



The Junior College staff of librarians is shown here with Harlan Herrick, who is borrowing a book. They are: Anna Lou Pendarvis, Helen Barrows, Norma Jean Cline, Emma Holmes, and Wanda Fronsdaahl.



The Junior College play, coached by Miss Lamb, was entitled "Button, Button." The cast of characters was as follows: Seated: Josie—Marian Allen; Phoebe Weed—Elizabeth Handschin; Mrs. Woodhouse—Avis Dodge; Mrs. Rita Weed—Helen Barrows.

Standing: Emery—Jerry Wells; Maude—Helen Sublette; Ed—Leland Rector; Mr. Woodhouse—Kenyan Wissler; Button—Donn Steward; and Al—Bill Chance.



JR. COLLEGE

Only a few of us realize and appreciate the fact that we have, in the very heart of our school, perhaps the most valuable cultural organization of our community—our own Junior college.

Established in 1927, this institution has stood the test of time—twelve, almost thirteen years—years which have proved to be a real test. Now, in 1940, it still remains, half again as large as the year of its birth, when fifty students registered for the opportunities it offered. The total enrollment in the thirteen years of its existence has been 743 students, seventy-four of whom are in the 1939-1940 registry. The enrollment reached its highest point last year, when eighty-five students registered in Boone Junior College.

It is gratifying to note that over fifty per cent of all students who have enrolled have continued their education by transferring their credits to some advanced college or university.

The success of this growing organization may be attributed

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Although they had a poor season, the J. C. Bears rallied and showed plenty of fighting spirit.

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mainly to the efforts of J. R. Thorngren, Dean of the Junior College since it was first created. Other members of the faculty include Karl Longnecker, Grace Slosson, Ethel Whitney, Welker Bechtel, and H. L. Cunningham. Clarence Bain, coach; Catherine Jones, physical director; Sybil Lamb, dramatic coach; Kenneth Hakes, musical director; and Zoe Stevens, librarian, also serve the junior college.

Regularly offered to the students who desire to complete four years of college work is the Liberal Arts Course, requiring two years of junior college for completion, after which the graduates in this course may transfer their credits to almost any university of the middle west.

Our junior college is still in its youth, it is true. But in these years of higher civilization, when the preservation of our democracy is constantly becoming more dependent on the education of the people, who knows into what great institution it might develop, in twenty years, or even ten?

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Accompanied by Dean Thorngren and their director, Mr. Hakes, the Boone Junior College Mixed Chorus journeyed to Eagle Grove to take part in the Junior College Music Festival. In the spring the chorus made a short tour singing at various Boone County High Schools.

Your life will not be in danger with boys like this patrolling the streets around our school. Donn Steward is pictured; other safety patrol boys are Kenneth Finch and Edgar Carlson.

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Dean Thorngren is popular with the J. C. students as well as members of his high school classes.

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In the act of dissecting jelly fish in the junior college lab are Bob Cranmer and Norma Jean Cline.

