



GIRLS' STUDENT CONTROL



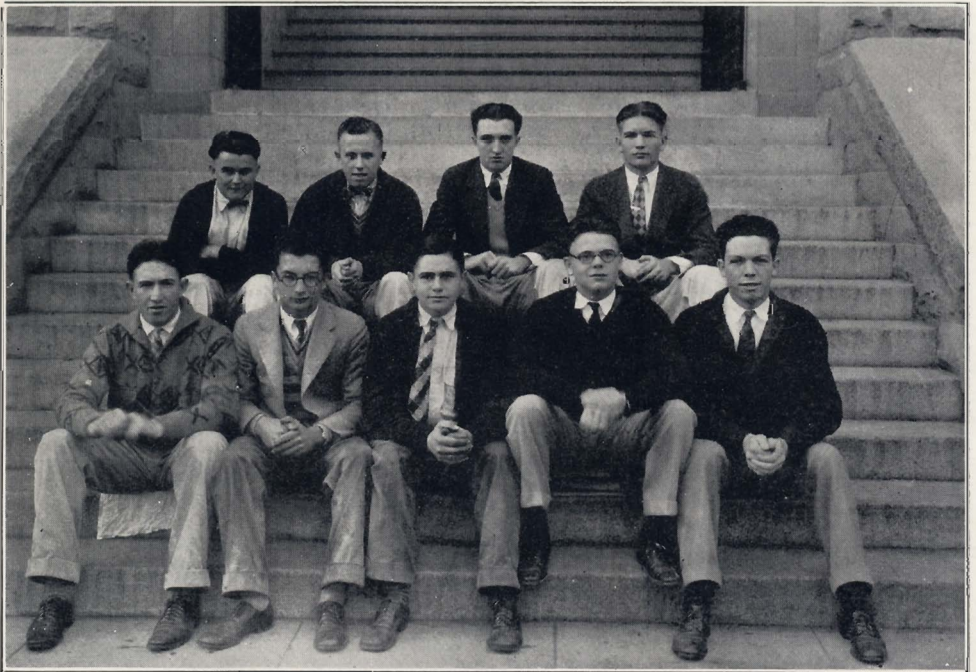
HE first meeting of the new girls' student control committee was called on September 17, 1925, by Clara Catherine Hudson, the president. Very carefully selected, by the president and the dean of girls was the group of girls who made up the "body of peace makers." Those chosen to enforce the laws of the school are: Helen Grimsley, Bernyce Ingersoll, Evelyn Reid, Bernice St. Clair, Ruth Stiles, Mary Garvin Hammond, Minna Hicks, Camille Pike, Dorothy Ulrici, Josephine Wixson, La Vergne White, Mary Louise Leistner, and Juanita Stanley. These girls showed their ability by having a smaller number of cases the first half of the year than in the same time during the past two or three years.

BOYS' STUDENT CONTROL

The functioning of the Boys' Student Control Committee started at a meeting held on September 17, 1925. The members are: Mervin Garibotto, president; Joe Peters, secretary; Clarence Bush, Harry Berg, Stephen Dietrich, Harry Pearce, Francis Queirolo, Francis Bowen, Jack Eagal, Marvin Koster and "Det" Brown.

The duty of these boys is to be leaders of the school, and to enforce the school laws. Those students guilty of breaking these laws are given demerits according to the seriousness of the offense after a fair trial by the student control members and ratification by the faculty discipline committee. An average of fifteen cases a meeting, which was held once a week, shows that the control members have been very active.

Student Control



JUNIOR RED CROSS



On October 6 the first meeting of the Junior Red Cross was held to plan their work for the coming year. The group was composed of Junior Red Cross representatives, one elected from each adviser section, who constituted the Junior Red Cross council and served during the year. The society was financed by dues of fifty cents collected from each advisor section. The first work of the year was sending thirty-five Christmas boxes to the poor children of Guam. Each advisory group who chose to do this was given a Red Cross box to be filled with Christmas gifts suitable for a boy or a girl. These were sent to San Francisco by November 16, and on November 20 were sent on their way to Guam. This welfare work was accomplished under the leadership of Lucy Ritter, chairman, and Rossi Reynolds, secretary.

SENIOR HI-Y

In the fall of 1925 a publicity campaign was held by the members of the Hi-Y Society in order that students might learn the creed and platform of their order. The Senior Hi-Y Society, which is composed of juniors and seniors, held their first meeting on October 7. Dwight Campbell was elected president; Robert Peterson, vice-president; Dwight Humphreys, treasurer; and Harry Berg, chairman of the athletic committee. They met every Wednesday evening. Their platform consists of clean speech, good sportsmanship, high scholarship, clean living, and the support of all noble causes that tend toward the betterment of the school.



Dwight Campbell

JUNIOR HI-Y



The Junior Hi-Y Society accomplished much after their first meeting on October 12, when Tully Knoles was elected president; Lee Hathaway, vice-president; Bernard Ruhl, and Wilson Morehead, sergeants-at-arms. This society, open to all worthy freshmen or sophomores, met every Monday night. In this, their second year, they plan to send four boys to the Senior Hi-Y Convention at Mount Hermon.

LITERARY CLUB

French, Spanish, and Latin Clubs hold a place of undisputed importance among the organizations of Stockton High School, but it was not until November, 1925, that a real effort was made to organize a society for the study of English literature.

The movement was started by a number of boys under the leadership of Ralph Nagle in Miss A. Howell's 11-B English class, and on November 14, a group of students met in the assembly to discuss plans for the new organization. It was decided that the club should be called "The Literary Club," rather than "English Club," since the word "literary" included a wider range of subjects than the word "English." A committee was chosen to draw up a constitution and present it at the club at the next meeting.



Nagle

FRENCH CLUB



"Soda water! Soda water! Ice cold Soda water!" Such was the nature of the cry that floated from a gaily decorated booth, managed by the French Club, in front of the boys' gymnasium last Tacky day. This booth, trimmed with red, white and blue paper ribbons as symbols of the French, was the out-standing activity of "S' Amicale Francaise" during the past semester. Interesting monthly meetings composed the real program of the club. The governing body consisted of: Bernita Salmon, president; Janice Dixon, vice-president; Margaret Wisler, secretary; Ruby Tremain, treasurer, and Joe Tremain, sergeant-at-arms. The chairmen of the various committees appointed by President Salmon were: Entertainment, Lucy Ritter; Music, Mildred Judy; Publicity, Bessie Backes, and Decorations, Elizabeth Dozier.

SPANISH CLUB

Not the famed "Charleston" but their own version of the Spanish "Tango" brought roars of laughter and gales of applause from members of the Spanish Club to Allison Pope and William Mahaffey at the meeting of El Casino Espanol, held in the assembly hall on December 1, 1925. At that same meeting Lois Scantlebury, Thelma Tretheway, Dorothy Ratto and Erma Davidson sang "La Golondrina" and "Titina," accompanied on the piano by Janice Dixon. A reading, "El Alma Espanola," was given by Marjorie Scott.



The club, which holds meetings at least once a quarter, elected at their first meeting, which was held during the latter part of October: William Mahaffey, president; Yvonne Goulding, vice-president; Lois Scantlebury, secretary; Meyer Corren, treasurer; Virgil Belew, sergeant-at-arms.

PHILOPHYSEAN CLUB



Feminine science enthusiasts met in November to discuss plans for their year's activities. Officers of the Philophysean Club, who were elected last June for this year, were: Ruby Tremain, president; Margaret Wisler, secretary-treasurer. On the latter's moving to Oakland, Orma White was chosen to fill the office. Another meeting of the club was held on December 4, 1925, when the members were divided into groups according to the science they were taking, and a chairman was appointed for each group. Each group was to prepare club programs. In connection with prospective programs, Mr. Snook and Mr. Sweet, science teachers, offered to address the club.

The members voted to get pins, and other interesting matters were arranged to make this year's program exceptionally interesting.

LATIN CLUB

"Salve! Salve!"

The above salutation might have sounded the key note of the Latin Club meeting which took place in advisor period on October 1, 1925, in the assembly hall when the "discipuli Latinæ" came together for the first time in the year. An election of officers took place with the following results: Mary Louise Leistner, consul major (president); Wesley Dunlap, consul minor (vice-president); J. Henry Smith, scriba-quæstor (secretary-treasurer); Clark Briggs, lictor (sergeant-at-arms). "A Trip to Pompeii" was enjoyed by this club on November 17, 1925, when pictures of Pompeii and other cities were shown in the assembly during advisor period. Other pleasant meetings and instructive entertainments are being anticipated for the rest of the year.



Mary Louise Leistner

PRESS CLUB



Ye "news hounds" and "pen pushers" who compose the Press Club met for the first time on September 16, 1925, and elected officers for the year. Jean Williams was chosen president; Dwight Humphreys, vice-president; Dorothy Lloyd, secretary; Virgil Bel-
lew, sergeant-at-arms.

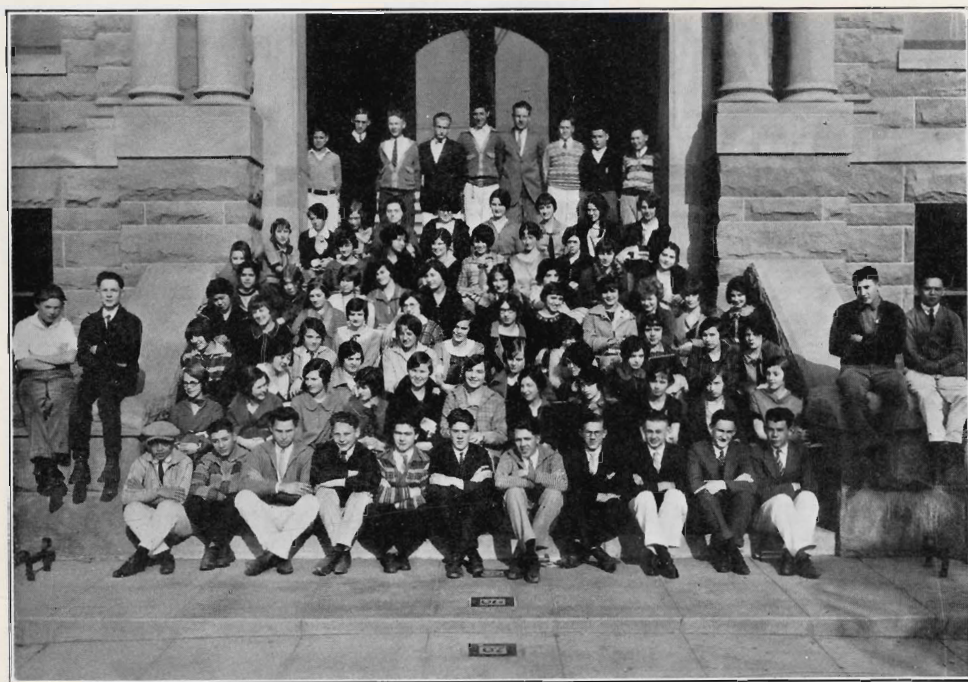
Two experienced journalists addressed the club at its second meeting on September 29 and discussed newspaper work very interestingly. These personages were Alvin Trivlepiece and Melvin Bennett, former editor and sport editor, respectively, on the "Guard and Tackle" and now students of the College of the Pacific. Both had had considerable practical experience on papers. Plans for "The Tack" were discussed on October 13. On November 24, the ambitious journalists decided that a banquet should be given on December 8.

AGRICULTURE

With the establishing of an agricultural course in Stockton High School, a new organization was added to the list of societies in the school. This latest addition was the Agriculture Club, organized on October 15, 1925. At the first meeting William Mahaffey was elected president; Stafford Wild, vice-president; Robert Koch, secretary; Alvin Schneider, sergeant-at-arms. Plans were made to meet on the first and second Monday nights of each month and meetings were to be devoted to the discussion of some particular phase of agriculture.



Mr. Wakefield, owner of a fox farm, and Mr. Single, local taxidermist, spoke to the club at its second meeting on October 22, 1925. Although the Agriculture Club is new, it has already done much, and the new society gives every promise of becoming a most lively and worth-while organization.



HONOR SCHOLARSHIP SOCIETY



THE biggest event in the Honor Scholarship Society activities the first semester was the sending of a delegate to the convention of the California Scholastic Federation, of which Stockton is Chapter No. 41. The meeting was held in Santa Barbara on December 17, 1925. The delegate from here, Mary Louise Leistner, was nominated by this school for the office of vice-president.

A system which is used in many other schools has been adopted here. By this system activity points are awarded for certain student activities such as: Student coaching, typewriting, monitor service, laboratory service, and library assistance. No more than two activity points are permissible in any line of activity. No more than three points are awarded to a student in one quarter.

For the quarter ending November 6, one hundred and nine students enrolled in the society. Four tied for first place with 18 points each. They were: Paula Weinstein, 12-A; Eugene Root, 11-B; Louis Benguerel, 10-B; and Myrtle Conwell, 9-A. The high point members of each class were: 13-B—Aurelia Dentone, 12; 12-A—Paula Weinstein, 18; 12-B—Lucy Ritter, 15½; 11-A—J. Henry Smith, 15; 11-B—Eugene Root, 18; 10-A—Leona Burgin, 15½; 10-B—Louis Benguerel, 18; 9-A—Myrtle Conwell, 18; 9-B—Lloyd Anderson and Bess Cooper, 11½.

The officers for the first quarter were: Clara Catherine Hudson, president; Mary Louise Leistner, vice-president; Dorothy Storm, secretary; Hoyle Carpenter, treasurer; and Wesley Dunlap, sergeant-at-arms. The officers for the second quarter were: Clara Catherine Hudson, president; Mary Louise Leistner, vice-president; Jean Williams, secretary; Helen Turner, treasurer; and Wesley Dunlap, sergeant-at-arms.

GLEE CLUB



ENTHUSIASM and interest marked the organizing of the Girls' Glee Club in November, 1925, with Frank Thornton Smith as vocal director. It was planned that the club should meet every Wednesday at adviser period in order to practice.

Fifty-one girls had signed up for glee by November 18, and at least fifty more were anticipated and wanted. Anyone was welcome to join the organization, and the girls were to have their own president and other officers. Both instructor and students worked with the ideal that this organization may develop into a full, competent Glee Club, so that Stockton High School may have her representation in music as well as in other arts and activities.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

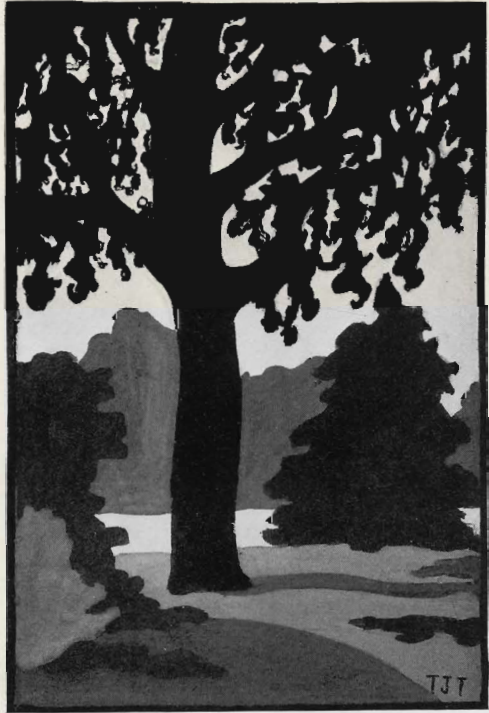
At the first meeting of the Executive Committee, on September 9, 1925, all members were present. These were: Clarence Bush, chairman; Ansel Williams, secretary; Virgil Belew, long-term editor; Jean Williams, short-term editor; Ted Clarke and Bernice Ingersoll, senior representatives; George Dohrmann, sophomore representative; Clara Catherine Hudson, first vice-president of the student body; Mervin Garibotto, second vice-president; and Mr. Laurance N. Pease, faculty advisor.

It was through this committee that the mid-year graduating class was able to publish the mid-year annual. Without the backing of the Executive Committee it would have been impossible to have published this book. It was also by the aid of this committee that Tacky Day was made a success. By these activities and many more this committee has shown itself to be an efficient and energetic body.



Spring's Visit

One day, Spring came out to play
From over the hills and far away.
She scattered flowers on every side
And painted the meadows far and wide.
She gave to the violet a purple tint
And filled the milkweed with downy lint.
Then waving her hand, she said, "Good day";
And her sister, Summer, came our way.





H.M.

W.M.