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SAYREVILLE HIGH SCHOOL  
SAYREVILLE, NEW JERSEY





### ALMA MATER

Ring out its fame with praises ever new;  
Extol its name, our Alma Mater true;  
With heads upraised and hearts that lead us always  
To victory, our Alma Mater, Sayreville High.

*Dolores Kitchen*



# DEDICATION

We, the Class of 1946, the fifth to graduate from Sayreville High School, dedicate this, our yearbook, to the Alumni of our school. The traditions which they established have been an inspiration in guiding us happily through our four years at Sayreville.

Our Alma Mater is rightfully proud of the achievements of her sons and daughters who have been serving well in their fields of activity—the home, business, industry, the professions, the battlefield. It is our sincere desire that we, in joining the Alumni group, shall meet the challenge of a world at peace with the same courage, steadfastness, and honesty that have been the ideals of each Alumnus of Sayreville High School.



# ADMINISTRATION



DR. RICHARD S. POLLACK  
*Supervising Principal*





MR. CRAWFORD V. LANCE  
*High School Principal*



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*Commercial*



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*Social Science*





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*Social Science*



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*German, Social Science*

Carmelita Lucitt  
*English*



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*Commercial*







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*English*



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*Shop*





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*English*



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*Mathematics*

LUCIAN J. WNUKOWSKI  
*Science*



DOROTHY NOWAK  
*Secretary*





# CLASS ADVISER



The class of 1946 greatly appreciates the leadership and advice which Miss Margaret Krausz has so unselfishly given us.

# SAYREVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION



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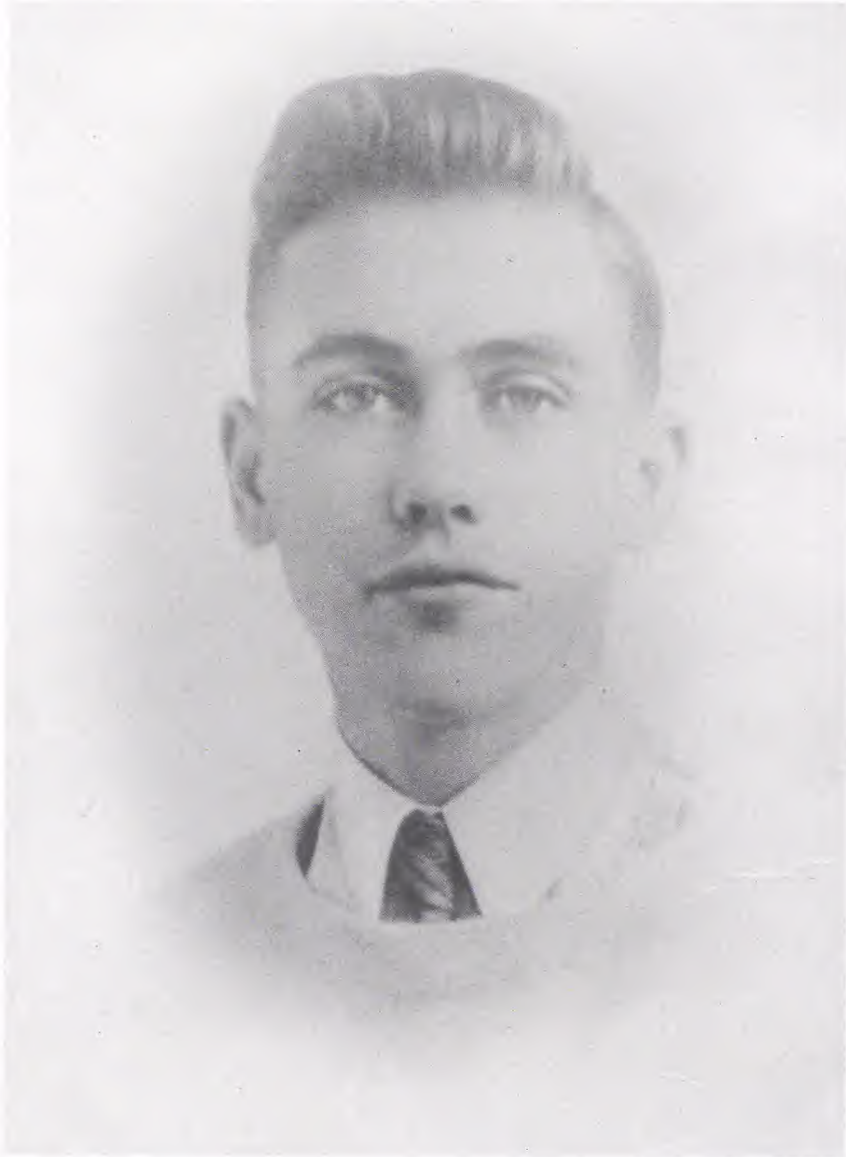
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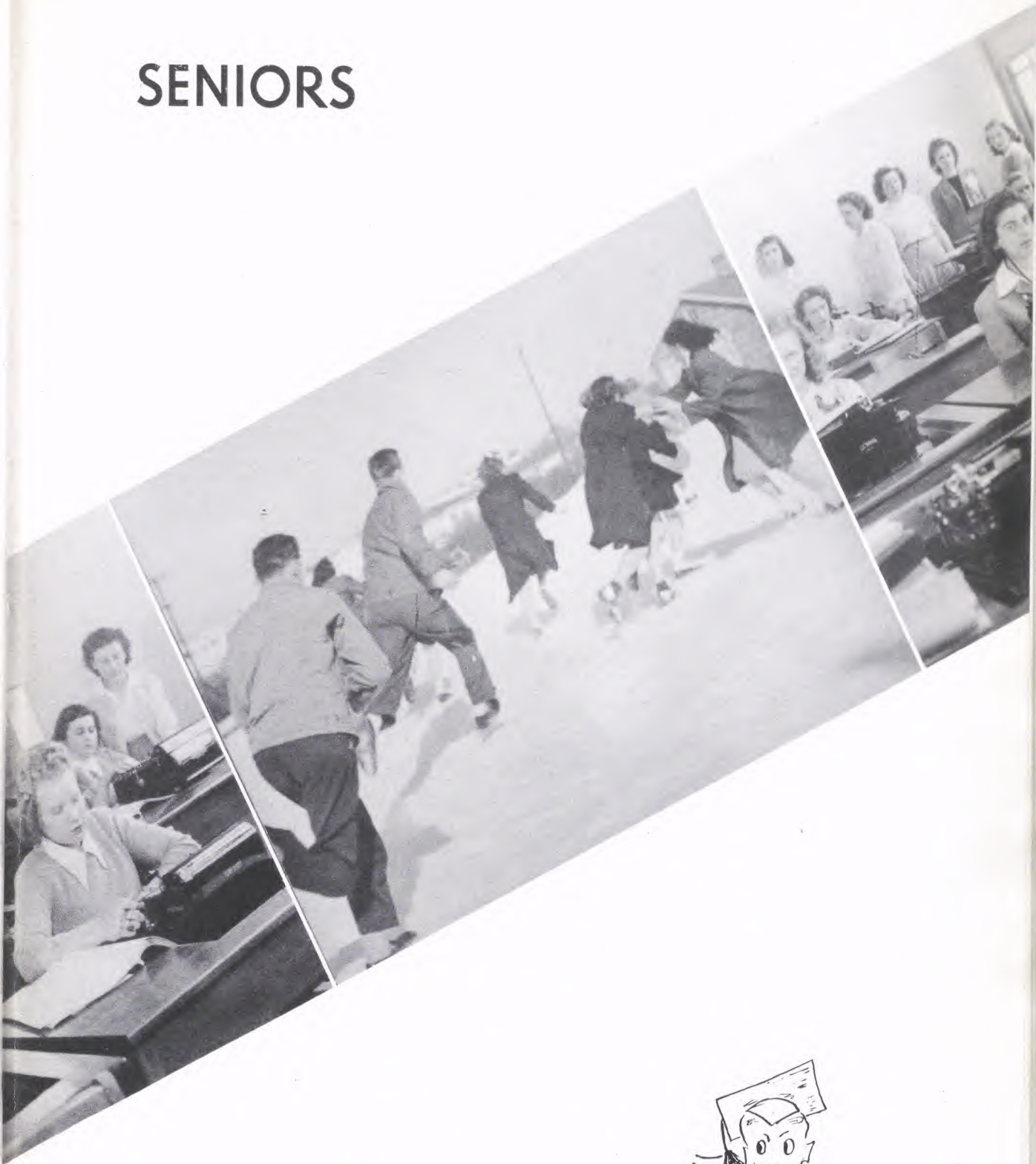


# IN MEMORIAM



In memory of our classmate, John  
Edward Scheid, who gave his life for his  
country.

# SENIORS

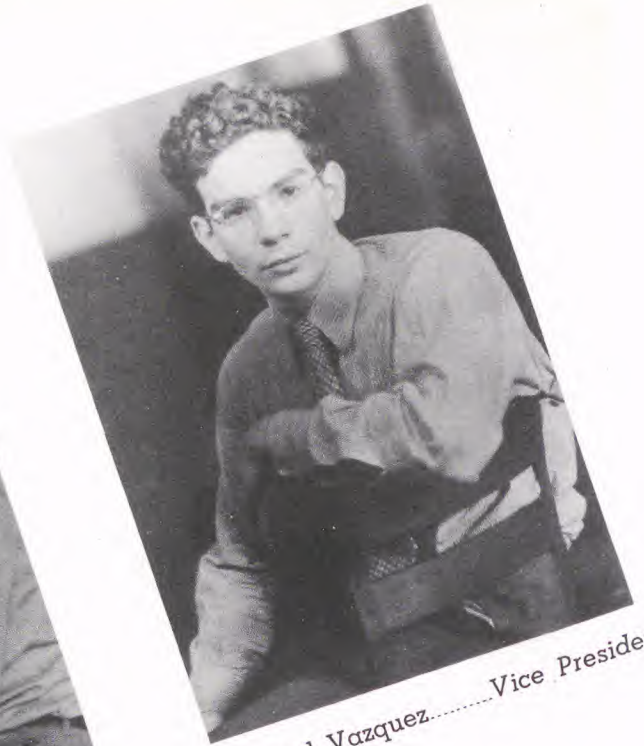




# SENIOR OFFICERS



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Edward Vazquez.....Vice President



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Rita Prusakowski.....Treasurer

SAYREVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

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SAYREVILLE, NEW JERSEY

March 15, 1946

Fellow Classmates:

At last we face the achievement of one of our major objectives - graduation. This, for us, is only the beginning; there are even higher and more inclusive goals to be fixed in our minds. It is upon the future that our eyes should be cast because it is to us, the future citizens, that the world looks.

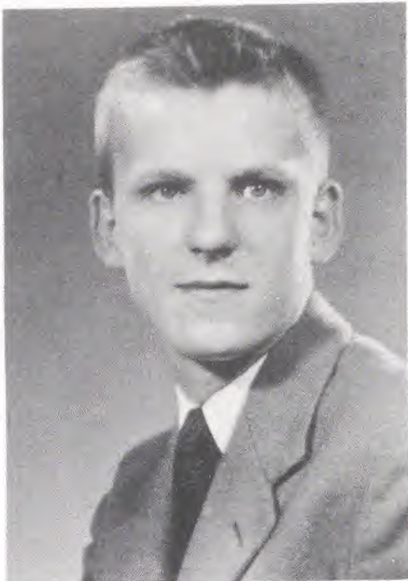
Men from all walks of life look upon us with interest, since it is from our ranks that the leaders of tomorrow will come. This is a grave responsibility. Therefore, the standards we set should be high - never be satisfied, try to build better men, and try to perform greater deeds.

A desire to serve our country and ourselves in any way best suited to our capabilities should be primary. The world we make should insure life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for all men. Then, indeed, we shall know Quovadis.

Very sincerely,

*Joseph Baist*





## JOSEPH BAIST

*College Prep*

Latin: 1; Mat: 3; Chefs: 4; Senior Class President.

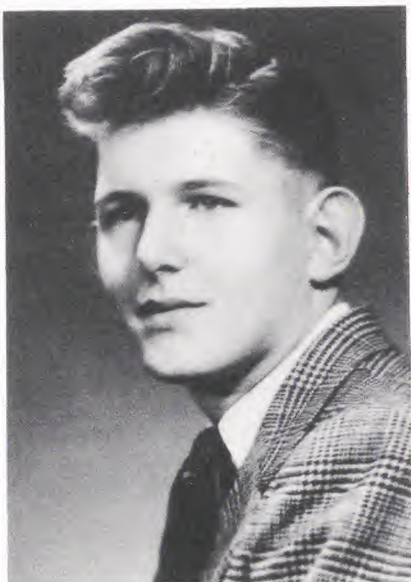
An experienced bowler . . . likes swimming and baseball . . . enjoys jokes . . . an artist in the kitchen . . . very sociable fellow . . . His philosophy: "Let us live so that when we die even the undertaker will be sorry!"

## JOSEPHINE BIELAK

*Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Bomberettes: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial: 4; Library: 4.

Jo is the smallest Senior . . . never worries about homework . . . Perry Como tops Jo's list of favorites . . . always at football, basketball games and school dances . . . Jo thinks Law is silly . . . dislikes getting up to go to school on cold wintry days . . . plans to be a receptionist for a dentist . . . we know you'll succeed.



## JOHN BUCZEK

*General*

Class President: 1; Latin: 1; Basketball: 3, 4; Chefs: 4.

Johnny is one of our tallest Senior Boys . . . likes all sports, especially basketball . . . can sink a ball with little effort . . . is seen at all S. H. S. dances . . . chief dislike is homework, consequently, he rarely does any . . . no special ambition but like Old Man River, he'll just keep rollin' along.

## DOROTHY DAVID

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Junior Commercial: 3;  
Senior Commercial: 4.

Dancing, swimming, and football games rate her chief enjoyments . . . likes tomato pie . . . watch your figure, Dotty . . . in Junior year voted prettiest girl in school . . . dislikes classical music and sewing . . . wants to be a nurse or secretary . . . fond of Bing but crazy about Sinatra.



## RAMONA DEL PERCIO

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Junior Commercial: 3;  
Dramatics: 4; Junior Play: 3; Yearbook Staff: 4.

Always cheerful and gay . . . keeps our classes in stitches with her sense of humor . . . good at telling fortunes, practiced at our Junior Prom . . . elected the most cheerful student in Junior Year . . . admires Greer Garson . . . wants to be an actress . . . with Mona's push and talent she may get her wish.

## ROSEMARY DENBY

### *College Prep*

Glee Club: 1; Chefs: 3; Varsity Show: 3; Sub-Deb: 4.

Rose is always ready to help with any project the Seniors undertake . . . loves sports . . . can be seen in the cheering section at every game . . . dancing is another like . . . also sailors . . . Main ambition—Laboratory technician.







## RAYMOND DILL

*General*

Mat Club: 3; Football: 4.

Known to everyone as "Pick" . . . . one of few who has no dislikes . . . . football rates very high with Pick . . . . a good disposition plus a nice smile . . . . one of the strong, silent men all the girls crave.

## WALTER DOMINIK

*Industrial Arts*

Band: 1; Math: 1; Mat: 3.

Most quiet boy of the Senior Class . . . . girls, hunting, and bowling are tops with Duke . . . . enjoys rooting for the football team . . . . stuck-up women and homework gripe him . . . . could sleep or listen to Spike Jones' music all day . . . . Goal: Business man.



## RITA ELLISON

*Clerical*

Glee: 1; Library: 2; Dramatics: 3; Junior Play: 3.

Rita likes water sports — swimming in summer, ice skating in winter . . . . also enjoys riding in cars during any season . . . . jitter-bugging, jazz music, and impolite people are her main dislikes . . . . we all wish Rita luck in her desire to be a surgical nurse.

## ANN FRIEDMAN

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Glee: 1, 2; Newspaper: 2; Class Secretary: 2, 3, 4; Student Council: 3, 4; Library: 3; Junior Commercial: 3; Junior Play: 3; Yearbook: 4; Girls' A.A.: 4; Dramatics: (President) 4.

Ann, one of the busiest girls in the Senior class . . . always glad to help . . . chief like—Ray . . . also enjoys driving . . . fine performance in Junior Play . . . Main desire—to be an executive secretary . . . Ray will decide that . . . Good Luck in your plans.



## CATHLEEN FURSLEW

### *Secretarial*

Newspaper: 1, 2, 3, (Business Manager) 4; Library: 2; Varsity Show: 3; Junior Commercial: (Secretary) 3; Etiquette: 4; Yearbook: 4.

Always looking for exciting places to go but claims there just aren't any . . . dislikes rainy weather because of the effect on her curls . . . boogie-woogie music has no appeal to her . . . has never missed a day of school . . . whizz at typing . . . Wanted: Someone to act as her guide in traveling around the world after graduation.

## CARNESIA GALEBIDES

### *Secretarial*

Student Council: 1, 3, (Vice-President) 4; Library: 2; Newspaper: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial: 4; Yearbook: 4.

Dislikes detention hall immensely—Reason? One visit, gym class, remember? . . . Nesia is always on the Honor Roll . . . never misses current events for P.A.D. . . . wants to travel, what a life! . . . classical music, waste of time . . . Crosby, A-1 . . . executive secretary, main ambition . . . Good Luck.







## EDNA GALINSKI

### *General*

Latin: 1; Glee: 1, 2, 3; Science: 2; Minstrel: 1, 3; Band: 3; Dramatics: 3; Sub-Deb: 4.

If you're feeling low, call on Edj . . . this happy broadcaster has the knack of talking anyone's blues away . . . just give her a little encouragement and she'll take care of the rest . . . music, reading and having fun are Edna's favorites . . . ambition is undecided.

## LOUIS GARBOWSKI

### *College Prep*

Band: 1, 2, 3, 4; Chess: 3; Vice-President : 1; Student Council: 1, (Treasurer) 4; Yearbook: 4.

A sport enthusiast and a musician . . . likes to play Polish Hops . . . proved himself a talented actor . . . patronizes most of the dances . . . dreams of owning a car . . . chose medicine as a future.



## CATHERINE GOODMAN

### *Clerical*

Home Economics: 1; Junior Commercial: 3.

Pleasant and courteous to everyone . . . never angry . . . wants to own a Packard convertible . . . have you seen the jalop Kit's been riding around in? . . . never troubled with excess homework . . . just forgets to do it . . . Ambition: To become a skilled draftsman.



## STELLA GWIZDAK

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Bomberettes: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial Club: 4.

Commercial Law, waste of time . . . . homework, why bother . . . . play basketball, that's for Stel . . . . loves sports of all kinds . . . . always laughing and happy . . . . content with Perry Como's singing . . . . first to know latest song hits . . . . believes in slow but sure method . . . . future Air Hostess . . . . watch out, pilots.



## KATHERINE HAAG

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Dancing: 3; Cheerleading: 3, (Captain) 4; Junior Play: 3.

Coming up the road tonight, Shirl? . . . . when you hear that you know Kay's in school for a change . . . . peppiest cheerleader . . . . coaches the team on to victory . . . . could live on tomato pie . . . . loves dancing . . . . good at it too . . . . ask Kay why she wears that S.R.H.S. pin . . . . Kay and Shirl want to form a partnership as dancing teachers.

## JOHN HART

### *General*

Football: 4; Junior Play: 3; Dramatics: 4.

Likes most sports, especially football . . . . enjoys dances, music, and riding around in his car almost any time . . . . John dislikes U.S. History, and, oh yes, flat tires . . . . terrifies Main Street pedestrians with his sharp green car.







## MARIE HARTMAN

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Newspaper: 1, 2, 3; Glee: 1, 2, 3; Bomberettes: 1, 2; Cheerleading: 2, 3, 4; Junior Play: 3; Basketball: 2, 3; Yearbook: 4.

On the basketball court, a crackerjack . . . . at minstrels, a song bird . . . . and at the games, a peppy cheerleader . . . . that's Marie! . . . . dancing, swimming and basketball are her favorites . . . . Marie's ambition is to be a physical education teacher.

## IVALOU HOFFMAN

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Varsity Show: 3; Handicraft: 3; Library: 2, (Vice-President) 3; Newspaper: 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council: 4; Sub-Deb: 4; Yearbook: 4.

Ivalou has been very active in all extra-curricular activities as you can see . . . . she is known by all as Ivy . . . . her most frequently used statement is "Let's have a hamburger" . . . . in a few years Ivy may be teaching your children since she hopes to become a teacher.



## JEANNINE HOFFMAN

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Bomberettes: 1, 2; Newspaper: 1, 2, 3, 4; Twirlers: 1, 2, 3; Dramatics: 4; Girls' A. A.: 4; Yearbook: 4.

Jean is one of the tallest Senior girls . . . . she likes dancing and popular music but never swoons over Sinatra . . . . the boys will probably invade the hospital when Jean's ambition to become a nurse is fulfilled.



## FRANCIS HOMAN

### *Industrial Arts*

Band: 1, 2, 3, 4; Math: 3.

Music rates first in Yan's list of delights . . . . yearns to be in the Navy Band . . . . plays the tuba and trombone . . . . notebook filled with scattered music notes . . . . the personality guy among the fellows but closes up like a clam when the girls come around . . . . you're not afraid of them, are you, Yan?



## FLORENCE JURKIEWICZ

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Bomberettes: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial: 4.

Jersey, one of many who dislike doing homework . . . . likes ice-skating . . . . 100% attendance in high school . . . . (Tell us your secret, Flo) . . . . finds basketball exciting . . . . dancing and singing rate high . . . . shy, but carefree . . . . Jersey's future plans — secretary . . . . loads of luck, Flo.

## IRENE KANIA

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Bomberettes: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial: 4.

Ah ha, San Antone! . . . . when you hear that you know Ronny's near . . . . ever hear Ronny sing a hill-billy song? You're missing something if you didn't . . . . Ronny dislikes swing music, but is content with cowboy music, especially Jimmy Wakely, her favorite cowboy . . . . wants to be an Air Hostess.







## JOSEPH KEENAN

*Clerical*

Newspaper: 2, 3, 4; Football: 3, 4; Yearbook: 4; Junior Play: 3.

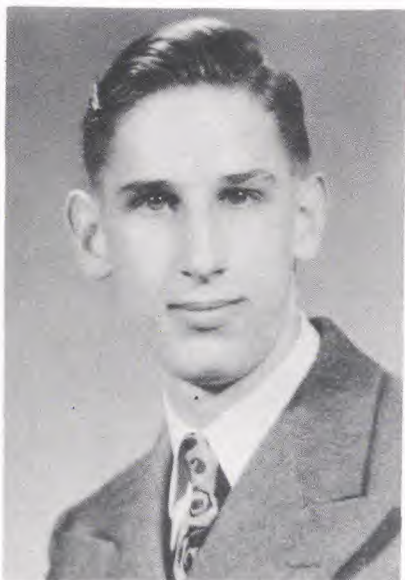
Chubby's one and only interest is sports . . . assemblies are always humorous when Joe participates in them . . . remember—"So Long Old Pal" . . . seems quiet, that is, until he laughs . . . main ambition is to be a coach . . . we know you'll succeed, Chubb.

## SHIRLEY KEENAN

*Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Glee: 1, 2, 3; Twirling: 1, 2, 3, 4; Dancing: 3; Sr. Comm. 4; Majorette: 4.

Attractive drum majorette . . . chosen best dancer in Junior year . . . always life of the party . . . popular with all boys but still undecided . . . can be seen flirting at all games . . . wants to be a dancing teacher or band leader.



## FRANK KOCIOLEK

*College Prep*

Chess: 3.

An artist in the class . . . eludes women . . . restless in English class . . . wonder why? . . . enjoys basketball . . . an opera enthusiast . . . has trouble with algebra problems . . . dislikes dancing . . . Frank tries to get along with everybody.

## EDWARD KONOPKA

### *Industrial Arts*

Band: 1; Math: 1, 3; Student Council: 3; Football: 4.

Best boy dresser in S.H.S. . . . . Konop's quietness surprises everyone . . . . knows the art of football . . . . a super salesman at Greenie's . . . . a heart throb of many a girl but rarely seen with any . . . . can listen to good music all day . . . . enjoys all sports, especially football . . . . hunting, favorite pastime . . . . dislikes homework and corny jokes . . . . Goal: Own a business of his own.



## JOHN KOSAKOWSKI

### *General*

Latin: 1; Dancing: 3.

Loves to dance . . . . specializes in jitterbugging . . . . likes to travel . . . . enjoys swimming . . . . detests homework . . . . experienced soda jerker . . . . Future plans—lawyer or professional dancer.

## ROSE KRAKOWSKI

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Bomberettes: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Basketball: 3; Senior Commercial: 4.

Stars on basketball team and in gym classes . . . . hates to be quiet in study . . . . decorates locker with movie stars (males) . . . . likes to tell jokes . . . . enjoys swimming, basketball, bowling . . . . getting up in the morning and doing homework gripe her . . . . Rocky's favorite question—"Hey Stel, goin' to South River, tonight?" . . . . Main ambition; to be a secretary or stewardess.







## JOSEPH KUCHTA

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Math: 3; Student Council: 3; Junior Play: 3; Vice-President of Junior Class; Basketball: 3, 4.

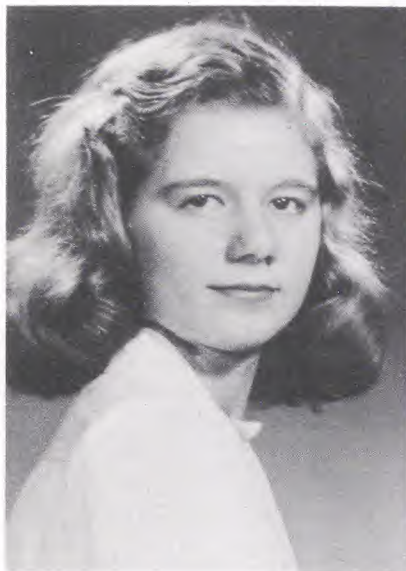
Good basketball player . . . . an ardent nimrod . . . . ought to make a good politician . . . . loves to argue in P.A.D. and Geometry . . . . isn't sure of the future . . . . dislikes homework . . . . may be found near Baist, Vasquez, Buczek, Inc.

## HELEN KUHRT

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Varsity Show: 3; Chefs: 3; Sub-Deb: 4.

Kert is one of the few seniors who enjoy classical music . . . . since she lives near the water her favorite pastime is swimming . . . . her ambition for the near future is to attend college.



## THERESA KWITKOSKI

### *Secretarial*

Class Secretary: 1; Junior Commercial: (President) 3; Senior Commercial: 4; Yearbook: 4; Girls' Athletic Association: 4.

Tres always has pep when it comes to dancing . . . . ever hear her yell at a football game? . . . . that's the one reason why she has voice trouble after games . . . . main hobby of Tres is to eat . . . . can't stand Frank Sinatra . . . . just give her Crosby and watch her swoon . . . . Theresa wants to become a secretary and her ability and friendliness should place her on top.



## NATALIE LIS

### *Secretarial*

Glee: 1, 3; Home Economics: 1; Newspaper: 2, 3, (Editor) 4; Student Council: 3, 4; Jr. Play: 3; Minstrel: 3; Library: (President) 3, 4; Jr. Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial: 4; Yearbook: 4; Girls' A. A.: 4.

"Where is Nat?" . . . . "Why, I just saw her a minute ago" . . . . same old story . . . . if you want Nat, you'll look high and low before you find her . . . . always busy, helping others or organizing some school activity . . . . never misses a school dance, football or basketball game . . . . likes secretarial work . . . . will be perfect private secretary in future.



## EDWARD MALISZEWSKI

### *Industrial Arts*

Mat: 3; Chefs: 4; Football: 4.

Molly is seen but seldom heard . . . . his chief likes are hunting and outdoor sports . . . . all thoughts of school fade into the background when hunting season rolls around . . . . main ambition, woodsman . . . . Molly, one of our handsome Seniors, is a combination of Sunny Tufts and Van Johnson.

## DOROTHY MALKIEWICZ

### *Secretarial*

Twirling: 1, 2, 3; Home Economics: 1; Junior Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial: 4.

Quietest girl in English class, complete change in study . . . . an acrobatic genius . . . . heart throb comes from Old Bridge . . . . adores dancing, swimming, bowling . . . . enjoys movies . . . . loathes reading . . . . dislikes to do Commercial Law homework . . . . Van Johnson and Sinatra make her swoon . . . . Ambition: secretary in some large concern.







## MARGARET McCUTCHEON

### *Secretarial*

Home Economics: 1; Bomberettes: 2; Basketball: 3; Junior Commercial: 3; Cheerleaders: (Asst. Manager) 3, (Manager) 4.

Never a worry . . . loves the Navy (I wonder why!) . . . always giggling . . . her basketball skill helped the girls' team achieve their undefeated season . . . capable team manager as well as player . . . Her goal? You're right—to be a gym instructor.

## EDWARD McLARNEY

### *General*

Class President: 3; Junior Play: 3; Air Navigation Club: 4.

Eddie came back to Sayreville in his junior year with a Texas drawl . . . we shall always remember his good acting as Bob Adams in the Junior Play . . . Kayo likes swimming and basketball and dislikes school, especially homework . . . wants to be a globe trotter.



## EDWARD MEIROSE

### *Clerical*

Latin: 1; Library: 1; Basketball: 1, 2, 3; Baseball: 3, 4; Football: 3, 4.

Shining like a light on the Sayreville baseball diamond, Duly proved to be a dependable man . . . either on the mound or at bat he is an asset to the team . . . dislikes any kind of work, especially homework . . . his ambition is to be a coach . . . Here's luck!



## JOHN MESINGER

### *Clerical*

Baseball: (Asst. Manager) 1; Basketball: (Asst. Manager) 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial: 4.

Metner, a whiz on the court, has played Varsity Basketball for three years . . . likes baseball and basketball and dislikes working and reading books . . . Metner's ambition is to be a coach . . . We wish him luck and success.



## RUTH MOBERG

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Glee: 1; Dancing: 3; Varsity Show: 3; Newspaper: 4; Sub-Deb: 4; Yearbook: 4.

Ruthie rates among the most pleasant of the Senior Class girls . . . likes sports, dancing and popular music but above all—Harry . . . as far as her future is concerned, Ruthie has decided that she is going to attend Drake's Business College.

## JAMES MORAN

### *General*

Latin: 1; Science: 1; Library: 1; Football: 2, 3, 4; Basketball: 3, 4; Baseball: 4.

Jay is the wit of the Senior Class . . . can talk himself out of any situation . . . sports is his main interest, especially football—he'd rather play than eat . . . above all, his dislikes are morning classes . . . Jay's ambition is to become a coach . . . Miss Krausz will remember him as the one who never arrived at P.A.D. class on time.







## LORRAINE NAGEL

### *College Prep*

Glee: 1, 2; Latin: 1; Twirlers: 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel: 1, 3; Bomberettes: 2; Dancing: 3; Dramatics: 3, 4.

Lorraine has artistic ideas and has been the decorating chairman for both the Junior and Senior Balls . . . . Peps can also be seen strutting down the field twirling her baton . . . . among Lorraine's favorites are dancing and traveling . . . . her ambition is to become a teacher.

## JACQUELIN OLCHASKEY

### *Secretarial*

Library: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Minstrel: 3; Etiquette: 4.

Our class "Blondie" . . . . can usually be found at the movies or a skating rink . . . . despises girls who clash two plaids together . . . . escort would be appreciated to walk her up that dark, lonely hill at night . . . . happy-go-lucky sort of Senior . . . . Ambition: "Haven't had time to think it over yet."



## WILMA PFAU

### *Secretarial*

Library: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial: 4.

"Woo-Woo" enjoys anything pertaining to the ocean: swimming, rowing, sailing. Yes, even a sailor . . . . can't stand too much homework . . . . always in a sociable mood . . . . someday longs to become a stewardess on an air liner . . . . would like to own her own plane . . . . Personal Statement—"When you want to go 'rowing,' come see me."

## RITA PRUSAKOWSKI

### *College Prep*

Junior Play: 3; Chefs: 3; Sub-Deb: 4; Class Treasurer: 4.

"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you" is Reachie's motto . . . she is a hard working dependable girl who we know will succeed . . . Reachie likes to munch crackers and listen to Latin-American music . . . her ambition is to be a nurse.



## EDWIN ROGINSKI

### *College Prep*

Band: 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin: 1; Chess: 3; Minstrel: 3.

Big man around the school . . . everyone looks up to him . . . ardent musician . . . enjoys dancing . . . admirer of blondes . . . Ever take notice of his orange socks? . . . Or have you missed them? . . . hopes to find a future in music, preferably in a Symphony Orchestra.

## CYRIL RHATICAN

### *Industrial Arts*

Math: 1; Football: 2, 3, 4; Basketball Mgr.: 2; Baseball Mgr.: 2; Mat: 3; J. V. Basketball Referee: 3; Student Council: 4.

Cy, the athlete of the Senior Class, is a whiz on the gridiron . . . his chief interest lies in Parlin . . . Shop, Typing, Boxing and Assembly programs rate second place . . . Cy dislikes girls' basketball and cold weather, but the latter does not keep him away from Parlin . . . good luck to Cy in his ambition to be a household husband.







## MELVIN RUESCH

### *General*

Latin: 1; Library: 1; Chess: 3.

Finds enjoyment in traveling . . . loves chocolate covered cherries . . . dislikes music, books and above all homework . . . a Thodes employee during the Summer . . . enjoys football games.

## SHIRLEY SCHERF

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Newspaper: 1, 2, 3, 4; Library: (President) 2; Dancing: 3; Varsity Show: 1, 3; Yearbook: 4; Sub-Deb: 4; Student Council: 4.

"Shirl"—a willing worker and conscientious student . . . loves fudge sundaes and Perry Como records . . . the neatness of her coiffure is the envy of many of the girls . . . chief dislike is jitterbugging . . . Shirl's ambition is to become a teacher.



## HENRY SIERON

### *College Prep*

Band: 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin: 1; Air Navigation: 3.

Plays a hot trumpet . . . an aviation enthusiast . . . likes to play baseball . . . plays a rugged game of football . . . main dislike—languages . . . hopes to be an aviator or aeronautical engineer . . . loves dancing Polish hops . . . keeps the girls busy . . . ever notice his blonde hair?

## DOUGLAS SPRAGUE

### *Industrial Arts*

Football: 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball: 1, 3, 4; Baseball: 3; Mat: 3.

Dougie is one of our most popular seniors . . . ever see him play football? — He's good . . . his ambition is to become a football coach or a master of the saxophone . . . Dougie likes sports and girls, especially one from Morgan . . . sings too, remember the Varsity Show? . . . swell personality — keep 'em smiling, Doug.



## LEONA SUCHOWIECKI

### *Secretarial*

Sewing: 1, 3; Bomberettes: 2; Senior Commercial: 4.

Cheers vigorously at all football games . . . very quiet during classes . . . attends South River movies faithfully . . . passes out corny jokes . . . dreams about receiving an "A" in Commercial Law . . . Study Hall is her favorite class . . . enjoys gym classes and likes football, dancing, ice skating . . . a Crosby fan who doesn't appreciate Frankie . . . head is above the clouds as she plans to be an air hostess.

## MARTHA SUCHOWIECKI

### *Secretarial*

Junior Commercial: 3; Cheerleading: 3, 4.

Always full of fun . . . enjoys dancing, especially at "Swing-Lobby" . . . swimming and skating rate next . . . despises conceited people and Bing Crosby . . . has had her share of boyfriends . . . Sandy would love to become a model — with her good taste and neatness in dressing, her wish is bound to be fulfilled.







## DOROTHY SUMSKI

### *Secretarial*

Junior Commercial: (Treasurer) 3; Senior Commercial: 4; Yearbook: 4; Library: 4; Newspaper: 4.

Raises up the spirit and morale of the Seniors by her cheerfulness . . . . never can she be found gloomy . . . . personality can't be beaten . . . . blonde hair attracts everyone—especially males . . . . active member of Senior class . . . . always with friend, Theresa . . . . could read Shakespeare endlessly . . . . dancing, games, and bowling are tops with her . . . . simply loathes Sinatra and corny jokes . . . . hopes to be an air hostess.

## MARY SZOTT

### *Secretarial*

Library: 2; Junior Commercial: 3; Senior Commercial: 4.

Quiet until you get to know her . . . . likes to travel and dance . . . . spare time is spent corresponding with servicemen . . . . dislikes conceited people and Frank Sinatra . . . . "Wish it were 3 o'clock," can be heard by Mary every school morning . . . . being a doctor's receptionist is her aim in life.



## PAUL TISCHLER

### *Industrial Arts*

Baseball: 3, 4; Mat: 3; Football: 3, 4.

People who think they are better than anyone else is Teene's chief dislike . . . . his quiet and unassuming manner have gained many friends for him . . . . Teene likes sports and Marie—we don't know which comes first, but we're willing to take a guess . . . . his ambition is to be a member of Uncle Sam's Seagoing Fleet . . . . Good Luck, Teene.

## DAN TRAVINSKI

### *Industrial Arts*

Math: 1; Mat: 3.

Dan enjoys bowling . . . is an ardent baseball, football, and basketball fan . . . likes to see and hear good bands . . . claims homework and stuck-up girls gripe him . . . to be an athletic manager is his main ambition . . . Good Luck to you!



## EDWARD VAZQUEZ

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Chess: 3; Junior Play: 3; Vice President: 4.

A rugged fellow . . . lover of rough sports like football, soccer, boxing . . . dislikes work in general, mostly homework . . . enlivens school with pranks . . . plans to go to college and become an M.D.

## BEN WALUS

### *College Prep*

Latin: 1; Class Treasurer: 2, 3; Student Council: 2, (President) 4; Chess: 3; Dramatics: 4; Yearbook Editor: 4.

Enjoys bowling . . . spends his spare time hunting . . . likes all sports . . . an excellent skater . . . attends most of the dances . . . a dependable lad . . . has a wonderful personality . . . plans to attend college.







## RITA WIECZORKOWSKI

### *College Prep*

Chefs: (President) 3; Sub-Deb: 4.

Murder at the local movie theatre and Reet is sure to be there trying to solve the mystery . . . today she solves your murder mysteries tomorrow your dental mysteries for her ambition is to be a dental assistant . . . Oh yes! Reet's wavy hair is the envy of all the girls in the Senior Class.



## BERNICE WNECK

### *College Prep*

Glee: 1, 2; Bomberettes: 1, 2; Cheerleading: 2, 3, 4; Latin: 1; Basketball: 2; Library: 2; Newspaper: 2; Junior Play: 3; Yearbook: 4.

Remember Pottsy as Eleanor Ross in Junior play . . . Wow! What talent . . . super at dramatics and music . . . always smiling and gay . . . active in cheerleading . . . peppy at every game . . . willing to help anyone, anytime . . . main ambition, college . . . success to you, Pottsy.

# As We Were at S. H. S.

Sayreville High School! At last we were here. We sat in the auditorium in a daze listening to Mr. Lyons' instructions. A long list of names of upper-classmen followed. Finally after a seeming endless time our names were called. It took a few days for us to get acquainted with the customs of the school. Everywhere we turned the term freshman confronted us. We struggled through a year of lugging all our books around the school, listening attentively to our teachers, and generally being very good. The way the seniors could walk about without any books (they dared go to their lockers), the way they walked and laughed boisterously seemed to us as if the word senior held some magic power. After struggling through final exams, we freed ourselves from the shackles of freshmen and looked forward to next year.

Well, here we were back again for another year. We were now sophomores, the envy of the freshmen. Now we could walk the halls with heads high and remember those green freshmen struggling through the corridors! It seemed impossible we were like that once. The class treasury fared badly in our first year and now we dreamed of the money we would make. It finally came, our first affair, the Soph Hop. The year passed very quickly and soon we faced a new year.

We are now Juniors. Our class which started with over a 100 strong now stood at a mere 62. Our new adviser, Miss Krausz, had big plans for us. Our Junior Play was a success. This was the first time a class tried anything like it. Our classmates, namely Bernice and Mac, played their roles with the ease of professionals. The treasury was mounting, swelled by the play and the dances we held. In the spring came the biggest event of our high school careers, the Junior Prom. Thanks to the ingenuity of the decorating committee and the initiative of the other committees, it was a big success. The setting for the Prom was a circus. The band played from an elaborately decorated band stand. Romona told fortunes. The Junior year ended and we looked forward to our Senior year—the climax of high school!

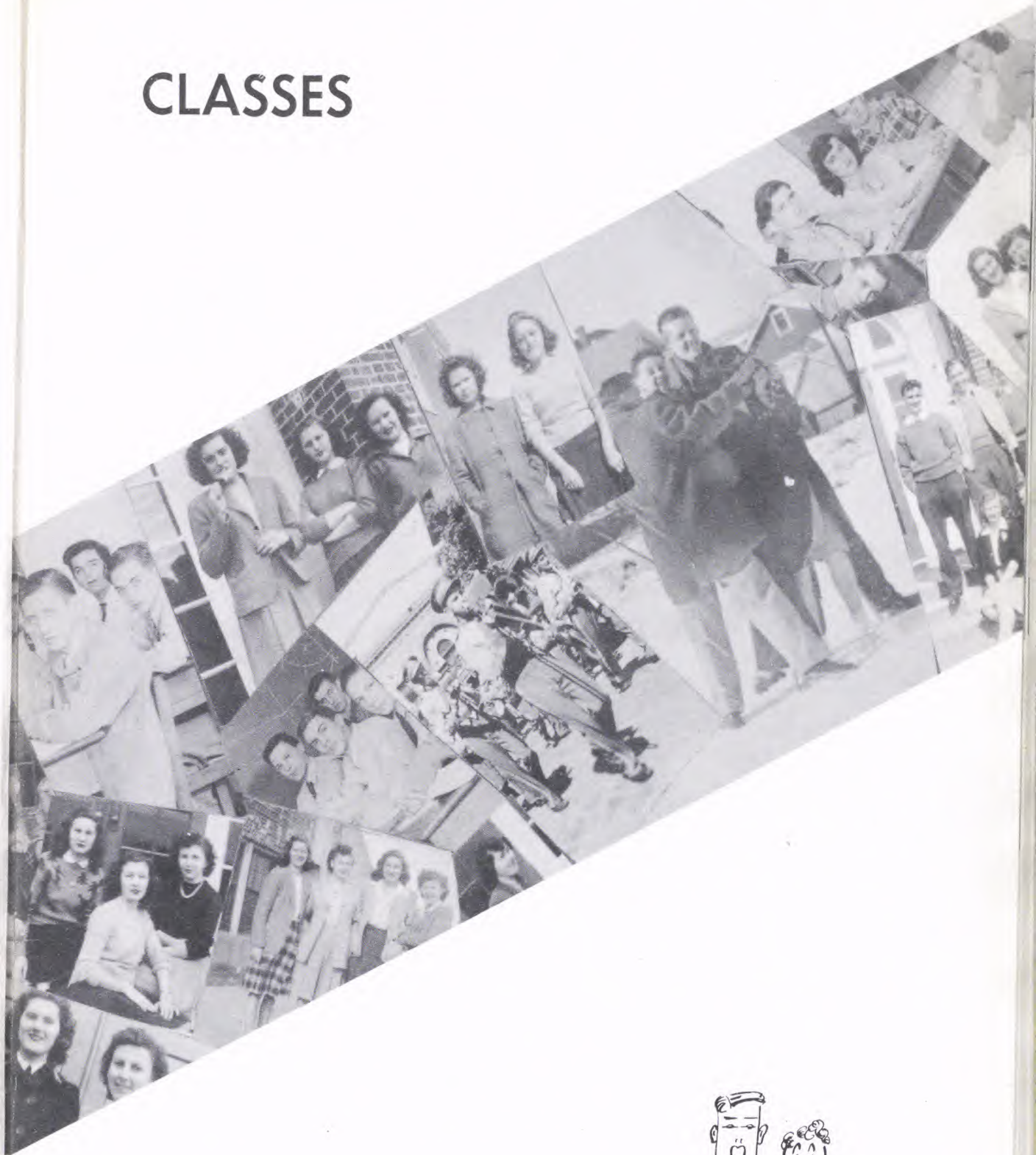
Seniors! Our ambitions have been realized. We are now the models for the entire school. A busy year stands ahead of us. We hold the first dance this year. The yearbook is already begun. Mr. Lyons has left us on a sick leave. Joe Baist is President of the class. Our Senior Ball is held during the Christmas holidays and the couples enjoy the evening in a beautiful winter scene, inside and outside. The Senior Play in April continues our dramatic careers. Senior trip, the gala excursion every student has anticipated for years, comes and goes. Then Baccalaureate, Class Night, Graduation, and our four years at S. H. S. have ended.



# Where We Are Now . . .

- JOSEPH BAIST  
Deerfield Road, Parlin
- JOSEPHINE BIELAK  
15 MacArthur Avenue, Sayreville
- JOHN BUCZEK  
11 Joseph Street, Sayreville
- DOROTHY DAVID  
13 Boehmhurst Avenue, Sayreville
- ROMONA DEL PERCIO  
Rose's Corner, South Amboy
- ROSEMARY DENBY  
160 Washington Road, Sayreville
- RAYMOND DILL  
15 South Edward Street, Sayreville
- WALTER DOMINIK  
75 Washington Road, Sayreville
- RITA ELLISON  
13 Manor Street, South Amboy
- ANNE FRIEDMAN  
129 Washington Road, Sayreville
- CATHLEEN FURSLEW  
228 Washington Road, Sayreville
- CARNESIA GALEBIDES  
Liberty Street, Morgan
- EDNA GALINSKI  
346 Washington Road, Sayreville
- LOUIS GARBOWSKI  
139 Main Street, Sayreville
- CATHERINE GOODMAN  
56 Manor Street, South Amboy
- STELLA GWIZDAK  
7 Mary Street, Sayreville
- KATHERINE HAAG  
Reid Street, Parlin
- JOHN HART  
5 Dolan Street, Sayreville
- MARIE HARTMAN  
220 Washington Road, Sayreville
- IVALOU HOFFMAN  
149 Washington Road, Sayreville
- JEANNINE HOFFMAN  
63 Smullen Street, Sayreville
- FRANCIS HOMAN  
16 Henry Street, Parlin
- FLORENCE JURKIEWICZ  
224 Main Street, Sayreville
- IRENE KANIA  
145 Pulaski Avenue, Sayreville
- JOSEPH KEENAN  
356 Main Street, Sayreville
- SHIRLEY KEENAN  
356 Main Street, Sayreville
- FRANK KOCIOLEK  
14 Hart Street, Sayreville
- EDWARD KONOPKA  
31 Jacobson Street, Sayreville
- JOHN KOSAKOWSKI  
445 Main Street, Sayreville
- ROSE KRAKOWSKI  
11 Hart Street, Sayreville
- JOSEPH KUCHTA  
359 Washington Road, Sayreville
- HELEN KUHRT  
Liberty Street, Morgan
- THERESA KWITKOSKI  
586 Main Street, Sayreville
- NATALIE LIS  
38 Quaid Street, Sayreville
- EDWARD MALISZEWSKI  
Ernst Road, Ernst
- DOROTHY MALKIEWICZ  
William Street, Old Bridge
- MARGARET McCUTCHEON  
78 Smullen Street, Sayreville
- EDWARD McLARNEY  
521 Main Street, Sayreville
- EDWARD MEIROSE  
412 Main Street, Sayreville
- JOHN MESINGER  
18 Little Broadway, Sayreville
- RUTH MOBERG  
107 Washington Road, Sayreville
- JAMES MORAN  
101 Washington Road, Sayreville
- LORRAINE NAGEL  
15 South Pulaski Avenue, Sayreville
- JACQUELIN OLCHASKEY  
20 Elizabeth Street, Parlin
- WILMA PFAU  
Old Spy Road, Morgan
- RITA PRUSAKOWSKI  
201 Oak Street, South Amboy
- CYRIL RHATICAN  
15 Hart Street, Sayreville
- EDWIN ROGINSKI  
3 South Pulaski Avenue, Sayreville
- MELVIN RUESCH  
174 Main Street, Sayreville
- SHIRLEY SCHERF  
196 Washington Road, Sayreville
- HENRY SIERON  
71 Harding Avenue, President Park
- DOUGLAS SPRAGUE  
Wesco Street, South Amboy
- LEONA SUCHOWIECKI  
51 Washington Road, Sayreville
- MARTHA SUCHOWIECKI  
17 James Street, Sayreville
- DOROTHY SUMSKI  
24 Boehmhurst Avenue, Sayreville
- MARY SZOTT  
323 Washington Road, Sayreville
- PAUL TISCHLER  
3 Harrison Street, Parlin
- DAN TRAVINSKI  
37 Harding Avenue, President Park
- BEN WALUS  
17 Furman Avenue, Sayreville
- RITA WIECZORKOWSKI  
52 Fouratt Avenue, South Amboy
- BERNICE WNECK  
76 Smullen Street, Sayreville
- EDWARD VAZQUEZ  
Rose's Corner, South Amboy

# CLASSES







## CLASS OF '47

*President*.....Joseph Sumski  
*Vice President*.....Frank Marcinczk  
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*Adviser*.....Mrs. Mary Welsh

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## CLASS OF '49

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                     Miss Carmelita Lucitt

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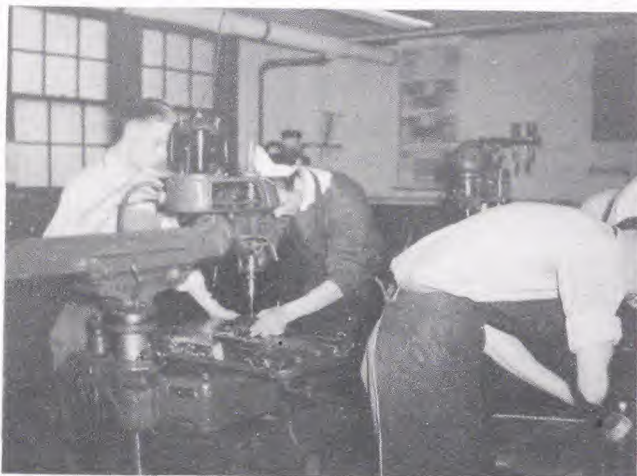
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IN CLASS . . .



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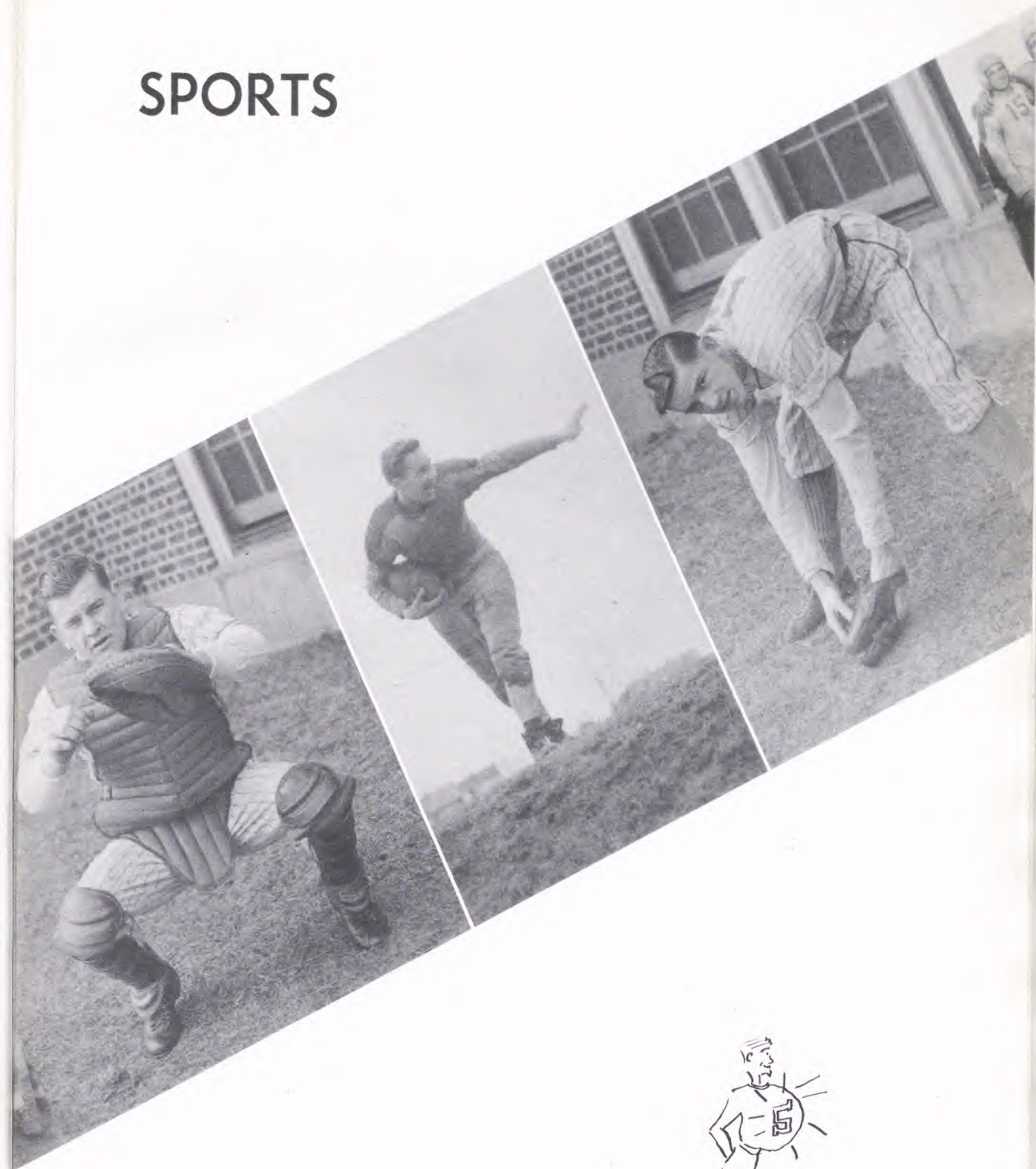


IN SHOP . . .



AND SO — HOME . . .

# SPORTS







## ON THE GRIDIRON...



**BACK ROW:** Robert Mytnick, Walter Swiderski, Paul Emmons, Anthony Gaspich, Edwin Albin, Joseph Januszewski, John Hart, Edward Meirose.

**SECOND ROW:** Coach Abbatiello, Arthur Snyder, Edward Samuel, Paul Tischler, Douglas Sprague, Joseph Sumski, Richard Servis, John Cesare, Mr. Counsman (Assistant).

**FRONT ROW:** Raymond Dill, Edward Homan, Paul Janocha, Edwin Chudkowski, John Bailey, James Moran, Edward Konopka.



## RECORD

S. H. S.		OPPONENT
0	Leonardo	4
13	South River	40
20	St. James	6
27	Metuchen	13
7	Scotch Plains	38
13	Holy Trinity	6
0	Highland Park	18

The 1945 gridiron season saw the Bombers win three and drop four contests for a percentage of .429.

In their opening game, the Abbatiello men were beaten for the fourth consecutive year by the Lions of Leonardo. The contest was played in the rain that completely flooded the new field at the foot of Dolan Street. Two bad passes from center resulted in a pair of safeties that gave the shoremen a 4-0 victory.

The South River Maroons were the next opponents and the powerful cross-river team turned back the fighting Bombers 40-13. South River's reserve strength was the big factor in the game.

In the next two games the Blue and Gray really hit their stride. Paced by the running of Paul Tischler and Cy Rhatican, they recorded triumphs over St. James of Red Bank 20-6 and Metuchen 27-13. The Metuchen game was the best played contest of the season.

After an open date, the boys ran into a powerful and undefeated Scotch Plains eleven. The Plainsmen had too much speed and power and won out by a 38-4 margin.

A 13-6 victory over Holy Trinity of Westfield evened the season's record at three and three, but the Bombers fell below the .500 mark when they were turned back by Highland Park 18-0.

To sum up, here are some of the statistics: The local gridders scored 80 points compared to 125 for the opposition. Paul Tischler, Cy Rhatican and Doug Sprague were the leading scorers. The Seniors who will be leaving the team are Doug Sprague, Paul Tischler, Cy Rhatican, Joe Keenan and Ed. Konopka.



# THROUGH THE HOOP...



## RECORD

Sayreville	58	Alumni	34
Sayreville	42	Holy Trinity	51
Sayreville	60	Holy Trinity	44
Sayreville	36	Highland Park	52
Sayreville	40	Jamesburg	34
Sayreville	34	Jamesburg	43
Sayreville	37	Woodbridge	32
Sayreville	42	St. Mary's	45
Sayreville	42	St. James'	46
Sayreville	36	St. Peter's	60
Sayreville	45	Matawan	42
Sayreville	34	Woodbridge	38
Sayreville	57	Metuchen	52
Sayreville	33	Matawan	34
Sayreville	50	St. James'	41
Sayreville	40	Highland Park	45
Sayreville	35	Hoffman	43
Sayreville	42	St. Mary's	57
Sayreville	54	Metuchen	50
Sayreville	35	Dunellen	52
Sayreville	33	Hoffman	43
Sayreville	33	St. Peter's	32



## VARSITY

*Kneeling:* George Keenan, Walter Swiderski, Stanley Golembieski, Joseph Kuchta, Frank Marcinczyk.

*Standing:* Joseph Sumski (Manager), Edward Boyler, John Wojcik, Robert Mytnick, Edward Jastrebski, Mr. William Ryan (Coach).



## J.V.

*Back Row:* Mark Michalik, Stanley Brys, Stanley Glinsky, Steve Makwinski, Stanley Wlodarczyk, Walter Swiderski, Joseph Keenan (Coach)

*Seated:* Joseph Applegate, Joseph Nicewicz, George Keenan, Roy Dill, Frank Marcinczyk.

The 1945-46 basketball season produced the second best team in Bomber court history. Coach Bill Ryan's boys won nine and dropped thirteen contests for a percentage of .409.

The season started off on the right foot with a win over the Alumni, but the boys ran into trouble in the next game and were beaten by Westfield Catholic. For the first eight games the Bombers won the odd games and lost the even ones. They beat Holy Trinity in a return game then lost to Highland Park. Jamesburg split their home and home series. Woodbridge was the next victim, but after this the team slumped and lost to St. Mary's, Red Bank Catholic and St. Peter's. A victory over Matawan put the boys back in the win column.

During the remainder of the season the team ran "hot" and "cold," playing fine ball one night and slumping the next. The best game they played all year was against Highland Park when they extended the powerful Owls all the way before losing 45-40. The final game was one of the most exciting ever played on the spacious Sayreville court. Bob Mytnick's field goal in a sudden death period gave the Bombers a 33-32 victory, and the first win over St. Peter's.

Ed. Boyler set a new school scoring record by finishing the year with 294 points. Bob Mytnick was close behind with 285. John Mesinger finished third with 146 points.

Coach Joe Keenan's Junior-Varsity won 12 games and lost 8, which turned out to be the best record of the school's Jay-Vee teams. The team was paced by two pint-sized forwards, George Keenan and Roy Dill.



# AT THE PLATE ....



Standing: Joseph Keenan, Frank Zebrowski, Michael Wos, Richard Servis, James Moran, Edward Meirose, Joseph Baist, Frank Marcinczyk, Herbert Servis, Joseph Nicewicz, Steve Makwinski, Harold Bartz, Coach Abbatiello.

Seated: Douglas Sprague, Robert Mytnick, John Wojcik, Stanley Glinsky, Paul Tischler.

## BASEBALL SCHEDULE

April 12	St. Peter's	Away	May 10	Jamesburg	Home
April 16	Holy Trinity	Home	May 13	Hoffman	Home
April 23	St. Mary's	Home	May 17	Dunellen	Home
April 26	Dunellen	Away	May 21	St. Mary's	Away
April 30	Jamesburg	Away	May 23	Highland Park	Home
May 3	St. Peter's	Home	May 28	Hoffman	Away
May 7	Highland Park	Away	June 1	Holy Trinity	Away



The Sayreville Cheerleading squad, which is five years old, is a popular activity at the school. The girls cheer at all the football and basketball games.

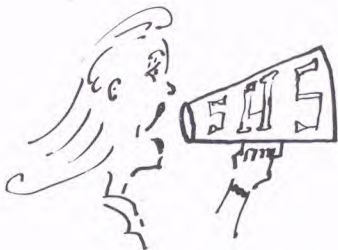
The members of the Varsity Squad are: Katherine Haag, Bernice Wneck, Marie Hartman, Martha Suchowicki, Frances Walas, Betty Lou Ash, Mary Jane Scheid and Elaine Gominger.

The Junior Varsity members are: Dorothy Schmidt, Dolores Micklos, Irene Kruczewski and Frances Hartman.

The future cheerleaders are selected by two faculty members and the senior varsity cheerleaders of the graduating class. There is usually a large number of candidates and competition is always keen.

## YEAH TEAM!

*Captain:* Katherine Haag  
*Manager:* Peggy McCutcheon  
*Adviser:* Miss Farrell







SHUFFLEBOARD

# GIRLS' GYM

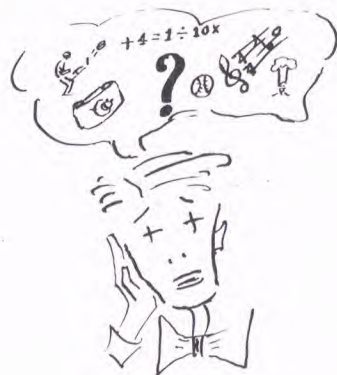
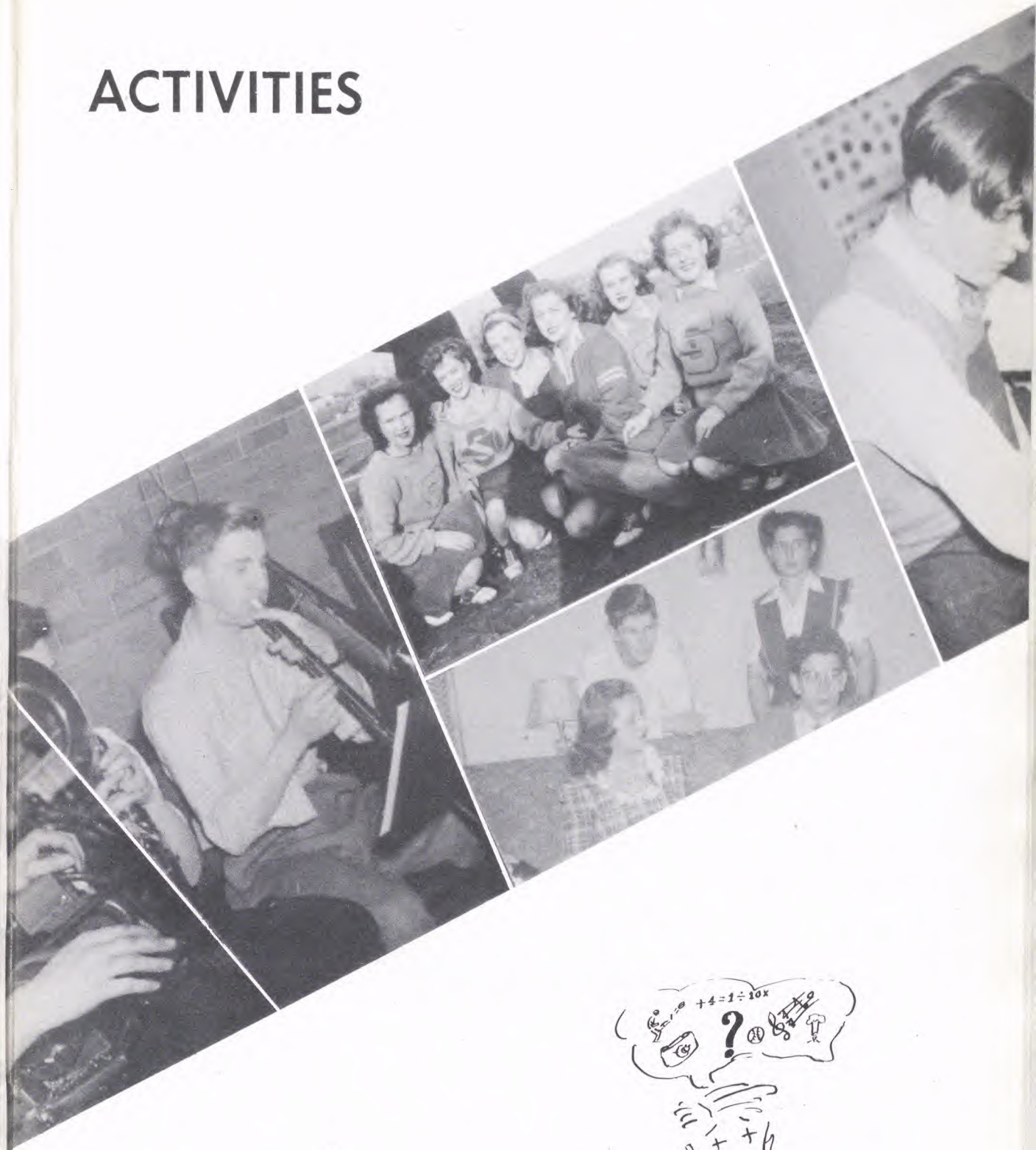


PING PONG



BASKETBALL

# ACTIVITIES







### EDITORIAL STAFF

*Standing:* Ruth Treier, Joan Schmidt, Dolores Lis, Theresa Strek, Jean McNutt, Edward Schmidt, Ann Nicewicz, Charles Prusik, Donald Sica, Henry Albert, Evelyn Sugrue.

*Seated:* Natalie Lis, Alice Newton, Theresa Mokrzycki, Dolores Bernas, Nancy Kifner, Miss Lucitt (Editorial Adviser), Irene Dominick.

### BUSINESS STAFF

*Standing:* Laverne McCutcheon, Bernadine Czernikowski, Mrs. Sperber (Business Adviser)

*Second Row:* Shirley Scherf, Ruth Moberg, Cathleen Furslew, Joan Anderson.

*Front Row:* Ivalou Hoffman, Jean Hoffman, Bernard Garbowski.

## ECHO LITES

Echo Lites, which goes to press every six weeks, strives to strengthen school spirit by publicizing all extra-curricular activities and by recording outstanding events of the school year. Through its editorials it brings to the attention of the students matters pertaining to school welfare which they can take care of themselves and which are for their benefit.

To the students who are interested in journalism it provides experience in writing and editing and offers an insight into journalistic problems.

Miss Lucitt and Mrs. Sperber are the advisers.







## STUDENT COUNCIL



*Standing:* Adolph Schenkel, Edward Samuel, Roy Dill.

*Seated:* Emmanuel Dietsch, Bernard Garbowski, Theresa Strek, Dolores Bernas, Anna Soberanski, Phyllis Feulner, Ruth Nugent, Jane Demerest, Marion Peterson, Lorraine Waksmunski.

The purpose of the student council is to help improve the student activities and to give aid to students and clubs during the course of the year. One of its main objectives is to create among the students a better understanding of duties, order, and school regulations. It is also the duty of the student council members to enforce rules made by the principal and faculty.

The student council has furnished BEAT signs at a reasonable price and has also offered a means of transportation to out-of-town games. In doing so it has not only raised needed funds but has also reduced the expenses of the students attending games.



*President:* Ben Walus  
*Vice President:* Carnesia Galebides  
*Treasurer:* Louis Garbowski  
*Secretary:* Ann Friedman  
*Adviser:* Mrs. A. Marra

*Standing:* Henry Albert, Mrs. Marra (Adviser), Edward Schmidt.  
*Seated:* Louis Garbowski, Ruth Treier, Natalie Lis, Shirley Scherf, Carnesia Galebides, Ivalou Hoffman, Ben Walus, Joan Anderson.





*Standing:* Georganne Taylor, Francis Betzler.

*Seated:* Louis Garbowski, Edwin Roginski, Richard Pavlik, Charles Pruski, Henry Zaleski, Henry Sieron, James Bonanno, Roy Dill.

# B A N D



*Back Row:* Taylor, Betzler, Gaspich, McNutt, Poppe.

*Second Row:* Beauregard, Sieron, Bonanno, Dill, Deitsch, Homan.

*Third Row:* Mr. Cornell, Garbowski, Pavlik, Roginski, Prusick, Zeleski.

*Front Row:* Stelmaszek, Roskowski, Deitsch, Wos, Krosnoski.



*Standing:* Anthony Gaspich, Jean McNutt, Arthur Poppe.  
*Seated:* Mr. Cornell (Adviser) Robert Beauregard, Emmanuel Deitsch, Francis Homan, Delores Stelmaszek, Edward Krosnoski, Michael Wos, Ruth Deitsch, Dolores Roskowski.

*Adviser:* Mr. Cornell

The band has been very active during the past year. It has helped build school-spirit by furnishing music at football games and pep rallies. The student musicians have taken part in municipal parades in Sayreville and in neighboring towns.

At all school assemblies the Sayreville High School Band has entertained faculty and student body with marches, classics and practically every type of music.

The Spring Concert given by the band has been a traditional event since the beginning of the high school. Other concerts at the local theater and one in Long Island have also been included among the band accomplishments for 1945-46.





## GLEE CLUB

*Back Row:* Delores Bernas, Jean Kitchen, Emma Unglert, Elsie Holthausen, Alice Marcinczyk, Claire Marmone, Edna Budney, Geraldine Briggs.

*Front Row:* Mr. Cornell (Director), Mrs. Marra (Pianist), Elaine Gominger, Lovenia Kemnetz, Clara Gostkowski, Janet Bruno, Ann Miller, Joan Anderson, Cecelia Kolakowski, Carol Davis, Dorothy Heck.

*Back Row:* Elaine Albert, Edna Unkel, Sally Yanas, Gloria Travinski, Dolores Roskowski, Joan Smigleski, Madlene Westcott.

*Second Row:* Marie Hartman, Betty Lou Ash, Natalie Lis, Theresa Mokrzycki, Adeline Kuzdzal, Natalie Davis, Rose Kuntney.

*Third Row:* Shirley Rieth, Jane Demerest, Dorothy Ziemski, Marie Holsworth, Florence Markulic, Irene Gawron, Beatrice Dering.

*Front Row:* Joan Anderson, Marie Baumann, Ruth Nugent, Mr. Cornell, Anna Nicewicz, Joan Keanan, Bernice Merwin.

*Adviser:* Mr. Christopher Cornell

*Pianist:* Mrs. Angelica Marra

A popular musical activity at Sayreville High School is the Glee Club. The girls meet weekly during a scheduled time to learn how to sing in harmony. Their repertoire includes all types of songs—classical, semi-classical and popular.

Singing during the Spring Concert is their outstanding annual achievement; however, assembly programs are occasionally enriched by their melodious presentations.

Membership in the Glee Club this year has been unusually large.





# CHEF CLUB



Back Row: Edward Batko, Adolph Schenkel, Walter Kwiatkowski, Raymond Podbelski.

Front Row: Stanley Golembieski, Fred Semasko, Robert Thompson.



Robert Peterson, Frank Rojewski, Peter Koch, Miss Fisher (Adviser) Alvin DeFort, Edward Schmidt.

President.....Alvin DeFort  
Vice President.....Fred Semasko  
Treasurer.....Raymond Podbelski  
Adviser.....Miss Felice Fisher

The purpose of the Chef Club is to teach the boys of this school how to cook and how to work efficiently in the kitchen.

The boys in the Chef Club have learned how to make such delicacies as crisp cookies and fluffy biscuits. The boys have a goal to gain, and that is to make an entire dinner.

The membership of the club is open to any boy in the high school who would like to learn how to cook.

Shirley Rieth, Lois Zulauf, Geraldine Briggs, Lovenia Kemnetz.



Adviser: Mr. Leonard Willinger

The Art Club is an informal group of students who enjoy art. At their weekly meetings they do freehand pencil sketches, oil paintings and drawings of anatomical figures. They frequently engage in art discussions.

The members pay no dues, but buy their own materials. Any student interested in art is welcome.

## ART CLUB



Sally Yanas, Eleanor McCracken, Andrew Lytkowski.



# D R A M A T I C C L U B



Anne Friedman, Lorraine Nagel, Anna Marie Zink, Ramona Del Percio, Jeannine Hoffman, Marie Baumann, Ruth Balo, Steve Makwinski, Ben Walus, John Hart.

*President:* Anne Friedman  
*Vice President:* Jean Hoffman  
*Secretary:* Lorraine Nagel  
*Treasurer:* Ben Walus  
*Adviser:* Mrs. Cathryn Counsman

The main objective of the Dramatic Club is to give people with acting ability an opportunity to develop their talent and also to overcome stage fright.

Committees are appointed to plan and supply the entertainment for each week's meeting. The entertainment consists of one act plays, skits and pantomimes—both individual and group.

The club has also presented a number of the school assembly programs.



Eugene Malik, Joan Keenan, Joseph Applegate, Emma Unglert, Richard Bailey, John Hart, Elsie Holthausen.



# SENIOR COMMERCIAL CLUB



Katherine Haag, Mary Szott, Irene Kania, Anne Friedman, Martha Suchowiecki, Ramona Del Percio, Shirley Keenan, Theresa Kwitkoski, Carnesia Galebides, Dorothy Sumski.

*President:* Stella Gwizdak

*Secretary:* Shirley Keenan

*Treasurer:* Rose Krakowski

*Adviser:* Mrs. Beatrice Sperber

To acquaint the students with future office tasks is the purpose of the Senior Commercial Club.

The Seniors do various types of office work including typing, stenography, filing, and machine operations. Different questions and problems pertaining to office work are discussed at each meeting. Trips to various offices, industries, and exchanges are an important part of the club's activities.

Membership in the club is restricted to those Seniors who take the office practice course.



Martha Suchowiecki, Peggy McCutcheon, Dorothy Sumski, Wilma Pfau, Natalie Lis, Irene Kania, Mary Szott, Rose Krakowski, Josephine Bielak, Stella Gwizdak, Jacquelin Olchasky, Florence Jurkiewicz.







# PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB



President .....	Joseph Nicewicz
Vice President .....	Frank Marcinczyk
Secretary .....	Frank Ziernski
Treasurer .....	Stanley Glinisky
Corresponding Secretary.....	Herbert Servis
Adviser .....	Mr. L. Wnukowski

The Photography Club is one of the newer clubs formed in Sayreville High School. The club meets every Tuesday during the activities period in Mr. Wnukowski's home room. Here the members stress the details of photography. They learn how to take pictures from different angles, how to develop them, and how to make enlargements.

So far the entire group consists of undergraduate boys who aspire to become our future camera men.



Joseph Kraczowski, Wilbur Fiedler, James Grant, Stanley Robenalt, Frank Bielak, Joseph Januszewski, Fred Skurka, Edward Dominik, James Gemmell, Edwin Chudkowski, Michael Cholewa, Edward Samuel, Raymond Puchalski, Charles Ellis, John Ciecko, Edward Plewa, Edwin Albin, Russell Hahn, Frank Ziernski, Herbert Servis, Frank Grabowski, Edward Jastrebski, James Bonanno, Edgar Berney.



# AIR NAVIGATION CLUB



*Standing:* Frank Wrobel, Richard Servis, Edward Creamer, Edward Pytel, Edward Homan, Philip McCutcheon, Elmer McCracken, Alfred Waksmunski, Norman Bailey.  
*Seated:* Henry Albert, Donald Sica, Gloria Anderson, Edward McLarney, Charles Gowacki, Bernard Garbowski.

President .....	Edward McLarney
Vice President .....	Donald Sica
Secretary .....	Philip McCutcheon
Treasurer .....	Henry Albert
Adviser .....	Miss Margaret Walsh

To provide motivation for the study of Mathematics and Air Navigation is the aim of the Air Navigation Club. The mathematical knowledge obtained by this group will be valuable in many ways.

The club studies such topics as bearings, position by radio bearings, finding heading track and grounds speed, drift angle and magnetic bearings.

The members are interested in Aviation and are anxious to gain additional knowledge of the subject.



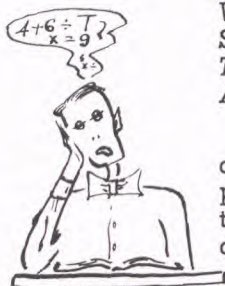
Sica, Creamer, Servis, McLarney, Anderson, Homan, Wrobel, McCracken, Gowacki, Pytel, Garbowski, Albert, Waksmunski, Bailey, McCutcheon.



# JUNIOR BUSINESS TRAINING CLUB



Anna Sickles, Francis Selover, Doris Volkert, Florence Przybylko, Alma Sickles, Miss Kreiger (Adviser), Alice Marcinczyk, Edna Budney, Anna Nicewicz, Georganne Taylor, Anna Zarembo, Vernon Warden.



President .....	Anna Nicewicz
Vice President .....	Jane Demarest
Secretary .....	Alma Sickles
Treasurer .....	Edna Budney
Adviser .....	Miss Grace Kreiger

The Junior Business Training Club has been organized to acquaint its members with the situations and problems that pertain to the business world. The topics of discussion during their meetings include various procedures and difficulties encountered in the commercial field.

Membership is limited to those students who study Junior Business Training. Meetings are held during regular club periods.



Edna Budney, Vernon Warden, Doris Volkert, Alice Marcinczyk, Miss Kreiger (Adviser), Jane Demarest, Joan Anderson, Florence Przybylko, Georganne Taylor.





# LIBRARY CLUB



Theresa Strek, Natalie Lis, Mrs. Counsman (Adviser), Theresa Mokrzycki, Ann Miller, Elsie Holthausen, Elaine Albert.

*Missing from picture: Josephine Betza, Georganne Taylor.*

The purpose of the club is to provide for the girls training in the proper care and placement of library possessions.

The girls are familiar with the Dewey Decimal System of filing and, therefore, know how to keep the books in their proper order. Checking magazines and overdue books are other responsibilities of this club.

Instead of having officers in the Library Club, all the girls report to Mrs. Counsman, librarian and club adviser, during one of their free periods every week. This promotes equal tasks in sharing the duties of the club.



# SUB DEB CLUB

**Adviser:** Miss Kathryn Urbanick

This club is an informal meeting of a group of girls who are interested in discussing good grooming. The girls choose a topic and look up information about it, then during the meeting it is discussed.

The membership of this club was so large it had to be divided into two groups, which meet on alternate weeks. Anyone wishing to belong to this club may join either group she would prefer, at any time.



**Seated:** Beatrice Dering, Irene Malkiewicz, Dorothy Ziemiński, Mary Hahn, Joan Schmidt, Bernice Merwin, Dolores Zyskowski.

**Second Row:** Jean Kuhn, Evelyn Sugrue, Dorothy Osmanski, Josephine Kosiek, Joan Storrs, Dorothy Heck, Dorothy Krosnowski, Violet Gross.

**Third Row:** Lorraine Waksmunski, Ann Ballo, Louise Ziemba, Anna Miller, Edna Unkel, Elaine Albert, Aldona Bonczek, Pearl Wneck, Irene Sadowski, Laverne McCutcheon, Joan Cislo.



**Seated:** Marion Pekarski, Stella Paprota, Joan Kaczmarek, Dorothy Roginski, Marie Holsworth, Eleanor Kurczeski, Christine Moskal, Irene Marcinczyk, Jean Dzienciol.

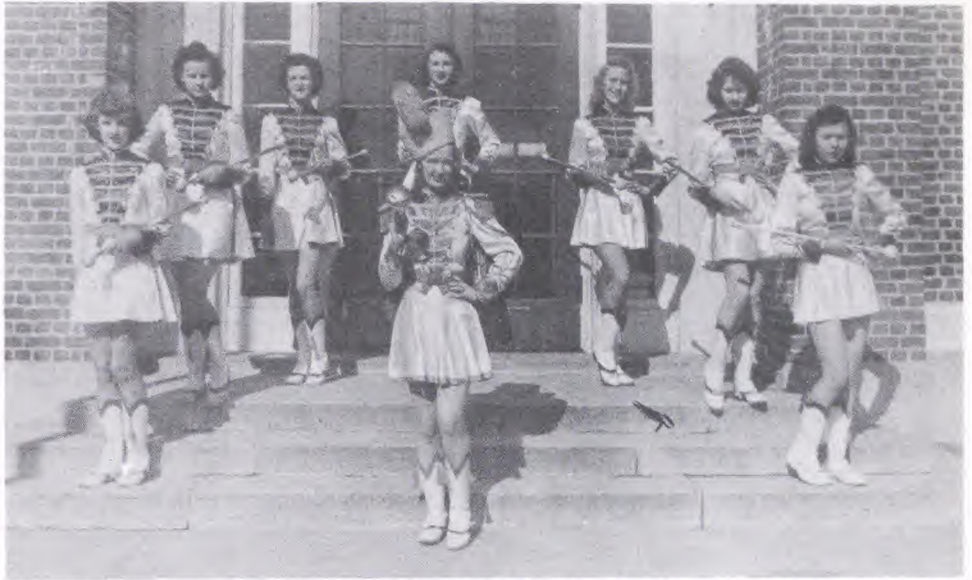
**Second Row:** Claire Mansfield, Pauline Galebides, Laverne Anderson, Norma Brombert, Ceal Pero, Florence Domzal, Florence Samuel, Mary Zaneski, Helen Kuhrt, Rita Wieczorkowski, Theresa Jay.

**Third Row:** Dorothea Dufford, Anastasia Galebides, Joan Smigleski, Claire Gostkowski, Rita Prusakowski, Rosemary Denby, Ruth Moberg, Shirley Scherf, Edna Galinski, Ivalou Hoffman, Miss Urbanick (Adviser).



Left to Right: Gloria Travinski, Ann Soberanski, Adeline Kuzdal, Ruth Prusarczyk, Laverne McCutcheon, Natalie Davis, Eleanor Kurczeski.

Center: Shirley Keenan  
(Majorette).



Back Row: Dorothy Osmanski, Janet Bruno, Pauline Galebides, Florence Samuel, Eileen Creed, Elaine Albert, Edna Unkel, Dolores Zyskowski.

Front Row: Joan Anderson, Joan Keenan, Christine Moskal, Ruth Ballo, Dorothy Ziemski, Dorothy Roginski, Dolores Bernas, Irene Marcinczyk, Joan Cislo.



## JUNIOR VARSITY TWIRLERS

Drum Majorette .....	Shirley Keenan
Captain .....	Ruth Prusaczyk
Adviser .....	Mr. Christopher Cornell

The twirlers with the band attend all football games and represent Sayreville High School in local parades and municipal functions. They also participate in the annual spring concert and in many of the assembly programs.

Their elaborate routines in manipulating their batons have won for them much praise both locally and in interscholastic competition.





# HONOR STUDENTS



## HONOR GROUP

*Back Row:* Ann Friedman, Joseph Kuchta, Joseph Baist, Natalie Lis.

*Front:* Louis Garbowski, Shirley Scherf, Cathleen Furslew, Theresa Kwitkowski, Bernice Wneck, Wilma Pfau, Carnesia Galebides, Ben Walus, Dorothy Sumski.



## HONOR SOCIETY

*First Row: Dorothy Sumski, Cathleen Furslew, Natalie Lis, Shirley Scherf, Bernice Wneck.  
Second Row: Louis Garbowski, Mr. Lance (Principal), Ben Walus.*

Since February 21, 1942, there has been a Sayreville Chapter of The National Honor Society of Secondary Schools.

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*Seated:* Dorothy Sumski, Carnesia Galebides, Theresa Kwitkowski, Natalie Lis, Shirley Scherf, Ruth Moberg.

*Standing:* Ann Friedman, Ivalou Hoffman, Cathleen Furslew.



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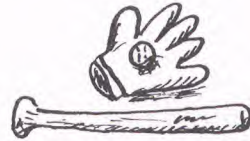
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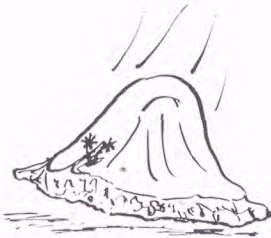
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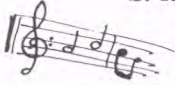
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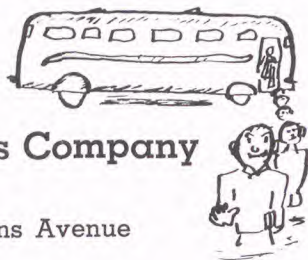
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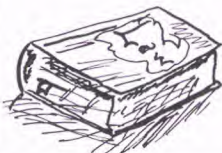
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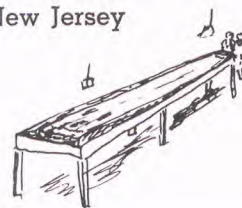


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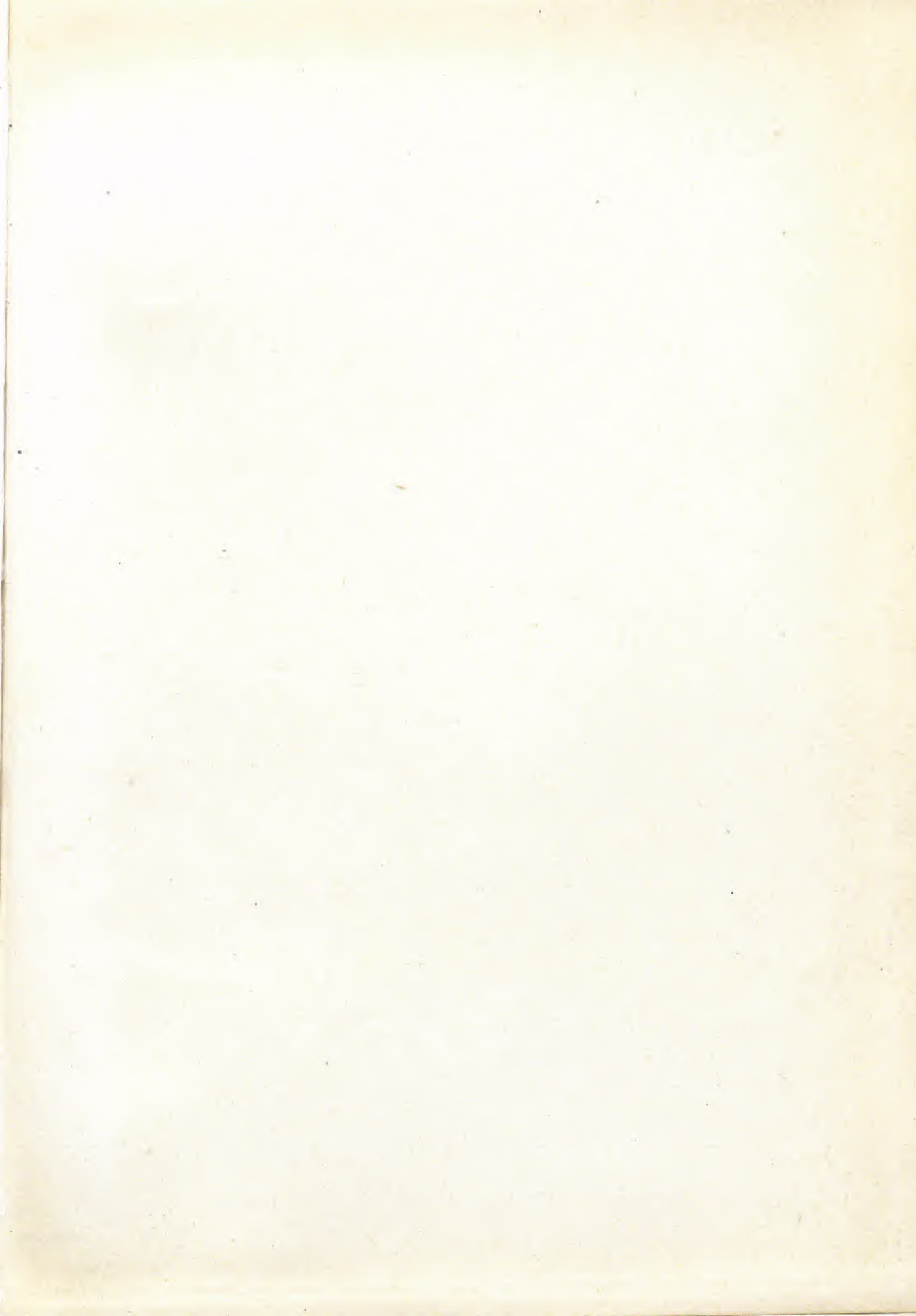




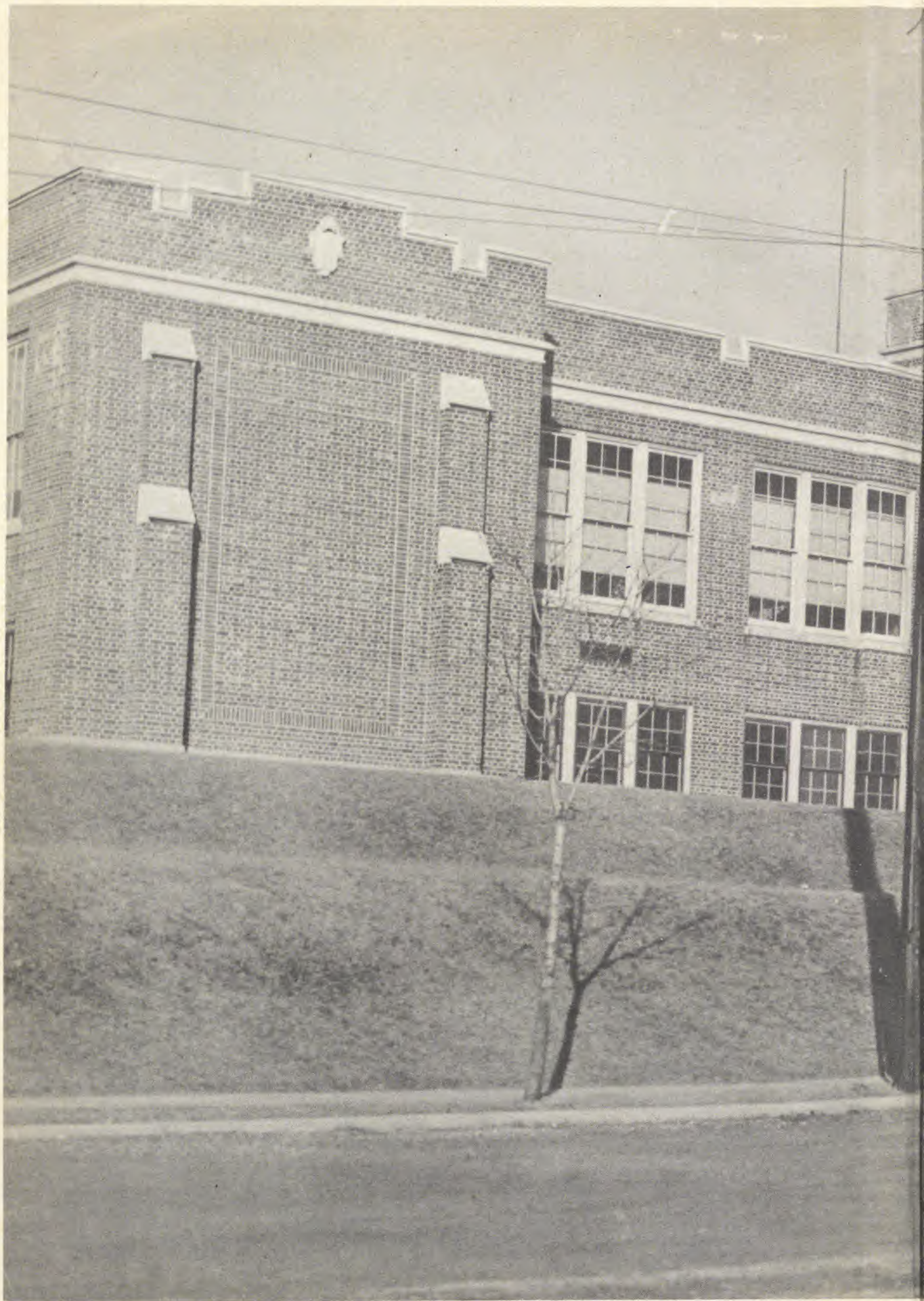
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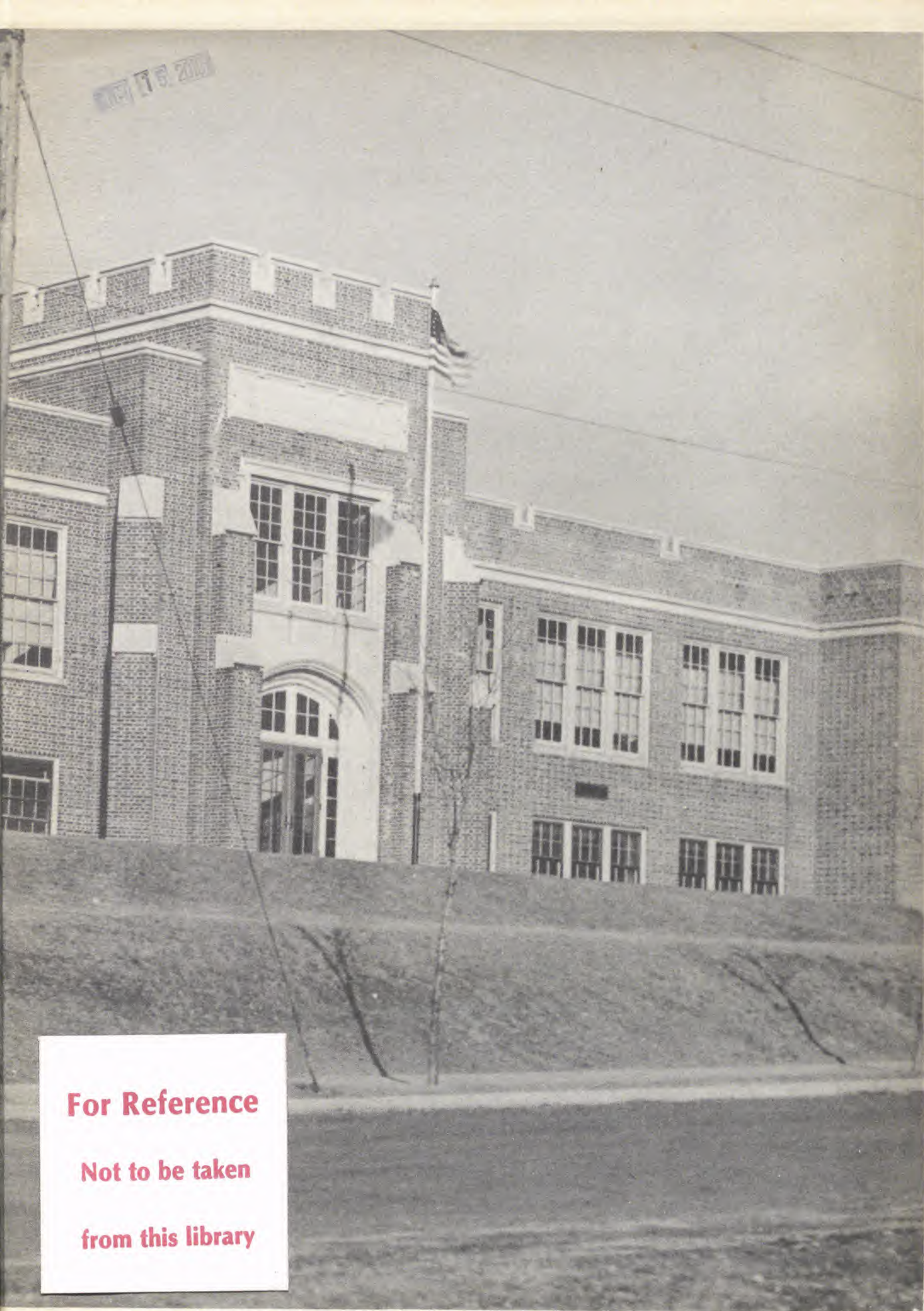
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