

## Eggert Rohwer Class of 1910

Eggert Rohwer was born on September 26, 1893. Eggert joins his baseball-talented brothers Ray, Hans and Claude by his induction into Dixon High's Hall of Fame. Some believe that Eggert was the best baseball player of the Rohwer clan.

While at Dixon High, Eggert played baseball, tennis and track. Eggert was an excellent tennis player. In 1910, he won the county boys singles tennis championship. Eggert was also the pitcher and key part of the Dixon High School baseball team that won the 1910 league championship.

After high school, Eggert received offers to play professional baseball like his brothers Ray and Claude, which he turned down. Instead, Eggert chose to attend Heald's Business College. However, he did play Sundays with Dixon's town team until 1924, and then played for St. Helena for two years before returning to play for Dixon. The highlights of Eggert's baseball career was hitting in 38 straight games while playing in the Sacramento Valley League and batting .582 in 1913. Eggert was recognized for his baseball accomplishments by induction in both the LaSalle Hall of Fame in Sacramento and the Hall of Fame of the Old Timers Association of Sacramento Valley.

Eggert was in the grocery business, a bookkeeper and a farmer. He was a Dixon High School Board Trustee. Eggert married Georgina Irvine and had two sons, Eggert and Russell. Eggert passed away in December 1986.