

TOWN HISTORIAN

Town of Stillwater

Stillwater, Minn.

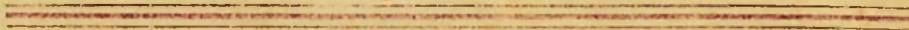
THE SOLDIER



STILLWATER HIGH SCHOOL

YEAR BOOK

1942





Edith Hagon

Dedication

We, the Soldier Staff of 1941-42, hereby dedicate this, our Yearbook, to Mrs. Alfred Brownell. As one who knew and loved young people wherever she met them, she gave tirelessly of her time and energy in behalf of their hopes, their ambitions, and their dreams. When we, the youth of today, make the world of tomorrow, we shall remember the noble pattern she left us as a sacred heritage.



Year Book Staff 1942

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The Spirit of '42

To you in our first line of offense and to the Graduating Class (Soldier Staff) of 1942, I bring this message:

May each and every one of us, from this day on, work and fight for the rights we inherited, given to us by the fathers of our Constitution: Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness.

President John Quincy Adams, in his farewell address to Marquis de La Fayette over a century and a half ago said, "Love of liberty is the greatest love with many men. Countless thousands have risked their lives and fortunes in defense of it." Again today these words are very real in the hearts of every true American.

On you, the youth of today, rests the destiny of our country and the world. The road you will travel will be much different from what you might have taken under more peaceful circumstances.

Accept what is asked of you with a willing and glad heart. Give your best.

After we have won this fight, our greatest task will be facing us. We must guarantee a just and lasting peace with malice toward none and charity for all.

For the short time I have known you, the members of the Class of '42, I have found you co-operative, responsible and trustworthy. Such characteristics may well help Uncle Sam in his war effort. Wherever life's journey carries you, I wish you God-speed and "Bon Voyage."

NELSON ARMLIN,

Principal.



Mrs. Bessie C. Mohan — Fourth Grade Teacher



“Graduated from Stillwater High School in 1908. Entered Cohoes Training School and Graduated in January 1910. Began teaching in the Round Top district and taught there for one and a half years. Began teaching in the Stillwater School in September 1911, in the fifth and sixth grade room. When the old building was remodeled upstairs, my room housed the fourth and fifth grades. On entering the present new building, I chose the fourth grade.

“As to my future plans, I would like to do Whatever I please Whenever I please, but I can't add Wherever I please until gasoline becomes more plentiful.”

Mr. Louis T. Granger — Science Teacher

“Graduated from Stillwater High School in 1931. Attended Alfred University and graduated in 1936. Worked on Master's Degree at Albany State Teachers College.

“Taught Science at Stillwater High in 1941 and 1942. Was active in Basketball and Music. Organized a dance band in 1940.

“Plan to teach Science at Central Islip, Long Island; that is, if I'm not in the Army.”



Miss Eulalia Fuller — Second Grade Teacher

“Graduated from Fredonia Normal N. Y. in 1931. I taught in Stillwater for 11 years.

“I am going into the most important phase of my career, homemaking.

“You, Seniors, were my first pride and joy. Good luck and best wishes always.

“In the future I will be Mrs. Clarence J. Grant of Rochester, N. Y. I would like to have any of you drop in on me if you are in Rochester.”





Class Poem

Over the Mountains of Reality,
 Into the Land of Denial—
We go, into a world of fallacy,
 Where our wits we must compile,
 To meet a world so wild

Here are the Seniors, every one,
 Who have walked thru' the halls of learning;
Now our journey has just begun,
 On life's swift river, churning,
 That once was meek and mild

At the head of the class is Arvin Hart—
 Over ninety average, he MUST be smart!
Doris Osmond, our next pride and joy,
 Has an eye for every boy.

Virginia Van Vranken, a studious lass,
 Was the third honor student of our class.

Our fourth honor student, Betty Perrino by name,
 Has a soprano voice that should bring her fame.

Then there is Jean Britt from the West Side,
 On our honor list she came number five.

Sara Burbridge, an elusive lass,
 With honorable mention, she surely will pass!

Then Connie Daly, blond, and blue-eyed,
 At last she is leaving Stillwater High.

For music, the piano Art Dinallo did play,
 In the "Kampus Kids" he had his say.

Eleanore Doughy, personality gay,
 With men she seems to have a way.

For a handsome lad, Barney Dunnigan is shy—
 He shuns all the girls, I wonder why?

Joan Fitzgerald, from Golden Hill's Peak—
 Since she reached Stillwater, is mild and meek.



Bill Flatley thinks the farm is nice,
But seems to go for city life.

June Gilgallon is short and chubby,
She has her net spread for a Romeo Hubby.

Marie Hanehan whom we've just got to mention,
Will get along well, it is our contention.

President of this Senior Class,
Is Kenneth House's tedious task.

Charlie Jones is a farmer through and through,
To him this city life is new.

While Ilah Kellogg, a farmerette too,
Her farmer instincts are very few.

Also, Frank Kushneir, a farmer boy,
Has thirty-one cows for his only joy.

Isabelle Moll, gay and dark-eyed,
Wants to be an undertaker's bride!

Henry Moll has a mechanical mind,
He's at Aldrich's Station, I think you'll find.

Her name is Grace Moore if we should meet,
That pretty lass, who lives on Lake Street.

Eva Morby, from the South Side of town,
Everyone knows she's really no clown.

Marshall Pregent is bashful, and shy,
Except when out of town—My—Oh—My!

Our class Glamour Boy is Rodriguez, Junior,
His fair-sex dislikes are fewer, and fewer.

Betty Sheridan, the athletic type,
Adds to the prestige in this fight.

Billy too, sports are his spree—
It seems to run in the Sheridan family.

Edward Tatro, at sports is a whiz—
But how about that Chemistry Quiz?

E. K. TRAVIS—Class Poet.



History of the Class of 1942

On behalf of the class of 1942, I submit this, our history, to those who are interested.

We began our new and different life in high school in September of 1938. We were started off on the right foot with Miss Sorensen's fine help and excellent guidance. We obtained a better understanding of English, with Miss Tilly teaching it. She also very capably taught French I and Introduction to Business. Mr. Roberts taught Social Studies, General Science and Algebra. Mr. Reid was in charge of the school's athletic department. Mrs. Keuhn instructed some of our Freshman in orchestra and band. The band appeared in some local parades and won everyone's admiration. Billy and Betty Sheridan were our A.A. representatives that year. The highlight of the year was our championship basketball team.

The coming of the Sophomore year brought Mr. Ross; Mr. Field obtained a position in Waterford. Mr. Palmatier was our homeroom teacher, and he also taught us English II. Many of us were taught History A by Mr. Roberts; and some of us learned French II and Latin I under Miss Tilly. The main events were our monthly dances, and a trip to the World's Fair; also the hit play, "Hearts and Gowns" in which a few of our Sophomores had parts.

Our Junior year started with many changes in the faculty. However, Miss Cornish, Mr. Hickey, and Mr. Granger took over and did a fine job. Mr. Hickey was our homeroom teacher and taught us History B. Miss Cornish taught some of us French III and Latin II and English III. Mr. Granger taught three Juniors in Physics class. Miss Sorensen taught us Typing, Bookkeeping and Commercial Arithmetic. Highlights: We all mourned the loss of Mr. Whitman, our janitor. The Junior Prom was a great success and everyone had a fine time. The report cards were very different, but we soon became used to them. We were all very proud of our class rings. Mr. Desoe replaced Mr. Reid and did a fine job, giving the school a co-championship with Schuylerville, with many of our boys playing an important part.

This fall brought still another change in the faculty with Miss Bennison replacing Miss Sorensen. She is very capable, and well liked by everyone. Miss Ashley replaced Mr. McComb in the music department and has also done a fine job. The Washington Club was organized, but with the coming of the war, it had to be called off because of the rush in Washington. The Washington Club bought a fine public address system for the school with the money they had already saved. The class officers were elected with Kenneth House, president; Ed. Tatro, vice-president; Doris M. Osmond, secretary; and Eleanor Doughty as treasurer. Mr. Desoe left for the Navy in January and Mr. Whitman took over the athletic department. Several Senior boys played an important part in winning the soccer title for our school, and in winning the co-championship with Ballston in basketball. Mr. Armlin came to take Mr. Ross' place as principal when Mr. Ross enlisted in the Red Cross for overseas service. Mr. Armlin has already won the loyalty and support of the entire student body and faculty, and he deserves it.

Now, after four fine years in S. H. S., we are both glad and reluctant to leave.

ARVIN HART '42.



Jean "Britty" Britt

"Prepared for better things."

Kaleidoscope Staff — '40, '41, '42

A. A. Representative — '41, '42

Junior Prom Committee — '41



Bernard "Dugan" Dunigan

"A place in the ranks awaits you"

Soccer — '39, '40, '41, '42

Basketball — '39, '40, '41, '42

Baseball — '39, '40, '41

Baseball Manager — '41

Usher at Commencement — '41



Cornelia "Connie" Daly

"Her Watchword—Conquer"

Glee Club — '38, '39

Archery Team — '39

Cheerleading — '39, '40, '41

Kaleidoscope Staff — '39, '40, '41, '42

Washington Club — '41



William "Bill" Flatley

"He can; he will"

Band — '39, '40, '41, '42

Orchestra — '40, '42

Basketball Band — '40, '41

Junior Prom Committee — '41

Usher at Commencement — '41



Sara "Daisy-Mac" Burbridge

"Onward is her aim"

Drum Majorette — '39, '40, '41, '42

Orchestra — '39, '40, '42

Glee Club — '40

"One Mad Night" — '40

Kaleidoscope Staff — '41, '42

Junior Prom Committee — '41

Year Book Staff — '42

Archery Team — '39

Arvin Hart

"High, Higher, Highest"

Band — '39, '40, '41, '42

Orchestra — '39, '40, '41, '42

Basketball Band — '40, '41

Junior Prom Committee — '41

Class Day Committee — '42

Class Historian — '42

Valedictorian — '42



Isabelle "Issey" Moll

"Not perfection, but climbing"

Band — '38, '39, '40, '41

Orchestra — '38, '39, '40, '41

Glee Club — '39, '40, '41

Basketball Band — '40, '41

Junior Prom Committee — '41

Librarian of Orchestra — '41

William "Bill" Sheridan

"Not for self, but for all"

A. A. Representative — '39, '40

Baseball — '40, '41, '42

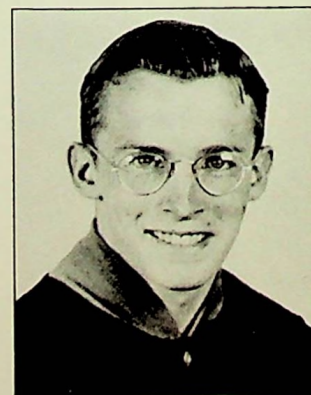
Basketball — '40, '41, '42

Soccer — '41, '42

Soccer Manager — '40

Kaleidoscope Staff — '42

Sports Editor for Yearbook — '42





Doris "Ozzie" Osmond
"Love, Labor and Laugh"
"Hearts and Gowns" — '40
Junior Prom Committee — '41
Secretary of Class — '41, '42
Kaleidoscope Staff — '42
Varsity Cheerleader — '42
Usher at Commencement — '41
Year Book Staff — '42
Salutatorian — '42

Marion "Boomer" Rodriguez
"Finished yet Beginning"
Soccer Manager — '39
Cheerleader — '40
Baseball — '39, '40, '41, '42
Band — '39, '40, '41, '42
Basketball Band — '41
Junior Prom Committee — '41
Usher at Commencement — '41
Kaleidoscope Staff — '40, '41, '42
Basketball — '41, '42
Soccer — '40, '41



Eleanore "Dutch" Doughty
"Quality not Quantity"
"Hearts and Gowns" — '40
Junior Prom Committee — '41
Treasurer of Class — '41, '42
Orchestra — '39, '40, '41, '42
Glee Club — '40
Kaleidoscope Staff — '41, '42
Varsity Cheerleading — '42
Year Book Staff — '42
Class Day Committee — '42

Henry "Frenchie" Moll
"Small the diploma but mighty the
effort to win"
Soccer — '38, '39, '40, '41
Baseball — '40
Basketball — '38, '39, '40, '41
Basketball Manager — '39, '40





Elizabeth "Betty" Sheridan
"The beginning not the end"

Junior Prom Committee — '41
A. A. Representative — '40, '41
Treasurer of A. A. — '41
Kaleidoscope Staff — '42
Sport Writer — '42
Year Book Staff — '42



Marshall Pregent
"Hard work gains reward"

Usher at Commencement — '41
Band — '39, '40
Soccer — '39, '40, '41
Basketball — '39, '40
Junior Prom Committee — '41



Marie Hanehan
"She's out to win"

Glee Club — '40
Junior Prom Committee — '41
Kaleidoscope Staff — '42
Year Book Staff — '42



Joan "Fitz" Fitzgerald
"She builds the ladder by which
she climbs"

Junior Prom Committee — '41
"One Mad Night" — '41
Class Lawyer — '42
Class Day Committee — '42
Year Book Staff — '42



Elizabeth "Betty" Perrino

"Self-confidence is the keynote to success"

Band — '38, '39
Orchestra — '38, '39
Glee Club — '38, '40, '41
Varsity Cheerleader — '42
Class Day Committee — '42



Kenneth "Kenny" House

"Watch him climb"

Class President — '41, '42
Editor of Kaleidoscope — '42
Soccer — '40, '41
Basketball Manager — '42
Junior Prom Committee — '41
Band — '38, '39, '40, '41, '42
Usher at Commencement — '41
Basketball Band — '41
Baseball Manager — '42
Year Book Editor — '42



June "Shorty" Gilgallon

"A live wire never gets stepped on"

"Hearts and Gowns" — '40
Junior Prom Committee — '41
Kaleidoscope Staff — '40, '41, '42
Varsity Cheerleader — '42
Year Book Staff — '42
Glee Club — '39, '40, '41
Archery Team — '39



Frank Kushnier

"Lay down your plow and boost"

Junior Prom Committee — '41



Virginia "Ginny" Van Vranken

"She came, she studied, she conquered"

Band — '39, '40, '41, '42

Orchestra — '39, '40, '42

Basketball Band — '40, '41

Junior Prom Committee — '41



Arthur Dinallo

"He will find a path or make one"

Glee Club — '37

Prom Committee — '41

Band — '39, '40, '41, '42

Basketball Band — '41, '42

Orchestra — '42



Ilah Kellogg

"Upward and Onward"

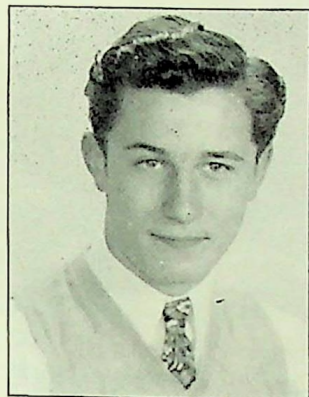
Junior Prom Committee — '41



Eva "Eve" Morby

"Through trials to triumph"

Junior Prom Committee — '41

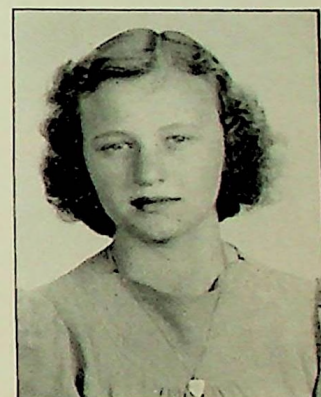


Elton "Count" Travis
"Conquering still to Conquer"

Band — '38, '39, '40, '41, '42
Orchestra — '40, '41, '42
Basketball — '39
Class Day Committee — '42
Class Poet — '42
Basketball Band — '40, '41, '42

Grace Moore
"Every step is higher"

Band — '40, '41
Junior Prom Committee — '41



Edward Tatro
"One niche the highest"

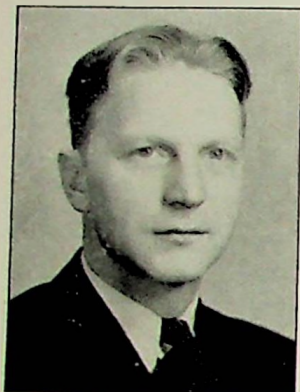
Soccer — '41, '42
Basketball — '40, '41, '42
Baseball — '42
Baseball Manager — '41
"Hearts and Gowns" — '40
Asst. Editor Kaleidoscope — '42
Vice-President of Class — '41, '42
Junior Prom Committee — '41
Band — '39, '40
Basketball Band — '41
Year Book Asst. Editor — '42



Charles Jones
"Too big to be little"

Basketball — '41, '42
Baseball — '42
Junior Prom Committee — '41





Mr. Nelson Armlin — Principal

"Principal of Central Perth until April 27, 1942. April 20th came to Stillwater as principal. I like it here more every day."

Miss Katherine P. Cornish, A.B., M.A.

English, Latin, French
Senior Room 1940-42



Mr. Harmon McLenithan — Janitor

"Former member of the Board of Education. Janitor of S. H. S. since January 10, 1941."

Miss Rita L. Britt — Secretary to Principal

"Graduated in 1938 from S. H. S. Have worked with Mr. Field, Mr. Ross, and Mr. Armlin. I would like to continue working for Mr. Armlin."





Class Will

WHEREAS, the class of '42 acknowledges itself to be the most brilliant of all classes in our high school history; and

WHEREAS, the class of '43 is, in our opinion, composed of multitudinous heads with not a whole lot in 'em—

WHEREAS, we feel, somehow, we're expected at this time to leave more than mere memories of our brilliant minds behind; and

WHEREAS, we're such a generous crew, exceptions some allowing, we the class of 1942, do bequeath the following:

We leave the Senior Class to be
Safe in the arms of History C.
And because we leave the class at all,
Apologies to the faculty.

Sara Burbridge, our drum majorette
Wills her baton to Jimmy Bochet.
Artie Dinallo, whom everyone knows,
His musical genius on M. Stewart bestows.

Marie Hanahan, our meek little maid
Leaves to Kay Luskin, her manners so staid.
And speaking of manners, I'll give you a clue,
If you want latest scandal, contact Rodriguez.

We're sure Ilah Kellogg has something to give,
A bit of stray "oomph," as sure as you live.
Grace Moore and Jean Britt leave donations too,
We've this much to say, they work with the crew.

Charles Jones is our senior, retiring and shy,
But Jonsey's okay, the right sort of guy.
He leaves to the Juniors, the miles he's walked,
In storm and in sunshine—some might have squawked.

A rainbow of colors is next on our list
Eva Morby donates to our stunning Edith.
And to Bessie Parry and Carolyn also,
We leave handsome sheiks, cause they all fall so.

The glamour girls of S. H. S.
Daly, Moll, Perrino and all the rest,
Leave all future glamourettes
The formula of their success.

While Billy Flatley departs
Leaving a trail of broken hearts,
And "Moose" Moore to carry on,
Repairing all the broken hearts.

Doughty and Gilgallon, the inseparable misses
To all of you leave love and kisses.
Marshall Pregent bequeaths his car,
To anyone who can make it start.



To any rookie deserving it,
Goes Ed Tatro's excellent marksmanship.
Because we fell she can use it well,
Fran Tanner receives an office slip.

One Sheridan twin, christened Bill,
His abilities in sports does will
To anyone who can be found
Who will keep Bill's name both safe and sound.

The other Sheridan, Betty to you,
Does bequeath to quite a few
Her disposition, which can be put to good use.
Now please, little Juniors, don't take abuse.

The brains of our class, namely Hart, Osmond and Van,
Bequeath to the dunces of the on-coming clan
Their keen observation, real intellect too.
We could think of lots more, but I guess this will do.

The little man who's everywhere,
Ken House, leaves his ample share
Of editorials, latest news and scandal rare,
To be used by those who do and dare.

Frank Kushneir, a very powerful knave,
Leaves to G. Wagner his will to behave.
Of course if "Waggy" wants to resist,
Frankie, the cave-man will have to insist.

Elton Travis, the "Gangster" of the clan,
Leaves to T. Osmond, the smart little man,
His right to fight policemen, F. B. I., too,
And if Tommy is clever, he'll start in anew.

Henry Moll, whose nose is quite famous,
We leave to Fran Benson, and no one can blame us
But if he can use it, as dear Henry did,
To him go our praises, that, plus our bid.

Bernard Dunnigan, a hawk-eye in sports,
Leaves to R. Patterson and all his cohorts
His blazing ability to size up a man
For he's had experience within his own clan.

Lastly we leave all of you
Now that the reading's almost thru',
The apologies of your testator
Sincerely feeling that they're due.

The rhyme's been bad, I'm sorry to say.
We hope it hasn't spoiled your day.
You've still one feather in your cap;
The class has left you, anyway.

JOAN E. FITZGERALD.



Class Prophecy

As we, the Seniors of 1942, bring to a close our high school career, we thought it very appropriate to look ahead and prophesy what each Senior will be doing—shall we say twenty years from now.

ELTON TRAVIS—Leader of a dance band, which is now playing in a night club at Riverside.

ILAH KELLOGG—She is now singing solos. This is some difference from her father's job of selling silos.

JUNE GILGALLON—She has started a midgets' home somewhere along the Hudson.

CHARLES JONES—He is a well-known hairdresser. His specialty is braiding horse's tails.

VIRGINIA VAN VRANKEN—She has started in school all over again. She says that she will be Valedictorian this time, with no question about it.

HENRY MOLL—He's gone to Hollywood to make a try at the movies. He got moved—right back home.

FRANK KUSHNEIR—He's traveling with Barnum and Bailey. He goes by the name of "Caveman John."

EDWARD TATRO—He won a scholarship. When he arrived at his destination, they said, "Okay, 'scholar', get on your 'ship'." He's now fighting Japs in Australia.

ARVIN HART—Riding himself dizzy in the annual 7-day bicycle race held at Strawberry Center.

BETTY SHERIDAN—"Batgirl" for the Huckleberry Hoboes' baseball team.

BERNARD DUNIGAN—Playing the part of "Whisper" on the "Shadow" news program.

ELEANORE DOUGHTY—Now an inmate at Connie Daly's Old Maid Home. She is chief cook and bottle washer.

BETTY PERRINO—Has opened up "Wolf's-Howl Inn." Her specialty is spaghetti sandwiches.

KENNETH HOUSE—He is now peddling gasoline from house to house instead of milk.

ART DINALLO—He is playing the piano in Elton Travis' dance band.



DORIS OSMOND—Camp Hostess at a well known Army Camp in the Southern part of the U. S.
A. (Fort Knox)

WILLIAM FLATLEY—He has a show similar to Jimmie Lynch's. He goes under the name of
"Dippy Dower and his Death Dopes."

MARSHALL PREGENT—He is starring in a Wild West novel, selling at all newstands for 10c.
The name of it is "Marshall and his Mad Man."

WILLIAM SHERIDAN—He has finally got a job playing baseball outside of Stillwater. He is
playing 2nd base with the Tapertown Tree Trunks.

JEAN BRITT—She is the first woman streetcleaner of Stillwater; her territory is Golden Hill.

JOAN FITZGERALD—She is waiting on table at the college where "Lefty" Caswell is attending.
We passed by there one day and over the door it read, "Toonerville Grammar School."

GRACE MOORE—She is the 2nd woman ever to be added to the President's Cabinet. She is
heading the C. C. C.

ISABELLE MOLL—Singing "Deep in the Heart of Texas" at Grand Opera, heard each "Weak" day
at 4:00 P. M.

SARA BURBRIDGE—She has moved up a couple of steps in the Woolworth 5 and 10 cent store.
She is now 3rd assistant clerk.

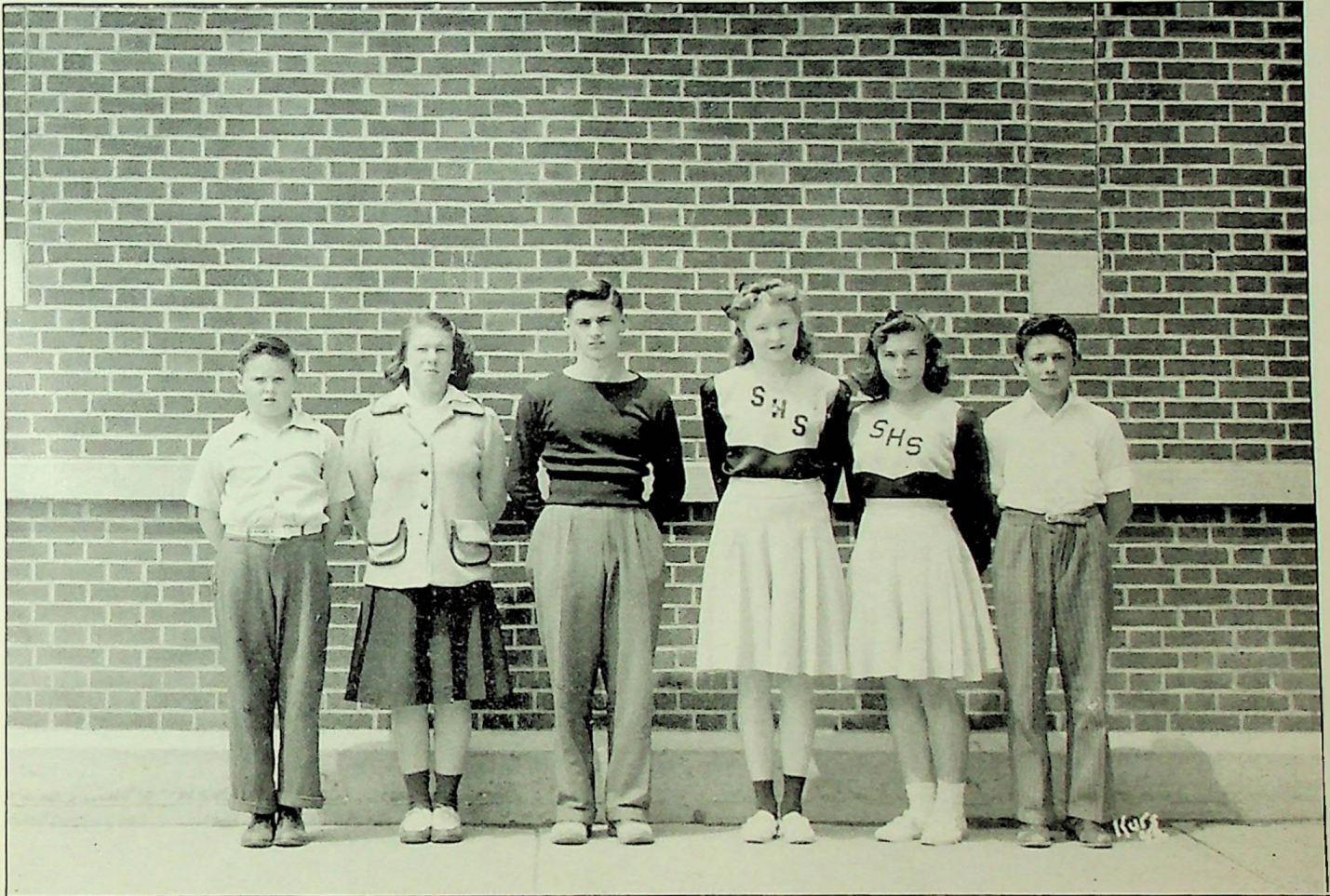
CORNELIA DALY—She is an old maid and is now running a home to take care of the neighbors'
children.

MARIE HANEHAN—She is a woman wrestler at a side show. Her wrestling name is "Husky."

EVA MORBY—Washing milk bottles out at Chase's farm.

MARION JAY RODRIGUEZ.





Athletic Association

We all have much to contribute to the members of the Athletic Association for their tedious hours spent in keeping the financial standing of our team above board as the team itself kept us at the top of the league in sports. We are glad to get a chance to show our appreciation to them because they are given very little credit for what they do.

President—George Wagner

Treasurer—Aileen Aldrich

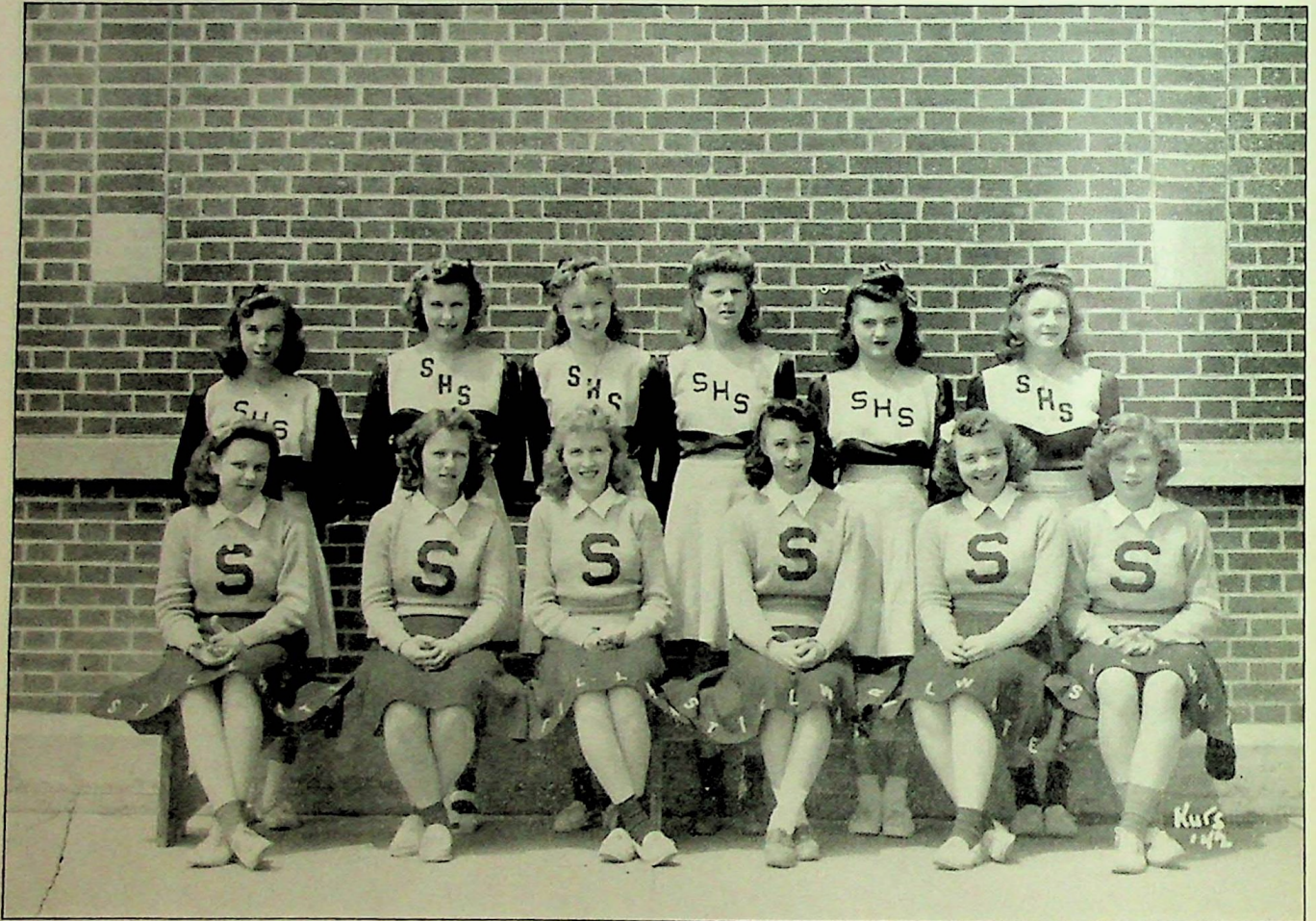
Committee Members

Jean Britt

Richard Tanner

Dorothy Tatro

Henry Stockwiz



Cheerleading 1941-1942

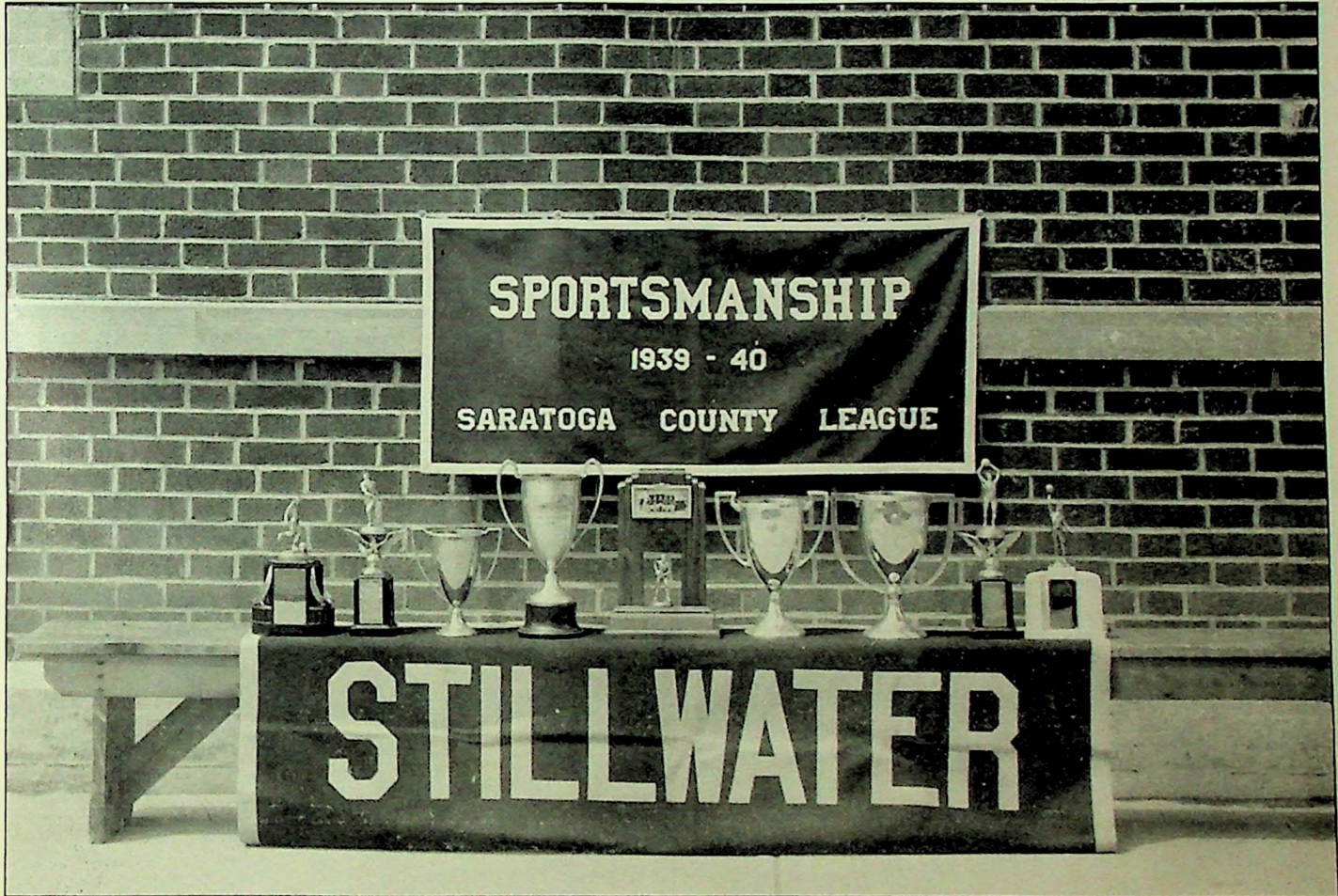
Cheering this year was organized into a Varsity and Junior Varsity, consisting of six girls each. Both squads worked hard under the supervision of Coach Hollis Desoe. Head cheerleader for the Varsity was Fran Tanner who also cheered in the '40-'41 season. The J. V.'s were lead by Dot Tatro. This was the first year of cheering for all the girls except Fran.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

Frances Tanner
June Gilgallon
Doris Osmond
Mary Stewart
Eleanore Doughty
Betty Perrino

JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

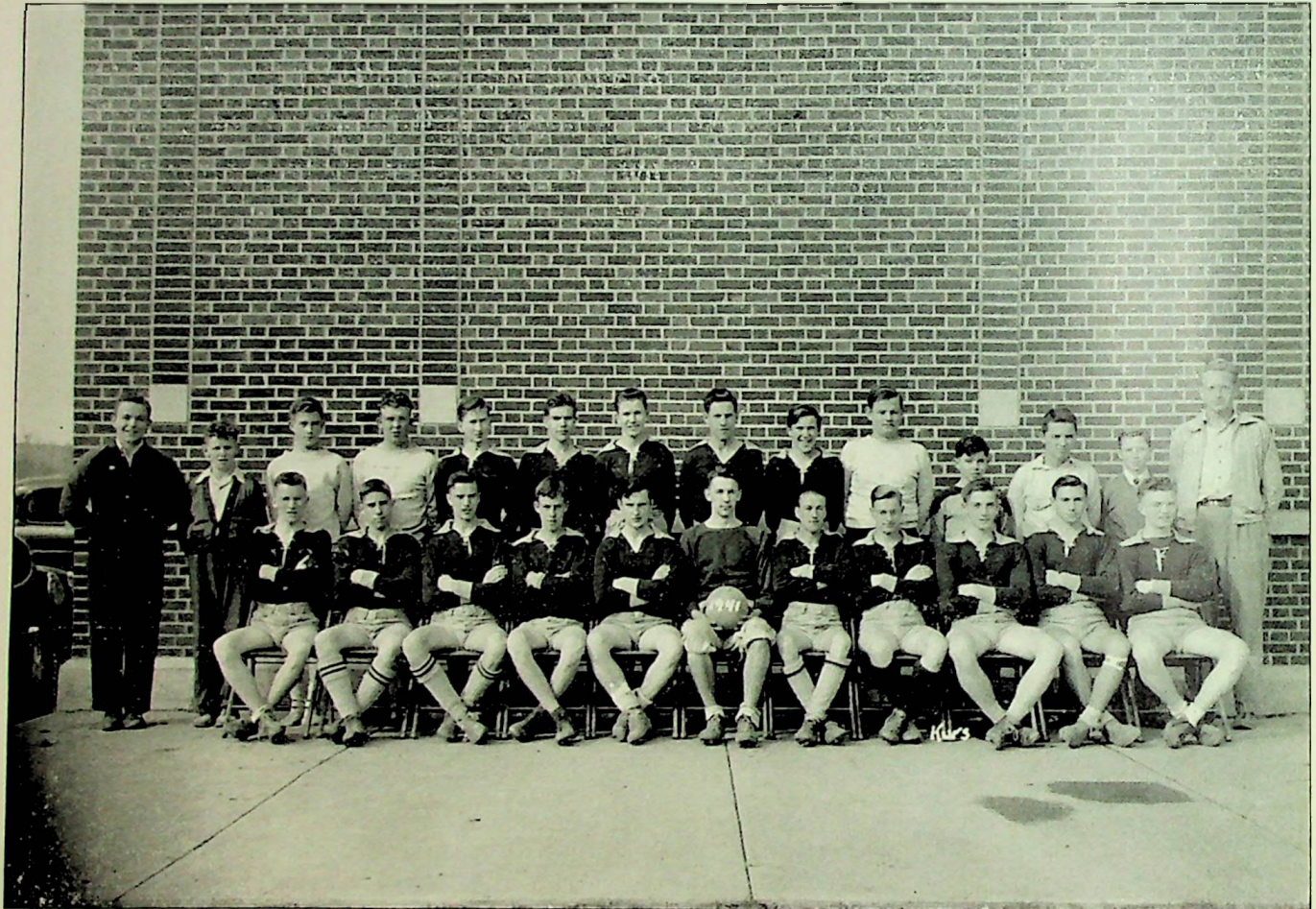
Dorothy Tatro
Betty Nelson
Dorothy Wilbur
Shirley Smith
Teresa Mohan
Aileen Aldrich



Trophies

Just a few years ago, in our library, stood just two lonesome cups and these had been there for many years. Now on the same shelf are nine, as our high school teams have had great success in sports for the past four years.

Our drive started in the season of '38-'39 when the basketball squad traveled to R. P. I. and returned ENYPHSAL Class D Champs. In the fall of the next year the soccer championship was taken by Stillwater in an undefeated fashion. That same year we entered the Saratoga County League. Our boys made their debut good in a Class C League, as they emerged basketball co-champions with Schuylerville. In the season of '40-'41 the S. H. S. Javees coped their league to add another trophy to our ever-increasing number. In the spring Stillwater was undefeated baseball champs. So far this year we have been undefeated Soccer Champs and Co-Champs with Ballston in basketball, to run our total of winning seasons to four straight. That brings our past success to date, and we all hope that future teams will bring their school in the same way.



Soccer Squad

Merrill Baker
Norman Baldwin
Hugh Barton
Allie Bochetti
James Bochetti
Bernard Dunigan
Kenneth House
Henry Moll
John Moore
Richard Moore

MANAGERS

Louie Bailey
Raymond Holmes
Francis Kinisky

Marshall Pregent
John Rentz
Marion Rodriguez
William Sheridan
Edward Tatro
Basil Walker
John Ward
John Reddy
Paul Sheehan
John Murphy



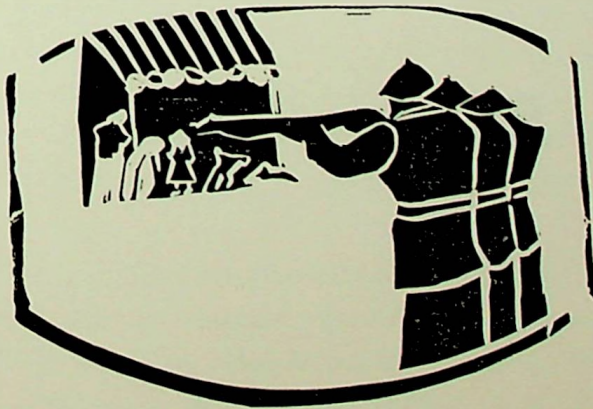
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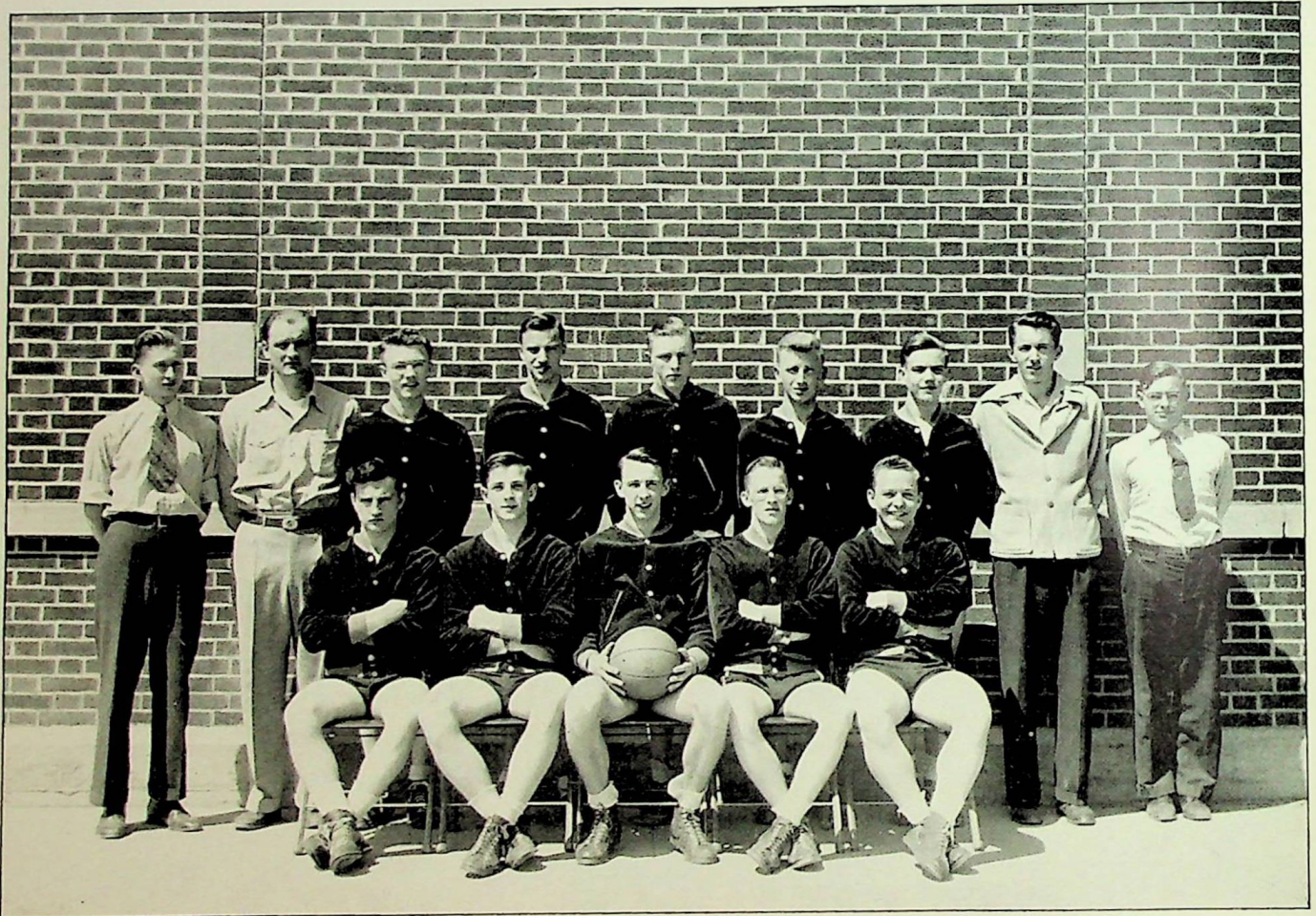
This year the Stillwater Soccer team, a supposedly weak team, brought to its school and its followers, with the help of Coach Desoe and the faithful practice and cooperation of the players, a very hard earned soccer championship.

These boys started out with no idea of winning the championship until October 28, when Stillwater played host to Corinth in one of the vital games of the year. If Stillwater won this game it meant a shot at the championship. The boys went out there with plenty of determination to win. For the first half, it looked pretty bad as Corinth kept pounding away at the goal with Stillwater not getting the ball past the center line, once. Jack Rentz made save after save to help the Stillwater cause considerably. At the half it was 0-0, but at the end of the third quarter Stillwater had scored when Pat Baldwin set one up for Ed Tatro, who pushed it through. Tatro scored again with five seconds to go and Stillwater romped off with a 2-0 victory over Corinth.

On October 31, Stillwater played at Luzerne, which might be the championship for either school that won. For three and three-fourths quarters it was hotly contested with Luzerne missing a penalty kick and Stillwater missing several scoring opportunities. But with thirty seconds to go the Luzerne goalie teed off on a kick that hit "Frenchie" Moll on the side of the face and bounced back through the goal for the game as Stillwater took the championship game 1-0.

In the playoff game, Stillwater was beaten 2-1 after eight quarters of play, but the boys still had a good soccer team which fought from the bottom up.





Basketball Squad

James Bochetti
Stanley Caswell
Bernard Dunigan
Charles Jones
John Moore

MANAGERS
Kenneth House
John Ward
Richard Patterson

John Rentz
Marion Rodriguez
William Sheridan
Edward Tatro
Steven Ropitsky



Basketball

Well, sport followers of Stillwater High, this year in basketball Stillwater was supposed to have just another team. I really thought so myself until the boys started to click with Jack Rentz and Eddie Tatro carrying the offensive load, but they were backed up by some fine pass-work of Bill Sheridan, "Lefty" Caswell and Jim Bochetti. The boys started out this year with just three others back from last year with "Lefty" Caswell and Jack Rentz playing their fourth year of varsity ball while Jim Bochetti was starting his second year of varsity ball along with Eddie Tatro, Bill Sheridan, "Moose" Moore, Charlie Jones, Steve Ropitsky and "Boomer" Rodriguez all scrapping hard for the two positions that were open. Coach Desoe tried out different combinations and finally found one that had something. The starting five were Jim Bochetti and "Lefty" Caswell, guards; Jack Rentz, center; and Eddie Tatro and Bill Sheridan at the forward posts. These boys moved along fast by only losing one game in their first seven in the league. They were tied with Ballston for first place when "Deac" Whitman took over the Stillwater charges as Hollis Desoe was called to colors.

When "Deac" took over, the boys were a week away from the start of the second half. He put the boys through several hard practices and then they bowled over Greenwich easily. Then the boys hit a snag as Hadley-Luzerne took them over the bumps 29-20 and Stillwater dropped into second place with Luzerne hot on their tails, but Stillwater started rolling again knocking off South High and Corinth and then walloped Schuylerville 44-29 on the Schuylerville court which is quite a feat.

The following week was the climax game of the year with Ballston at Stillwater. This meant a championship for Ballston if they won while it would mean at least a tie for the championship if Stillwater won. The Stillwater gym was packed with 800 people and Stillwater jumped into a 18-8 halftime lead and seemed well on their way to victory until Jack Rentz was thrown out of the game and Ballston got hot and made it 24-25 Stillwater with 75 seconds to go when "Moose" Moore swished the nets for a hard earned victory for Stillwater. Following this game, on March 20, Stillwater was knocked out of the playoffs in a heart-breaker by Bolton Landing 40-38.

This year I am going to say hats off to a fellow who played hard every minute he was in there; this is "Moose" Moore who could step in and play any position Coach Whitman wanted him to. But don't forget the inspired playing of "Lefty" Caswell, Jim Bochetti, Jack Rentz, Eddie Tatro and Bill Sheridan, all of whom are finishing their careers this year except Jim Bochetti.



Baseball Squad

Marion Rodriguez
William Sheridan
James Bochetti
John Rentz
Allie Bochetti
John Moore

MANAGERS
Norman Baldwin
Louie Bailey

John Reddy
Steven Ropitsky
Charles Jones
Paul Sheehan
Basil Walker
Edward Tatro



Baseball

This year in baseball "Deac" Whitman had four veterans back from last year's championship team, Bill Sheridan, Jack Rentz, Allie Bochetti and Jim Bochetti. The boys got new suits this year and after a couple of weeks of practice "Deac" put a team on the field consisting of A. Bochetti, catching; Jack Rentz on the mound, Ed. Tatro playing first like a veteran, Bill Sheridan playing second, Jim Bochetti shifting over from third base to play short and "Boomer" Rodriguez to play the hot corner. This rounds out the infield which consists of all new men outside of Jim Bochetti. In the outer pickett we have three new men with sensational Johnny Reddy in left field, hardworking "Moose" Moore in center and Steve Ropitsky in right. The boys so far this year have won 4 out of 5 losing only to Watervliet 6-4 and beating Waterford 10-6, Saratoga 4-2, Ballston 7-4 and Luzerne 17-5. Stillwater really got going against Luzerne in the 6th inning to score 9 times making the final score 17-5.

EXTRA BASERS: The new suits took a drenching over in Ballston; Boys are anxious to make their home debut. "Honch" Baldwin amuses the boys on bus trips; Reddy looked good for two innings against Luzerne, allowing no hits and no runs. Jimmy got four for five to come out of his slump. Boys are out to win that league.





Junior Class

Norman Baldwin
Francis Benson
William Fordham
Jack Moore
Thomas Osmond
Richard Patterson
George Wagner
Jim Bochetti
Corrine Fallon

Shirley Carey
Albert Barbolt
Dorothy Gorski
Kathryn Luskin

TEACHER

Miss Anne Bennison

Ruth Collamer
Bessie Parry
Frances Peacock
Anna Mae Reddy
Carolyn Schultz
Mary Stewart
Stella Stockwicz
Frances Tanner
Edith Wagoner

Our Junior Class is well represented in sports, with Jim Bochetti and Jack Moore, as players, and Frances Tanner and Mary Stewart as cheerleaders.

Class Officers: George Wagner, President; Corrinne Fallon, Vice-President; Stella Stockwicz, Secretary-Treasurer. Norman P. J. Baldwin is our Point System Representative.



Sophomore Class

Lois Walsh
Andrew Ryan
Allan Hewitt
Thomas Ryan
John Ward
Ruth Talman
Rita Kussius
Helen Gower
Basil Walker
Robert Smith
John Reddy

Norman Farrington
Ruth Blizzard
Shirley Smith
Charles Lake

TEACHER

Mr. Louis Granger

George Morby
Raymond Nelson
Corrine Baldwin
Ruth Wilson
Tillie Kardash
Richard Moore
Merrill Baker
Aileen Aldrich
Theresa Mohan
Patricia Hyland
Jean Bull

Class Officers: President, Basil Walker; Vice-President, Lois Walsh; Treasurer, Helen Gower.
In memory of Peggy Jane Talmadge, whose gay personality will always remain within the walls of Stillwater High School.



Freshman Class

Dorothy Wilbur
Joan Mohan
Floyd Shorter
Leo Barbolt
Harold Gailor
Jean Morrissey
Thomas Gilheany
George Welsh

Thomas Travis
Leonard LaBarge
Eileen Patterson
Mildred Russom
Teresa Moll

TEACHER
Mr. Karl Hickey

Wilbur Wright
Dorothy Tatro
Thelma Austin
Geraldine Hosley
Geraldine Gaudette
Phyllis McCauley
Robert Schultz
Irene Chase

The Freshman have been working hard for the past year and have been looking forward to the day when they will be Seniors. The Freshman Class also appreciate the respect the Seniors have paid them and for including them in many of the main events put on by the Seniors. As a whole, the Freshman have sincerely tried to do their best and hope they have, and will, be a credit to the school.



Grade 8

Christine Accera
Earl Antlick
Louis Bailey
Allie Bochetti
Carolyn Brewster
Eleanor Brookley
Sylvia Brookley
Catherine Bryan
Barbara Bull
Anna Burrello
Louis Burrello
Chester Canary
Lois Anne Coons
Earl Crandall
Harry Doriski
Leo Foster

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Joseph Hanehan
Eleanor Hawkin
Raymond Holmes
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Mary Killelea
Francis Kinisky
Joan McClements
Frank Russell
Paul Sheehan
George Smodell
Henry Stockwicz
Jane Tompkins
George Travis
John Vinett



Grade 7

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Verna Baldwin
George Barton
Martha Capaci
Irvin Carpenter
Joan Carpenter
Ada Chase
Robert Cisler
John Connor
Nancy Doughty
James Flatley
James Gilheany
Billy Holmes

TEACHER

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William Lake
Patricia Lavertue
James McLaughlin
Bernard Nelson
Carolyn Osgood
James Sheehan
Margaret Sheehan
Edward Sherman
Richard Tanner
Carl Travis
Herbert Thomas
Gerard Vinett
Rita Welch



Grade 6

Mary Accera
Alton Baker
Clarence Baker
Kenneth Baker
John Bochetti
Gerald Brewster
Betty Brown
Edward Bryan
Virginia Connor
Betty Coons
Lillian Crandall
Charles Flike
Richard Fossett

Elsie Accera
Marie Gaida
Michael Hanehan
Margaret Holmes
Grace Kristof

TEACHER

Mrs. Louise Darrow

Robert LaBarge
Harold Lake
Robert Lake
Judy Mohan
Alfred Moll
Lester Moll
Charles Ritson
William Stewart
William Talmadge
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Rosemary Writer



Grade 5

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Nancy Bull
Patricia Capeci
George Cassier
Vida Chase
Joan Comerato
Robert DeWitt
John Ford
George Jones
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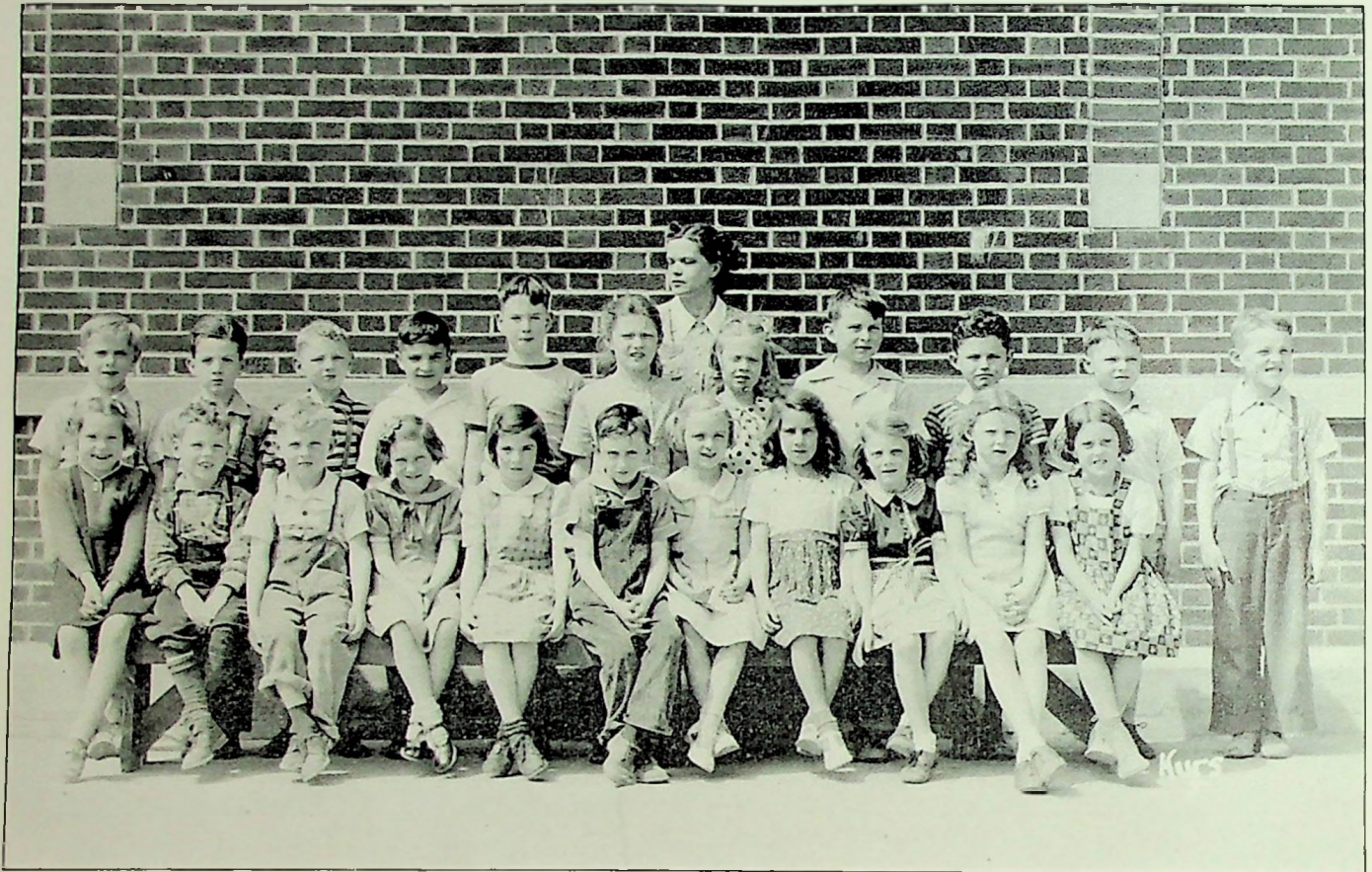
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Edward Britt
Bernard Roberts
Richard Meahar
Charles Murphy
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Edward Pohl
Fred Hayner
George Moore
Arthur Wagoner
Walter Wagoner
Paul Komoroske
Stanley Kardash
Lawrence Komoroske
Walter Petrozack

George Johnson

Miss Madie Hill (Nurse)

Norman Yarter
Francis Reilly
William House
Oscar Brundiage
Herbert Cossey
Neil Fossett
William Smith
Clifford Schultz
William Scanlon
Leroy Scanlon
John Aldrich
Joseph Capecci
Lester Pregent
Charles Smith
Charles Elliot
Fred Russom
Lawrence Carney
Robert Smith
Howard Murphy
Earl Cleaves
Russell Bull

NAVY

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William Cossey
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Joe Roman
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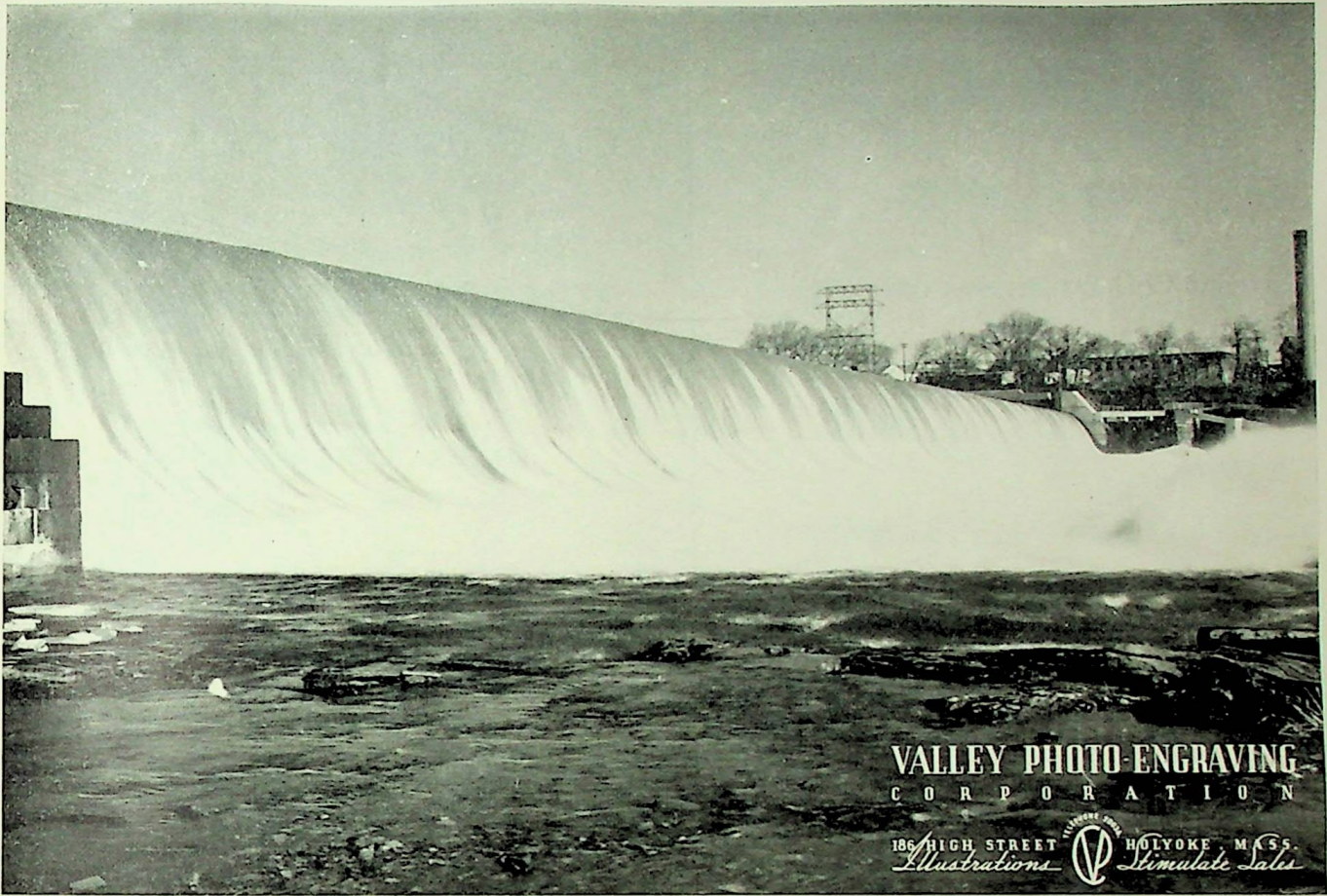
*George and Britt
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Former Coach, Hollis L. Desoe, is now stationed at Great Lakes Naval Training Station. As a physical instructor, he has the rating of Chief Petty Officer.

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