



JUNIORS



Tom Quinn
President

Florence Williams
Vice-President

JUNIOR HISTORY

The class of 1922 first came into prominence when they attempted to elect class officers. This so-called election is still spoken of with awe by upper classmen and faculty members as the noisiest that was ever held within the walls of old S. H. S. When the smoke of battle cleared away it was found that Lloyd Woods was chosen president; Charlotte Eckstrom, Vice-president; Harold Wells, Secretary-treasurer; and Walter Mowry, Sergeant-at-arms. During their year of verdancy, the class retained their usual place, last in everything.

Upon entering their sophisticated year, they again gathered in the study hall for an election. It was this election that stopped the time-honored privilege of ballot-stuffing. It was protested, and, under the supervision of the executive committee, re-election was held, with the result that Bart Lauffer was chosen president; Dorothy Harper, vice-president; Lloyd Burke, secretary-treasurer; and Claude Zent, sergeant-at-arms. During this year the class took the inter-class basketball championship. A few athletes developed, but they did not attain a high degree of brilliancy.

The junior election, like its predecessors, ended in a dispute, but after a careful recount, under the supervision of Martel Wilson, it was found that Tom Quinn was elected president; Florence Williams, vice-president; Ed Harvey, secretary-treasurer; and Pete Snyder, sergeant-at-arms. Ed Harvey, however, left school on account of illness, and Fred Spooner was appointed to fill the vacancy.

This was the banner year for '22. In football the class boasted the possession of star athletes Zent, R. Stiles, Daly, and several others. "Slivers" Zent proved to be a "Champ" among the "casaba artists;" Seifert, Ford, and Foster "looked good" on the track; and several juniors made the baseball and swimming teams. In crew the class was represented by R. Stiles, Smith, Garden, Zeller, and others.



SOPHOMORES



Tom Roberts
President

Grace Atherton
Vice-President

SOPHOMORE HISTORY

The entrance of the class of 1923 into the active life of our school community was made auspicious by its numbers. It was the largest class to enter the institution, with 560 names on its roster.

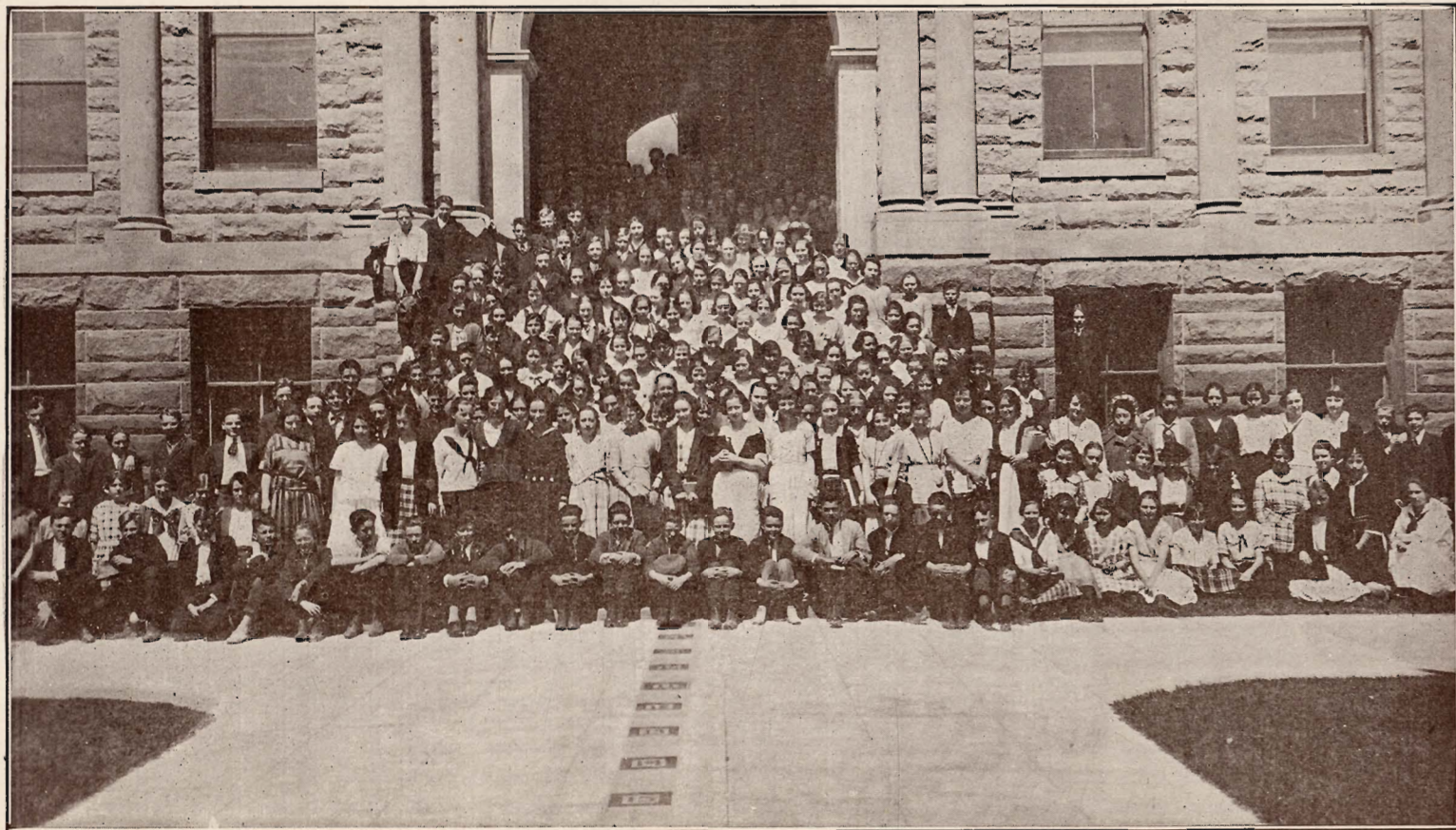
Its first activity was in the field of politics. The election returns showed that Edward Dunne was to be the first president; Jacquelin Johnson, vice-president; Fletcher Udall, sergeant-at-arms, and Wilbur Spurr, secretary.

The class immediately entered into the activities of the school. A goodly number went out for swimming and showed that they were especially brilliant in this sport. Leon Dessaussois and several other well known players started on the road to athletic stardom in their freshman year by their work on both the football and basket ball teams.

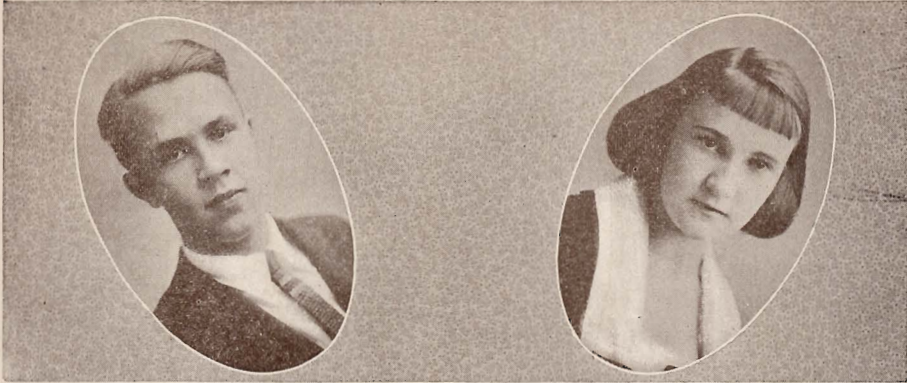
Upon re-entering this fall, they showed that their first year had not been wasted. They displayed the worldly wisdom they had gained when their election, that sleight-of-hand performance whereby the number of votes cast exceeds the number of voters present, was conducted. A riot call was sounded for Mr. Garrison, and, under his guidance, Tom Roberts was chosen president; Grace Atherton, vice-president; Tom Boggs, secretary; and Wilbert Spurr, sergeant-at-arms.

Especial prowess was shown by the members in athletics. The personnel of the varsity basketball team was composed entirely of sophomores. Two stars of this year's football team, Ed Dunne and Leon Dessaussois, are members of the class of '23.

The class, with its splendid spirit and capacity for real achievement, will undoubtedly continue to exercise as potent influence in the future as it has in the past.



FRESHMAN



Tom Sloan
President

Dorothy Dunne
Vice-President

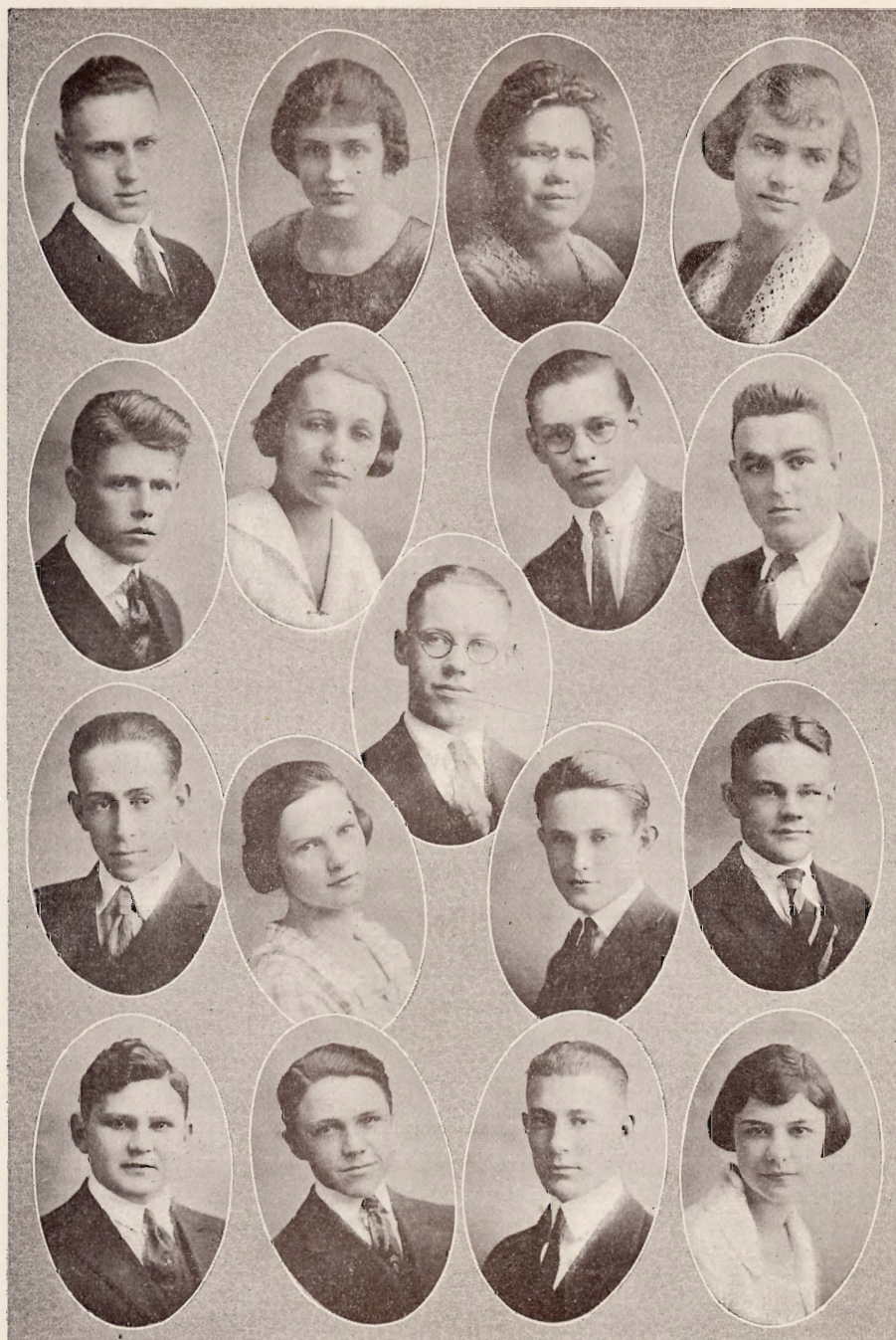
FRESHMAN HISTORY

Ten short months ago the echoing, knowledge-laden silence of these venerable halls was broken by the tramp, tramp of five hundred pairs of feet, joyfully (?) bringing their carefree owners to conquer the mysteries of the "ologies" and "isms," about which products of our institution they had heard their older brothers and sisters speak. The first step toward the accomplishment of the great things for which they hoped must be organization. Accordingly they met one sunny afternoon in the study hall to choose their leaders. After several minutes of hot discussion in which they achieved nothing, the appearance of Mr. Garrison seemed to induce clearer thinking and they chose Tom Sloan, president; Dorothy Dunne, vice-president; Harold White, secretary; Walter Meyers, treasurer; and John Hodgkins, sergeant-at-arms.

Variety, as well as quality, have been their watchwords, and the class has become active in all branches of athletics. Two men, Comstock and Asher, succeeded in making the basket-ball team.

A large delegation went out for swimming, in which sport they captured second place in the interclass meet. In baseball they have been represented by Gum and Goldston, and in track by Sloan.

If the old adage that there is everything in a good beginning be true, the class of '24 may truly feel optimistic for its future,



WEEKLY STAFF

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This, the seventh year of publication of the Guard and Tackle weekly, has truly been a banner year.

It has gone through the year on a financially sound basis, despite the many special editions that have appeared on various occasions, and which have helped greatly to enliven the paper, but which make the cost of publication much higher than otherwise.

The two classes in news writing have taken a very active interest in the paper, and have furnished the majority of the news stories.

The Guard and Tackle weekly is given to the students free, and has always been well received by them. It is paid for entirely by the advertisements.

The weekly is printed in the high school print shop by the vocational and elective classes in printing, under the direction of Mr. Comer, teacher of printing.



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This is the forty-fourth issue of the Guard and Tackle annual. The Guard and Tackle was first published in 1877, seven years after the inception of Stockton High School, and was but a small pamphlet. It has been improved each successive year, until at present it stands as a representative of the highest type of high school year book.



JOURNALISM CLASSES



EDITORIAL

SUGGESTED IMPROVEMENTS

As we, the class of '21, leave school, we wish to pass on to those who will become seniors some of the results or lessons of our four years' experience of school life, believing that our advice will materially help in the advancement of our alma mater, which has been our basic ideal throughout our four years of work and play. Therefore we are making some suggestions which we believe are worth while, some that, if carried out, will help to advance our school.

We believe that there should be more time between the nominating assembly and the primary election, three days at least, so that the students may investigate the qualifications of the various candidates. This would make for more intelligent voting, instead of a "close your eyes and sign on the dotted line" affair.

The freshmen boys, as well as the girls, should be given a reception, where the different phases of school activities are explained to them. In this manner the freshmen, more than a third of the students, would become more interested in school activities, and five hundred wide-awake and enthusiastic entrants could do a great deal to place and keep S. H. S. at her best, while an unenthusiastic group of the number is a hindrance or dead weight. The freshmen should be trained to root.

They should be given at least two yell rallies at the first of the year, when the yell leaders should teach them the yells, instead of leaving them to pick the words up at the game.

The students should strive for clean politics. There is getting to be less and less "dirty work" in Stockton High, but when it is entirely eliminated, we shall have a better and more efficient administration, and everybody will be better pleased.

In the next few years the students should work to secure an athletic field, either on the asylum grounds or at Oak Park, preferably the former, where large crowds may be handled and seated for football and baseball games and track meets. When once built, such a field would

be an unceasing source of revenue, for high school sports are rapidly becoming universally popular, and a school with a suitable field would be able to get state meets and to bring many people to our city.

The students should get whole heartedly behind the movement to put on the high school circus at the county fair. It means that at least \$2000 besides the registration fee, or a total of \$3500, may be in the student treasury at the beginning of the year. With this amount every activity can be supported in first class shape with money to spare.

The high school nights at the Lyric should be continued, for they are a source of profit and of clean entertainment to the school.

The Guard and Tackle, one of the most important of high school student publications, should get financial backing from the students. A much better paper could be produced if the management did not have to rely solely on advertisements for financing the paper. The paper should get a certain percentage of the registration fee as a subscription fee, since no subscription is charged.

In setting down these suggestions in black and white, we believe that the leaders in the classes to follow will take action, our alma mater be advance, and we ourselves satisfied. We who have been working four years for our school shall watch with interest and be extremely gratified to see our work carried on.

THANKING THOSE WHO HELPED

As this issue of the Guard and Tackle goes to press, we wish to express our sincerest thanks to those who have helped to make this book the best possible, as follows:

To the staff and contributors, who have worked to make this book what it is.

To Miss Lucy E. Osborn, who, as the faculty adviser, has given her time cheerfully and ceaselessly, and to whom the major part of the success of this book is due.

To Miss Elizabeth Montgomery, Miss Amy Pahl, and their classes, whose advice and help were invaluable.

To the engravers, the printers, the linotypers, and the photographers, whose careful work has made this book as near perfect as their combined efforts could make it.

And finally, to the loyal merchants whose advertising has made this publication possible.