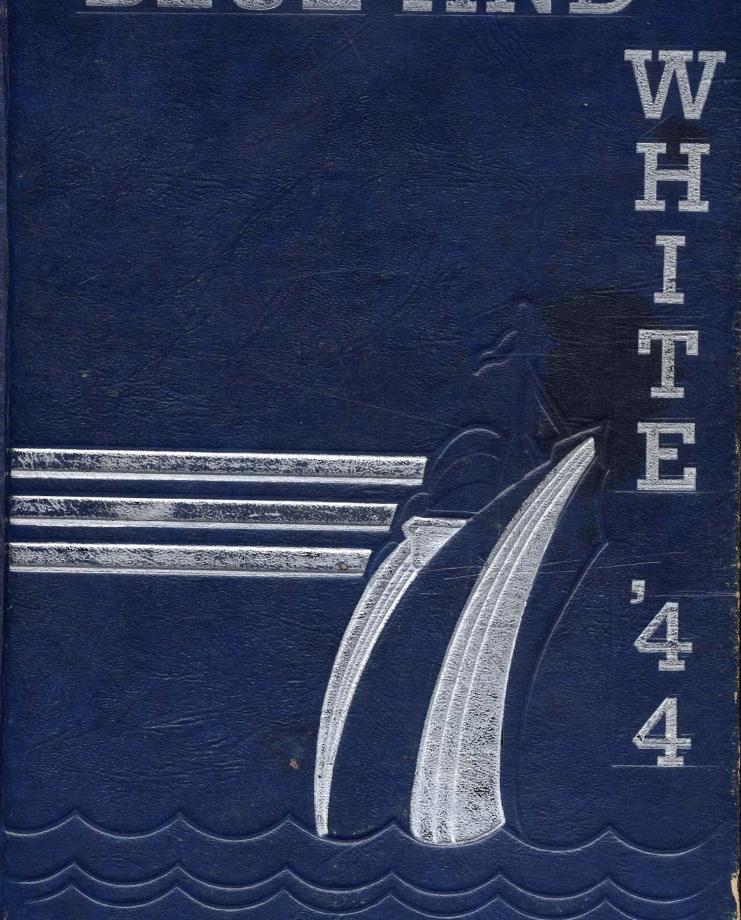
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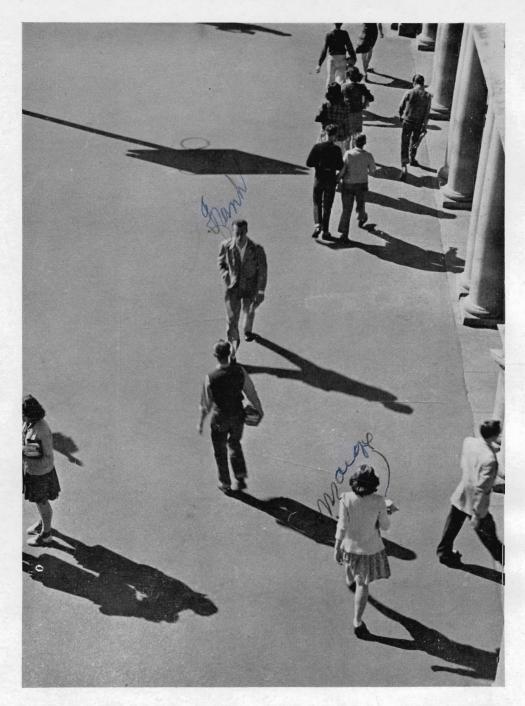


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Forward . . .

Here is the 1944 Blue and White, presented to the student body of Stockton High by the Blue and White staff. We are proud of this book, in spite of its many defects and limitations. We are proud of it because in the face of numerous handicaps imposed upon us by the exigencies of war, we have managed nevertheless to put it out. Many times through the year we thought there would be no yearbook, because of binding and photographic difficulties. But thanks to a hard working staff and a good photographer, we have managed to get it to you. We hope that when you glance through it years from now it will serve as a pleasant reminder of the happy carefree years you spent in high school before you ventured out into a world at war.

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The memory of

MR. JOHN S. LANDRUM

will long remain

with the students and faculty of Stockton High School. The friendliness and unfailing good humor which he showed to his students during the 18 years he spent here as a history teacher made him a friend to all who knew him. His untimely death left an unfillable void in the halls and classrooms of our school. We will long remember Mr. Landrum for the many years of service he gave to Stockton High School.

In Memoriam

THE BUILDING OF SHIPS, FROM SMALL LANDING BARGES TO MIGHTY FLOATING DRYDOCKS, HAS BECOME STOCKTON'S OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO THE WAR EFFORT. TWENTY-FOUR HOURS A DAY THE MANY YARDS ARE FILLED WITH HARD WORKING MEN AND WOMEN, ALL DOING THEIR UTMOST TO SUPPLY OUR FIGHTING NAVY WITH THE VITAL MATERIALS THAT ARE NEEDED TO WIN THE WAR AND BRING PEACE AGAIN TO THE WORLD. MANY STOCKTON HIGH STUDENTS AND TEACHERS HAVE BEEN WORKING AFTER SCHOOL AND DURING SUMMER VACATIONS IN THESE BUSY YARDS. TO ALL THESE PEOPLE WE DEDICATE THIS. THE 1944 BLUE AND WHITE.

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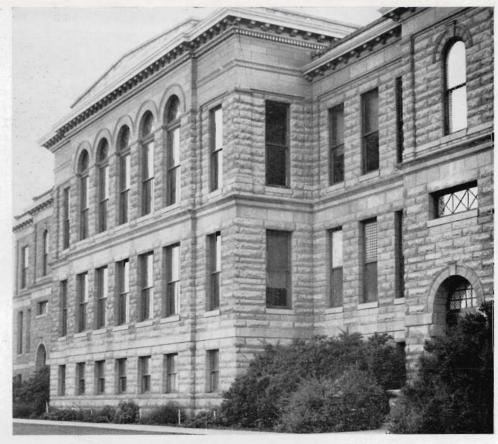
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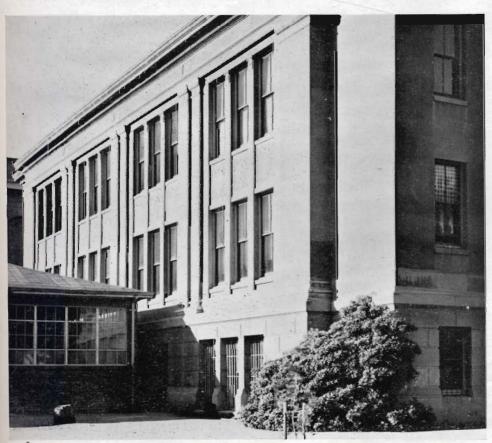


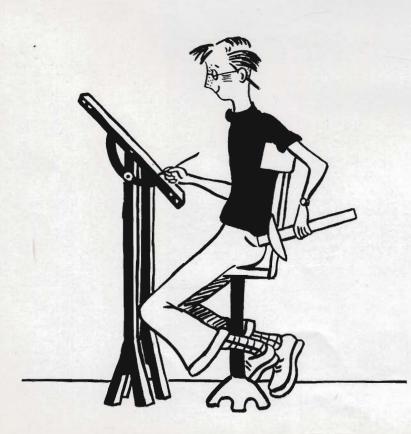
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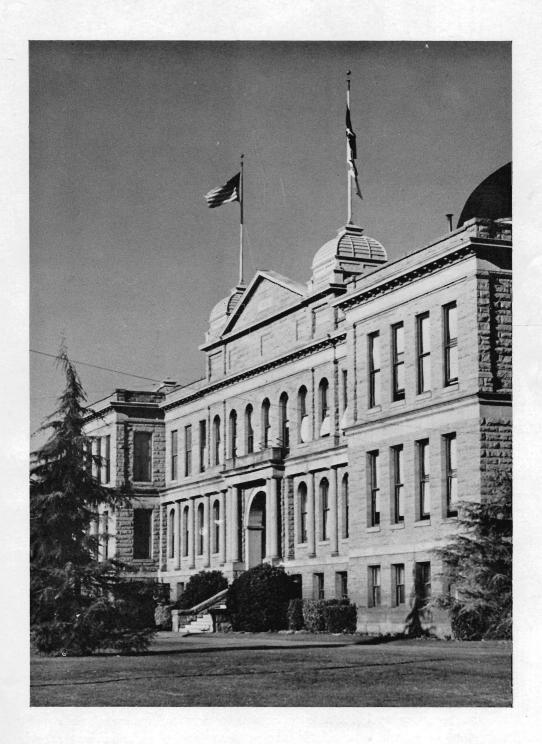
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ADMINISTRATION

This has been an eventful year. We have seen many of our boys leave for war service, either upon graduation or on reaching the age of eighteen. Some seventeen-year-olds have enlisted in special services. Teachers and students have made a distinct contribution to the war effort by working in war industries after school and on week-ends. Most have omitted the usual vacations and have worked in agriculture or in community activities such as the Ration Board.

Stockton is looking forward to the improvement of its schools which will come as a result of adopting a new form of organization. While it will take years to bring this to complete fruition, we can be assured that all changes will be made in accordance with plans carefully worked out, and that new buildings will be constructed in which we can give the best education possible.

The year has brought the loss of two of our most beloved teachers, John Landrum and Alan Porter, men who made a deep impression upon the lives of the students in their classes. Their influence will be felt in the lives of men and women in the years to come.



Mr. Reelhorn Mr. Hibbard Mr. Van Gilder

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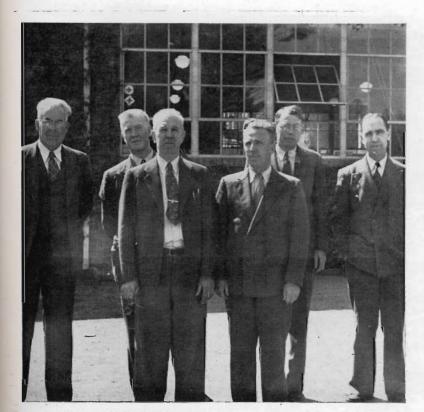


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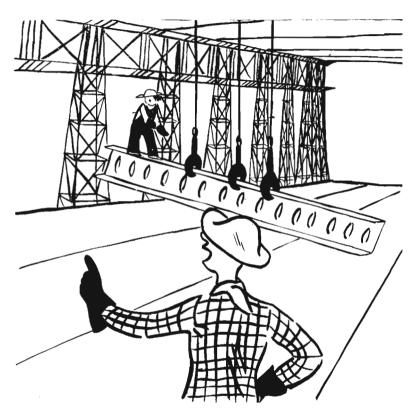


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Mr. Herring Mr. Comer Mr. Libhart Mr. Van Vlear Mr. Milligan Mr. Williams

VOCATIONAL



Laying Keel





DICK ERICKSON

Under the able leadership of popular Dick Erickson, fall student body president, the Student Council had a very successful term. Organized yelling in the rooting sections and plenty of rallies with student talent were featured during the football season. Extra special activities of the Council this year were the football dances held after three games in the Armory and Civic Auditorium. The dances were well attended and were counted by all as a successful feature of the Council's term. The activities of the Council also had their lighter moments for, besides the usual business of approving payment of bills and presenting athletic awards, the Council had its own dinner at the end of the semester at Alustizas. The members composing the Student Council, president, vice-president, commissioner of welfare, commissioner of records, commissioner of organizations, commissioner of publications, editor of the Blue and White, commissioner of athletics, and custodian are elected by the student body of the school and compose the ruling body of the school.

Fall Council

Standing — Mary Renard, custodian; Dick Erickson, president; Jack Ferrill, commissioner of athletics; Juanita Bissell, vice president.

Kneeling—Betty Griggs, commissioner of organizations: Natalie Nowell, Junior Red Cross representative.

Setting — Beverly Jordan, editor of Blue and White; Claire Rosenberg, president Girls' League; Ruth Ziegler, commissioner publications.





Spring Council

The spring Student Council, headed by popular President George Malloy, brought to the student body of Stockton High another successful Fun Fest at the Civic Auditorium. Patterned after the Fun Fest of the year before, this year's affair was put on by and for the student body of Stockton High. Under the general direction of the Student Council, booths and concessions were held by many of the clubs and organizations of Stockton High. The combination carnival-dance was a great success.

Left to right, top to bottom—Pat Peters. Bob Alling, George Malloy, Mr. Cave, Ray Hewiitt, Bob Jones, Beverly Jordan, John Tothen, Millford Piel, Natalie Nowell, La Vonne Johnson, and Carney Campion.



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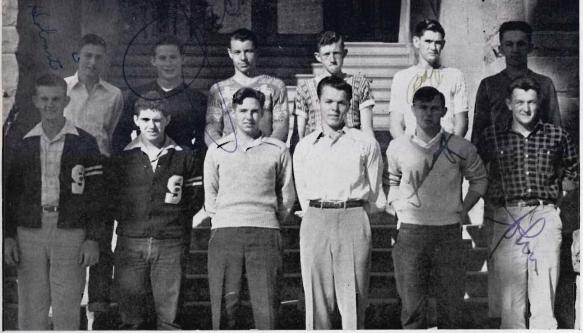
Girls: Top Row, left to right—Corrine Garibaldi, Joyce Livingston, Pat Nelson, Marie Longacre, Sally Montgomery, Liberty Sarris Second Row—Jean Sanderson, Juanita Bissell Ruth Ziegler, Dorothy Gross, Thrya June Jeffery, Margaret Chiapale, Charlotte Johnson, Beverly Jordan, Third Row—Maurene Foster, Natalie Nowell, Eveline Crudeli, Sharon Lewis, Patty Lou Peters, Claire Rosenberg.

Boys: Top Row, left to right—Louis Del Barba, Bob Hunefeld, Don Enberg, Bob Smith, Vernon Hellwig. Second Row—Joe Deluchi, Jerry Haines, Alfred Sanderson, Jack Ferrill, Dick Erickson, Bill Capps Third Row—Sargent Littlehale, Hugh Cox, Bob Jones, Bob Wilson, Jim Sandman.

The watchmen of the school, the student controls, are given the job of keeping order at rallies, in the halls, and on the campus. Also, following the principles of democracy, they conduct trials of students caught breaking the rules of the school. The members of the controls are chosen from among the upperclassmen of the school by the vice-president of the student body and thecommissioner of welfare, who are heads of the girls and boys controls, respectively. There are twenty members on each control.

S P R I N G





CONTROLS

GIRLS CONTROL, Spring—Row I—Madge Evans, JacquelineTaylor, Elaine Malatesta, Eveline Crudeli, Roberta Skadden, Joan Tuttle, Rosie Lee, Hazel Colliver, Betty Griggs. Row 2—Patty Lou Peters, Bev. Jordan, Liberty Sarris, Eleanor Starkey, Dorothy Brown, Anna Passadore, LaVonne Johnson, Marilyn Nelson, Pat Nelson, Joann Elliott, Jean Sanderson was absent.

BOYS CONTROL, Spring—Row I—Arnold Schamber, Jack Ferrill, Urban Ernst, Bob Smith, Frank Gilleran, John Totten. Row 2—Hobart Miller, Donald Jackson, Bill Capps, Jerry Haines, Bob Jones, Dick Willis.

This year the student controls, headed by Juanita Bissell, Sargent Littlehale, Patty Lou Peters, and Bob Jones, carried out their often thankless jobs conscientiously and fairly. The problem of students smoking on or near the campus was tackled in the spring with much success. Also in the spring the student controls aided in the plan originated by Mr. Ellis to clean refuse off the grounds and lawns. The annual student control parties were not held this year because of the lack of time.



Fall Leadermen

As the leaderman is the super-skilled worker and top man in the shipyard, the senior is the learned and highly respected scholar in Stockton High School. The February class did not let this fact cramp their style as they went about making their last year of high school a very busy and gay one. Football games, with a championship team, dances, Christmas parties, and many school activities made the last semester a full one. Especially active was the last month, when the senior class had the usual graduation activities. Notably successful were the Senior Prom, the theme of which was "At Last," and the bids to which were tiny diplomas, and the Senior Dinner, at which much hidden talent was revealed in the senior class. The class officers, Jim Sandman, president, Tom McKeegan, vice-president, and Hugh Cox, secretary, got together and made these and other activities successful. Other notable graduates were Dick Erickson, student body president and athlete, Sargent Littlehale, commissioner of welfare and chairman of the unofficial senior "ditch day," Herta Silzer, scholar and commencement speaker, and Taye Marie Bramwell, Senior Prom, and Senior Dinner planner. Making the days lively and interesting for their teachers and schoolmates were Bob Wilson, Margaret Shepherd, Russ McGee, and Thyra June Jeffery. Many of these students are now in our armed services, doing their part toward winning the war. Wherever they are, they will always remember the days when they were mighty seniors at Stockton High School.