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Roberts High School

Dedication

To Mrs. Lillian Gray, who for these four happy years, has been a most efficient instructor and faithful friend, we affectionately dedicate this number of the Annual.

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Seniors



ELLEN STRIN

"A rosebud set with little
willful thorns."



DORGHILD STEATVITT

"My heart is like a singing
bird."



GEORGE HUNT

"What shall I do to be for-
ever known
And make this age to come
my own?"

Seniors

INGEBORG OSTRUM

"Be silent and safe—silence
never betrays you."



ALICE MATTHEWS

"My heart is as true as
steel."



SAM HILL

"Hang sorrow, Care killed
a cat."



JAMES DEENEY

"A town that boasts inhabi-
tants like me
Can have no lack of good
society."



Juniors



WALTER KOSKELA
FINNA HEHLANEN MILLIE MARI

CLASS COLOR: Violet and Nile green.
CLASS FLOWER: Violet.
CLASS MOTTO: "Watch us climb."

The Juniors

A class of only three members
But midst them a fire doth glow
We hope the light from those red hot embers
Forever the world shall know.

W. K.

Sophomores



NORA ALLEN
LEONA BERGAN
CATHERINE DEANEY
TOIVO HOMI

LUCY MATTHEWS
WILFRED MORIN
HARRIET WALKER
HESTHA WILSON

"The Sophomores are a giddy bunch,
Just a tee-hee-hee all the day.
Each boy looks like a common hick,
Just a tee-hee-hee all the day.
The girls they dream and look love-söck,
Just a tee-hee-hee all the day."

CLASS COLORS: Cerise and silver.
CLASS FLOWER: Red rose.
CLASS MOTTO: "To the stars through difficulties."

Freshmen



CLASS ROLL:

ELLEN ABRAHAMSON
JOHN ABRAHAMSON
CLYDE FRYE
FLORENCE GASTON
WHITLEY GRAY
TURNER HARNES
OTTO HERRANEN
LEONA HOGAN
MARY HUDSON
BOY HUNT
RUSSELL MORIN
RAYMO PENTTILA
SINFRED SILAKKA
ESTHER STRIN
VALBORG STRAATVEIT
LEMPI WALYANEN
ESTHER WILSON

CLASS FLOWER: American Beauty rose.

CLASS COLORS: Crimson and gold.

CLASS MOTTO: Be on the square.

"My salad days; when I was green in judgment."

Looking Back Four Years

During the four years ending May 15, 1925, many changes have taken place in our school.

We, the class of 1925, have been the largest to graduate from Roberts High thus far.

In the fall of 1922, nine wonderful green "Freshies" enrolled; Mr. McMullin, whom we later learned to call "Mac" was then our principal, and Mrs. Gray, who is still with us, assisted us in our enlightenment into the realms of classic lore.

The following year only seven of our number continued, for Irene Hertin and Eleanor Matson left us for the more alluring path of matrimony. Taimi Sievanen also deserted, Cupid having bound her in his coils.

That year Borghild Straatveit, a student from Red Lodge High, joined our ranks. At Christmas Nannie McNab left our midst to go to school in Vancouver, Washington.

This same year we organized as a class, and George Hunt became our president. Our Junior year became one of study and deliberation. Another student, James Deeney, came to us from Reed Point. Ellen Stein was chosen our class president and she has continued in that office to the end.

Now the last year of our High School life has arrived. With it came our new principal, Mark M. Stanley, and an added attraction, music, led by Miss Skewis.

And now, showing the battle scars of those four years of struggle, we come together on the night of May 15, 1925, to show our appreciation towards our co-workers, and to bid goodbye to Roberts High, taking with us only pleasant memories. Ellen Stein is class valedictorian; George Hunt is salutatorian.

"And now as our boat glides on,
Bearing the class of '25
Where other classes have gone,
To be a class no more,
May the green and the pink
On each breeze so high
True ideals unfold
As we say good-bye."

Class Prophecy 1925

Name	Alias	Chief Characteristics	Made Famous By	Will Be
Ellen Stein	EHS	Stodious	Willfulness	The Boss
Alice Matthews	Alic	Artistic	Oh! That Expression	Showing Up
Ingeborg Ostrom	Ingebug	Her Shortness	Length	Tall
Borghild Strautveit	Bugs	Giggles	Too! Hee!	Getting Over It
James Deeney	Jim	Red Hair	Brightness	Ripe
George Hunt	Judge	Mischief	Dodging Girls	Dencon
Samuel Hill	Sambo	Toasting	Sophomore Girls	Spolled

Would Be Seven Wonders of the World

- I. If Leone Bergan failed to attract Sam Hill.
- II. If Ellen Stein failed to "give it" to the men and if Mr. Stanley failed to defend himself and the unfortunate Senior boys.
- III. If the Senior girls found someone to marry them.
- IV. If Harriet didn't get a new "beau" for every occasion.
- V. If the Sophomore girls didn't find something to giggle about.
- VI. If Inge lost her temper.
- VII. If the Juniors knew how to wink.

Waiter—"Wilfred, if you don't stop eating, you'll burst."

Wilfred—"Well, pass me the cake and get out of the way."

Miss Skewis—"This gas is deadly poison, if it should escape what steps would you take?"

Sinfred—"Long ones."

Class Will

We, the class of 1925, of the High School of Roberts, Montana have come to the end of our long life in a peaceful and undisturbed state of mind and in accordance with the laws of this state, do hereby give and bequeath and devise all our worldly goods and possessions with all the appurtenances and benefactions thereto belonging to those most worthy:

Item: To the Juniors we will a pair of high top rubber boots that will enable them to wade through Economics and Sociology next year without getting their feet wet.

Item: To the Sophomores we give and bequeath a large pail of unused "brain glue," a wonderful compound that will fix permanently in the mind historical data and other dry stuff that would not otherwise stick without great exertion.

Item: To the Freshmen we will a copy of "Old Farmer's Almanac" which will enable them to be prepared for an approaching storm, or as the immortal poet said:

" * * the budding travelers learn to trace
The day's disaster in his morning face."

Item: To the Faculty, we will long nights of peaceful and undisturbed slumber without a care for our disappointing recitations and low grades.

Item: We give and bequeath to the Honorable Board of Education all cash we shall have left at the end of our career with which we trust they will repair all damages we may have done to the school building.

Item: Our well-known and remarkable stock of common-sense, which is simply a sense of the fitness of things, we will to the world at large because we know it is most sorely needed by every son and daughter of Adam.

In Testimony Whereof, We the Class of 1925, subscribe our names and affix our seals this 17th day of April, 1925, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

Signed:
SENIOR CLASS.

Witness:
J. P. MORGAN
HENRY FORD
A. W. MILLON

Athletics



November the first, Coach Stanley called for basketball players, and received a very satisfactory response. Every boy in the High School put forth his utmost to win a place. The final line-up was: Wilfred Morin and Miles Gaston, forwards; Rayno Penttila, center; Samuel Hill and James Desney, guards, and George Hunt, Toivo Homi and Roy Hunt, substitutes.

At first the team was defeated a number of times, but in the latter part of the season it became more promising and received the gracious support of the community.

The Schedule

Absarokee 1,	Roberts 20
Bridger 7,	Roberts 10
Bearcreek 15,	Roberts 6
Columbus 8,	Roberts 20
Edgar 34,	Roberts 8
Laurel 33,	Roberts 3
Bearcreek 14,	Roberts 18
Columbus 32,	Roberts 4
Edgar 18,	Roberts 21
Laurel 24,	Roberts 12

Tournament

Columbus 21, Roberts 12

Edgar 27, Roberts 4

Bridger 7, Roberts 10

Edgar 16, Roberts 9

The Roberts team suffered the loss of a forward just before the tournament and was decisively defeated by teams it had beaten earlier in the season.



Roberts High School Basketball Team.

The High School girls conducted a team that won a great many games. Their players were: Bertha Wilson, Leone Bergan, Leona Hogan, Esther Wilson and Lempi Waltunen; substitutes: Ellen Abrahamson, Esther Seim and Catherine Dounay.

Their Record

Edgar 4, Roberts 28

Columbus 8, Roberts 15

Edgar 14, Roberts 9

Absarokee 2, Roberts 28

Absarokee 21, Roberts 8

Columbus 16, Roberts 8

Bearcreek 14, Roberts 15

Bearcreek 20, Roberts 14

A team picked from the upper grades and the High School won over a Joliet team, 14 to 6. The same lost to Absarokee, 25 to 10.



Roberts High School Girls' Basketball Team.



Roberts High School Boys' Track and Field Team.



"Love Pirates of Hawaii"

Presented by High School, January 30, 1925.

Interscholastic Contest

Five members were chosen from the High School as representatives in the Interscholastic Contests of Carbon County held at the High School in Red Lodge, April the eleventh. Honors were received as follows:

Literature—Ellen Stein, Senior, first place.

History—Piina Herranen, Junior, first place.

Civics—Piina Herranen, Junior, first place.

Current History—Piina Herranen, Junior, first place.

Plane Geometry—Berthu Wilson, Sophomore, first place.

English I—Whitley Gray, Freshman, first place.

General Science—Whitley Gray, Freshman, first place.

Algebra—Esther Stein, freshman, second place.