

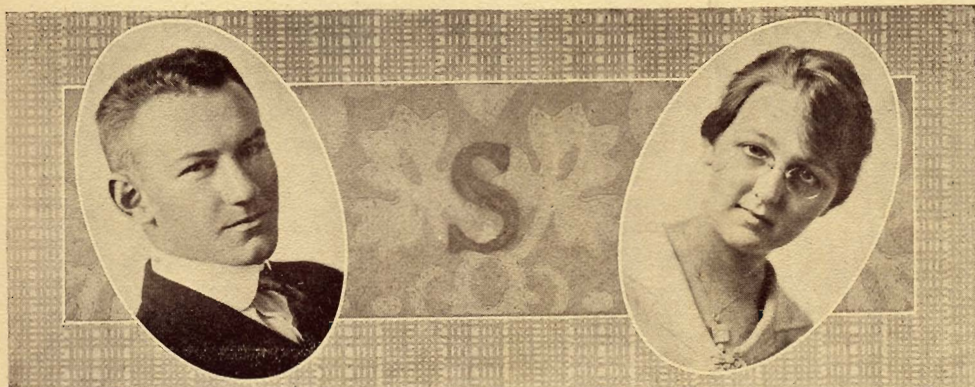






THE JUNIOR CLASS





Ray Dunne  
President

Mary Knox  
Vice President

## History of the Class of 1918

We may envy the Seniors, happy and exultant in their moment of triumph, but nevertheless we may all be proud to call ourselves Juniors. For surely a more "peppy," wide-awake class never entered Stockton High School. September, 1914, was the memorable date. Even now, from the height of three years' experience, we remember our career as Freshmen with pride, for were we not the first Freshman class to attempt any social activities of our own? Our Tennis Dance was an affair equal in success to any ever carried through by an upper class.

We owed much as Freshmen to the able guidance of the officers whom we elected at our first meeting, namely: Ralph Hickinbotham, president; Caroline Minor, vice-president; Leon Dunne, treasurer; Newton Robinson, sergeant-at-arms, and Virginia Thompson, representative of the executive committee.

In the Freshman year many of our men gave hint of considerable promise in the athletic field, a promise which since then has been more than justified by their exploits.

Then Sophomores! I think we believed then that we had reached the highest pinnacle of existence. That year we elected Roscoe Clowes president; Virginia Thompson, vice-president; Dewey Leffler, treasurer, and Newton Robinson was re-elected sergeant-at-arms.

Although our dance of that year in the gym showed our skill in the art of "tripping the light fantastic toe," many of the class did work of a sturdier nature in the realm of athletics, for we were easily the leading class in this field, having won the cup in the interclass meet, thereby disconcerting the vain and pompous Juniors.

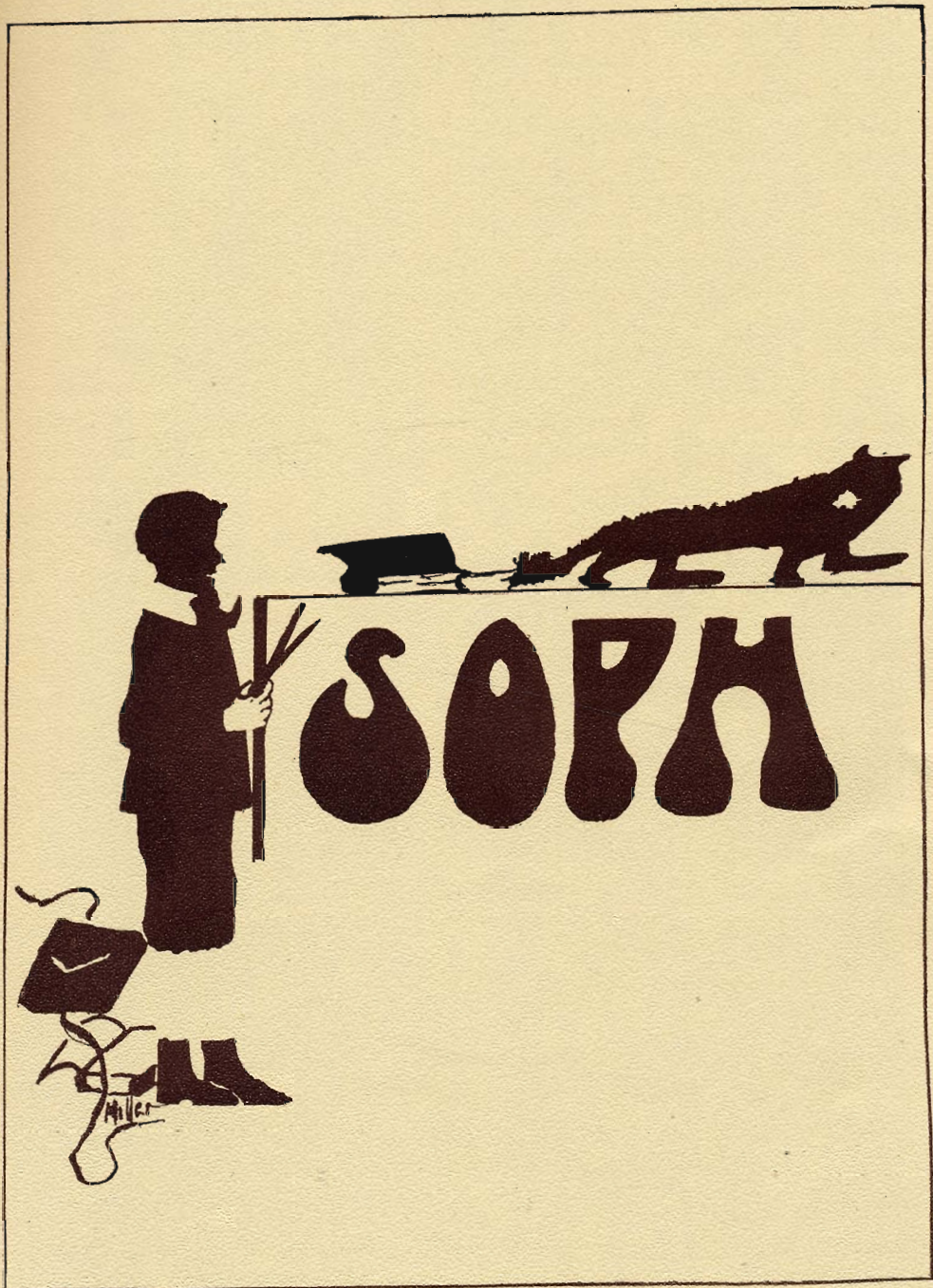
Creeping up slowly, in September of last year, we came to the proud position of Juniors. Our election meeting was held in tumultuous excitement. The race for the presidency was neck-and-neck between Ray Dunne and Melvin Rider. The former finally won out. Mary Knox was elected our vice-president. We made James Faulkner our secretary and Melvin Rider our treasurer. Then up again popped the popular "Newt." The office of sergeant-at-arms seems to belong to him, for he had held the position in the two years pre-



ceding. In athletics our skill is still up to the good old standard. And here we stand near the beginning of our last year in Stockton High. We may say that our class, as a whole, is highly co-operative. Although there are those who have not come ostentatiously to the front, one and all of us have worked steadily for the honor and advancement of our class. And when our last year in school shall have passed, we are sure of knowing that few classes can ever equal ours in spirit and success and none can ever excel it.





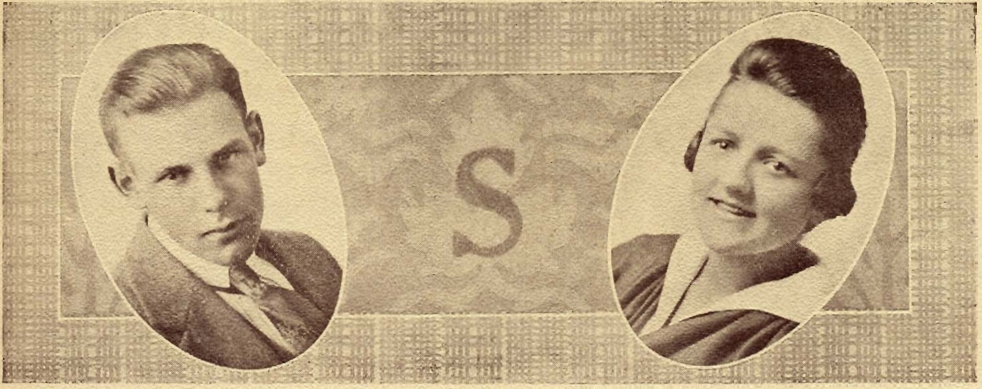






THE SOPHOMORE CLASS





Vincent Dunne  
President

Persis Miller  
Vice President

## History of the Class of 1919

Having taken my pen in hand to write this history of the class of '19, I pause to look back upon the brief space of two years which has passed since we entered this noble edifice in the month of September, A. D. 1915, as Freshmen, about two hundred strong and no greener than the average. Indeed, when we gaze upon the other Freshmen who have followed us and then remember our own youth, we are forced to admit, in all modesty, that we were quite superior to the usual run of the species.

Our very first election proved our abilities. Everybody came, the battles were close and hard fought, excitement and enthusiasm ran high, while we showed ourselves regular politicians by our scientific ballot-stuffing. Richard Walters was elected president. But when we came to choose a vice-president, there were so many popular girls that we wanted to elect them all. However, after Mr. Garrison had suggested that this would not be best, we chose Myrtis Witherly. We then elected Vincent Dunne treasurer and Hector Silva sergeant-at-arms, with George Fortune on the executive committee.

Two members of our class distinguished themselves as athletes, Vince Dunne and John Brown, who played on the champion rugby team.

In social events we did our part, for everyone declared the Freshman dance a great success. Appropriately to our youth, this affair was very informal. The pretty dresses of the girls and the blue and white of the boys, together with neat decorations and the moonlight night, made a very pleasing scene and one not soon to be forgotten.

After returning to school last September as Sophomores, the first thing we did was to get together and elect our officers. This election lacked the excitement of that held in our first year, since we realized that we were no longer carefree Freshmen with no dignity to uphold. But that by no means prevented us from again showing our former wisdom in the selection of officers, for we chose Vincent Dunne president; Persis Miller, vice-president; Floyd Gardner, secretary; Grace Lund, treasurer, and Chester Close, the Sophomore giant, sergeant-at-arms.

We took a very active part in athletics this year. Our first football game with the Freshmen was a tie. In the second they won, but we soon showed



them their proper places by easily defeating them in three baseball games. Likewise in the track meet, where our score was  $65\frac{1}{2}$  to  $29\frac{1}{2}$ . But we can beat others besides mere Freshmen, as when we led in the inter-class swimming meet, thereby winning the silver cup presented by Johnson's Sporting Goods House. Vince Dunne and Winnie Stout were our athletic stars this year.

While of course we realize that others cannot hope to attain such a record as we have made, nevertheless we feel that we ourselves may possibly surpass it in the next two years.







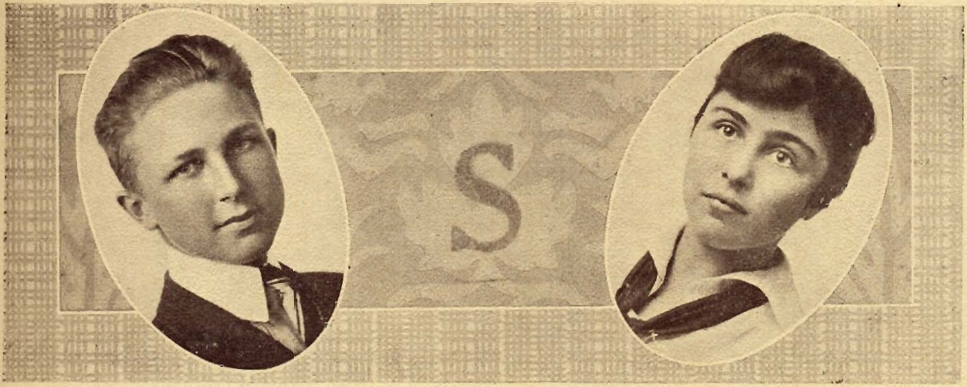
# A FRESHMAN





THE FRESHMAN CLASS





Will Eccleston  
President

Lois Raggio  
Vice President

## History of the Class of 1920

Although we are young, we leave a record that surpasses that of any other Freshman class and a history that rivals that of an upper class, without boasting as they are likely to do.

As soon as we became settled, we met in the study to choose our officers. A large percentage of our class appeared and exhibited a great deal of pep—altogether too much, according to Mr. Garrison. Following a short talk by our principal about "ones" and "fours," we engaged in nominating our favorites for president. William Eccleston received most of the votes and was duly installed as president of the Class of '20. Next in order was the vice-presidency. After some controversy, we elected Lois Raggio. Next we elected Frances Ann Gummer secretary, Bill Parker, treasurer, and George Scofield, sergeant-at-arms.

In athletics our boys came out strong, especially in football. The first inter-class game of the season was played with the Sophomores, with a final score of 0-0. We played them again, however, and showed them we weren't to be sneezed at, by beating them. In a short time our peerless fifteen clashed with the Seniors, the champs of two years. All the Seniors were confident of victory but we all wondered what they thought when they saw the following score: Seniors, 3; Freshmen, 9. Thus we won the inter-class football meet. Leonard Santini played on the champ football team and Palmer, Wentz, Kynaston and Wilson played on the second team. When the "Circle S's" were given out, we were on the job and five are proud owners of these decorations. But this is not all. Five Freshmen made the varsity crew, Bill Parker showed up strong in tennis, and Santini and Wilson did fine in basket ball.

The Freshman dance was well attended and the pretty decorations and the hospitality of the Freshmen helped to make the evening a pleasant one, and when all went home everyone decided that it was the best time ever.

The girls took an active part in basket ball and tennis, and Janis Spurr won first prize for the best bread in Stockton. Our candy sale was of course the sweetest. Even the Sophomores admitted that.

We did well this year; but next year—well, just watch us grow!





ATTENTION!



Let's Play



Before



After



HEAVY EYEGLASSES



COMPANY ATTENTION



Get our DUTY



September Month



The Boss Some Fish



Senior Princes



Soldier Duties?



SALUTES!



Just Before The Battle.

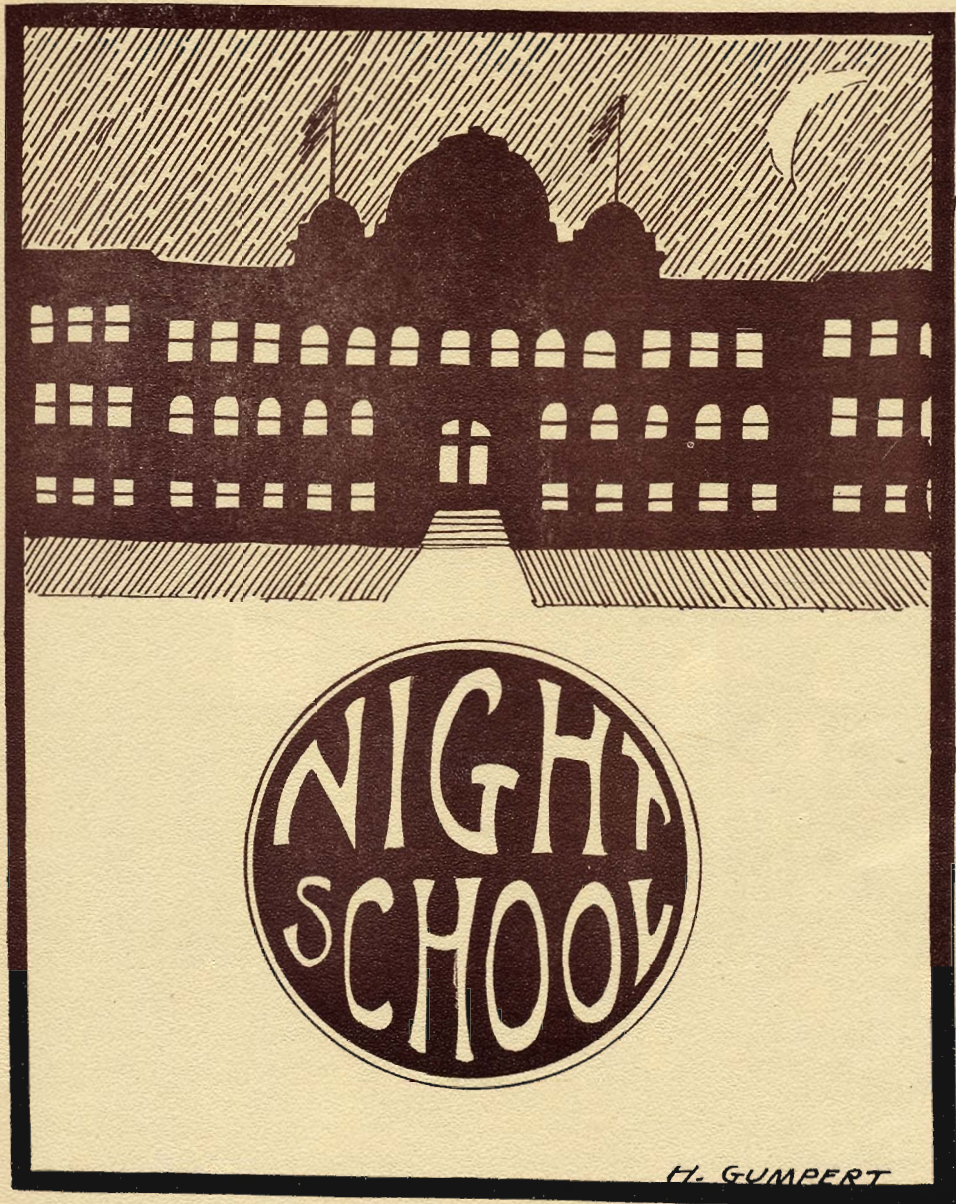


Some Eyes!



Dignified SENIORS







# The Stockton Evening School

Our high school buildings and equipment have been used during the present school year more than ever before. Not only have we had a much larger student body this year, but, also, there has been enrolled in the evening high school an almost equally large number of students. When the Board of Education decided to open an evening school last year many people were doubtful concerning the success of the enterprise. But the popularity of the evening school and the large number of people who have taken advantage of the opportunity to study at night seem to indicate that the evening high school will become a permanent part of our school system and will rival the day high school in size.

The evening school began its first term last October and remained open until the end of the first week in May. During the first two weeks over five hundred people enrolled for work. The total enrollment has exceeded eight hundred seventy-five. Of this number about a hundred and thirty-five have been enrolled in the elementary department of the school. The larger part of the enrollment, however, has been for high school subjects.

Four different kinds of work have been offered in the evening school this year. They are: Commercial subjects, industrial arts subjects, household arts and science subjects and elementary subjects. The commercial department has included the following subjects: Bookkeeping, penmanship, commercial arithmetic, commercial English, shorthand and typewriting. The industrial arts department has given mechanical drawing, architectural drawing and shop mathematics. The household arts and science department has given elementary cooking, elementary sewing and advanced sewing. Algebra has been the only academic subject offered this year.

The elementary work in the evening school has been one of its most interesting features. Of the one hundred and thirty-five people in this department approximately seventy-five have been foreign born adults who are learning to read and write the English language and who are preparing for citizenship examinations. There are a great many foreign people in Stockton and this department is helping many of them to become useful citizens of the United States.

The average age of the students in the high school department of the evening school is about twenty-three or twenty-four. The ages range from sixteen to fifty. There are, however, many more young people than elderly people. A count shows that a very large proportion of these people work during the day. Many former students of Stockton High School have taken subjects in the evening which they were unable to include in their course while attending day school. A few students who have found it impossible to continue their work in the day school this year have been able to go ahead with their studies at night.

The next term of the evening school will open at about the same time the day schools open next fall. Plans for the next year include the addition of millinery, shop work, Spanish and advanced work in the commercial subjects. Any persons, old or young, are eligible to attend the evening high school provided they are not already enrolled in some other school.