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The Nautilus

Once more the Nautilus staff finds it its duty for the sake of the record to chronicle the fact that another year has gone by and that another class of students have left two more years of education behind them. In a changing world of uncertainty, it seems of primary importance that every milestone should be logged, regardless of it's seeming minuteness at the time. This is the job we have tried to do, much as the master of a ship notes not only the location but the little things each day that relieve monotony. Certainly we cannot include all that the individuals might wish perpetuated, and possibly some matter will creep in that from a personal standpoint might be best forgotten. Generally speaking however, the events, trend and incident of this year's Nautilus will highlight the story of the school year 1938-39 at Grays Harbor Junior College.

Logging the Milestone

To the Future

In the years to come this edition of the Nautilus will take on an added value as the names, places and events of undergraduate days are less readily recalled. And at some distant date it may even aid materially in bringing back to mind a youth that has long since been buried in a mass of routine living. So, feeling that it will incite a deep appreciation in that distant day, and reassure anyone who is in doubt that those years were worth the living, we are dedicating the 1939 annual to the future. While many would have us believe that it is much the same as dedication to a question mark, we choose to take the materialistic viewpoint, that like the weather it will always be there. Probably like the weather also, it will have spells of being good, bad, and indifferent. In so dedicating we are mentally crossing our fingers and wishing Godspeed. And as it rapidly changes to the past may the mills grind out the chaff of uncertainty.



DEAN LEWIS C. TIDBALL: Political Science, Psychology; A. B. University of Wyoming; M. A. University of Washington; Ph. D. University of Washington.

A Patient Lot

Looking back it is certain that the size of the task of those who were burdened with the dissemination of learning, will be more appreciated. Probably not recognizable at close range, the farther in the distance it is seen, the clearer becomes the patience of those who are always found in this section of the annual . . . ADMINISTRATION.

Faculty



ALFRED J. HILLIER: History, Sociology, Economics, Debate, Argumentation; B. A. Linfield College; M. A. University of Washington.



DR. GORDON D. ALCORN: Botany, Eugenics, Zoology, Museum Technique; M. S. and Ph. D., University of Washington.



WILLIAM J. INGRAM: Chemistry, Calculus; M. S. at Oregon State College.



J. WILLIAM CAUNT: Bookkeeping and Accounting; C. P. A.



JACK JEFFERY: Chemistry; Grays Harbor Junior College; B. A. University of Washington.



ELAINE HESLA: Music and English; B. A., Augustana College, Two Falls, N. D.



MRS. GORDON D. ALCORN: Art; Santa Barbara School of the Arts; Instructor in Painting College Puget Sound, 1930-35; Acting head of department, 34-35.

EARL C. REX: Mathematics, Engineering, Drawing; B. S. University of Notre Dame; M. S. University of Washington.



HARRY L. RUBY: English, Literature, Business English, Composition, Contemporary Literature; B. A. and M. A. University of Notre Dame.



MRS. EMILY DAVIDSON: Dean of Women; B. A. University of Colorado.



JOHN FORBES: Newswriting; Oregon State College, Washington State College.



School History

Grays Harbor Junior College was conceived during the winter of 1929, but it was not until August of 1930 that organization was completed and the college was incorporated under the laws of the state.

It was on September 29 of 1930 that 122 students convened for first classes in the new institution, and it became a materiality. Dean Lewis C. Tidball, who still heads the school was appointed in July, 1930, and was responsible for much of the organization work.

Included on the faculty of the school that first year were Miss Marguerite Brethorst (now Mrs. E. E. Boner), Miss Martha Ann Goertz (Mrs. William S. Hill), Mr. David Jolly, Mr. Edwin St. John Griffith, Mr. John F. Schwab, Miss Helen Mumaw, and Miss Geraldine McHugh.

Growth since the first year has been steady, there not having been a year during the nine that the average enrollment throughout the year did

not increase over the one previous. During the past year the enrollment has hovered around the 200 mark, and with a freshman class of 150, next year is certain to far exceed the present.

Junior colleges received an unexpected blow when the legislature at the last session refused to pass a measure that would include the schools in the state school system, thereby aiding the financial position materially, and cutting tuition so that more students could take advantage of the things that Junior Colleges have to offer.

It is felt, however, that it is only a matter of time until this will be accomplished and in the meantime the colleges are progressing on their own initiative.

Of the seven recognized junior colleges in the state, Grays Harbor is the largest and has made the most rapid progress.

As They are Classified

Here are the pages that will be thumbed most often, as names and faces lose their association. As long as the familiarity of either clings, a trip to the bottom shelf of the old book case, where this annual has been gathering dust for seeming uncounted eons, will straighten things all out and turn back the years. Maybe it was a close intimate, or possibly just some one that used to pass in the halls, and the association has lasted all those years. Sort of a master cue, as it were, to that greatest of all jig-saw puzzles.

Sophomores



FJALAR SPELLMAN, Aberdeen:
Course, Pre-Library. President Sophomore Class; Men's Club; Midshipmen; Forum Club; Judiciary Board; Campus Day, 1-2; Junior College Week, 1-2; Hiking Club.



RALPH BAYER, Aberdeen:
Course, Chemical Engineering. Golf Team, 2; Engineers Club, 2; G. H. Club; Midshipmen Club.

ERIC BERKELEY, Hoquiam:
Course, Liberal Arts. Chairman Junior College Week, 1; Midshipmen Club; Forum Club; Judiciary Board; President Student Body; Debate Team, 1; Goodwill Tour, 1-2.



BOB BEZZO, Hoquiam:
Course, Architectural Engineering. (W. S. C. Transfer). Hiking Club, 2; Alpha Sigma Epsilon, 2.

BERNICE EKLUND, Hoquiam:
Course, Pre-Normal. Treasurer Freshman Class, 1-2; Debate, 1-2; News Writing; Art Club; Dramatics, 1; Athenaeum, Nautilus; Campus Day.



LAURI ENBOM, Aberdeen:
Course, Pre-Veterinary. Track, 1-2; Vice-President Midshipmen, 2; Director of Pep Band, 2.

DOROTHY FLETCHER, Hoquiam:
Course, Pre-Nursing. Nautilus Staff, 1-2; Stentorian Staff, 1-2.



ALBERT FRANCISCOVICH, Aberdeen:
Course, Pre-Dental. Men's Club, 1-2; Intra-Mural Basketball, 1-2; Golf, 1-2; G. H. Club, 2; Sec-Treas G. H. Club, 2; Day's of '49 Committee, 2; Carnival Committee, 2; Nautilus Business Staff, 2.

VERNON HALBERT, Hoquiam:
Course, Forestry. Hiking, 1-2; Swimming, 2; Dancing, 2; Days '49; Dance Committee; Hike Club President, Fall Quarter, 1; Commencement Day Program.

CHESTER GILL, Aberdeen:
Course, Civil Engineering. Intermural Basketball Captain, 2; Basketball, 1-2; Days of '49, 1; Campus Day, 1-2; Men's Club Dinner, 1-2; Freshman Dinner, 1; Frosh Football Game, 1; Sophomore Vice-President, 2; Tennis Team, 2; Radio Club, 1; Hiking Club, 1-2.

ETHEL HOLLINGSWORTH, Montesano:
Course, Home Economics. Athenaeum, 1-2; Vice-President, 2; Phi Theta Kappa, 1-2; President, 2; Sophomore Representative to A. W. S. Council, 2; Art Club, Spring Quarter, 2.

DON JACOBS, Elma:
Course, Pre-Education. Track, 1-2; G. H. Club; News Writing, 2; Nautilus Staff, 2.

HENRY JOHNSON, Hoquiam:
Course, Chemical Engineering. President of Midshipmen Club, 2; Phi Theta Kappa; Trock Team; Basketball Team; Men's Club Officer, 2.

JAMES KNOKEY, Montesano:
Course, Business Administration. Orchestra, 1-2; Good Will Tour, 2.

TED LAINE, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. Nautilus Staff, 1-2; Stentorian Staff, 1-2; Board of Control, 2.

PENT LINDGREN, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. Men's Club President; Midshipmen Club, 2; Forum Club; Chairman J. C. Carnival; Board of Control; Men's Club Treasurer, 1; Second Team Basketball, 2.

AUSTIN LUNDGREN, Aberdeen:
Course, Liberal Arts. Men's Club, 1-2.

MILDRED MALINOWSKI, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. Athenaeum; Dramatics; Hiking Club; Secretary of Frosh Class; A. W. S. Treasurer.

GEORGE TOKAS, Hoquiam:
Course, Chemical Engineering. Secretary Midshipmen, 2; A. S. E. President, 2; Dramatics, 1-2; All School Show, 1; Campus Day Committee, 2; Business Staff, Nautilus, 1; Days of '49, 1; J. C. Edition, 1; Men's Club, 1-2; Carnival Committee.





DOROTHY DELEA KNANNLEIN, Cosmopolis:
Course, Business Administration. Hiking Club
Secretary, 1; Sophomore Class Secretary, 1-2;
Athenaeum Club, 1-2; Chairman of Social Com-
mittee; A. W. S.



ARNOLD MORROW, Hoquiam:
Course, Medicine. Track, 1; Swimming, 1-2; Busi-
ness Staff Annual, 1; Midshipmen, 1-2; G. H. Club,
1-2; G. H. Club Vice-President, 2.



MILES MUNSON, Aberdeen:
Course, Chemical Engineering. Vice-President
Alpha Sigma Epsilon; Radio Club.



HERBERT NELSON, Aberdeen:
Course, Chemistry. Hiking Club; A. S. E.



GEORGE OLSON, Aberdeen:
Course, Electrical Engineering. Dramatics, 1; En-
gineers Club, 2; Midshipmen, 2; All School Show, 1.



GEORGE PETTAINEN, Aberdeen:
Course, Mechanical Engineering. Basketball, 1;
Track, 1-2; Baseball, 2; Intramural Basketball, 2;
Midshipmen Club; G. H. Club, 1-2; G. H. Club
President, 2; Days of '49; Carnival Committee;
Class Basketball, Men's Club, 1-2.

WEIKKO RASANEN, Aberdeen:
Course, Forestry. Basketball, 1-2; Track, 1-2; Mid-
shipmen, 2; Days of '49, 2.

BILL SAVAGE, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. Days of '49;
Junior College Orchestra; Ping Pong Champion, 2;
Track, 1; Good Will Tour, 2.

MARVIN SCHMID, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. Swimming, 2;
Goodwill Tour, 1-2; Days of '49, 1-2; Campus Days,
2; Nautilus Business Staff, 1-2.

WALTER HEIKEL, Hoquiam:
Course, Chemistry. Men's Club; Junior College
Week; Campus Day, 1.

LOUIS MESSMER, Aberdeen:
Course, Fisheries. Frosh President, 1; Dramatics, 1;
Swimming, 1-2; Good Will Tour, 1; Stentorian, 1-2;
Nautilus, 1; Business Staff, 1; J. C. Radio Pro-
grams, 1-2 Campus Day, 2; Midshipmen; Hiking
Club President, 1; Men's Club Representative, 2;
Judiciary Board; Days of '49, 1-2; Forum Club, 2;
Jaycee Edition, 1.

LLOYD SLOVER, Aberdeen:
Course, Liberal Arts-Journalism. Days of '49; Good
Will Tour.
Will Tour, 1-2 Writers Club, 1-2.

CLIFF SPELLMAN, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. Midshipmen, 1-
2-3; Tennis, 1-2; Secretary of Men's Club, 1-2;
G. H. Club, 1-2; Vice-President of School, 1-2;
Forum Club, 1-2; Judiciary Board, 2; Good Will, 2.

BILL STAFF, Aberdeen:
Course, Electrical Engineering. Phi Theta Kappa, 2;
Midshipmen, 1-2; Treasurer, 2; Radio Club, 1-2;
News Writing, 1-2; Alpha Sigma Epsilon Treasurer,
2; Stentorian, 2; Dramatics, 1; All School Show,
1; Hiking Club, 2; Nautilus Photographer, 1-2;

IVAN STAFFORD, Aberdeen:
Course, Pre-Engineering. Engineer's Club.

PEGGY WHALEN, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. Alpha Delta Rho,
1-2-3; Secretary-Treasurer, 1-2; Phi Theta Kappa,
1-2-3; Treasurer, 1-2; Athenaeum, 1-2-3; Presi-
dent, 1-2; A. W. S., 1-2-3; Vice-President, 1-2;
Dramatics, 1-2; Junior College Edition, 1-2; Good

GENEVIEVE ZINK, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. President A. W.
S.; Secretary-Treasurer Athenaeum; Campus Day.

NICK ZURICH, Aberdeen:
Course, Business Administration. Swimming; Box
ing.



Freshmen — Class of 1940



Upper picture — left to right.

- First row—Romane Anderson, Gladys Carlson, Marion Caldwell, Doris Brinkley, Kathryn Best, Tom Anderson.
- Second row—Robert Bemiss, Miss Hesla, Peter Clark, Elven Backholm, Marion Brkich.
- Third row—Hans Branford, Don Carlson, Bud Braley, Lawrence Borden.
- Fourth row—Willis Bunker, Don Bezzo, John Celich.



Middle picture—left to right.

- First row—Irene Irving, Lorraine Look, Patricia Kuper, Helmi Karjala, Phyllis Lowry, Donnagene Lowry.
- Second row—David Johnson, Ed Levison, Jane Kirkwood, Arline Johnson, Esther Lyon, Adrian Julius.
- Third row—Raino Jaskar, Harold Lundquist, Sergey Cawchook, Ed La Bounty, Woodson Losli, Joe Klein.
- Fourth row—Stan Jacobson, Norma Kansala, Rolf Lyse, Jack Knight.



Bottom picture.

- First row — Irene Hanninen, Vivian Hesla, Mary Germain, Lillian Gustafson, Lea Greene.
- Second row — George Gustafson, Wayne Hagen, James Ennis, Maybelle England, Phyllis Foster.
- Third row — Stilson Erickson, Ernest Edwards, Ed Hilliard, Miles Esden, Jack Hayne, Sterling Hegg.

Freshmen — Class of 1940



Upper picture.

First row—Bill Murphy, Shirley Matheson, Edna McKay, Helen Nolan, Delma Olson.

Second row—Bob Mullins, Earl McKinney, Mary Nielsen, Rosalie Nieradzick, Jean Matson.

Third row—Tom Monahan, Don Morris, Bob McNeal, Robert Nelson, Wayne Olson.



Middle picture.

First row—Vera Sweesy, Agnes Steinbach, Vesta Stara, Daphne Severson, Betty Severson.

Second row—Mike Shish, Jim Scott, Marjorie Phelps, Maxine Roberts, Gerry Richardson, Barbara Redfield.

Third row—Ernest Salo, Ray Saarela, Bob Routt, Bob Seely, LaMar Price, Ed Protheroe.

Bottom picture.

First row — Evelyn Voigt, Jean Watkins, Harriet Thomas, Elizabeth Trafton, Lowanna Talbot.

Second row — Charles Partridge, Clyde Salme, Lee Warbington, Bob Walker, Stan Sklodo, Bill Solberg.

Third row — Bob Seaman, Ray Saarela, Delson Walkup, Jim Turner, Nick Yantsin, Harold Sherfy, Walter Porter.



Class Histories

Class of '39

To this year's Sophomore class fell the ticklish task of holding Sophomore prestige against a Freshman class outnumbering us most of the year three to one. All in all we were very successful.

Our strength throughout the year averaged better than fifty members, making us the largest Sophomore class in school history. Our record, however, will be shortlived as next year Sophomores should better that number considerably.

Officers elected for the year were Fjaliar Spellman, president; Chester Gill, vice president; Dorothy Knannlein, secretary; Gareth Giles, treasurer, and Louis Messmer, representative on the board of control.

During the past year a wider scope of activities has been instituted at Junior College, mostly under the guidance of the Sophomore class. The year has been probably the most successful in school history, for which we also accept our due share of credit.

Class of '40

The freshman class of the college this year is the largest in the history of the school. In the fall quarter the students' enrollment numbered over one hundred and sixty.

Officers elected at that time were Jack Knight, president; Marion Caldwell, vice-president; Vesta Stara, secretary; and Sarl McKinney, treasurer.

During the past three quarters the class has held several functions. In the fall a class dinner was given and the sophomores were invited to a dance following it. A class day was also planned, but the sophomores used it as a sneak day. This spring the freshmen sponsored a dance for the graduating seniors of the high schools of the county, and another was given in honor of the sophomore class of the Junior College. A picnic was also held at Offut Lake.

Due to the large number of students in the class this year, a large graduating class will be assured for next year.

Those of Brain and Energy

"He was like that in college," you will say, and to prove it hurry through to this section of the annual, to show to the doubtful, or unmindful that he was active in this and that, and his picture is pretty well scattered through the book. Or perhaps it will be "She was so quiet in school," and search intently through picture after picture, looking for some indication that life would work out as it did. If the pattern is right here should be found the future successes, the tycoons, the organizers, those of both brain and energy. And looking back you will be able to ascertain whether or not it all meant anything.



Phi Theta Kappa

Phi Theta Kappa is the national honorary club of the college. A student must have an A and B grade average to gain membership. There were fourteen members this year. Dr. Gordon D. Alcorn is the adviser.

Ethel Hollingsworth, president of the club, won the trophy for her scholarship. Other officers were Mary Jane Schumacher, vice-president; Peggy Whalen, treasurer, and Vera Sweesy, secretary.

First row — Sterling Hegg, Vera Sweesy, Peggy Whalen, Ethel Hollingsworth, Irene Irving.
 Second row — Henry Johnson, Stan Sklodo, Elizabeth Trafton, Marion Caldwell, Fiji Spellman.
 Third row — Lawrence Borden, Jim Ennis, Nick Yantsin, Bill Staff.



Athenaeum Club

"You are invited to become a member of the Athenaeum Club. In order to do so you must have a scholastic rating of 'B.' May you always uphold this honor."

In the fall of 1938 twelve girls were thrilled by receiving an invitation, similar to the one above.

An organization in order to accomplish something must have a leader. Peggy Whalen presided as president, Ethel Hollingsworth as vice-president, and Genevieve Zink as secretary-treasurer.

Regular meetings were held twice a month.

In May, nine more girls were pledged to fulfill the duties of Athenaeum members. Mrs. Davidson supervised all activities, as faculty adviser.

First row — Mildred Malinowski, Genevieve Zink, Dorothy Knannlein, Ethel Hollingsworth, Peggy Whalen.
 Second row — Helen Nolan, Harriet Thomas, Lea Greene, Irene Irving, Agnes Steinback, Gladys Carlson.
 Third row — Bernice Eklund, Gerry Richardson, Lillian Gustafson, Rosalie Nieradzick, Marion Caldwell, Mary Germain.
 Fourth row — Evelyn Voigt, Vera Sweesy, Shirley Matheson, Helmi Karjala.
 Fifth row — Norma Kansala, Irene Hanninen, Mrs. Davidson, Kathryn Best, Doris Berglund.



Alpha Delta Rho

The Alpha Delta Rho sorority started its activities this fall by pledging thirteen new members. The pledges took charge of the organization's assembly in the fall. Officers elected for the year were Sylvia Heikkila, president; Hazel O'Neal, vice-president; Peggy Whalen, secretary-treasurer.

First row — Harriet Thomas, Frances Thorpe, Peggy Whalen, Hazel O'Neal.
 Second row — Shirley Matheson, Marion Caldwell, Marjorie Phelps, Virginia Jugum, Miss Hesla.
 Third row — Norma Kansala, Arline Johnson, Delma Olson, Vera Sweesy, Maybelle England, Vivian Hesla.



A. W. S. Officers

It was fall and the Associated Women Students of the Grays Harbor Junior College were raring to go. That they did by electing Genevieve Zink, president; Peggy Whalen, vice-president; Irene Irving, secretary; Mildred Malinowski, treasurer; Ethel Hollingsworth, sophomore representative, and Doris Brinkley, freshman representative.

On October 21, the little green freshmen girls were honored at a tea, while the mothers were given special attention at a tea, December 15.

Climaxing the year on May 25th, Mrs. Davidson, faculty advisor, supervised the Senior Girls' tea, in honor of the high school graduating seniors from various cities of the county.

First row — Mrs. Davidson, Mildred Malinowski, Genevieve Zink.
 Second row — Peggy Whalen, Irene Irving.

Board of Control

The Board of Control is the legislative body of the school, and to it is entrusted any problems coming before the school as a whole. The two classes, and the Associated Women's Students and the Men's Club are represented on the board. Dean Lewis Tidball is also a member.

First row — Louis Messmer, Ted Laine, Harriet Thomas, Genevieve Zink.
Second row — Pent Lindgren, Eric Berkeley, Vera Sweesy, Norma Kansala.
Third row — Cliff Spellman, Dean Tidball.



Judiciary Board

Here was the disciplinary board of the school, and so good was the behavior that it was called upon to function only on rare occasions. It is another form of student government.

First row — Louis Messmer, Fiji Spellman, Jack Knight, Pent Lindgren.
Second row — John Girard, Eric Berkeley, Cliff Spellman.



Men's Club Officers

Officers of the Men's Club elected last fall were: Pent Lindgren, president; Henry Johnson, vice-president; Bob Hoonan, secretary; Marion Brkich, treasurer, and Louis Messmer, representative.

During the year two stag dinners were held, one in the fall and the other in the early spring.

The annual Days of '49 celebration was bigger and better than before with the attendance surpassing all expectations.

The profits from this affair were used to furnish a new men's lounge. Chairs, tables, davenport, and a new radio comprise the furnishings.

First row — Henry Johnson, Pent Lindgren, Mr. Ruby.
Second row — Louis Messmer, Bob Hoonan, Marion Brkich.



Midshipmen

The Midshipmen fraternity is an organization of live-wires chosen among the men of the freshman class in the spring quarter. The Midshipmen serve the same purpose in school as the service clubs serve in the community.

The Midshipmen Halloween dance in October started the school social season rolling. A series of exchange dinner dances with the A. D. Rhos constituted the winter quarter's activities. In the spring the Midshipmen bought the Days of '49 pins. Pledging and Hell Week ended with an informal dance at the school.

Officers for the year were: Henry Johnson, president; Lauri Enbom, vice-president; George Tokas, secretary; Bill Staff, treasurer; and George Pettainen, sergeant-at-arms.

First row — Gorden Peterson, George Tokas, Arnold Morrow, Weikko Rasanen, Henry Johnson, Mr. Jeffery, Lauri Enbom.

Second row — Bill Staff, Bob Guerin, George Pettainen, George Olson, Ralph Bayer, Pent Lindgren, Louis Messmer.

Third row — Fiji Spellman, Harold Lundquist, Bob McNeal, Eric Berkeley, Raino Jaskar, Cliff Spellman, Elven Backholm.

Fourth row — Don Bezzo, Adrian Julius, Stilson Erickson, Ernest Salo, Charles Partridge, Jack Hayne, Ed Hilliard.





Stentorian and Nautilus Staffs

Practically the same group composed the Stentorian and Nautilus staffs. Stentorian, verbal newspaper of J. C. assemblies was heard nearly every Friday throughout the year, dispensing the news of the week or what passed for it. In the later days of the spring quarter the same group turned their attention to the Nautilus, with this result.

First row — Bill Staff, Louis Messmer, Lorraine Look, Mildred Malinowski, Gladys Carlson, Gerry Richardson.

Second row — Ted Laine, Don Jacobs, Jim Scott, Bernice Eklund, Esther Lyon.



Business Staff of the Nautilus

Manager Sterling Hegg and his associates were handed the task of raising the money necessary to put out the annual. Starting late, due to business conditions, and other contributing factors, they did an excellent job of a difficult task.

First row — Sterling Hegg, Dorothy Knannlein, Marion Caldwell, Mildred Malinowski.

Second row — Al Franciscovich, Miles Esdon, Vera Sweesy, Maybelle England.

Third row — Clyde Salme, Willis Bunker Bernice Eklund.



Dramatics

The dramatics group met at least once a week, sometimes more. During the early part of the school year the group was under the direction of Mrs. Francine Donner. When Mrs. Donner left the city, Don Murphy, dramatics instructor at the high school, took over the class and continued the work.

First row — Bob Hoonan, Mildred Malinowski, Agnes Steinback, Gladys Carlson, Helmi Karjala.

Second row — Bernice Eklund, Gerry Richardson, Sterling Hegg.

Third row — Norma Kansala, Maybelle England, Irene Irving, Bud Braley.

Fourth row — Charles Partridge.



Art

Art students at Junior College this year were extremely fortunate in having as an instructor Mrs. Alcorn, who is recognized as one of the outstanding artists in the Northwest. Under her tutelage the artists showed constant improvement throughout the year. It is the first time in school history that such a course has been offered.

First row — Betty Severson, Vesta Stara, Shirley Matheson, Ethel Hollingsworth, Gladys Carlson.

Second row — Jean Matson, Bernice Eklund, Mary Nielson, Rosalie Nieradzik.

Third row — Mrs. Alcorn, Donnagene Lowry, Margaret Geyer, Marjorie Phelps, Doris Berglund.

Debate

Jaycee's debate squad was very active this year. Out-of-town trips were made to Longview, Mount Vernon, Tacoma and St. Martin's College. Pacific Lutheran College and Longview met Junior College in non-decision debates at home. Those on the debate team in the fall season were: Gladys Carlson, Irene Irving, Bernice Eklund and LaMar Price. During the spring season, the following members composed the team: Gladys Carlson, Bernice Eklund, Bill Murphy and LaMar Price. Mr. Alfred J. Hillier coached the debaters.

First row — Irene Irving, Mr. Hillier, Gladys Carlson.
Second row — LaMar Price, Bill Murphy.



Alpha Sigma Epsilon

One of the newest clubs at G. H. J. C., Alpha Sigma Epsilon is an educational club for the Engineering students. Officers: George Tokas, president; Miles Munson, vice-president; George Gustafson, secretary; and Bill Staff were installed at the beginning of the spring quarter.

First row — Miles Munson, George Tokas, Lee Warbington, Adrian Julius, Henry Johnson, Mr. Rex.
Second row — Bob Bezzo, George Gustafson, Raino Jaskar, Ralph Bayer, Jim Ennis.
Third row — Bill Staff, George Bentley, David Johnson, Bob McNeal, Ivan Stafford.
Fourth row — Mike Shish, Ed La Bounty, Herbert Nelson, Bill Murphy, Joe Klein.



Hiking Club

Here was the most active group of Junior College. Almost every week end, rain or shine. Maybe it was a beach trip; possibly a mountain climb. Anything, anywhere there was always a good turn out. Dr. Alcorn served as adviser. Due to the large amount of space that identification would necessitate the editors decided to let members pick out themselves without benefit of printer's ink.



Forum Club

The Forum club was organized under the advisorship of Dr. Gordon Alcorn for the purpose of taking up questions of the day in regular forum discussion. The members showed both a genuine interest and varied viewpoints of the problems. The club twice during the year presented their discussions as regular weekly radio program of the college.

First row — Ray Casterline, Ernest Salo, Alex Tidball, Pent Lindgren.
Second row — Dr. Alcorn, Cliff Spellman, John Girard, Fiji Spellman, Louis Messmer, Eric Berkeley.



Calendar

September

19. Prospective students assemble at the school for enrollment. Boys outnumber the girls 2 to 1.
24. The first all-school dance was staged in the auditorium under the able supervision of that demon social leader, Cliff Spellman.
30. Another dance, also the A. D. Rho tea.

October

7. Another all-school dance.
21. A. W. S. tea, honoring Frosh girls.
29. Midshipmen dance.

November

1. The assembly featuring that famous Indian athlete, Jim Thorpe.
- 1-2. The first play of the year, "Aaron Slick From Pumpkin Creek," with John Staff in the title roll.
3. Sophomore Sneak Day evolving from Frosh Day. Freshman dance.
13. Men's club dance.
29. A. D. Rho-Midshipmen exchange dance.

December

1. Phi Theta Kappa dinner.
6. Basketball game at Miller gym, PLC 33, GHJC 27.
14. Play by the "Under the Skylight Players" . . . "The Goose Hangs High."
15. A. W. S. Mother's tea.
21. Homecoming dance.

January

12. Basketball here. Mt. Vernon 24, GHJC 39.
13. A. W. S. Formal. "January Jinx."
14. Basketball. St. Martin's 29, GHJC 24.
16. Basketball here. Seattle College 26, GHJC 24.
17. Basketball. Raymond Blue Comets 29, GHJC 47.
25. A. D. Rho-Midshipmen Exchange Dinner.
27. Soph dance.

February

11. G. H. club dance.
17. Men's club stag.
20. Midshipmen stag.
24. Frosh dance.

March

3. Men's club formal.
10. End of the winter quarter.
14. Sophomore dinner.
17. Frosh dance for Sophs.
24. Athenaeum formal.

April

1. Days of '49.
- 3-9. Spring vacation.
16. Track meet. Hoquiam high 59, GHJC 63.
21. A. D. Rho dance.
22. Track meet. Yakima JC 39, GHJC 83.
27. Campus Day.

May

- 1-5. Junior College week.
5. Track meet at Reed College. GHJC second with 37 points.
6. State track meet at Longview. Second with 39 points.
17. All-school picnic at Offut Lake.
20. Midshipmen dance.
25. A. W. S. tea, honoring senior girls.
26. Frosh dance.

June

4. Baccalaureate services for the graduating Sophs at the Baptist Church.
7. Commencement.

Those of Energy

Maybe it will be a son, or even a grandson on your knee, and when he looks at you with those big eyes wide with doubt just send him to that same old book case shelf and have him bring you the annual. Confidently then, turn to this section and point with pride, for it will be there for all the world to see. And with the human tendencies of the waistline and muscles there will undoubtedly be many times when this old book will serve its purpose and serve it well. And may you be duly thankful to that dutiful scribe or zealous photographer.

Always on the Go — That's J. C.



*Hilltops, Lakes, or the Old School Lawn
All in Stride*

Perhaps there'll come a day when you'll need the assurance that once you led the vigorous life and did things like climbing mountains (second picture from the top), or mixed in the melee as even Prof. Hillier of the faculty is doing in the top picture . . . By that time also you may have been paddling your own canoe for so long that the picnic shot will not seem carefree as it once did. And you may wonder that once upon a time you honestly got a kick out of lunch in the great outdoors, ants and all . . . We hope that you will always be able to step up to the bar and take your hot chocolate or orange juice neat just as Mrs. Davidson and Miss Hesla are doing, and that your health will always permit you to sit on the ground as you are probably doing in the campus day shot . . . Finally the day will probably roll around when such things as the kangaroo court in the foreground will not seem the most important things in the world. If you will still admit, however, that they were fun, there's hope for you.

All is Not Books and Slide Rules



Here we have a bird's-eye view of what goes on when the class rooms are empty and the lights are out (No wisecracks, please). The somewhat benign and matronly gathering at left top is composed of thespians, who, when they wash the mustaches off their faces and the gray out of their hair, aren't a bad lot . . . There'll come a day when you'll groan at the thought of the light fantastic, and just to prove that there was a time when you digested a "big apple" with relish we are printing this one . . . Or maybe you were an athlete and took part in the manly competitions . . . Here's something to show the younger generation . . . At the sound of the gun—or the old guard dies but never surrenders—or finally up in the air after two precious points for old J. C. . . . Dramatics, the social whirl, sports and the strenuous life, and horseplay . . . All in all — college panorama.

Foolwork — Stage, Dance Floor and Cinders

Basketball

First row — Gordon Peterson, Bob Guerin, Henry Johnson, Weikko Rasanen.

Second row — Mr. Harry L. Ruby, Bill Solberg, Stan Sklodo, Harold Lundquist, Bob Walker, Raino Jaskar, Marion Brkich.



Track

First row—Coach Jack Jeffry, Lauri Enbom, Henry Johnson, George Pettainen, Bob Guerin, Don Jacobs.

Second row — Clyde Salme, Ed Levinson, Tom Anderson, Weikko Rasanen, Harold Lundquist.

Third row—Arne Hanna, Ray Saarela, Willis Bunker, Bob Crawford, Hans Branford.

Fourth row—Delson Walkup, Bill Murphy, Anton Gruby, Ed Hilliard.



G. H. Club

First row — Gordon Peterson, Arnold Morrow, Don Jacobs, Henry Johnson, Bob Guerin. Second row—Weikko Rasanen, George Pettainen, Al Franciscovich, Lauri Enbom. Third row — Bill Solberg, Ralph Bayer, Clifford Spellman, Chet Gill. Fourth row—Bob Walker, Marion Brkich, Raino Jaskar, Stan Sklodo, Mr. Harry L. Ruby, Harold Lundquist.



Baseball

First row—Mr. Harry L. Ruby, coach, Bill Solberg, Stan Sklodo, Ed Levison, Marion Brkich.

Second row—Jack Knight, Jack Hayne, Bob McNeal, George Pettainen.

Third row — Bob Walker.



Tennis

First row — Bob Bemiss, Chet Gill, Burt Fisher, Coach Jack Jeffery.

Second row — Bob Crawford, Charles Partridge, Wayne Hagen.



Golf

First row—Pent Lindgren, Al Franciscovich, Woodson Losli. Second row—Bob Guerin, Jack Jeffery, coach, Ralph Bayer.



Sports Summary

BASKETBALL: Grays Harbor Junior College basketball experienced a moderately successful season during 1938-39. Nine games were won and eight games lost in competition that included junior college, four-year schools and independent opponents.

Although no official junior college state conference exists, Grays Harbor, jointly with Yakima J. C., claims the state championship. Both teams lost only once during the entire season in junior college rivalry.

No single individual overshadowed the rest of the squad in scoring ability as has usually been the case with G. H. teams. Henry Johnson, Weikko Rasanen and Chet Gill all tallied better than 100 points apiece.

The 1938-39 season was Coach Harry L. Ruby's first as skipper of the squad, succeeding Ken "Pop" Flora who moved over to Weatherwax high school.

		Opponents	INDIVIDUAL SCORING
G. H. Jr. Col.	19-22	Hoquiam Y.M.C.A.	Branford - - - 1
" "	27-33	Pacific Lutheran	Carlson - - - 9
" "	30-29	St. Martin's College	Gill - - - 139
" "	36-62	Pacific Lutheran	Guerin - - - 34
" "	47-32	Centralia J. C.	Jaskar - - - 43
" "	39-22	Mt. Vernon J. C.	Johnson - - - 103
" "	28-24	St. Martin's College	Lundquist - - - 39
" "	24-26	Seattle College	Manners - - - 3
" "	34-35	Blue Comets	Peterson - - - 43
" "	38-29	Hoquiam Y.M.C.A.	Rasanen - - - 102
" "	47-29	Blue Comets	Solberg - - - 31
" "	41-52	Lower Columbia	Sklodo - - - 25
" "	49-45	Reed College	Walker - - - 19
" "	26-32	G. H. Athletic Club	
" "	33-44	Seattle College	
" "	44-36	Centralia J. C.	
" "	27-26	Lower Columbia	

BASEBALL: Introduction of baseball to the J. C. athletic program was realized in 1939. Harry L. Ruby took over the coaching job and games were lined up with various nines throughout the southwest. In games played G. H. J. C. won 4 and lost 4.

In the last game of the year G. H. ended a Shelton high school consecutive win streak of 17 straight by dropping the Highclimbers 4 to 3.

G. H. J. C.	14	Aberdeen H. S.	9
G. H. J. C.	3	Elma H. S.	1
G. H. J. C.	2	Stadium H. S.	3
G. H. J. C.	5	Centralia J. C.	2
G. H. J. C.	8	Centralia J. C.	12
G. H. J. C.	1	St. Martin's College	10
G. H. J. C.	1	Elma H. S.	7
G. H. J. C.	4	Shelton H. S.	3
Hayne .306 — Walker .290			

TENNIS: GOLF AND SWIMMING: Tennis matches were held with P. L. C., St. Martin's College and Centralia J. C.

G. H. J. C. 3; P. L. C. 4 G. H. J. C. 5; St. Martin's 1
 G. H. J. C. 2; P. L. C. 5 G. H. J. C. 5; St. Martin's 1
 G. H. J. C. ; Centralia J. C.

The second annual home and home golf match series with Pacific Lutheran College was held in April. At the Oakridge course the Lutherans won 11½ to 3½ and at Tacoma the host school repeated with a 13½ to 11½ win.

A thoroughly out of shape swimming team came out third best in a triangular meet at Seattle. The score: U. of W. Frosh 62, Aberdeen H. S. 31, G. H. J. C. 12.

TRACK: Track fortunes sky-rocketed to a new J. C. high this spring. Dual meet victories were hung up by Coach Jack Jeffery's men against Pacific Lutheran College, Yakima J. C., and Aberdeen and Hoquiam high schools.

In the state junior college meet at Longview, G. H. took second with Harold Lundquist, the squad's heaviest point getter, out with a sprained ankle. A quadrangular affair at Portland the day before the state meet saw the Jaycees come in second behind the powerful Portland University squad.

At Emerson field: G. H. J. C. 78, Aberdeen H. S. 44.
 At Emerson field: G. H. J. C. 63, Hoquiam H. S. 59.
 At Emerson field: G. H. J. C. 83; Yakima J. C. 39.
 At Portland: Portland U. 57, G. H. J. C. 37, Reed College 33, Multnomah Club 31.
 At Longview, State Meet: Yakima J. C. 42, G. H. J. C. 39, Mount Vernon 32, Longview J. C. 9.
 At Emerson field: G. H. J. C. 61, P. L. C. 60.

G. H. CLUB

George Pettainen was elected president; Arnold Morrow was chosen vice-president, and Al Franciscovich was favored for secretary-treasurer of the G. H. Athletic club. This year a new sport, baseball, was added to the athletic program.

Many freshmen became eligible through basketball, tennis, baseball, and track for membership in the organization. This increase in membership provides for a good group for the leadership in next year's athletics.

This club sponsored a Valentine's Day dance to raise money for track equipment.

MOST PLEASANT OF ALL TASKS is the posting for posterity of the honor roll of those who were there when needed. Firstly, to Esther Lyon goes our heartfelt thanks for her efforts. Without her we shudder to think of the chaos we would have faced in the final moments that the book must go to press. Second, to Bill Staff we are grateful for a professional job with his trusty camera. And professional services are seldom a labor of love, as was unadulteratedly so in this case. Thirdly, our gratitude extends to Sterling Hegg who took the thankless job of Business manager and thereby made the issuance of this annual possible. These were the big three of the faithful, without which there would have been no annual. Others whose efforts were appreciated are Louis Messmer, Ted Laine, Gerry Richardson, Gladys Carlson, Lorraine Look, Dorothy Fletcher, Don Jacobs, Bernice Ecklund, and Jim Scott.

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