

# BATTLE PRACTICE BOOK IV



### COACHES



EDWIN MCARTHUR

ROSS CLOVER

DAVID RIZZI

MARTHA LATTIN

### OUTSTANDING ATHLETES

Each year at San Juan a cup is awarded to the outstanding boy and girl athlete. Grace Robinson, Girls' Block S. J. president, was given the girls' cup for her outstanding playing ability and her good sportsmanship. It was more difficult to award the boys' cup, however, because we have two athletes of equal merit. Finally, for the first time in the school's history, two cups were awarded, one to Leon Ford and the other to Pete Codina.



LEON FORD

GRACE ROBINSON

PETE CODINA



Left to right: I. Neronde, N. Wallner, I. Fritz.

## YELL LEADERS

The yell leaders always play an important part in the activities of any school, and so we find that they have this year at San Juan.

They are chosen from students who will work hard to make rallies successful and maintain good sportsmanship at all games.

Isabel Neronde, Nancy Wallner, and Irene Fritz were always present at our games to lead many a student in voicing resounding cheers for San Juan's Spartans.

Miss Porter, who coached our yell leaders, was very helpful and displayed great interest at all times.

# FOOTBALL



The Spartan's 1941 season opened with a great deal of enthusiasm on the new turf. The team had a new coaching staff consisting of Edwin McArthur as head coach, and Ross Clover as his assistant. The team was composed mostly of upperclassmen. Leon Ford made many spectacular runs during the season and with Pete Codina's blocking ability was able to score several times. Everyone on the team worked together and formed the unit of cooperation which was responsible for some mighty thrilling games.

NEVADA CITY	14	SAN	JUAN	12
SACRAMENTO RESERVES	0	SAN	JUAN	0
PLACER	0	SAN	JUAN	6
GALT	6	SAN	JUAN	0
ELK GROVE	12	SAN	JUAN	12
COURTLAND	19	SAN	JUAN	7
EL DORADO.	0	SAN	JUAN	25

We look forward to a small but exceedingly fast team for the 1941 season.

#### GROUP

Top row, left to right: R. Baker, V. Rosevear, C. Kimbrough, L. Leonhardt, R. Hockett, C. Bock, L. Moisio, R. Grady, C. Wickham, P. Codina, Coach Clover. Second row: Coach McArthur, C. McCamy, R. Kennedy, B. Narramore, L. Ford, L. Hayes, N. Andrews, J. Hernandez. Third row: E. Hockett, S. Rubick, B. Motmans, J. Owens, L. Campoy, G. Hammett, P. Cedarholm, H. Knocke, H. Munselle, manager.

### INDIVIDUAL PICTURES

Back row, left to right: D. Grady, end; C. Kimbrough, fullback; P. Codina, halfback; C. Wickham, tackle; H. Knocke, tackle; L. Ford, halfback; P. Cedarholm, guard; G. Hammett, guarterback. Front row: L. Campoy, guard; L. Leonhardt, tackle; C. McCamy, guarterback; H. Johnson, guard; R. Hockett, center.





Top row, left to right: E. Kanoff, D. Grady, J. Davis, L. Ford, P. Codina. Bottom row: G. Difani, H. Johnson, G. Newman, L. Bobo.

# "A" BASKETBALL TEAM

After a season of hard fighting and an earnest endeavor to keep alive the enthusiasm for clean athletics, Coach McArthur's "A" team captured the Central California Title. Codina was the outstanding player of the season, playing his fourth year of superior basketball.

The San Juan-Roseville game was the thriller of the season when three extra minutes of hard fighting were played. San Juan proved its might and defeated Roseville to win the title of the Foothill League after we had won the title in our own league.

### PRELIMINARY GAMES

SAN JUAN		GRASS VALLEY	21
		ROSEVILLE	
		CHRISTIAN BROS	
SAN JUAN		SACRAMENTO	
SAN JUAN	12	McCLATCHY	
SAN JUAN		ROSEVILLE	
	38	VACAVILLE	
		GAMES	
SAN JUAN		COURTLAND	
SAN JUAN		FOLSOM	
SAN JUAN		GALT	
SAN JUAN		LINCOLN	22
SAN JUAN	27	ELK GROVE	
	CHAMPIONS	HIP GAMES	
SAN JUAN		ROSEVILLE	
SAN JUAN	12	SONORA	

# "B" BASKETBALL TEAM

The San Juan "B" team had a very successful season this year taking the Sacramento County League title. Fighting their way to the playoffs the boys did their best but were handicapped by many illnesses. Because of this they failed to throw the Roseville team and win the final match.

With the fine defense work of Jack Pefley and Herbie Robards, Bob Brown, Tom Wallner and Bill Tarro were able to make an outstanding number of points.

The scores were as follows:

SAN JUAN	20	GRASS VALLEY	24
SAN JUAN	17	ROSEVILLE	32
SAN JUAN	31	CHRISTIAN BROS.	22
SAN JUAN	26	McCLATCHY	29
SAN JUAN	29	VACAVILLE	27
SAN JUAN	32	McCLATCHY SOPH. A	16

### LEAGUE GAMES

SAN JUAN	36	COURTLAND	29
SAN JUAN	46	FOLSOM	39
SAN JUAN.	40	GALT	20
SAN JUAN	35	LINCOLN	32
SAN JUAN	36	ELK GROVE	22

### CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

	SAN	JUAN	20	ROSEVILLE	31
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### GROUP PICTURE

Left to right: Coach Rizzi, B. Root, B. Brown, T. Zanze, R. Ward, J. Pefley, J. Van Maren. First row, left to right: W. Ware, manager; H. Robards, T. Wallner, B. Tarro, M. Baldwin, B. Wallner, manager.

INDIVIDUALS

Clock wise, beginning lower left: J. Pefley, H. Robards, R. Ward, T. Wallner, B. Tarro, J. Van Maren, 8 Brown.





GROUP PICTURE Standing, left to right: Coach Rizzi, E. Heaney, F. Stilson, E. Robards, W. Miller, E. Herr, K. Casten, W. Ware, manager. Kneeling: D. Brown, H. Fisher, E. Hockett.

INDIVIDUALS

Clock wise, beginning lower left: E. Herr, E. Robards, H. Fisher, W. Miller, F. Stilson, E. Hockett.

# "C" BASKETBALL TEAM

Another champion of San Juan is our scrapping "C" team. They won the league pennant this season and made it a triple victory for our Basketball teams. The outstanding basket for the season was made when we were lagging at the Lincoln playoff, with only one minute to play, and Stilson made two consecutive baskets to win the game for us. The outstanding players were E. Robards and W. Miller.

Upon winning the league championship the "C" team defeated the McClatchy Sophomore "B" team by a score of 32 to 16.

### PRELIMINARIES

SAN JUAN	18	ROSEVILLE	16
SAN JUAN	25	FOLSOM	15
SAN JUAN	15	LINCOLN	14
SAN JUAN	19	FOLSOM	24
SAN JUAN	12	LINCOLN	18

### LEAGUE GAMES

SAN JUAN	13	FOLSOM	9
SAN JUAN	18	LINCOLN	16
SAN JUAN	35	COURTLAND	14

# BOYS' TENNIS

As the book goes to press, it looks as if San Juan again has a championship team. The outstanding veterans are Kanoff and Young. To date the team has defeated Roseville, Lincoln, and Elk Grove.

# "D" BASKETBALL

This year, due to the vast amount of basketball ability in San Juan and other schools in the Sacramento County Class "B" league, there was created a "D" team. In San Juan it was coached by David Rizzy and consisted primarily of freshmen. The team won three games of the seven it played.

### D BASKETBALL

Left to right: Coach Rizzy, B. Mooney, C. Knocke, J. Walters, J. Takataya, P. Teeples, W. Ware, B. Wallner, L. Cochran. BOYS' TENNIS

Standing, back row: H. Johnson, P. Codina, E. Kanoff, W. Young. Sitting, second row: Coach McArthur, R. Ward, G. Difani, T. Wallner.





### CENTER GROUP PICTURE

Top row, left to right: A. Fulkerson, D. Larson, D. Krebs, W. Larson, N. Champlain, V. Rosevear, D. Hart, P. Codina, T. Stafford, B. Motmans, J. Davis, J. Owens, S. Barras. Fourth row: J. Leonard, E. Eubanks, K. Keith, H. Knocke, L. Barton, C. O'Cell, L. Bobo, E. Herr, J. Hernando, B. Carey, B. Root, R. Dever. Third Row: B. Brown, J. Van Maren, B. Rarro, L. Ford, D. Pickering, C. Bock, R. Spencer, W. Mooney, J. Blake, R. Taylor, L. Hayes, E. Fisher. Second row: C. Knocke, N. Rasmussen, G. Barras, E. Hockett, J. Howard, A. Gardiner, J. Cedarholm, W. Ferguson, L. Fisher, J. Collins, S. Peck, L. Fisher, A. Campoy. Front row: J. Huiting; G. Cochran, G. Hammett, H. Munselle, P. Scott, F. Parks, Mr. Clover, C. Rasmussen, W. Arnold, M. Baldwin, L. McIntyre, E. Knight. Kneeling, front: R. Findley, Manager.

### INDIVIDUAL ACTION SHOTS

Lower left and clockwise: Cross country race—J. Davis, G. Yost, W. Ferguson, J. Ward. Half mile—G. Yost. Broad jump—D. Pickering. High jump—B. Brown. Relay race—P. Scott. 120 high hurdles—L. Ford. Football throw—C. Bock. Pole vault—J. Cedarholm. Broad jump—K. Keith. Managers working on Knight—J. Pierce, B. Findley. Shot put—L. Campoy. Relay—W. Ferguson. Football throw—H. Knoche.

### TRACK

The track and field season of 1940-41 proved to be the best in history for the mighty Spartans. Our first meet of the season was the cross country meet which was held at San Juan. Here we took our first victory. The next big meet was the Medley Relays at Auburn on March 14th, and the team brought home another trophy for San Juan. Our teams were competing against schools a great deal larger than San Juan, and proved superior to all of them; some of the bigger schools that San Juan has defeated are Piedmont, Woodland, and Lodi. Because of Ford's ability, the boys were able to win the Aggie Picnic Meet and bring home a trophy that some forty other teams were after.

The teams carried about 60 members this season. In the "C" division there were many fine beginners. The most outstanding was Jack Leonard, a freshman. In the "B" division there were many veterans who pulled down the points, among them were Steve Peck, Sammy Barris, Jack Howard and John Collins.

In the "A" team Ford was the outstanding man of the squad? He took three first places in every meet this season. His events were the 100 yard dash, 120 yard high hurdles and the high jump. Also taking many points were Yost, Furgeson and D. Pickering.

When the book went to press, the boys had won all eight meets in which they were entered and stood a very good chance of taking the remaining two. Coach Clover will send a few outstanding boys to the C.C.H.S.A.L. meet at Auburn on May 10. If they are victorious here, they will then be sent to the north state meet. Ford is expected to be one of the state's most outstanding high school track men in this meet. There will also be representatives sent to the West Coast Relays at Fresno on May 17.

The team owes its many victories to Coach Ross Clover who has given his time and energy to build one of San Juan's best track teams.



Top row, standing, left to right: V. Casten, B. Motmans, B. Ankney, L. Leonhardt, E. Heaney, C. Davis, Coach Rizzy. Bottom row: C. Kimbrough, T. Zanze, D. Grady, K. Casten, J. Mullins, B. White, F. Stilson, J. Davis. Small group: Coach Rizzy; B. Ankney, catcher; E. Heaney, pitcher; L. Leonhardt, pitcher, captain.

# BASEBALL

The San Juan Baseball Team was a hard-fighting group of athletes this season. Composed mostly of sophomores and juniors, there were only three seniors on the team. One of these, Loyd Leonhardt, was captain.

When the book went to press, they had won three of the six games played, and with their diamond rebuilt they stand a good chance to take the remaining three matches and capture the pennant. Pitching were Heaney, Leonhardt and Kimbrough. 

SAN JUAN	11	ROSEVILLE	9
SAN JUAN	3	EL DORADO	9
SAN JUAN		LINCOLN	19
SAN JUAN	10	FOLSOM	7
SAN JUAN	3	LINCOLN	4
(8-inning game)			
SAN JUAN	I	FOLSOM	5

### BOYS' BLOCK S. J.

The Boys' Block S. J. is one of the oldest clubs in the history of San Juan. It was first organized in 1923 and is composed of fellows who have been instrumental in placing our school at the top in the realm of interscholastic sports.

Not only are the members of the Block S. J. prominent athletes, but they show talent along other lines. This year's Kay Kayser program, starring Kenneth Keith, was one of the outstanding entertainments of the school year. The proceeds from the program provided several enjoyable social activities.

#### GROUP PICTURE

Top row, left to right: T. Wallner, J. Davis, D. Dickson, L. Moisio, J. Cedarholm, W. Ferguson, R. Hockett, W. Doli, J. Mullins. Second row, left to right: J. Collins, H. Robards, J. Locke, E. Kanoff, C. Bock, A. Campoy, E. Robards. J. Van Maren, E. Heaney, T. Zanze, D. Grady. Third row, left to right: J. Blake, G. Yost, R. Ward, C. Wickham, H. Knocke, E. Hockett, G. Hammett, L. Leonhardt, P. Codina, Mr. McArthur. Bottom row, left to right: J. Pefley, G. Difani, R. Taylor, L. Hayes, D. Pickering.

### BLOCK S. J. OFFICERS

Standing, left to right: H. Johnson, secretary; B. Tarro, treasurer; K. Keith, Commissioner of Entertainment. Sitting, left to right: L. Ford, president; Mr. McArthur, adviser; L. Bobo, vice-president.





GROUP PICTURE Left to right: G. Robinson, E. Warren, F. Bailey, N. Hammett, R. Blunk, Miss Lattin, J. Duncan, D. Mapel, M. Stilson, B. Swanson.

OFFICERS' PICTURE

J. Duncan, secretary-freasurer; G. Robinson, president; B. Swanson, vice-president; Miss M. Lattin, adviser.

# GIRLS' BLOCK S. J.

The Girls' Block S. J. was inactive the first part of the year due to the limited membership of two.

The first of April saw seven new members being initiated into the organization. Different from past initiations, it lasted a week with the girls wearing no makeup, the same outfit all week, tennis shoes, and not being able to fix their hair or talk to the boys. On the last day the girls were made to wear strange costumes. The evening of the last day brought the much awaited banquet which was held at Ray's Cafe. At this time, the girls presented Miss Lattin with a birthday gift.

The club is planning to give an original variety show as a way to make some money.

Thus the year ends, leaving one member and no adviser for next year, as Miss Lattin is planning to be married in the summer.

G. A. A.

The Girls' Athletic Association has had a very successful year under the able supervision of Miss Martha Lattin, girls' athletic director.

We were invited to the Play Days of Grant and Woodland High Schools. Both of these events were enjoyed immensely by the participants. Because of the sectional basketball play-off in Sonora, we were unable to accept Elk Grove's invitation.

On March 22, the American Legion, Post 396, sponsored a dance for us in the Carmichael Grammar School Auditorium. The girls all sold tickets, and the dance was a complete success.

Our annual banquet in May ended the year for us. At this time the new officers were installed and awards given out.

#### GROUP PICTURE

Top row, left to right: B. Grady, V. Ford, E. Moeszinger, R. Difani, C. Mizzy, D. Mapel, M. Hansen, A. Beers, D. Beers, B. Swanson, F. Shultz, L. Creek, E. Kelly, N. Wallner. Third row: M. Davis, B. Moore, A. McAdams, L. Elwell, V. Zanze, L. Patterson, L. White, L. Roark, O. Fogle, F. Smith, B. Koepke, R. Freid, E. Warren, S. Robinson, N. Walters. Second row: B. Wells, M. McAdams, R. Bernoudy, D. Gibson, M. Pickering, F. Zurfluh, F. Bailey, S. Castle, N. Smith, A. Freid, M. Stilson, J. Runkle, L. Caldwell, B. Lochelt, E. Mayberry, C. Clark. First row: M. Skidmore, T. Dickson, A. Hamilton, M. Taketaya, J. Miller, C. Stassi, H. Gates, C. Dundee, B. Archer, D. Meads, J. Hash, G. Dent, V. Glenn.

OFFICERS

D. Mapel, president; Miss Lattin, adviser; A. Freid, secretary; E. Warren, vice-president. Kneeling: N. Wallner, yell leader.





### GIRLS' HOCKEY

GIRLS' HOCKEY Third row, left to right: V. Zanze, Y. Patterson, R. Bernoudy, A. Hamilton, M. Skidmore, D. Beers, J. Buckley, J. Runkle, D. Meads, B. Koepke. Second row, left to right: M. Pickering, M. Mc-Adams, A. Freid, D. Mapel, E. Mois-zinger, A. McAdams, L. Roark, N. Smith, V. Glenn, T. Rytkonen, B. Grady. First row: M. Stilson, S. Castle, N. Hammett, L. Creek, F. Bailey, J. Dun-can, A. Beers, R. Blunk, R. Engman, G. Robinson, B. Swanson, L. White.

### SPEEDBALL

SPEEDBALL Top row, left to right: M. Takataya, T. Rytkonen, B. Grady, M. Danes, A. Beers, M. Stilson, B. Archer, D. Meads, F. Zurfluh. Third row: L. White, B. Warren, R. Burnoudy, D. Beers, M. Skid-more, J. Runkle, M. Gospodnetich, A. Hamilton, J. Buckley, B. Koepke. Sec-ond row: L. Elwell, A. Freid, T. Dick-son, D. Mapel, A. McAdams, E. Kelly, E. Moiszinger, L. Roark, N. Smith, R. Freid. Bottom row: R. Blunk, L. Creek, G. Robinson, R. Engman, N. Hammett, B. Swanson, L. Fritz, F. Bailey.

### BASKETBALL TEAM

BASKETBALL TEAM Top row, left to right: J. Miller, T. Rytkonen, M. Pickering, J. Stilson, R. Blunk, J. Duncan, Y. Patterson, B. Koepke, L. Caldwell. Second row: V. Zanze, N. Wallner, N. Walters, R. Ber-noudy, A. Beers, M. Skidmore, J. Run-kle, M. Gospodnetich, L. White, L. Fritz, First row: L. Elwell, F. Shultz, A. Freid, T. Dickson, A. McAdams, R. Di-fani, L. Roark, F. Smith, E. Kelly, R. Engman, F. Bailey. Sitting: S. Castle, G. Robinson, B. Swanson, N. Hammett.

#### VOLLEY BALL

VOLLEY BALL Fourth row, left to right: V. Zanze, M. Pickering, B. Grady, Y. Patterson, M. Davis, M. Stilson, B. Archer, D. Meads, F. Zurfluh, T. Rytkonen, L. Fritz. Third row: B. Warren, R. Bernoudy, D. Beers, M. Skidmore, J. Duncan, R. Difani, V. Ford, A. Beers, A. Hamilton, N. Walt-ers, N. Wallner, Second row: L. Elwell, F. Shultz, A. Freid, T. Dickson, D. Ma-pel, A. McAdams, E. Kelly, E. Moes-zinger, T. Roark, F. Smith, M. Mc-Adams, First row: S. Castle, R. Blunk, G. Robinson, R. Engman, N. Hammett, B. Swanson, L. Fritz, F. Bailey.

### **BASEBALL**

BASEBALL Top row, left to right: F. Zurfluh, V. Zanze, M. Pickering, Y. Patterson, M. Davis, D. Meads, B. Grady, B. Archer, G. Robinson, T. Rytkonen. Third rows: L. Ewell, I. Fritz, N. Wallner, N. Walt ers, R. Bernoudy, M. Skidmore, V. Ford, R. Runkle, M. Gospodnetich, B. Swan-son, B. Koepke. Second row: J. Miller, M. McAdams, F. Schultz, A. Freid, D. Mapel, I. Dickson, A. McAdams, R. Difani, L. Roark, V. Glenn, N. Ham-mett, F. Smith, First row: M. Shilson, R. Engman, S. Castle, F. Bailey, R. Blunk, M. Takataya, L. Fritz, J. Duncan.

### NEW SPORTS

By making a grand fuss about the unbalanced budget and selling tickets for the Student Body program, the girls raised forty dollars to use as they pleased. They bought hockey, badminton, and ping-pong equipment. Each of these sports has proved very popular and worth the trouble.

### **TENNIS**

The beginning of the tennis season has been highly successful as the girls have defeated Lincoln and Elk Grove in their matches and tied Folsom. San Juan entered the league tournaments for the first time last year and walked off with the championship. We are planning to enter the tournaments this year, and we feel that our stiffest competition will be Folsom. We are determined to gain another pennant, and Folsom is equally determined to win the pennant so tennis enthusiasts are looking forward to some highly exciting and competitive games in the near future.

#### GIRLS' TENNIS TEAM

Standing, left to right: M. Farrell, B. Linville, J. Runkle, N. Hammett, I. Goering, E. Hiedt, V. Ford, L. Andrews, E. Price, G. Robinson, B. Swanson, Miss Lattin, Adviser

INDIVIDUAL PICTURES Left to right: Badminton-D. Mapel, M. Stilson. Tennis-B. Swanson. Hockey-B. Swanson, N. Hammett, J. Duncan. Baseball-G. Robinson, F. Bailey.



### GIRLS' SPORTS

### HOCKEY

Field hockey was introduced to San Juan for the first time in the school's history. It is ably taught by Miss Lattin, a thoroughly experienced hand at the famous shin-cracking game. The girls soon found out that the sport is an extremely fast game and requires much endurance and courage on their part. Wild swings, and laugh-provoking spills predominated during the first practices, but the girls quickly caught on to the game and are looking forward to their matches in the spring. The matches will not be played before this book goes to press.

### SPEED BALL

Every fall in the far corner of San Juan's athletic field, the girls battle it out for the speedball supremacy of San Juan. The eliminations and the crowning of the speedball champions took place in a single afternoon, with the Seniors winning the title over a gallant Sophomore and Frosh eleven. The Seniors had previously defeated the Juniors in a game so close that overtime was required to decide the victor. These games are officiated by members of the various gym classes and refereed by Miss M. Lattin, P. E. Instructor.

### BASKETBALL

At this point Basketball, ever increasing in popularity with the girls, looks to be the most evenly matched sport among the four classes. A new style of basketball technique has taken the place of the out-of-date three court plays. The team still consists of the regular six players, but instead of the usual jump center and running center, there now are three forwards, and three guards. This has resulted in more action on the courts as plays can now be worked out. The class playoffs had not been made when the book went to press.

### VOLLEYBALL

Volleyball, the next sport appearing on the girls' athletic calendar, which is drawn up by Miss Lattin, was as always greeted with much enthusiasm on the part of the girls. The playoffs were made during one afternoon, and the sophomores showed their prowess by emerging the victors.

### BASEBALL

Baseball traditionally known as a game where the slightest error may mean victory or defeat is expected to turn out the most promising material in years. Rainy weather was responsible for the postponement of one game after another with the result that the four classes were yet to clash before the annual was sent to press.