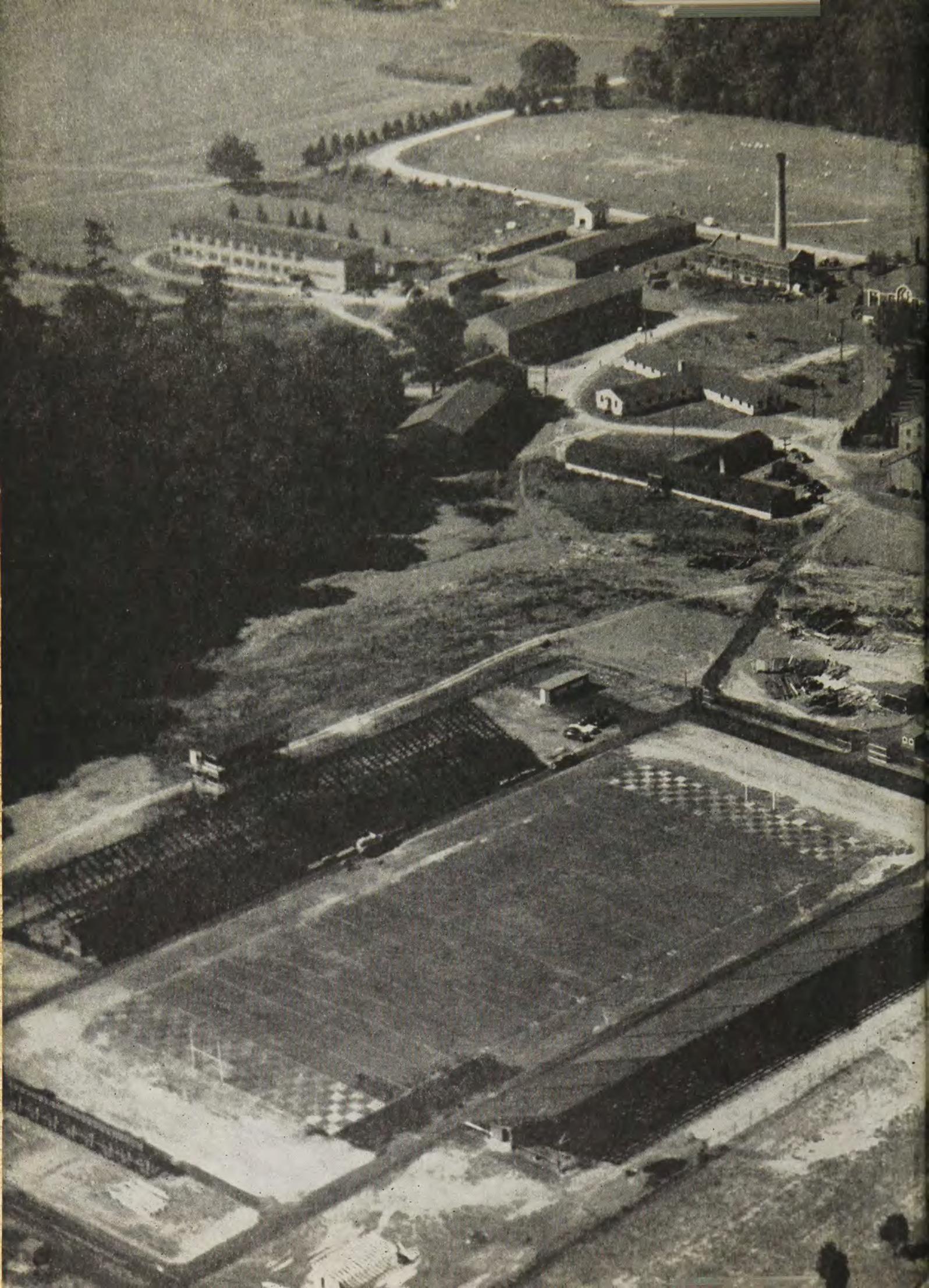


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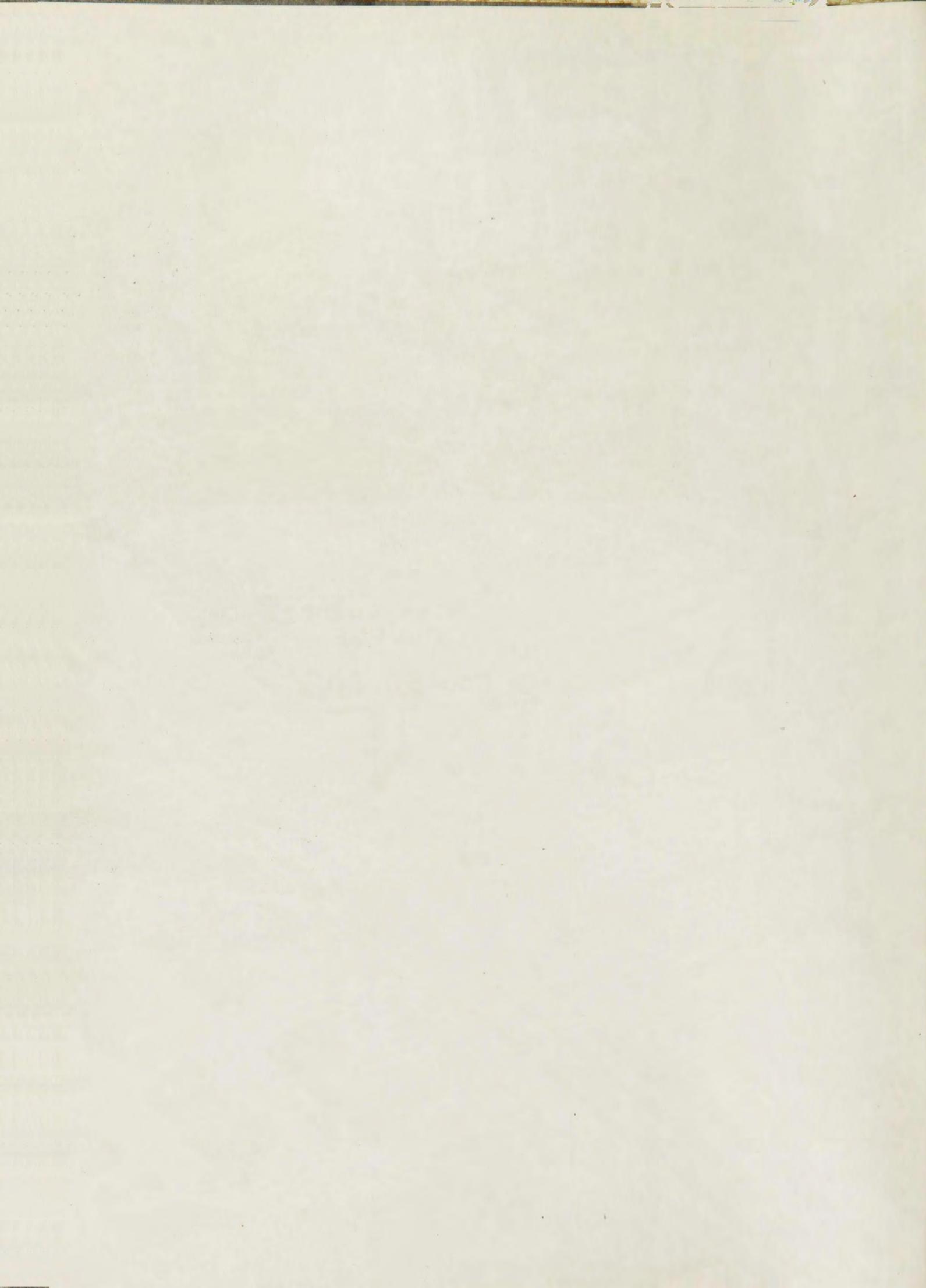


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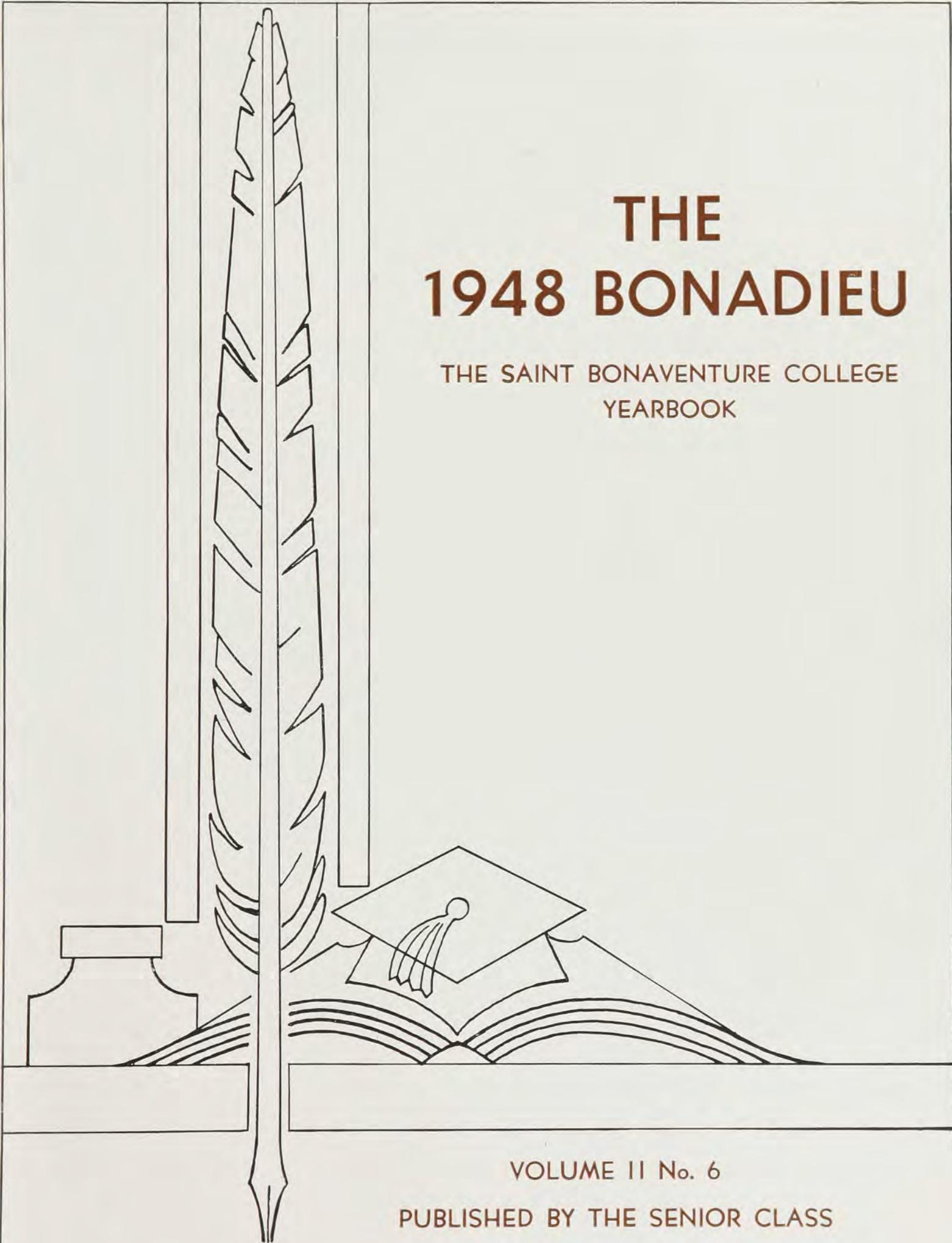
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## FOREWORD

The traditional quill and pot which the founders of St. Bonaventure, the Franciscan Fathers, used through heroic labor to overcome many obstacles that the infant college presented to build our Alma Mater, is used as our theme to commemorate their great work.

But the same quill and pot has been replaced by the camera and press in our efforts to write another chapter of Old St. Bonas.

To pictorialize college activity . . . to establish a complete reproduction of campus incidents . . . to leave an accurate account of a glorious year . . . to give commendation where it is due . . . to unify the attractive whole into a compact volume . . . has been the aim of the 1948 Bondieu . . .



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BROTHER FERDINAND, O.F.M.



# DEDICATION

WE DEDICATE this book to you, Brother Ferdinand, as a tribute to the quiet simplicity which has been the pattern of your life here at Saint Bonaventure for the past twenty-five years. We offer this dedication as a token of our gratitude for having had before us all our stay at Bonaventure a practical example of the right way to live.

We envy you your rugged devotion to duty, and the matter of fact way in which you carry it out. We only hope that when we have set about our life's work, we will be able to simulate you in this respect, at least to a degree.

What better model could we have than a man who has a kind word for everyone, and whose life has been a succession of charitable acts? If we can only remember this kindness and charity of yours, Brother Ferdinand, and carry the memory with us always, we know that we will be the better for it.

If we will have the courage to follow the virtuous example which you have set for us, then we may be assured that we will be able to serve God and man with a facility comparable to yours.

We are proud to dedicate this Bonadieu to a man such as you. To Brother Ferdinand Woerle, an IDEAL BONAVENTURE MAN.



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## MY DEAR SENIORS:

Thus far the name "seniors" has been applied to you only in its academic sense; today it carries a different meaning. As the doors of your school close behind you, there opens before you the wide gate of the school of life. As the Poet says, "life is real, life is earnest". The School of Life admits no Freshmen, no Sophomores or Juniors. It is hard and hazardous from the start. It may forgive or condone mistakes; but it brooks no faltering in purpose and perseverance.

May I recall to you the word of the Wise Man: "The things thou hast not gathered in thy youth, how shalt thou find them in thy old age?" (Ecclus 27, 5.) The degree which you proudly hold in your hands, as well as the fond farewell and the hearty "God bless you" that your teachers and friends extend to you, are proofs that indeed you have gathered noble, valuable, and useful things in your school days, and that these achievements will stand you in good stead as you walk steadily and hopefully through the corridors of the school of life. All of which will lighten and brighten our step from academic seniority to seniority in life. The goal of the former was your bachelor's degree; the goal of the latter is contained in this verse of the inspired author: "O how comely is wisdom for the aged, and understanding and counsel to men of honor" (Ecclus 27, 7).

Seek now to blend the former with the latter. Endeavor to translate the knowledge gathered from books and teachers into the living, vibrant, and vigorous language of the world that will henceforth surround you—and either commend or condemn you. But it will and must commend you if you heed—as we have told you again and again—the other word of the Wise Man: "The fear of the Lord is their glory" (Ecclus 27, 8).

God bless you!

Sincerely,

FATHER THOMAS.



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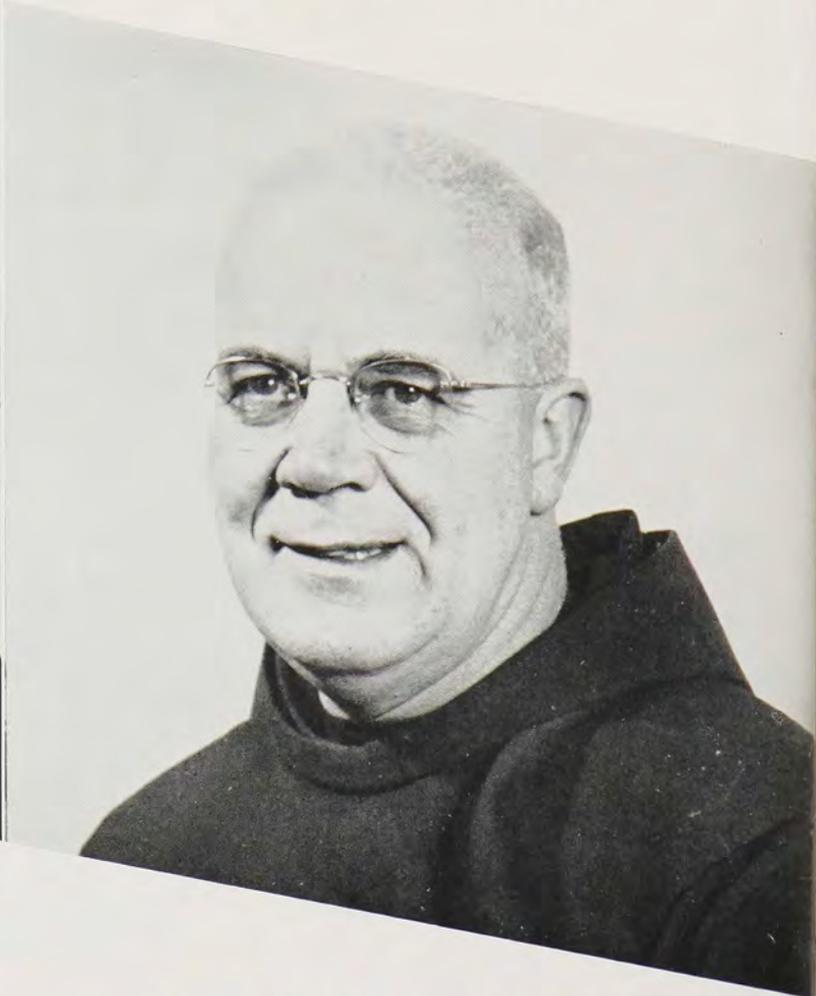


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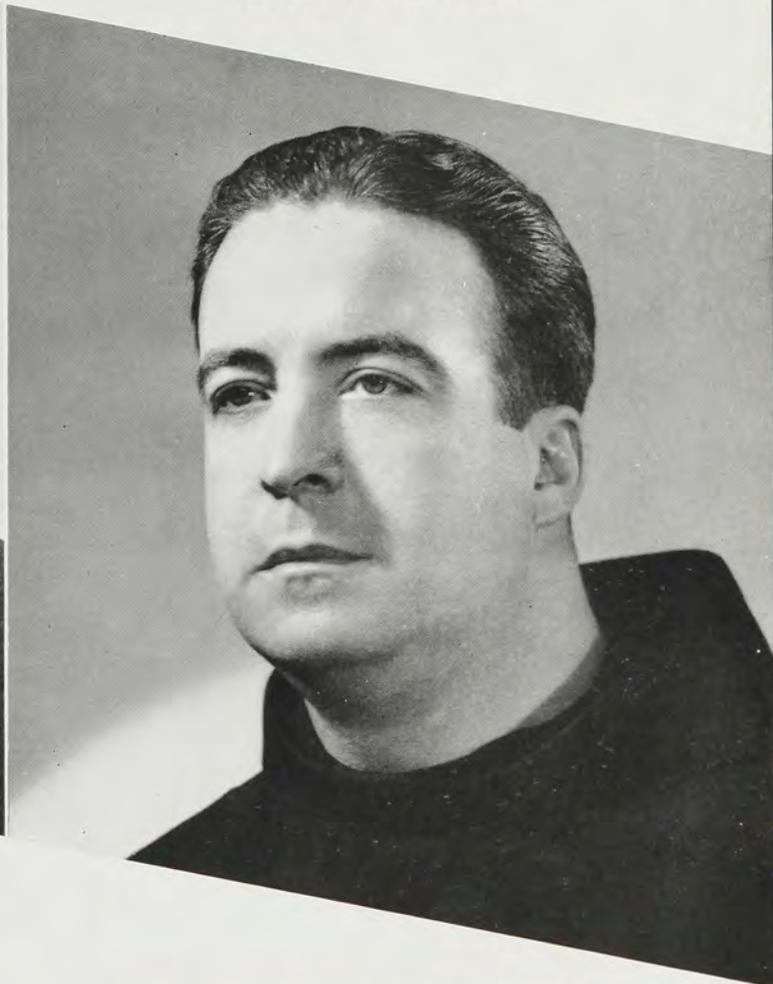


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# In Memoriam



REV. CONRAD O'LEARY, O.F.M., Ph.D.

Age: 50 years

Franciscan 28 years

Priest: 21 years

Resident here: 23 years

Sweet Jesus, grant him eternal rest.



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THOMAS WILLARD ATKINS  
B.S.

Here is a science and letters man whose claim that studies and fun can be mixed successfully is exemplified by his social exploits. Tom's witty conversation between Bonas and Olean will always be a favorite subject of reminiscence for his day-hop associates.



MARIAN ALICE ATWOOD  
B.A.

When the doors were opened to women, Marian was one of the first to enter St. Bonaventure. A competent and cooperative worker, she has proved an asset to our college. In turn, we feel confident in her ability to become an educator. Third Order, Women's Council.



FRANCIS JOSEPH BARRY  
B.B.A.

Frank transferred from Villanova a few years ago, joining us as a junior. Although his stay at Bonas has been short, his affable manner has won him innumerable friends, all of whom will testify to this lad's ability in Business Administration.



JOSEPH EUGENE BECHTOLD  
B.A.

Bright, Exact, Clever, Humorous, Tenacious, Orderly, Loyal, Devout—are the attributes packed in the name of this little man. Be not deceived! He carries the power of an atom. His genial nature has won him a place in our hearts that will never be taken away. May he always be one of God's favored men.



FRANCIS XAVIER BITTNER  
B.B.A.

"Bit," the president of BBX, is an excellent student and a possessor of a keen sense of humor. His "never say die" spirit has carried him through four years of strenuous college business activities, and will be an invaluable asset in all his future undertakings.

WILLIAM CYRUS BRANDEL  
B.B.A.

Under such quiet dignity, we have found this very likeable personality. A long term member of the band and glee club, Bill has been one of our best students. Wide-eyed and observant, he is both quick and anxious to learn. His ability lies where his interests lie. His easy going disposition will put the business world at his command.



DeWITT CLINTON BURNETT  
B.A.

D. C. was a feature writer for the Bona Venture, manager of the basketball team and president of the I.D.A. We soon came to know and like "DeWitt" for his enthusiasm and cooperation in all school activities. Well-read by hobby and an English major by choice, he will go a long way toward filling the need for good teachers.

CLEMENT JOSEPH BROZENA  
B.A.

Plymouth, Pennsylvania, is "God's country" and home for "Blusher Brozena." We have come to know Clem quite well in these two years. A calm, cool, patient manner has become synonymous with Clem. Add to his enviable character congeniality, scholastic achievement and a class spirit, so evident in his hearty participation in intramural sports, and you have some idea of a character which we label "a fine example of Christian manhood."





LAWRENCE THOMAS BUTLER  
B.S.

Studious, conscientious, and industrious, Larry finds diversion from his books in skiing, philosophizing, talking medicine and taking an active interest in club and class functions. He will always be remembered for his impromptu wit in the classroom.



ANTHONY CHARLES CALA  
B.B.A.

Tony, a Business Ad Major, has a rich personality coupled with sincerity. This, together with his conscientiousness and almost endless vitality, made the Junior Prom of 1947 and his other undertakings for his classmates such outstanding successes.



SVEN JOHN CARLSON  
B.B.A.

Sven, known as the brain from Turtlepoint, came to Bonas in '41. A hard and willing worker he helped to insure the financial success of this book. He stands in the top ranks of his well-dressed Commerce brothers of the B.B.X. By his diligence and sincerity, and armed with a sheepskin, his presence in the circles of commerce will surely be felt. D.S.B.



STEPHEN CHARSKY  
B.S.

It was a good day for Bonas when this former naval officer and Ithaca College man joined our forces. "Steve" presents the enviable combination of scholar and athlete. His quick diagnosis of plays, rugged defensive work, and versatility on offense made him one of our most valuable gridiron men. With this background plus scholastic ability, "Steve" is certain for success in dentistry.





STEVEN GILBERT CRONIN  
B.A.

Steve is one of the best known men on campus. His name is a byword and will live forever in the annals of Bona's history. From '41 to '48, excepting the war years, he regaled the crowd with laughs and provided his friends with pearls of wisdom. His phenomenal memory, coupled with his whole-hearted love of neighbor, salvaged more than one soul from the rocks of failure at exam time.



DONALD CHARLES CROWLEY  
B.B.A.

"Red" combines business and musical ability, perhaps hoping to save money to become his own manager. His ability as a student is beyond reproach and has been enhanced by wit and quick thinking. Band.



JAMES OLIVER DICE  
B.A.

Bonaventure boasts of another Bunny Berigan in Jimmy—the man with the horn. In addition to his prowess as a musician, he is a top sociology student. He leaves us fond memories of his class spirit, and his dynamic efforts in solving the numerous problems of the Junior Prom band committee.

ROBERT CLEMENT CONROY  
B.B.A.

Once in a life time we meet a man with the sincerity and moral integrity of a "Lincoln." Student Senator, president of the Rochester Club and of the Junior class, diligent student and everybody's friend, Bob has had his time well taken care of. Alive with ideas and initiative to carry them out, he plans post graduate work in marketing. This true Christian gentleman is a Bonaventure contribution to the world.



PETER FRANCIS CROWLEY  
B.B.A.

Pete is a fellow one cannot help but like. Completely devoid of ostentatiousness, he is marked for his sincerity. Beneath his quiet manner there is an ample supply of humor. Pete maintains social ties on campus as a member of the Delta Sigma Beta. His real determinations are in accounting, in which we wish him success.



THOMAS EDWARD DEVINE  
B.A.

'Tom' came to us from the Little Seminary. He is an all-sports man, a good student, choir-member, and continually on the go. Music in the modern vein entralls him completely. Seldom, if ever, is he without a cheery smile and gracious salute.



WILLIAM GARRETT DILLON  
B.A.

A true leader, with a conscientious and pleasing personality, Bill was active in dramatics and also found time to edit the Bona Venture. The esteem with which he is held by his fellow students was proved when they elected him to Who's Who and president of the Student Senate.



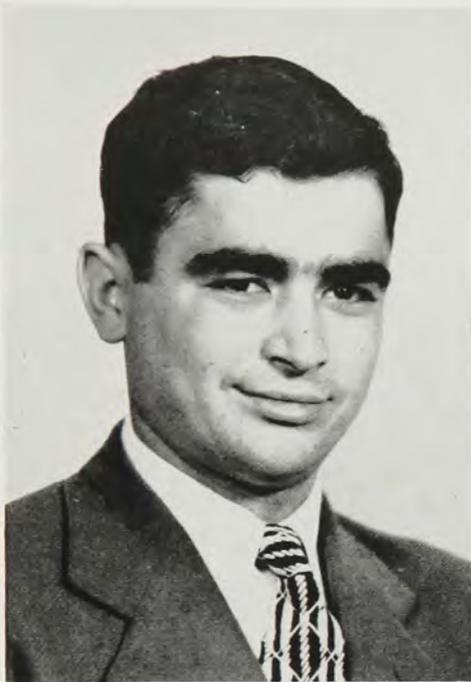
THOMAS MERLET DONAVAN  
B.A.

Tom's keen competitive nature, coolness under fire and real love for sports found their greatest expression on the gridiron. To be sure his ability was in no small way responsible for the success of our football team. Jovial, personable and driven with ambition, teaching history and physical education should come easy to Tom.



JOHN REGAN EBER  
B.B.A.

Embued with the true Bonaventure spirit, remarkable affability, aggressiveness and foresight, John manifested his keen ability in directing the financial affairs of the BBX, the Bona Venture, and the Rochester Club. Our erstwhile politician climaxed his career at Bonas as president of the Senior Class.



FRANCIS ANTHONY FOTE  
B.S.

Among the tubes and retorts of the lab Frank may be found at all hours. His chemistry is to him the more important part now but he hopes to preface his name with that of Dr. before long.



WILLIAM HENRY FOGERTY  
B.A.

His many friends are indicative of Bill's amiable and attractive nature. We have come to know him for his sincerity, serious application to his studies, and subsequent enviable record. Quiet and capable, his present interest and command of the "Queen's English" and literature is suggestive of his ambition in teaching.



VINCENT THOMAS FRUNGILLO  
B.B.A.

Vince is one of those amazing business students, an accounting major who really knows what it is all about. In his quiet, reserved manner he has lighted the way for many a befuddled frosh or soph in the accounting labs. His great intelligence and perseverance should bring him success in his future endeavors.



JOSEPH PAUL GABRIEL  
B.B.A.

Joe re-entered Bonas after an Army hitch with a drive to accomplish things. He became president of Beta Beta Chi and assisted in its organization along detailed and precise lines during the influx of new students. A very pleasing personality, a quiet voice and manner, and an aptitude for organization assure success for him in business or any other field.





ROBERT ALBERT GAUCHAT  
B.A.

One of the "Caf" staff and an astute English major of the Arts course, Bob is an aspiring barrister. As another of the "old-timers," he entered the service during the war but couldn't forget Bonas. He has joined the ranks of the Benedicts this year and claims it's his life's work. Laurel, Buffalo Club, Third Order.



JOHN FRANCIS GLOVER  
B.A.

Jack came to the Cattaraugus Hills from the Gem City, Erie, via a four year sojourn in the Air Corps. Gannon's loss was St. Bona's gain when he enrolled as a Junior in 1946. A one-word description of Jack is "British." That "British" connotes a calm, cool, and collected demeanor, a stable sense of responsibility and a subtle yet sharp humor which has won us and which will carry him well throughout life.



ROBERT CRAHEN GOSS  
B.A.

Always ready to assist in promoting a class function, Bob won prominence in campus social life. He will always be remembered for his neatness, his ease of manner, and above all, his tie collection. He plans to teach and is certain to be successful.



BERNARD JOSEPH HARIG  
B.A.

Bernie majors in General Science and has a particular interest in philosophy. A very interesting conversationalist, he is well versed in current events together with logical and deep convictions of what is right. Very studious yet never pedantic, he is always around when there is a good time to be had. A great deal about personality and friendliness can be learned from him.





JOHN FRANCIS HICKEY  
B.A.

Though a man of jocularly and love of fun, John has always been dutiful about his studies and has done well as an English major. Interested and active in all school activities, he was a very able contributor to *The Bona Venture* and *The Laurel*, and was ever in the midst of intramural football or basketball. He shall win success as he has won friends.



ROBERT JOSEPH HOGAN  
B.A.

He is known as "Red" not only because of his flaming hair, but also because of his blush. In the 1944-45 season, he played varsity basketball and was considered a good prospect for future years. But the college lost him to the Seminary where he is dean of his Seminary class. As a student, nothing need be said, for he can stand on his record.



GERALD WARD HULBERT  
B.B.A.

Possessed with a generous nature, Jerry is one of those silent seniors who keeps within his circle of friends, who can testify to his flawless character. A Business major, he devotes his full time to his studies and with such diligent effort nothing but shocking results should be felt by the business world.

WILLIAM JOHN HARVEY  
B.B.A.

A politician, with his panetella cigars and irresistable handshake, Big Bill was always seen at election time button-holing fellow students for a vote. He financed his way through college pushing a pencil at the Pennsylvania Railroad and assisting local financiers with income tax reports.



GAVIN EDWARD JOHNSON  
B.B.A.

"Gav" possesses the good qualities of sincerity, a quiet determination, and an unlimited sense of appreciation. We cannot recall any bad qualities. Under this quiet temperament lurks a keen sense of humor as his close friends can attest. A steady fellow; one that can always be counted on for a job well done. We foresee only good fortune for "Gav."



JOSEPH EGAN KANE  
B.B.A.

Joe became one of us in his Sophomore year and was immediately elected president of the glee club. He has maintained that office since. We have long admired his sincere love of good music, sharp wit, and broad sense of humor. Joe's ambition is in the business administration field and his fine qualities and abilities should blend perfectly for a successful future.



DONALD JAMES KELLEY  
B.S.

When speaking of sports, check with Don Kelley, who did such a fine job of sports coverage for the Bona Venture his last two years here. A Biology major, he is the exemplification of versatility in wholly unrelated fields. AKM, Bona Venture, Third Order, Buffalo Club.



JAMES EDWARD KENNEDY  
B.B.A.

Jim is the typical businessman—well-dressed, with a winsome smile and affable manner, and particularly adept in matters of Business Administration. As did his classmates, Jim answered the call to arms during the war years but returned again to grace this area with his presence last year. BBX (vice-president), Laurel.



CHARLES BERNARD KENNING  
B.A.

The "Beam" returned to St. Bonaventure after achieving an enviable record in the Air Corps. A natural social leader, possessing such admirable qualities as amiability, congeniality, propriety and benevolence, Charlie is bound to be a successful lawyer.

JOHN EDWARD KEOUGH  
B.S.

John was one of the most generous, sincere and amiable members of his class. His reserved nature has often proved a gratifying factor by steadying his classmates in some of their hilarious pursuits. Proficiency in both physics and music assures John of a successful career in either field. We will always remember him for his spontaneous humor.



RAYMOND JOSEPH KILLIAM  
B.S.

How we have envied Ray's ease of scholastic success. But where studies left him time, he has put it to good use as Associate Editor of our yearbook and president of the Metropolitan Club. By his quick wit and attractive nature, Ray has befriended all. It is inevitable that he will succeed in medicine.



CHARLES HARRY LEE  
B.S.

Coming from R.I.T., Charlie has been with us for the past two years. His ever present smile and friendly nature won for him a multitude of friends on and off the campus. His light-hearted characteristics conceal his deeper interests in work and especial fondness for chemistry for which he will be awarded a B.S. degree.

EDWARD ALBERT KORNUSKO  
B.S.

Eddie's years at Bonas have been full ones. Note the following—chemistry major, mainstay of our band and orchestra for four years; brilliant and accomplished violin soloist; master of the sax, clarinet and piano; interested in everyone and everybody. Eddie loves a party as he loves life, and he can do a good job in any endeavor.





EUGENE ANTHONY LESINSKI  
B.S.

A long term member of our Glee Club, and an ardent supporter of the Buffalo Club, Gene has proven himself a real Bona man. By his enthusiastic conversation and engaging personality, he has become a popular man on campus and in Olean. His keen interest in biology and A.K.M. meetings is the tip-off to his destination — dentistry.



BERNARD EDWARD LINEHAN  
B.B.A.

Here is a man who really gets a lot out of life, as is evidenced by his many and varied interests. He is an ardent follower of sports and enjoys playing the stock market. An Olean man and one of our better students, Bernie, with an abundance of native ability and his B.B.A. degree will not need luck to succeed.



WILLIAM CLYDE LONG  
B.S.

Bill came to us from Gannon College, where he spent his freshman year. He is now one of our married vets and a father. An amiable fellow, "Bill" has proved himself industrious and capable by doing an outstanding job in the difficult role of a chemistry major for which he will be awarded his B.S. this June.



VIRGIL GUY LORENIZENI  
B.S.

This "Guy" has a wealth of assets to stimulate his rise to success in medicine. Blessed with a charming wife and baby to match, a love for mankind, a keen sense of humor, a scientific mind and assiduous nature, his presence at Bonas will long be remembered.





FRANK ANTHONY LO VUOLO  
B.A.

An all around athlete, Frank is most famous on the campus for his gridiron achievements. He has been justifiably rated "one of the nation's best ends." In addition to pursuing his studies, he has been active in the Triple Cities Club, and won a place in "Who's Who." Handsome, friendly, with a natural personality plus a B.A. degree, Frank will "carry the ball" in any field.



PIERRE AUGUSTINE LUHR  
B.S.

Pierre is one of the strong, silent type. His unassuming manner belies the quantity of grey matter beneath his jet-black hair. We have it on the authority of Science men that this gentleman is the kind who makes astounding discoveries which rock the scientific world. Pierre's initial year here was 1941. AKM



LEE JAMES MAYS  
B.A.

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EUGENE ANTHONY LESINSKI  
B.S.

A long term member of our Glee Club, and an ardent supporter of the Buffalo Club, Gene has proven himself a real Bona man. By his enthusiastic conversation and engaging personality, he has become a popular man on campus and in Olean. His keen interest in biology and A.K.M. meetings is the tip-off to his destination — dentistry.



BERNARD EDWARD LINEHAN  
B.B.A.

Here is a man who really gets a lot out of life, as is evidenced by his many and varied interests. He is an ardent follower of sports and enjoys playing the stock market. An Olean man and one of our better students, Bernie, with an abundance of native ability and his B.B.A. degree will not need luck to succeed.



WILLIAM CLYDE LONG  
B.S.

Bill came to us from Gannon College, where he spent his freshman year. He is now one of our married vets and a father. An amiable fellow, "Bill" has proved himself industrious and capable by doing an outstanding job in the difficult role of a chemistry major for which he will be awarded his B.S. this June.



VIRGIL GUY LORENIZENI  
B.S.

This "Guy" has a wealth of assets to stimulate his rise to success in medicine. Blessed with a charming wife and baby to match, a love for mankind, a keen sense of humor, a scientific mind and assiduous nature, his presence at Bonas will long be remembered.





FRANK ANTHONY LO VUOLO  
B.A.

An all around athlete, Frank is most famous on the campus for his gridiron achievements. He has been justifiably rated "one of the nation's best ends." In addition to pursuing his studies, he has been active in the Triple Cities Club, and won a place in "Who's Who." Handsome, friendly, with a natural personality plus a B.A. degree, Frank will "carry the ball" in any field.



PIERRE AUGUSTINE LUHR  
B.S.

Pierre is one of the strong, silent type. His unassuming manner belies the quantity of grey matter beneath his jet-black hair. We have it on the authority of Science men that this gentleman is the kind who makes astounding discoveries which rock the scientific world. Pierre's initial year here was 1941. AKM

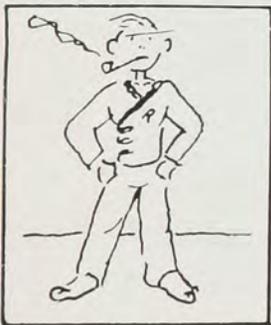


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PATRICK HENRY McVERRY  
B.B.A.

Pat is one of Bona's pre-war men who answered the call to arms in '41. Now ready to leave again, Pat will live in Connecticut, armed with his Business degree. Affable, witty, and scintillating are words applicable to this gentleman. Bonadieu, Bona Venture, Laurel, Metropolitan Club, I.D.A.



STANLEY JOSEPH MEDWID  
B.S.

From Olean each day comes this tall well-dressed man who hurriedly makes his way to one or the other of his many "bio labs." We have come to know and like "Stan" for his sincerity and friendliness to us, and his keen interest in Biology. Already working on his master's degree we may expect to find Stan "medicine bound."



CHARLES L. MEISTER  
B.A.

"Chuck" came to us from the "Little Sem" in his Sophomore year, bringing with him a sparkling wit and a contagious smile. Satisfied with only the best, he gives that extra something to all he touches. Pounds both books and piano with equal vigor, taking time off to dabble in photography. His steadiness, unselfishness, and all-around good fellowship make him a true courtier of Christ the King.



PATRICK FRANCIS NEEDHAM  
B.A.

A member of the frosh class of '37, Pat finishes his interrupted studies at Bonas nine years later. A history major, he can describe vividly the battle at Waterloo or Sherman's march to the sea and if given the opportunity will gladly do so. Forsook the campus for the beckoning lights of Olean this year. D.O.W.



DONALD JAMES O'BRIEN  
B.S.

Brought up in the shadows of Bonas "Don" has long been instilled with the spirit and tradition of our alma mater. His interests run from aviation to biology. It looks now as though he is turning his industrious nature toward post graduate work in bacteriology. His qualification for such a task is indicative of his abilities.



RICHARD JAMES O'CONNOR  
B.A.

Jim is respected highly by his classmates because of his abundant good humor and scholastic standing. He took an active interest in many activities and contributed greatly to the success of the Junior Prom. His pleasant and dynamic personality will be an asset in the future.



WILLIAM JAMES O'HAIRE  
B.A.

The terror from DOW and a good sociology student, "Red" has made his presence deeply felt, especially in the gym and its immediate area. His becoming personality, influential manner with both profs and football players, and unhappy affiliation with incorrigible Frosh have become legend.



WALTER ALFRED PEER  
B.A.

Walter was the idol of the fair sex on the campus. His sincere attitude, perseverance and cheerful manner in attacking the problems confronting him as a Student Senator earned for him the respect, admiration and appreciation of his fellow students as signified by their tribute in electing him to represent the school in Who's Who. Graduation is but a step to greater achievements for this man.





GRACE THERSA PAOLILLO  
B.A.

A Fredonia State Teacher's transfer, Grace came to Bonas in her sophomore year. Besides serving as Frosh Advisor on the Women's Council, Grace has shown outstanding ability in her studies. She plans to become an English teacher.



JESSE EDWARD PRICE  
B.A.

Jesse is a well-known man about campus. His hearty laughter can be heard at all times when in the company of his co-conspirator, Higgins. The field of English is his forte but whether the future holds journalism or teaching as his profession, we cannot say. Student Senate, Laurel, I.D.A., Bona Players, Bona Venture, Who's Who, Third Order.



PAUL PHILIP PURTA  
B.A.

Paul came to St. Bonaventure two years ago via St. Charles College, Baltimore, Md., well recommended all the way. Personally and scholastically he stands out on the local scene. He relaxes himself as well as others. Paul has been kidded about his provoking initials. But those of us who really know him, realize that his aim is to make them stand for "perfect parish priest."



HENRY RAYMOND RALICKI  
B.A.

A great combination of intellectual ability and ready wit and humor enables Hank to make friends quite easily and prove him to be a most congenial companion. He took an active interest in all sports and participated in football and basketball before becoming a disc jockey on Station WHDL.





JAMES ROBERT RANSFORD  
B.S.

Steadfast, sincere, amiable and benign, Bob possesses a deep appreciation for the true and the beautiful. His many friends in the classroom and in campus societies will all agree that here is a man of action rather than words. Best of luck to our Class Secretary.



CHRISTOPHER JOHN REILEY  
B.S.

"Chris" came from the Nutmeg state, Connecticut, in 1942 and soon endeared himself to all on the campus. An allround athlete, "Chris" played varsity football under "Mike" Reilly. He is completely at home on the golf course where his jousts with Swanton were something to hear and see. With a ready wit and winning air "Chris" is destined for success. Met Club, Varsity Club, A.K.M.



JOHN EDWARD RYAN  
B.B.A.

An Olean man, John arrived on the campus in 1943. His sincerity and honesty were rewarded by his being chosen treasurer of the senior class. Quick with figures, he has given much time to the business details of this Bonadieu. Quiet and unassuming, he will be remembered by his ready smile and diligence in class. As John leaves us to join the business world we say thanks for a good job well done.

ARNOLD JOSEPH SCHNEIDER  
B.A.

Ranging six foot two, Arnie is one of the tallest men on the campus. He came to Bonas after his graduation from the "Little Sem" in Buffalo. Basketball is his specialty. If you're looking for corn or solid humor, Arnie will supply you.





JOSEPH VINCENT SULLIVAN  
B.B.A.

Joe was a transfer student from the University of Toronto in 1942, coming to the Brown and White as a Business Administration major. Intensely serious, Joe is quite capable at discoursing for long periods of time on any subject and will more than hold his own. We can promise prospective sharps that Joe isn't buying. BBX



WILLIAM THOMAS SWANTON  
B.A.

Famous for his "affaires de coeur" with the ladies in Olean, Bill has finally committed his affections to one in his home town. St. Bonas loses a real gentleman, an excellent scholar and a versatile athlete when he leaves. His ready smile and affable manner have left an indelible mark written on the memory of everyone who has ever known him.



SHIELA IRENE SWEENEY  
B.B.A.

Shiela entered St. Bonaventure in 1943, to remain with us a year before entering training at the University of Pennsylvania. She returned to graduate with the class of 1948 as a Business major.



BERNARD ELMER TOFANY  
B.S.

A man of determination and ability, "Tof" has served us well as a Student Senator, president of the Rochester Club, president of the Sophomore class, and member of the band. His many offices are indicative of our confidence in him. Accomplished as a student and practiced in discretion, he has a host of friends. "Tof" is truly qualified for success in any field.





JAMES CLETUS TOSH  
B.B.A.

Jim is one of those rare cases that prove that business can be mixed with pleasure. A Business major, who ranks with the honor students, he still puts in his share of time on extra-curricular activities. His shrewd and astute thinking should carry him far in the business world.



FRANCIS JOSEPH URBANO  
B.A.

Schenectady has honored us with the able and amiable Urbano. A popular campus figure for the past four years, Frank is just as regular as he looks. We sincerely wish this champion of the "Brown and White" every success in the pursuit of his present goal in the "black and white." During his sophomore year he was vice-president of the I.D.A. fraternity. Bona Venture



LILLIAN OLGA VALES  
B.S.

Although Lillian leaves Bonas as a student, she will most likely be seen around campus for some time yet. Lillian was an active member in the Women's Council for three years, serving as President in her Senior year. She was Vice-President of the B.D.S. Sorority for two years. Teaching chemistry is included in her future plans.

LOUIS JOSEPH WAGNER  
B.S.

When it came to organizing a dance, Lou was automatically called on for advice. Members of the AKM and Inter - Fraternity Council were quick to recognize his talents by electing him president of their organizations. A versatile conversationalist, he was popular with his fellow associates.





ROBERT ANTHONY WAGNER  
B.S.

The athlete of the brother combination, Bob is also a social leader. His keen sense of humor, love for mankind and deep interest in science should be invaluable to him in the medical profession. His beaming personality has carved a warm niche in the hearts of his colleagues.



WILLIAM EUGENE WASHBURN  
B.B.A.

Bill is the possessor of a nature enabling him to carry on in the face of difficulties, and to make the most of every situation. A sense of humor and a pleasing disposition have made him well liked by all. Glee Club



MARCO FRANCIS WAY  
B.S.

Marco's career at Bonas has been punctuated with many achievements of an intellectual as well as a political nature. Prince of collegians, king of scholars and emperor of affability, he is looked upon with fond affection by students and professors alike. His courage, benevolence and tact should prove invaluable assets in approaching the zenith in the medical profession. A.K.M.



JOAN MARY WELCH  
B.A.

Before coming to Bonas, Joan held a secretarial position in Washington, D.C. She then aspired to do social work. Now, armed with a Sociology major and her literary ability, which we have enjoyed, she plans to take her place in the career world.





MARY GERTRUDE WELCH  
B.S.

Mary, one of our feminine scientists, is an advocate of a career for the woman. Besides devoting many of her serious interests to studies, she was President of the B.D.S. Sorority for two years. She plans to do laboratory work.



JOHN ORVILLE WILLIAMS  
B.S.

Austere and amicable by nature, John O. has won many friends at Bonas. With his winning smile and congenial conversation, he is destined to be a tremendous success. Being a man of action, John O. wasted no time in marrying after receiving his degree in January.

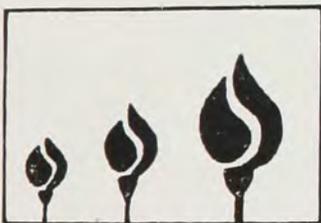


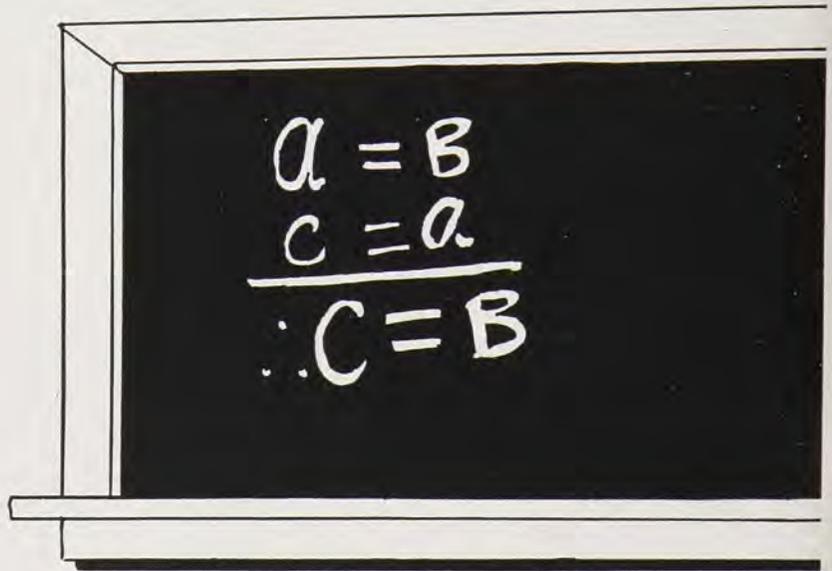
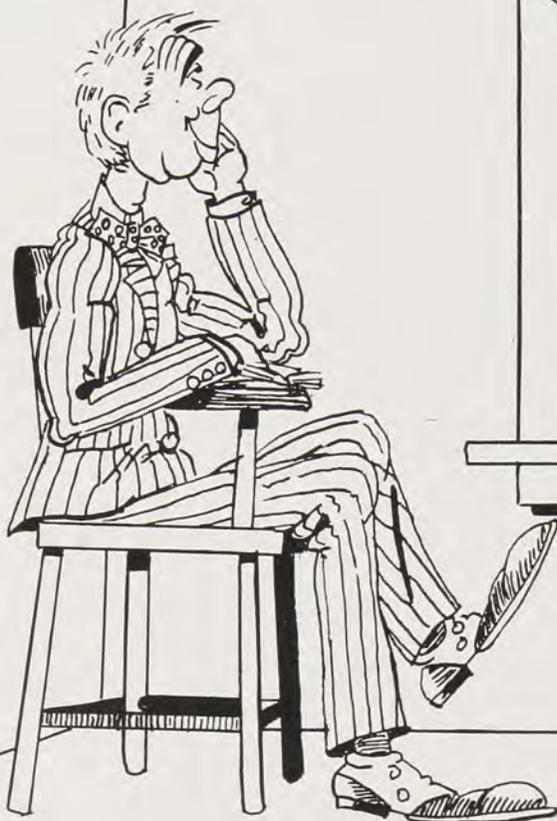
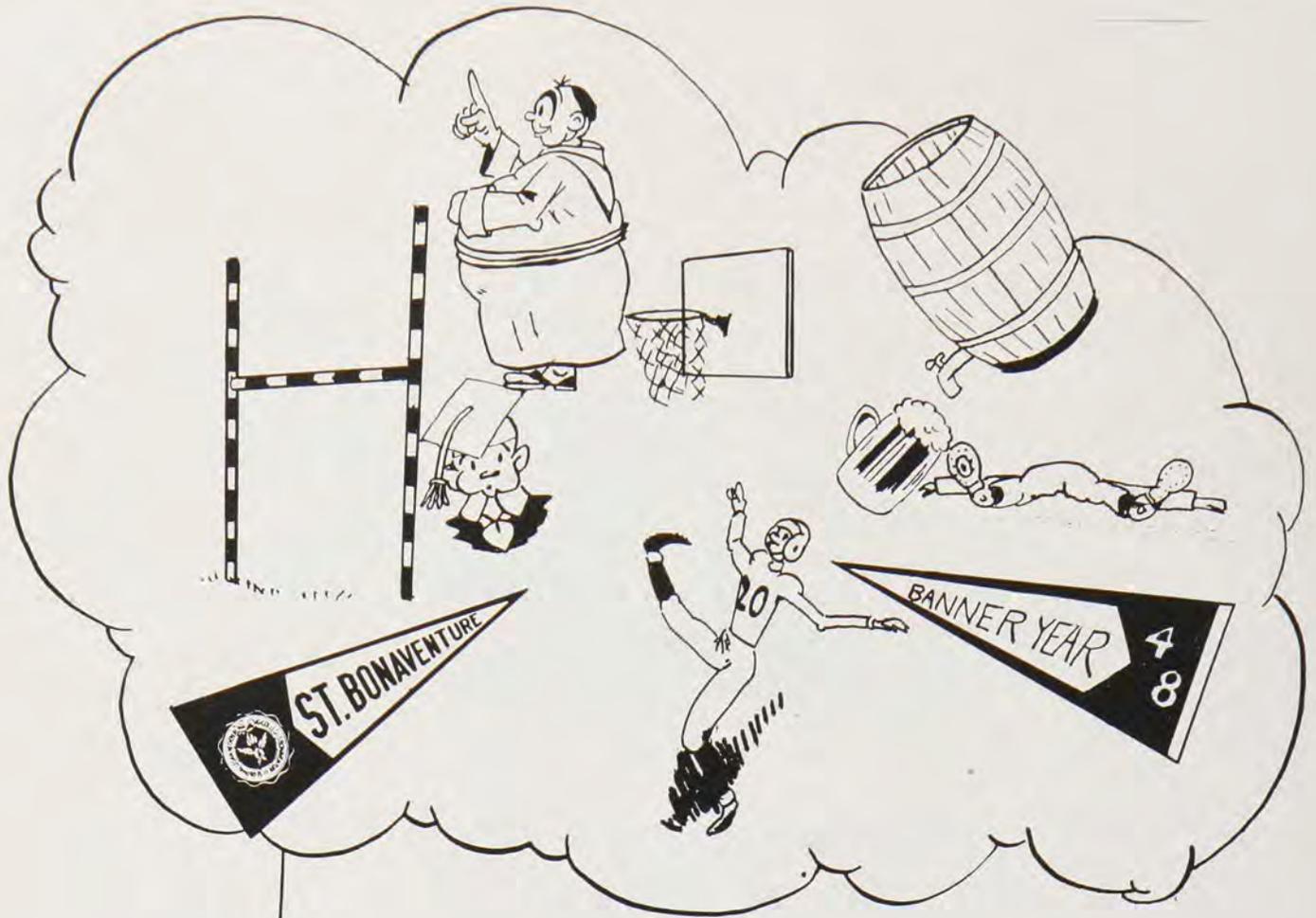
PHYLLIS MARIE WILSON  
B.A.

Phyllis came to Bonaventure via Syracuse University. She is an enthusiastic member of the Ski Club. As a member of the staff of the Bonadieu, Phyllis has contributed to the success of the yearbook. As a Sociology major, she plans to become an occupational therapist.

JAMES WARREN WRIGHT  
B.S.

In the two short years that Jim has been with us he has proven himself a hustler with plenty of "know how." Possessor of a driving personality, a genius for organization, and scholastic ability, he is equally at home whether it's chemistry or biology. To Jim goes most of the credit for this "Bonadieu." Whatever undertaking comes next, he shall know success. A.K.M.





# THE PARADE OF EVENTS



SEPT. 17—The "Grand Opening" of the 1947-48 scholastic season. Bonaventure, we have returned! Freshmen looking timid and a little bewildered . . . Sophomores looking (and acting) very loud and ebullient . . . Juniors looking serious and workmanlike . . . Seniors just looking **very** intelligent.

SEPT. 21—What a day! In the morning a Pontifical Mass in Forness Stadium marking the official opening of the Eucharistic Congress . . . In the afternoon a 21-0 victory for the Brown Indians over St. Vincent's in the season's opener . . . In the evening beer on the campus through the courtesy of the Knights of Columbus.

SEPT. 22—"Joe Scott Day" . . . That powerful er-ah-rascal!

SEPT. 29 — Funeral services for Rev. Conrad O'Leary, O.F.M.

OCT. 4—Bonas loses to Cincinnati (team plus referees, that is), 20-14 . . . and on St. Francis Day at that . . .

OCT. 6—Welcome back! A grand day for the thirsty, as every Bonas man and his brother and sister parade the streets of Olean welcoming the Indians back from Cincinnati.

OCT. 11 — Bonas 25, Kings Point 0, in a walk-over at Forness Stadium.

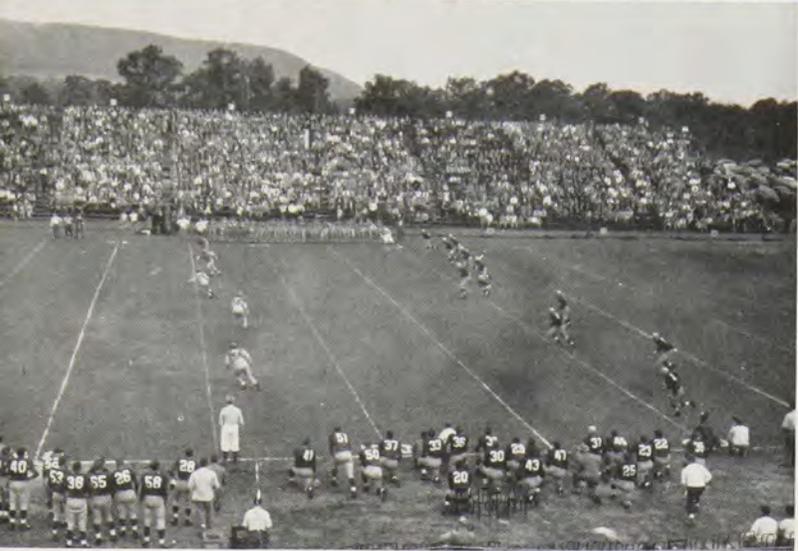
OCT. 17—Senior class officers elected John Eber president and Jim Wright Bonadieu editor.

OCT. 18—Pre-Canisius game warm-up at the Hotel Lafayette, clearing house for Bonaventure gentlemen off on a football weekend . . . Much activity along such lines as indoor baseball, tennis, archery, grenade throwing and falling down stairs.

OCT. 19—Civic Stadium and the traditional Little Three Classic—Bonaventure vs. Canisius . . . A great game all the way, even though in the end, the football gods smiled favorably upon the Golden Griffins from Canisius. Final score—17-14 . . . The post game sorrow-drowning at the Lafayette.

OCT. 25 — What a game, folks! What a game! The highly-vaunted St. Louis Billikins sent home in tatters to the tune of 47-13 defeat . . . And what a night! Multi-merry-making with the Olean House running close competition with the Lafayette of a previous week-end.





OCT. 31 — Civic Stadium again, this time under lights—Bonas 13, Niagara 6 . . . The usual after-game antics in the Lafayette, much to the manager's chagrin.

NOV. 8 — Forness Stadium and the Brown Indians walloping Bowling Green, 13-7.

NOV. 15—Greetings of old grad friends arriving for the alumni weekend . . . Slight howling at eventide and on into the wee hours, in honor of alumni and in preparation for the Scranton struggle.

NOV. 16 — Bonaventure 13, Scranton 7. Great howling (despite the fact that some old grads brought their wives) . . . Revelry and celebration of the victory and the reunions. Verily, an excellently rounded out weekend.

NOV. 22 — Formation of "Those Who Went to Dayton" Club . . . Never-to-be-forgotten weekend climaxing a season of grand football weekends. Also the capping of another great season in the annals of Bonaventure gridiron history. Although in the records Dayton was entered as a 7-6 victor, Bonaventure was not defeated . . . just ask any of the bandmen.

NOV. 26—At last a surcease from suffering . . . Thanksgiving vacation . . . Erie Railroad hires extra cops.

DEC. 1—Classes resumed at (of all hours) 8 a. m. Triple cuts for those worthy late-returnees. Many complaints of headache and exhaustion.

DEC. 3—The Hugh Devore Appreciation Dance — better known as the Hughie Guys and Gals in all their finery . . . Music by Al Cecchi . . . A noble gesture, originated and carried out by a group of real Bonaventure men.

DEC. 8 — Feast of The Immaculate Conception — free day!

DEC. 18 — Christmas vacation (note empty library) . . . Two weeks with nothing to worry about except the mid-term exams (note empty library) . . . Alfred University's recess postponed one day . . . Once more the Erie pressed into service its obsolete cars.

DEC. 28—First annual Binghamton Club Christmas dance . . . Collegiate affair of season in that city . . . Semi-formal, but nice.

JAN. 5—Classes resumed.

JAN. 8— Most students accounted for as returned . . . Campus abounds with tall tales of wineskins tapped and sweet romance . . . Erie officials offer prayer of thanksgiving . . . Infirmary overflowing, patients suffering from over-indulgence.

JAN. 7—Hard-working Seniors take a well-deserved night off for a dinner in honor of the January graduates. Among the latter: much display of emotion akin to homesickness.

JAN. 9 — Devore receives keys to new Chrysler, the result of the "Hughie Dance." Pre-exam jitters noticeable . . . Beverage sales increase in Olean and Allegany.

JAN. 16 — Exam-time approaches rapidly . . . Doctor reports many cases of nervous fatigue . . . 18 students, suddenly stricken with unknown malady, demand hospitalization until mid-February . . . Several men noticed carrying text books about the campus, muttering something about "maybe I ought to be studying." . . . Crib artists greatly in demand . . . Olean and Allegany liquor sales still on increase.

JAN. 23-28 — They're here, exams, that is . . . Chapel crowded . . . Gym becomes scene of occasional outburst of nervous hysteria . . . Olean and Allegany sales reach all-time high, topping even wartime records.

JAN. 29 - FEB. 1—Bonaventure takes a well-earned rest.

FEB. 2—Classes resumed.

FEB. 6 — "Soldiers Night"—what with the Military Ball at the Armory . . . Cats all looking very hep in their formal attire . . . Queen, one Mrs. Donald Ault of Duke Center, Pa. . . . Bonadieu announces 50% cut in price of yearbook.

FEB. 13 — Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent . . . One homicide (justifiable) reported so far . . . Case: Joe Glotz lighted a cigarette knowing full well that his roommate had given up smoking for Lent . . . Allegany publicans predict a new low in liquor sales.

FEB. 14—College honors Dr. Thomas E. Hanely with a dinner at the Bonaventure Country Club.





FEB. 18—A new flux of city clubs on the campus. Western Penn. Club, Southern Tier Club, Erie, Capitol District Club, and U.S.A. Club formed for those who don't belong to a club.

FEB. 20 — Senate Smoker, football movies and chow, fish food.

FEB. 23—Free Day, courtesy good old George "never-tell-a-lie" Washington . . . Makes for convenient weekend.

FEB. 25 — All Bonaventure mourns the death of Ed Parks, Father Aubert's assistant in the Dean of Men's Office.

MARCH 3—Annual Mission charities basketball games . . . Gridiron Five, intramural champs, beat the Sem champs. In the preliminary the Student Senate beat the Faculty.

MARCH 4—Amateur Music Night . . . The cats were out some musicians.

MARCH 7—Feast Day of St. Thomas' celebration in honor of Father Thomas' Feast Day.

MARCH 17—"Sure and it's a great day for the Irish" . . . Erin-go-Bragh and green beer the order of the day . . . O' Stravino's doing business in grand style.

MARCH 21-24—Annual Retreat.

MARCH 24 — Easter Vacation . . . More worries for Erie officials.

APRIL 5 — Classes resume with mid-semester exams . . . Students on verge of mutiny.

APRIL 7 — Mid-term exams again — have to go see Dr. Andres.

APRIL 16—Steel-Coal Sports Dance in gym. First since pre-war . . .

MAY 6—Ascension Thursday —Free Day. Renewal of exam jitters.

MAY 14—The social event of the year, The Junior Prom, Dick Jurgens and his orchestra.

MAY 15—The Bonadieu hits the campus. Is that my picture or Frankenstein's? Oh! My head . . . Aspirin. Was ready to go again to the Senior Ball, and the Sophomore - Freshman Dance.

MAY 16 — Six o'clock Mass . . . Into bed for well-deserved rest . . . What a weekend.

MAY 17—Flunk week begins. Who wants to study after a weekend like the last one?

MAY 22—Press Banquet.





MAY 30 — Memorial Day with its usual fireworks celebration . . . Bonasmen join in fire-water celebration, equally upsetting to peaceful citizens.

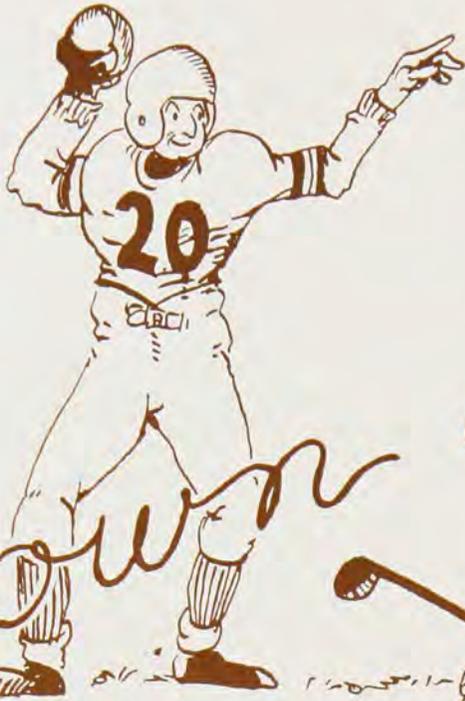
JUNE 1-5—Semester exams . . . Students looking taut and haggard, hoping that their mastery of cribbing, gleaned over the tedious months, will pull them through.

JUNE 6—With friends and relations looking on, the class of '48 takes its final tearful leave of this little old college nestled in the hills of Allegany. Bonadieu.

JUNE 7—All packed, we wish you good luck and may the next year on the campus be as enjoyable as this one was and may you add more color to your Parade of Events.



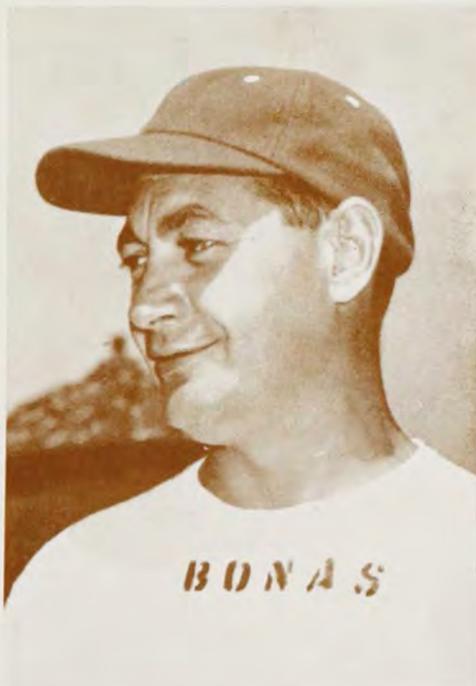
# Brown Indians



# ATHLETICS



FR. SILAS ROONEY, O.F.M.  
DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS



HUGH J. DEVORE  
HEAD FOOTBALL COACH



ED MILKOVITCH  
BASKETBALL COACH

# THE GRIDIRON CLUB

The St. Bonaventure Gridiron Club was born back in January of '46. It was then that Rev. Anselm Kreiger, O.F.M., St. Bona's athletic director at the time, revealed that the college would try to arrange terms with Hugh Devore, then head football coach at Notre Dame, if area interest warranted it.

Father Anselm had his answer. Several informal gatherings of prominent men in the Olean area were held. Walkerman Dugan became the first head of the fledgling Gridiron Club.

Since then the Club has taken an active part in backing the Bonaventure football program. Coach Devore and the college's athletic office have expressed deep appreciation for the club's backing upon a number of occasions.

The campaign recently closed had five home games which attracted better than 38,000 customers.

Three membership drives have been held in Olean and the surrounding area. The monies collected have, and will continue, to contribute towards a betterment of the college's football program.

The Gridiron Club is no one group or individual. It is every man and woman who has joined. It is composed of ordinary working folk from industry and business, professional men and executives. It is non-denominational.

Possibly one individual stands out among the group of key figures who aided in the formation of the organization, placed it squarely on its feet, and now heads the club's promotional activities. That individual is William N. Davis.

"We're going to have the biggest sports night dinner in Western New York," Bill stated shortly after he returned to the club in an active capacity. That's the reason this little affair is just about the biggest sports night gathering in Western New York.

"We're going to have the best small-college football team in the country," Bill also stated that night. Well, St. Bona's football team isn't the best such troupe in the country as yet, but Bill Davis isn't through. And, knowing the man one is convinced that the Gridiron Club is going to see to it that Bona football fortunes keep right on moving forward.



HARRY KRAMPF  
PRESIDENT

# THE GRIDIRON CLUB



W. N. DAVIS  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



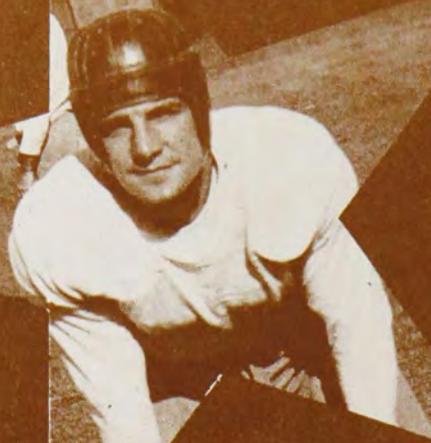
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HARRY WRIGHT    REV. SEBASTIAN McKENNA, O.F.M.  
HUGH DEVORE



AT THE GRIDIRON CLUB ANNUAL BANQUET, MASTER OF CEREMONIES RALPH HUBBELL, BUFFALO SPORTS CASTER, INTRODUCES JIMMY POWERS, NEW YORK SPORTS COLUMNIST.



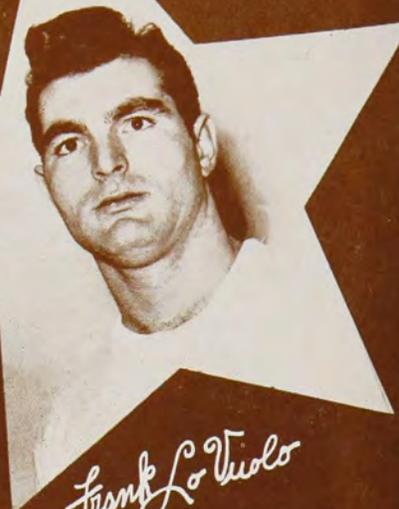
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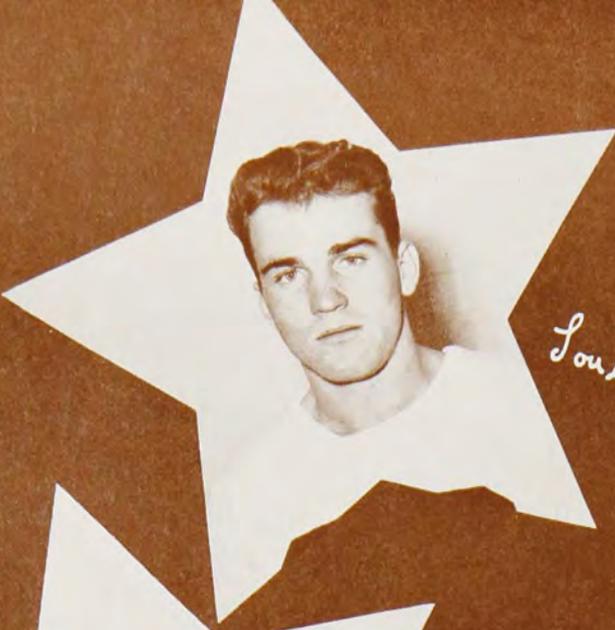
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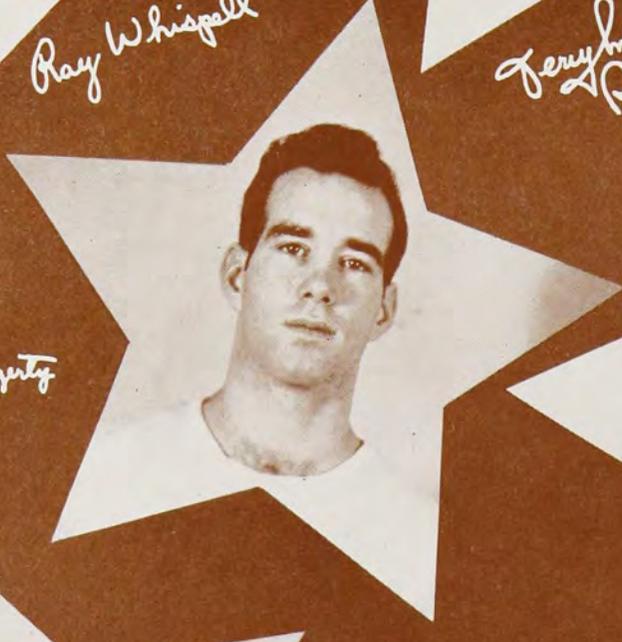
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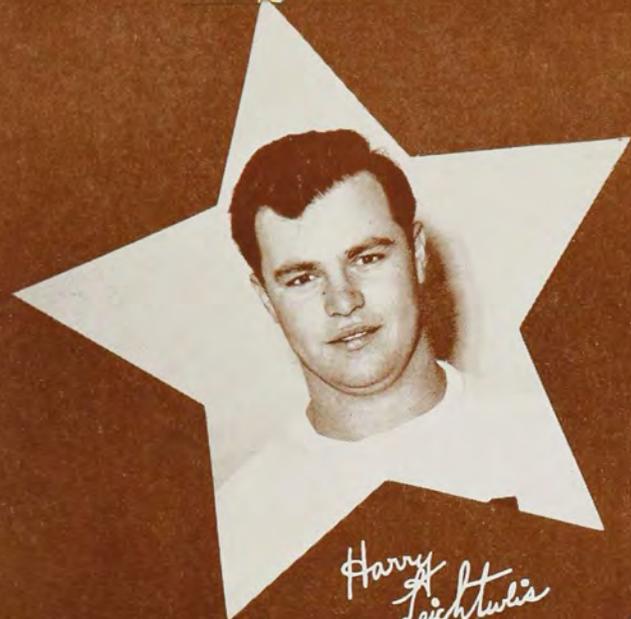
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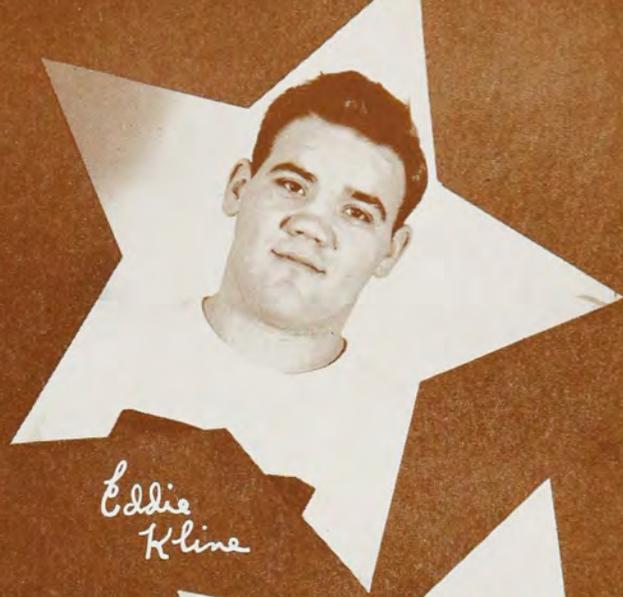
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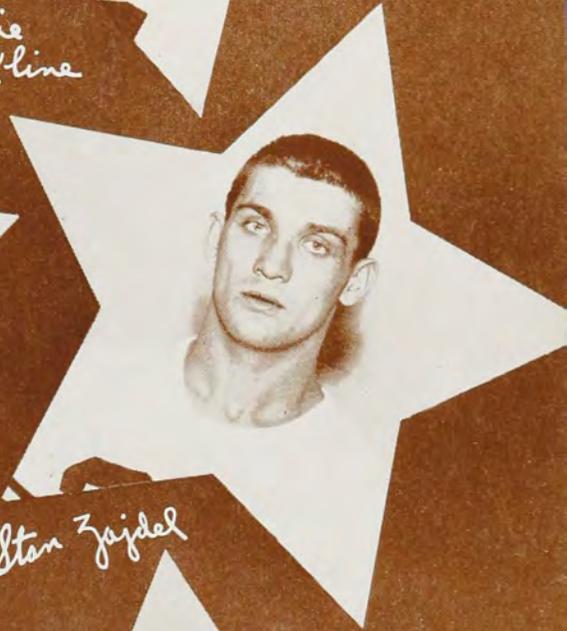
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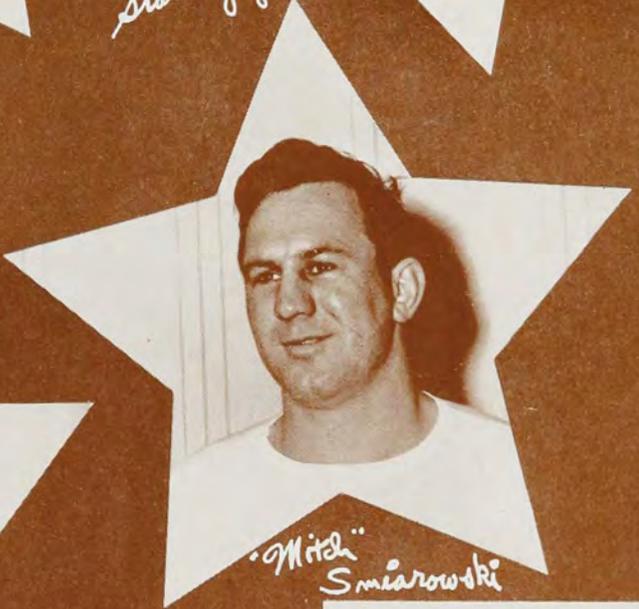
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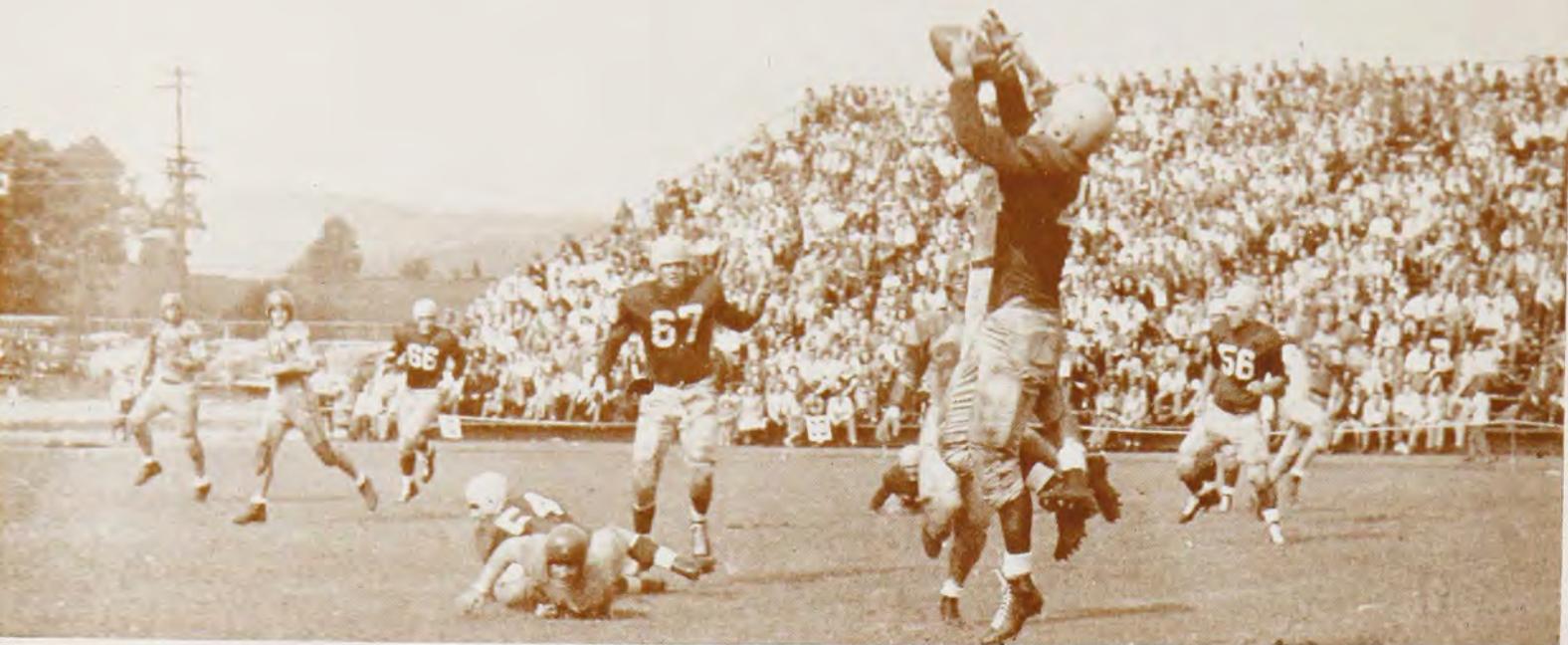
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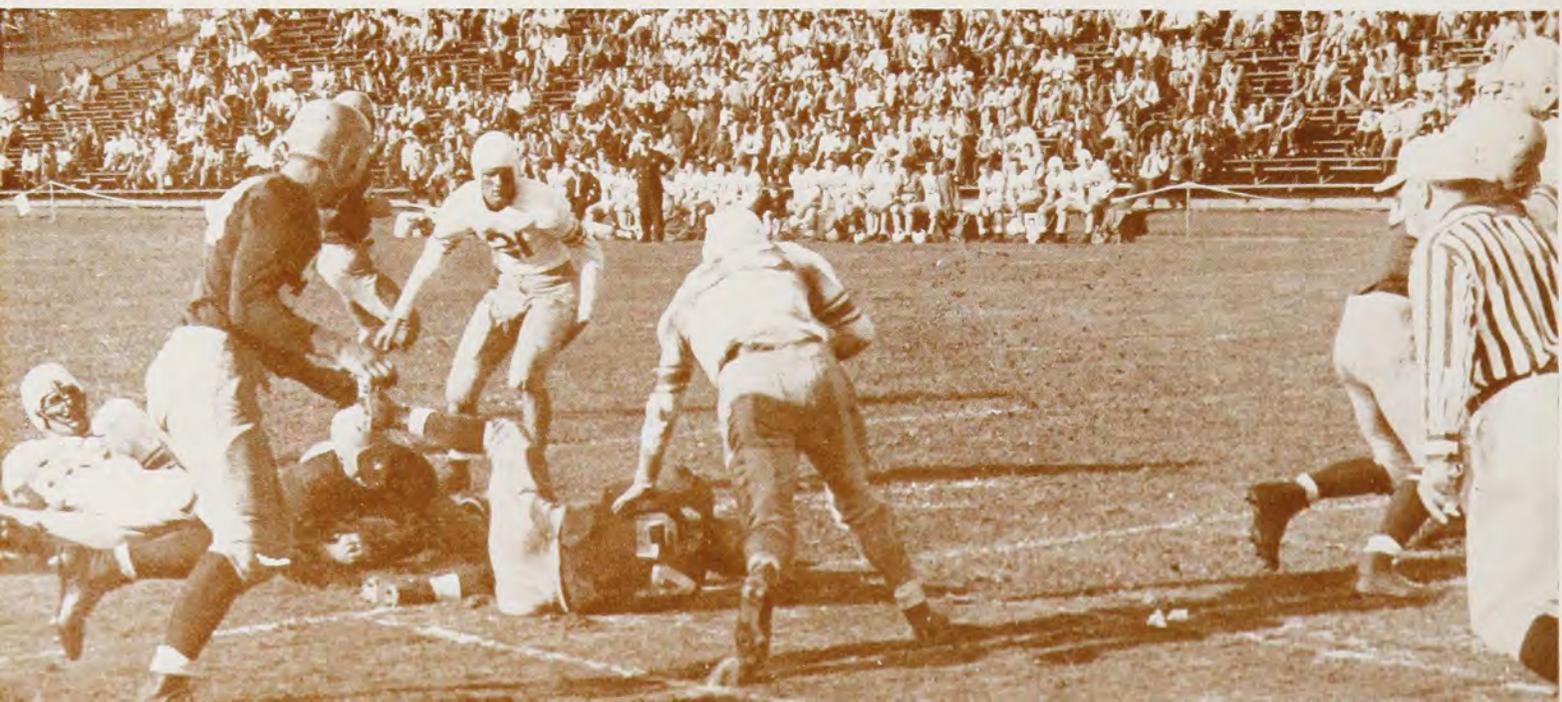


CINCINNATI 20 — ST. BONAVENTURE 14



A fighting St. Bonaventure football team fascinated more than 20,000 fans in Cincinnati's huge bowl October 4th with a sensational last period rally halted by the clock, only to lose to Cincinnati University by a 20 to 14 score.

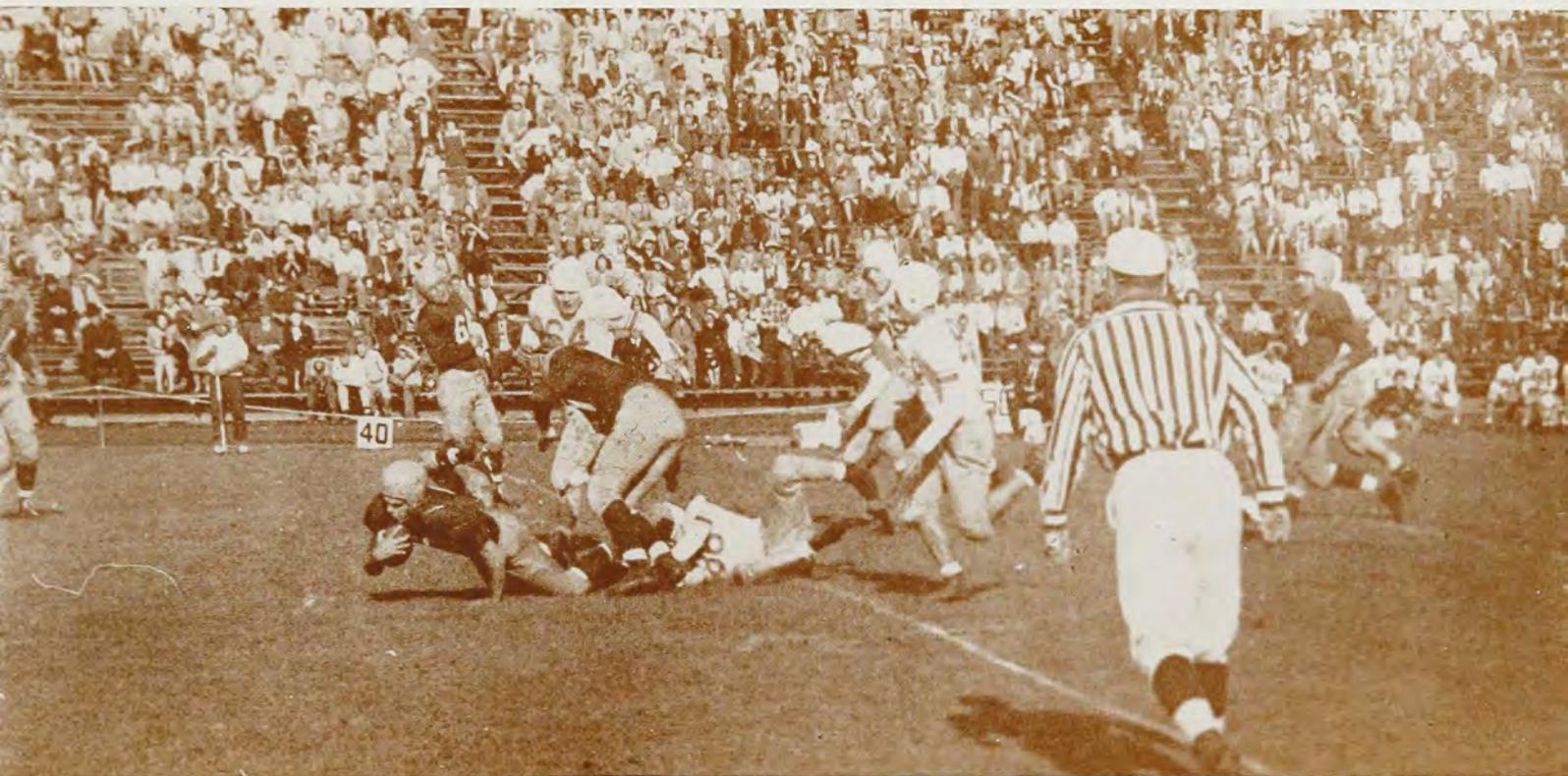
Trailing by 20 points as the last period began, the Indians drove from their own 47 for their first score. Five line plays carried to the Bearcats' 38, then Curtin's long heave to LoVoulo put us on the 3. Kay crashed over for a T.D. On a recovered fumble, Bonas, with a series of running plays pushed to the 34-yard line from where Curtin threw a short pass to Kay for another T.D. Pavlowski started another drive → from their 34-yard line with three minutes remaining. It was a drive that had the crowd in a frenzy as the Bonasmen battled their way down the turf. The ball rested on Cincinnati's 9 yard line when the gun went off ending the game.



← ST. BONAVENTURE 21 — ST. VINCENT 0

St. Bonaventure's towering strength descended upon St. Vincent College as the Brown Indians outplayed, outran, outpassed, and outkicked the Vinnies to capture their initial victory of the "47" grid campaign.

St. Vincent's team had a remarkably stubborn resisting line that defied any attempts to break through it. To move the ball up, the Indians were forced to take to the air. Bonaventure struck for pay dirt in the first quarter and Frank LoVoulo, after receiving a message, carried the ball over. At halftime the score stood 7 to 0. In the last quarter two passes thrown by Dave Curtin, Hayes going high for one ←, connected for T.D.'s and conversion of the extra points was perfect.



← ST. BONAVENTURE 25 — KINGS POINT 0

St. Bonaventure's football representation once again stepped into the winning grid parade by chalking up a comparatively easy win over Kings Point Merchant Marine Academy. In the first period, George Chatlos drove his way through tackle for the initial score. A pass interception by Glenn Haggerty set up the second T.D. on the Mariners' 30 yard line. Ferris' conversion was good. Two intercepted Kings Point passes brought two more scores in the last scoring rush. Leo Haggerty and Tom Donovan lugged the pigskin down the field from where Donovan struck pay dirt, ← completing the scoring for the afternoon.

## CANISIUS 17 — ST. BONAVENTURE 14

In the 28th annual Canisius-Bonaventure encounter at Civic Stadium in Buffalo, before an attendance of 19,504, St. Bonaventure sadly lost to Canisius.

Not until the second quarter did either team yield ground. Then it came. Colella's jaunt from his own 34-yard line for 66 yards, → faking beautifully and shaking off several would-be tacklers, put Bonas in the lead 7 to 0, the conversion being good. A minute later, "One-Play" Kretz of Canisius tucked Smiarowski's kickoff and scampered 93 yards to Bonaland. A fumble recovery a few minutes later set up the next Canisius score; the Griffs kicked a field goal from the 30 making the score 10 to 7 at halftime.

Curtin's pass to LoVoulo put Bonas ahead in the third quarter. This was not for long as a pass gave Canisius its last T.D. of the afternoon and enough to overpower the Indians. Outstanding on the line was Tackle Joe Romanoski who played 57 minutes.



## ST. BONAVENTURE 13 — NIAGARA 6

"Old Man Winter" nearly dealt a fatal blow to St. Bonaventure as he cooled off the previous week's red-hot Bona gridders and allowed them to score only 13 points against a fighting Niagara eleven that chalked up six markers.

The first Bona touchdown came on line smashes by Marcolini, Salley, Smith and → Leo Haggerty, the latter going over from the 3-yard line. The fact that was a night encounter kept both teams on the ground. The second Bona T.D. was recorded with Salley reeling off big chunks of yardage and Bob Kay plunging over guard to paydirt.

Niagara scored its lone touchdown in the opening of the second half and could not move its forces beyond the mid-field thereafter. The unsung heroes "up front" kept the purple Eagles in check for the remainder of the contest.



← ST. BONAVENTURE 47 — ST. LOUIS 13

The capacity crowd which witnessed the St. Louis-St. Bonaventure tussle left Forness Stadium pleased with a performance in which Bonas really made St. Louis blue. The transformation from a passing to a cut-and-dried powerhouse team made Bonas' followers realize they were backing a versatile ball club.

St. Louis started by recovering a Bona fumble. After five plays and one pass, they scored. St. Louis 7, Bonas 0.

Bonas equalled the seven points within six minutes, somewhat the same way. Bonas recovered a Billiken stray lateral on the 24 and the Indians scored when Bob Kay plunged across.

Thrilling action came to light in the second half and every Bonaventure player entering the encounter ← contributed to the Indians' victory.





## ST. BONAVENTURE 13 — SCRANTON 7

Striking with a ferocity that could not be denied, the Indians came from behind in the fourth quarter to conquer Scranton University 13 to 7, before a Homecoming Day crowd of 8,300 that sat huddled under blankets and umbrellas.

Bonas didn't get moving until the Royals had scored on Messoline's plunge from the 1 yard line after they had driven 37 yards in the third quarter, then it was Hugo Marcolini → who recovered Denoia's fumble on the Scranton 22, and in four plays, drove over for the equalizer. Haggerty had started the assault with a 9-yard slash to the 13 and Collins rapped out a first down on the 11. Marcolini then went the rest of the way in two shots at the Scranton line. Ferris kicked the extra point.

Phil Colella soon thereafter turned the stadium into a madhouse as he broke for 37 yards. He was dropped on the Scranton 22 by the last defender. With the Indians on the 10, Scranton drew a 5 yard offside penalty to put the ball on the 5. The defense was packed for a plunge, but Curtin, taking plenty of time, stepped back and threw a strike to Collins, who slid over in the far corner for a touchdown.

The Bonnies rolled up 213 yards rushing to Scranton's 93. The triumph stymied Scranton's design to score a clean sweep over the Little Three.



← ST. BONAVENTURE 21 — BOWLING GREEN 14

A touchdown by Phil Colella was the deciding factor for the second St. Bonaventure-Bowling Green tilt. Phil took a pass to score in the last period, breaking a 14-14 tie.

The first score for the Indians was set up by Steve Charsky who took a low pass and reached the Bowling Green 48 before being downed. Five plays later Frank LoVuolo caught a short pass on the 20 and scored. Frank Ferris kicked his first of three conversions.

LoVuolo made a terrific over-the-shoulder nab to score Bonas' second T.D. just fifteen seconds before the half ended.

Bowling Green moved 59 yards for its final score.

Jack Collins and Hugo Marcolini ← were the mainstays of the drive for the last score when he carried the ball three times for a total of 43 yards. Curtin's pass to Colella clinched the game.



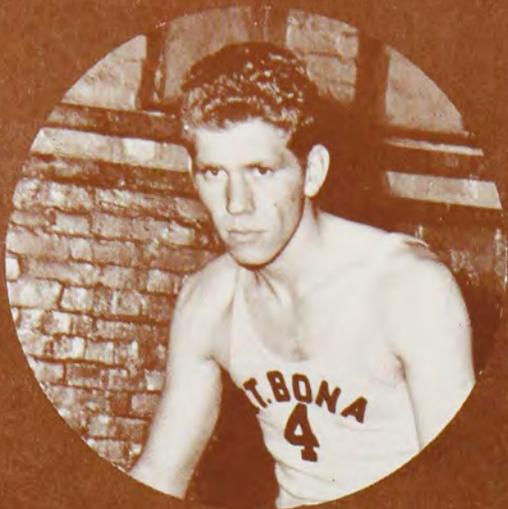
← DAYTON 7 — ST. BONAVENTURE 6

The Brown Indians closed their 1947 football season by dropping a hard-fought game to Dayton University.

In a contest marred by frequent fumbles and ankle-deep mud, Bonaventure jumped to an early lead, when Bob Kay ← went 42 yards to score the Indians' first and only touchdown. Frank Ferris' attempted conversion was blocked.

The rest of the tussle developed into a "play-for-a-break" type of game, with neither team willing to take a chance.

Late in the fourth quarter Dayton started a drive from its own 40 which ended with a T.D. and a good conversion.



*Frank Reaby*



*Ed Donovan*



*John Collins*



*Paul R. Machev*



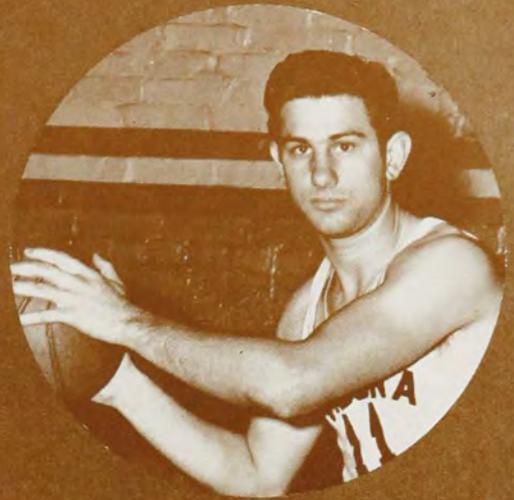
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*Sam Hughes*



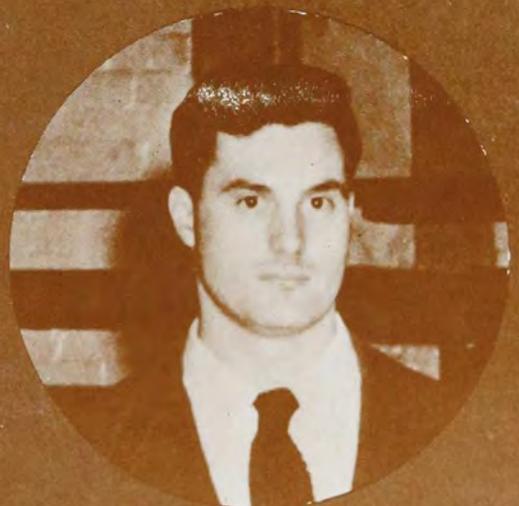
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*Ken Murray*



*Ed Krause*



*Neil Penn*

# CHEERLEADERS



LEFT TO RIGHT: Ganey, D.; Gallagher, L.; Ostrye, B.; Regan, J.

Five active cheerleaders filled with vim, vigor, and vitality led the student body and visitors in supporting the Brown Indians. Their achievements were many. They accomplished their main goal of waking the fans from their peaceful sleeping posts in the bleachers. Uniformity in color and action was the keynote of their success.

# SWIMMING TEAM



FRONT ROW: Schrikel, J.; Bollin, E.; Kennedy, F., Coach; Higgins, J.; Lynch, F. SECOND ROW: Cronin, J.; Coyle, J.; Fuchs, L.; Kraus, A. THIRD ROW: Dick, B.; Munding, R.; Downes, L.; Klein, R.; Murphy, D.; Sweeney, N.; Erb, H.

Varsity swimming again reigned during its second year as a major sport and was a popular attraction on the athletic program. The season got underway when the local team bowed to Niagara in the local natatorium. In dual meets, St. Bonaventure met Cornell and Canisius in close contests.

Coach Kennedy will be backed by a strong team of veterans next year. Together with full backing by the Athletic Department, this should produce another fine representation of St. Bonaventure in the sports field.

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# GOLF TEAM

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FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Songer, A.; Colliflower, G.; Trevisan, J.; Stetz, J. SECOND ROW, Left to Right: Cahill, J.; Winklemas, H.; Puzak, C.; Urzetta, S.

St. Bonaventure's 1947-48 golf team experienced a successful fall and spring season by winning the majority of its matches. Sam Urzetta took honors as the Little Three Conference champ.

The Brown and White golfers ruled the fairways in championship style and the returning linksmen are sure to repeat their past performance next fall.

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# BOXING TEAM

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LEFT TO RIGHT: Faistenhammer, L.; Cristo, L.; Barber, J.; Higgins, J.; Malizia, J.; Winkler, B.

The youngest sport and still in the embryonic stage on the Bonaventure campus is boxing. The boxing team is coached by Mr. Ray Graham of the Physical Education Department. It started slowly, with the emphasis on training rather than intra-collegiate competition. The efforts show evidence of rising pugilists destined to gain wide acclaim.

# INTRAMURAL FOOTBALL

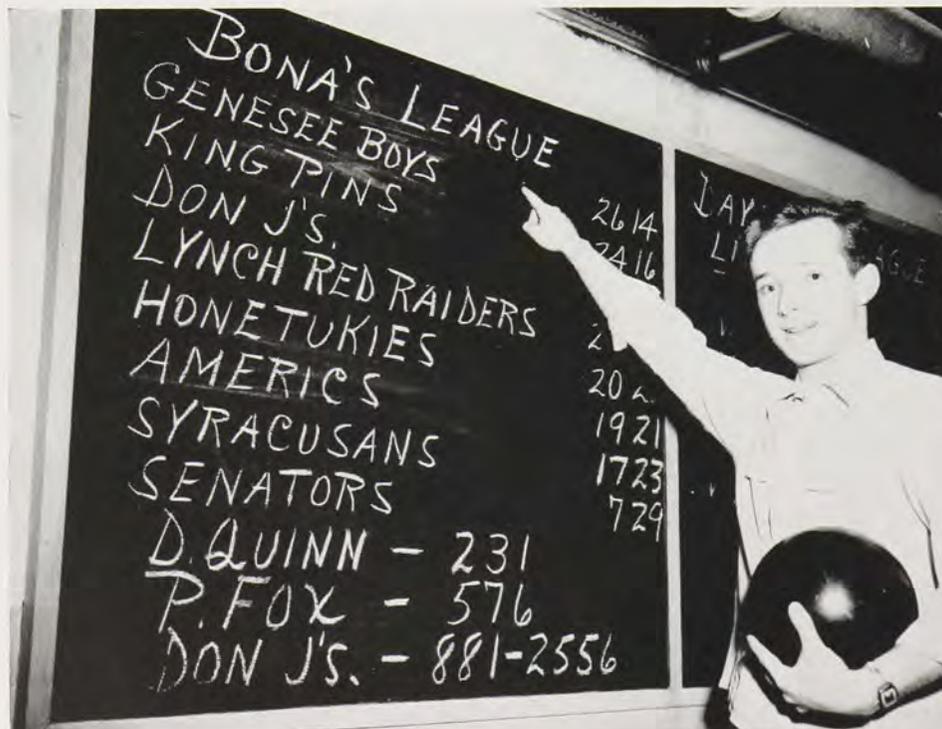


KNEELING, Left to Right: McNally, D.; Higgins, J.; Kelly, W. STANDING, Left to Right: Geary, R.; Casey, L.; Burton, T.; Hickey, J.; Cristo, L.

The intramural sports under direction of the newly-formed Physical Education Department got under way in the fall with touch football holding the limelight. When the call for basketball brought out 28 teams, a spirited race was on for the championship. Intramural bowling also enjoyed a successful season at the K. of C. Alleys.

The touch football league featured nine teams and all of them were off to a close start. Masem's and Fisher's took the lead temporarily, but Geary's moved up and stayed there to cop the crown. After Geary's, Masem's and Fisher's, the teams finished in this order: Delaney's, Riley's, Ondera's, Miller's, Zimmerman's and Dierna's.

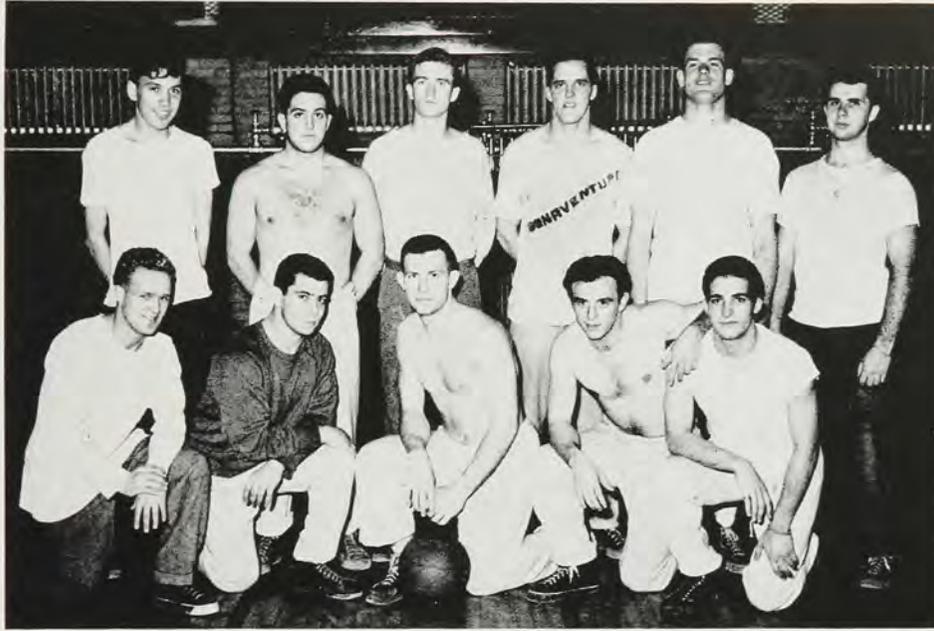
# BOWLING



HIGH MAN — DON QUINN

# SPORTS

## BASKETBALL



FRONT ROW: Olsovsky, R.; Lombardi, A.; Virok, E.; Marino, N.; Palumbo, N. SECOND ROW: Lutzel, W.; Petericelli, N.; McDonough, T.; Hays, G.; LaChapelle, C.; Burke, J.

The basketball league, with 28 teams, offered intramural participation to 250 students. It was supervised by the Student Senate and the Physical Education Department. Climaxing months of successful play, the Gridiron Five emerged champs and, in the annual Mission charities game, defeated the Seminary champs March 3rd. Standings of the first seven teams were: Gridiron Five, 7-0; Flyers, 7-1; Syracuse Club, 7-1; Canaries, 6-2; Denver Club, 5-2; Barracks 6, 4-1 and Comets, 4-1.

In intramural bowling, the Genesee Boys led all the way until revision of league plans eliminated team handicaps. The Don Juans then pressed ahead with 29 wins and 15 losses at Bonadieu press time. Standings at this time were: King Pins, 28-16; Genesee Boys, 26-18; Lynch's Red Raiders, 26-19; Honetuckies, 20-24; Syracusans, 21-27; Americas, 20-28, and Senators, 13-35. Don Quinn of the Genesee Boys copped high single honors for the season with 231.

## BOWLING



DON JUAN'S LEAGUE LEADERS  
Gennett, L.; Smith, E.; Findley, L.; Ruggeri, F.; Longwell, F.

# THE SKI CLUB



Durnherr, D.; Gillette, R.; Tillson, H.; Collins, J.; Kirby, J.; Carotenuto, L.; Wilson, P.; Vierhile, W.; Gallo, A.; Murphy, R.; DeGiglio, A.

The Ski Club, organized in 1947, represents St. Bonaventure in the Niagara Frontier Ski Council. The club met in competition with each club of the council during the winter, and entered in the championship meet. The Bonas team made a constant showing, sparked by Bud Tillson in the downhill and slalom, and Hugh Radigan in jumping.

## SKI CLUB OFFICERS

PRESIDENT - - - - - HOBART TILLSON  
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# THE BROWN INDIANS



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Harry Leichtweis

Phil Colella  
Fred Eisenhard  
Ed Kline  
  
Dave Curtin



Ed Holmes  
Brown Indian  
Mascot





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This yearbook emerges not because of the efforts of any one person, but through the co-operation of a select group of Seniors. No definite group of men can be considered as consisting of the editorial or business staff because most of the Seniors heartily contributed and sacrificed their time. We sincerely thank you who offered your whole-hearted effort. Those who neglected their obligation echo the words of Fr. Gaudens Mohan, O.F.M., who said, "Some will help and some will not." Father Gaudens, our capable Moderator, guided us in the preparation and production of this yearbook.

The Bonadieu, always an entirely student publication since its inception, this year was aided by the college, which subsidized one-half of the financial obligations. We want those who labored diligently with the Business Manager as well as those who supported us with their aid in subscribing to the Bonadieu, to know that we realize that without you the 1948 Bonadieu would not have become a reality.

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The last two years have been trying ones here on the campus-city of St. Bonaventure, for little old St. Bonas has at last attained maturity. The transition from the small-school stage to a large-scale collegiate community has presented a great test. The serenity so characteristic of this institution underwent complete upheaval while many new buildings and a new football stadium came into existence. The influx of a vast student populace, along with the material innovations, resulted in the almost automatic demand for one thing: reorganization. This reorganization is well under way. As we sense the resultant satisfaction, we also sense that characteristic serenity resettling over a greater, more colorful Bonaventure.

The Student Senate, a representative group elected by the student body and empowered to defend the interests of students, has kept itself abreast of the times by its own reorganization. The Constitution has been completely revised. The newly-formed Student Activity Council and the Class Officer Council have enabled every Bonaventure student to take an active interest in student government. Thus, the theories of government and administration "preached" in the classroom are "practiced" outside the class.

The aim of the Student Senate of 1947-48 has been to develop student activity to its maximum capacity, and to create a more harmonious union of faculty and student body. Achievement of this goal will result in better students and, ultimately, in better citizens.

## WOMEN'S COUNCIL



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The Women's Council is an organization representing the women students on campus. Its main purpose is to promote better understanding between the girls and school authorities and to encourage unity and cooperation among its members. In achieving this aim, numerous social functions are sponsored throughout the school year.

## NATIONAL STUDENTS ASSOCIATION AND NATIONAL FEDERATION OF CATHOLIC COLLEGE STUDENTS

During the year, two student organizations made themselves known on our campus. They are the National Students Association (NSA) and the National Federation of Catholic College Students (NFCCS).

Both of these have as their aim the betterment of student's rights and opportunities. There is one important distinction. The National Federation is made up of Catholic colleges and universities only, while the National Students Association includes all colleges and universities in the United States.

Moderator of these groups is Father Giles Webster, O.F.M. Elected chairman of the NFCCS is William Kane, Class of '49; Frank Kennedy, Class of '51, is secretary. The National Students Association is directed by William Blood, Class of '49, assisted by Robert Reuter, Class of '49.

Both groups have been represented as national and regional congresses throughout the school year.





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# ALPHA KAPPA MU FRATERNITY

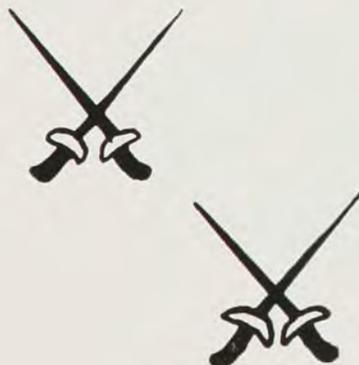
For 33 years Alpha Kappa Mu fraternity has been an established influence in college life for men studying science. The activities of the A.K.M. are both educational and social. During the past year, outstanding speakers spoke on varied subjects of helpful, educational value. Scientific movies were shown. Social events are highlighted by the annual banquet.

## OFFICERS

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# BETA BETA CHI FRATERNITY

The objects of the fraternity are to further the individual welfare of its members, to further the welfare of the college, to co-operate with other fraternal organizations, and to provide extra-curricular activities for members.

The enlarged enrollment of the School of Business resulted in a corresponding increase in the membership of Beta Beta Chi. The fraternity increased approximately four times in size as a result of an ambitious membership drive. This increase necessitated a revision of the standing constitution and by-laws, which had not been designed to cover the needs of an organization of such great magnitude.



REV. FIDELIS O'ROURKE, O.F.M.  
MODERATOR



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The bases of several long-range programs that will benefit the members of the fraternity for years to come were laid. The work of the first semester was for the most part organizational, in view of the great changes brought about by this influx of new members. During the first semester an opening banquet was held, as well as a series of business and social meetings. The semester was brought to a close with a smoker. During the second semester several prominent business men spoke before the fraternity on different phases of business.

### OFFICERS

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# — IOTA DELTA ALPHA FRATERNITY —

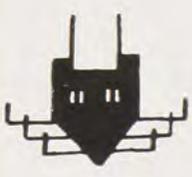
Iota Delta Alpha, the oldest fraternity on the campus and one of the oldest Catholic fraternities in the United States, was not content to rest on its laurels during the past year. Instead, it gave the Arts men the best in cultural and social activities. Several speakers, along with discussion groups, fostered the I.D.A. purpose to the clear expression of thought and speech. The social aims were realized in several banquets and smokers.

## OFFICERS

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# — DELTA SIGMA BETA FRATERNITY —

The Delta Sigma Beta, an organized social group of day-hop students, had a comparatively successful year. The brothers are banded together primarily for social functions and the fostering of friendship outside the halls of Bonaventure. Since these men lose contact with campus life after classes, their several banquets and parties proved laudable and worthwhile in achieving their aim and assured their recognition by other campus fraternal groups.

## OFFICERS

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MR. DONALD NAGLE  
MODERATOR





ROW 1: Madison, J.; Finger, F.; Marra, M.; Needham, K.; Sherwood, M.; Vales, L.

ROW 2: O'Neil, J.; Welch, M.; Vales, G.; Sader, M.; Sweeney, K.; Rossman, P.

# BETA DELTA SIGMA SORORITY

The Beta Delta Sigma Sorority was organized under the direction of Father Malcolm Fisher, O.F.M. in 1945. Its members are students enrolled in the Science Department. The sorority aims at a higher and more enduring interest in scientific subjects and a closer unity among women students. Several social functions are held during the school year and current scientific topics of interest are discussed at bi-weekly meetings.

## OFFICERS

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# THIRD ORDER OF ST. FRANCIS

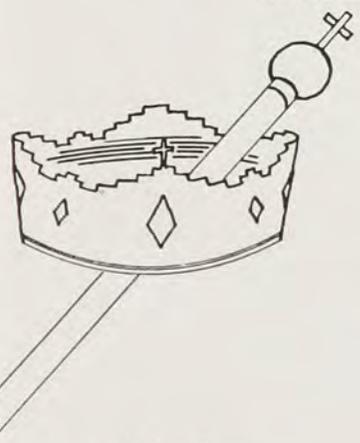
The oldest organization of students on our campus is the Third Order of St. Francis. Records of the fraternity date back to the closing year of the War between the States. Since its formation on the campus, many hundreds of Bonaventure men have worn the scapular and cord, following in the footsteps of the holy founder, Francis of Assisi. The Third Order is a true religious order of the Church and in the past it has, in the words of Pius XI "renewed the face of the earth." The Rule of the Order is merely the application of the precepts of the Gospel to the daily life of the Christian student. At present, the Third Order numbers some fifty active members. Its activities for the past year included a campaign for European Relief and the dissemination of information for the Legion of Decency and the National Organization for Decent Literature.

## OFFICERS

- PREFECT - - - - - EUGENE BAILEY
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REV. THEOPHILUS McNULTY, O.F.M.,  
MODERATOR





FRONT ROW: Fote, W.; McMacken, B.; Kuperman, H.; Wepasnick, L.; Salatto, M.; Gagliardi, H.; O'Brien, E.; Knever, H. SECOND ROW: Jacobson, B.; Wagner, J.; Harder, J.; King, K.; Melaro, A.; Harrison, J. THIRD ROW: Seyler, H.; Reynolds, J.; Quirk, R.; Gasdik, J.; Little, L.; Stegner, R.; Corkins, R.; Dice, J.; Kelly, Prof. N. FOURTH ROW: McGonnell, T.; Crowley, D.; Pauly, J.

## ST. BONAVENTURE BAND

The St. Bonaventure Band, under the baton of Prof. Norman J. Kelly, was the official band for the Eucharistic Congress held in Buffalo in September, 1947. Letters of commendation were received from Bishop John F. O'Hara and the Diocese of Buffalo for an excellent performance.

The playing of popular numbers at football games was greatly enjoyed by pigskin fans. Five concerts, numerous pep rallies, and several parades rounded out the band's activities for the year.

### THE ST. BONAVENTURE COMMUNITY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

The St. Bonaventure Community Symphony Orchestra is made up of college students, local music teachers and their advanced students. It is also augmented with necessary musicians from the Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra and the Rochester Orchestra.

This organization, now in its fifth active season has a membership of sixty musicians. It is probably unique in the fact that it has had members whose ages range from 13 to 76 years.

The Symphony is subsidized by St. Bonaventure College and operates under a Patron Plan.

Four concerts are given annually in Butler Gymnasium, where a huge portable stage has been constructed for that purpose.

Since its inception, only authentic editions of symphonic works have been used in all concerts. Many of the leading concertos have been performed with outstanding soloists.





FRONT ROW, left to right: Santini, Q.; O'Connor, R.; Heuschneider, L.; Santini, L.; Petro, J.; Antonacci, F.; Bowes, W.; Dalberth, S.; Quigley, J. SECOND ROW, left to right: Lorenzini, V.; Long, W.; Washburn, W.; Way, M.; Hujar, T.; Vogel, G.; Kane, J.; Seaman, J. THIRD ROW, left to right: Klein, R.; Wagner, R.; Donelan, T.; Mitchell, B.; Calter, A. Resch, J.; Wagner.

## GLEE CLUB

At the beginning of the school year, a call for songsters was answered by the ringing of the rafters in Alumni Hall as the men were made to give evidence of the musical ability they maintained they had. A chorus of 50 voices chosen from the auditions was trained under the guidance of Father Columban Duffy, O.F.M. The training was long and arduous. Of the 50 men at the initial practice only 27 persevered to the public concerts.

The Bona Singers made their first public appearance in Butler Gym in February on a program with the St. Bonas Community Symphony Orchestra. Orchestrations for the numbers rendered by the Glee Club were arranged by Father Columban.

The Glee Club also appeared with the Barber Shop Quartet and the choir of St. Mary of the Angels Church in Olean.

### OFFICERS

PRESIDENT - - - - - JOSEPH E. KANE  
 VICE PRESIDENT - - - - - WILLIAM LONG  
 SECRETARY - - - - - WILLIAM HEALY  
 TREASURER - - - - - LOUIS SANTINI  
 GENERAL MGR. - - - - - JAMES PETRO  
 ADVERTISING MGR. - SALVATORE DALBERTH





FRONT ROW, left to right: Nash, W.; Mitchell, B.; Santini, L.; Killian, R.; Muhs, P.; McDonough, G.; Kirby, J. SECOND ROW, left to right: Calandra, J.; Plunkett, B.; Kelly, P.; King, R.; Wagner, L.; Dolan, P.; Wagner, R. THIRD ROW, left to right: McGrath, R.; Meister, I.; Way, M.; Butler, L.; Ercolani, A.; Wrenn, T.; Abramo, A.

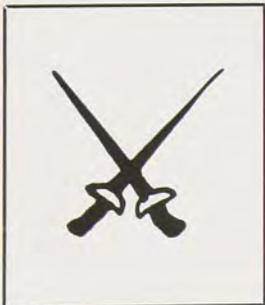
# METROPOLITAN CLUB

The purpose of this club is to promote good fellowship among students from the metropolitan area of New York City. In carrying out that end it conducts numerous banquets and social affairs during the year. Along the practical side it also arranges for special trains to carry its members to and from New York during the Christmas and Easter vacations.

A record snowfall in New York City on December 26, the night of the club's annual dance, restricted full attendance of the annual Christmas dance by members and alumni.

## OFFICERS

PRESIDENT - - - - - RAYMOND KILLIAN  
 VICE PRESIDENT - - - - - THOMAS WRENN  
 SECRETARY-TREASURER - - THOMAS BAILEY





FRONT ROW, left to right: Donelan, T.; Farrell, W.; Keohane, J. SECOND ROW, left to right: Donovan, T.; Downey, M.; Hartnett, J.; Hynes, T. THIRD ROW, left to right: Calter, A.; Larkin, W.; Delaney, W.; Ferris, F.; Luca, J.

# BAY STATE CLUB

This year gave rebirth to another pre-war sectional club, the Bay State Club. A socially active unit since its inception, all of its meetings and affairs have been enthusiastically revived by its members, as well as by many alumni who reside in Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

The many meetings of the club promoted jovial and loyal brotherhood among the Bay State students, who associated for their common interests and pleasure.

## OFFICERS

PRESIDENT - - - - - FRANK NOLAN  
 TREASURER - - - - - THOMAS DONELAN  
 SECRETARY - - - - - WILLIAM FARREL





FRONT ROW, left to right: Berger, J.; Brown, W.; Speca, E.; Cotroneo, A.; Giangreco, A.; Conroy, R.; Battaglia, M.; Schell, L.; Bennett, W. SECOND ROW, left to right: Eber, J.; Gernter, J.; Hendricks, J.; Burke, W.; Ransford, R.; Danehy, L.; Munding, R.; Lensing, J.; Sorochty, N.; Keenan, W.; Werner, J. THIRD ROW, left to right: Burns, R.; Leone, C.; Hart, E.; Sullivan, J.; Swanton, W.; Riley, W.; DeClerck, J.; O'Brien, L.; Albert, C.; Resch, J.

## ROCHESTER CLUB

The Rochester Club, which was very active, set an incentive for all other city clubs to rally their forces to measure up to the standards of this fine organization.

The Rochester collegians, nearly 200 strong, enjoyed a highly successful social year to the mutual enjoyment of all members and alumni.

The Powers Hotel was the setting for the club's two main social events: the Christmas formal dance and the Easter formal dinner-dance.

### OFFICERS

PRESIDENT - - - - - ROBERT CONROY  
 VICE PRESIDENT - - - - RAYMOND BURNS  
 TREASURER - - - - - JOHN EBER  
 SECRETARY - - - - - WILLIAM BENNETT





FRONT ROW, left to right: Michael, T.; Thornton, R.; Curtin, D.; Burns, R.; Gooley, J.; Burns, F.; Murphy, J. SECOND ROW, left to right: Gorman, D.; Finlay, L.; Ostrom, F.; Mc Ardell, C.; Smithling, J.; Fox, P.; Kennedy, F. THIRD ROW, left to right: Heuschneider, L.; Ostrom, E.; McCabe, F.; Epoch, H.; Spencer, J.; Judge, J.; Carter, F. FOURTH ROW, left to right: Reilly, E.; Headd, H.; Cahill, W.; Hopkins, P.; Davitt, J.; Hartnett, R.; Priest, J.

## SYRACUSE CLUB

One of the oldest and most active sectional fraternal organizations on the campus is the Syracuse Club.

Holiday dances are the paramount events of the organization, the Christmas vacation dance was held in the East Room of the Hotel Syracuse followed a formal dinner-dance during the Easter vacation.

The boys from Central New York annually play hosts to the Syracuse Club of Niagara University in a basketball game during Easter recess.

The Mardi Gras social meeting and other such affairs marked it as one of the most enthusiastic groups on the campus this year.

### OFFICERS

PRESIDENT - - - - - JAMES DAVITT  
 VICE PRESIDENT - - - - - HARRY HEADD  
 SECRETARY - - - - - ROBERT HARTNETT  
 TREASURER - - - - - PAUL HOPKINS  
 WARDEN - - - - - JACK MURPHY





FRONT ROW, left to right: Barron, T.; Jurena, S.; Yackovich, F.; Bezek, F.; Gennett, L.; Charsky, S.; Breehey, R.; Sweeney, N. SECOND ROW, left to right: Kinsella, R.; Fitzgerald, G.; Miller, R.; Farrell, J.; Westbrook, W.; Trevisan, J.; McVaugh, W. THIRD ROW, left to right: Murphy, D.; Mucci, L.; Monico, J.; Hujar, T.; Salley, L.; Maxian, J.; Bowes, W. FOURTH ROW, left to right: Houlihan, J.; Camadella, E.; Camadella, M.; Gofran, P.; Sullivan, R.; Pessagno, M.; Maxian, T.; Kane, W. FIFTH ROW: LoVuolo, F.

# THE TRIPLE CITIES CLUB

The Triple Cities Club, though one of the most recently organized clubs on campus, boasts a year of honorable history. Composed of students from the Triple Cities—Binghamton, Johnson City, and Endicott, and the surrounding area—this organization has well propagated St. Bonaventure and the ideals for which it stands. It has sponsored at school and at home, in affiliation with the Alumni Association of that area, social functions of which the students may be justly proud.

## OFFICERS

PRESIDENT - - - - - ROBERT KINSELLA  
 VICE PRESIDENT - - - - STEVE CHARSKY  
 SECRETARY-TREASURER - DONALD MURPHY





FRONT ROW: Geary, R.; Sgarlato, S.; Ha'lloran, J.; Cunningham, J.; O'Connor, J.; Gallo, A.; Sava, J.; Higgins, J. P. BACK ROW: Corrado, D.; Phelan, J.; Higgins, J.; Downes, L.; Smith, J.; Kerr, F.; Scherer, J.; Cahill, W.; Mayer, R.; Piro, A.; Masem, J.; Lutzell, W.

## ISLAND CLUB

Where a mutual bond exists between students from a special geographical section, it is natural that they band together fraternally, and this is just what the Island Club did in annexing from its parent club, the Metropolitan Club.

Members from Long Island, held together by a sincere loyalty for their beloved island and the Brooklyn Dodgers, were hailed by the campus as an inspired group.

The many meetings at the Rathskeller and the Easter Dance at the Midston House cemented a finer foundation for the club's future.

### OFFICERS

PRESIDENT - - - - LAWRENCE DOWNES  
 VICE PRESIDENT - - - - JOSEPH SAVA  
 TREASURER - - - - JOSEPH PHELAN  
 SECRETARY - - - - JAMES O'CONNOR





### EDITORS

FATHER SEBASTIAN McKENNA, O.F.M., Moderator (center); Sal J. Perrotta, editor, right; Russell J. Jandoli, Faculty Advisor, left; standing, Sal Dalberth, Feature Editor; George Vormwald, News Editor; Joseph Winiecki, Assistant Sports Editor; Sam D'Onofrio, News Editor; Donald J. Kelley, Sports Editor.

## The Bona Venture

With another new school year, came an almost entirely new college newspaper staff. The most prominent change of the weekly publication was its name, which was reduced from "The St. Bona Venture" to "The Bona Venture."

Fr. Sebastian McKenna, O.F.M., stayed on as moderator, performing well in that capacity. Mr. Russell J. Jandoli, head of the newly-organized journalism section, was appointed faculty advisor. His professional experience as both teacher and newspaperman proved an asset to the paper.

Sal J. Perrotta, ex-Army public relations sergeant and editor, and Pittsburgh journalist, was editor. Sal succeeded Bill Dillon, who because of additional duties as president of the Student Senate, was unable to devote full time to the newspaper.

Ably assisting Perrotta were News Editors Sam D'Onofrio and George Vormwald, Sports Editors Al Parelli (who succeeded the midterm graduate Don Kelley) and Carl Weidt and Feature Editors Harry McStravick and Tom McGonnell, who succeeded Sal Dalberth and Bob DiVeroly.

Functioning with well-rounded and high-spirited staffs, the editors produced one of the best newspapers St. Bonaventure College has ever known and one considered among the top ranking college newspapers in the country.

### NEWS STAFF

FRONT ROW: Boves, Sgarlato, Winkler, King, Erb, O'Connor. SECOND ROW: Shearer, Annarino, Sullivan, Potter, Erickson, Santini. THIRD ROW: Lensing, Albert, Weidt, Sorochty, McGranahan, Sabia, Muhs, Smith, Dolan, P. FOURTH ROW: Healy, Colleran, Calter, McGonnell, Kelly, Dolan, R.; Cunningham, McStravick.





FRONT ROW, left to right: Begley, J.; Jandoli, R., Faculty Advisor; Price, J., Editor; Maracle, J.; Mulligan, G. SECOND ROW, left to right: McGrath, R.; Rauh, R.; Erb, H.; Vierhile, W.

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## THE LAUREL

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The official literary publication of the college, The Laurel, founded in 1898, has as its purpose the encouragement of undergraduate interest in literary pursuits. It is a medium for the publication of papers on various subjects of academic interest.

With its wide latitude of subjects and literary fame, The Laurel appealed to all students and was welcomed six times during the year. It presented a collection of writings in some cases informative and in other cases amusing and entertaining.

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## SCIENCE STUDIES

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Science Studies, a quarterly published by the School of Science, serves as a literary outlet for those science students who wish to report findings, and analyses on certain laboratory works and for digested and summarized reports of others.

Science Studies serves as a medium for telling others of the scientific research being carried on at St. Bonaventure. It is capably edited by Prof. A. Jerome Miller, who is assisted by Father Eric Schoppe, O.F.M., associate editor.



PROF. A. JEROME MILLER  
EDITOR



FRONT ROW: Santini, L.; Dillon, P.; Regan, J.; Sader, M.; Fr. Regis Galvin, O.F.M.; Fr. Columban Duffy, O.F.M.; Marra, M.; Dolan, P.; Burke, J.; Riley, K.; Sweeney, K. BACK ROW: Wrenn, T.; McStravick, H.; Cala, A.; Mitchell, B.; Nash, W.; Winiecki, J.; Price, J.; Meredith, R.; Shay, R.; Schwantner, J.; Jackson, T.; Vormwald, G.; Grey, E.; Mulligan, G.; Gallagher, L.

## DRAMATIC CLUB

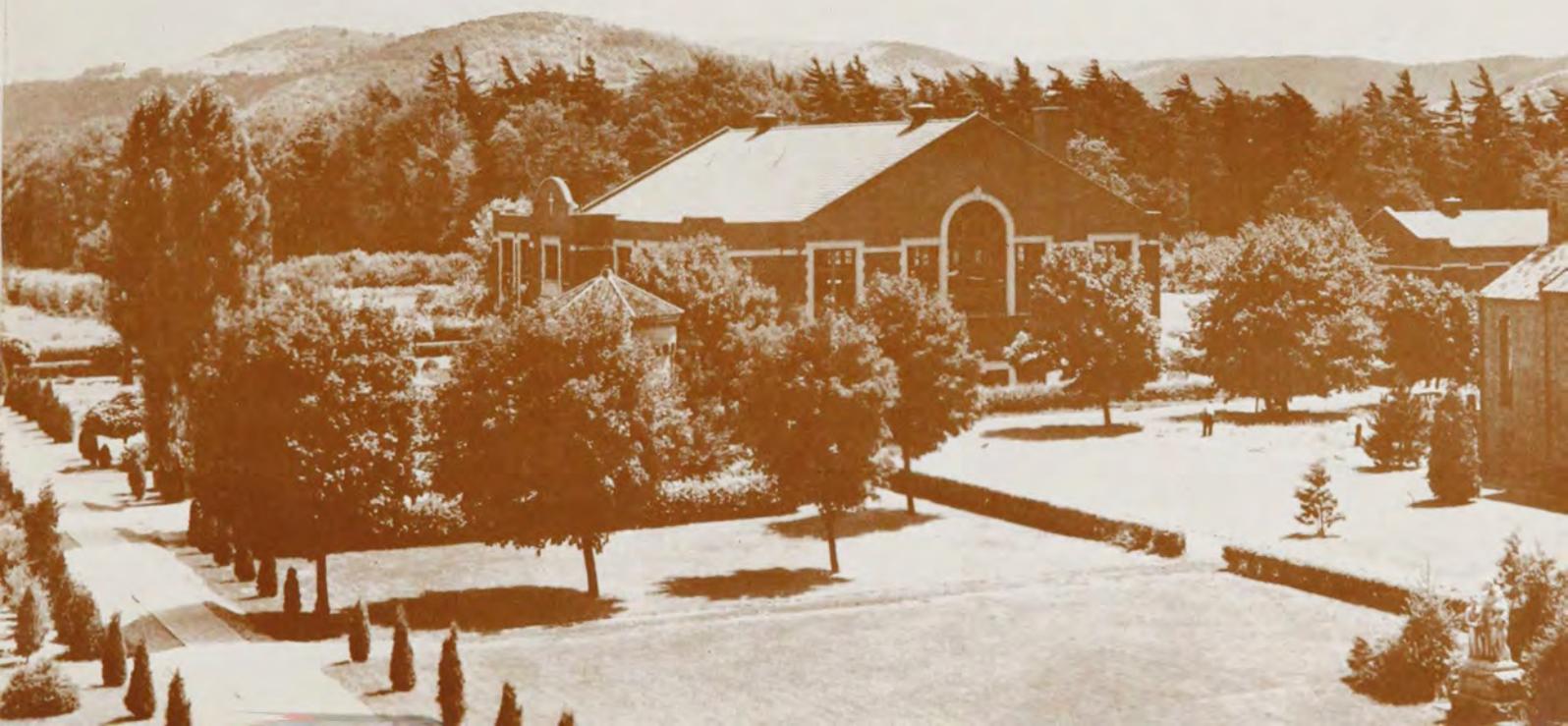
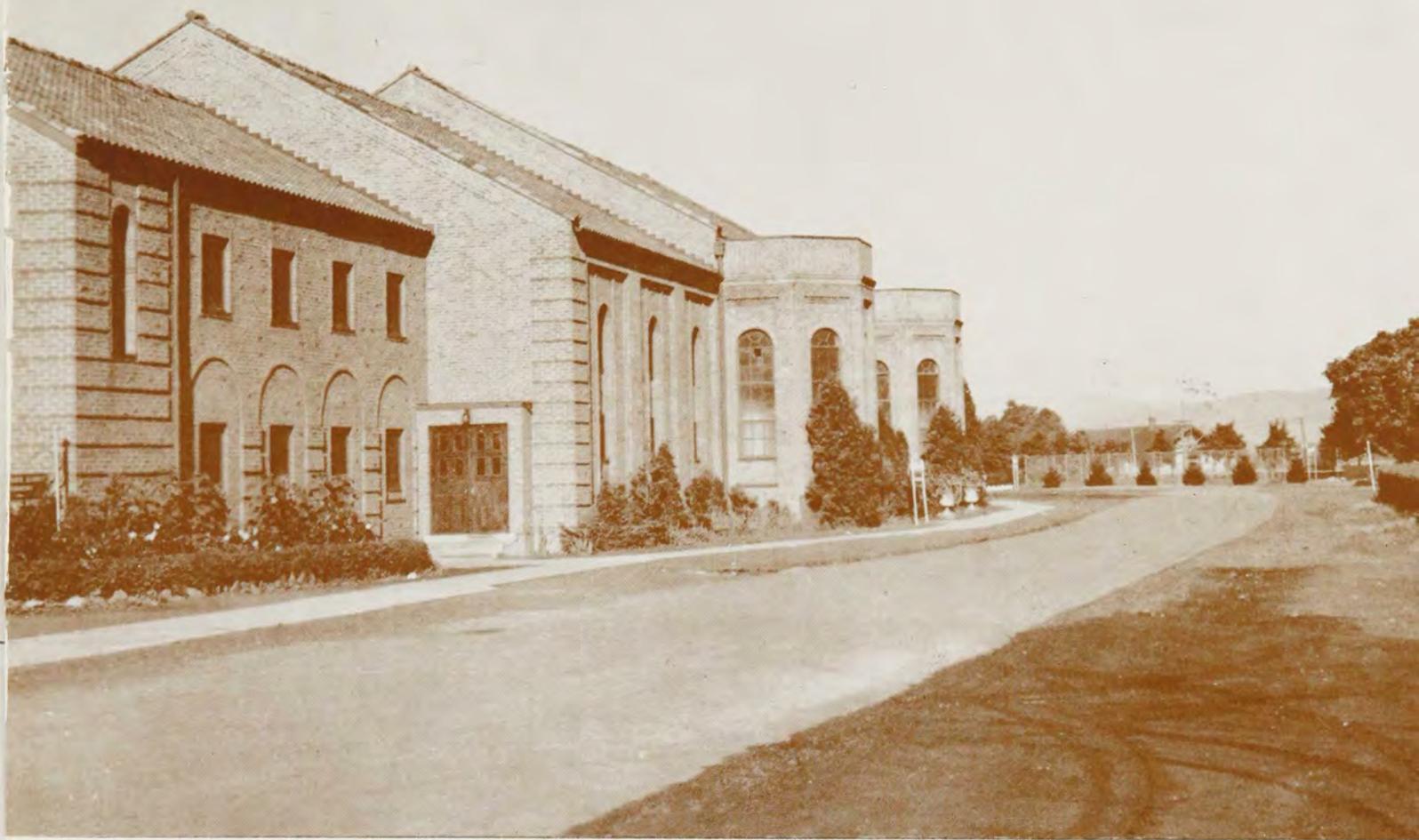
This year's initial presentation of the Dramatic Club was the "Hasty Heart," a three act comedy-drama by John Patrick directed by Father Regis J. Galvin, O.F.M., moderator of the Dramatic Club.

The story presents a wartime picture of conditions in the Burma Theater. The central figure of the play is Lachlen McLachlen, a member of the famous Cameron Regiment of Scotland. Lachlen, a proud and lonely character, finds that due to a battle injury he has only two weeks to live. The "Hasty Heart" tells the story of the grand effort made by his hospital companions to brighten Lachlen's last days by their friendship.

The difficult part of the Scotchman was admirably played by Earl Gray. Commendable performances were turned in by John Burke as "Yank," Patricia Pyle the Nurse, and John Regan as the British Tommy. On November 14, the cast traveled to Bradford, Penna., to give a benefit performance for St. Francis Church.

During Passion Week, the Dramatic Club produced a new Passion Play, "Children of the Desolate," written by Father Columban Duffy, O.F.M. of the St. Bonaventure faculty. The Passion Play promised to become a yearly Lenten event at St. Bonaventure, with a possible annual road tour.





# CLASSES





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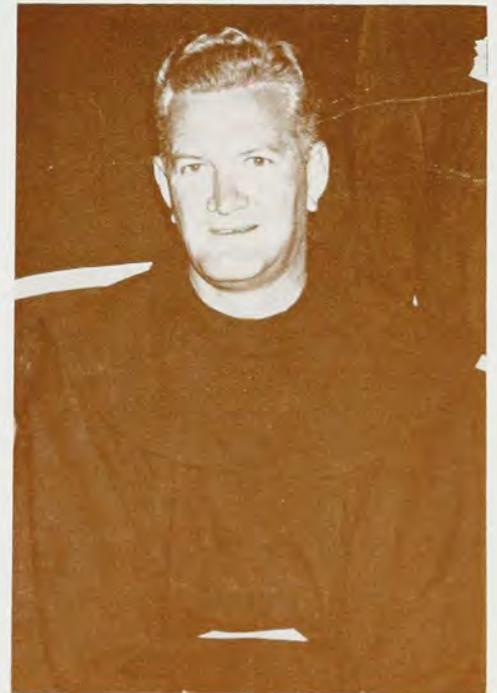
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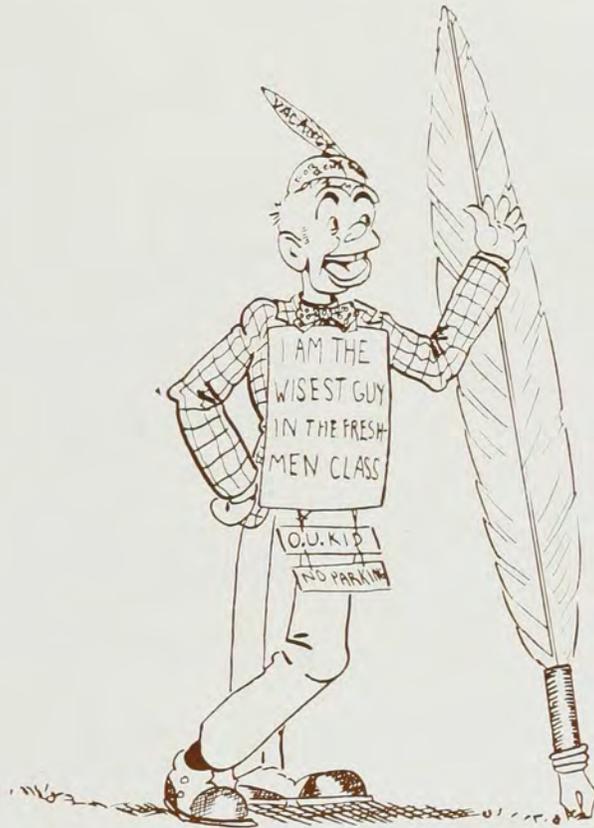
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## THE CLASSES

### JUNIOR CLASS

This class is comprised mainly of men who came to Bonaventure to resume studies interrupted by World War II. Many of this group are former Bonaventure men. The largest delegation of co-eds on campus is in this class.

A small but efficient class was born in 1945, and the activities and zeal of its members have expanded with its growth. It is now 180 strong.

The Class of '49 has the largest student activity of a social nature as its principle function—the Junior Prom. The activities of the class officers and prom chairman were directed from early fall until the first week in May to a successfully culminated affair—the biggest and best prom in the school's history. The planning and direction fell into the capable hands of Adrian Hunkele, prom chairman, his assistant, Raymond Reinhart, business manager, and their various committee chairmen.

### SOPHOMORE CLASS

The Sophomore class made its presence known immediately to the lowly Freshmen in September by its strict enforcement of Frosh rules. But the Freshmen were fortunate this year. The rules were revoked before the year had gotten very far underway.

Besides having the distinction of being one of the largest classes to pass through St. Bonaventure, the Sophomores had the most representatives on the football squad. The entire basketball team was comprised of Sophomores and the whole college is proud of the record they have made.

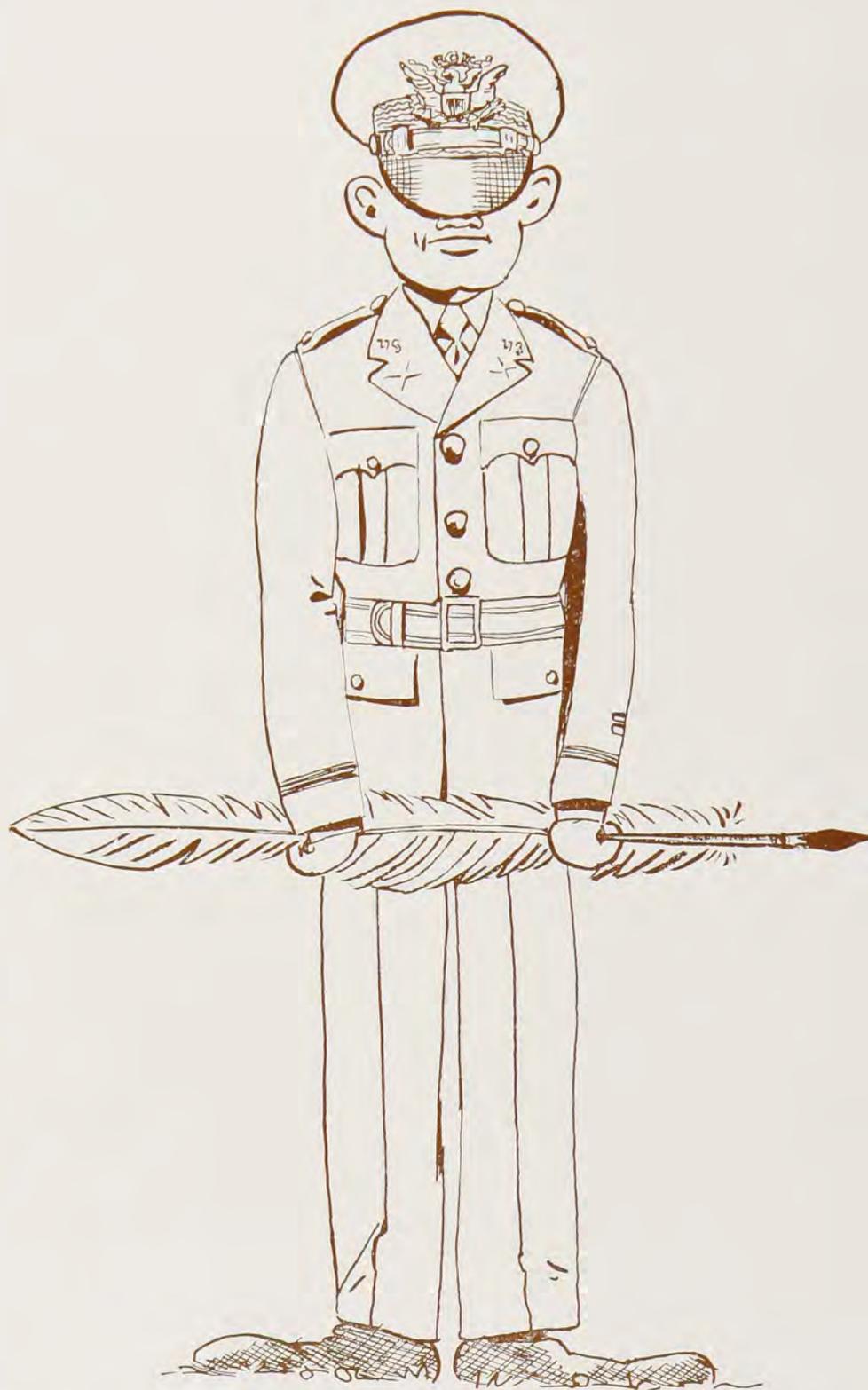
The class sponsored a dance, along with the Freshman class. According to Bonaventure tradition, this dance was held in conjunction with Junior Prom weekend.

### FRESHMAN CLASS

Comprising 523 members, this year's Freshman class represents one of the largest groups to enter St. Bonaventure at one time. Of this number, 255 are veterans.

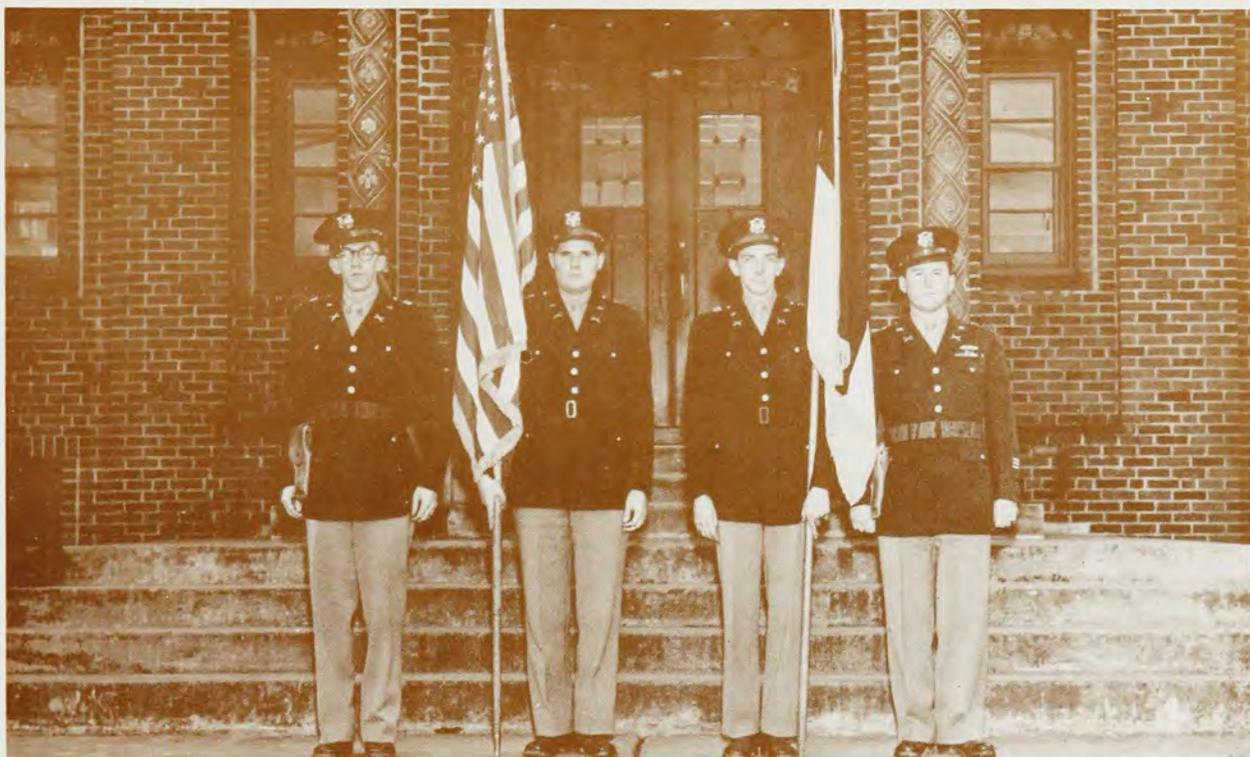
As was the custom, the Frosh were bedecked with signs, cardboard suits, and any other belittling means the upper classmen could devise to inaugurate their period of hazing. However, without precedence and much to their relief, the Frosh rules were lifted long before the usual time in January.

The Frosh sponsored the Canisius basketball excursion and, with the sophomores, the customary dance. A new undertaking of the Freshmen was attendance at Mass and receiving of communion by the whole class, followed by a Sunday breakfast in February.



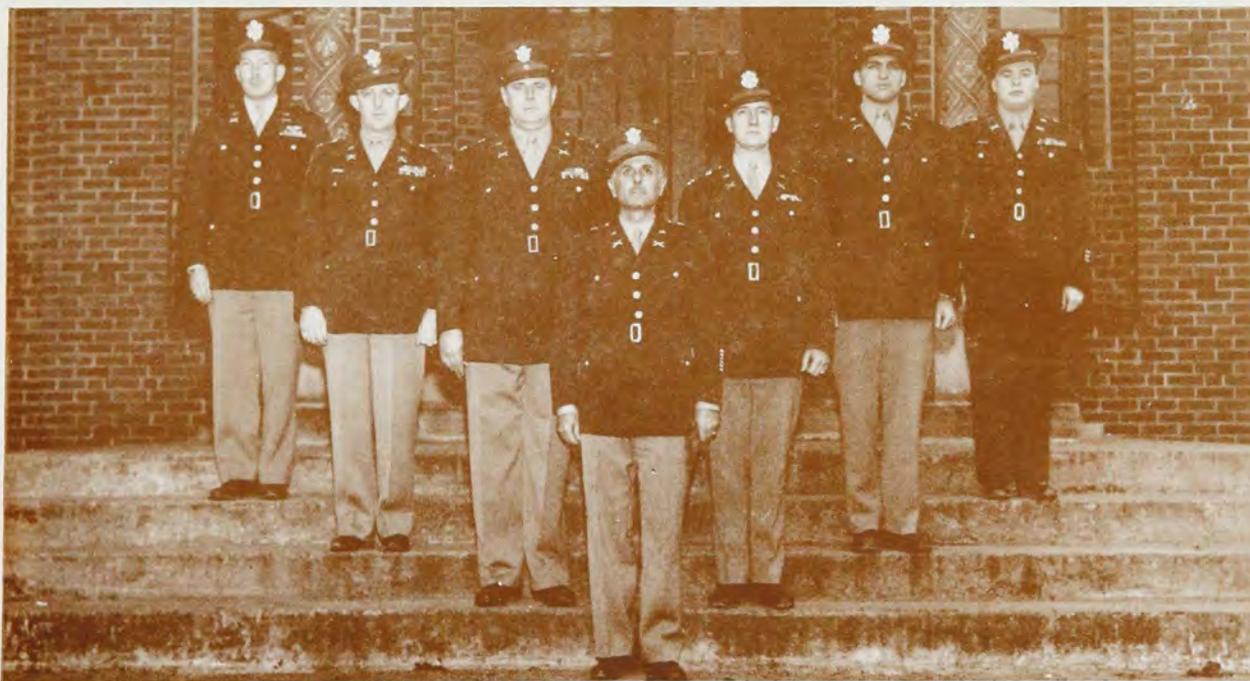
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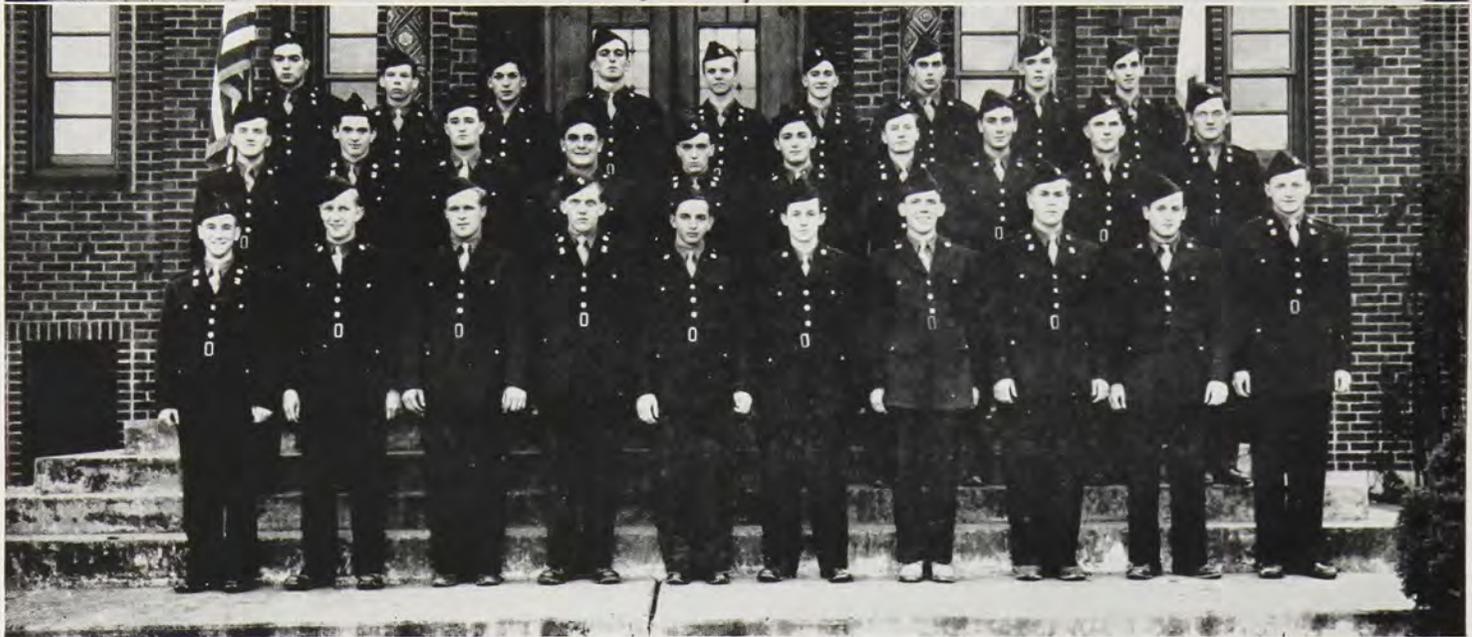
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## ROTC

## ACTIVITIES

Starting its second year of the post-war program, the ROTC unit at St. Bonaventure College continued its full time operations. Instruction was inaugurated with all four classes firmly established.

The ROTC is conducted on a voluntary basis with all four college classes participating. The program is divided into two courses, the Basic Course and the Advanced Course, each consisting of two years. Men having previous military service may be exempt from the first two years and admitted to the Advanced Course, while those having no military service must enroll in the basic Course. Students in the Advanced Course are compensated each month by a substantial monetary allowance in lieu of subsistence, given to them by the Government, thus contributing a great deal towards aiding the cadet through college. Uniforms which are issued to every man in the ROTC are returned at the end of the school year for renovation and subsequent reissue.

The instruction consists of classroom recitations and practical work, with Thursday afternoon set aside as a common hour in which all cadets participate in drill, parades and other ceremonies and practical military exercises under the command and supervision of cadet officers.

Every Advanced Course cadet must spend six weeks in summer camp for which he receives pay, the cost of transportation, subsistence, and medical service from the Government. Here the men put to use the fundamentals which have been instilled into them during their academic instructions at the college. They work extensively with the weapons of the various arms and receive realistic basic training such as establishing bivouac areas, drills, marches, athletics, military administration, all of which are fundamental to all branches of the service. At the successful completion of the Advanced Course, the cadets are eligible for commissions as second lieutenants in the Officers' Reserve Corps of the Artillery with many opportunities offered to them for Regular Army commissions and extended active duty training.

The detachment is represented by a rifle team composed solely of cadets. The schedule consists of a shoulder-to-shoulder match with Niagara University, and postal matches with a number of colleges, including Yale, Princeton, Boston College, and Kansas State College.

The annual ROTC ball is a social event of great significance in the community and is awaited with great eagerness. This traditional event serves as an excellent medium of gracious social contact in keeping with the best customs of the service and life in the nearby community.

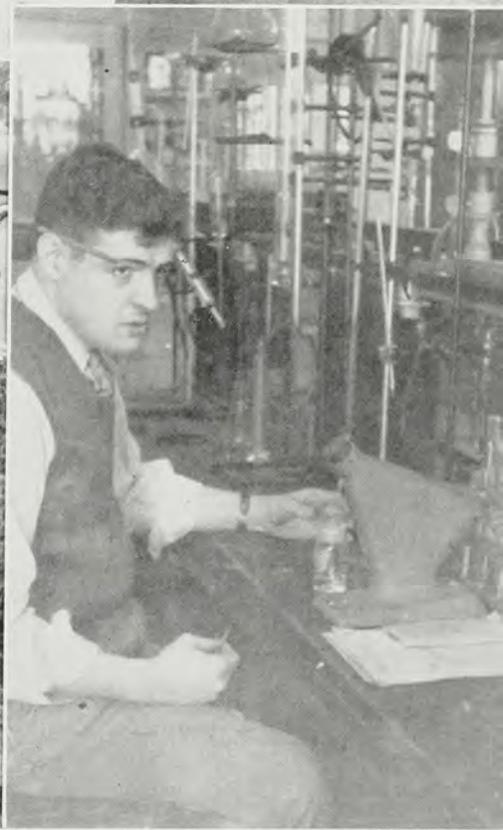
With many of the difficulties of the post-war training period overcome, the St. Bonaventure College ROTC takes its place at the top, turning out officer material second to none.



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(The Green Pernt Duffy)  
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Joe Romanosky  
Frank Lynch

Dick,  
Ted,  
Chuck,  
and  
Ray

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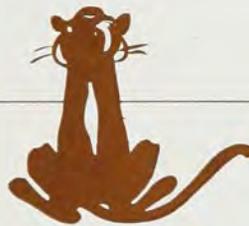
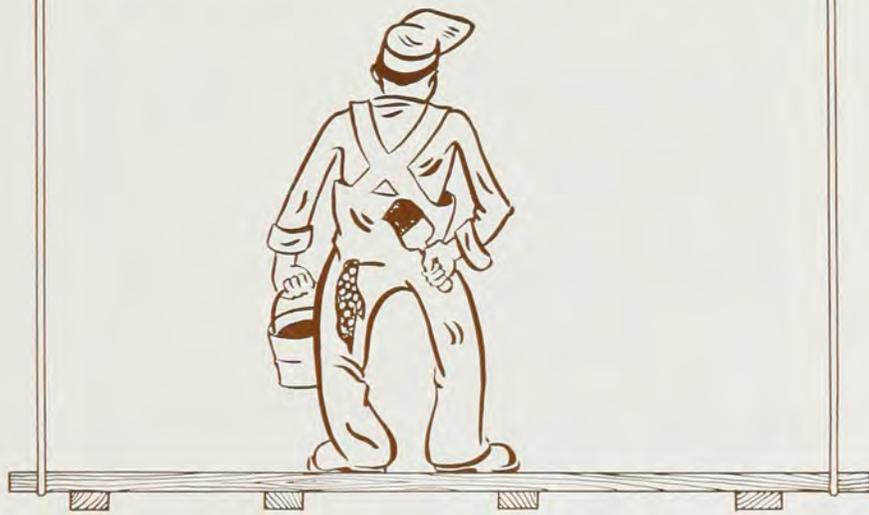
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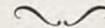
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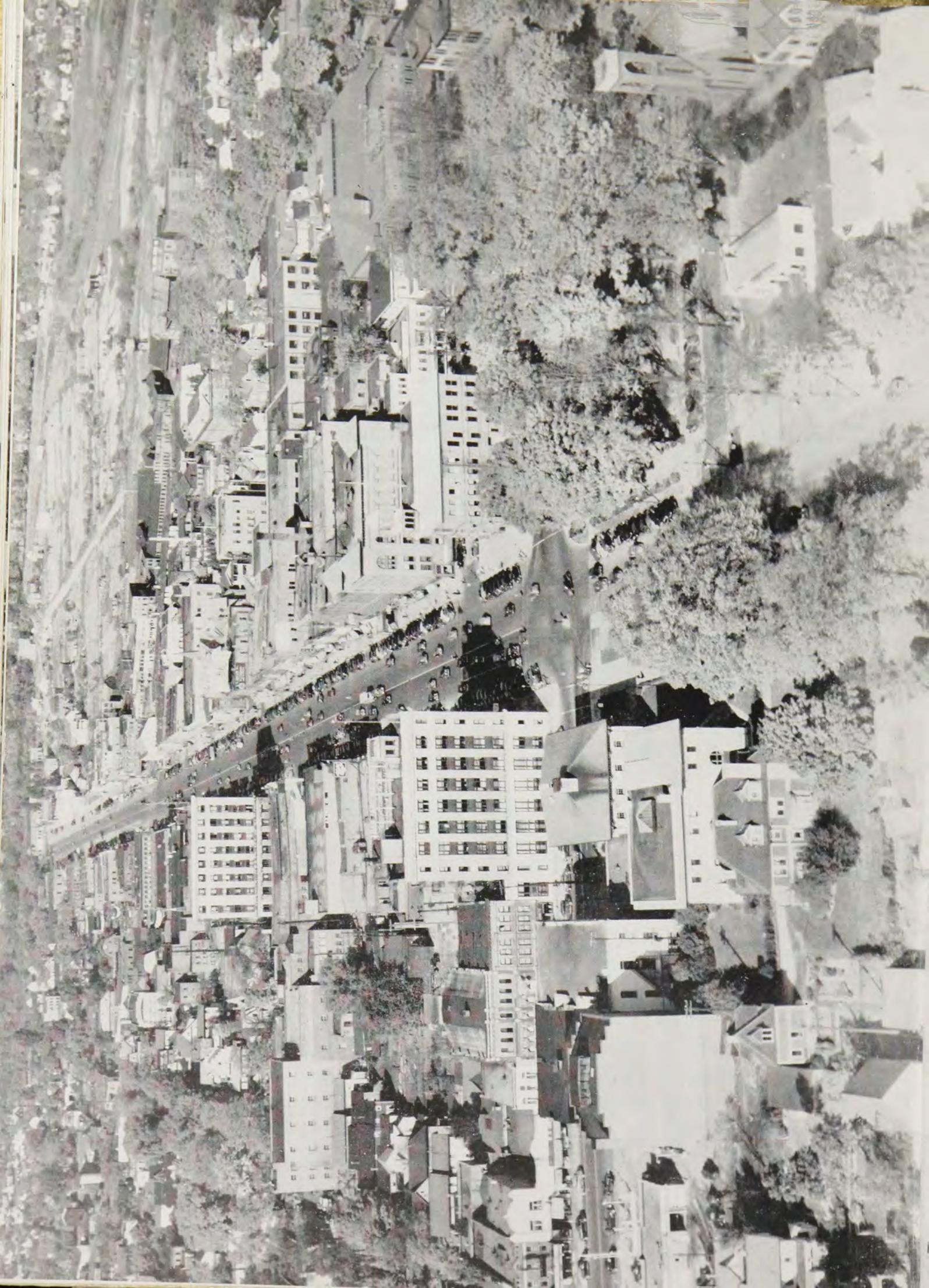
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