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# FOREWORD

We, the Pleiades staff, have endeavored to give to you the light side of our campus life. Yes, there is another side. Many of our Spartans whose pictures appear between these covers, will be in the service of our country before another Pleiades goes to press. From these pictures and articles, they will carry with them the memories that no darkness will shut out. We sincerely hope these pages from your "volume of memories" will bring our Spartans, wherever they may be, a clear and happy picture of our life on

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# DEDICATION

It is with great pleasure that we dedicate this year's Pleiades to our gallant Spartans in the Armed Forces of the United States. We are very proud of the ones who have taken up arms in defense of our Country. Our Spartans are showing the same valor and fortitude as did the Spartans of old. More and more of our boys and girls are entering the services as they become of age. To show our gratitude to all of our courageous Spartans—whether they be in the service yet or veterans of a year or so; whether they be still in the United States or

in some foreign land—we dedicate the 1944 Pleiades to them.

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## YOU CAN COUNT ON ME

D. R. LIGHTNER
Principal

Can you say to the Spartans in the Service: "You can count on me?" This devotion to duty is the basis of all stable human relationships—in the school, in the family, between neighbors, in business, in public affairs, and between nations. It is the foundation of all security and progress. Can you say: "You can count on me to buy bonds and stamps, to be thrifty every day, to conserve gasoline and rubber, to grow victory gardens, to help stamp out black markets, to help combat inflation and to serve in every way I can to the best of my ability?" Realizing the first line of defense is good health, can you say: "I will become and keep physically fit?" We are told the battle station for youth is in the school room and that any boy or girl who fails to be at his battle station without good reason may be considered deserting his post. Can you say: "You can count on me to attend school regularly so that I can develop a clear and full understanding of the nation's wartime and post-war needs and problems and better equip myself to render more efficient service to my country in solving these problems?" Since our whole democratic way of life is dependent upon individual character, can you say: "You can count on me to be honest, sincere, dependable and loyal?" Can you say: "I believe in the United States of America, I will do my duty to God and my Country, and I will do my part to secure and maintain 'liberty and justice for all'?"

If your answers to the above questions are all yes, you have passed the test 100 per cent for becoming a real Spartan.

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