have kept their same members and twice a week battle fiercely in football and basketball. They have been comparatively evenly matched all year and the rivalry is just as strong now as it was the very first game.



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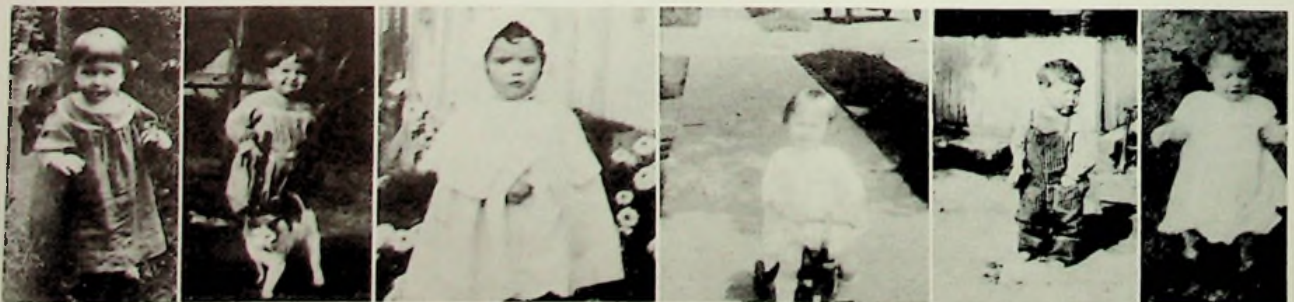
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