

A time had been when we were gay,  
 And we would dance till break of day,  
 Slipping in late not to wake Mom or Dad  
 Was the only worry we ever had.  
 But those times have gone, forever?—Who knows?  
 First one, then another of our classmates goes  
 Off to a world of khaki and pain  
 To fight somewhere in the world's domain.  
 Leaving a boy, coming back a man—  
 Coming back, that is if he can.  
 Fighting for liberty, love, and peace,  
 Fighting that wars like this might cease,  
 Giving his life—or only a part,  
 Breaking his body—or merely his heart.  
 This is the boy—or boys should I say,  
 Who sat next to us in school every day,  
 Who copied our tests and pulled our hair,  
 Who answered the teacher with a vacant stare.  
 Now he's grown up and gone away,  
 Gave up his fun, gave up his play.  
 He's fighting for peace and the land of the free;  
 He's fighting for you, and he's fighting for me.

—Joyce Barnes



*Stars indicate where  
 Laredo boys are stationed*



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This book, the 1943 edition of La Pitahaya, is dedicated to the great and just cause for which we are fighting. On these pages we have tried to show how all the students of Martin High School help in the war effort—everything from collecting scrap iron, buying war stamps, and such insignificant sacrifices as to going to dances on buses, walking long blocks to school, and being glad we have a school to walk to—a school as beautiful as Martin High. We have lent some of our beloved teachers to the Army—Prof. de la Garza, Mrs. Barry, Mr. Vela, and Mr. Morlan, and we have not complained, just as Martin High herself is giving her sons whom she has disciplined and nurtured in body and in mind, to the cause of our democratic way of life. Martin High School is proud of her good soldiers already in the field and of those being prepared for the future rank, and we pray for a safe return as we pray for the final victory. 14373



# John C. Green



★ Because he has done his best to promote an interest in good clean football, and because of his five years of fine work as Tiger coach and boys' friend which have brought him the admiration of every student and the love of every member of the team, we dedicate this 1943 La Pitahaya to Mr. John C. Green.

★ Born in Valentine, Texas, on Oct. 5, 1912, John Green moved to Sanderson where he grew up and finished high school. Then he went to Schreiner Institute and to New Mexico A. & M., worked for two years, then went back to college at Sul Ross State Teachers College. He took his B.S. degree, majoring in physical education, in 1936. He was outstanding in athletics in all colleges he attended, so when he came to Laredo in 1935 he became director of athletics first in Christen School, and two years later at Martin High.

# Mrs J.M. Pittman



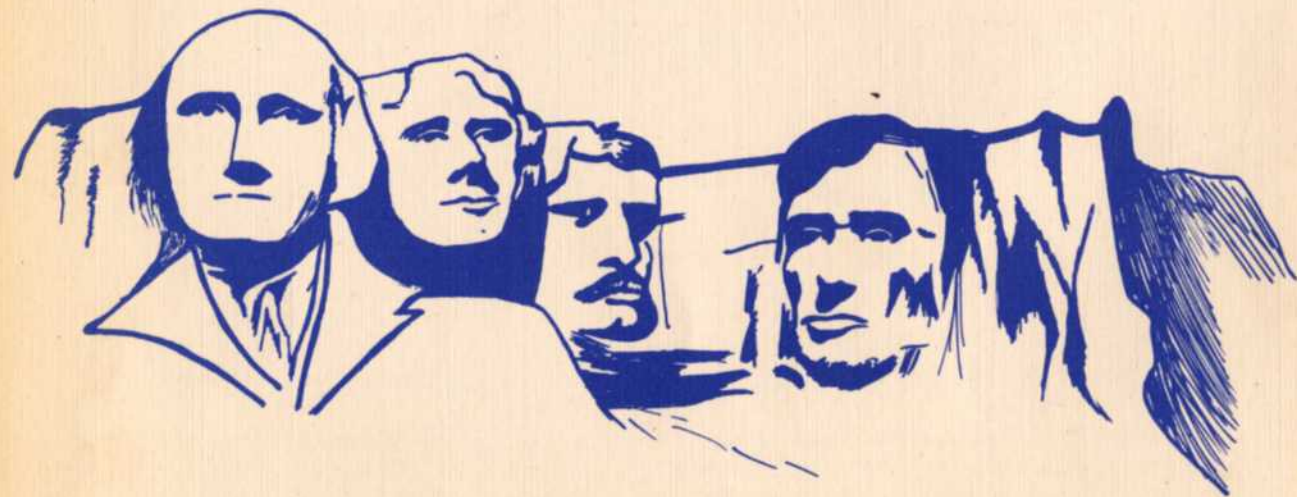
★ To one who is a friend more than a teacher and who is loved by all who know and have worked with her, this Annual is sincerely dedicated.

★ Born in Weatherford. When? Oh, no, that's a military secret. Went to Ward-Belmont and back to Weatherford Junior College. Took degree in Speech at Texas State College for Women. Spent one summer in Europe. Taught private classes in Speech. Met Mr. Pittman; married Mr. Pittman! Came to Laredo in 1937. Started teaching — — — still teaching!

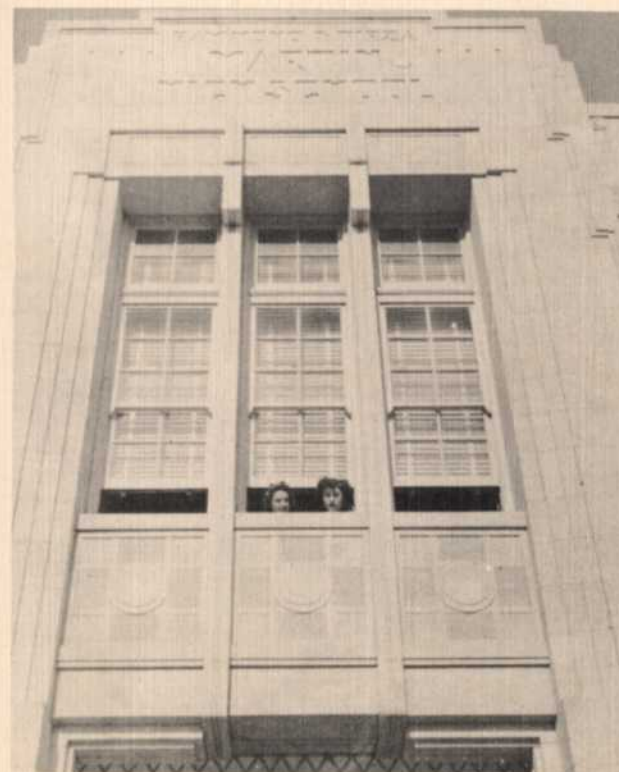


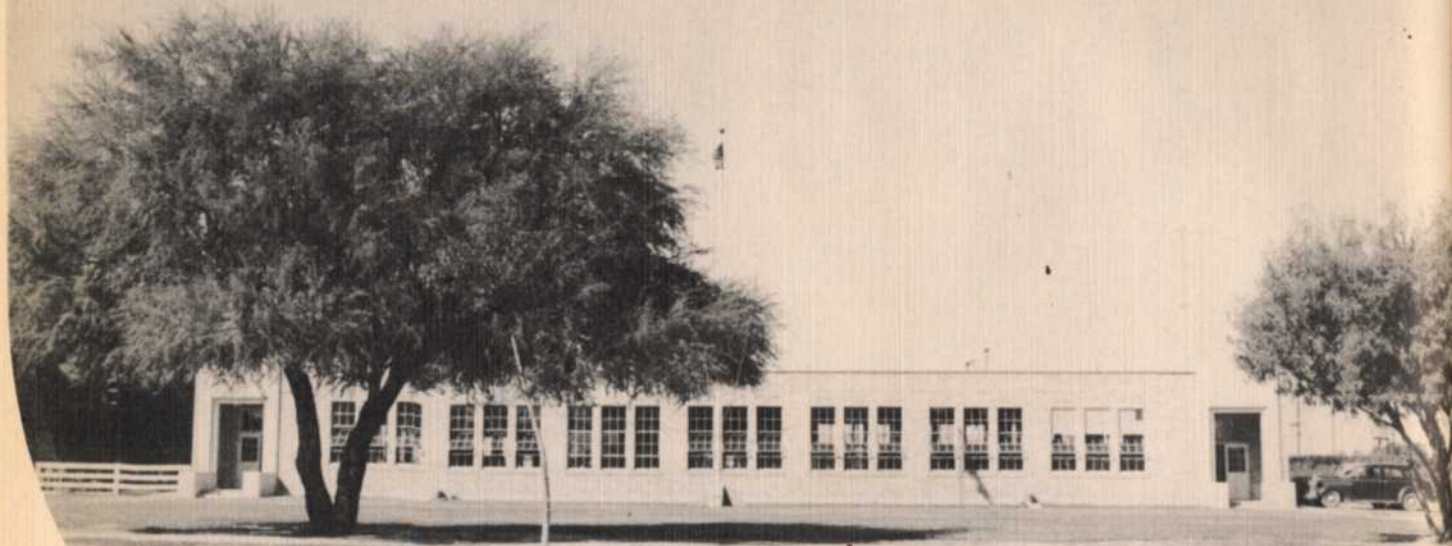
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# The School

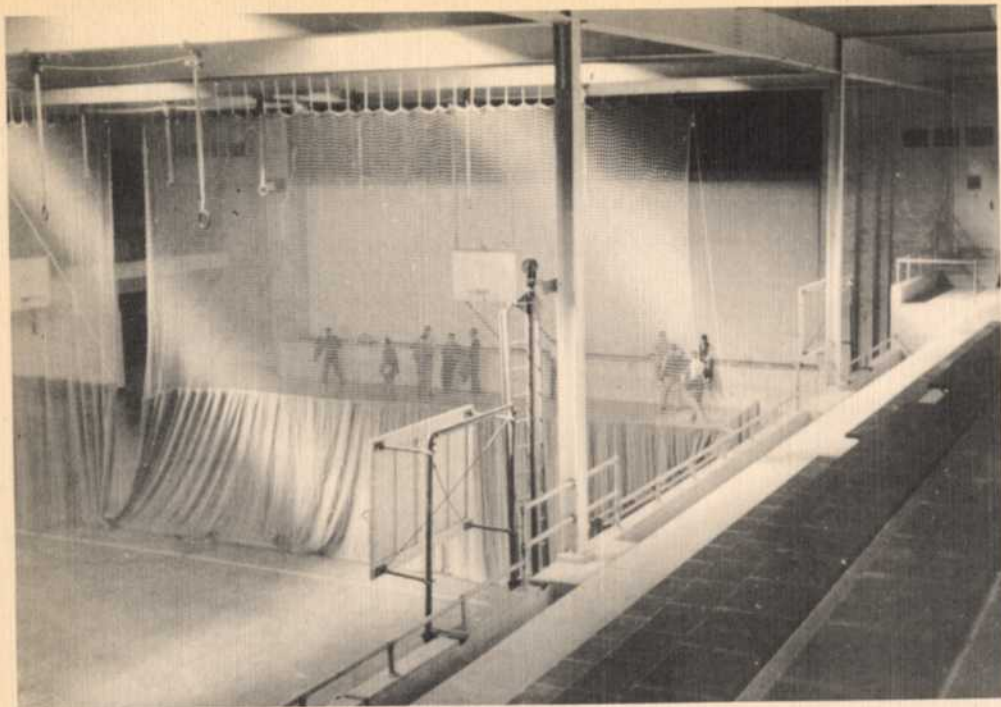




# *Martin High School*

## *Trades and Industries*





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# *In Memoriam*



WILLIAM BENAVIDES  
1916-1942

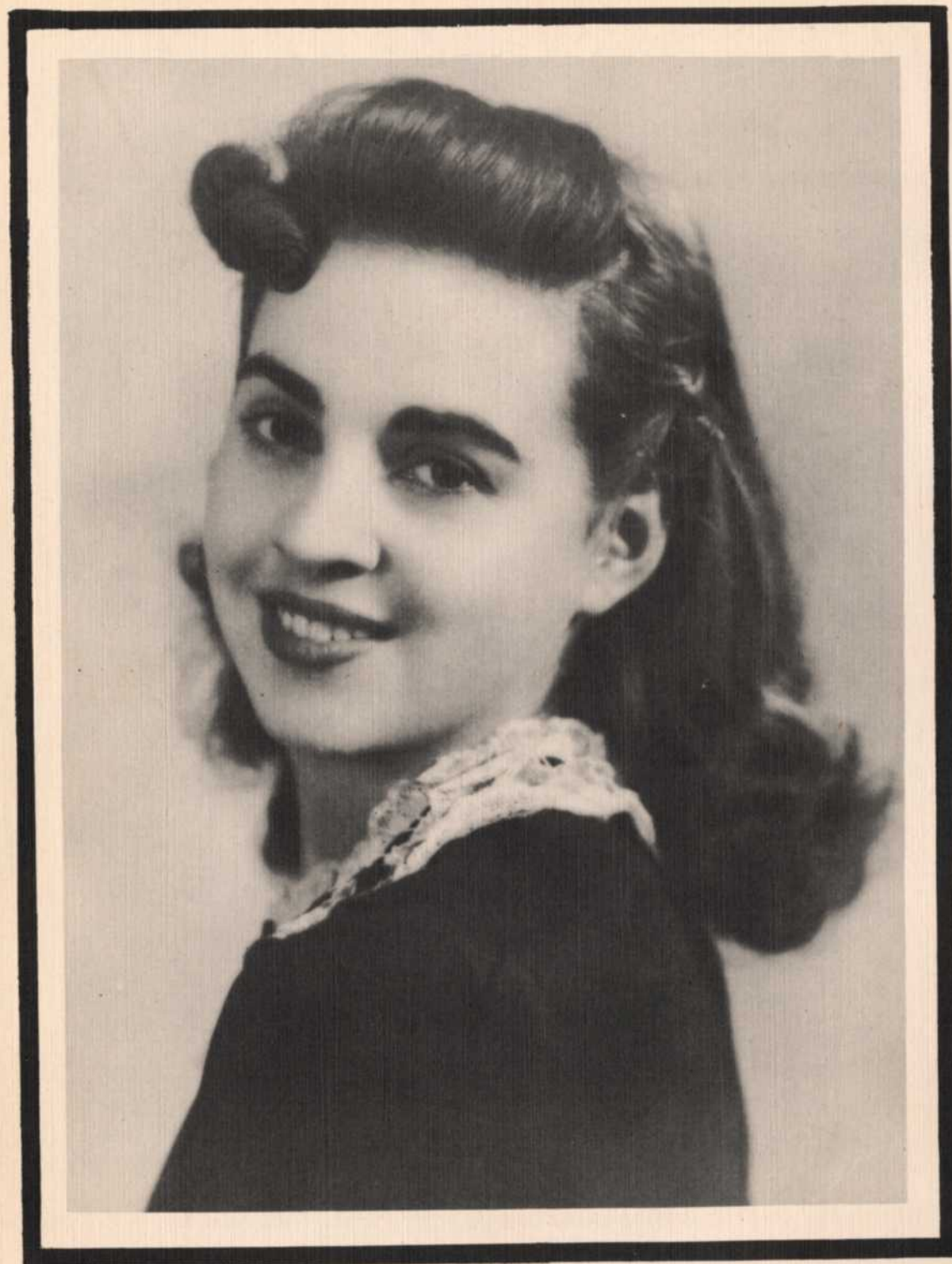
Mr. Benavides, son of Mrs. Rosa Benavides, was a native of Laredo and a member of the Class of '34 of Laredo High School. Later, he attended Notre Dame University, where he received his bachelor of science degree in engineering in 1940.

He taught at Old High School, but was transferred to Martin High School at the beginning of this year. Here he taught mechanical drawing, mathematics, and science.

"The faculty and the student body of Martin High School deeply regret the loss of this beloved teacher who was so suddenly taken from us. He was loved by everyone, for he had a charming personality and a splendid character. We shall always cherish his memory."

—Alejandro R. Garcia.





DORIS KARABANOFF  
1922-1942

Doris was beloved of her classmates and teachers because of her friendly disposition and her devotion to the school. She was a member of the Ellen H. Richards Club, and was Cheer Leader from 1939 to 1941.

Doris was born in Laredo, Texas, on September 15, 1922. She attended the Laredo public schools and was a student in summer school at the time of her fatal illness.

She had many interests—among them writing letters to pen-pals all over the world, kodaking, keeping a scrap book about school activities, swimming, and dancing.



# Administration

Martin High School's splendid principal, J. W. Nixon





Mr. Joe C. Martin, President of the Board, serves as Webb County's sheriff. He was educated at St. Edward's University. His hobby is politics.



Mr. Wm. P. Galligan, Superintendent of schools, attended Notre Dame, St. Edward's, and the University of Arkansas from which he took his LL.B. Degree. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus and the American Legion. His hobby is boys.

#### THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE LAREDO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Board of Trustees of the Laredo Independent School District is composed of seven members elected by the qualified voters of the city at elections held on the first Saturday of April of each year. One year two members are elected, the next year two more, and the following year three are elected. Each member serves for the term of three years. In that manner, at no time will the terms of a majority of the Board expire. The present members of the Board of Trustees and the expiration of their terms are as follows:

J. C. Martin, President, term expires 1945; A. R. Moser, Secretary, term expires 1945; M. S. Ryan, Vice-President, term expires 1943; B. G. Salinas, term expires 1943; Antonio Valls, term expires 1943; C. L. Milton, term expires 1944; and L. Daiches, term expires 1944. As the Board of Directors of a large corporation, the Board of Trustees appoints the Superintendent, who is the executive manager of the business; and they also elect the teaching personnel and administrative staff to assist in maintaining an efficient system of schools. At present the Superintendent is William P. Galligan, who is now completing his fifteenth year in that position. Hugh S. Cluck is Business Manager and at the present time is serving as Mayor of the City of Laredo. Ernest A. Leyendecker is Auditor.

\* Laredo is indeed fortunate in having men of the type of ability of those who compose its Board of School Trustees. They are providing schools for the children of Laredo that measure up to every standard set by the State Department of Education. That the people of Laredo believe they are doing a good job is evidenced by the fact that there has been no change in the personnel of the Board for many years, each member having been drafted to succeed himself each time his term expires.



The Honorable Hugh S. Cluck, mayor of the city and business manager of the schools, was educated in Georgetown. He collects commemorative coins as a hobby.



Mr. Leon Daiches is owner of Daiches Jewelry Company, which has served Laredo since 1889. He is a Rotarian and a sports enthusiast.



Mr. Ernest Leyendecker, school auditor, was educated at Laredo High School, is a member of the Knights of Columbus, and an air raid warden. His hobby is cattle-raising.



Mr. Aaron R. Moser, co-owner of the Moser Auto Company, went to Laredo High School and later took a business course in Poughkeepsie, New York. He is finance officer of the Laredo Post of the American Legion and a member of the 40 and 8.



Mr. C. L. Milton, who is part owner of Milton and Brewer's Jewelry Co., went to school in Central High in Kansas City and Missouri State U. His hobbies are woodwork and astronomy.



Mr. M. S. Ryan, county auditor, is interested in stamp collecting. He attended St. Mary's College in San Antonio.



Mr. B. G. Salinas, chief deputy tax assessor-collector, serves as chairman of the Webb County Chapter of the American Red Cross. His hobby is doing everything correctly.



Mr. Antonio Valls, who was born in Spain, attended St. Edward's University. He is a retired ranchman and onion planter.



**PRINCIPAL J. W. NIXON**  
 B.S., Sul Ross State Teachers College  
 University of Texas  
 Hobby: Out-of-door sports  
 Ambition: To be of increasing service to the community.



**Mrs. C. M. Fish**  
 Oak Cliff College  
 Ass't librarian  
 Hobby: Reading books  
 Ambition: To be of service to the library



**Mrs. Harry Andrews**  
 B.A., Baylor University  
 M.A., Texas University  
 Subject: English  
 Hobby: Sewing



**Mrs. Travis Bunn**  
 Juilliard School of Music  
 Director of Music  
 Hobby: Composing and writing verses  
 Ambition: To see music continue in the school as she has for twenty years



**Mr. Epigmenio Garza**  
 Auditor  
 Hobby: Mechanics  
 Ambition: Aviation Mechanic



**Miss Antonia Valls**  
 Registrar  
 Hobby: Collecting antiques  
 Ambition: To have no students absent



**Miss Lois Davidge**  
 B.A., Lady of the Lake  
 Texas University  
 Librarian  
 Sponsor, Library Service Club  
 Hobby: Swimming  
 Ambition: To be of service to every student



**Mr. Joe Leyendecker**  
 Custodian  
 Hobby: Carpenter work  
 Ambition: To live many years



**Josephine Roberta Baird**  
 B.S., Texas A. & I.  
 Science, Physics, Math  
 Hobby: People  
 Ambition: To make ends meet



**Mr. D. P. Barrow**  
 North Texas State Teachers College, Grad. Aeronautics  
 Hobbies: Hunting and fishing  
 Ambition: To help the youth



**Mr. George L. Coenen**  
 Vocational Teachers Certificate  
 Louisiana Tech  
 Radio Servicing and operation  
 Sponsor, Radio Club  
 Hobby: Amateur Radio  
 Ambition: Radio Engineer



**Miss Ruth Chamberlain**  
 B.A., Incarnate Word College  
 English  
 Hobbies: Reading, playing bridge  
 Ambition: Librarian



**Miss Evangelina Cerda**  
 B.A., M.A., Texas Univ.  
 Hobby: Reading  
 Ambition: Travel  
 Subject: Spanish



**Mrs. Refugio Benavides**  
 B.A., Texas University  
 Algebra  
 Hobby: Collecting handkerchiefs  
 Ambition: To travel all over the world



**Mrs. Estelle K. Brennan**  
 B.A., Texas University  
 Stenography  
 Hobby: Music  
 Ambition: To graduate a court reporter



**Mrs. J. W. Blevins**  
 B.A., Texas University  
 Spanish  
 Hobby: Reading



**Miss Gertrude Bryan**  
 B.A., Southwest Texas State Teachers College  
 English  
 Hobby: Crossword puzzles  
 Ambition: WAVE



**Mrs. Floyd G. Bennet**  
 B.A., Howard Payne  
 History  
 Hobby: Reading



**Mr. William Carrico**  
 B.S., Sul Ross  
 Music, Director of Band  
 Hobby: Dance Bands  
 Ambition: College Director



**Miss Tillie Christillis**  
 B.A., S. W. T. S. T. C.  
 English  
 Hobby: Hard work  
 Ambition: WAAC



Miss Mary Frances Doss  
M.A., Texas University  
English  
Ambition: To be a perfect "fish" English teacher  
Sponsor: Journal



Miss Zoila de la Garza  
Ph.B., University of Chicago  
Spanish  
Hobby: Collecting knick-knacks  
Ambition: To travel



Mr. George J. Garza  
B.A., M.A., S. W. T. T. C., San Marcos  
History  
Mechanical Drawing  
Hobby: Woodwork  
Ambition: To be a research educator



Mr. John Green  
B.S., Sul Ross  
Athletic Supervisor  
Hobby: Love for good athletes  
Ambition: To retire



Miss Ruth Green  
M.A., Texas University  
Civics and History  
Hobby: Sewing



Miss Maria Gonzalez  
B.A., S. M. U.  
Math, Spanish  
Hobby: Tending to my own business



Mrs. Ellen Hamby  
M.A., Baylor University  
Science  
Hobby: Collecting and classifying flowers  
Ambition: To write a book on flowers of Texas



Mrs. Anthony Ferris  
B.A., B.S., Texas State College for Women  
Texas A. & I.  
University of Texas  
Columbia University  
Homemaking 1, 2, 3  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: To travel



Miss Annilee Giles  
B.A., Texas University  
San Marcos, A. & I.  
History, Eco., Civics  
Hobby: Collecting perfume bottles  
Ambition: To teach history 6



Mr. H. J. Hamby  
A.B., M.A., Baylor University  
Science  
Hobby: Resting  
Ambition: To be a good old man



Miss Aminta Gonzalez  
M.A., Texas University  
University of Mexico  
Columbia University  
Spanish  
Sponsor, Pan American Forum



Miss Meta Hertwig  
B.M., Incarnate Word  
Music  
Hobbies: Traveling, Reading  
Ambition: To teach music in all forms



Miss Diana Lafon  
B.A., B.S., M.A., T.S.C.W.  
Columbia University  
Clothing  
Hobbies: Walking and Swimming  
Ambition: To be home economics consultant for well known magazine



Miss Lela McKinley  
B.A., M.A., Texas University  
Math  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Travel extensively



Mrs. M. M. Lindheim  
B.A., Texas University  
English  
Hobby: Club work  
Ambition: To have every student speak good English  
Sponsor: Pettit Poetry Club



Mrs. E. A. Leonard  
B.A., A. & I. College  
English  
Hobby: Golf  
Ambition: Travel



Mr. Claude Notzon  
B.C., St. Edward's Univ.  
Business Administration  
Hobby: Sports fan



Mrs. Nellie Moore  
B.S., B.A., M.E., Baylor, Texas University  
Alabama College  
University of Mexico  
Howard Payne  
History  
Hobby: Collecting elephants  
Ambition: Live in Mexico



Miss Dorothy Lockwood  
B.A., Texas University  
Typing  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Secretary to an executive in a large law firm



Miss Alma Pierce  
B.A., M.A., Texas University  
Spanish  
Hobby: Gardening  
Ambition: Portrait painter



Miss Helen MacGregor  
A.B., Texas University  
A. & I. College  
Columbia University  
English  
Hobby: Dogs  
Ambition: Have a pretty garden



Mrs. H. B. Palmer  
R.N., Texas University  
Red Cross Home Nursing  
Hobby: Flowers



Mr. Fernando Peña  
B.A., Rice Institute  
Texas University  
T. C. U.  
Pre-flight and physical training  
Ambition: Personnel manager



Mrs. I. M. Pittman  
B.S., Ward-Belmont  
Weatherford College  
T. C. U.  
Speech  
Hobby: Giving out re-  
admit slips  
Ambition: All members of  
the cast at all rehearsals  
Sponsor, Thespian Dra-  
matic Society



Mr. George  
Reuthinger  
B.A., Trinity University  
Chemistry  
General Science  
Sponsor, Thomas Edison  
Science Club



Mrs. Hazen G. Sorrel  
B.A., Southwestern Univ.  
Texas Tech  
English  
Hobby: Collecting dogs  
Ambition: To own dog  
kennels



Miss L. V. Siros  
B.A., M.A., Texas Univ.  
Columbia University  
Spanish  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Travel



Miss Pilar Saenz  
A.A., B.A., M.A.,  
Wesley College  
Texas University  
A. & I.  
Spanish  
Hobby: Books  
Ambition: To become a  
better teacher



Mrs. J. E. Willis  
B.A., Texas University  
History  
Hobby: Two boys  
Ambition: To be a good  
mother and teacher



Miss Raquel Uribe  
B.A. in Math, T. S. C. W.  
Math, General Math  
Hobby: Knitting  
Ambition: To go to  
Columbia University



Mr. F. Lee Weigel  
Vocational Teachers Cer-  
tificate from Austin  
Public Schools  
Ornamental Iron and  
Metal Works  
Hobby: Work  
Ambition: To teach others  
what I know  
Sponsor of Trade and  
Industrial Club



Mrs. Norman Sorrell  
B.A., Rice Institute  
English Literature  
Hobby: Hunting  
Ambition: To be a col-  
lege professor  
Sponsor, "La Pitahaya"

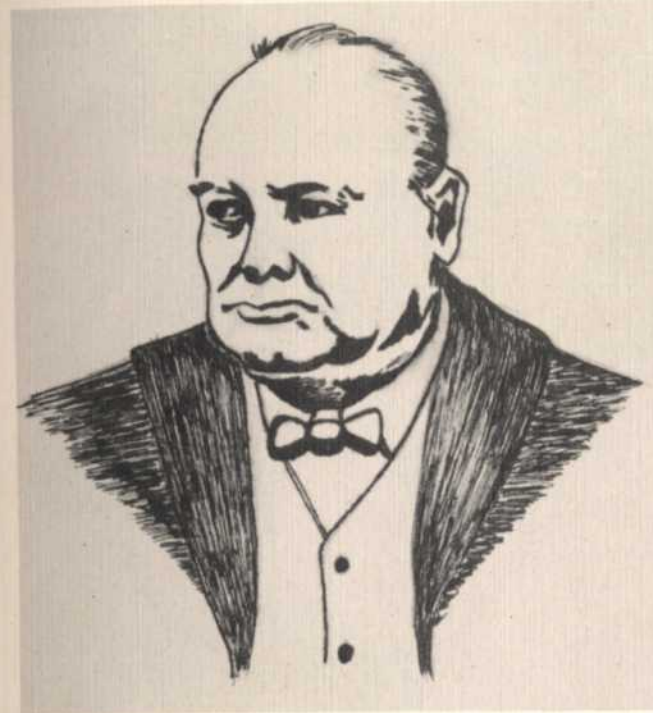


Miss Adele  
Wildenthal  
B.S., S. W. T. S. T. C.  
Typing  
Hobby: Scrapbooks  
Ambition: WAVE  
Sponsor of C. S. C.



Mrs. Blanche Brown  
Wright  
B.A., Texas University  
Math  
Hobby: Reading

# SENIORS



COLLECTING SCRAP IRON





**Mickey Allen**  
Pettit Poetry Club, Pres.  
Thespians  
Tennis '39-'42  
Senior Star  
Annual Staff, '39-'42  
Band '39-'42  
Hobby: Thinking  
Ambition: To get a Ph.D.



**Concha Alvarado**  
Ellen H. Richards, Vice-President  
Hobby: Collecting pictures  
Ambition: Travel around the world



**Manuel Arechiga**  
Football, Basketball  
Hobby: Sports  
Ambition: Business man



**Dolores Alvarado**  
French Club  
Ellen H. Richards  
Tennis and Dancing  
Hobby: Photography  
Ambition: Join the WAVES



**Joyce Barnes**  
C. S. C., Choral Club,  
Thespians Club  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Riveter in airplane factory



**Concha Bernal**  
Hobby: Collect Models  
Ambition: Beauty Operator



**Mario Caballero**  
Pan-American  
Hobby: Billiards  
Ambition: Attend A. & M., join Air Corps



**Patricia Brennan**  
C. S. C., Secy.  
Radio Club, Secy.  
Journal, Editor-in-Chief  
Hobbies: Building model airplanes, radios  
Ambition: Commander-in-Chief of the WAACs



**Federico Cabello**  
Hobbies: Baseball, Hunting and Boxing  
Ambition: Business Man



**Gloria Bruni**  
Pan American Student Forum  
Pep Squad  
Annual Staff  
Hobbies: Keeping a diary, Collecting books  
Ambition: To be a writer



**Jesus Chapa**  
Basketball  
Hobby: Collect letters  
Ambition: Be a U. S. Flier



**Raul Barrera**  
Hobby: Stamp collecting  
Ambition: Successful Business man



**Hortencia Benavides**  
Future Homemaker  
Pep Squad '40-'41  
Volleyball '40  
Hobby: Writing letters  
Ambition: Air Corps Stewardess



**Evelyn Gloria Benavides**  
C. S. C. Vice-Pres., Reporter '41  
Pan American Student Forum, Pres.  
Pep Squad  
Hobbies: Reading and horseback riding  
Ambition: To be an archeologist



**Carlos Benavides**  
Pan American Club  
Hobby: Sports  
Ambition: Ranchman



**Elvira Benavides**  
Pan American  
Hobby: Collecting pins  
Ambition: Secretary



**Rodolfo Cantu**  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Finish school and join army



**James Campbell**  
Football  
Basketball  
Gavel Club, Vice-President  
Ambition: Naval Air Corps pilot



**Gene Carter**  
Theodore Roosevelt Track and Basketball  
Hobbies: Photography, Target Shooting  
Ambition: To be a graduate of A&M



**Lee Carter**  
Theodore Roosevelt Basketball and Track  
Hobby: Shooting  
Ambition: To study law



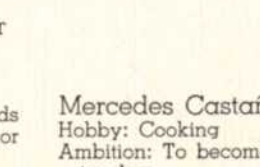
**Jerry Bergman**  
Thespians Club  
Band  
Ambition: Private secretary



**Wanda Bessan**  
Annual Staff  
Senior Star  
National Thespians, Sec.  
Gavel Club, President  
Hobby: Collecting Odd Pictures  
Ambition: Successful in whatever I do



**Malcolm Carpenter**  
Pan American Student Forum  
Hobbies: Collecting stamps and arrowheads  
Ambition: Naval Cadet or Foreign Officer



**Mercedes Castañeda**  
Hobby: Cooking  
Ambition: To become a teacher





**Maria de Jesus Castaño**  
 Pres. of T. & S. Club  
 Hobby: Stamp collecting  
 Ambition: To join the WAAFs



**Minerva Carmona**  
 Hobby: Movies  
 Ambition: To work at Laredo Gunnery School



**Charles Clark**  
 Patrick Henry Club  
 Hobby: Stamp collecting  
 Ambition: To ride across the country on a motorcycle



**Teofila Castañeda**  
 Hobby: Reading  
 Ambition: To travel



**Maria Cervera**  
 Hobby: Reading mystery books  
 Ambition: Nurse



**Antonio Duarte**  
 Football  
 Hobby: Collecting Defense Stamps  
 Ambition: Engineer



**Josefina Espinoza**  
 Ellen Richards Future Homemakers  
 Hobby: Reading  
 Ambition: To travel around the world



**Melida Espinoza**  
 T. & S. Club  
 Hobby: Hiking  
 Ambition: Attend Lady of the Lake



**Consuelo Estrada**  
 Ellen Richards Future Homemakers  
 Hobby: Playing baseball  
 Ambition: Typist



**Rene Du Fresne**  
 T. & I. Club  
 Pettit Poetry Club  
 Hobby: Cartooning  
 Ambition: Airplane Mechanic



**Beverley Cole**  
 Girls' Volleyball Team '40  
 Girls' Chorus  
 Pep Squad  
 Hobby: Horseback riding  
 Ambition: To be a college graduate



**Arline Coleman**  
 C. S. C., Band  
 Hobby: Collecting movie star pictures  
 Ambition: Work in an airplane factory



**Carlos Hector Cruz**  
 Ambition: Air Corps Cadet



**Gloria Laura de la Garza**  
 Thomas A. Edison  
 Annual Staff, Club Editor  
 Journal Staff  
 Hobby: Reading  
 Ambition: To study bacteriology



**Lilia Contreras**  
 Hobbies: Collecting snapshots and reading  
 Ambition: To be a nurse



**Esperanza Farias**  
 Hobby: To collect snapshots  
 Ambition: Typist



**Alicia Ferrino**  
 Hobby: Reading  
 Ambition: Writer



**Henry Fasci**  
 Thomas Edison Club  
 Journal Staff  
 "La Pitahaya" Co-Editor  
 Senior Star  
 Hobby: Scientific Experimenting  
 Ambition: Civil Engineer



**Lila Mae Ferrera**  
 Pan American Student Forum  
 Hobby: Collecting dress pictures  
 Ambition: Air Hostess



**Tomasita Fitzpatrick**  
 T. & S. Club '41  
 S. P. I. E. Club, Parliamentarian  
 English Council  
 "La Pitahaya" Editor  
 Senior Star  
 Hobby: Thinking  
 Ambition: Commander-in-Chief of the WAVES



**Nicholas Douglas**  
 Hobby: Radio  
 Ambition: Sheet metal worker



**John Davis**  
 Hobbies: Hunting and fishing  
 Ambition: Radio technician



**Alicia Flores**  
 Hobby: Reading  
 Ambition: Telephone operator



**Blanche Flores**  
 Thespan Club  
 Ellen Richards  
 Sec. of Pettit Poetry Club  
 Annual Staff  
 Senior Star  
 Hobby: Dancing  
 Ambition: Dancing career





**Patsy Foster**  
C. S. C., Vice-Pres.  
Pep Squad, Vice-Pres.  
Annual Staff  
Cheer Leader  
Senior Star  
Hobby: Collecting records  
Ambition: Dress Designer



**Fernando Garcia**  
T. and S. Club  
"La Pitahaya" Book-keeper  
Hobby: Play guitar over the radio  
Ambition: Business man



**Philip Freed**  
Thespian  
Hobby: Photography  
Ambition: Designing



**Jimmy Gallagher**  
Pan American Student Forum  
Hobby: Guns  
Ambition: Rancher



**Enedina Flores**  
Ambition: Secretary



**Maria Elena Garza**  
Annual Staff  
Hobby: Writing shorthand  
Ambition: To become a good stenographer



**Maria de Jesus Garza**  
T. & S. Club  
Journal Staff  
Annual Staff  
Hobby: Writing letters and poems  
Ambition: To be a secretary



**Veronica Gonzalez**  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: To Graduate



**Rebecca Gonzalez**  
Pan American Student Forum  
Ambition: Bacteriologist



**Virginia Gonzalez**  
Ellen H. Richards, Pres.  
Hobby: Collecting Pictures for Scrapbook  
Ambition: Attend Seton's



**Lilia Garcia**  
Band  
Hobby: Collect different kinds of pins  
Ambition: Air Hostess



**Reynaldo Garcia**  
Thomas A. Edison  
Ambition: Army Aviation Cadet



**Maria R. Garcia**  
Library Service Club  
Ellen H. Richards Club  
Annual Staff  
Hobby: Collect snapshots  
Ambition: Telephone operator



**Matias A. Garcia**  
Thomas A. Edison  
Annual Staff  
Hobby: Collecting Coins  
Ambition: Pharmacist



**Josephine Garcia**  
Ellen H. Richards '40-'42  
Annual Staff '41  
Hobby: Photography  
Ambition: To graduate



**Armando Guerra**  
Poetry Club  
Band  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: To be a teacher



**Edward Grubbs**  
Thomas A. Edison  
Pan American  
Hobby: Studying new chemicals  
Ambition: Construction Engineer



**Virginia Guerra**  
Hobby: Write to pen pals  
Ambition: Teacher



**Eduardo Guajardo**  
T. & S. Club, Sgt.-at-Arms  
Radio Club  
Hobby: Radio Ham, Reading  
Activities: Track, Journal and Annual  
Ambition: Radio Technician in Air Corps



**Mario Guerra**  
Thomas A. Edison  
Senior Star  
Annual Staff  
Journal Staff  
Hobby: Collecting Pencils  
Ambition: Radio Commentator



**Alfonso J. Garza**  
Pan American Student Forum  
Journal Sports and Annual Sports Editor  
Vice-President, Junior Class '41-'42  
Senior Class '42-'43  
Interscholastic District winner in shorthand '42  
Ambition: To be a successful business man



**Alejandro R. Garcia**  
Thomas A. Edison, Vice-President  
"La Pitahaya" Staff  
Senior Star  
Hobby: Experimenting in chemistry  
Ambition: Chemical Engineer



**Arturo R. Garza**  
Thomas A. Edison, Sgt.-at-Arms  
Hobby: Experimenting with chemicals  
Ambition: Aeronautical engineer



**Tom Herring**  
Band  
School Orchestra  
Swing Orchestra  
Hobby: Automobiles  
Ambition: To be a business executive





**Maria Luisa Gutierrez**  
Secy. of T. & S. Club  
Hobby: Collecting stamps  
Ambition: To be a stenographer



**Ollie May Gunnoe**  
Pan American Student Forum  
Reporter of Pettit Poetry Club  
Annual Staff  
Hobby: Writing poetry  
Ambition: To be a Poet



**Arthur Gurwitz**  
National Thespian Honor Society, Vice-Pres.  
Gamma Society  
Band, Dance Band  
Hobby: Model airplane building  
Ambition: Aeronautical Engineer



**Enriqueta Hernandez**  
Hobby: Collecting poems  
Ambition: Nurse



**Anastacio Hernandez**  
Hobbies: Hunting and swimming  
Ambition: Bookkeeper



**Ruth Hatch**  
Theodore Roosevelt Pan American  
Debate, Declamation  
Hobby: Weaving  
Ambition: Pharmacist, Cosmetician



**Ramona Gutierrez**  
T. and S. Club  
Hobby: Collecting Stamps  
Ambition: Nurse



**Viola Herbeck**  
Hobby: Collecting Stamps  
Ambition: Writer



**Jose Hernandez**  
Thomas A. Edison Athletics  
Hobby: Making coffin models  
Ambition: Undertaker, Embalmer



**Virginia Hill**  
Thespian Club  
Annual  
Hobby: Collecting Match Covers  
Ambition: Navy Nurse



**Olga Gutierrez**  
Nike '39  
Chairman of Homemakers  
Tennis  
Hobby: Collecting wish-bones  
Ambition: Become a good housewife



**Ted Herrera**  
T. & I. Club  
Football '39  
Hobby: Hunting  
Ambition: U. S. Army flier



**Catherine Jackson**  
Ellen H. Richards Club  
Thespian Club  
Hobby: Collecting Souvenirs  
Ambition: Matrimony



**Maria Luisa Ibarra**  
Hobby: Collecting Stamps  
Ambition: Red Cross Nurse



**Louis Kowalski**  
Vice-Pres., Patrick Henry Club  
Ambition: Commissioned officer in Air Corps



**Hector Lopez**  
Pan American Student Forum  
Hobby: Reading fiction and selected poems  
Ambition: To attend Texas University



**Raquel Lozano**  
Library Service Club 1939-43  
Allegro, '41-'42  
Future Homemakers, '41-'43  
Reporter, Volleyball '37-'41  
Hobby: Making friends  
Ambition: To be a nurse



**Julia Jacaman**  
Pan American Student Forum  
Tennis  
President of Freshman Class '39  
Hobbies: Riding, Tennis, Dancing  
Ambition: To be a teacher



**Aurelia Lopez**  
Hobby: Postcard collector  
Ambition: Salesgirl, Office girl



**Ruth Kern**  
Thespian, Treas., '41-'43  
C. S. C., Reporter  
Journal Staff  
Hobbies: Reading, Nature Study, Collecting Stamps and Postcards  
Ambition: To travel around the world



**Willie Lopez**  
Hobbies: Playing Tennis, Hunting  
Ambition: Ranchman



**Lydia Jackson**  
Gamma Society  
Ellen H. Richards  
Pep Squad President  
Cheer Leader  
Annual Staff, C. S. C.  
Hobby: Collecting Photographs  
Ambition: To kill a deer



**Bob Leary**  
Football, Track  
Journal, La Pitahaya  
Hobbies: All sports  
Ambition: To kill Hitler



**Maria de Lourdes Longoria**  
Ellen H. Richards  
Annual Staff  
Ambition: Navy Nurse



Dora Luna  
Ellen H. Richards  
Historian  
Hobby: Collecting  
Pictures  
Ambition: Secretary



Nellie Mae Martin  
Pan American Student  
Forum  
Thomas A. Edison  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Secretary



Alicia Martinez  
Secretary of Ellen H.  
Richards  
Tennis  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Math Teacher



Ada Maria Martinez  
Band  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Stenographer



Andrea Martinez  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Secretary



Sofia Mata  
Ellen H. Richards  
Ambition: Nurse



Gumercindo Medellin  
Band, Orchestra  
Hobby: Drawing  
Ambition: Air Cadet



Eleanor Mauck  
Poetry Club  
Thespian, C. S. C.  
Annual, Asst. Editor  
Hobby: Foreign money  
collection  
Ambition: Navy Nurse



Hollis Mauck  
Hobby: Mechanics  
Ambition: To fight Japs



Inez Medina  
Pan American  
Hobbies: Collecting  
stamps and paper dolls



Carlota Martinez  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Telephone  
Operator



Maria Guadalupe  
Martinez  
Ellen H. Richards  
Band  
Hobby: Collecting recipes  
Ambition: Housewife



Esperanza Martinez  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Nurse



Francisca Martinez  
T. & S. Club  
Band  
Hobby: Collect Souvenirs  
Ambition: Stenographer



Beatriz Martinez  
Pettit Poetry Club  
Annual Staff  
Hobby: Collect Recipes  
Ambition: Stenographer



Herminia Medina  
Pettit Poetry Club  
Hobby: Collection of  
snapshots  
Ambition: Stenographer



Agustin Mena  
Orchestra  
English Council  
Hobby: Music  
Ambition: Radio Tech-  
nician



Aida Menchaca  
T. & S. Club  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Private secre-  
tary



Rafael Mendez  
Patrick Henry  
Annual, 1940  
Band  
Dances  
Ambition: To be a pilot



Amelia Mena  
Orchestra  
Hobby: Collecting movie  
stars' autographs  
Ambition: Secretary

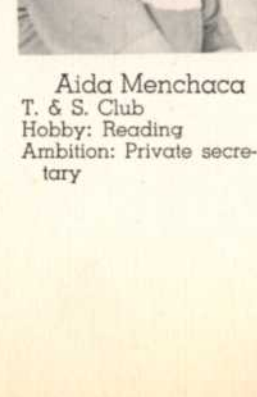


Moses R. Martinez  
Thomas A. Edison  
Football  
Safety Patrol, 1939-41  
Hobby: Collecting Defense  
Stamps  
Ambition: Navy Air Corps

Clifford Mast  
Ambition: Chemical  
Engineer



Jose Mercado  
Hobby: Radio  
Ambition: Radio Tech-  
nician



Margarita Mendoza  
Ambition: Nurse



Betty Jane Murphy  
Band  
Orchestra  
Ambition: Court reporter



Fidel Morado  
Secretary of T. & I. Club  
Football 1939  
Track 1940  
Mgr., Football Basketball  
and Track, 1940-42  
Hobby: Towel Collecting  
Ambition: Welder



Leonor Montes  
Ellen H. Richards  
Band and Tennis  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Navy Nurse



Joseph Neal Naranjo  
Radio Club  
Basketball  
Track  
Journal Sports Editor  
Hobby: Hunting  
Ambition: Bomb Tokyo  
and Berlin



Mary Beth Murray  
Hobby: Sports  
Ambition: Go to college



Maria Luisa Peña  
T. & S. Club  
Tennis, Baseball  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Nurse



Jack Preston  
Radio Club  
Tennis, Basketball  
Hobby: Sports  
Ambition: Radio Techni-  
cian



Kathleen Porter  
Ambition: School Teacher



Alberto Pulido  
Track letterman  
Ambition: Aircraft welder  
Vice-Pres. of T. & I. Club  
Foreman of Vocational  
Shop



Maria Luisa Quijas  
T. & S. Club  
Hobbies: Reading, Letter-  
writing  
Ambition: To travel



Mary Newman  
Ellen H. Richards  
T. & S. Club  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Secretary



Samuel Neira  
Band  
Hobbies: Hunting, fishing,  
swimming  
Ambition: Aviator in  
Army or Marine Corps



Roberto Olszewski  
Treasurer of Thomas A.  
Edison Club  
Hobby: Fix old cars  
Ambition: Chemical Engi-  
neer



Carlos Ortiz  
Hobby: Hunting  
Ambition: Army Cadet



Consuelo Peña  
Library Service Club



Naomi Ramon  
Orchestra  
Hobby: Collecting auto-  
graphs  
Ambition: Secretary



Carlos Ramos  
T. and I. Club  
Ambition: To get a civil  
service job



Eduardo Ramon  
Radio Club  
Pres. of Freshman Class  
Hobby: Hunting  
Ambition: Aircraft Welder  
or Army Pilot



Santos Quiroz  
Future Homemakers  
Pep Squad and Band  
Hobby: Collecting Match  
Folders  
Ambition: Air line hostess



Augusto Peña  
Pan-American Student  
Forum  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Attend A. & M.  
College

Fred Payle  
T. & I. Club, President  
Football



Albert Pape  
Basketball  
Hobby: Model Airplane  
Building  
Ambition: Marine Pilot



Juan Ramirez  
Hobbies: Making airplane  
models and collecting  
rocks  
Ambition: To be an Air  
Cadet



Jimmy Richter, Jr.  
Annual Staff, Photogra-  
pher  
Hobby: Fishing  
Ambition: Aeronautical  
Engineer



Guadalupe Regino  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Nurse



Maria M. Rodriguez  
Ambition: To graduate



Sam Rives  
Basketball  
Hobby: Work  
Ambition: Business executive



Raquel Rodriguez  
Hobby: Collecting match covers  
Ambition: Air Hostess



Lala Rogerio  
Ellen H. Richards  
Choir, Thespian, Band  
Hobby: Writing Letters  
Ambition: Join the WAACs



Fina Samuels  
Pep Squad 1939  
Hobby: Swimming  
Ambition: To get a Civil Service job



Rosa Sanchez  
Hobbies: Saving letters and cards  
Ambition: To get married



George Savins  
Thespian  
Hobby: Chemistry  
Ambition: Organic Chemist



Berta San Miguel  
Hobby: Collecting Stamps  
Ambition: Nurse



Fernanda Solis  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Salesgirl



Oscar David Salinas  
Track  
Hobby: Raise chickens  
Ambition: To be a farmer and rancher



Emily E. Rollman  
Band  
Journal  
Hobby: Collect match folders  
Ambition: To be an architect



Ofelia A. Salinas  
Annual Staff  
T. & S. Club  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Secretary



Esther Saenz  
Orchestra  
Hobby: Collect pictures and post cards  
Ambition: Typist



Mike Saenz  
T. & S. Club, Vice-Pres.  
Class Pres., '41, '42, '43  
Journal Bus. Mgr.  
Annual Layout Artist  
Junior, Senior Star  
Hobby: Working puzzles  
Ambition: Engineer



Maria Soto  
Hobby: Collecting photos of friends  
Ambition: To be a stenographer



Tom Spencer  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Para-trooper



Myrtle Thomey  
Thespian Club  
Radio Club  
Hobbies: Collecting dolls and stamps  
Ambition: Secretary



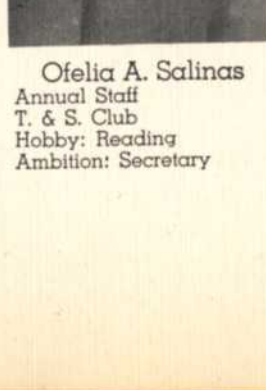
Fernando Torres  
Annual Staff, Secretary  
Ambition: To be a Master Sergeant in service of his country



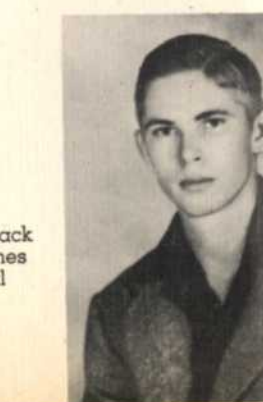
Maria de Jesus Torres  
T. and L.  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobbies: Reading and Writing Letters  
Ambition: To be a nurse



Rogelio Salinas  
Pan American, Vice-Pres.  
Hobby: Photography  
Ambition: Be in the Air Corps



Jim Sample  
F. F. A.  
Airplane Club  
Football, Baseball, Track  
Hobby: Model airplanes  
Ambition: Commercial Pilot



Francisco Treviño  
Hobby: Horseback riding  
Ambition: Ranchman



Alicia Angelina Uribe  
Pan American Student Forum  
Annual Staff  
Hobbies: Reading and going to movies





Arturo Vasquez  
T. & S. Club  
Journal Staff  
La Pitahaya Business Staff  
Ambition: Aeronautical Field



George Vela  
Football  
Basketball  
Track  
Hobby: Making model airplanes  
Ambition: U. S. Naval Flyer



Olga Vela  
T. & S. Club  
Hobby: Collecting friends' pictures  
Ambition: Airplane stewardess



Consuelo Viera  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Collecting Stamps  
Ambition: To be a nurse



Juan Villarreal, Jr.  
T. & S. Club  
Band  
Journal Staff



Evangelina Villarreal  
Pettit Poetry Club  
T. & S. Club  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: To be a Stenographer



Eudelia Zepeda  
Hobby: Collecting strange stories



Helen Watson  
Annual Staff  
Courtesy Service Club  
President  
Martha Berry Homemaking Club, Secretary  
Hobby: Designing  
Ambition: Model on Fifth Avenue



Ponce Villarreal  
Manager of football team  
Basketball  
Hobby: Collecting rings  
Ambition: To graduate



Jimmy Watson  
Pettit Poetry Club  
Band  
Hobbies: Hunting and Fishing  
Ambition: Engineer



Marcus Wormser  
Hobby: Collecting Match Covers  
Ambition: To be a Lieutenant



Gonzalo Diaz  
T. & I. Club  
Hobby: Radio  
Ambition: To join the Navy

# Juniors



WORKING IN THE VICTORY GARDEN





**Antonio Aguilar**  
Hobby: Collecting Snapshots  
Ambition: To graduate



**Victoria Alvarez**  
Hobby: Collecting stamps  
Ambition: Telephone operator



**Julia Arredondo**  
Hobby: Collecting stamps  
Ambition: Stenographer



**Jose Botello**  
Band  
Swing Orchestra  
Symphony Orchestra  
Hobby: Music  
Ambition: Be a good musician



**Robert Bondy**  
Thespians  
Hobby: Photography  
Ambition: Engineer



**Maria Contreras**  
Hobby: Collecting Movie Star's Pictures  
Ambition: Bookkeeper



**Jo Mae Coleman**  
Band  
Hobby: Collecting Pen-nants  
Ambition: Stenographer



**Hilario Cavazos**  
Radio Club  
Ambition: Radio Technician



**Hortencia Chapa**  
Hobby: Book collecting  
Ambition: Teacher



**Cecilia Castillo**  
Ambition: To be a nurse



**Woodie Brooks**  
Thespians  
Football, Basketball, Track  
Hobby: Carving  
Ambition: Doctor



**Francisca Canales**  
Band  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Nurse



**Aurora Streit Byerly**  
Thespians Society  
Courtesy Service Club  
Reporter of Sophomore Class  
Hobby: Developing my imagination  
Ambition: Not to be curious



**Robert Alexander**  
Pan American  
Hobby: Collecting old coins  
Ambition: Ranchman



**Olivia Cantu**  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: To graduate



**Luis Cuellar, Jr.**  
Football  
Hobby: Buying War Stamps  
Ambition: Marine Air Corps



**Jose A. Cruz**  
Band, Orchestra  
Hobby: Playing football  
Ambition: Mechanic in the Air Corps



**Willa Correu**  
Choral Club  
Hobby: Keeping a scrap-book  
Ambition: Nurse



**Jose Raul Cruz**  
Ambition: Join the Army Air Corps



**E. H. Corrigan**  
Theodore Roosevelt National Thespians, Pres.  
Declamation  
Cheer leader  
Hobby: Stamp collecting  
Ambition: Doctor



**Frank Carpenter**  
Football  
Ambition: Aviation cadet



**James Buford**  
Football  
Hobby: Building small engines  
Ambition: Mechanical Engineer



**Eduardo Davila**  
Ambition: Army Air Corps Cadet



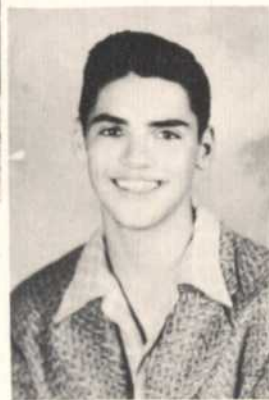
**Estefana Cavazos**  
Thomas Edison Club  
Band  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: To be a nurse



Carmen Escóbedo  
Hobby: Collecting snapshots  
Ambition: Stenographer



Maria Luisa de la Garza  
Ambition: Secretary



Rodrigo de Llano  
Thomas A. Edison  
Pan American '42  
Basketball '40-'41-'42  
Tennis '40-'41-'42  
Track Football  
Hobbies: All kinds of sports  
Ambition: Win National Tennis Championship in 1951



Selma Franklin  
Thespian  
C. S. C.  
Annual Staff, Bus. Mgr.  
Hobby: Eating  
Ambition: Model



Betty Lou Frank  
Annual Staff  
Pep Squad  
Ambition: Stenographer



Elia de la Garza  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Secretary

Florence Feuille  
Thespian  
Annual Staff, Bus. Mgr.  
Declamation  
Hobby: Collecting phonograph records  
Ambition: Air Hostess



Consuelo de la Paz  
Tennis  
Hobby: Collecting soldier pictures  
Ambition: To graduate



Elena Eggers  
Hobby: Reading good books  
Ambition: To graduate and be a stenographer



Ella Sylvia Douglas  
Pan American Club 41-42  
Pep Squad 40-42  
C. S. S. 42  
Annual Staff  
Hobbies: Reading, horse-back riding  
Ambition: Join WAACs



Priscilla Feuille  
Courtesy Service Club  
Ambition: To travel



Alice Dougherty  
Band  
Hobby: Read books



Mauricio Garcia  
Hobby: Collect pictures  
Ambition: Movie Operator



Hector Garcia



Antonio Gallegos, Jr.  
Hobby: Collecting Stamps  
Ambition: Navy Cadet



Velia Garza  
Hobby: Collecting war news  
Ambition: Secretary



Irene Garza  
Band  
Hobby: Dancing  
Ambition: Secretary



Emma Garza  
Annual Staff  
Ambition: Secretary



Hilda Irma Garza  
Hobby: Keep a scrapbook about the war  
Ambition: Secretary



Lamarr Garcia  
Pan American  
Hobby: Piano playing  
Ambition: To graduate



Graciela Gobeia  
Hobby: Art  
Ambition: Artist



Manuel Garcia  
Hobby: Collecting Insects  
Ambition: Mechanic



Juan C. Gomez  
Band  
Hobby: Sports  
Ambition: Join Marines



Adelaida Gonzalez  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Nurse



Gloria Gonzalez  
Orchestra  
Drum majorette of band  
Hobby: Playing piano  
Ambition: Music Teacher



Maria de Jesus Gonzalez  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Teacher



Robert Haynes  
T. and I. Club  
Track  
Hobby: Hunting  
Ambition: Join the Marines



Goya Hinojosa  
Hobby: Collect Cards  
Ambition: Stenographer



Maria Luz Hernandez  
Band  
Hobby: Collect Pictures  
Ambition: Nurse



Delia Garza  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Secretary



Billy Goree  
Hobby: Make War Scrap-books  
Ambition: Join Air Corps



Adoracion Guerra  
Hobby Collecting ribbons  
Ambition: Nurse.



Esther Alicia Guerra  
Hobby: Collect cook books  
Ambition: Nurse



David Hinojosa  
T. and I. Club  
Hobby: Carving  
Ambition: To join the Navy



Bill Haynes  
Band  
Journal Staff  
Annual Staff  
Hobby: Woodcraft  
Ambition: Agricultural Engineer



Concha Gutierrez  
Band  
Ambition: To graduate



Emilio Jacaman  
Football B Squad '40-'42  
Basketball B Squad '41-'42  
Junior Class Vice-Pres.  
Hobby: Sports  
Ambition: To go to college



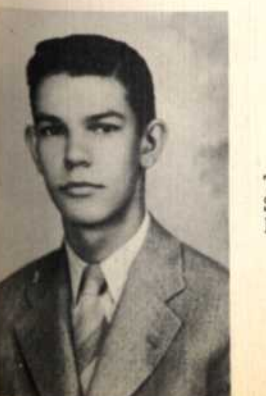
Robert Hornburg  
Band  
Declamation  
Ambition: Aeronautical Engineer



Maria Luisa Marulanda  
Pan American Student Forum  
Hobbies: Dancing and keeping a scrapbook  
Ambition: To study dancing from Carmen Amaya



Norberto Linares  
Band  
Hobby: Studying about radios  
Ambition: Radio Engineer



Oliverio Hinojosa  
Thomas A. Edison, Pres. Sophomore Class, Pres.  
Hobby: Experimenting with airplane motors



Beatrice Linares  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Collecting snapshots  
Ambition: Join the WAACs



Beatriz Leal  
Band, Journal  
Hobby: Stamp collecting  
Ambition: Nurse



Roy Hoffman  
Band, Dance Band  
Theodore Roosevelt Club  
Hobbies: Music and Radio  
Ambition: Electrical Engineer



Manuel Jimenez



Leopoldo Lerma  
Hobby: Collecting arrow-heads  
Ambition: Aviator



Yolanda Magnon  
Pan American Student Forum  
Hobby: Collecting color portraits of movie stars  
Ambition: Secretary



Mac Irvin  
National Thespian Band  
Tennis  
Swing Orchestra  
Hobby: Scouting  
Ambition: Chemical Research Eng.





Lupita Martinez  
Hobby: Music  
Ambition: To go to Mexico City



Emma Martinez  
Hobby: Collect snapshots  
Ambition: Air Corps Mechanic



Luis Martinez  
Thomas A. Edison, Sec.  
Ambition: Army, Medical Dept.



Armandina Mendiola  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobbies: Corresponding and dancing  
Ambition: Nurse



Imelda Martinez  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Collecting recipes  
Ambition: Go to college



Gloria Novoa  
Thomas A. Edison  
Band  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: School Teacher



Betty Jo Neely  
Journal Staff  
Hobbies: Sports, Stamps  
Ambition: To ferry bombers to England



Ollie Marie Nye  
Pan American  
Pep Squad, Master Sgt.  
Hobby: Doll Collecting  
Ambition: Pass Math 3



Delia Ochoa  
Hobbies: Reading and embroidering



Evelyn Newell  
Hobbies: Loafing and day dreaming  
Ambition: Detective



Estefana Muñoz  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Nurse



Gloria Montemayor  
Band  
Hobby: Collecting books  
Ambition: Teacher



Gregorio Mendoza  
Band  
Hobby: Loafing  
Ambition: Marine Corps



Elia Montemayor  
Thomas A. Edison  
Band  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Aviatrix



Sofia Miranda  
Band  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: To graduate



Irma Ornelas  
Orchestra, Sec.  
Treasurer of Junior Class  
Spanish reporter  
Thespian  
Hobby: Keeping an album  
Ambition: Nurse



Rodolfo Ochoa  
Ambition: Pilot in the Army Air Corps



Hortencia Olivares  
Hobby: Collecting friends' portraits  
Ambition: To graduate



Andres Ortiz  
Football  
Basketball  
Hobbies: Going to good picture shows, Listening to good orchestras  
Ambition: Join the Air Corps



Emma Ornelas  
Hobbies: Reading, collecting souvenirs  
Ambition: Teacher



Alicia Mendoza  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Teacher



Alicia Montemayor  
Hobby: Collect pictures  
Ambition: Secretary



Valentin Orregon  
T. and I. Club  
Hobby: Collecting stamps  
Ambition: Radio Technician



Gonzalo Ovalle  
Hobby: Collecting rocks  
Ambition: Air Cadet





Reynaldo Ramirez  
Ambition: Aviation Mechanic



Alfredo Perez  
T. & S. Club  
Journal Staff  
Band  
Hobby: Collect Postcards  
Ambition: Civil Service job



Emma Pakuszewski  
Hobby: Reading Mysteries  
Ambition: Airline Hostess



Philip Reyna  
Band  
Hobby: Stamp collecting  
Ambition: Be a Doctor



Valentin Padilla  
Band  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: To join the Air Corps



Herminia Santos  
Ambition: To graduate



Esperanza Sandoval  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Housewife



Herbert Sanchez  
Hobby: Photography  
Now in the United States  
Air Corps



Isabela Sanchez  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobbies: Reading, war scrapbook  
Ambition: Stenographer



Olga Rosenbaum  
C. S. C.  
Pan American, Reporter  
Journal Staff  
Hobbies: Scrapbooks, stamps  
Ambition: Costume Designer



Jesus Rodriguez  
T. & I. Club  
Basketball, Letterman '41  
Track  
Ambition: Air Cadet



Dora Rodriguez  
Mary Abel Club  
Hobby: Collect food recipes  
Ambition: Salesgirl



Leonor Rocha  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Collecting pins and pictures  
Ambition: Nurse



Margarita Rodriguez  
Hobby: Collecting Souvenirs  
Ambition: Telephone Operator



Pedro Hugo Reyna  
T. & I. Reporter  
Football '41  
Hobby: Collect phone numbers  
Ambition: Officer in the Air Corps



Yolanda Garcia Roel  
Band  
Hobby: Writing poems  
Ambition: Lawyer



Jack Savy  
Band  
Ambition: Aeronautical engineer



Carmen Russo  
Band  
Library Club  
Ambition: Beautician



Santiago Sanchez  
Journal Staff  
Hobby: Model Airplane Building  
Ambition: Doctor



Ramona Sanchez  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Collecting stamps  
Ambition: Secretary



Maria Luisa Rodriguez  
Hobby: Collecting pictures  
Ambition: Graduate

Leonor Rocha  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Collecting pins and pictures  
Ambition: Nurse

Amelia Bertha Prieto  
Thomas A. Edison  
Theodore Roosevelt  
Pres., Junior Class  
Interscholastic Declamation  
Orchestra 1941-42  
Sec.-Treas. of Soph Class  
Hobby: Collecting banners from boys in the U. S. Service



Leslie Smith  
Football  
Hobby: Swimming  
Ambition: Aeronautical Engineer

Carmen Russo  
Band  
Library Club  
Ambition: Beautician

Sophie Rosenbaum  
Pan American, Recording Sec.  
C. S. C.  
Hobbies: Stamps and keeping diary  
Ambition: Housewife





**Ina Scott**  
Band  
Hobbies: Dancing, Reading  
Ambition: Secretary



**Dora Serna**  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Secretary  
Ambition: Housewife



**Arthur Swan**  
Thomas A. Edison  
Hobby: Models  
Ambition: Chemical Engineer



**Petra Tijerina**  
Band  
Hobby: Collecting books  
Ambition: Nurse



**Judy Traylor**  
Pep Squad  
Ambition: English-Spanish Secretary



**Estela Villarreal**  
Hobby: Puzzles  
Ambition: Secretary



**Elia Villarreal**  
Mary Abel Club, Reporter  
Hobbies: Collecting recipes and friends' pictures  
Ambition: Travel



**Daniel Villarreal**



**Matilde Villafranca**  
Pan American Club  
Hobbies: Letter and stamp collecting  
Ambition: Public Health Nurse



**Guadalupe Vercera**  
Hobby: Collecting war pictures and science facts  
Ambition: Stenographer



**Angelica Stillman**  
Ellen H. Richards  
Band  
Hobby: Collecting books  
Ambition: Nurse



**Alfredo Torres**  
Band, Track, Basketball  
Annual Staff  
Pan American Forum  
Hobby: Swing Music  
Ambition: Master Mechanic



**Lucia Varela**  
Hobbies: Reading and Skating  
Ambition: Telephone Operator



**Rodolfo Uribe**  
Hobbies: Hunting and Fishing  
Ambition: Join Air Corps



**Dorothy Turman**  
Band  
Hobby: Collecting books  
Ambition: Aviatrix



**Jose Vergara**  
Hobbies: Hunting, hiking, sports  
Ambition: Rancher



**Stella West**  
Pep Squad, Cheer Leader  
Choral Club  
Hobby: Horses  
Ambition: Join the WAACs



**Refugio Vergara**  
Hobby: Collecting coins  
Ambition: Engineer



**Mary A. Walker**  
Hobbies: Reading and Dancing  
Ambition: Stenographer or bookkeeper



**Jimmy Watson**  
Poetry Club  
Band, Dance Band  
Hobbies: Hunting and fishing  
Ambition: Engineer



**Eustolia Sida**  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Secretary



**Pedro Uribe**  
Hobby: Reading stories from magazines  
Ambition: Mechanic in the Air Corps



**Adela Marta Villarreal**  
Hobby: Reading  
Ambition: Nurse



**Norma Zarate**  
Hobby: Collecting books  
Ambition: To work in a large business concern



Raul Gonzalez



Josephina Torres  
Hobby: Collecting pictures  
of movie stars  
Ambition: To graduate



Francisco Cardenas  
Pan American Student  
Forum  
Journal Staff, Band  
Hobby: Stamp collecting  
Ambition: Accountant



Mary Yolanda Olsen



Concha Gonzalez  
Ellen H. Richards  
Hobby: Collecting movie  
star pictures  
Ambition: To be a nurse

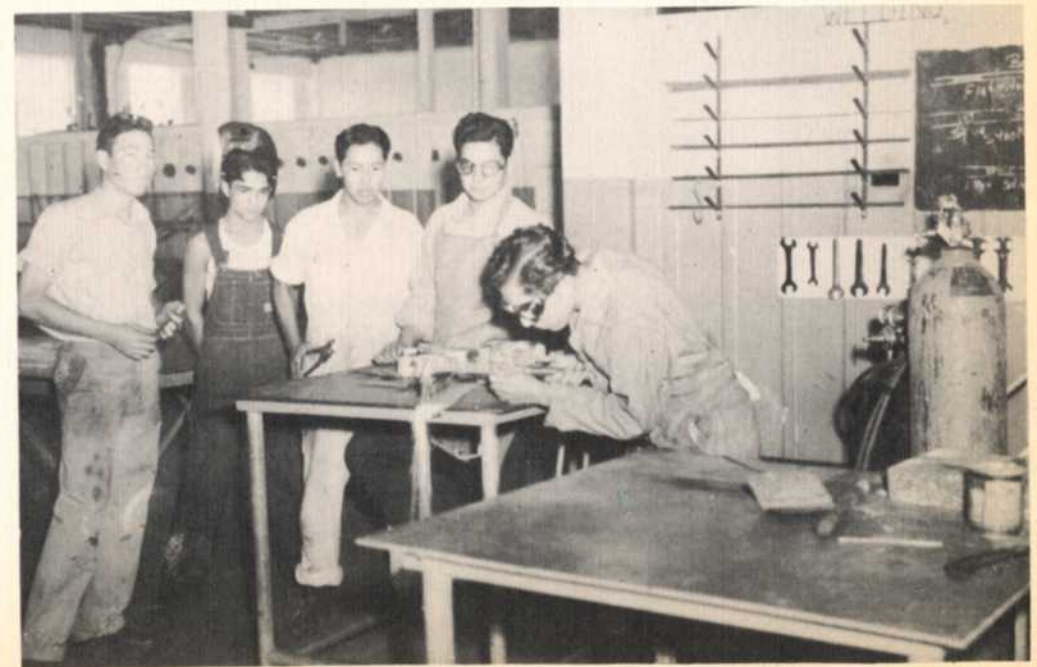


James Haynes  
Hobby: Hunting  
Ambition: To be a Marine

# Sophomores



THE BOYS LEARN WELDING





Carolina Aguero Alan Ahrentzen Beatriz Almendarez Irma Alvarez Joyce Alworth Audelia Arce Berta Arechiga



Domingo Arechiga, Jr. Guadalupe Arechiga Gloria Barrera Ricardo Bazaldua Maria Benavides Romeo Benavides Mike Brennan



Ruby Boyer Betty Ann Brewer Pedro Bustamante Francisca Cabello Veronica Cadena Carmen Cantu Leonardo Cantu



Guadalupe Cardenas Ma. Luisa Casiano Jose Casillas Hugo Casso Irene Gonzalez Victoria Cruz James Duke



Ovyda Drake Alexander Douglas Amador de Luna Maria Davila Maria de la Luz Perales Bette English Concepcion Escerrega



James Ferries Roberto Flores Alma Lee Galbraith Maria Luisa Gallegos Arturo Garcia Elia Garcia Imelda Garcia



Judith Garcia Maria del Carmen Garcia Ramiro Garcia Richard Garcia Carmen Garza Raul Garza Rodolfo Garza



Juan Gomez Consuelo Gonzalez Edgardo A. Gonzalez, Jr. Elida Gonzalez Elsa Gonzalez Gadier Gonzalez Irma Gonzalez



Maria Refugio Gonzalez Ninfa Gonzalez Roy Gray Leonor Grubbs Irene Guajardo Dorothy Guernsey Carlos Guerra



Lydia Guerra Consuelo Guerrero Jesus Gutierrez Olga Guzman Jimmy Hein Lucy Hein Angela Herrera



Alfonso Hernandez Gloria Hernandez Lazaro Hernandez Maria Cristina Hernandez Dolores Idar Opal Jones Bill Kegler



Selma Kazen Maria Luisa Lara Guadalupe Leal Carrie Lee Leyendecker Ernesto Linares Lily Libres Joy Loftis



Catarino Lopez Filomena Lopez Gloria Lopez Oscar M. Lopez Socorro Lopez Marcelino Martin Dolores Martinez



Gloria Martinez Leobardo Martinez James Mast William Martinez Jesus Meza Maria Isabel Meza Alfonso Miranda



Francisco Montemayor, Jr. Phillip Moore Betsy Morgan Elvira Munoz Patricio Munoz Gloria Ortiz Porfirio Ovalle



Tony de la Paz Ciro Peña Delia Perez Maria del Carmen Perez Socorro Ramirez Ninfa Ramos Berta Ramon



Maria Julia Resendez Leopoldo Reyna Agripina Rivera Elva Roach Alice Rodriguez Hilda Rodriguez Oscar Rodriguez



Pablo Rodriguez Tommie Rodriguez Zulema Rodriguez Jesusa Romero Guadalupe Ruiz Jose Efrain Ruiz Graciela Saenz



Leonor Saenz Maria Olivia Salinas Saul Sanchez Berta Sandoval Alejandro Sandoval Roberto San Miguel Apolonio Santos



Luis Salazar Allyn Scribner Dora Segovia Ann Shanks Janice Sherfy Jacquelyn Smith Cleotilde Resendez

# Freshmen



Rebecca Solis    Barbara Spear    Mary Virginia Stein    Alicia Treviño    Genoveva Vasquez    Laurentina Vela    Viola Villanueva



Alicia Villarreal    Elisa Villarreal    Josephina Villarreal    Juan Villarreal    Lilia Villarreal    Zulema Villarreal    Emily Zaiter



Thomas Hastings



Jimmy Pierce



Josefina Rendon



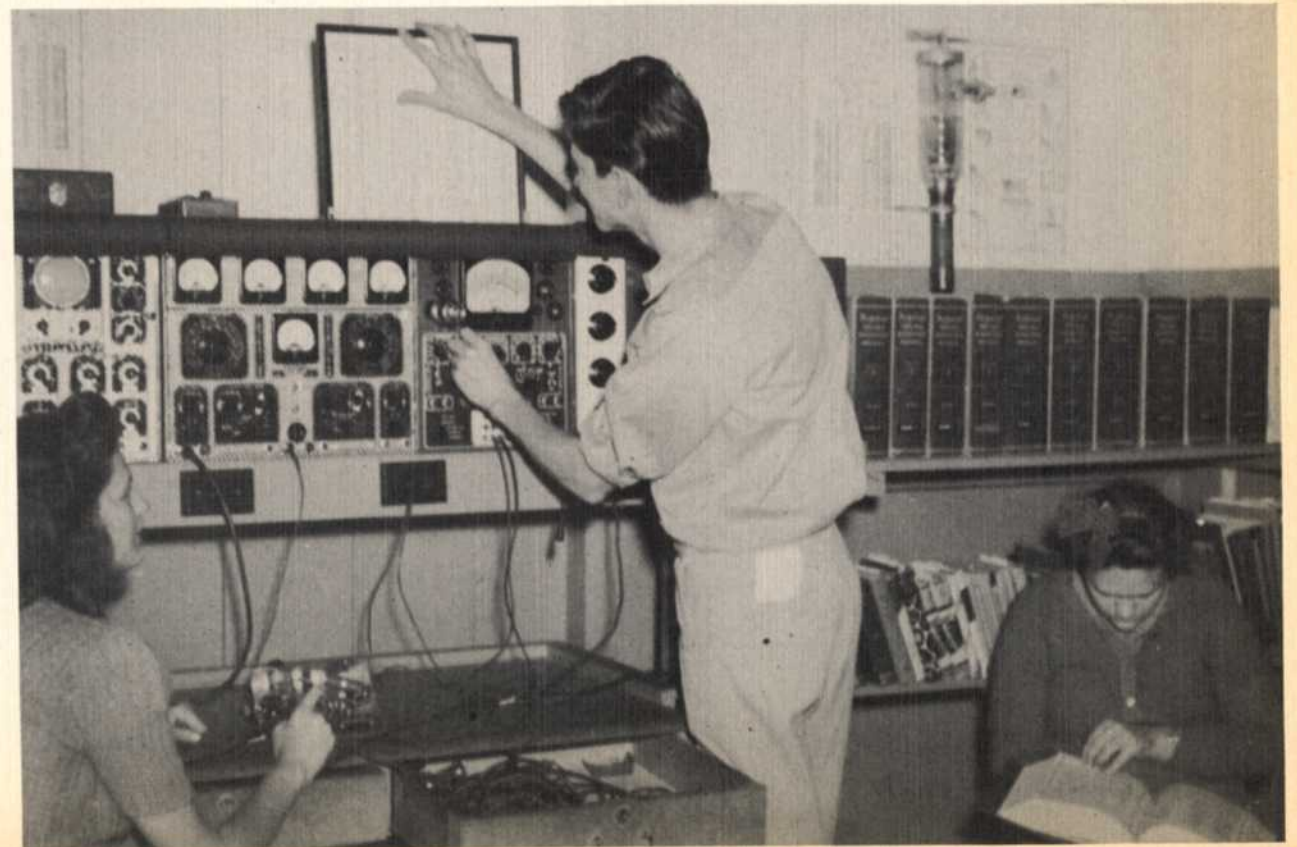
Alejandro Nieto



Florinda Flores



STUDENTS LEARN TO BE RADIO TECHNICIANS





Elvira Abrego    Rodolfo M. Acevedo    Kenneth Adkins    Arturo Aguilar    Herminia Aguilar    Rebecca Aguilar    Beatriz Aguirre



Alicia Ramona Alardin    Aurora Alvarez    Ruperto Araiza    Anita Arce    Armando Arce    Alfredo Arredondo    Peter Barrera



Juan Jose Bautista    Helen Bertram    Melville Blake    Petra Briones    Genoveva Buitron    Ricardo Buitron    Rogelio Cabello



Victoria Cabellero    Bonnie Campbell    Olivia Campos    Beatriz Canales    Amparo Cantu    Alfredo Cardenas    Ramon Castañeda



Carmen Castillo    Lilia Cavazos    Josephine Chapa    Jorge Chavez    Dorothy Clark    Juan Cortez    Alma Crane



Daniel Cuellar    Mary Cullinan    Elena de la Garza    Federico de la Garza    Irma de la Garza    Leonor de la Garza    Fernando de Leon



Maria Elena Delgado    Roberto Delgado    Jose Diaz    Lucy Dickinson    Ophelia Dominguez    Ofelia Dominguez    Richard Dougherty



Patsy Davis    Betty Dutson    Mary Jean Eistetter    Jose Elizondo    Wendell Elliott    Donald Enloe    Annie R. Feuille



Enriqueta Flores    Juan Flores    Juanita Flores    Rafaela Flores    Carl Frank    George Frank    Hilda Frausto



Irene Groesbeck    Rebeca Gascar    Ann Gafford    Estela Gallegos    Mary Alice Galvan    Roberto Galvan    Gloria Garcia





Ramon Garces Angelica Garcia Eloisa Garcia Esmeralda Garcia Gustavo Garcia Ignacio Garcia Maria Delia Garcia



Oliverio Garcia Rafael Garcia Corina Garcia Francisco Garza Olga Garza Irma Garza Ana Gonzalez



Aurora Gonzalez Cecilia Gonzalez Enriqueta Gonzalez Ernesto Gonzalez Gloria Gonzalez Hortencia Gonzalez Juanita Gonzalez



Leonor Gonzalez Leopoldo Gonzalez Socorro Gonzalez Berta Guajardo Luciano Guajardo Socorro Guerra Berta Guerrero



Beatriz Guevara Hortencia Guevara Andrew Jack Gunnoe Neil Gurwitz Agustin Gutierrez Beatriz Gutierrez Eva Gutierrez



Maria Gutierrez Rodolfo Gutierrez Ruth Haber Jeanette Hastings Joe Jackson Buck Hausman Mary Hein



Elena Hernandez Walter Hoffman Billy Bob Houk Hermelinda Leal Aida de Leon Pilar Lerma Hilda Linares



Laura Llaguno Josephina Lopez Ira Lowry Ofelia Lozano Hortence Luna Jose Luna Juan Luna



Ramiro Luna Augustine Laurel Hazel Marshal Alfredo Martinez Amelia Martinez Arturo Martinez Hector Martinez



Jose Martinez Jose Maria Martinez Leopoldo Martinez Ma. Teresa Martinez Pablo Martinez, Jr. Pedro Martinez Ramiro Martinez



Rodolfo Martinez Patricia Mast John C. Masterson Gloria Mata Homero Mata Mercedes Mata Pearl McKinnis



Delia Medina Ethel Meerscheid Alicia Morales Francisco Morales Horacio Muñoz Benjamin Nieto Arnold Nitishin



Alfonso Oliva Enrique Oliva Jose Oliva Lupe Olivares Guadalupe Olivera Ricardo Ortiz Carlota Palacios



Alfonso Peña Jose Luis Peña Librado Peña Roberto Peralta Angeliña Perez Edna Perez Lydia Perez



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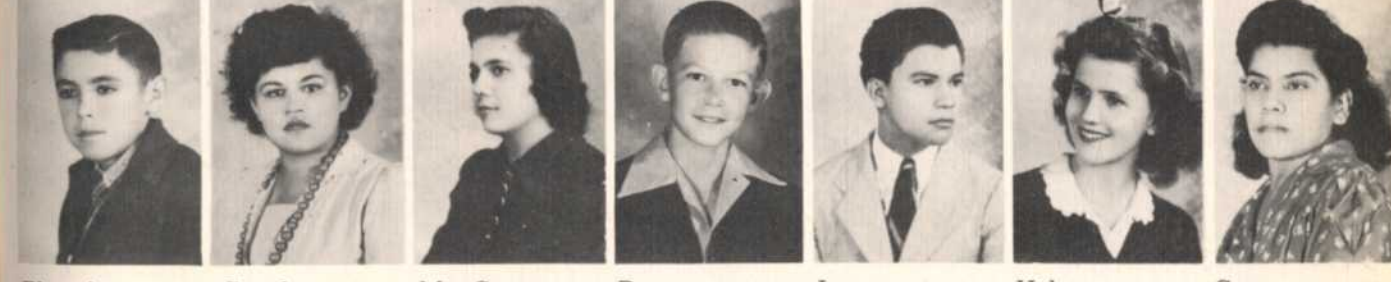
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Irma Rodriguez Ramiro Rodriguez Guadalupe Romo Antonieta Salinas Ofelia Salinas Rolando Salinas Alice Samuels



Hortencia Sanchez Juanita Sanchez Lazaro Sanchez, Jr. Raul Sanchez Calixto Sandoval Eduardo Sandoval Evangelina Sandoval



Placido Sandoval Concha Santos Ma. Socorro Serna Dean Sherfy Jesus Sierra Helen Smith Sara Solano



Elida Solis Ester Solis Ma. Luisa Solis Olivia Stillman Fernando Tijerina Raul Tijerna Clara Torres



Beatriz Treviño   Roberto Treviño   Aida Trujillo   Odilia Treviño   Alicia Urbano   Marco Uribe   Francisco Valle



Jose Varga   Amelia Vela   Berta Vela   Olivia Vela   Ernesto Vergara   Guadalupe Villareal   Ana Maria Viscaya



Phil Ward   J. L. Waller   Joan Weigand   Ma. Teresa Wise   June Wright   Estela Zamora   Zulema Zarate



Magdalena Vela

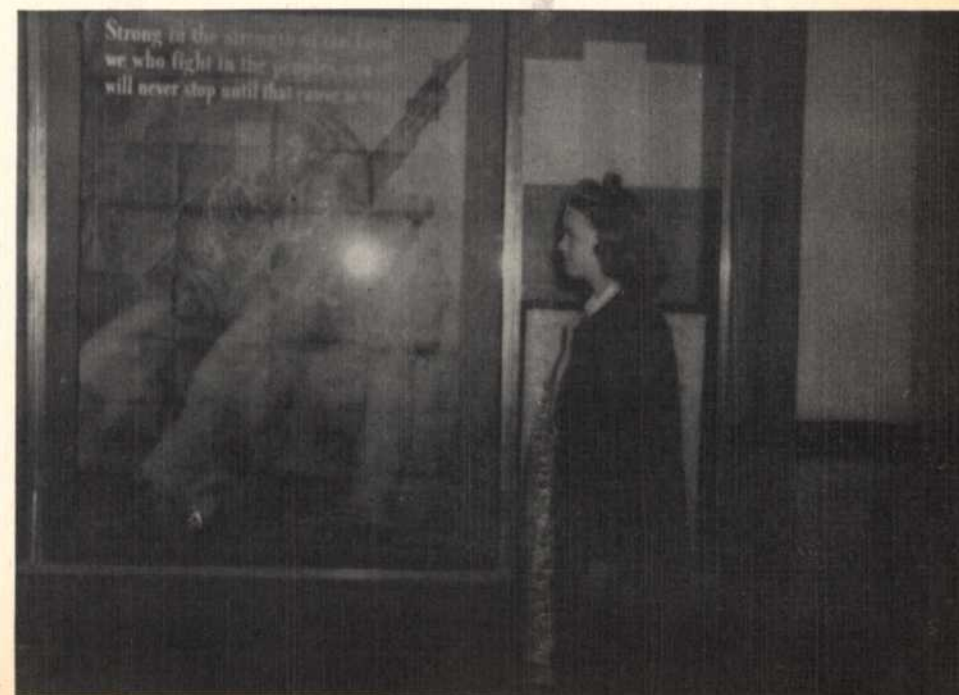


Mauro Luna

# School Life



WAR POSTER HOLDS STUDENT'S ATTENTION





*The Bouganvillia Court  
JUNIOR-SENIOR  
PROM*



*Carrico's Band Swings it*



*The Queen and her Court*

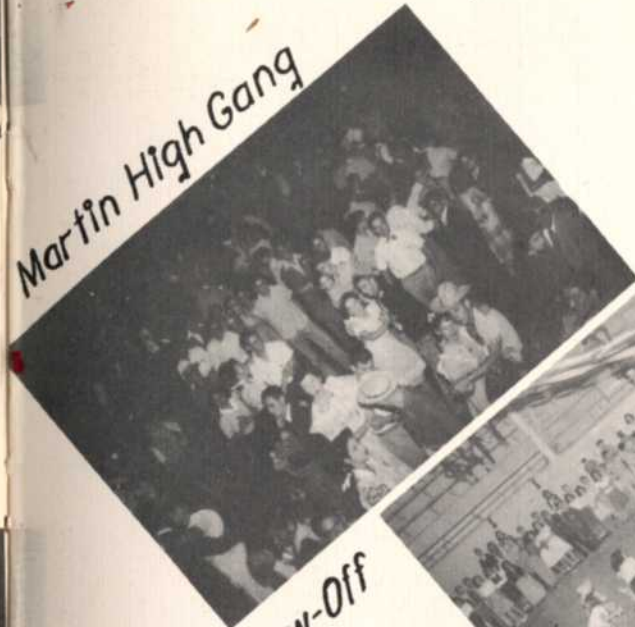


*They Look Nice, Don't They?*

*Berta Speaks  
to Students*



*Take it Easy Boys*



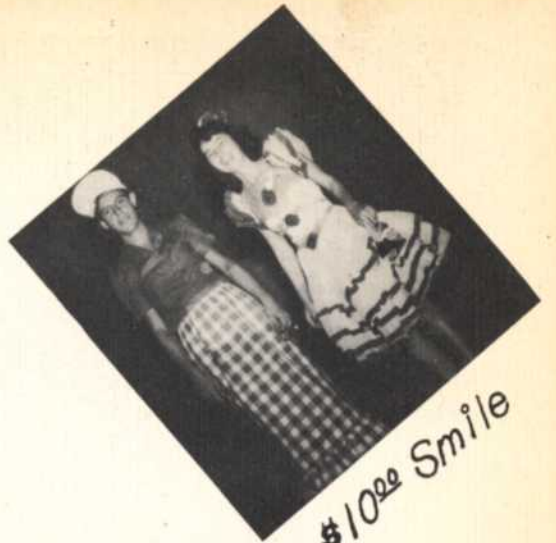
*Martin High Gang*



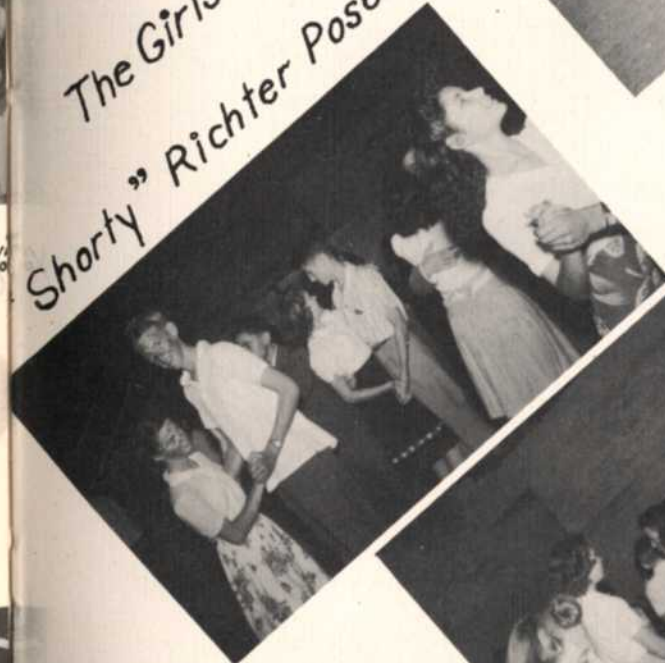
*The Girls Show-Off*



*Hi, Freshman!*



*\$10<sup>00</sup> Smile*



*Shorty" Richter Poses*



*Cutting The Rug*

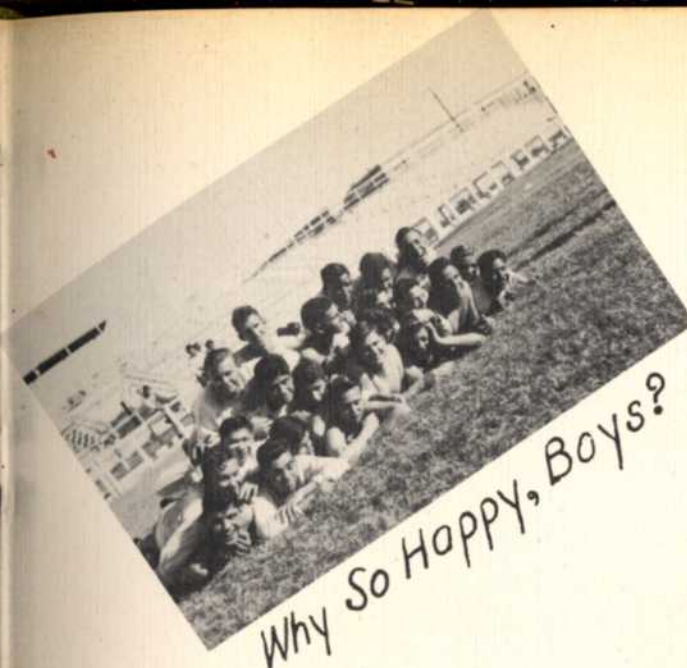


*"Fish" Trio*



*This is the Finish*

*To or From School?*



*Why So Happy, Boys?*



*Seniors Elect Mike President*



*Hi, There Alex!*



*Get to Work Loafers*



*Football Boosters*



*Football Fans*

*Guerra Drinking the Profits*



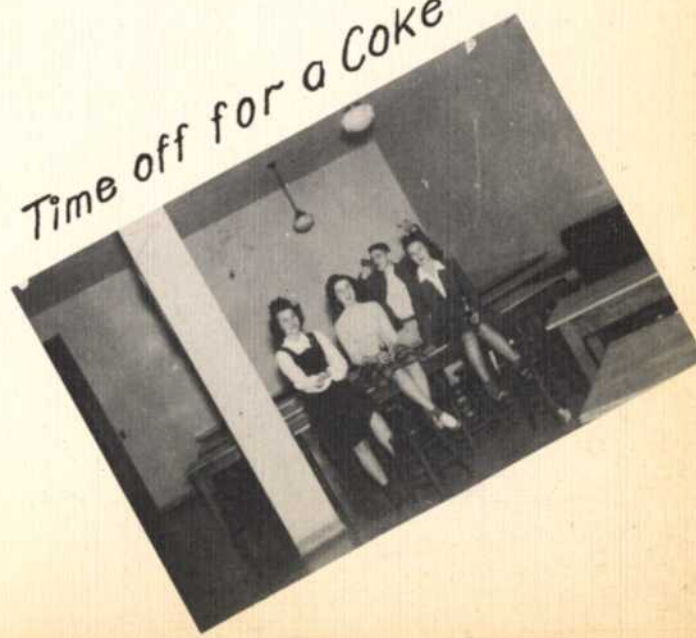
*Aren't You Daydreaming, Bill?*



*In a Fighting Spirit*



*Time off for a Coke*





*The Rats*



*The "Lone Ranger"  
Gets His Rats*

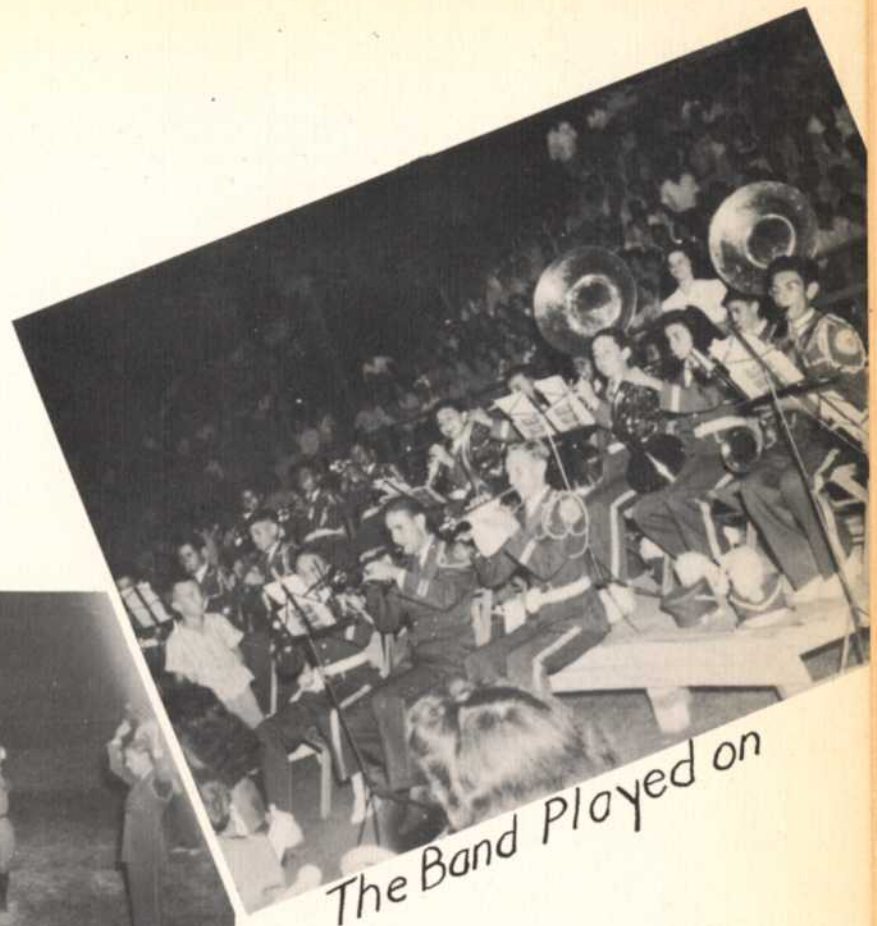


*Band at Navy Send Off*

## THE SPIANS INITIATION



*Nice Sandwich! eh! Aurora?*



*The Band Played on*



*Band Plays "Star Spangled Banner"*

*Alice Likes The Rat*



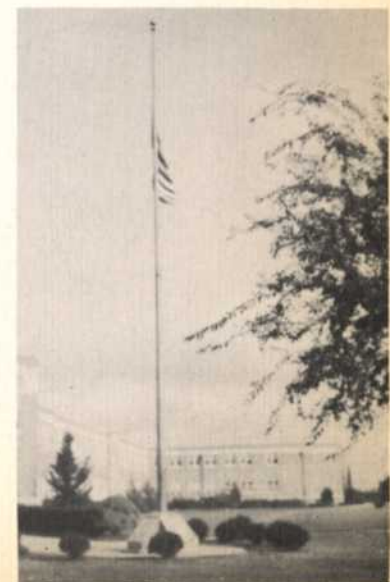
*Mammy Florence Swings it*



*Yes, the Band Again*



*Flag Half Mast*





*Enjoying the Ride,  
Mr. Galligan?*

*The School Band  
Marches On*

*Nice Marching*

*The Same to you*

*The Pep-Squad in Action*



*Companies A + B*

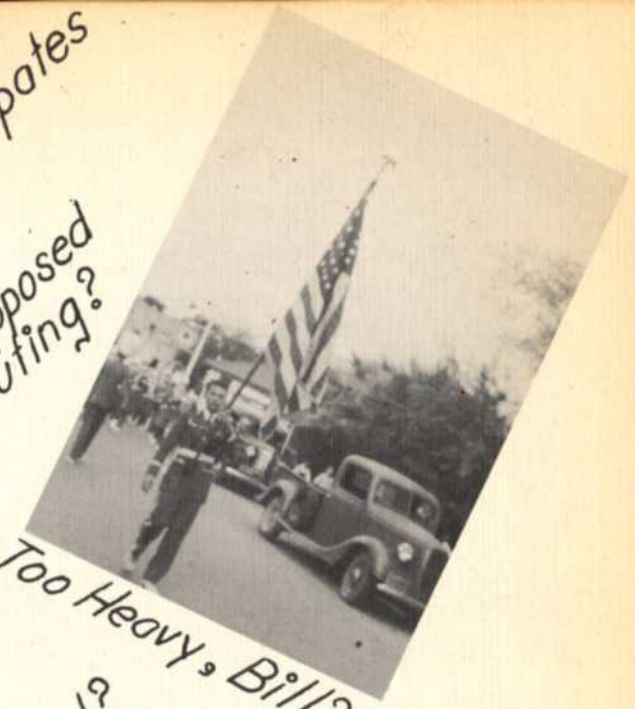
*Texas Defense  
Guard Participates*

*Aren't You Supposed  
to be Shouting?*

*WAACS or Pep Squad?*

*Too Heavy, Bill?*

*Eyes Front, Please*





*The C.S.C. Girls March By*

*Home Guard Stands  
By Memorial Monument*



*The Band Relaxes*



*Look At Those Lines*



*Lt. Col. Kennedy Awards  
D.S.C. to Mrs. Geo. Ploch  
for her Son*



*Col. Cohee Makes  
Fine Talk*



*Mr. Hunt Introduces Speakers  
at  
November 11<sup>th</sup> Program*





*Chief Police  
Gallagher*



*Mayor Hugh  
Cluck*



*Fire Visitors at Martin High  
Chief Renken*



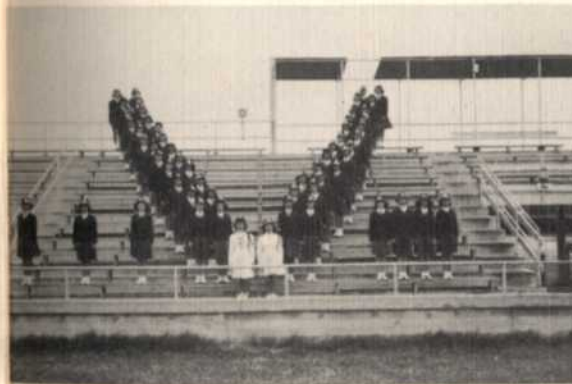
*Asst. Dist. Atty.  
Roberto Benavides*



*The General  
and Her Staff*

*Miss Commanding Officer*

# PEP SQUAD

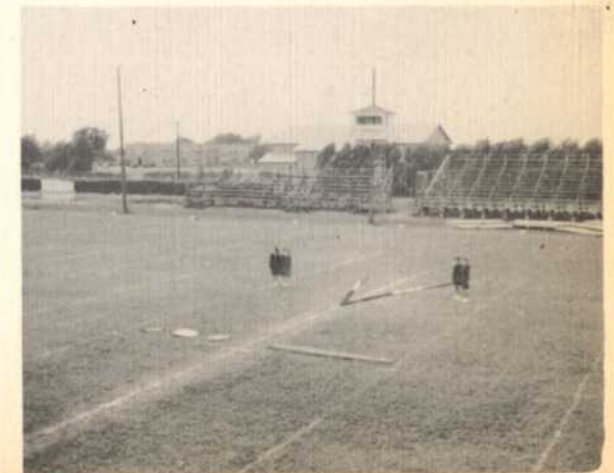


*Human V, Dots and Dash AT*

# MARTIN

*The Field, the  
Girls, and the V...*

# HIGH



# NEW



Mrs. Martin  
Carves Turkey

THANKSGIVING  
at the  
CAFETERIA



Teachers Enjoy it



No Smiles Girls?



Nixons Have Guests



Garrico Fills Tray



The Aftermath



Josefina Helps Herself  
CHRISTMAS AT MARTIN HIGH



Some Dance Girls



Christmas Carols



The End of the Play



Can You Beat That?



The Library Tree



*High School Social*



*The Observer*



*Working Hard Boys?*



*Charge of the Heavy Brigade*



*At a Tiger Game*

*THERE'LL BE A HOT TIME IN THE OLD TOWN TO-NITE*



*Pan-American Officers*

# PAN AMERICAN BANQUET

*Eating is the Main Attraction at the Pan American Banquet*



# FOOTBALL XMAS BANQUET



*Cooch Green Speaks*



*Arechigo Gets Trophy*



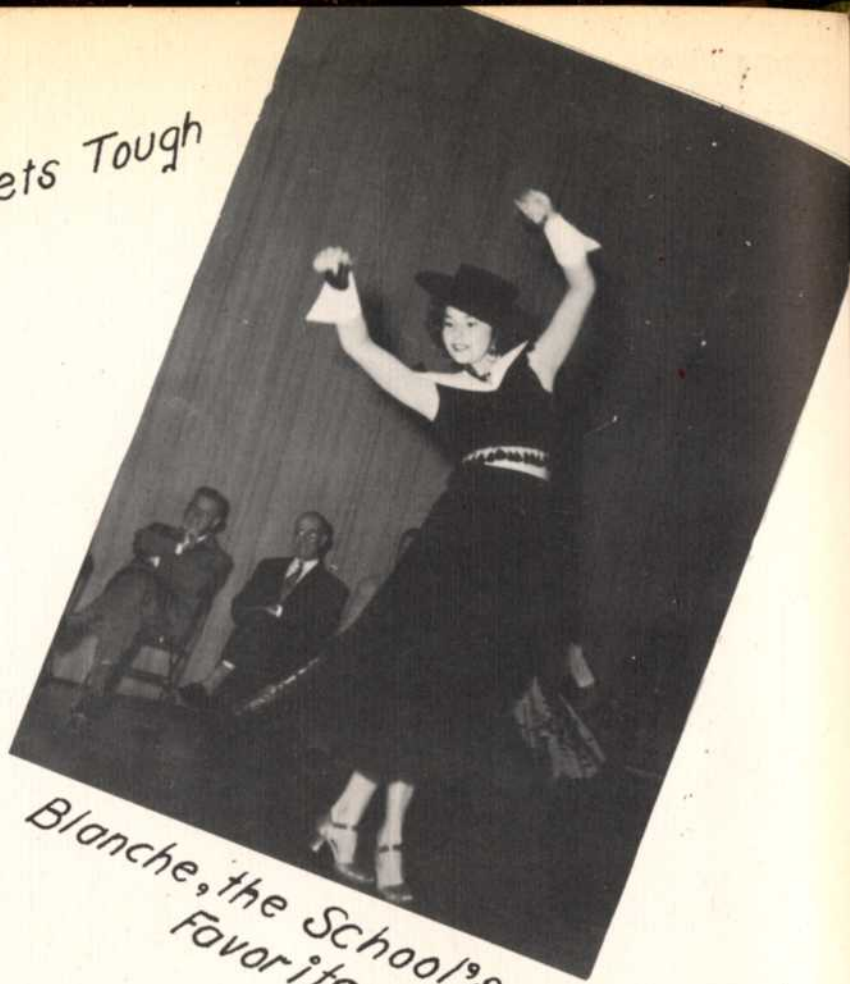
*Boys at the Shop Have Party*



*Mama Gets Tough*



*Sorry Wanda*



*Blanche, the School's Favorite*



*Nice Tapping  
Maria Luisa*



*Miss Her twig Getting them in Shape*



*The Boys and Girls Dig In*

## LIBRARY SCENES



*Mrs. Fish Does Her Part*

*"Is That What You Want?"*



*Librarians Discuss Books*





*Home Maker's at Work*



*Get to Work Yolanda!*



*Take it Easy With the Baby, Girls*



*The Homemakers at Rest*

# *Service Section*



Like all Martin High students the annual editor keeps up the service men's morale by corresponding with them.



*Is He Dead Girls?*



*You'll Do for the Woacs*





PVT. TEDDY MARINOS  
U. S. Marines  
Aboard the Battleship "Ohio"  
Ex-student



CADET PETE MARINOS  
Air Corps  
Ellington Field, Houston, Texas  
1938 Graduate

CPL. MATEO MIGUEL TREVINO  
Air Corps  
Duncan Field, San Antonio, Texas  
1932 Graduate



TECHNICAL SGT. JIMMY MARINOS  
U. S. Army  
Camp Edward, Boston, Mass.  
1936 Graduate

PRIVATE EDWARD CHARLES BOUBEL

"Eddie" Boubel was born on February 8, 1919.

He graduated from Martin High School in 1939, where he studied automotive electricity. After graduating he worked at this trade for several years and was accepted in the armed services on December 22, 1941, at Duncan Field.

He sailed March 17, 1942, for India. For his perfect marksmanship he was chosen as advance guard machine gunner on the troop train enroute through the desert of India.

He lost his life June 10, 1942 while performing his duty.



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1ST LT. JAMES LEON HEARN

After graduating from the Laredo High School, Leon attended the University of Texas for two years and A. & I. one year. While at Kingsville, he took C. A. A. training and received his Commercial Pilot's License.

1st. Lt. James Leon Hearn received his commission at Ellington Field July 3rd as a Bomber Pilot.

Learning combat duty, he was made assistant flight commander of his squadron.

In September, Leon left for foreign service from Ft. Wayne, Ind. He was reported missing Dec. 12th in the North African area.





CPL. ENRIQUE S. GARCIA  
U. S. Marine Corps  
San Diego, Calif.



SGT. ANGEL A. CRUZ  
1941 Graduate  
Columbia, South Carolina.



PVT. LOUIS G. MENDIOLA  
Technical School  
Sheppard Field, Texas  
1942 Graduate



PVT. WILLIAM NERICCIO  
Infantry  
Stationed in England  
1939 Graduate



KYLE DRAKE  
U. S. Marines



ARTURO GUTIERREZ  
Air Corps  
L. A. A. F.  
1941 Graduate



TECH. SGT. RAYMOND MARTIN GUTIERREZ  
Postal Unit  
Fort Custer, Michigan  
1922 Graduate



CPL. FELIPE N. MARTINEZ  
Hicks Field, Ft. Worth, Tex.  
1940 Graduate



JOSE GUTIERREZ, JR.  
Honolulu, Hawaii  
1941 Graduate



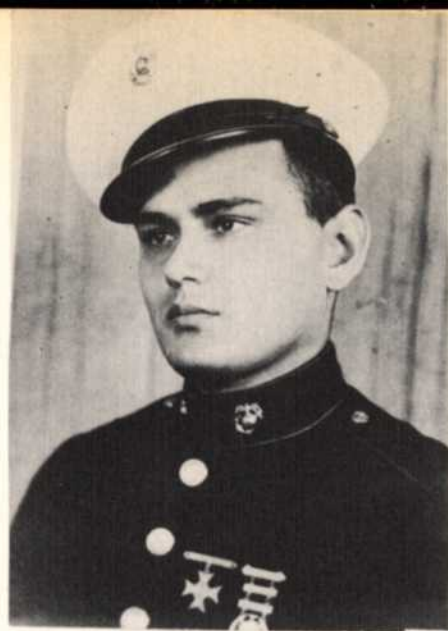
PFC. ROBERT H. QUICK  
Advanced Glider School  
Dalhart, Texas  
1942 Graduate



TOM DEATS, JR.  
U. S. Marine Corps.  
Midway Island  
1939 Graduate



JESUS CABELLO  
Third Class Petty Officer  
San Diego, California  
1941 Graduate



PVT. OSCAR HERNANDEZ  
U. S. M. C., San Diego, Cal.



CPL. SAM STOCKBRIDGE  
Parachute Regiment, Georgia  
1937 Graduate



PFC. CLARENCE MONAHAN  
U. S. Marine Corps  
Solomon Islands



PVT. JUAN BAZALDUA  
Army Air Corps,  
Laredo Flexible  
Gunnery School



PFC. LAWRENCE MONAHAN  
U. S. Marine Corps  
Solomon Islands



PFC. JOE STOCKBRIDGE  
Camp Stewart, Georgia



PFC. LAZARO DOVALINA  
Coast Artillery, Fort Miles, Del.  
1939 Graduate



PVT. J. J. DUFRESNE  
Army Air Corps,  
Somewhere in England



PFC. C. B. SILLS  
Signal Corps, El Paso, Texas  
1942 Graduate



CLARENCE EARLES, U.S.N.  
Second Class Petty Officer  
1942 Graduate

CADET ROBERT  
HOSEK  
Air Corps  
Nashville, Tenn.



PVT. FRANCISCO  
PUENTE  
Somewhere in  
England  
1941 Graduate



WM. C. ALMAND  
Torpedoman, Anti-  
aircraft operator.  
Serving in Pacific on  
U. S. S. Kendrick  
1940 Graduate

JUAN HERNANDEZ  
Air Corps  
1940 Graduate



SGT. JUVENTINO  
GUERRA  
Air Corps  
Somewhere in the  
Middle East  
1937 Graduate







SGT. L. C. SHELBY  
Rainville, Penn.,  
Officers Training School  
1940 Graduate



CPL. VERGILIO GONZALEZ  
Air Corps  
Puerto Rico



CPL. WM. PRESCOTT ALLEN, JR.  
Fort Riley, Kansas  
1937 Graduate



PVT. EMILIO SAUCEDO  
127th Signal Radio Detch.  
Fort Sam Houston, Texas



PVT. JOSE PRIETO  
Medical Corps, Army Air Force  
Wright Field  
Dayton, Ohio  
1941 Graduate



IGNACIO CAMPO and JUAN VASQUEZ  
L. A. A. F.



PVT. ROBERT LEE HENRY  
Btry. A, 7th Coast Artillery  
Ft. Tilden, N. Y.  
1940 Graduate



ROBERT. W. EDWARDS  
Morrison Field, Florida



CPL. DANIEL  
HASTINGS  
Camp Wallace, Tex.  
1939 Graduate



SGT. ALBERT L.  
HASTINGS  
Fort Bliss  
1940 Graduate



PVT. ALEJANDRO MORENO  
Signal Corps—Radio Int. Co.  
Spokane, Wash.  
1940 Graduate

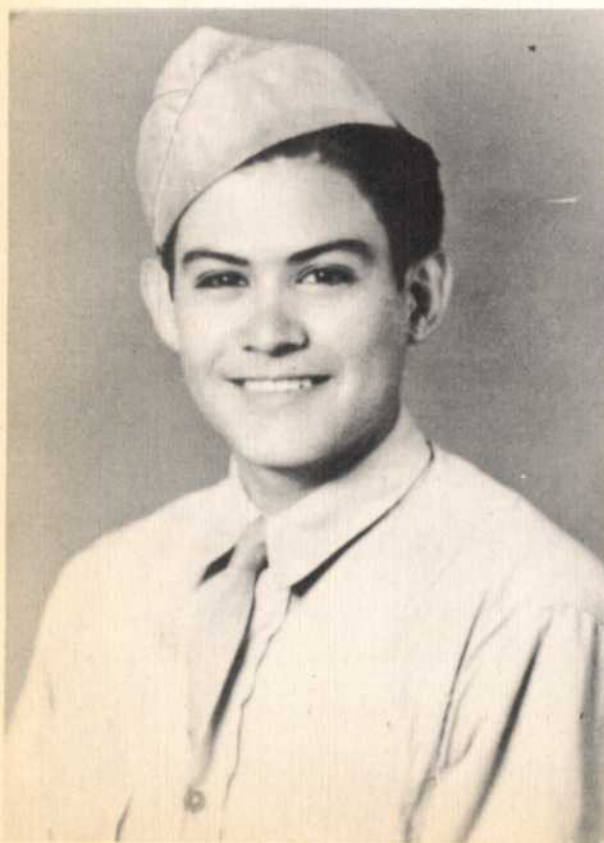


SGT. RAUL RODRIGUEZ  
Army Air Corps  
Eagle Pass, Texas



PFC. T. A. BUNN  
Parachute Troupe, Marines  
Aleutian Islands  
1941 Graduate

PFC. ANTONIO CABELLO  
Hawaiian Islands



HOMERO URIBE, F 1/c  
Somewhere in the Pacific

CADET MARIO PENA BENAVIDES  
Air Corps, Waco, Texas  
1939 Graduate



S/S WILLIE ABREGO  
Army Air Corps  
Mechanical Instructor  
Enid, Oklahoma  
1941 Graduate

PFC. SALOMON ABREGO  
Medical Dept.  
Nashville, Tenn.  
1942 Graduate



WM. V. WILLIAMSON  
U. S. M. C., Unit 215  
Palmyra Island



PVT. FAUSTO MONTEMAYOR  
Lawson General Hospital  
Atlanta, Georgia



PVT. RAUL CANTU  
Air Corps  
Chicago, Ill.  
1941 Graduate

PVT. CARL M. DeVERE  
U. S. Marine Corps  
Somewhere in Solomons  
1942 Graduate





OSCAR MARTINEZ, E. M. 3/c  
U. S. Sub. Base  
New London, Conn.  
Participated in the battles of Mid-  
way, Coral Sea, and Pearl Harbor

PFC. GUILLERMO MEDINA, JR.  
On duty in Pacific

PVT. HECTOR MONTEMAYOR  
Signal Corps Reserve  
Student at High School  
Left April, 1940

1ST LT. HERBERT BENJAMIN ADAMS  
Materiel Command, Wright Field,  
Dayton, Ohio  
1926 Graduate

PVT. RAYMUNDO RENDON  
Laredo Air Field  
Laredo, Texas

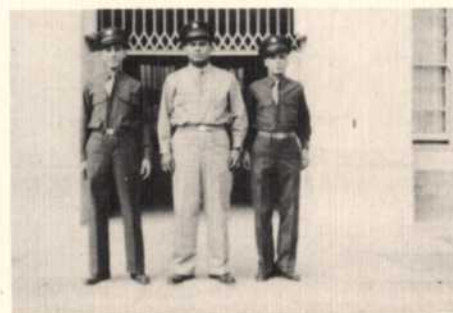
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R. A. F. S.  
Roswell, New Mexico



SGT. JESUS MARTINEZ  
1939 Graduate  
Wickenburg, Arizona

PVT. JOE DE LA PAZ  
U. S. Army  
Camp Gruber, Oklahoma

PFC. JOSE ROBERTO  
GUTIERREZ  
Overseas  
Class of 1935



JESUS SANCHEZ  
L. A. A. F.

ALFONSO GARCIA  
L. A. A. F.

FRANCISCO VERTIGUI  
L. A. A. F.



SGT. CONRADO PENA  
In Puerto Rico  
Class of 1940

PABLO SAENZ

PVT. ERNESTO L. TREVINO  
1937 Graduate  
Army Air Corps  
Stationed in England

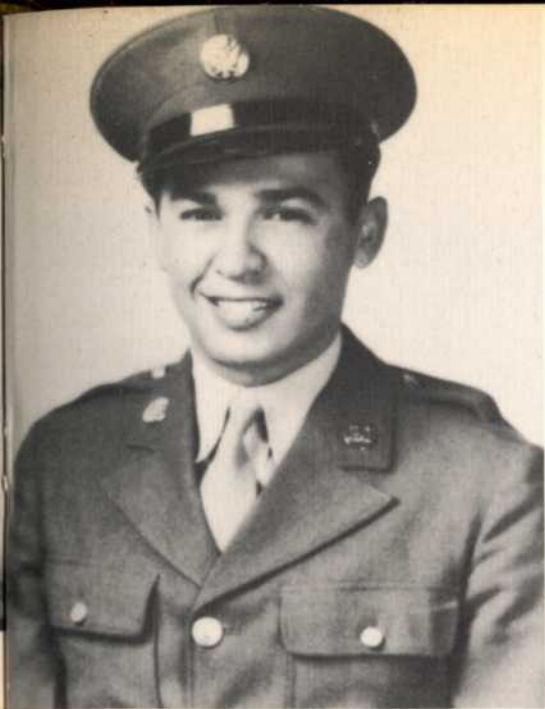




PVT. JESSE C. GARCIA  
U. S. Army  
Student of 1939



PVT. PEDRO SALAZAR  
Fort Bliss, Texas  
1940 Graduate



SGT. TONY GUZMAN  
Third Army Hq.,  
Ft. Sam Houston  
San Antonio, Texas



PEDRO CASTANEDA  
U. S. Army  
Service Co. 334th Inf.  
Camp Howze, Texas  
1941 Graduate



SGT. ARTURO S. SANCHEZ  
1940-1941  
Air Corps



RALPH E. BEAMAN  
29th Engineers  
Pomona, Cal.  
Class of 1939



PVT. ALFREDO VILLARREAL  
U. S. Army Air Corps  
Laredo Army Air Field  
Ex-student

S. SGT. ROBERTO V. VALLE  
1938 Graduate  
696th S. E. F. T. S.  
Marianna Army Air Field



SGT. RAUL S. TREVINO  
Medical Corps  
Abilene, Texas



SANTIAGO R. GUTIERREZ  
Aviation Cadet  
Bruce Field, Texas  
Class of 1939

LT. SOCRATES S. PAPPAS  
Bombardier  
Army Air Corps  
Alaska





CPL. CELESTINO MENDIOLA, JR.  
251st Ord. Co.,  
Camp Garson, Colo.



PFC. OSCAR GUTIERREZ  
Mechanic, Army Air Corps  
Boca Raton, Florida



ELEUTERIO LEAL, JR.  
U. S. Marine Corps  
San Diego, Cal.



PVT. NORBERTO LINARES  
Ex-Student of Martin High  
Radio Operator at  
Laredo Gunnery School



PVT. LUIS LINARES, JR.  
Graduate of Martin High  
Army Air Corps



SGT. JUAN FRANCISCO FARIAS  
Medical Department  
Keesler Field, Miss.



PVT. DAGOBERTO V. MARQUEZ  
Hq. Co. 1st Bn.,  
23rd Infantry, 2nd Inf. Div.  
Camp McCoy, Wis.



PVT. PETE H. VILLARREAL  
Overseas

HECTOR D. GARCIA  
Radio Operator in Hawaii



STAFF SGT. RAMIRO MONTALVO  
Mechanic, Army Air Force  
Stationed in California



CPL. ARTURO ALARCON, JR.  
469th Bomb Sq. (H)  
Army Air Base  
Topeka, Kan.



PFC. GEORGE B. HAYNES  
Air Corps  
Ogden, Utah



RAFAEL VIDAURRI, JR.  
U. S. Navy  
Class of 1938



MASTER SGT. R. EDWARD VIDAURRI  
U. S. Army  
Class of 1939





LT. RAFAEL A. GUERRA  
15th Artillery Battalion  
2nd Division  
Stationed at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin



TECH. SGT. REFUGIO  
GUERRA, JR.  
Stationed at Curtiss-Wright  
Tech Institute, Los Angeles,  
California  
Sheet Metal Worker  
Graduate of Martin High School



PRIVATE LUIS GUERRA  
Volunteered for service in 1941.  
He belonged to the 60th Coast  
Artillery. He attended Martin  
High School for two years. He  
was stationed at Corregidor and  
is a prisoner of war. He will  
always be remembered for his  
bravery.

The three boys pictured above are sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. Guerra.



PEDRO SANDOVAL  
U.S.S. "Enterprise," R. Division  
1942 Graduate



FLYING CADET ANDRES  
SANDOVAL  
Aviation Cadet Center  
San Antonio, Texas  
1940 Graduate



STAFF SGT. A. A. SANDOVAL  
Infantry Division  
1939 Graduate of Martin High  
School

The three boys pictured above are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. A. Sandoval.



DAVID RAMIREZ  
Sheppard Field, Texas  
Air Corps Mechanic  
Graduate of 1943

The boys whose pictures appear on this page are the sons of Mrs. Emilia Ramirez.

PFC. GEORGE P. RAMIREZ  
U. S. Marine Corps  
Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands  
Ex-student of 1942

JUAN RAMIREZ  
U. S. Army  
Signal Corps  
Orlando, Florida  
Class of 1938

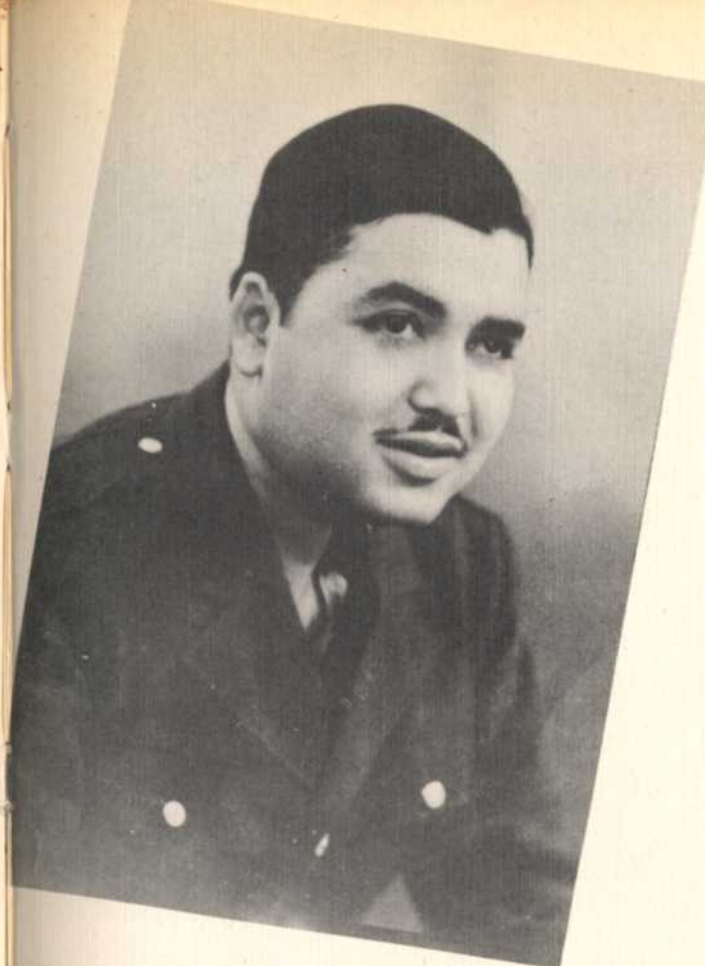




FIRST LIEUT. WILLIE BELLE BARRY

Mrs. Willie Belle Barry was among the group of women who were chosen to go to the first officers' training school for the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps. She was the first native Laredo woman to enter the United States Army. Her husband, Major Ralph Barry, is with armed forces somewhere in the Pacific. Mrs. Barry, up to a year before she left to join the WAACs, was head of the Homemaking Department of Martin High School, later going in the position of Coordinator for all Homemaking departments in Laredo.


After a few weeks of intensive training at Ft. Des Moines, Mrs. Barry received her diploma. After graduation, as a Third Officer, she went with nine other WAAC officers to Ft. Riley, Kansas, where she received special training in mess management at the Bakers and Cooks school there. Upon completing her work at Ft. Riley, she was transferred to her present station, Headquarters, Daytona Beach, Florida, where she was promoted last December to the rank of Second Officer.



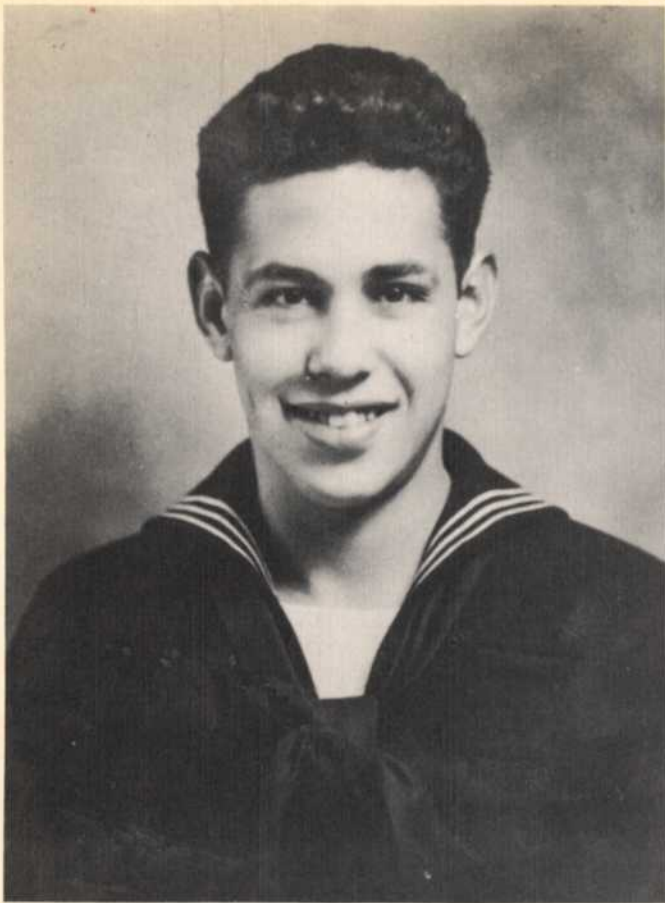
EDWARD IDAR, JR.  
Civil Service  
Somewhere in England  
Graduated in 1937

## A Message to the Students

PRINT THE COMPLETE ADDRESS IN PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS IN THE PANEL BELOW, AND YOUR RETURN ADDRESS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED. USE TYPEWRITER, DARK INK OR PENCIL. WRITE PLAINLY. VERY SMALL WRITING IS NOT SUITABLE.

No. 164473		ED. IDAR, JR., #994	
 CENSORS STAMP	TO: THE STUDENTS, MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL, LAREDO, TEXAS, U.S.A. ATTENTION OF: MRS. E. BORNELL		SENDERS NAME CIV. TECH. BRANCHMENT SENDERS ADDRESS A.P.O. 495, N.Y.
			JANUARY 7, 1943. DATE
<p><b>"COMMUNISM IN ENGLAND"</b></p> <p>AS AN EX-STUDENT OF THE MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL, IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO BE AFFORDED THE OPPORTUNITY OF DIRECTING A FEW WORDS TO ALL OF YOU, THE PRESENT STUDENT BODY OF THE MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL.</p> <p>Few of you realize that you are at present gaining an educational background which may well become your greatest asset upon your graduation. A great number of you may later on be given the opportunity of acquiring further knowledge, but a greater number will, through many circumstances, be forced to make your way through life with just the knowledge that you may gain at this institution.</p> <p>It is with this thought in mind that I entreat you to make the best of the outstanding facilities now afforded you for your education. You are all living under the greatest and most enlightened democratic country in the world, and it is your duty in the present struggle to do your bit by preparing yourselves educationally so that some day you may take your place as military, political, or civic leaders or just as plain but outstanding citizens in a better and better world.</p> <p>Those of us across the sea are doing our best to do a most unpleasant job as quickly and as humanely as possible, but we are looking back to you all and expecting you to some day take your place amongst us and help us in building a better world imbued with the principles set forth in our own "Declaration of Independence" of liberty, justice, and equality amongst all mankind.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Sincerely, Edward Idar, Jr. CLASS OF '38</p>			

V-MAIL



ELOY B. BARRERA  
U. S. Navy  
Instructor at Little Creek, Virginia  
Ex-student of Martin High



FERNANDO SERNA  
Overseas, Coast Artillery  
Missing in Action at Corregidor



CPL. ALBERTO E.  
GARCIA  
U. S. Army Air Corps  
Key Field, Meridian,  
Mississippi  
1940 Graduate



PVT. ROBERT WILLIAM  
MILTON  
U. S. Army Air Corps  
L.A.A.F.—1940 Graduate  
Note: Apologies to Bob for  
omitting his name as a pho-  
tographer in the 1940 Annual.



LIEUT. TOMAS R. GARCIA  
2nd Sqd., 5th Ferry Group  
Love Field, Dallas, Texas



WILLIAM P. GALLIGAN, JR.  
N. S. Navy, Coxswain  
Somewhere on the high seas



PFC. OSCAR F. GONZALEZ  
Medical Detachment  
Palm Springs, California



JAMES YOUNG  
Coast Guards  
Grand Isle, La.  
1942 Graduate



PVT. JIMMY SLAUGHTER  
U. S. Marine Corps  
San Diego, Cal.





SGT. JOSE SEPULVEDA  
Somewhere in the Pacific  
Class of 1940

SEAMAN 2/c JOSE FIERROS  
U. S. Navy  
Stationed in Cuba  
Class of 1939



PVT. INEZ A. SANCHEZ  
Laredo Army Air Field  
Class of 1942

Left:  
LIEUT. LUIS VALLS  
Air Corps  
Barksdale Field, La.  
Class of 1936



SGT. BEN AZIOS  
U. S. Air Corps  
Merced, California  
Class of 1939

CADET FACUNDO CASSO, JR.  
Officers Candidate School  
Arsenal, Maryland  
Class of 1936



SGT. ERNESTO RAMOS  
408 TSS  
Sheppard Field, Texas  
Graduated 1941



LT. SIDNEY A. LINDSAY  
Corps of Engineers  
Colorado Springs, Colorado





CPL. SALVADOR GUTIERREZ  
881st Preflight Training Sqdn.  
S. A. A. C. C.  
San Antonio, Texas



PFC. JOAQUIN BENAVIDES  
U. S. Army  
Fort Custer, Michigan  
1940 Graduate



PVT. RODOLFO A. DE LA GARZA  
Ex-teacher  
Fort Sills, Oklahoma



PVT. JESUS CASTANEDA  
U. S. Army



PVT. JOSE HERRERA  
U. S. Army



SAM J. CARPENTER  
Radioman  
Navy Yard, Philadelphia, Pa.



CPL. FERNANDO G. LLAGUNO  
Army Air Force  
Trucz Field, Wis.  
1941 Graduate

JOE E. WORLEY  
Pharmacist Mate 1st Class  
Pearl Harbor



1ST LT. C. H. KAZEN  
U. S. Army  
Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.



PFC. BEN QUIROZ  
Army Air Corps  
Santa Maria, California  
1940 Graduate



CORPORAL LEOPOLDO VILLEGAS  
Takoma, Washington



SGT. OSCAR MEDINA  
37th Service Sqdn.  
Boca Chica Airport  
Key West, Florida



SERVANDO HINOJOSA 3/c  
Camp Pendleton  
Ocean Side, Calif.



JUAN D. IZQUIERDO S. 2/c  
Radioman — Treasure Island  
San Francisco, California



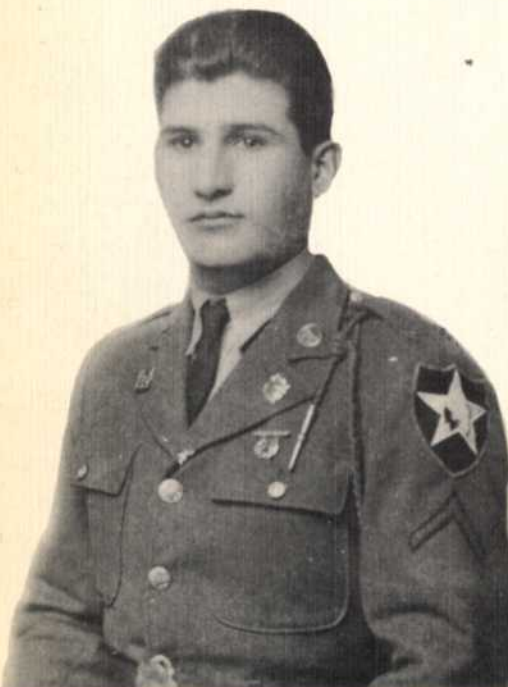
CPL. PABLO SAENZ  
Air Corps, Puerto Rico



SEAMAN 2/c  
EDUARDO GARCIA  
Supply Office  
San Diego, Cal.  
Ex-student



LIEUT. BOB SHUTT  
Overseas  
1935 Graduate



PFC. CARLOS TREVINO  
Infantry  
Camp McCoy, Wisconsin



PFC. JULIO IZQUIERDO  
Co. "H," 9th Infantry  
Camp McCoy, Wisconsin  
Graduated in 1939



LIEUT. ABRAHAM  
KAZEN  
1938 Graduate  
Army Air Corps  
Austin, Texas  
Graduate 1937



PVT. R. L. PUSTER  
U. S. Marine Corps  
San Diego, Cal.  
1923 Graduate



STAFF SERGEANTS  
ARNOLD and OSCAR  
SILVA  
Arnold—1942 Graduate  
Army Air Corps  
Indio, Cal.  
Oscar—Ex-student  
Tank Division  
Camp Bowie, Texas



PVT. JUAN RODRIGUEZ  
Randolph Field, Texas



PVT. ALEX S. PENA  
Air Corps  
Keebler Field, Miss.



CPT. OSCAR GARCIA  
Randolph Field, Texas

STAFF SGT. SEVE VALDEZ  
U. S. Army  
Australia



PFC. PEDRO MORENO  
U. S. Army  
England  
Ex-student



# Pitahaya Blossoms



ANNUAL EDITOR SELLS VOTES FOR POPULARITY CONTEST



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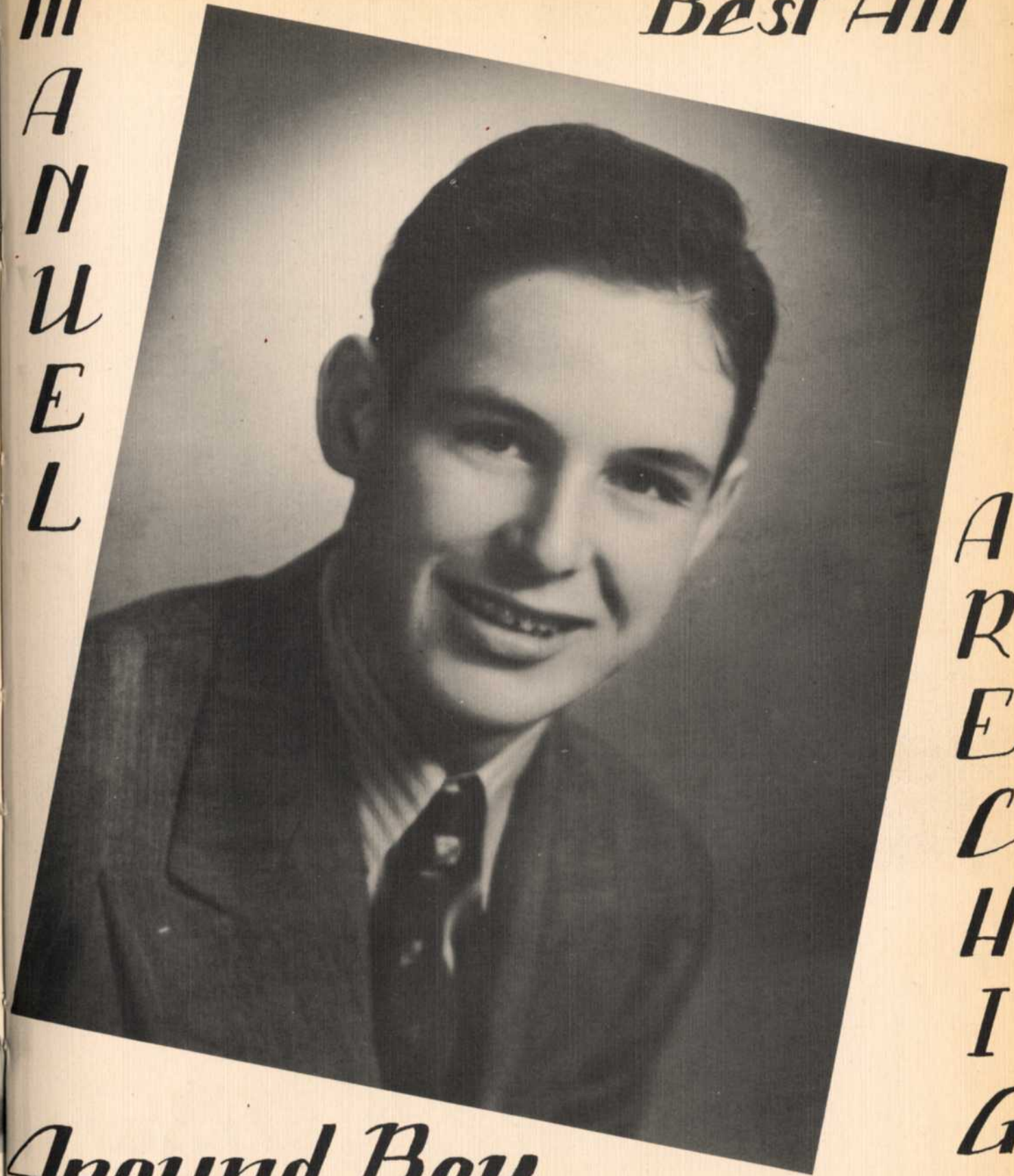
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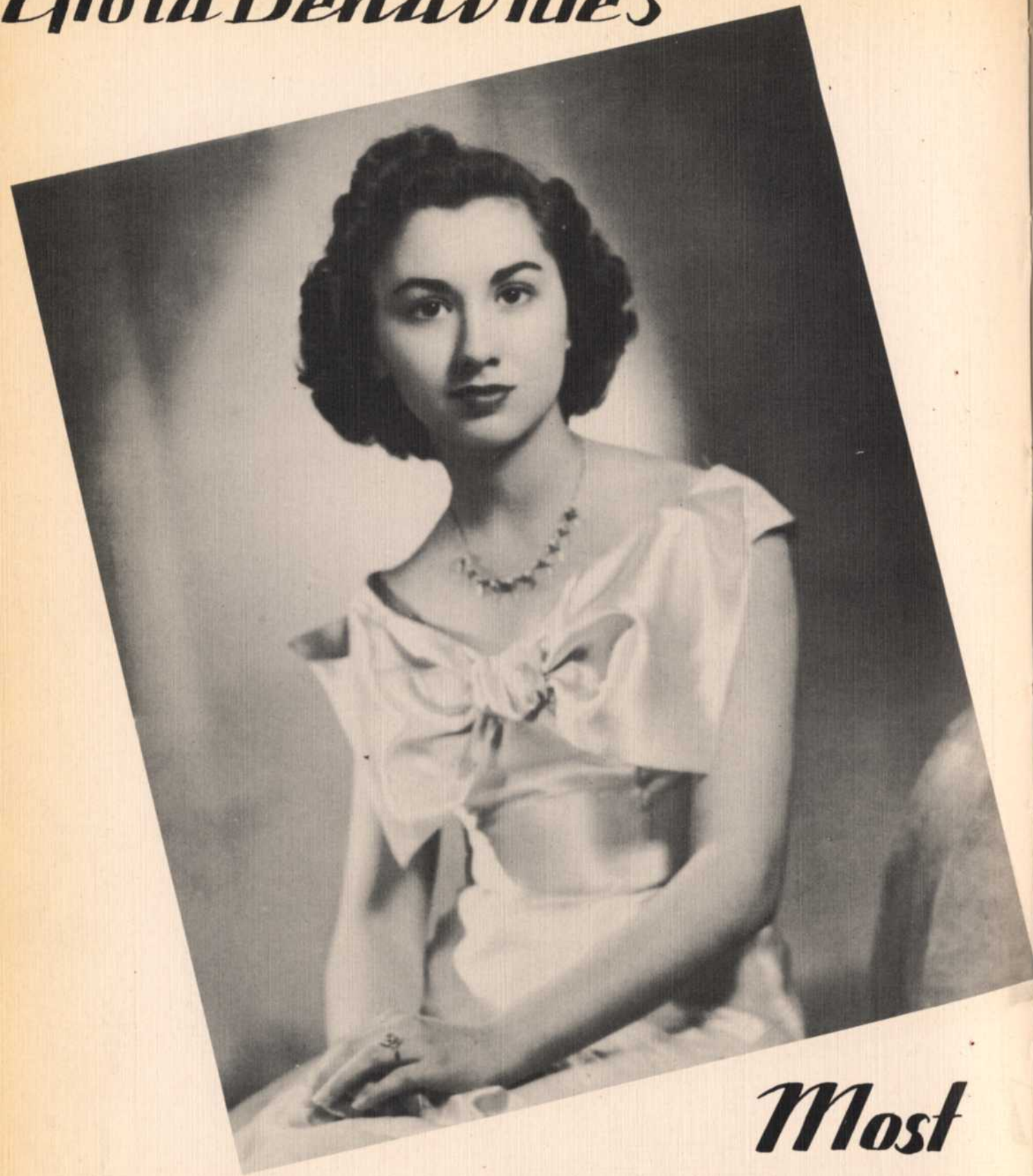
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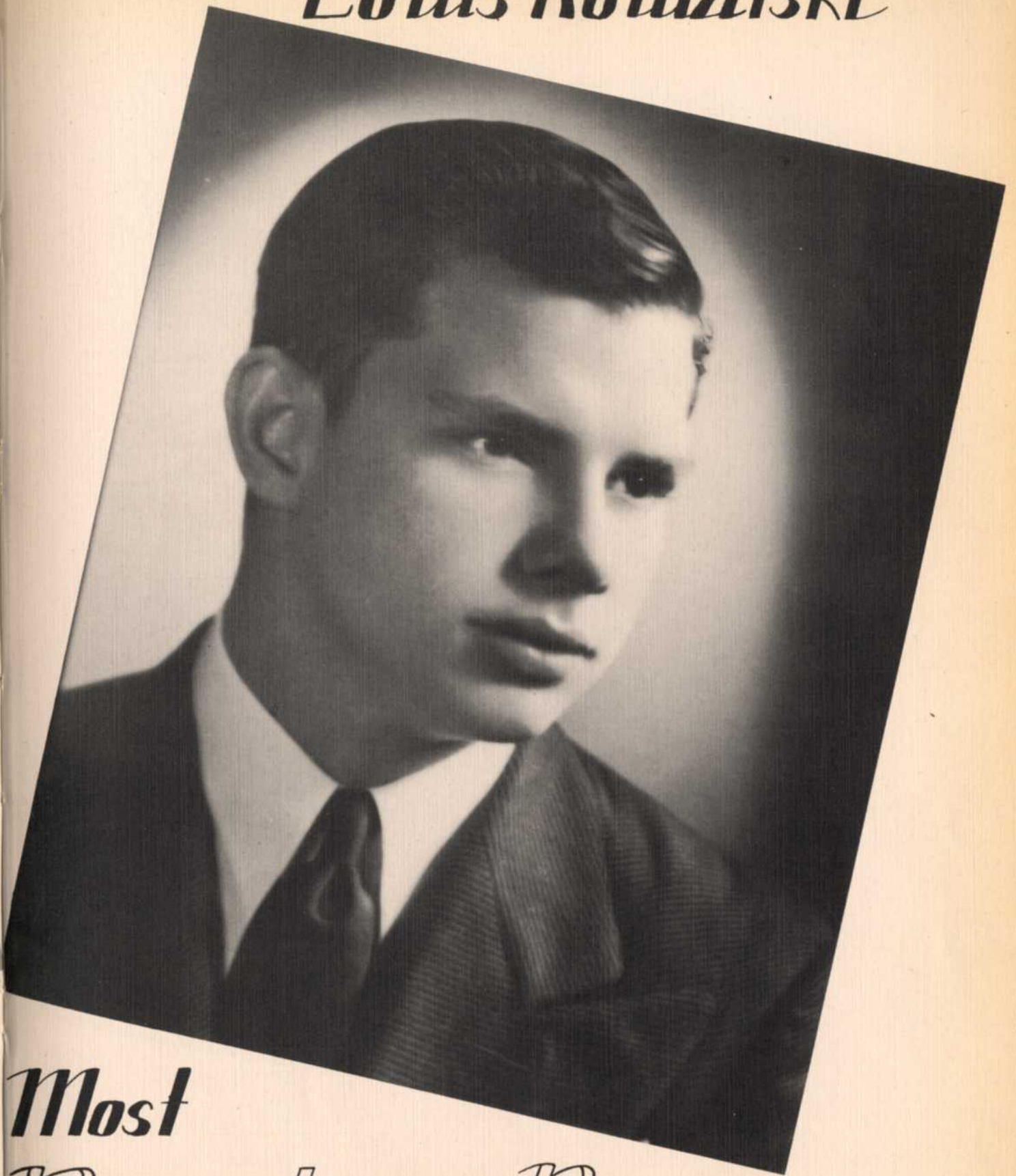
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*Louis Kowalski*



*Most  
Popular Boy*

*Frances Martinez*



*Band Sweet* ♥

*Wanda Bessan*



*Most  
Beautiful Girl*



MICKEY ALLEN

LYDIA JACKSON



JULIA JACAMAN

MIKE SAENZ



# *Clubs and Activities*



MEXICO'S MINISTER OF EDUCATION VISITS SCHOOL







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## THE T. & S. CLUB

The T. & S. (Typing and Stenography) Club tends to increase in every student member a better understanding of a business career with special stress on congenial behavior in a business office.

In club meetings, which are held bi-weekly, each member's speed and accuracy both in typing and stenography are tested, and records of improvements are kept. In order to encourage the members, a prize is given to the student who has made the most improvement during the year.

Along with diligent work are the social events of the organization: an initiation party, a Christmas entertainment, and a spring outing.

Top Row: Eduardo Guajardo, Jesusita Castaño, Mrs. Clyde Brennan, sponsor; Mike Saenz, Francisca Martinez, Alfredo Perez, Melida Espinosa, Aida Menchaca, Juan Villareal, Jr.

Middle Row: Olga Vela, Tommie Rodriguez, Ofelia Salinas, Maria Luisa Peña.

Bottom Row: Arturo Vasquez, Maria de Jesus Torres, Fernandez Garcia, Maria Luisa Gutierrez, Mary Newman, Maria Luisa Qutjos. Member not shown is Evangelina Villareal.



## THOMAS ALVA EDISON CLUB

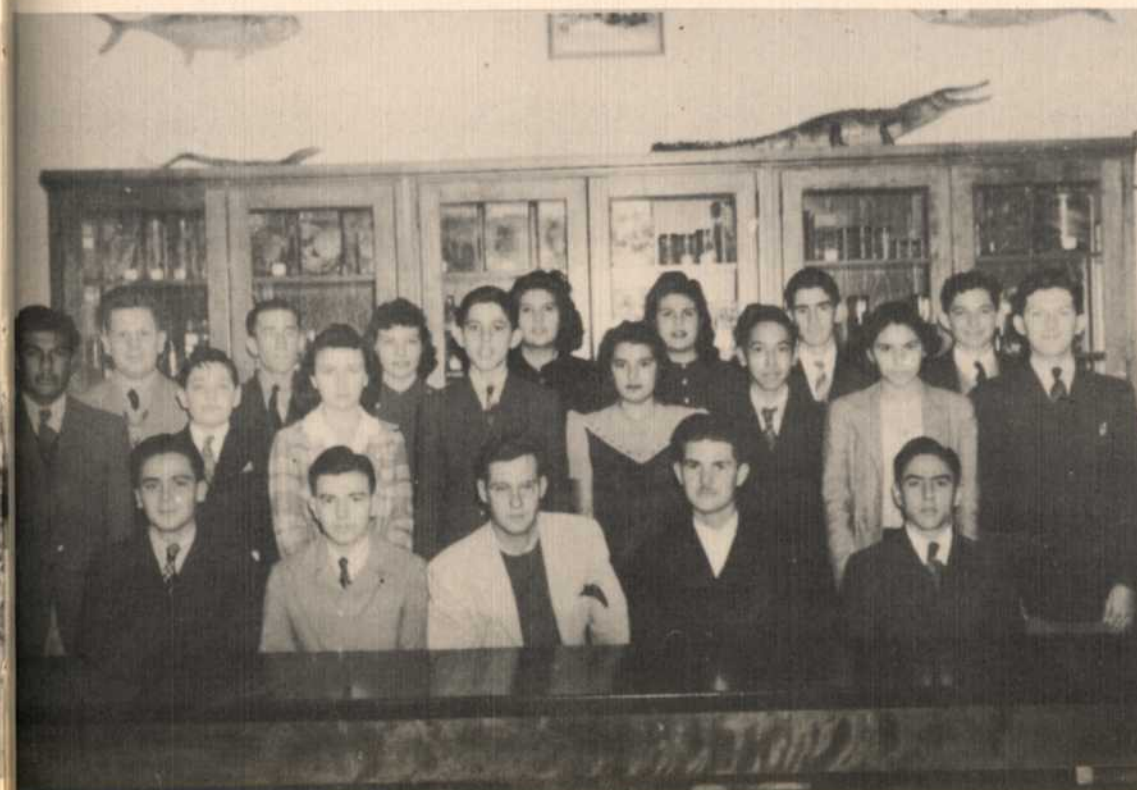
Green, which stands for knowledge, and white, the symbol of sportsmanship, are colors of the Thomas A. Edison Science Club organized in 1924 for the purpose of increasing knowledge of science and parliamentary law.

Membership to this organization is opened to any high school student taking a science course and wishing to acquire a greater knowledge of science through experiment. The club also studies the lives of great scientists at its semi-monthly meetings.

First Row: Luis Martinez, Arturo Garza, Mr. George Reuthinger, Sponsor; Robert Olszewski, Alejandro Garcia.

Second Row: Moses Martinez, Jerome Granolff, Elia Montemayor, Neil Gurwitz, Estefana Cavazos, Ramon Garces, Gloria Novoa, Matias Garcia.

Third Row: Mike Brennan, Henry Fasci, Bertha Prieto, Gloria Laura de la Garza, Maria Luisa de la Garza, Mario Guerra, Jo Mike Kavy.





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Vice-President



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Secretary



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Reporter



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President



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Vice-President



SOPHIE ROSENBAUM  
Secretary



AGUSTO PENA  
Treasurer

## LIBRARY SERVICE CLUB

The Library Service Club, organized in 1935, has to its credit eight years of distinguished service to the students of Martin High.

Its primary objectives are: improved library service through student training and participation; the study of various skills, routines and functions of library administration which will equip them for this service; and the fostering of good citizenship among its members by competitive improvement and the sharing of mutual responsibilities.

The social calendar, aimed to promote a spirit of comradeship and understanding, includes an initiation party, a Christmas entertainment, and a spring outing.

Left to right: Maria Luisa Lara, Clara Torres, Carmen Russo, Raquel Zulema Lozano, Alicia Alardin, Jeannete Hastings, Gregoria Rodriguez, Delia Perez, Hortencia Olivares, Consuelo Peña, Beatriz Almendariz, Patricia Mast, Maria de Jesus Torres, Fernanda Solis.



## The Pan-American Student Forum

The purpose of the Pan-American Student Forum is to promote a better understanding of the Latin American countries.

State and national conventions have been held in alternate years to which the club has sent delegates. For the duration, however, conventions have been discontinued.

The history, music, art, and literature of the South American countries are studied during the meetings.

Socially, the club has an initiation party, commemorates Columbus Day by having a banquet, and sponsors an annual dance. This year the club had its banquet at the Plaza Hotel.

Bottom Row: Lila Mae Ferrera, Sophie Rosenbaum, Gloria Benavides, Olga Rosenbaum, Yolanda Magnon.

Middle Row: Ines Medina, Ollie Mae Gunnoe, Nelda Dominguez, Ruth Hatch, Alicia Uribe, Rebeca Gonzalez, Matilde Villafranca.

Top Row: Richard Garcia, Hector Lopez, Miss Aminta Gonzalez, Sponsor; Francisco Cardenas, Rogelio Salinas, Augusto Peña, Robert Alexander, Cesar Salinas, Carlos Benavides.



MISS AMINTA GONZALEZ  
Sponsor



MISS LOIS V. DAVIDGE  
Sponsor

Mrs. E. M. Fish  
Sponsor  
is not pictured here.



WANDA BESSAN  
Secretary

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Vice-President

PHILIP FREED  
Sgt.-at-Arms

RUTH KERN  
Treasurer

E. H. CORRIGAN  
President

## NATIONAL THESPIAN HONOR DRAMATIC SOCIETY

The National Thespian Honor Dramatic Society tends to give recognition to students who attain excellence in high school dramatics, to encourage and assist teachers and students with the study, production, and direction of education and worthwhile plays.

The National Thespian Honor Dramatic Society was founded for the purpose of creating a further interest in dramatic production among the high school students.

The Thespians hold semi-monthly meetings where they produce plays and other dramatic features.

First Row: Aurora Streit Byerly, Alice Ruth Earles, Blanche Flores, Virginia Hill, Wanda Bessan, Hortense Reuthinger, Bertha Guerrero, Eleanor Mauck, Ruth Kern.

Second Row: George Savins, Mendell Granoff, Myrtle Thomey, Florence Feuille, Selma Franklin, Leonor Grubbs, Steve Baird, James Duke.

Third Row: Mrs. I. M. Pittman, sponsor; Robert Bondy, Philip Freed, Arthur Gurwitz, Frank Baird, Mac Irwin, Woodie Brooks, E. H. Corrigan.



"WILD NELL, THE PET OF THE PLAINS"

This burlesque pantomime was presented in assembly in the fall, and also in a program at St. Augustine auditorium.

The cast is as follows: Arthur Gurwitz, Handsome Harry; Blanch Flores, Lady Vere de Vere; Philip Freed, Sitting Bull; Bull Durham, James Duke; Medicine Woman, Ruth Kern; Prairie Dog Hut, Irma Ornelas and Myrtle Tommy; Cactus Plant, Frank Baird; Reader, Mac Irwin; Wanda Bessan, "Wild Nell."



MRS. I. M. PITTMAN  
Sponsor

### MRS. MINIVER

The Mrs. Miniver is an adaptation of the book by Jan Struther. The play was written by Sergel and was presented by National Thespians in the spring.

Left to right: Hortense Reuthinger, Jenny; James Duke, Tommy; Irma Ornelas, Adie; Eleanor Mauk, Judy Miniver; Woody Brooks, Vin Miniver; Blanch Flores, Helen Flint; Wanda Bessan, Mrs. Miniver; Steve Baird, Toby Miniver; Arthur Gurwitz, Mr. Miniver.





PAT BRENNAN  
Secretary



GEORGE COENAN  
Sponsor



JACK PRESTON  
Treasurer

## THE RADIO CLUB

The Radio Club was organized in October, 1942, to stimulate a greater interest in radio and to create a spirit of friendly cooperation and competition among its members, similar to the spirit found in the radio profession.

The club holds informal meetings once a month on Tuesday evenings. Members participate in contests and occasionally hear talks on radio by people working in the field.

First Row: Ernesto Linares, Enrique Rangel, Emerico Gonzalez, Jesus Flores, George West, Fred Clafin, John Davis.

Second Row: Flavio Guerra, Rodolfo Gutierrez, Myrtle Thomey, Mike Brennan, Ramiro Garcia, Joseph Naranjo, Ciro Peña, Roberto Flores, Hilario Cavazos, Agustin Mena, George Coenan, Sponsor.

Third Row: Francisco Valle, Luis Martinez, Bruno Abrego, Pat Brennan, Carlos Garza, Reynaldo Sanchez, Antonio Gutierrez, Ralph Johnson, Rodolfo Acevedo.



Other officers are:

CARLOS GARZA  
President

RALPH JOHNSON  
Sgt.-at-Arms



TED HERRERA  
Sgt.-at-Arms



DAVID F. MORADO  
Secretary



F. L. WEIGEL  
Sponsor



ALBERTO PULIDO  
Vice-President



RENE DU FRESNE  
Treasurer

## THE T & I CLUB

The T. & I. Club (Trades and Industries Club) was founded in 1942 with the following purposes in mind:

1. To promote interest in Trades and Industries.
2. To create a better understanding between education and work.
3. To do general shop and repair work in helping to keep up school buildings and equipment.

First Row: Ted Herrera, Rene Du Fresne, Robert Hale, Alberto Pulido.

Second Row: Francisco Velasquez, Hugo Gutierrez, Pedro Hugo Reyna, Genaro Alvarado, Pablo Rodriguez.

Third Row: Francisco Urbano, David Morado, Asencion Virgil, F. L. Weigel, Sponsor.



# THE CHORAL CLUB

This year the girl's chorus has been under a new director, Miss Meta Hertwig, formerly teacher of music in San Antonio.

The chorus consisting of eighteen girls presented a "Patriotic Program" in October. In assembly they presented "I Am an American" and "I Hear America Singing." In December, in Christmas assembly, the chorus sang "Salutation" by S. R. Gaines, "The King Cometh" by R. M. Stults, and "Christmas Tide" by Rosario Bourdon.

"Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes," and "Over the Rainbow" are some of the popular numbers the girls have studied. Among the secular numbers are "I Love Life" by Manna and Zucca, "The Kerry Dance" by Molloy, "Bouree" by Bach, and "Last Night" by Kerulf.



MISS META HERTWIG  
Director



PAT  
BRENNAN  
Co-editor



ALFONSO  
GARZA  
Sports Editor



MIKE  
SAENZ  
Business Manager



SANTIAGO  
SANCHEZ  
Co-editor



GLORIA  
DE LA GARZA  
Columnist



MISS MARY FRANCIS  
DOSS  
Sponsor



RUTH KERN  
Reporter

"The Martin High School Journal" is accredited for helping the war effort by giving publicity to every drive undertaken by the school.

All-Texas rating was scored this year in the Texas High School Press Association and a first class honor score in the National Scholastic Press Association.

Last year Alfonso Garza and Patricia Brennan attended the Interscholastic League State Press Conference at Austin as Journal representatives.

Four sweaters and two felt letters were awarded to the graduating staff workers last spring.

Bottom Row: Miss Meta Hertwig, Director; Margaret Cupp, Bertha Guerrero, Juana Marquez, Alma Crane, Helen Smith, Catherine Jackson, Norma Zarate.

Top Row: Mickey Kehl, Stella West, Aurora Lozano, Janice Sherity, Wanda Bessan, Josefina Cardenas, Joyce Barnes, Frances Pierce.



Bottom Row: Ira Lowry, Patricia Mast, Mary Virginia Stein, Emily Rollman, Esther Robards, Dorothy Grunsey, Mary Cullinan.

Middle Row: Alfonso Peña, Ruth Kern, Santiago Sanchez, Pat Brennan, Mike Saenz, Alfonso Garza.

Top Row: Mario Guerra, Olga Rosengaum, Henry Fasci, Gloria Laura de la Garza, Francisco Cardenas, Miss Mary Francis Doss, Sponsor; Bob Lindheim, Alfredo Perez, James Mast.



ALFREDO PEREZ  
Typist



JO VANN DOWDY, Mascot

## MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL

The Pep Squad was organized in 1942 for the purpose of boosting all school activities not under the supervision of any other organization. Membership in the club requires participation in the various services the Pep Squad is requested to render. The uniform consists of a blue skirt and tie, white blouse and a red flannel coat and red hat.

To Miss Ruth Young, who came over from Christen School to be director of girl's athletics, much credit is due for the inaugurating of this very successful school activity. In a term she has trained and uniformed a hundred and fifteen girls to make a successful and pleasing appearance at football games and basketball.

This year the Pep Squad took an active part in the Tuberculosis Drive. In addition to this charity work, members of the club sold poppies on Armistice Day to help the disabled war veterans.

Each year this organization plans three social events to be given during the year—the annual dance was given in the school auditorium on December 18, in honor of the Tigers; in March they entertained with a sunrise breakfast; but the outstanding social activity was the annual banquet given in May, when new officers were inaugurated and the old officers bade the new ones, success.

Back Row: Lily Libres, Major General; Helen Smith, Major; Stella West, 2nd Lt.; Lydia Jackson, Colonel; Gloria Bruni, Lt. Col.; Leonor Grubbs, 1st Lt.; Virginia Stein, Capt.; Bette English, 1st Lt.

Front Row: Jacque Lou Reuthinger, Capt.; Betty Ann Brewer, General; Hortense Reuthinger, Major General; Mary Jean Eisteter, 1st Lt. Not pictured: Pasty Foster, Lt. Colonel.



## MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL PEP SQUAD

Mardelle Anglin, Fannie Mae Bargsley, Francisca Barrera, Irene Barrera, Mary Ann Blue, Ruby Boyer, Betty Ann Brewer, Gloria Bruni, Jean Bureson, Francisca Cabello, Bonnie Campbell, Carmela Cardenas, Dorothy Clark, Beverly Cole, Mary Cullinan, Grace Dalrymple, Patsy Davis, Ella Douglas, Alice Ruth Earles, Mary Jean Eisteter, Bette English, Dora Esparza, Irma Flores, Patsy Foster, Betty Lou Frank, Ann Gafford, Bessie Gallegher, Dorothy Guernsey, Beatriz Guevara, Irene Groesbeck, Leonor Grubbs, Josefina Gonzalez, Maria Gloria Gonzalez, Ruth Haber, Jeannette Hastings, Margaret Hillin, Adelaide Hunter, Lydia Jackson, Opal Jones, Mickey Kehl, Esther Kowalski, Maria Luisa Lara, Hermelinda Leal, Rebecca Leon, Carrie Lee Leyendecker, Lily Libres, Sara Alice Longoria, Aurora Lozano, Hazel Marshall, Judith Martinez, Maria Emma Martinez, Maria Teresa Martinez, Maria Luisa Marulanda, Peggy Mason, Patricia Mast, Pearl McKinnis, Betsy Morgan, Lottie Lee Morgan, Yolanda Magnon, Gloria Moreno, Barbara Ann Nelson, Ollie Marie Nye, Bette Perrine, Francis Pierce, Joan Pollock, Dotty Rancher, Anna Lee Reese, Hortense Reuthinger, Jacque Lou Reuthinger, Esther Robards, Berta Sandoval, Minnie Rose Sanger, Ann Shanks, Esther Sharkey, Janice Sherfy, Wesley Shipton, Frances Smith, Mary Virginia Stein, Judy Traylor, Elaine Tucker, Helen Watson, Joanne Weigand, Stella West, Geraldine Ward, June Wright, Yolanda Vasques, Magdalena Vela, Minerva Villarreal, Zulema Villarreal, Patricia Young.



MISS RUTH YOUNG  
Sponsor



# MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL BAND

## PICCOLO

Jerry Bergman

## FLUTES

Nicolasa Rodriquez  
Vernon Bailey  
Josefina Rendon  
Beatriz Leal

## OBOES

Emily Rollman  
Gloria Gonzalez  
Alice Daugherty  
Gloria Hernandez

## CLARINETS

Arthur Gurwitz  
Richard Heacock  
Armando Guerra  
Alfredo Torres  
Concha Gutierrez  
Arline Coleman  
Robert Bailey  
Francisco Montemayor  
Jo Mae Coleman  
Gloria Novoa  
Sofia Miranda  
Francisca Canales  
Santos Quiroz  
Arturo Montemayor  
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Alfonso Miranda  
Bertha Ramon  
Billy Bob Houk  
Gloria Montemayor  
Estefana Cavazos  
Yolanda Garcia Roel  
Jackie Smith  
Leonor Saenz  
Dorothy Turman  
Mary Lou Alvey  
Leonor Montez  
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Anna Maria Martinez  
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Carmen Russo

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Victoria Lopez  
Olivia Vela

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Gregoria Mendoza  
Elizabeth Turgeon  
Maria Benavides  
Ovyda Drake  
Irene Garza  
Arturo Aguilar

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Valentin Padilla  
Guadalupe Martinez  
Elia Garcia  
Delia Perez

## TENOR SAXOPHONES

Gumersindo Medellin  
Amedee Casso

## BARITONE SAXOPHONES

Manuel Jimenez  
Jose Botello

## BASSOONS

Mickey Allen  
Joyce Alworth

## CORNETS

Roy Hoffman  
Jimmy Watson  
Robert Okey  
Jose Garza  
Pedro Bustamante

## James Duke

Jesus Gutierrez  
Patricio Muñoz  
Juan Gomez  
Jose Vasquez

## FRENCH HORNS

Petra Tijerina  
Robert Hornburg  
Marcelino Martin  
Joe Mike Kavy

## TROMBONES

Tom Herring  
Byron Garrett  
Samuel Neira  
Edward Matson  
Robert Stiles  
Gene Howland

## BARITONES

Antonio Salazar  
Jose Guerra  
Mendell Granoff

## BASSES

Alfredo Perez  
Francisco Cardenas  
Cristobal De La Cruz  
Philip Reyna  
Javier Cadena  
Reymundo Rendon

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Betty Jane Murphy



MR. WILLIAM CARRICO  
Band Director



TOM HERRING  
Drum Major



JOYCE ALWORTH  
and  
GLORIA GONZALEZ  
Drum Majorettes

# MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL BAND

The Martin High School Band, under the direction of Bill Carrico, has had a successful and busy year, in spite of the curtailment which made traveling impossible.

Appearing between the halves of each home game during football season, the organization presented a variety of formations and stunts. Although contests have been cancelled for the duration, the band participated in both school and civic programs.

Two Victory concerts were presented by the 90-piece band in formal programs received enthusiastically by the audiences.

Other functions for which the band performed were the Washington's Birthday Celebration, the Border Olympic, Navy Day Program, The Field Mass, and others.





# MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL DANCE BAND

A new organization, one that has gained popularity from the beginning, is the school's own Dance Band. Organized in October, the group has played for the majority of the dances at all of the Laredo public schools. The fourteen-piece orchestra has been commended for its renditions of both "swing" and "sweet" arrangements.

BILL CARRICO  
Director

### SAXOPHONES

David Beaman  
Arthur Gurwitz  
Gumersindo Medellin  
Armando Guerra

### TRUMPETS

Roy Hoffman  
Jimmy Watson  
Bob Okey

### TROMBONES

Tom Herring  
George Mayes

### GUITAR

Agustin Mena

### DRUMS

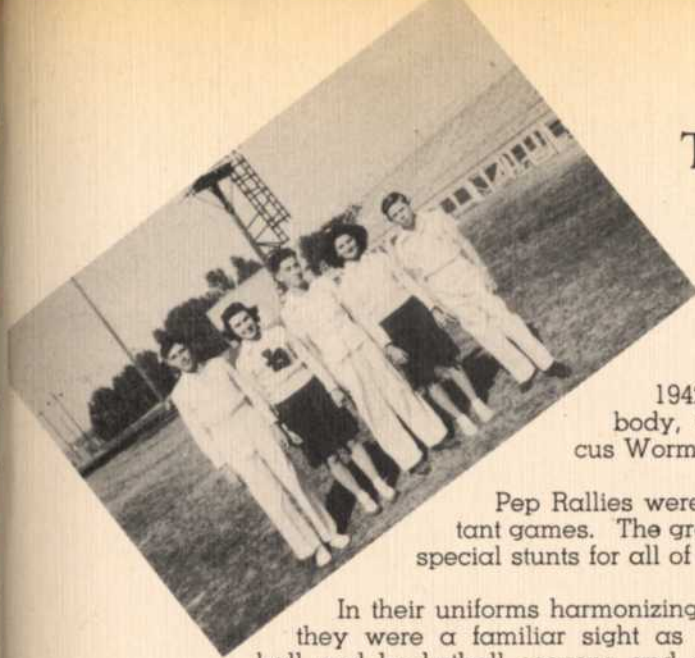
Mac Irvin

### PIANO

Betty Jane Murphy



# THE CHEER LEADERS



Under the direction of six regular yell leaders the Martin High Pep Squad of more than a hundred members was organized at the beginning of the football season. E. H. Corrigan, who served as the leader, was unanimously elected to head the cheering squad for 1942-43. At a general Pep Rally of the student body, Patsy Foster, Lydia Jackson, Stella West, Marcus Wormser, and Jimmy Pierce were elected as assistants.

Pep Rallies were conducted by this group for each of the important games. The group cooperated with the Pep Squad in performing special stunts for all of the games.

In their uniforms harmonizing with the red, white, and blue of the Pep Squad they were a familiar sight as they led the cheering sections through the football and basketball seasons and at the Olympics.

Miss Young served as sponsor for the Yell Leaders as well as for the Pep Squad, and both were efficiently trained.

Pictured below are:

Top Row: E. H. Corrigan, Marcus Wormser, and Jimmy Pierce.  
Bottom Row: Lydia Jackson, and Stella West.  
Patsy Foster was absent due to illness.







Bottom Row: Tomasita Fitzpatrick, Gloria Bruni, Lydia Jackson, Florence Feuille, Helen Watson, Selma Franklin, Maria Elena Garza, Beatriz Martinez.

Middle Row: Virginia Hill, Elenor Mauck, Leonor Mauck, Ann Shanks, Wanda Bessan, Blanch Flores.

Top Row: Emma Garza, Alicia Uribe, Jesus Chapa, Ricardo Bazaldua, Mario Guerra, Robert Bondy, Henry Fasci, Mike Saenz, Bill Haynes, Alfonso Garza, Jimmy Pierce, Mrs. Norman Sorrell, Sponsor; Ollie Mae Gunnoe, Myrtle Thomey, Maria de Lourde Longoria.

## "LA PITAHAYA"

In a war year when one would think the publishing of an annual a futile and difficult problem, the popularity of the annual has been tested and the result is that the subscriptions have increased more than a hundred copies and the advertising budget has been oversubscribed. Annuals have been ordered for boys in the service who are scattered all over the world. All funds left, after the annual is paid for, sweaters have been awarded the editors and business managers, and a picnic has been given the staff, will go to buying war bonds. These will serve as a nest egg for future annuals.



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ELEANOR MAUCK  
Asst. Editor



TOMASITA FITZPATRICK — HENRY FASCI  
Editors-in-Chief



MARIO GUERRA  
Asst. Editor

With few exceptions, the members of the staff have worked diligently. Of special mention for continuous hard work are Henry Fasci and Tomasita Fitzpatrick, co-editors; Selma Franklin and Florence Feuille, business managers; Alfonso Garza, sports editor; Gloria Laura de la Garza, club editor; Eleanor Mauck and Mario Guerra, assistant editors; Mickey Allen, art editor; Jesus Chapa, lettering artist; Eduardo Guajardo, Robert Bondy, Jimmy Richter, photographers; Wanda Bessan, feature editor.



MICKEY ALLEN  
Art Editor

The students who have helped make the concessions a success, are: Henry Fasci, Alejandro Garcia, Matias Garcia, Mario Guerra, Emma and Maria Elena Garza, Maria de Jesus Garza, Maria R. Garcia, Gloria Laura de la Garza, Mike Saenz, Alfonso Garza, and Arturo Vasquez.



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Bookkeeper



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Top Row: Socorro Cortez, Guadalupe Martinez, Maria De Jesus Torres, Helen Bertram, Maria de Lourdes Longoria.

Bottom Row: Beatriz Linares, Maria Luisa Gallegos, Ramona Sanchez, Isabel Sanchez.

## Ellen H. Richards Future Homemakers Club

Top Row: Frances Cabello, Alicia Uribe, Concha Gonzalez.  
Middle Row: Dora Luna, Dolores Alvarado, Virginia Gonzalez, Raquel Lozano.  
Bottom Row: Irene Charle, Leonor Rocha, Gloria Mata.



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## Future Homemakers On the Home Front

### PROGRAM OF WORK

#### I. WAR ON WASTE

- A. Less talk and more work; rumors and gossip should be disregarded.
- B. Conservation of time.
- C. Conservation of materials by mending, repairing, and remodeling all clothes and household equipment.
- D. Active participation in national campaigns and drives.
  1. By collecting of scrap metal, rubber, and fats.
  2. By buying stamps and bonds.

#### II. TOTAL FITNESS

- A. Physical fitness made possible by exercise, rest, and proper food.
- B. Mental and emotional fitness—morale—by maintaining a courageous attitude.

#### III. NUTRITION

- A. Eat right to work right.
  1. Use the Texas Food Standard as a guide to good nutrition.
  2. Help to conserve food by planting a victory garden and canning vegetables and fruits.

#### IV. GOOD NEIGHBORS—What being a good neighbor means.

1. Being tolerant and unselfish by cooperating with family, schoolmates, and community.
2. Learning about, understanding and appreciating other racial and national groups.



Officers of Ellen H. Richards

Dora Luna, Emily Zaiter, Esperanza Gutierrez, Racquel Lozano, Lala Rogerio, Virginia Gonzalez.



Chairmen of the various Future Homemaking Clubs

Top Row: Miss Diana Lafon, Sponsor; Jerry Bergman, Alicea Uribe, Mary Blue, Mrs. Montgomery, Sponsor.  
Middle Row: Elsa Gonzalez, Francisca Canales, Olga Rendon, Alicia Rodriguez, Olivia Salinas, Dorothy Clark.  
Bottom Row: Doris Kunzy, Maria Elena Delgado, Maria Luisa Solis, Elena Eggers.

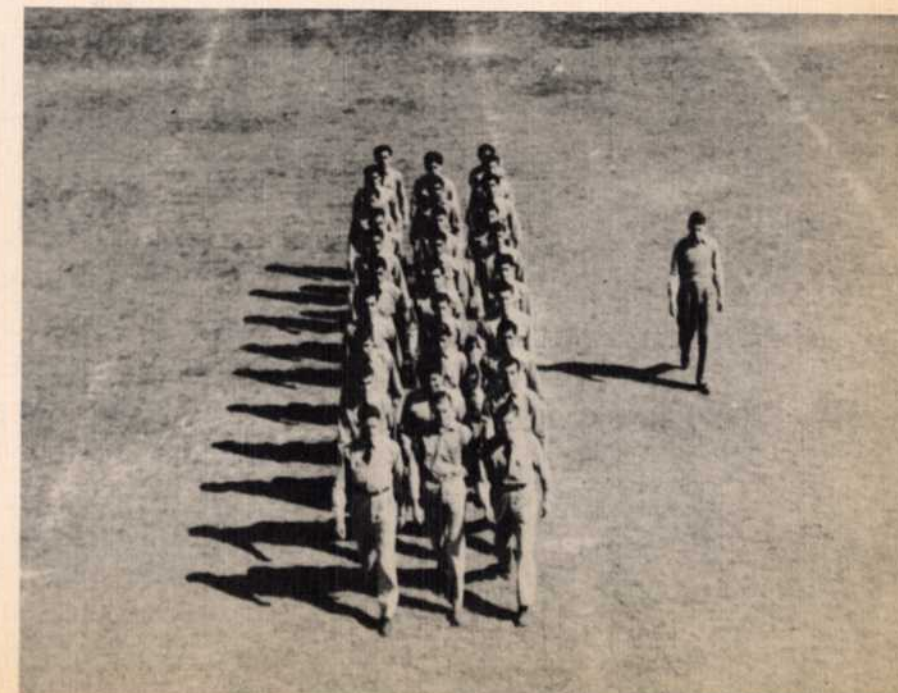


Virginia Hill, Blanche Flores, Ofelia Arizola.

# Athletics



Gym classes take pre-flight training.



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Secretary



PATSY FOSTER  
Vice-President



HELEN WATSON  
President



GLORIA BENAVIDES  
Vice-President



LYDIA JACKSON  
Treasurer

## THE COURTESY SERVICE CLUB

The Courtesy Service Club was organized eight years ago and the spirit of kindness, friendliness, and willingness to perform duties, has lived throughout its history.

Membership consists of girls selected for good behavior, sportsmanship and loyalty to the school, and new members must be approved by both the old members and the faculty.

The C. S. C., as it is usually called, gives service to the school by ushering and assisting in gatherings of an educational or cultural nature.

To help speed our country on the road to victory, dues are used for the purchase of war bonds and stamps.

Top Row: Leonor Grubbs, Jean Hernandez, Miss Adele Wildenthal, Sponsor; Bessie Gallagher, Olga Rosenbaum, Roddie Stripling.

Middle Row: Pat Brennan, Ruth Kern, Arline Coleman, Helen Watson, Lydia Jackson, Joyce Barnes.

Bottom Row: Selma Franklin, Eleanor Mauck, Ella Douglas, Patsy Foster, Gloria Benavides.



MISS ADELE  
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# 1942 BENGAL FOOTBALL GRIDSTERS



Back Row: Manuel Arechiga, Anthony Barrera, Robert Isaacks, John Valls, George Vela, Bill Peters, J. C. Walker, Tony Magnon, (trainer), John Green, Coach.

Middle Row: Bruce Bunn, James Crane, James Dallmer, Andres Ortiz, James Jones, Rodrigo de Llano, Alfred Fricke, Leslie Smith.

Front Row: Woodie Brooks, Domingo Arechiga, Vidal Sepulveda, Frank Carpenter, Waydell Hunter, Francisco Velasquez, Jack Magnon, Bob Leary.

## YEAR'S RESULT

- Laredo 12, New Braunfels 7
- Laredo 6, Central Catholic 0
- \*Laredo 0, Kerrville 12
- \*Laredo 6, Thomas Jefferson 62
- Laredo 0, T. M. I. 44
- \*Laredo 0, Austin 47
- \*Laredo 0, S. A. Tech 18
- \*Laredo 0, Corpus Christi 47
- \*Laredo 0, Brackenridge 20
- Laredo 0, Bowie High 41

# 1942 KITTEN GRIDSTERS

## YEAR'S RESULTS

- Kittens 13, Crystal City 0
- Kittens 18, Sabiná 0
- Kittens 7, Uvalde 24
- Kittens 0, Carrizo Springs 19
- Kittens 27, Christen Cubs 0

Top Row: Thomas Hastings, manager, Pablo Rodriguez, Donald Enloe, Hal Mauckleroy, Jack Cadell, Pablo Mejia, Herman Freeman, Roy Gray, Douglas Cox, Jose Maria Sanchez, Coach Fernando Peña.

Middle Row: Allyn Scribner, Librado Peña, Jimmy Campbell, Leopoldo Reyna, Antonio Duarte, Horacio Muñoz, Roberto Garcia, Rogelio Zuniga.

Front Row: Emilio Jacaman, Wendel Elliott, Buck Hausman, Frank Leyendecker, Edmundo Villarreal.



# BENGAL COACHING STAFF



JOHN GREEN  
Head Coach



FERNANDO PENA  
Assistant Coach

TONY MAGNON  
Trainer



# THAT GOOD OLD LAREDO LINE



MANUEL ARECHIGA  
Center



BOB LEARY  
Back



## 1943 GRIDIRION REVIEW

"We did wonders against tremendous odds." Such is the remark of Manuel Arechiga, most valuable Tiger for this year, when asked his opinion regarding the Bengal football squad.

"It was our determination and our fighting spirit that won in the long run," he continues, "and anybody who says that forming a squad composed of six lettermen, a bunch of 'B' squad gridsters, and a group of inexperienced, untrained players who had never before in their lives carried a pigskin into a fighting machine isn't much work, he just lacks a little sense. However, despite numerous injuries which hampered the squad all season, it was formed into a strong unit and it was the worry of many of the outstanding 15th District teams." In Manuel's own words we continue this year's gridiron review.



DOMINGO ARECHIGA  
Back



ANTHONY BARRERA  
Back

BRUCE BUNN  
End



FRANK CARPENTER  
Guard



JAMES CRANE  
Tackle

### LAREDO 12, NEW BRAUNFELS 7

"We started our season by tangling with a stronger and heavier New Braunfels eleven in our own backyard, and won 12-7. Fernando De Llano and Johnny Valls snatched two of Bob Leary's passes to score Laredo's first points of the season. Chapa, Unicorn back, effected the only New Braunfel's touchdown.

### LAREDO 6, CENTRAL CATHOLIC 0

"Our first victory inspired us greatly, and when we met Central Catholic's Buttons here at Shirley Field, their goose was cooked. The only score of the game was made on a pass from Jack Magnon to Waydell Hunter. Central Catholic's team was built about Gonzalez who could punt, pass and run superbly.

### LAREDO 0, KERRVILLE 12

"It was during our third undertaking, and our first district tilt that we suffered a slight setback, but it wasn't as bad as it had been anticipated. Kerrville's boys made use of two breaks, and Pickins and Weir scored the two Antler touchdowns.

"Everybody expected the Kerrville machine to trample us as easily as a cat does a mouse, but things turned out to be very different, because the Antler land and air power which was expected to baffle us into submission was minimized by our determined Bengal line. Our defensive and offensive plays clicked outstandingly, but I guess it was just not in us to win that game.



JAMES DALLMER  
Back



RODRIGO DE LLANO  
Back

### LAREDO 6, THOMAS JEFFERSON 62

"Our next district tussle brought us face to face with the strong Jefferson team of San Antonio. Although outweighed twelve pounds to the man, we put up quite a fight for the spoils and made use of the breaks. But Jefferson's speedy backs proved superior to anything we had on the field, and as a result they won 62-6.

"A 25-yard pass from Bob Leary to George Vela gave us our only six points.

### LAREDO 0, T. M. I. 44

"We were out to get a victory when we met the T. M. I. Panther aggregation here at home; but the odds both in speed and ability were tremendous. The final score came out to be 44-0 in our visitor's favor.



FERNANDO DE LLANO  
Back



ALFRED FRICKE  
Guard  
WAYDELL HUNTER  
Back





ROBERT ISAACKS  
End

"They were not heavy at all, but tricky as the dickens. Tobin and Moore, Panther backs, proved that weight is not a necessary factor to possess when driving through opposing lines. These boys turned out to be fast and slick, scoring the majority of T. M. I. touchdowns.

LAREDO 0, AUSTIN 47

"Any team which had lost three consecutive games within a month would have reasons enough to look downcast and discouraged, but we just weren't. We got into the game against the Maroons with a grim determination to give them a good fight, and although the score turned out to be 47 to 0 in our host's favor, those Capital City football fans saw us battle against heavier adversaries without letdown.

"The Maroon team as a whole shared all honors. Quinn, Lee, Davis, Kirchner, Allen, Bryan, and Forester accounted for the seven touchdowns of the game.



JAMES JONES  
Back



JACK MAGNON  
Back



BILL PETERS  
Back

LAREDO 0, SAN ANTONIO TECH 18

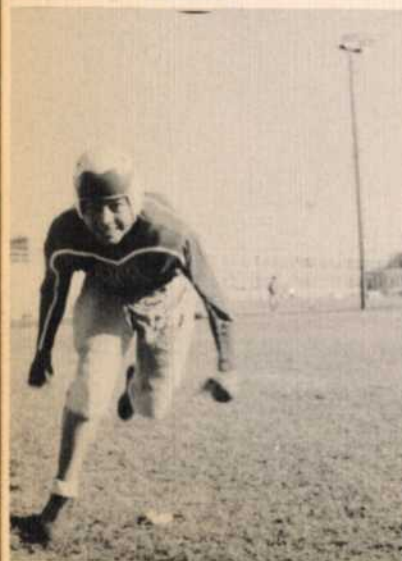
"We didn't want to be left in the district cellar, so when we met the S. A. Tech Buffaloes, at Alamo Stadium, we knew we had to win, and win we almost did.

"Three times during the first half of the game we knocked at Tech's goal posts, yet always failing to score for the lack of a yard or two. In the second half the Buffs, led by Felix Garza, came back strong and scored three touchdowns to win the game.

LAREDO 0, CORPUS CHRISTI 47

"Corpus Christi's Buccaneers were the last to invade our lair, and it was quite a clean and beautifully played scrap. Our visitors won 47-0.

"Parker, Wallace, Clark, and Wilkinson were the sparkplugs of the whole Buc team. A large delegation of Pirate boosters accompanied their team to this game.



ANDRES ORTIZ  
Tackle

LAREDO 0, BRACKENRIDGE 20

"Our last district tussle with the Brackenridge Eagles at Alamo Stadium proved to be a hotly contested game. We showed a large crowd of San Antonio football fans what that good old Laredo spirit could do when we kept the Eagles from scoring more than 20 points against us.

"This game was the best we played throughout the whole season, and our fighting machine worried the Birdmen extensively throughout the game. Three errors, however, caused us to lose it.



LESLIE SMITH  
Center



VIDAL SEPULVEDA  
Back



FRANCISCO VELASQUEZ  
Guard

GEORGE VELA  
End

LAREDO 6, BOWIE HIGH 41

"We made the longest trip of the season to play the Bowie High Bears at El Paso, and we were not at all very successful with this particular undertaking as the Bowie High machine scored 41 points to our 6.

"Rosas and Rayon were the stars of the Bowie powerhouse, breaking through our line for good gains. Both of these boys scored most of the Bear touchdowns.

"Our only touchdown was effected on a pass from Dallmer to Valls, who lateraled to Domingo Arechigo going over the goal line.





JOHN VALLS  
End

"After the game, the whole Tiger squad traveled into New Mexico where they visited Carlsbad Cavern. The football gridsters enjoyed this visit to the caverns very much."



FIDEL MORADO  
Manager

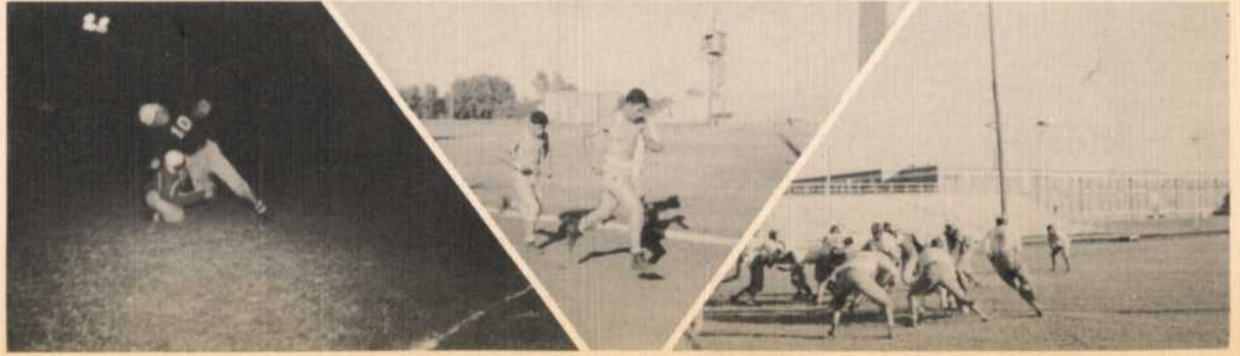
"This was Indio's last year as the Tiger squad manager. His friendly and humorous attitude at all times made the boys like him. The gang will surely miss him."



WOODY BROOKS  
Guard

# It's Work and Play for These Bengal Lads

on the  
Battlefield  
and  
At Home





## OUR TIGER BASKETBALL SQUAD



STANDING—Coach John Green, Lee Carter, Gene Carter, John Valls, George Vela, Ponce Villarreal, Bob Leary.

KNEELING—Albert Pape, Rodrigo De Llano, Manuel Arechiga, Domingo Arechiga, Jesus Rodriguez, Marcelino Martin, manager.

NOT IN PICTURE—Jack Preston.

### THIS YEAR'S BASKETBALL LETTERMEN

Lee Carter	Rodrigo De Llano
Gene Carter	Manuel Arechiga
John Valls	Domingo Arechiga
Ponce Villarreal	Jack Preston
Bob Leary	Jesus Rodriguez

Marcelino Martin, Manager

## KITTEN B CAGESTERS



BACK ROW—Sam Rives, Rodolfo Ochoa, Fernando De Llano, Emilio Jacaman, Coach Fernando Peña.

MIDDLE ROW—Arnaldo Dickinson, Woodie Brooks, Jimmy Campbell

KNEELING—Gustavo Garcia

OTHERS NOT IN PICTURE—Roberto Garcia, Joseph Naranjo, Frank Groesbeck.

### KITTEN SCHEDULE

Kittens 26, Holding 2  
 Kittens 31, Zachry 15  
 Kittens 21, Holding 8  
 Kittens 52, St. Augustine 21  
 Kittens 29, St. Joseph "B" 8  
 Kittens 40, Longhorns 23  
 Kittens 18, Holding 13  
 Kittens 32, Longhorns 16  
 Kittens 35, St. Augustine 3  
 Kittens 34, St. Joseph "B" 16



Domingo Arechiga  
Forward

Manuel Arechiga  
Guard



Bob Leary  
Guard

Gene Carter  
Guard

Rodrigo De Llano  
Forward

Lee Carter  
Guard



## CAGE BRIEFS

Coach Johnny Green's Bengal cagers played a scrapping basketball season this year. Matched against superior odds, they showed that they could battle and come out the winners.

This year's squad with only seven lettermen and a bunch of former B squad players was turned into a strong team after hard weeks of practice. Although short of stature with the exception of a few, the boys showed by their scores that they possessed ability to connect with the basket.



Of major interest in the Tiger schedule was the City League Series in which local cage teams battled and worked hard to clip the City League Crown. After hard contested games were played, the 796th Military Police of Fort McIntosh won the championship, followed by our fighting Bengal quint. Comprising the rest of the local cage family were St. Joseph's Antlers, Holding Institute, the 1860th Service Unit, and the 56th Cavalry boys.

The strongest contenders for the City Crown besides the Tigers were the 796th M. P. Bn. five, and St. Joseph's Antlers. St. Joseph, however, proved easy picking for the Cats, who

## CAGE BRIEFS—Cont'd

won both scraps by major scores. The rest of the games with the other Laredo cage teams also offered slight difficulty for the Tiger quint, but when time came for the 796th M. P. five to offer their resistance, the tables registered something different for our Bengal lads. They lost on both encounters with the Police boys, who were fast on their feet and possessed an admirable coordination.

Coach Green's boys, however, did not show so badly at the 15-AA District Basketball tournament held at the Brackenridge Gym in San



Jesus Rodriguez  
Forward

John Valls  
Center



Albert Pape  
Forward

Jack Preston  
Forward



George Vela  
Center

Ponce Villarreal  
Center



Antonio. They placed fourth in the district standings, and obtained sweet revenge when they defeated the Corpus Christi Bucs by a 20-17 score. Brackenridge's Birdmen and Thomas Jefferson's cagers accounted for the Cats being thrown out of the race when they beat the Tigers by 46-20 and 43-27 scores. Austin's Maroons were the final winners of the 15-AA District Cage Crown, and they repeated their last year's record.

There are four basketball lettermen expected to come back next season. Among them are Rodrigo De Llano, Domingo Arechiga, Jesus Rodriguez, and most probably Bob Leary.

# MARTIN HIGH'S BENGAL THINLYCLADS



Standing: Librado Peña, manager; Rodolfo Ochoa, Lee Carter, Gene Carter, John Valls, George Vela, Manuel Arechiga, Fernando De Llano, Coach Fernando L. Peña.  
 Kneeling: Woodie Brooks, Joseph Naranjo, Alfred Fricke, Arnoldo Dickenson, Bob Leary, Albert Pape.  
 Sitting: Jimmy Campbell, Gumersindo Medellin, Pablo Mejia, Alfredo Torres, Jesus Rodriguez, Eduardo Guajardo.

Our track squad this year is considered a strong unit with plenty of fast material. Coach Peña's Bengal thinlyclads, the majority of which are inexperienced trackmen, have been able to face strong competition this year and give a good account of themselves.

The track squad so far this season has participated in the 11th Border Olympics and in the Alamo Heights Track and Field Meet held at San Antonio annually. They are now priming and get-



John Valls  
High Hurdler

ting ready to win the Regional championship.

One of our stars who has shone more brightly than any of the others has been Johnny Valls, high hurdler, high jumper, and pole vaulter. Johnny has already made track history, and more yet is expected of him before the season is over. At the Alamo Heights Meet he was high point man with 15 points.

Since we are now going to press, we are sorry that we cannot give you any results, but they are expected to be favorable.



Lee Carter, shotput man.



"On your marks. Get set. Go!"



The squabble for the finish.

They take it easy.



Pablo Mejia, shotputter.

# 11th OLYMPIC SNAPSHOTS



440-Yard Relay at Preliminaries.



Gene Carter finishes 100-yard dash.



Valls comes in third in the 120-yard high hurdles finals.

Pole-vaulting.



Throwing the shot.



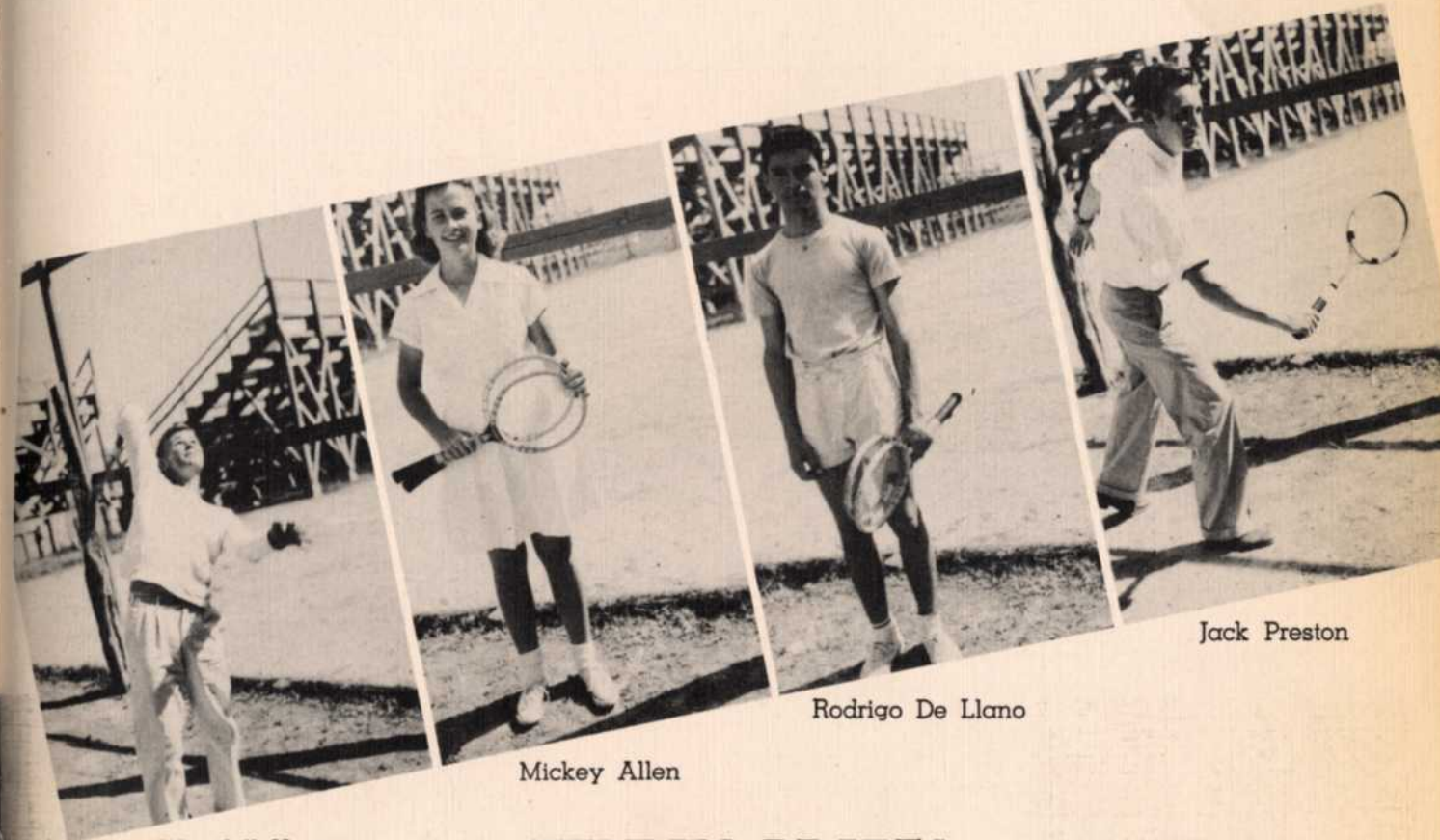
# TENNIS SQUAD



STANDING—Coach George G. Garza, Mickey Allen, Jack Preston.  
KNEELING—Rodrigo De Llano, Waydell Hunter.



Coach George G. Garza



Waydell Hunter

Mickey Allen

Rodrigo De Llano

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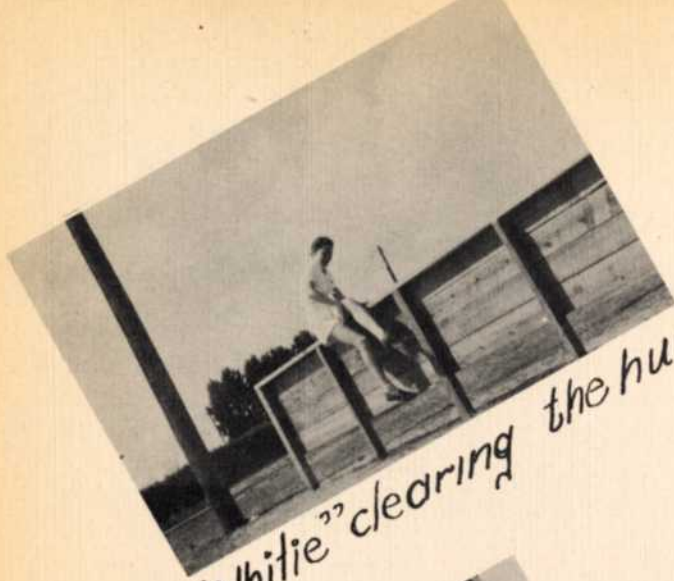
# TENNIS BRIEFS

With three returning lettermen and a new coach at its head, this year's tennis squad promises encouraging results before the season is over.

Coach George G. Garza's team has already attended the Falfurrias Hearts Delight Tournament so far this season, and at the time of this writing is making plans to attend the Region Seven meet to be held at Kingsville in April of this year.

At the Heart's Delight Tournament the Laredo tennis players did amazingly well against the cream of the South Texas tennis players. They are now practicing daily, and brushing up on the fundamentals of court strategy. The outlook for the Regional meet looks bright, and it won't be a surprise if our doubles team cops the Regional Crown.

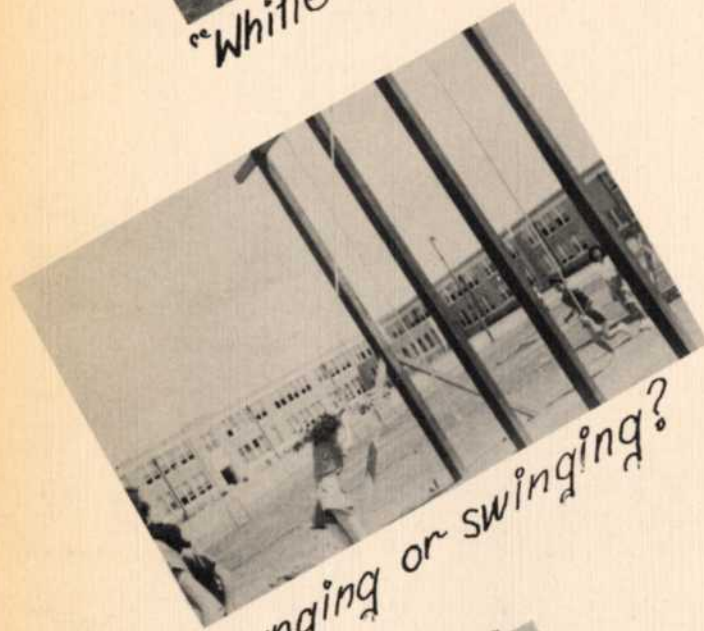
OBSTACLE  
COURSE



"Whitie" clearing the hurdle



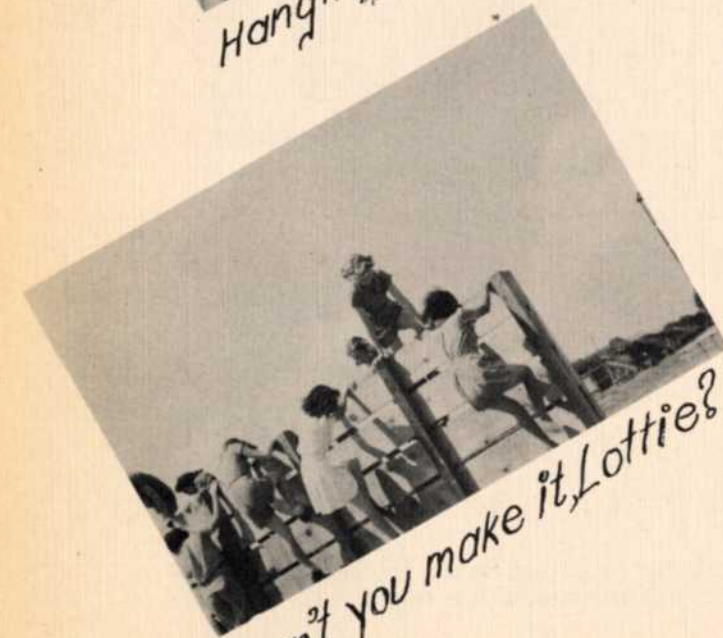
Mary sits and watches



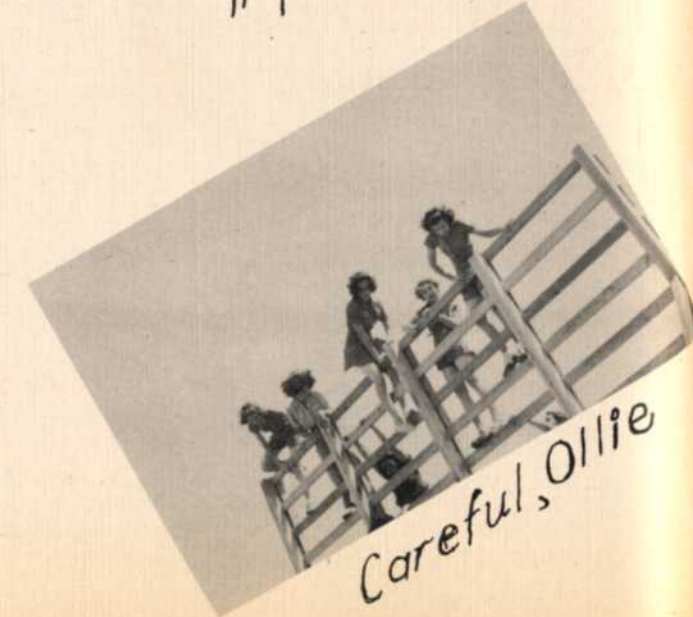
Hanging or swinging?



Try again, Shanks!



Can't you make it, Lottie?



Careful, Ollie



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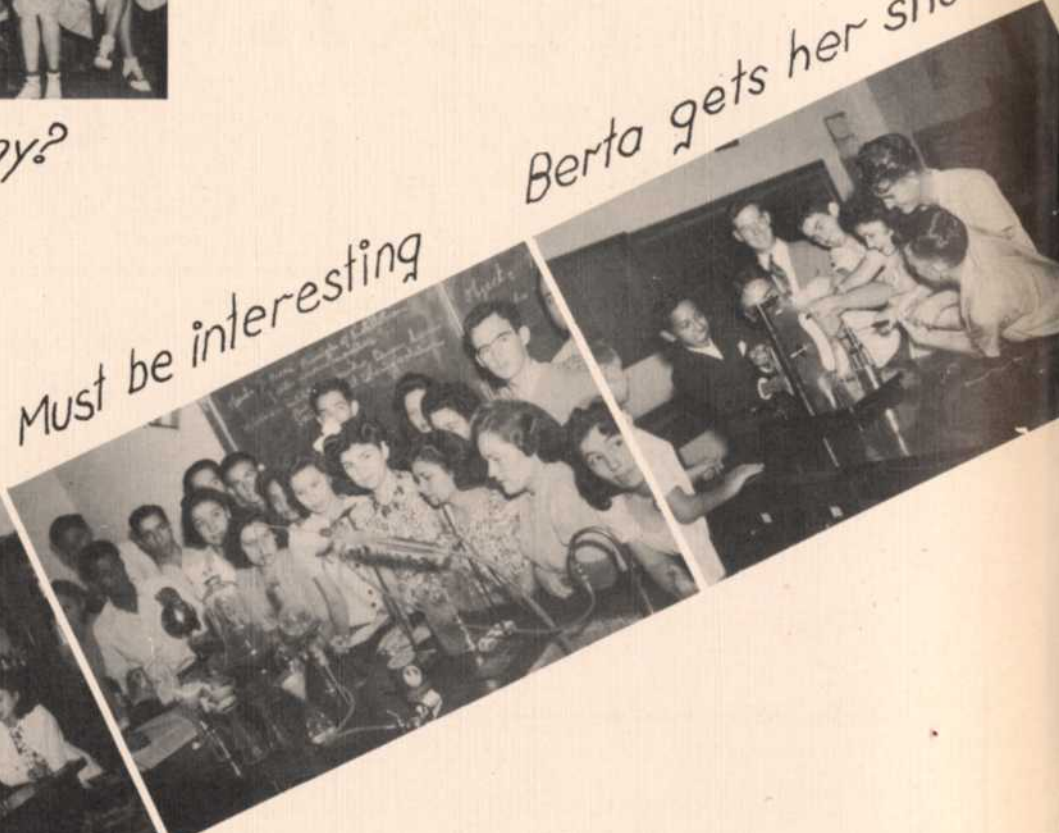


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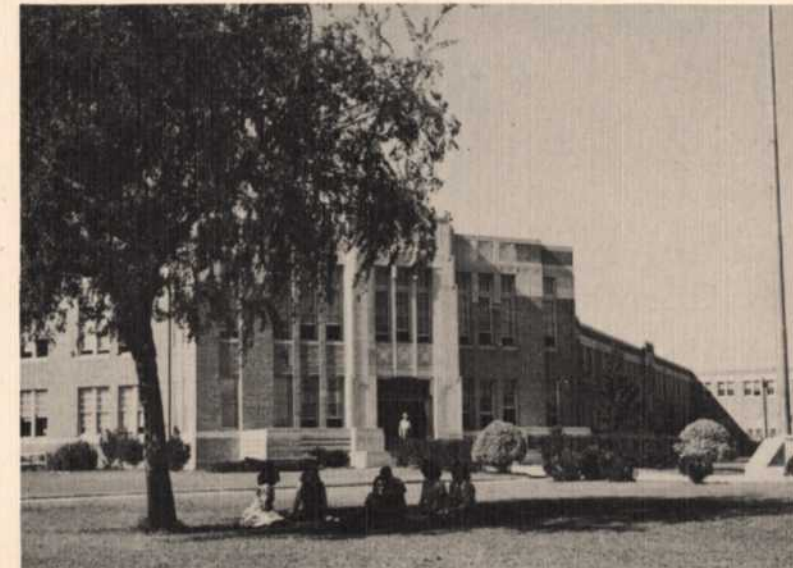


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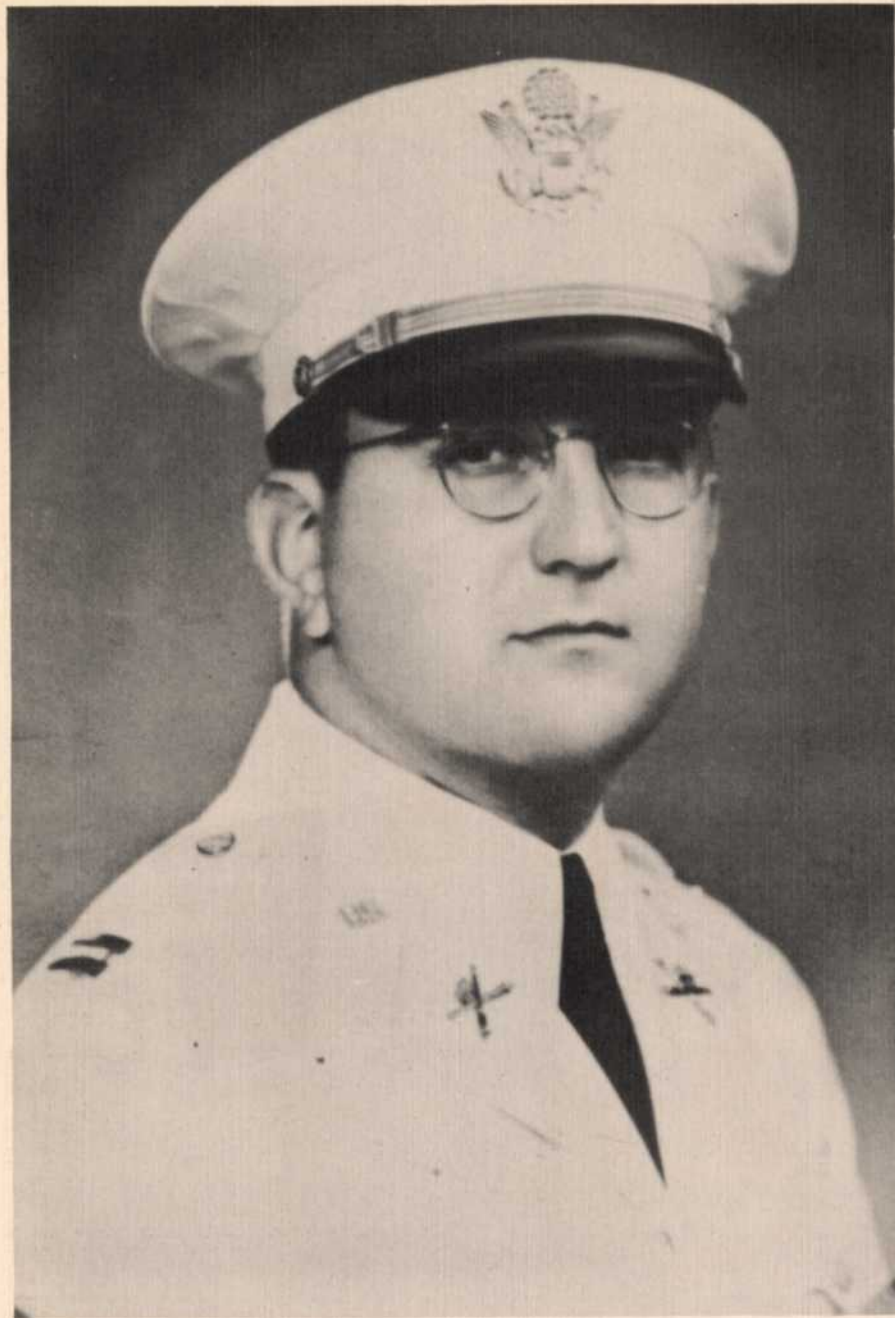
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