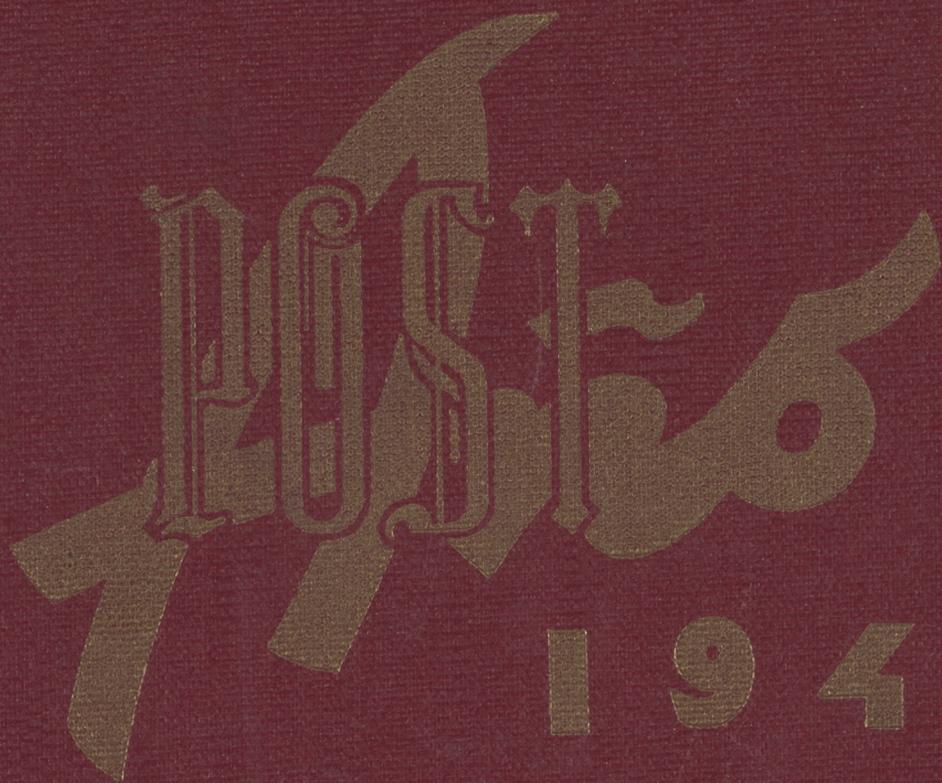


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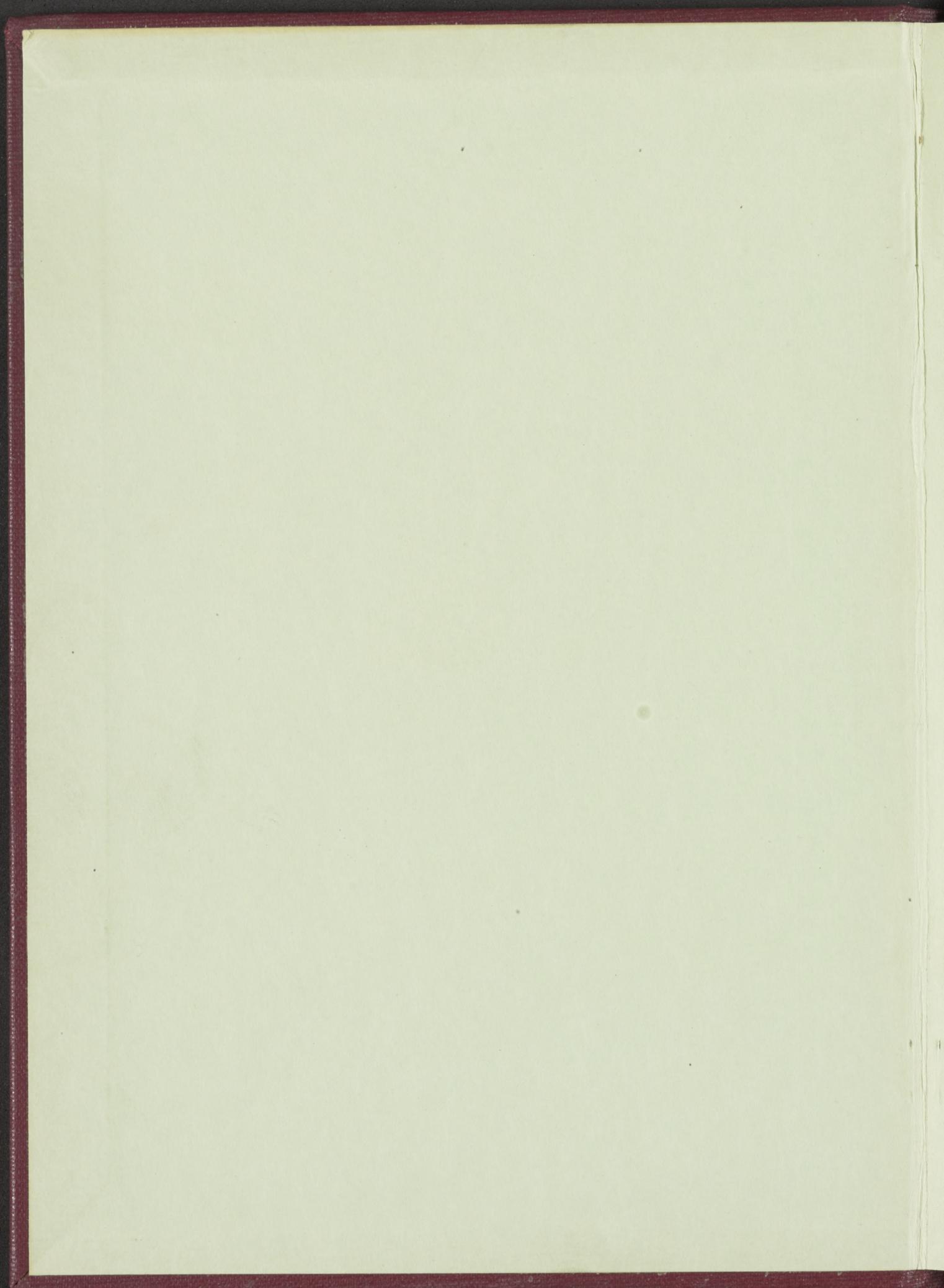
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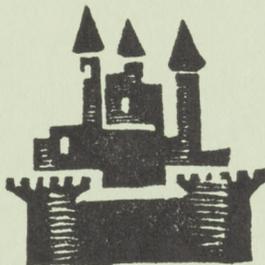


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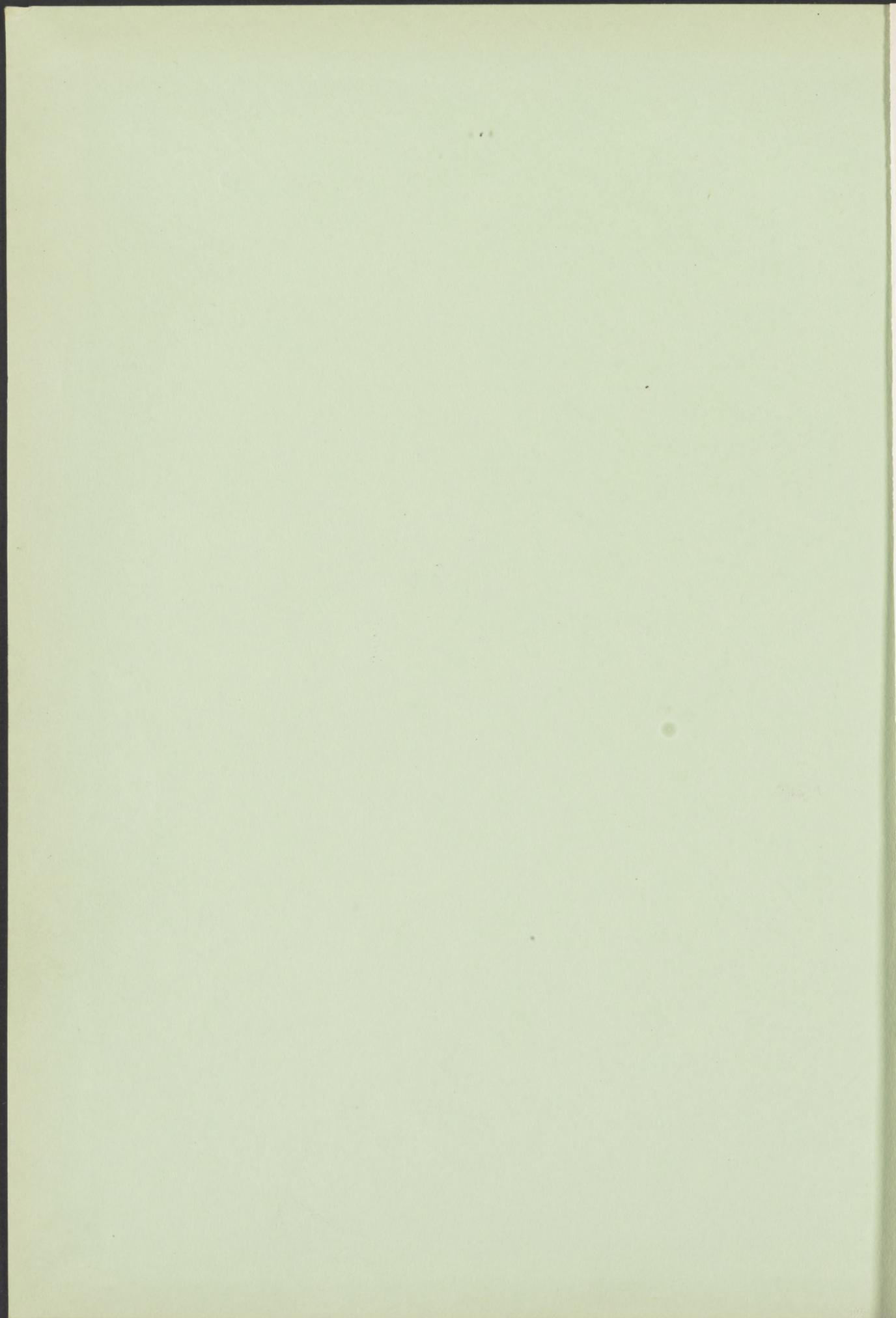


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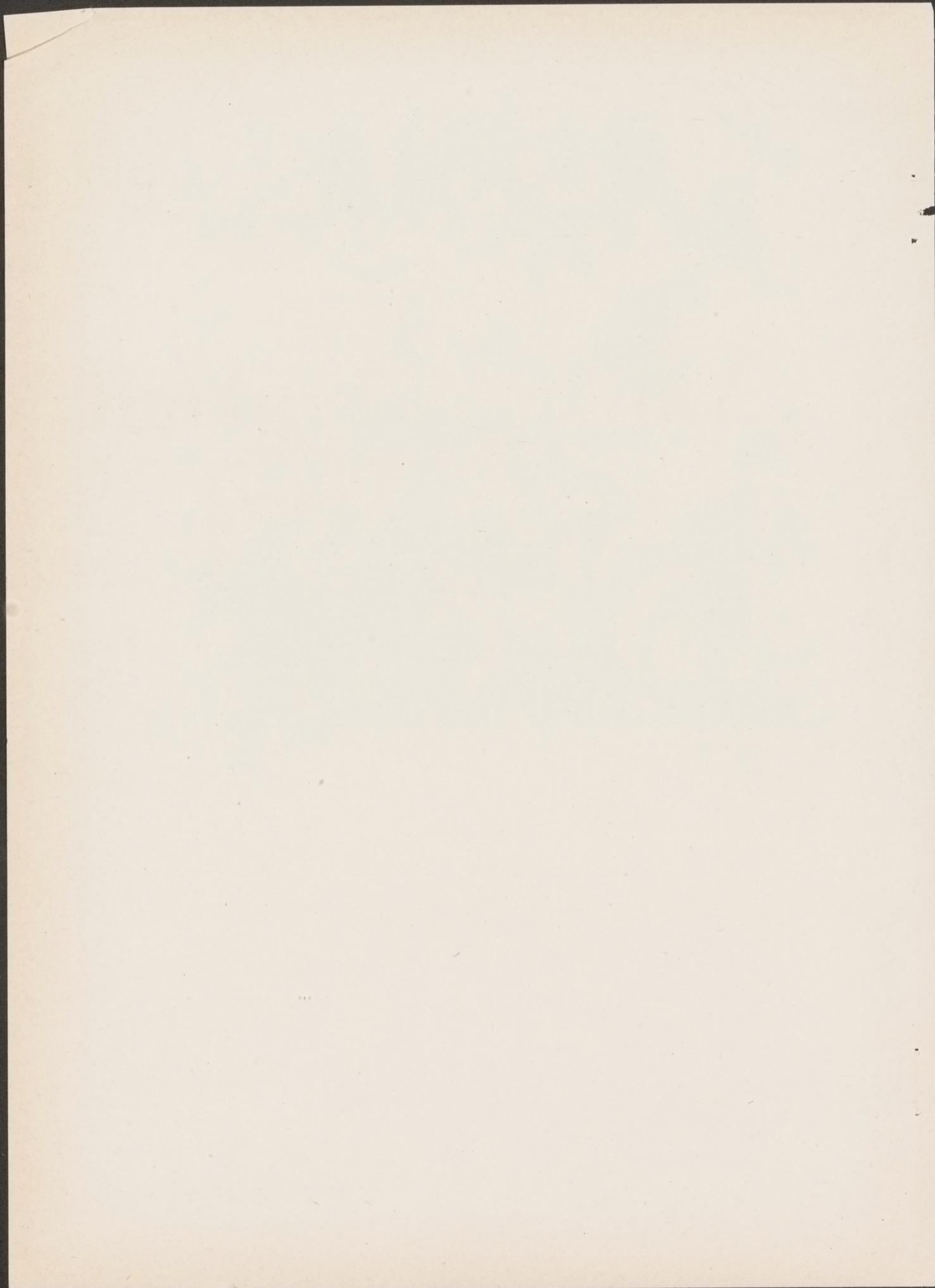
We, the senior class of 1944, pay homage to a great man, great not in the sense of riches nor of power, but great in his understanding of the need of humanity for people like himself in times of strife like these.

An unselfish, self-sacrificing person, he left his beautiful island of paradise, Hawaii, to come to Poston in the hope that he might help us, lead us, encourage us, in building a school of which we might be truly proud.

And so today because of his overflowing kindness as well as because of his guidance, we have an oasis of good fellowship which will live in our hearts forever.

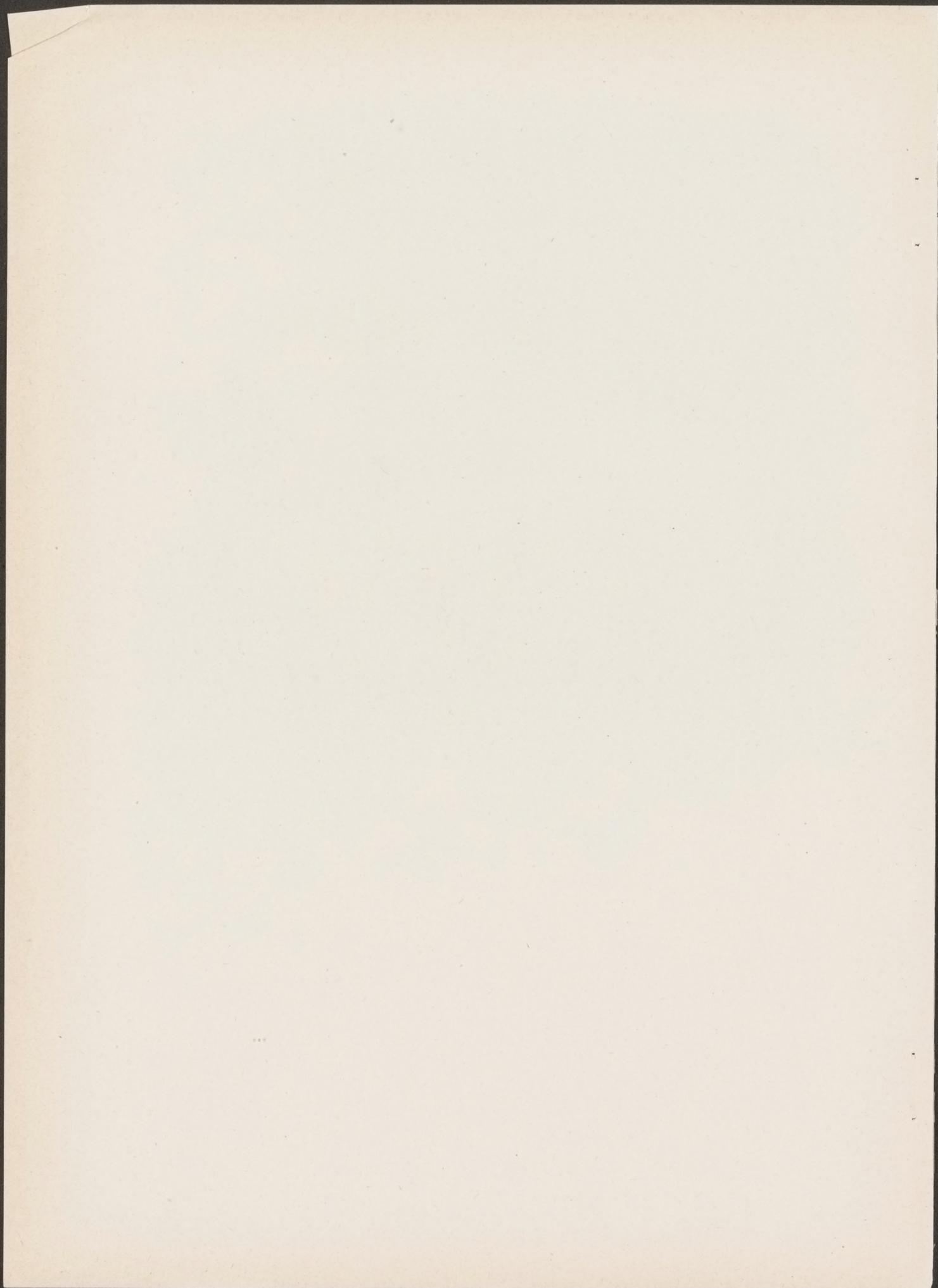
We, the senior class of 1944, dedicate our book to this man,

**DR. MILES E. CARY**



# Administration





OUR school year at Poston High School has come to an end. The favorable and unfavorable experiences that we have had during the past year should act as guide posts which will point to success in the future.

Under the guidance of our Superintendent of Education, Dr. Arthur L. Harris; our Principal, Dr. John Girdler, and our Teachers we have achieved our goal. We trust that our stay at Poston High has made us better fitted to meet the new opportunities and responsibilities that will come to us.

We would like to thank all those who gave their services to us willingly to the end.

SENIOR CLASS



**MR. JOHN GIRDLER**

To our Principal, Mr. John Girdler, our deepest appreciation for carrying on so well after Mr. Main left us. We wish him lots of luck in the future.



**MR. A. M. MAIN**

To our former Principal, Mr. Arthur M. Main, we wish to express our thanks for his leadership at the first of the year. We wish him Good Luck and God Speed.



**MISS ESTELEE HINSON**

Core Supervisor and Student Relocation Representative, Miss Estelee Hinson, has been a lot of help to the students of Poston High. She has been responsible for many students entering schools outside. We wish to thank her for her grand work.



#### OFFICE STAFF

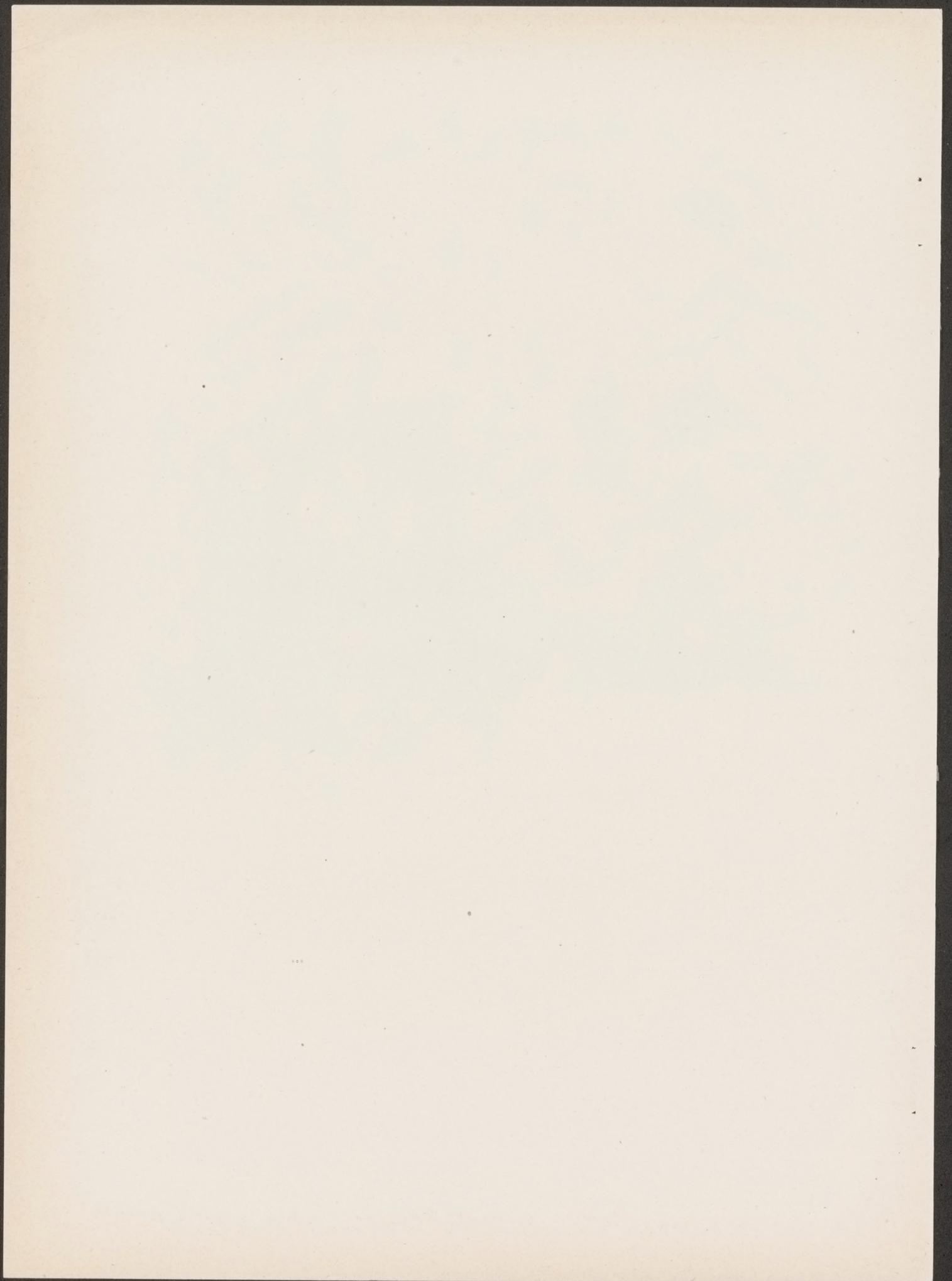
The Office Staff has served us faithfully and efficiently during the past year. They kept our records straight and tried to help us out whenever we needed it. We'd like to say to them, "keep up the good work."

#### MR. DAVID CONLIN

A newcomer to Poston High School is Mr. David Conlin. He joined us toward the end of the school year, but took no time in catching on to what was going on. He came here as the new Vice Principal of our High School and we wish him lots of luck in the future of Poston High School.

Faculty







SENIOR HIGH



JUNIOR HIGH

★ *They Lead Us* ★

ANTOUN, NORA MIRIAM  
Shrewbury, Massachusetts

Speech & Dramatics

"Man's greatest service to his fellowmen—to contribute, in so far as his capabilities will permit, to their happiness."



FELSTED, EDITH  
Hennessey, Oklahoma

Core 10

"The greatest reward of doing well a difficult task is one's own satisfaction that he has achieved it."



ARMSTRONG, LENORE BLANCHE  
West Alexander, Pennsylvania

Core 8

"Let us strive for efficiency of the mind."



FRANCHI, RAY

San Francisco, California

Core 11, Honor Society Adv.

"Right living, lifelong learning, and service to our fellowmen—they are the stars by which to set our course in this strange, incredible journey of ours from the cradle to the grave."



ASOO, TAKESHI  
Los Angeles, California

Arts & Craft

"Always try and there will be a way."



GEISLER, ELEANOR

Dubuque, Iowa

Senior & Advanced Art



BACKUS, EDYTHE N.  
Monrovia, California  
Core 11



DOHERTY, BARBARA K.  
Seaside Heights, New Jersey

Core 8 & Newswriting

"This above all: to thine own self be true."



HANAOKA, MAY

Brawley, California

Advanced Clothing

"Never too late to learn."



DUGAN, ROBERT J.  
Fleming, Colorado  
Music

"To live and let live."



HAVIGHURST, MARTHA  
Marshall, Missouri

Core 11; Kampus Krier Advisor

"There are three ultimates or eternal verities in life—Truth, Beauty, and Goodness, and man should seek to find them and live in harmony with them. Certain high ideals and spiritual values give permanence and meaning and direction to life."

ENGELHARDT, HELEN  
Delta, Colorado  
Music

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HINSON, ESTELEE  
Fletcher, Oklahoma

Core 12 & Core Supervisor

"The educated person has more than scholarship. He is calm, poised, free from prejudice and littleness, charitable, patient and good-humored. He can lead a worthy cause to a conclusion without going off on a tangent, a 'pet peeve' or a tirade."

☆

HIRATA, HELEN H.  
San Bernardino, California  
Latin; Spanish

☆

IGAUYE, HATSUYE  
Inglewood, California  
Typing; Bookkeeping

"Make the best of every situation in life."

☆

IGAUYE, SUSUMU  
Los Angeles, California  
Chemistry; Physics

"To live a well-rounded, abundant life."

☆

IKARI, BOB  
Los Angeles, California  
Boys' Physical Education

☆

ISHIKAWA, Ka y  
Phoenix, Arizona  
Typing

☆

JERNIGAN, EVA IDA  
Glendale, California  
Core 12

"I accept the world as I find it, including myself. I shall not worry about things that are impossible. I shall be active and at times aggressive in directing conditions."

JESSE, MARY D.  
Ashland, Virginia  
Core 7

"That there is a moral purpose behind all failures and mistakes to bring to birth out of this rotten, decaying social order the new and better order now struggling to be born."

☆

KAI, SARAH  
Los Angeles, California  
General Business Training

☆

KANIYE, ALBERT  
Los Angeles, California  
Boys' Physical Education  
"Eat and sleep and don't get into trouble."

☆

KIMOTO, TOSHIO  
Watsonville, California  
Algebra; Advanced Algebra

☆

KOIKE ROY R.  
Holtville, California  
Mathematics  
"Live and let live and try to be of some help wherever you are."

☆

KUSHIDA, GEORGE S.  
Berkeley, California  
Spanish  
"Adelante, siempre Adelante."

☆

LAPINSKAS, DONNA  
Worcester, Massachusetts  
Core 12 & English Composition

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LEHNER, HAROLD L.  
Newark, New Jersey  
Core 9 and Annual  
"Smile, and your job is half done."

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LIEGEROT, GILES F.  
Santa Barbara, California  
Boys' Physical Education  
"The only real thing that counts  
in our lives is how we conduct our-  
selves toward each other."



MIKAMI, TSUYAKO TEE  
Fontana, California  
Girls' Physical Education  
"Don't cry over spilt milk. Take  
life as it comes and make the best  
of everything."



MOCHIZUKI, AKIRA  
Los Angeles, California  
Boys' Physical Education



MONTGOMERY, ROBERT L.  
Tempe, Arizona  
Auto Shop  
"A man is just as good and just  
as bad as he treats other people."



MORAN, REBA H.  
Santa Monica, California  
Mathematics  
"Have a good time all the time,  
but accomplish something worth-  
while when you are having that  
good time. Remember, you pass  
this way but once so see everything  
that's worth seeing while passing  
by."



MORITA SHIZUE  
Gilroy, California  
Typing; Shorthand  
"I feel that one's happiness and self  
assurance is attained after having  
knowledge that one's deeds have  
brought about satisfaction to  
others."

NISHIOKA, MARY  
San Juan Capistrano, California  
Girls' Physical Education



OCHIAI, TADASHI  
Riverside, California  
Chemistry



OGATA, MISUE  
Honolulu, Hawaii  
Core 7  
"Eat, sleep, and be merry?"



OKABE, HATSUYE  
Buena Park, California  
Home Economics



ONO, FRED J.  
Los Angeles, California  
Typing  
"Life is too short to waste on phil-  
osophies. Just keep active and do  
things—live cleanly."



PATTEN, LORA  
Kokomo, Indiana  
Science  
"Never lack courage. It is better  
to suffer for mistakes than it is to be  
afraid to live richly, for fear of suf-  
fering."



PENN, LEVA  
New York City, New York  
Core 8  
"Live one day at a time, and get  
as much from it as you can."



POWERS, MARY RUTH  
Dubuque, Iowa  
Core 9

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SANEMATSU, BEN  
Riverside, California  
Geometry; Plane Geometry;  
Trigonometry

"Look for the good side of every-  
thing. Good, better, best, never let  
it rest, 'til your good is better and  
your better is best."

☆

SANEMATSU, TOSHIKO  
Riverside, California  
Home Economics

☆

SHAPLEY, RALPH P.  
Chicago, Illinois  
Agriculture

☆

SAWAHATA, MARY  
Riverside, California  
Core 10

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SETKA, STEVE  
Globe, Arizona  
Woodshop  
"Life is what you make of it."

☆

SEYMOUR, MILDRED  
Chadron, Nebraska  
Core 7  
"Love in humanity, and sincerity  
in your work."

☆

SNELSON, EUGENIE  
Los Angeles, California  
Typing; Secretarial Training;  
Shorthand  
"Love makes the world go  
around."

☆

SONODA, JEFF  
Los Angeles, California  
Boys' Physical Education  
"Take life as it comes."

☆

TANAKA, HAJIME  
Los Angeles, California  
Core 12

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TANAKA, LEO  
San Jacinto, California  
Mechanical Drawing

TANIMOTO, TAFEE  
Los Angeles, California  
Algebra

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TANIMOTO, TOMI  
Los Angeles, California  
Algebra

☆

TAYLOR, LILLIAN R.  
Montgomery, Alabama  
Core 10

"To every man there openeth a  
high way and a low, and every  
man decideth the way his son shall  
go."

☆

THOMPSON, EDNA MAE  
McPherson, Kansas  
Home Economics  
"Give of your best in service and  
the best will come back to you in  
satisfaction and happiness. If the  
golden rule were carefully prac-  
ticed everyone would be happier."

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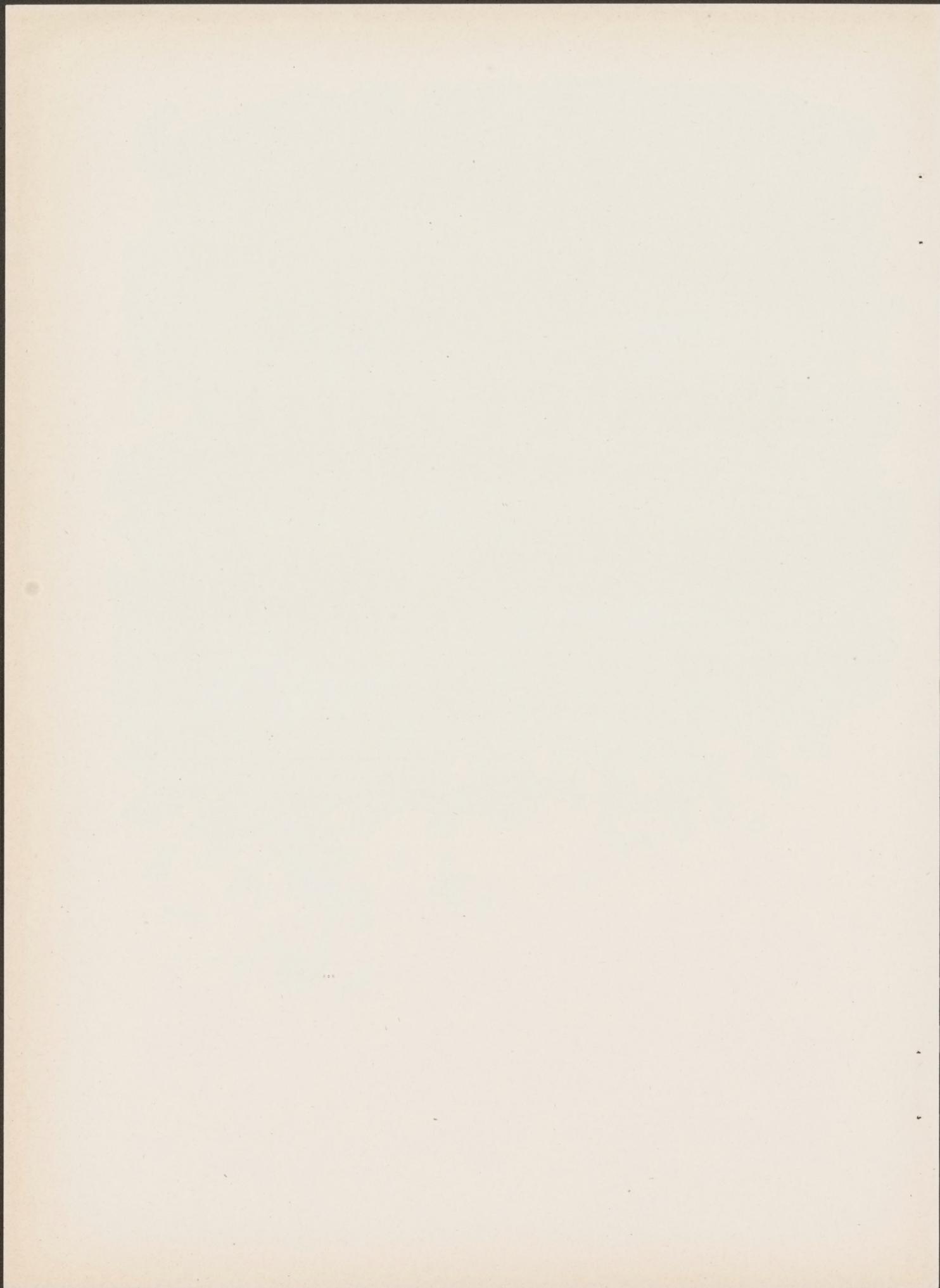
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Camden, Michigan  
Core 10  
"Enjoy your work by working  
hard. Be friendly and courteous;  
other persons will be as nice to you  
as you are to them."

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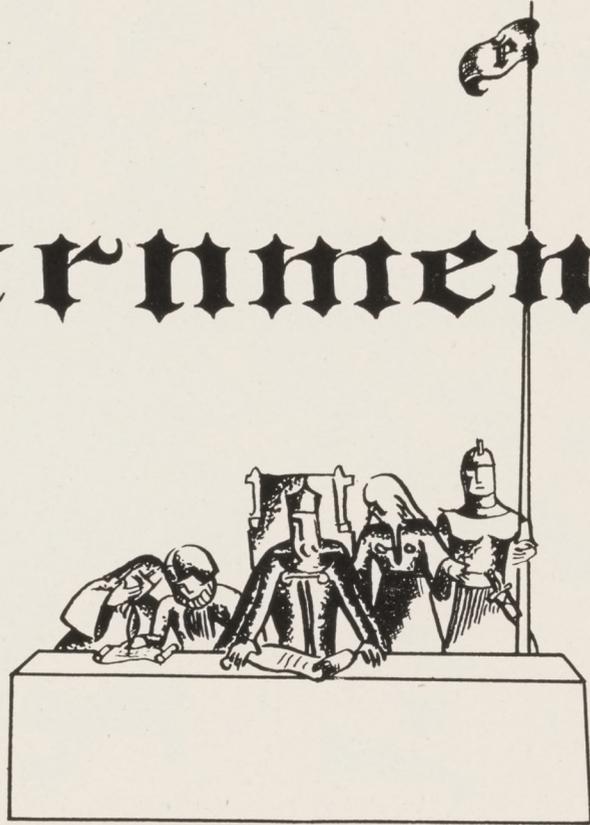
WOOD, NAOMI  
Oakland, California  
Core 7; Core 9  
"In the last verse of 'America the  
Beautiful', 'Thine Alabaster Cities  
gleam undimmed by human tears':  
I would like everything I do to work  
toward such cities not only for  
America, but for the whole world."

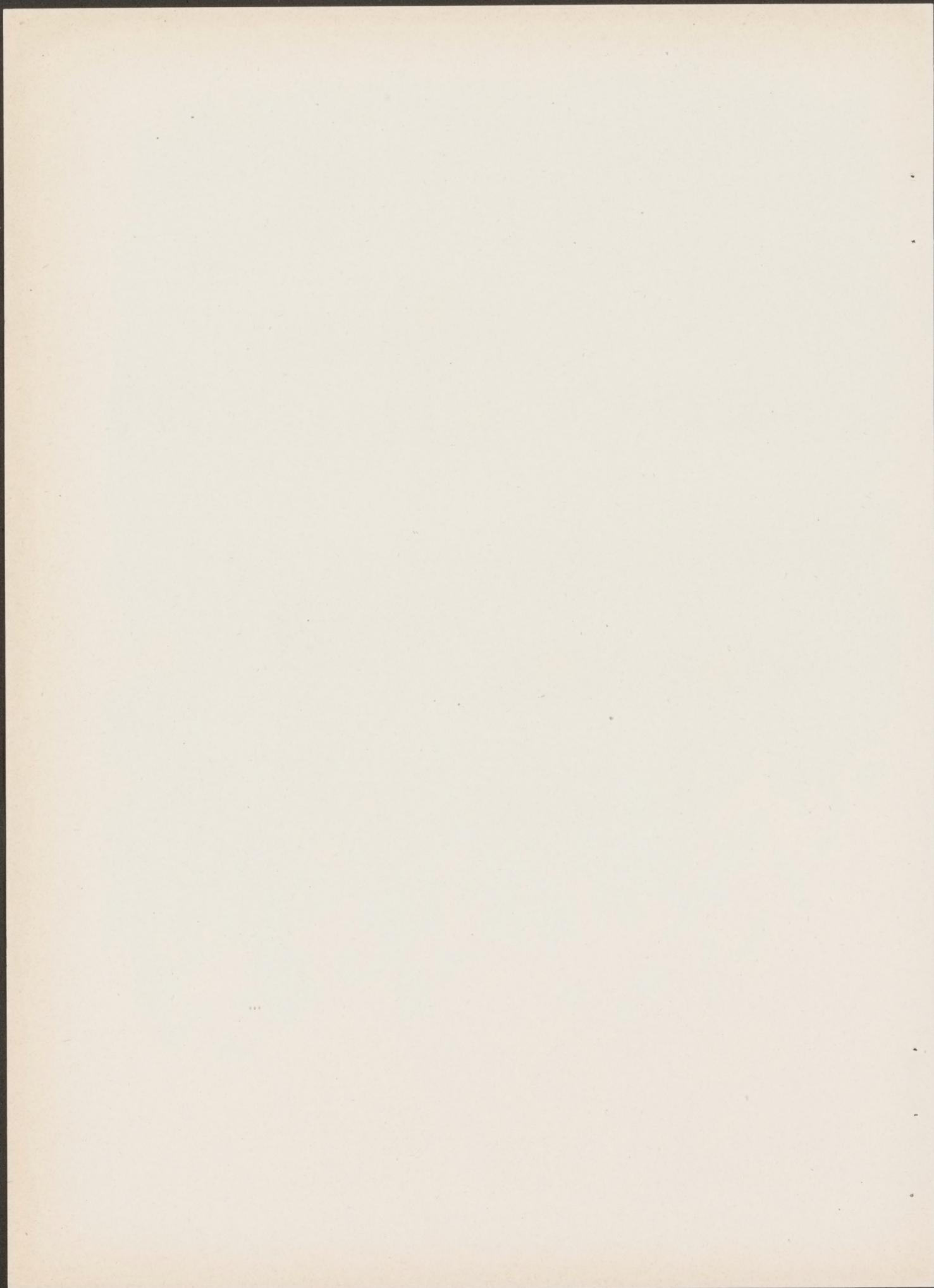
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WISEMAN, MARY  
Freeport, New York  
Core 11; English Composition



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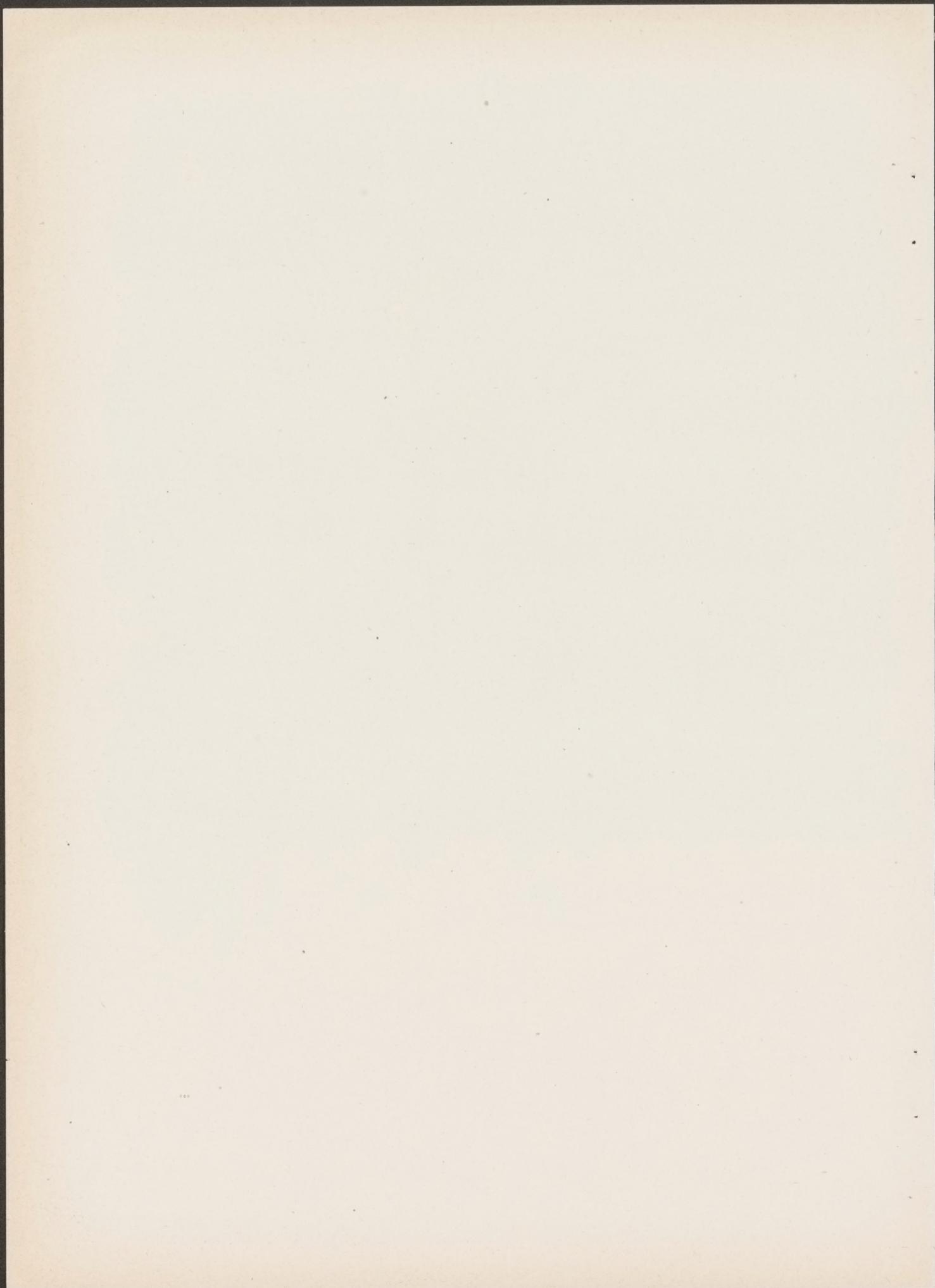
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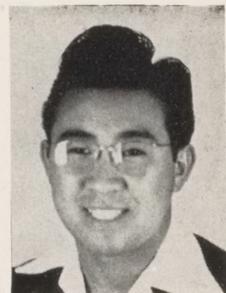
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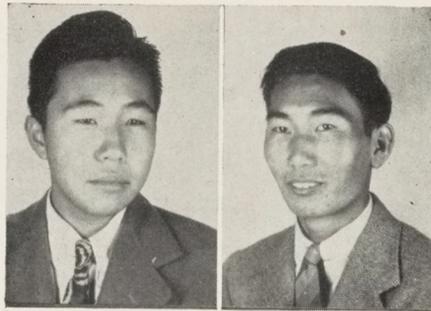
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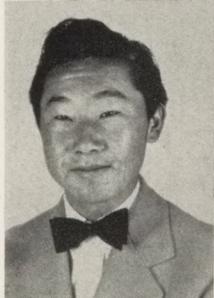
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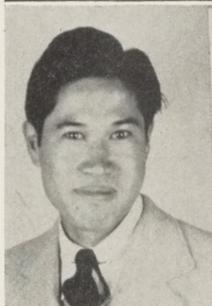


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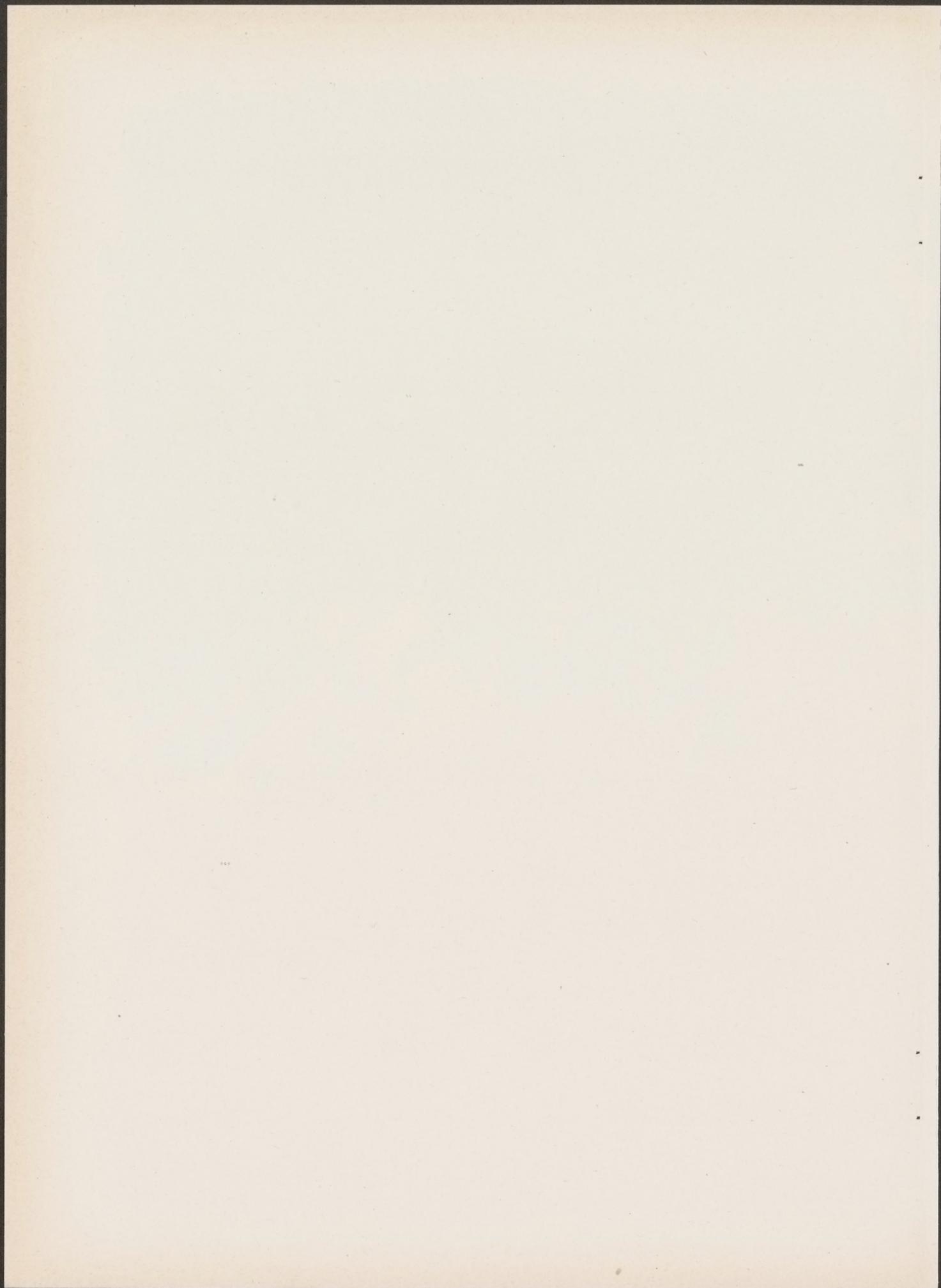
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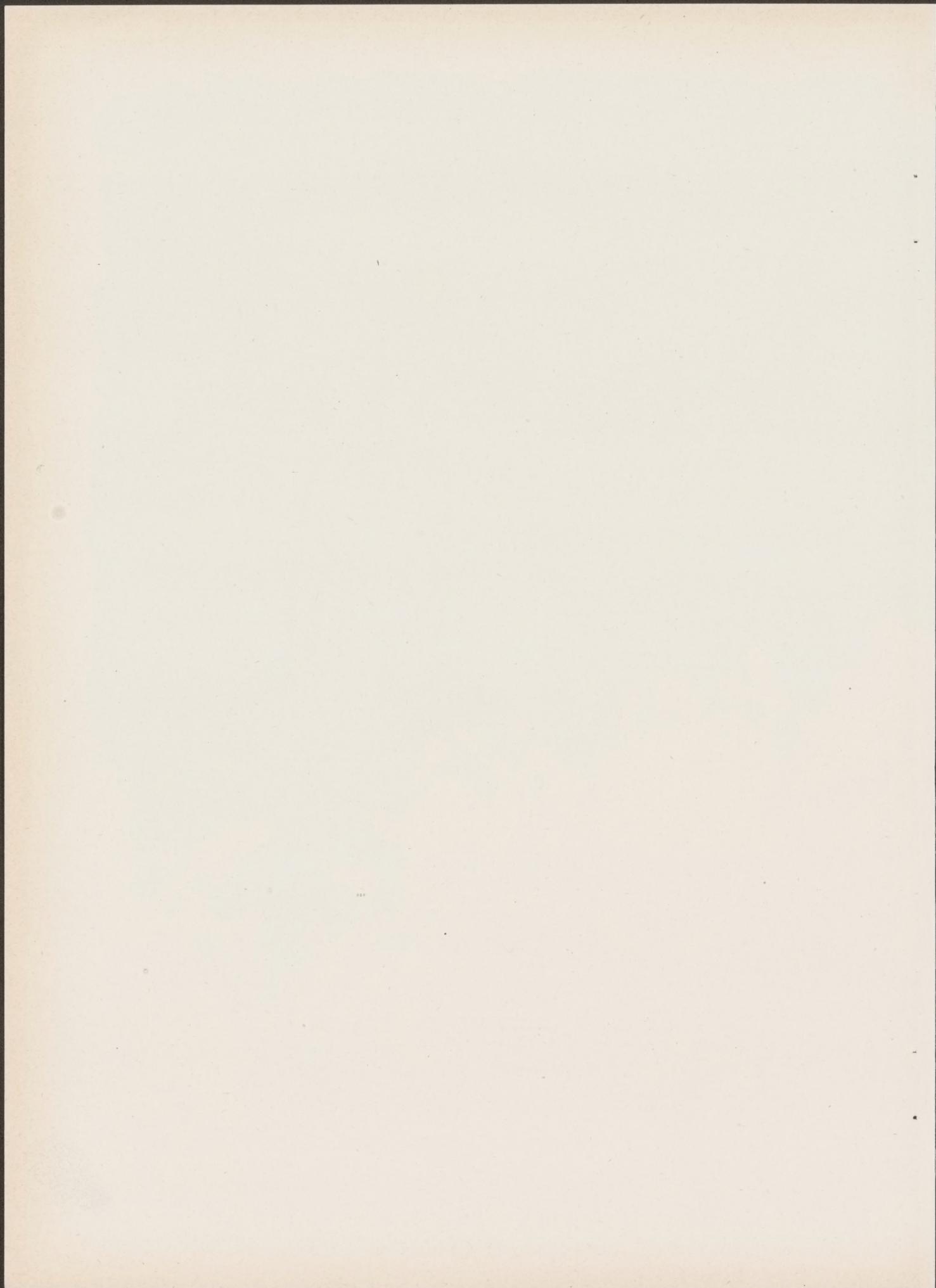
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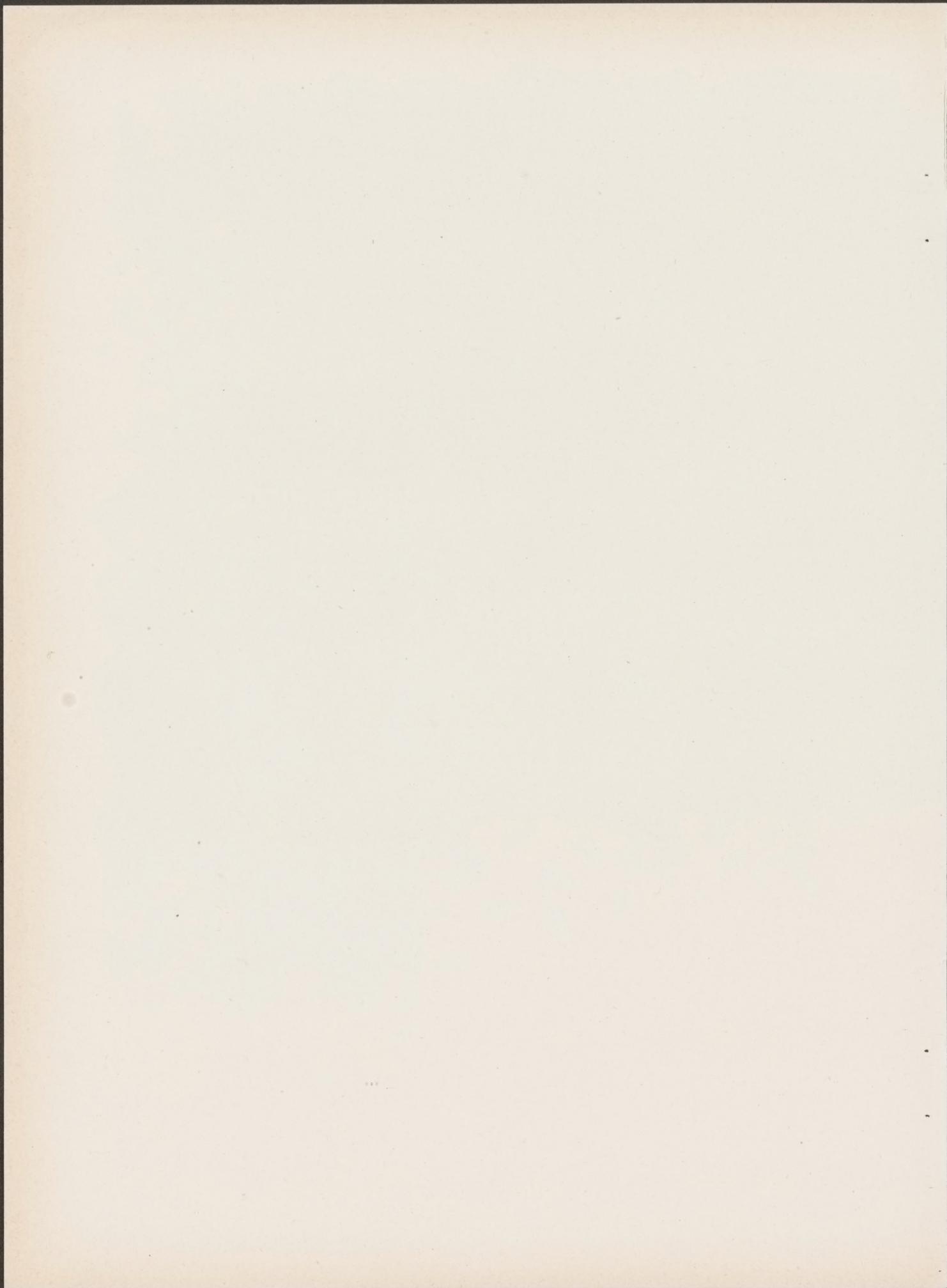


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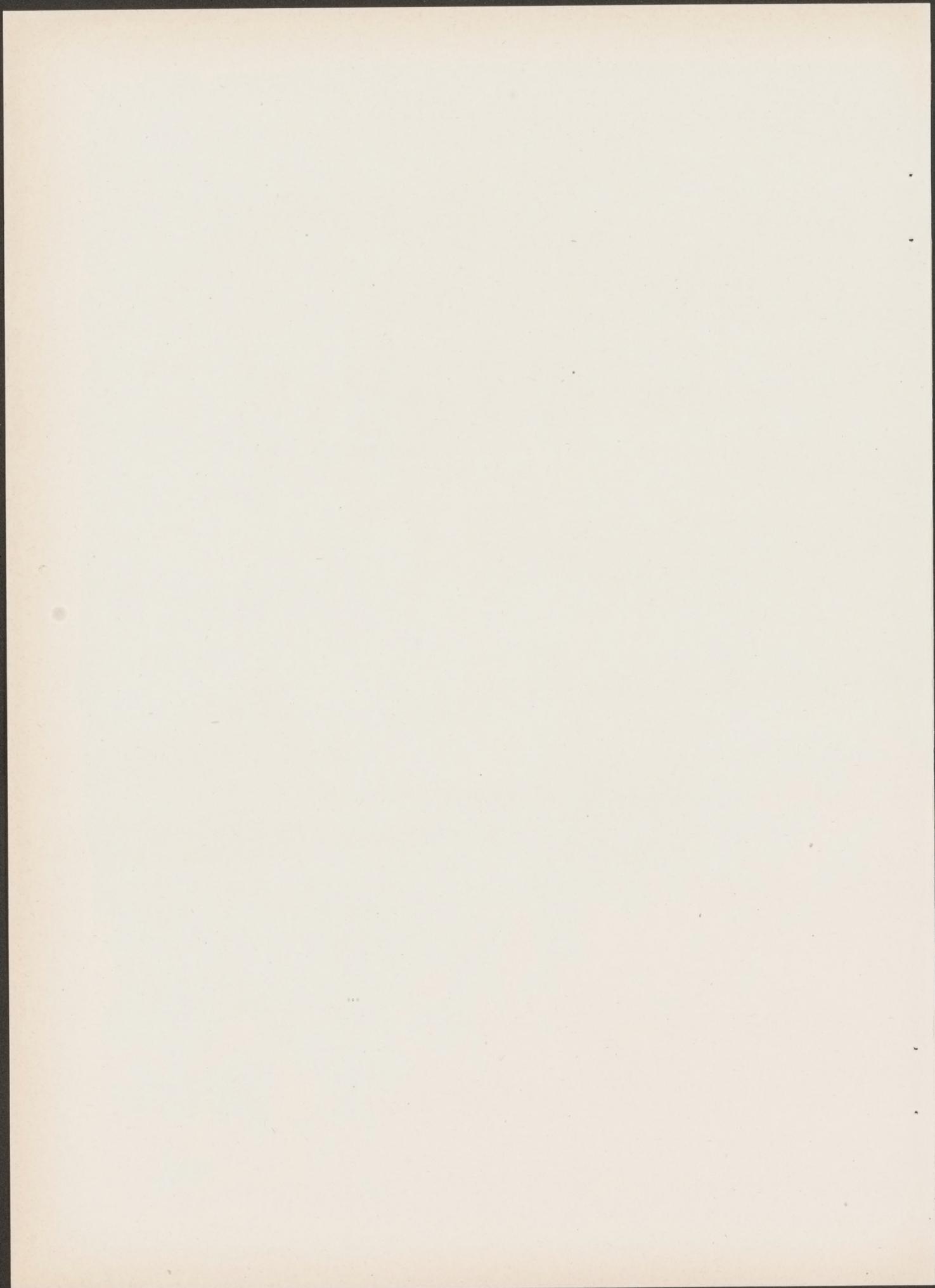
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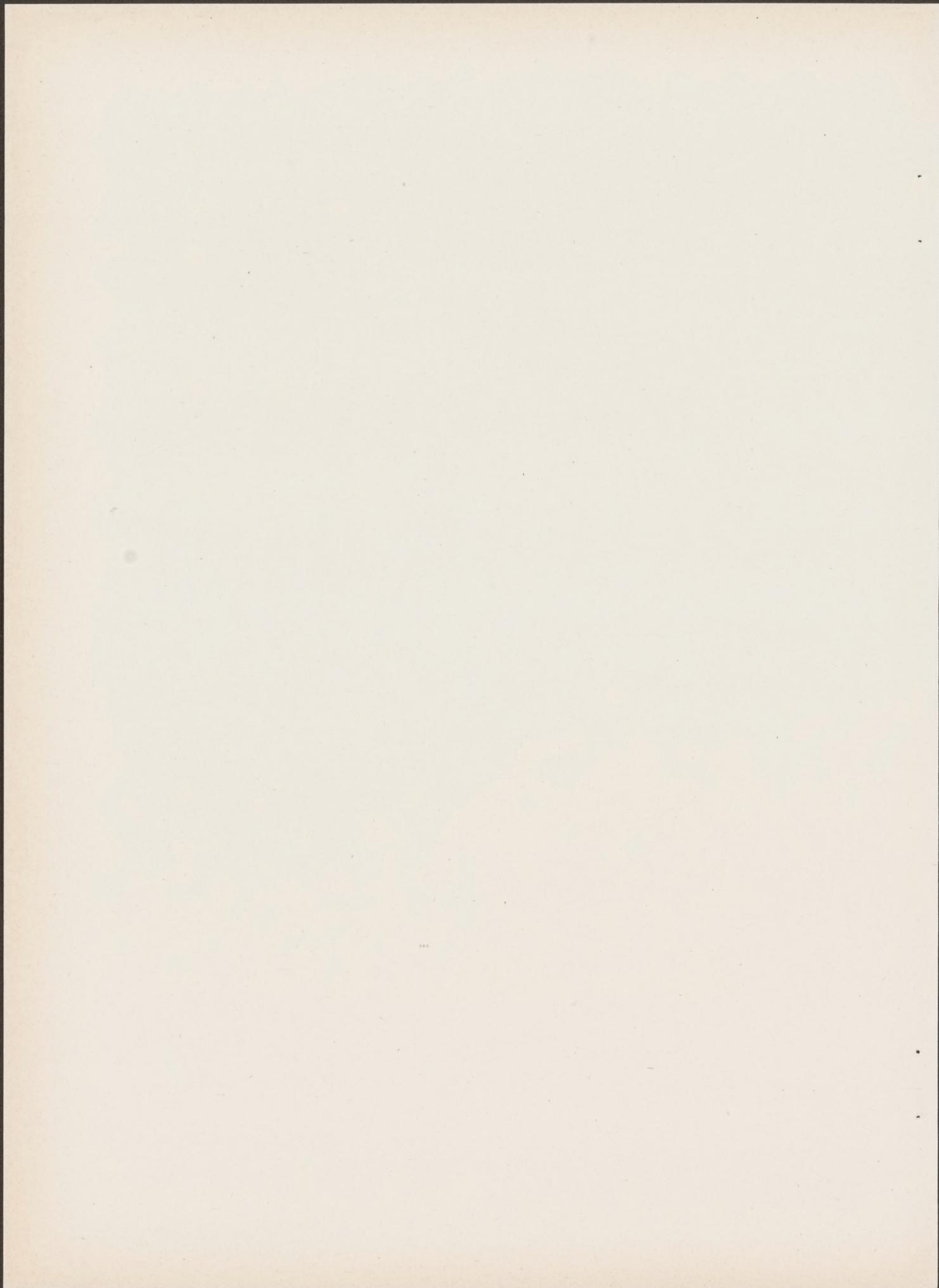
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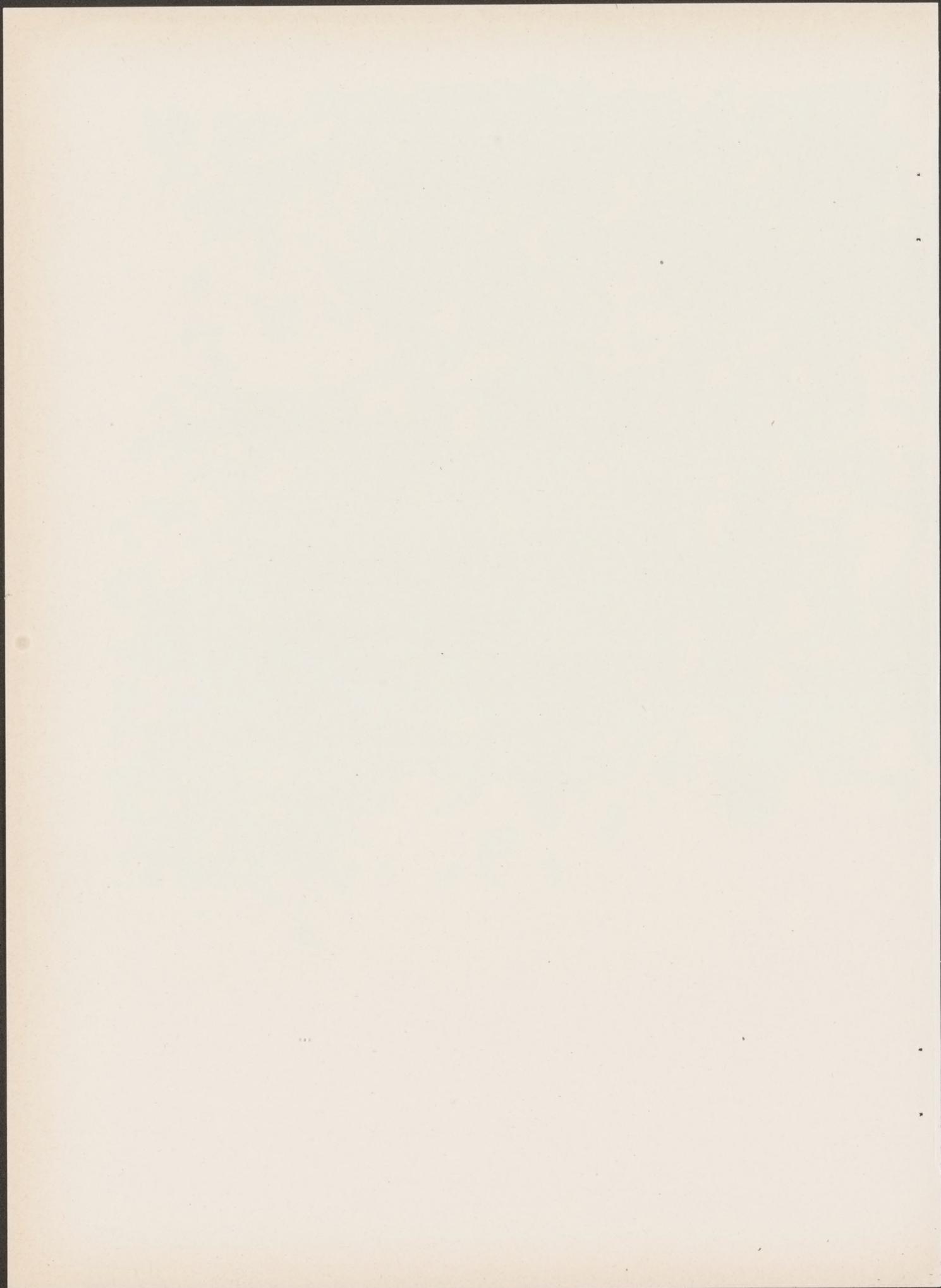
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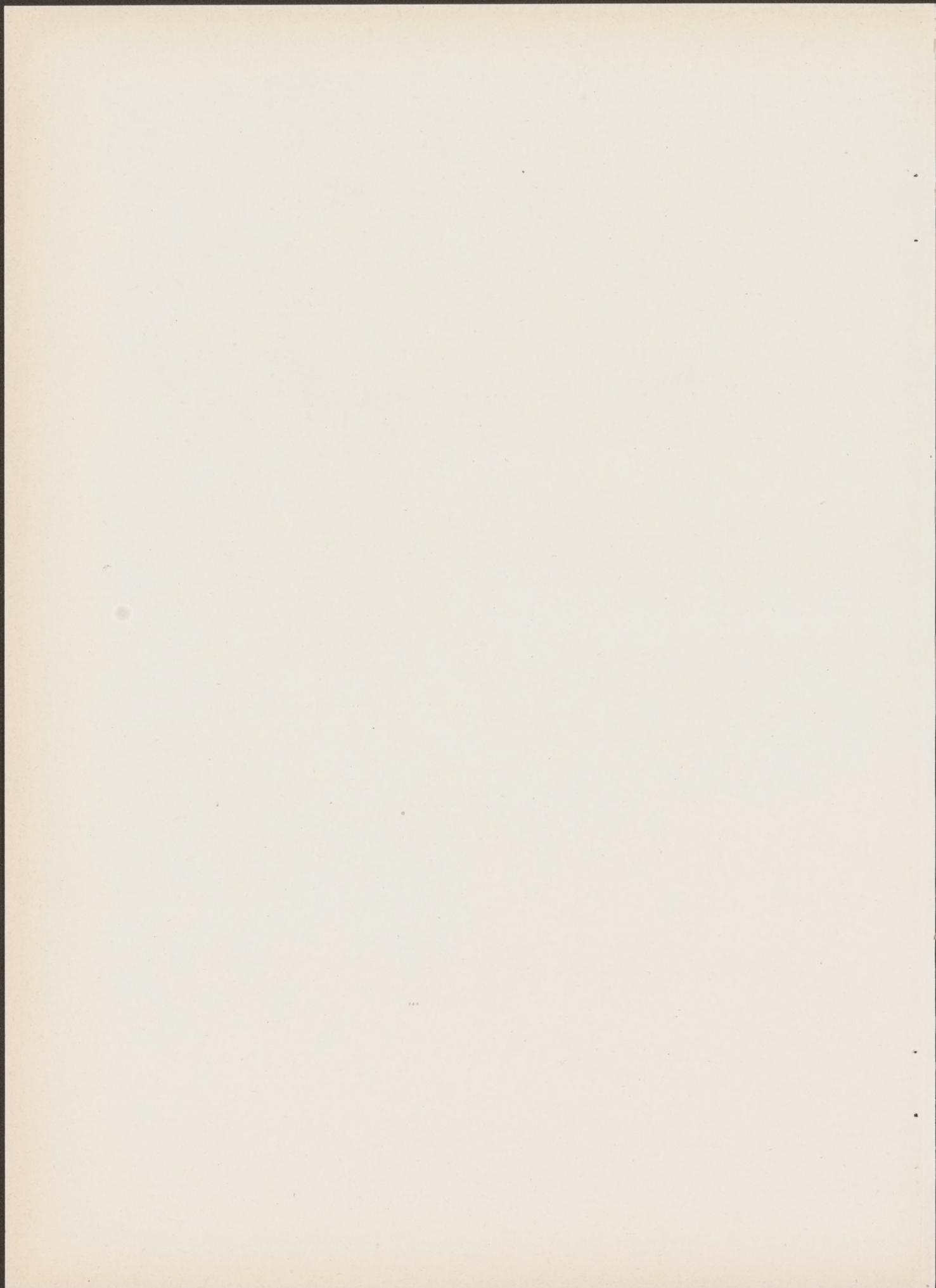
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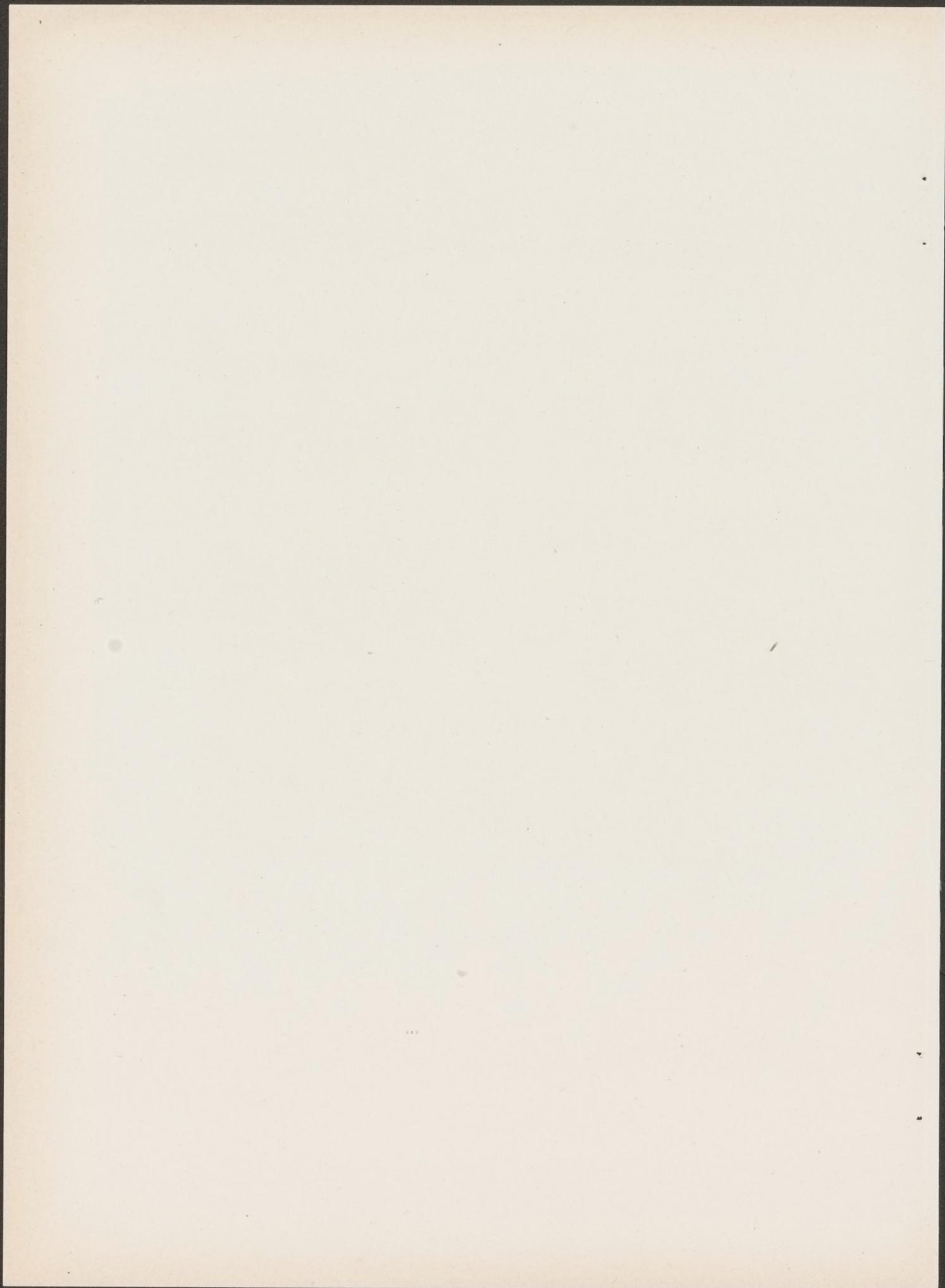


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# Sports





*They Played . . .  
 . . . We Cheered*



Handicapped by lack of equipment, but making the most of a fine coaching staff, the Poston "A" teams fought through dust, heat, and their hard hitting opponents from Camps 2 and 3 to bring home championships in the major sports of football, basketball, and track. Our "B", "C", and "D" teams also showed up very well and captured several championship pennants.

# Football

## "A" Team



Kneeling: Masao Endo, James Nakamura, Shigeo Oyama, Art Omori, Mas Kawanami, Tsuneyuki Okuma, Yutaka Sakai, James Yamamoto, Sus Mori; Standing: Henry Sahara, Coach Joe Ikemiya, Teru Morinishi, Yoneo Ono, Frank Hori, Joe Ono, William Manaka, Shiro Nakamura, Isamu Nishida, Kiyoshi Kawanami, Ken Ito, Coach Robbie Ohashi.

Presenting the most spectacular football team ever to set foot in the Poston dust—none other than the Poston High Bulldogs. Led by Captain Mas Kuni-mura, pass-snagging end, and "Slinging" Frank Hori, our team fought its way to the championship. Suffering no defeats, our sturdy Bulldogs were truly unconquerable. With such hard-hitting tackles as little Shig Oyama and Pete Sakai our opponents were stopped in their tracks.

## "B" Team



First Row: Yoshio Hora—mgr., Shiro Kitabayashi, Pete Izumi, Hiroaki Yamamoto, Thomas Koike, Shoji Matsubara, Mac Ogawa, Jimmy Horibe; Second Row: Jeff Sonoda—coach, Mas Musashi, Masaki Hagiwara, Tadashi Nagaro, George Kohatsu, Tak Ogura, Henry Iwanaga; Third Row: William Iwanaga, Bob Takahashi, Mas Kinjo.

Although they did not bring home the bacon, the Bullterriers were powerful and a big threat to their opponents. Known as the "hard luck team", the Bee's were slightly edged in their game against the Bears, 13-12, and the others ended in a 0-0 deadlock. Leading the attack was Captain Mas Kinjo, with the aid of Noto, Koga, and Yamamoto in the backfield, and Nagaro, Okawa, Iwanaga, and Izumi on the line. The Bullterriers were very good sports and could take their losses with their chins-up. We should be very proud to have such good, clean players in our school.

## "C" Team



First Row: John Ohmura—mgr., Harold Nagase, Hisao Sakurai, Frank Yamamoto, Kenge Matsumoto, Hideo Setsuda, George Matsui, Kiyoshi Nishimori; Second Row: Ken Obata, Masaru Nobuto, Henry Wada, Jim Takata, Frank Doi, Bob Mori; Third Row: Richard Shindo, James Takeda, Akira Arao, Takashi Murase, Shoichi Morita, William Obata.

Small, but mighty, our little Bullpups have brought home the pennant. Under the fine coaching of Fred Nishizawa, the Bullpups have won a hard earned championship. In spite of their first defeat with an unorganized team the Bullpups finally came out wearing the crown. Sparkled by Co-Captains Richard Shindo and Mas Nobuto, they were not easily beaten. In the backfield we had Shindo, Sakai, Murase, and Takata, while Nobuto and Tanoye played a bang-up game as tackles. Our Bullpups had a very fine team this season and we hope to see an even better one next season.

# Basketball

## "A" Team



Kneeling: Masaru Kunimura, Yoshio Kamiya, Frank Hori, Bill Omoto, Yasuo Yoshida;  
Standing: Aki Mochizuki—Coach, Art Omori, Joe Ono, Fred Sasaki, James Yamamoto,  
George Tsuchiyama, Teddy Ikeuchi.

"Fast and sharp shooters" describes the Bulldog quintet which showed their fighting spirit throughout the entire season as some of the surrounding teams found out. Using well thought plays, and exhibiting some fast ball handling, the Bulldogs, coached by Aki Mochizuki, took the championship of the P. H. S. A. L. league. They were led by Bill Omoto, the sharp shooting captain.

Next year the Bulldogs will miss the Basketball Wizards, "Moose" Kunimura, Bill Omoto, Yas Yoshida, and Yoshio Kamiya.

## "B" Team



Kneeling: Yoshio Hora—mgr., Sam Kyotoki, Mas Musashi, Pete Izumi, Frank Noto, Masaki Hagiwara, Tamio Yoshida; Standing: Albert Kaniye—Coach, Henry Iwanaga, Mas Kinjo, Noboru Itami, Teruo Kobata, Deo Tanahara, Jack Nakano, Jeff Sonoda—Coach.

With fate still following them from the football season, the "hard luck" "B" basketball quintet again landed in the cellar. Although star-studded with such players as Mas Kinjo (Captain), Nobby Itami, Lloyd Nishijima, Deo Tanahara, and Pete Izumi, the Bullterriers fell short in all their encounters and lost by close margins.

## "C" Team



Kneeling: Tom Tanaka, Richard Shindo, Tatsuo Nagase, James Takeda—mgr., Aki Matsui, Shiro Kitabayashi; Standing: Fred Nishizawa—Coach, Ken Obata, Masaru Nobuto, George Ikemiya, Harry Baba, Takao Ushiyama.

Our hard fighting Bullpups failed to bring home the pennant, but were a very big threat to their opponents. Downed in all of their games, the Cee's lost by a very close margin. With the superb coaching of Fred Nishizawa, the Bullpups used all of the plays taught to them. Fast, accurate passing and sharp shooting made the Cee's a team to be feared. Led by Captain Richard Shindo, "Porky" Ikemiya, Mas Nobuto, Tats Nagase, and Kiyoshi Sakai, the Cee's were very smooth on both the defensive and the offensive. High scoring honors went to "Porky" Ikemiya.

## "D" Team



Kneeling: Bob Ikari—Coach, Raymond Sasaki, Charlie Horiye, Shigemi Oyama, Paul Chickahisa, Kengi Neyama; Standing: Donald Sakaki, Jim Shozi, Tom Shiroma, Joe Nakano, Benny Omoto, Tsuneyuki Okuma.

Even though the "D's" did not take the championship, they won something of which they are more proud. Carefully watched by the coaches and officials, the "D" team was voted to possess the best sportsmanship in the P. H. S. A. L. Handicapped by lack of height, they fought hard to show their school spirit. Led by Captain Benny Omoto, star center, and with the aid of Oyama and Okuma, forwards, Neyama and Shozi at the guard positions, they were able to take on the Bears once.

# Girls' Sports



Due to the shortage of equipment the girls' sports program was not as varied as they had hoped it might be. But since they displayed fine enthusiasm in the sports they conducted, it can truly be said that our girls' sports program was a success.





Baseball came second in the girls' sports program. At the left is an action shot of two softball players.

The schedule of girls' athletic competition was carried on through after school play-off games under the direction of the Girls' Athletic Association.

A highlight of the year was an inter-camp girls' playday, sponsored by the G. A. A., and held on our grounds.



What're you waiting for?

# The G. A. A. Cabinet



Seated: M. Sunago, E. Kusida, B. Setsuda, Yell leaders; Standing: L. Endo, Secretary; G. Morimoto, V. President; G. Setsuda, President; S. Mori, Treasurer; T. Matsuda, Athletic Manager. First semester cabinet.



R. Watanabe, Publicity Mgr.; G. Morimoto, President; M. Tsuji, Athletic Comm.; A. Yasukoshi, Secretary; H. Ito, V. President; M. Sunago, Treasurer; S. Tsuchiyama, Athletic Manager; B. Setsuda, T. Omori, Yell leaders. Second semester cabinet.

All credit for the success of our girls' athletic program goes to the Girls' Athletic Association. Under the advisership of Miss Mikami, the organization laid ambitious plans for the year. Despite the fact that Miss Mikami left to relocate, the girls carried on and brought the year to a successful close.

# G.A.A. Members



## SENIORS

First Row: E. Kikumoto, K. Imazu, R. Masamori, F. Ishida, D. Obata, S. Mori, K. Sugimoto, R. Mori, K. Toke; Second Row: L. Kusumoto, G. Setsuda, N. Suzuki, N. Sakamoto, R. Watanabe, M. Inouye, A. Yamaguchi, K. Ito, K. Fukuda, L. Endo, T. Nishioka; Third Row: T. Tsuchimori, P. Nomoto, H. Ito, B. Kuramoto, H. Oda, H. Nakachi, S. Ikeda, T. Matsuda, T. Nishita, K. Nagai.



## JUNIORS

First Row: L. Okazaki, D. Ikuma, G. Furuta, Y. Torimaru, M. Nagata, F. Nishioka, G. Morimoto, M. Emoto, H. Imamura; Second Row: F. Nakano, H. Okida, S. Inada, E. Takii, S. Horita, T. Fukuda, R. Watanabe, K. Kawamura, E. Matsumoto, H. Yanaga, K. Ikeda; Third Row: E. Kushida, K. Tsuchiyama, S. Kato, R. Otsuki, A. Nakamoto, M. Sunago, I. Noda, K. Nomura, S. Tsuchiyama, M. Ohye.



### SOPHOMORES

First Row: R. Komatsuka, G. Ishida, H. Oki, S. Ninomiya, F. Kadowaki, S. Nomura, Y. Kikuchi, M. Yamakuchi, I. Takenaga; Second Row: M. Kaneko, R. Mori, J. Fujita, T. Tsuneyoshi, A. Deguchi, Y. Nagata, T. Kawaguchi, H. Mitokawa, S. Nomoto, T. Shimahara; Third Row: K. Kawamoto, T. Omori, M. Inouye, H. Tanaka, K. Nakatsuka, H. Kobashi, B. Setsuda, Y. Watanabe, M. Takanabe, S. Nishioka, K. Sato.

The Sophomores proved to be active players in games of volleyball, basketball, and softball. Defeating the Junior All-Star in softball, the Sophties took the championship.

The active Junior Class claims themselves the All-Star Champs in both volleyball and basketball. Although they lost the championship in softball to the Sophties, they can say they tried their best.

Although the Seniors did not win any of the All-Star games, their good sportsmanship and enthusiasm were envied by all classes.

# Social Activities

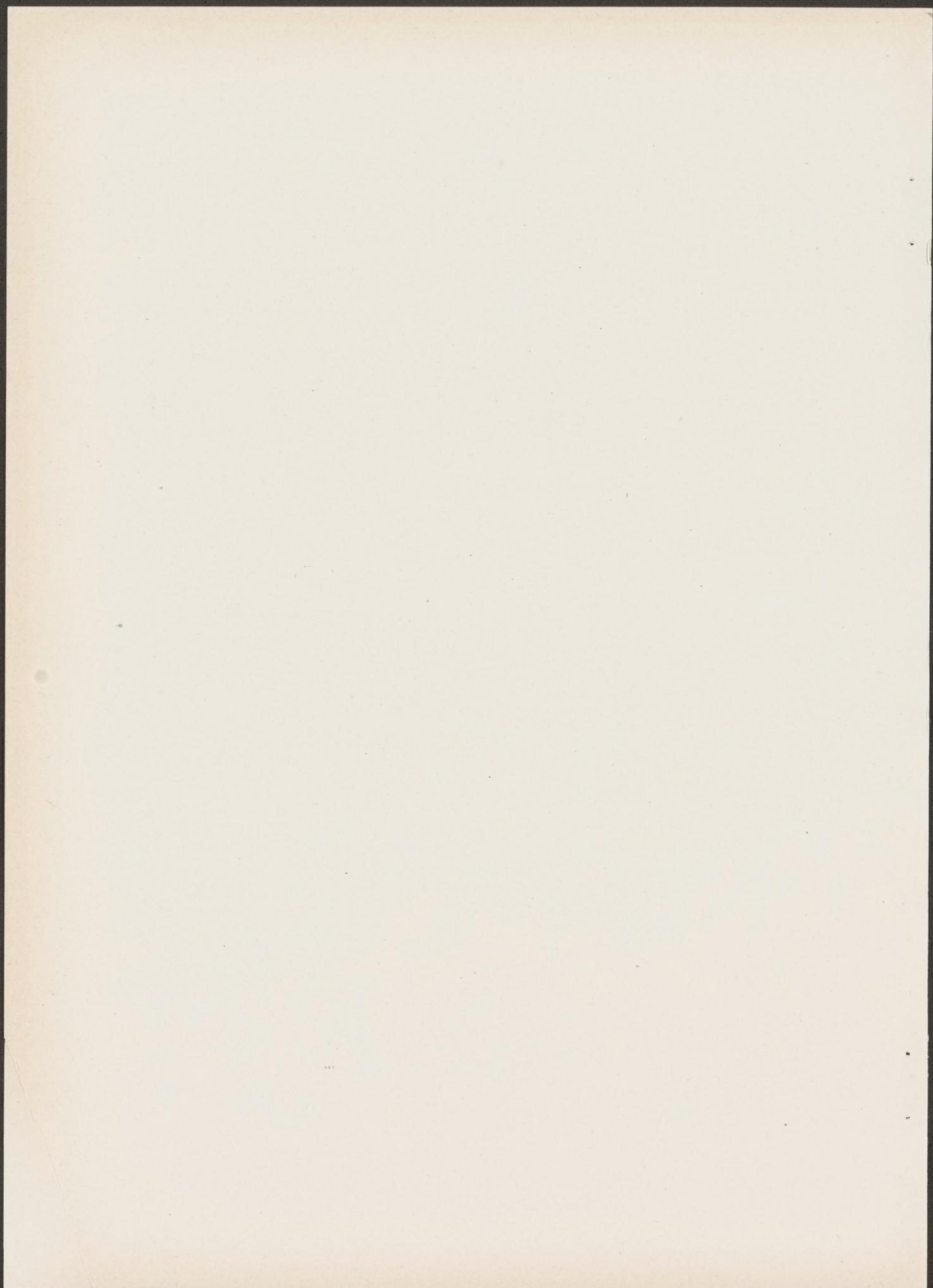


The "Bulldog Bounce" a dance held in the honor of the football "A" and "B" champions was sponsored by the G. A. A. at the end of the season. It turned out to be a huge success and one of the outstanding social events of the year. By a vote of the members of the football team, Grace Setsuda was chosen Queen of the Bulldog Bounce, and was presented with a football autographed by the members of the team. Moose Kanimura made the presentation.

Another social which the G. A. A. sponsored was the G. A. A. Blow-out, an all-girl affair. Games, entertainments, and refreshments were provided. The surprise of the evening was a motion picture show. This, too, turned out to be a successful event.

# Activities





# Post Ano Annual Staff



Kosaka, Isobe, Mukai, Itano, Matsunaga, Tsuchimoto, Sakaye, Sugiura  
Mr. Lehner, Yamasaki, Nagasaki, Seki, Mitamura, Shimahara, Kawanuma, Asamen, Ishimaru

Unlike other schools, Poston High School was fortunate in having class time in which to devote an hour of work to achieve the goal of producing a memorable annual. The students who entered this class were inexperienced in the making of an annual, but through the careful guidance of Mr. Lehner, the students not only achieved the goal, but also gained valuable experience in writing. This has been the first annual published for Poston High and the members contributed hours of their spare time in making this one of the best works of the school. During the third quarter Mr. Lehner was taken ill and although his absence somewhat slowed down the production, the staff members were able to plough through with the aid of Tom Matsunaga, editor. Tom Matsunaga and Mr. Lehner wish to extend their sincere appreciation to the staff members for the fine cooperation rendered, and to those who aided in making this a worthy annual. To the next year's staff "Best of Luck!"

# Post Ano



For the appropriate and ingenious illustrations in our Annual we are deeply indebted to Arnold Fujita, art editor Harua Oda, Georgianna Sawahata, and Isabel Watanabe, who spent all their spare moments concentrating on making this Annual as beautiful a one as possible.

Editor-in-Chief . . . . .	Tom Matsunaga
Business Manager . . . . .	Mary Mitamura (1st semester)
. . . . .	Jim Isobe (2nd semester)
Art Editor . . . . .	Shizuko Seki (1st semester)
. . . . .	Arnold Fujita (2nd semester)
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Senior Write-ups . . . . .	Michiko Asamen
. . . . .	June Yamasaki
. . . . .	George Kosaka
Activity Write-ups . . . . .	Teruko Ishimaru
Calendar Write-ups . . . . .	Takao Ushiyama
Sports Write-ups (Boys) . . . . .	Yoshiaki Tsuchimoto
Sports Write-ups (Girls) . . . . .	Kaz Kawanuma
Pictures . . . . .	George Kosaka
. . . . .	Jimmie Sakaye

# *Post Ano*

## *Junior High Annual Staff*



Mr. Lehner, Yoshida, P. Fujimoto, Sunago, Yanamoto,  
Noguchi, Sugino, G. Kato, Shibata  
Hiroto, B. Fujimoto, Tashima, Murakami, Ito, Fujii, J. Kato

During the long summer and dreary winter months, the Jr. High Annual Staff toiled through the Jr. High section write-ups. All events held during the year were written out, all sports were covered, and the accomplishments of the clubs were taken down. The staff took over the task splendidly and is to be congratulated on its good work.

Editor-in-Chief . . . . .	Margaret Murakami
Art Editor . . . . .	Terry Hirota
Faculty Write-ups . . . . .	Grace Kato
Club Write-ups . . . . .	Frances Tashima
Class Write-ups . . . . .	Emiko Ito
Sports . . . . .	Mary Fujii

# Kampus Krier



Hedani, Sanematsu, Hamashima, Shimazu,  
Shimamoto, Tanahara, Ozasa  
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P. Kawaguchi, Kuwano, Sato, Tsuchiyama, Shigematsu  
Miss Havighurst, Kawata, Fukaye, Ishida, Okanishi,  
Nagareda, Yamato, Hiroto

"Hey, John, get a Kampus Krier for me!" Yes, it's Friday again, and the Kampus Krier is ready for distribution. Prepared by the journalism class under the advisorship of Miss Martha Havighurst, the weekly newspaper was mimeographed by the Office Services.

The regular editions of the Kampus Krier were composed of four pages. Following the special six-page Thanksgiving issue, the regular newspaper was increased to six pages. A special eight-page Christmas issue printed with red ink was published. For Easter a ten-page publication on pastel shades of paper was distributed.

The position of editor-in-chief, which was left vacant by Chiyoko Maeda upon her relocation early in the school year, was filled by Kimiko Okanishi.

The staff for the first semester was composed of Edwin Hiroto, business manager; Frances Ishida, first page editor; Hannah Fukaye, second page editor; Teruo Kawata, third page editor; Mie Nagareda, fourth page editor; Carl Chikahisa, sports editor; Henry Sanematsu, exchange editor; Akira Hedani, mailing manager; Taeko Omori and Chizuko Kawaguchi, art editors; Peggy Yamato, head typist.

A revised staff served for the second semester: Akira Hedani, business manager; Hannah Fukaye and Jimmy Ozasa, first page editors; Chizuko Kawaguchi and Teruo Kawata, second page editors; Mie Nagareda and Henry Sanematsu, third page editors; Frances Ishida and Edwin Hiroto, fourth page editors; Peggy Yamato and Lawrence Shimamoto, fifth page editors; Haruto Shimazu, sixth page editor; Mary Tsuji, girls' sports editor; Kazumi Tsuchiyama, exchange editor, Deo Tanahara, mailing manager; Taeko Omori, art editor.

Throughout the entire year, the Kampus Krier had over 600 enthusiastic readers.

## Cheerleaders



Sakemi, Iwaki, Onoda  
Sunago, Ohye, Setsuda, Sugimoto, Emoto  
Ishida, Yano, Kawanuma, Watanabe

Right up in the front lines behind the team are the cheerleaders leading yells, cheering and encouraging, lifting up spirits, striving for the goal and victory. At all camp games these yell leaders made a "touchdown" in backing up our team. Pon-pons were made which played a part at these games, and many assemblies were prepared by these cheerleaders. Let's keep these cheers going by joining in these yells; let's be "the men behind the men behind the lines." The leaders are Kaz Kawanuma, President; Ruth Watanabe, Vice President; Grace Ishida, Secretary; Toshio Uyeda, Treasurer.

## *Stamp Club*

Under the supervision of Miss Patten, the Stamp Clubs claimed the total of 100 students. Interesting demonstrations from the stamp books of club members were held; special talks from adults who had a common interest in the fascinating hobby, and discussions on a variety of stamps were given. Through stamp collecting, a study of history and geography and the worthwhile use of leisure-time were possible. Officers for Club A were Harry Baba, President; Donald Miyaji, Vice President; Emiko Sakamoto, Secretary. Club B: Jun Chino, President; Kaname Okawa, Vice President; Clara Shindo, Secretary.

## *Forum and Debate*

Of the four freedoms, "Freedom of Speech" has been practiced through the Forum and Debate Club which has met twice weekly. The discussions centered principally on post-war problems. Through these discussions, practice of free exchange of opinion, and practice of effective speaking were obtained. Under the supervision of Miss Wiseman and with the cooperation of the members, the club progressed "slowly but surely." An exhibition debate was held on the national question: Resolved the United States should participate in the reconstruction of the League of Nations. The debaters were Roy Otsuka, Tsurue Taniguchi, Masaru Murakami, and Hiroko Sakamoto.

# Tri-Y



T. Tsuchimori, Kushida, Sunago, L. Nagata, Inouye, Noda, Oda, Nakachi, Ikeda  
K. Tsuchimori, Sakamoto, Nakamoto, Akada, Yasukochi  
R. Watanabe, I. Watanabe, Nishioka, Sato, Nagai, Omori, Setsuda  
M. Nagata, Sumioka, Sawahata, Yamaguchi, Otsuki  
Miss Sanematsu, Takenaga, G. Ishida, Torimaru, Kawaguchi, G. Setsuda, Furuta  
L. Nishioka, Obata, Ishida, Komatsuka, F. Nishioka, Sakaki

"To find and to give the best." During the past year the girls of this club have been living up to this phrase. One of the main features of the year was the ALL-GIRLS' SHAG. At the beginning of the second semester the Senior Girls' Tri-Y and the Co-Eds combined and the results of the election were as follows: Lillian Nishioka, President; Ruth Watanabe, Vice President; Kazuko Nagai, Secretary; Harua Oda, Treasurer; Miss Sanematsu, advisor. The Co-Eds officers during the first semester were Ayako Sakamoto, President; Irene Noda, Vice President; Linda Sakaye, Secretary; Jeanne Sakaki, Treasurer.

## Correspondence



Eddow, Omori, Nishioka Horikawa, Matsunaga, Nagata, Sagawa, Mrs. Snelson  
Takenaga, Sato, Hirabayashi, Ono, Kariya, Nakahara, Kobashi

During the past year, the Correspondence Club, alias "Penettes", has been living up to its purpose: To promote better relations nationally, and to improve the art of letter-composition. Combining with the local Y. B. A., the "Penettes" sponsored "Caught in the Draft", the draftee dance which was hailed as a success. The directors for the first semester, Sally Hirabayashi, President; Tomiko Ono, Vice President; Kyoko Sagawa, Secretary-Treasurer. Second semester: Takako Nakahara, President; Sally Hirabayashi, Vice President; Taeko Omori, Recording Secretary; Tomiko Ono, Treasurer; Arlene Eddow, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Snelson, Advisor.

## *Societas Latina*



Abe, Nagase, Higuchi, Matsumoto, K. Tawa, Kubota  
J. Tawa, Sakamoto, Deguchi, Fukuda, Takahash, Nakanishi, Horita,  
Morikawa, Nomoto, Sasaki, Shintaku, Arita  
Horiuchi, Ohmura, Nagata, Furuta, Kawamoto, Nagareda, Obata,  
Kusumote, Ninomiya, Okano, Miyaji, Kawaguchi  
Miss Hirata, Y. Baba, Hagiwara, Nakamura, H. Baba

Societas Latina was the Poston Chapter of the nation-wide Junior Classical League. Its goal was to set up in the school and community a friendly attitude toward the classics; to provide social and community activities for those with a background of classics; to act as part of the national movement to promote language study which is so vital during the war and will continue to be important in the post-war world. Latin songs were sung at one of the numerous meetings. In the middle of the year, the members played hosts to the El Dorado Club. Miss Hirata, advisor, successfully guided them throughout the year. Its cabinet officers were James Nakamura, President 1; Ester Nakamura, President 2; Masaki Hagiwara, Vice President; Yeiko Baba, Secretary; Harry Baba, Treasurer.

# El Dorado



Shoji, Kawanami, W. Murakami, Sugino, M. Murakami, Ikeda, Fukuda, Sakamoto, Nagata, Kusada, Watanabe, Akada, Nakashiki, Kuwahara, Katano, Omori, Taniguchi, Mori, Mitokawa, Morimoto, Tanaka, Kumada, Nagasaki, Ikuma, Kamaga, Yanaga, Yamoto, Fukawa, Masutani, Imamura

The Good Neighbor Policy which is being practiced throughout the world, particularly in the western hemisphere, is of utmost importance during the crisis of war. El Dorado, the Spanish club, stimulated interest in the Spanish language and the Good Neighbor Policy under the advisorship of Mr. Kushida and Mrs. Brand. During the first semester the club said "Good-bye" to Mr. Kushida by holding a farewell party for him, while during the last semester it said "Hello" to Mr. and Mrs. Brand by holding a "bien venido" meeting. First semester officers were Sachiko Tanaka, President; Ayako Sakamoto, Vice President; Grace Morimoto, Secretary; Paul Sugino, Treasurer. Second semester: Grace Morimoto, President; Masaru Murakami, Vice President; Sachiko Tanaka, Secretary; Paul Sugino, Treasurer.

# Lettermen



Ogura, H. Yamamoto, I. Yamamoto, S. Nakamura, Ono  
Kawanami, Kai, Sahara, Nakamura, J. Nagai, Inouye, Ito, Morinishi, Nishida  
Kinjo, Endo, Hori, Omori, Tsuchiyama, Kunimura, Sakai  
Takeda, Sakurai, Shindo, Iwanaga, Izumi, Horiye, Ono, Manaka  
Watanabe, Matsubara, Koga, Kohatsu, Takahashi, Hagiwara  
Mishizawa, Nagaro, Doi, Musashi, Ushiyama, Nobuto, Obata, Ikemiya  
Nakano, Arao, Miyamura, Iwanaga, Tanouye, Mori  
Mr. Mochizuki, Mr. Ikari, Nishimura, Hirata, Miyake, F. Yamamoto  
Kitabayashi, Okuma, Morita, Matsui, Nagase, Horibe, Okawa

Under the presidency of Mas Kawanami, the Lettermen were able to fulfill their purpose: To promote the ideals of sportsmanship and cooperation; further encourage competitive sports in our high school; foster the school spirit of having various events within the school and campus grounds. In March awards were distributed to the athletes of the various sports during a special assembly. During the year, an initiation was held for the new members from the basketball league. Their chief social event, the LETTERMEN'S DEBUT, was successfully held in March. The club took a big part in arranging for the inter-camp track meet in the early part of April. Staff assistants were James Nakamura, V. President, and Kiyoshi Kawanami, Secretary-Treasurer.

## Commercial B



Iwasaki, Otsuki, Ito, Sakamoto, Tsuchimori, Kuramoto, Akada, Kikumoto  
Mrs. Igauye, Ikuma, Inouye, Noda, Nakachi, Ono

Under the guidance of Mrs. Igauye, the Commercial Club reached its goal, "to further our training in business practices." A highlight of the year was the initiation of new members. A lecture by Tom Sakai on the operation of adding and calculating machines was warmly received by the club. The officers were Irene Noda, President; Hisako Nakachi, Vice President; Masako Inouye, Secretary; Shiyuko Ogura, Treasurer.

## Top-Hatters



Tsuchimori, Setsuda, Kokubun, H. Horikawa, Shimazu, Hiroto, R. Horikawa, Omori  
Ishida, Obata, Fukuda, Ikeda, Watanabe, Toimaru, Nagata

The Top-Hatters, our dramatic club, produced, acted, and presented to the community and student body entertaining plays during the past year. The Top-Hatters made their debut with the opening of the comedy, "Porter, Please." It's three-act play, "Growing Pains", broke the box office, and was declared one of the best ever produced. Miss Nora Antoun, the advisor and director, skillfully directed the play with the aid of Edwin Hiroto, student director, and the cooperation of its members. Three cheers and hats off to the Top-Hatters.

## *Pi Sigma Math Club*



Yamashita, Ikeuchi, Matsubara, Ushiyama  
Mr. Kimoto, Uyeda, Kawanami, Ogura, Okuma, Mr. Sanematsu  
Sakamoto, Tanaka

Every first and third Friday afternoon of the month a meeting was held by the honorary math club under the direction of Mr. Taffee Tanimoto, Mr. Kimoto, and Mr. Sanematsu. The purpose of the organization was to build appreciation of the value of mathematics in every day life; discover the interesting facts about the men in mathematics, work puzzles and various mathematical problems. The club bought pins for all members. Any student with at least a B average in math and science was eligible for membership. Officers were Teruo Okuma, President; Roy Otsuka, Vice President; Sachiko Tanaka, Secretary; Henry Sanematsu, Treasurer.

## Science Club



Otsuka, K. Kawanami, Akamatsu, Omoto, Matsumoto, M. Kawanami  
Matsuda, Kobashi, Kajiko, T. Sugimoto,  
Mr. Igauye, Hedani, B. Watanabe, Kawata, Morita  
Maruyama, Tanahara, Yamada, Mori  
Higashi, Nagareda, I. Watanabe, Matsuda, Sumioka, Uyehara, K. Sugimoto, Endo, Ikuma

At its meetings, the Science Club discussed various topics with this purpose in mind: To increase knowledge of science; to learn to perfect skills in science; to understand the importance of science in daily life. Photography was one of the main topics. The taking of pictures, the development, the printing, and all the processes of making a picture were taught under the management of Mr. Igauye, advisor. Its officers were Shoichi Morita, President; Kiyoshi Kawanami, Vice President; Mas Kawanami, Secretary-Treasurer.

# National Honor Society



Otsuka, Omoto, Kawata, Tsubota, Sanematsu, M. Murakami, Sugino, Hagiwara, Nishimura  
Tawa, Nakanishi, Takahash, Tsuneyoshi, Tamura, Kohatsu, Nagai, Setsuda, Kushida, Yamoto  
Taniguchi, Ogata, Arita, Kusada, Fujita, Chikashi, Matsuda, Endo, Morita, Omura, Nishida  
Ishida, Furuta, Imazu, Kameo, Sase, Nakahara, Tanaka  
Mr. Franchi, Horita, Yoshida, M. Kawanami, Okuma, S. Kawanami  
Morikawa, Taira, W. Murakami

Scholarship, leadership, service, and character were the four main qualities which formed the foundation of the National Honor Society. Students averaging at least a B plus were eligible for membership, on condition that their characteristics met these four qualities. The Sophomore Honor Society, at first sponsored by Mrs. Taylor, was later combined with the Jr.-Sr. High School under the able guidance of Mr. Franchi and with the assistance of Mr. Tom Sakai. The Charter Ceremony and the official recognition of charter members were held during the latter part of the year. The directors were, for first semester, Roy Otsuka, President; Teiko Ogata, Secretary; Takao Ushiyama, Vice President; Henry Sanematsu, Treasurer. Second semester, Teruo Okuma, President; Shizuko Horita, Secretary; Mas Kawanami, Vice President; Yas Yoshida, Treasurer.

# Desert Daze Staff



Tsuchimoto, Tsuda, Hirata, Chikahisa, Morinishi  
Snelson, Sawahata, Yano, Takahash  
Miss Doherty, Yamamoto, Omori, Horiuchi, Shindo,  
Onodera, Tani, Kawamoto, Nakata

## SECOND YEAR OF PUBLICATION

Under the capable leadership of Miss Barbara Doherty, staff advisor, these students published the Junior High paper, "Desert Daze." Following the directions of their editors and advisor, they rushed here and there with open eyes and ears to get the latest news and gossip about the campus.

For the first month a two-page edition was published. As the weeks rolled on, the staff members felt that they could do more, and they published a four-page paper for the remaining school term.

Special editions were published for April Fool's Day and the first anniversary of the "Desert Daze."

In spite of the cold winter and the hot summer months, these students put their full effort in trying to publish a good, worthy school paper for the students and faculty of Poston Junior High School. They hope that through

the "Desert Daze" a closer tie has been bound around the student body.

## NINTH GRADERS

The Journalism class of Poston Junior High School will feel the loss of the ninth graders. The students have served the school paper faithfully and have done their utmost in putting out a paper.

During the first semester Hideo Kawanami served as the Editor-in-Chief while Haruko Onodera served as our editor for most of the second semester.

Other ninth graders that will be missed by the staff and will be welcomed by the "Kampus Krier" are Lilyan Takahash and Reiko Horiuchi, who have helped with their writing. Chizuko Omori was one of our best news-hounds. Yoshi Morinishi with his technique as an artist went right along as art editor during the second semester.

## Correspondence



Shindo, Sato, Abe, Ogata, Nakahara, Murase, Ochi, D. Omori, Noritake  
Miss Havighurst, Itami, Ikeda, Nakamura, Yamaguchi, T. Nakamura, C. Omori

The purpose of the Correspondence Club was to learn how to write good letters and to exchange ideas with people from other parts of the country and the world, thus helping to promote better understanding. They corresponded with girls in Missouri, Minnesota, New York, Florida, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Delaware, and many other states in the country. Officers were Keiko Ogata, President; Toshiye Nakamura, Vice President; Mary Yamaguchi, Secretary; Chiyeko Murase, Treasurer.

## Girl Reserves 7th



Kitagawa, Shibata, Nakazono, Sakamoto, Tanaka  
 Ninomiya, Hirota, Otsuki, Ishino  
 Yanamoto, Kazama, Ishii, Sunago, Uyeno, Sano  
 Ikemura, Yoshida, Yoshioka, Miss Sanematsu  
 Takenaga, Noritake, Ikemiya, Fujimoto, Yamaguchi, Yano  
 Okanishi, Noguchi, Yoshida, Nakamura

A blue and white combination was voted to represent the colors of the Girl Reserves. Miss Sanematsu advised the members through the many meetings and assisted Grace Yano, President; Rose Otsuki, Vice President; Kazuko Takeda, Treasurer; and Taeko Yamaguchi, Secretary, in preparing for the success of the hiking trip to the mountains.

## Girl Reserves 8th

The Eighth Grade Girl Reserves was a service and social club for girls in the eighth grade who were interested in the Girl Reserves principles. The members of this club went on a hike to gather desert holly for making wreaths to be distributed to hospital patients and friends. The staff officers were Margaret Murakami, President, first semester; Setsuko Kobata, President, second semester; Helen Chikahisa, Vice President.



Tsuda, Sakemi, Maruya, Ito, J. Hiura, D. Hiura, P. Fujimoto  
 Morninishi, B. Fujimoto, Noguchi, Kobata  
 Nagahiro, Suzuki, Deguchi, Orida  
 Hamashima, Sano, Shindo, Murakami, Chikahisa  
 Yonemoto, Mayeda, Ikuma

## Junior Red Cross



Mrs. Seymour, Hirata, Nishiyama, Kamiyo, J. Kato, Yahiro, Fujimoto  
Kobashi, Oda, G. Kato, Yamamoto

The nationally known Jr. Red Cross has been progressing throughout the country and was established here two years ago. The proof of the progress in Poston was the great success during Christmas when a record-breaking sale of Christmas seals was accomplished. Mrs. Seymour supervised these sales with the aid of President Haruko Onodera, Secretary Pearl Fujimoto, and Treasurer Phyllis Hirata.

## Home Economics 8th

Under the supervision of Miss Okabe, the 8th Grade Home Economic members were able to accomplish many things. Their "Get Acquainted" party, among other activities, was a success. The officers during the year were Fumi Yoshida, President; Miyoko Sano, Vice President; Belle Sano, Secretary; Lillian Orida, Treasurer.



Nishita, Kawamoto, Kawanami, Hiura, Sano, Noguchi  
Watanabe, Sanematsu, Iwamura, Endo  
Miss Okabe, Shigaki, Shindo, Ito, Suzuki, Nishoka  
Tamura, Nagahira, Kagetani, Hedani  
Fujimoto, Yonemoto, Sugita, Orida, Tanida, Sano  
Yoshida, Deguchi, Nakamura, Ikuma

## *Sigma Mu Beta*



Morita, Inouye, Nakamura, Horikawa, Ushiyama  
Kawanami, Hayashi, Hedani, Mori, Mr. Ochiai, Fujita  
Kokubun, Ito, Hiroto Shimazu, Matsunaga, Yoshida, Tanahara, Sugino, Onishi

Service to the community, promoting clean minds, clean bodies, and clean spirits were just some of the pledges of the boys' service organization. Not only did the Hi-Y's talk, but they also acted as can be shown by their wide spread activities—both for our school and for the welfare of the community. Their record is one of which our school can be truly proud. The cabinet staff was Kiyoshi Kawanami, President; Takeo Sugimoto, Secretary; Jack Hirata, Treasurer; Mr. Ochiai and Mr. Koike, advisors.

## *Associated Christians*



L. Shimomura, J. Shimomura, H. Baba, Kawata, Miss Patten, Tsujimoto  
Ono, Kokubun, Takahashi, Miss Thompson  
Y. Baba, Kubota, Horikawa, Matsuda, Fukaye, P. Kawaguchi  
P. Yamato, Horita, Kuwano, Sasaki, Eddow  
Okamoto, Yamashiro, Kawabe, C. Kawaguchi, Endo, Ikeda  
Nomoto, Mitokawa, Kodama, Kumagai, Sano  
K. Murakami, Yamaguchi, M. Ono, Nagata, Sumioka, M. Murakami, Yamato  
Tashima, Nakashima, Watanabe, Maeda, Taira

The high standards of the Associated Christian Students' Club made its students esteem their worthy purpose, "to create leadership; spread Christian influence in community and school; help one another grow spiritually; increase fellowship with each other." Its members, working diligently with the officers and Miss Thompson, advisor, and Mr. Ono, former advisor, gained much in the way of spiritual growth and companionship. Cabinet officers for first semester were Gen Takahashi, President; Teruo Kawata, Vice President; Chizuko Kawaguchi, Secretary; Terry Matsuda, Treasurer. Second semester, Teruo Kawata, President; Yoneo Ono, Vice President .

## Glee Club



Baba, Matsuda, Tamura, Abe, C. Sato  
Miss Shoji, Kobashi, K. Sato, Fujimi, Yoshida, Nimura, Mr. Dugan

"Do mi so do—" the scale rose to a high pitch, as the Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. Dugan, practiced its daily vocal exercises. Entertainments were held for both Student Body and the community during the past year. Next year we are looking forward to the fruition of this year's efforts.

## *Junior Red Cross*

Many of the meetings of the Jr Red Cross were spent discussing the various problems of the Red Cross—drives, poster contests, and essay contests. Selling Christmas seals was one of the jobs which the organization accomplished with success. Representatives from each core class were elected to attend each of these meetings and to help with the events. With the aid of their advisors, Miss Thompson and Mr. Takeda, they carried throughout the year their work with great enthusiasm and cooperation. The cabinet officers were Joshua Shimomura, President; James Yamamoto, Vice President Hiroko Nishida, Secretary.

## *Commercial "A"*

At its meetings, discussions were centered on the purpose of this club: To promote interest in the business world and in the study of commercial subjects; to encourage a social spirit by offering opportunities for wholesome social contact; to become familiar with modern progressive business methods and systems. The club disbanded at the end of the semester however, with the cooperation of the students and under the guidance of Miss Morita, its goal was reached. Officers are for first semester Frances Ishida, President; Dorothy Obata, Vice President; Grace Setsuda, Secretary; Teiko Ogata, Treasurer; Mitsuko Kohatsu, Historian. Second semester, Dorothy Obata, President; Amy Yoshida, Vice President; Eleanor Kushida, Secretary; Chizuko Akiyama, Treasurer; Yuri Torimaru, Historian.

## *Home Economics 7th*

The Seventh Grade Home Economics Club learned various crafts. Their chief purpose was learning to sew. At Christmas time the members made gifts, went hiking and camping. Staff officers were Yukiko Sato, President; Rose Otsuki, Vice President; Grace Kato, Secretary; Elizabeth Sugino, Treasurer; Miss Thompson, Advisor.

## *Hobby Crafts Club*

The purpose of the Hobby Crafts Club was to learn various crafts. Working with wood and tin they fashioned many articles. The cabinet officers were Jean Kido, President; Yoshiye Morimoto, Vice President; Tomiko Kakiuchi, Secretary.

## *Desert Study Club*

The purpose of the Desert Study Club was to get the most out of residence here in the desert at Poston. The activities in which the club engaged were: The study of writings about the desert, visits to the desert, and the gathering of specimens from the desert. The officers were Roy Sano, President; George Koga, Vice President; Fred Kumagai, Treasurer; Miss Jernigan, advisor.

## *Girls' Athletic Association*

The G. A. A. organization was formed by the girls of the Junior High School, with the help of our Physical Education teacher, Miss Kadani. The cabinet members were Keiko Ogata, President; Chiyome Hashimoto, Vice President; Chiyeko Murase, Secretary; Hid-eko Moriyama, Treasurer; Haruko Onodera, Athletic Manager. To introduce the officers to the members, Miss Kadani sponsored a party which was a great success.

Another party, sponsored by the cabinet, was held for the ninth grade girls. Meetings were held on Tuesdays and Fridays to make for the progress of the organization. The members were divided into teams for purposes of competition against one another in volley ball games. Then, because of a sudden illness on the part of Miss Kadani, the organization was dropped for the time being.

## *Model Airplane Club*

The prime purpose of the Model Airplane Club was to teach the construction of model planes so that the students could go on building models as a hobby. Membership helped one to learn to read drawings, to identify planes and terms used in plane construction. Most of all, membership built self training to help one in later life. The club has had already a model exhibit at which prizes and

certificates were awarded. The club was greatly handicapped because the soft wood needed for the construction of planes was not available. In spite of this, the club and its plans soared ahead under the capable direction of Mr. Setka. The cabinet officers were Arthur Tsuji, President; John Uchimiya, Secretary-Treasurer.

# "May Queen"



HISAKO NAKACHI



MAY QUEEN AND HER ATTENDANTS  
PRESIDENT KAYE KOKUBUN

# *Attendants*



KAY ASARI



FRANCES NISHIOKA



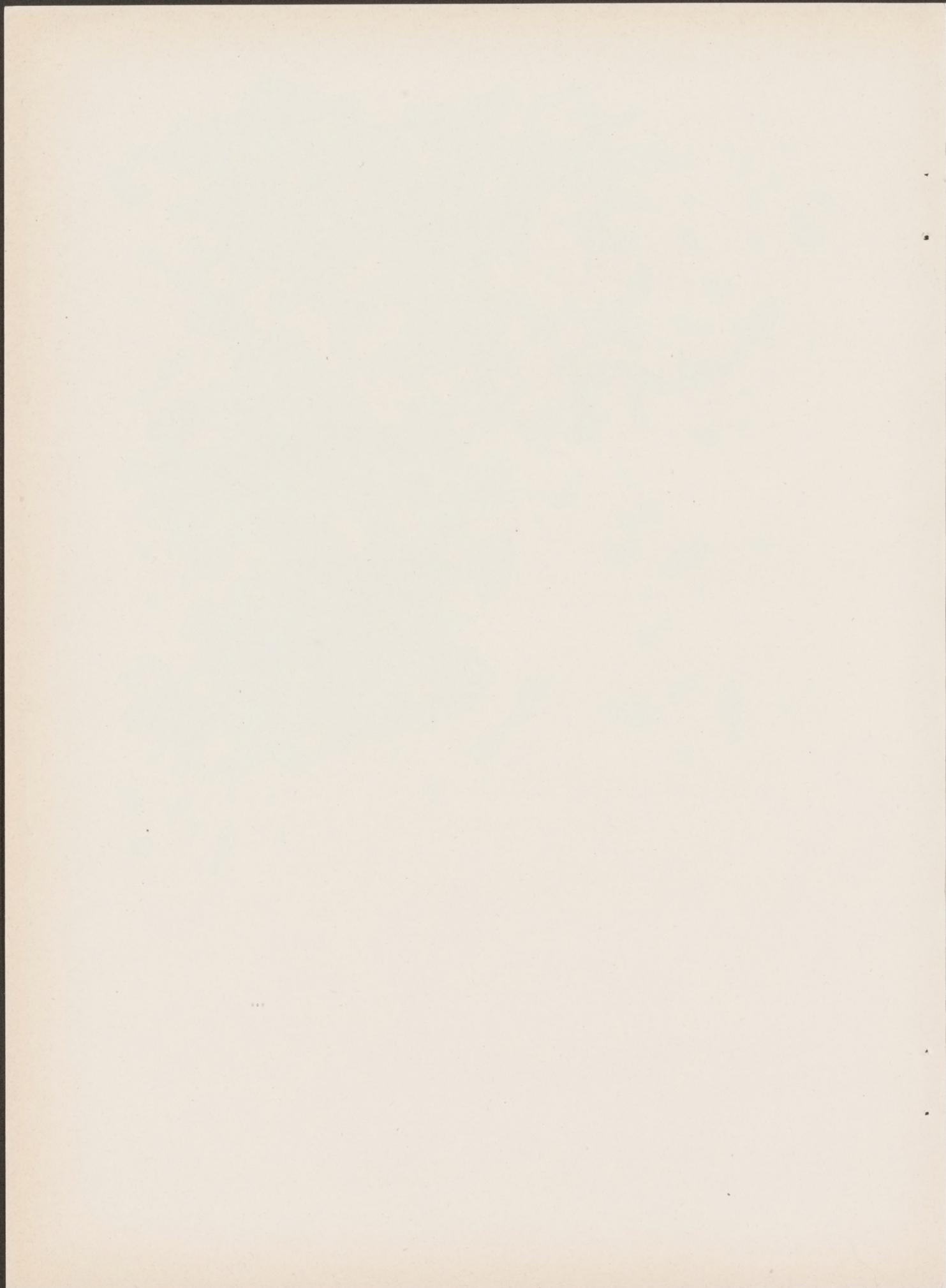
ARLENE EDDOW



HISAKO KODANI

# Literary





# Poetry

## First Prize

### *Life Is Oh So Empty*

My life is such a lonely one,  
I hope that it will end,  
I do not have a single pal,  
Nor even a casual friend.

They seem to be afraid of me,  
They always run and hide,  
And everytime they act this way,  
They strip me of my pride.

I used to think I looked so swell,  
My coat's so black and white,  
But being aware that I was wrong,  
I'm miserable in my plight.

What shall I do, what can I do,  
To set myself aright?  
They call me such an odious thing,  
My shame is at its height.

For all my hard attempts to please,  
I know that I am sunk,  
Because no matter how I try,  
I'm still a lowly skunk.

Toshi Sato

## *Second Prize*

### *Who Am I?*

Forgotten by Bob, and now at rest,  
I'm just a run down fountain pen.  
My merry days of youth were best,  
Oh how I wish I were young again!

My owner admired me when I was new.  
I was shined and polished, again and again,  
This went on for a month or two;  
But soon I was just a neglected pen.

For an English teacher I once wrote  
Pages and pages of Shakespeare's work.  
Bob complained and his words I quote,  
"Gee that teacher was really a jerk."

When there was nothing else to do  
I cleaned my master's fingernails.  
I was always glad when this job was through,  
My point became ruined as though hit by a gale.

I also scribbled silly love notes  
To a girl named Mary Jane, I think.  
Everytime the word "love" I wrote  
I felt so silly, I giggled out ink.

Those were the days of glorious fun.  
But now I'm old and weak.  
When filled with ink I always run;  
I guess that's 'cause I was cheap.

Kimiko Okanishi

# Essay

## First Prize

### *Sunset In Poston*

The shadows lengthen across Poston, and the sun begins to sink into another world. The noise of cars, trucks and children's laughter gives way to the ringing of Mess Hall bells, and the clatter of dishes; the sky begins to glow with color.

Westward lie the California mountains beckoning to the homesick onlookers. Clouds gather above the mountains, casting a shadow across Poston. East of Poston lie the Arizona mountains, glittering with the rays of the setting sun.

The ball of fire half hid behind the clouds reaches the tips of the mountains, setting the sky afire with all colors, first with a yellow and then with a dazzling red.

The clouds begin to set the pace of changing colors. The white clouds turn to a light yellow, and then as if with a colored crayon the pools of water around Poston reveal the deep orange spreading across the horizon. The colors darken with Mother Nature coloring the sky with all of her most gorgeous reds, oranges, and yellows.

Then all of a sudden the sun has disappeared behind the California mountains, and the colors vanish as though they were washed by some playful child, leaving only a faint orange, marking the end of another day.

Twilight sets in and lights appearing all over Poston tell us it's time to say "sayonara."

Jimmy Ozasa

## Second Prize

### Say It With Song

**Time Was** when we all lived on **Easy Street** back in **California**. I'll **Never Forget** that **Blue Pacific Moonlight**, the **Riverside Drive**, the **Banks of Sunny San Juan**, and the time **When the Swallows Came Back to Capistrano**.

Then suddenly the **Sun Went Out** . . . December 7th, and **Remember Pearl Harbor? You'll Never Know** what went on in our **Heart and Souls**. They said, "**We Have No Use for the Japs.**" "**What is There to Do?**" we asked. "Relocate—**It's the Patriotic Thing to Do,**" they answered. We were told we would be sent **Some-where in the West**.

**Trains in the Night** were heard as we slipped across the **Arizona Desert**. We were all **So Tired** and **So Glad** when we finally reached our destination—Poston—a spot in the **Middle of Nowhere**. We got off our buses by **The Light of the Silvery Moon**, and a **Voice in the night** directed us down **Shadow Lane** into our **Cabin in the Valley**.

The night was beautiful with the **Velvet Moon** and **Stars in the Sky**—but **In the Morning**, No! **Little Did I Know** until **Daybreak** the next day how really bleak and black the barracks and the desert were. **No Doubt About It**, we were all in a camp.

The weather was **So Funny**. Sometimes it'd look like **Stormy Weather**—**Tomorrow There may be Rain**—not the beautiful, soft **Blue Rain** of our **Home Sweet Home**, but dirty, muddy drops of water. Then **Tomorrow** would come, and we would all yell, "**Turn Off the Heat!**" During **Wintertime**, standing **Around the Campfire**, we would all wish we were back in **Sunny California**—**Need I Say More?**

Neighbors were so **Close To You**. Just a wall an inch thick separated them from you. People **Three Doors Away** would know what **Katy Did** and **Katy Didn't** do **Last Night**.

**There Are Such Things** as schools. Did we have them? **Sho' Nuff**, we did. Not the **Little Red School-House**, but long, black, cold barracks—scattered **All the Way** from Block 2 to 59. **For a While** chairs had to be carried **To and Fro**. We were **So Glad** when those **Heaven-Sent-things-to-sit-on** were found in the room **One Beautiful Morning**. **Take It From There, Everything Was Changed** this year. **As Time Goes By**, the schools will become better and better.

**Where Do I Go From Here? Chicago?** To the **Gal in Kalamazoo?** To the hills in **Idaho?** To the plains under the **Montana Skies?** To the **Old Kentucky Hills?** **I Can't Make Up My Mind**. **Somewhere East of the Rockies** to some **Sleepy New England Town**, maybe.

But **When It's All Over—When the Lights Go on Again**—let every man be free to think, say, and do as he pleases—**It's Great to Live in Freedom**.

Frances Ishida

# Short Story

## First Prize

### *Crime . . . A' La Poston*

I would like to tell you a short story about something which occurred on one of those dark, moonless, Poston nights. On that night a cold wind threw dust against the barracks walls and loudly moaned as it wiggled its way through small cracks in the walls and roofs.

I was standing outside of our apartment thoughtfully trying to become a poet by putting into words that dark and dreary night when I happened to notice a young man silently approaching the next barracks. Because I was standing in the shadows he did not notice me, but it was easy to see that he did not want anyone to witness what he was going to do. I'm afraid I cannot describe him to you because of the darkness, and because he had on a heavy coat, the collar of which was turned up high, so that it hid his face. Whoever he was, his nervousness could easily be seen. As he neared the barrack his nervousness seemingly increased.

He stopped a moment before entering the path that led to the barrack, and carefully looked around him, as if to assure himself that no one was watching. Seemingly satisfied, he entered the walk and stiffly approached the door of apartment B.

Uncertain as to what he should do next, he raised his foot and placed it on the first step of the steps which led to the apartment door. Again assuring himself that no one was looking, he threw back his shoulders and boldly approached the door—a door which seemed to hold so much dread for him. Knocking on the door, he waited for someone to open it. Hearing footsteps approaching, he wiped the palms of his hands against his pant legs, preparing himself for his terrible deed.

As the door opened he withdrew into the shadows, hiding his face, and quietly asked, "May I see Mary?"

"Why certainly," came the brief reply, and the figure in the doorway disappeared.

Here at last was the moment he had dreaded so much. As I watched from the shadows, I asked myself if I shouldn't step in now before anything terrible was committed; however, at this moment Mary came to the door. She was very attractive and had a voice as clear and beautiful as the sound of chimes.

Quickly he drew himself out of the shadows and approached her. Realizing that the time had come for action, I started to grab the fellow, when I heard him say in a quiet, yet determined voice, "Are you going to the dance with me this coming Saturday evening?"

Edwin Hiroto

# Food For Thought

THE GREATEST NEED—Common Sense

THE GREATEST SIN—Fear

THE BIGGEST FOOL—The boy who will not go to school

THE MOST AGREEABLE COMPANION—One who would not have you any different than you are

THE GREAT BORE—One who will not come to the point

A STILL GREATER BORE—One who keeps on talking after he makes his point

THE GREAT DECEIVER—One who deceives himself

THE GREATEST INVENTION OF THE DEVIL—War

THE GREATEST SECRET OF PRODUCTION—Saving waste

THE BEST WORK—What you like

THE BEST PLAY—Work

THE GREATEST COMFORT—The knowledge that you have done your work well

THE GREATEST MISTAKE—Giving up

THE MOST EXPENSIVE INDULGENCE—Hate

THE CHEAPEST, STUPIDEST, EASIEST THING TO DO—Giving up

THE GREATEST TROUBLE MAKER—One who talks too much

THE GREATEST STUMBLING BLOCK—Egotism

THE MOST RIDICULOUS ASSET—Pride

THE WORST BANKRUPT—The soul that has lost its enthusiasm

THE CLEVEREST MAN—One who always does what he thinks is right

THE MOST DANGEROUS PERSON—The liar

THE BEST TEACHER—One who makes you want to learn

THE MEANEST FEELING OF WHICH ANY HUMAN BEING IS CAPABLE—Feeling bad at another's success

THE GREATEST PUZZLE—Life

THE GREATEST MYSTERY—Death

THE GREATEST THOUGHT—God

THE GREATEST THING IN ALL THE WORLD, BAR NONE—Love

# Calendar

- SEPT. 27: School starts. New adobe buildings open their doors to the students. Registration in core classes. I'll take biology; no, that's too hard; I'll take trigonometry; no, that's too much homework; oh, I'll take auto shop, I'm sure there isn't any homework in that.
- NOV. 7-12: American Education Week. (Public School Week—Open House). A day was opened to all friends of Poston High. Visitors were amazed at the displays, especially those of the science room.
- NOV. 13: First Football game. Bulldogs vs. Wildcats at Camp II. We won 7-6.
- NOV. 26: First report cards handed out. Few sad cases. "Well, I did pretty good, I got three "C's" and a "B" but, I'll have to do better next quarter.
- DEC. 4: Football game with Camp III Bears at Camp III. What a game . . . riotous crowds . . . cheers and boos from the side lines . . . spectacular runs and passes . . . touchdowns . . . shrill official whistles. We won and what a victory . . . 38-8.
- DEC. 17: Our High School auditorium completed. Isn't it grand? Each and everyone of us is looking forward to a good assembly and a better school.
- DEC. 18: "Porter Please."  
The first show that was ever presented behind the footlights of Poston High was "Porter Please," directed by Miss Antoun.
- DEC. 23-24: Christmas vacation. Christmas vacation finally came along but only for two days.
- JAN. 7: Bulldog Bounce.  
With sweet music supplying the atmosphere, the Bulldog's victory dance was sponsored by the G. A. A. The event took place in the newly built auditorium. The main feature of the evening was the crowning of the "Gridiron Queen"—popular Grace Setsuda.

FEB. 1: First semester ends. Report cards. Add famous alibis, "Can I help it if she doesn't like me and flunks me?"

FEB. 2: We are starting a new semester, promising a little more time for school work.

MARCH 9-10: "What A Life"

The footlights shone again as the Juniors, directed by Miss Backus, presented a three act comedy, "What A Life". Disappearing band instruments mixed with fistcuffs and the dreaded expulsion, all added up to a smashing hit.

MARCH 24: Lettermen's Debut

A sky full of stars, floating sweet music—the touch of spring in the air . . . set the atmosphere for the "Lettermen's Debut."

MARCH 30, 31, and APRIL 1: "Growing Pains"

The record production of this year, "Growing Pains" by our dramatic group, proved to be a huge success. It had everything—humor, pathos, philosophy—and it was warmly received by all.

APRIL 5-7: Spring vacation too? Yes, we have three whole days. It seems as if all the students are coming back with Spring Fever—better snap out of it students.

APRIL 8: Junior-Senior Prom

Moonlight and Roses—enchancing music drifting over the tree tops—the sweet fragrance of freshly bloomed roses . . . romance—under a full moon in a garden of paradise . . . all this and your date whispering sweet nothings.

APRIL 10: Report cards again! This is our third quarter already. Can you believe it, Seniors? Only one more quarter of struggling and then you're free!

APRIL 10: Fourth quarter begins today. At last, only one more quarter left for teachers' lectures.

JUNE 4-7: The "Super Seniors" have a whole week to themselves. Every way you turn you can spot them—just like that. Lucky fellows!

JUNE 8: Commencement.

The procession in caps and gowns . . . speeches . . . diplomas . . .  
exchange of congratulations . . . tears and smiles.

JUNE 9: End of second semester and term. "No more pencils; no more books; no  
more teacher's dirty looks."





"HEPCATS"



POSTUM HI "ROMEO"

# *Ideal Senior*

Margie Kato	Brains	Teruo Okuma
Kazuko Nagai	Vivacious Personality	Kaye Kokubun
Grace Setsuda	Most Popular	Kaye Kokubun
Hisako Nakachi	Shapliest Figure or Physique	George Tsuchiyama
Nancy Sakamoto	Sparkling Smile	Hank Eddow
Ruth A. Yamaguchi	Most Talented Actor	"Pluto" Shimazu
Yoko Horiuchi	Neatest Dresser	Edwin Hiroto
Nobuko Yamamoto	•Shyest	Hank Sanematsu
Lillian Nishioka	Jiviest Jitterbug	Yosh Kamiya
Georgianna Sawahata	Dreamiest Eyes	John Kobashi
Toshi Sato	Smoothest Dancer	Yas Yoshida
Terry Ishimaru	Best Sense of Humor	Gene Inouye
Ruth A. Yamaguchi	Best Orator	Kaye Kokubun
Kiyo Sugimoto	All-Around Athlete	"Moose" Kunimura
Ester Nakamura	Most Punctual	Hank Horikawa
Grace Setsuda	Most Active	Edwin Hiroto
Ester Nakamura	Book Worm	Joe Yamashita
Terry Ishimaru	Class Comedian	"Pluto" Shimazu
Mary Oshima	Best Vocalist	Kaye Kokubun
Atsuko Yamaguchi	Prettiest Hair	Matake Nagao

# Ideal Frosh

## GIRL

Harume Oda

Faye Takeguma

Reiko Horiuchi

May Kumagai

Reiko Horiuchi

Ruby Yoshida

Keiko Ogata

Frances Yano

Faye Takeguma

Mary Jane Yamato

Sumiko Morikawa

Yoshiye Morimoto

Teruko Kajihara

Yoshiye Morimoto

Nancy Watanabe

Lily Ikeda

Most Studious

Cutest, Handsomest

Best Dressed

Most Popular

Most Glamorous

Prettiest Hair

Charming Personality

Nicest Complexion

Million Dollar Smile

Best Musician

Best Dancer

Most Comical

Shyest

Most Talkative

Best Figure, Physique

Most Talented

## BOY

Hideo Kawanami

Ben Omoto

Tom Nakama

Goro Fujii

George Taniguchi

George Taniguchi

Goro Fujii

Raymond Kushida

Raymond Sasaki

Lincoln Shimomura

Gene Shimamoto

Yoshio Hora

John Shinto

Yoshio Hora

Keiji Kawashima

Goro Fujii

## Ten Years From Now We Find...

Marjorie Kato—Professor I. Q. having run out of brain matter has recently employed the services of Miss Kato to stir up his "noodles."

Sumiko Ikeda—well known tailor and clothier of men's fashion, is now getting her share of war-profits by designing the foremost "fashion of the year for men"—Reversible G. I. pants.

Arnold Fujita—will be the next manager in U. S. Art Co.

Jimmy Sakaye—a missionary to the Philippine Islands with the Chieftan's daughter, a little 200-lb. lass, as his wife.

Soupe Onoda—the general manager of the Lingerie section of the Sears Roebuck and Co.

Minoru (Two Round) Uyeda and Tak (I'll get 'em in the Sixth) Ogura will fight a 15 round bout in Madison Round Garden for the World's Underweight Championship.

Toshiko Tanaka—a great Hollywood dress designer who signs her labels, "Tanya."

Bill Omoto—who became a second Einstein with long white wavy hair.

Amy Yoshida—one of the foremost leaders in the House of Representatives. It is her 4th term as the Rep. from Poston, Arizona.

Helen Ito—the mother of the newest Quiz Kids, whose specialty is about the dusts of the world.

Ruth Watanabe—recuperating on the shores of Waikiki after her 152nd week of "Growing Pains"—her "Silly boy" technique is still working.

Mary Oshima—known as the "Torch Singer" now has her own program over N. B. C.

James Yamamoto—Wizard of the crossword puzzle now has a column in the N. Y. Times—"Advice to the Lovelorn."

Nobuko Suzuki—has a job advertising for the Su-Z-Cue Dentifrice.

John Kobashi—"Charming Eyes" as they used to call him is working in the "Mabelline" Company.

Lillian Nishioka and Kazuko Nagai—models for the Walt Disney cartoons will soon be shown in the movie "Brenda and Cobina".

Mitsuko Sawabe's—love affairs will appear in the June issue of "True Love and Romance" magazine.

Dora Kato—a former model is now employed in a vaudeville show as a great dancer.

Hatsuye Matsuno—the famous opera singer will make her first debut at the Metropolitan Opera House.

Ruby Tamura—has become a famous doctor in the medical profession for brilliant research conducted on bugs and insects.

Haruji Arita—beginning an important movie career with "Moonlight Bay" for Warner's; scored so decisively that three other major productions are now lined up for her.

Ruth Nakamine—will have a grand opening of her dress shop, located on Broadway, New York.

Yayeko Baba—now in her 2nd year as missionary to China.

Teddy Itano—owns a dime store in Chicago, and claims it was established in 1944.

Mutsuye Toyofuku—just came back from Europe where she had been helping as a nurse.

Rose Mori—a nun in the St. Charles Catholic Church is busy teaching her students.

Kaye Kokubun—studying under "The Voice," Frank Sinatra, is now called "The Squeak".

Tsuyako Nakahara—newly opening a sweet shop in the P. U. campus which is called "Slop Shoppe" with—Yatsuko Sakamoto—behind the counter, jerking sodas.

Dorothy Obata—the belle of California is now the wife of the famous singer, K. K.

Terry Ishimaru—a neurologist, one skilled in curing nervous diseases.

Isamu (Why Can't I Win) Nishida coaching the third generation Blackbirds.

Art Omori—modeling hair styles for the Kreml Hair Tonic.

Kazuo Uyeda—inventing a rocketship to keep away from the uncontrollable women after him.

## *Patron's Page*

Balderston, Walter	Lapinskas, Donna
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Cheney, Alice	Nelson, Len
Cushman, Allen W.	Nossoff, Edward
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Goetting, Ray C.	Patten, Lora
Haas, Theodore H.	Peavy, Anne B.
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Havighurst, Martha	Popkin, Charles A.
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Johnson, James J.	Snelson, Eugenie
Johnson, Lloyd M.	Stevick, Dorothy
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