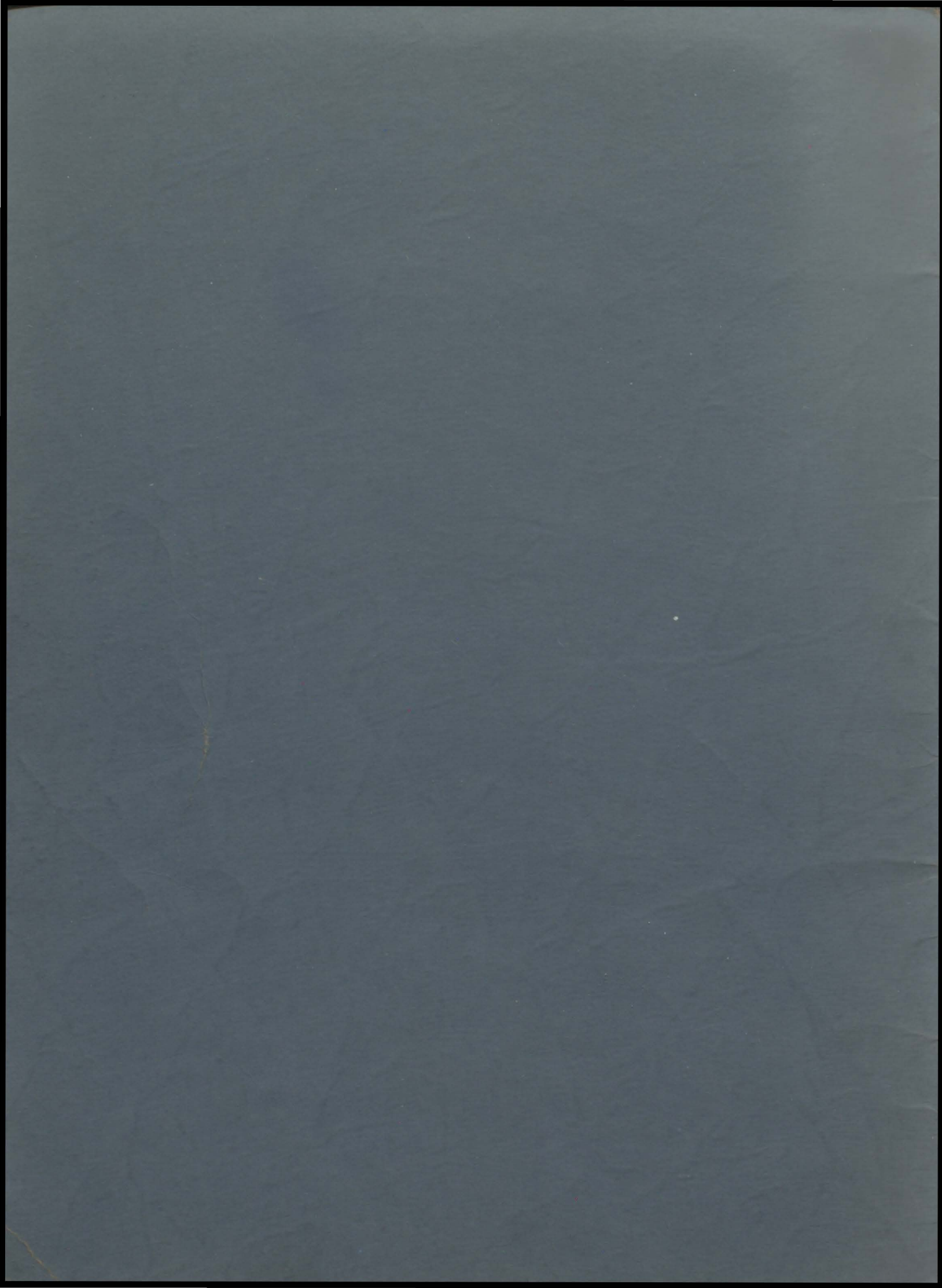


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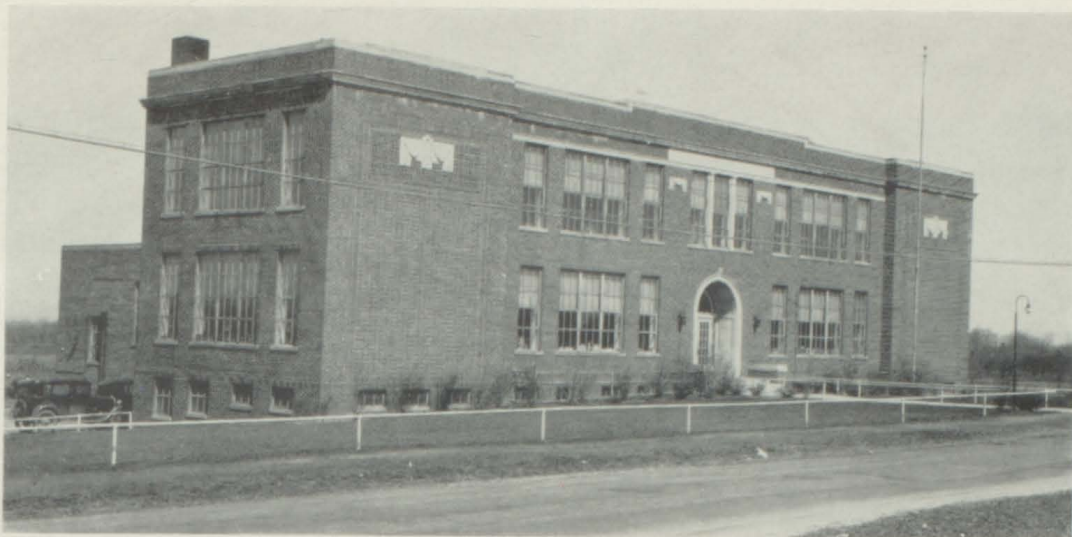
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Class History

In the fall of '31, 37 young freshmen, full of vigor and enthusiasm, ventured into the fields of higher learning.

At the first class meeting, we elected Roy Balogh president, Mildred Gerbick vice-president, Ruth Forthofer secretary, and George Knight treasurer. Marian Linden and Jean Urig played on the varsity basketball team and helped win the championship. Several were on the track team, in the orchestra, glee clubs, and other activities. Later in the year, we enjoyed a class party at the school.

When we returned the following fall, we found our number had decreased to 28. We chose the following leaders: Edwin Knight president, Dorothy Curtiss vice-president, Genevieve Schuster secretary, Robert Burkart treasurer. Our class party was a big success. Again we were represented in all school activities.

As Juniors, we found that our enrollment had again decreased. We then had only 23. Our leaders this year were: Evelyn Bommer president, George Knight vice-president, Mildred Gerbick secretary, and Victor Malinovsky treasurer. On the boys' basketball team, we placed two regulars, Vic and Dave Lower. On the girls' team, Marian and Jean played as regulars, while Dorothy and Mildred were also members of the team. In track Vic and Dave again were on the varsity team, Dave being one of the best track men in this county. Jean Urig was on the girls' track team and made good in the dashes. We were represented on the Booster Staff, gained scholastic honors, and our Junior play, "The Eighteen Carat Boob," was one of the best ever put on in the history of the school. Our junior-Senior banquet was a marked success. We were represented in the Glee Clubs and Orchestra.

In our final year we came back 19 strong and full fledged students. We were represented again in sports by Vic, as captain of the varsity basketball team, and Eddie Weiss as a regular. Jean, Marian, and Dorothy were regulars on the girls' basketball team. In track and field events we were represented by Vic and Roy. Our Senior play, "Girl Shy," was a great success. Later we were well entertained by the Juniors at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet. In closing, we have pledged to go out into the world with the aim to do the best for ourselves and others.

THEN



Top row left to right: 4, Margaret Kovalcik; 6, Dorothy Hein; 18, Ruth Forthofer; 7, Evelyn Bommer; 12, Betty Mills; 16, Dorothy Curtiss; 2, Edward Weiss; 13, Ethel Nagel; 17, Marian Linden; 10, George Knight; 14, Victor Malinovsky; 15, Mildred Gerbick; 19, Robert Burkart; 3, Raymond Mitchell; 8, Edwin Knight; 11, Jean Urig; 4, Elfrieda Fischer; 5, Margaret Hollis; 1, Roy Balogh.

NOW

Top Row:

Roy Balogh
Evelyn Bommer
Robert Burkart
Dorothy Curtiss
Elfrieda Fischer

Bottom Row:

Ruth Forthofer
Mildred Gerbick
Dorothy Hein
Margaret Hollis
Edwin Knight





Top Row:

George Knight
Margaret Kovalcik
Marian Linden
Victor Malinovsky

Bottom Row:

Betty Mills
Raymond Mitchell
Ethel Nagel
Jean Urig
Edward Weiss

Senior Activities

ROY BALOGH—Class President 1, Class Treasurer 4; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4, Manager 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Minstrel Show 1, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Booster 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4; Office 2, 4.

EVELYN A. BOMMER—Class President 3, Class Secretary 4; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Class Play 3, 4; Office Assistant 4; Booster 3, 4.

ROBERT BURKART—Class Treasurer 2; Class Play 3; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster 3, 4.

DOROTHY CURTISS—Class Vice-President 2, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Booster 3, 4; Office Assistant 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Sec-Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4, Assistant Manager 3, Manager 4, Class Basketball 1, 2, Varsity Basketball 3, 4.

ELFRIEDA FISCHER—Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Assistant Librarian 4, Minstrel Show 1, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster 3, 4; Librarian 4, Orchestra 1, 2.

RUTH A. FORTHOFFER—Class Secretary 1; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4; Librarian 4; Booster 3, 4, Editor 4.

MILDRED GERBICK—Class Secretary 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4, Minstrel Show 1, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster 3; Class Play 3, 4.

DOROTHY HEIN—Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4, Operetta 3; Class Play 3; Booster 4; Librarian 4.

MARGARET HOLLIS—Booster 4; Glee Club 4; Office Assistant 4.

EDWIN KNIGHT—Class President 2; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4, Assistant Treasurer 3, Treasurer 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4.

GEORGE KNIGHT—Class Treasurer 1, Class Vice-President 3; Class Play 3, 4; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Booster 4; Glee Club 3, 4, Operetta 3.

MARGARET KOVALCIK—Rocky River High 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 4; Booster 4; Librarian 4.

MARIAN LINDEN—Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice President 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Librarian 4, Concert 2, Operetta 3.

VICTOR MALINOVSKY—Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Varsity Track 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 3, 4, Captain 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Librarian 3, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Booster 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3.

BETTY MILLS—Ridgeville High 1, 2; Class President 4; Librarian 3, 4; Booster 3, 4; Associate Editor 4; Athletic Association 3, 4.

RAYMOND MITCHELL—Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basketball 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, Minstrel Show 1, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Booster 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4.

ETHEL NAGEL—Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Librarian 4; Booster 4.

JEAN URIG—Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Concert 2, Operetta 3; Booster 3, 4; Office Assistant 1; Class Play 3, 4.

EDWARD WEISS—Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3, Varsity Basketball 4; Booster 3, 4.

Last Will and Testament

We, the undersigned, members of the class of thirty-five, being in fairly sound mind and body, and realizing that our career in Avon High school is slowly drawing to a close, do hereby make and publish this last will and testimony.

I, Ruth Forthofer, bequeath my Booster work to anyone in need of work.

I, Roy Balogh, bequeath my ability to play the role of gangster to Arthur Hein.

I, Evelyn Bommer, bequeath my keen sense of humor to Ed Conroy.

I, Ethel Nagel, bequeath my Mae West figure to Rita Bommer.

I, Margaret Hollis, bequeath my temper to Rita Conroy.

I, George Knight, bequeath my ability to argue to Emil Kralich.

I, Elfrieda Fischer, bequeath my giggling to Marcella Klingshirn.

I, Dorothy Hein, bequeath my ability to play volley ball to Madeline Hall.

I, Betty Mills, bequeath my studiousness to Roger Philips.

I, Edwin Knight, bequeath my baby talk to Frank Lescher.

I, Edward Weiss, bequeath my curly hair to Norman Westerfield.

I, Victor Malinovsky, bequeath my "fiddling" ability to Anthony Kinzel.

I, Marian Linden, bequeath my athletic ability to Margaret Klingshirn.

I, Dorothy Curtiss, bequeath my typing ability to Betty Moon.

I, Jean Urig, bequeath my talking ability to Dolores Wearsch.

I, Robert Burkart, bequeath my shyness to Bud Nagel.

I, Mildred Gerbick, bequeath my "pep" to Dick Wilford.

I, Raymond Mitchell, bequeath my foolish questions to Marian Detzel.

To the Freshmen, we bequeath our sympathies and worn out dictionary.

To the Sophomores, we bequeath a little bit of dignity.

To the Juniors, we bequeath our seats in the Senior room.

To the teachers, we bequeath the memory of the class of '35.

To the school, we bequeath peace and good will.

In witness whereof, we, the members of the Class of Thirty-five do hereby seal this last testimony.

—Senior Class

Witnesses: Miss Smith, Miss Wilford, Popeye

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Roy Balogh, after graduating from Yale, Summa Cum Laude, is fourteenth Vice-President of the Corporated Chemical Engineering Company of the United States of Southern Africa.

Raymond Mitchell is doctor for the same company. Mrs. Mitchell, the former Betty Mills, is President of the Foreign Missionary Society for the betterment of slum conditions in New York City.

Mrs. Reginald Algerman Percival Herman Fizzlepuss III (Evelyn Bommer), society leader in Bodum, entertained the King and Queen of Siam at a dinner, which was so overwhelming that only the hostess could get outside of it.

Robert Burkart, artist and designer, is now busy making plans for newer and taller skyscrapers.

During her college days, Miss Mildred Gerbick was voted the most outstanding co-ed in the United States. She was given a scholarship to study voice in Italy, and, upon completion of her course, returned to take the leading parts in the Avon Horse Opry.

Ruth Forthofer, after studying social conditions in Russia, has decided that a "bird in hand is worth two in the bush."

The Honorable Victor Malinovsky is no longer playing second fiddle to Dave Rubinoff because Rubinoff is dead.

Elfrieda Fischer is out in Hollywood designing gowns.

Edwin Knight is Assistant Treasurer to the second cashier of the production department of the Amalgamated Can Company.

Edward Weiss is head of the French Department of the Sorbonne University. He gives private lessons in conversation to American co-eds.

Marian Linden won the discus throw in the 1940 Olympics and settled down to a happy married life with the Notre Dame Football Coach.

Ethel Nagel was the lion tamer for the Grotto circus for the last three years, but her husband objected and she settled down to the life of a society matron with Mrs. Fizzlepuss.

Dorothy Hein is private secretary to "Red," the popcorn man.

Dorothy Curtiss is now playing Topsy in Broadway's current hit, "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

When you turn on your radio in the morning and hear: one-two-three-four, inhale-exhale, etc., it may be Jean Urig, who is sponsored by the Grape-Wheatie Nuts Breakfast Foods Corporation, who are endeavoring to "Build up America."

We find the class of '35 represented in the Senate by George Knight, who is sponsoring a bill to dam up French Creek for water power.

Margaret Hollis has been keeping books for her father since she left High School and is now building an annex to her house in which to keep them.



BACK ROW—Leonard Dechant, Gerald Schumaker, Alton Urig, Richard Wilford, Norman Wearsch, Edward Conroy, Arthur Walters, Walter Christensen, Lloyd Peak, Anthony Kinzel.

MIDDLE ROW—Charles Klingshirn, Leo Tomlin, Leo Bacher, Glenn Urig, Frank Lescher, Clarence Schneider, Cletus Smith, Bernard Curtiss, Miss Wilford.

FRONT ROW—Jean Mills, Betty Wagar, Martha Abfall, Helen Ackerman, Rita Urig, Erma Nagel, Lillian Sikora, Dolores Wearsch, Margaret Klingshirn, Rita Bommer. (Not in Picture—Ruth Merrick)

The Junior Class

The twenty-nine members of the Junior class have done their best to make this a memorable year. The boys won both the inter-class basketball championship and the inter-class track meet.

Clarence Schneider, Frank Lescher, Norman Wearsch, Lloyd Peak, Edward Conroy, and Alton Urig played on the boys' basketball team. Martha Abfall, Lillian Sikora, and Ruth Merrick were valuable members on the girls' team. Frank, Clarence, and Norman were props on the track team.

The class was well represented on the Booster staff and in the glee clubs. Several were librarians and office assistants.

The annual Junior play was given in November. The grand climax came with the Junior-Senior banquet, for which they worked hard in order to make it one of the best ever given.

Miss Wilford was class sponsor. The class officers were:

Frank Lescher	President
Rita Bommer	Vice-President
Alton Urig	Secretary
Bernard Curtiss	Treasurer

The Junior Play, The Pajama Girl

CHARACTERS

Richard Creed, a young lawyer	Norman Wearsch
Berkeley Payne, the District Attorney	Frank Lescher
Dan Martin, a detective sergeant of police	Dick Wilford
"Dopey" Racardi, a gangster	Bud Curtiss
Georgia Morehead, engaged to Dick Creed	Jean Mills
Dolly Lewis, a girl of the underworld	Helen Ackerman
Helen Maury, the Pajama Girl	Rita Bommer
	—JEAN MILLS



BACK ROW—Stanley Cherry, Lawrence Thome, Elmer Weiss, Forrest Nagel, Donald Rodensky, Donald Urig, Arnold Gilbert, Clement Hassel, Hubert Gough.

MIDDLE ROW—Gwendolyn Adams, Margaret Hein, Clement Klingshirn, William Chester, Ronald Toll, Elmer Plas, Joseph Wysocki, William Butti, Mr. Lembright.

FRONT ROW—Madeline Hall, Helen Eppich, Dorothy Linden, Frances Voytek, Rosella Linden, Marabelle Schumaker, Josephine Miller, Marjorie Mitchell, Betty Moon. (Not in Picture—Clarence Fitch)

Sophomores

The Sophomore Class of Avon High School started this year with twenty-nine members. Mildred Fischer, Donald Rodensky, Josephine Miller, and William Voytek have left us. Consequently, we close our year with only twenty-five members.

We are proud to say that our class has contributed to the school's social activities. On the Girls' Basketball Team, Rosella Linden, Margaret Hein, and Gwendolyn Adams represented us, and on the Boys' Basketball Team, Elmer Weiss, Hubert Gough, and Forrest Nagel have played important parts during Basketball Season. Rosella is one of our three snappy cheer-leaders. Avon's future hope lies in our track stars. We also enjoyed playing tennis, volley-ball, and basketball.

Several have contributed to the vocal talent in the Girls' and Boys' Glee Clubs. Marjorie Mitchell, Betty Moon, William Chester, and Hubert Gough have showed much talent throughout the school year in the Senior Orchestra.

We blush when we say that our Sophomore girls still hold the title of the school's best gigglers.

The main social events of the year were a weiner roast held in Kinzel's Grove and a class party.

Mr. Lembright was our class sponsor.

Clement Hassel	President
Gwendolyn Adams	Vice-President
Helen Eppich	Secretary
Rosella Linden	Treasurer

MARGARET HEIN



BACK ROW—Left to Right—Emil Kralich, Edward Alten, Robert Schneider, Edward Siffert, Henry Carmon, Norman Westerfield, Roger Philips, Robert Christensen, William Peak, Charles Piazza, Norman Klingshirn, Adam Abfall, Dale Immel.

MIDDLE ROW—Robert Holbury, Ralph Forthofer, Conrad Straub, Leroy Forthofer, Dan Reardon, Arthur Hein, Birdie Reardon, Mary Vaca, Shirley Kramer, Marian Detzel, Rita Conroy, Miss Peak.

FRONT ROW—Josephine Zvosechz, Clarabelle Linden, Alice Miller, Teresa Smith, Margaret Leferink, Gladys Fitch, Elvira Baudrexel, Dolores Barres, Cecilia Krystowski, Winifred Holbury. (Not in picture—Michael Semanick, Jean Eungard)

Freshman Class

In September, 37 pupils entered the freshman room to become a part of the high school. Not until our faces were plastered with paste were we full fledged freshmen.

We took part in the carnival by having a fish pond for the kiddies. We all enjoyed our weiner roast and class party.

We seventeen girls have enjoyed our work in Home Economics in preparing breakfasts, luncheons, and dinners. In sewing we made the following garments: aprons, undergarments, and cotton dresses.

The most interesting periods were spent in preparing for a tea at which we entertained our mothers.

The freshman boys were all enrolled in Manual Training, where they learned some of the fundamentals of blueprint reading, woodwork, sheet metal work, and electric work.

Some of the projects which they have made are broom holders, tie racks, foot stools, medicine cabinets, smoking cabinets, hall trees, lamps, magazine racks, match boxes and electric motors. (Last but not least, a three-legged milk stool.)

Our class has some very good athletes and, in future years, they will probably be stars.

We ought not forget our girls' glee club, for it did very well.

Our class sponsor was Miss Peak. The officers were:

Marian Detzel	President
Elvira Baudrexel	Vice-President
Charles Piazza	Secretary
William Peak	Treasurer

—MARIAN DETZEL



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- - The Staff - -

EDITOR	Ruth Forthofer
ASSISTANT EDITOR	Betty Mills
NEWS EDITOR	Elfrieda Fischer
ASSISTANT NEWS EDITOR	Lillian Sikora
FEATURE EDITOR	Jean Mills
ASSISTANT FEATURE EDITOR	Betty Wagar
SPORTS EDITOR	Raymond Mitchell
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR	Bud Curtiss
ART EDITOR	Robert Burkart
ASSISTANT ART EDITORS	Richard Wilford, Gerald Schumaker
BUSINESS MANAGER	Victor Malinovsky
ASSISTANT BUSINESS MANAGER	Norman Wearsch
ADVERTISING MANAGER	Roy Balogh
ASSISTANT ADVERTISING MANAGER	Rita Bommer
MIMEOGRAPH OPERATOR	Edwin Knight
ASSISTANT MIMEOGRAPH OPERATORS	Frank Lescher, Edward Weiss
CIRCULATION MANAGER	Ehel Nagel
ASSISTANT CIRCULATION MANAGERS	George Knight, Tony Suppero
STENCIL CUTTERS	Evelyn Bommer, Dorothy Curtiss
TYPISTS	Dorothy Hein, Jean Urig, Margaret Hollis, Marian Linden
FACULTY ADVISER	Miss Smith

Class News?!!! Editorial, ads, business manager! This is what is heard every Monday before you receive your Booster. What does this all mean? Well, the editor is busy collecting the material to publish this paper, rearranging and editing it. Since the origin of the Booster in 1921, the subscriptions have increased from a few subscriptions to about 200. If this continues, Avon High School may soon be editing 300 Boosters bi-weekly. If the inhabitants of Avon continue to show their interest in the activities of the school, we, the staff, will try to put forth our best ability to show our gratitude.

Orchestra

The orchestra has completed another successful year under the direction of Mr. Floyd Moore. It has entertained at many school activities and P. T. A. meetings. New music had been bought during the past year and the orchestra delighted in playing it.

Mr. Melvin Burriss, who is teacher of wind instruments, has several promising pupils.

Members of the orchestra are:

VIOLINS	Victor Malinovsky, Jean Eungard, Robert Moon, Elliot Beidler
BASS VIOL	Ruth Forthofer
SAXAPHONE	Donald Pickering
TRUMPETS	Raymond Mitchell, Russell Chester
CLARINETS	William Chester, Erick Olsen
HORN	Marjorie Mitchell
XYLOPHONE	Hubert Gough
DRUMS	Shirley Kramer
P-ANO	Betty Moon
	R. A. F. '35

Glee Clubs

If you had been around school any Friday at certain periods of the day you would have seen the members of the boys' and girls' glee clubs making their way toward the auditorium for their weekly practice. This year the glee clubs were under the direction of a new leader, Miss Marjorie Howe.

On April 13, the glee clubs entered the annual glee club contest at Clearview. The boys' glee club, composed of only nine members, sang "Passing By" and "Home on the Range." Although competing with glee clubs twice their size, they won first place in the contest with a rating of "excellent." The girls presented "Sylvia" and "At Parting." They tied for second place with a rating of "Very Good."

On April 16, at a P. T. A. meeting, the glee clubs presented their contest numbers. The officers of the girls' glee club for this year were:

PRESIDENT	Evelyn Bommer
VICE-PRESIDENT	Dorothy Curtiss
SECRETARY	Mildred Gerbick
TREASURER	Elfrieda Fischer
LIBRARIANS	Marian Linden, Martha Abfall

Library

One of the conveniences of which the pupils of this school make use is the library. Equipped with modern books of knowledge and suitable reading for both faculty and student body, it is much frequented.

Each year more books have been added to its shelves. With the cooperation of the students, we hope to make it yet one of the best school libraries of its size in the county.

Senior Class Play

The Senior Class presented the play, "Girl Shy," on Tuesday, March 5. The play was coached by Miss Wilford.

The cast was as follows:

Tom Arsdale, who is girl shy	Edward Weiss
Oke Stimson, who isn't	Victor Malinovsky
Caroline, Tom's Aunt	Evelyn Bommer
Anthony Arsdale, Tom's father	Raymond Mitchell
Sylvia Webster, Tom's pet aversion	Ethel Nagel
Dean Marlowe, Dean of the college	Edwin Knight
Peaches Carter, Oke's present weakness	Mildred Gerbick
Asma, a colored wash lady	Ruth Forthofer
Birdie LaVerne, a movie aspirant	Jean Urig
Barbara Sanford, Herself	Dorothy Curtiss
Alfred Tennyson Murgatoyd, the college poet	George Knight
Chuck Mayo, Birdie's tough boy friend	Roy Balogh

The Avon High sportsmen now bring you



BACK ROW—Left to Right—Roy Balogh, Boys' Manager; Edwin Knight, Treasurer; Victor Malinovsky, President; Edward Conroy, Boys' Assistant Manager.

FRONT ROW—Marian Linden, Vice President; Dorothy Curtiss, Girls' Manager; Martha Abfall, Girls' Assistant Manager; Rita Bommer, Assistant Treasurer; Mildred Gerbick, Secretary.

Gym

Gym work this year was under the supervision of Mr. Kolopus. Roy Balogh and Victor Malinovsky assisted with the Freshman boys and girls respectively.

Mr. Kolopus has tried to get every boy and girl in the high school interested in the gym work. Equipment for volley ball was purchased, and this new sport was greeted with much enthusiasm.

Besides the varsity squads for basketball and track, class and intramural teams were organized. The Juniors won the high school championship in both track and basketball. Medals were given the boys on the winning teams in both the "A" and "B" division of the intramural teams.

Avon Track Teams



BACK ROW—Left to Right—Gerald Shumaker, Joseph Wysocki, Lawrence Thome, Victor Malinovsky, Robert Schneider, Mr. Kolopus, Coach.

FRONT ROW—Left to Right—Elmer Weiss, Frank Lescher, Leo Bacher, Clarence Schneider, Hubert Gough, Henry Carmon, Norman Wearsch.

The boys' track team, under the leadership of Louis J. Kolopus, has made much progress this year. They traveled to Delaware and to the Wesleyan Relays. They took second in the two-mile relay and fifth in the one-mile relay. Each member of the relay team received a bronze medal. Avon also had individual meets with Avon Lake, Brownhelm, La Grange, and Clearview.

The boys' and girls' teams traveled to Oberlin on Friday, May 3. It was a very rainy day. The track teams and the crowd braved the bad weather and once or twice were driven to cover. With only one letterman back, Avon took third in the County meet. They finished up with 41 points. The high school girls took fourth, while the 15-year-old team also took fourth. Avon's 13-year-old track team took first. Hubbard captured 12 points for them. The track meet ended with a cloudburst just as Avon was taking first in the mile relay.

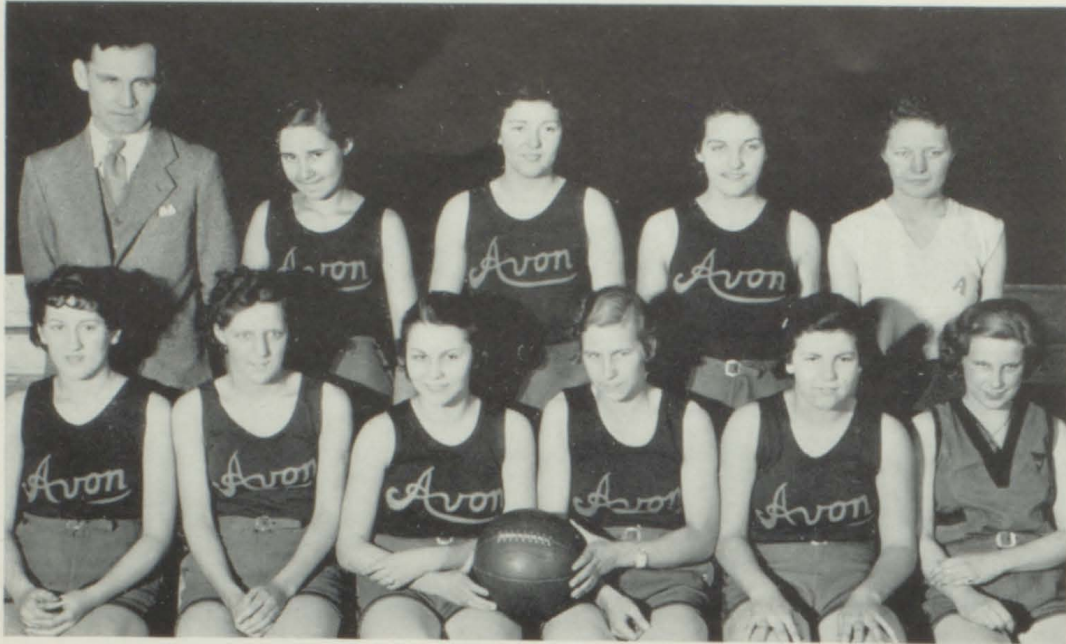
And so ends the track season for Avon High School. Only a few lettermen will be lost because of graduation, and it is expected that Avon will regain the county title next year.

—Bud Curtiss

AVON HIGH SCHOOL RECORDS

EVENT	OLD RECORD	THIS YEAR'S RECORD
100-Yard Dash	10.6 seconds	M. Malinovsky 11 seconds
220-Yard Dash	23.4 seconds	Sam Lescher 26 seconds
440-Yard Dash	56 seconds	V. Malinovsky 56 seconds
880-Yard Dash	2 minutes 15 seconds	Leo Bacher 2 minutes 13 seconds
Mile Run	4 minutes 58 seconds	V. Malinovsky 5 minutes 5 seconds
Broad Jump	19 feet 11 inches	Sam Lescher 18 feet 4 inches
High Jump	5 feet 6 inches	H. Gough 5 feet 2 inches
Pole Vault	10 feet 4 inches	C. Schneider 9 feet 8 inches
Shot Put	41 feet 2 inches	C. Schneider 36 feet 7 inches
Discus Throw	101 feet 6 inches	G. Shumaker 95 feet 11 inches
Javelin Throw	151 feet 11 inches	Gough 134 feet 8 inches
Mile Relay	3 minutes 52 seconds	A. H. S. 3 minutes 52 seconds
Two Mile Relay		A. H. S. 9 minutes

Basketball Teams



BACK ROW—Left to Right—Mr. Kolopus, coach, Lillian Sikora, Marian Linden, Martha Abfall, Margaret Hein.
FRONT ROW—Mildred Gerbick, Dorothy Hein, Dorothy Curtiss, Jean Urig, Rosella Linden, Ruth Merrick. Not in picture, Gwendolyn Adams.



BACK ROW—Left to Right—Raymond Mitchell, Acting Manager, Norman Wearsch, Elmer Weiss, Alton Urig, Hubert Gough, Mr. Kolopus, coach.
FRONT ROW—Edward Weiss, Frank Lescher, Clarence Schneider, Victor Malinovsky, captain, Forrest Nagel, Lloyd Peak. Not in picture, Edward Conroy.

Girls' Basketball

Although hindered by the return of only three lettermen, the Bobcats turned in another successful season. They were victorious in 7 of their contests.

Jean Urig and Marian Linden, two of the returning lettermen, thrilled the crowds with their accurate shooting and spectacular plays. Dorothy Curtiss, forward, also a returning letterman, played a fast, clean, all-around game.

Martha Abfall, Lillian Sikora, Dorothy Hein, and Rosella Linden, guards, put up a good defense game. Gwendolyn Adams and Ruth Merrick showed promising talent for next year.

The outlook for the girls' team next season is somewhat dim, as Jean, Marian, Dorothy Curtiss, and Dorothy Hein will be lost by graduation.

GIRLS' SCORES

Avon 11	Brookside 18	Avon 12	Brownhelm 24
Avon 24	Ex-Highs' 13	Avon 20	Brookside 13
Avon 23	La Grange 6	Avon 29	Columbia 24
Avon 32	Medina 16	Avon 13	Belden 14
Avon 17	Eaton 20	Avon 19	Avon Lake 12
Avon 34	Camden 10		

Boys' Basketball

Once again the boys have completed a successful season. Eliminated from the class "A" tournament by only one game, the boys decided that the next best thing was to emerge victorious from the class "B" tournament. And they did! So, another trophy was added to our collection.

Captain Malinovsky was rated as one of the cleverest players of the game; Schneider was an unstopable scorer; Edward Weiss was famous for his long shots, while his younger brother, Elmer, displayed some speedy passwork. Peak, as center, and Lescher and Wearsch, as guards, played a good all-around game. Other good material was found in Urig, Conroy, and Gough.

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